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Commencement 2015

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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,

Tony Monaco

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.

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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
- Cousins 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.

African 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 Cousins 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:
(As of 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 on J Field, 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 Cousins 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.
# Class Year Abbreviations

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University Commencement
Order of Events

Musical Prelude
Tufts University Wind Ensemble
John McCann, Director

Commencement Marshal
Paul J. Tringale, Secretary of the Corporation

Processional
Presenter
Boris Hasselblatt, Associate Provost
Alumni Marshal
Elizabeth Jones Moginot, Representing the 25th Reunion Class

National Anthem
Emma Daniels A15
Grace Oberhofer A15
Yasmine Swanson A15

Invocation
The Reverend Gregory McGonigle, University Chaplain

Welcome
Anthony P. Monaco, President of the University

Conferring of Honorary Degrees
Anthony P. Monaco, President

Recipients of Honorary Degrees
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

The Commencement Address
Madeleine K. Albright

Recipients of Dean Emeritus/a Certificates
G. Kim Knox, School of Engineering
Bruce H. Reitman, School of Engineering and School of Arts and Sciences

Recipients of Faculty Emeritus/a Certificates
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

Conferring of Degrees in Course
Anthony P. Monaco, President
Peter R. Dolan, Chairman, Board of Trustees
David R. Harris, Provost and Senior Vice President

Remarks
Peter R. Dolan, Chairman, Board of Trustees

Closing
Anthony P. Monaco, President

Benediction
Rabbi Jeffrey Summit, Jewish Chaplain

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.
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!

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.

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.

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.

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 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.
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...
Recipient 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 Ovonics, 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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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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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.
Commencement 2015

159th Commencement
School of Arts and Sciences

145th 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 H e1er A15 William A. Lenk E15 George N. Wojcik A15

The Gemma Cifarelli Memorial Scholarship
Katharine E. Groesch A16 William C. Pear E16

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 Anket 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. Lacek E16 Alana M. Lustenberger E15 Kyle J. Slinger E15

The Frederick Melvin Ellis Prize
Stephanie M. Alimen E15 Abigail R. Cohen A15 Thomas R. Ryan A15 Allan Lee Yau A15

The Ivan Galactic 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 I. 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. Low A15

The Navy V-12/NROTC Memorial Prize
David J. Forse y E15 Vadim Reythl E15

The Class of 1947 Victor Prather Prize
Rachel Elizabeth Korus A15 Andrew S. Ros en 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
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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
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Anna McCallie F15

Friedman School of Nutrition Science and Policy
Clairissa Brown N15

Graduate School of Arts and Sciences
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School of Dental Medicine
Joke Alesh D15 Daniel Gonzales D15

School of Medicine
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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
Charles Larcom A15
Sofia Linares Vásquez A15
Lillian Lu A15
Tyler Lawrence Maher A15
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Katherine Marie Marchand A15
Julie Margolies A15
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Sara Palacios A15
Mark Katz Meiselbach A15
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Adam Christopher Nagy A15
Elwin Ng A15
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Ryan M. Parigoris A15
Leah Petrucelli A15
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Adel Masako Polldore A15
Enxhi Popa A15
Marcy S. Regalado A15
Nicholas Richard A15
Anecia Richards E15
Drew Zenni Robertson 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
Emmani Holyfield A15
Emma Husted-Sherman A15
Allison Nicole Jeffery A15
Robert Joseph A15
Michael Kareff A15
Chrysal Koech A15
Rene Lamoreau A15
Gabriel Lara 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

Biology
The Lily Glidden Award
Maria A. Munoz A18
Crista Wadsworth Gs
The Nancy W. Anderson Award for Environmental Sustainability
Anne E. Stratton A15

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 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
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Jessica N. Spradlin A16

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Undergraduate Awards/Departmental Prizes and Scholarships

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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. Strelitz 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
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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
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Ariel Joy Branz
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Sydney Char
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Daniel Kane
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Michael Reilly Kenny
Samuel Kessel
Kevin Michael Kozkowski
Nicholas R. Larew
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David Thomas Lyle
Catherine Ellen Madden
Scott Robert Nicholson
Hyung-So Park
Amanda Kay Rock
Andrew Scott Rosen
Mitchell David Saeger
Allen Christopher Shinn
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Ripley Swan
Nicole Tang
Ean Michael Wong
Timothy Wong
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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
Leamari 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
Berence Diaz, 2013
Andrew Hunter, 2015
Katherine Quackenbush, 2015

