

Alumni Newsletter
Department of Physiology and Biophysics
University of Illinois at Chicago
May, 2015

Spring is always a time of renewal and change.

Commencement 2015

Dr. John Solaro received the Dean's Distinguished Service Award.

We had 4 students participate in the 2015 Commencement

PhD

Ying-Hsi "Alvin" Lin

MD/PhD

Andrew Czysz (degree through Neuroscience)

Ikenna Madueke

Tammy Tamayo

I have posted some pictures at this URL:

<http://www.uic.edu/depts/mcpb/Pictures/Commencement-2015/index.html>

Students who have defended

Since the last newsletter 1 student has successfully completed his defense for his PhD

March 3, 2015

Ying-Hsi "Alvin" Lin

Muscle hypertrophy is regulated by acetylation and phosphorylation of the actin capping protein CapZ

Advisor: Brenda Russell

Student awards

The continued excellence of our students is indicated by the numerous awards they win

Jada Domingue – UIC Undergraduate Mentoring Award
Jada Domingue – GI-Liver section of AJP Trainee Poster Award
Jada Domingue – Abraham Lincoln Award from the Graduate College
Jada Domingue – Porter Fellowship from the American Physiological Society
Michael Mkrtshjan – Deiss/Provost Award
David Ryba – AHA pre-doctoral fellowship
David Ryba – NRSA pre-doctoral award
David Ryba – Travel award from the International Society for Heart Research
Leo Serebryanny – Dean's Scholar Award from the Graduate College