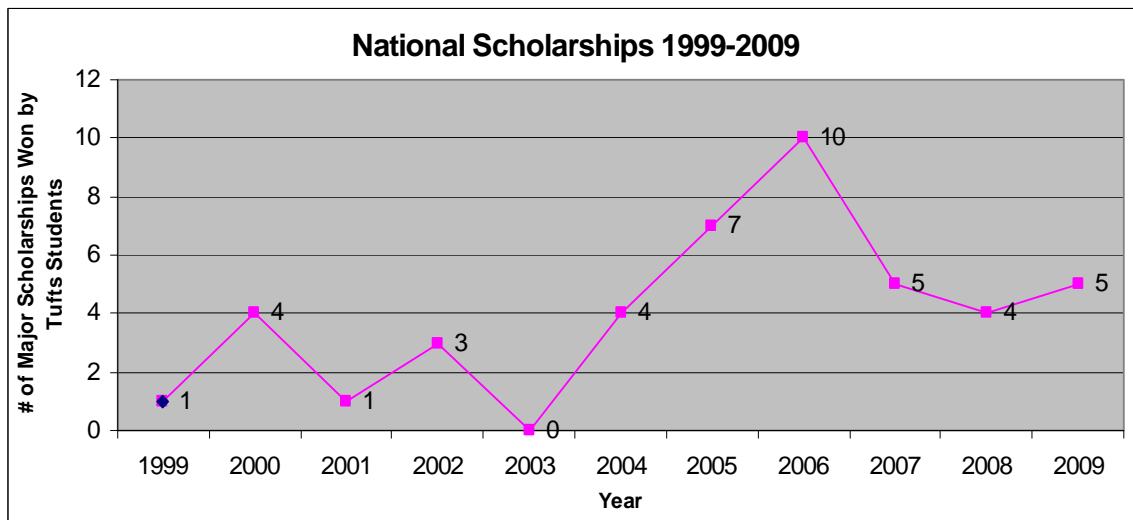


## 2008-2009 Report of the Scholarships/Fellowships Committee

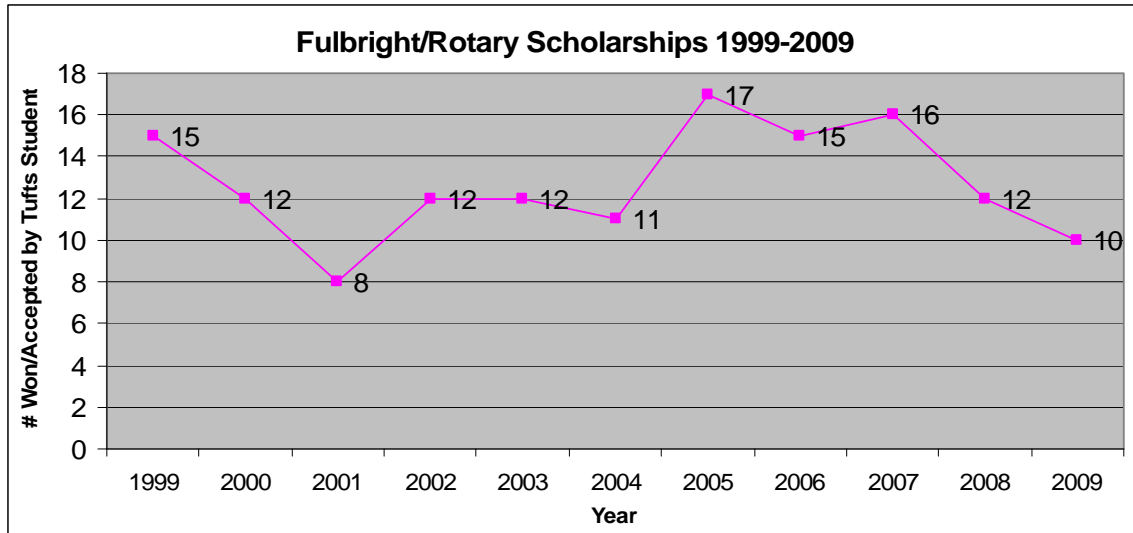
James M. Glaser, Dean of Undergraduate Education

We had some nice success in the scholarship/fellowship competitions, with one Udall Scholar (Matthew Thoms), one Goldwater Scholar (Jose Ordovas-Montanes), one Beinecke Scholar (Benjamin Sacks), one Emerson Hunger Fellow (Jennifer Bailey), and one CORO Fellow (Lena Andrews). Seven former Tufts undergraduates/current graduate students won National Science Foundation Fellowships for graduate study, a record-tying year for us. On the international scholarship front, the Fulbright and Rotary process is incomplete, but we will probably have 10-11 winners this year (two students turned down German Fulbrights to accept Austrian Teaching Fellowships). We had a couple of students who were finalists for prestigious awards but did not win, which is frustrating but indicates that Tufts students are “in the game.” We had one honorable mention Goldwater Scholar and one finalist for the Marshall Scholarship.

Below is a chart that tracks our performance in national scholarship and fellowship competitions and international (Fulbright/Rotary) scholarship competitions over the past decade:



National scholarships include Rhodes, Marshall, Truman, Goldwater, Beinecke, Luce, CORO, USA Today, Udall, Cooke, Churchill, Soros, Emerson Hunger, and Mellon. The Mellon Program ended in 2005. Chart does not include NSF Graduate Fellowships or Fulbright/Rotary.



At present, four students are waiting to hear a final determination from the Fulbright organization. Only one student won a Rotary Scholarship this year.

The following faculty served on the committee, helping students with Fulbright applications, helping to select Tufts nominees for the various competitions, and helping with mock interviews. The committee is led by Laura Doane, Director of Scholarships and Fellowships.

- Glaser, James M. Dean of Undergraduate Education
- Baffoni-Licata, Laura Rom Lang Senior Lecturer
- Baise, Laurie Civil & Environmental Eng Assistant Professor
- Bauer, Nancy Philosophy Associate Professor
- Boghosian, Bruce Math Professor
- Camara, Kathleen Child Dev Associate Professor
- Cruz, Consuelo Poli Sci Associate Professor
- Eichenberg, Richard Poli Sci Associate Professor
- Ellmore, George Biology Associate Professor
- Jacob, Robert Computer Science Professor
- Kilmer, Misha Math Professor 08-09
- Locke, David Music Associate Professor
- Mufti, Malik Poli Sci Associate Professor
- Pechenik, Jan Biology Professor 08-09
- Remick, Elizabeth Poli Sci Associate Professor
- Sliwa, Krzysztof Phys/Astron Professor
- Tan, Chih Economics Assistant Professor
- Taylor, Holly Psychology Professor
- Urry, Heather Psychology Assistant Professor 08-09
- Wilson, Jonathan English Professor