Outstanding Academic
Scholarship
Leamari Gordon, 2015
Kristin Haas, 2015
Ariel Horowitz, 2015

Outstanding Contributions
to Undergraduate
Education
Sarah Pila, 2015

Outstanding Graduate
Contributor to Engineering
Education
Carolyn Talmage, 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
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Marah Contreras, 2014
Caitlin DeCortin, 2014
Casey Diederich, 2012
Brett Gallo, 2014
Leamari 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
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Lara Vujovic, 2012
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Candidates for Bachelor’s Degrees

Bachelor of Science in Engineering Science
Anthony James Garrity
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
Madeleine 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 Reyblat
Amanda K. Rock
Alejandro F. Ruiz-Ramon
Andrew Ross Schnee
Zachary Taylor Serlin
Andrew David Shum
Zachary Michael Stuart
Duncan S. Swain
Nicole Tang
Blake R. Tashjian**
Theodore William Vandenberg
Meredith Angelica Wagner
John A. Webster III
Jenna A Wojtas
Timothy M. Wong**
Emily Simpson Wright
John S. Wright
Jessica Wu

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

Barbara A. Rockett, M.D., University Trustee Emerita
Peter W. Bates, M.D., Academic Dean, Maine Medical Center

Hooding  Robert G. Bing-You, M.D., M.Ed., M.B.A., Vice President Medical Education, 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
Barbara A. Rockett, M.D., University Trustee Emerita

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Doctoral Faculty Advisors

Presentation of Diplomas to M.D./Ph.D. Candidates
Harris A. Berman, M.D., Dean, School of Medicine
Naomi Rosenberg, Ph.D., Dean, Sackler School of Graduate Biomedical Sciences
Barbara A. Rockett, M.D., University Trustee Emerita

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Amy B. Kuhlik, M.D., Dean of Students
Doctoral Faculty Advisors

Administration of Modern Hippocratic Oath
Wayne J. Altman, M.D., Associate Professor of Family Medicine

Recessional
Candidates for Combined Degrees

Doctor of Medicine and Master of Business Administration in Health Management

Brett Michael Baker
B.S., University of Massachusetts Boston
M.S., Tufts University

Karthik Devarajan
B.A., Vanderbilt University

Michael Do
B.S., University of California at Los Angeles

Mikel Ander Etchegaray
B.A., Hamilton College

Peter Baker Kelsey Jr.
B.S., Wake Forest University

Caitlin Spillane King†
B.S., Duke University

Christian Ayer Merrill Jr.
B.S., University of Virginia

Manasa Bhandarkar Mouli
B.A., Brandeis University

Rajeev Chandra Saxena
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

Rona Wang
B.S., Duke University

Mary Thuy Linh Ha Wong
B.S., University of California at Irvine

Doctor of Medicine and Master of Public Health

Jonathan Fainberg†
B.A., Columbia University

Cedar J. Fowler
B.A., Reed College
Ph.D., University of Cambridge, England

Andrew S. Hwang±
Sc.B., Brown University

Mariah L. Kincaid†
B.S., Colorado State University

Lisa Gail Kipersztok†^
B.S., University of Central Florida

Sophia Anna Kostelanetz†^†
B.A., Tufts University

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B.A., University of Pennsylvania

Gabriela Natalia Kuficne
B.S., University of California at Los Angeles

Kiger Megan Kia Lau±
B.S., Brandeis University

Robertino Dominic Lim
B.A., Vassar College

Nathan J. Macedo^†
B.S., Boston College

Sindhya Rajeev^†
B.A., University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill

Olivia James Russell
B.A., University of California at Santa Barbara

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B.A., College of William & Mary

Kira Conway Watson
B.A., Pomona College

Audra Dale Williams†^†
B.S.E., University of Michigan-Ann Arbor

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**School of Medicine**
Candidates for Combined Degrees—Maine Track Program

