



## **CBC Leadership Awards:**

### **Ruby Dee & Ossie Davis Award**

The Ruby Dee & Ossie Davis Award is given to a student who exemplifies Ossie Davis & Ruby Dee's creativity in the arts and dedication to the portrayal of positive black images in the community. The student also shares Ruby & Ossie's spirit of activism and has a genuine concern for the betterment of our community.

### **Patricia Roberts Harris Memorial Award**

Patricia Roberts Harris was the first black woman to hold the diplomatic rank of ambassador of Luxembourg. She was a humanitarian and a woman of principle. Ms. Harris was an initiator and an avid supporter of women and minority issues. The Patricia Roberts Harris Memorial Award is given to a female student who exemplifies Ms. Harris' humanistic characteristics and has proven to be truly a black woman of distinction.

### **Dr. Anita Holloway Award**

Dr. Anita Holloway, a 1984 graduate of the University of Delaware, majored in the sciences and maintained a very high GPA while staying involved with the activities of Center for Black Culture. Dr. Holloway went on to medical school and is now a doctor in Maryland. This award in her honor, is given to a student majoring in the sciences who has maintained a high GPA and stayed involved and committed to the programming and activities of the Center for Black Culture.

### **Thurgood Marshall Award**

Thurgood Marshall changed the landscape of American Society by working through the courts to eradicate the legacy of slavery and destroy the segregation system of Jim Crow. Marshall was the first African American Supreme Court Justice. He dedicated his life and career to the fight against injustice. This award is given to the student who seeks equality, justice and empowerment for all black students on campus. He/she ensures that African American/Black student voices are heard by working diligently and providing guidance, structure and direction to the black community.

### **Richard "Dick" Wilson Award**

Richard Wilson, the first African American employee at the University of Delaware, was well respected by the University of Delaware community. He made a profound impact on campus by serving as a major force in the recruitment, retention and success of black students enrolled at the University. The Richard Wilson Award is given to a University Professional who has worked above and beyond the call of duty. The award honors a professional who has committed him/herself to the betterment of our students academically and socially by volunteering his/her personal time to serve the needs of our students.

### **Dr. Janice Jordan Scholar Athlete Memorial Award**

Dr. Janice Jordan was a famous African American athlete whose initiative and passion for student support services for athletes has led to the development of the Center for Black Culture Dr. Janice Jordan Scholar Athlete Memorial Award. This award honors a black athlete who excels both academically and athletically.

### **PRIDE Award**

The PRIDE award is awarded to male and female students who exhibit pride in themselves and community. These students strive to reach their goals despite all obstacles while maintaining a strong sense of community. PRIDE stands for:

- P – Perseverance
- R – Respect for others
- I – Inspiration to peers
- D – Dedication to community
- E – Excellence in Education

### **CBC Outstanding Leadership Award**

The CBC Outstanding Leadership Award is given to a student who demonstrates outstanding leadership ability at all times. The recipient of this award has served as a liaison between his/her organization, the black community and the administration. He/She has positively influenced his/her peers and has been instrumental in the development of collaborative relationships between students, faculty and administration. The award recipient has been instrumental in the effective functioning of his/her organization and supported the goals and mission of the Center for Black Culture.