

TUESDAY, APRIL 23, 2024

6:30 - 8:00PM

# 2024 Student Leadership Awards Banquet

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# Schedule of Events

STUDENT LEADERSHIP AWARDS BANQUET

## WELCOME

Carisa Ramming, Associate Dean of Academic Programs and Student Services

## OPENING REMARKS

Hanchen Huang, Dean of the College of Engineering, Architecture and Technology

## KEYNOTE SPEAKER

Sky Rogers, Assistant Director of the Center for Sovereign Nations

## IMPACT AWARD

First Americans Museum

## LEGACY AWARD

Tony Blatt, Principal, ADG Blatt

Julie Blatt, Principal | Chief People Officer, ADG Blatt

Gena Timberman, Founder, The Luksi Group, LLC

## SCHOLAR RECOGNITION

NACME Scholars Recognition

OK-LSAMP Recognition

## STUDENT LEADERSHIP AWARDS

AISES Member of the Year

AOE Member of the Year

NOMAS Member of the Year Award

NSBE Member of the Year Award

oSTEM Member of the Year Award

SASE Member of the Year Award

SHPE Member of the Year Award

SWE Member of the Year Award

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TEDE Member of the Year

Student Council Member of the Year Award

Freshman of the Year Award

Student of the Year Award

## CEAT STUCO INCLUSIVE LEADERSHIP SCHOLAR RECOGNITION

## SENIOR CELEBRATION

## FACULTY/STAFF RECOGNITION

## CLOSING REMARKS

Brenda Morales, CEAT Manager of Prospective Student Services



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# *Keynote Speaker*

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## **Sky Rogers**

Assistant Director, OSU Center for  
Sovereign Nations

Sky Rogers is the Assistant Director of OSU's Center for Sovereign Nations and the Co-Advisor of the OSU Native American Student Association.

She joined the Center team in July of 2015 after completing a Bachelor of Science in Industrial Engineering and Management and a Master of Business Administration, both from Oklahoma State University.

She is a proud citizen of the Choctaw Nation of Oklahoma and was born and raised in Stillwater. She is married to Chuck Rogers, has a black lab, and enjoys being an Aunt to 5 kids under the age of 8.

She is very close to her family and enjoys hunting, fishing, golfing, singing, playing the piano, and writing songs and poetry. She is the Co-Director of Music for Stillwater Bible Church and leads the Stillwater Bible Church Women's Ministry.

# Sky Rogers



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# Leadership

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## FACULTY/STAFF LEADERSHIP

Carisa Ramming, Associate Dean of Academic Programs and Student Services

Mahsa Nafar Sefiddashti, Graduate Assistant of CEAT Student Services

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## AMERICAN INDIAN SCIENCE & ENGINEERING SOCIETY

Mason Adams

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## ALPHA OMEGA EPSILON

McKenzie Trent

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## NATIONAL ORGANIZATION OF MINORITY ARCHITECTURE STUDENTS

Hazel Nansubuga

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## NATIONAL SOCIETY OF BLACK ENGINEERS

Jasmine Taplin

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## OUT IN SCIENCE, TECHNOLOGY, ENGINEERING, AND MATHEMATICS

Levi Montgomery

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## SOCIETY OF ASIAN SCIENTISTS & ENGINEERS

Sreyleak Alex Nith

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## SOCIETY OF HISPANIC PROFESSIONAL ENGINEERS

Daisy Rosas

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## SOCIETY OF WOMEN ENGINEERS

Sophie Hawkins

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## STUDENT COUNCIL

Grace Hendrix

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## THE ALMIGHTY S (SHE)

Ryan Thompson

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# Legacy Award

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**Tony Blatt**

Principal, ADG Blatt

Anthony Blatt, AIA

Anthony Blatt (Tony), a 1993 graduate from Oklahoma State with a BA in Architecture, has witnessed the transformation of Oklahoma City these past 30 years. Tony worked for HTB and Benham before joining with David Hornbeek where was a principal for Hornbeek Blatt Architects for over 20 years. In 2021, Tony acquired ownership and in 2022 merged with the Oklahoma City based architecture firm ADG to form ADG Blatt where he is now Chief of Operations and Architecture

