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Dear Graduates,

Today we recognize you and celebrate all you have accomplished during your time at UVM—the explorations and discoveries, academic milestones and personal achievements, and the lifelong relationships made with mentors and friends.

You are also an especially remarkable class of students. Your perseverance, your focus, and your commitment to each other have shown that you have the mettle to face challenges and build community wherever you go in your life beyond UVM.

I hope you can feel the pride of all of us at the university as we celebrate you, alongside your families and friends, for the tremendous efforts you’ve made to reach this day, ready to launch into a world that needs your proven resilience and your powers to act as individuals on behalf of our greater humanity.

A commencement celebration marks a moment of beginning, and your transition from the university into the first steps of your next journey is an occasion for joy and for reflection. The adaptability, cooperation and resilience you’ve shown will help shape your path as you bring your passions to the world. As you step out on that journey, and wherever the path leads, we know you will make your alma mater proud.

With all my best wishes,

Suresh Garimella
President, University of Vermont
The University of Vermont Commencement Ceremony

SUNDAY, MAY 22, 2022   |   8:20 AM   |   UNIVERSITY GREEN

PRELUDE
University Memorial Carillon:
David Neiweem, Professor and Chair, Department of Music and Marion B. Coe
University Organist

UNIVERSITY MARSHAL
Thomas A. Borchert
President, Faculty Senate and Professor and Chair, Department of Religion

UNIVERSITY HERALD
Lisa J. Schnell
Associate Professor of English

FACULTY MARSHALS
Chris Burns, Library Associate Professor and Director, University Libraries Silver Special Collections
Stephen Everse, Associate Professor of Biochemistry

ORDER OF EXERCISES

PROCессIONAL
The University Brass Ensemble: D. Thomas Toner, Professor of Music
The University of Vermont Police Services’ Honor Guard
The Pipes and Drums of St. Andrews Society of Vermont

THE NATIONAL ANTHEM
The Star-Spangled Banner
Sadie Sudarsky Jones, Class of 2022

GREETINGS
Ron E. Lumbr, Class of 1983, Chair of the University of Vermont Board of Trustees
Sam Pasqualoni, Class of 2022, President of the Student Government Association
Rosaura J. Chapina, Graduate Class of 2023, President of the Graduate Student Senate

PRESIDENT’S REMARKS
Suresh V. Garimella, President of the University of Vermont and Professor of Mechanical Engineering

CONFERRING OF DEGREES HONORIS CAUSA

COMMENCEMENT ADDRESS
Erik Weihenmayer, Adventurer

AWARD PRESENTATIONS
University Distinguished Professor: Patricia A. Prelock, Provost and Senior Vice President, Professor of Communication Sciences and Disorders
Outstanding Student Leader Awards: Patricia A. Prelock, Provost and Senior Vice President, Professor of Communication Sciences and Disorders

CONFERRING OF DEGREES IN COURSE
Doctoral Degrees | Doctor of Medicine | Master’s Degrees | Bachelor’s Degrees | Honors College Scholars

ALMA MATER
Universitas V. Montis
Members of the Class of 2022 University Commencement Choir: David Neiweem, Professor and Chair, Department of Music, Director

RECESSIONAL
Commencement Speaker and Honorary Degree Recipients

ERIK WEIHENMAYER
Doctor of Humane Letters, honoris causa
Commencement Speaker

For world-class adventurers, living on the edge is as exhilarating as it is perilous, adrenaline and relentless goal-setting fueling ambitious quests. It is a dangerous zone to inhabit, requiring keenly honed senses and tremendous fortitude. For Erik Weihenmayer, it is also a proving ground for breaking through notions of what can—and cannot—be accomplished. Erik Weihenmayer, one of the most renowned adventurers of the 21st century, is blind.

Mr. Weihenmayer is best known as the first blind person to summit Mount Everest, the “Rooftop of the World.” The Time Magazine cover story describing his successful team trek in 2001—ascending to 29,035 feet on one of the world’s most notoriously dangerous expeditions—brought him worldwide recognition.

This achievement was but one in a growing roster of adventure challenges that Erik Weihenmayer has taken on to show what can be gained by reaching beyond expectations. In 2008, when he reached the top of Carstensz Pyramid, he became one of only 118 mountaineers in the world—and the only blind climber—to ascend the Seven Summits, the highest peak on each continent. He has climbed the 3,000-foot face of Yosemite’s El Capitan as well as the infamous and even more technically demanding frozen waterfall Losar in the Himalayas. He completed the Primal Quest, billed as the toughest adventure race in the world, and his three-man team took 2nd place in ABC’s Expedition Impossible, beating an NFL team and 11 others in a race across the mountains, deserts, and rivers of Morocco.

In September 2014, following six years of training, Erik completed another historic challenge: solo kayaking the full 277-mile stretch of the Grand Canyon’s Colorado River, including some of the world’s most challenging whitewater. Of all his accomplishments, Erik calls this the hardest thing he’s ever done—and his has been a life of difficult challenges, not all of them chosen.

Born sighted, in early childhood Erik Weihenmayer was diagnosed with a degenerative retinal disease that would slowly reduce his central vision and finally take his sight away altogether. As Erik’s vision dwindled, his parents made creative accommodations to keep him engaged in the sighted world and pushing the boundaries of what he could do to overcome his limitations. As he was entering high school, just before his 14th birthday, Erik’s vision went completely dark. And for a time, so did his hope for his young life, an anguish intensified by his mother’s tragic and untimely death.

To help the family heal, Erik’s father took him and his brothers on adventurous journeys in unfamiliar places: into the Indonesian jungle, up the Inca Trail to Machu Picchu, to the top of the Karakorams in Pakistan. It was on these treks that Erik began learning to trust reaching into the unknown, extending into the darkness to find that which he could no longer see. An invitation to a rock-climbing class for blind teens opened another vista of learning physical skills through tactile sensation. The instructors claimed he quickly learned to scale the rock face like a monkey.

After graduating from Boston College with a double major in English and communications and earning his master’s degree in middle school education at Lesley University, Erik became a middle-school teacher and wrestling coach at Phoenix Country Day School in Arizona, where he met fellow teacher and his future wife, Ellen Reeve. Yet it was his triumphs over some of the world’s most formidable mountains that began fueling Erik Weihenmayer’s aspiration to invest in a different kind of education—to take the lessons he learned in the mountains to help others shatter barriers in their own lives.

In 2004, invited by the founder of the first and only school for blind children in Tibet, Erik and an expert support team led an expedition of six blind Tibetan teenagers to 21,500 feet on the north side of Mt. Everest. Outcast by Tibetan society for their blindness, the teen climbers found purpose, courage, and camaraderie in their first ever mountaineering expedition, and each found victory in their ambitious life goals following the climb. Blindsight, an award-winning documentary chronicling the expedition, was released in 2006.

This desire to help others conquer limitations has become the guiding force of Erik’s life. Of his many extreme undertakings and triumphant finishes, Erik considers the co-founding of the nonprofit No Barriers to be his greatest achievement. Directed by the motto What’s within you is stronger than what’s in your way, No Barriers serves 10,000 people annually through programs focused on injured soldiers and veterans, families of the fallen, paraplegics and amputees, deaf and blind, people struggling with multiple sclerosis and cerebral palsy, and young people with limited opportunities, including children in foster care and kids from the inner city. The signature event, the annual No Barriers Summit, brings together people who are passionate about its boundary-breaking mission.

Erik is also deeply committed to the preservation of and access to public lands. He works with the Access Fund and has been involved in several notable projects with the Trust for Public Land: the opening of the iconic Bridal Veil Falls in Telluride, trail access to Wilson Peak in Colorado’s San Juan Mountains, and the land grant for the entrance to the Zion Narrows in Zion National Park, to name a few.

He is the author of the best-selling memoir Touch the Top of the World, which was made into a feature film, and The Adversity Advantage. Erik’s latest book, No Barriers: A Blind Man’s Journey to Kayak the Grand Canyon, is more than an adventure story; it illuminates how we move forward in our lives toward growth and purpose, despite the barriers that may lie in the way.

Since learning to rock climb as a teenager, Erik Weihenmayer has become one of the most renowned and accomplished...
athletes of our time. And by challenging preconceptions about what it means to be blind, he has inspired people around the world.

MEGHAN WALSH CIOFFI  
*Doctor of Humane Letters, honoris causa*

The volunteer mentoring and community service that Meghan Walsh Cioffi ’91 took part in as a UVM student lit the fire of commitment to serving people with challenges, which has been her driving motivation ever since.

An active student leader and member of the Delta Delta Delta sorority, Meghan Cioffi spent her UVM years engaged with the Center for Service Learning and the Volunteers in Action student club. She learned early the reciprocal value in mentoring through her work with Big Buddies, a program matching UVM students with Burlington children in need of extra support. She also volunteered at the J. Warren and Lois McClure Respite House. Mrs. Cioffi stood out as a student volunteer, acknowledged for her consistency, commitment, and accountability, especially when working with individuals with special challenges.

Her time spent learning in the field in these ways inspired Meghan Cioffi’s future plans. After receiving her degree in psychology, she worked at Big Brothers and Sisters of Morris County, New Jersey, before going on to earn a master’s in social work at the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill and serving as an in-patient social worker at Stamford Hospital.

Recognizing the impact that her experiences at UVM had in directing her life path, in the mid-1990s Mrs. Cioffi and her husband, Rob ’90, along with Mrs. Cioffi’s parents (former UVM trustee Frank Walsh and Mimi Walsh) made a multi-year gift to the Office of Career Services to build a program for students seeking careers in the nonprofit sector. An early adopter of service learning, UVM was already a leader among its peers in connecting community service experiences with learning modules and academic goals. With this gift, Meghan Cioffi and her family helped UVM develop structures such as internships and mentoring networks that could turn students’ passion for community service into pathways for career development.

In late 1999, shortly after learning they were expecting their first child, Meghan and Rob Cioffi received the news that their baby would be born with Down Syndrome. What might be devastating news to many families was a challenge that the Cioffis embraced wholeheartedly. Leaning into the expertise in UVM’s College of Education and Social Services, Mrs. Cioffi began learning everything she could about creating an environment for children with Down Syndrome to thrive. Professor of education Susan Hasazi, an internationally known scholar in the field of special education and a renowned advocate for students with disabilities and their families, spared nothing in connecting Meghan and Rob Cioffi with the many resources that would help them to create a fully inclusive life for their firstborn daughter, Molly.

A second significant gift from Meghan and Rob Cioffi and the Walsh family in 2003 funded Susan Hasazi’s research into inclusion of students with special needs, which in turn launched a nationwide program to prepare school principals, superintendents, and other K–12 leaders to implement research-based practices for inclusion. The program developed a national network of inclusion advocates active today in schools around the country.

For the past 20 years, Mrs. Cioffi has been involved with STAR Inc.: Lighting the Way, a Connecticut-based nonprofit serving people of all ages with developmental and intellectual disabilities, as well as their families and caregivers. Meghan has served STAR in several volunteer and governance capacities over the years, and currently serves as president of the STAR board of directors. Additionally, over the past year, Meghan has served as a volunteer facilitator for grief bereavement groups through Fairfield County Visiting Nurse and Hospice and is working to create a bereavement program especially for children and families.

The Cioffis are the proud parents of three children. Molly is a fourth-year student in the Threshold Program at Lesley University in Cambridge, Massachusetts. Caroline just finished her Junior year at the University of Notre Dame, and Peter is a rising senior at St. Luke’s School in New Canaan, Connecticut.

Mrs. Cioffi has also held several volunteer roles as a UVM alumna, beginning as a recent graduate and continuing today. Most recently she served as co-chair of the national council for the Move Mountains campaign (2011–2019) and she is a current member of the UVM Foundation Leadership Council. In addition to her involvement at UVM and STAR, Meghan is a member of the University of North Carolina–Chapel Hill School of Social Work advisory board, and she serves in various volunteer and leadership roles in her home community of New Canaan, Connecticut.

Through her dedication to community service, ignited at UVM and sustained through both hands-on and strategic support, Meghan Cioffi’s engagement and advocacy have opened pathways of possibility for individuals with developmental and intellectual challenges, students inspired by nonprofit work, and education leaders focused on creating inclusive classrooms. Meghan Cioffi lives the values the University of Vermont holds high for engaged citizenship and inclusive community building.

ROBERT CIOFFI  
*Doctor of Humane Letters, honoris causa*

Serving the communities that sustain him is the guiding force in Rob Cioffi’s life.

Rob Cioffi ’90 earned his bachelor’s degree in political science with a minor in economics. An active member of the Student Government Association, Mr. Cioffi put his policy
interests and governance studies into practice as the student representative to the UVM board of trustees, marking the beginning of an engaged and continuing leadership role in the UVM community.

Since his time as a young alumnus, Mr. Cioffi has held many influential positions. A recipient of the Kidder Medal for student leadership, the UVM Alumni Association's Young Alumni Award, and the Alumni Association Distinguished Service Award, with his wife, Meghan ’91, Mr. Cioffi co-chaired UVM's National Campaign Steering Committee from 2002 to 2007, co-chaired the Move Mountains Campaign (2011–2019), and currently sits on the UVM Foundation Leadership Council.

The pinnacle of Mr. Cioffi's UVM leadership is clearly his most recent two terms on the UVM board of trustees, serving as chair of the board from 2010 to 2014. As chair, he guided his university through significant challenges, opportunities, and achievements. He describes the high point of his trustee career as chairing the 2012 Presidential Search Committee, resulting in the appointment of E. Thomas Sullivan as the university’s 26th president.

A native son of St. Albans, Vermont, Rob Cioffi comes from a family with a strong leadership and service ethos. Following a distinguished career in the Army, his late father, Lieutenant Colonel William Cioffi, served the city of St. Albans as city manager. He also coached and managed youth sports throughout his life, a commitment to community service that influenced his children. Mr. Cioffi’s mother, Therese (M.Ed. ’94), was a teacher for more than 30 years and reinforced not only a commitment to service but also to education.

A true Catamount family, each of Rob Cioffi’s four siblings also attended UVM, either completing undergraduate or graduate school—or both. When it came time to celebrate their father’s seventieth birthday, the Cioffi siblings chose a gift that they knew would honor their parents in a way most dear to them: they established the William G. and Therese A. Cioffi Scholarship to support Franklin County’s most promising students. The merit-based award, which considers both academic performance and community service, is designed to encourage the brightest and most committed students from Franklin County to stay in state and study at UVM.

Mr. Cioffi began his career at the Franklin County Development Corporation and on the staff of U.S. Senator James Jeffords before he moved to New York to join Chase Manhattan Bank. After receiving his master’s degree in business administration from Duke University’s Fuqua School of Business, he joined GE Equity, becoming senior vice president. He is currently a partner at Jupiter Capital and a venture partner at Alerion Partners, a private equity fund located in Connecticut.

