A message from Alumni & Community Engagement

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On behalf of the Butler University Alumni Association, we are pleased to announce the 2023 recipients of the Butler University Alumni Awards. The Alumni Awards program honors the achievements of outstanding alumni by recognizing graduates and former faculty/staff who have made exceptional contributions to Butler University and their communities.

This year's recipients are:



- The Butler Medal: John David Doyle '74
- The Butler Service Medal: Dr. Margaret Brabant
- The Robert Todd Duncan Alumni Achievement Award: James W. Funk, Jr. '69
- Katharine Merrill Graydon Alumni Service Award: Kent D. Greer '94
- Hilton Ultimus Brown Alumni Achievement Award: Mikael Burke '09
- Joseph Irwin Sweeney Alumni Service Award: Jacqueline (Cromleigh) Eckhardt '13

- Mortar Award: Mark Moore '74 and Carol (Osborne) Moore '76
- Foundation Award: Francisco J. Miyares Jr. '10 and Andrea L. Miyares '10

You can read more about this year's recipients <u>here</u>. Award honorees, along with the Class of 1973 50th Reunion, will be celebrated at a special Alumni Recognition Ceremony during Homecoming Weekend on Friday, October 27, at 5:30 PM. Full details for Homecoming Weekend and online registration for the Alumni Recognition Ceremony will be shared in September.

The Alumni Awards program began in 1979 to recognize alumni whose personal and professional accomplishments bring honor and distinction to Butler University, perpetuating its reputation for excellence, and whose fine example warrants high commendation from the Butler University Alumni Association. In 1995, the Alumni Association Board of Directors established the specific, named awards we have today. Honorees are nominated by fellow alumni, faculty, and staff. Nominations are accepted year-round, and a subcommittee of the Alumni Association Board of Directors reviews and selects the honorees each year. Recipients of the Mortar Award and Foundation Award are chosen by the University, and are also honored at the Alumni Recognition Ceremony. To view the criteria and a full description of each award, as well as a list of past recipients, click <u>here</u>.

Please join us in congratulating these honorees for their outstanding achievements, and we hope you can join us at the Alumni Recognition Ceremony!

Sincerely,

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