Montgomery College Alumni Association
Alumni Awards Dinner

Friday, April 17, 2009
Theatre Arts Arena, Rockville Campus

Reception 6:30 p.m.
Dinner 7 p.m.
Awards Ceremony 8 p.m.
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Appearing This Evening

Dr. Kenneth S. Weiner
Master of Ceremonies

In 37 years as a faculty member in the Rockville Mathematics Department, Ken Weiner wore a number of hats outside the classroom. As a faculty associate in institutional research, he developed Montgomery College’s enrollment projections. As a co-creator of the Biomedical Scholars program, he implemented a new initiative for students majoring in biomedical sciences supported by the National Institutes of Health. As College-wide coordinator of outcomes assessment, he was instrumental in developing a process to collect data on student learning outcomes to improve academic courses and programs. And as auctioneer at the annual Montgomery College Foundation Golf Classic, he has helped raise thousands of dollars in scholarship donations for needy Montgomery College students.
The Milton F. (Sonny) Clogg
Outstanding Alumni Achievement Awards

Milton F. (Sonny) Clogg ’48

The Milton F. (Sonny) Clogg Outstanding Alumni Achievement Award is the College’s most prestigious award for former students. It is presented to those alumni who have demonstrated exemplary contributions to their professions, their communities, and/or the College.

Sonny Clogg, the first student president at Montgomery College, is a member of its first graduating class. Mr. Clogg assumed the lead role in creating an alumni association at the College, and he has served as its president. He also was a founding member of the Montgomery College Foundation and has served as chair of the foundation. He served as the campaign chair for the first building of the Gudelsky Institute for Technical Education on the Rockville Campus. Mr. Clogg was the first individual to endow a fully funded scholarship at Montgomery College and has given hundreds of thousands of dollars to the College. He was instrumental in starting the Annual Fund at MC and has served many times as the Annual Fund chairperson.

Mr. Clogg earned bachelor of law and juris doctor degrees from the Washington College of Law of the American University. He was granted Montgomery College’s first honorary degree in 1997. He was admitted to the bar of the State of Maryland (Court of Appeals) in 1951 and practiced law in Rockville for more than 50 years, retiring from his practice in 2003. He is now employed by the Shady Grove Adventist Hospital Foundation.

For all of his outstanding service to Montgomery College, the Alumni Association chose to name its highest award in honor of Milton F. (Sonny) Clogg.
Royden P. Dyson ’69  
Maryland State Senator

Royden Patrick Dyson attended Montgomery College until 1969, attended the University of Baltimore until 1970, and was awarded an honorary doctorate by the University of Maryland, College Park in 1988. He has been a member of the Maryland State Senate since 1995, representing District 29 (Calvert, Charles & St. Mary’s counties). He also represented Maryland’s 1st Congressional District (Calvert, Charles, St. Mary’s, Caroline, Cecil, Dorchester, Harford, Kent, Queen Anne’s, Somerset, Talbot, Wicomico and Worcester) in the U.S. House of Representatives, from 1981 to 1991. Earlier, he was Legislative Assistant for Rep. William D. Ford, and was special assistant to the House Subcommittee on Agricultural Labor. He was also a member of the Maryland State House of Delegates from 1975 to 1980, and was assistant director of Operations, Democratic National Convention, 1978, and Delegate to the 1988 Democratic Party National Convention.

Sen. Dyson is often described as statesmanlike and gentlemanly by those who know him. But he is also known for his gregarious nature and tireless campaigning which led to voters electing him again and again. In a 1998 article, the Washington Post says both critics and supporters call Senator Dyson “populist” and quotes former state senator J. Frank Raley Jr. as saying, "He's got a very accurate and acute ear for popular feeling." He also cares deeply about the people of southern Maryland, a good example of which is his support for the St. Clement’s Island–Piney Point Museums in St. Mary’s county and to the St. Clement’s Hundred, an organization sponsoring the current construction of a replica of the St. Clement’s (Blackstone) Island lighthouse.

His membership and accomplishments in various Senate committees (Education, Health and Environmental Affairs; Chair, Chesapeake and Atlantic Coastal Bays Critical Area; Committee on Administrative, Executive and Legislative Review; Special Committee on Substance Abuse, etc.) often reflect his dedication to the people of Maryland.
Walter Kevin Hughes ’80
Deputy Legislative Officer, Office of the Governor

After earning his A.A. in General Education from the College, Walter Kevin Hughes went on to earn a B.A. in Government and Politics from the University of Maryland in 1982, a master’s degree in Public Policy from Harvard’s John F. Kennedy School of Government in 1985, and a doctorate in law (with honors) from University of Maryland’s School of Law in 1994. Along the way he gained the necessary knowledge and skills to become an outstanding public servant, using his public policy experience in both the State General Assembly and the Governor’s Office to facilitate outcomes to enhance community college resources and greater access for students.