**Doctor of Medicine and Master of Public Health**
Sarah Elizabeth Gray
B.A., University of Virginia

**Doctor of Medicine**
Mariam Laura Alam^$
B.S., Bates College

Kevin Francis Baier
B.A., Colby College

Erica Dawn Brown
B.S., University of Maine

AmyLouise Cooper Case
B.A., Bryn Mawr College

Kenneth Thomas Chin
B.S., Northeastern University

Margaret Ann Clukey
B.A., B.S., University of Dallas

Margaret Williams Curran
B.S., Bates College

Jessica Dietz Daley†
B.A., Hamilton College

Bethany Ann Darling
B.A., Colby College

Rachel Elizabeth Eliason
B.S., Dalhousie University, Canada

Lindsey A. Fitzgerald
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Sarah Elaine Gilligan†
B.A., Tufts University
M.S., California State University, Sacramento

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B.A., Colby College

Randy Michael Kring^$
A.B., Bowdoin College

Elyse Jodoin LaFond^$
B.S., Emory University

Cortney L. Lyford
B.A., University of Maine

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B.A., Middlebury College

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B.S., Bates College

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B.S., Bates College

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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

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A.B., Bowdoin College

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B.A., Williams College
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B.A., Tufts University

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B.A., Macalester College
M.P.H., University of Toledo

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Sc.B., Brown University

Syed Moazzam Ali
B.S., Worcester Polytechnic Institute

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

Kosisochukwu Nkenna Anago
B.A., University of California at Berkeley
A.L.M., Harvard University

Gregory William Basil†
B.S., New York University

William Robert Bradley†
B.S., Yale University

Shreena Devendra Brahmbhatt†
B.A., Tufts University

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B.A., University of California at Los Angeles
M.A., Boston University

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B.A., Boston College

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B.A., Columbia University

Patrick Stephen Burke±
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Thomas Kieran Byrnes†
B.A., University of Pennsylvania

Charles Spaulding Carrier±
B.A., Colgate University

Evan Michael Caruso
A.B., Cornell University

Douglas James Cassidy†^
B.S., Cornell University

Sierra Kai Chandler
B.S., University of Southern California
M.S., University of Arizona

Gerard Chang†±
B.A., University of Pennsylvania

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B.A., University of Kansas

Jennifer Ren-Si Cheung
B.A., Barnard College

Jamie Cohen
A.B., Bowdoin College

Angela Anita Coombs±^
B.A., Amherst College

Amelia Marion Curtis
B.S., University of Delaware

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M.S., Tufts University

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School of Medicine
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M.S., Tufts University

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B.S., University of Washington
M.S., Tufts University

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B.A., University of Wisconsin–Madison
M.A., Boston University

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B.S., Cornell University

Yardana Shoshana Kaufman
B.A., Barnard College

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B.S., Northeastern University

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B.S., University of California at Los Angeles

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B.S., Tufts University

Katerina Kovalenko
B.S., Tufts University

Ryan Mason Kring
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M.A., Boston University

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M.S., Tufts University

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M.S., Tufts University  

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M.S., Tufts University  

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B.S., University of California at Berkeley  

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B.A., Emory University  

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B.S., Brandeis University  

Jaskaran Singh  
B.S., University of California at Los Angeles  

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B.A., University of Pennsylvania  
M.A., Loyola University Chicago  

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B.A., Boston University  

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B.A., Vanderbilt University  

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B.A., Wesleyan University  

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A.B., Washington University in St. Louis  

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B.A., University of California at Berkeley  

Bryan Hall Swaim  
B.S., M.S., Tufts University  

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B.S., University of California at Davis  

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A.B., Cornell University  

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B.A., Tufts University  

Justin Wage±  
B.S., Tufts University  

Lydia Wallace  
B.A., Wesleyan University  

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B.S.BM.E., Tufts University  

Maud Isadora Wilson  
B.A., University of California at Berkeley  

Dylan Ned Wolman†±  
B.S., Brandeis University  

Jason Yoon  
B.A., University of Pennsylvania  

Rose Eunji Yu  
B.S., Massachusetts Institute of Technology  

Mohamed Ali Zeidan***^  
B.A., Amherst College  
Degree Conferred Posthumously  

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B.A., Middlebury College  

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Sackler School of Graduate Biomedical Sciences
Candidates for Degrees

Master of Science

Maulana Antiyan Empitu
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.

Dennis 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.

Tyler Thomas Hickman***
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.

Jennifer Ashley Hogan***
Molecular Microbiology
B.S., Massachusetts Institute of Technology
M.S., Tufts University
Dissertation: Aggregation and Filamentation of Candida albicans in Response to Pressure Asymmetry
Advisor: Carol Kumamoto, Ph.D.