A spirited UVM basketball fan, Mr. Cioffi was the first member of the Victory Club, the dedicated circle of UVM Athletics benefactors. His focus on strengthening UVM Athletics includes contributing to equipment purchases for the Athletic Performance Center and projects to support and enhance both the men's and women's basketball programs. He has also hosted numerous event receptions for alumni and UVM teams at away games. In 2014, he was inducted into the UVM Athletics Hall of Fame in honor of his steadfast support and service to UVM.

In 2015, Rob and Meghan Cioffi made a signature gift to men's basketball, establishing the Meghan and Robert Cioffi Endowed Men's Basketball Head Coach position, the first of its kind both at UVM and in the America East Conference. Funds from the endowment are allocated to highest priority needs in the men's basketball program, including student-athlete development, facilities enhancements, and academic excellence. UVM Athletics’ dedication to academics is displayed through the Catamounts winning the Academic Cup twice as many times as any of our competitors in the America East conference. Rob and Meghan Cioffi want student-athletes to excel both on the field and in academics; this endowment supports the athletics program in pursuing these dual paths to success.

Mr. Cioffi's community engagement is wide reaching beyond Vermont. He currently sits on the boards of the New Canaan YMCA and St. Luke's School in New Canaan, Connecticut. In addition, he has previously served on the boards of the National Ability Center in Park City, Utah, the Norwalk Hospital Foundation and the National Down Syndrome Society, among others.

The University of Vermont strives to inspire students to become engaged leaders and citizens. Through his dedication to the UVM community, focus on student access, and spirit for scholar-athlete success, Rob Cioffi embodies the values of leadership and involvement that make communities thrive.

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RICK DALTON
Doctor of Humane Letters, honoris causa

Though he didn’t know it at the time, Rick Dalton was seven years old when he experienced what would become the inspiration for his life’s work.

As Hurricane Diane made landfall in North Carolina in August 1955 and swept up the coast, it left in its wake the costliest devastation of any tropical storm up to that time. Many of Mr. Dalton’s neighbors in his hometown of Westfield, Massachusetts, were flooded out of their homes. Much like the stark view of socioeconomic divisions in New Orleans laid bare by Hurricane Katrina, that catastrophic event in Mr. Dalton’s community revealed deep inequities between the “haves” and the “have nots.”

Seeing the devastation experienced by many of his classmates and their families impacted Mr. Dalton in a way that he could not name then. But it is the spark that he readily speaks to now that inspired him to build a career...
creating pathways to a promising future for students for whom opportunity may be in short supply.

A young person from a family whose income is in the bottom 20 percent nationally is eight times less likely to attain a four-year degree than a peer from a family in the top income level. That disparity urged Mr. Dalton to take action.

Mr. Dalton is founder and chief executive of CFES Brilliant Pathways—formerly College for Every Student—a national leader in helping underserved students become college- and career-ready. Since its start in 1991, CFES Brilliant Pathways has helped over 100,000 rural and urban students in 45 states and Ireland prepare for a successful and engaged life after high school. But that work doesn't begin in 11th or 12th grade. Every year CFES educators, mentors, and corporate partners—Colgate Palmolive, Bain & Company, Transperfect, and many others—work with 20,000 K–12 students in 200 schools to help students cultivate their visions for what they can do in the world and their capacities for realizing those aspirations. Essential skills such as goal setting, teamwork, and adapting to change give CFES Scholars critical keys to thriving in elementary and high school, as college students, in their career, and throughout their lives.

Mr. Dalton began researching barriers to college readiness as a doctoral student at Harvard University. After attaining his Ed.D., in 1986 he joined the team at Middlebury College, heading up the college’s efforts to increase enrollment of students of color. Continuing his research with colleagues from UVM and Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute, he studied ways to overcome college-access barriers in disadvantaged communities. The results from that initiative were field tested in 10 schools in the southeastern U.S., with the number of college-bound students increasing by 50 percent in just three years.

That dramatically successful model served as the foundation for the non-profit that has become Mr. Dalton's life's work. In 1991 College for Every Student began operations, working with a group of rural schools in central New York. Since then, CFES Brilliant Pathways has worked in 1500 schools across the U.S., in both urban and rural communities, introducing students to college and career possibilities, providing professional development to educators, and helping students and families demystify the path to college and access the financial aid available. Of the 20,000 students served each year, 99 percent of CFES Scholars graduate from high school and 95 percent choose to attend college.

More than 200 graduates from high schools in the Bronx, New York's most multiethnic and least affluent borough, are UVM Catamounts now thanks to a partnership forged by Mr. Dalton in 2000. Connecting key UVM leaders with Bronx high school principal Jerry Garfin, the program with UVM initiated by CFES Brilliant Pathways is considered one of the most significant school-college partnerships ever launched in higher education. Highly qualified prospective students begin visiting campus in their first year of high school, returning each year to meet with admissions counselors and to learn firsthand about educational, leadership, and co-curricular opportunities at UVM. Admitted students benefit from scholarships aimed at making the university more diverse; and the increased cross-culturalism deeply enhances the UVM community. Mr. Dalton takes a personal interest in the UVM community, as well, as the father of women's lacrosse team head coach, Sarah Dalton Graddock.

This partnership with UVM is emblematic of the success that Mr. Dalton has achieved over the past three decades. In Vermont, CFES Brilliant Pathways has worked with over 30 schools, helping hundreds of students gain admission to and succeed at UVM, greatly contributing to the economic and social wellbeing of Vermont. A significant $11.6 million grant in 2018 from the U.S. Department of Education supports CFES Brilliant Pathways in targeting 2000 students in seven Adirondack area schools that draw from low-income, rural communities. Executing a “full-court press” to get these students into college, CFES Brilliant Pathways is playing a key role in reeling an educated regional workforce in the North Country.

Mr. Dalton's goal is to help another 100,000 students become college and career ready over the next five years, and a growing body of CFES Brilliant Pathways alumni are now serving as mentors to the next generation of CFES Scholars in a cycle of support that keeps growing stronger. In April 2021, Mr. Dalton's book: Rural America's Pathways to College and Career: Steps for Student Success and School Improvement was published by Routledge. That book, along with 2016's College for Every Student: A Practitioner’s Guide to Building College & Career Readiness, are both helping to carry the impact of his important work to a widening audience.

Through his dedicated work in developing academic and job opportunity readiness for promising students, Rick Dalton exemplifies the common good that can be achieved by working in partnership to advance college and career possibilities for young people in communities of all demographics.

STEVEN GROSSMAN
Doctor of Humane Letters, honoris causa

Over the past ten years, Steven Grossman, UVM Class of 1961, has been the philanthropic force behind the University of Vermont’s Grossman School of Business and its dramatic rise to national and international prominence. As a result of Mr. Grossman’s generous support, the Grossman School is now ranked among the top nine business schools internationally—and one of the top three in the U.S.—for social impact.

During UVM’s last comprehensive campaign ending in 2019, the Grossman Family Foundation made a historic $25 million gift to the University of Vermont that transformed business education at the University and sparked $18.8 million from other donors through a challenge initiative for
a total of $43.8 million in support of the School of Business. The Grossman Family Foundation’s philanthropic support enabled the School of Business to expand its faculty, revise and strengthen the undergraduate curriculum, and launch a new MBA program, the Sustainable Innovation MBA or SI-MBA. Propelled by this support, the SI-MBA now sits near the top of national and international rankings. In acknowledgement of this gift, in 2015 the University named the School of Business the Grossman School of Business. The Grossman School became the second named academic unit at the University of Vermont.

In 2021, Mr. Grossman made another substantial gift through his personal philanthropy to ensure that the Grossman School will continue to build upon its preeminent position as a top-ranked MBA program in sustainable business. As a result of this second gift, the Grossman School will continue to expand its faculty and undergraduate programs, particularly in the areas of entrepreneurship and family business, and enhance its academic achievements, ensuring the School’s ranking as a top-tier business school both nationally and internationally.

Steven Grossman earned a bachelor of science in manufacturing and management engineering from UVM in 1961. Following his service in the Air Force, he began working at Southern Container Corporation, a manufacturer of corrugated packaging started by his grandfather in 1904. During Mr. Grossman’s 46-year tenure, Southern Container Corporation grew to be one of the largest independent U.S. manufacturers of corrugated packaging, graphics packaging, and containerboard.

Mr. Grossman and his family built their business in part by creating an employee-centered environment, and their employees reciprocated with loyalty to the firm. True to the ethos of his business leadership, Mr. Grossman’s career as a philanthropist began at Southern Container when he started to support his employees and their children with college scholarships.

During the 1980s, Mr. Grossman became actively engaged with UVM when he joined the newly formed School of Business board of advisors. During that period, he made his first major gift to the University in support of a new facility for the School which became Kalkin Hall. In 2011, Mr. Grossman stepped forward again, becoming an advisor to the newly hired School of Business Dean, Dr. Sanjay Sharma. Over the next ten years, Mr. Grossman and Dean Sharma developed a strong partnership as they worked together to raise the School of Business to national and international stature. The Grossman School is now home to five Grossman Chairs – in finance, sustainable business, family business, and two in entrepreneurship – and a sixth chair, the Schlesinger-Grossman Chair of Family Business. In the coming year, the Grossman School will hire world-class scholars who will hold the Grossman Chair of Family Business and a second Grossman Chair of Entrepreneurship.

Through his philanthropic leadership and wise programmatic counsel, Steven Grossman has made significant contributions to UVM’s standing as a public land grant university. As a result of his philanthropy, the Grossman School of Business has become a leader in business education ideally positioned to meet the opportunities and challenges of the 21st century. Mr. Grossman will be awarded a Doctor of Humane Letters, honoris causa.
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University Distinguished Professor of Medicine, and Microbiology and Molecular Genetics Emeritus

Richard A. Galbraith
Professor of Medicine Emeritus

Alan C. Homans
Professor of Pediatrics Emeritus

James J. Hudziak
Thomas M. Achenbach Endowed Chair of Developmental Psychopathology, Professor of Psychiatry, Medicine and Pediatrics Emeritus

Gordon L. Jensen
Senior Associate Dean of Research Emeritus

Douglas I. Johnson
Professor of Microbiology and Molecular Genetics Emeritus

Patricia A. King
Professor of Medicine Emerita

Scott W. Morrical
Professor of Biochemistry, and Microbiology and Molecular Genetics Emeritus

Roberta O’Brien
Professor of Medicine Emerita
Faculty Honors

UNIVERSITY DISTINGUISHED PROFESSOR AWARD is the highest academic honor that the University of Vermont can bestow upon a member of the faculty. Holders of this title are recognized as not only having achieved international eminence within their respective fields of study but for the truly transformative nature of their contributions to the advancement of knowledge.

Yvonne M.W. Janssen-Heininger, Professor, Department of Pathology and Laboratory Medicine, Larner College of Medicine

PRESIDENT’S DISTINGUISHED SENIOR LECTURER AWARD, presented annually, honors and recognizes the distinguished accomplishments of faculty who hold the rank of Senior Lecturer for their outstanding teaching, scholarship, and service.

Karen Benway, Senior Lecturer, Department of Mathematics and Statistics, College of Engineering and Mathematical Sciences

GEORGE V. KIDDER OUTSTANDING FACULTY AWARD was established by the UVM Alumni Association in 1974 to honor Dean Emeritus George V. Kidder, class of 1922, for his seventy years of service to the University and celebrates and supports excellence in teaching, effectiveness in motivating students in ways that have a lasting influence on their lives, commitment to student advising, and the ability to constructively influence campus life beyond the classroom.

Joan Rosebush, Senior Lecturer and Director of Student Success, Department of Mathematics, College of Engineering and Mathematical Sciences

UNIVERSITY SCHOLARS are distinguished UVM faculty members for sustained excellence in research, creative and scholarly activities by the Graduate College. The Scholars are selected by a faculty panel based upon nominations submitted by UVM colleagues.

Basic and Applied Sciences:
Anne E. Dixon, Professor, Department of Medicine
Beverley C. Wemple, Professor and Chair, Department of Geography

Social Sciences, Humanities and Creative Arts:
Emily Bernard, Julian Lindsay Green & Gold Professor, Department of English
Jan Fook, Professor and Chair, Department of Social Work

KROEPSCH-MAURICE EXCELLENCE IN TEACHING AWARDS recognize faculty for excellent undergraduate instruction, including for curricular innovation, commitment to cultural diversity, the ability to motivate students and excellence in advising.

Chris Danforth, Professor, Department of Mathematics and Statistics, College of Engineering and Mathematical Sciences
Jason Garbarino, Associate Professor, Department of Nursing, College of Nursing and Health Sciences
Jay Silveira, Assistant Professor, Department of Biochemistry, Larner College of Medicine
Stephen Wadsworth, Lecturer, Department of Animal and Veterinary Sciences, College of Agriculture and Life Sciences

OUTSTANDING FACULTY ADVISOR AWARD
Alison K. Brody, Professor, Department of Biology, College of Arts and Sciences
Latin Honors Graduates of the University of Vermont Class of 2022

Those graduating summa cum laude are within the top one percent of their college or school. Magna cum laude signifies the next three percent, and cum laude the next six percent. Honors calculations are based on all the courses taken at UVM, and in order to be eligible, each student must have taken a minimum of sixty hours in which a letter grade has been awarded.