As senior staff to the Maryland House of Delegates Ways and Means Committee, Mr. Hughes, worked with the bill’s lead sponsor, Delegate Henry B. Heller ’62, to introduce and pass House Bill No.586 - Altering the Senator John A. Cade Funding Formula for the computation of State aid to community colleges and the funding formula for Baltimore City Community College beginning fiscal year 2008. Previously, he had managed a summer hearing on community college resource needs before the House Ways and Means Committee, which set the stage for the said legislation. His work with the Maryland Association of Community Colleges had enabled him to provide valuable advice to college administrators on the legislative process. In addition, he has also worked on other public policy and legislative initiatives to support programs for English as a Second Language students and community college scholarships.

He currently serves as Deputy Legislative Officer in the state of Maryland Office of the Governor, a position where, to the great benefit of Maryland’s community colleges, he keeps himself attuned to their needs and those of the students they serve.
Michelle Mays ’02
International Nursing Volunteer

Michelle Mays participated in the Montgomery Scholars Program and earned her A.A. degree in general studies from Montgomery College in 2002. She went on to the University of Maryland for her B.S. in Nursing and worked as a pediatric nurse at Johns Hopkins Hospital in Baltimore for four years. She earned her M.A. degree in Ethics, Peace and Global Affairs from American University in 2008.

Ms. Mays’s research focused on children, peace-building through health initiatives, and humanitarian negotiation. Her work has taken her to Palestine’s West Bank, Bosnia and Herzegovina, and India.

In the West Bank, she worked with Palestinian youth on a photo project which uses media as a form of non-violent activism. She took part in a human rights delegation to Bosnia and Herzegovina which examined the conflict and explored peace-building efforts in the former Yugoslavia.

Ms. Mays had also volunteered in India, previous to her present engagement, as a teacher in both a children’s home and a nursing school. At present, she is a nurse with Doctors Without Borders (Medecins Sans Frontieres) working on an integrated basic health care project in Manipur, India.
2009 Milton F. (Sonny) Clogg
Outstanding Alumni Achievement Awards

Thomas M. Logan, Jr. ’73
Community Volunteer and Tutor

Thomas M. Logan, Jr. served Montgomery College, Rockville Campus, for 30 years until his 2004 retirement as Instructional Dean for the Fine, Performing and Visual Arts and the Robert E. Parilla Performing Arts Center. He was well-known as an innovative and caring professor and administrator by students, colleagues and community members. He helped build the well-regarded Photography program in the Visual Communications Technologies Department and represented the College through his memberships on the Board of Directors of the MCT Federal Credit Union, Bethesda-Chevy Chase Rotary Club, and various civic clubs and meetings, including representing the College vice-president in Montgomery County’s Business Roundtable for Education’s “Communities in Schools” program.

Since his retirement, Dean Logan has worked as a trained volunteer, and is considered to be an outstanding one by his colleagues at the Court Appointed Special Advocates (CASA) of the eastern panhandle of West Virginia. As advocate, he investigates cases of child neglect or abuse, makes sure that children removed from their homes have basic needs such as warm clothes, ensures timely court hearings and submits a written report to the court. His work with CASA also involves helping rehabilitate parents or families of abused and neglected children. He is also active in the Providing Academic and Self-Esteem Support (PASS) program, assisting children with behavioral or academic problems on their schoolwork, reading aloud to students and employing his skills as an amateur magician. On top of all these, he used to volunteer as a guest magician for Morgan County, West Virginia, Head Start Program and was also active in animal rescue with the Morgan County Humane Society.

In recognition of his outstanding service to the community and the College, Dean Logan was awarded the Silver Medallion and Emeritus status by the College’s Board of Trustees in 2004.
2009 Athletic Hall of Fame Inductions

The Montgomery College Athletic Hall of Fame was established by members of the MC Club and College coaches to recognize former student athletes and coaches. Criteria for induction into the Athletic Hall of Fame include outstanding athletic achievement as a student, outstanding contributions as a coach, and/or outstanding athletic achievement as a player or coach after leaving MC.

