Universitas V. Montis  
Tune: Jane Oppenlander  
Text: David Cox

From the lofty peaks of Mansfield to the shores of Lake Champlain, comes a mighty swelling chorus, whose echo will remain:

*Chorus*

Vermont! Vermont! Vermont!  
Our University!  
Thy loyal sons and daughters sing in love and praise to Thee!

*Repeat Chorus*

Shadows falling ’cross the campus, changing seasons’ wond’rous scene, stir our thoughts of Alma Mater, and her colors Gold and Green:

*Chorus*

Vermont! Vermont! Vermont!  
Our University!  
Thy loyal sons and daughters sing in love and praise to Thee!

*Repeat Chorus*


Gaudeamus igitur  
Traditional University Song  
Second Verse by Z. Philip Ambrose, Professor of Classical Languages Emeritus

Gaudeamus igitur, iuvenes dum sumus.  
Post iucundam iuventutem, post molestam senectutem  
Nos habebit humus.

Vivat nunc Mons Viridis, sicut tunc Romani!  
Vivat lingua Caesaris! vivat illa Socratis!  
Viridimontani!

*So let’s rejoice while we are young:*  
*After pleasant youth, after troublesome old age, the ground will have us.*

*Let Vermont now live, as the Romans back then!*  
*Let Caesar’s language live, let that of Socrates live, Vermonters!*
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Dear Graduates, Families, Friends, and Colleagues:

My sincere welcome to all as we gather today to celebrate the achievements of the Class of 2012.

A university is a place of many communities. We are, of course, the broad communities of individuals who define this institution on a daily basis—students, faculty, and staff. And we are also the smaller communities found on a residence hall floor, among an athletic team, within a jazz ensemble, in the classroom for a section of English 001, and so many other places.

But, over and above all of these, we are the University of Vermont—a community not limited by the borders of our campus or by the years you have spent here earning your degree. Today marks the 209th time the UVM community has gathered for a commencement ceremony. Our graduates are part of a rich history that stretches back nearly to the founding of this nation. They are now part of an alumni family making a difference in communities here in Vermont, throughout the United States, and halfway around the world.

Congratulations, graduates and families. Job well done.

A. John Bramley
President

May 2012
The University of Vermont
Commencement Ceremony
Sunday, May 20, 2012   9:00 a.m. University Green

Order of Exercises

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PRELUDE MUSIC
University Memorial Carillon
David Neiweem, Professor of Music and Marion B. Coe University Organist
Field Drums
Brian Johnson and Nicola Cannizzaro

PROCESSIONAL MUSIC
The University Brass Ensemble
D. Thomas Toner, Professor and Chair, Department of Music, and Conductor
The University of Vermont Police Services Honor Guard
The Pipes and Drums of St. Andrew's Society of Vermont

THE NATIONAL ANTHEM
Lindsey Devin Soboleski, Class of 2012

GREETINGS
Robert F. Cioffi, Class of 1990, Chair of the University of Vermont Board of Trustees
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PRESIDENT’S REMARKS
A. John Bramley, Professor of Animal Science and Microbiology and Molecular Genetics Emeritus and
President of the University of Vermont

CONFERRING OF DEGREES HONORIS CAUSA

COMMENCEMENT ADDRESS
Cyma Zarghami
President, Nickelodeon Television Network

AWARDS
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Recognition of Outstanding Student Leader Award Recipients
presented by Jane E. Knodell, Professor of Economics and Provost and Senior Vice President

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Cyma Zarghami
Doctor of Letters
Commencement Speaker

After leaving the University of Vermont, alumna Cyma Zarghami took a position at Nickelodeon in 1985, a then start-up children’s television network. Beginning at an entry-level position, Zarghami gradually rose through the company ranks. She was named president in 2006 and now oversees all creative and business operations for Viacom’s Nickelodeon Group, which has been the number one cable television network in the United States for 17 straight years, and has expanded to serve more than 350 million people in over 25 languages around the world.

Born in Iran and raised in New Jersey, Zarghami attended Dwight Englewood preparatory school in Englewood, NJ and came to UVM in 1980 to study education. Although she ultimately decided teaching was not a good fit for her and switched to a major in English, she says she was drawn to Nickelodeon in large part because of the young audience it was serving. Nickelodeon, whose early shows included “Pinwheel” and “You Can’t Do That on Television,” was meeting a need for children that other networks were not.

Through her rise at Nickelodeon, Zarghami occupied roles in scheduling and marketing before managing the network, and in 2006, becoming president of Nickelodeon. In that role, Zarghami has led a reinvention of the company’s holdings, including re-launching Nick Jr. (previously Noggin) and Teen Nick (previously The N). In a 2010 article about her work at Nickelodeon, the New York Times called her “one of the top executive women in the media industry.” Under her leadership, Nickelodeon has achieved its 17th consecutive year as the number one network for children.

Although Zarghami left UVM just three credits shy of completing her English major, she returned to campus in 2000 to speak at the College of Education and Social Services’ commencement ceremony, where she was also awarded a diploma. She lives in New York City with her husband and three sons.

Robert De Cormier
Doctor of Letters

As a young man in New York City recovering from wounds sustained in Germany during World War II, Robert De Cormier was torn between a career in music or the labor movement. Fittingly, his passion for music and commitment to social justice became the two brightest threads woven into the fabric of his life’s work.

A gifted vocalist and musician from a young age, he enrolled in the Juilliard School of Music at a time when the social activism of postwar America was in its infancy. In the 1950s he met and performed with other young musicians who would become the legends of the American folk music movement, including Pete Seeger, Huddie “Lead Belly” Ledbetter, Woody Guthrie, and Harry Belafonte, with whom he still collaborates artistically and in mutual support of civil and human rights.

He always viewed his music as “a way of uniting people, moving audiences with the music of great composers and using folk music to raise people’s consciousness to the cause of social justice.”

One of his students as a young music teacher after graduating from Juilliard was the late Mary Travers, who came to prominence with the folk trio Peter, Paul and Mary, a group with which he would form a long-time professional relationship as music director.

A conductor and prolific composer and arranger, De Cormier has experience with a wide range of musical genres including classical, Broadway and folk music. This, together with his eagerness to explore the music of other cultures, led to his selection as Music Director of the New York Choral Society in 1970, a position he held for seventeen years. During that time, the Society’s Holiday Celebration with Peter, Paul and Mary became a popular holiday tradition and a successful PBS fundraiser across the country for many seasons. De Cormier remains New York Choral Society’s music director emeritus.

A Vermont resident for more than four decades, De Cormier is the co-founder and director of the Vermont Symphony Orchestra Chorus, which has won unqualified praise from audiences and critics alike. He has also toured extensively as the founder and conductor of the Robert De Cormier Singers and the Vermont-based vocal ensemble Counterpoint.

Revered in the world of professional music for the range of his musical intellect and his use of music to lift the human
spirit, he has served on the New York State Council on the Arts and the Choral Panel of the National Endowment for the Arts, and was presented the Governor’s Award for Excellence in the Arts by the Vermont Arts Council. He has received two Lifetime Achievement Awards from New England Choral Arts and the New York Choral Society. In 2007 he was the recipient of an honorary Doctor of Arts degree from Middlebury College.

**John William Hennessey, Jr.**

*Doctor of Laws*

John William Hennessey, Jr., has been a national leader in higher education for more than four decades. Following thirty years of service to Dartmouth College as professor and dean of the Tuck Business School, Hennessey came to the University of Vermont in 1987 as UVM’s first provost and later served as interim president.

Hennessey’s rise in the higher education ranks started at Princeton where he graduated magna cum laude with election to Phi Beta Kappa in 1948, after serving as an Army officer in the Pacific theater during World War II. He earned his M.B.A., with distinction, from Harvard in 1950 and then his Ph.D. from the University of Washington, where he was an associate professor. He joined the faculty of Dartmouth College in 1957 as a teacher and scholar in organizational behavior and was named associate dean of the Tuck Business School five years later. In 1967, Hennessey was asked to serve as the sixth dean of Tuck. He accepted the offer, but on one condition: that the trustees approve the admission of women to the graduate business school. The first woman matriculated at Tuck the same year Hennessey became dean in 1968. Four years later, the Dartmouth trustees approved the admission of women at the undergraduate level.

During Hennessey’s eight-year deanship, he and his colleagues strengthened the Tuck faculty and the M.B.A. curriculum, expanded the computer sophistication and international reach of the school, enhanced recruitment of minority students, and started the Tuck Executive Program, corporate support of faculty research, and the business school’s alumni magazine. In 1976, Hennessey was named the first Charles Henry Jones Professor of Management and was awarded by the board of trustees one of five Third Century chairs, established at Dartmouth’s bicentennial for innovation in teaching and interdisciplinary work, after which he taught business ethics and co-founded the Institute for Applied and Professional Ethics. He chaired the board of trustees of the Educational Testing Service (twice), served as president of the American Assembly of Collegiate Schools of Business, and was founding chairman of the Council for Opportunity in Graduate Management Education.

In 1987, Hennessey accepted an offer from UVM president Lattie Coor and the board of trustees, of which he was a member, to become the university’s first provost, combining the academic vice president role with responsibility for the UVM budget. He held that position until Coor left for the presidency of Arizona State University in late 1989, when Hennessey was named interim president. He worked with the faculty and the university’s many other stakeholders to embellish UVM’s reputation as a “public Ivy,” and he led the resetting of the relationship between the university and the city of Burlington in 1990.

Hennessey returned to Dartmouth a year later and helped found the Institute for Lifelong Education and served for a second time as chair of the board of Dartmouth-Hitchcock Medical Center, of which he was one of the founding architects in the 1970s. He joined the inaugural board of Kendal at Hanover and chaired it from 1998 to 2001. He has been a trustee of the Medical Center Hospital of Vermont (now Fletcher Allen Healthcare); Vermont Law School, and Goddard College; and he has served as a director of the New Hampshire Community Loan Fund, Americans for Campaign Reform, and Patient Choices-Vermont, as well as the corporate boards of H. P. Hood, Inc.; Zayre Corporation (now TJX Companies, Inc.); and the Connecticut Mutual Life Insurance Company.

Hennessey is married to former Vermont governor Madeleine M. Kunin, currently a James Marsh Professor at UVM. His first wife, Jean L. Hennessey, the first executive director of the New Hampshire Charitable Foundation, died in 2004, survived by John and the couple’s two children and three grandchildren.
Denise Shekerjian  
*Doctor of Letters*

“Which came first: the restless mind or the writing life?” Denise Shekerjian of Charlotte, Vermont, asks on her blog, Soul of a Word. “For this writer anyway,” she tells her readers, “it was a mind like a swollen river that cascades with a ceaseless vengeance down a steep and rocky decline. It refused to settle down and behave already. And it remains ever so.” That restless mind has led Shekerjian on a quest to get inside the creative process—and to share her insights with others. She is the author of *Uncommon Genius: How Great Ideas Are Born*, a book based on interviews with 40 MacArthur Foundation fellows (winners of the “genius” prize). For that book, she spoke with accomplished people across the spectrum—including paleontologist Stephen Jay Gould, poet John Ashbery, and filmmaker John Sayles—looking for the common elements at the root of creativity, whatever the discipline.

According to a review in the *New York Times*, if some of the findings were predictable (don’t be afraid to take risks), others were less so, like the ability to have a good time. The book was championed early by Guy Kawasaki of Mac fame, which helped boost it into something of a cult classic in the field. Shekerjian’s intriguing exploration of what it takes to find and sustain the creative impulse caught the attention of a Huffington Post blogger, for example, who wrote about the book last year, more than 20 years after it was published.

Shekerjian came to writing as a second career and learned her art through trial and error. Her preoccupation with process is a theme that runs throughout her blog. After earning her bachelor’s degree in history from Middlebury College, she received a J.D. in law from Michigan State and a L.L.M. in criminal justice from New York University School of Law. Shekerjian pursued a career briefly in human rights and later as a trial attorney in Manhattan—criminal defense, federal court, high-profile cases. She drew upon these experiences for her book, *Competent Counsel*, a nonfiction account of working with lawyers. The law remains an abiding interest for her, but she prefers the writing life to the courthouse when it comes to telling the whole story.

In addition to commercial work undertaken early in her career, and later, her literary work, she started SoulOfAWord.com in 2009, a place where she intimately explores the writing life, covering in her weekly entries topics spanning from the practical—how to write a query letter—to the personal and inspirational. “Looking for your beating heart?” Shekerjian asks readers in one post. “Seek the doing.”

The author of many essays and short stories, Shekerjian has twice been nominated for a Pushcart Prize. She has received a New Jersey State Council on the Arts Fellowship, a Graybar American History Prize and a Marshall Fellowship in Civil Liberties. Her first novel, *The Color of Heaven*, is currently under review. A new nonfiction work drawn from her blog is under development.

Ann Pesiri Swanson  
*Doctor of Laws*

Field ecologist Ann Pesiri Swanson, UVM Class of 1979, has served as the executive director of the Chesapeake Bay Commission since 1988, and a member of the Board of Advisors for UVM’s Rubenstein School of Environment and Natural Resources since the mid-1990s.

Providing leadership to the commission, a legislative assembly representing Maryland, Virginia and Pennsylvania, Swanson has received high praise for her innovative and astute efforts to protect the Chesapeake Bay, the largest and most productive estuary in the world—but one troubled by pollution and over-harvesting.

Wideley known for her expertise on the 64,000-square mile bay and its tributaries, Swanson is a persuasive orator, writer and negotiator. She is passionate about her work, having been involved in virtually every major piece of environmental legislation affecting Chesapeake Bay at the state and Federal levels for nearly three decades. She assisted in the creation of the interstate blue crab advisory committee, and helped draft and champion the important Chesapeake Bay Agreements that laid out the framework for watershed-wide ecosystem management. She also was central in the formation of the Chesapeake Bay Funder’s Network and has worked with federal, state and local officials and leaders to coordinate efforts to protect the Chesapeake Bay.

Swanson received her bachelor’s degree in wildlife biology from UVM in 1979 and completed a
master's of environmental studies at Yale in 1983. She has received many awards and accolades including the YWCA Twin Award in 2011, commendations from the Virginia, Maryland and Pennsylvania legislatures in 2008, UVM Alumni Achievement Award in 2007, an award from the Maryland chapter of the Sierra Club in 2004, and Conservationist of the Year from the Chesapeake Bay Foundation in 2001. She delivered the keynote presentation at the Stockholm Water Festival in 1997.

Overseeing one of the most complex restoration projects in U.S. history, Swanson has been guided by the best available science and a deep understanding of the interdependent communities of people and wildlife that live in and around the Chesapeake Bay.

Swanson served as Vermont's assistant state naturalist for two years after graduating from UVM and has continued to have a strong connection with the state and university. She was a founding member of the Rubenstein School's advisory board and served as its chair for nine years, working as a tireless advocate.

This year she will be meeting with Vermont and other regional officials and leaders working to protect Lake Champlain. Swanson will be sharing lessons she has learned from her work, in coordination with the Environmental Protection Agency, to help establish the Chesapeake Bay Total Maximum Daily Load agreement, a historic and comprehensive “pollution diet” to compel action to restore clean water to the Chesapeake Bay region.

Through this work, and many other efforts, Ann Perisi Swanson has helped usher in fundamental improvements in the way water quality and habitat protection is addressed throughout North America. “I know of no one more committed to the public life, community service, and mission and values of UVM,” said Mary Watzin, dean of the Rubenstein School.
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Daniel Lusk, Senior Lecturer of English Emeritus

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Sunday, May 20, 2012  4:30 p.m.  Multipurpose Facility, Athletic Complex

Thomas C. Vogelmann, Dean
Jonathan G. Leonard, College Marshal
Josie H. Davis, Associate Dean, Faculty Marshal

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WELCOME, Dean Thomas C. Vogelmann
GREETINGS AND REMARKS

SUSAN S. WALLACE, Ph.D., Professor and Chair, Department of Microbiology and Molecular Genetics
RECOGNITION OF RETIRED FACULTY

UNDERGRADUATE STUDENT PRESENTATION OF DIPLOMAS

ANDRÉ-DENIS WRIGHT, Animal Science; DONALD STRATTON, Biological Science; SYLVIE DOUBLIÉ, Biochemistry;
JANE KOLODINSKY, Community Development and Applied Economics; DONALD ROSS, Environmental Sciences;
ERNesto MENDEZ, Environmental Studies; SUSAN WALLACE, Microbiology and Molecular Genetics;
JEAN Harvey-Berino, Nutrition and Food Sciences; DAVID BARRINGTON, Plant Biology;
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WELCOME and INTRODUCTION OF PLATFORM PARTY, Dean Joel M. Goldberg  RECOGNITION OF EMERITUS FACULTY  PRESENTATION OF THE HANNAH HOWARD PRIZE  PRESENTATION OF UNDERGRADUATE DIPLOMAS  CELEBRATORY SONG

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Krista Marie Carson, Medfield, MA
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Baldwin R. Delgado, Bronx, NY
Benjamin Jack Denman, Byfield, MA
Tory Anne Dennerlein, Exeter, RI
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Alia Jaclynn Diamond, Bethesda, MD
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Howard Franklin Heller, Plateau, NY
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Fritz Horst, Bennington
Justin Joseph Hunt, Upton, MA
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Anna Jacobs, Burlington
Sara Marilee Jacobson, Shelburne Falls, MA
Darko Jeffic, South Burlington
Ashley Grayce Kaplan, Port Washington, NY**
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Samuel Kelly, Acton, MA
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Amanda McDonald, Bellefonte, PA
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Brittany Mary Quarametello, Billerica, MA
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Samuel Rich, Wellesley, MA
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Oliver Wolcott Roric, Ottawa Hills, OH
Devon Gerard Rothman, White Plains, NY
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Alexander Joshua Segura, Arequipa, Peru
Matthew Seid, Larchmont, NY
Zachary Setian, Greenwich, CT
Levan Shalamberidze, Yaroslavl, Yaroslavskaya Oblast Russia
Maxwell Steven Shelman, Westport, CT
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Kelsey Elizabeth Smith, Westford, MA
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Nathaniel Spock, Wilbraham, MA
Samantha Paige Stern, Cherry Hill, NJ
Alexander W. Stevens, Stowe
Travis Robert Strickland, Barrington, RI
Liam Teer, Vancouver, BC
Liam August Thomas, Spring Lake, NJ**
Lucas Rodney Thornton, Yakima, WA
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Ha T. Truong, Burlington
Joseph D. Turshen, Ossining, NY
Jeffrey Tyler Ulsh, Rochester, MN**
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Alexander Paul Viadero, Port Elizabeth, Republic of South Africa
Stephen Wallach, West Orange, NJ
John M. Washburn IV, West Hartford, CT
Christopher Michael Welch, Middletown, RI
Kendra A. Wilkins, Shelburne
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Sunday, May 20, 2012
2:30 p.m.
Patrick Gymnasium

Fayneese Miller, Dean
Suzy Comerford, Associate Dean
Cynthia Gerstl-Pepin, Associate Dean
Juliet Halladay, Jennifer Hurley, Cynthia Reyes, Julie Richards, Alan Tinkler, Marsbals

Order of Exercises

PROCESSIONAL
WELCOME
COMMENCEMENT REMARKS
DEAN’S PRESENTATION OF AWARDS
RECOGNITION OF RETIRING FACULTY
PRESENTATION OF BACHELOR’S DIPLOMAS
PRESENTATION OF POSTBACCALAUREATE’S CERTIFICATES
RECOGNITION OF GRADUATE DEGREE RECIPIENTS
RECESSIONAL

