

2020 Honors & Awards Recipients



Catherine Worthingham Fellow of the American Physical Therapy Association

William Bandy, PT, PhD, FAPTA
Board-Certified Clinical Specialist in Sports Physical Therapy

Leland "Lee" Dibble, PT, PhD, FAPTA

Joseph Donnelly, PT, DHS, FAPTA
Board-Certified Clinical Specialist in Orthopaedic Physical Therapy

Stacey Dusing, PT, PhD, FAPTA
Board-Certified Clinical Specialist in Pediatric Physical Therapy

Theresa "Terry" Ellis, PT, PhD, FAPTA
Board-Certified Clinical Specialist in Neurologic Physical Therapy

Janet Freburger, PT, PhD, FAPTA

Kenneth Joseph Harwood, PT, PhD, FAPTA

Fay Horak, PT, PhD, FAPTA

Stephen Hunter, PT, DPT, PhD, FAPTA

Sandra Kaplan, PT, DPT, PhD, FAPTA

Catherine Lang, PT, PhD, FAPTA

Robin Marcus, PT, PhD, FAPTA
Board-Certified Clinical Specialist in Orthopaedic Physical Therapy

Sara Piva, PT, PhD, FAPTA
Board-Certified Clinical Specialist in Orthopaedic Physical Therapy

Mark Reinking, PT, PhD, FAPTA
Board-Certified Clinical Specialist in Sports Physical Therapy

Darcy Reisman, PT, PhD, FAPTA

Paul Rockar Jr., PT, DPT, MS, FAPTA

Jennifer Stevens-Lapsley, PT, PhD, FAPTA

Mike Studer, PT, MHS, FAPTA

26th John H. P. Maley Lecture Award

Timothy Flynn, PT, PhD, FAPTA
Board-Certified Clinical Specialist in Orthopaedic Physical Therapy

Lucy Blair Service Award

LeeAnne Carrothers, PT, PhD

Craig Johnson, PT, MBA

Dennise Krencicki, PT, DPT, MA

Charles L. McGarvey III, PT, DPT, MS, FAPTA

Alan Meade, PT, DScPT, MPH

Ivan Mulligan, PT, DSc

Board-Certified Clinical Specialist in Sports Physical Therapy

Sheila Nicholson, PT, DPT, JD, MBA*

Lucinda Pfalzer, PT, PhD, FAPTA

Elmer Platz, PT

Paul Rockar Jr., PT, DPT, MS, FAPTA

Dorian K. Rose, PT, PhD

Danny Dale Smith, PT, DHSc

Board-Certified Clinical Specialist in Orthopaedic Physical Therapy

Board-Certified Clinical Specialist in Sports Physical Therapy

Nicole Stout, PT, DPT, FAPTA

Certified Lymphedema Therapist

Anne Thompson, PT, EdD

Douglas M. White, PT, DPT

Board-Certified Clinical Specialist in Orthopaedic Physical Therapy

Henry O. and Florence P. Kendall Practice Award

Michael Moore, PT

Marilyn Moffat Leadership Award

Sheila Nicholson, PT, DPT, JD, MBA*

Paul Rockar Jr., PT, DPT, MS, FAPTA

Outstanding Physical Therapist Assistant Award

Natalie Christine Noland, PTA, BS

*Award given posthumously.

Outstanding Physical Therapist-Physical Therapist Assistant Team Award

Christine Davidson, PT and Nanako Barry, PTA

Societal Impact Award

Skye Donovan, PT, PhD
Board-Certified Clinical Specialist in Orthopaedic Physical Therapy

James Cole Galloway, PT, PhD, FAPTA

James R. Giebfried, PT, DPT, MA

Humanitarian Award

Justin Dunaway, PT, DPT
Board-Certified Clinical Specialist in Orthopaedic Physical Therapy

Michael Geelhoed, PT, DPT
Board-Certified Clinical Specialist in Orthopaedic Physical Therapy

Meredith Harris, PT, DPT, EdD

Cathie Smith, PT, DPT, PhD
Board-Certified Clinical Specialist in Pediatric Physical Therapy

Eugene Michels New Investigator Award

Trisha Kesar, PT, PhD

Daniel Kenta White, PT, ScD, MS

Marian Williams Award for Research in Physical Therapy

Christopher M. Powers, PT, PhD, FAPTA

Chattanooga Research Award

Amit Kumar, PT, PhD, MPH; Deepak Adhikari, MS; Amol Karmarkar, MPH, PhD; Janet Freburger, PT, PhD; Pedro Gozalo, PhD; Vince Mor, PhD; and Linda Resnik, PT, PhD, FAPTA, for their article "Variation in Hospital-Based Rehabilitation Services Among Patients With Ischemic Stroke in the United States," published in *Physical Therapy*, Vol. 99, No. 5.

Dorothy Briggs Memorial Scientific Inquiry Award

Richard Severin, PT, DPT; Edward Wang, MD; Adam Wielechowski, PT, DPT; and Shane A. Phillips, PT, PhD, for their article “Outpatient Physical Therapist Attitudes Toward and Behaviors in Cardiovascular Disease Screen: A National Survey,” published in *Physical Therapy*, Vol. 99, No. 7.

Helen J. Hislop Award for Outstanding Contributions to Professional Literature

Kirsten Ness, PT, PhD, FAPTA

Jules M. Rothstein Golden Pen Award for Scientific Writing

Daniel L. Riddle, PT, PhD, FAPTA

Dorothy E. Baethke-Eleanor J. Carlin Award for Excellence in Academic Teaching

Mark Bishop, PT, PhD, FAPTA

Signe Brunnström Award for Excellence in Clinical Teaching

Sara E. Wallace, PT, DPT

Margaret L. Moore Award for Outstanding New Academic Faculty Member

Leah Lowe, PT, PhD
Board-Certified Clinical Specialist in Pediatric Physical Therapy

F. A. Davis Award for Outstanding Physical Therapist Assistant Educator

Jennifer L. Jewell, PT, DPT

Minority Initiatives Award

“Preparing Our Tomorrow Uniquely in STEM” (POTUS) Fellows Program at Tennessee State University

Outstanding Physical Therapist Resident Award

Lindsay White Walston, PT, DPT
Board-Certified Clinical Specialist in Neurologic and Orthopaedic Physical Therapy

Mary McMillan Scholarship Awards

Elizabeth Hermodoson-Olsen, SPT, St. Catherine University

Allison C. Kemp, SPT, Indiana University

Kaylee Pobocik, SPT, Elon University

Brittanie Brantley, SPTA, Institute of Technology

Mary Underwood, SPTA, Somerset Community College

Minority Faculty Development Scholarship Award

Kellee Harper-Hanigan, PT, DPT
Board-Certified Clinical Specialist in Geriatric Physical Therapy

Minority Scholarship Awards

Mercedes Aguirre, SPT, Rutgers Schools of Health Professions

Gabrielle Blanchette, SPT, University of Southern California

Alicia Canton-Rodriguez, SPT, University of Miami Miller School of Medicine

Juan Pablo Gonzalez, SPT, University of Miami Miller School of Medicine

Rachel Herron, SPT, Pacific University

Diana Cordova, SPTA, Cerritos College