

SKYLER HENRY

FALL 2020 SIBBERSON AWARD FINALIST

SCHOOL OF APPLIED STUDIES

Skyler is graduating with a Bachelor of Criminal Justice – Law Enforcement degree, with minors in Biology and Psychology. He plans to work as a game warden or park ranger in a national park. Since the COVID-19 pandemic has frozen many of these positions, he is considering graduate school for Criminal Justice or Environmental Biology as well.

Skyler was a member of the Washburn Track & Field team since the program restarted in 2016. Both indoor and outdoor seasons combined. He is in Washburn's top 10 at least once in 12 different events. These events range from middle distance to sprints, including hurdles and the school record 4x100 meter relay team. He has also been a member of the MIAA Academic Honor Roll and an MIAA Academic Excellence award winner each year.

In the Spring of 2019, Skyler helped design, conduct, and analyze research on civilianizing Crime Scene Investigation departments for the Topeka Police Department. The paper was later reworked, taken to the MCJA in Chicago and submitted for publishing. Skyler has also attended Officer Candidate School through the United States Marine Corps, as well as volunteering at the Kansas Special Olympic Games and Kansas Senior Games throughout his time at Washburn University.