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Sackler School of Graduate Biomedical Sciences
Candidates for Degrees

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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
M.S., Georgetown University
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 β2 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.

Sarah Michelle Phillips*
Genetics
B.S., Cornell University
M.S., Boston University
Dissertation: Dynamics of Mammary Epithelial Cell Differentiation: “What’s SLUG Got to Do With It?”
Advisor: Charlotte Kuperwasser, Ph.D.

Holly Erin Ponichtera*
Immunology
A.B., Dartmouth College
M.S., Tufts University
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
B.S., University of Hawaii at Manoa
Dissertation: Controlling Inflammation: The Neurotrophic Anti-Inflammatory Pathway in Chagas Heart Disease
Advisor: Mercio Perrin, M.D., Ph.D.

Jennifer Michiko Sasaki Russell
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.

Sowmyanarayanan Varadachari Thuppal
Clinical and Translational Science
M.D., I.M. Sechenov First Moscow State Medical University, Russia
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: Theresa Imanishi-Kari, Ph.D.

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Molecular Microbiology
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Dissertation: Characterization of the Desiccation Tolerance and Potential for Fomite Spread of Streptococcus pneumoniae
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Sackler School of Graduate Biomedical Sciences
Candidates for Combined Degrees

**Doctor of Medicine and Doctor of Philosophy**

Daniel Stanley Aridgides
Immunology
B.S., Cornell University
Dissertation: *Trypanosoma cruzi* Co-opts Myocardial Neurotrophin Receptors for Invasion and Cardiotropism
Advisor: Mercio Perrin, M.D., Ph.D.

Karyn M. Austin
Genetics
A.B., Mount Holyoke College
Dissertation: Protease-Activated Receptor Signaling in Cellular Differentiation Following Vascular and Hepatic Injury
Advisor: Athan Kuliopulos, M.D., Ph.D.

Emy J. Chen
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.

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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
Advisor: Ekaterina Heldwein, Ph.D.

A Modern Hippocratic Oath (modified)

*By Louis Lasagna, M.D.*

_Dean Emeritus, Sackler School of Graduate Biomedical Sciences_

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
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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
Aviva Must, Ph.D., Dean for Public Health and Professional Degree Programs
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., F.A., A.B., Program Director, Physician Assistant Program

Presentation of Diplomas to M.P.H. Candidates
Aviva Must, Ph.D., Dean for Public Health and Professional Degree Programs
Paul Hattis, M.D., J.D., M.P.H., Senior Associate Director, Public Health Program
Misha Eliasziw, Ph.D., Epidemiology and Biostatistics Concentration Leader
Odilia Bermudez, Ph.D., M.P.H., L.N.D., Global Health Concentration Leader
Signe Flieger, Ph.D., M.S.W., Health Services and Management and Policy Concentration
Virginia Chomitz, Ph.D., Nutrition Concentration Leader

Presentation of Diplomas to M.S.
—Biomedical Sciences/M.P.H. Candidates
Aviva Must, Ph.D., Dean for Public Health and Professional Degree Programs
Alvar W. Gustafson, Ph.D., Faculty Director, M.S.—Biomedical Sciences Program
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

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School of Medicine: Public Health and Professional Degree Programs
Candidates for Degrees

**Master of Science in Biomedical Sciences**

Selamawit Addissie  
B.S., University of Maryland

Lauren S. Arbetman*  
B.S., University of California at Los Angeles

Patrick A. Arpin***  
B.A., Boston College

David J. Aum  
B.S., Stanford University

Rosemary Catherine Bailey*  
B.S., Boston College

Sarah Elizabeth Ballatori  
B.S., Yale University

Peymaan S. Banankhah  
B.S., University of Maryland

Liza Gail Brecher***  
B.A., John Hopkins University

Catalina Breton  
B.A., Nova Southeastern University

Faraz N. Butte  
A.B., Cornell University

Braidie Lynn Milne Campbell  
B.A., Amherst College

Jessica A. Castrillon  
B.A., Baylor University

Debra D. Chan*  
B.S., University of California at Los Angeles

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

Eileen A. Davidson***  
B.S., University of Notre Dame

Kirtly Day***  
B.S., University of Nevada, Las Vegas

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B.A., Amherst College

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B.S., University of Rochester

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Justin J. Escobar  
B.S., Santa Clara University

