



## Alumni Awards Banquet

April 28, 2012

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together to promote fellowship and serve their alma mater.*

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Welcome . . . . . Roger VanHoozer  
President, Washburn Alumni Association

### Dinner

### Menu

*Field Greens and Spinach with Almonds, Grape Tomato,  
Kalamata Olives and Balsamic Vinaigrette*  
*Sauteed Chicken Topped with Shrimp, Asparagus and  
Lemon Dill Beurre Blanc*


*Duchess Potatoes*  
*Chocolate Cup with Mousse and Fresh Berries*

Award Presentations . . . . . Roger VanHoozer

### Washburn Toast

*To living and learning*  
*To lives full and troubles few*  
*To memories secured and hopes revered*  
*To bonds renewed*  
*To old friends and new*  
*And especially, to good old Washburn U!*

**Distinguished Service Award**  
*This award recognizes alumni who have made personal  
and professional contributions to society, demonstrated  
exemplary support to the Washburn University Alumni  
Association and the community, been of service to humanity,  
distinguished themselves in their careers and brought honor  
to Washburn through their accomplishments.*

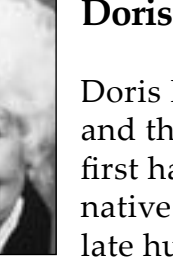
**Cindy (Tilson) Rogers, ba '69, Topeka**  
Giving back to Washburn and the community  
is a significant part of Cindy (Tilson) Rogers' life. First, the 1969 graduate worked as a home economics teacher at Jardine Middle School from 1969 to 1971. Then, she spent nearly 20 years working with the mentally ill and severely disabled.

Rogers was a job placement specialist for several years at Menninger Return to Work Center and the Kansas Rehabilitation Services.

The Atchison (Kan.) High School graduate was one of the founding members of the Washburn Women's Alliance, which has awarded more than \$500,000 in scholarships to single mothers attending the university. Rogers is a former president of the alliance's board of directors and currently serves on the board. She was also a member of the Washburn University Alumni Association Board of Directors, including a term as president.

While at Washburn, Rogers was a member of Kappa Alpha Theta. She is married to retired Judge Richard D. Rogers, and has a daughter, Katherine (Conklin) Burenheide; a son, Kenneth Conklin III; and six grandchildren.

**Lilla Day Monroe Award**  
*This award honors women who have distinguished  
themselves as teachers, instructors, administrators or  
benefactors at Washburn and also have given service  
to the community and/or their chosen professions. The  
award is named after suffragist, lawyer and publisher  
Lilly Day Monroe.*

**Doris (Heck) Hedberg, b ed '72, Topeka**  
Doris Hedberg's connection to Washburn and the community stretches back to the first half of the 20th century. The Topeka native graduated from Washburn, and her late husband, Floyd, b music '49, b ed '93, was the chairman and a professor in the school's department of music for years.

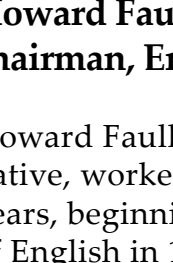
Doris Hedberg was the director of the children's choir at First United Methodist Church, where she worked for 26 years. She also worked as a substitute teacher in Topeka and taught piano and voice lessons at her home studio.

Her ties to the performing arts community include serving as a board member for the Sunflower Music Festival and the Topeka Symphony League. She is a lifetime member of the Symphony League and Topeka Community Concerts.

Hedberg was a member of Zeta Tau Alpha, the Washburn Choir, Phi Mu Alpha and Nonoso while at Washburn. She is a former president of the latter organization.

Hedberg has a son, Kevin, daughter, Candus, and two grandchildren.

**Col. John Ritchie Award**  
*This award honors men who have distinguished  
themselves as teachers, instructors, administrators or  
benefactors at Washburn and also have given service  
to the community and/or their chosen professions. The  
award is named after Col. John Ritchie, who donated  
the land on which Washburn is built.*

**Howard Faulkner, longtime professor,  
chairman, English, Topeka**  
Howard Faulkner, a Story City, Iowa native, worked at Washburn for nearly 40 years, beginning as an assistant professor of English in 1972.

