

# Tufts

Commencement  
2015

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School of Medicine and Sackler School of  
Graduate Biomedical Sciences

School of Dental Medicine

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Cummings School of Veterinary Medicine

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## Welcome from the President

This year marks the 159th Commencement exercises held at Tufts University. This is always the high point of the academic year, and we welcome all of you from around the world who are here for this joyous occasion—the culmination of our students' intellectual and personal journeys.

Today's more than 2,500 graduates arrived at Tufts with diverse backgrounds and perspectives. They have followed rigorous courses of study on our three Massachusetts campuses while enriching the life of our academic community. As Tufts students, many of them have studied or conducted research across this country and internationally. Many have also provided expert clinical care as part of their education. And they have put our commitment to active citizenship into action through generous service to community, neighborhood, and governmental organizations. As graduates, they will help to represent the university around the world as members of a global alumni community that now numbers more than 100,000. We hope they will stay connected with Tufts and know that their careers and accomplishments will give us cause for pride.

The 2015 Commencement address will be delivered by Madeleine Albright. One of the most respected figures on the world stage, she reinforced America's alliances, advocated for democracy and human rights, and promoted American trade as well as its business, labor, and environmental standards abroad while serving as the United States' first woman secretary of state. I am sure her address will inspire our graduates and give all of us opportunity to reflect on how we can use our talents for the common good.

The Board of Trustees has voted to award honorary doctorates to Dr. Albright and six other distinguished honorees in recognition of their achievements in their chosen fields. All of them offer our graduates examples of accomplishment and service. A total of 20 members of the faculty and administration have been named to emeritus status, and we will recognize their contributions to the life of the university over a truly remarkable total of more than 600 years of service to Tufts.

At Tufts' first Commencement—on July 8, 1857—three students received their degrees at a ceremony featuring addresses in Latin. While much has changed since then, Tufts remains committed to education and opportunity. Faculty, staff, families, and friends have all played a central role in our students' education. Thank you for joining us in congratulating our graduates and wishing them all the best for the future.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Tony Monaco". The signature is written in a cursive, slightly slanted style.

Anthony P. Monaco

President



# Tufts University Commencement

## Overview of the Day

8:45–9:00 a.m.

### MUSICAL PRELUDE

8:45 a.m.

### ALIGNMENT

Degree candidates assemble in areas as designated by marching order card or school.

#### SCHOOL

Liberal Arts, Jackson College,  
Engineering, Special Studies,  
Museum School

#### AREA

In front of Braker Hall, Fletcher tennis courts,  
Tisch Library roof, in front of Miller Hall  
(as designated by marching cards)

Graduate School of Arts and Sciences

Fletcher tennis courts

Medical/Sackler

In front of Eaton Hall

Dental

Carmichael Dining Hall

Fletcher

Blakeley Hall Courtyard

Cummings/Veterinary

In front of Eaton Hall

Friedman/Nutrition

In front of Eaton Hall

8:45 a.m.

Chapel bells begin ringing (last warning for alignment)

\*9:00 a.m.

### PHASE I

Academic procession begins when the bells stop ringing.

\*9:30 a.m.

ALL-UNIVERSITY COMMENCEMENT CEREMONY BEGINS

\*11:00 a.m.

RECESSIONAL—END OF ALL-UNIVERSITY COMMENCEMENT

\*11:30 a.m.–4:00 p.m.

### PHASE II

Ceremonies for individual schools, colleges, and departments follow the main Commencement ceremony at the locations listed below:

**School of Arts and Sciences:** Various locations and times (see page 8).

**School of Engineering:** The Green, 11:30 a.m.

**Graduate School of Arts and Sciences:** Students should attend the Arts and Sciences departmental ceremony for their specific discipline.

**School of Medicine and the Sackler School of Graduate Biomedical Sciences:**

**DOCTOR OF MEDICINE DEGREE AND SACKLER GRADUATE DEGREE CEREMONY:**  
Gantcher Family Sports and Convocation Center, 11:30 a.m.

**PUBLIC HEALTH AND PROFESSIONAL DEGREE CEREMONY (M.P.H., M.S.-Health Comm, M.S.-Medical Science, M.S.-PREP, M.B.S):** Reception in Alumnae Lounge, 11:30 a.m., followed by diploma ceremony at tent on J Field, 1:30 p.m.

**School of Dental Medicine:** Carmichael Quad, 11:30 a.m.

**The Fletcher School of Law and Diplomacy:** Fletcher Field, 11:30 a.m.

**Cummings School of Veterinary Medicine:** Grafton campus, 3:00 p.m.

**Friedman School of Nutrition Science and Policy:** Cohen Auditorium, 11:30 a.m.

\*Times are approximate

### Viewing the Ceremony from Indoors

Guests are invited to view the all-university ceremony from several sites around campus. These rooms will be open at 8:00 a.m. All are handicapped-accessible.

The following sites will be screening the ceremony:

Barnum Hall, Room 008  
Cabot Intercultural Center, ASEAN Auditorium  
Cohen Auditorium  
Cousens Athletic Complex

### Rain Plan

Regardless of weather, Phase I and indoor or tented ceremonies in Phase II will take place.

*Note for Guests:* Please refrain from taking photos in the stage area during the ceremonies.

## Graduation Ceremonies: School of Arts and Sciences and School of Engineering

### Phase II

*Lunch will be served on the lawn adjacent to Tisch Library.*

#### **Africana Studies:**

11:30 a.m.–1:00 p.m., ceremony in the tent on J Field, followed by lunch.

#### **American Studies:**

11:30 a.m.–1:00 p.m., ceremony in the tent on J Field, followed by lunch.

#### **Anthropology:**

11:30 a.m.–1:00 p.m., ceremony in the tent at Bromfield-Pearson, followed by lunch.

#### **Arabic:**

1:30–3:00 p.m., ceremony in Distler Hall, Granoff Music Center, preceded by lunch.

#### **Archaeology:**

11:30 a.m.–1:00 p.m., ceremony in Granoff Family Hillel Center, followed by lunch.

#### **Art History/Architecture:**

1:30–3:00 p.m., ceremony in Goddard Chapel, preceded by lunch.

#### **Asian Studies:**

1:30–3:00 p.m., ceremony on The Green (between Ballou Hall and Bendetson Hall), preceded by lunch.

#### **Biology:**

1:30–3:00 p.m., ceremony in the tent on Ellis Oval, preceded by lunch.

#### **Boston School of Occupational Therapy:**

11:30 a.m.–1:00 p.m., ceremony at 51 Winthrop Street, followed by lunch.

#### **Chemistry:**

1:30–3:00 p.m., ceremony in the tent on Ellis Oval, preceded by lunch.

#### **Child Study and Human Development:**

1:30–3:00 p.m., ceremony in Cousens Athletic Complex, preceded by lunch.

#### **Classics:**

11:30 a.m.–1:00 p.m., ceremony in Granoff Family Hillel Center, followed by lunch.

#### **Computer Science:**

(Arts and Sciences) 1:30–3:00 p.m., ceremony in Cohen Auditorium, preceded by lunch. *(See also School of Engineering)*

#### **Drama and Dance:**

11:30 a.m.–1:00 p.m., ceremony in Distler Hall, Granoff Music Center, followed by lunch.

#### **Earth and Ocean Studies:**

1:30–3:00 p.m., ceremony in the tent on Ellis Oval, preceded by lunch.

#### **Economics:**

11:30 a.m.–1:00 p.m., ceremony in the tent on Ellis Oval, followed by lunch.

#### **Education:**

1:30–3:00 p.m., ceremony in the tent at Bromfield-Pearson, preceded by lunch.

#### **Engineering School:**

11:30 a.m.–1:00 p.m., ceremony on The Green (between Ballou Hall and Bendetson Hall), followed by lunch. *(Includes Biomedical Engineering, Chemical and Biological Engineering, Civil and Environmental Engineering, Computer Science, Electrical and Computer Engineering, the Gordon Institute of Engineering Management, and Mechanical Engineering)*

#### **English:**

11:30 a.m.–1:00 p.m., ceremony in the tent on J Field, followed by lunch.

#### **Environmental Studies:**

1:30–3:00 p.m., ceremony in the tent on Ellis Oval, preceded by lunch.

#### **French:**

1:30–3:00 p.m., ceremony in Distler Hall, Granoff Music Center, preceded by lunch.

#### **German:**

1:30–3:00 p.m., ceremony in Distler Hall, Granoff Music Center, preceded by lunch.

#### **Greek:**

11:30 a.m.–1:00 p.m., ceremony in Granoff Family Hillel Center, followed by lunch.

#### **History:**

1:30–3:00 p.m., ceremony at 51 Winthrop Street, preceded by lunch.

#### **International Literary and Visual Studies:**

1:30–3:00 p.m., ceremony in Distler Hall, Granoff Music Center, preceded by lunch.

#### **International Relations:**

1:30–3:00 p.m., ceremony on The Green (between Ballou Hall and Bendetson Hall), preceded by lunch.

#### **Italian Studies:**

1:30–3:00 p.m., ceremony in Distler Hall, Granoff Music Center, preceded by lunch.

#### **Judaic Studies:**

1:30–3:00 p.m., ceremony in Distler Hall, Granoff Music Center, preceded by lunch.

#### **Languages (German, Russian, Asian, and Romance Languages):**

1:30–3:00 p.m., ceremony in Distler Hall, Granoff Music Center, preceded by lunch.

#### **Latin:**

11:30 a.m.–1:00 p.m., ceremony in Granoff Family Hillel Center, followed by lunch.

#### **Latin American Studies:**

1:30–3:00 p.m., ceremony on The Green (between Ballou Hall and Bendetson Hall), preceded by lunch.

#### **Mathematics:**

11:30 a.m.–1:00 p.m., ceremony in ASEAN Auditorium, Cabot Intercultural Center, followed by lunch.

#### **Middle Eastern Studies:**

1:30–3:00 p.m., ceremony in Distler Hall, Granoff Music Center, preceded by lunch.

#### **Museum School:**

6:00 p.m., ceremony at the Museum of Fine Arts, Shapiro Courtyard, Boston.

#### **Music:**

11:30 a.m.–1:00 p.m., ceremony in Distler Hall, Granoff Music Center, followed by lunch.

#### **Peace and Justice Studies:**

11:30 a.m.–1:00 p.m., ceremony in the tent at Bromfield-Pearson, followed by lunch.

#### **Philosophy:**

11:30 a.m.–1:00 p.m., ceremony in Granoff Family Hillel Center, followed by lunch.

#### **Physics:**

1:30–3:00 p.m., ceremony in the tent on Ellis Oval, preceded by lunch.

#### **Political Science:**

1:30–3:00 p.m., ceremony on The Green (between Ballou Hall and Bendetson Hall), preceded by lunch.

#### **Psychology:**

11:30 a.m.–1:00 p.m., ceremony in Cousens Athletic Complex, followed by lunch.

#### **Religion:**

11:30 a.m.–1:00 p.m., ceremony in the tent at Bromfield-Pearson, followed by lunch.

#### **Russian:**

1:30–3:00 p.m., ceremony in Distler Hall, Granoff Music Center, preceded by lunch.

#### **Sociology:**

11:30 a.m.–1:00 p.m., ceremony in the tent at Bromfield-Pearson, followed by lunch.

#### **Spanish:**

1:30–3:00 p.m., ceremony in Distler Hall, Granoff Music Center, preceded by lunch.

#### **Urban and Environmental Policy and Planning:**

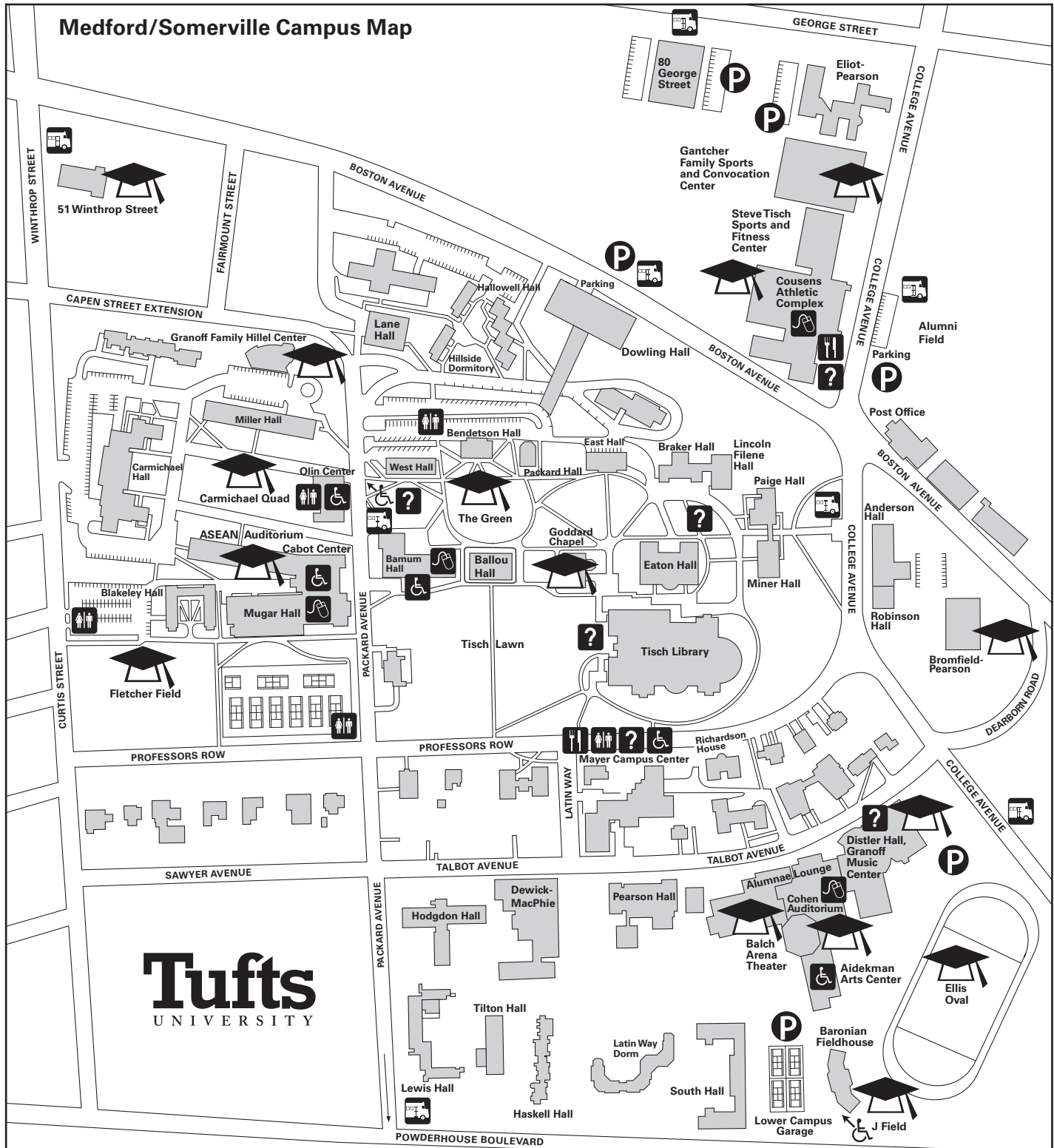
1:30–3:00 p.m., ceremony in Balch Arena Theater, Aidekman Arts Center, preceded by lunch.

#### **Women's, Gender, and Sexuality Studies:**

11:30 a.m.–1:00 p.m., ceremony in the tent on J Field, followed by lunch.



# Medford/Somerville Campus Map



**Tufts**  
UNIVERSITY

## Key to service locations



**Shuttle Stops**  
Campus Loop and Davis Square



**Information Booths**  
Packard Avenue in front of West Hall, near Eaton Hall, in front of Tisch Library, Cousens Athletic Complex, Mayer Campus Center, Granoff Music Center



**Handicapped Drop-off**  
Packard Avenue, next to The Green, Powderhouse Boulevard, next to J Field



**Web Viewing Areas**  
Barnum Hall, Cabot Center, Cohen Auditorium, Cousens Athletic Complex



**First Aid**  
Patrons needing medical attention should notify any uniformed official



**Graduation Ceremony Locations**  
(Cummings/Veterinary School, Phase II, held on Grafton campus. All other locations shown above.)



**Restrooms**  
Behind West Hall, in front of the tennis courts on Packard Avenue, Blakeley Hall Parking, and at the Mayer Campus Center



**Restrooms for the Disabled**  
Cabot Center, Barnum Hall, Olin Center, Mayer Campus Center, Aidekman Arts Center



**Food Service**  
Mayer Campus Center, Cousens Athletic Complex

## **Class Year Abbreviations**

A	College of Liberal Arts
D	Dental School
DG	Dental Certificate Master's Degree
E	Engineering School
F	Fletcher School
G	Graduate School
H	Honorary Degree
J	Jackson College
L	Sackler School of Graduate Biomedical Sciences
M	Medical School
SMFA	School of the Museum of Fine Arts
N	Friedman School of Nutrition Science and Policy
P	Parent of Student
V	Cummings School of Veterinary Medicine

# Commencement 2015

159<sup>TH</sup> COMMENCEMENT  
University Commencement

# University Commencement

## Order of Events

<b>Musical Prelude</b>	Tufts University Wind Ensemble John McCann, <i>Director</i>
<b>Commencement Marshal</b>	Paul J. Tringale, <i>Secretary of the Corporation</i>
<b>Processional</b>	
<b>Presenter</b>	Boris Hasselblatt, <i>Associate Provost</i>
<b>Alumni Marshal</b>	Elizabeth Jones Moginot, <i>Representing the 25<sup>th</sup> Reunion Class</i>
<b>National Anthem</b>	Emma Daniels A15 Grace Oberhofer A15 Yasmine Swanson A15
<b>Invocation</b>	The Reverend Gregory McGonigle, <i>University Chaplain</i>
<b>Welcome</b>	Anthony P. Monaco, <i>President of the University</i>
<b>Conferring of Honorary Degrees</b>	Anthony P. Monaco, <i>President</i>
<b>Recipients of Honorary Degrees</b>	Madeleine K. Albright, Doctor of Laws Suzin M. Bartley, Doctor of Public Service Joichi Ito, Doctor of Humane Letters Michael Jaharis Jr., Doctor of Public Service Joseph Neubauer, Doctor of Public Service Navanethem Pillay, Doctor of Laws Jawole Willa Jo Zollar, Doctor of Fine Arts
<b>The Commencement Address</b>	Madeleine K. Albright
<b>Recipients of Dean Emeritus/a Certificates</b>	G. Kim Knox, School of Engineering Bruce H. Reitman, School of Engineering and School of Arts and Sciences
<b>Recipients of Faculty Emeritus/a Certificates</b>	Juan Alonso, School of Arts and Sciences Paula L. Aymer, School of Arts and Sciences Arthur Donohue-Rolfe, Cummings School of Veterinary Medicine David S. Feingold, School of Medicine Mark R. Goldman, School of Medicine Daniel B. Green, School of Dental Medicine Marc J. Homer, School of Medicine James Jennings, School of Arts and Sciences Michael Alan Kahn, School of Dental Medicine George T. Klauber, School of Medicine John W. Kulig, School of Medicine Howard LeRoy Malchow, School of Arts and Sciences Deborah Pacini Hernandez, School of Arts and Sciences Mary Rose Paradis, Cummings School of Veterinary Medicine Mark A. Pokras, Cummings School of Veterinary Medicine Joel J. Rubenstein, School of Medicine George Saperstein, Cummings School of Veterinary Medicine Richard B. Wait, School of Medicine
<b>Conferring of Degrees in Course</b>	Anthony P. Monaco, <i>President</i> Peter R. Dolan, <i>Chairman, Board of Trustees</i> David R. Harris, <i>Provost and Senior Vice President</i>
<b>Remarks</b>	Peter R. Dolan, <i>Chairman, Board of Trustees</i>
<b>Closing</b>	Anthony P. Monaco, <i>President</i>
<b>Benediction</b>	Rabbi Jeffrey Summit, <i>Jewish Chaplain</i>  <i>After the benediction and recessional of the platform party and the faculty, graduates' guests are invited to attend the second portion of the Commencement exercises at the various sites.</i>

## University Commencement

Dear Alma Mater

**Leo R. Lewis A1887**

*We con beside thy knee,  
Dear Alma Mater,  
Earth's book of mystery,  
Dear Alma Mater,  
We track the storied past,  
Dear Alma Mater,  
Over plains of learning vast,  
Dear Alma Mater,  
Speed on thy sunlit way,  
Dear Alma Mater,  
We vow new faith today,  
Dear Alma Mater!  
May glory light thy name,  
Dear Alma Mater,  
All thy children sing thy fame,  
Dear Alma Mater, for aye!*

### Academic Mace

Ceremonial maces were originally carried as a symbol of royal authority, dating back to the Middle Ages. The academic mace is a symbol of the authority invested in the president by the university's governing body. Tufts' mace is adorned with a medallion engraved with the official seal of the university, and is carried before the president in academic processions in formal ceremonies such as commencement and inaugurations.