Sterling G. Farrer  
B.S., Brigham Young University-Idaho

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A.B., Princeton University

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B.A.S., University of Pennsylvania

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B.A., University of California at Berkeley

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A.B., Brown University

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B.A., Colby College

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Yihharn Patricia Hwang*  
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Sc.B., Brown University

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B.S., Boston University

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B.S., The Ohio State University

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B.A., College of the Holy Cross

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B.S., University of Wisconsin–Madison

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B.S., Boston College

Xiaonan Ma*
B.S., Boston College

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B.S., University of Florida

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B.S., University of North Carolina at Charlotte

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B.S., Boston University

Jamie Metcalfe*
A.B., University of Chicago

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B.S., Massachusetts Institute of Technology

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B.A., College of William & Mary

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Sangita Murali*
B.S., Bates College

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B.S., The Ohio State University

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B.S., University of Toronto, Canada

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B.A., University of California at Berkeley

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Jacob Silberstein
B.A., Roger Williams University

Master of Science in Pain Research, Education and Policy

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B.A., Hamilton College

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B.S., Syracuse University

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B.S., Hofstra University

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B.S., Boston College

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B.S., Cornell University

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B.A., Bennington College

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B.A., Rollins College

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B.A., University of Maine

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Michelina Delgizzi***
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B.A., George Washington University

Meaghan Elizabeth Glenn***
B.S., Georgetown University

Matthew C. Goodridge*
B.A., University of Vermont

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B.S., University of Washington

Cynthia Hau*
B.S., University of Massachusetts Boston

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B.S., Tufts University

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A.B., Dartmouth College

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B.S., Springfield College

Kathy Y. Kong
B.A., Boston University

Joel L. Kruger
B.A., Tufts University

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Sc.B., Brown University

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B.S., American University of Beirut, Lebanon

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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

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

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Anna V. Roto
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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

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

Moriah Silver***
A.B., Mount Holyoke College

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B.A., Calvin College

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B.S., Saint Michael's College

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B.S., University of Vermont

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B.S., University of California at Santa Barbara

Laura L. Wentzel
B.S., Marquette University

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B.A., Tufts University

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B.A., Boston College

Nicole M. Yonkunas
B.S., Boston University

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A.B., Mount Holyoke College

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B.M., Peking University, China

Meng Zhang
B.S., Minzu University, China

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Master of Public Health
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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
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
B.S., Cornell University

Master of Science in Biomedical Science and
Master of Business Administration in Health Management
Ann Cheung*
A.B., Harvard University
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 Brahmbhatt

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

M.S.—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 Wesselhoeft Family Medicine Award
Lisa Gail Kipersztok
Audra Dale Williams

Zarren Family Award
Dean Simon Ehrlich
School of Dental Medicine
Order of Events

Musical Interlude
Woodvale String Quartet

Processional
Carole Palmer, Ed.D., R.D., Family 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 D2015

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

THE DEAN’S AWARD FOR EXCELLENCE IN CLINICAL TEACHING

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
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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

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Hooding
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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
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Doctor of Dental Medicine
Christopher Ryan Abernathy
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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 Craniofacial 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
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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

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Advisor: Dr. Tofool Alghanem

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

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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
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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

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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

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Thesis: Composite Replacement of Amalgam Restoration versus Freshly Cut Dentin: An in vitro Microleakage Comparison
Advisor: Dr. David Bardwell

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Thesis: An in vitro Comparison of the Marginal Adaptation Accuracy of Restorations Using Different Impression Systems
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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

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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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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 Zanacic*
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

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Musical Prelude
Symphonic Brass Quartet

Processional

Greetings and Remarks
Deborah T. Kochevar, D.V.M., Ph.D., Dean
David R. Harris, Ph.D., Provost and Senior Vice President
William S. Cummings, B.A., A58, H06, University Trustee Emeritus
Joyce M. Cummings, Co-founder, Cummings Foundation, Inc.
John H. de Jong, B.S., A78, D.V.M., V85, University Trustee and Member of the Board of Advisors for Cummings School of Veterinary Medicine

Introduction of Dignitaries and Distinguished Guests
Deborah T. Kochevar, D.V.M., Ph.D., Dean

