



## 2014 ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENT CEREMONY

### SCHOOL OF SOCIAL SCIENCE AND HUMAN SERVICES

The outstanding student in PSYCHOLOGY goes to KEVIN MANZ.

Kevin served as president of Active Minds and was on their National Office's Student Advisory and Grant Scoring committees.

Kevin was Research Assistant to Professor Christian Reich in the Neuroscience Laboratory where the research has culminated into a first-author manuscript slated for submission in June, three poster presentations at Society for Neuroscience, four presentations at the Ramapo College Psychology Symposium, and two poster presentations at Hunter College's NEURON Conference.

Kevin served as a clinical intern at the Rehabilitation Specialists for Traumatic Brain Injury and Neurological Disorders, the Neurology Group of Bergen Country, and at the Valley Health System.

Since September of 2010, Kevin has been an Emergency Medical Technician (EMT). In addition, he volunteered with Fair Lawn Volunteer Ambulance Corps.

After being accepted to six medical schools, Kevin has decided to attend Vanderbilt University Medical School in Nashville, Tennessee to pursue an M.D. where his goal is to become an academic neurosurgeon with a partial focus on translational and bench neuroscience research.