

## Beth Walsh Commencement 2009 Comments

Good Morning!

My name is Beth Walsh and I am the President of the Staff Council here at the University of Vermont. I am here to represent staff members like the ones who clean the residence halls, work in the offices and labs and who drive the buses, just to name a few.

To the class of 2009, we want you to know how proud we are of you!

Thank you for letting us be a part of your experience here at UVM. We hope that we have been able to help you along the way.

We are so impressed by your hard work, your spirit of fun and your dedication to what is right.

I am honored to be one of your classmates and to be receiving my degree along side such a wonderful group of young women and men.

You, my classmates, have enriched my life and taught me to expect great things from you. I have no doubt that you will amaze and inspire us all.

So, good luck, do good work and come back to see us soon! Congratulations.