RESEARCH AWARDS
Listed below are recipients of research awards instituted by Coles College such as Distinguished Scholarship Award, Best Publication Award, Best Working Paper Award, Coles College Collaboration Award, to name a few.

Distinguished Scholarship Award
Divesh Sharma

Best Publication Award
Dana R. Hermanson, Richard Clune and James Tompkins for their paper, "The Nominating Committee Process: A Qualitative Examination of Board Independence and Formalization" published in Contemporary Accounting Research.  
Rongbing Huang for his paper, "Private Equity Firms’ Reputational Concerns and the Cost of Debt Financing" published in Journal of Financial and Quantitative Analysis.  
Kamal Fatehi for his paper, "Mindscapes and Individual Heterogeneity Within and between Cultures" published in Journal of Business Research.

Coles College Collaboration Award
Jomon A. Paul & Leo MacDonald

KSU Collaboration Award
Herb Mattord  
Maria Kalamas

Business Engagement Award
Joseph Astrachan and Torsten Pieper for their project titled “Ernst & Young (EY) - KSU Global Family Business Survey”.  
Michael Serkedakis for his project titled “Solving the Mystery of Social Media for Small Business Ventures”.

Coles Working Paper Awards
Zhaoguo Zhan for his paper “Robust Inference in Fuzzy Regression Discontinuity with Multiple Forcing Variables”, Coles Working Paper Series, FALL16-08, November 2016.

Coles Working Paper Series Best Reviewer Award
Xiao Huang