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE

Early Childhood
Samantha J. Bannon, Livingston, NJ
Halle Julia Brodlo, Hinesburg
Katlyn Marie Bullis, Winooski
Sophia Alexandra Demas, Lake Forest, IL
Kylee J. Duplessis, Burlington*
Monica Jeanelle Emmons, Saint Johnsbury
Katherine Marie Entwistle, Wakefield, RI
Chelsea Lee Fournier, Concord
Elizabeth Markey Geller, Devens, MA
Wendy Goldsmith, Montclair, NJ**
Danielle Lee Hardy, Essex
Sarah Kathleen Hill, Essex Junction
Meghan Anne Laskowski, Brattleboro
Molly Joy McDermott, Hingham, MA
Melissa Joy Meyers, Frederick, MD
Kathryn Joan Miller, Randolph
Cassandra M. Millette, Thetford
Chelsea Ann O’Neil, Hingham, MA
Hannah Thompson Paul, Starksboro
Paige Marie Petersen, Acton, MA
Elyssa L. Pohler-Fors, Lyndon Center
Erica Nicole Ronkese, Almont, NY
Cassidy C. Slumway, Grand Isle
Christin Alanah Spitile, Winooski
Virginia Watkins, Weston, MA**
Megan Victoria Yorath, Chicago, IL

Special Education
Sarah M. Brown, Andover MA
Alissa Carberry, Natick, MA
Anna Rose Desiderio, Brooklyn, NY
Catherine Elizabeth Evans, Bethany, CT
Kasey M. Finn, Medfield, MA**
Rebecca D. Habakon, Framingham, MA
Forrester Elizabeth Lombard, Enosburg Falls*
Claire Megan McCarthy, Hudson, MA
Christina T. Sminkey, Underhill*
Anneke Van Fossen, South Royalton**

Rachel Anne Warren, Pleasantsvile, NY**
Lauren Elise Weber, Langborne, PA
Ada Wetmore, Hartland**

Human Development and Family Studies
Kamaro D. Abubakar, Bronx, NY
Katelyn Bolgioni, St. Albans**
Sheena Renee Crickmore, Huntington
Alexandra Dionne, South Burlington
Anne Kathleen Dunn, Albany, NY
Elisha Ferguson, Brick, NJ
Megan Julia Green, Belchertown, MA
Christopher Alan Hamlin, Jonesville
Mary Ellyn Lynch, Danville
Sarah Anne Kim MacDonald, Longmeadow; MA**
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Kathryn Ann Opolski, Haverhill, MA
Juan A. Peralta, Queens, NY
Megan Nicole Porter, Quechee
Elizabeth N. Rose, Essex Junction
Sharon Lynn Rotax, Lincoln
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Anna Elisabeth Smith, Lincoln
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Jamie Marie Whipple, Andover, NJ

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Leanne Avery, Nashua, NH
Bijoux Elizabeth Bahati, Burlington
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Marley J. Donaldson, Charlotte
Sydney Gates Dwinnell, Warren
Chelsea Maureen Fifield, Thetford
Katherine Forbes, Middlebury
Rebecca Hunt Kisner, North Hampton, NH
Heather Marie Mariotti, White River Junction
Ashley Marie McCullough, Rutland Town
Kellie Ann McNay, Burlington
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Kyle James O’Neil, Point Pleasant, NJ
Grace Melanie Paquette, Williston
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Amanda Lee Feller, Hinsdale, IL
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Matthew E. Davide, Essex
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Lindsey Devin Soboleski, Bellows Falls

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Elementary Education
Nicole Marie Anderson, Middlebury**
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Martin Willard Casey, Waterbury

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Emily E. Guarino, White River Junction
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Holleigh Herchenbach, Libertyville, IL
Danielle Hoey, Port Jefferson, NY
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Robert Vibert, Unionville, CT
Natalie Claire White, Madison, WI
Brendan White, Rutland
Erin F. Williams, Essex Junction

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Nancy Louise Keller, Saint Albans
Gail M. Macmillian, Stone*
Kara M. McKeever, Enfield, NH

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College of Engineering and Mathematical Sciences

Sunday, May 20, 2012  3:30 p.m.  Flynn Center for the Performing Arts

Bernard “Chip” Cole, Dean
Robert Snapp, Marshal
Kurt Oughtston, Marshal

Order of Exercises

PROCESSIONAL

The Pipes and Drums of St. Andrew’s Society of Vermont

WELCOME, Darren Hitt, Professor of Mechanical Engineering

INVOCATION, Josh Bongard, Professor of Computer Science

COMMENCEMENT SPEAKER, Jeanne A. Morrissey, President, J.A. Morrissey, Inc.

PRESENTATION OF DIPLOMAS

NAME READER, Darren Hitt

RECEPTION, Hilton Burlington Hotel

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE

Civil Engineering
Piero Luigi Abballe Jr, Old Tappan, NJ

Garrett J. Organek, Coventry, CT
Caitlin Megan Patterson, Anchorage, AK

Robert James Mueller, Marshfield, WI

Lucas Aaron Morgan, Rutland, MA

Kristina Lynn Miele, Newport, RI

Rachel Piper Luna, Sterling, MA

Joseph Guido Leuci, Queensbury, NY

KatieAnn Elise Evarts, Manchester, NH

Christopher Eugene Day, East Barre, VT

Thomas J. Davidson, Manchester, CT

Kaitlyn Elise Evarts, Manchester, NH

Matthew Kenneth Guild, Manchester, CT

Matthew Alexander Grob, Rutland, MA

Christopher S. Gavitt, Bensalem, PA

Alexander J. Zara, Oyster Bay, NY

Fielding D. Gold, Ridgely, CT

Jared Daniel Grigas, Jacksonville, FL

Gary Andrew Hagen-Peter, Underhill, VT

Hillary Ryan Hughes, Kennetcook, NJ

MaryGrace Ilardi, Brooklyn, NY

Daniel Jay Itkin, Underhill, VT

Krista Rose King, Stoneham, MA

Jonathon Kuehne, Benson, VT

Andrew Frederick Laramie, Castleton, VT

Matthew Aaron Lawliss, South Burlington

Jack T. Lehrecke, Bangor, ME

Joseph Guido Leuci, Queensbury, NY

Rachel Piper Luna, Dedham, MA

Eric James Mackin, Tinton Falls, NJ

Braden Alexander Martin, Barre

MaryKay McDill, Springfield, MA

Kyle Richard Midthassel, Mahwah, NJ

Kristina Lynn Miele, Valley Cottage, NY

Susan Marie Molzon, Lincolft, NJ

James A. Montague, Wilton, ME

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Robert James Mueller, Jamestown, ND

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Environmental Engineering
Kalee Marie Bathan, Brandon

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Terence Conlon Boyle Jr, Hamden, CT

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Kate Anna Buhl, Pittsfield, MA

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Emmalee Troop Cherington, Monkton

Ian Robert Dwyer, Killington

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Aaron Buchanan George, Sparta, NJ

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Derek Edward Madsen, Spencerport, NY

Carmen Lynn Mason, Waterbury

Theodore Robert Mellors, Hingham, MA

John F. Nummy, Newburgh, NY

Emily Burke Paulsen, Rutland, MA

Geri Marie Pavlowski, Ashbury, NJ

Joanie Stultz, Kent, WA

Electrical Engineering

Kyle George Beatty, Hope, NJ

Minela Beric, Prozor, Bosnia and Herzegovina

Colin Timothy Brahmesteder, Johnson

Andrew Ross Calder, Canaan, ME

Colin Patrick Dignam, Cobasset, MA

Bryan Gagne, Colchester

Francisco Antonio Garcia-Candelario, Bronx, NY

Kyle S. Haughery, Richford

Andrew Paul Langevin Jr., St. Albans

Jeffrey S. Laning, Townsend

Anthony Eugene Lauzon, Bennington

Ben E. Norris, Monkton

Andrew Thor Olstedal, Allen, TX

Isaiah D. Patterson, Montgomery

Jordan R. Potvin, Colchester

Rudolph R. Raab, Middlebury

Nikolaos Sanopoulos, Athens, Greece

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Timothy Liam Varhue, Milton

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Michael Andrew Robinson, Whiting

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Trevor Jerome Merchant, Fairfield

Nicholas James Sheehan, Potsdam

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Sean Patrick Candori, **Jericho**
Sam Cadman Catalano, **Cornwall, NY**
Barrett Laurson Cavanagh, **Jamestown, RI**
Michael John Cianci, **Chester, NJ**
Jonathan Shamlin Cohrs, **West Orange, NJ**
Casey W. Colgan, **Cary, NC**
Gabrielle M. DaGama, **Pittsford, NY**
Collin Charles Dailey, **Manchester**
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Gustaf Aaron Erickson, **Railia, HI**
Melissa Kathleen Faletra, **Scituate, MA**
Ann Marie Fiedler, **Scotch Plains, NJ**
Samuel E. Flinkstrom, **South Berwick, ME**
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Michael Foster Gibson, **Stowe**
Harrison G. Goldberg, **Boston, MA**
Yuri Frey Hudak, **Saranont**
Rachel Striker Koh, **Gill, MA**
Justin D. Kuzma, **Cornish, NH**
Dung Hua Lai, **Burlington**
Rose Giroux Long, **Sutton**
Christopher Eric Lund, **Riverside, CT**
Andrew Lutton, **Cambridge**
Keith Calvert Macchione, **Malvern, PA**
Thomas William Martin III, **Chester**
Daniel R. Merkel, **Florham Park, NJ**
Michael A. Messer, **New Rochelle, NY**
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Eric Lennon Niebyliski, **Kamuela, HI**
Daniel A. Nowakowski, **Bethesda, MD**
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Dakota McKay Pell, **Marlboro**
Ian Tobias Pfeiffer, **Pittsford, NY**
Brian Thomas Pinand, **Highland Lakes, NJ**
Jonathan S. Razinger, **Manchester Center**
John Michael Repucci Jr., **Topsfield, MA**
Ryan Philip Rzepka, **Longmeadow, MA**
Rebecca Elizabeth Säenz, **Royaltown**
Neil Shardella, **Fair Haven**
Michaela Seminara, **Warwick, RI**
Andrew William Stifler, **Essex**
Sean N. Stowell, **Wake Forest, NC**
Drew D. Swomley, **Gettysburg, PA**
Owen T. Teeter, **Polulney**
Jason S. Thuma, **Middlebury**
Connor John Tobin, **Fort Collins, CO**
David Bradford Traynor, **Marblehead, MA**
Michael Geoffrey Trubia, **Mystic, CT**
Alexander L. Vizard, **Delmar, MD**
James A. Vohr, **Meredith, NH**
Wesley Robert Volk, **Hinesburg**
Christopher Michael Winskowicz, **Topsfield, MA**
William Theodore Zakrzewski, **Arlington**
Jiarui David Zhang, **Zhenjiang, China**
Christopher Morton Zubke, **Saint Louis, MN**

**Mathematics Majoring in Statistics**
Conor William Coyne, **Pittsfield, MA**
Jinkee Lee, **Seoul, South Korea**
Tae Ho Lim, **Seoul, South Korea**
Michael Partick Meighan Jr., **Pembroke, MA**
Anna M. Salate, **West Boylston, MA**

**Computer Science**
Kenneth Austin, **Burlington**
Samuel Bennett Brown, **Kittery Point, ME**
John H. Christoforo V, **Andover, MA**
Andrew T. Cohen, **Dix Hills, NY**
Mark Vincent Cooper, **Bristol**
Brian Walter Creighton Crucitti, **Essex Junction**
Steven Michael Deeney, **Dennis, MA**
Nicholas John Dorval, **Mansfield, MA**
Christopher Kent Dramstad, **Essex Junction**
Austin Treat Emmons, **Bedlebem, PA**
Aldin Fajic, **Burlington**
Aaron Freedette, **Middle Granville, NY**
Joseph Declan Kelleher, **Dartmouth, MA**
Ebrahim Kopeisii, **New York**
Taylor M. Krammen, **East Granby, CT**
Alexander Stokes Munkelwitz, **Burlington**
Anthony Randall Sweet, **Barre**
Benjamin John Witte, **Dansville, NY**

**Bachelor of Science**
Majoring in Computer Science and Information Systems
Jonathan M. Russo, **Dillon, CO**

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The Rubenstein School of Environment and Natural Resources

Sunday, May 20, 2012

Commencement 2012

Sheraton Burlington Hotel & Conference Center

11:45 a.m.

Mary C. Watzin, Dean
Allan M. Strong, Associate Dean
Clare Ginger, Marshal

Order of Exercises

PROCESSIONAL

WELCOME, Professor Ginger

OPENING REMARKS AND INTRODUCTION, Dean Watzin

ADDRESS TO GRADUATES

Dr. Hal Colston, Executive Director, SerVermont

PRESENTATION OF BACHELOR’S DIPLOMAS

RECOGNITION OF MASTER OF SCIENCE GRADUATES

RECOGNITION OF DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY GRADUATES

CONCLUDING COMMENTS, Dean Watzin

RECESSICAL

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE

Julie Webler Amazeen, Ipswich, MA

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Colin Abbott Arisman, Mamaroneck, NY

Alexandra Eva Arnsten, Manchester, MA

Meghan Rose Arpin, Proctor, NH

Ayah Fadi Badran, Scituate, MA

Monica Nicole Beers, Manchester Center

Abigail La Fleur Bentley, Clifton Park, NY

Ty Anthony Bereskie, Clifton Park, NY

Lola Paul Bertolino Jr., Peabody, MA

Helen Birk, Washington, ME

Christopher J. Blazeck, Litchfield, CT

Ellen R. Borton, West Chester, PA

Tyler J. Brown, West Rupert

Madeline Rand Brumberg, Ithaca, NY

Olivia Marie Bulger, South Berwick, ME

Conner Richard Burke, North Clarendon

Audrey Hope Burns, Mattapoisett, MA

Ryan Christian Campbell, Middlesex, MA

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David B. Knight, Rochester, NY

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Anthony James Santos III, Rockport, MA

Andrew P. Schlesinger, Cherry Hill, NJ

Elena Price Schneible, Montpelier

Carolyn Scott Schroeder, Richmond, AZ

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Beck David Sinclair, Waitsfield

Carl Watson Smith, Kennett Square, PA

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Alexander R. Stein, Hyde Park

Caitlin Stephens, Watauga, TX

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Peter Tarrant Wecafe, Scituate, MA

Jaime Kirsten Whalen, Stowe*

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College of Nursing and Health Sciences

Sunday, May 20, 2012 11:45 a.m.  Ira Allen Chapel

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** Communication Sciences and Disorders **

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Zoe V. Norcross, Arlington, MA

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Elisha Paula Crowley, Colchester

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Andrea Dunne, Belvidere, NJ

Mari Fourie, Waterloo, ONT

Claire Elise Freson, Pittsfield

Kelley Holland Frick, Gilmanton, NH

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Austin S. Goldenberg, Holliston, MA

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Darren Tyler Beyor, Highgate**

Amanda M. Bouffard, Underhill*

Amanda Douangaphaivong, Springfield

Tiana Gariboldi, Barre

John T. Little, New Ipswich, NH

Brena Kathryn Parry, Plattsburg; NH

Ryan M. Shea, Lakeville, MA**

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Jason Zampieri, South Ryegate

** Nursing **

Emily Ann Alexander, Berlin

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** Medical Laboratory Science **

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Patrick McGlaughlin, Richmond

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Shakimah Janice Rodney, Bronx, NY

Bridge Sarpong, Bronx, NY

Amanda Renee Tibbetts, South Royalton

Jeffrey Cornell Walbridge, Acton, MA

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Commencement 2012

Allison Fitzgerald, *Melrose, MA*
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Mae Elizabeth Foster, *Weston*
Danielle Eleanor Goldstein, *East Otis, MA*
Sarah Jane Gove, *Essex Junction*
Hannah Nicolle Josephson, *Goffstown, NH*
Samantha Lagace, *Gilford, NH*
Jenna Cantwell LeMieux, *Phillipston, MA*
Julia Ann Liebert, *Weymouth, MA*
Molly Grace Livingston, *Toms River, NJ*
Julie A. MacMillan, *Fayetteville*
Ashley Nicole Maynard, *Granby, CT*
Donald McCaffrey, *Saint Johnsbury*
Jennifer Pamela Tobin Miller, *South Burlington*
Caitlin Elizabeth Morris, *Castleton*
Courtney Elizabeth Murphy, *Rowley, MA*
Alisa Elaine Neidlinger, *Burlington*
Emily Elizabeth Nicholson, *Springfield, MA*
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Chelsea Star Purinton, *Bristol*
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Torie Alice Lynn Sanders, *Manchester*
Patricia Joy Schekter, *Essex Junction*
Sarah Lynn “Skip” Schipelli, *North Reading, MA*
Rachael Shepardson-Rudden, *Georgia*
Kelly N. Shultz, *Bangor, ME*
Joanna M. Singer, *Burlington*
Logan Elizabeth Smith, *Old Forge, NY*
Sara Alyssa Sozanski, *South Yarmouth, MA*
Laura Beth Stein, *Salisbury, MA*
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Valerie Lynne Waters, *Stowe*
Jamie Bess Weiner, *Emmaus, PA*
Julia Pfeiffer Williams, *Montpelier*
Hayley Rose Worledge, *Lloyd Harbor, NY*

Radiation Therapy

Kayla Sue Boucher, *Rutland*
Catherine Lynn Fenner, *North Clarendon*
Kathryn Ann Krug, *Essex Junction*
Cassandra LaBella, *Saugus, MA*
Natasha Manning, *Ellsworth, ME*
Angela Teresa Mayo, *Hardwick*
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Ashley Summer Price, *Barre*
Patricia Ann Rivet, *Saint Regis Falls, NY*

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Graduate College
Commencement Ceremony

Saturday, May 19, 2012
1:00 p.m.
Patrick Gymnasium

Order of Exercises

PRESIDING
Domenico Grasso, Dean
Cynthia Forehand, Associate Dean
Rona Delay, Marshal
Kieren Killeen, Marshal
Jeff Buzas, Marshal
Ralph Swenson, Marshal
Robert Tyzbir, Name Reader

PROCESSIONAL

WELCOME
Cynthia Forehand, Professor of Anatomy and Neurobiology and Professor of Biology
and Associate Dean

INVOCATION
Richard Foote, Professor of Mathematics
College of Engineering and Mathematical Sciences

REMARKS
Domenico Grasso, Dean
Jude Paul Mattias Dizon, Vice President, Graduate Student Senate
A. John Bramley, President of the University of Vermont

GRADUATE COLLEGE COMMENCEMENT SPEAKER
Madeleine M. Kunin, UVM James Marsh Professor and G ’67
former Governor of the State of Vermont and former U.S. Ambassador to Switzerland

CONFERRAL OF DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY DEGREES
CONFERRAL OF DOCTOR OF EDUCATION DEGREES
CONFERRAL OF DOCTOR OF PHYSICAL THERAPY DEGREES
CONFERRAL OF MASTERS DEGREES
A. John Bramley, President of the University of Vermont
Domenico Grasso, Dean

