SPOTLIGHT PROFESSIONAL ALUMNI

2008-2009
Scott Behrend, Road Less Traveled Productions
Jennifer Calero, Goulah Design Group
Fernando Garcia, Bank of America
Melissa MacLeod, Smith Barney
Ben Obletz, First Amherst Development Group
Dawn Scott-Iverson, Independent Health
Ryan Silva, Freed Maxick & Battaglia
Kelly A. Silverman, Hodgson Russ LLC
Stephanie J. Simeon, Heart of the City Neighborhoods
R. Trevor Stevenson, Eastman Machine Company

2011-2012
Landrum Beard, Buffalo State College
Lisa Bauer, Hodgson Russ
Samantha Clark, Alliance Advisory Group
Tiffane Ingram, Independent Health
Ethan Johnson, Campus Wheel Works
Luis Rodriguez, LP Ciminelli
Sergio Rodriguez, Medaille College
Shandra Spicer, S&W Contracting of WNY
Michael Van Remmen, Freed Maxick & Battaglia
Melissa Vollmer, Synacor
2012-2013
Yeong ‘Christopher’ Choi, Ph.D., Roswell Park Cancer Institute
Jessie Hersher Gouck, Buffalo Niagara Medical Campus
Jared Hojnacki, M&T Bank
Kellena L.W. Kane, Uniland Development Corporation
Britta L. McKenna, Hodgson Russ
Vince Nicoletti, Darien Lake Theme Park and Resort
Anthony Rijos, Wells Fargo Home Mortgage
Keith Rowe, Independent Health
Christina Singh, March of Dimes
Amanda Winklesas, 3rd Learning

2013-2014
Justin Azzarella, Center for Community Development
Alex Cleary, University at Buffalo School of Management
Ross Comaratta - deceased
Lindsey Constantino, PLS 3rd Learning
Michael Freedman, Niagara University
Griffin Jones, Griffin Jones Social Media
Ben Kirst, Quinlan & Company
Javett Long, Independent Health
Thomas Muraca, Katz Americas

2014-2015
Kevin Hays, Savarino Companies
Callie Johnson, Girl Scouts of WNY
Jim Kennedy, Senator Kirsten Gillibrand
Jonathan LaPorta, Pfannenberg USA
Cynthia Ludwig, Hodgson Russ
Aliyah Schultz, M&T Bank
Julia Spitz, Savarino Companies
Ryan Taughrin, University of Buffalo
Whitney Walker, Mobile Safety-Net Team
Jason Zwara, Buffalo ReformED
2015-2016
Paul Lang, Carmina Wood Morris
Kayleigh Terranova, United Way
Qing He, University at Buffalo
Elizabeth Miller, Sealing Devices
Taylor Gahagen, Pegula Sports and Entertainment
Sarah Taylor, Yahoo!
Porsha Coaxum, WBFO Radio
Brittany Frey, SKM Group
Antonio Samedi, University Pediatric Dentistry
Jenna Regan, Performance Management Partners

2016-2017
Emily More, United Way
Zachary Schneider, 15 Fingers
Michael Tedesco, Andreozzi Bluestein LLP
Ekua Mendes-Aidoo, Evergreen Health
April Corrao, Gooding Co
Jason Denue, Wendel
Jamil Crews, City of Buffalo
Amanda Paul, Say Yes
Lauren Gousy, Meals on Wheels
Erin Torcello, Bond, Schoeneck and King

2018
Adam Bartoszek – The Service Collaborative of WNY, Inc.
Angela Keppel – Buffalo Place, Inc.
Ashley Lowry – Erie County DA’s Office
Bernie Switzer - SWITZER
Crystal Surdyk – City of Jamestown
Derek Baker – Sweet Home Middle School
De’vron Tabb – Buffalo Employment & Training Center
Emma Fabian – Evergreen Health
Kristen Lopez – Praxis Communications, LLC
Lindsay Amico – Picture Perfect Mind
Rasul Khan – Independent Health
Steve Procknal – Power Yoga Buffalo

2019

Kent Olden – Buffalo Niagara Medical Campus
Claire Petrie – Unifrax
Kerry Battenfeld – Erie County Bar Association Volunteer Lawyers Project
Sarah Bachwitz – Empower Camp | HSBC
Talisa King – Erie County Youth Bureau
Kendra Brim – BlueCross BlueShield of WNY
Paige Melin – Fulbright Fellow
Christa Penner – ShopCraft
Jeff Rathmann – Silo City IT
Brian Junke – Lock 34 Bar & Grill | 80 Main Banquet & Catering
Jesse Walp – Villa Maria College
Kimberly Brown – Community Access Services/Evergreen Health