### Academic Regalia

Traditional academic regalia has been worn by the Tufts faculty since the Commencement of 1906. The gown for the Bachelor's degree has pointed sleeves and is designed to be worn closed. The Master's gown has elbow-length, pointed sleeves; the Doctor's gown has bell-shaped sleeves; both may be worn open or closed. The Doctor's gown is faced, and the sleeves are trimmed with velvet. By its color and arrangement, the hood worn with the gown indicates the wearer's highest advanced degree, the field in which it was awarded, and the school from which it came. The lining of the hood carries the school's colors, brown and blue in the case of Tufts. The velvet edging on the hood, wider for the Doctor's degree than for the Master's degree, signifies by its color the field

Tuftonia's Day

**Elliot Wright Hayes A1916**

*Steady and true, rush along, Brown and Blue.  
Raise a mighty score today.  
Fearless tear down the field and never yield!  
Brown and Blue, Brown and Blue for aye!  
Hammer them hard, boys, and break through their guard.  
That is old Tuftonia's way.  
And our glorious banner once again will wave o'er  
Tuftonia's Day.  
T-u-f-t-s, T-u-f-t-s, Hurrah! Hurrah! for dear old Brown  
and Blue!*

*Refrain:*

*Up on the Hill tonight all will be gay.  
Victorious in the fight, we'll raise the standard of dear old  
Tufts to glory!  
Pile up a mighty score.  
It's bound to soar.  
Now one goal more!  
Nothing can stop us; it's Tuftonia's Day.*

The mahogany stand displaying the mace was designed and built by students from Medford Vocational Technical High School, and was presented to President Monaco in April 2015.

in which the degree was designated. Master of Science and Doctor of Science hoods are trimmed in yellow; Engineering in orange; Medicine in green; Dental Medicine in lilac; Doctor of Philosophy in blue; and Veterinary Medicine in grey. The mortarboard or Oxford-type cap is the one usually worn, but of late, the soft cap, which resembles an oversized beret, has come into favor because of its comfort. Tassels, other than the universally accepted black, may indicate by the various colors the field of learning in which the degree is earned, while the gold tassel generally signifies a doctoral degree. Many foreign universities show great diversity, following traditions that extend back for centuries.

## Recipients of Honorary Degrees

**MADELEINE ALBRIGHT**, born in Czechoslovakia and destined to become a nimble and astute public servant occupying multiple roles in her adopted land without sacrificing a whit of her humanity, was the first woman to serve as U.S. secretary of state.

Albright was born in Prague in 1937, and moved with her family to the United States as a child. The family settled in Colorado. A bright student, Albright earned a scholarship to Wellesley College, where she edited the school newspaper. After earning her B.A. in political science at Wellesley and a Ph.D. in public law and government at Columbia University, Albright was inspired by one of her professors to enter politics.

She didn't need to be pushed. She had grown up hearing about world affairs from her father, Josef Korbel, a diplomat and later a distinguished professor at the University of Denver who claimed Condoleezza Rice, another future secretary of state, as one of his favorite students.

Albright served on the staffs of Maine Senator Edmund Muskie; President Jimmy Carter; Geraldine Ferraro, the first woman nominated for the vice presidency by a major political party; and Michael Dukakis during his 1988 presidential bid. In early 1993, President Bill Clinton tapped her to be the U.S. permanent representative to the United Nations.

Three years later, in 1996, Clinton nominated Albright to be secretary of state. Sworn in the following January, she became the highest-ranking woman ever to serve in the U.S. government at that time. In her new role, Albright campaigned unstintingly for human rights, fought to halt the spread of nuclear weapons, and aided the expansion of NATO. She also struggled to bring peace to the Middle East. As difficult as these challenges were, Albright never abandoned her native wit. "In order to get through a lot of complicated issues, it helps to have a little bit of humor," she has said.

Albright left her post as secretary of state in 2001. She has since written five *New York Times* bestsellers, including *Madam Secretary: A Memoir* (2003); *Read My Pins: Stories from a Diplomat's Jewel Box* (2009), concerning her tactical use of jewelry on the job; and *Prague Winter: A Personal Story of Remembrance and War* (2012). She currently serves as co-chair of the Albright Stonebridge Group, a global strategy firm; chair of the National Democratic Institute; and professor in the practice of diplomacy at Georgetown University. Her many honors include the Presidential Medal of Freedom, which Barack Obama awarded her in 2012.

The trailblazing Albright is known for supporting other women coming along behind her, saying, "Once you have climbed the ladder of success . . . you don't push it away from the building." At the same time, she retains her keen sense of balance on the subject of female leadership. "When there are more women, the tone of the conversation changes and the goal of the conversation changes," she observed in a 2010 TED talk. "But it doesn't mean that the whole world would

be a lot better if it were all women. If you think that, you've forgotten high school."

Tufts will award Albright an honorary Doctor of Laws degree.

**SUZIN BARTLEY** grew up in a family that placed great emphasis on the importance of helping others. Her grandfather, Francis Colpoys, was a state representative from South Boston in the early 1900s, so politics and the power of service were common discussion topics at the dinner table, as was the significance of community involvement. Bartley took those messages to heart.

Since 1992, she has served as executive director of the Children's Trust, Massachusetts' leading family support organization, working to develop, evaluate, and promote parenting education and coaching programs that improve the lives of children. Prior to the Children's Trust, she practiced clinical social work as a licensed independent clinical social worker (LICSW), both in private practice and as a member of the clinical services team at the Judge Baker Children's Center in Boston, among other child-serving agencies. Bartley previously worked as a community organizer in Jamaica Plain and Dorchester.

After years of clinical social work, Bartley was clear that a great majority of her work with clients was focused on trying to heal damage that was done during childhood. When her husband gave her a newspaper advertisement seeking a director for an organization dedicated to preventing child abuse, she decided to take what she had learned clinically about the importance of a child's early development and put it into practice, by keeping child maltreatment from happening in the first place. She applied for the job and has not looked back since.

"My goal is to work upstream and prevent damage from happening," she says. "By partnering with parents in the earliest stages of parenting and raising the capacity of communities to wrap a protective quilt around families, we can not only decrease bad outcomes, but increase positive outcomes for kids and families." She still carries in her briefcase the job posting that changed her life—and the lives of countless numbers of Massachusetts children.

Since her tenure at the Children's Trust began, the organization has shown through rigorous evaluation that high-quality, evidence-based family support programs not only help prevent child abuse, they have a positive impact on educational attainment, maternal and child health, family self-sufficiency, and the involvement of fathers in the lives of their children.

Under Bartley's leadership, the Children's Trust now backs more than one hundred family support programs across Massachusetts and provides training and technical assistance to professionals who work with children and

## Recipients of Honorary Degrees

families in every corner of the state. The organization and its programs have been recognized as national models, including recently by the Pew Charitable Trusts and the Center for the Study of Social Policy. Bartley has grown the organization from a two-person operation with a budget of \$300,000 to a nearly 40-member staff managing a budget of \$17 million, drawn from private, state, and federal funding.

In addition to her work at the Children's Trust, Bartley has volunteered for numerous boards and organizations, ranging from the Dorchester Women's Committee to the United Way of Massachusetts Bay's Success by Six initiative. She is a founding member of the Upham's Corner Health Center.

A graduate of the University of Massachusetts at Amherst, she trained at the Yale Child Study Center and earned a master's degree from the Smith College School for Social Work, which presented her with its 2012 Day-Garrett Award for outstanding contributions to the profession. She was an International Fellow in Applied Developmental Science at the Eliot-Pearson Department of Child Study and Human Development at Tufts University and was awarded an honorary doctorate in public administration by Curry College. She is an adjunct professor at Boston College and a member of the school's social work advisory board. Bartley served on the Massachusetts Governor's Commission on Responsible Fatherhood and Family Support and, starting in 2002, the Cardinal's Commission for the Protection of Children, where she was chair of the Public Policy Committee and the Education Committee. She was also chair of the legislative committee of the National Alliance of Children's Trust and Prevention Funds. Bartley is currently co-chairing the Massachusetts Legislative Task Force on the Prevention of Child Sexual Abuse.

People sometimes comment that Bartley's work must be sad, but she flips that notion on its head. "I feel I'm lucky that my passion has taken me to the prevention of child abuse," she says. "Because I know that we are making a difference in the lives of children upstream before anything bad happens."

Bartley will receive an honorary Doctor of Public Service degree.

When **JOICHI "JOI" ITO** was named director of the MIT Media Lab in 2011, some considered him an odd choice. The Media Lab, known for its innovative, collaborative research projects, also includes MIT's graduate program in media arts and sciences. Ito, who, in addition to being an Internet entrepreneur and venture capitalist, has been a DJ, a nightclub owner, and a Hollywood producer, never completed his undergraduate degree.

But for Ito and MIT, the match made perfect sense. As one of the early pioneers of the Internet, Ito eagerly embraced the Media Lab's famous "antidisciplinary" style of research,

which defies traditional academic hierarchies and focuses instead on "uniqueness, impact, and magic," as Ito puts it.

Born in Kyoto, Japan, in 1966, Ito moved with his family to North America when he was three years old. Both of his parents—his father as a research scientist, his mother as a secretary—worked for Ovonic, a Detroit-based battery company where Ito himself would later work. When he was fourteen, the family moved to Tokyo, where he attended the American School in Japan.

Ito believes his split cultural identity gives him a unique perspective. "I grew up going back and forth between the U.S. and Japan. In Japan, they called me an American; in America, they called me Japanese. As a result, I felt out of place in both places—but I realized that I was learning more than the people who were comfortable. So I say: Get comfortable with the idea of being uncomfortable," he observed in a 2014 TED talk.

After high school, Ito enrolled at Tufts University to study computer science. There he met future fellow Internet pioneer Pierre Omidyar A88, who remains a friend, but left the Hill after only a short while. Tufts is in good company, though. Famously preferring learning to education, Ito would go on to enroll in and drop out of the University of Chicago as well.

Ito was CEO of Japan's first Internet service provider, and was among the earliest investors in Kickstarter, Twitter, Flickr, and many other successful startups. He is also a passionate and vocal activist for Internet freedom, privacy, and democratic participation. He has contributed his time and talent to a number of nonprofit organizations dedicated to promoting these values. For example, he has served on the board of ICANN (the Internet Corporation for Assigned Names and Numbers), the group that ensures the network's stable and secure operation. In addition, Ito has served as chairman of Creative Commons, which encourages the legal sharing of intellectual property, and he has been on the boards of the Electronic Privacy Information Center and Global Voices, a network of bloggers that advocates free speech. He also sits on the boards of Sony Corporation, the Knight Foundation, the John D. and Catherine T. MacArthur Foundation, the New York Times Company, and the Mozilla Foundation.

"The ethos of the Internet is that everyone should have the freedom to connect, to innovate, to program, without asking permission. No one can know the whole of the network, and by design it cannot be centrally controlled. This network was intended to be decentralized, its assets widely distributed. Today most innovation springs from small groups at its 'edges,'" he wrote in *The New York Times*.

In 1997, *Time* magazine named Ito among the "cyber elite," and he was called one of the 25 Most Influential People on the Web by *BusinessWeek* in 2008. The University of Oxford Internet Institute gave him a Lifetime Achievement Award in



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2011 in recognition of his role as one of the world's leading advocates of Internet freedom. He was inducted into the South by Southwest Interactive Festival Hall of Fame last year, and he manned the MIT booth and DJ'ed a late-night party at the festival itself, a music, film, and interactive conference held in Austin, Texas.

"Neoteny, one of my favorite words, means the retention of childlike attributes in adulthood. Childlike attributes include learning, idealism, experimentation, wonder, and creativity," Ito wrote after he was named to head the MIT Media Lab. "In our rapidly changing world, not only do we need to continue to behave more like children—we can teach our children to retain those attributes that will allow them to be the world-changing, innovative adults who will help us reinvent the future."

Ito will be awarded an honorary Doctor of Humane Letters degree.

Great things often start from a simple place. Over his lifetime, **MICHAEL JAHARIS JR.** M87P, has made himself into a model of how to offer time, energy, and intelligence in pursuit of a better world. In one way he is expressing the generous-hearted nature of his father, who landed in Boston as a penniless Greek immigrant in 1908. Cherishing faith, family, education, and hard work, the man known affectionately within the family as "Papou" set about to rise and prosper. The seed was planted. The son took his father's example to heart and built on its abiding spirit to achieve even greater things for the betterment of human health and intellectual and spiritual well-being.

Michael Jaharis Jr. was born in Chicago in 1928. He earned his B.A. from Carroll College, now Carroll University, in Waukesha, Wisconsin, and then went on to earn his law degree from Chicago's DePaul University at night while working days as a pharmaceutical salesman for Miles Laboratories. He had found his calling. From 1961 to 1972, he worked for Miles as vice president and director of the Ethical Drug Division. In 1972, he became president and CEO of Key Pharmaceuticals, where he led the development of such products as Theo-Dur, the nation's best-selling asthma remedy, and the Nitro-Dur nitroglycerine patch, the first major advance in the delivery of medicine through the skin.

Jaharis has been called a "pharmaceutical maverick" for his ability to recognize and pursue opportunities in the field that others have missed. In 1988, he founded Kos Pharmaceuticals Inc., a company named for the Greek island where the legendary physician Hippocrates was born. At Kos, he directed his team to produce a family of drugs sold under the names of Niaspan, Advicor, and Simcor. These were potent, patient-friendly medicines designed to raise HDL, the "good" cholesterol. They proved wildly successful and improved the health of millions.

The importance of education in the family prompted Jaharis to assume a leadership role in the governance of Tufts University. He served as a university trustee from 1993 to 2003, and is now a trustee emeritus. He is a longtime chair of the Board of Advisors to Tufts University School of Medicine and the Sackler School of Graduate Biomedical Sciences.

The generosity of the Jaharis Family Foundation, which includes Michael Jaharis' wife, Mary, and their two children, Steven Jaharis M87, and Kathryn, has utterly transformed Tufts' health sciences campus. Highlights include the foundation's cornerstone gift toward the building of the Jaharis Family Center for Biomedical and Nutrition Sciences, designed to expand research space and foster collaboration among faculty members in medicine, biomedical research, and nutrition science; the dramatic renovation of the Sackler building, providing a more inviting and engaging home base for medical students; and the creation of the Clinical Skills and Medical Simulation Center, which enables students to gain critically important skills in physical diagnosis. The foundation also endowed the Jaharis Family Chair in Family Medicine in recognition of the importance of physicians who deliver the care that promotes the well-being of entire communities.

Michael Jaharis' passionate drive to improve the world extends far beyond Boston. In recent decades he has been one of the nation's leading supporters of Greek-American causes, whether religious, cultural, or secular. The family foundation has endowed permanent exhibitions of Greek and Byzantine art at the New York Metropolitan Museum of Art and at the Art Institute of Chicago. In 2013, the foundation endowed the Archbishop Demetrios Chair in Orthodox Theology and Culture at Fordham University. That same year, the Jaharis Family Foundation pledged \$2 million toward hunger and poverty relief in Greece.

Jaharis, now director of Arisaph Pharmaceuticals Inc., a company he founded, has also been intimately involved with the Greek Orthodox Church for many years. As vice chairman of the Greek Orthodox Archdiocese of America, he has most recently volunteered his time in the effort to see New York City's St. Nicholas Greek Orthodox Church, the sole church destroyed in the 9/11 attacks at Ground Zero, rebuilt near its original site. "When finished," Jaharis told a church council in 2012, the new structure will provide "a shining spotlight on the Greek Orthodox faith and our core values of love, respect, peace, healing, and forgiveness."

Tufts will award Jaharis an honorary Doctor of Public Service degree.

When **JOSEPH NEUBAUER** E63, J90P, was fourteen, his parents—German Jews who had fled to British-controlled Palestine in 1938—decided he needed a better education than they could provide. So they put their son on an ocean liner



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and sent him alone to America to live with his aunt and uncle. The only English he knew he had gleaned from John Wayne movies; his pockets were mostly empty. Arriving in New York Harbor on a chilly February evening, anchored until the morning's landing, he could see the Statue of Liberty and an Esso sign. "I was frightened to death, and excited also at the same time," he recounted later.

He learned about resilience firsthand, and hard work, too, both qualities that led him to the top of the corporate world and made him a devoted citizen of his community. Neubauer was a longtime senior executive at Aramark, the world's leading provider of managed services in food, facilities, and uniforms. He was elected president of the Philadelphia-based company in 1981, chief executive officer in 1983, and chairman in 1984. He served as president and CEO until he retired in 2012, and stepped down as chairman of the board in February 2015. During his tenure at the helm of Aramark, the company grew from a \$2.5 billion business largely concentrated in the United States to a \$13 billion global services provider.

When Neubauer came to America, he entered high school as a freshman—he was a quick study at English. The principal didn't give him a report card at the end of the school year. "He said, 'You've only been here a few months. We're going to move you up, and if you pass your sophomore year, we'll know you passed freshman year, too.' It was the best deal I've ever made," Neubauer said. At Tufts, he majored in chemical engineering, but his life took on a new direction when his economics professor, Harry Ernst, nominated him for a scholarship at the University of Chicago's business school.

Two years later, M.B.A. in hand, he started working at Chase Manhattan Bank, and at age twenty-seven became the youngest vice president in the bank's history. From there he went to PepsiCo, where he was the youngest treasurer of a Fortune 500 company and was later promoted to vice president. He joined Aramark in 1979 as executive vice president of finance and development, chief financial officer, and a member of the board of directors.

Neubauer served on the Tufts University Board of Trustees from 1986 to 2008, when he was named a trustee emeritus. At Tufts, he helped establish the Lerman-Neubauer Prize, awarded annually to an Arts and Sciences or Engineering faculty member judged by graduating seniors as having had a profound impact on them intellectually in and out of the classroom. He also endowed the executive director's position at Tufts Hillel.

He currently is a member of the board of directors of Macy's, Inc., and Mondelēz International. He is chairman of the board of the Barnes Foundation in Philadelphia, and will become chairman of the Board of Trustees of the University of Chicago on May 28.

Neubauer has been recognized throughout his career for civic and professional achievement. He received the 2012 Philadelphia Award in recognition of his involvement in the region and the William Penn Foundation Award in 2013. In 2005, he received the Corporate Citizenship Award from the Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars for his contributions to the growth of Philadelphia, where he still resides. Neubauer was inducted into the prestigious Horatio Alger Association of Distinguished Americans in 1994, and has served as its president and chairman; he is now chairman emeritus.

Although many years have passed, Neubauer said in a recent interview that he still remembers quite clearly the first time he saw the New York skyline: "The joy that I felt that night has been with me for the rest of my life in the United States."

Tufts will award Neubauer an honorary Doctor of Public Service degree.

**NAVANETHEM "NAVI" PILLAY** grew up in apartheid-era South Africa. As a person of Indian descent, she experienced the full brunt of racism, poverty, and exclusion. Pillay's parents struggled to keep their eight children housed and fed. Her father was a bus driver who worked odd jobs to make ends meet, and her mother stayed home with the children. Education was a priority.

"While there was strict control over us, my parents believed in the equality of all their children, and educated both boys and girls," Pillay once told a reporter. "My three sisters and I were fortunate to have enlightened parents who allowed us the opportunity to become judges and school principals." Pillay combined her education with a drive to fight injustice, dedicating herself to defending human rights abuses in South Africa and around the world.

The pinnacle of her thirty-year career as a lawyer and judge came in 2008, when she was appointed the United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights, a position she held until 2014. It was a job, she said, that demanded she work for no less than the full protection of all human rights for all individuals—civil and political rights, economic and social rights—especially for neglected groups, such as women, minorities, migrants, indigenous people, those with disabilities, and lesbian, gay, bisexual, and transgender people.

As a student in the early 1960s at the University of Natal in South Africa, where she earned both her bachelor's and law degrees, Pillay found herself in the thick of student discussions about the apartheid regime and protests and boycotts against it. "I was daily mindful of worse forms of exclusion and deprivation suffered by my African colleagues, who were denied the basic right of living in the cities," she said.

After earning her law degree, Pillay spent the next twenty-eight years defending anti-apartheid activists and exposing

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the use of torture and the deplorable treatment of prisoners. During this time, she became the first non-white woman to open her own law practice in Natal Province. She also earned an LL.M. in 1982 and a Doctor of Juridical Science degree in 1988 from Harvard Law School.

In January 1995, soon after South Africa's democratic government was sworn in, Pillay was appointed the first non-white woman to serve as a judge on the High Court in Natal. She received a personal call of congratulations from President Nelson Mandela.

But her tenure there was brief. That same year, she was elected by the United Nations General Assembly to serve as a judge at the International Criminal Tribunal for Rwanda, a post she held for eight years, including four years as its president. In this role, she is best remembered for the ruling that rape and sexual assault constitute acts of genocide. "We want to send out a strong signal that rape is no longer a trophy of war," Pillay said then.

In 2003, she was elected by the U.N. as a judge on the International Criminal Court, a post she held until 2008, when she was confirmed by the U.N. General Assembly as its High Commissioner for Human Rights. "I hold that human rights cannot be traded for access, justice cannot be subordinated for peace, and people must be at the center of state policies and actions," Pillay said about her role when she was serving as high commissioner. "Unfortunately, governments fail to protect their own people. . . . I am always conscious that I would be failing in my duty if I were to relax and fail to use the power of my office to keep the spotlight on advancing protection every minute of every day."

Pillay will receive an honorary Doctor of Laws degree.

Visceral, politically charged, swaggering, defiant, and poignant are just some of the words that have been used to describe the work of dancer and choreographer **JAWOLE WILLA JO ZOLLAR**, the Nancy Smith Fichter Professor in Dance at Florida State University. Her dance troupe, Urban Bush Women, celebrated its thirtieth anniversary last year. Their performances portray the untold stories of the African Diaspora in America, using live music, a cappella vocalizations, and movement to interpret history, religious traditions, and folklore.

One of her recent works, *Hep Hep Sweet Sweet*, explores the music and culture that emerged in the jazz clubs of Kansas City and elsewhere during the Great Migration, when some six million African Americans moved from the rural South to the industrial Northeast, Midwest, and West between 1910 and 1970.

Zollar's parents took part in that migration, and in 1950, she was born in Kansas City, Missouri, known as one of the cradles of American jazz. Some of Zollar's earliest memories

are of listening to jazz recordings after school. "I would race home and put on music. I would play jazz, and I would imagine choreography," Zollar said in an interview. "My mother was a jazz singer and pianist. Jazz was all around."