CLOSING REMARKS
Domenico Grasso, Dean

RECESSIONAL

RECEPTION, Harris-Millis Dining Hall
DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY
Animal, Nutrition and Food Sciences
Sukumar Kandasamy, B.V.Sc. (Veterinary College and Research Institute) 2002; M.V.Sc. (Madras Veterinary College) 2004; Rasipuram, India*
Dissertation: Between-Cow Variation in Dermal Fibroblast Production of Markers of Innate Immune Response is Associated with Outcome of Escherichia Coli Mastitis
Advisor: Dr. David Kerr
Bethany A. Yon, B.S. (The University of Vermont) 1984; M.S. (The University of Vermont) 2006; Rutland
Dissertation: Evaluating the Acceptance of Reformulated Flavored Milk in Schools
Advisor: Dr. Rachel Johnson
Biochemistry
Jianhong Chen, B.S. (Hubei Agricultural College) 1997; M.S. (Huaazhong Agricultural University) 2001; Hubei, China*
Dissertation: Structure and Function of Eukaryotic RAD51 Recombinase and its Variations in Cancer
Advisor: Dr. Scott Morrillic
Justin A. Decarreau, B.S. (The University of Vermont) 2005; Winooski*
Dissertation: Loops and Switches: How ADP Release is Coordinated in Smooth Muscle Myosin
Advisor: Dr. Christopher Berger
Adam Phillips Lothrop, B.S. (Saint Michael’s College) 2005; Burlington**
Dissertation: The Mechnano-Enzymatic Function of Selenocysteine in Thioredoxin Reductases
Advisor: Dr. Robert Hondal
Ashley Nicole Steen, B.A. (Elmira College) 2007; Schuyler Lake, NY
Dissertation: Intracellular Interactions between Human Serum Transferrin and the Transferrin Receptor that Mediate pH-Induced Iron Release
Advisor: Dr. Anne Mason
Biomechanics
Dissertation: Using In Vitro Model Systems to Investigate Mechanical and Biological Stimulation of Cells Important for Minimally Invasive Treatments of Low Back Pain
Advisor: Dr. James Iatridis
Biology
Heather Jylen Axen, B.S. (Cornell College) 2006; Golden, CO*
Dissertation: Interactions between Hybridization and Eusociality in a Fire Ant Hybrid Zone
Advisor: Dr. Sara Helms Cahan
Mojeeburrhaman Cheerekothodi, B.S. (Kerala Agricultural University) 2003; Malappuram, Kerala, India
Dissertation: Identification and Quantification of Embryonic CnrL-SH3 Binding Proteins: Implications for Reelin Signaling and the Quantification of Protein Isomers Using Bottom-Up Proteomics
Advisor: Dr. Bryan Ballif
Laura Emily Farrell, B.A. (University of California, Berkeley) 1985; M.S. (University of Florida) 1999; Monticello
Dissertation: Northeastern Mesomammals: Landscape Use and Detection
Advisor: Dr. William Kilpatrick
Edmund Hart, B.A. (University of Massachusetts Amherst) 2002; B.S. (University of Massachusetts Amherst) 2002; Dorset*
Dissertation: The Impacts of Climate Change on Ecological and Evolutionary Processes
Advisor: Dr. Nicholas J. Gotelli
Nilanjan Lodh, B.S. (Calcutta University) 2002; M.S. (Calcutta University) 2004; Kolkata, India
Dissertation: The Ecology, Population Genetic Structure and Spatial Genetic Variability of the Stream Dwelling Worm Tubifex tubifex and Myzobolus Cerebralis, the Causative Agent of Whirling Disease in Salmonid Fishes
Advisor: Dr. Lori Stevens
Sukanya Lodh, B.S. (Lady Brabourne College) 2002; M.S. (Calcutta University) 2004; Kolkata, India
Dissertation: Characterization of PWA and PWB Proteins in Paramecium
Advisor: Dr. Judith Van Houten
Cell and Molecular Biology
Ingrid Carril, B.S. (Florida Atlantic University) 2001; M.S. (Florida Atlantic University) 2003; Lima, Peru**
Dissertation: Exogenous and Endogenous Sources of Adult Progenitor Cells for Lung Regeneration and Repair
Advisor: Dr. Jeffrey Spees
William E. Damsky, Jr., B.S. (The University of Vermont) 2005; Orange, CT**
Dissertation: Melanocyte Metabolism and Differentiation Programs Regulate Melanoma Formation and Metastasis
Advisor: Dr. Marcus Rosenberg
Andrew Richard Dunn, B.A. (The Colorado College) 2004; Willton, NH
Dissertation: The DNA Glycosylase Search Mechanism
Advisor: Dr. Susan Wallace
Christopher James French, B.S. (Boston College) 2004; M.D. (The University of Vermont) 2009; Palos Verdes Estates, CA*
Dissertation: The Impact on Infant Size of Apoptosis, Autophagy, and Necrosis in Cardiomyocytes and Cardiac Vascular Cells after Myocardial Infarction in Mice
Advisor: Dr. Burton Soble
Meagan Goodwin, B.A. (Ithaca College) 2002; Massapequa, NY*
Dissertation: The Effects of Mesenchymal Stromal Cell Administration on Allergic Airways Disease
Advisor: Dr. Daniel Weiss
Brent William Osborne, B.S. (The University of Vermont) 2003; Cumberland, RI*
Dissertation: A Structure-Function Analysis of the cGMP-Dependent Protein Kinase
Advisor: Dr. Wolfgang Dostmann
Ramiro Barrantes Reynolds, B.S. (University of Costa Rica) 1999; B.S. (University of Costa Rica) 1999; San José, Costa Rica*
Dissertation: Bayesian Methods to Identify Structural Characters with Application to the FPG/NEI Family of Base-Excision Repair Enzymes
Advisor: Dr. Jeffrey Bond
Archana Vaithilingam, B.Tech. (Anna University) 2006; Chennai, India*
Dissertation: Exploring the Biology of Phagocytosis in the Protozoan Parasite Entamoeba histolytica
Advisor: Dr. Christopher Huston
Chemistry
Sunandan Banerjee, B.S. (Scottish Church College) 2000; M.Sc. (Ramjas College) 2002; Lucknow, Kolkata, India
Dissertation: Developing Novel Peptide Display Methods and Screening Optimally Stable Protein Motifs on Solid-Phase Synthesis Resins
Advisor: Dr. Martin Case
Jodi M. Ogilvie, B.S. (University of Maine) 2006; Stratton, ME
Dissertation: Exploration of the Reactivity of 1-Aza-2-Azoniaallene Salts as Precursors to Alpha-Chlorsazo Compounds, Bicyclic Diazenium Salts and Protazoned Azomethine Imines
Advisor: Dr. Matthias Brewer
Joseph David Panarese, B.S. (State University of New York at Potsdam) 2007; Newton, MA
Dissertation: Enantioselective Formal Total Synthesis of (+)-Aspergillilide C; Iodine-Mediated Oxidation of Nitrogen Heterocycles Directed Towards Natural Product Synthesis
Advisor: Dr. Stephen Waters
Adam Richardson, B.S. (University of Portland) 2002; Portland, OR**
Dissertation: The Effect of Nanoparticle Dispersion or Physical Crosslinking in Heterogeneous Polymer Network Systems
Advisor: Dr. Willem Leenstra
Liton Roy, B.S. (Presidency College) 2001; M.S. (Indian Institute of Technology) 2003; Calcutta, India*
Dissertation: Protein by Dynamic Combinatorial Chemistry
Advisor: Dr. Martin Case
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Clinical and Translational Science

Timothy Ward Tourville, B.S. (Keene State College) 1997; M.Ed. (The University of Vermont) 2002; Sunapee, NH*
Dissertation: Anatomical and Biochemical Assessment of the Onset and Progression of Post-Traumatic Tibiofemoral Osteoarthritis
Advisor: Dr. Bruce Seymou

Computer Science

Mohammed Al-Kateb, B.Sc. ( Cairo University) 2000; M.Sc. ( Cairo University) 2003; Giza, Cairo, Egypt*
Dissertation: Adaptive-Size Reservoir Sampling and Temporal Coalescing Over Data Streams
Advisor: Dr. Byung Suk Lee

Jianhong Hunter Cui,
Dissertation: Ambulatory Lordosimeter Measurement and Feedback Control of Seated Posture
Advisor: Dr. Dennis Clougherty

Electrical Engineering

Kofi Adu Asante, B.S. (University of Cape Coast) 2001; M.Sc. (Laurentian University) 2004; Ghana
Dissertation: Light Trapping Heteroepitaxial Thin-Film Photovoltaic
Advisor: Dr. Walter Varhue

Materials Science

Robert George Andosca, B.S. (Keene State College) 1989; M.S. (The University of Vermont) 1991; Boston, MA
Dissertation: Experimental and Theoretical Studies on Microelectromechanical Systems Based Piezoelectric Vibrational Energy Harvesters with Mass Loading
Advisor: Dr. Junru Wu

Wenzheng Zhang, B.S. (Nanjing University) 2004; M.S. (Nanjing University) 2007; China
Dissertation: Orthogonality Catastrophe in Quantum Sticking
Advisor: Dr. Dennis Clougherty

Mathematical Engineering

Christian M. Racine, B.A. (Lyndon State College) 2003; M.A. (The University of Vermont) 2007; Weymouth, MA
Dissertation: Weakly Nonlinear Analysis of a Solid Propellant Combustion Model
Advisor: Dr. Jun Yu

Mechanical Engineering

Dylan Burns, B.S.M.E. (The University of Vermont) 2002; M.S. (The University of Vermont) 2006; Watertown, NY*
Dissertation: Ambulatory Loadmeter Measurement and Feedback Control of Seated Posture
Advisor: Dr. Dryver Huston

Jianhong Hunter Cai, B.S. ( South Petroleum Institute) 1996; M.S. ( South Petroleum Institute) 1999; Shenzhen, China
Dissertation: Multiple Sensor Proctor NONDESTRUCTIVE Evaluation on Concrete Bridge Deck Maintenance
Advisor: Dr. Dryver Huston

David Hurley, B.S.M.E. (University of Virginia) 2005; M.S. (The University of Vermont) 2008; Falls Church, VA
Dissertation: Embedded and Remote Systems for Damage Detection, Assessment, and Repair
Advisor: Dr. Dryver Huston

Microbiology and Molecular Genetics

Jamie Paul Carter, B.S. (The University of Vermont) 2001; Newport*
Dissertation: A Functional Analysis of ATTPR2 and ATTPR4, Two Structural Cell Wall Proteins, in Stomata of Arabidopsis thaliana
Advisor: Dr. Mary Tierney

Xuan Jiang, B.S. (Wuhan University) 2005; Wuhan, China
Dissertation: The Precocious Pathway of the Extracellular Matrix Protein adhesin A of Aggregatibacter actinomycetemcomitans
Advisor: Dr. Keith Mintz

Molecular Physiology and Biophysics

Abbey Elizabeth Weith, B.A. (Agnes Scott College) 2004; Seattle, WA**
Dissertation: Molecular Basis of Cardiac Myosin Binding Protein-C Effects on Actomyosin Motility
Advisor: Dr. David Warshaw

Natural Resources

Tatiana Abatamurco, B.A. (Green Mountain College) 2004; M.A. (University of Minnesota) 2006; Saramacca, NY*
Dissertation: Ethics in the Local Food Movement: An Interdisciplinary Humanistic Analysis
Advisor: Dr. Stephanie Kaza

Juan Pablo Alvez da Cruz, B.S. (Federal University of Santa Catarina), 1998; M.S. (The University of Vermont) 2005; Rivera, Uruguay
Dissertation: Livestock Management, Ecosystem Services and Sustainable Livelihoods
Advisor: Dr. Jon Erickson

Paul James Lilly, B.A. (Yale University) 1999; M.S. (State University of New York) 2005; Milwaukee, WI*
Advisor: Dr. Jennifer Jenkins

Luz Aida Martinez Melendez, B.A. (Instituto Tecnologico Autonomo de Mexico) 2000; M.S. (The University of Vermont) 2008; Mexico City, Mexico
Dissertation: NAFTA Beyond Economics, its Connection with Environmental and Social Issues
Advisor: Dr. Robert Costanza, Dr. Curtis Ventris

Neuroscience

Sarah M. Corey, B.S. (Marlboro College) 2001; Burlington*
Dissertation: Downward Facing Rat: Body-Based Treatment in an Inflammation Model of Persistent Low Back Pain
Advisor: Dr. Helene Langevin

Mary Hoffman, B.S. (University of New England) 2003; Nashua, NH**
Dissertation: Propulsive Motility in the Colon: Neural Mechanisms of Disruption in Colitis, and Improvement with 5-HT Receptor Agonists
Advisor: Dr. Gary Mawe

Pharmacology

Jessica M. Cassavaugh, B.S. (University of Rochester) 2004; Amherst, MA**
Dissertation: Negative Regulation of HIF-1 and its Impact on Hypoxia-Mediated Angiogenesis
Advisor: Dr. Karen Lounsbury

Psychology

Leslie Crimin Johnson, B.S. (Michigan State University) 2005; M.A. (The University of Vermont) 2008; Holt, MI*
Dissertation: In the “Eye of the Beholder”: Prejudice, the In-Group Over-Exclusion Effect, and the Fat Threshold
Advisor: Dr. Elizabeth Pinel

Adam Gonzalez, B.A. (St Francis College) 2005; Brooklyn, NY*
Dissertation: Understanding Anxiety and Worry About Bodily Sensations Among Adults with HIV/AIDS: Exploration of Anxiety Sensitivity and Mindful Attention
Advisor: Dr. Michael Zvolensky

Erin Kathleen Shoulberg, B.A. (Grimnell College) 1997; M.A. (The University of Vermont) 2008; Ferrisburgh
Dissertation: The Contextual Nature of Popularity Goals: Associations with Math Engagement and Achievement during the Transition to Adolescence
Advisor: Dr. Dianna Murray-Close

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Jamila Natalie Thomas, B.A. (Vanderbilt University) 2004; Atlanta, Georgia
Dissertation: Eye-Gaze Instruction as a Mechanism for Learning to Recognize Fear Among Youths with Callous-Unemotional Traits
Advisor: Dr. Timothy Stickle
Meghan Farrell Tomb, B.A. (Wesleyan University) 2001; New York, NY
Dissertation: The Relation Among ADHD Subtypes, Cognitive Deficits, and Self-Perceptions of Competence
Advisor: Dr. Betsy Hozza

DOCTOR OF EDUCATION
Educational Leadership and Policy Studies
Leslie Averill Debes, B.S. (The University of Vermont) 1992; Med. (The University of Vermont) 2004; Ferrisburgh**
Dissertation: Scholarly Personal Narratives as an Essential Meaning Making and Retention Tool for Student Affairs Professionals: One Leader’s Personal Account
Advisor: Dr. Robert Nash
Holly Buckland Parker, B.A. (The University of Vermont) 1994; Med. (The University of Vermont) 1998; Essex Junction**
Dissertation: Learning Starts with Design: Higher Education Faculty Explore the Use of Universal Design for Learning (UDL) to Address the Needs of All Students
Advisor: Dr. Katharine Shepherd
Leslye Kormegay, B.S. (Mount Olive College) 1999; M.S.A. (Central Michigan University) 2000; Dudley, NC
Dissertation: Leading to Change the World: One African-American Woman’s Journey to Positions of Leadership in Predominantly White Institutions
Advisor: Dr. Robert Nash
Lisa Kerwyn Lux, B.A. (State University of New York at Potsdam) 1976; M.S.W. (Adelphi University) 1983; Burlington
Dissertation: Beyond their Obligation: The Perspectives and Experiences of Title IVE Supported Graduates after Leaving Public Child Welfare Practice
Advisor: Dr. Katharine Shepherd
Christina Marie Olstad, B.S. (Augsburg College) 2000; M.S.W. (Augsburg College) 2005; Burnsville, MN**
Dissertation: Developing and Maintaining a Personal Commitment to Social Justice while Navigating Challenging Family Dynamics: Implications for Student Affairs Educators
Advisor: Dr. Robert Nash
Valerie B. Sullivan, B.S. (The University of Vermont) 1997; Med. (Johnson State College) 1998; Johnson
Dissertation: Student Achievement as an Indicator of Teacher Effectiveness: A Teacher Evaluation Model
Advisor: Dr. Sean Hurley

DOCTOR OF PHYSICAL THERAPY
Lance James Berry, B.S. (Lyndon State College) 2010; Lyndonville
Robin Bienenstock, B.S. (The University of Vermont) 2009; New Rochelle, NY
Lauren Anne Bilodeau, B.A. (The University of Vermont) 2010; Milton, MA
Kristin J. Birch, B.A. (The University of Vermont) 2010; South Windsor, CT
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Master of Arts
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Thesis: Driving Cultural Iconography: James Bond and Aston Martin
Advisor: Dr. Sarah Nilsen
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Thesis: Divine Diversions: An Exploration of Roman Catholicism in Oscar Wilde’s Work
Advisor: Dr. Sarah Alexander
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Thesis: Solving the Case: How the Female Hard-Boiled Detective Fits the Mold
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Thesis: The Carver Canard: Textual Restoration as Authorial Effacer
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Thesis: “The Enigma of Survival”: Enlarging the Trauma Narrative
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Advisor: Dr. Sarah Nilsen
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Thesis: Negotiating Worlds: Jane Eyre, The Bell Book, and Woman as Knowing Subject
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Thesis: Bringing the Holocaust Home: The Congressional Mission to Liberated Concentration Camps in April and May 1945
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Thesis: Transportation and National Identity: The Political Impact of the Champlain Canal on Northwestern Vermont
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Thesis: Philadelphia and the Emergence of an American Egalitarian Class Structure
Advisor: Dr. Nicole Phelps

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Thesis: Characterizing and Improving HIV/AIDS Knowledge among Cocaine-Dependent Outpatients Using Modified Materials
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Thesis: Emotional State Interacts with Estrogen’s Effects on Cognition
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Interdisciplinary Studies
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Thesis: Bridging the Chasm of Race and Class: How one Successful Chinese-American Educator became an Aspiring Mentor through Building I-Thou Relationships
Advisor: Dr. Robert Nash
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Thesis: “I Know I Can Be What I Wanna Be”: Career Development for First-Generation College Students
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Thesis: The Circle of Self: Identities, Dimensions, and Resources with Implications for Educators
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Thesis: Fleshing Out: An Apprentice Midwife and Educator’s Meditations on the Meanings and Practice of Homebirth Midwifery
Advisor: Dr. Robert Nash
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Thesis: A Career Advisor’s Attempt to Understand and Coach a Growing Population of Students with Asperger’s
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Thesis: The Social Construction and Framing of Tailpipe Emissions in the Media
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MASTER OF SCIENCE
Animal Science
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Thesis: Effects of Dietary Starch on the Performance and Insulin Sensitivity of Early Lactation Multiparous Holstein Cows
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Advisor: Dr. Jane Kolodinsky
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Thesis: A Comprehensive Assessment of Factors Affecting Success on Vermont Grass-Based Livestock Farms
Advisor: Dr. Robert Parsons
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Thesis: Association of Food and Transportation Access on Meal Patterns and Obesity in Rural Northern New England
Advisor: Dr. Jane Kolodinsky
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Thesis: Diversification of Dairy Farms in the Northeast United States and Creating Taste of Place for Vermont
Advisor: Dr. Jane Kolodinsky
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Thesis: Conceptualizing Human Body Weight in a Health Production Framework
Advisor: Dr. Jane Kolodinsky
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Thesis: Practicing Philanthropy: Exploring Philanthropy and Practice through the Voices of Women
Advisor: Dr. Christopher Koliba
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Thesis: The Needs of Microentrepreneurs and Preparing for Future Entrepreneurs: The Microbusiness Retail Incubator as a Mechanism for Community Development
Advisor: Dr. Chyi-Lyi (Kathleen) Liang
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Thesis: Farm to Institution in Vermont: Constraints to Progress and Values of Supply Chain Actors
Advisor: Dr. David Conner
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Thesis: Taste of Place and the Regional Audience: Origin Labels, Consumer Behavior, and the Spatialization of Quality
Advisor: Dr. Jane Kolodinsky
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Thesis: Intergovernmental Dynamics and Equity Considerations in Transportation Planning and the Allocation of Funding
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Thesis: Economic Viability of Carbon Offsets to Finance Dairy Anaerobic Digestion Projects
Advisor: Dr. Joshua Farley
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Thesis: Financial Stability and State and Local Government Fiscal Behavior: Towards a Post-Keynesian Economics of the Subnational Public Sector
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Computer Science
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Thesis: Mobile Ad-hoc Networks (MANETs) and their Effect on Mobile Users
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Thesis: Crowdsourcing Predictors for Modeling Behavioral Outcomes
Advisor: Dr. Joshua Borgand
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Thesis: The Effects of Technology on Socialization in Elementary Students
Advisor: Dr. Joshua Farley
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Thesis: A Multi-Proxy Paleoecological Study of Holocene Sediments in Lake Champlain
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Thesis: Investigating the Timing of Deglaciation and the Efficiency of Subglacial Erosion in Central-Western Greenland with Cosmogenic 10Be and 26Al
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Leonie Cowley, B.Eng. (Dublin Institute of Technology) 2005; Dublin, Ireland*  
Thesis: Mechanical Role of Phospholipid Bilayers in Boundary Lubrication of Synovial Joints  
Advisor: Dr. Yves Dubief  
Maximilian James Dougherty, B.S. (Clarkson University) 2008; Pitsfield*  
Thesis: Surface Catalyzed Recombination Reactions for High-Speed Mars Entry  
Advisor: Dr. Douglas Fletcher  
Benjamin Greenfield, B.S. (The University of Vermont) 2009; Williston**  
Advisor: Dr. Darren Hitt  
Andrew Lutz, B.S.M.E. (Western New England College) 2006; Pittsford, NY*  
Thesis: Investigation of CN Production from Carbon Materials in Nitrogen Plasmas  
Advisor: Dr. Douglas Fletcher  
Michael Ryan McDevitt, B.S.M.E. (Worcester Polytechnic Institute) 2003; Burlington*  
Thesis: Numerical Study of Disperse Monopropellant Slug Formation at a Cross Junction  
Advisor: Dr. Darren Hitt  
Dongmin Qian, B.S. (Zhejiang University of Technology) 2007; Zheijiang, China*  
Thesis: Efficiency Analysis of Solar Panel Dust Mitigation using an Electric Curtain  
Advisors: Dr. Jeffrey Marshall, Dr. Jeff Frolk  
Meaghan Vesels, B.S.M.E. (The University of Vermont) 2009; Pelham Manor, NY**  
Stephen Widdis, B.S.M.E. (The University of Vermont) 2009; Oceanport, NJ  
Thesis: Computational and Experimental Studies of Catalytic Decomposition of H₂O Monopropellant in MEMS-Based Micropulsion Systems  
Advisor: Dr. Darren Hitt  

