

Good news! Mu Kappa, Hofstra's chapter of the international geographical honor society Gamma Theta Upsilon, won the Honors Chapter award again this year – for the fifth consecutive year! The award is given for spreading awareness of Geography through recognizing outstanding student scholarship and conducting campus service. This last year Mu Kappa members have helped organize diversity dinners, applied for funding from Hofstra's Cultural Center for the yearly induction ceremony's keynote speaker (Dr. Mona Domosh from Dartmouth), sold fair trade organic chocolate, collected and shipped used textbooks to the organization “Books for Africa”, represented our department at the Honors College Accepted Students Expo, and presented posters and papers at the American Association of Geographers (AAG) Middle States conference in NJ. It's extra exciting to me that we won the award this year as student members have played a more active role in running the honors chapter and were in charge of organizing and conducting the induction ceremony in April. Well done, and congratulations to the past and current board members of Mu Kappa! - Fatimah Moz

