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# UB Campus Dining & Shops Wins Two National Awards

*Prestigious Loyal E. Horton Dining Awards from NACUFS;  
Gold for Catering-Online Menu, Silver for Residential Dining – Special Event*

BUFFALO, N.Y. – UB Campus Dining and Shops has received two national awards in the 42<sup>nd</sup> Annual Loyal E. Horton Dining Awards Contest; Gold in the Catering – Online Menu category and Silver in the Residential Dining – Special Event category.

Three Pillars Catering launched their new website, [www.threepillarscatering.com](http://www.threepillarscatering.com), back in February with all new menus for a variety of occasions. The Gold was awarded for their overall menu which is creative in design and style, includes appropriate and attractive photographs, and has a variety of menu choices available for selection.

The Hunger Games theme dinner hosted at Crossroads Culinary Center (C3) in April received the Silver from 28 large school entries in the Residential Dining – Special Event category. The event garnered both local and national media attention for its unique food offerings and visual presentation.

The contest is organized by the National College and University Food Service Association (NACUFS). In college and university culinary arts, the ultimate professional tribute is a NACUFS Loyal E. Horton Dining Award. Named for a NACUFS founder, past president and highly regarded innovator, the Loyal E. Horton Dining Awards celebrate exemplary menus, presentations, special event planning, and new dining concepts, and provide an avenue for sharing ideas and creative presentations in campus dining services.

"We are extremely excited to bring home both a Gold and Silver for our two entries this year," said Jeff Brady, executive director for UB Campus Dining and Shops. "Being recognized by our peers is truly an honor and our team continues to shine with their talents and abilities."

UB Campus Dining and Shops will be recognized at the 2015 NACUFS National Conference in Indianapolis, Indiana, July 22-25. This is UB Campus Dining and Shops' second Gold and first Silver. A complete list of 2015 winners can be found at <http://www.nacufs.org/recognition-dining-awards/award-winners/>

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UB's Campus Dining & Shops' (CDS) primary purpose is to offer a variety of high quality, high value, and innovative dining options designed to fit the varied lifestyles and nutritional needs of the university community. Serving foods from local growers, striving to achieve sustainability, and expanding the availability of dining choices are ways that we enrich the dining experience. We challenge our experienced and knowledgeable employees daily to provide exemplary customer service. Campus Dining & Shops is a multi-unit company employing over 700 people. In addition to providing the university's dining services, CDS also serves the UB community through management of the UB Card Office, Three Pillars Catering, Retail and Convenience Stores, and Vending. In our day-to-day operations we rely on inherent core values: quality items, value prices, environmentally friendly settings, ethical treatment of all, and conducting all phases of our business with integrity.