Tony has worked on a wide range of projects during his career, including corporate, government, educational, healthcare, recreational, hospitality and cultural museums. One notable project is the First Americans Museum with Hornbeek Blatt and Johnson Fain of Los Angeles as co-prime architects. Tony personally worked on this iconic project for 24 years from drawings through all construction phases and is currently working on the last gallery installation.

Tony has been both a committee member and chairperson of the OKC Riverfront Design Review Committee and is currently serving on the Oklahoma City Urban Design Commission, the OKC Downtown Design Review Committee, the OSU School of Architecture Professional Advisory Council and is the chairperson for the OKC Foundation for Architecture. Additional noteworthy projects in Tony's portfolio include the OKC 21C Museum Hotel, Oklahoma City Community Foundation, Variety Care medical clinics, MAPS3 Senior Wellness Center No. 3, Edmond Center Court, and UCO Chad Richison Stadium expansion.

Tony and his wife, Julie, are long-time residents of Edmond, where they have raised three children, all students or alums of OSU College of Engineering, Architecture and Technology.

# Tony Blatt



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# Legacy Award

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Julie Blatt, P.E

Julie Blatt is a dedicated leader with a diverse background and a passion for empowering others. As an owner and Chief People Officer of ADG Blatt, she brings her expertise in the energy, architecture, engineering and higher education industries to create meaningful change in Oklahoma.

With a Bachelor's degree in Chemical Engineering from Oklahoma State University, Julie began her career in the energy industry, working with prestigious companies like Mobil Chemical and Conoco. She then transitioned to the architecture and engineering sector, contributing her skills at Benham. In 2015, Julie became the Coordinator of Prospective Student Services for OSU College of Engineering, Architecture and Technology, nurturing her passion of assisting emerging professionals and creating pathways for success. Julie then joined Hornbeek Blatt Architects in 2019 to assist with the final phase of the First Americans Museum, overseeing the construction administration and oversight of consultants from coast to coast.

## Julie Blatt

Principal | Chief People Officer, ADG Blatt

Julie's commitment to fostering STEM careers for all Oklahoma students is evident through her leadership roles. As the Past-Chair of STEAM Engine of Oklahoma and a member of advisory boards at several Pre-Engineering academies, she actively promotes educational opportunities in STEM. Additionally, she continues to contribute to the OSU Summer Bridge program and engages ADG Blatt in various programs across the state to promote architecture and engineering careers to all.

Alongside her professional endeavors, Julie invests her time advocating for affordable housing and is an active member of the City of Edmond Citizens Participatory Committee. Julie is also a member of Class 36 of Leadership Oklahoma.

Julie and her husband, Tony, of 30 years have three children: Conner, who resides in Tulsa with his wife Sarah, Sydney, who lives in OKC with her husband Brandon, and Jonathan, an Industrial Engineering student at OSU.

# Julie Blatt



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# *Legacy Award*

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**Gena Timberman**

Founder, The Luksi Group, LLC

Gena R. Timberman

For nearly 25 years, Gena has committed her professional career to the pursuit of planning and guiding cultural projects in Indian Country toward successful completion. She championed the dream to build an American Indian Cultural Center and Museum in Oklahoma. As Director of the Native American Cultural & Educational Authority, Gena led the development of a nearly 300-acre site on the Oklahoma River envisioned to be the future home of a world-class cultural destination, a landscaped and programmed park and trails system, commercial development and visitor welcome center. In 1996, Gena graduated from Oklahoma State University. She received the Outstanding Contribution to the Native American Community award. In 1999, she graduated from the University of Oklahoma College of Law. Over the years, Gena has provided a multitude of local, statewide, national and international public keynote speeches, presentations and lectures on project development and management, as well as Oklahoma tribal cultures, cultural tourism, and economic development in Indian Country. In 2013, Gena formed Luksi Group, LLC, a consulting business that provides cultural direction for creative design in Indian Country projects. Gena was recently engaged with the Choctaw Nation in the planning of the Choctaw Cultural Center, and as a consultant on the completion of the First Americans Museum. She is an attorney and continues her work today in project management, mediation practice, and tribal consultation.