COLLEGE OF AGRICULTURE AND LIFE SCIENCES

SUMMA CUM LAUDE
- Kira Rose Mincar, Bachelor of Science
- Whitney Renaud, Bachelor of Science
- Megan Tarte, Bachelor of Science
- Malachi R. Witt, Bachelor of Science

MAGNA CUM LAUDE
- Avi Helen Bauer, Bachelor of Science
- Jake D. Bears, Bachelor of Science
- Noelle M. Cataldo, Bachelor of Science
- Anna K. Deroche, Bachelor of Science
- Reilly Katherine Donahue, Bachelor of Science
- Jessica Goldner, Bachelor of Science
- Amber Xia Faith Gould, Bachelor of Science
- Samuel F. Holt, Bachelor of Science
- Erica Nicole Patton, Bachelor of Science
- Clara Schultz, Bachelor of Science
- Amy Suzanne Zibron, Bachelor of Science

CUM LAUDE
- Sydney Kathleen Caldwell, Bachelor of Science
- Leah Caroline Dollar, Bachelor of Science
- Lauren Kathryn Eisel, Bachelor of Science
- Sosie Colette French, Bachelor of Science
- Jake Maxwell Gess, Bachelor of Science
- Bristol Susan Grenfell, Bachelor of Science
- Julia Melissa Hurley, Bachelor of Science
- Zae H. Kennedy, Bachelor of Science
- Clarissa Ludwig, Bachelor of Science
- Julia Grace MacGibeny, Bachelor of Science
- Jack Mitchell, Bachelor of Science
- Hannah Mosier, Bachelor of Science
- Macey Rose Musto, Bachelor of Science
- Ella C. Nadeau, Bachelor of Science
- Abby Quinn Oliver, Bachelor of Science
- Shelby Lorayne Amirault Packard, Bachelor of Science
- Ellen Ragland Paulson, Bachelor of Science
- Emily E. Riley, Bachelor of Science
- Abigail Marie Robbins, Bachelor of Science
- Avery Romp, Bachelor of Science
- Samantha Schell, Bachelor of Science
- Samantha Linn Staples, Bachelor of Science
- Shannon O’Keefe Taggart, Bachelor of Science
- Haley A. Thomson, Bachelor of Science
- Rachael Elizabeth Walton, Bachelor of Science
- Joseph Henry Webber, Bachelor of Science
- Sophia Wilcox Warren, Bachelor of Science
- Emily Rose Wilson, Bachelor of Science

RUBENSTEIN SCHOOL OF ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES

SUMMA CUM LAUDE
- Michaela R. Clarkson, Bachelor of Science
- Kimberly A. Lantz, Bachelor of Science

MAGNA CUM LAUDE
- Addison Lynn Knowlton Davis, Bachelor of Science
- Ryan Scott Lee, Bachelor of Science
- Amanda Goff Lindley, Bachelor of Science
- Erika Rader, Bachelor of Science
- Anna Elizabeth Sherman, Bachelor of Science
- Sarah Rose Wasserman, Bachelor of Science

CUM LAUDE
- Alexander D. Binzen, Bachelor of Science
- Eliza Bryan, Bachelor of Science
- Jacob Campbell, Bachelor of Science
- Sarah Katherin Claus, Bachelor of Science
- Jacob Keith Crawford, Bachelor of Science
- Jason S. Drebber, Bachelor of Science
- Kora M. Freeman-Gerlach, Bachelor of Science
- Samuel Michael Hare Steig, Bachelor of Science
- Garrett Timothy Higgins, Bachelor of Science
- Lia Ivanick, Bachelor of Science
- Kelly Elizabeth Manley, Bachelor of Science
- Macie Davis Millstein, Bachelor of Science

CUM LAUDE
- Cyrus Oswald, Bachelor of Science
- Thomas Stephen Shafer, Bachelor of Science
- Gretel Sarah St. Lawrence, Bachelor of Science

COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES

SUMMA CUM LAUDE
- Ethan Edward Abell, Bachelor of Science
- Chloe Alexandra Becker, Bachelor of Science
- Violet Saoirse Bupp-Chering, Bachelor of Science
- Madeleine Burke, Bachelor of Arts
- Bailey Stanton Gengel, Bachelor of Science
- Gretchen Willows Gilbert, Bachelor of Arts
- Reese Green, Bachelor of Arts
- Benjamin Thomas Hamilton, Bachelor of Science
- Lauren Moeve Herr, Bachelor of Science
- Beth Mary McCormick, Bachelor of Science
- Theresa Schafzahl, Bachelor of Science
- Samantha Flo Smoger, Bachelor of Arts
- Kailey Marie Vinacco, Bachelor of Arts

MAGNA CUM LAUDE
- Tessa Brimblecombe, Bachelor of Arts
- Martha Jane Bruhl, Bachelor of Arts
- Ross Buchman, Bachelor of Science
- Grace Deforest Butler, Bachelor of Arts
- Anitra Rogers Brass Conover, Bachelor of Arts
- Emily Helen Cummings, Bachelor of Arts
- Ann Donovan, Bachelor of Arts
- Rachel Elizabeth Fickes, Bachelor of Arts
- Sabrina Joy Fiore, Bachelor of Arts
- Colleen Margaret Hayes, Bachelor of Science
- Preston Michael Hunter, Bachelor of Arts
- Claire Kohler, Bachelor of Arts
- Jane Krohn, Bachelor of Arts
- Helen Charlotte Laseter, Bachelor of Arts
- Sara Kelsey Leonard, Bachelor of Arts
- Maira Mahoney, Bachelor of Arts
- Shelby Lorayne Amirault Packard, Bachelor of Arts
- Emily Elizabeth Pallas, Bachelor of Arts
- Julia T. Pellegrino-Wood, Bachelor of Science
- Alessia Ann Potsoky, Bachelor of Arts
- Veronica Kabe Potter, Bachelor of Arts
- Meilena Sanchez, Bachelor of Science
- Zoe Schemm, Bachelor of Arts
- Isabella H. Schmit, Bachelor of Arts
- Aidan W. Seipke, Bachelor of Arts
- Abigail Mae Siniscalco, Bachelor of Science
- Brooklyn Szych-Brown, Bachelor of Arts
- Michael Bayman Tobin, Bachelor of Arts
- Michael J. Tomas III, Bachelor of Arts
- Annie Wernhoff, Bachelor of Arts
- Katherine G. Wynn, Bachelor of Arts

CUM LAUDE
- Marley Beers, Bachelor of Arts
- Jamie LaReau Buckley, Bachelor of Arts
- Fallon Elizabeth Clark, Bachelor of Arts
- Taylor Blaze Clark, Bachelor of Arts
- Madelyn Degelsmith, Bachelor of Arts
- Madelyn Degelsmith, Bachelor of Science
- Jason S. Drebber, Bachelor of Science
- Alicecon Drollette, Bachelor of Arts
- Jalen Tara Drzewiecki, Bachelor of Science
- Grace Emeline Durant, Bachelor of Science
- Juliette V. Fredericks, Bachelor of Arts
- Amanda Giordano, Bachelor of Science
- Isaac Gaetzke, Bachelor of Science
- Moeve Gurnis, Bachelor of Arts
- Rowan G. Hawthorne, Bachelor of Arts
- Caleb N. Hayes, Bachelor of Arts
- Aren Janis Herrick, Bachelor of Science
- Tulleys Hescock, Bachelor of Arts
- Emma T. Hoechner, Bachelor of Arts
- Joshua Robert Huffman, Bachelor of Arts
- Thomas Koffe, Bachelor of Arts
- Liviya Suri Kovacevic, Bachelor of Science
- Stephanie Rene Kramer, Bachelor of Science
COMMENCEMENT 2022

Holly Shea Kuhn, Bachelor of Arts
Isabel Kathleen MacGregor, Bachelor of Arts
Ellery Mahlim, Bachelor of Arts
Lydia G. Maitland, Bachelor of Science
Lily Jane Marina, Bachelor of Science
Liv Nicole Ha Marshall, Bachelor of Arts
Madison Mathew, Bachelor of Arts
Aidan McCauley May, Bachelor of Science
Sierra Alexis Miller, Bachelor of Arts
Kendyl Alyssa Moses, Bachelor of Science
Keegan Towlie Moseley, Bachelor of Arts
Raven G. Murray, Bachelor of Arts
Tabitha Marie Myers, Bachelor of Science
Christopher John Nagorniak, Bachelor of Arts
Reed Nye, Bachelor of Arts
Dmitria A. Petrusha, Bachelor of Science
Celeste Monique Piette, Bachelor of Arts
Daisy Elizabeth Powers, Bachelor of Science
Levi Elliot Reyes, Bachelor of Arts
Alond Rinehart, Bachelor of Arts
Paige M. Roussell, Bachelor of Arts
Stephanie A. Ryder, Bachelor of Arts
Catherine G. Scaduto, Bachelor of Science
Katherine Augusta Schinella, Bachelor of Arts
Emily S. Shettman, Bachelor of Arts
David Sidelle, Bachelor of Arts
Rachel E. Strack, Bachelor of Science
Abigail Kay Tanen, Bachelor of Arts
Benjamin Richard Will, Bachelor of Science
Lindsay Jacquelyn Williams, Bachelor of Arts
Moegam Winters, Bachelor of Arts

GROSSMAN SCHOOL OF BUSINESS

SUMMA CUM LAUDE
Trevor James McGlaffin, B.S. Business Administration
Jenna Mikayla Nadasdi, B.S. Business Administration
Matias Bjørnflaten Øvrum, B.S. Business Administration

MAGNA CUM LAUDE
Sean William Anderson, B.S. Business Administration
Kelley Anna Coates, B.S. Business Administration
Delaney Rose Courcelle, B.S. Business Administration
Sarah Elizabeth Fazzaro, B.S. Business Administration
Julia Elizabeth Grismore, B.S. Business Administration
Jonas Levine, B.S. Business Administration
Mia J. O’Farrell, B.S. Business Administration

CUM LAUDE
Mu-Hua (Rochel) Chan, B.S. Business Administration
Andrew Walton Cunningham, B.S. Business Administration
Jacob Bruce Curtis, B.S. Business Administration
Lily Goodspeed, B.S. Business Administration
Reid S. Hues, B.S. Business Administration
Justin Tyler Joyal, B.S. Business Administration
Hongbei Lai, B.S. Business Administration
Peter Schans, B.S. Business Administration
Garrett Laine Sinclair, B.S. Business Administration
Isaiah Thompson, B.S. Business Administration
Oliver George Tidswell, B.S. Business Administration
Morgan Whitney, B.S. Business Administration

COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING AND
MATHEMATICAL SCIENCES

SUMMA CUM LAUDE
Landon Graham Cayia, B.S. Computer Science
Logan James Griswold, B.S. Mechanical Engineering
Justin Haenel, B.S. Mathematical Sciences
Michael George Newton, B.S. Environmental Engineering
Tyler John Skroski, B.S. Mechanical Engineering

MAGNA CUM LAUDE
Janey Alex, Bachelor of Science
Kaley Elizabeth Bell, B.S. Biomedical Engineering
Kai Ling H. Boyd, B.S. Mechanical Engineering
Kennedy Brown, B.S. Civil Engineering
Zachery Fogg, B.S. Computer Science
Luke Erling Fredrickson, B.S. Computer Science
Jeffrey M. Goldman, B.S. Mechanical Engineering
Mia Carolyn Grasso, B.S. Environmental Engineering
Anna Foster Grunes, B.S. Environmental Engineering
Benedit Richard Huston, B.S. Mathematical Sciences
Trevor James McGlaffin, Bachelor of Science
Ryan Parker, B.S. Computer Science
Veronika Kobe Potter, B.S. Mathematical Sciences

CUM LAUDE
Megan Elizabeth Arquin, B.S. Education
Claire Mabel Cook, Bachelor of Science
Alden Reginald Bishop Ducharme, B.S. Education
Whitney S. Eley, B.S. Education
Daniele E. Gaiser, B.S. Education
Olivia L. Mauro, B.S. Education
Mairead Mickey, B.S. Education
Shane Charles Pierson, Bachelor of Social Work

COLLEGE OF EDUCATION AND SOCIAL SERVICES

SUMMA CUM LAUDE
Samuel Comai, B.S. Education
Breeze de Jong, B.S. Education
Allison Rose Dennehy, B.S. Education

MAGNA CUM LAUDE
Charlotte Elizabeth Buckles, Bachelor of Social Work
Isabella Steinberg Curtis, B.S. Education
Alison Elinor Deininger, Bachelor of Social Work
Marissa Lauren Hehir, B.S. Education
Daisy Parwen Hutter, B.S. Art Education
Ella Louise Justman, B.S. Education
Sandra Jewelle King, B.S. Education
Julia Marie Robb, B.S. Education
Emma Rose Royea, B.S. Education
Claire Elizabeth Thibeault, B.S. Education
Rachel Eve Wolson, B.S. Education

COLLEGE OF NURSING AND HEALTH SCIENCES

SUMMA CUM LAUDE
Lance G. Bergmans, Bachelor of Science
Carley Giroux, Bachelor of Science
Jane Margaret Leighton, Bachelor of Science
Meriel Ann Miscleher, Bachelor of Science

MAGNA CUM LAUDE
Sophia Jean McLaughlin, Bachelor of Science
Jordan Laine Mousley, Bachelor of Science
Jack I. Parker, Bachelor of Science
Andrew James de Barbara Martinez Slauterbeck, Bachelor of Science
Michaela Sobczak, Bachelor of Science
Barbara Sogoloff, Bachelor of Science

CUM LAUDE
Bernadette Jane Benn, Bachelor of Science
Anita Marie Bilotta, Bachelor of Science
Megan L. Boswell, Bachelor of Science
Emily Deason, Bachelor of Science
Lauren Dumas, Bachelor of Science
Eleanor Rose Duva, Bachelor of Science
Isabel Emily Hansen, Bachelor of Science
Meghann Howrigan, Bachelor of Science
Paige Christina Niorchos, Bachelor of Science
Stella Otis, Bachelor of Science
Lauren Annelle Rauter, Bachelor of Science
Elaina Kathleen Sepeda, Bachelor of Science
Tristan Anthony St. Cyr, Bachelor of Science
Jessica Tarnoff, Bachelor of Science
University Awards to Graduates

OUTSTANDING STUDENT LEADER AWARDS

THE F. T. KIDDER MEDAL is presented to the senior student who best exemplifies the qualities of character, leadership, and scholarship. It is named in honor of Fred T. Kidder, a graduate of the class of 1880 and the College of Medicine in 1883, who later served on the University of Vermont Board of Trustees.

Perin Patel

THE MARY JEAN SIMPSON AWARD presented to the senior student who best exemplifies the qualities of character, leadership, and scholarship. It is named in honor of Mary Jean Simpson who exemplified these qualities throughout her professional career, including as UVM’s third Dean of Women (1938-1955) and as Bill Clerk to the United States Senate (1926-1933).

Zyakkiriah Rhoden

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.

Samantha Marquette

THE KEITH M. MISER LEADERSHIP AWARD established in 1989 and presented in recognition of outstanding service to the University of Vermont through campus leadership endeavors.

Micayla Nadeau-Williams

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

Areeb Un-Din Ahmad

THE KATHERINE ANNE KELLY AWARD recognizes a graduating senior who best exemplifies Kate’s ability to bravely battle very serious medical challenges while still graduating and engaging in UVM student life with passion, energy, and a smile. Katherine Anne Kelly was a member of the Class of 2000.

Sage N’be Francis White Cloud

AWARDS TO ATHLETES

THE J. EDWARD DONNELLY AWARD presented to the senior male and female student-athletes who have displayed the greatest accomplishments in individual athletic performance and who have significantly contributed to their team's overall performance.