Joe Adam ’77 – Baseball

Joe Adam played baseball for Montgomery College from 1975 to 1977. He made it into the All-American team in 1977, had a 22-game hitting streak for part of the season, led in the national statistics with a batting average of .579, and finished the season at .457. He worked for Carrier Corporation from 1978 to 1982, and has worked for Denso Company for the past 25 years, as a union member for Local 602. He has coached the Olney Boys & Girls Club’s in-house and select baseball programs for the past 19 years. Under Mr. Adam’s excellent coaching, his youngest son Brady’s all-select baseball team, the Olney Pirates, accumulated 113 wins, 27 losses, and 3 ties over 3 seasons, capping it with a 15-game winning streak.

Jim Meehan ’69 – Wrestling

Jim Meehan wrestled for Montgomery College from 1966 to 1968, as starter for the team. He was D.C. Amateur Athletics Union champion in 1969, in a tournament held at the College. Until 2008, he headed the Physical Education Department at Olney Elementary School, and he continues to serve as Athletic Director at Sherwood High School. Since starting out in 1963 as Junior Varsity wrestler at Walter Johnson High School, with a 9-1 record, Mr. Meehan has, over the years, been named 1998 Maryland State Wrestling Association Man of the Year and elected to the Maryland Public Schools Scholastic Athletic Association Hall of Fame in 2005. Mr. Meehan has been associated with the sport of wrestling for over 44 years as athlete, coach, and administrator.
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Dino Miltiadou ’72 – Soccer

Dino Miltiadou played soccer for Montgomery College, and was the first player in 37 years to make it into the All-American Soccer team in 1970–1971. He led the National Junior College Athletics Association in scoring in 1970, with 15 goals and 7 assists, and again in 1971, with 19 goals and 3 assists. He earned his degree in Business Administration at American University through a soccer scholarship. He is currently general manager for Auto Wholesale Supermarket in Laurel, Maryland. As a member of AFL-CIO for 13 years, he has lobbied for union issues, such as jobs and workplace fairness. He currently serves as coach of the Pancyprians team in the Washington International Soccer League, and president of Pancyprians of Metropolitan Washington, D.C. — a society of professionals of Cypriot/Greek origin. Since leaving Cyprus at age 12, Mr. Miltiadou has made significant contributions in the promotion of friendship between the Greek-American community and the American people.

Mike Carroll ’66 – Track and Field

Mike Carroll served as captain of Montgomery College’s first track and field team in 1966 and co-captain of the 1965–1966 cross-country teams. He was voted most valuable athlete on the track team, which took both the 1966 Tri-State and Region 15 NJCAA championships, surprising the then-dominant New Jersey and New York schools. He won the 330-yard intermediate hurdles event in both leagues, beaten only once. Nicknamed “Mr. Everything,” he was also the lead athlete in the long jump, triple jump, 120-yard high hurdles, and 440-yard relay events. The cross-country team never left the top 4 slots in both Tri-State and NJCAA leagues in 1965–1966. After graduation from Towson University, he taught at Catonsville Community College where he coached cross-country and indoor and outdoor track and field. Mr. Carroll was named NJCAA Coach of the Year in 1981. Currently he is Professor/Coordinator of Physical Education at Community College of Baltimore County (CCBC), Catonsville, Maryland. Recently, he has volunteered as head volleyball coach for the Howard County Special Olympics team, piloting them to three consecutive state championships, from 2005 to 2007.
Grateful acknowledgement is made to the alumni and friends of Montgomery College for their support of the Alumni Recognition Endowed Scholarship.

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Outstanding Alumni Achievement Award

