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# Scholarship Awards Banquet

*Department of Cinema and Television Arts*



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# Program

WELCOME ... Joel Krantz, CTVA Scholarship Committee  
MASTER OF CEREMONIES ... Jon Stahl, Department Chair  
& Screenwriting Option Head  
GUEST SPEAKER ... John Hampian, Alumnus

~ Dinner ~



**Jon Stahl**  
Chair, Department of Cinema and Television Arts

Jon Stahl became CTVA Chair in January, 2011. He has taught at CSUN since 1998, and has been head of the CTVA Screenwriting Option since 2005. His scripts have been optioned by such producers as David Foster (*McCabe and Mrs. Miller*), Cari-Esta Albert (*The Truth About Cats and Dogs*), Ternion Pictures (*Extract*) and Meg Ryan's Prufrock Pictures. A recent screenplay, *Park Avenue Baseball*, was named "Best of Fest" in the Broadcast Education Association's Festival of Media Arts. Before moving to Los Angeles, he freelanced in film and television production in New York City, in a variety of capacities. Prior to that, he was a director at WBNG-TV, a CBS affiliate, where a program that he wrote and directed won awards from the National Association of Broadcasters and the New York State Broadcasters' Association.



**John Hampian**  
Alumnus, Film Production Coordinator

John Hampian graduated from CSUN with a Bachelor of Arts in Television Production in 2005. He is currently a television and film production coordinator based out of Los Angeles. John joined the television show *Mad Men* in 2008 as a production coordinator, creating a total of 79 television episodes over six seasons. In early 2014, John was the Line Producer on the short film *Winter Light*, which captured the harshness of winter in Montana and the callous behavior of men in conflict. *Winter Light* recently premiered at the Atlanta Film Festival. In 2011 John worked on the TV series *Magic City*, where he helped to transform a defunct yacht factory into a state-of-the-art television studio with over 100,000 square feet of set design.

# Scholarships

JUDGE JULIAN BECK MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP  
**Ryan Somohano**

DAVID LEVY GRADUATE  
SCREENWRITING SCHOLARSHIP  
**Adrian Castillo**

RICHARD M. NEUSTADT / MATTHEW S. BERENY  
NEW VISTA SCHOLARSHIP  
**Justine Lieberman**

ABRAHAM L. POLONSKY  
GRADUATE AWARD IN SCREENWRITING  
**Gina Ruoti**

ABRAHAM L. POLONSKY  
UNDERGRADUATE AWARD IN CRITICAL WRITING  
**Zachary Friedman**

ABRAHAM L. POLONSKY  
UNDERGRADUATE AWARD IN SCREENWRITING  
**Luis Cuevas**

MICHAEL CHRISTIAN RASMUSSEN  
MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP  
**Jane Sorkin**

JAY ROPER MEMORIAL  
TELEVISION PRODUCTION SCHOLARSHIP  
**Sarah Stettler**

CARSON SCHREIBER FILM/TELEVISION/MEDIA  
HISTORY SCHOLARSHIP  
**Natasha Viadero**

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INTERACTIVE MEDIA SCHOLARSHIP  
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MEDIA RESEARCH SCHOLARSHIP  
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**Natasha Viadero**  
**Oleah Olaguera**

MARC S. YOBS MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP  
**Jade Flader**  
**Hannah Luna**  
**Jonathan Wong**

DR. JUDITH MARLANE  
CINEMA AND TELEVISION ARTS SCHOLARSHIP  
**Vincent Waythomas**

DEAN'S AWARD FOR  
ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENT & SERVICES  
**Emmeli Tomth—Junior Award**  
**Jade Flader—Senior Award**  
**Rachel Kollar—Graduate Award**