Ben Ogden, Men's Skiing and Ryan Davis, Men's Basketball

Theresa Schafzahl, Women's Hockey

THE SEMANS TROPHY presented to the senior male and female student-athletes who have demonstrated a high level of athletic achievement, and earned the respect and regard of fellow students for leadership, loyalty and service to UVM:

Ben Shungu, Men's Basketball

Alyssa Oviedo, Women's Soccer

THE RUSSELL O. SUNDERLAND MEMORIAL TROPHY presented to the senior male and female student-athletes who throughout their college careers have demonstrated a high level of athletic achievement and exemplified qualities of character, leadership and persistence in overcoming obstacles.

Garrett Lillie, Men's Soccer and Justin Mazzulla, Men's Basketball

Sonia John, Women's Track & Field

THE WASSON ATHLETIC PRIZE presented to the senior male and female student-athletes who have demonstrated a high level of athletic achievement and have maintained the highest standard of academic scholarship.

Matias Øvrum, Men's Skiing

Ella Bankert, Women's Soccer and Josie Larkins, Women's Basketball

THE JEFF STONE MEMORIAL AWARD is presented to the male and female student-athletes 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:

Ian Denis, Men's Cross Country and Track & Field

Sofia Wittman, Women's Track & Field and Cailin Campbell, Women's Swimming & Diving

THE ENVIRONMENTAL PROGRAM

PROGRAM HONORS

Michaela Aladjem, Thesis: Absurdist Rituals to Process Ecological Grief

Advisors: Rachelle Gould, PhD; A. Madsen Minax, MFA

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DEPARTMENT OF MILITARY STUDIES

SECOND LIEUTENANTS COMMISSIONED INTO THE UNITED STATES ARMY, ARMY NATIONAL GUARD, and US ARMY RESERVES

- Kyle Sandstrom Bennett, Infantry, Active Duty, US Army
- Taylor Mae Catlin, Military Intelligence, National Guard, Vermont
- Jamie Louis Cotter*
- Max K. Duffield, Armor, National Guard, Vermont
- Timothy Joseph Forkey, Aviation, Active Duty, US Army
- Finian James Gallagher, Military Intelligence, Active Duty, US Army
- Alexandra Grace Goodnow, Nurse Corps, Active Duty, US Army
- Anicah Noel Hall, Corps of Engineers, US Army Reserves, Maryland
- Jacob Christopher Hall, Transportation Corps, Active Duty, US Army
- Brenna Madigan Kerin, Medical Services/Aviation, National Guard, Vermont
- Simon William Breck Mendenhall, Infantry, Active Duty, US Army
- Hannah M. Minns, Field Artillery, National Guard, North Carolina

*Summer 2022 Commissionee

CADET OF THE YEAR AWARD presented to the Senior Cadet who demonstrated the most outstanding Cadet leadership performance throughout the year, is the most valuable Cadet Cadre member of the Green Mountain Battalion, and whose efforts have most greatly contributed to overall mission success for the Green Mountain Battalion family.

- Simon William Breck Mendenhall

DISTINGUISHED MILITARY GRADUATE is presented to those Cadets who possess outstanding qualities of leadership and high moral character, exhibit a definite aptitude for and interest in military service, attain a military science standing in the upper third of the Senior class, and ranked in the upper third by Order of Merit List as established by Professor of Military Science.

- Kyle Sandstrom Bennett**
- Max K. Duffield
- Timothy Joseph Forkey
- Simon William Breck Mendenhall**

**top 10% in Country

GEORGE C. MARSHALL AWARD presented annually by the Marshall Foundation to the most outstanding Cadet in the Senior class as nominated by the Battalion Cadre and selected by the United States Army Cadet Command. Each of the ROTC battalions throughout our country nominates its model graduating Cadet who best emulates the principles of leadership and scholastic excellence as demonstrated by General George C. Marshall:

- Brenna Madigan Kerin

WADSWORTH RAMSEY SMITH AWARD presented to a Second Lieutenant, as voted on by his or her peers, who has displayed high aptitude and achievement in Military Science and extraordinary qualities of leadership, knowledge and, most importantly, commitment to the organization throughout the course of his or her tenure with the Green Mountain Battalion ROTC program.

- Timothy Joseph Forkey

AMERICAN LEGION AWARD FOR MILITARY EXCELLENCE presented to a Cadet who is in the top 25 percent in academics and ROTC standing and has displayed outstanding qualities in military leadership, discipline, character, and citizenship.

- Jamie Louis Cotter

DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION AWARD for outstanding demonstration of Loyalty and Patriotism.

- Taylor Mae Catlin

NATIONAL DEFENSE TRANSPORTATION ASSOCIATION (NDTA) AWARD presented to a Cadet enrolled in an academic course, the main portion of which is of particular interest to the Transportation Corps (Engineering and Computer Science majors are included in this category.) The Cadet must be in the top 25 percent in ROTC, their academic standing in the program, and be recommended by the Professor of Military Science as an outstanding student and Cadet.

- Jacob Christopher Hall
Honors College
SATURDAY, MAY 21, 2022 | 3:00 PM | IRA ALLEN CHAPEL

DEAN
David Jenemann

PROCESSIONAL MARSHAL
Emily Manetta

FACULTY MARSHAL
Peter VonDoepp

ASSISTANT MARSHALS
Genevieve Anthony
Simone Blaise

STUDENT MARSHALS
Beth Mary McCormick
Avi Bauer

ORDER OF EXERCISES

PROCESIONAL
David Neiweem, Professor and Chair, Department of Music and Marion B. Coe University Organist

WELCOME
David Jenemann, Dean and Professor of English

OPENING ADDRESS
Suresh V. Garimella, President of the University of Vermont and Professor of Mechanical Engineering

FACULTY ADDRESS
Pablo Bose, Associate Professor of Geography

STUDENT ADDRESS
Megan Richardson, Class of 2022, Honors College Scholar

RECOGNITION OF SCHOLARS

CLOSING REMARKS
David Jenemann, Dean and Professor of English

RECESSIONAL
David Neiweem, Professor and Chair, Department of Music and Marion B. Coe University Organist

RECEPTION
Grand Maple Ballroom, Davis Center

HONORS COLLEGE SCHOLARS
Lydia S. Ambaye, South Burlington, VT, CAS
Hunter Amory, Brookline, MA, CAS
Sean William Anderson, Des Moines, IA, GSB
Lydia Chiara Axelrod, Fairport, NY, CEMS
Avi Helen Bauer, South Strafford, VT, CALS
MacKenzie Kathrine Beck, Saint Johnsbury, VT, CEMS
Carmen Maria Beckley, Everberg, Belgium, CNHS
Sara Hope Bostock, Burlington, VT, CAS
Ross Buchman, St. Louis, MO, CAS
Violet Saoirse Bupp-Chickering, Saxtons River, VT, CAS
Hannah Elizabeth Buscher, Falmouth, MA, CAS
Jacob Campbell, River Edge, NJ, RSENR
Grace Cantrell, Columbus, OH, CAS, GSB
Jessica A. Chichola, Westfield, NJ, CALS
Fallon Elizabeth Clark, Wayne, NJ, CAS
Taylor Blaze Clark, Williamstown, VT, CAS
Sarah Katherine Clauß, Shelburne, VT, RSENR
Elias Anders Colberg, Anchorage, AK, CAS
Anita Rogers Brass Conover, Dartmouth, MA, CAS
Carolyne Marcella Conway, Basking Ridge, NJ, CALS
Emily Helen Cummings, North Andover, MA, CAS
Patrick Austin Daly, West Hartford, CT, CAS
Megan Elaine Devir, Ridgewood, NJ, CAS
Kyra Diehl, Cornwall, VT, CAS
Mia Dillon, Pleasantville, NY, CAS
Maeve Dillon-Martin, Boston, MA, CAS
Anna M. Dolan, Burlington, VT, CALS
Leah Caroline Dollar, West Hartford, CT, CALS
Megan Dalton Doyle, Westport, CT, CAS
Alieson Drollette, Willimantic, NY, CAS
Eleanor Rose Duva, West Hartford, CT, CNHS
Lauren Kathryn Eisell, Bethesda, MD, CAS
Kathleen Olivia Enns, Los Gatos, CA, CALS
Diana Catherine Athena Fennimore, Durham, NC, CAS
Kylie Maureen Finnegnan, Burke, VA, CALS
Kira Jessie Fisher, Burlington, VT, CALS
Emma Pearl Frank, Wellesley Hills, MA, CALS
Alexander Peter Friedrichsen, Shelburne, VT, CALS
Taylor Sarah Friedrichsen, Shelburne, VT, CALS
Carl G. Fung, Essex, VT, CEMS
Danielle E. Gaiser, Newtown, CT, CESS
Joseph Anthony Gallo, Asbury, NJ, CAS
Jake Maxwell Gess, Glen Rock, NJ, CALS
Isaac Goetzke, Stillwater, MN, CAS
Caroline Linnea Carlson Green, Minneapolis, MN, CALS
Reese Green, Arlington, MA, CAS
Sarah Elizabeth Grobe, Westfield, MA, CEMS
Anna Foster Grunes, Crotton On Hudson, NY, CEMS
Jackson Thurman Hall, Thetford, VT, CEMS
Kate Isabel Heins, Rochester, MN, CALS
Katherine G. Henry, Concord, NH, CAS
Katherine Elizabeth Hewlett, Framingham, MA, CAS
Garrett Timothy Higgins, Goshen, ME, RSENR
Julia Melissa Hurley, Burlington, VT, CAS
Lia Ivanick, Jamestown, NY, RSENR
Sidhanth Kafley, Babesa Thimphu, Bhutan, CEMS
Emily Elizabeth Koloudis, Montclair, NJ, CAS
Julia Namjung Kim, Fairfield, CT, CAS
Liam Ronan Kinney, Essex, VT, CAS
Chloe Koval, Concord, MA, RSENR
Stephanie René Kramer, Easton, MA, CAS
Blaise Lah, Burlington, VT, CAS
Helen Charlotte Laseter, Atlanta, GA, CAS
Austin Ellis Lee, Norwich, VT, CESS
Maya R. Lipstein, Port Washington, NY, CALS
Kelly Elizabeth Manley, Hurley, NY, RSENR
Olivia L. Mauro, Yardley, PA, CESS
Aidan McCauley May, Monkton, VT, CAS  
Eva Q. Mazura, Chicago, IL, CAS  
Beth Mary McCormick, Yarmouth, ME, CAS  
Maddison Emilee McGuiness, West Rutland, VT, CAS  
Danielle Nicole Meader, Raymond, ME, GSB  
Kira Rose Minicar, Burlington, VT, CALS  
Hannah Mosier, Kingwood, TX, CALS  
Clare Alice Nelson, Madison, CT, CEMS  
Emilia Norberg, Burlington, CT, CALS  
Gabrielle E. Ochs, Orwell, VT, CALS  
Erin Margaret O’Donnell, Shelburne, VT, CAS  
Riona Kathleen O’Donnell, Carlton, OR, CAS  
Aislinn J. O’Keefe, Mountainside, NJ, CALS  
Axel Olsson, Warwick, RI, CAS  
Margaret O’Neill, Floral Park, NY, CALS  
Cyrus Oswald, Seattle, WA, RSENR  
Stella Otis, Barre, VT, CNHS  
Jack I. Parker, Richmond, VT, CNHS  
Hannah Reed Pcolar, Potsdam, NY, CALS  
Taylor Perez, North Easton, MA, CNHS  
Megan Petrine, State College, PA, CAS  
Mia Pienkowski, Syracuse, NY, CEMS  
Celeste Monique Piette, Irasburg, VT, CAS  
Lauren Pilk, Hinesburg, VT, CAS  
Veronika Kobe Potter, Cambridge, MA, CAS, CEMS  
Levi Elliot Reyes, Sharon, MA, CAS  
Megan Christine Richardson, Rochester, NY, CAS  
Catherine Coco Avril Rooney, Darien, CT, CAS  
Paige M. Roussell, Burlington, VT, CAS  
Samantha Schuel, Stoneham, MA, CALS  
Katherine Augusta Schinella, Alexandria, VA, CAS  
Aidan W. Seipke, South Burlington, VT, CAS  
Elaina Kathleen Sepede, Valley Cottage, NY, CNHS  
Jacob A. Sorrentino, Eotontown, NJ, RSENR  
Jordan Matthew Spindel, New York, NY, RSENR  
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CESS  College of Education and Social Services  
CEMS  College of Engineering and Mathematical Sciences  
RSENR  Rubenstein School of Environment and Natural Resources  
CNHS  College of Nursing and Health Sciences
ORDER OF EXERCISES

WELCOME
Leslie V. Parise, Dean and Professor of Nutrition and Food Sciences

GREETINGS AND REMARKS
Beth Kirkpatrick, Professor and Chair, Department of Microbiology and Molecular Genetics
"Resiliency and Rebound in 2022"

RECOGNITION OF RETIRING FACULTY
Daniel Baker, Associate Professor of Community Development and Applied Economics
Linda Berlin, Extension Associate Professor
Jeffrey Earle Carter, Extension Associate Professor
Patricia A. Fobare Erickson, Senior Lecturer
Jean R. Harvey, Robert L. Bickford, Jr. Green and Gold Professor and Professor of Nutrition and Food Sciences
Jeffrey Winston Hughes, Associate Professor of Plant Biology
Douglas Johnson, Professor of Microbiology and Molecular Genetics
Amy Nickerson, Senior Lecturer
Mary L. Peabody, Extension Professor

PRESENTATION OF POSTHUMOUS DEGREE
Leslie V. Parise, Dean, and Professor of Nutrition and Food Sciences
Matthew K. C. Foster, Ecological Agriculture

UNDERGRADUATE STUDENT PRESENTATION OF DIPLOMAS
Department Chairs and Program Directors:
Sabrina Greenwood, Animal and Veterinary Sciences
Beth Kirkpatrick, Biochemistry
Jeanne Harris, Biological Science
Jane Kolodinsky, Community Development and Applied Economics
Jeanne Harris, Environmental Sciences
David Barrington, Environmental Studies
Jane Kolodinsky, Food Systems
Beth Kirkpatrick, Microbiology and Molecular Genetics
Amy Trubek, Nutrition and Food Sciences
Jeanne Harris, Plant Biology
David Barrington, Plant and Soil Science
Kelly Hamshaw, Self-Design

CLOSING

RECESSIONAL
COLLEGE OF AGRICULTURE AND LIFE SCIENCES AWARDS TO GRADUATES

LAWRENCE K. FORCIER OUTSTANDING SENIOR AWARD given to a top graduating senior in the College who has attained prominence through academic achievement and outstanding service. Named in honor of former dean, Lawrence K. Forcier, who served the college with distinction from 1991 to 1998.