By Year Awarded

2008  Theodore L. Jarboe ’67
       Mirna Ostchega, RN ’90
       Dr. Gordon Johnson ’99
       Dr. Mark E. Thompson ’75
2007  Joseph E. Robert, Jr. ’73
       Wendy Thompson ’92
       Irving Jacobs ’88
2006  Juan Mendoza ’03
       Alyson Palmer ’80
2005  The Blair Witch Project
       Production Team—
         Eduardo Sanchez ’90, Stefanie
         DeCassan Sanchez ’90, Neal L.
         Fredericks ’89, Lonnie R.
         Glarem ’90, Ricardo Moreno ’91
       Dr. Steven W. Boyce ’75
       Dr. Usa Bunnag ’90
       Eglon Oliver Daley ’89
       Ursula (Sue) Flotow ’72
       Hugh Newell Jacobsen, F.A.I.A.
         ’48
       John F. McAuliffe ’52
       Barbara A. Walsh ’75
2004  Carlos Horcasitas ’78
       Robert C. Maddox ’63
       Robert P. Moltz ’67
       Sarah G. Silberman, Lifelong
         Learner
       Richard C. Thompson ’78
       Stacy T. Wood ’74
2002  Howard C. Behrens ’56
       Robert F. Costello III ’64
       Donald E. Dworkin ’62
       Dana K. Kelly ’75
       Irvin H. Schick ’47 and John F.
         Schick ’39
       Jorge R. Urrutia ’74
       W. Gregory Wims ’70
       Morgan B. Wootten ’52
2001  The Gregory Family—
       James ’71, John ’73, Joan ’77,
       Joseph ’75, Jefferson ’76,
       R. Henry Richards ’64
       Charles P. Grier ’50
       Joseph F. Krempasky ’70
       Marilyn K. Kucharsky ’80
       Mario Salazar ’70
       Judith Vaughan-Prather ’69
2000  Esther B. Newman ’75
1999  Byron Lee Whitehurst ’70
1998  Andrea D. White ’77
       Mahlon G. Anderson ’70
       Dawn Robyn Petrlik ’88
1997  Dr. Michael E. McCormick ’57
       Carol A. Mehrling ’68
1996  Dr. Henry B. (Hank) Heller ’62
       Kevin MacDonald ’66
1995  Eric G. Mohn ’68
       Shortie Talaat ’77
1993–94  Ruth Y. Becker ’82
         Alexander B. Bell ’83
1992–93  Stephen H. Fisher ’75
         Dr. R. David Pittle ’61
1991  Socrates P. Koutsoutis ’56
1990  Sandra Jacobs Morse ’61
       Susan Carson Rogers ’76
1989  Milton F. (Sonny) Clogg ’48
1988  Wallace H. Becker ’57
       Ronald C. Howard ’72
       Judge James S. McAuliffe, Jr.
         ’51
1987  Dr. Harold S. Glazier ’60

† Posthumous award
Montgomery College
Athletic Hall of Fame

By Year of Induction

2008  John A. Division ’83
      Tyrone R. Neal ’73
      Harold E. Walker ’79
      Thomas Bichy ’68–’05
2007  Vincent W. Bateman ’71
      Tommy Davis ’69
      Lacey Hartley-Hart ’96
      Bruce Wagner ’65–’00
2006  John J. Curling ’68
      William H. Goodman ’63
      Theodore R. Leneski ’55
      Rudolph Meredith ’88
2005  Terry W. Cox ’69
      Jerome V. Williams ’94
      Dr. Franklin J. Peterson ’70–’99
2004  William L. (Butch) Bernard ’76
      Dan F. Harwood ’79
      Philip B. Martin ’82–’03
2002  Dennis J. Casey ’78
      Francis A. Parry, Jr. ’69
      1990 MC-Rockville Golf Team
2001  Wendy Hagmann-Cleveland ’85
      Thomas D. MacDougal ’62
2000  A. Russell LaHayne ’73
      Earl Lauer ’68
      John Papanicolas ’60
      Philip C. Adams ’66–’91
      Helen Dorasavage ’60–’82
1999  Bernie Wolf ’49
      Frank Toomey ’67–’86
      Al Dodds ’68
1998  John D. Kaleo, Jr. ’90
      John W. Shearer ’54
      Michael D. Toomey ’72
1997  Raymond W. Murray ’54
      Thelma Lyles Nolan ’87
      William C. Wright ’67
1996  Alex Chambers ’74
      Russell C. Dean ’49
      W. Raymond Fox ’62–’89
      Vincent Pugliese ’52
      Gretchen Saar Triantos ’77
1995  James M. Davis ’64–’88
      Martin T. Gallagher ’55
1993–94  Don A. Comer ’57–’85
       Dr. R. Thomas Walker ’57
1992–93  Donald B. Benson ’51
       Dr. Louis G. Chacos ’58–’83
       George E. Hackey, Jr. ’69
1991–92  Joseph W. Caw ’54
       Sheldon Oremland ’49
       F. Frank Rubini ’47–’57 †
1989  Dr. Maurice W. Collins ’53
       Robert E. Windsor ’65
       Morgan B. Wootten ’52
1988  Donald Drown ’61–’93

† Posthumous induction