He was an associate professor from 1978 to 1982, a professor from 1982 to 2010 and served as the chairman of the English department from 2006 to 2010. He was also director of the master of liberal studies program from 2000 to 2006.

Faulkner was a Fulbright professor three times during his career, teaching at Moulay Ismail University in Meknes, Morocco; Sofiiski Universitet in Sofia, Bulgaria; and Univerzitet Kiril I Metodij in Skopje, Macedonia.

He has written a number of articles for various publications and is the author or co-author of several books. He wrote "The Rules of the Game: An Introductory English Grammar" edited Belinda Jelliffe's "For Dear Life and Selected Short Stories" and co-authored "The Selected Correspondence of Dr. Karl A. Menninger, 1919-45" and "The Selected Correspondence of Dr. Karl A. Menninger, 1946-65," among other works.

**Trey Cocking, bs '02, Atchison, Kan.**  
Trey Cocking received a bachelor of science in criminal justice 10 years ago and is already running a city. The Derby, Kan., native is the city manager for Atchison, Kan., serving as chief executive officer, overseeing a \$16-million budget and managing more than 100 full-time employees.

Before moving to Atchison, Cocking was the city administrator in Cherryvale, Kan., a small community in southeast Kansas, and a budget analyst for the State of Kansas Division of Budget.

He attributes much of his success to his involvement at Washburn, which was extensive. A member of Kappa Sigma, Cocking was the chief of staff for the Washburn Student Government Association.

He is a member of the Kansas Association of City Managers, International Association of City Managers, Atchison Rotary Club, Governor's Missouri River Advisory Committee and the Atchison Family YMCA Mission Board. The Eagle Scout is also ex-officio director of the Atchison Chamber of Commerce.

Trey is married to Jennifer (Fenton) Cocking, ba '04.