Her childhood was the inspiration for Urban Bush Women, which she founded in 1984. "I envisioned a company founded on the energy, vitality, and boldness of the African American community that I grew up in," she said. "I wanted a company that brought forth the vulnerability, sassiness, and bodaciousness of the women I experienced growing up in Kansas City."

Over the past thirty years, Urban Bush Women has changed perceptions about body types, redefined what performance can be in terms of both form and content, and most importantly, shown how choreographers can address sociopolitical issues and involve whole communities in making art.

Examples of that work include *dark swan*, choreographed by Nora Chipaumire and restaged for Urban Bush Women, which reimagines classic European ballet in a modern African context; *visible*, about displacement and citizenship related to immigration and migration; and her most recent work, *Walking with 'Trane, Chapter 2*, inspired by the life of John Coltrane and his seminal jazz suite *A Love Supreme*.

In addition to her work with Urban Bush Women, Zollar has created performances for Alvin Ailey, the American Dance Theater, Ballet Arizona, Philadanco, and the Dayton Contemporary Dance Company, among others. Her work with Urban Bush Women has earned five grants from the National Endowment for the Arts and a fellowship from the New York Foundation for the Arts.

She earned her bachelor's degree in dance from the University of Missouri at Kansas City and an M.F.A. from Florida State University. Her first dance teacher was Joseph Stevenson, a student of the American dance pioneer Katherine Dunham.

Zollar has been a visiting artist at The Ohio State University and the Abramowitz Memorial Lecturer at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology. In 2013, she received the Arthur L. Johnson Memorial Award from Sphinx Music at its inaugural conference on diversity in the arts, and the Doris Duke Performing Artist Award. Last year, she was awarded the Meadows Prize from Southern Methodist University's Meadows School of the Arts.

"I am interested in being relevant in the world in the time that I am living in it," Zollar said in an interview earlier this year. "Some things that are going on currently make it more directly onto the stage than others, but my intent is to make work that moves people."

Tufts will award Zollar an honorary Doctor of Fine Arts degree.

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School of Arts and Sciences

145<sup>TH</sup> COMMENCEMENT  
School of Engineering

## School of Arts and Sciences

### Order of Events

Undergraduate and graduate students in the School of Arts and Sciences participate in department ceremonies. The School of Engineering holds one ceremony for all graduating students. Each celebration has a unique order of events that reflects the character of the departments involved.

We invite you to enjoy the ceremonies (see page eight). The recognition of our students is well deserved. We congratulate all of our graduates for their academic achievement and wish them well in the future.

#### Ceremony Hosts

Carol Baffi-Dugan, *Associate Dean of Undergraduate Education*

John Barker, *Dean of Undergraduate and Graduate Students for the School of Arts and Sciences and the School of Engineering*

Nancy Bauer, *Dean of Academic Affairs for the School of Arts and Sciences*

Bárbara Brizuela, *Dean of Academic Affairs for the School of Arts and Sciences*

Robert G. Cook, *Dean, Graduate School of Arts and Sciences*

Kevin Dunn, *Vice Provost*

James M. Glaser, *Dean, School of Arts and Sciences*

Boris Hasselblatt, *Associate Provost*

Carmen Lowe, *Dean of Academic Advising and Undergraduate Studies*

Mary Pat McMahon, *Dean of Student Affairs*

Diane Souvaine, *Vice Provost for Research*

## School of Engineering

### Order of Events

*Academic Quad at 11:30 a.m.*

#### Student and Faculty Processional

#### Masters of Ceremonies

Chris Swan, Ph.D., *Associate Dean for Undergraduate Curriculum Development*  
Scott Sahagian, M.B.A., *Executive Associate Dean, School of Engineering,*  
*Executive Administrative Dean, ad interim, School of Arts and Sciences*

#### Presided by

Jeannie H. Diefenderfer E84, *University Trustee*  
Ioannis N. Miaoulis, Ph.D., E83, AG86, EG87, E12P, E15P, *University Trustee*

#### Greetings and Remarks

Linda M. Abriola, Ph.D., *Dean*

#### Presentation of Emeritus Certificate

Presented by: Linda M. Abriola, Ph.D., *Dean*  
Recipient: G. Kim Knox, M.S., EG79, *Associate Dean*

#### Presentation of Graduate Degrees

Linda M. Abriola, Ph.D., *Dean*  
Karen Panetta, Ph.D., *Associate Dean for Graduate Education*  
Mark Ranalli, M.B.A., *Executive Director and Associate Dean, Tufts Gordon Institute*

#### Presentation of Undergraduate Degrees

Linda M. Abriola, Ph.D., *Dean*  
G. Kim Knox, M.S., EG79, *Associate Dean*  
Department Chairs

#### Closing Remarks

Linda M. Abriola, Ph.D., *Dean*

#### Recessional

## School of Arts and Sciences and School of Engineering

### Undergraduate Awards/Departmental Prizes and Scholarships

#### **The Alpha Omicron Pi Prize Scholarship**

Julie W. Margolies A15

#### **The Alpha Xi Delta Prize Scholarship**

Joseph E. Palandrani A16

#### **The Association of Tufts Alumnae Seventy-Fifth Anniversary Award**

Emily A. Baldi A15

#### **The Bennett Memorial Scholarship**

William B. Archibald A15  
Cole S. Bailey A15

#### **The Benjamin G. Brown Scholarship**

Emily A. Gosselin E15  
Daniel Heller A15  
William A. Lenk E15  
George N. Wojcik A15

#### **The Gemma Cifarelli Memorial Scholarship**

Katharine E. Grosch A16  
William C. Pearl A16

#### **The Prize Scholarship of the Class of 1882**

Annalie V. Aplin A15  
Michael J. Bird A16  
Amanda K. Fierro A15  
Zoe X. Uvin A15

#### **The Class of 1898 Prizes**

Diane R. Adamson A15  
Aniket De A16  
Patricia J. O'Connor E16  
Benjamin J. Preis A15

#### **The Class of 1911 Prize**

Jasmine Bland A15  
Yareliz Diaz A15  
Ashley E. Hedberg E15  
Amber R. Johnson A15

#### **The Class of 1942 Prize Scholarship**

Marcella C. Hastings E15  
Hayden A. Lizotte A15  
Joseph S. Reiff A15

#### **The Community Service Award**

Jennine O. Sawwan A15

#### **The Donald A. Cowdery Memorial**

Margaret E. Chapman E16  
Mark K. Meiselbach A15  
Thomas J. Snarsky A15  
Maya A. Taft-Morales A15  
Riley J. Wood E16

#### **The De Florez Prize in Human Engineering**

Nicole A. Dahan A15  
Kurt B. Oleson A15

#### **The Alex Elias Memorial Prize Scholarship**

Tyler J. Lueck E16  
Alana M. Lustenberger E15  
Kyle J. Slinger E15

#### **The Frederick Melvin Ellis Prize**

Stephanie M. Alimena E15  
Abigail R. Cohen A15  
Thomas R. Ryan A15  
Allan Lee Yau A15

#### **The Ivan Galantic Special Achievement in Humanities Prize**

Elizabeth J. McAvoy A15  
Joseph B. Philipson A15

#### **The Audrey Butvay Gruss Science Award**

Ina Bodinaku A16  
Maria C. Choi E15  
Erin R. Fong A17  
Summer A. Morrill A15

#### **The Audrey L. Hale Prize**

Victoria E. Oliva Rapoport A15

#### **The Ethel M. Hayes Scholarship**

Ashleigh C. Alexander A15  
Cassie E. Burns A15

#### **The Karno Dean's Award for Academic Excellence And Leadership**

Adrian Devitt-Lee A17  
Dominik M. Doemer A17  
Sydney M. Giacalone A17  
Sylvia M. Lustig E17

#### **The Lewis F. Manly Memorial Prize**

Benjamin T. Ferris A15

#### **The Lt. Commander Robert James Manning Memorial Prize Fund**

Douglas R. Davis E15  
Brett J. Fischler E15  
Yusi Gong E16  
Cooper Loughlin E15

#### **The Multicultural Service Award**

Julia M. Fowler A16

#### **The Ellen C. Myers Memorial Prize**

Emily D. Gill E16  
Bryce L. Turner A15

#### **The Air Force ROTC Prize Award**

Alexander E. Jaramillo A18

#### **The Army ROTC Prize Award**

Edward W. Lowe A15

#### **The Navy V-12/NROTC Memorial Prize**

David J. Forsey E15  
Vadim Reytblat E15

#### **The Class of 1947 Victor Prather Prize**

Rachel Elizabeth Korus A15  
Andrew S. Rosen E15  
Matthew J. Ryan A15

#### **The Pride on the Hill Award**

Michael J. Kareff A15  
John M. Kelly A15

#### **The Charles F. Seymour Jr., Prize**

Allison M. Benko A15  
Yangming Kou E16

#### **The Philip E. A. Sheridan, M.D., Prize**

Marja C. Ritchie A15

#### **The Tufts University Alumni Association Award**

Thomas C. Meade A15

#### **2015 Recipients of the Presidential Award for Citizenship and Public Service**

*Arts and Sciences*  
Morgan Babbs A15  
Ben Berman A15  
Amber Rose Johnson A15  
John Kelly A15  
Julie Margolies A15  
Katelyn Montalvo A15  
Anna Seeman A15  
Safiya Subegdjo A15

*School of Engineering*  
Jonathan Kenny E16  
Michael Kenny E15

*The Fletcher School of Law and Diplomacy*  
Anna McCallie F15

*Friedman School of Nutrition Science and Policy*  
Clarissa Brown N15

*Graduate School of Arts and Sciences*  
Jonathan Diaz AG16  
Jennifer Scolnic AG15

*School of Dental Medicine*  
Joke Alesh D15  
Daniel Gonzales D15

*School of Medicine*  
Emily Frank M15

## School of Arts and Sciences and School of Engineering

### Undergraduate Awards/Departmental Prizes and Scholarships

#### **2015 Honos Civicus Inductees**

The Jonathan M. Tisch College of Citizenship and Public Service sponsors the *Honos Civicus* Society to honor and publicly recognize graduating seniors who have excelled in civic engagement as undergraduates. The 2015 *Honos Civicus* inductees are:

Diane Adamson, A15  
Ashleigh Cecile Alexander A15  
Jordan Elizabeth Anderson A15  
Hafsa Anouar A15  
Madeleine AZ Ball A15  
William Ernest Dow Beckham A15  
Rachel Bennett A15  
Mariana Berenguer Puerta A15  
Pooja Beri A15  
Benjamin S. Berman A15  
Stacey Luen Bevan A15  
Jasmine Taylor Bland A15  
Meghan Bodo A15  
Monica Zoe Brown-Ramos A15  
John Budrow Jr. A15  
Alice E. Chan A15  
Sydney Char E15  
Valerie Cleland A15  
Jeneice M. Collins A15  
Brianna Claire Dayer A15  
Carlota Fernández-Tubau Rullo A15  
Amanda Fierro A15  
Ayesha Forbes A15  
Bradley Friedman A15  
Gabrielle Galat A15  
Kalkidan Gezahegn A15  
Christopher John Ghanny A15  
Rebecca Darin Goldberg A15  
Anne R. Goodman A15  
N'Dea Michelle Hallett A15  
Darien Headen A15  
Elena Hemler A15  
Kristi Hill A15  
Emani Holyfield A15  
Emma Husted-Sherman A15  
Allison Nicole Jeffery A15  
Robert Joseph A15  
Michael Kareff A15  
Chrystal Koech A15  
Renee Lamoreau A15  
Gabriel Lara A15

Charles Larcom A15  
Sofia Linares Vásquez A15  
Lillian Lu A15  
Tyler Lawrence Maher A15  
Elizabeth Marie Maloney A15  
Katherine Marie Marchand A15  
Julie Margolies A15  
Michael Goldfarb Maskin A15  
Nathaniel Matthews A15  
Sarah A. McDaniel A15  
Meaghan Kathleen McGoldrick A15  
Sabrina McMillin A15  
Mark Katz Meiselbach A15  
Mahlet Meshesha A15  
Katelyn A. Montalvo A15  
Adam Christopher Nagy A15  
Elwin Ng A15  
Victoria E. Oliva Rapoport A15  
Shoshana Oppenheim A15  
Ryan M. Parigoris A15  
Leah Petrucelli A15  
Alison Rose Pinkerton A15  
Adiel Masako Pollydore A15  
Enxhi Popa A15  
Marcy S. Regalado A15  
Nicholas Richard A15  
Anecia Richards E15  
Drew Zenni Robertson A15  
Verónica Alma Rosario A15  
Molly Claire Rothschild A15  
Valeria Ruelas A15  
Emily Russo A15  
Matthew J. Ryan A15  
Dorie Schwartz A15  
Matthew Soble A15  
Thomas Stack A15  
Michelle Stevens E15  
Jennifer N. Straitz A15  
Safiya Subegdjo A15  
Maya Taft-Morales A15  
Kwanki Tang A15  
Julia Mason Wedgle A15  
Lesley Wellener A15  
Chioma Woko A15

ANTHROPOLOGY  
**The Department of Anthropology Prize**  
Diane R. Adamson A15

ARCHAEOLOGY  
**The Marianne J. H. Witherby Prize in Archaeology**  
Alexandra G. Magnani A16

ART & ART HISTORY  
**The Architectural Studies Prize**  
Julie C. Perrone A15

**Art & Art History Prize**  
Nolan M. Jimbo A15  
Natalie Naor A15

ATHLETICS  
**The Adrian Mistic Prize Fund**  
Amanda M. Wachenfeld A15  
Colby L. Wilkinson A15

BIOLOGY  
**The Lily Glidden Award**  
Maria A. Munoz A18  
Crista Wadsworth Gs  
Caitlin G. Jones Gs -Vet  
**The Nancy W. Anderson Award for Environmental Sustainability**  
Anne E. Stratton A15

**The Anna Quincy Churchill Prizes in General Biology**  
Hannah L. Harris A18  
Yuta Okada A18

**The Paula Frazier Poskitt Scholarship**  
Maya K. Emmons-Bell A16

CHEMISTRY  
**The R. M. Karapetoff Cobb Chemistry Fund**  
Stephanie M. Cohen A16  
Jessica N. Spradlin A16

**The Durkee Scholarships**  
Sarah N. Innes-Gold A15  
John D. Patterson A15  
Matthew J. Ryan A15

**The Margaret Durkee Angell and Henrietta Brown Durkee Scholarship Fund**  
Julia L. Goldberg A15

**The Max Tishler Prize Scholarship**  
Michael J. Bird A16  
Joshua L. Golubovsky A16  
Jessica N. Spradlin A16

CHILD DEVELOPMENT  
**The Eliot-Pearson Department of Child Development Prize**  
Laura G. Steinmetz A15

CLASSICS  
**The Boston Greek Prize**  
Jordan L. Hawkesworth A18

**The William Frank Wyatt Prize**  
James R. Prosser A15

**The John W. and Katherine L. Zarker Award for Excellence in Classical Studies**  
Siena M. Butterfield A15

COMMUNITY HEALTH  
**The Janice Spencer Calkin Community Health Award**  
Emma F. Wells A16  
Gregory S. Zhang A16

COMPUTER SCIENCE  
**The James Schmolze Prize for Excellence in Computer Science**  
Marcella C. Hastings A15

DRAMA/DANCE  
**The Moses True Brown Prize**  
Allison M. Benko A15  
Christina H. Moore A15

**The Alice E. Trexler Dance Studies Award**  
Cassie E. Burns A15



## School of Arts and Sciences and School of Engineering

### Undergraduate Awards/Departmental Prizes and Scholarships

#### **The Goddard Rhetorical Prizes**

Marcus S. Hunter A15  
Christina H. Moore A15

#### **The Jane Anne Herman Prize**

Allison M. Benko A15  
Hannah S. Deegan A15

#### **The Stephen Sapuppo Prize**

Tyler A. Beardsley A16

#### **EARTH AND OCEAN SCIENCES**

#### **The James D. Hume Field Geology Scholarship Prize**

William K. Kite A15

#### **The Robert L. Nichols Scholarship Prize**

Benjamin D. Barnes A15  
Elizabeth D. Webber-Bruya A15

#### **The Charles E. Stearns Scholarship Prize**

Elizabeth A. Fisher A15

#### **ECONOMICS**

#### **The Charles G. Bluhdorn Prize in Economics**

Mark K. Meiselbach A15  
Jahnvi A. Vaidya A15

#### **The Marion Ricker Houston Prize Scholarship**

Sean M. Fernald A15  
Keri M. Golembeski A15  
Jordan A. Thaler A15

#### **The Daniel Ounjian Prize in Economics**

Matthew P. Cahill A16  
Lucas J. Conwell A16  
Leah A. Wisser A16

#### **ENGLISH**

#### **The Mary Grant Charles Prize Scholarship Fund**

Madeline C. Hutchings A15  
Emma B. Turner A15

#### **The Morton N. Cohen Creative Writing Award**

Katherine D. Koppel A15

#### **The Department of English Prize**

Sarah A. McDaniel A15  
Daniel G. Turkel A15

#### **GERMAN, RUSSIAN, AND ASIAN LANGUAGES**

#### **The Arabic Language, Culture, and Literature Prize**

Katherine E. Koch A15

#### **The Chinese Program Alumni Prize**

Anne E. Donovan A15  
Thomas F. Stack A15

#### **The Chinese Language and Literature Prize**

Hye Seon Park A15

#### **The International Literary and Visual Studies**

Lisa S. Fukushima A15  
Maya Navon A15

#### **The Robert Asch Prize**

Xinmiao Yang A16

#### **The William Howell Reed Prize in German**

Sarah A. Lawton A15

#### **The Japanese Language and Literature Prize**

Karen Lee A15  
Zesheng Xiong A15

#### **The Joseph and Sara Stone Prize**

Rachel Elizabeth Korus A15

#### **The Russian Prize**

Robert J. Costa A15  
Maxim M. Kondratenko A16

#### **HISTORY**

#### **The Albert H. Imlah European History Prize**

Kris M. Boelitz A16  
Jeramey J. Evans A16

#### **The Albert H. Imlah Excellence in History Prize**

Spencer C. Beswick A15  
Elise A. Weir A15

#### **The Russell E. Miller History Prize**

Daniel R. Bottino A15

#### **Daughters of the Revolution Prize Scholarship**

Hannah L. Arnow A15

#### **MATHEMATICS**

#### **The Martin Guterman Award**

Tejas Joshi A18

#### **The Ralph S. Kaye Memorial Award**

Thomas J. Snarksy A15

#### **The Norbert Wiener Award in Mathematics**

Anschel M. Schaffer-Cohena A15

#### **MUSEUM SCHOOL**

#### **The Melissa Beth Meyers Award**

Duaa Muhsin Al Hammadi M15

#### **MUSIC**

#### **The Outstanding Achievement Award in the Department of Music**

Ruben D. Sonz-Barnes A15

#### **The Etta And Harry Winokur Award for Outstanding Achievement in Artistic or Scholarly Work**

Emma K. Daniels A15

#### **The Etta And Harry Winokur Award for Outstanding Contribution to Performance**

Maeve E. Bell-Thornton A15

#### **The Mabel Daniels Prize in Music and Literature**

Grace E. Oberhofer A15

#### **The William J. King Award**

Peter R. Bernstein E17

#### **PHILOSOPHY**

#### **The Helen Morris Cartwright Memorial Prize**

Thomas J. Snarsky A15

#### **PHYSICS**

#### **The Amos Emerson Dolbear Scholarships**

Lesya A. Horyn A15  
William A. Lenk E15  
Cooper Loughlin E15

#### **The Howard Sample Prize Scholarship in Physics**

Tyler Chen A17  
Ethan M. Donowitz E17  
Alexander L. Golin E17  
Elijah E. Martin E17

#### **The N. Hobbs Knight Prize Scholarship in Physics**

Alek S. Razdan A15  
Isabel A. Yannatos A15

#### **POLITICAL SCIENCE**

#### **The James Vance Elliott Political Science Prize**

Kumar Ramanathan A15  
Zoe X. Uvin A15

#### **PSYCHOLOGY**

#### **The Thomas Harrison Carmichael and Emily Leonard Carmichael Prize Scholarship**

Summer A. Morrill A15  
Ariana R. Nestler A15  
Bradley I. Reinfeld A15  
Brittany R. Ruhland A15  
Anoushka D. Shahane A15  
Eric Y. Zhang A15

#### **The Class of 1921 Leonard Carmichael Prize Scholarship Fund**

Daniel L. Cummings A16  
Kelsey B. Keyser A16  
Jacob J. Merrin A16  
Hillary G. Stern A16

#### **The Priscilla N. Dunne Prize**

Zachary Butzin-Dozier A15  
Sidney C. May A15  
Alexander L. Siegel A15



**School of Arts and Sciences and School of Engineering**  
Undergraduate Awards/Departmental Prizes and Scholarships

**The Sal Soraci Prize**

Andrew N. Page A15

**The Joanne Mary Sullivan Prize**

N'Dea M. Hallett A15  
Rachel Elizabeth Korus A15

RELIGION

**The Department of Religion Prize**

Kaley A. Leshem A15  
Hayden A. Lizotte A15

RESUMED EDUCATION FOR ADULT LEARNERS

**The Theresa McDermott Carzo Award**

Erion Besho A15

**The Resumed Education for Adult Learners Prize Scholarship**

Nicholas J. Celletti-Nissenbaum A17

ROMANCE LANGUAGES

**The Constantine Ghikas Prize in Romance Languages**

Johanna Gittleman A15  
Anastasiya K. Lobacheva A15  
Edward W. Lowe A15  
Jane E. Lupica A15  
Matthew J. Roy A15  
Jared H. Sullivan A15