**Natural Resources**

Dale Ellen Azaria, B.A. (Harvard University) 1986; J.D. (New York University) 1990; Burlington*  
Thesis: Reducing Vehicle Miles Traveled in Chittenden County via Modifications to the Built Environment  
Advisor: Dr. Austin Troy  
Emily J. Brodsky, B.S. (Unity College) 2004; Burlington  
Helen Elizabeth Carr, B.S. (Hobart and William Smith College) 2007; Cazenovia, NY*  
Thesis: Modeling 250 Years of Phosphorus Loading and Changing Trophic Status in Lake Champlain  
Advisor: Dr. Suzanne Levine  
Daniel Cornerford, B.S. (University of Massachusetts) 2007; Concord, MA*  
Thesis: Influence of Snow Removal on Sugar Maple Physiology and Snow and Vegetation Removal on Ground Dwelling Insects  
Advisors: Dr. Paul Schaberg, Dr. Kimberly Wallin  
Monika M. Derrien, B.A. (Cornell University) 2008; Jackson Heights, NY  
Thesis: Sense of Place and the Immigrant Experience: A Case Study of Bosnian Immigrants in Vermont  
Advisor: Dr. Patricia Stokowski  
Jaclyn Devino, B.A. (University of Rochester) 2009; Colchester  
Russell F. Ford, B.S. (The University of Vermont) 2009; Berksire  
Advisor: Dr. Mary Watzin  
Kate Fournier, B.S. (University of Maine) 2001; Burlington  
Kerrie Garvey, B.S. (Colby-Sawyer College) 2006; Dracut, MA  
Thesis: Quantifying Erosion and Deposition Due to Stream Planform Change Using High Spatial Resolution Digital Orthophotography and Lidar  
Advisor: Dr. Leslie Morrisey  
Rachel Elinor Ericsson Garwin, A.B. (Harvard University) 2007; Washington, DC  
Rose A. Graves, B.S. (University of Maine - Orono) 2005; Barnet*  
Pamela Nicole Johnston, B.S. (University of Oregon) 2005; Salem, OR*  
Alexandra Maya Kosiba, B.S. (Tufts University) 2004; Amherst, MA**  
Advisor: Dr. Paul Schaberg

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**As of January, 2012
Nutrition and Food Sciences
Abigail Marie Greenbaum, B.S. (Louisiana State University) 2007; New Orleans, LA**
Thesis: Linking Environmental and Sensory Qualities of a Vermont Artisan Cheese
Advisor: Dr. Amy Trubek

Daniel P. Lynch, B.S. (The University of Vermont) 2009; Montpelier
Thesis: Microbiological Quality of Retail Raw Milk Sold in Three New England States
Advisor: Dr. Catherine Donnelly

Pathology
Cindy Fonseca, B.S. (University of Massachusetts – Lowell) 2008; Lowell, MA**
Advisor: Dr. Edwin Bovill

Sidra Marie Hoffman, B.A. (University of Utah) 2009; Middlebury*
Thesis: Genetic Ablation of Glutaredoxin-1 Causes an Enhanced Resolution of Airways Hyperresponsiveness in Mice, in Association with Increases in Protein S-Glutathionylation
Advisor: Dr. Yvonne Janssen-Heininger

Timothy Nicholas Perkins, B.S. (The University of Vermont) 2009; Haverhill, MA*
Thesis: Molecular Effects of Silica on Human Lung Epithelial Cells
Advisor: Dr. Brooke Mossman

Derek Sham, B.S. (Nova Southeastern University) 2008; Ottawa, Ontario Canada
Thesis: NADPH Dual Oxidase 1 Signaling in Human Lung Epithelial Cells
Advisor: Dr. Albert van der Vliet

Physiology
Ian Christopher Goyette, B.S. (The University of Vermont) 2008; East Montpelier**
Thesis: Breaking Quantum Mirrors with Thermal Fluctuations
Advisor: Dr. Dennis Cloogherty

Benjamin Knight, B.S. (Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute) 2001; St. Albans*
Thesis: Magnetic Circular Dichroism Investigation of Metastable States in Carbonmonoxymyoglobin
Advisor: Dr. Kelvin Chu

Plant Biology
Catherine M. Bell, A.B. (Princeton University) 1999; Yellowstone National Park, WY

Audrey D. Clark, B.A. (Prescott College) 2005; Boston, MA

Zachary Joseph Ispa-Landala, B.A. (Warren Wilson College) 2004; Columbia, MO

Bryady McShane, B.A. (Queen’s University) 2004; Ottawa, Ontario, Canada*

Isaac Nadeau, B.A. (Prescott College) 1999; Madison, WI

Danielle Barkley Owczarski, B.A. (Johnson State College) 2007; North Adams, MA
Samuel Alan Schaefer-Joel, B.S. (Western Washington University) 2000;
Olympia, WA*

Lindsay Watkins, B.S. (Cornell University) 2005; Jackson, NH

Plant and Soil Science
Joshua Bakedar, B.A. (Green Mountain College) 2004; Saranac Lake, NY
Thesis: Effects of Season Extension Pasture Management in Vermont
Advisor: Dr. Deborah Neher

Cheryl E. Frank, B.S. (The University of Vermont) 2003; Stillwater, NY
Advisor: Dr. Margaret Skinner

Eulaia Rae Ishie, B.A. (Carleton College) 2005; Charlotte*
Thesis: Characterizing Phosphorus in Eroding Streambank Soils in Chittenden County, Vermont
Advisor: Dr. Donald Ross

Jonathan W. Zirkle, B.A. (Calein College) 2005; Knightsbridge, IN
Thesis: Interseeding Wheat and Clover: Implications for Fusarium Head Blight, Deoxynivalenol Concentration, Grain Yield, Crude Protein, and Weeds Management in Organic Vermont Production Systems
Advisor: Dr. Sidney Norton

Statistics
Jordan Bakeman, B.S. (The University of Vermont) 2011; Ludlow
Thesis: Applied Mixed Models in Multi-Centre Trials
Advisor: Dr. Richard Single

Nicholas Bond, B.A. (The University of Vermont) 2007; Williston*
Therumi Hata, B.S. (University of Maryland) 1996; Burlington*

MASTER OF SCIENCE IN DIETETICS
Austin Nicole Brooks, B.S (Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University) 2010; Floyd, VA

Amy Elizabeth Clay, B.S. (The University of Vermont) 2010; Wilmington
Kelsey Elizabeth Gero, B.S. (The University of Vermont) 2010; Rutland
Lindsay Lawes, B.S. (The University of Vermont) 2010; Middlebury
Kathryn Elyse Lawson, B.S. (Michigan State University) 2010; Haslett, MI
Morgan Rivers, B.S. (The University of Vermont) 2009; Brandon

MASTER OF SOCIAL WORK
Ellen M. Arrowsmith, B.A. (Calvin College) 2008; Burlington
Marina Angela Bagaglio, B.A. (Keene State College) 2010; Orange
Joanna Berger, B.A. (The University of Vermont) 2010; Rhinebeck, NY
Julia Faith Conner, B.A. (St. Lawrence University) 2009; Bristol
Abigail Cooper Marshall, B.S.W. (The University of Vermont) 2010; Burlington
Kelsey Lynne Dahlin, B.S. (Lyndon State College) 2010; Newport Center
Caitlin Anne Dempsey, B.A. (Saint Michael’s College) 2007; Brattleboro
Katherine Freund, B.S. (The University of Vermont) 2004; Montpelier
Heather Lynne Dresser Gagnon, B.S.W. (University of Vermont) 2011; Brattleboro
Madeline H. Grandgeorge, B.A. (Saint Michael’s College) 2008; Goffstown, NH
Melanie Hall, B.S. (Tufts University) 2008; Plattsburgh, NY
Hillary Holmes, B.S. (The University of Vermont) 2010; Essex Junction
Rachel Gilbert Hopkins, B.S. (The University of Vermont) 2008; Burlington
Jennifer Alexandra Irving, B.A. (Juniata College) 2007; Port Washington, NY
Emily M. Lenilko, B.S.S. (Champlain College) 2006; Sunderland
Meghan C. Lewellen, B.S.W. (The University of Vermont) 2011; Milton
Zachary Marsh, B.S. (City University of New York) 2010; Otsego, NY
Katherine M. Mast, B.S. (University of Findlay) 2008; Vestal, NY
Caitlin Kennedy Maynard, B.S.W. (The Catholic University of America) 2008; Worcester, MA
Margaret McGraw, B.A. (Barnard College) 2008; Burlington
Justine McNeice, B.A. (State University of New York - Plattsburgh) 2010; St. Albans
Katie Reynolds, B.S.W. (Gordon College) 2010; St. Albans
Sarah Robinson, B.A. (Shadmore College) 2006; Winoski
David Elkin Schaffer, B.A. (Dickinson College) 2007; Tarrytown, NY
Katherine Anna Van Wagner, B.A. (The University of Vermont) 2005; Nashua, NH
Alisandra West, B.A. (Muhlenberg College) 2010; Redding, CT
Janine Zimnie, B.A. (University of Illinois at Chicago) 2000; Chicago, IL

CERTIFICATE OF GRADUATE STUDY
Clinical and Translational Science
Khaldoun Bekdache
Dora Moon
Meenakumari Subramanian
John Yarger

Complex Systems
Nicholas Allgaier
Paul Beliveau
Jake Ryland Williams

Ecological Design
Daniel Lawrence Erickson
Eulaila Rae Ishie*

Ecological Economics
Norton Ribeiro de Freitas Jr. **
Christopher Richard Fuller

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PRESIDING
Frederick C. Morin III, M.D., Dean
William W. Pendlebury, M.D., Faculty Marshal
Patrick O. Butsch, Class Marshal

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WELCOME
Frederick C. Morin III, M.D., Dean
John R. Brumsted, M.D., President and Chief Executive Officer of Fletcher Allen Health Care

REMARKS
A. John Bramley, President of the University of Vermont

ADDRESS
G. Scott Waterman, M.D., Associate Dean for Student Affairs

RECOGNITION OF RETIRING FACULTY

RECOGNITION OF DEGREES, GRADUATE COLLEGE
Ira M. Bernstein, M.D., Senior Associate Dean for Research

ANNOUNCEMENT OF AWARDS AND HONORS
William B. Jeffries, Ph.D., Senior Associate Dean for Medical Student Education

STUDENT ADDRESS
Melissa Marotta Houser

CONFERRING OF DEGREES
A. John Bramley, President of the University of Vermont
Frederick C. Morin III M.D., Dean

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RECESSIONAL
University Awards of the Year to Seniors and Graduate Students

UNIVERSITY AWARDS

THE F. T. KIDDER MEDAL, established in memory of Dr. F.T. Kidder, 1880, a trustee of the university, to be awarded to the senior man ranking first in character, leadership and scholarship:

2012: To be announced 2011: Bryce Jones

THE MARY JEAN SIMPSON AWARD presented to the senior woman who best exemplifies the qualities of leadership, academic competence and character that Mary Jean Simpson strove to set before the women at the university during her tenure as Dean of Women:

2012: To be announced 2011: Claire Chevrier

THE CLASS OF 1967 AWARD presented to the senior who best exhibits leadership, academic competence and character, and who has earned the respect of faculty and fellow students:

2012: To be announced 2011: Jason DePatie

THE KEITH M. MISER LEADERSHIP AWARD established in 1989 and present in recognition of outstanding service to the University of Vermont:

2012: To be announced 2011: Kaitlyn Evarts

THE ELMER NICHOLSON ACHIEVEMENT PRIZE recognizes the greatness of the student's UVM experience, and based on his greatness of experience, there is an expectation that the student will make a major contribution in their field of interest:

2012: To be announced 2011: Kofi Mensah

GRADUATE COLLEGE

GRADUATE TEACHING ASSISTANT OF THE YEAR AWARD recognizes annually the accomplishments of a teaching assistant who has demonstrated unusual excellence and creativity in their teaching and commitment to student learning. Outstanding Graduate Teaching Assistants are nominated by their departments and programs.

Amy Paysnick, Ph.D. Candidate in Psychology, College of Arts and Sciences

COLLEGE OF AGRICULTURE AND LIFE SCIENCES

HONORS COLLEGE SCHOLARS

Emily Andersen, The Impact of Social Isolation on the Anxiolytic Effects of Voluntary Exercise in C57 Mice. Advisor: William Falls, Ph.D.

Kira Benson, Dose Dependent Effects of Mitochondrial Targeted Nitroxides on Malignant Mesothelioma Cells. Advisor: Nicholas Heintz, Ph.D.

Emily Bird, The Socioeconomic Impact of Hydroelectric Dams on Developing Communities: A Case Study of the Macal River Valley. Advisor: Saleem H. Ali, Ph.D.

Marie Burneko, Effects of Aliskiren on Adipocytic Proliferation, Blood Glucose, and Insulin Levels. Advisors: Thomas L. Jetton, Ph.D. and Jana Kraft, Ph.D.

Meagan DiVito, Increasing Physical Activity in Head Start Centers Through the CATCH Curriculum. Advisor: Jan Harvey-Berino, Ph.D.

Kelsey Haist, Development of a Novel Assay for Comprehensive Measurement of Replicative and Transcriptional RNA Species Generated by Arenaviruses. Advisor: Jason Botten, Ph.D.

Erika Hesterberg, Nutrition in the Backcountry. Advisor: Ming R. Guo, Ph.D.

Jennifer Kaulius, Engaging in the Process of Policy Reform in the Downtown District of Rutland, Vermont: Participatory Action Research in the Case of Land Value Taxation. Advisors: Gary Flomenholt, MPP, CEE and Joshua Farley, Ph.D.


Michele Langone, Multifunctional Gardens to Bring Beauty and Sustainability to UVM’s Campus. Advisor: Mark Starrett, Ph.D.

Sarah Moylan, A Plan for Sheep at the University of Vermont Miller Farm. Advisors: Chester Parsons, M.S. and Josie Davis, Ph.D.

Samantha Ogilvie, Potential Interaction Between RNA Processing Proteins Through RBM Binding. Advisor: Gregory Gilmartin, Ph.D.

Clara Pedley, Analyzing the Vermont Institute for Artisan Cheese. Advisor: Catherine Donnelly, Ph.D.

Kelsey Preston, Is FoxM1 the Therapeutic Target of Thiostrepton in Malignant Mesothelioma? Advisor: Nicholas Heintz, Ph.D.

Todd Stanley, Evaluating the Nutritional Status of the Thru-Hiking Community. Advisor: Jean Harvey-Berino, Ph.D.

Megan Taylor, Bicycling Lifestyles of Women in Burlington: A Study of Gender and the Bicycle as an Agent for Mobility. Advisors: Stephanie Kaza, Ph.D. and Luis Vivanco, Ph.D.; Richard Watts, Ph.D.

Gianna Vannelli, Correlation Between Breath-methane Levels and the Quantity and Structure of Methanogens in the Human Gastrointestinal Tract. Advisor: Andre-Denis Wright, Ph.D.

Dylan White, The Effects of the Pseudomonas aeruginosa Quorum-sensing Molecule 3-oxo-C12-homoserine Lactone on Clinical Candida Albicans Biofilm Development. Advisor: Douglas Johnson, Ph.D.

COLLEGE HONORS: Distinguished Undergraduate Research

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Rebecca R. Calder (Animal Science Program), Expression and Biological Activity of Recombinant Bovine IL-22: A Key Cytokine in Murine Defenses. Mentor: John Barlow, D.V.M.

AWARDS TO ATHLETES

THE J. EDWARD DONNELLY AWARD established in 1992 and awarded annually to a senior female and male athlete whose athletic performance during their tenure at the university has distinguished them as one of the University of Vermont’s most outstanding athletes:

Franz Bernstein (Skiing)

Caitlin Patterson (Skiing)

THE HENRY SEAMANS TROPHY awarded annually to a senior female and male athlete who have earned the respect and regard of fellow students for leadership, loyalty and service to the university and for active participation in athletics:

Matt Glass (Men’s Basketball)

Morgan Powers (Cross Country/Track and Field)

THE RUSSEL O. SUNDERLAND MEMORIAL TROPHY awarded annually to a senior female and male athlete who, throughout their college days, have best exemplified the qualities of character, leadership and persistence in overcoming obstacles:

Colton Hardy (Skiing)

Kaitlyn Evarts (Women’s Swimming and Diving)

THE WASSON ATHLETIC PRIZE awarded annually to a senior female and male athlete who have maintained the highest standards of academic scholarship and athletic attainment:

Franz Bernstein (Skiing)

Amy Glen (Skiing)

THE JEFF STONE AWARD is presented to the male and female student-athlete in any class who, throughout their involvement in campus leadership and/or community service activities, has represented the highest ideals of educational sport and has had a significant and lasting impact upon the UVM Community:

Chris Lemieux (Track and Field)

Emily Reinhardt (Women’s Swimming and Diving)

COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES

Rebecca H. Driscoll, The Molecular and Cellular Biology of the Nematode Caenorhabditis Elegans. Advisor: David L. Sibley, Ph.D.


Kelsey Preston, Is FoxM1 the Therapeutic Target of Thiostrepton in Malignant Mesothelioma? Advisor: Nicholas Heintz, Ph.D.