**Past Awards Recipients**  
*Distinguished Service Award*  
1949 - John Dawson  
1949 - Richard Kropf  
1949 - Reuben Markham  
1949 - David Neiswanger  
1950 - Georgia Neese Gray  
1950 - Antrim Hambleton  
1950 - Donald Heath  
1951 - A.T. Burch  
1951 - Clifford Hope  
1951 - Erma Erickson Pixley  
1951 - Howard Searle  
1952 - Albert Cole  
1952 - Rolla Harger  
1952 - Alice Huggins  
1953 - Ina Bolton  
1953 - Rees Hughes  
1953 - Terry McAdam  
1953 - Henry O'Brien  
1954 - Lewis Dolman  
1954 - Karl Menninger  
1954 - William Menninger  
1954 - Laurens Whittemore  
1955 - Herbert Loper  
1955 - Paul Popenoe  
1955 - Frank Quail  
1955 - Robert Stone  
1955 - Annie Sweet  
1956 - Harry Allen  
1956 - Mildred Coughlin  
1956 - Lawrence Graves  
1956 - Edwin Menninger  
1957 - Faye Hathaway Beard  
1957 - Maude Bishop  
1957 - Knute Broady  
1957 - Frances Gaw  
1957 - Sherman Scruggs Jr.  
1958 - Kelsey Gardner  
1958 - Samuel Leger  
1958 - Lilla Day Monroe  
1958 - Genevieve Seybold  
1958 - Bradbury Thompson  
1959 - Viola Van Nice Battery  
1959 - Jess Dalton  
1959 - Irene Nye  
1959 - James Stewart  
1960 - William Ferguson  
1960 - Marion Lerrigo McWilliams  
1960 - Alan Smith  
1960 - Philip Whitcomb  
1960 - Philip Whitcomb  
1961 - A. Harry Crane  
1961 - Lloyd Miller  
1962 - Asa Crawford  
1962 - J. Glenn Logan  
1962 - Paul Lovewell  
1963 - Philip Hambleton  
1963 - William Neiswanger  
1963 - Marvin Stevens  
1964 - V.J. Dutton  
1964 - Harold Fatzer  
1964 - Maurice SeEVERS  
1965 - Jack Campbell  
1965 - Helen Hobbs Jordan  
1965 - Donald Moyers  
1965 - Merrill Jay Ream  
1965 - Frieda Stoffer  
1966 - William Brehm  
1966 - Robert Dole  
1966 - Mabel Brooks McEntire  
1966 - Pendleton Miller  
1966 - Meyer Ueoka  
1967 - G. Bryant Drake  
1967 - Mabel Huggins  
1967 - Garner Shriver  
1967 - H. George Templar  
1968 - James Eymann  
1968 - Emma Crabb  
1968 - John Sterrett  
1968 - Amy Swenson  
1968 - Elliot White  
1969 - E. Marion Beck  
1969 - F. Mark Garlinghouse  
1969 - Theo Cobb Landon  
1969 - Hayward Marsh  
1969 - Fred Niehaus  
1970 - Charles Barr  
1970 - Arthur Fletcher  
1970 - George Greenwood  
1970 - Kenneth Hobbs  
1970 - John Ripley  
1971 - Hampton Shirer  
1971 - Omer Raines  
1971 - Cecil Peterson  
1971 - Jay Kyle  
1972 - Beryl Johnson  
1972 - Floyd Covington  
1972 - Emma Dot Partridge  
1972 - Earl Loomis  
1973 - Theodore Blevins  
1973 - Ward Martin  
1973 - Mamie Williams  
1974 - Caldwell Buck  
1974 - William Schnatterly  
1974 - W. Glenn Stalker  
1975 - Marjorie Hemus Crane  
1975 - Dorothy Jones Greer  
1975 - Howard Jones  
1975 - Delbert Roskam  
1976 - Glenn Archer  
1976 - Ralph Glenn  
1976 - Louise Fowler Roote  
1976 - Robert F.W. Whitcomb  
1977 - J. Rex Duwe  
1977 - Paul Fung  
1977 - Philip Lewis  
1977 - Miriam Baker Loo  
1977 - Charles Marling  
1978 - Thomas Kennedy  
1978 - Barbara King Wilson  
1978 - J. Robert Wilson  
1979 - R. Stanley Alexander  
1979 - Catherine Bell  
1979 - Doris Firestone Joss  
1980 - Dr. Henry Blake  
1980 - Amy Shaw  
1981 - Pamela Hollie  
1981 - William Hoffstot  
1982 - William Kurtis  
1982 - Dr. David Nelson  
1982 - Dr. Douglas Wilmore  
1983 - Samuel Jackson  
1983 - Ronald Richey  
1983 - William Tinchier  
1984 - Robert Hunsucker  
1984 - Harry Middleton  
1985 - Darwin Deaver  
1985 - Dr. John Slaughter  
1985 - Robert Stephan  
1986 - Grace Sawyer Jones  
1986 - James Slattery  
1987 - Jack Richmond  
1987 - James Mackey  
1987 - Stanley Wellborn  
1987 - Hon. Sherman Parks Sr.  
1988 - James Maag  
1988 - Joseph Thompson  
1988 - Don Wilson  
1989 - Delano Lewis  
1989 - Lloyd Lee Dodson  
1990 - Olive White Garvey  
1991 - Frank McGrath  
1991 - Donald Moore  
1991 - Clyde Hill  
1992 - Carl Nordstrom  
1992 - Charles Ostmeyer  
1992 - Richard Vogel  
1993 - Dorothy Brink Armstrong  
1993 - Frank Gaines  
1993 - Jack Quinlan  
1994 - Joseph Morris  
1994 - James Porter  
1994 - George Simpson  
1995 - Floyd Hedberg  
1995 - Billie Jean Moore  
1995 - Ray Morgan Jr.  
1995 - Julia Etta Parks  
1996 - Keith Bossler  
1996 - Darvin Hawley  
1996 - Marcia Cole Saville  
1997 - Joyce Alberg  
1997 - Robert W. Richmond  
1997 - E. Newton Vickers  
1998 - Larrie Bates  
1998 - Roy Menninger  
1998 - James Sloan  
1999 - Martha Herrick  
1999 - Gene Mosiman  
2000 - Mark V. Heitz  
2000 - Linda Richey Graves  
2001 - Merle and Carolyn Blair  
2001 - Alan and Ann Rolley  
2002 - Dan Holt  
2002 - Ron Thornburgh