**The Laminan Prize in Romance Languages**

Adam Kronish A15

**The Frederic J. Shepler Memorial Prize in French**

Nicholas S. Buxton A15  
Sonja M. Holmberg A15  
Sarah A. McDaniel A15  
Ryan M. Parigoris A15

SOCIOLOGY

**The Sociology Prize**

Julie W. Margolies A15

THE SCHOOL OF ARTS AND SCIENCES COMPETITIVE PRIZES AND SCHOLARSHIPS

**The Anne E. Borghesani Memorial Prize**

Whitney A. Cessay A16  
Will G. Freeman A16  
Christopher M. Jarmas A16  
Nicholas L. Roberts A16  
Michelle O. Sodipa A16

**The Marshall Hochhauser Prize**

Benjamin J. Preis A15  
Kumar Ramanathan A15  
Taylor M. Strelevitz A15

**The Paul Montle Prize Scholarship**

Danielle A. Feerst A16  
Robert E. Wallace A15

**The Wendell Phillips Memorial Scholarship**

Michael G. Maskin A15

**The Nadia Medina Prize**

Emily A. Baldi A15

**The Tisch Library Undergraduate Research Award**

*The First Year Writing Prize 1st Place*  
Alizee Weber A18

*The First Year Writing Prize 2nd Place*

Elisa A. Cabral A18

*The 001–099 Course Level Prize 1st Place*

Hong Jie Lim A16

*The 001–099 Course Level Prize 2nd Place*

Katherine A. Eisenberg A16

*The 100–199 Course Level Prize 1st Place*

Janna L. Karatas A16

*The 100–199 Course Level Prize 2nd Place*

Lucas J. Conwell A16

**The Elizabeth Verveer Tishler Prize in Music Performance**

First Prize: Yasmine Swanson A15  
Second Prize: Yeheun Y. Jun A17

THE SCHOOL OF ENGINEERING GENERAL PRIZES AND SCHOLARSHIPS

**The Harry Poole Burden Prize in Electrical or Computer Engineering**

Sean C. Cunningham E15  
Bradley R. Frizzell E15  
Jacob M. Rosenberg E15  
David R. Wiegard E15

**The Morris and Sid Heyman Prize Scholarships**

Karman Chu E15  
Patricia J. O'Connor E16  
Stephen M. Panaro E15  
Riley J. Wood E16

**The Mechanical Engineering Prize**

Alec J. Gronberg E16

**The Jason H. and Eleanor H. Samuels Mechanical Engineering Prize**

Marc I. Bucchieri E16

**Trefethen Research Award**

Matthew L. Mueller E15

**O'Leary Design Award**

Dylan A. Jones E15

**The Vincent Manno Leadership Award**

John M. Kenny E15  
Michael R. Kenny E15

**Human Factors Engineering Prize**

Megan E. France E15  
Allen C. Shinn E15

## School of Arts and Sciences

### National Honor Societies

#### Phi Beta Kappa

Diane R. Adamson  
Darcy Anderson  
Hannah Liisi Arnow  
Madeleine AZ Ball  
Nikki Bank  
Daniel R. Bottino  
Ariel Joy Branz  
Cassie E. Burns  
Siena Butterfield  
Sabina Campero  
Nicole Dahan  
Yufei Du  
Jessica M Duda  
Hanna Y. Ehrlich  
Emily Sarah Ehrmann  
Michael R. Ferdico  
Sean Michael Fernald  
Brendan Fleig-Goldstein  
Annelise Friar  
Gabrielle W. Galat  
Kelsey S. Gilchrist  
Johanna B. Gittleman  
Julia Goldberg  
Ilan Gray  
Alice Alexandra Haouzi  
Daniel Heller  
Kristi Hill  
Madeline Christie Hutchings  
Jacob Indursky  
Sarah N. Innes-Gold  
Kara L. Iskenderian  
Nolan Minoru Jimbo  
Sara J. Khosrowjerdi  
Julianna Liu Ko  
Katherine Koch  
Rachel E. Korus  
Adam Kronish  
Allison Kuperman  
Karen Lee  
Hayden A. Lizotte  
Anastasiya Lobacheva  
Lillian Lu  
Kristin C. McConnell  
Sarah A. McDaniel  
Patrick Eamon McGrath  
Samantha A. McPeck  
Audrey H. Michael  
Summer A. Morrill  
Natalie Naor  
Andrew Nelson Page  
Ryan M. Parigoris  
Alison Rose Pinkerton  
Benjamin J. Preis

Kumar Ramanathan  
Joseph S. Reiff  
Nikolai Renedo  
Lindsay Elizabeth Rogers  
Matthew J. Ryan  
Thomas J. Snarsky  
Arielle H Steinhart  
Alexandra Christine  
Santamaria Strandberg  
Daniel Turkel  
Zoe Xiuha Uvin  
Anna Ruth Vanderspek  
Kenneth Hunter Wapman  
Rachel Elizabeth Weinstock  
Elise A. Weir  
George Nicholas Wojcik  
Zesheng Xiong  
Allan Lee Yau

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Elizabeth Alderman  
Benjamin Drummond  
Armstrong  
Connor Davis Blanck  
Sydney Char  
Madeline Ching  
Maria Chung Me Choi  
Karman Chu  
William Wright Clarkson  
Douglas Robin Davis  
Stefan Dimitrov  
Brian Droesch  
Brett Joseph Fischler  
Hannah Elizabeth Foley  
David Josiah Forsey  
Megan Elizabeth France  
Bassel Chahid Ghaddar  
Joshua Isaac Goldin  
Colleen Marie Golja  
Emily Anne Gosselin  
Daniel Griffin  
Jerren Grimes  
Alec Joji Gronberg  
Marcella Christine Hastings  
Ashley Elizabeth Hedberg  
Dylan Alexander Jones  
Daniel Kane  
John Martin Kenny  
Michael Reilly Kenny  
Samuel Kessel  
Kevin Michael Kozkowski  
Nicholas R. Larew  
William Alexander Lenk  
Cooper Augustus Loughlin  
Alana McCarthy Lustenberger  
David Thomas Lyle  
Catherine Ellen Madden  
Scott Robert Nicholson  
Hyung-Seo Park  
Amanda Kay Rock  
Andrew Scott Rosen  
Mitchell David Saeger  
Allen Christopher Shinn  
Andrew David Shum  
Ripley Swan  
Nicole Tang  
Ean Michael Wong  
Timothy Wong

## Graduate School of Arts and Sciences and School of Engineering

### Competitive Graduate Student Awards and Prizes

#### **Bekenstein Family Endowment in Occupational Therapy**

Meghan Gately, 2014  
Melanie LaFavre, 2014  
Haley O'Connor, 2015  
Nicole Picone, 2015  
Sara Tian, 2015

#### **Eliot-Pearson Alumni Award**

Sarah Pila, 2015

#### **Gordon Institute Outstanding MSEM Student Award**

Jennifer Braggin, 2014  
Corey O'Connor, 2015

#### **Graduate Student Council Awards**

Joseph Brown, 2013,  
Outstanding Contribution  
to Undergraduate Education  
Charles Cunningham, 2013,  
Service Award  
Casey Diederich, 2013,  
Outstanding Contribution  
to Undergraduate Education  
Diego Millan, 2014,  
Outstanding Contribution  
to Undergraduate Education

#### **Innovations in Psychological Science Award in Psychology**

Leamarie Gordon, 2015

#### **Joy Ann Greisen Scholarship in Occupational Therapy**

Amy Fleischer, 2014

#### **Marjorie B. Greene Award in Occupational Therapy**

Leslie Armstrong, 2014  
Susan Higgins, 2015

#### **Mary Ann Mulcahy Service in Education Award**

Anthony Amoruso, 2015  
Berenice Diaz, 2013  
Andrew Hunter, 2015  
Katherine Quackenbush, 2015

#### **Outstanding Academic Scholarship**

Leamarie Gordon, 2015  
Kristin Haas, 2015  
Ariel Horowitz, 2015

#### **Outstanding Contributions to Undergraduate Education**

Sarah Pila, 2015

#### **Outstanding Graduate Contributor to Engineering Education**

Carolyn Talmadge, 2014  
Aaron Tietz, 2014

#### **Rhonda Saad Graduate Prize in Art History**

Christine Garnier, 2015  
Gabriel Quick, 2015

#### **Rob Hollister Award for Graduate Student Citizenship**

Michael Van Elzakker, 2013

#### **Robert P. Guertin Graduate Student Leadership Award**

Lisa Lam, 2013  
Marcy Ostberg, 2014

#### **Graduate Student Research Competition**

Daniel Barch, 2011, 2013  
Carolyn Bauer, 2011  
Jennifer Bogle, 2013  
Joseph Brown, 2012  
Gina Choi, 2013  
Mariah Contreras, 2014  
Caitlin DeCortin, 2014  
Casey Diederich, 2012  
Brett Gallo, 2014  
Leamarie Gordon, 2011, 2014  
Kasia Hart, 2015  
Shahla Hussain, 2010, 2011  
Laura Jasinski, 2014  
Helina Metaferia, 2014  
Diego Millan, 2014  
Marcy Ostberg, 2014  
Lata Parwani, 2007  
Dylan Portelance, 2014  
Anna Sagal, 2014  
Elizabeth Shuey, 2013  
Lara Vujovic, 2012  
Elijah Wald, 2012  
Jingjing Zhang, 2013

## Graduate School of Arts and Sciences

### Candidates for Graduate Degrees

#### *Doctor of Philosophy*

**Jennifer Putnam Agans**

Child Study and Human Development  
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M.A., Tufts University

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Chemistry  
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Chemistry  
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**Miriam R. Arbeit**

Child Study and Human Development  
B.A., Columbia University  
M.A., Tufts University

**Gila Ashtor**

English  
B.A., Brandeis University  
M.A., University of Chicago

**Alex P. Babinski**

Mathematics  
B.S., University of New Hampshire

**Daniel H. Barch**

Psychology  
B.S., University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill  
M.S., Tufts University

**Carolyn M. Bauer\***

Biology  
B.S., University of Washington

**Thomas R. Benson**

Mathematics  
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**Christopher O. Boyson\***

Psychology  
B.S., University of Connecticut  
M.S., Tufts University

**Kevin T. Buckles**

Mathematics  
B.A., Morehouse College  
M.S., University of Memphis

**Jeffrey Daniel Carlson**

Mathematics  
B.S., Carnegie Mellon University  
M.A., Tufts University

**Brandi L. Carrier**

Chemistry  
B.S., Merrimack College

**Paul A. Chase**

Child Study and Human Development  
B.A., Tufts University  
M.A.T., Tufts University

**Mariah Margaret Contreras**

Child Study and Human Development  
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M.A., Tufts University

**Charles E. Cunningham IV**

Mathematics  
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**Jennifer Nicole Deren**

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**Casey Michael Diederich\*\***

Biology  
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M.S., University at Buffalo

**Andrew J. Eisenberg**

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M.S., Tufts University

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M.A., Boston College  
M.B.A., Boston College

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Psychology  
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Chemistry  
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**Molly Jean Hildebrand**

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M.A., Georgetown University

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B.S., Northern Michigan University  
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**Shahla Hussain\***

History  
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M.A., Jamia Millia Islamia, India

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Physics

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Chemistry

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**Meeyeon Lee**

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M.A., Kyungpook National University, Republic of Korea

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Chemistry

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M.S., Northeastern University

**Maria Lobikin**

Biology

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Chemistry

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M.S., Tufts University

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Occupational Therapy  
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M.A., Harvard University  
M.S., Tufts University

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B.A., Harvard University

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Mechanical Engineering  
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Electrical Engineering  
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B.E., Nankai University, China

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B.E., University of Science and Technology of China

**Shahab Yunus**  
Computer Science  
B.S., University of the Punjab, Pakistan

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Computer Science  
B.E., Jinan University, China

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Engineering Management  
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B.E., Army Polytechnic School, Ecuador

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B.S., University of Maryland

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Engineering Management  
B.S., University of Southern California

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B.S., Wentworth Institute of Technology

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Engineering Management  
B.S., United States Air Force Academy

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Engineering Management  
B.S., University of Pune, India

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B.S.M.E., Trinity College, Ireland

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B.S., Boston College

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B.S., Central American Technological University, Honduras

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B.S., Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute

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Engineering Management  
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## School of Engineering

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#### **Bachelor of Science**

Caitlin DeLeys Brandman  
Bonnie Michelle Bronenberg\*  
Kerim Bugdayci  
Megan E. France  
David Thomas Iglizoi  
L. Anecia Richards  
Jacob B. Schmitz  
Jeet Shetty\*\*  
Allen Christopher Shinn  
Emily K. Taintor  
Jason Andrew Williams

#### **Bachelor of Science in Biomedical Engineering**

Sydney Nicole Char  
Scott M. Delisle  
Jesse A. Eaton  
Emily Anne Gosselin  
Allison Marie Greaney  
Derek Pious Kallarackal  
Samuel Maxwell Kessel  
Alana McCarthy Lustenberger  
Bradley Stauffer Napier  
Carter Rodman Palmer\*  
Michael Ren  
Jordan Andrew Michio Stinson

#### **Bachelor of Science in Chemical Engineering**

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Ryan W. Cairns  
Timothy L. Cheung  
Maria C. Choi  
Douglas R. Davis  
Ian Robert Dinwoodie  
Hannah S. Duggan  
Diana Alexandra Dzerovych  
Thomas Leo Easton  
Bryan M. Egan  
Max L. Ezekiel  
Allyson P. Fournier  
Todd G. Fritz  
Bassel Chahid Ghaddar  
Colleen M. Golja  
Megan C. Grandone  
Jerren J. Grimes

Daniel J. Harrigan  
Kevin M. Kozikowski  
Nicholas R. Larew  
Derek Lee  
Catherine E. Madden  
Kevin M. Mangaudis  
Ryan D. Messinger  
Akash Mittal  
Michael T. Napolitano  
Michelle Jo Yin Ng  
Scott Robert Nicholson  
Timothy S. O'Sullivan  
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Sandro Renteria-Garcia  
Andrew Scott Rosen  
Mitchell David Saeger  
Jason D. Shnipes  
Jeffrey R. Stich  
Christian T. Thienel  
Tess Torregrosa  
Lindsey Marie Walker  
Matthew Richard Walter  
Vinny M. Wang  
Rebecca Yi-Shuan Wang  
Phillip H. Weiner  
Samuel Ian Wolpert  
Jinming Zhang

#### **Bachelor of Science in Civil Engineering**

Adam J. Arias  
James P. Brao  
Hannah E. Foley  
Andres R. Fuentes  
Jonah S. Harris  
Killian Corinne Madden  
Sean L. Nostrand  
Rachel A. Paterson  
Gabriella S. Simundson  
Michelle A. Stevens  
Joanna L. Stowell  
Ripley Fuhrer Swan  
Zachary Trause  
Amanda Marie Wachenfeld  
Jordan Casey Weinstein

#### **Bachelor of Science in Computer Engineering**

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Cody T. Chen  
Sean C. Cunningham  
Bradley R. Frizzell  
Alice Lee  
Michael Charles Nuzzolo  
Jacob M. Rosenberg  
Cornell J. Wilson  
Bryan C. Zhang

#### **Bachelor of Science in Computer Science**

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Connor Davis Blanck  
James J. Bonish  
Paul Chang  
William Wright Clarkson  
Brendan M. Conron  
Krzysztof Adam Danielewicz  
Andrew Miller Dempsey  
Stefan Dimitrov  
Emily Z. Eng  
Brett Joseph Fischler  
Luke M. Geneslaw  
Jonathan Gilad  
Daniel Griffin  
Marcella Christine Hastings  
Ashley Elizabeth Hedberg  
Tyler J. Lubeck  
David Lyle  
Caleb A. Malchik  
Hamid Mansoor\*\*  
Emmett William Moore  
Hyung-seo Park  
Jaime Alberto Sánchez Arias  
Ross O. Schlaikjer  
Karan A. Singhal  
Alison Chloe Tai  
Nathaniel R. Tenczar  
Hao Wan  
Jonathan Albert Wilde

#### **Bachelor of Science in Electrical Engineering**

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Karman Chu  
Ryan M. Dougherty  
Alexander Bair Henry  
Steven P. Howard  
William A. Lenk  
Katherine M. Levinson  
Cooper Loughlin  
Shitoshna Nepal  
Stephen Mark Panaro  
Dong Park  
Christopher F. Rodriguez  
Anders E. Simpson-Wolf\*\*  
Kyle J. Slinger  
David Robert Wiegard  
Courtney K. Won  
Ean Michael Wong



## School of Engineering

### Candidates for Bachelor's Degrees

#### ***Bachelor of Science in Engineering Science***

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Cara Goodman  
Lauren R. Gormer  
Victor B. Liu  
Reid M. McCabe\*  
Victoria A. Sengstack

#### ***Bachelor of Science in Environmental Engineering***

Divya R. Bhasin  
Eimy X. Bonilla  
Dennis W. Fee  
Santiago Ossa Rodriguez

#### ***Bachelor of Science in Mechanical Engineering***

Elizabeth C. Alderman  
Ahmed Aly\*\*  
Benjamin D. Armstrong  
Marta C. Bandres  
Youssef Bargach  
Andrew Stockton Bennett  
Raymond N. Bjorkman  
Christopher G. Blum  
Thomas Joseph Carroll\*\*  
Jeffrey Chang  
Madeline Elizabeth Ching  
Devyn P. Curley  
Amel Derras-Chouk  
Emir Drin  
Brian T. Droesch  
David Josiah Keith Forsey  
Joshua I. Goldin  
Dominic Guri  
Syed T. Habib  
Alyssa Michelle Hatch  
Nick H. Hill  
Brendan F. Hone\*\*  
Dylan Alexander Jones  
Daniel J. Kane  
Michael Reilly Kenny  
Isabel A. Kuhel  
Emma Mae Levitt  
Phoebe S. Manning  
Kienan D. McCarty  
Stacy E. McGlory

Katrina Alexandra Miaoulis  
Matthew L. Mueller  
Brook E. Nichols  
Daniel P. Nickerson  
Christian N. Proctor  
Vadim Reytblat  
Amanda K. Rock  
Alejandro F. Ruiz-Ramon  
Andrew Ross Schneer  
Zachary Taylor Serlin  
Andrew David Shum  
Zachary Michael Stuart  
Duncan S. Swain  
Nicole Tang  
Blake R. Tashjian\*\*  
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Meredith Angelica Wagner  
John A. Webster III  
Jenna A Wojtas  
Timothy M. Wong\*\*  
Emily Simpson Wright  
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Jessica Wu

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123<sup>RD</sup> COMMENCEMENT  
School of Medicine

35<sup>TH</sup> COMMENCEMENT  
Sackler School of Graduate  
Biomedical Sciences

## School of Medicine and Sackler School of Graduate Biomedical Sciences

### Order of Events

**Musical Prelude**

**Processional**

**Chief Marshal**

Philip S. Hsu, M.D., *Assistant Professor of Neurology*

**Presenter**

David A. Neumeyer, M.D., *Dean of Admissions, School of Medicine*

**Invocation**

M. Chanta Bhan, M.T.S., M.Div., *Protestant Chaplain*

**Welcome**

Harris A. Berman, M.D., *Dean, School of Medicine*

**Medical Class President Address**

Courtney Jacqueline Harris

**Greetings**

Naomi Rosenberg, Ph.D., *Dean, Sackler School of Graduate Biomedical Sciences*

**Sackler Student Address**

Stephanie Pritchard Gilley

**Presentation of Faculty Emeritus Certificates**

Presented by: Harris A. Berman, M.D., *Dean*

Recipients:

David S. Feingold, M.D., *Professor of Dermatology*

Mark R. Goldman, M.D., *Clinical Professor of Medicine*

Marc J. Homer, M.D., *Professor of Radiology*

George T. Klauber, M.D., *Professor of Urology*

John W. Kulig, M.D., M.P.H., *Professor of Pediatrics*

Joel J. Rubenstein, M.D., *Clinical Professor of Medicine*

Richard B. Wait, M.D., Ph.D., *Professor of Surgery*

**Presentation of Diplomas to M.D./M.B.A.  
in Health Management Candidates,  
School of Medicine**

Harris A. Berman, M.D., *Dean*

Barbara A. Rockett, M.D., *University Trustee Emerita*

Amy B. Kuhlik, M.D., *Dean of Students*

Janet S. Kerle, *Associate Dean for Student Affairs*

John A. Matias, M.Ed., *Associate Dean for Admissions and Enrollment Services*

Paul Beninger, M.D., M.B.A., *Director, M.D./M.B.A. in Health Management  
Program*

**HOODING**

Laurence H. Brinckerhoff, M.D., *Assistant Professor of Surgery*

**Presentation of Diplomas to M.D./M.P.H.  
Candidates, School of Medicine**

Harris A. Berman, M.D., *Dean*

Barbara A. Rockett, M.D., *University Trustee Emerita*

Ylisabyth S. Bradshaw, D.O., M.S., *Assistant Professor of Public Health and  
Community Medicine*

**Presentation of Diplomas to  
Maine Track Candidates, School of Medicine**

Harris A. Berman, M.D., *Dean*

Barbara A. Rockett, M.D., *University Trustee Emerita*

Peter W. Bates, M.D., *Academic Dean, Maine Medical Center*

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Maine Medical Center*

## School of Medicine and Sackler School of Graduate Biomedical Sciences

### Order of Events

**Presentation of Diplomas to M.D. Candidates,  
School of Medicine**

Harris A. Berman, M.D., *Dean*  
Barbara A. Rockett, M.D., *University Trustee Emerita*

**Presentation of Diplomas to M.S. Candidates,  
Sackler School of Graduate Biomedical Sciences**

Naomi Rosenberg, Ph.D., *Dean*  
Barbara A. Rockett, M.D., *University Trustee Emerita*  
Kathryn E. Lange, M.A., *Associate Dean*

**Presentation of Diplomas to Ph.D. Candidates,  
Sackler School of Graduate Biomedical Sciences**

Naomi Rosenberg, Ph.D., *Dean*  
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Doctoral Faculty Advisors

**Presentation of Diplomas to M.D./Ph.D. Candidates**

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**Administration of Modern Hippocratic Oath**

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**Recessional**

## School of Medicine

### Candidates for Combined Degrees

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B.A., Hamilton College

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B.S., University of Virginia

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B.S.E., University of Pennsylvania

**Mark Slootsky**

B.S., University of California at Santa Cruz

**Samantha Tayne**

B.A., University of Pennsylvania

**Alexander Teng†**

B.A., Duke University

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B.S., University of Central Florida

**Sophia Anna Kostelanetz†^**

B.A., Tufts University

**Brian Thomas Kroener^**

B.A., University of Pennsylvania

**Gabriela Natalia Kuftinec**

B.S., University of California at Los Angeles

**Kiger Megan Kia Lau±**

B.S., Brandeis University

**Robertino Dominic Lim**

B.A., Vassar College

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B.S., Boston College

**Sindhya Rajeev^**

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B.A., Pomona College

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## School of Medicine

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#### *Doctor of Medicine and Master of Public Health*

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**Kevin Francis Baier**  
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**Erica Dawn Brown**  
B.S., University of Maine

**Amy Louise Cooper Case**  
B.A., Bryn Mawr College

**Kenneth Thomas Chin**  
B.S., Northeastern University

**Margaret Ann Clukey**  
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**Margaret Williams Curran**  
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**Bethany Ann Darling**  
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**Rachel Elizabeth Eliason**  
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**Lindsey A. Fitzgerald**  
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**Emily Wolens Frank**<sup>^</sup>  
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**Randy Michael Kring**<sup>^</sup>  
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**Cortney L. Lyford**  
B.A., University of Maine

**Benjamin Jared Martin**  
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**Anna Grace Meader**  
B.S., Bates College

**Kristen Meyers**  
B.S., Bates College

**Adam Christopher Normandin**<sup>^</sup>  
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M.S., Tufts University

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B.S., University of Maine

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B.A., Colby College

**Sarah Jane Scott**<sup>^</sup>  
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**Lisetta Dushyant Shah**<sup>^</sup>  
B.A., Williams College  
M.A., University of Mississippi

**Daniel Jordan Shubert**  
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**Caleb J. Swanberg**<sup>†</sup>  
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**Meagan Elizabeth Tilton**  
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## School of Medicine

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**Syed Moazzam Ali**

B.S., Worcester Polytechnic Institute

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B.S., University of California at Los Angeles  
M.P.H., University of Southern California

**Kosisochukwu Nkenna Anago**

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A.L.M., Harvard University

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**William Robert Bradley<sup>†</sup>**

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**Jennifer Ann Bress<sup>^</sup>**

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**Andre Pierre Burey**

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**Patrick Stephen Burke<sup>±</sup>**

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Pharmacology and Drug Development  
S.Ked., Doktor, Universitas Airlangga, Indonesia  
Thesis: Identifying the Red Blood Cell Interacting Molecule of *Babesia microti*  
Advisor: Athar Chishti, Ph.D.

