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## May 2020 CHAASE Newsletter

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### 2020 CHAASE Annual Awards

Despite the CHAASE Banquet being canceled due to the COVID-19 pandemic, we still wanted to honor our annual CHAASE awards. We were able to do a virtual surprise award ceremony for each of the recipients. They are as follow:

**Preceptor of the Year:** Stacy Nies

**Distinguished Student Award:** Rachael Wallin and Joseph Larsen

**Distinguished Service Award:** Douglas Fullaway

**Distinguished Alumni Award :** Bryan Bee

Congratulations!

You can read more about the award recipients [here](#).

### Student Leadership Poster Award Winners and Nominees



Jessica Damit



Jaclyn Pederson



Sydney Pisarski



Sammie Drost



Chloe Gruber

## HCAD LEADERSHIP POSTER AWARD WINNERS

### EXTERNAL POSTER

**Winner: Jessica Damit:**

**"Intergenerational Program"**

**Nominees:** Madelyn Blaha Erin Rafferty Allison Bauer

### INTERNAL POSTER

**Winner: Jaclyn Pederson**

**"Comprehensive Care Planning"**

**Nominees:** Sydney Mankse, Allysa Behling, Connor Huhn

### ENTREPRENEUR AWARD

**Winner: Sydney Pisarski**

**"Creating a Work-Life Balance through Reducing Overtime"**

**Nominees:** Rachel Stevens, Rachael Wallin, Shania Skrzpcak

### CUSTOMER POSTER

**Co-Winners:**

**Sammie Drost**

**"Family Orientation"**

**Chloe Gruber**

**"Engaging Residents with Meaningful Activities"**

**Nominees:** Kelsey Diehl, Andrea Keuhn

# CONGRATULATIONS

## Scholarships

Recently, we had the opportunity to award our HCAD scholarship recipients.

Congratulations to all of the students! Thank you to our supporters for making these scholarships possible.

You can see all of the awards [here](#).

## Fiedler chosen as 2020 Emerging Leader



**Holly Fiedler**, a junior health care administration major, was named the **2020 College of Business Emerging Leader**. She is an active member of the American College of Health Care Administrators (ACHCA) and has been a student assistant for the management and marketing department since fall 2017.

Her academic achievements have been recognized as the recipient of the Susan Weiss Memorial, LeadingAge Wisconsin, and The Power of AND scholarships, along with being named to the Dean's List since her freshman year.

Outside of school, she was a resident assistant at The Evangelical Lutheran Good Samaritan Society in Taylors Falls, MN, and has volunteered with the Alzheimer's Association. Fiedler will spend her senior year completing the HCAD practicum at Friendship Village in Bloomington, MN.

The College of Business Emerging Leader Award is presented to a current College of Business student who has shown early leadership and potential for success, and who is not graduating in 2020. The recipient of the award is selected by the college's faculty and staff.

Congratulations Holly!

## Thank You

On behalf of the UWEC-Health Care Administration faculty and staff, we want to extend out sincere gratitude to the 2019-2020 ACHCA Student Organization E-Board. Thank you for your dedication, hard work and contributions for making this year a success!

President: Kali Blaeser

Vice President: Ethan Cole

Secretary: Cortney Christnovich/Claire Sheehan

Treasurer: Molly Vissers

Social Coordinator: Ansley Hinz/Lexi Reeves

Volunteer Director: Wyatt Pramann

Director of Fundraising: Sierra Ballweg

Marketing Director: Sara Beckendorf

Recruitment and Retention Director: Grace Gobler



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## **Congratulations to the 2020 HCAD Class!**

**We are so proud of you all!**

**Even though there may not be pomp because of our circumstances, never has  
a graduating class been called to step into the future with more purpose,  
vision, passion, energy and hope.**





## HCAD Hires new Faculty

Frances Maria Hawes was most recently an Adjunct Professor in the Natural and Health Science departments at Quincy College, Bunker Hill Community College and Massasoit Community College where she has been since 2011.

From 2017 to 2019 she served as an Executive Board Member for Massachusetts Women in Public Higher Education. From



2016 to 2017 she served on the Quincy College Senate Committee. From 2007-2013 she worked as a Hospice and Home Health Aide in Boston, Massachusetts, and co-founded a small home health aide business in 2011.

She received a B.A. from Merrimack College, and an M.S. from the University of Massachusetts Boston. She will receive her Ph.D. in Gerontology from the University of Massachusetts Boston in August 2020.

Her research interests span both Psychology and Gerontology. Much of her work has been on parent-care arrangements of adult-children and retirement satisfaction. Her most recent focus and the topic of her dissertation is the job satisfaction of long-term care workers.

Welcome Frances, we are thrilled to have you!

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## In the News

### **Dr. Jennifer Johs-Artisensi**

Leader Telegram

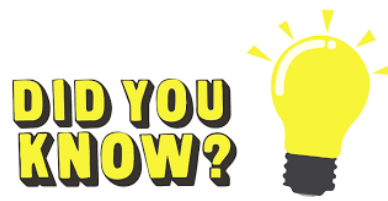
Eau Claire, WI

[UW-EC Professor discusses senior care, how to stay connected](#)

### **UW-Eau Claire Integrated Marketing Communications (IMC) Features**

Several features showcasing students, alumni and faculty/staff

<https://www.uwec.edu/news/chaase/>



**The UW-Eau Claire HCAD program has has over 1,000 graduates.**

## **Upcoming Events**

### **WHCA/WiCAL 2020 Care Classic**

July 20, 2020

Cottage Grove, WI

<https://www.whcawical.org/careclassic/>

### **CHAASE Banquet**

April 15, 2020

Lismore Hotel-Eau Claire, WI

*More details to come!*

### **2020 CHAASE Fall Forum**

September 10, 2020

3:30 - 5:00pm

Davies Center, UWEC

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