## **2023 President's Outstanding Student Award Recipients** Phyllis J. Washington College of Education

Name	Major	Concentration	Nomination Statement
Kaitlyn E. O'Keefe	Early Childhood Education: P-3	No Concentration	Kaitlyn O'Keefe was an exemplary student employee and Early Childhood Education teacher candidate with the Learning and Belonging (LAB) Preschool. Kaitlyn demonstrated incredible skill while working with preschool-age children. Her interactions were kind, respectful, consistent, reflective, and meaningful. Among her peers, Kaitlyn was a natural leader. She was kind, responsible, and honest. Kaitlyn's passion and understanding of the ECE field is remarkable at this early stage in her career.