First IE JoyLynn Hailey Reed Graduate Student Award Recipient Honored

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[AUSTIN, TX]: UT’s Intellectual Entrepreneurship Consortium (IE) hosted a lunch on Friday September 29 to celebrate the first recipient of the IE JoyLynn Hailey Reed Graduate Student Achievement Award, Nicole Wen (Psychology). The lunch was held at the University of Texas Club.

Professor Rick Cherwitz, Director of IE, said: “We are grateful to Carol and Jim Hailey for establishing an endowment honoring the memory of their daughter JoyLynn which made this award possible.”

“We are proud to honor our daughter by contributing to a program that she cared so deeply about,” said Jim and Carol Hailey.”
“What’s great about IE, notes Nicole Wen, “is that it gives students an in-depth understanding of what it means to be a graduate student, and they get to figure out what it is they really want to do—or just as important—what they don’t want to do.”

Gregory Perrin (left), Jim Hailey, Nicole Wen, Carole Hailey, and Rick Cherwitz (right)

Gregory Perrin, Associate Vice President and Executive Director for Development for the Division of Diversity and Community Engagement (DDCE) arranged this lunch.

Read more about the JoyLynn Hailey Reed Graduate Student Achievement Award and Nicole:

http://diversity.utexas.edu/news/2015/10/14/ie-joylynnhaileyreed-endowment/

and

http://diversity.utexas.edu/2017/05/02/finding-the-right-fit-psychology-graduate-student-finds-her-calling-in-cognitive-development/