Faculty Address
Claire Sharp, B.V.M.S., Assistant Professor of Clinical Sciences

Class Address
Sean James Gaw, Class of 2015

Class Gift
Shira Jan Feinstein, Laura Kathryn King, Co-Presidents, Class of 2015

Presentation of Awards
Presented by: Angeline E. Warner, D.V.M., S.D., Associate Dean for Academic Affairs
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., Dean
Artemis Award for Clinical Excellence
Recipient: Alfredo Sanchez Londoño, M.V., Associate Professor of Environmental and Population Health

Zoetis Distinguished Veterinary Teacher Award
Recipient: Joyce Knoll, V.M.D., Ph.D., Associate Professor of Biomedical Sciences

Zoetis Award for Veterinary Research Excellence
Recipient: Lluis Ferrer, L.V., Ph.D., Professor of Clinical Sciences

Presentation of Faculty Emeritus/a Certificates
Presented by: Deborah T. Kochevar, D.V.M., Ph.D., Dean
Recipients: Arthur Donohue-Rolfe, Ph.D., Associate Professor of Biomedical Sciences
Mary Rose Paradis, D.V.M., Associate Professor of Clinical Sciences
Mark A. Pokras, D.V.M., Associate Professor of Infectious Disease and Global Health
George Saperstein, D.V.M., Professor of Environmental and Population Health
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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., MGI4, 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 Hershbain+
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

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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\(^\wedge\)
B.A., Reed College

Coral Ma\(^+\)
B.A., University of California at Berkeley

Joshua Kenneth Malouin\(^+\)
B.S., Providence College
M.S., University of Connecticut

Shawna Rae Mc Ardle
B.A., Williams College

Maureen S. McDermott\(^\wedge\)
B.S., Clarkson University

Kelsey Lee McKenna
B.S., University of Rhode Island

Patricia Marie McMahon\(^+\)
B.S., DeSales University

Kellyn Elizabeth McNulty\(^+\)
B.S., Saint Vincent College

Rachel Erin Mestel\(^+\)
B.A., Vassar College

Elissa R. Mopper\(^+\)
B.A., Grinnell College

Alexzandra Lee Mosel\(^\wedge\)
B.S., University of Michigan

Shannon A. Moynahan\(^+\)
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. Patelllos
B.S., Duke University

Brittany Susan Pereira\(^+\)
B.S., Brown University

Elizabeth A. Peura
B.S., University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign

Emily Picciotto
B.A., Middlebury College

Anna Maria Podgór ska\(^+\)
B.A., Fordham University
M.A., Columbia University

Allison Beth Prokop
B.S., University of Vermont

Il liana C elia 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\(^+\)
B.S., Brandeis University

Marie Davis Schubert
B.A., Union College

Stacy Segal-Reichlin
B.A., George Washington University

Sarah Melissa Sharp\(^+\) ++
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\(^+\)
B.S., Boston University

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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

Bushra Zaidi+  
B.S., Hunter College of the City University of New York

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 Cecil Dutelle*  
B.S., 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 Prosztowska-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

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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. Gazzerro, 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

34th Commencement
Gerald J. and Dorothy R. Friedman
School of Nutrition Science and Policy
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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/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., Director, Master’s Program/Dietetic Internship
Kelly A. Kane, M.S., Nutrition Education Coordinator, Frances Stern Nutrition Center

Presentation of the Marianne Louise Mock Dallas Prize
Recipient: Shanshan Liu

Presentation of the Joan M. Bergstrom Student Award for Excellence in Global Nutrition
Recipient: Hassan Dashti

Presentation of the Irwin H. Rosenberg Award for Excellence in Predoctoral Research
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^  
B.S., Boston University

Samantha Salazar Ordonez  
B.S., University of Hawai‘i at Manoa

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^  
B.A., Temple University

Brittany Ellen Cooper  
B.S., B.A., Pacific Lutheran University

Emily Jane Dimiero  
B.A., Hamilton College

Lara Goodrich Ezor**  
B.A., Whitman College

Abraham Shaul Faham  
B.A., Hunter College of the City University of New York

Erin Ann Michael Foster West^  
B.A., Macalester College

Grace Elizabeth Goodwin^  
B.A., Colgate University

Danielle Marie Goryl*  
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*  
B.S., University of Maryland

Rebecca Lisa Jay  
B.A., George Washington University

Samantha Jean Kelly^  
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*  
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*  
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

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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^\A
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

Michelina Rosaria DelGizzi**^\A
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