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DONALD J. BALCH AWARD presented annually to that student making the greatest contribution to the equine or companion animal activities of the Department of Animal Science:

Mallory J. O’Neil
Pamela M. Rooney

AMERICAN SOCIETY OF ANIMAL SCIENCE AWARD presented annually to sophomores, juniors, and seniors whose academic record, scholastic efforts and character warrant recognition as the future leaders in the field of animal science. Graduating seniors named to the society are:

Rebecca R. Calder  Laurie G. Lesage
Jean N. Drolet  Sarah A. Moylan
Juliana R. Kattemann  Pamela M. Rooney

BRETTL KLEIN MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP presented to the CREAM Student Herd Advisors for Fall 2011 and Spring 2012 with a big thanks for their time and effort! The award is presented for their dedication, responsible leadership, and friendly attitude that Brett exemplified as a 1990 CREAMer as well as for their excellence in teaching and advising the 2011-2012 CREAMers and in passing on the CREAM tradition:

Fall 2011:  Rebecca R. Calder, Mehgan A. Patterson

ANIMAL SCIENCES FACULTY AWARD in recognition of scholastic performance, outstanding achievements in undergraduate research, and service to the Department of Animal Science:

Rebecca R. Calder

TRIONA WILDER MARNO-FEREÉ MEMORIAL AWARD presented to the student or students who possess a genuine love of horses and display the energy and enthusiasm shown by Triona for UVM Horse Barn activities:

Clarice R. Brewer
Rebecca E. Reusch

BIOCHEMISTRY PROGRAM

JOHN THANASSI AWARD recognizes a senior biochemistry major for superior academic performance. The award is named for Professor John Thanassi, a long-time member of the Biochemistry Department and a leader in education and mentoring:

Brittany L. Carroll

BIOLOGICAL SCIENCE PROGRAM

SCHOLASTIC ACHIEVEMENT AWARD presented to students who have earned the highest scholastic average in their respective classes starting in the second year:

Kyrri M. Pineault

DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT AND APPLIED ECONOMICS

The following awards are presented to the graduating senior(s) with the highest scholastic grade point average in recognition of their continuous academic excellence and outstanding professional potential:

COMMUNITY ENTREPRENEURSHIP

Trisha A. Hlastawa
Arielle J. Kleinman

COMMUNITY AND INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT

Brian E. Hamel
Jarrod V. Szydlowski

PUBLIC COMMUNICATION

Hannah K. Kammerer
Benjamin S. Mervis

SCHOLASTIC RECOGNITION of the top ten percent of seniors with a major in Community Development and Applied Economics based on cumulative grade point average:

Aimee A. Bailey  Allison B. Keller
Travis J. Gervais  Arielle J. Kleinman
Hannah E. Hinsley  Julia N. Megen
Hannah K. Kammerer  Loren A. Scott
Jennifer M. Kaulius  Jarrod V. Szydlowski

COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT AND APPLIED ECONOMICS TEACHING ASSISTANT AWARD presented to an outstanding student exhibiting excellence in the classroom as an undergraduate teaching assistant:

Jennifer M. Kaulius
Galen B. Mooney
OUTSTANDING GRADUATING SENIOR IN ENVIRONMENTAL STUDIES presented by the Environmental Program faculty to the graduating seniors who have demonstrated academic excellence, environment leadership and campus and community activism and service.

Emily L. Bird
Christina M. Economou

DEPARTMENT OF MICROBIOLOGY AND MOLECULAR GENETICS

MICROBIOLOGY AND MOLECULAR GENETICS UNDERGRADUATE TEACHING ASSISTANT AWARD:
Amara J. Forgues

LUCILLE P. MARKEY OUTSTANDING SENIOR IN MOLECULAR GENETICS AWARD in recognition of academic excellence and professional growth:
Liam L. Donnelly
Samantha M. Ogilvie

WARREN R. STEINBRING OUTSTANDING SENIOR IN MICROBIOLOGY AWARD in recognition of academic excellence and professional growth:
Kelsey C. Haist

DEPARTMENT OF NUTRITION AND FOOD SCIENCES

NUTRITION AND FOOD SCIENCE FACULTY AWARD presented annually by the department faculty to the graduating senior with the highest scholastic grade point average in recognition of their continuous academic excellence and outstanding professional potential:
Todd H. Stanley

CORNELIA WHEELER IRISH MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP presented annually in the fall semester to a student majoring in dietetics and nutrition and food sciences whose continuous academic excellence, financial need, and demonstrated potential for success in a career in human nutrition has distinguished her or him from their peers:
Erika G. Hesterberg

AGNES T. POWELL AWARD presented annually to graduating seniors majoring in Dietetics who have demonstrated qualities indicating outstanding professional promise and potential:
Jillian K. Nyman

BLAIR WILLIAMS AWARD to the graduating senior who best exemplifies the qualities of Professor Williams’ excellence in the areas of human nutrition and food, and her deep concern for people:
Meagan E. DiVito

NUTRITION AND FOOD SCIENCES RESEARCH AWARD presented to the graduating senior(s) who has excelled in undergraduate research while maintaining high academic standards and has demonstrated outstanding potential for a career in either basic or applied research in nutrition and food sciences:
Clara E. Pedley
Kalynd C. Weber

OUTSTANDING DIETETICS STUDENT AWARD presented by the American Dietetics Association. Its purpose is to recognize the emerging leadership and achievement of students in association-accredited dietetics education programs and encourage their participation in The American Dietetics Association. Leadership and professional potential are assessed through honors, student dietetic association activities, and community service activities:
Lucille H. Glaize

DEPARTMENT OF PLANT BIOLOGY

SPROSTON AWARD given to support undergraduate reach projects deemed of high academic merit to students majoring in the botanical sciences within the Botany Department:
Rebecca A. Powers

SUPERIOR PERFORMANCE AWARD presented by the faculty in Plant Biology each year to a senior(s) in the department with a superior academic record and investment in research and teaching activities of the department:
Amanda L. Bousquet

AGRONOMY, SOILS AND SUSTAINABLE AGRICULTURE SENIOR RECOGNITION AWARD presented by the Department of Plant and Soil Science to an outstanding student with an interest in agronomy, soils, or sustainable agriculture:
Sara E. Ziegler

AMERICAN SOCIETY FOR HORTICULTURE SCIENCE COLLEGIATE SCHOLARS AWARD presented to the student(s) who are in the top 15% in their junior or senior class and are active in campus organization, clubs and/or provide service to their department:
Samuel B. Hoadley
Michele L. Langone
Sara E. Ziegler

W.H. DARROW HORTICULTURE PRIZE is presented to an outstanding junior or senior recognition of superior performance in horticultural science:
Graham E. Glauber
Michele L. Langone

OUTSTANDING DIETETICS STUDENT AWARD presented by the Department of Plant and Soil Science, Forestry, and Plant Biology:

LEWIS RALPH JONES AWARD presented to the student in recognition of academic excellence in the plant sciences. The decision is divided among Plant and Soil Science, Forestry, and Plant Biology:
Sara E. Ziegler

SEYMOUR HORTICULTURAL PRIZE established by William W. Seymour in memory of his father, Henry F. Seymour, class of 1835, and presented to a student who has conducted original horticultural research:
Sara E. Ziegler

PLANT AND SOIL SCIENCE TEACHING ASSISTANT AWARD presented to an outstanding student exhibiting excellence in the classroom as an undergraduate teaching assistant:
Graham E. Glauber
Samuel B. Hoadley

ALPHA ZETA is an international professional service and honorary agricultural society for men and women with over 100,000 members worldwide. The society fosters fellowship among its members and assists them in developing leadership skills, which will benefit agriculture, life sciences, and related fields. Graduating members are:

Kira L. Benson
Molly B. Bortin
Matthew S. Buder-Shapiro
Rebecca R. Calder
Erica L. Campbell
Kendra M. Fleming
Christina M. Economou
Graham E. Glauber

Sara E. Ziegler
Samuel B. Hoadley
Michele L. Langone
Jeffrey M. Deacon
Graham E. Glauber
Meagan E. DiVito
Sarah Y. Morrison
Kendra M. Fleming
Julia N. Simpson

COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES

HANNAH HOWARD PRIZE FOR OUTSTANDING ACHIEVEMENT IN THE COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES
To be announced at Commencement

HONORS COLLEGE SCHOLARS
Krist Aploks, Thyroid Hormone Receptor Protein Complex Formation Mediating Thyroid Hormone Control of Gene Expression and Effects of the Endocrine Disruptor Bisphenol A on Nuclear Protein Recruitment. Advisor: Frances Carr, Ph.D.
Justin Baldassare, Internationalist Immigrants and Nationalist Labor: The Italian-American Press and the Fight for Free Migration. Advisor: Nicole Phelps, Ph.D.
Samuel Bevet, Examining Ethical Arguments for the Moral Permissibility of Free-Range Farming. Advisor: Tyler Doggett, Ph.D.
Natalie Bishop, Grassroots Neighborhood Leaders in Vermont: A Qualitative Analysis of the Rewards, Challenges, and Goals in Community Development. Advisor: Lynne Bond, Ph.D.
Evan Border, Quantum Monte Carlo Measurements of the Superfluid Density in Helium-4. Advisor: Adrian G. Del Maestro, Ph.D.


Jessica Bullock, Reconstructing the Perception of Slavery: Toni Morrison's Mission in Her Companion Novels Paradise, and A Mercy. Advisor: Elizabeth Fenton, Ph.D.

Caitlin Campbell, Livestock Depredation by Large Aarnivores: An Analysis of Human-Wildlife Conflict in Ehi-rovpuka, Namibia. Advisor: James Murdoch, Ph.D.


Paul Chambers, Cultivating “Happy Campers”: An Exploration of Alloparenting and Childhood Socialization in the Summer Camp Setting. Advisor: Jeanne Shea, Ph.D.

Sara Cleaver, What's the Catch? An Analysis of Seafood Sustainability at the University of Vermont. Advisor: Stephanie Kaza, Ph.D.

Brent Cohen, Does Moral Realism Require Robust Reasons? Advisor: Terence Cuneo, Ph.D.

Kelsey Cook, An Inquiry into the Boundaries Between Species and their Hybrids: The Case of Polypondium x incognitum. Advisor: David Barrington, Ph.D.

Suven Cooper, A RETrospective Exploration of Whether CPR Causes Neck Injuries in Infant Deaths. Advisor: C. William Kilpatrick, Ph.D.

Amanda Crisafulli, Environmentalism and Animanism in J.R.R. Tolkien’s The Lord of the Rings. Advisor: Christopher Vaccaro, Ph.D.

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ALEX R. KOCH

THE EDWIN W. LAWRENCE AWARD FOR OUTSTANDING DEBATER

PAUL C. GROSS

WOMEN'S AND GENDER STUDIES PROGRAM

AMANDA CALENDINE

ELLEN HAMILTON AND LIDA MASON AWARD

JULIET CRITSIMILOI

ALPHA DELTA CHAPTER OF TRIOTA (Iota Iota Iota)

HONORS COLLEGE SCHOLARS

KRISTIN HELLER, How Corporate Social Responsibility Affects Job Seekers Perceptions of Potential Employers. Advisor: David A. Jones, Ph.D.

BRITANY SMITH, Factors That Influence Taxpayer Compliance When Reporting Gambling Income. Advisor: Barbara Arel, Ph.D.

DANIELLE WINKLER, Order Effects in Online Product Reviews. Advisors: Amy Tomas, Ph.D., and Carolyn Bonifield, Ph.D.

UNDERGRADUATE EXCELLENCE AWARD for excellence in academics, service and leadership:

BRAD OPSAHL

GRADUATE EXCELLENCE AWARD for MBA for demonstrated excellence in graduate studies and in positive leadership values:

MICHAEL PREVOZNIK

GRADUATE EXCELLENCE AWARD for MAcc for demonstrated excellence in graduate accounting studies and in positive leadership values:

MICHAEL PREVOZNIK
OUTSTANDING SENIOR IN ART EDUCATION honoring students who demonstrate ability in making and knowing about art, who demonstrate through their writing a knowledge of art education, and who exhibit an outstanding ability in teaching children:

Heather Daigle
Natalie Smerkanich

ELEMENTARY EDUCATION AWARD based on demonstrated high academic achievement, outstanding performance in the classroom with regard to management, planning and professionalism:

April Thompson
Alison Donnelly

JOHN DEWEY AWARD honoring the outstanding senior in elementary education whose academic performance and public school practice best exemplify the philosophy of Vermont's most well known philosopher/educator:

Emma Pollard
Danielle Lindquist

ELEMENTARY EDUCATION DIVERSITY AWARD honoring an outstanding senior in elementary education whose work exemplifies the program theme — Teaching All Children Strategically in Diverse Communities:

Tessa Warren
Elissa Martin

COLLEGE OF EDUCATION
AND SOCIAL SERVICES

HONORS COLLEGE SCHOLARS
Rachel Schneider, Sharing the Same Stage: Positive Youth Development in Vermont's Adolescents. Advisors: Gary Wirdrick, Ph.D and Holly-Lynn Busier, Ed.D.

MCNAIR SCHOLARS PROGRAM
Bijoux Bahati (Social Work), A Refugee Young Adult's Acculturation Experiences and Processes in a United States High School: An Autoethnography. Faculty Mentor: Susan Comerford, Ph.D.
Ly Nguyen (Social Work), An Exploration of Risk and Protective Factors for Risky Behaviors among Asian American Adolescents and Young Adults: A systematic literature review. Faculty Mentors: George Leibowitz, Ph.D. and Gale Burford, Ph.D.
Saveta Saini (Elementary Education), Use of Positive Behavioral Intervention Supports for Preschoolers in a Refugee Resettlement Community. Faculty Mentor: Jennifer Hurley, Ph.D.

DAVID YANDALL OUTSTANDING SENIOR IN MUSIC EDUCATION based on excellent achievement in academics, performance, student teaching and service throughout the degree program:

Leah Desrochers
Lindsey Soboleski

WALL STREET JOURNAL AWARD for the senior with the highest GPA:
Stephanie Mariorenzi

MORTAR BOARD is a national honor society that recognizes college seniors for distinguished ability and achievement in scholarship, leadership, and service:
Caterina Mustacchi

BETA GAMMA SIGMA is the national honor society for students in business and management. Membership is the highest national recognition a student can receive in an undergraduate or masters program in business or management. Graduating members are:

Roseanna Abraham
Jacob Amato
Eric Beguin
Lauren Butkus
Krista Carlson
Abbie Desrochers
Marlowe Frank
Kristin Heller
Allysa Kelly
Erica Lamb
Thomas Mackenty
Stephanie Mariorenzi
Gianna Murray
Joseph Nerone
Bradley Opsahl
Alexander Palmer
Joseph Rodolfy
Rachel Rubin
Brittany Smith

BETTIE SCHICK SCHOLARS PROGRAM
Chelsea Fifield

ELEMENTARY EDUCATION AWARD based on demonstrated high academic achievement, outstanding performance in the classroom with regard to management, planning and professionalism:

Chelsea Fifield

ECONOMICS SCHOLARS PROGRAM
Adam Castle

MARKETING AWARD for achievement and promise in the field of Marketing:
Danielle Winkler

MANAGEMENT AWARD for academic excellence and engagement in the area of Management or Management and the Environment through professional experience and service:

Krissin Heller

ENTREPRENEURSHIP AWARD for achieving excellence in the area of entrepreneurship:
Alex Palmer

KAPPA DELTA PI, an international honor society in education, was founded in 1907 to recognize excellence in education. Kappa Delta Pi elects those to membership who exhibit the ideals of scholarship, high personal standards and promise in teaching and allied professions:

Rebecca Campbell
Samantha Baigelman
Paige Banninger
Danielle Cloutier-Simons
Caitlin Curran
Whitney Dubie
Jnanna David
Holly Davis
Kiersten Davis
Eliza Dyer
Rose Dzugan
Lianne Earley
Samantha Falson
Chelsea Fifield
Catherine Evans
Matthew Glass
Rebecca Habalow
Andrew Kasprisin
Heather MacDonald
Ellissa Martin
Teresa Marzilli
Gabriel McGann
Kathryn Miller
Arielle Muller
Gaen Murphee
Anne Muesell
Jamie O'Brien
Yolanda Pimentel
Emma Pollard
Lauren Prindiville
Andrew Prowten
Sara Ratajczak
Saveta Saini
Lindsay Sanderson
Rachel Schneider
Kerby Smith
Kelly Spreen
Rose Strosse
Robyn Suarez
April Thompson
Stephanie Wallingford
Mackenzie Williams

DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL WORK

SOCIAL WORK OUTSTANDING COMMUNITY SERVICE AWARD for significant contributions to the quality of life of people through important community services:
Lam Q. Phan

SOCIAL WORK STUDENT LEADERSHIP AWARD for exceptional leadership among students while at the university:
Chelsea M. Fifield
COMMENCEMENT 2012

HONORS COLLEGE SCHOLARS


Nicholas Cheney, How Modular Controller Affect Morphological Scaffolding. Advisor: Josh Bongard, Ph.D.

Ann Fiedler, Restitution of Golf Balls at Varying Swing Speeds. Advisor: John Novotny, Ph.D.

Morgan Frank, Enumerating Costas Latin Squares. Advisor: Jeffery Dinitz, Ph.D.

Andrew Fuhrmann, Effect of Acoustic Forcing on Aerodynamic Particle Removal from a Surface. Advisor: Jeffrey Marshall, Ph.D.

Kristina Miele, Detecting Partially Damaged Gusset Plate Connections Through Vibration-Based Detection Methods. Advisor: Eric Hernandez, Ph.D.

Allison Morse, Combinatorial Game Theory. Advisor: Gregory Warrington, Ph.D.

Caitlin Patterson, Calibration of a Fourier Transform Infrared Spectrometer and a Perspective on the Importance of Vehicle Emission Testing Procedures. Advisor: Britt Holmen, Ph.D.

Meghan Thompson, Alternate Engineered Log Jam Designs and Their Impact on Channel Morphology: A Series of Flume Experiments. Advisor: Maive McBride, Ph.D.

Connor Tobin, Geometry Analysis of Articular Joints. Advisor: Yves Dubief, Ph.D.