Gena Timberman



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




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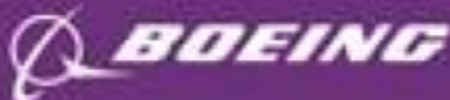
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**2023**  
Adrian Saenz

**2022**  
Joseph M.  
Brown

**2021**  
Dr. Cara  
Cowan-Watts

**2019**  
Michelle  
Rodriguez-Pico

**2018**  
Lawrence  
McClure

**2017**  
Raye Jean  
Montague

**2012**  
Ann Oglesby

**2011**  
Desmond  
Harvey

**2010**  
Randal D.  
Pinkett

**2009**  
C. Michael  
Carolina

**2008**  
Gabe Alvillar

**2007**  
Cara Cowan-  
Watts

**2006**  
Derek Gates

**2005**  
Marita Sanchez

**2004**  
Neal McCaleb

**2003**  
Samuel E.  
Robertson

**2002**  
Mike Osby

**2001**  
Tommie Lee

**2000**  
Geraldo Abrue

**1999**  
Alice Foster

**1998**  
Russell Stand  
Overbull

**1997**  
Dean Karl Reid

Student of the Year Awards

**2023**  
Sreyleak Nith

**2022**  
Jasmine Taplin

**2021**  
Emily Tran

**2020**  
Kevin Bruce

**2019**  
Daniel Salinas

**2018**  
Jonathan  
Bernal

**2017**  
Marly Fixico-  
Hardison

**2012**  
Jason Semien  
& Samantha Jo  
Burton

**2011**  
Jordan Knight

**2010**  
Darron Lamkin

**2009**  
Bryana  
McCann

**2008**  
Jesse Clapp

**2007**  
Kendra  
Alexander

**2006**  
Andrew  
Contreras

**2005**  
Ana Ortiz

**2004**  
Fred Beartrack

**2003**  
Bryan  
McLaughlin

**2002**  
Ira Smith

**2001**  
Fred Jones

**2000**  
Julio  
Quevedo

**1999**  
Lauresha  
Salmon

**1998**  
Robert Henry

**1997**  
Cara Cowan

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Jennifer Glenn

**2022**  
Ed Kirtley

**2021**  
Susan Bilbeisi

**2020**  
Awilda  
Rodriguez

**2019**  
Carisa  
Ramming

**2018**  
John O'Hara

**2017**  
Yokolanda  
Speight

**2012**  
Jennifer Glenn

**2011**  
Bruce Russell

**2010**  
Camille DeYong

**2009**  
Kenneth  
Belanus

**2008**  
Juhyung Lee

**2007**  
Jim Smay

**2006**  
Jovette Dew

**2005**  
Valerie  
Shangreaux

**2004**  
Jovette Dew

**2003**  
Zola Drain

**2002**  
Charlene Yauch

**2001**  
William Ward

**2000**  
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**1999**  
William Ward

**1998**  
Garold  
Oberlender

**1999**  
Wolf Yeigh

**1996**  
AJ Johannes

Legacy Awards

**2023**  
John Castro  
Dene Roseburr-Olotu  
Johnny Whitfield, Jr.

**2022**  
Jennifer Hamby  
Susan Crenshaw  
Amanda Madl  
Carisa Ramming

**2021**  
Sandrel Jones-Webster  
Dr. Jovette Dew  
Anthony Delce  
Kari Gutierrez  
Terrell Howard  
Dexter Hunter  
Johnnetta Johnson  
Brian Powell  
Maya Turner



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