

2022 MAATA

HONORS & AWARDS

PROGRAM

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MAATA SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENTS 2020 & 2021

MAATA SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENTS 2020

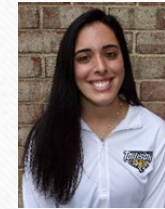
- Marissa Lucas – UNC Greensboro
- Madison Hauge – University of South Carolina
- Mary Avey – University of South Carolina
- Melanie Hux – Bridgewater College
- Kelsey Tanler – Slippery Rock University
- Morgan Keming – Towson University
- Kaitlyn Whipp – Towson University
- Grace Mills – Liberty University

MAATA SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENTS 2021

- Kimberly Hill – Marshall University
- Kaitlyn Whipp – Towson University
- Kiara Malone – Shenandoah University
- Renee Adamonis – Western Carolina University
- Breanna Ferguson – University of South Carolina
- Emily Meyerl – George Mason University
- Ashlee Humphries – Virginia Tech University

MAATA SCHOLARSHIP WINNERS 2022

- William Prentice Scholarship: Kaitlyn Whipp (Towson University)



- A.C. "Whitey" Gwynne Scholarship:



1st Place – Amber Kingsley (University of South Carolina)

2nd Place – Reann Young (University of South Carolina)

- Larry Sutton Scholarship:



1st Place – Janese Malone (Shenandoah University)

2nd Place – Emily Fankhanel (Marshall University)

2022 MAATA Scholarship Winners

- **Edward Block Scholarship:**



1st Place – Renee Adamonis (West Carolina University)

2nd Place – Jenna Tomlinson (High Point University)

- **Bobby Gunn Leadership Award:**

Janese Malone (Shenandoah University)





NATA FOUNDATION

2022 Scholarships and Award Winners

Lauren Hawkinson – UNC Chapel Hill	PFATS Ed Block Foundation Scholarship
Antoinette Lee - University of South Carolina	NBATA David Craig Scholarship
Courtney Meyer – University of South Carolina	Eve Becker Doyle Scholarship
Xavier Thompson – University of Virginia	PFATS Dean Kleinschmidt Scholarship
Cade Watts - Shenandoah University	William Prentice/MAATA (D3) Scholarship
Kaitlyn Whipp – Towson University	PBATS President's Scholarship
Kelley Wiese – George Mason University	PFATS Larry “Stosh” Neumann Scholarship

NATA FOUNDATION SPECIALTY AWARD WINNER – 2022

The David H. Perrin Doctoral Dissertation Award

Samantha E. Scarneo-Miller, PhD, LAT, ATC - West Virginia University, WV

2022 NATA Award Winners



Brian Ebel (MD)
**Most Distinguished Athletic
Trainer Award**

Matthew Gage (VA)
Athletic Training Service Award

Johna Register-Mihalik (NC)
NATA Fellow

Tom Bowman (VA)
NATA Fellow

DISTRICT DIRECTOR'S AWARDS 2022

Presented by District Director Katie Walsh Flanagan

- *Kim Pritchard*
- *Scott Cook*

For their service pivoting and creating V-MAATA during the Pandemic

MAATA 2020

SERVICE and MDAT Award Recipients

- **JOLENE HENNING, EdD, ATC – MAATA SERVICE AWARD**
 - **MAGGI SOURIS, M.S., ATC – MAATA SERVICE AWARD**
 - **DONITA VALENTINE, DAT, ATC - MAATA SERVICE AWARD**
 - **JAMILA WATSON, M.S., ATC - MAATA SERVICE AWARD**
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- **ANDY CARTER, M.S., ATC - MAATA MDAT AWARD**
- **RAY DAVIS, M.S., ATC - MAATA MDAT AWARD**
- **MIKE GOFORTH, M.S., ATC - MAATA MDAT AWARD**
- **SHEILA GORDON, M.Ed., ATC - MAATA MDAT AWARD**

MAATA HALL of FAME

CLASS of 2020 & 2021

CLASS of 2020

- *Dr. James Berry, ATC*
- *Renee Cork, ATC*
- *Peter Kotz, ATC*
- *Dr. Beverly Westerman, ATC*
- *Mark White, ATC*

CLASS of 2021

- *Scott Barringer, ATC*
- *George Wham, ATC*

MAATA SERVICE AWARD RECIPIENT 2022

Sherry Summers, ATC: Sub-Committee Chair for MAATA Service Award

- **Scott L. Cook, MS, LAT, ATC**
Sentara-Rockingham Memorial Hospital



MAATA Most Distinguished Athletic Trainer Award Recipients 2022

Nancy Burke, ATC: Sub-Committee Chair for MAATA MDAT

Debbie Bradney DPE, ATC - University of Lynchburg, Lynchburg, VA

John Knaul, MS, ATC – Children's Hospital of the King's Daughters, Norfolk, VA

Nina Walker MA, LAT, ATC – UNC-Chapel Hill, Chapel Hill, NC



MAATA HALL of FAME

CLASS of 2022

- John Bielawski, ATC
Sub-Committee Chair for MAATA HOF

James Bazluki, ATC



L. Ray Davis, ATC





James Bazluki, MAEd, LAT, ATC, EMT

- Jim's experience has crossed most every setting ranging from college, high schools, physical therapy clinics, physician practices, professional sports and youth and recreation groups. He has presented various sports medicine topics at both the national, district, state, and local levels. Jim has been recognized as the NC Athletic Trainer of the Year 3 times and was inducted into the North Carolina Athletic Trainers Hall of Fame 2014. He has served the NCATA in various capacities including Board of Directors, Secretary, Treasurer, Vice President and most recently President of the NCATA. Jim has also been recognized by the MAATA with the Service Award in 2016, NATA Service Award in 2017, NCHSAA Elton Hawley Sports Medicine Person of the Year in 2019, and the Charlotte Catholic HS Hall of Fame in 2010. Jim currently works for Atrium Health as an AT Coordinator and is certified as an EMT.



