

Staff Employee of the Week

Debra Harry

NAME: Debra Harry

JOB TITLE: Program Support Technician

HOME DEPARTMENT: Army ROTC

COLLEGE OR VP AREA: College of Liberal Arts and Human Sciences

NOMINATED FOR: President's Award for Excellence

NOMINATED BY: Frank Intini

SUMMARY

For the past 19 years, Debra has consistently demonstrated performance excellence. During this academic year, she processed over \$4.3 million in tuition and fees from Army scholarships to our cadets; with an estimated \$27.6 million in tuition and fees processed over her tenure with the Army ROTC. Furthermore, Debra received Prompt Payment Accolades for every quarter over the past 19 years for meeting or exceeding the university's prompt payment standard of 95 percent.

Since her transition from the Virginia Tech Alumni Association to the office of the Army ROTC in 1992, she has been a highly valued advisor and expert in university affairs to at least nine rotations of Army cadre members. Debra's sage advice regarding university protocol, and her ability to calmly and creatively resolve unexpected crises, have enabled the Army ROTC program to successfully provide memorable, time-honored military traditions and celebrations for nearly 720 officer-graduates of Virginia Tech. These ceremonies include distinguished alumni, and have invariably reinforced the positive image of Virginia Tech, the Corps of Cadets, and the Army ROTC program.