SCHOOL OF ENGINEERING

Civil and Environmental Engineering

THE DOUGLAS P. FAY AWARD was established in 1973 in honor of a former faculty member and is made to the student who has made the greatest contribution to civil or environmental engineering during the past year:

James A. Montague

EDWARDS H. PHELPS (SENIOR) PRIZE was established in 1884 by his father, the Honorable E.J. Phelps of Burlington. It is awarded to a student “who shall have exhibited conspicuous merit in professional studies, and high and noble traits of character if such can be found”:

Joanna Stultz

Electrical Engineering

ATWATER-KENT (SENIOR) AWARD for excellence of judgment and understanding of the principles of electrical engineering:

Jeffrey W. Tonn

Engineering Management

SENIOR AWARD in recognition of academic excellence in the field of engineering management:

Franz H. Bernstein

Mechanical Engineering

EDMUND F LITTLE (SENIOR) AWARD for meritorious work in the mechanic arts:

Michael C. Barbour

David J. Zhang

OUTSTANDING SENIOR AWARDS for excellence in the fields of:

Biomedical Engineering: Rachel S. Koh

Energy: Ryan W. Darlow

GRADUATE AWARD for excellence in performance and greatest promise of success:

Andrew J. Lutz

DEPARTMENT OF COMPUTER SCIENCE

SENIOR AWARD for excellence of judgment and understanding of the principles of computer science:

Samuel B. Brown

GRADUATE AWARD for outstanding performance and greatest promise of success:

Zhao Li

DEPARTMENT OF MATHEMATICS AND STATISTICS

SENIOR AWARD for achievement at the highest level of excellence in mathematics:

Kayla M. LeBlanc

UNDERGRADUATE ACHIEVEMENT AWARD for outstanding scholarship and commitment to statistical science:

Conor W. Coyne

GRADUATE AWARD IN STATISTICS for the achievement of excellence in statistics:

Jordan E. Bakerman

HONORARY AND PROFESSIONAL SOCIETY AWARDS

AMERICAN SOCIETY OF CIVIL ENGINEERS AWARD for meritorious work in the student chapter of the American Society of Civil Engineers:

Bradford M. Berry

AMERICAN SOCIETY OF MECHANICAL ENGINEERS AWARD for meritorious work in the student chapter of the American Society of Mechanical Engineers:

Ann M. Fiedler

ASSOCIATION OF COMPUTING MACHINERY FACULTY AWARD for great professional interest, immense spirit and outstanding leadership:

Anthony R. Sweet

NAM SANG KIL SCHOLARSHIP IN STATISTICS in recognition of the value of education as a path toward the betterment of mankind, the Nam Sang Kil Scholarship is presented to an outstanding student in honor of Chairman Nam:

Mathematics Award: Michael R. Klug

Statistics Award: Jordan E. Bakerman

SPECIAL RECOGNITION AWARDS

UNIVERSITY OF VERMONT STUDENT ENGINEER OF THE YEAR AWARD for outstanding scholastic achievement and participation in University-related activities:

Caitlin M. Patterson

THE BRETT VINCENT GORKY- DEAN’S RECOGNITION AWARD for an undergraduate student who has demonstrated extraordinary qualities of integrity and commitment to others through outstanding service to the faculty, staff and students of the College of Engineering and Mathematical Sciences:

Morgan R. Frank

HONOR SOCIETIES

TAU BETA PI National Engineering Honor Society:

Brianna Baker

Michael Barbour

Kyle Beatty

Daniel Bernard

Franz Bernstein

Sean Candon

Robert Caullk

Jonathan Cohrs

Ryan Darlow

Kaitlyn Evarts

Melissa Faletra

Ann Fiedler

Sam Flinkstrom

Laura Galicher

Jared Grigas

Matthew Grob

Michael Gibson

Jennifer Horton

Rachel Koh

Andrew J. Lutz

Anthony Lauzon

Thomas Martin

Francesca Minervini

James Montague

Lucas Morgan

Nathan Palmer

Caitlin Patterson

Andrew Stiller

Sean Stowell

Joanie Stultz

Meghan Thompson

Jason Thuma

Jeffrey Tonn

Michael Trubia

James Vohr

Kelsey Weidman

David Zhang

Michael Zizzo
MU SIGMA RHO a national honorary society for undergraduate and graduate students studying statistics:
Conor W. Coyne
Michael Meighan
Jennifer Madsen

UPSILON PI EPSILON, Computer Science Honor Society
Sam Brown
Mark Cooper
Brian Crucitti
Christopher Dramstad

SOCIETY OF WOMEN ENGINEERS:
Genevieve Anthony
Nicole Belknap
Kaitlyn Evarts
Rachel Luna
Marcy Meyers

THE RUBENSTEIN SCHOOL OF ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL SCIENCES

HONORS COLLEGE SCHOLARS
Mary Jane Anderson, Safe Space and a Sense of Place: A Plan for Fostering an Inclusive Community at the University of Vermont’s Green House Residential Learning Community. Advisors: Matthew P. Kolan, Ph.D. and Katherine Anderson, Ph.D.
Colin Arisman, Ecological and Economic Sustainability Through Cooperative Agriculture: Scaling up Agroecology Through Payments for Ecosystem Services in the Intag Region of Ecuador. Advisors: Josh Farley, Ph.D. and Jon Erickson, Ph.D.
Meghan Arpino, Parental Awareness and Environmental Health Resources: Lead and Pthalthalates. Advisor: Charles Hulse, M.D., Ph.D.
Ayah Badran, How Do Students Use Science in Making Environmental Decisions? A Study of High School and Undergraduate Students in NY and NJ. Advisors: Alan Berkowitz, Ph.D. and Angelita Alvarado, Ph.D.
Alyssa Frediani, The Nesting Ecology of Diamondback Terrapins in Barnegat Bay, New Jersey. Advisors: John Wnek, Ph.D., Saleem Ali, Ph.D., and Rick Paradis, Ph.D.
Kelly Halloran, Estimation of Population Size and Range of Thornicroft’s giraffe (Giraffa camelopardalis thornicrofti) Using Photographic Data. Advisor: James Murdoch, Ph.D.
Katherine Lord, The Influence of Different Forest Management Treatments on Fungal Diversity and Prevalence. Advisor: James Murdoch, Ph.D.
Beaver Foraging in Northern Vermont: A Field Test of Safe Space and a Sense of Place. Advisors: John Wnek, Ph.D., Saleem Ali, Ph.D., and Rick Paradis, Ph.D.
Caitlin Stephens, Things need to change around here?: The diversification of a small-scale, certified organic farm in Northwest New Jersey. Advisor: Alan Berkowitz, Ph.D. and Angelita Alvarado, Ph.D.
Ellen Winston, Seasonal Spotlight: A K-8 Farm-to-School Curriculum. Advisors: Tom Hudspeth, P.D.D. and V. Ernesto Mendez, Ph.D.

MCNAIR SCHOLARS PROGRAM
Monica Beers (Environmental Sciences), Effect of Compost Treatments on Generalist Predator Abundance in Agroecosystems. Faculty Mentor: Yolanda Chen, Ph.D.

THE HOLCOMB NATURAL RESOURCES PRIZE
Sean Patrick Mahoney

LOLA AIKEN AWARD IN NATURAL RESOURCES
Kindle Katherine Loomis
Joshua Carrera

C. SUZANNE WHITMORE WRITING AWARD
Colin Arisman
Rebecca Gray

GRADUATE STUDENT AWARD FOR OUTSTANDING SERVICE
Katharine M. White

GRADUATE STUDENT AWARD FOR OUTSTANDING RESEARCH AND SCHOLARSHIP
Ms: Caitlin E. Littlefield
Ph.D: Peter R. Pettengill

GRADUATE STUDENT OUTSTANDING TEACHING AWARD
Katharine M. White

ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCES

THE AWARD FOR ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENT IN ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCES
Lee Gregory Simard

ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCES AWARD FOR OUTSTANDING SERVICE
Genna Grace Waldvogel

ENVIRONMENTAL STUDIES

ENVIRONMENTAL STUDIES AWARD ACHIEVEMENT AWARD
Olivia Marie Bulger
Kelsey Christine Head
Caylin Anne McKee

DEPARTMENT OF FORESTRY

WILLIAM R. ADAMS FORESTRY AWARD
Sean Patrick Mahoney

LUTHER E. ZAI MEMORIAL AWARD
Ashley Meghan Ethel Koetsier

NATURAL RESOURCES PROGRAM

NATURAL RESOURCES PROGRAM AWARD FOR OUTSTANDING ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENT
Colin Abbott Arisman

NATURAL RESOURCES PROGRAM AWARD FOR QUALITY STUDENT EXPERIENCE
Kindle Katherine Loomis

RECREATION MANAGEMENT ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENT AWARD
Spencer R. Lee

RECREATION MANAGEMENT STUDENT ACHIEVEMENT AWARD
Elizabeth St. Clair Mitchell

WILDLIFE AND FISHERIES BIOLOGY

WILDLIFE AND FISHERIES BIOLOGY ACHIEVEMENT AWARD
Kelley Marie Halloran

FREDERICK CHU MEMORIAL PRIZE
Tyler P. Pockette
Kevin Clark Osantowski

COLLEGE OF MEDICINE

ALPHA OMEGA ALPHA HONOR MEDICAL SOCIETY. Students elected to this honor society in the opinion of their classmates and the faculty, have given promise of becoming leaders in their profession:
William Ares
Michael Moerwood
Renee Bratpsis
Michael Maccini
Marissa Bucci
Martha Monson
Brandon Chapman
Lindsay Nadeau
Jessica Chao
Isaac Noyes
Laura Depoui
Alyse Rymer
James Dunlop
Zea Schultz
Patrick Huffer
Scott Wasiłko
Mckalyn Leclerc
Eleonore Werner

THE GOLD HUMANISM HONOR SOCIETY. Students elected to this honor society are recognized for their demonstrated excellence in clinical care, leadership, compassion, and dedication to service:
W. Tristram Arscott
Mckalyn Leclerc
Meghan Beucher
Megan Malgeri
Renee Bratpsis
Melissa Marotta
Martha Choate
Michael McGuiggan
Mei Lee Frankish
Smeret Munic
Lincoln Heath
Isaac Noyes
Patrick Huffer
Johann Patlak
Hany Khattab
Louisa Salisbur
Benjamin King
Maribeth Stump
Auna Leatham

Katharine M. White

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THE ELLSWORTH AMIDON AWARD for outstanding proficiency in Internal Medicine:
   Steven Schaub

THE DAVID BABBOTT, M.D. “CARING AND SEEING” AWARD:
   Patrick Butsch

*THE DEAN WILLIAM EUSTIS BROWN AWARD for broad cultural interests and loyalty to the College of Medicine:
   Jesse Kerr

THE ERNEST H. BUTTLES AWARD for excellence in Pathology:
   Alyse Rymer

*THE CARBEE AWARD for academic excellence in Obstetrics, Gynecology and Reproductive Sciences:
   Martha Anice Andrea Choate

THE JAMES E. DEMEULES SURGICAL RESEARCH PRIZE:
   First Place: William Ares
   Second Place: Martha Anice Andrea Choate
   Third Place: Scott Warhut, Michael Morwood

THE FAMILY MEDICINE JOHN P. FOGARTY, M.D. LEADERSHIP AWARD
   Claire Ankuda

THE EDWARD E. FRIEDMAN AWARD for promise of excellence in the practice of Family Medicine:
   Patrick Huffer

THE DR. & MRS. NATHANIEL GOULD ’37 PRIZE for outstanding achievements in Orthopaedic Surgery:
   Michael Morwood

THE HARRY HOWE, M.D. ’52 SENIOR STUDENT AWARD for excellence in Surgery:
   Brendan Chapman

THE KERZNER FAMILY PRIZE for service to the community:
   Joseph Elias Yared

*THE LAMB FELLOWSHIP AWARD for best exemplifying concern and care for the total patient:
   Melissa Marotta Houser

THE JOHN V. MAECK, M.D. ’39 ROBE RECIPIENT for overall excellence in Obstetrics, Gynecology and Reproductive Sciences:
   Martha Anice Andrea Choate

THE MAINE MEDICAL CENTER SURGERY CLERKSHIP AWARD for best demonstration of the combination of academic ability, leadership and compassion while on the Surgery Clerkship:
   Nicholas Larochelle

THE HERBERT MARTIN SR., M.D. AWARD for excellence in Neurology:
   Jessica Chao

THE JOHN E. MAZUZAN JR., M.D. ’54 AWARD for excellence in Anesthesiology:
   Alyse Rymer

THE MEDICAL STUDENT PRIZE for excellence in Neurology:
   Patrick Huffer

THE H. GORDON PAGE ’45 AWARD for excellence in Surgery:
   Andrew Erb
   Andrea Steely

THE PILCHER AWARD for representing the qualities of Eleanor and Lewis Pilcher of devotion to family and patients, with a high regard for ethics and honesty:
   Laurel Karian

THE RALPH D. SUSMAN, M.D. ’38/MEDICAL ALUMNI AWARD for excellence in Pediatrics:
   Michael Hart

THE WILLIAM SWEETNER AWARD for excellence in Psychiatry:
   Michael D. McQuiggen

THE DAVID M. TORMEY AWARD for perseverence in the pursuit of medical education:
   Mariah Stump
   Alyce Horn

THE JOSEPH B. WARSHA W SCHOLARSHIP AWARD for M.D.–Ph.D. thesis excellence:
   Ian Odell

THE HENRY & PHYLLIS WASSERMAN PHORPLUS SCHOLARSHIP PRIZE for excellence in the basic sciences:
   Renee N. Bratpis
   Marissa Bucci
   Alyse Rymer
   Jessica Chao
   Tyler Stewart

THE LAURA WEED, M.D. AWARD for qualities of excellence, service, and commitment in Internal Medicine:
   Laura Depoul

THE WELLNESS AWARD from the Committee on Medical Student WellBeing for a peer-nominated student who has been an asset to his or her classmates and displayed sincere dedication to helping others during his or her medical education:
   Melissa Marotta Houser

THE EPHRAIM WOLL AWARD for excellence in General Pathology:
   Marissa Bucci

THE LEONARD TOW HUMANISM IN MEDICINE AWARDS presented by The Arnold P. Gold Foundation for excellence in both compassionate patient care and scientific achievement:
   Student Award: Melissa Marotta Houser
   Faculty Award: Christa Zehle, M.D.

* Awarded by vote of the class.

CLASS AWARDS

Foundations Teacher of the Year: William E. Hopkins, M.D.
Foundations Course Director of the Year: William E. Hopkins, M.D.
Outstanding Foundations Course: Cardiovascular, Respiratory and Renal Systems

The Dean Warshaw Integration Award: Richard Salerno, M.D.
The Silver Stethoscope Award: Lewis First, M.D.
Above and Beyond Award: Ellen Cornbrooks, Ph.D.
Outstanding Teaching Assistant: Michael Goedde, M.D.
Outstanding Department: Pathology

American Medical Student Association Golden Apple Award: William E. Hopkins, M.D.
American Medical Women’s Association Gender Equity Award: Jean Szilva, M.D.
Colette Award: Mike Cross

Honorable Teacher Award: John Fortune, M.D.
Clinical Teacher of the Year: Lewis First, M.D.
Clinical Department of the Year: Surgery
Resident of the Year: Vincent Massa, M.D.

COLLEGE OF NURSING

AND HEALTH SCIENCES

HONORS COLLEGE SCHOLARS


Elise Corriveau, Female Adolescent Refugees: Views of Health. Advisor: Sarah Abrams, Ph.D.

Kelley Groll, The Relationship between Social Support, Exercise Outcome Expectations, and Physical Activity in Adults with Multiple Sclerosis. Advisor: Susan Kasser, Ph.D.


Marley Nordmeyer, The Expression of Mental State Terms: A Comparison of Children with ASD and Typically Developing Children Engaged in Play. Advisor: Patricia Prelock, Ph.D.
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Chelsea Purinton, Family Centered Nursing Interventions for Healthy Siblings of Children with Chronic Illness. Advisor: Marcia Bosek, D.N.Sc.

MCNAIR SCHOLARS PROGRAM
Ashley Jones (Medical Laboratory Science), Generation of Epidemiological Genetic Clusters of the Chagas Disease Vector: Triatoma infestans, in Bolivia. Faculty Mentor: Lori Stevens, Ph.D.
Bridget Sarpong (Medical Laboratory Science), Intermittent Preventive Treatment for Controlling Malaria in Infants and Children in Ghana. Faculty Mentors: Burton Wilcze, Ph.D. and Frances Delwiche.

DEPARTMENT OF MEDICAL LABORATORY AND RADIATION SCIENCES

F.W. VAN BUSKIRK AWARD in recognition of the senior student with the highest grade point average in the Nuclear Medicine Technology program:

Megan Townsend

F.W. VAN BUSKIRK AWARD in recognition of the senior student with the highest grade point average in the Radiation Therapy program:

Catherine Fenner

CLINICAL ACHIEVEMENT IN NUCLEAR MEDICINE TECHNOLOGY AWARD in recognition of outstanding qualities of professional attitude and cooperation in the patient care setting:

Tiana Gariboldi

CLINICAL ACHIEVEMENT IN RADIATION THERAPY AWARD in recognition of outstanding qualities of professional attitude and cooperation in the patient care setting:

Catherine Fenner

SCHOLASTIC ACHIEVEMENT IN MEDICAL LABORATORY SCIENCE AWARD given by Pathology and Laboratory Medicine, Fletcher Allen Health Care, and awarded to the senior student with the highest grade point average in the Medical Laboratory Science program:

Ashley M. Jones

DEPARTMENT OF NURSING

DEPARTMENT OF NURSING “SPIRIT OF NURSING AWARD” given to a senior nursing student who demonstrates a commitment to excellence through his or her community, professional and academic achievements:

Emily Nicholson

CLARISSA PETERS ALLEN AWARD to an outstanding graduating baccalaureate student who exemplifies the conscientious, motivated character of Clarissa Peters Allen:

Lindsay Dougherty

FAYE CRABBE AWARD established to honor the memory of the founder of the School of Nursing at UVM, a leader who valued nursing scholarship and service. Awarded to the senior majoring in Professional Nursing who excels in scholarship, nursing ability and service to the university:

Elise Corriveau

FLETCHER ALLEN HEALTH CARE AWARD FOR EXCELLENCE IN CLINICAL NURSING PRACTICE established in 1998 by the nurse administrators at FAHC to recognize a graduating baccalaureate student who demonstrates excellence in clinical practice in any setting:

Amber Casterlin

FLETCHER ALLEN HEALTH CARE AWARD FOR INNOVATION IN NURSING PRACTICE established in 1998 by nurse administrators at FAHC to recognize a Master’s level student who demonstrates innovation in practice in any setting, breakthrough initiatives in patient care or patient education, or care coordination across the continuum:

Sarah DeSilvey

KAPPA TAU CHAPTER, SIGMA THETA TAU INTERNATIONAL AWARDS – NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY OF NURSING. Chartered in 1988, Kappa Tau is a chapter of Sigma Theta Tau, the National Honor Society of Nursing. The society recognizes nursing students for scholarship, nursing ability and potential leadership as well as outstanding community leaders:

Baccalaureate Student Award: Emily Nicholson
Graduate Student Award: Celeste Michaud

SPECIAL RECOGNITION AWARD for exemplary service to the Department of Nursing through commitment and participation in the Student Nurses’ Association:

Samantha Lagace

ROXANNE DALRYMPLE MCBEAN AWARD established to honor the memory of Roxanne Dalrymple McBean, a 1975 graduate. Awarded to the outstanding graduating undergraduate students who demonstrate excellence in nursing scholarship and interest in continuing their professional education:

Emily Nicholson
Jenna LeMieux

VERMONT ORGANIZATION OF NURSE LEADERS AWARD to a graduating Master’s level student who consistently demonstrated outstanding scholarship, completed a thesis/project that advances and disseminates nursing knowledge about a leadership issue in nursing, and initiated a career plan that builds on the graduate education foundation to influence the future of nursing:

Molly Clark

VERMONT STATE NURSES’ ASSOCIATION CLINICAL EXCELLENCE AWARD presented to a graduating student in each program who, in the opinion of the faculty, best demonstrates outstanding clinical practice:

Bachelor's program award: Courtney Farrell
Master's program award: Callan Janowicz

VISITING NURSE ASSOCIATION ANN K. TWITCHELL COMMUNITY HEALTH SERVICES AWARD presented to a senior in the baccalaureate program who has shown scholarship and excellence in community health services:

Sarah Benner

FREEMAN NURSE SCHOLARS to encourage Vermont’s top nursing students to remain and practice in Vermont:

Krysta Chartrand
Elise Corriveau

DEPARTMENT OF REHABILITATION AND MOVEMENT SCIENCE

EXCEPTIONAL SENIOR IN ATHLETIC TRAINING AWARD given to a graduating senior student who exemplifies scholarly excellence in the classroom as well as in his or her clinical assignments and has shown to have the potential to be a leader in the field of athletic training:

Jessica Wood

LEADERSHIP IN ATHLETIC TRAINING AWARD given to the student who consistently displayed exceptional leadership in the classroom, during clinical assignments, in student government, and in the community:

Sarah Quintus

PROFESSIONAL GROWTH IN ATHLETIC TRAINING AWARD given to the student who has shown exceptional growth in the areas of prevention, recognition, treatment and rehabilitation of athletic injuries:

Molly Taylor

FUTURE PROFESSIONAL IN ATHLETIC TRAINING AWARD given to a student who has shown the ability to excel as a Certified Athletic Trainer. The award winner exhibits qualities such as a caring nature, a sense of responsibility, a strong work ethic, respect for others and constructive communication skills:

Nathaniel Foot

OUTSTANDING STUDENT ACHIEVEMENT IN EXERCISE AND MOVEMENT SCIENCE AWARD given to an outstanding senior who exemplifies academic excellence, exceptional leadership, and a strong commitment to the profession of exercise science:

Kelley Groll

ISOLA BROWN AWARD awarded to the third year Doctor of Physical Therapy student who has demonstrated the greatest potential for development of professional competency and leadership:

Kristine (Kris) Joppe-Mercat

MARGARET B. CORBIN AWARD awarded to the third year Doctor of Physical Therapy student who has demonstrated high quality academic and clinical performance throughout the professional curriculum:

Parminder (Parm) Padgett

COMMUNICATION SCIENCES AND DISORDERS

ELEANOR M. LUSE GRADUATE STUDENT AWARD IN COMMUNICATION SCIENCES AND DISORDERS given to the graduate candidate who demonstrates the highest academic achievement, clinical service and professionalism:

Katherine Ekström
John Halliwell
COLLEGE RECOGNITION

CLASS OF 2012 COMMENCEMENT BANNER BEARER in recognition of an undergraduate or graduate student who has been nominated by her peers and faculty to carry the college banner at the University Commencement Ceremony:

Zoe Norcross, Exercise and Movement Science

DEAN’S AWARDS

DEAN’S UNDERGRADUATE AWARD, recognizes a graduating student who has demonstrated exemplary professional growth and contributions during their tenure at UVM:

Claire Freson

STUDENT MULTICULTURAL AWARD in recognition of a student who has made major contributions to create an environment of social justice, inclusion and equity in the department, college, university and community:

Bridget Sarpong

THE ENVIRONMENTAL STUDIES PROGRAM

FACULTY AWARDS FOR OUTSTANDING THESIS RESEARCH AND PRESENTATIONS

Sara Cleaver, What’s the Catch? An Analysis of Sustainable Seafood at the University of Vermont
Anaya Gedrath-Smith, Time for Tea: The Sustainable Development of Tea Tourism in Nepal
Samantha Morgan, The Meat of the Matater: Exploring the Relationship between Environmental Ethics and the Food Choices of Environmental Studies Majors at the University of Vermont

MILITARY AWARDS

DEPARTMENT OF MILITARY STUDIES

SECOND LIEUTENANTS COMMISSIONED INTO THE UNITED STATES ARMY AND ARMY NATIONAL GUARD

Dallas Zachary Apotheker, Ordnance Corps, US Army
Elizabeth Irene Army, Army Nurse Corps, US Army
Jill Anne Bardon, Medical Service Corps, Army National Guard
Matthew Brian Dubie, Aviation, Army National Guard
Ryan Paul Finnerty, Corps of Engineers, US Army
Melinda Suzanne Fortin, Military Intelligence, US Army
Sarah Mary Hahn, Adjutant General’s Corps, US Army Reserve
Brain Evan Hamel, Infantry, US Army
Robert Pierson Rouillard, Aviation, Army National Guard
Matthew Paul Tierney, Corps of Engineers, US Army

GEORGE C. MARSHALL AWARD most outstanding Senior Cadet; top 4% Cadet in the Nation:

Brain Evan Hamel

DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION AWARD top 25% ROTC academic standing:

Dallas Zachary Apotheker

NATIONAL DEFENSE INDUSTRY ASSOCIATION AWARD honors for outstanding achievement during four years of ROTC:

Jill Anne Bardon

DISTINGUISHED MILITARY GRADUATE honoring academic, physical fitness, and leadership traits scoring overall in the top 25% of all cadets nationwide:

Jill Anne Bardon
Ryan Paul Finnerty
Melinda Suzanne Fortin
Brian Evan Hamel

RESERVE OFFICER ASSOCIATION top 10% ROTC standing:

Dallas Zachary Apotheker
Elizabeth Irene Army

AMERICAN LEGION AWARD top 10% academic and top 20% ROTC standing:

Ryan Paul Finnerty

NATIONAL SOUJOURNERS AWARD Top 25% academic, outstanding leadership potential:

Brain Evan Hamel

ARMED FORCES COMMUNICATION AND ELECTRONICS ASSOCIATION SCHOLARSHIP highest engineering GPA:

Matthew Brian Dubie

DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY CADET DECORATION top 25% ROTC and top 25% academic standing:

Jill Anne Bardon
Ryan Paul Finnerty
Robert Pierson Rouillard

NATIONAL DEFENSE TRANSPORTATION ASSOCIATION AWARD top 25% academic standing in engineering or computer science major:

Matthew Brian Dubie

MILITARY OFFICERS ASSOCIATION OF AMERICA best academic and athletic combined:

Ryan Paul Finnerty

VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS OF THE UNITED STATES AWARD outstanding community service:

Sarah Mary Hahn

WOMEN’S CENTER

MARIAFRANCA MORSELLI LEADERSHIP AWARD honors an undergraduate senior woman who has demonstrated leadership qualities and academic excellence in science, and who has contributed significantly to the awareness of the rights of women on campus:

Shiren Chan (Bachelor of Science in Nutrition and Food Sciences, College of Agriculture and Life Sciences)

EDITH D. HENDLEY AWARD honors a woman graduate student who has demonstrated excellence in research, scholarship and teaching (if applicable), and who has performed dedicated service to women:

Ellen Arrowsmith (Master of Social Work, College of Education and Social Services)
COMMEMORATION 2012

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SCHOOL OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

Stephanie N. Marroccini, B.S. Business Administration
Danielle Leigh Winkler, B.S. Business Administration
Rachel Elizabeth Bruehlman, B.S. Business Administration
Krista M. Mazzocchi, B.S. Business Administration
Abbie K. Desroschers, B.S. Business Administration
Kristin Winshep Heller, B.S. Business Administration
Allysa Christine Kelly, B.S. Business Administration
Erika Dawn Lamb, B.S. Business Administration
Gianna Moscone Murray, B.S. Business Administration
Rachel Rubin, B.S. Business Administration

COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING AND MATHEMATICAL SCIENCES

Summa Cum Laude

Cantin Megan Patterson, B.S. Electrical Engineering
Jeffrey William Tonn, B.S. Electrical Engineering
Jurai Dai Zhang, B.S. Mechanical Engineering

Magna Cum Laude

Michael Coleman Barbour, B.S. Mechanical Engineering
Nicholas F. Dugas, B.S. Mechanical Engineering
Ryan W. Darlow, B.S. Mechanical Engineering
Ann Marie Feidler, B.S. Mechanical Engineering
Katy Marie Lellman, B.S. Mathematics
Ben E. Norris, B.S. Electrical Engineering

Cum Laude

Nicole Morse Belknap, B.S. Mathematics
Franz Bernstein, B.S. Engineering Management
Samuel Bennett Brown, B.S. Computer Science
Sean Patrick Cardon, B.S. Mechanical Engineering
Connor B. Mark Sato, B.S. Mechanical Engineering
Jennifer Elizabeth Horton, B.S. Environmental Engineering
Anthony Eugene Lazenby, B.S. Electrical Engineering
Thomas Bayer Chuensatte, B.S. Mathematics
Allison Whitaker Morse, B.S. Mathematics
Andrew William Stiffer, B.S. Mechanical Engineering
Nathan Samuel Tink, B.S. Civil Engineering
Connor John Rubin, B.S. Mechanical Engineering
Jacob M. Wahlen-Strohman, B.S. Mathematics

COLLEGE OF EDUCATION AND SOCIAL SERVICES

Summa Cum Laude

Janna Adeleade, David B. S. Education
Catherine Elizabeth Evans, Bachelor of Science
Melissa Joy Meyers, Bachelor of Science
Kathryn Joan Miller, Bachelor of Science
April Elizabeth Thompson, B.S. Education

Magna Cum Laude

Lianne Earley, B.S. Education
Chelsea Maureen Friel, Bachelors of Science
Latimer Young Hoke, B.S. Education
Ellissa Martin, B.S. Education
Anneke Van Wensen, B.S. Education

Cum Laude

Leila Jon Barten, B.S. Education
Leah Marie Desroches, B.S. Music Education
Nicole Jean Larcher, B.S. Education
Melissa Joy Meyers, Bachelor of Science
Kathryn Joan Miller, Bachelor of Science
Emma Terry Pullan, Bachelor of Education
Andrew Philip Schlatter, B.S. Education
Rachel Iry Schneider, Bachelor of Science

COLLEGE OF NURSING AND HEALTH SCIENCES

Summa Cum Laude

Lindsey Doughtery, Bachelor of Science
Kelsey Groll, Bachelor of Science

Magna Cum Laude

Elise Nicole Corriveau, Bachelor of Science
Catherine Lynn Fennel, Bachelor of Science
Clare Elizabeth Freson, Bachelor of Science
Kelli Holland Frick, Bachelor of Science
Kathryn Ann Krug, Bachelor of Science

Cum Laude

Dylan Lawrence Bellavance, Bachelor of Science
Sarah A. Benner, Bachelor of Science
Ashley Marie Jones, Bachelor of Science
Jenna Cantwell LeNueux, Bachelor of Science
Elizabeth Eliezer Ntuen, Bachelor of Science
Marley Isabel Nordmeyer, Bachelor of Science
Katherine D. Noller, Bachelor of Science
Deanna Pinkowski, Bachelor of Science
Kristin Robinson, Bachelor of Science
Chelsea M. Terreault, Bachelor of Science

COLLEGE OF AGRICULTURE AND LIFE SCIENCES

Summa Cum Laude

Dylan C. Badger, Bachelor of Science
Lauren Euphemia Fowler, Bachelor of Science
Jennifer Marie Kahan, Bachelor of Science
Pamela Marie Rooney, Bachelor of Science
Todd Harvey Stankus, Bachelor of Science

Magna Cum Laude

Mary Burneko, Bachelor of Science
Rebecca Randall Clark, Bachelor of Science
Erika Elaine Hall, Bachelor of Science
Erika Guarned Hesterberg, Bachelor of Science
Samantha Mary Ogilvie, Bachelor of Science

Cum Laude

Amy Faye Goodnough, Bachelor of Arts
Rachel Mary Gears, Bachelor of Arts
Britta A. Ekdahl, Bachelor of Arts
Morgan Katherine Powers, Bachelor of Science
Barrord Vincent Syndt, Bachelor of Science

RUBENSTEIN SCHOOL OF ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES

Summa Cum Laude

Colin Abbott Artsman, Bachelor of Science
Lee Gregory Scellion, Bachelor of Science

Magna Cum Laude

Elizabeth Violet Fenn, Bachelor of Science
Kenny Marie Halloran, Bachelor of Science
Kindle Katherine Loomis, Bachelor of Science
Elena Price Schnell, Bachelor of Science

Cum Laude

Olivea Marie Bulger, Bachelor of Science
Nicholas C. Dover, Bachelor of Science
Stephanie Delisa Drozd, Bachelor of Science
Michael Ryan Gagne, Bachelor of Science
Kathryn Bromfield Holberg, Bachelor of Science
Duncan C. Pogue, Bachelor of Science
Andrew P. Schlesinger, Bachelor of Science
Caitlan Stephens, Bachelor of Science
Grace O’Leary, Bachelor of Science

COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES

Summa Cum Laude

Reiko Chimunme, Bachelor of Arts
Katie Joanefield, Bachelor of Arts
Anya Gedrath-Smith, Bachelor of Arts
Amy Kathryn Gron, Bachelor of Science
Ryan Mcitruckie Kuefer, Bachelor of Science
Douglas Nelson III, Bachelor of Arts
Megan Lyons, Bachelor of Science
Lisa Rahtkainen, Bachelor of Science
Jacob W. Reider, Bachelor of Science
Elizabeth Sander, Bachelor of Arts
Julia Luken Wechert, Bachelor of Arts
Hannah G. Wiser, Bachelor of Arts

Magna Cum Laude

Asleigh Rose Allison, Bachelor of Arts
Krist Michael Apollos, Bachelor of Science
Rachel Keys Brooks, Bachelor of Science
Katherine Davis, Bachelor of Arts
Alyssa Bucci, Bachelor of Arts
Molly S. Campbell, Bachelor of Arts
Laurel Katherine Chen, Bachelor of Arts
Sara Mae Cleaver, Bachelor of Arts
Brent Cohen, Bachelor of Arts
Caitlin Marie Colacchio, Bachelor of Arts
Alyssa Corneli, Bachelor of Arts
Benjamin L. Cornel, Bachelor of Arts
Amanda Jean Crissahh, Bachelor of Arts
Laura Maria D’Hicy, Bachelor of Arts
Britta A. Ekdahl, Bachelor of Arts
Dylan Michael Fiebush, Bachelor of Arts
Kate Fulop, Bachelor of Arts
Rachel Mary Gears, Bachelor of Arts
Amy Faye Goodnough, Bachelor of Arts
Kathleen Sykes Hartin, Bachelor of Arts
Christina Blarte Huchtenhine, Bachelor of Arts
Erin Donley Jackson, Bachelor of Science
Genevieve King, Bachelor of Arts
John E. Kozel, Bachelor of Science
Ray Edward Leslie, Bachelor of Arts
Emily Katherine Lassos, Bachelor of Arts
Kevin Dallas Mandro, Bachelor of Arts
Michael S. McCarney, Bachelor of Arts
Maggie Michelson, Bachelor of Arts
Caitlin G. O’Neill, Bachelor of Arts
Kaitlin Elizabeth Piel, Bachelor of Arts
Matthew Phillips, Bachelor of Arts
Jonathan Peter Roketsenat, Bachelor of Arts
Christopher Robert Rong, Bachelor of Arts
Meeka-Kai Sand, Bachelor of Arts
Nathan Thomas Hume, Bachelor of Arts
Grace O’Leary, Bachelor of Arts

Cum Laude

Olivia Ellis Amier, Bachelor of Arts
Rachel D. Bacile, Bachelor of Arts
Jill Anne Bard, Bachelor of Arts
Samuel James Guy Bevet, Bachelor of Arts
Natalie S. Bishop, Bachelor of Arts
Johnathan Boyce, Bachelor of Arts
Ashley Rae Brien, Bachelor of Arts
Hannah Roberts Brown, Bachelor of Arts
Benjamin W. Carbon, Bachelor of Arts
Nicholas Joseph Cartulari, Bachelor of Arts
Douglas J. Charette, Bachelor of Arts
Adam Christopher Connor, Bachelor of Arts
Kelsey M. Cook, Bachelor of Arts
Kathleen Laura Davis, Bachelor of Arts
Margaret W. Druschel, Bachelor of Arts
Camille Asher Dwyer, Bachelor of Arts
Chelsia Elizabeth Emond, Bachelor of Arts
Emily E. Estes, Bachelor of Arts
Alex Fogel, Bachelor of Arts
Emily Lyrene Frazier, Bachelor of Arts
Megan Gibeles, Bachelor of Science
Carly Ann Goodlis, Bachelor of Arts
Amanda Green, Bachelor of Arts
Paul Gross, Bachelor of Arts
Aaron Adler Grossman, Bachelor of Arts
Peter J. Hefer, Bachelor of Arts
Katie M. Hesler, Bachelor of Arts
Jordan Thomas Humble, Bachelor of Arts
Kathrene Ann Ida, Bachelor of Arts
Sophia Pearl Isabel Isaac, Bachelor of Arts
Emma Kantrow, Bachelor of Science
Marvin Metz, Bachelor of Science
Samantha Petrocelli, Bachelor of Science
Adriane Chantal Kopp, Bachelor of Arts
Stefan L. Kostolcz, Bachelor of Science
Nicola Latko, Bachelor of Arts
Philip Eric Lipton, Bachelor of Science
Alicia Victoria Lieberman, Bachelor of Science
Sarah Elizabeth Logan, Bachelor of Science
Stephen Michael Maurer, Bachelor of Arts
Jessie Mazar, Bachelor of Arts
Lauren Micheile McGuire, Bachelor of Arts
Samantha Yaradel Morgan, Bachelor of Arts
Sean R. Mullen, Bachelor of Arts
Amanda C. Northrop, Bachelor of Arts
Katelyn Elizabeth O’Neill, Bachelor of Arts
Elyse Ann Ogden, Bachelor of Arts
Bradly Lynn Oswald, Bachelor of Arts
Amelia C. Palmer, Bachelor of Science
Hilary Ann Pellel, Bachelor of Arts
Alexandra Louise Piel, Bachelor of Science
Taylor Jean Prince, Bachelor of Arts
Emily Alyce Rampone, Bachelor of Arts
Kelly Catherine Riddle, Bachelor of Arts
Ariel Anna Robbins, Bachelor of Arts
Gain Michael Robinson, Bachelor of Science
John Allen Sadek, Bachelor of Arts
Morgan Elizabeth Saunders, Bachelor of Arts
Elizabeath J. Sowhill, Bachelor of Arts
Sarah Simons, Bachelor of Arts
Emily Smith, Bachelor of Arts
Emily Smith, Bachelor of Arts
Kristin Sullivan, Bachelor of Arts
Loren Nicole Teetsch, Bachelor of Arts
Mateus Manco Teixeira, Bachelor of Arts
Zaneta Geo, Bachelor of Arts
Meret Thali, Bachelor of Arts
Matthew Paul Tierney, Bachelor of Arts
Robin Norwich, Bachelor of Arts
Jacob M. Wahlen-Strohman, Bachelor of Science
Henry Samuel Welleh, Bachelor of Arts
Jameson Tracy, Bachelor of Arts
Anna Waters Wright, Bachelor of Arts
Elizabeth Clovis Weil, Bachelor of Arts
Amae Rae Yatzz, Bachelor of Arts
Gena S. Zolman, Bachelor of Arts

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PHI BETA KAPPA

PHI BETA KAPPA, a national honor society dedicated to honoring high academic achievement for liberal arts students, was founded at the College of William and Mary in 1776. It is the nation’s first Greek-letter society and is the oldest and most respected academic honorary society. UVM’s chapter of Phi Beta Kappa, the Alpha of Vermont, was established in 1848; it is the eleventh oldest chapter on the national rolls of Phi Beta Kappa, and the first chapter to admit both African-Americans and women to its membership.

Ashleigh Allaire*
Emily Andersen
Rachel Baccile
Nicole Berkman
William Berrey
Samuel Bevet
Natalie Bishop
Johnathan Boyle
Molly Campbell*
Reiko Choiniere
Adam Connor
Amanda Crisafulli*
Kathryn Daly
Elisabeth Fenn
Kalle Field
Alex Fogel
Ceanna Fried
Anya L. Gedrath-Smith
Amy Goodnough
Carly Gooblis
Paul Gross
Kathleen Hartin*
Erika Hesterberg
Sophie Higgins
Zach Hirsch
Jordan Humble
Scout Hutchinson
Katherine Ida*
Erin Jackson
Adri Kopp

Stefan Kostolitz
Anthony Lauzon**
Ray Leslie
Stephen Maurer
Jessie Mazar
Jessica Murray
Caitlin O’Connell
Amelia Palmer
Meagan Quinlan
Lisa Raatikainen*
Emily Rampone*
William Roman
Jacob Runner*
Meeka-Kai Sands*
Morgan Saunders*
Emily Smith
Kerby Smith
Ashley Nicole Steere
Annalouise V. Stone
Loren Teetelli
Mateus Teixeira*
Zaneta Teo
Meret Thali
Kaleb Thompson
Robin Tucker
Grace Weaver*
Julia Weichert
Clayton Willets
Stephanie Young
Mara Zocco*

*Inducted December 2011
** Inducted December 2010

GOLDEN KEY INTERNATIONAL HONOUR SOCIETY

An international academic honor society founded in 1977 by a group of undergraduate students at Georgia State University; the UVM chapter was chartered in 1993. It is interdisciplinary, honoring the top 15 percent junior and senior students in each college/school. Graduating seniors are:

Jacob Amato
Rachel Baccile
Hope Bauman
Dylan Bellavance
Leah Boccaccio
Hannah R. Brown
Reiko Choiniere
Brent Cohen
Abbie Desrochers
Samantha Dipietro
Meagan Divito
Britta Ekdahl
Ashley Fowler
Claire Freson
Kelley Frick
Emily Gustafson
Kristin Heller
Peter Helm
Andrew Kasprisin
Nicole Lacharite
Anthony Lauzon
Ariel Lieberman

Stephanie Mariorenzi
Stephen Maurer
Margaux McCracken
Josephine Miller
Jessica Murray
Douglas Nelson
Meagan Quinlan
Kristin Reagan
Nicole C. Rigo
Pamela Rooney
Rachel Rubin
Saveta Saini
Torie Sanders
Kerby Smith
Kristin Sullivan
Megan L. Sullivan
Megan Taylor
Loren Teetelli
Meret Thali
Clayton Willets
Jameson Williams
Anna Yatzor

MORTAR BOARD

Mortar Board is a national society for senior men and women. Although membership comes as a high honor for UVM students in recognition of outstanding service, scholarship and leadership, it is also a challenge for continued, unselfish service in the best interests of the college campus:

Dylan Bellavance
Alissa Carberry
Liam Donnelly
Eliza Dyer
Samatha Ethridge
Erika Hesterberg
Caroline Kirkpatrick
Senja Kling
Tabatha Leahy
Kindle Loomis
Francesca Minervini
Lucas Morgan
Caterina Mustacchi
Katelyn O’Neill
Katelin Perkins
Deanna Pinkowski
Megan Porter
Marie Prim
Pamela Rooney
Machaela Rowland
Bryan Sewell
Caitlin Shorburne
Sasha Tenenbaum-Lane
Brandon Vanasse
Abigail Wager
Natalie White
Elizabeth Yasewicz

PIZZAGALLI VERMONT SCHOLARS

The Pizzagalli Vermont Scholars Program rewards outstanding high school graduates. Students must maintain at least a 3.0 GPA while at the university:

David Artim
Judith Contompasis
Suven Cooper
Derek Dahlin
Taylor Norton
Megan Porter

Megan Resnick
Rachel Rubin
Elena Schneible
Mallory Smith
Mateus Teixeira

COMMUNITY SERVICE SCHOLARS

The Community Service Scholars program, established in 1998, recognizes Vermont high school graduates for their proven dedication to community service and leadership. During their undergraduate years at UVM, they have demonstrated an outgoing commitment to doing community service in both their hometown and university communities in various leadership and service capacities. Graduating Community Service Scholars will be wearing a medallion with black and red ribbon.

