

2020 Awards

Award Title	Description
Provost's Award for Academic Excellence	This award is given annually to a very select number of graduating seniors who have shown true academic excellence, not just in the classroom, but in other ways as well, in research or creative activities, or in building an academic community.
Othmar Ammann Scholarship	The Othmar Ammann Scholarship in Civil Engineering was established in memory of Othmar Ammann , who was a prominent engineer, most well-known for his accomplishments in the field of bridge-design engineering.
Undergraduate Recognition Award for Academic Excellence	Students who receive an Undergraduate Recognition Award for Academic Excellence Award have a 3.4 or higher GPA and have achieved academic accomplishments that go beyond the classroom experience.
Undergraduate Recognition Award for Outstanding Achievement in Leadership	Students who receive the Undergraduate Recognition Award for Outstanding Achievement have a 2.75 GPA or higher. These awards are presented for accomplishments that relate to the life of the university and surrounding community in the following subcategories: Athletics, Community Service and Leadership.

<p>Department of Civil Engineering Academic Excellence Award</p>	<p>The Academic Excellence Award is generally awarded to a graduating civil engineering student who has obtained the highest cumulative GPA; however, a student who has a second major and minors, relevant research and internship(s), and held leadership roles in program-related CEAS professional societies and honor societies may also be considered.</p>
<p>Department of Civil Engineering Student Award of Honor</p>	<p>Award of Honor Certificates are given to the top 5% (by GPA) of all graduating students (among BE, MS and PhD candidates) or for outstanding achievement (e.g., second majors, research accomplishments) and/or dedication (i.e. service) to the department and CEAS.</p>
<p>Department of Civil Engineering Harold Walker Hard Hat Award</p>	<p>This award was established in 2018 to honor the inaugural chair of the Civil Engineering Department, Dr. Harold Walker, a premiere researcher in the field of Environmental Engineering and respected educator. Dr. Walker helped establish the Center for Clean Water Technology at Stony Brook University and brought clean water technology to the fore on Long Island. This award is designed to recognize an undergraduate student who chose Environmental Engineering as their specialization or a graduate student completing his/her MS or PhD degree in Environmental Engineering. The winner of this award brings dedication and hard work to further progress the area of Environmental Engineering through research.</p>

Department of Civil Engineering Banner Bearer	<p>The Banner Bearer for the Department of Civil Engineering at the CEAS Convocation is awarded to a graduating student who has contributed significantly to the CEAS through leadership and/or academic excellence. This person is honored as a procession leader by carrying our department's banner for the CEAS Convocation.</p>
Graduating with Honors	<p>Degrees with distinction are conferred on candidates for the Bachelor of Engineering degree who have completed at least 55 credits at Stony Brook, have letter grades assigned to at least 80 percent of their coursework, and attain the requisite g.p.a. in the class. The levels of distinction are summa cum laude, magna cum laude, and cum laude. Attainment of a degree with distinction is indicated on the student's diploma and permanent academic record. The grade point average for the three levels of distinction are: summa cum laude, 3.85 and higher; magna cum laude, 3.70 to 3.84; cum laude, 3.50 to 3.69.</p>