##### **Bahar Matin**

Pharmacology and Drug Development  
Pharm.D., Shahid Beheshti University of Medical Sciences, Iran  
Thesis: Modeling Human MEGF10 Myopathy in *Drosophila melanogaster*  
Advisor: Alan Kopin, M.D.

##### **Sonali Paul**

Clinical and Translational Science  
B.S., Tufts University  
M.D., Tufts University School of Medicine  
Thesis: Hepatitis B Virus Reactivation During Chemotherapy:  
A Systemic Review and Meta-Analysis  
Advisor: John Wong, M.D.

##### **Yuli Qian**

Pharmacology and Drug Development  
B.S., Hunan University, China  
Thesis: Inhibition of 2-Methoxyestradiol Glucuronidation by Probenecid  
Advisor: David Greenblatt, M.D.

##### **Edgar Herrera Sanchez**

Clinical and Translational Science  
B.S., The College of New Jersey  
M.S., New Jersey Institute of Technology  
M.D., St. George's University School of Medicine, Grenada  
Thesis: Hospital Level Characteristics Associated with *Clostridium difficile* Rates and Outcomes  
Advisor: David Snyderman, M.D.

##### **Jenica Nicholls Upshaw**

Clinical and Translational Science  
B.A., Columbia University  
M.D., Weill Cornell Medical College  
Thesis: A Multi-State Model to Predict Heart Failure Hospitalizations and All-Cause Mortality in Outpatients with Heart Failure with Reduced Ejection Fraction: Model Derivation and Internal Validation  
Advisor: David Kent, M.D.

##### **Jiayi Wu**

Pharmacology and Drug Development  
B.S., Sichuan University, China  
Thesis: Functional Analysis of Cytoskeletal Protein Dematin in Glucose Metabolism  
Advisor: Athar Chishti, Ph.D.

#### *Doctor of Philosophy*

##### **Raveendhara Reddy Bannuru\*\*\***

Clinical and Translational Science  
M.B.B.S., Kasturba Medical College, India  
Dissertation: Application of Network Meta-Analytic Approaches to Evaluate the Comparative Effectiveness, Economic Efficiency, and Placebo Effects among Osteoarthritis Therapeutics  
Advisor: Timothy McAlindon, M.D.

##### **Dennise Alexandra de Jesús Díaz\***

Molecular Microbiology  
B.S., University of Puerto Rico at Cayey, Puerto Rico  
Dissertation: Interplay between Host Cell Cycle and *Legionella pneumophila* Intracellular Replication  
Advisor: Ralph Isberg, Ph.D.

##### **Najla Ali Ab Fiaturi\***

Pharmacology and Experimental Therapeutics  
M.B.B.Ch., Al-Fateh University, Libya  
Dissertation: Alveolar Epithelial Cell Differentiation and Response to Injury  
Advisors: John Castellot, Ph.D., and Heber Nielsen, M.D.

##### **Jeannine Cheryl Foley**

Neuroscience  
B.S., Simmons College  
Dissertation: A Role for Astrocytes in Nociception, Nucleus Accumbens Physiology, and REM Sleep Regulation  
Advisor: Philip Haydon, Ph.D.

##### **Steven Dominic Garafalo\***

Cellular and Molecular Physiology  
B.S., Worcester State College  
B.A., University of Vermont  
Dissertation: The AP2 Clathrin Adaptor Protein Complex Regulates the Abundance of GLR-1 Glutamate Receptors in the Ventral Nerve Cord of *C. elegans*  
Advisor: Peter Juo, Ph.D.

##### **Nira Hadar\***

Clinical and Translational Science  
B.S., Tel Aviv University, Israel  
M.S., Michigan State University  
Dissertation: The Effect of Meteorological and Air Pollution Exposures on Health Outcome  
Advisor: Douglas Brugge, Ph.D.

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Neuroscience  
B.S., University of Richmond  
Dissertation: Adenomatous Polyposis Coli Protein Deletion Leads to Altered Cochlear Threshold Sensitivity and Ribbon Synapse Size  
Advisor: Michele Jacob, Ph.D.

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Molecular Microbiology  
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Dissertation: Aggregation and Filamentation of *Candida albicans* in Response to Pressure Asymmetry  
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Genetics  
B.S., University of Massachusetts Boston  
Dissertation: Genetic and Genomic Analysis of the mRNA 3' End Processing Subunit Pfc11 Suggests an Expanded Role in Gene Expression  
Advisor: Claire Moore, Ph.D.

#### Anna Gerhardt Maione\*\*\*

Cell, Molecular, and Developmental Biology  
B.A., Clark University  
Dissertation: Using 3D Models to Investigate the Impaired Wound Healing Functions of Diabetic Foot Ulcer-Derived Fibroblasts  
Advisor: Jonathan Garlick, D.D.S., Ph.D.

#### EmilyKate McDonough\*

Molecular Microbiology  
B.A., Oberlin College  
Dissertation: Use of a Novel High-Throughput Genetic Selection to Identify Regulators of Selected *Vibrio cholerae* Late Genes: Characterization of PhoB as a Regulator of *xds*  
Advisor: Andrew Camilli, Ph.D.

#### Stephanie L. Mitchell

Molecular Microbiology  
B.S., Georgia Institute of Technology  
Dissertation: Characterization of the Novel Auxiliary Inhibitor, VieB, in the VieSAB Three-Component Signal Transduction System and Insights into the Regulation of *vieSAB* in *Vibrio cholera*  
Advisor: Andrew Camilli, Ph.D.

#### Hiroko Nagase\*\*\*

Cellular and Molecular Physiology  
B.A., Smith College  
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Dissertation: The Effect of Torin1, an mTORC1 Kinase Inhibitor, on Niemann-Pick Type C Disease Cellular Phenotype  
Advisor: Laura Liscum, Ph.D.

#### Michael Jacob Ophir\*

Immunology  
B.A., Wheaton College (Massachusetts)  
Dissertation: T Cell Adhesion to TCR and  $\beta_1$  Integrin Ligands is Differentially Controlled by the SKAP55 N-terminus  
Advisor: Stephen Bunnell, Ph.D.

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Pharmacology and Experimental Therapeutics  
B.A., Wellesley College  
Dissertation: Novel Therapeutic Agents for the Treatment of Head and Neck Squamous Cell Carcinoma: Preclinical Feasibility and Veterinary Clinical Application  
Advisor: David Greenblatt, M.D.

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Genetics  
B.S., Cornell University  
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Dissertation: Dynamics of Mammary Epithelial Cell Differentiation: "What's SLUG Got to Do With It?"  
Advisor: Charlotte Kuperwasser, Ph.D.

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Immunology  
A.B., Dartmouth College  
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Dissertation: The Role of Innate Immunity in Orchestrating TH17 Cell Pathogenesis in Severe Schistosomiasis  
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Cell, Molecular, and Developmental Biology  
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Dissertation: The Role and Regulation of Sox9 in the Human Hair Follicle and Basal Cell Carcinoma  
Advisor: David Kaplan, Ph.D.

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Immunology  
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Dissertation: Controlling Inflammation: The Neurotrophic Anti-Inflammatory Pathway in Chagas Heart Disease  
Advisor: Mercio Perrin, M.D., Ph.D.

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Neuroscience  
B.A., University of California at Berkeley  
Dissertation: Neural Circuits of Contextual Fear and Extinction: Contributions of the Basal Amygdala and Bed Nucleus of the Stria Terminalis  
Advisor: Leon Reijmers, Ph.D.

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Clinical and Translational Science  
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Dissertation: Treatment of Human Immunodeficiency Virus with Zidovudine and Tenofovir Regimen in India: A Comparative Effectiveness Study  
Advisor: Christine Wanke, M.D.

#### Benjamin Richards Umiker\*

Immunology  
B.S., Bates College  
Dissertation: Activation-Induced Deaminase in Early Developing B Cells and Toll-like Receptor 8 in the Etiopathology of Murine Systemic Lupus Erythematosus  
Advisor: Thereza Imanishi-Kari, Ph.D.

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Molecular Microbiology  
B.A., Smith College  
Dissertation: Characterization of the Desiccation Tolerance and Potential for Fomite Spread of *Streptococcus pneumoniae*  
Advisor: Andrew Camilli, Ph.D.

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Immunology  
B.S., Cornell University  
Dissertation: *Trypanosoma cruzi* Co-opts Myocardial Neurotrophin Receptors for Invasion and Cardiomyopathy  
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Genetics  
A.B., Mount Holyoke College  
Dissertation: Protease-Activated Receptor Signaling in Cellular Differentiation Following Vascular and Hepatic Injury  
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Genetics  
B.S., Massachusetts Institute of Technology  
Dissertation: A Yeast Genetic Screen to Identify Host Cell Pathways Targeted by *Legionella pneumophila*  
Advisor: Ralph Isberg, Ph.D.

#### **Stephanie Pritchard Gilley**

Genetics  
B.A., Middlebury College  
Dissertation: Genetics and Kinetics of Fetal Cell Microchimerism  
Advisor: Diana Bianchi, M.D.

#### **Samuel David Stampfer**

Biochemistry  
B.A., Columbia University  
Dissertation: The Membrane Fusion Mechanism of Herpes Simplex Virus Glycoprotein B  
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### A Modern Hippocratic Oath (modified)

#### **By Louis Lasagna, M.D.**

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I swear to fulfill, to the best of my ability and judgment, this covenant:

I will respect the hard-won scientific gains of those physicians in whose steps I walk, and gladly share such knowledge as is mine with those who are to follow.

I will apply, for the benefit of the sick, all measures, which are required, avoiding those twin traps of over-treatment and therapeutic nihilism.

I will remember that there is art to medicine as well as science, and that warmth, sympathy, and understanding may outweigh the surgeon's knife or the chemist's drug.

I will not be ashamed to say, "I know not," nor will I fail to call in my colleagues when the skills of another are needed for a patient's recovery.

I will respect the privacy of my patients, for their problems are not disclosed to me that the world may know. Most especially must I tread with care in matters of life and death.

If it is given to me to save a life, all thanks. But it may also be within my power to take a life; this awesome responsibility must be faced with great humbleness and awareness of my own frailty.

I will remember that I do not treat a fever chart, or a cancerous growth, but a sick human being, whose illness may affect the person's family and economic stability. My responsibility includes these related problems, if I am to care adequately for the sick.

I will prevent disease whenever I can, for prevention is preferable to cure.

I will remember that I remain a member of society, with special obligations to all my fellow human beings, those sound of mind and body, as well as the infirm.

If I do not violate this oath, may I enjoy life and art, respected while I live and remembered with affection thereafter.

May I always act so as to preserve the finest traditions of my calling and may I long experience the joy of healing those who seek my help.

## School of Medicine: Public Health and Professional Degree Programs

### Order of Events

#### Processional

#### Greeting and Remarks

Aviva Must, Ph.D., *Dean for Public Health and Professional Degree Programs*

#### Class Address

Eileen Dolan, *Master of Public Health Candidate*

#### Alumni Address

Jennifer Towers, M.S., MG13, *President-Elect, Public Health and Professional Degree Programs Alumni Association*

#### Faculty Address

Beth Rosenberg, Sc.D., M.P.H., *Assistant Professor of Public Health and Community Medicine*

#### Presentation of Diplomas to M.S. —Biomedical Sciences Candidates

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Alvar W. Gustafson, Ph.D., *Faculty Director, M.S.—Biomedical Sciences Program*

Vivian Stephens-Hicks, M.P.H., *Program Manager, M.S.—Biomedical Sciences Program*

Robin T. Glover, M.B.A., *Associate Dean for Public Health and Professional Degree Programs*

#### Presentation of Diplomas to M.S. —Health Communication Candidates

Aviva Must, Ph.D., *Dean for Public Health and Professional Degree Programs*

Susan Gallagher, M.P.H., *Director, M.S.—Health Communication Program*

#### Presentation of Diplomas to M.S.—Pain Research, Education and Policy Candidates

Aviva Must, Ph.D., *Dean for Public Health and Professional Degree Programs*

Daniel Carr, M.D., *Director, M.S.—Pain Research, Education and Policy Program*

#### Presentation of Diplomas to M.S. —Medical Science Candidates

Aviva Must, Ph.D., *Dean for Public Health and Professional Degree Programs*

Richard Murphy, M.B.A., P.A., A.B., *Program Director, Physician Assistant Program*

#### Presentation of Diplomas to M.P.H. Candidates

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Misha Eliasziw, Ph.D., *Epidemiology and Biostatistics Concentration Leader*

Odilia Bermudez, Ph.D., M.P.H., L.N.D., *Global Health Concentration Leader*

Susan Koch-Weser, Sc.M., Sc.D., *Health Communication Concentration Leader*

Signe Flieger, Ph.D., M.S.W., *Health Services and Management and Policy Concentration*

Virginia Chomitz, Ph.D., *Nutrition Concentration Leader*

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Paul Hattis, M.D., J.D., M.P.H., *Senior Associate Director, Public Health Program*

#### Closing Remarks

Aviva Must, Ph.D., *Dean for Public Health and Professional Degree Programs*

#### Recessional



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**Sarah Elizabeth Ballatori**

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**Peymaan S. Banankhah**

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**Catalina Breton**

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**Faraz N. Butte**

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**Braidie Lynn Milne Campbell**

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**Jessica A. Castrillon**

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**Kelsi Mariko Lehua Chan\***

A.B., Harvard University

**Sunny Chang\***

B.A., Amherst College

**Shelby A. Chun Fat\***

B.S., Loyola Marymount University

**Elizabeth Jane Clemetson**

B.A., Wellesley College

**Joshua Taylor Coons\***

B.S., University of Virginia

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**Kirtly Day\*\*\***

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**Brendan Eugene Dempsey\*\*\***

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B.A., New York University

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B.S., Santa Clara University

**Sterling G. Farrer**

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**Kranthi Gouravaram\***

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**Rachel M. Griffith\***

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**William Frederick Harrington**

B.A., Colby College

**Marion Hsueh\***

B.S., Cornell University

**Yihharn Patricia Hwang\***

B.S., Davidson College

**Colby David Jenkins\***

Sc.B., Brown University

**Chanel Kristina Jonas**

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B.A., College of the Holy Cross

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**Maria Kontos\***

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**Serena Y. Lofftus\*\*\***

B.S., Boston College

**Xiaonan Ma\***

B.S., Boston College

**Kevan J. Mamdouhi**

B.S., Tufts University

**Christie Susan McGee\***

B.S., University of Florida

**Brian G. McGuire\***

B.S., University of North Carolina at Charlotte

**Rachel Z. Meshell\***

B.S., Boston University

**Jamie Metcalfe\***

A.B., University of Chicago

**Nara Miriam Michaelson\***

B.S., Massachusetts Institute of Technology

**Jonas R. Miller\***

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**Kenneth S. Miller\***

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**Gabriel C. Miranda Jr.**

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**Seethal Motamarri\***

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**Sangita Murali\***

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**Evangelia Murray\***

B.S., Tufts University

**Colby Walker Nixon\*\*\***

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**Robert A. Okyere\***

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**Tracey Otto**

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**Krupa S. Patel\***

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**Megan E. Piacquadio**

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**Amarnath Polepalle\***

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**Gregory Raczkowski**

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**Rajesh K Reddy**

B.A., Tufts University

**Lucien Anthony Rizzo II**

B.S., Boston University

**Stevie Roberts\***

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**Priya R. Shah\***

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**Asi-Yahola Mauri Kayin Somburu\***

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**Cristina F. Stefanescu**

B.S., Massachusetts Institute of Technology

**Joseph C. Sweeney\***

B.S., University of Notre Dame

**Matthew K. Taft\***

B.S., Quinnipiac University

**Michael Tassavor\***

B.S., University of Connecticut

**Apoorwa Thati\***

B.S., Emory University

**Kaleigh N. Tomkinson\*\*\***

B.S., Worcester Polytechnic Institute

**Chelsea M. Viscardi**

B.S., Yale University

**Bailey A. Wentworth\***

B.S., University of California at San Diego

**Karen Ka Wai Wong**

B.A., University of California at Berkeley

**Azadeh Zadmehr\***

B.S.E.E., University of California at Irvine

**Ali Zaidi\***

B.S., Boston College

**Johnson S. Zhang\*\*\***

B.A., New York University

**Suyu Zhang**

B.S., Tufts University

## School of Medicine: Public Health and Professional Degree Programs

### Candidates for Degrees

#### *Master of Science in Health Communication*

**Emily L. Boardman**<sup>^</sup>

A.B., Washington University in St. Louis

**Wenzhuo Feng**

B.S., Peking University, China

**Samantha J. Gassel**<sup>^</sup>

B.A., Emerson College

**Catherine H. Leamy**

B.S., Northeastern University

**Jacob Silberstein**

B.A., Roger Williams University

#### *Master of Science in Pain Research, Education and Policy*

**Abdulaziz S. Alfadhel**

B.M.S., King Saud University, Saudi Arabia

**Dorosella R. Kaluma**

B.A., Pine Manor College

**Emily Rowe**

Pharm.D., Northeastern University

**Lindsay R. St. Louis**

B.S., University of New England

**Kathryn M. Walker**<sup>\*</sup>

A.B., Bowdoin College

**Lyndsey A. Walsh**

B.A., Colby-Sawyer College

#### *Master of Science in Medical Science*

**Jessie M. Alden**<sup>\*\*\*</sup>

B.S., Roger Williams University

**David A. Applbaum**<sup>\*\*\*</sup>

B.A., Vassar College

**Lisa Marie Babayan**<sup>\*\*\*</sup>

B.S., University of Massachusetts Amherst

**Eliza W. Barrett**<sup>\*\*\*</sup>

B.S., University of Massachusetts Amherst

**Julie A. Baskind**<sup>\*\*\*</sup>

B.S., University of Michigan-Ann Arbor

**Devin L. Bean**<sup>\*\*\*</sup>

B.A., Hampshire College

**Frances R. Blevins**<sup>\*\*\*</sup>

B.S., Suffolk University

**Emily Breton**<sup>\*\*\*</sup>

B.A., University of Massachusetts Amherst

**Jeremy J. Burkett**<sup>\*\*\*</sup>

B.S., University of Alabama at Birmingham

**Sarah S. Butts**<sup>\*\*\*</sup>

B.S., Bucknell University

**Amy A. Cameron**<sup>\*\*\*</sup>

B.S., Clarkson University

**Kristen L. Chapin**<sup>\*\*\*</sup>

B.A., Hamilton College

**Sean P. Corbett**<sup>\*\*\*</sup>

B.S., University of Massachusetts Lowell

**Ashleigh E. Eberly**<sup>\*\*\*</sup>

B.S., Cornell University

**Katherine S. Erikson**<sup>\*\*\*</sup>

B.A., University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill

**Lauren M. Girard**<sup>\*\*\*</sup>

B.S., Northeastern University

**Clara Elizabeth Gordon**<sup>\*\*\*</sup>

B.A., Colby College

**Emily R. Hanson**<sup>\*\*\*</sup>

A.B., University of Chicago

**Stephanie Lai**<sup>\*\*\*</sup>

Sc.B., Brown University

**Clare H. Loxterkamp**<sup>\*\*\*</sup>

B.S., Beloit College

**Sarah E. Moniz**<sup>\*\*\*</sup>

B.S., Bucknell University

**Rosemary E. Perkins**<sup>\*\*\*</sup>

B.S., Colby College

**Kelsey L. Pierce**<sup>\*\*\*</sup>

B.A., Boston College

**Alexandra P. Pyle**<sup>\*\*\*</sup>

B.S., Eckerd College

**Kate E. Roman**<sup>\*\*\*</sup>

B.A., Providence College

**Allison R. Ruhe**<sup>\*\*\*</sup>

B.S., Davidson College

**Kaitlin A. Spiegel**<sup>\*\*\*</sup>

B.S., University of California at Davis

**Mary K. Volcko**<sup>\*\*\*</sup>

B.S., Union College

**Alvin Wong**<sup>\*\*\*</sup>

B.S., University at Buffalo

<sup>\*</sup>August 2014 <sup>\*\*\*</sup>February 2015

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## School of Medicine: Public Health and Professional Degree Programs