Morgan Brown
Senja Kling
Ellissa Martin

Patrick McLaughlin
Brandon Vanasse
BOUDDER SOCIETY
Founded in 1905, the Boulder Society at the University of Vermont is one of the oldest existing traditions at the university. A men's honor society, it includes those senior men who have shown dedication, devotion, scholarship and leadership. Most of the members' activities are heavily focused on community service. These men will be wearing Green and Gold Honor Cords, distinguishing them as members of Boulder.

Eric Beguin  Julian Golferini  
Sean Candon  Paul Gross  
Suven Cooper  Christopher Lemieux  
Michael Deedy  Phil Morin  
Ryan Finnerty  John Sadak  
Graham Glauber  

TOWER SOCIETY
Established at the university in 1981, Tower Society members are nominated by faculty and administrators based on excellence in leadership, community service and academics. The goal of the organization is to promote and foster women's leadership and community service at the university. These women will be wearing Green and Gold Honor Cords, distinguishing them as members of TOWER.

Ayah Badran  Kiara Anese Irick  
Jessica Renee Bullock  Rachel Striker Koh  
Chelsea Maureen FifeId  Rachel Ivy Schneider  
Claire Elise Freson  Caitlin Elise Shelburne  
Kelley Holland Frick  Genesis Tejada  

ORDER OF OMEGA
Order of Omega is a national Greek leadership honor society. The goal of this organization is to recognize those students who have attained a high standard of leadership in the inter-Greek activities, to encourage them to continue along this line, and to inspire others to strive for similar attainment. Membership to the Theta Psi Chapter of Order of Omega is limited to 3 percent of the UVM Greek community. Graduating seniors are:

Lauren Alciatti  Philip Morin  
Laura Chew  Caterina Mustacchi  
Jacqueline Dall  Suzanne Odo  
Rose Dzugan  Kelsea Peace  
Sophie Koff  Megan Porter  
Danie Leahy  Natalie Smerkanich  
Ariel Lieberman  Emily Strumpf  
Julia Liebert  Alissa Todd  
Jennifer Marcus  Sara Whittaker  

RHO LAMDA NATIONAL RECOGNITION SOCIETY
Rho Lambda honors those women within the sorority community who have exhibited the highest qualities of leadership and service to their Greek community and their sorority. Rho Lambda, Iota Iota was founded in 2008.

Jess Broker  Courtney Murphy  
Laura Chew  Suzanne Odo  
Becky Holloway  Kelsea Peace  
Molly Kadish  Dani Peck  
Sophie Koff  Caitlin Ratty  
Phu-Christine Lam  Alex Stevenson  
Shira Levien  Emily Strumpf  
Alyson Lindquist  Alissa Todd  

GAMMA SIGMA ALPHA NATIONAL ACADEMIC HONOR SOCIETY
Society membership is based on grade point average and membership in a Greek fraternity or sorority. Students with a cumulative grade point average of 3.5 or higher are eligible:

Kyle Beatty  Sophie Koff  
Katherine Brown  Danielle Leathy  
Derek Dahlin  Deanna Pinkowski  
Kiersten Davis  Ashley Price  
Rose Dzugan  Natalie Smerkanich  
Emily Gustafson  Emily Strumpf  

GREEN AND GOLD SCHOLARS
The Green and Gold Scholarship rewards the strongest student from selected Vermont high schools with a merit scholarship that covers full tuition at the University of Vermont. Students must maintain at least a 3.0 GPA while at the university. Graduating Green and Gold Scholars are:

Nicole Belknap  Samantha Mishkit  
Katherine Brown  Hilary Neal  
Jessica Bullock  Meredith Oakman  
Rebecca Calder  Amelia Palmer  
Elise Corriveau  Elizabeth Sander  
Leah-Marie Desroches  Elisabeth Sawhill  
Camille DuPont  Brittany Smith  
Kalle Fjeld  Todd Stanley  
Hannah Hinsley  Molly Taylor  
Latimer Hoke  Heather Urie  
Nicole Lacharite  

PATRICK FAMILY SCHOLARSHIP
Designated for Vermont residents of high academic achievement who typically rank within the top 20% of their graduating high school class:

Ruth Addante  Sarah Morrison  
Courtenay Allen  John Murphy  
Kayla Boucher  Douglas Nelson III  
Ashley Brien  Marley Nordmeyer  
Brittany Brogna  Samantha Ogilvie  
Calley Brown  Mallory O'Neil  
Matthew Buckley  Bradley Opsahl  
Cyrus Carey  Andrew Osowski  
Krysta Chartrand  Joshua Parker  
Gaelan Chatter-Ames  Hillary Pellerin  
Sarah Coon  Liza Perrin  
Brian Crucitti  Steven Philbin  
Kathryn Daly  Andrew Philips  
Patrick Dowd  DeAnna Pinkowski  
Christopher Dramstad  Elys Pohler-Fors  
Jean Drolet  Kaylee Pollander  
Michael Edwards  Ashley Price  
Benjamin Raymond  Benjamin Raymond  
Katelyn Raymond  Ariel Robbins  
Cassandra Godzik  Stephanie Roque  
Elisa Gomez-Reed  Torie Sanders  
Sarah Gove  Beck Sinclair  
Reese Green  Joanna Singer  
Alicia Hammond  Kerby Smith  
Kayla Haskins  Robert Sokolowski  
Emily Heaslip  Christian Spalding  
Theodore Housekeeper  Anna Speidel  
Anna Houston  Tyler Stitt  
Alana Izzo  Tyler Wilkinson-Ray  
Anna Jacobs  Evan Yandell  
Erika Kline  Stephanie Young  
Alyssa Kropp  Gena Zollman  
Justin LeClaire  
Kristen LeClerc  
Ariel Lieberman  
Liam Mahabir  
Ellissa Martin  
Angela Mayo  
Emily McCreary  
Mallory McKeain  
Lucas Morgan  

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Vermont Scholars

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Christopher Abbott-Koch
Caleb Atwood
Aimee Bailey
Brianna Baker
Leah Bauder
Samuel Bevet
Amanda Bousquet
Morgan Brown
Benjamin Carlson
Elizabeth Caron
Nicholas Cartularo
Aaron Cavazos
Paul Chambers
Nicholas Cheney
Adler Chris
Derek Cipriano
Megan Clark
Haley Clayton
Erin Conway
Abbie Desrochers
Chelsea Emond
Kaitlyn Evarts
Kaitlyn Farrar
Gracey Fjeld
Amarra Forgues
Mae Foster
Claire Freson
Dylan Friedman
Rebecca Frye
Alisa Gennrich
Travis Gervais
Kristen Hardgrove
Caitlin Hill
Jennifer Horton
Meg Hudson
Erin Jackson
Caroline Kirkpatrick
Nicole Lafko
Andrew Langevin Jr.
Charlotte Lara-Russack
Ian Lynch
Gary McDonough-Gunther
Rochelle McGurn
Kathryn Miller
Phillip Morin Jr.
Benjamin Morse
Scott Neary
Shannon Neill
Claire Pedley
Kate Piniewski
Jordan Potvin
Cecelia Pulcicino
Chelsea Purinton
Emily Rampone
Laura Ripley
Casey Rock
Joseph Rodolfo
Wendell Rogers
Sahib Sachdeva
Erin Sanchez
Rachel Shapiro
Lee Simard
Emily Smith
Lindsey Sobolewski
Rebecca Standish
Ryan Strauch
Anthony Sweet
Owen Tector
Emily Therrien
Meghan Thompson
Robin Tucker
Austin Underwood
Anneke VanFossen
Jacob Wahlen-Strothman
Henry Webb
Kelsey Weidman
Michael Wheeler Jr.
Kayla Whitmore
Anna Wright
Elizabeth Yasewicz
Meredith Zeller
Sara Ziegler

Guest Information

The following information is provided to help our guests find the services they need on campus during Commencement on Sunday, May 20, 2012. Specific information is provided for both the planned outdoor ceremony on the University Green and, in the event of severe weather, the alternative venue indoors at the Multipurpose Facility in the Athletic Complex. Information which is not identified specifically for the outdoor ceremony or indoor ceremony is common to both.

Information

Outdoor Ceremony: Information booths can be found at the Student Service Center in the main lobby of the Waterman Building, and on the University Green north and south of the Waterman Building.

Indoor Ceremony: An information booth can be found in the main lobby of Patrick Gymnasium and at the Student Service Center in the main lobby of the Waterman Building.

Snacks, Refreshments and Dining Options

Davis Center: The Marketplace, located on the 2nd Floor of the Davis Center, is open from 7:00 am to 9:30 pm serving deli sandwiches, salads, fruits, snacks, and beverages. Henderson’s Café, located in the UVM Bookstore in the Davis Center, serves a selection of specialty coffees. Hours are 7:00 am – 3:30 pm.

Outdoor Ceremony: Snacks and refreshments (hot dogs, sandwiches, fruit, cookies, muffins, chips and beverages) are available for purchase from 6:30 am to 3:30 pm under the Concession Tent on the University Green, and in front of Patrick Gymnasium from 1:00 pm to 6:30 pm. The Waterman Café in the lower level of the Waterman Building will be open from 7:00 am to 2:00 pm serving ‘to go’ sandwiches and salads, snacks, and beverages.

Indoor Ceremony: Snacks and refreshments (hot dogs, sandwiches, fruit, cookies, muffins, chips and beverages) are available for purchase from 6:30 am to 6:30 pm under the concession tent in front of Patrick Gymnasium. (The Waterman Café in the lower level of the Waterman Building will not be open.)

Restrooms

Outdoor Ceremony: Portable restroom units are located on South Prospect Street, north and south of the Waterman Building and in the Waterman Building at the College Street entrance. All indoor restrooms and the unit located on the south end of South Prospect Street are handicapped accessible.

Indoor Ceremony: Restrooms are located in the main lobby of the Patrick Gymnasium and portable restroom units are located outside the entrance to the multipurpose facility. All restrooms are handicapped accessible.

Indoor Viewing of Main Ceremony

Outdoor Ceremony: Families and friends may view the University Commencement Main Ceremony indoors on large screen closed-circuit TV in Memorial Lounge on the main level of the Waterman Building.

Special Needs

Ushers wearing yellow vests are available to assist with requests for: FM hearing impaired devices, commencement programs in Braille, and seating assistance.

Flower Sales

Outdoor Ceremony: The Golden Key International Honour Society is selling flowers in two locations on the University Green both north and south of the Waterman Building.

Indoor Ceremony: The Golden Key International Honour Society is selling flowers in the main lobby of both the Patrick Gymnasium and the Multipurpose Facility.

UVM Bookstore

The UVM Bookstore is located on campus in the Davis Center and in Burlington on the Church Street Marketplace. The stores offer an assortment of UVM clothing, gifts, diploma frames, and other merchandise. The campus bookstore will be open 7:00 am - 3:00 pm. The Catamount Store on Church Street in Burlington will be open 10:00 am – 8:00 pm.

Outdoor Ceremony: In addition to the campus Bookstore in the Davis Center and the downtown Catamount Store, a Kiosk will be set up on the University Green for last minute purchases. The Kiosk will be open 7:00 am - 2:00 pm.

Indoor Ceremony: In addition to the campus Bookstore in the Davis Center and the downtown Catamount Store, the Kiosk in Patrick Gymnasium will be open 7:00 am - 4:30 pm for last minute purchases.

Commencement DVD

A DVD of the 200th Commencement Ceremony will be available from the UVM Bookstore for $7.95 plus $7.99 shipping and handling (please allow 3-4 weeks for delivery).

The DVD will include both the University Commencement Main Ceremony (Sunday, 5/20, 9:00 a.m.) and an individual college or school ceremony of your choice: College of Agriculture & Life Sciences, College of Arts & Sciences, School of Business Administration, College of Education & Social Services, College of Engineering & Mathematical Sciences, Rubenstein School of Environment & Natural Resources, College of Medicine, College of Nursing & Health Sciences, Graduate College. The Honors College Scholars Recognition Ceremony or a second individual ceremony may be added to the DVD for an additional fee. Pre-orders may be placed on-line at http://uvmbookstore.uvm.edu, at the UVM Bookstore, by phone: (802) 656-2200/911 or toll free (800) 331-7305, or email: UVM.Bookstore@uvm.edu.

Lost and Found

Outdoor Ceremony: Lost and found for people and property is located at the information booths on the University Green both north and south of the Waterman Building. After 6:00 pm please contact UVM Police Services at (802) 656-5473. They are located at 284 East Ave. Inquiries regarding non-valuables should be directed to Conference and Event Services at (802) 656-5565 or at conferences@uvm.edu beginning Monday, May 21.

Indoor Ceremony: Lost and found for people and property is located at the information booth in the main lobby of Patrick Gymnasium. After 6:00 pm please contact UVM Police Services at (802) 656-5473. They are located at 284 East Ave. Inquiries regarding non-valuables should be directed to Conference and Event Services at (802) 656-5565 or at conferences@uvm.edu beginning Monday, May 21.

Shuttle Bus Service

Outdoor Ceremony: Shuttle busses will run every 10 minutes from 7:00 am to 6:30 pm from designated bus stops at Patrick Gym, Royal Tyler Theatre, Jeffords Hall Lot, Davis Center Oval, and the Conference Center at the Sheraton. A dedicated shuttle will run between the Flynn Theatre, Hilton Hotel, and Allen House. Please refer to the Quick Reference Guide, available at the information booths, for more parking and shuttle information.

Indoor Ceremony: Shuttle busses will run every 10 minutes from 7:00 am to 6:30 pm from designated bus stops at Patrick Gym, Royal Tyler Theatre, Jeffords Hall Lot, Davis Center Oval, UHC Lot, and the Conference Center at the Sheraton. A dedicated shuttle will run between the Flynn Theatre, Hilton Hotel, and Patrick Gym. Please refer to the Quick Reference Guide, available at the information booths, for more parking and shuttle information.

First Aid

Outdoor Ceremony: First aid assistance is available during the main commencement ceremony. The UVM Rescue Squad will be located at the University Health Center on South Prospect Street.

Indoor Ceremony: The UVM Rescue Squad will be available to provide first aid during the commencement ceremony. They will be located outside the main entrance to Patrick Gymnasium.

Emergencies

In the event of a true emergency, dial 911 from a cell phone or use one of the “Blue Light” emergency phones located throughout the campus. In either case you will be connected immediately with an emergency dispatcher.
ACADEMIC REGALIA

The Academic Costume worn today in U.S. colleges and universities is a survivor of the Middle Ages. The University of Vermont was among the first in this country to experiment with the use of academic gowns, requiring their wearing at the graduation of 1806. The experiment was not repeated until mid-century when UVM and other colleges began wholeheartedly to use the medieval scholar's clothing for ceremonial occasions.

The code regulating academic costume is administered by an intercollegiate commission that establishes uniform standards. BACHELORS’ gowns have closed fronts and long, pointed sleeves. MASTERS’ gowns may be worn open or closed and have oblong sleeves open at the wrist, the lower portion hanging down with an arc near the bottom. DOCTORS’ gowns may be open or closed and have velvet facings and three velvet bars on the round, open sleeves. The facings and bars may be of black or of the official colors of the wearer's department of learning.

Hoods are usually black. All are lined in silk in the academic color or colors of the institution conferring the degree, with a chevron for additional colors. A University of Vermont hood is lined with green, with a gold chevron, the official school colors. The color of the hood border indicates the degree earned.

Agriculture .......................................................... Maize
Arts, Letters and Humanities ............................... White
Commerce and Business .................................... Drab
Dentistry .......................................................... Lilac
Economics ......................................................... Copper
Education ......................................................... Light Blue
Engineering ....................................................... Orange
Forestry .......................................................... Russet
Journalism ......................................................... Crimson
Law ................................................................. Purple
Medicine ......................................................... Green
Music ............................................................. Pink
Nursing ........................................................... Apricot
Philosophy ......................................................... Dark Blue
Public Administration ....................................... Peacock Blue
Science .......................................................... Golden Yellow
Theology .......................................................... Scarlet
Veterinary Science ............................................. Gray

The Black Mortarboard is worn for all degrees. Only Doctors’ caps may be made of velvet and only Doctors or Presidents of institutions may wear a gold tassel on the cap.

The Class of 1927 Memorial Mace is carried by the University Marshal at formal university occasions and is displayed on the platform during these ceremonies.

The Mace, a gift from the Class of 1927, is forty-seven inches long, cast bronze, plated in silver, with a black ebony handle. The sculpture on one of the four sides depicts the center section of Old Mill with Mt. Mansfield in the background, symbolizing the founding of the University. Other sides display three students reaching upwards to a lamp, symbolic of learning; the Ira Allen Chapel, symbolizing spiritual guidance; and a group of four persons, symbolizing friendship. It is crowned by the seal of the University.

The Mace was designed and the model sculpted by Richard Simpson, son of Carl G. and Doris Griffith Simpson, both members of the Class of 1927.

Banners of the Colleges and Schools

Maize .............................................................. College of Agriculture and Life Sciences
White and Yellow ................................................ College of Arts and Sciences
Drab ............................................................... School of Business Administration
Light Blue and Citron Yellow .............................. College of Education and Social Services
Orange ........................................................... College of Engineering and Mathematical Sciences
Green and Gold ................................................ Graduate College
Green ............................................................. College of Medicine
Russet and Yellow ............................................. The Rubenstein School of Environment and Natural Resources
Seaford and Apricot ......................................... College of Nursing and Health Sciences

The University Seal or Medallion was adopted in 1807 and used until 1871 when it was replaced by a round seal incorporating the name of the College of Agriculture. In 1975 the Board of Trustees voted to restore the original seal to official use, modified to incorporate the Latin name of the College of Agriculture.

The motto on the seal is from Horace, Epistles 1.2.36. Literally, it means “For virtuous studies and matters.” In the allusion to Horace’s poem it reflects UVM’s continuing belief in the utility and practicality of all liberal studies.

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