Elizabth Groll Langevin^\A
B.S., Brown University

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

Hiya Amer Mahmassani**
B.S., American University of Beirut, Lebanon

Mary Ellen Malone*
B.A., Boston College

Sarah Joan Novello**
B.A., Bucknell University

Katherine Elizabeth Olender**
B.S., Michigan State University

Katherine Helwig Panarella**
B.S., University of California at Berkeley

Anna Virginia Roto
B.S., University of Connecticut

Caleigh Mae Sawicki
B.S., Providence College

Nicole Stephanie Schultz*
B.S., Southern Methodist University

Marissa Matsue Maryam Shams-White
B.S., Ithaca College

Kalyn Catania Weber**
B.S., University of Vermont

Emily Rosa Wei**
B.S., University of California at Santa Barbara

Kira Marie Wohland**
B.A., Boston College

Master of Science/Master of Arts in Law and Diplomacy

Patricia Gail Synnott*
B.A., Providence College

Master of Science/Master of Arts in Urban and Environmental Policy and Planning

Joanna Meyer Hamilton
B.A., Denison University

Master of Nutrition Science and Policy

Emilia Lidia Creanga**
B.S., Loma Linda University

Maya Hage-Ali*
B.S., American University of Beirut, Lebanon

Joelle Hamamji
B.S., American University of Beirut, Lebanon

Julia Allison Jensen-Wheat
B.S., Bridgewater State University

Namibia Lebron-Torres
B.A., Tufts University

Dianne Faye Tia Manabat**
B.S., The College of St. Scholastica

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Jane Reimer**
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Molly Margaret Schleicher
B.S., University of Vermont
Jessica Helen Sprague**
B.S., Saint Michael’s College

Master of Arts in Humanitarian Assistance
Lulwa Al-Kilani
B.A., University of Sussex, United Kingdom
Stefano Granzo*
B.S., Università degli Studi di Padova, Italy
Omar Sawan
B.A., University of Nebraska–Lincoln
Grigor Simonyan*
M.A., Gyumri State Pedagogical Institute, Armenia
M.Sc., Queen Margaret University, United Kingdom
Lolita Orozco Villalba*
B.S., University of St. Thomas

Doctor of Philosophy
Amanda Jayne Centi
B.S., Ithaca College
M.S., Ithaca College
Dissertation: Association of Vitamin K with Insulin Resistance and Body Composition
Advisor: Dr. Sarah Booth
Amelia Fisher Darrouzet-Nardi
B.S., Stony Brook University
M.S., Iowa State University
Dissertation: Child Malnutrition in Farm Households: Three Essays on Agriculture, Health, and Economic Development
Advisor: Dr. William Masters
Hassan Saeed Dashti
B.S., University of Pennsylvania
M.S., Tufts University
Dissertation: The Influence of Circadian-Related Genes, Sleep, and Seasonality on Dietary Intake and Cardiometabolic Traits
Advisor: Dr. José Ordovás
Daniel Philip Hatfield**^*
B.A., Princeton University
M.S., Tufts University
Dissertation: Identifying New Associations Between Physical Activity and Cardiometabolic Risk, Aerobic Fitness, and Adiposity and Exploring Physical Activity Correlates in High-Risk Youth
Advisor: Dr. Christina Economos
Alison Gail Kamil*
B.S., Cornell University
M.S., Tufts University
Dissertation: The Impact of Polymeric Nanoencapsulation on the Bioavailability of Lutein
Advisor: Dr. Oliver Chen
James Philip Karl**
B.S., The Ohio State University
M.S., Boston University
Dissertation: Effects of a Whole Grain-Rich Diet on Physiologic and Microbiologic Determinants of Body Weight and Adiposity
Advisor: Dr. Sarah Booth
Jiantao Ma*
B.M., Tianjin Medical University, China
M.S., Wageningen University, The Netherlands
Dissertation: Sugar Sweetened Beverage Consumption and Cardiometabolic Risk Factors
Advisor: Dr. Nicola M. McKeown
Yiyi Ma*
B.M., Fudan University, China
M.M., Fudan University, China
M.S., Tufts University
Dissertation: Gene by Diet Interaction on Epigenetic Changes Modulating Cardiovascular Disease Risk Factors
Advisor: Dr. José Ordovás
Annie JoEllen Roe**
B.S., University of Maryland
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