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## Mortar Board National Honor Society Announces the 2025 Excellence in Advising Award Winners

**Columbus, OH** — Mortar Board National College Honor Society, the premier national honor society recognizing college juniors and seniors for their achievements in scholarship, leadership, and service, proudly announces the winners of the 2025 Excellence in Advising Award. This prestigious award recognizes Mortar Board chapter advisors who have demonstrated commitment to the purpose of Mortar Board and who have gone above and beyond in their work with a collegiate chapter.

**The following advisors have been honored** for their commitment and contributions to their institution's chapter:

**Seth Barnes** — The University of Nebraska-Lincoln

Dr. Loria Brown Gordon — Jackson State University

**Dr. Elizabeth Clark** — West Texas A&M University

**Dr. Julie Huff** — Auburn University

**Dr. Donna Lim** — University of Maryland

**Sydney Riu** — Endicott College

*To learn more and watch the official award video visit:* <a href="https://mortarboard.org/collegiate-award-recipients/">https://mortarboard.org/collegiate-award-recipients/</a>

## **About Mortar Board National Honor Society**

Founded in 1918, Mortar Board National College Honor Society recognizes college juniors and seniors for their exemplary scholarship, leadership, and service. With 235 chapters at colleges and universities across the United States, Mortar Board's mission is to promote and encourage academic excellence, leadership, and public service. The Society strives to provide a platform for students to make a meaningful impact, not only during their collegiate years, but throughout their lifetime. To learn more about Mortar Board and its initiatives, visit <a href="mailto:mortarboard.org">mortarboard.org</a>.

Mortar Board is a certified member of the Association of College Honor Societies (ACHS). To learn more about ACHS click <u>here</u>.

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