*Alaura Dannon Rich

HONORS COLLEGE SCHOLARS IN THE COLLEGE OF AGRICULTURE AND LIFE SCIENCES

Avi Helen Bauer, Thesis: Performance of Political Agroecological Principles at University Farms: Site Assessment of the Horticulture Research and Education Center Advisor: Victor Izzo, PhD

Jessica Chicola, Thesis: Bromodomain Genes Associated with ER+ Breast Cancer Relapse Advisor: Seth Frieztze, PhD

*Carolyne M. Conway, Thesis: Diaper Need: Tradeoffs of Accessing Diapers and Household Budget Priorities Advisors: Emily Belarmino, PhD, MPH; David Barrington, PhD

Anna M. Dolen, Thesis: Backyard or mountaintop?: A demographic analysis of nature-space visitation during the COVID-19 pandemic Advisor: Rachelle Gould, PhD

Leah C. Dollar, Thesis: The Effects of Cinnamon Bark Essential Oil on Several Non-Aureus Staphylococci Advisor: John Barlow, PhD

*Kathleen O. Enns, Thesis: Case Study: University of Vermont Faculty and Staff Transportation Modes and Carbon Emissions Advisors: Victor Izzo, PhD; Beverly Wemple, PhD

Kylie M. Finnegan, Thesis: Quantifying ubiquitination as a proxy for thermal tolerance in early Drosophila melanogaster embryos Advisor: Brent Lockwood, PhD

*Kira J. Fisher, Thesis: Mechanisms of ceramidase and sphingomyelinase co-regulation in Pseudomonas aeruginosa Advisor: Matthew Margo, PhD

*Emma P. Frank, Thesis: Regional Differences in Food-Based Social Cohesion During the First Year of the COVID-19 Pandemic Advisor: Farrayl Bertmann, PhD

Jake M. Gess, Thesis: Review of “Sustainable” Management Certifications of North American Maple Sugar Production Advisors: Brendan Fisher, PhD; Stephen Keller, PhD

Caroline L. Green, Thesis: A Metagenomic Comparison of Northern Hemispheric Microbial Permafrost Communities Advisor: Julie Dragpn, PhD

*Kate I. Heins, Thesis: Genetic Variation in the Type I Restriction-Modification Systems of Staphylococcus aureus from Selected Vermont Dairy Farms and their Association with Antimicrobial-Resistant Genes Advisor: John Barlow, DVM, PhD

*Julia M. Hurley, Thesis: Developing of a System to Investigate the Molecular Interactions of 4.1G and PKA in Ovarian Cancer Cells Advisor: Paula Deming, PhD

Blaise A. Lah, Thesis: An Analyses of Pauses of Speech in Palliative Medicine Advisor: Robert Gramling, MD


*Kira R. Mincar, Thesis: Investigating Predictors of Hanger in Romantic Partner Pairs Advisor: Lizzy Pope, PhD

*Hannah Mosier, Thesis: Dairy-Derived Fatty Acid Incorporation into HepG2 Cellular Lipids Advisor: Jana Kraft, PhD

*Emilia S. Norberg, Thesis: The Effect of Tryptophan-Synthesizing Bacteria on Gut Motility in Mice Advisor: Gary Mawe, PhD


*Aislinn J. O’Keefe, Thesis: Biosecurity Risk Messaging Interpretation with Spanish and English Speakers Advisor: Scott Merrill, PhD

Margaret R. O’Neill, Thesis: Development and optimization of tryptophan sensors for use in vitro and in vivo measurements of ambient tryptophan levels Advisor: Yangguang Ou, PhD

*Hannah R. Pecor, Thesis: Alteration of O-GlcNAcylation and its Effect on Estradiol Production by Bovine Granulosa Cells Advisor: David Townsend, PhD

Samantha M. Scheel, Thesis: Low Prevalence of Penicillin Resistance in Staphylococcus chromogenes on Vermont Organic Dairy Farms Advisor: John Barlow, PhD

Samantha L. Staples, Thesis: Circular mRNA vaccine for SARS2 Advisors: Dev Majumdar, PhD; Janet Murray, PhD

*Amy S. Ziobron, Thesis: RNA-seq Analysis of the Asian Vigna to Examine Differential Gene Expression During Germination and Early Plant Development Advisor: Eric Bishop von Wettberg, PhD

*Student is also graduating with College Honors: Distinguished Undergraduate Research
COLLEGE OF AGRICULTURE AND LIFE SCIENCES
HONORS: DISTINGUISHED UNDERGRADUATE RESEARCH

Sydney Caldwell, Microbiology and Molecular Genetics Department,
Thesis: Characterization of IncRNA U90926 and its protein coding potential
Mentor: Dimitry Krementsov, PhD

Noelle Cataldo, Microbiology and Molecular Genetics Department,
Thesis: Changes in Cerebrovascular Architecture in Response to Hypertension and Chronic Neuroendocrine Stress
Mentor: Rebecca Guy, PhD

Elise Courtney, Microbiology and Molecular Genetics Department,
Thesis: Investigating HIV-1 Vpu-Mediated Downregulation of EWI2
Mentor: Markus Thali, PhD

Lauren Eisel, Community Development and Applied Economics Department,
Thesis: Statistical Analysis for Quality Improvement Research of a Volunteer Doula Program at the UVMMC
Mentor: Sarah Heiss, PhD

Katalin Larsen, Microbiology and Molecular Genetics Department,
Thesis: Frequency and Characteristics of Salmonella enterica in Hatchling Chicks
Mentor: Andrea Etter, PhD

Mackenzie Laverick, Plant Biology Department, Thesis: An ethnobotanical review of tuberous legumes as viable crops in Vermont
Mentor: Eric Bishop von Wettberg, PhD

Mentor: Sylvie Doublié, PhD

Megan Tarte, Microbiology and Molecular Genetics Department,
Thesis: Mechanisms of Oxidative Inactivation of Cathepsin B in Pulmonary Fibrosis
Mentor: Rebecca Guy, PhD

Emily Wilson, Microbiology and Molecular Genetics Department,
Thesis: Oncogene or Tumor Suppressor? The Role of KDM1A in Anaplastic Thyroid Cancer vs. Normal Thyroid Cells
Mentor: Frances Carr, PhD

DEPARTMENT OF ANIMAL AND VETERINARY SCIENCES

Brian Hawley Award presented in memory of Brian D. Hawley, an ASCI graduate of UVM, is given to a deserving Vermont junior or Senior.
Christina Asher

Brett Klein Memorial Scholarship presented to the CREAM Student Herd Advisors for Summer 2021, Fall 2021 and Spring 2022 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 J990 CREAMer as well as for their excellence in teaching and advising the CREAMers and in passing on the CREAM tradition!
Elizabeth Abrahamson
Brenna Andrews
Julia Connell
Emily DiGiovanni
Antonia DiPreta
Katherine Loberti
Jocelyn Lysik
Sydney Tomaseski

Elmer Towne Award presented annually by the Vermont Dairy Industry Association to that student whose work in the field of Dairy Science shows the greatest promise for providing the quality leadership exemplified by Elmer E. Towne in his life of service to the Dairy Industry.
Emily Bourdeau

George H. Walker Award presented annually by faculty vote to members of the College of Agriculture and Life Sciences, who have majored in Animal and Veterinary Sciences, who exhibit conspicuous merit in the studies pertaining to Dairy Science and especially in those courses relating to the production and/or processing of market milk, and who furthermore exhibit high and noble traits of leadership and character.
Antoina DiPreta

Community Development and Applied Economics Faculty Award presented to the graduating senior(s) as nominated by and chosen by the CDAE faculty.
Community Entrepreneurship: Alicia Starkweather
Community and International Development: Avi Bauer
Public Communication: Gabriela Felitto

Engaged Scholar Award is presented to an outstanding student who has translated their high level of academic achievement into meaningful contributions to “real world” community development.
Skylar Bagdon

Thomas F. Patterson, Jr., Teaching Assistant Award is presented to an outstanding student exhibiting excellence in the classroom as an undergraduate teaching assistant.
Jessica Hurlburt

Scholastic Achievement Award recognizes the top ten percent of all seniors with a major in Community Development & Applied Economics based on cumulative grade point average.
Avi Bauer
Julianne Lesch
Yuanyuan Li
Jack Mitchell
Alicia Starkweather
Shannon Taggart
Haley Thomson
Joseph Webber

Environmental Program Award

Outstanding Graduating Senior Award presented by the Environmental Program faculty to graduating seniors who have demonstrated academic excellence, environmental leadership, and campus and community activism and service.
Anna Dolen
MICROBIOLOGY AND MOLECULAR GENETICS

WARREN R. STEINBRING OUTSTANDING SENIOR IN MICROBIOLOGY AWARD in recognition of academic excellence and professional growth.
   Elise Courtney
   Katalin Larsen
   Samantha Staples

LUCILLE P. MARKEY OUTSTANDING SENIOR IN MOLECULAR GENETICS AWARD in recognition of academic excellence and professional growth.
   Sydney Caldwell
   Erica Lamkin
   Toby Lanser

BRENDA V. TESSMANN UNDERGRADUATE TEACHING ASSISTANT AWARD, established in 2012, is given in recognition of excellence in the classroom as an undergraduate teaching assistant. In 2019, this award was renamed for Brenda V. Tessmann in recognition of her outstanding contributions to MMG laboratory teaching and undergraduate advising since 1981.
   Jake Bears
   Mary Caruso
   Eric Coughlin
   Megan Dunn

OUTSTANDING DIETETICS STUDENT AWARD presented by the American Dietetics Association 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.
   Reilly Donahue

NUTRITION AND FOOD SCIENCES RESEARCH AWARD is 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.
   Kira Mincar

DEPARTMENT OF PLANT BIOLOGY

AL GERSHOF MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP was established in the memory of the famed UVM Botanist Professor Alexander Gershoy and is given to an undergraduate who demonstrates research excellence in the field of Cell Biology or Genetics.
   Josiah Gilbert
   Rachael Walton

W.H. DARROW HORTICULTURAL PRIZE presented to an outstanding junior or senior in recognition of superior performance in horticultural science.
   Sophia Carlat
   Sophia Wilcox-Warren

AGRONOMY, SOILS AND SUSTAINABLE AGRICULTURE SENIOR RECOGNITION AWARD presented by the department to an outstanding student with an interest in agronomy, soils, or sustainable agriculture.
   Emma Frank
   Nora Scully

RUEBEN AND ROSE MATTUS SCHOLARSHIP, given in the name of Rueben and Rose Mattus, founder of the Haagen-Dazs Ice Cream Company, is presented to the Nutrition and Food Sciences Major who demonstrates interest and enthusiasm for the study of food sciences, either in new product development or the improvement of existing products.
   Allyson Bain

LEWIS RALPH JONES AWARD is presented to a student in recognition of academic achievement, performance in extracurricular activities and a potential for continued development in the plant sciences.
   Malachi Witt

JAMES E. LUDLOW ENDOWED SCHOLARSHIP was established in memory of James Ludlow, class of 1987, to provide scholarship awards to students studying horticulture.
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SEYMOUR HORTICULTURAL PRIZE was established by William W. Seymour in memory of his father, Henry F. Seymour, class of 1835. It is given to a student who has conducted original horticulture research.
   Malachi Witt

DEPARTMENT OF PLANT AND SOIL SCIENCES

BURLINGTON GARDEN CLUB AWARD honors the recipient for their achievements and strong interest in ornamental horticulture. The award is given in memory of former members of the club.
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ORDER OF EXERCISES

PROCESSIONAL

PROCESSIONAL CEREMONY OFFICIATE
Kevin McLaughlin, Sheriff of Chittenden County

WELCOME AND INTRODUCTION OF PLATFORM PARTY
William Falls, Dean and Professor of Psychological Science

RECOGNITION OF EMERITI FACULTY
PRESENTATION OF UNDERGRADUATE DIPLOMAS

RECESSIONAL

BACHELOR OF ARTS

Yusuf H. Abdi Hassan, Burlington, VT
Dominic Ray Adams, Battle Ground, WA
Erin Mary Adams, Leominster, MA
Gina Danielle Addo, Bronx, NY
Jenny Reidun Aemmer, Boise, ID
Michaela Lucia Aladjem, Arlington, MA
Sydney Jan Alderman, Monkton, VT
Owain N. Alexander, Ripton, VT
Oliver Allen, Norwich, VT
Hunter Amory, Brookline, MA
Brian S. Anderson, Chester, VT
Zachary Neal Andrews, Rockport, MA
Stephen John Appezzato, Fair Haven, NJ
Hannah Rose Arafah, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia
Lev Aramisov, Moscow, Russia
Autumn Rose Ashdale, Sunland, CA
Emma Anne Rose Askew, Sudbury, MA
Ndeye Ami Ba, Bronx, NY
Ema Badnjević, Burlington, VT
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Taylor B. Baker, South Burlington, VT
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Elizabeth Grace Barrish, Newark, DE
Benjamin Jules Barry, Freeport, ME
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Graham Bates, Hingham, MA
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Josie Beeken, Shelburne, VT
Marley Beers, Grand Isle, VT
Katherine Beikirch, Ontario, NY
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Will DeRose, Chappaqua, NY
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Alexa Victoria Drew, Hinesburg, VT
Colin Michael Driscoll, Dedham, MA
Aliceson Drollette, Willsporo, NY
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Remy Christine Farrell, Binghamton, NY
Kaitlin Marie Fass, Woodcliff Lake, NJ
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Diana Cathegera Atherni Fenimore, Durham, NC
Emilee Fenster, Fort Lauderdale, FL
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Evan Fiore, Nyack, NY
Sabrina Joy Fiore, North Kingstown, RI
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Nicole Marie Frank, Essex, VT
Juliette V. Fredericks, Mendham, NJ
Lauren M. Fuller, Menlo Park, CA
Danni Scudder Fulmer, Readfield, ME
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Skye van Merkenstein, New York, NY
Laura Molnar Meyer, Westfield, NJ
Alex Miller, Somers, CT
Cynthia Miller, Plymouth, MN
Sierra Alexi Miller, Burrillville, RI
Robert Milne, Ashland, MA
Lily Quinn Miner, Hinesburg, VT
Makayla F. Minnes, Bay Village, OH
Hannah M. Minns, Wilton, ME
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Ryan Judson Mistur, Cazenovia, NY
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COLLEGE OF EDUCATION AND SOCIAL SERVICES AWARDS TO GRADUATES

JANET BOSSANGE LEADERSHIP AWARD recognizes a CESS graduating student(s) who exemplify what it means to be a dedicated servant leader. Named after a beloved CESS leader, Dr. Janet Bossange, who spent her entire career focusing on the power of the individual in a democratic society, the legacy of John Dewey, and who was a quiet force of scholarship, service, diligence, and kindness.
Recipient(s) Announced at the CESS Commencement Ceremony