### Candidates for Degrees

#### *Master of Public Health*

**Nicholas G. Adolph\***

B.A., Tufts University

**Edgar Agaba**

B.S., Makerere University, Uganda

**Ifedayo C. Akinyemi\*††**

B.S., University of California at Los Angeles

**Rachel C. Banner\*\*\***

B.S., Elon University

**Holly P. Batchelder\***

B.S., Bucknell University

**Winnie Fay L. Bell\*\*\***

B.A., Northeastern University

**Halli L. Benson**

B.S., Syracuse University

**Samantha E. Berger\*\*\***

B.S., Hofstra University

**Alexandra C. Brinkert\*\*\***

B.S., Boston College

**Clarissa M. Brown††**

B.A., Lafayette College

**Sheryl Lynn J. Carvajal\*\*\***

B.S., Florida State University

**Grace Y. Chan**

B.A., University of California at Berkeley

**Daniel D. Chen\*\*\***

B.S., Cornell University

**Jessica K. Cochrane\*\*\***

B.A., Bennington College

**Alison A. Cross\*\*\***

B.A., Rollins College

**Katherine N. Crossman\*\*\***

B.A., University of Maine

**Zara N. Day\*\*\***

B.A., University of Florida

**Michelina Delgizzi\*\*\***

B.A., University of Virginia

**Alexis B. Donnaruma\*\*\*††**

B.S., Tufts University

**Jacob M. Ehrlich\***

B.A., Hampshire College

**Jacklyn G. Emilo\*\*\***

B.S., University of Vermont

**Scott A. Finkelstein\***

B.A., Brandeis University

**Lindsay Giesen**

B.A., George Washington University

**Meaghan Elizabeth Glenn\*\*\***

B.S., Georgetown University

**Matthew C. Goodridge\***

B.A., University of Vermont

**Devin M. Groman**

B.S., University of Washington

**Cynthia Hau\***

B.S., University of Massachusetts Boston

**Jenny Hu**

B.S., Tufts University

**Natalie M. Hunter\*\*\***

A.B., Dartmouth College

**Raneem S. Islam**

B.S., University of Michigan-Ann Arbor

**Lauren B. Jayson**

B.A., Tufts University

**Drake Jones\*\*\***

B.A., Emory University

**Lindsay Kephart**

B.A., Tufts University

**Saleh A. Khateeb**

M.B.B.S., King Abdulaziz University, Saudi Arabia

**Gretchen Kindstedt\*\*\***

B.S., University of Colorado at Boulder

M.S., Tufts University

**Dylan Kirn\*\*\***

B.S., Springfield College

**Kathy Y. Kong**

B.A., Boston University

**Joel L. Kruger**

B.A., Tufts University

**Elizabeth G. Langevin\***

Sc.B., Brown University

**Eun Kyung Lee\***

B.A., Minnesota State University, Moorhead

**Shanshan Liu**

B.S., Sun Yat-sen University, China

**Hiya Mahmassani\*\*\***

B.S., American University of Beirut, Lebanon

## School of Medicine: Public Health and Professional Degree Programs

### Candidates for Degrees

**Youssef A. Mal**

M.B.B.S., King Abdulaziz University, Saudi Arabia

**Mary Ellen Malone\*††**

B.A., Boston College

**Alvin Mathew**

B.S., Loyola University

**Katia Miller\***

B.A., College of William & Mary

M.S.W., Boston College

**Larisa Naderiani\*††**

B.S., University of Toronto, Canada

**Caitlin Nash\***

B.S., Framingham State University

**Sarah J. Novello\*\*\***

B.A., Bucknell University

**Jacqueline M. Ochoa**

B.A., Tufts University

**Katherine E. Olender\*\*\***

B.S., Michigan State University

**Nicholas D. Omniewski\*\*\***

B.S., Allegheny College

**Katherine H. Panarella\*\*\***

B.S., University of California at Berkeley

**Kimberly Paull\*\*\***

B.A., Smith College

**Martine Prompt\*\*\*^**

B.A., Queens College of the City University of New York

**Sheena Ramdeen**

B.A., Brandeis University

**Alissa A. Resnick\***

B.A., Tufts University

**Anna V. Roto**

B.S., University of Connecticut

**Caleigh M. Sawicki**

B.S., Providence College

**Nicole S. Schultz\*††**

B.S., Southern Methodist University

**Marissa Shams-White**

B.S., Ithaca College

**Yiru Shen**

B.S., Shanghai Jiao Tong University, China

**Lisa C. Shmerling\*††**

B.S.W., State University of New York at Albany

**Moriah Silver\*\*\***

A.B., Mount Holyoke College

**Paul A. Trowbridge††**

B.A., Calvin College

**Christos A. Tsentas\*\*\***

B.A., University of California at Berkeley

**Taylor N. Wahrenbrock\*\*\***

B.S., Saint Michael's College

**Michelle R. Warner**

B.A., Ithaca College

**Kalyn C. Weber\*\*\***

B.S., University of Vermont

**Emily R. Wei\*\*\***

B.S., University of California at Santa Barbara

**Laura L. Wentzel**

B.S., Marquette University

**Emma L. Wise††**

B.A., Tufts University

**Kira M. Wohland\*\*\***

B.A., Boston College

**Nicole M. Yonkunas**

B.S., Boston University

**Jingwen Zhang\*\*\***

A.B., Mount Holyoke College

**Ludan Zhang**

B.M., Peking University, China

**Meng Zhang**

B.S., Minzu University, China

\*August 2014 \*\*\*February 2015

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## **School of Medicine: Public Health and Professional Degree Programs**

Candidates for Combined Degrees

### ***Doctor of Veterinary Medicine and Master of Public Health***

**Sarah T. Dale**

A.B., Bowdoin College

**Aliza Gentili-Lloyd**

B.S., University of Washington

**Philip Hamel**

B.S., University of Massachusetts Amherst

**Kyle P. Ross**

B.S., Saint Louis University

### ***Master of Science in Biomedical Science and Master of Public Health***

**Amanda Bilski<sup>^</sup>**

A.B., Washington University in St. Louis

**David William Chou**

B.S., Duke University

**Dylan Glenn Jones\***

B.A., Emory University

**Teagan L. Lukacs\***

B.S., Boston University

**Mallory Caye Mandel**

B.A., John Hopkins University

**Jamie L. Metzinger**

B.S., Boston University

**Alyssa Tutunjian<sup>^</sup>**

B.S., Cornell University

### ***Master of Science in Biomedical Science and Master of Business Administration in Health Management***

**Ann Cheung\***

A.B., Harvard University

## School of Medicine and Sackler School of Graduate Biomedical Sciences

The Class of 2015 Student Prizes and Awards

### American Medical Women's Association Glasgow-Rubin Academic Achievement Certificates

Sarah Elizabeth Gray  
Mariah L. Kincaid  
Caitlin Spillane King  
Sophia Anna Kostelanetz  
Katherine Ann McCreary  
Erin Elizabeth Truitt  
Audra Dale Williams

### Bernard A. Berman M48 Travel Fund

Charles Spaulding Carrier  
Douglas James Cassidy  
Michael Do  
Stephanie Pritchard Gilley  
Andrew S. Hwang  
Logan Daniel Pierce  
Rajeev Chandra Saxena  
Alexander Harland Shannon  
Jared G. Schiff  
Julian Joseph Sonnenfeld  
Deborah Isabelle Witkin

### Worth F. Bloom M25 Prize

Mariah L. Kincaid  
Christopher Matthew McLaughlin

### Harry H. Brenner M33 Prize

Kelsey Murphy

### Charles and Jane Brusch Prize

William Robert Bradley  
Courtney Jacqueline Harris

### Commencement Committee Award

Courtney Jacqueline Harris

### William Dameshek Undergraduate Research Award

Patrick Stephen Burke  
Gerard Chang  
Angela Anita Coombs  
Andrew S. Hwang  
Dylan Ned Wolman

### William Dameshek Award in Internal Medicine

Benjamin Michael Grin  
Logan Daniel Pierce

### Distinguished Student Award—Physician Assistant Program

Sean P. Corbett  
Emily R. Hanson

### Dr. Ruth Marguerite Easterling Award

Andre Pierre Burey

### Excellence in Public Health Award from the U.S. Public Health Service

Emily Wolens Frank

### Murray Feingold and Timothy Johnson Health Communication Academic Achievement Award

Emily L. Boardman

### Sydney S. Gellis Award in Pediatrics

Jonathan Hartwell Pelletier

### Professor Ernest Grable, M.D. Award

Jessie Osborne Paull

### John T. Harrington, M.D. Award

Katherine Ann McCreary

### Dr. Marc and Diane Homer Award

William Robert Bradley  
Shreena Devendra Brahmabhatt

### George L. Howland Prize

Dylan Ned Wolman

### Dr. Frank Inserra Prize

Mary Thuy Linh Ha Wong

### David L. Kasdon Award

Gregory William Basil

### Leon Levinson Prize in Physiology

Richard Ainsworth Mills  
Soshian Sarrafpour

### Martin J. Loeb Prize in Medicine

Rajat Suri  
Erin Elizabeth Truitt

### Martin J. Loeb Prize in Surgery

Douglas James Cassidy  
Thomas Kieran Byrnes

### Massachusetts Medical Society Scholars Award

Douglas James Cassidy  
Emily Wolens Frank  
Adam Christopher Normandin  
Audra Dale Williams

### Medical Class of 1928 Award

Lisa Gail Kipersztok

### M.D./M.B.A. Academic Achievement Award

Caitlin Spillane King  
Rajeev Chandra Saxena

### M.D./M.P.H. and D.V.M./M.P.H. Academic Achievement Award

Brian Thomas Kroener

### M.P.H. Academic Achievement Award

Clarissa M. Brown  
Larisa Naderiani

### M.S.—Biomedical Sciences Academic Achievement Award

Sarah Elizabeth Ballatori  
Sebastian Alexander Franco  
Gregory Raczkowski  
Apoorwa Thati

### Outstanding M.S.—Pain Research, Education and Policy Capstone Award

Lindsay R. St. Louis

### Mildred Ann Myerson Memorial Fund

Alexis Michaela Chavez  
Angela Anita Coombs

### Presidential Award for Citizenship and Public Service

Emily Wolens Frank

### Phi Delta Epsilon Fraternity Award

Jennifer Ren-Si Cheung

### Ethel and Reuben Russman Prize

Olivia Saturno Kates  
Sarah Jane Scott

### Sackler School Dean's Award

Raveendhara Reddy Bannuru

### The Saltonstall Award for Excellence in Pain Research, Education and Policy

Emily Rowe  
Kathryn M. Walker

### Marsha Semuels Leadership Award—Physician Assistant Program

Allison R. Ruhe

### Philip E. Sheridan, M.D. Prize

Daniel Aaron Schupack  
Erin Elizabeth Truitt

### Norman S. Stearns M.D./M.B.A. Award

Christian Ayer Merrill Jr.  
Rajeev Chandra Saxena

### Leonard Tow Humanism in Medicine Award Sponsored by the Arnold P. Gold Foundation

Lauren Rissman

### Upjohn Award in Pharmacology

Laura Beth Galinko  
Anne Cuttler Hicks

### Louis Weinstein Prize

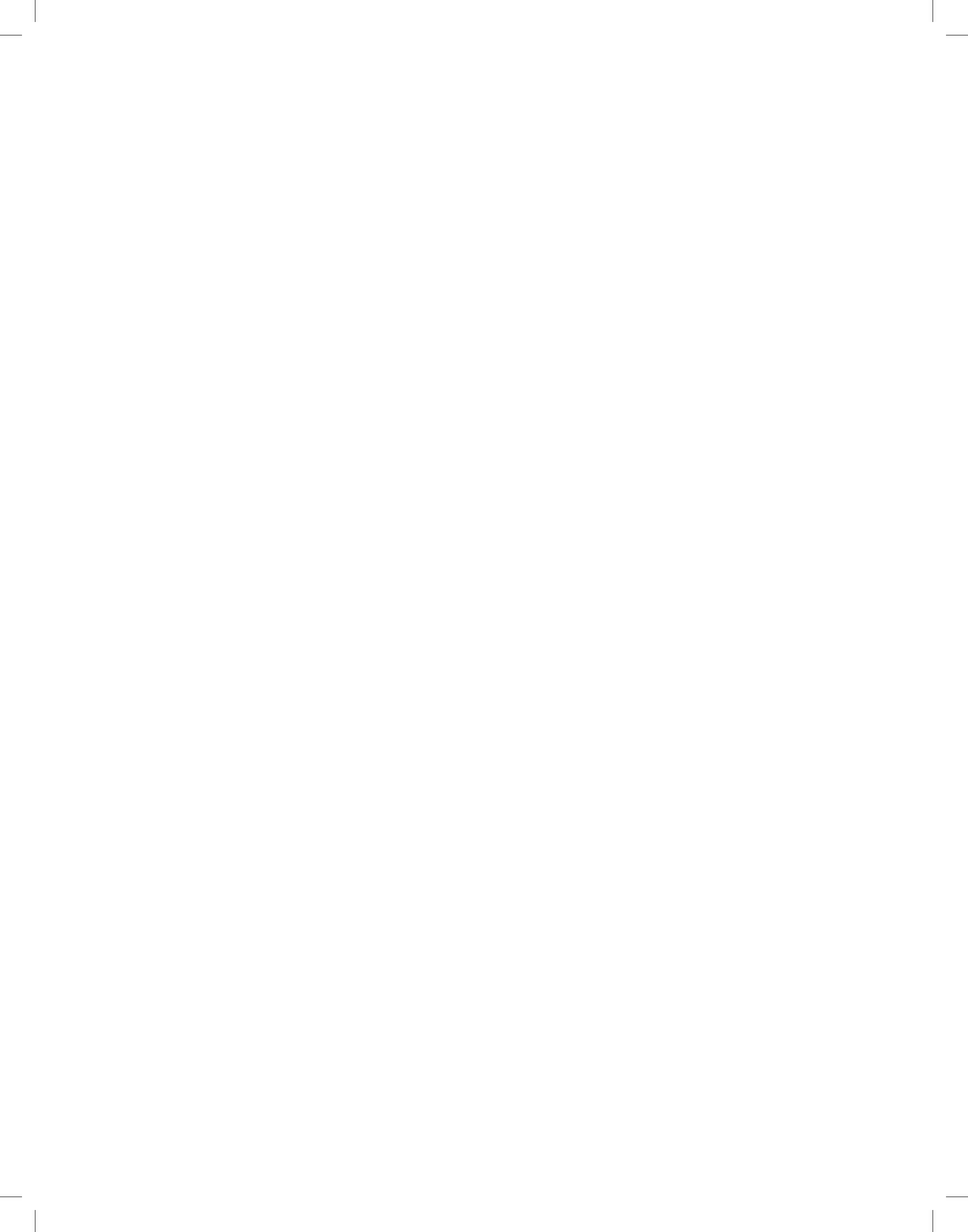
Sarah Elaine Gilligan  
Sophia Anna Kostelanetz

### Dr. Toby Wesselhoft Family Medicine Award

Lisa Gail Kipersztok  
Audra Dale Williams

### Zarren Family Award

Dean Simon Ehrlich





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School of Dental Medicine

## School of Dental Medicine

### Order of Events

#### Musical Interlude

Woodvale String Quartet

#### Processional

Carole Palmer, Ed.D., R.D., *Faculty Marshal*

Nadeem Karimbux, D.M.D., M.M.Sc., *Master of Ceremony*

Anne J. Chon, B.S., *Student Marshal*

Elizabeth W. Bingham, B.A., *Student Marshal*

Niketa V. Patel, B.S., M.S., *Student Marshal*

#### Invocation

Celene Ibrahim-Lizzio, *Muslim Chaplain*

#### Greetings and Remarks

Huw F. Thomas, B.D.S., M.S., Ph.D., *Dean of the School of Dental Medicine and Professor of Pediatric Dentistry*

Robert H. Kasberg Jr., Ph.D., *Associate Dean for Admissions and Student Affairs*

Austin L. Perera, B.A., M.S., *President of the Class of D2015*

Joseph L. De Leon, D.M.D., *President of the Class of DI2015*

#### Presentation of Master's Degrees

Huw F. Thomas, B.D.S., M.S., Ph.D., *Dean of the School of Dental Medicine and Professor of Pediatric Dentistry*

Nadeem Karimbux, D.M.D., M.M.Sc., *Associate Dean of Academic Affairs and Professor of Periodontology*

Noshir Mehta, B.D.S., D.M.D., M.D.S., M.S., *Associate Dean of Global Relations and Professor of Public Health and Community Service*

#### Hooding

Maria Papageorge, D.M.D., M.S., *Associate Dean for Hospital Affairs, Professor and Chair of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery, and Director of the Advanced Education Residency Program*

Nadeem Karimbux, D.M.D., M.M.Sc., *Associate Dean of Academic Affairs and Professor of Periodontology*

#### Teaching Awards

THE PROVOST'S AWARD FOR OUTSTANDING TEACHING AND SERVICE  
Recipient: Nadeem Karimbux, D.M.D., M.M.Sc.

THE DEAN'S AWARD FOR EXCELLENCE IN CLINICAL TEACHING  
Recipient: Ala Omar Ali, B.D.S., M.Sc., D.Sc.

THE DEAN'S AWARD FOR EXCELLENCE IN PRECLINICAL TEACHING  
Recipient: Robert Amato, D.M.D.

THE DEAN'S AWARD FOR EXCELLENCE IN BASIC SCIENCE TEACHING  
Recipient: Jeffrey Marchant, Ph.D.

#### Recognition of Emeriti Certificates

Recipient: Daniel B. Green, D.D.S., *Winkler Professor and Chair of Endodontics*

Recipient: Michael Kahn, D.D.S., *Professor and Chair of Oral and Maxillofacial Pathology, Oral Medicine, and Craniofacial Pain*

## School of Dental Medicine

### Order of Events

#### Recognition of Honors and Awards

Nadeem Karimbux, D.M.D., M.M.Sc., *Associate Dean of Academic Affairs and Professor of Periodontology*

Derek A. Wolkowicz, D.M.D., *President of the Tufts University School of Dental Medicine Alumni Association*

ACADEMIC EXCELLENCE AWARD

In Honor of Gerald Carrier, D.M.D.

#### Presentation of Diplomas

Huw F. Thomas, B.D.S., M.S., Ph.D., *Dean of the School of Dental Medicine and Professor of Pediatric Dentistry*

Kathleen O'Loughlin, D.M.D., M.P.H., *University Trustee and Assistant Clinical Professor of General Dentistry*

Robert H. Kasberg Jr., Ph.D., *Associate Dean for Admissions and Student Affairs*

#### Hooding

Ala Omar Ali, B.D.S., M.Sc., D.Sc., *Assistant Professor of Prosthodontics and Operative Dentistry*

Robert Amato, D.M.D., *Professor of Endodontics and Director of Postgraduate Endodontics*

Peter Arsenault, M.S., D.M.D., *Associate Clinical Professor of Prosthodontics and Operative Dentistry and Head of Operative Dentistry*

Kanchan Ganda, M.D., *Professor and Division Head of Medicine, Department of Diagnosis and Health Promotion*

#### Oath for the Dental Graduate

Mary Jane Hanlon, D.M.D., M.B.A., *Assistant Dean of Predoctoral Clinic Administration and Assistant Professor of Diagnosis and Health Promotion*

*Note to Spectators*

**Arrangements have been made for a professional photographer to take pictures of the degree recipients receiving their diplomas.** Family members and friends of the degree recipients who still want to take photographs during the Commencement ceremony are asked to avoid blocking the view of the professional photographer and others seated in the audience.

