The Graduate College, the Graduate Studies Council, and the Graduate Student Association are proud to announce the 2016–17 recipients of the Graduate Research and Creative Scholar Awards at Western Michigan University.

The All-University Scholars for 2016–17

**Doctoral Level**
- Basil Ahmed, Chemistry
- Elizabeth MacQuillan, Interdisciplinary Health Sciences
- Neil Deochand, Psychology
- Zeinab Ramshani, Electrical and Computer Engineering

**Master's Level**
- Nicholas P. Cherup, Human Performance and Health Education
- Alexandra C. Ferguson, Electrical and Computer Engineering
- Kevin E. Kerr, Music
- Austin J. Beattie, Communication

The Department Scholars for 2016–17

**Doctoral Level**
- Ama Agyeiwaa Abrokwa, Economics
- Bilge Nazli Altay, Chemical and Paper Engineering
- Hazim Al-Zubaidi, Chemistry
- Stephanie R. Bobbitt, CECP
- Jialiang Chang, Computer Science
- Neil Deochand, Psychology
- Mustafa Kemal Emil, Geosciences
- Anna Marie Fontaine, Special Education and Literacy Studies
- Nizoramo Haitova, ELRT
- Ruiqi Huang, Biological Sciences
- Jagjit Kaur, Physics
- James R. MacDonald, Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering
- Elizabeth L. MacQuillan, Interdisciplinary Health Sciences
- Kara D. McGregor, Speech, Language and Hearing Sciences
- Peggy Mansfield McNeal, MISE
- Drake P. Olejniczak, Mathematics
- Daniel J. Patten, Sociology
- Ricky J. Pope, CECP
- Zeinab Ramshani, Electrical and Computer Engineering
- Rebecca Strapel, English
- Dawid Tatarczyk, Political Science
- Rachael E. Tilk, Psychology
- Aimee Valentine, English
- Mustafa Yildiz, ELRT

**Master's Level**
- Baya Najat O H Aljubairi, ELRT
- Stephanie N. Barron, Teaching, Learning and Educational Studies
- Austin J. Beattie, Communication
- Charlie Bouverette, Comparative Religion
- Abbie K. Brackman, Chemical and Paper Engineering
- Ryan P. Castillo, Sociology
- Margaret Daphne Cattenhead, Teaching, Learning and Educational Studies
- Nicholas P. Cherup, Human Performance and Health Education
- McKenna N. Corlis, Psychology
- Haley R. Ferguson, CECP
- Alexandra C. Ferguson, Electrical and Computer Engineering
- Amy J. Gill, CECP
- Fadwa Hamad, Chemistry
- Matthew A. Hemenway, Geosciences
- Kevin E. Kerr, Music
- Jeremy Killion, History
- Dinesh Maddipatla, Electrical and Computer Engineering
- Katherine L. Merren, Teaching, Learning and Educational Studies
- Claire Robbins, English
- Alberto Fernández Diego Rodriguez, Spanish
- Hope E. Sholtis, CECP
- Samantha Leigh Theall, Chemical and Paper Engineering
- Andrew Thomas, English
- Andrew W. Verstraete, Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering
- Jacob A. Watkins, Geography
- Ryan L. Wessendorf, Biological Science