COLLEGE OF EDUCATION AND SOCIAL SERVICES AWARD FOR ACADEMIC AND SOCIAL JUSTICE DISTINCTION honors undergraduate students who strive for academic excellence, maintain a high-grade point average, and have advanced social justice and inclusive excellence.
Mcchelle Rucker
Morgan Alise Clark-Williamson
Hannah May Wong

INAUGURAL FIRST NATIONS’ SCHOLARS support and recognition of UVM students who demonstrate interest in issues impacting communities of Indigenous peoples.
Sage N’be Francis White Cloud
Tiffany Ann Tuttle

INAUGURAL SCHOLARS OF DISTINCTION recognizing undergraduate students who conduct and defend a research project of distinction.
Alden Reginald Bishop Ducharme, Research Focus: Analyzing how pre-service mathematics teachers facilitate mathematics discussions
Advisor: Carmen Petrick Smith, PhD

HONORS COLLEGE SCHOLARS IN THE COLLEGE OF EDUCATION AND SOCIAL SERVICES

Danielle E. Gaiser, Thesis: How do Teachers Create and Edit Learning Scales?
Advisor: Carmen Petrick-Smith, PhD

Olivia L. Mauro, Thesis: Secondary Students’ Perspective on Relationships and Belonging within a High School Implementing Tier One Restorative Practice: A Secondary Data Analysis
Advisors: Colby Kervick, EdD; Bernice Garnett, ScD

Hannah May Wong, Thesis: I Can Do Anything He Can Do, But Better: Understanding the Influence of Gender Scripts on Women in Outdoor Recreation
Advisor: Janis Fook, PhD

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

THE INDIVIDUALLY DESIGNED MAJOR DISTINCTION AWARD for accomplishing a unique, interdisciplinary, and social impact focused academic path.
Marissa Lauren Hehir

CONSTRUCTIVIST EDUCATOR AWARD given to the undergraduate student who consistently fosters a brave and progressive approach to early education that upholds the values of social constructivism. This student endeavors to make teaching an inspired opportunity for children to make meaning and be an agent of their own experience. This student ensures that teaching and learning are socially relevant, passion-based, active and innovative.
William Francis Skrelja

COLLABORATION AND PROFESSIONALISM AWARD given to the undergraduate students who demonstrate outstanding teaming skills and professionalism in the classroom. Their interactions with children, family members, and colleagues are characterized by shared leadership, mutual respect, responsiveness, and a great spirit of collaboration. These students personify the value in early education that “none of us is smarter than all of us.” (Anonymous)

ENGAGED SCHOLARSHIP AWARD given to the undergraduate student who promotes an intentional learning environment through observation, inquiry, ongoing assessment and responsive curriculum. They passionately demonstrate a commitment to evidence-based practice, while fostering the engagement and competence of children, families, and communities.
Sandra Jewelle King

ELEMENTARY EDUCATION DIVERSITY AWARD given to two students whose outstanding work especially exemplifies the program theme: Teaching All Children Strategically in Diverse Communities. These students have an awareness of the unique contributions of each child in the classroom, and a commitment to diversity, equity, and inclusion.
Breeze de Jong
Louie Lobin-Schwartz

JOHN DEWEY IN ELEMENTARY EDUCATION AWARD given to two students whose academic performance and public school practice exemplifies the philosophy of Vermont’s well-known philosopher and educator, John Dewey. They clearly demonstrate the belief that children are active participants in, rather than passive receivers of education.
Sarah Elisabeth Ladd
Madeleine Bradley Heavey

LEADERSHIP FOR SOCIAL CHANGE AWARD given to students in the Elementary Education Program at the University of Vermont who exemplify a spirit of social justice. These students exhibit the qualities necessary to create change for children and families toward a more just and equitable future. Students who receive this award are celebrated as they have gone above and beyond serving in schools and/or the larger community as champions for social justice, and have the potential for true, transformative leadership.
Samantha J. Marcotte
Rachel Eve Wolson
ELEMENTARY EDUCATION AWARD given to two students who have consistently demonstrated high academic achievement and outstanding performance in the classroom regarding management, planning, and professionalism.

Emma Caroline Arguin
Kayla Brianne Goldenberg

REFLECTIVE PRACTITIONER AWARD given to students who have embraced a growth mindset with reflective practice and feedback to grow and develop their teaching skills. These students have demonstrated the ability to consistently refine and strengthen their pedagogy during their professional coursework.

Madeleine E. Kim
Isabella Steinberg Curtis

TEACHING FOR SOCIAL CHANGE AWARD given on an annual basis to the individual who demonstrates a commitment to teaching for social change by emphasizing social justice and/or sustainability in their teaching. Recipients of the award understand how to engage young adolescents in meaningful learning experiences designed to engage them as active citizens.

Caroline Kent Trevett

CHRIS STEVENSON AWARD FOR COMMITMENT TO YOUNG ADOLESCENTS AWARD given on an annual basis to the individual who demonstrates the dedication and commitment to middle level students, exemplified in the work of the program’s founder, Chris Stevenson. Recipients of the award are advocates for young adolescents; they understand the developmental uniqueness of young adolescents and are as knowledgeable about their students as they are about the subject areas that they teach.

Alden Reginald Bishop Ducharme

AL MYERS EXCELLENCE IN TEACHING AWARD presented to the individual who exemplifies Al Myers’ dedication to the field of middle level education and his deep commitment to students. Recipients of this award demonstrate commitment, passion, patience, work ethic, creativity and enthusiasm for constructing exemplary learning opportunities for young adolescents.

Grayson Kennedy Peters

THE SPIRIT OF TEAMING AWARD given on an annual basis to the individual who demonstrates outstanding collegiality in the student teaching experience. Recipients of the award understand how to team effectively with colleagues and show outstanding promise in their future work as a member of a middle grades team.

MeChelle Ashley Rucker

ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENT IN SECONDARY EDUCATION AWARD given to the graduating senior who has demonstrated outstanding performance throughout his/her time in the Secondary Education program, while also earning the highest grade point average.

Samuel Comai

JANET BOSSANGE AWARD FOR ADVOCACY AND ENGAGEMENT IN SECONDARY EDUCATION given to a graduating senior (within Secondary Education) who has demonstrated an understanding of the power of engagement and advocacy in meeting the needs of all learners. This award is given in honor of a colleague who demonstrated through her teaching and field practice a commitment to the ideals of John Dewey. Dr. Janet Bossange spent her entire career focusing on the power of the individual in a democratic society. Janet believed that only through advocacy and engagement could teacher education candidates truly make a difference in the lives of all learners.

Jake D. Hession

THE J.T. CALIBER AWARD established in the spring of 2014 to recognize students who embody the values of the Secondary Education program. Students who demonstrate perseverance, a commitment to improving professional practice, a student-centered and creative approach to teaching, and a sense of humor are eligible recipients for this award.

Benjamin Colin Pagliaro

OUTSTANDING ART EDUCATION STUDENT AWARD given to the student who embodies the highest academic and field work achievement. This student demonstrates a commitment to providing and advocating for equitable, diverse, and inclusive visual art experiences that enriches the lives of individual students, schools, and community. Academic achievement throughout their college years is highly considered, but student work in the field and their general contribution to the spirit of the Art Education Program is also considered.

Grace Elizabeth Monti

LYMAN S. ROWELL AWARD: OUTSTANDING SENIOR IN MUSIC EDUCATION given to graduating seniors in Music Education who have among the highest overall GPA and who show a strong capacity for music teaching and who have made an outstanding contribution to the musical life of the department.

Bailey Ann Brown
Camille Patricia Stevens

PAPPOUTSAKIS AWARD given to a graduating senior who has shown excellence in conducting/directing. The award is named for Professor Emeritus Ippocrates Pappoutsakis (1909-1990) who published “Diagrams of Basic Movements in Conducting” in 1943.

Sadie Sudarsky Jones

LYMAN S. ROWELL AWARD FOR ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENT IN MUSIC given to the graduating senior in Music or Music Education with the highest GPA in music courses. The award is named for Lyman S. Rowell (1904-1984), Class of 1925, who was a long-time faculty member and President of UVM from 1966-1970.

Camille Patricia Stevens
THE KENNETH P. SAURMAN MEMORIAL AWARD presented to a student who has a) shown a record of outstanding academic achievement; b) demonstrated ability to make outstanding future professional contributions at both local and national levels; c) demonstrated future ability to make an outstanding intellectual contribution to the field in the areas of research and scholarship; d) shown evidence of having fostered a sense of community and cooperation among peers, staff, and faculty; e) shown evidence of outstanding contribution to the University through internship and practical experience.

Tatiana Laurence Havens

HIGHER EDUCATION AND STUDENT AFFAIRS VOICE OF PASSION AWARD honors the contribution of a graduate student in the Higher Education and Student Affairs Administration program who demonstrates an outspoken passion for issues of leadership and social justice. Individuals who receive this award have shown strong communication and mentoring skills in their professional roles in our campus community.

Edwin Jeremy Torres

THE FACULTY CUP IN EDUCATIONAL LEADERSHIP awarded annually to the student who demonstrates outstanding participation, academic performance, and commitment to program initiatives.

Rebecca S. Webb
Jessica Catherine Riley

GEORGE WASHINGTON HENDERSON EDUCATIONAL LEADERSHIP AWARD established in tribute to the memory of George Washington Henderson (Class of 1877), who was among the first African American students to graduate from the University of Vermont and become a school administrator. This award is given by faculty in the Educational Leadership and Policy Studies Program to a graduating master's student who demonstrates a keen understanding of social justice issues and aspires to become a leader of a learning organization.

Matthew Conforti
Christine High

GRADUATE AWARD IN EDUCATION AND PUBLIC AFFAIRS presented by faculty to graduate students who best exemplify an understanding of integrated education and public affairs. This award signifies a core tenet of the Graduate Program in Educational Leadership and Policy Studies, that high quality educational services must be administered in partnership with other mental health and human services.

Meghan Aline Jaird

OUTSTANDING DISSERTATION AWARD IN EDUCATIONAL LEADERSHIP recognizes a student whose dissertation research significantly advances new ideas and contributes to the knowledge and understanding of theories and practices in the field of Educational Leadership. The award is given to a student who exhibits a keen understanding of social justice issues and whose research contributes to the College of Education and Social Services' doctoral programs mission of preparing leaders who will contribute to creating more equitable and just schools and institutions of higher learning.

Dr. Lori Sheen-Dolezal

SUSAN BRODY HASAZI DOCTORAL DISSERTATION AWARD honors the legacy of Dr. Susan B. Hasazi, a professor of Educational Leadership and Policy Studies, from 1976-2010. Dr. Hasazi's leadership and groundbreaking research brought national attention to the needs of children with disabilities and their families, which in turn led to improved outcomes and increased access to high quality services in education, health and human service agencies. Through the dissertation writing process, the recipient of this award best demonstrates the legacy of scholarship and educational leadership pioneered by Dr. Hasazi.

Dr. Amanda Davis Simpfenderfer

THE HERMAN W. MEYERS EXCELLENCE IN DOCTORAL POLICY RESEARCH AWARD recognizes a student whose dissertation research significantly advances new ideas and contributes to the knowledge and understanding of theories and practices in the field of Educational Leadership. The award is given to a student who exhibits a keen understanding of social justice issues and whose research contributes to the College of Education and Social Services' doctoral programs mission of preparing leaders who will contribute to creating more equitable and just schools and institutions of higher learning.

Dr. Hans Walter Cabra Hernandez

DEPARTMENT OF LEADERSHIP AND DEVELOPMENTAL SCIENCES

HUMAN DEVELOPMENT AND FAMILY STUDIES ENGAGED STUDENT AWARD presented to a HDFS student who not only demonstrates exemplary understanding of the field and a deep commitment to learning and helping others learn, but who also is motivated to and has worked towards improving the HDFS experience at UVM.

Emily Paige Neumann

HUMAN DEVELOPMENT AND FAMILY STUDIES EMERGING PROFESSIONAL AWARD presented to a HDFS student who demonstrates excellence in application of HDFS principles to internship assignments and practice.

Kathryn Jones-McQuillan

HUMAN DEVELOPMENT AND FAMILY STUDIES EXEMPLARY SERVICE AWARD presented to HDFS students whose service to the Program, the College, UVM or the community promotes a more humane and just experience and quality of life.

Morgan Alise Clark-Williamson

DISTINCTION IN CLINICAL MENTAL HEALTH AWARD honors the work of an individual who excels in the demonstration of clinical counseling skills and demonstrates superior knowledge pertaining to the application of principles of counseling, human development, learning theory, group dynamics, the etiology of mental illness or dysfunctional behavior to individuals, couples, families, & groups, for the purpose of treating psychopathology & promoting optimum mental health in a multicultural and diverse social environment.

Katy Santa Maria
Brittany Clays
ERIC NICHOLS SOCIAL JUSTICE AWARD recipients of this award have demonstrated distinction in their ability to identify oppression and systemic inequity that negatively impacts their clients and students, have demonstrated the courage to actively confront institutional and/or social barriers to healthy development, and the skills to empower individuals and/or groups to disrupt injustice and inequity in society. The recipient approaches this work while sustaining authentic thoughtful, warm, and caring relationships.

Crystal Hutchinson
Liana Redmond

DISTINCTION IN SCHOOL COUNSELING AWARD honors the work of an individual who excels in the demonstration of school counseling practice and demonstrates superior knowledge pertaining to the application of these principles of school counseling: human development, group dynamics, family, and learning theories; practices of leadership, advocacy, delivering curriculum; and understanding the school environment and making appropriate referrals. The recipient demonstrates expertise and skill in promoting academic, personal (emotional)/social, and career development in multicultural and diverse social environments.

Mary Tausig

MOASIC CENTER AWARD FOR SOCIAL JUSTICE honors a student who demonstrates a strong commitment to issues of social justice. Their commitment translates into actions and leadership at the clinical and structural levels that support marginalized groups.

Taylor Vizi

THE SOCIAL WORK POLICY PRACTICE AWARD presented to a BSW Senior who has demonstrated a commitment to Social Work Policy Practice both in and outside of the classroom and, as a result, shows the potential for significant contributions to the Social Work profession through this practice area.

Allison Rachel House
Elizabeth R. MacMannis

THE SOCIAL WORK ENVIRONMENTAL JUSTICE AWARD presented to a BSW Senior who has demonstrated outstanding leadership and initiative as a catalyst in advocating for environmental justice in both big and small ways.

Hannah May Wong
Chloe R. Speyers

THE SOCIAL WORK RACIAL JUSTICE AWARD presented to a senior who has demonstrated outstanding leadership and initiative as a catalyst in advocating for racial justice in both big and small ways.