## School of Dental Medicine

### Candidates for Degrees

#### *Doctor of Dental Medicine*

**Christopher Ryan Abernathy**

B.A., East Carolina University

**Ganiyu T. Abib**

B.D.S., University of Lagos, Nigeria

**Michael S. Acasio**

B.S., University of California at Los Angeles

**Mulikat Adebimpe Adetosoye**

B.D.S., University of Ibadan, Nigeria

**Sara F. Akbar**

B.S., Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University

**Hira Hareem Alam**

B.S., University of California at San Diego

**Joke A. Alesh**

B.A., Tufts University

**Tofool Alghanem**

B.D.S., King Abdulaziz University, Saudi Arabia

M.S., Postgraduate Fellowship in Craniomandibular Disorders and Orofacial Pain, Tufts University School of Dental Medicine

**Zarah Ejaz Ali**

B.S., Tufts University

**Sally M. Alkalaf**

B.A., Miami University

**Sama M. Alkalaf**

B.A., Miami University

**Payal M. Arora**

B.S., University of South Florida

**Sangeetha Asokan**

B.D.S., Tamil Nadu Dr. M.G.R. Medical University, India

**Kian Azarnoush**

B.S., University of Texas at Austin

M.S., University of Texas Health Center at San Antonio

**John Thomas Badger**

B.S., University of Maine

**Janetxia Barber**

B.S., Florida International University

**Alyssa Lynn Benitez**

B.S., Nova Southeastern University

M.A., Boston University

**Grant W. Beyer**

B.S., University of Washington

**Mahit H. Bhatt**

B.D.S., Pravara Institute of Medical Sciences, India

**Elizabeth W. Bingham**

B.A., Williams College

**Pavandeep Kaur Birk**

B.S., University of Florida

**Jacques O. Boudreau**

B.S., University of Massachusetts Amherst

**Mina Choe Boudreau**

B.A., Mount Holyoke College

**Richard S. Brewer**

B.S., University of California at San Diego

**Eric Witkie Brotman**

B.A., New York University

**Minh Nhu T. Bui**

B.S., Brandeis University

**Charles Henry Burnes IV**

B.S., M.S., University of Florida

**Shawn T. Bushey**

B.S., University of Massachusetts Dartmouth

**Megan Elizabeth Butler**

B.A., Furman University

**Saad Aziz Butt**

B.A., M.S., University of Virginia

**William Jay Cappello**

B.A., Clemson University

**Justin J. Cardarelli**

B.S., University of New Hampshire

**Marina Lee Castellino**

B.S., Pennsylvania State University

**Stacey Y. Cha**

B.A., Rutgers, the State University of New Jersey

**Omar Chahbandar**

B.S., University of South Florida

**Yoojung Chang**

B.A., Carnegie Mellon University

**Min Chao**

B.A., New York University

**Daniel Joon Chay**

B.A., Franklin & Marshall College

**Ajit K. Chhina**

B.D.S., Baba Farid University of Health Sciences, India

**Anne J. Chon**

B.S., University of Florida

**Pei Jung Chung**

B.S., University of California at San Diego

**Elena Ciciolla**

B.S., University of Florida

## School of Dental Medicine

### Candidates for Degrees

**Jeremy M. Clover**

B.S., Brigham Young University

**James M. Cogliano**

B.A., Clark University

**Sabrina A. Coombs**

B.S., Bethune-Cookman University

M.S., Barry University

**Benjamin Michael Costa**

B.S., University of Massachusetts Dartmouth

**Matthew S. Cronan**

B.S., University of Maine

**Kathleen Marie Gegare Cruz**

B.A., University of California at Los Angeles

**Christine L. Cun**

B.A., University of California at Berkeley

**Saahil Mahendra Dadhanania**

B.S., Southern Methodist University

**Jeffrey M. Danczak**

B.S., The Ohio State University

**Nicole Medina Dayrit**

B.S., California State University, Long Beach

**Joseph L. De Leon**

D.M.D., University of the Philippines Manila

**Louis J. DeLuke**

B.S., Stonehill College

**Danny Vu Doan**

B.S., University of Houston

**Dung My Doan**

B.S., Emory University

**Kelly K. Fitzgerald**

B.S., Saint Michael's College

**Lindsay A. Fox**

B.S., University of Rochester

**David Leroy Frantz III**

B.S., Birmingham-Southern College

**Jasen D. Gennifer**

A.B., Rollins College

**Ryan M. George**

B.A., Brigham Young University

**Ourania Giannikopoulos**

B.S., Suffolk University

**Sarah T. Gibbons**

B.A., University of Massachusetts Amherst

**Erin Tara Gilmore**

B.A., Regis College

M.A., Boston University

**Vishavjeet Singh Girn**

B.A., University of California at Berkeley

**Craig Allen Goliber**

B.S., M.S., University of Connecticut

**Daniel Gonzalez**

B.A., College of the Holy Cross

**Nikhilesh Rao Gorukanti**

B.A., Rutgers, The State University of New Jersey

M.S., New Jersey Institute of Technology

**Elissa Beth Green**

B.A., University of California at Berkeley

**Karen Shen Guo**

B.S., The Ohio State University

**Katerine Halim**

B.S., Montclair State University

**Andrew D. Henning**

B.S., University of Florida

**Lisa Renee Hilpl**

B.S., University of New Hampshire

**Jenna Caroline Hubacz**

B.A., Assumption College

**Sergio Carlos Ibarra**

B.S., University of California at San Diego

**Shoji Inomata**

B.S., University of California at Santa Barbara

**Mina Farrah Irvani**

B.S., University of Florida

**Kezia Anila Jacob**

B.S., Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University

**Jasmine R. Jenkins**

B.S., University of California at Los Angeles

**Antonios Karagiorgos**

B.S., Northeastern University

**Sameer Kashyap**

B.A., University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill

M.S., Mississippi College

**Alexander S. Keith**

B.A., California State University, Sacramento

**Naushin Harun Khandaker**

B.S., State University of New York at Albany

M.P.H., M.S., Tufts University

## School of Dental Medicine

### Candidates for Degrees

**Tracy Tat Kheradpour**

A.B., Bowdoin College

**Edwin G. Kim**

B.A., University of Pennsylvania

**Jae M. Kim**

B.S., Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University

**Kristi S. Kim**

B.A., Northwestern University

**Nam Hun Kim**

B.Th., Methodist Theological University, Republic of Korea

M.Div., Wesley Theological Seminary

**Woosol Kim**

B.S., University of Virginia

**Alice Ko**

B.S., University of Washington

**Tae Sung John Ku**

B.S., University of Notre Dame

**Joseph Charles Kubiak III**

B.S., University of Virginia

**Alberto J. Lamberti**

D.D.S., Universidad Central de Venezuela

Postgraduate Fellowship in Implant Dentistry, Tufts University

School of Dental Medicine

**Ashley Anne Langton**

B.S., Quinnipiac University

**Claudia T. Le**

B.A., M.A., Brandeis University

**Austin Lee**

B.A., Colby College

**Janice Lee**

B.S., University of California at Davis

**Michael J. Lee**

B.A., Boston University

M.S., Tufts University

**Jessica Liang**

B.A., B.S., Case Western Reserve University

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B.S., Stony Brook University

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M.A., Midwestern University

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M.A., Boston University

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**Dexter K. Yee**

B.A., University of California at Berkeley

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B.A., Fordham University

**Emma Rose Zimmerman**

B.S., University of Minnesota, Twin Cities

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**Dr. Norah K. Alajaji**

B.D.S., King Saud University, Saudi Arabia

Thesis: Micro-CT Evaluation of Marginal Fit and Internal Adaptation of Ceramic Inlay Restorations: Comparing Five and Three-Axis CAM Systems with a Traditional Heat-Press Technique  
Advisor: Dr. David Bardwell

**Dr. Ruaa Abdullah S. Alamoudi**

B.D.S., King Abdulaziz University, Saudi Arabia

Thesis: Antibacterial Properties of Different Concentration of Sodium Hypochlorites and Ethlenediaminetetraacetic Acid Solutions: An *in vitro* Study  
Advisor: Dr. Driss Zoukhri

**Dr. Ghada S. Awad Ali**

B.D.S., University of Benghazi, Libya

Postgraduate Certificate of Achievement in Craniomandibular Disorders and Orofacial Pain, Tufts University School of Dental Medicine

Thesis: Surface Wear and Occlusal Stability of Oral Orthotic Devices: An *in vitro* Comparison Study of Different Occlusal Combinations

Advisor: Dr. Tofool Alghanem

**Dr. Sarah A. Almugairin**

B.D.S., King Saud University, Saudi Arabia

Postgraduate Certificate of Achievement in Pediatric Dentistry, Tufts University School of Dental Medicine

Thesis: Histological Study of Pulp Response to Different Durations of Topical Triple Antibiotic Medicament

Advisor: Dr. Driss Zoukhri

**Dr. Alaa Waleed AlQutub**

B.D.S., King Abdulaziz University, Saudi Arabia

Thesis: Microleakage Assessment of CAD/CAM Crowns with Marginal Fit Parameters

Advisor: Dr. Ali Muftu

## School of Dental Medicine

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D.M.D., University of the East, Philippines  
Thesis: Electromyographic Changes in Response to Oral Orthotic Device Therapy in Subjects with Unilateral TMD-Myofascial Pain  
Advisor: Dr. Noshir Mehta

**Dr. Ehab T. Azab**

B.D.S., King Abdulaziz University, Saudi Arabia  
Thesis: The Relationship between the Use of Online Resources and Dental Students' Attendance and Performance  
Advisor: Dr. Nadeem Karimbux

**Dr. Osama A. Bagabas**

B.D.S., King Abdulaziz University, Saudi Arabia  
Thesis: Assessment of Dental Esthetics by Patients and Their Dentists Before and After Treatment  
Advisor: Dr. Hans-Peter Weber

**Dr. Francesca Bonino**

D.D.S., Università degli Studi de Torino, Italy  
Thesis: The Impact of Peri-implant Soft Tissue Properties on Patient-reported and Clinically Assessed Outcomes: A Prospective Study  
Advisor: Dr. Hans-Peter Weber

**Dr. Irina Florentina Dragan**

D.D.S., Universitatea de Medicina si Farmacie Carol Davila, Romania  
Thesis: Assessing the Impact of the Context Aware Knowledge Retrieval Application "Infobutton" on the Speed and Accuracy of Determining Drug-Drug-Interactions in a Dental Setting: A Randomized Crossover Controlled Trial  
Advisor: Dr. Nadeem Karimbux

**Dr. Mohammed Hosni Korban**

B.D.S., Misr University of Science and Technology, Egypt  
Postgraduate Fellowship in Esthetic Dentistry, Tufts University School of Dental Medicine  
Thesis: The Effect of Ceramic Thickness and Resin Cement Shad on the Color of Porcelain Laminate Veneers upon Discolored Substructure  
Advisor: Dr. Ala Omar Ali

**Dr. John P. Morgan Jr.**

B.S., Siena College  
D.D.S., University at Buffalo  
Thesis: The Relationship of Oral Health in Adults with Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities (IDD) and Their Ability to Cooperate for Care, Type of Residence, and Level of Disability  
Advisor: Dr. Paul C. Stark

**Dr. Pinelopi Pani**

D.D.S., National and Kapodistrian University of Athens, Greece  
Thesis: IL-1B Gene Polymorphism in Association with IL-1B Levels in Gingival Crevicular Fluid (GCF) and Bacterial Profile in Periodontitis  
Advisor: Dr. Evangelos Papathanasiou

**Dr. Jake Sangchul Park**

B.A., University of Texas at Austin  
D.D.S., Columbia University  
Thesis: Apically Position Flap, Free Gingival Graft, and Apically Positioned Flap with Collagen Matrix around Dental Implants: A Randomized Controlled Trial  
Advisor: Dr. Yong Hur

**Dr. Hetaf Sameer Redwan**

B.D.S., Misr University of Science and Technology, Egypt  
Thesis: Composite Replacement of Amalgam Restoration versus Freshly Cut Dentin: An *in vitro* Microleakage Comparison  
Advisor: Dr. David Bardwell

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B.D.S., University of Benghazi, Libya  
Thesis: An *in vitro* Comparison of the Marginal Adaptation Accuracy of Restorations Using Different Impression Systems  
Advisor: Dr. Roya Zandparsa

**Dr. Azin Tarifard**

B.S., D.D.S., University of the Pacific  
Thesis: The Effect of Adhesive Systems on Fluoride Release of a Conventional Glass Ionomer  
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### An Oath for the Dental Graduate

I solemnly pledge to devote my efforts to the care of my patients.

As a member of society, with special obligations, I will treat all patients without prejudice, incorporating the knowledge and skills instilled in me by my teachers.

I will practice dentistry in an ethical and professional manner.

I will hold in confidence all matters related to them.

I will not hesitate to call upon my colleagues when their knowledge and skills are needed.

I will make every effort to maintain, contribute to, and enhance the quality of the dental profession.

I will constantly keep in mind that the practice of dentistry is a true mingling of science, technology, and caring.

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### Order of Events

#### Student and Faculty Processional

#### Greetings and Remarks

James Stavridis, *Dean*

#### Presentation of the James L. Paddock Teaching Award

Presented by: Rebecca Darcy Aguilar, *Class of 2015*  
Recipient: Jenny Aker

#### Faculty Address

Jenny Aker

#### Class Address

Anna Maddin Frances McCallie, *Class of 2015*

#### Class Address

Fern Patrice Gray, *Class of 2015*

#### Presentation of Diplomas

James Stavridis, *Dean*  
Master of Laws in International Law (LL.M)  
Master of Arts in Humanitarian Assistance (M.A.H.A.)  
Master of Arts (M.A.)  
Master of International Business (M.I.B.)  
Master of Arts in Law and Diplomacy (M.A.L.D.)

#### Presentation of Diplomas and Doctoral Hooding

James Stavridis, *Dean*  
Ian Johnstone, *Academic Dean and Professor of International Law*  
Doctor of Philosophy (Ph.D.)

#### Closing Remarks

James Stavridis, *Dean*

#### Faculty Recessional

*Music by Gainsborough Brass Ensemble.*  
*A reception under the tent on Fletcher Field will follow the ceremony.*



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#### *Master of Laws in International Law*

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**María de los Ángeles Estrada González**

Licenciado en Derecho, Instituto Tecnológico Autónomo de México

**Hidenori Ihara**

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LL.M., Hitotsubashi University, Japan  
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**Tara Sepehri Far**

B.S., Sharif University of Technology, Tehran

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B.A., University of Virginia  
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**Gerta Uruçi-Limani**

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Masters of Civil Law, University of Prishtina, Kosovo

**Andreas K. Wendl**

Erstes Staatsexamen, Humboldt Universität zu Berlin  
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#### *Master of Arts in Humanitarian Assistance*

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B.A., Università Degli Studi di Padova

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#### *Master of Arts*

**Jason Thomas Adair\***

Bachelor of Military Arts & Sciences, Royal Military College of Canada

**Ashley Amber Adewuyi**

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B.S.S., University of Cape Town

**Honey Al Sayed**

B.S., University of the State of New York

**Sumaya Mubarak Saif Al-Thani\***

Bachelor of Administrative Sciences and Economics, University of Qatar

**Joyce Aluoch\*\***

LL.B., University of Nairobi

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B.A., National and Kapodistrian University of Athens

**Stergios Bakaloudis\***

Degree, Hellenic Police School of Officers, Greece  
Political Science Diploma, Aristotle University of Thessaloniki

**Tebatso Future Baleseng**

B.A., University of Botswana

**David Leigh Ballif\***

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**George James Bauler II\***

B.A., Wheaton College

**Elizabeth Anne Becker**

B.A., Dickinson College

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B.Sc., Lunds Universitet

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B.S., United States Air Force Academy  
M.S., Massachusetts Institute of Technology  
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**Elizabeth Block\***

A.B., Brown University

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B.S., University of Vermont  
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**Stylianos Chatzidakis**

B.A., Hellenic Policy Academy

**Jason Scott Clarke**

B.A., Pennsylvania State University

**Matthew Joseph Cox\***

B.A., University of South Carolina

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B.E., University of Edinburgh

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B.A., Lawrence University

**Travis Douglas Wheeler**

B.A., DePaul University

**Jonathan M. White**

B.A., California State University, Monterey Bay

**Leon Whyte**

B.S., Appalachian State University

## The Fletcher School of Law and Diplomacy

### Candidates for Degrees

**Andrew Guy Williams\***

B.A., University of Pennsylvania

**James Harrison Williams\***

A.B., Brown University

**Ethan A. Wilson\***

B.A., University of Massachusetts Amherst

**Rosemary Leigh Winn**

B.A., University of Canterbury, New Zealand

**Namsai Wongsaree**

B.A., Thammasat University, Thailand

**Peter Worth**

B.A., University of St. Gallen

**Pauline Yang**

B.A. & B.M., University of Southern California

M.M., University of Southern California

**Kathleen Michele Yaworsky**

B.A., Bowdoin College

**Jae Hyung Yoo**

B.A., Hankuk University of Foreign Studies, Republic of Korea

**Uzair M. Younus**

B.S., Bentley University

**Amela Zanic\***

B.S., California Polytechnic State University, Pomona

**Mollie Eileen Zapata**

B.A., Boston University

**Trevor Thomas Zimmer**

B.A., University of Washington

**Caleb Ziolkowski**

B.S., Colorado Christian University

***Doctor of Philosophy***

**Sarah Beila Chankin Gould\*\***

B.A., Occidental College

M.A.L.D., The Fletcher School of Law and Diplomacy

Dissertation: Targeting Armed Violence: Implications of Localized Efforts to Control Small Arms Proliferation and Misuse in the Former Yugoslavia

**Richard Chesley Thurber III**

B.A., Middlebury College

M.A.L.D., The Fletcher School of Law and Diplomacy

Dissertation: Between Mao and Gandhi: Strategies of Violence and Nonviolence in Revolutionary Movements

**Marina Travayiakis\***

B.A., Boston College

M.A.L.D., The Fletcher School of Law and Diplomacy

Dissertation: Discourse Matters: The Impact of Civil-Military Relations on the Post-Conflict Planning Process



# Commencement 2015

33<sup>RD</sup> COMMENCEMENT

Cummings School of Veterinary Medicine

## Cummings School of Veterinary Medicine

### Order of Events

<b>Musical Prelude</b>	Symphonic Brass Quartet
<b>Processional</b>	
<b>Greetings and Remarks</b>	Deborah T. Kochevar, D.V.M., Ph.D., <i>Dean</i> David R. Harris, Ph.D., <i>Provost and Senior Vice President</i> William S. Cummings, B.A., A58, H06, <i>University Trustee Emeritus</i> Joyce M. Cummings, <i>Co-founder, Cummings Foundation, Inc.</i> John H. de Jong, B.S., A78, D.V.M., V85, <i>University Trustee and Member of the Board of Advisors for Cummings School of Veterinary Medicine</i>
<b>Introduction of Dignitaries and Distinguished Guests</b>	Deborah T. Kochevar, D.V.M., Ph.D., <i>Dean</i>
<b>Faculty Address</b>	Claire Sharp, B.V.M.S., <i>Assistant Professor of Clinical Sciences</i>
<b>Class Address</b>	Sean James Gaw, <i>Class of 2015</i>
<b>Class Gift</b>	Shira Jan Feinstein, Laura Kathryn King, <i>Co-Presidents, Class of 2015</i>
<b>Presentation of Awards</b>	Presented by: Angeline E. Warner, D.V.M., S.D., <i>Associate Dean for Academic Affairs</i> HENRY E. CHILDERS, D.V.M., AWARD Recipient: Keith M. Astrofsky, D.V.M., V97  Presented by: Deborah T. Kochevar, D.V.M., Ph.D., <i>Dean</i> ARTEMIS AWARD FOR CLINICAL EXCELLENCE Recipient: Alfredo Sanchez Londoño, M.V., <i>Associate Professor of Environmental and Population Health</i>  ZOETIS DISTINGUISHED VETERINARY TEACHER AWARD Recipient: Joyce Knoll, V.M.D., Ph.D., <i>Associate Professor of Biomedical Sciences</i>  ZOETIS AWARD FOR VETERINARY RESEARCH EXCELLENCE Recipient: Lluís Ferrer, L.V., Ph.D., <i>Professor of Clinical Sciences</i>
<b>Presentation of Faculty Emeritus/a Certificates</b>	Presented by: Deborah T. Kochevar, D.V.M., Ph.D., <i>Dean</i> Recipients: Arthur Donohue-Rolfe, Ph.D., <i>Associate Professor of Biomedical Sciences</i> Mary Rose Paradis, D.V.M., <i>Associate Professor of Clinical Sciences</i> Mark A. Pokras, D.V.M., <i>Associate Professor of Infectious Disease and Global Health</i> George Saperstein, D.V.M., <i>Professor of Environmental and Population Health</i>



## Cummings School of Veterinary Medicine

### Order of Events

#### **Presentation of Diplomas and Hooding of Graduates**

Deborah T. Kochevar, D.V.M., Ph.D., *Dean*

Arthur Donohue-Rolfe, Ph.D., *Associate Professor of Biomedical Sciences*

Mary Rose Paradis, D.V.M., *Associate Professor of Clinical Sciences*

Alison H. Robbins, D.V.M., V92, *Research Assistant Professor of Infectious Disease and Global Health*

Marieke H. Rosenbaum, D.V.M., V14, M.P.H., MG14, *Research Assistant Professor of Infectious Disease and Global Health*

Allen T. Rutberg, Ph.D., *Research Assistant Professor of Biomedical Sciences*

Saul Tzipori, B.V.Sc., D.V.Sc., Ph.D, *Distinguished Professor of Infectious Disease and Global Health*

