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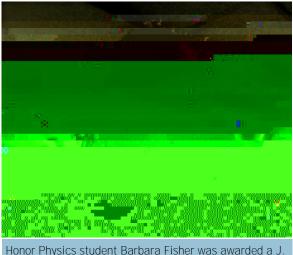
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Barbara Fisher, an Honors Physics student, credits Stockton faculty and staff with helping her win a J. William Fulbright U.S. Student scholarship.

Fisher, who graduates in May, will be an English teaching assistant in the Czech Republic in the 2013-14 academic year.

"The Stockton College community is very pleased that Barbara Fisher's hard work has been recognized by the Fulbright program," said President Herman J. Saatkamp. "We congratulate her and extend our thanks to her faculty advisors, who helped Ms. Fisher achieve her ambitious goal."

"This is extremely exciting news, and I am not aware of any previous Stockton student who has received a Fulbright," said Dr. Harvey Kesselman, provost and executive vice president of the college.



Honor Physics student Barbara Fisher was awarded a J William Fulbright U.S. Student scholarship.

"From the moment I learned about the Fulbright Commission, I knew this was an opportunity I could not let pass me by," said Fisher, a 22-year-old Westville, NJ resident. "I would not be a scholar without the incredible support of my Fulbright Campus Advisor, Honors Program, Physics Department, Service Learning Department, Grants Office and the amazing people I call my friends and family."

"This opportunity will help me to reach my ultimate dream of becoming an international citizen, researcher and most importantly, a teacher," Fisher

added. "I could not be happier."

"I really want to also thank all of my teachers who have inspired me as well, because it really has been everyone who made me who I am today," she said.

History Professor Robert Nichols, the Fulbright Program advisor for Stockton, "guided me though the process", Fisher said, while Professor Lisa Rosner, director of the Honors program, "has always seen my potential, even when I could not." She also credited Associate Professor Fang Liu, the head of the Physics Department, as her mentor and advisor, and Professor Yitzhak Sharon, senior Physics professor, with encouraging her not to give up.

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Beth Olsen, director of Grants, helped with the interview process and applying for funding, Fisher said, and Dr. Deb Figart, professor of Education and Economics and Dr. Michelle McDonald, associate professor of Atlantic History, also helped as members of the campus Fulbright committee.

Sponsored by the United States Department of State, Bureau of Educational and Cultural Affairs, the <u>Fulbright Program</u> was founded by the late U.S. Sen. J. William Fulbright in 1946 and now operates in 155 countries. The program provides

Stockton Seaview Wins Three National Golf Awards

Stockton Seaview Hotel and Golf Club recently won three national awards for its golf course and pro shop.

- Seaview was named one of Golfweek's "Best Courses" in the U.S., which ranked the facility ninth in New Jersey.
- Troon, the world's largest golf-management company, named Seaview the Most Improved Facility of the Year for 2012. Troon manages the golf at Seaview and at courses in 29 states and 28 countries.
- The Association of Golf Merchandisers awarded the Golf Shop at Stockton Seaview its Platinum Award, recognizing it as one of the nation's best for the third straight year.

"We're thrilled to be recognized with these three awards, as it goes to show that we're trying to create the best possible experience, both on and off the golf source, for our members, questo and expers, and Prior Pachley, head golf professions.

Stockton Seaview has two professionally designed courses, the Bay Course and the Pines Course.

course, for our members, guests and owners," said Brian Rashley, head golf professional at Stockton Seaview,

Troon's "most-improved" designation is based on guest, member and owner satisfaction, as well as innovations at the property, fiscal management and successful participation in Troon Golf Programs.

Stockton Seaview will host the ShopRite LPGA Classic May 31-June 2.

Students from Assistant Dean Thomas O'Donnell's General Studies class,

Hosted by the School of Arts and Humanities, the fourth annual "Stockton's Got Talent" showcased the varied talents of Stockton faculty and staff on Tues-



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