

GPSA Awards 2012

– Recipients –

GPSA Service Award: acknowledges up to three graduate and professional students each academic year who have displayed outstanding performance through their dedication and service to the UNLV and Las Vegas community.

- **Michael Gordon**, School of Environmental and Public Affairs
- **Jennifer Reed**, Department of Sociology
- **Sharon Young**, Department of Anthropology

GPSA Merit Award: acknowledges up to three graduate and professional students each academic year who have proven to be outstanding scholars in their field.

- **Thomas Bussey**, Department of Chemistry
- **Qingmin Shi**, Department of Teaching & Learning
- **Kishor Shrestha**, Department of Civil & Environmental Engineering

GPSA Mentor Award: acknowledges UNLV faculty or mentors from the community who have demonstrated continued success in preparing graduate and professional students for academia.

- **Dr. Christine Clark**, Professor, Department of Teaching & Learning
- **Dr. Karl Kingsley**, Associate Professor, School of Dental Medicine
- **Dr. Debra Martin**, Lincy Foundation Professor of Anthropology

GPSA Distinguished Contribution: This award was enacted to bestow formal recognition upon devoted supporters of graduate and professional students who have made contributions that better the life of graduate and professional students.

- **Dr. Jessica Lucero**, GPSA President 2008 – 2010
- **Dr. Lori Olafson**, Associate Professor, Department of Educational Psychology and Higher Education

More information about these awards is available at: <http://gpsa.unlv.edu/grants/awards.html>