Marissa A. Cobeo

THE MARGARET B. WHITTLESEY AWARD presented to seniors who have demonstrated outstanding academic performance and potential for significant contributions to the social work profession.

Charlotte Elizabeth Buckles
Lia Autumn Dwyer
Elizabeth R. MacMannis
Whitney Mary Halpin Marshall

PHI ALPHA HONOR SOCIETY, University of Vermont’s Mu Eta Chapter of the national Phi Alpha Honor Society for Social Work students:

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Marissa A. Cobeo
Alison Elinor Deininger
Sophie Kate Doman
Lia Autumn Dwyer
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Zoe Holiday Grossman
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Timothy Scott Halteman
Katelyn Hanson

Marie-Michelle Joyal
Carly Ngo
Abigail Cheryl Cecile Staab
Meghan Swan
Tiffany Ann Tuttle

THE SOCIAL AND ECONOMIC JUSTICE AWARD presented to seniors who have demonstrated outstanding leadership and initiative as a catalyst in advocating for social and economic justice.

Cadence Abha Shuman
Margaret K. Hattrick

THE SOCIAL WORK COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT AWARD presented to a BSW Senior who has demonstrated extraordinary commitment to advancing the well-being of communities through involvement in human services.

Shane Charles Pierson
Sophie Kate Doman

THE SOCIAL WORK STUDENT LEADERSHIP AWARD presented to a BSW senior who has demonstrated exceptional leadership among students while at the University of Vermont.

Alura L. Thiem
Lauren Grace Dymek
ORDER OF EXERCISES

PROCESSIONAL
The Pipes and Drums of St. Andrew's Society of Vermont

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Chris Danforth, Professor of Mathematics

INVOCATION
Chip Cole, Professor in Mathematics and Statistics

DEAN’S OPENING REMARKS
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DEAN’S CLOSING REMARKS
Linda S. Schadler, Dean and Professor of Mechanical Engineering

RECEPTION
Harris-Millis Dining Hall, 1:30 – 3:30 pm
Marguerite Anne Mayhew, Chilmark, MA
Daniel T. Morton, Colchester, VT
Eli Rouss Ogilvie, Huntington, VT
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Harrison Schuke, Fairfax, VT
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Advisor: Jed Murdoch, PhD

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Advisors: Allan Strong, PhD; Jed (James) Murdoch, PhD

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Advisor: Jason Stockwell, PhD

**Chloe Koval,** Thesis: *The Effects of Anthropogenic Noise on Northern Cardinals in Vermont*
Advisor: Allan Strong, PhD

**Kelly Elizabeth Manley,** Thesis: *An analysis of gratitude for nature during the COVID-19 pandemic in Vermont, USA*
Advisor: Rachelle Gould, PhD

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**Jacob A. Sorrentino,** Thesis: *The impacts of the spotted lanternfly on ant species diversity and terrestrial slug abundance*
Advisor: Sarah Cahan, PhD

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Advisors: Allan Strong, PhD; Jed Murdoch, PhD

**Nigel K. Waring,** Thesis: *Managing Vermont’s growing deer herd: An assessment of past, present, and future management actions incorporating values from stakeholder groups*
Advisor: Jed Murdoch, PhD

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College of Nursing and Health Sciences

SUNDAY, MAY 22, 2022 | 12:00 PM | GUTTERSON FIELDHOUSE

DEAN
Noma Anderson

HEAD MARSHAL
Shelley Velleman

ASSISTANT FACULTY MARSHALS
Susan Kasser
Deb Hinchey
Dimitry Kremenetsov
Janelle Sarnevitz
Brandon Brown
Abaline Smith
Sharon Cote
Krista Shea

BANNER BEARER
Noah Oliff-Lieberman

ORDER OF EXERCISES
PROCESIONAL
OPENING
Shelley Velleman, Professor of Communication and Sciences Disorders

GREETINGS
Noma Anderson, Dean and Professor of Communication and Sciences Disorders

STUDENT RETROSPECTIVES
Zyakkiriah Rhoden, Biomedical and Health Sciences
Elaina Sepede, Communication Sciences and Disorders
Meg Cleary, Nursing
Bel Sogoloff, Rehabilitation and Movement Science

PRESENTATION OF DIPLOMAS
Noma Anderson, Dean and Professor of Communication and Sciences Disorders
Paula Deming, Associate Professor of Biomedical and Health Sciences and Associate Dean Faculty Affairs and Research
Jeremy Sibold, Associate Professor of Rehabilitation and Movement Sciences and Associate Dean Academic and Student Affairs

RECOGNITION OF RETIRING FACULTY
Noma Anderson, Dean and Professor of Communication Sciences and Disorders

CLOSING
Shelley Velleman, Professor of Communication and Sciences Disorders

RECESSIONAL

RECEPTION
Grand Maple Ballroom, Davis Center

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE

Emma C. Adams, Montclair, NJ
Isabella Adelhoch, Middletown, NJ
Hanna Ahn, Seoul, South Korea
Meaghan Angelica Alba, Philomath, OR
Pearse Algieri, Warwick, NY
Sophie Anich, Waterville, ME
Chloe Arcelli, Warwick, NY
Emma Anne Rose Askew, Sudbury, MA
Bridget Jane Audet, Cornwall, VT
Ryan Lee Austin, Milton, VT
Amanda Catherine Azalone, Berkeley Heights, NJ
Emily Banks, Camp Hill, PA
Keilan A. Barber, Burlington, VT
Kendall Grace Barrett, Colchester, CT
Gabriella “Cricket” Rose Basa, Plainfield, VT
Carmen Maria Beckley, Everberg, Belgium
Amanda Kathleen Benedetti, Pembroke, NH
Bernadette Jane Benn, Maynard, MA
Lance G. Bergmans, Ferrisburgh, VT
Brady Jean Berhorst, Bonnots Mill, MO
Sophia Berry, Holden, MA
Liam Putnam Bijolle, Saint Albans, VT
Logan Putnam Bijolle, Saint Albans, VT
Anita Marie Bilotta, Havertown, PA
Frederick J. Blaeser, Boxford, MA
Lucia Blanchard, Windsor, VT
Nicholas G. Bleau, Essex Junction, VT
Dawson Gabrielle Blodgett, Sheldon, VT
Megan L. Boswell, Avon, CT
Lynn Marie Brown, Craftsbury, VT
Eliza Lee Bruns, Montpelier, VT
Madelina M. Bucci, Englewood, NJ
Sabina Buffa, Dorset, VT
Abigail Lisa Burfoot, Warren, VT
Samantha Elizabeth Bushey, Swanton, VT
Kaitlyn A. Butkus, Essex Junction, VT
Jacqueline Kelly Cade, Rumson, NJ
Jacqueline Frances Caefer, Dunstable, MA
Alexis P. Cain, Milton, VT
Jillian Capone, Nashua, NH
Julia Carboneau, Littleton, MA
Julia Marie Celentano, Rutland, VT
Emma Marie Chaput, Concord, NH
Megan Elizabeth Cleary, Stoneham, MA
Ethan Charles Cobb, Randolph, VT
Ama Zara Conde, Bethel, VT
Sarah Catherine Cordisco, Ridgefield, CT
Jillian R. Cosgrove, Duxbury, MA
Cristiana Couchman, Ballston Spa, NY
Trent D. Cross, Milton, VT
Sorine Elizabeth Cvitkovich, Southborough, MA
Jessica L. Daigle, Bradford, VT
Jackie L. Dalla Mura, Rutland, VT
Margaret Davis, Denver, CO
Ryan Joseph Davis, Schaumburg, IL
Emily Deason, Burlington, VT
Abigail Anne DeBay, Richmond, VT
Mitchell Kip densen, Acton, MA
Trevor Disbennett, Greenwich, CT
Christina Doan Do, Burlington, VT
Randall Doane, Essex, MA
Taylor Leigh Doherty, Ashland, MA
Kelly Doktorski, Madison, CT
Samantha Nicole Dolan, New York, NY
Sinéad Gallagher Donnelly, New Haven, CT
Jenna Grace Doran, Westport, CT
Alexandra Dovano, Morris Plains, NJ
Reilly Nicole Drab, Suffern, NY
Robert J. Draper, Randolph, VT
Lauren Dumas, Paxton, MA
Eleanor Rose Duva, West Hartford, CT
Madison Marie Dykas, Haddon Township, NJ
Vanessa A. Dykstra, Bristol, VT
Griffin Erickson, Underhill, VT
Emily Esancy, Saint Albans, VT
DEANS OUTSTANDING UNDERGRADUATE AWARD presented to the undergraduate student who has demonstrated exemplary professional growth and contributions during their tenure at UVM.
   Elaina Sepede

DEAN’S OUTSTANDING GRADUATE AWARD presented to the graduate student who has demonstrated exemplary professional growth and contributions during their tenure at UVM.
   Jane Wolforth

HONORS COLLEGE SCHOLARS IN THE COLLEGE OF NURSING AND HEALTH SCIENCES

Carmen M. Beckley, Thesis: Evaluating Asymmetry in Post ACL Reconstruction Knees and the Influence Meniscus Status and Gender Play on the Knee
   Advisor: Bruce Beynnon, PhD

Eleanor R. Duva, Thesis: Microbial Community Change Caused by Earthworm Invasion
   Advisor: Josef Görres, PhD

Stella M. Otis, Thesis: Exploring how people with schizophrenia perceive healthcare workers and how those perceptions effect healthcare seeking behavior
   Advisor: Laura Lewis, PhD

Jack I. Parker, Thesis: Effect of the COVID-19 Pandemic on Screen Time, Physical Activity, and Anxiety in College Students
   Advisor: Karen Westervelt, PhD

Taylor M. Perez, Thesis: Cultural Essentials in the UVM BSN program
   Advisor: Alan Maynard, MEd

Elaina K. Sepede, Thesis: Narrative Book Reading Intervention: Parents Perceptions of Change in the Theory of Mind of their Child with ASD
   Advisor: Patricia Prelock, PhD

Victoria E. Walters, Thesis: The Effect of Weight-Bearing on T1Rho Relaxation Times of the Tibial Cartilage in Subjects with Normal Knees
   Advisor: Bruce Beynnon, PhD

DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNICATION SCIENCES AND DISORDERS

ELEANOR M. LUSE GRADUATE STUDENT AWARD IN COMMUNICATION SCIENCES AND DISORDERS to the graduate student who demonstrates the most impressive combination of academic achievement, clinical service and professionalism.
   Ana Baustin

SKYLAR HAUGENES

MARGARET KYTE MEMORIAL AWARD to the graduating senior for outstanding academic performance.
   Lydia Sander

VERMONT SPEECH-LANGUAGE-HEARING ASSOCIATION OUTSTANDING UNDERGRADUATE STUDENT AWARD to the senior who shows strong academic performance and the outstanding promise for professional achievement.
   Maggie Ziko

COMMUNICATION SCIENCES AND DISORDERS AWARD FOR EXCELLENCE to the graduating senior for demonstrated excellence in scholarship, leadership and professional promise.
   Lauren Rauter

Elaina Sepede

DEPARTMENT OF BIOMEDICAL AND HEALTH SCIENCES

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

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

SCHOLASTIC ACHIEVEMENT IN MEDICAL LABORATORY SCIENCE AWARD given by the UVM Medical Center's Department of Pathology and Laboratory Medicine to the senior student with the highest grade point average in the Medical Laboratory Science program.
   Emily Deason

DEPARTMENT OF NURSING

UNIVERSITY OF VERMONT MEDICAL CENTER AWARD FOR INNOVATION IN CLINICAL PRACTICE recognizes a graduating Master's-level Nursing student who demonstrates innovation in practice and breakthrough initiative in patient care or patient education, or care coordination across the continuum.
   Erik Wilson

VERMONT STATE NURSES’ ASSOCIATION CLINICAL EXCELLENCE UNDERGRADUATE AWARD to a graduating student who, in the opinion of the faculty, best demonstrates outstanding clinical practice.
   Isabel Puziss

ANA VERMONT CLINICAL EXCELLENCE GRADUATE AWARD to a graduating student who, in the opinion of the faculty, best demonstrates outstanding clinical practice.
   Edna Tang

CLARISSA PETERS ALLEN AWARD given to an outstanding graduating undergraduate student who exemplifies the conscientious, motivated character of Clarissa Peters Allen.
   Lily Mandl

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 Nursing who excels in scholarship, nursing ability and service to the University.
   Hannah Gould
UNIVERSITY OF VERMONT MEDICAL CENTER AWARD FOR EXCELLENCE IN CLINICAL NURSING PRACTICE recognizes 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.

Kim O'Leary

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.

George McDonald

DEPARTMENT OF REHABILITATION AND MOVEMENT SCIENCE

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.

Daniel Barry

OUTSTANDING STUDENT ACHIEVEMENT IN EXERCISE SCIENCES AWARD to the outstanding senior who exemplifies academic excellence, exceptional leadership and a strong commitment to the profession of exercise science.

Isabel Hansen

OUTSTANDING FUTURE PROFESSIONAL IN EXERCISE SCIENCE to a graduating senior student who is viewed by the Exercise Science faculty as a positive role model and who has the leadership qualities and professional potential to significantly impact the field of Exercise Science.

Noah Oliff-Lieberman

ISOLA BRAUN AWARD for the greatest demonstrated potential for development of professional competency and leadership.

Nikki Acierno
Larner College of Medicine

SUNDAY, MAY 22, 2022 | 3:00 PM | IRA ALLEN CHAPEL

DEAN
Richard L. Page, M.D.

FACULTY MARSHAL
Mary Cushman, M.D.’89, M.Sc.

