

## International Education Center Poster Contest

Contest theme: Global Health

Winner: Varun Medidi

**Awareness – Commitment – Engagement**

**We DARE you to CARE.**



### Global Citizenship Awards

The Global Citizenship Awards are presented annually to Brookdalians who demonstrate a commitment to expanding their awareness of global issues. Awardees, who are nominated by Brookdale faculty, have considered global issues as part of their curricular, co-curricular, or volunteer work. For more information on the Global Citizenship Project, contact Professor Kelsey Maki ([kmaki@brookdalecc.edu](mailto:kmaki@brookdalecc.edu)).

### Global Citizenship Distinction

Brookdale students who have shown outstanding engagement in global issues during their time at the College may be eligible, upon graduation, for Global Citizenship Distinction. To receive this honor, students must integrate global education into their academic pursuits while simultaneously engaging in globally focused co-curricular activities, all of which will make for a rich and long-lasting educational experience. Through the Global Citizenship Distinction (GCD) Initiative, student participants will gain a greater awareness of global issues and cultural diversity, making them valuable assets to colleges and employers. The Initiative seeks to empower Brookdale students with global perspectives and intercultural competencies. For more information, please contact the GCD Initiative coordinator Dr. Terry Konn ([tkonn@brookdalecc.edu](mailto:tkonn@brookdalecc.edu)).



The awards ceremony is made possible with support from  
**The International Education Center**  
**Brookdale Student Life and Activities**

# Global Citizenship Project Awards Ceremony



**Thursday, April 21, 2016**

7:00 p.m.

Brookdale Community College  
765 Newman Springs Road  
Lincroft, NJ  
Student Life Center



**Brookdale Community College**

# Global Citizenship Awards 2016

Welcome Message

*Professor Kelsey Maki*

*Faculty Liaison to the International Education Center*

Opening Remarks

*Dr. Matthew Reed*

*Vice President for Learning*

Award Presentations, Global Citizenship Awards

*Dr. Janice Thomas*

*Director of the International Education Center*

Closing Remarks

*Dr. Terry Konn*

*Global Citizenship Distinction Initiative Coordinator*



## Co-Curricular Award Winners

*Rosemary Kochman*, Brookdale Volunteer Connection

*Lucy Wadych-Ketley*, International Student Association Advisor

*Shahin Pirzad*, Phi Theta Kappa Advisor

## Student Club Award Recipients

*The TIN Project Team* Lana Leonard, Vincent Pino, Jake Pinelli,  
Alex Nichols, and Lindsay Gunn

*UndocuALLY* Jocelyn Rojas, Diana Escalona,  
Daysi Arevalo Avalos, Johanna Retamozo, and Monica Urena

*Students for Global Citizenship* Mona Patel and Sameerah Wahab

## Outstanding Curricular Contribution

*Professor Barbara Barella*, Reading



## Student Curricular Award Recipients

*Andrea McStay*, Behavioral Strategies for Disadvantaged Youth

*Anna Erstigneeva Wells*, Empathy as an Antidote to Stereotyping

*Asmik Anechiarico*, The Armenian Genocide

*Brianna Devaney*, Access to Clean Water

*Carly Kaplan*, Pregnancy in Sierra Leone

*Chelsea Carbone*, The Life and Work of Florence Nightingale

*Dana Geiger*, Operation Smile

*David DeMonico*, Economic Changes in China

*David Friedman*, Supplementing Nutrition Through Aquaponics

*Erika Uribe Manzano*, Global Violence Against Women

*Gianna Skurzynski*, Bride Burning

*Ginna Feliciano*, The Healthcare System in Cuba

*James Clark*, The Rape of Nanking

*Kerry Callery*, Live Aid

*Kevin Eid*, The Trash Crisis in Lebanon

*Kirste Dorian*, Drone Strikes in Pakistan

*Luis Castro*, Experiences of Mexican Refugees

*Rana Mahmud*, Global Violence Against Women

*Robin Hooley*, Depression in India

*Sameerah Wahab*, Understanding Anti-Muslim Rhetoric

*Stephanie Zaccino*, Global Trends in Breastfeeding

*Tetiana Skrynnyk*, Jewish Survivor Transport in WWII

*Victoria Larsen*, China's Air Quality