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UOG announces 2021 Distinguished Alumni Award winners

The University of Guam named the winners of its 2021 [Distinguished Alumni Awards](#) during a ceremony on March 19 at the Hyatt Regency Guam. One award was given to an individual from each of the university's schools and colleges, and another was given to an alum serving in the military.

The winners are selected based on professional accomplishments in their field, civic and university involvement, character and integrity, and achievements of local, national, or international significance. Among the attendees at the ceremony were UOG leadership and local dignitaries — including Gov. Lourdes Leon Guerrero, Lt. Gov. Joshua Tenorio, Speaker Therese Terlaje, and Sen. Amanda Shelton.

The 2021 Distinguished Alumni Award winners are as follows:

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From the College of Natural and Applied Sciences:

Richard Randall

- Biological and Geological Consultant and Research Affiliate, UOG Marine Lab
- Research Affiliate, UOG Water and Environmental Research Institute of the Western Pacific
- M.S., Biology, 1971



From the College of Liberal Arts and Social Sciences:

Shannon Murphy

- Editorial Contractor, Guampedia.com
- Owner, Flores Santa Rita
- B.A., Communications, 1980
- Graduate Certificate, Micronesian Studies, 2007



From the School of Business and Public Administration:

Stephen C. Ignacio

- Chief of Police, Guam Police Department
- B.S., Public Administration, 2006
- Master of Public Administration, 2014

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From the School of Education:

Carmen Artero Kasperbauer

- President, Astumbo Catholic Family Mission
- Active Member, Catholic Daughters of the Americas
- Former Senator, 15th and 16th Guam Legislatures
- B.A., Elementary Education, 1974



From the School of Health:

Arthur John Ulloa San Agustin

- Director, Department of Public Health and Social Services
- Bachelor of Social Work, 1987



Military Award:

Lt. Col. Edward Cabrera Camacho

- U.S. Army Infantry and Foreign Area Officer
- University of Guam ROTC
- B.A., Political Science, 1984

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The University of Guam has graduated nearly 20,000 alumni dispersed across the globe and throughout Micronesia serving in government, business, health care, education, science, and more.

The Distinguished Alumni Awards is hosted annually by the UOG Office of Development and Alumni Affairs. Details for next year's award cycle will be announced in July. For more information, please contact Norman Analista, director of development, alumni affairs, and foundation relations, at (671) 735-2991 or visit www.uog.edu/alumni/.

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