Jim would like to recognize and thank the following individuals:

I would like to thank the following people who had an impact on my career – big and small:

- ❖ East Carolina University – Rod Compton, Greg Beres, Karen Baker Coffey, Mike Hanley, Sue Graner Raedeke, Mike Guerrero, Ed Bartlett, Jim McCallum, John Siegel, Tal Lassiter, Phil Perdue, and ALL my former colleagues and students
- ❖ Atrium Health – Kevin Burroughs, Scott Barringer, Leigh Ann Caldwell, Jennifer Gardner, Brian Middleton, all my coworkers (best in the business)
- ❖ NCATA – John Burney, Elton Hawley, Bill Griffin, Nina Walker
- ❖ MAATA – Charlie Rozanski, Rod Walters, Steve Cole, Scott Johnson, Marty Bradley, John Bielawski, Bob Casmus, Robbie Lester, Marty Baker, Nancy Burke, Jon Almquist
- ❖ Others – Jeff Hinshaw, Cabarrus EMS, Kannapolis Fire
- ❖ Family – My parents (Greg & Barbara), Siblings Margie, Matt, & Greg, and Niece Raury



Lonnie Ray Davis Jr, MSS, LAT, ATC

- Ray Davis served as an athletic trainer and educator at both UNC-Charlotte and Washington and Lee University. He has had stints as a teacher and athletic trainer at Apex High School, West Lake Year-Round Middle School, John A. Holmes High School and is currently at Southeast Guilford High School. He represented NC at the annual Shrine Bowl of the Carolinas football game in 2011 and provides athletic training services for the annual East-West All-Star games for the NC Coaches Association. He served 23 years in his role as a Treasurer and student program evaluator for the NCATA and two terms as the Treasure for the MAATA.
- Ray has been recognized by both the NCATA and the National Athletic Trainers' Association (NATA) with 25-year Service Awards. He was awarded the NATA Service Award in 2013 and in 2014 the NCATA recognized him with the Secondary School Athletic Trainer of the Year. In 2015, Davis was inducted into the NCATA Hall of Fame. In 2020, Davis received the MAATA Most Distinguished Athletic Trainer Award. And in 2021, he received the District III Director's Award for his passion and dedication to the profession. Western Carolina University's Athletic Training Program awarded him with the "Jill Manners World of Difference Award." Recently, Davis was elected as the MAATA District 3 Director-Elect to the NATA Board of Directors.



Ray would like to recognize and thank the following individuals:

- **Family:** *Ray & Pat Davis (parents), Lonnie & Marie Davis & Annie Gee (grandparents)*
- **My Circle:** *Dr. William Nolte, Mark White, Katie Flanagan, Mike Guerrero, Courtney Phelps, Amber Patsel, Emily Hildebrand*
- **Mentors & Colleagues:** *Fred Cantler, Dr. Ken Wright, Deloss Brubaker, Tom Jones, Charlie Rozanski, John Burney, Elton Hawley, Scott Barringer, Mike Mazzella, Dave Mills, Jay Scifers, Jill Manners, Dan Duffy, Bill Griffin, Jim Berry, Bob Casmus, Ashley Long, Ashley Orr, Rod Walters, Mark Larson, Robbie Lester, WCU & HPU AT Programs, Pat Aronson, Jason Mitchell, Scott Cook, Kevin King, Meredith Petschauer, HS/MS Admins & ADs, My Former SMSA & Parents, Murphy-Wainer Orthopedics*



MAATA HALL of FAME RINGS

Ring Ceremony & Presentation
MAATA HOF Reception Tonight





THANK YOU
To Ray Davis & Katie Walsh-Flanagan
For MAKING MAATA
HOF RINGS A TRADITION



MAATA HALL OF FAME

Presented in recognition of a lifetime of dedication
and impact to the athletic training profession

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| • Jon Almquist | • Marty Bradley | • Scott Johnson | • Jennifer Rheeling |
| • Patricia Aronson | • Lori Bristow | • Peter Kotz | • Ethan Saliba |
| • Marty Baker | • Nancy Burke | • Pat Lamboni | • Marty Satalof |
| • Richie Bancells | • Bob Cable | • Robbie Lester | • John Spiker |
| • Scott Barringer | • Bob Casmus | • John Lopez | • Bev Westerman |
| • Joe Beckett | • Steve Cole | • Jill Manners | • George Wham |
| • Jim Berry | • Renee Cork | • Randy Meador | • Mark White |
| • John Bielawski | • Dan Hooker | • Terry O'Brien | <i>DECEASED: Al Proctor</i> |

CLOSING REMARKS

**REMINDER TO EVERYONE TO PLEASE MAKE NOMINATIONS FOR 2023
HONORS & AWARDS BEGINNING AUGUST 1ST, 2022!**

MAATA HONORS & AWARDS INFORMATION CAN BE FOUND AT:

<https://www.maata.org/honorsandawards>

THANK YOU
For Your
Attendance Today