**Past Awards Recipients**  
2003 - Dean Ferrell  
2003 - Alice Clare Wright  
2004 - Bernie Bianchino  
2004 - Christel Marquardt  
2005 - Harold Dick  
2005 - Linda Henry Elrod  
2006 - Jayne Cafer  
2006 - Hayden St. John  
2007 - Terry Marshall  
2007 - Mary Lou McPhail  
2008 - Steven Kitchen  
2008 - Nancy Paul  
2009 - Jeanne Bertelson  
2009 - Edward Glotzbach  
2010 - Kathleen Maag  
2010 - Jim Roth  
2011 - Edward Soule  
2011 - Judith Soule  
*Lilla Day Monroe Award*  
1974 - Marie Moore  
1975 - Ruth Friedrich  
1976 - Helen Hocker  
1977 - Dorothy Porterfield  
1978 - Marjorie Titus Cofran  
1979 - Mamie L. Williams  
1980 - Mary Schowengerdt  
1981 - Laura Greene  
1982 - Joan Foth  
1983 - Edna Smith Petro  
1984 - Monica Woernette  
1985 - Simone Johnson  
1987 - Ora Wade Baker  
1988 - Urrilla Bowman  
1990 - Margaret Martinson  
1991 - Ruth Fink  
1992 - Charlotte Shaw  
1993 - Muriel Clarke  
1994 - Joan Walrafen  
1995 - Ann Garvin  
1996 - Maxine Anton  
1997 - Donna Love  
1998 - Sallee Lee  
1999 - Janet Nuzman  
2000 - Peg Marmet  
2001 - Francine Hines  
2002 - Carol Vogel  
2003 - Betty Casper  
2004 - Alice Young  
2005 - Charlotte Adair  
2006 - Nancy Cottril  
2007 - Leah Gabler-Marshall  
2008 - Doris McKernan  
2009 - Barbara Waterman-Peters  
2010 - Meredith Moore  
2011 - Constance (Bussell) Carson  
*Col. John Ritchie Award*  
2007 - Ronald Wasserstein  
2008 - Thomas Wright  
2009 - Larry Peters  
2010 - Sheldon Cohen  
2011 - Glenn Cafer  
*GOLD Award*  
1997 - Chad Starbuck  
1998 - Ken Schmanke  
1999 - Sharon Cook-Stuewe  
2000 - Mitch Peterson  
2001 - Jade Murphy  
2002 - Pat Birkbeck  
2003 - Stephen Koranda  
2004 - Jared Maag  
2005 - Warren Stewart  
2006 - Heather Wachsnicht  
2007 - Stacy Tucker  
2008 - Armond Enclarde  
2009 - Beth Martino  
2010 - Jonathan Schmucker  
2011 - Kelli Netson  
*Ruth Garvey Fink Award*  
2000 - Jim and Kathy Maag  
2000 - Ed and Judy Soule  
2001 - Ed and Joyce Alberg  
2002 - Jack Quinlan  
2003 - Darvin Hawley  
2004 - Elsie Lesser  
2005 - Jeanne Hoferer  
2006 - Charles Engel  
2007 - Richard Ross  
2008 - Richard Friedstrom  
2009 - Doris & Charles Joss  
2010 - Not awarded  
2011 - Not awarded