Angeline E. Warner, D.V.M., S.D., *Associate Dean for Academic Affairs*

Barbara A. Berman, *Assistant Dean for Student Affairs*

Vicki A. VanderSluis, *Administrative Assistant*

#### **Administration of the Veterinarian's Oath**

Adam Arzt, V.M.D., *President, Massachusetts Veterinary Medical Association*

#### **Closing Remarks**

Deborah T. Kochevar, D.V.M., Ph.D., *Dean*

#### **Recessional**

*Reception for Graduates and Guests*

## Cummings School of Veterinary Medicine

### Candidates for Degrees

#### *Doctor of Veterinary Medicine*

**Sara Rebecca Barlowe**

B.S., Emory University

**Grace Jieun Barnett**

B.A., Wellesley College

**Ashley R. Beard**

B.S., Loyola University Maryland

**Lisa Anne Bethune+**

B.S., Sweet Briar College

M.P.H., University of Maryland

**Alycia M. Bille+**

B.S., Massachusetts College of Pharmacy and Health Sciences

**Caroline Maxine Bodi+**

B.S., Wake Forest University

**Rachel Kathryn Burns**

B.S., The Ohio State University

**Brianna C. Carey**

B.S., University of Rhode Island

**Erin Clifford Carey**

A.B., Harvard University

**Nathan Y. Chan**

B.S., University of Massachusetts Amherst

**Stephanie Cheney**

B.A., Boston University

**Meghan Elizabeth Clark+**

B.S., University of Connecticut

**Ocean Rose Cohen**

B.S., University of Central Florida

**Kevin Matthew Connolly**

B.A., Brown University

Ph.D., University of California at Los Angeles

**Casey Ng Connors^**

University of California at Los Angeles

**Samantha L. Corrado**

B.S., Ithaca College

**Sarah T. Dale**

A.B., Bowdoin College

**Heather Marie DeRico+**

B.S., University of Connecticut

**Shailey DeVito**

B.M., Indiana University Bloomington

B.S., Indiana University Bloomington

**Meranda M. Dickey**

B.S., University of Miami

**Shira Jan Feinstein**

B.S., University of Northern Colorado

**Lindsay Rose Forgette**

B.S., University of Connecticut

**Miranda Suzanne Gallo+**

B.A., Bates College

**Sean James Gaw**

B.Arch., Syracuse University

**Aliza Gentili-Lloyd**

B.S., University of Washington

**Melanie Ann Glass+**

B.A., Boston University

**Emerlyn Goh**

B.A., Rutgers, The State University of New Jersey

**Philip Edward Stanley Hamel^**

B.S., University of Massachusetts Amherst

**Jennifer Elizabeth Heiba**

B.S., Tufts University

**Elizabeth Ann Helton**

B.S., University of Massachusetts Amherst

M.S., University of Michigan-Ann Arbor

**Marni Hersh bain+**

B.A., Vassar College

**Olivia Ann Holston+**

B.S., University of Massachusetts Amherst

**Cynthia R. Hopf**

B.S., University of Massachusetts Amherst

**Rachel Lee Kehs**

B.A., Goucher College

**Laura Kathryn King**

B.S., Washington and Lee University

**Kathleen Gwendolyn Knapp**

B.A., Wheaton College (Massachusetts)

**Emily Margaret Kodis**

B.A., Wesleyan University

**Stephanie L. Kozol**

B.S., University of Massachusetts Amherst

**Kendra E. LaFauci+**

B.S., Tufts University

**Stephany E. Lewis+**

B.A., University of Pennsylvania

**Noelle Elizabeth Litra+**

B.S., Ithaca College

## Cummings School of Veterinary Medicine

### Candidates for Degrees

**Melissa Nicole Loewinger**

A.B., Princeton University

**Amanda Corrine Lopez**

B.S., University of Connecticut

**Crystal Mariel Lora**

B.A., Boston University

**Evin Hunter Luehrs<sup>^</sup>**

B.A., Reed College

**Coral Ma<sup>+</sup>**

B.A., University of California at Berkeley

**Joshua Kenneth Malouin<sup>+</sup>**

B.S., Providence College

M.S., University of Connecticut

**Shawna Rae McArdle**

B.A., Williams College

**Maureen S. McDermott<sup>^</sup>**

B.S., Clarkson University

**Kelsey Lee McKenna**

B.S., University of Rhode Island

**Patricia Marie McMahan<sup>+</sup>**

B.S., DeSales University

**Kellyn Elizabeth McNulty<sup>+</sup>**

B.S., Saint Vincent College

**Rachel Erin Mestel<sup>+</sup>**

B.A., Vassar College

**Elissa R. Mopper<sup>+</sup>**

B.A., Grinnell College

**Alexzandra Lee Mosel<sup>^</sup>**

B.S., University of Michigan

**Shannon A. Moynahan<sup>+</sup>**

B.S., Boston College

**Leah Shea Nagel**

B.A., Middlebury College

**Scott Victor Neabore**

B.A., College of the Holy Cross

M.S., Fordham University

**Michelle Joy Newton**

B.S., Villanova University

**Anna Novakowski**

B.S., Colorado State University

**Ryan Oliveira**

B.S., Tufts University

**Katherine E. Patellos**

B.S., Duke University

**Brittany Susan Pereira<sup>+</sup>**

B.S., Brown University

**Elizabeth A. Peura**

B.S., University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign

**Emily Picciotto**

B.A., Middlebury College

**Anna Maria Podgórska<sup>+</sup>**

B.A., Fordham University

M.A., Columbia University

**Allison Beth Prokop**

B.S., University of Vermont

**Illiana Celia Quimbaya**

A.B., Harvard University

A.M., Harvard University

Ph.D., Harvard University

**Leah Reilly**

B.S., Cornell University

**Darryn Elliot Remillard**

B.S., Hawaii Pacific University

**Linnea Anne Robison**

B.S., Indiana University of Pennsylvania

**Kyle Ross**

B.S., Saint Louis University

**Stephanie Sapowicz<sup>+</sup>**

B.S., Brandeis University

**Marie Davis Schubert**

B.A., Union College

**Stacy Segal-Reichlin**

B.A., George Washington University

**Sarah Melissa Sharp<sup>++</sup>**

B.A., Stanford University

**Bethany Smith**

B.S., University of Massachusetts Lowell

**Stella L. Spears**

B.S., Emory University

**Michelle Marie Stewart**

B.S., Carnegie Mellon University

**Andrea Marie Sullivan**

B.A., Boston University

**Cathy Sun**

B.S., Boston College

**Joseph T. Sweeney<sup>+</sup>**

B.S., Boston University

**Cummings School of Veterinary Medicine**  
Candidates for Degrees

**Danielle C. Teehan**  
B.S., Northeastern University

**Lara M. Tomich**  
B.S., Cornell University

**Paula Louise Turner**  
B.S., Binghamton University

**Robert Emerson Tuttle+**  
B.A., Middlebury College

**Katherine Tyler**  
B.A., Columbia University

**Sarah Alexandra Vidal**  
B.S., University of Miami

**Emma Catherine Watts**  
B.A., Columbia University

**Lauren Beth Wertheimer**  
B.S., University of Maryland

**Alyssa K. Wheat**  
B.S., University of Vermont

**Jourdan Nichole White**  
B.S., Simmons College

**Helen Yu**  
B.S., The City College of New York

**Quan Yuan+**  
B.S., Nanjing University, China  
Ph.D., University of Massachusetts Worcester

**Bushra Zaidi+**  
B.S., Hunter College of the City University of New York  
M.A., Columbia University

**Doctor of Veterinary Medicine and Master of Arts**  
Robert Emerson Tuttle

**Doctor of Veterinary Medicine and Master of Science  
in Laboratory Animal Medicine**

Grace Jieun Barnett  
Caroline Maxine Bodi  
Nathan Y. Chan  
Lindsay Rose Forgette  
Miranda Suzanne Gallo  
Darryn Elliot Remillard

**Doctor of Veterinary Medicine and  
Master of Public Health**

Sarah T. Dale  
Aliza Gentili-Lloyd  
Philip Edward Stanley Hamel  
Kyle Ross

**Master of Science in Animals and Public Policy**

**Christopher Crew Baker\***  
B.A., University of Wisconsin–Madison

**Rachael K. Bell**  
B.S., Boston College

**Melanie Berk\*\*\***  
B.A., Oberlin College

**Melissa Hoffman\*\*\***  
B.A., University of California at Los Angeles

**Tamara Kartal\*\*\***  
Diplom, University of Hamburg, Germany

**Kelsea Lynn Lambert\***  
B.S., Cornell University

**Ann Katelynn Bloethe Linder\***  
B.A., Davidson College

**Elizabeth Malcolm\***  
B.S., Chapman University

**Danika Oriol-Morway\*\*\***  
B.A., Vassar College

**Kali M. Pereira\*\*\***  
B.S.N., Florida Gulf Coast University

**Jessica Nora Popescu\***  
B.A., North Carolina State University

**Christina M. Russo\***  
A.B., Smith College  
M.F.A., Bennington College

**Ellen C. Vancelette\***  
B.S., University of Rhode Island

**Master of Science in Conservation Medicine**

**Jessica Beltran\***  
B.A., Northwestern University

**Yih Tyng Bong\***  
D.V.M., National Pingtung University of Science and Technology,  
China

**Courtney Elizabeth Collishaw\***  
B.S., North Carolina State University

**Autumn Lecil Dutelle\***  
B.S., Colorado State University  
D.V.M., Colorado State University

**Kathryn Dawn Howell\***  
B.S., Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University

**Marissa Justina Jenko\***  
B.S., University of Massachusetts Amherst

+Phi Zeta Honor Society ++Thesis ^Honos Civicus Society  
\*August 2014 \*\*November 2014 \*\*\*February 2015

## Cummings School of Veterinary Medicine

Candidates for Degrees/Awards and Distinctions/Candidates for Certificates

### **Ashley Manari\***

B.S., Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University  
D.V.M., Virginia-Maryland College of Veterinary Medicine

### **Therese McNamee\***

B.A., Boston University

### **Joanna Anna Proszowska-Szewerniak\*\***

B.S., University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign  
D.V.M., University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign

### **Meredith Laurel McCormick Reeve\*\*\***

B.S., Colorado State University

### **Alec J. Schmidt\***

B.A., Bard College at Simon's Rock

### **Jessica Lynn Sparks\***

B.A., University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill  
M.S.W., Washington University in St. Louis

### **Virginia Marie Stout\***

B.S., Washington State University  
D.V.M., Auburn University

### **Chantal Milne Villeneuve\***

B.S., University of New Hampshire

### ***Doctor of Philosophy***

#### **Bingling Xu\*\***

B.V.M., China Agricultural University  
Dissertation: Developing Enterovirus 71 Vaccine Using  
Non-Invasive Approaches  
Advisor: Saul Tzipori, B.V.Sc., D.V.Sc., Ph.D.

### Awards and Distinctions

#### **Henry L. Foster, D.V.M., Scholarships**

Caroline Maxine Bodi  
Lindsay Rose Forgette  
Miranda Suzanne Gallo  
Kellyn Elizabeth McNulty  
Robert Emerson Tuttle  
Quan Yuan

### **International Veterinary Medicine**

#### **Postgraduate Certificates**

Melanie Ann Glass  
Evin Hunter Luehrs  
Elissa R. Mopper  
Emily Picciotto  
Robert Emerson Tuttle

### ***Certificates of Internship***

#### **Brent Aona, D.V.M.**

Rotating Internship in Small Animal Medicine/Surgery

#### **Gina Camarata, D.V.M., V14**

Large Animal Medicine in a Joint Program with Massachusetts  
Equine Clinic

#### **Whitney Fry, D.V.M.**

Rotating Internship in Small Animal Medicine/Surgery

#### **Emma Gorenberg, V.M.D.**

Large Animal Medicine in a Joint Program with  
Massachusetts Equine Clinic

#### **Ellen Haynes, D.V.M.**

Wildlife and Conservation Medicine

#### **Tiffany Jagodich, D.V.M.**

Rotating Internship in Small Animal Medicine/Surgery

#### **Brandy Kragness, D.V.M.**

Rotating Internship in Small Animal Medicine/Surgery

#### **Amanda B. Lohin, D.V.M.**

Rotating Internship in Small Animal Medicine/Surgery

#### **Jillian R. Morlock, D.V.M., V14**

Rotating Internship in Small Animal Medicine/Surgery

#### **Valerie Nesser, D.V.M.**

Rotating Internship in Small Animal Medicine/Surgery

#### **Jessica Owens, D.V.M.**

Large Animal Surgery

#### **Elizabeth Parsley, D.V.M.**

Rotating Internship in Small Animal Medicine/Surgery

#### **Priya Patel, B.V.M.**

Wildlife and Conservation Medicine

#### **Erik Zager, D.V.M.**

Emergency and Critical Care Medicine

## Cummings School of Veterinary Medicine

### Candidates for Certificates

#### *Certificates of Residency*

**Michael Cruz Penn, D.V.M.**

Anatomic Pathology

**Katherine A. Cummings, D.V.M.**

Anesthesia

**Gideon N. Daniel, D.V.M.**

Small Animal Internal Medicine

**Rebecca K. Davies, D.V.M., V11**

Emergency and Critical Care Medicine in Association with  
Tufts Veterinary Emergency Treatment and Specialties

**Brandi R. Gallagher, D.V.M.**

Small Animal Internal Medicine

**Deanna M. Gazzo, V.M.D.**

Large Animal Surgery

**Kara Gornik, D.V.M.**

Ophthalmology

**Daniel J. Jardes, D.V.M., I12**

Small Animal Internal Medicine

**Lily N. Johnson, D.V.M., V12**

Clinical Nutrition

**Alex Lynch, B.V.Sc., I12**

Emergency and Critical Care Medicine

**Bobbi McQuown, D.V.M.**

Small Animal Medical Oncology

**Alexandra Pfaff, T.**

Emergency and Critical Care Medicine in Association with  
Tufts Veterinary Emergency Treatment and Specialties

**Harpreet Singh, D.V.M., I12**

Small Animal Surgery

**Tracy N. Sutton, D.V.M., V11**

Neurology/Neurosurgery

**David Szabo, D.V.M.**

Diagnostic Imaging

**Kathryn Weiss, D.V.M.**

Neurology/Neurosurgery

**Andrea M. Weissman, V.M.D.**

Diagnostic Imaging

**Vicky K. Yang, D.V.M., V09, Ph.D.**

Cardiology

**Xixing Zhao, B.A.Sc., Ph.D.**

Anatomic Pathology

#### Veterinarian's Oath

Being admitted to the profession of veterinary medicine, I solemnly swear to use my scientific knowledge and skills for the benefit of society through the protection of animal health and welfare, the prevention and relief of animal suffering, the conservation of animal resources, the promotion of public health, and the advancement of medical knowledge.

I will practice my profession conscientiously, with dignity, and in keeping with the principles of veterinary medical ethics.

I accept as a lifelong obligation the continual improvement of my professional knowledge and competence.

# Commencement 2015

34<sup>TH</sup> COMMENCEMENT

Gerald J. and Dorothy R. Friedman  
School of Nutrition Science and Policy



## Friedman School of Nutrition Science and Policy

### Order of Events

#### Processional

#### Master of Ceremony

Edward Saltzman, M.D., *Academic Dean for Education*

#### Welcome from the Board of Trustees

Teri C. Volpert, J84, *University Trustee and Member of the Friedman School Board of Advisors*

#### Charge to the Graduates

Dariush Mozaffarian, M.D., Dr.P.H., *Dean*

#### Class Address

Daniel Hatfield, Ph.D.

#### Commencement Address

Cristiana Falcone-Sorrell, F01, N01, *Friedman School Board of Advisors*

#### Presentation of Diplomas

Edward Saltzman, M.D.  
Matthew Hast, M.A., *Assistant Dean of Student Affairs*

#### Master of Science/ Combined Dietetic Internship Pin

Carol A. Palmer, Ed.D., *Director, Master's Program/Dietetic Internship*  
Kelly A. Kane, M.S., *Nutrition Education Coordinator, Frances Stern Nutrition Center*

#### Master of Science

Edward Saltzman, M.D.  
Matthew Hast, M.A.

#### Master of Science/Master of Public Health

Edward Saltzman, M.D.  
Matthew Hast, M.A.

#### Master of Science/Master of Arts in Law and Diplomacy

Edward Saltzman, M.D.  
Matthew Hast, M.A.

#### Master of Science/Master of Arts in Urban and Environmental Policy and Planning

Edward Saltzman, M.D.  
Matthew Hast, M.A.

#### Master of Nutrition Science and Policy

Edward Saltzman, M.D.  
Matthew Hast, M.A.

#### Master of Arts in Humanitarian Assistance

Edward Saltzman, M.D.  
Matthew Hast, M.A.

#### Presentation of the Rebecca Roubenoff Award

Carol A. Palmer, Ed.D.  
Kelly A. Kane, M.S.

#### Presentation of the Marianne Louise Mock Dallas Prize

Edward Saltzman, M.D.  
Recipient: Shanshan Liu

#### Presentation of the Joan M. Bergstrom Student Award for Excellence in Global Nutrition

Dariush Mozaffarian, M.D., Dr.P.H.  
Recipient: Hassan Dashti

#### Presentation of the Irwin H. Rosenberg Award for Excellence in Predoctoral Research

Edward Saltzman, M.D.  
Recipient: Hassan Dashti

#### Presentation of Diplomas and Hooding of Candidates for the Doctor of Philosophy

Edward Saltzman, M.D.  
Matthew Hast, M.A.

#### Doctoral Hooding

Sarah Booth, Ph.D.  
Christina Economos, Ph.D.  
Nicola McKeown, Ph.D.  
José Ordovás, Ph.D.

#### Closing

Edward Saltzman, M.D.

*A reception will follow the ceremony in the Remis Sculpture Court.*

## Friedman School of Nutrition Science and Policy

### Candidates for Degrees

#### *Master of Science/Combined Dietetic Internship*

**Nicholes James Armstrong**

B.S., Framingham State University

**Elizabeth Ann Chin**

B.S., University of Rhode Island

**Paige Lauren Cross**

B.S., Pennsylvania State University

**Haley Lynn Hooks<sup>^</sup>**

B.S., Boston University

**Samantha Salazar Ordonez**

B.S., University of Hawai'i at Mānoa

**Rebecca Jean Stanski**

B.S., Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University

**Kelsey Danielle Watson**

B.S., Olivet Nazarene University

**Madelyn Elise Wilson**

B.S., Texas Christian University

#### *Master of Science*

**Badreya A I N Y Al-Lahou**

B.S., Kuwait University

**Nichole Carine Ayache**

B.S., Yale University

**Julianka Andres Bell<sup>^</sup>**

B.A., Temple University

**Brittany Ellen Cooper**

B.S., B.A., Pacific Lutheran University

**Emily Jane Dimiero**

B.A., Hamilton College

**Lara Goodrich Ezor<sup>\*\*</sup>**

B.A., Whitman College

**Abraham Shaul Faham**

B.A., Hunter College of the City University of New York

**Erin Ann Michael Foster West<sup>^</sup>**

B.A., Macalester College

**Grace Elizabeth Goodwin<sup>^</sup>**

B.A., Colgate University

**Danielle Marie Goryl<sup>\*</sup>**

B.S., Boston University

**Jordan Lee Haddock**

B.S., King's College

**Matthew Arthur Hazel**

B.S., Nyack College

**Leah Diane Hermens**

B.A., University of California at Los Angeles

**Ravdeep Jaidka**

B.S., Cornell University

**Taylor Reid Jang**

B.S., Northwestern University

**Rachel Rebecca Jarvis<sup>\*</sup>**

B.S., University of Maryland

**Rebecca Lisa Jay**

B.A., George Washington University

**Samantha Jean Kelly<sup>^</sup>**

B.A., Columbia University

**Cailin Rose Kowalewski**

B.A., State University of New York at Geneseo

**Janeen Madan**

B.A., Vassar College

**Wendy Wanning Mainardi<sup>\*</sup>**

B.A., Boston University

**Christa Leigh Mayfield**

B.A., Oral Roberts University

**Ashley Cathryn McCarthy**

B.A., Creighton University

**Theresa Siobhán McMenomy**

B.A., University of Minnesota, Morris

**Joan Marie Misek**

B.A., Vermont College at Norwich University

**Paula-Dene Christina Nesbeth**

B.A., Grinnell College

**Brittany Peats**

B.A., Vassar College

**Margaret Mae Reid**

B.S., University of Utah

**Adrienne Ann Roberts**

B.S., California State Polytechnic University, Pomona

**Nina Rachel Rogowsky**

B.A., Brandeis University

**Joshua Marc Rothman**

B.A., Pomona College

**Kristin Alice Roynesdal<sup>\*</sup>**

B.S., Davidson College

**Mary Katherine Schaffner**

B.S., University of California at Santa Cruz

**Robin Shrestha**

M.B.B.S., Xinxiang Medical University, China

## Friedman School of Nutrition Science and Policy

### Candidates for Degrees

**Stephanie Blair Snell**

B.S., The George Washington University

**Nathaniel William Spence**

B.A., University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill

**Christine Tobin Sullivan**

B.S., University of Vermont

**Thony Tran**

B.S., University of Massachusetts Amherst

**Maura Elizabeth Walker**

B.S., University of Maine

**Max Alexander Wall**

B.A., Hamilton College

***Master of Science/Master of Public Health***

**Holly Prescott Batchelder\***

B.S., Bucknell University

**Winne Fay Lumpkin Bell\*\***

B.A., Northeastern University

**Samantha Elouise Berger\*\***

B.S., Hofstra University

**Clarissa Murphy Brown^**

B.A., Lafayette College

**Sheryl Lynn J. Carvajal\*\***

B.S., Florida State University

**Grace YanLeong Chan**

B.S., University of California at Berkeley

**Alison Ann Cross\*\***

B.A., Rollins College

**Micheline Rosaria DelGizzi\*\*^**

B.A., University of Virginia

**Jacklyn Grace Emilo\*\***

B.S., University of Vermont

**Meaghan Pierannunzi Glenn\*\***

B.S., Georgetown University

**Abigail Lyn Harper**

B.S., University of Massachusetts Amherst

**Natalie Obermeyer Hunter\*\***

B.A., Dartmouth College

**Elizabeth Groll Langevin\*^**

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