CLASS MARSHAL
Patrick Clarke

ORDER OF EXERCISES

PROCessional
Vermont Passacaglia
Music written by Adam Ackerman, M.D.’14 (recording)

WELCOME
Richard L. Page, M.D., Dean
Isabelle Desjardins, M.D., Chief Medical Officer, University of Vermont Medical Center

ADDRESS
Bernie Sanders, United States Senator

RECOGNITION OF THE CLASS OF 2022
Christa H. Zehle, M.D.’99, Senior Associate Dean for Medical Education

STUDENT ADDRESS
Francis Takudzwa Mtuke

AWARDING OF DEGREES
Richard L. Page, M.D., Dean
Christa H. Zehle, M.D.’99, Senior Associate Dean for Medical Education
Lee Rosen, Ph.D., Interim Associate Dean for Students
Katie Huggett, Ph.D., Assistant Dean for Medical Education

ADMINISTRATION OF THE OATH

RECESSIONAL
David Neiweem, Professor and Chair, Department of Music and Marion B. Coe University Organist

DOCTOR OF MEDICINE
Sameer Alidina, Clearwater, FL
BS, University of Florida 2014

Amelia Anderson, Geneva, IL
BS, Indiana University 2017; BA, Indiana University 2017

Mary Ann Kelly Barnum, Saint Albans, VT
BS, Saint Michael’s College 2016; MS, University of Vermont 2021

Michael Stephen Barnum, Virginia Beach, VA
BS, University of Vermont 2016

Elizabeth Frances Baumgartner, Manchester, VT
BA, Wesleyan University 2015

Abigail H. Belser, Lancaster, PA
BA, Middlebury College 2016

Adrian Nicholas Berg, Sudbury, MA
BS, Bucknell University 2017

Lauren Marie Bougioukas, North Andover, MA
BA, Middlebury College 2016

Megan Elizabeth Boyer, Manchester, CT
BS, University of Connecticut 2018; BA, University of Connecticut 2018

Richard Joseph Brach, Melrose, MA
BA, Middlebury College 2017

Karla I. Brandao-Viruet, Watertown, MA
BA, Boston University 2016; MA, Boston University 2016

Matthew Charles Hill Brandt, Medway, MA
BA, Hamilton College 2013

Alexander M. Braun, Ann Arbor, MI
BA, Middlebury College 2015

Sara Kay Brennan, South Burlington, VT
BA, University of Vermont 2012

Christian A. Brooks, Nutley, NJ
BA, College of the Holy Cross 2016

Jose Antonio Calderon, Houston, TX
BA, University of Southern California 2016

Magalie E. Carey, Carlsbad, CA
BS, University of Southern California 2014

Garrett Jun-Hai Chan, Millbrae, CA
BS, University of California, San Diego 2015; MS, University of California San Diego 2017; MS, University of Vermont 2021

Kelly Jia- Ying Chan, Singapore
BA, Claremont McKenna College 2015

Sally G. Clark, South Burlington, VT
BA, University of Maryland 2014
William Milan Holden, Cleveland, OH  
BS, Haverford College 2017

Jennifer Elyia Holland, Bethesda, MD  
BA, Wellesley College 2011

Seneca D. Hutson, Chicago, IL  
BS, University of Rochester 2017

Jugerta Istrefi, Glastonbury, CT  
BS, University of Connecticut 2017

Benjamin D. Kagan, Essex, VT  
BS, University of Vermont 2018

Malla Kate Keefe, Mill Valley, CA  
BS, University of Southern California 2014

Prasanna Kumar, Dacula, GA  
BS, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill 2018

Alexandra Kuzma, Washington Crossing, PA  
BA, Middlebury College 2017

Sylvia M. Lane, Southwick, MA  
BA, University of Vermont 2016

Kyle William Leonard, Troy, MI  
BS, University of Alabama 2018

Emma C. Levine, Lexington, MA  
BS, Lake Forest College 2018

Jean Lin, Burlington, VT  
BA, Middlebury College 2010

Tierra Victoria Lynch, Taos, NM  
BA, Dartmouth College 2016

Erick S. MacLean, Shelburne, VT  
BS, Bates College 2015

Kelly Erin MacPherson, Cheshire, MA  
BS, University of Vermont 2010; MS, Boston University School of Medicine 2017

Rachel Munik Madhur, Westford, MA  
BS, University of Massachusetts, Lowell 2018

Ray Mak, Lafayette, CA  
BS, University of California, Irvine 2017

Taylor Daniel Marquis, Swanton, VT  
BA, Harvard University 2018

Elena P. Martel, Moorestown, NJ  
BS, Boston College 2015; MS, Boston University School of Medicine 2018

Rose Mariah Martin, Glastonbury, CT  
BS, Southern Connecticut State University 2017

Ian James McClain, Aspen, CO  
BA, University of Colorado 2017

Shayan A. McGee, Wenham, MA  
BA, Cornell University 2015; MS, Tufts University 2017

Colby Leaver McGinn, Brattleboro, VT  
BS, University of Vermont 2018

Michaell Michel Mikheal, Los Angeles, CA  
BS, University of California, Irvine 2016

Alexander Thomas Miller, Fort Lauderdale, FL  
BS, University of Vermont 2017

Allyson Rachelle Miller, Buffalo, NY  
BA, Cornell University 2005
Leah Miller, Barre, VT  
BA, Boston University 2015

Collin B. Montgomery, Lynchburg, VA  
BA, University of Virginia 2017

Adessa Marie Morano, Burlington, VT  
BA, Sarah Lawrence College 2008; MA, Sarah Lawrence College 2011; MEd, Boston University 2013

Adam Morehead, Newburgh, NY  
BA, Yale University 2015

Francis Takudzwa Mtuke, Plano, TX/Zimbabwe  
BS, Texas A & M University 2017

Carley R. Mulligan, Wallingford, CT  
BS, Duke University 2017

Jordan Ari-Roger Munger, Stow, MA  
BS University of Vermont 2015

Cinduja Nathan, Cupertino, CA  
BS, University of California, Los Angeles 2016

Michelle A. Oberding, Saranac Lake, NY  
BS, Saint Michael's College 2016

Kathleen Rose O’Hara, Simsbury, CT  
BA, College of the Holy Cross 2015

John Patrick O’Keefe, Greenland, NH  
BS, University of Vermont 2015

Ambrose Robbins Orr, New Haven, CT  
BS, University of Vermont 2016

Melanie Patricia Parzialle, Sharon, MA  
BA, Wesleyan University 2016

Alice Peng, South Burlington, VT  
BS, University of Vermont 2015; MS, University of Vermont 2016

Kaitlyn Marie Peper, Charlton, NY  
BS, University of Vermont 2017

Ashleigh Nicole Peterson, Saint Albans, VT  
BS, Northeastern University 2018

Alexa Keller Pius, Essex, VT  
BS, Tufts University 2017

Megan Elizabeth Prue, Derby, VT  
BS, University of New England 2016

Olivia Elizabeth Quatela, Webster, NY  
BS, University of Rochester 2016

Anna Grace Quinlan, Burlington, VT  
BA, Carleton College 2014

Samuel A. Raszka, Charlotte, VT  
BS, University of Vermont 2016

Adam Douglas Jackson Ross, San Gabriel Valley, CA  
BS, University of San Francisco 2013

Claudia E. Russell, Franklin Park, NJ  
BA, University of Chicago 2016

Maha Saleem, Guilford, CT  
BS University of Connecticut 2016

Myrna Christina Sanchez-Grew, Malone, NY  
BS, Colorado State University 2016

Lauren Schlusel, Los Angeles, CA  
BS, University of California, Berkeley 2017

Anya Srikureja, Bangkok, Thailand  
BS, Emory University 2018

Emily Straley, Ridgefield, CT  
BS, McGill University 2014

Lauren Elizabeth Struck, Essex Junction, VT  
BA, Colgate University 1996; MTS, Harvard Divinity School 2000

Kayla Sturtevant, Essex Junction, VT  
BFA, Pratt Institute 2014

Irene Jo-Hsuan Sue, Taipei, Taiwan  
BS, University of Vermont 2016

Michael Ibrahim Tabet, Colchester, VT  
BSc, McGill University 2015

Zeynep Tek, Woodbridge, CT  
BA, Barnard College 2017

Phuong Tran, Waltham, MA  
BS, Brandeis University 2018

Angela Troia, Harrison, NY  
BS, State University of New York, Binghamton 2016

Nikkole Joy Turgeon, Cranston, RI  
BS, University of Rhode Island 2012

Peter K. Twining, Princeton, NJ  
BA, Connecticut College 2017

Allison Ro-Yao Tzeng, Concord, CA  
BS, University of California, Davis 2015; BA, University of California, Davis 2015

Kristina June Valentine, Osterville, MA  
BASc, McGill University 2013; MMS, University of Vermont 2017

Mohammed Wali, Bensalem, PA  
BS, Drexel University 2015; MS, Drexel University 2015

Jacob Okie Weiss, Winooski, VT  
BA, Colorado College 2009

Jenna Bria Wells, Morrisville, VT  
BS, Stony Brook University 2015

Deena Werde, New York, NY  
BA, Hunter College 2016

Nicole Lynn Wershoven, Whittingham, VT  
BS, Castleton University 2017

Sabrina J. Wirth, Danbury, CT  
BA, Fairfield University 2012

Hakeem Moataz Yousef, Long Island, NY  
BS, Stony Brook University 2017
LARNER COLLEGE OF MEDICINE AWARDS

ALPHA OMEGA ALPHA HONOR MEDICAL SOCIETY. Inductees have demonstrated excellence in leadership, research, professionalism, and service to the school, community, and clinical acumen.

- Michael Stephen Barnum
- Abigail H. Belser
- Richard Joseph Brach
- Matthew Charles Hill Brandt
- Christian A. Brooks
- Magalie E. Carey
- Sally G. Clark
- Patrick Daniel Clarke
- Delaney Marie Curran
- Nicole Kimberly Delgado
- Emily Maya Eakin
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- Faith Evalena Genereux
- Kalin Jean Gregory-Davis

ALPHA OMEGA ALPHA HONOR MEDICAL SOCIETY FACULTY AWARD
- Katie Wells, MD
- Jesse Ritvo, MD

ALPHA OMEGA ALPHA HONOR MEDICAL SOCIETY HOUSESTAFF AWARD
- Ali Jandal, MD
- David Steinmetz, MD

ALPHA OMEGA ALPHA HONOR MEDICAL SOCIETY VOLUNTEER CLINICAL FACULTY AWARD
- Toby Sadkin, MD

THE GOLD HUMANISM HONOR SOCIETY. Inductees are exemplars of compassionate patient care and serve as role models, mentors, and leaders throughout their medical education and careers.

- Megan Elizabeth Boyer
- Richard Joseph Brach
- Jose Antonio Calderon
- Patrick Daniel Clarke
- Marljine Clasina Cook
- Noorin Ali Damji
- Alim Esemenli
- Adam Fakhri
- Lauren Gabrielle Gernon
- Erick S. MacLean
- Roy V. Higgins
- Kelly Erin MacPherson
- Colby Leaver McGinn
- Rose Mariah Martin
- Colby Leaver McGinn
- Francis Takudzwa Mtuke
- Ashleigh Nicole Peterson
- Jacob Okie Weiss

THE ELLSWORTH AMIDON AWARD for outstanding proficiency in Internal Medicine.
- Erick S. MacLean

THE DAVID BABBOT, MD “CARING AND SEEING” AWARD for commitment to medical education and patient care.
- Jose Antonio Calderon

THE DEAN WILLIAM EUSTIS BROWN AWARD for broad cultural interests and loyalty to the College of Medicine.
- Jose Antonio Calderon

THE CARBEE AWARD for academic excellence in Obstetrics, Gynecology and Reproductive Sciences.
- Gia Rose Eapen

CARDIOVASCULAR RESEARCH INSTITUTE OF VERMONT SUMMER RESEARCH FELLOWSHIP MERIT AWARD
- Taylor Daniel Marquis

THE JOSEPH CLEARY, MD AWARD to recognize a student who has shown a particular commitment to ensuring the success of the educational and clinical experience at the UVM LCOM Connecticut Nuvance Campus.
- Alim Esemenli
- Zeynep Tek

DIGNITY IN MEDICINE AWARD in recognition of respect, inclusion, and support for LGBTQ students, colleagues, and patients.
- Rachel Marie Harrison

THE FISCHER AWARD for demonstrating excellence in Family Medicine.
- Emma Victoria Hall

THE FAMILY MEDICINE JOHN P. FOGARTY, MD LEADERSHIP AWARD
- Lauren Elizabeth Struck

THE EDWARD E. FRIEDMAN AWARD for promise of excellence in the practice of Family Medicine.
- Mary Ann Kelly Barnum

THE DR. AND MRS. NATHANIEL GOULD, MD’37 PRIZE for outstanding achievements in Orthopaedic Surgery.
- Alexa Keller Pius

THE WALTER DODD, MD AWARD IN RADIOLOGY for excellence in Radiology.
- Adrian Nicholas Berg

THE FAMILY MEDICINE JOHN P. FOGARTY, MD LEADERSHIP AWARD
- Lauren Elizabeth Struck

THE HARRY HOWE, MD’52 SENIOR STUDENT AWARD for excellence in Surgery.
- Nicole Lynn Wershoven

THE KERZNER FAMILY PRIZE for outstanding service to the community.
- Nikkole Joy Turgeon

THE AMERICAN ACADEMY OF NEUROLOGY MEDICAL STUDENT PRIZE
- Magalie E. Carey

THE AMERICAN COLLEGE OF EMERGENCY PHYSICIANS MEDICAL STUDENT PROFESSIONALISM AND LEADERSHIP AWARD
- Taylor Daniel Marquis

THE AMERICAN COLLEGE OF EMERGENCY PHYSICIANS/EMERGENCY MEDICINE RESIDENTS’ ASSOCIATION NATIONAL OUTSTANDING MEDICAL STUDENT AWARD recognizing up to ten fourth-year Emergency Medicine-bound medical students who excel in humanism/professionalism, leadership/service to medical organizations, community service, research and academic excellence.
- Nikkole Joy Turgeon

LEONARD Tow HUMANISM IN MEDICINE AWARDS for excellence and outstanding compassion in the delivery of care and demonstrated respect for patients, their families, and healthcare colleagues.

Student Award: Noorin Ali Damji
Faculty Award: Timothy Patrick Labey, MD, MMSC

THE AMERICAN ACADEMY OF NEUROLOGY MEDICAL STUDENT PRIZE for excellence in Neurology.
- Magalie E. Carey

THE AMERICAN COLLEGE OF EMERGENCY PHYSICIANS MEDICAL STUDENT PROFESSIONALISM AND LEADERSHIP AWARD
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THE LAMB FELLOWSHIP AWARD for best exemplifying concern and care for the total patient.
Adam Fakhri

THE ROBERT LARNER, M.D. ’42 STUDENT AWARD for outstanding leadership and loyalty to the College and one who embodies Dr. Larner’s dedication to not only supporting his medical alma mater but to inspiring others to do so as well.
Luke Michael Higgins

THE LUCEY PRIZE: Early career investigator prize for innovations in infant or child health.
Jennifer Elysia Holland
Melanie Patricia Parziale

THE JOHN V. MAECK, MD ’39 AWARD for overall excellence in Obstetrics, Gynecology and Reproductive.
Kalin Jean Gregory-Davis

THE HERBERT MARTIN SR., MD AWARD for excellence in Neurology.
Adam Morehead

THE JOHN E. MAZUZAN JR., MD ’54 AWARD for excellence in Anesthesiology.
Sally G. Clark

THE H. GORDON PAGE, MD ’45 AWARD for excellence in Surgery.
Megan Elizabeth Boyer

THE HENRY & PHYLIS WASSERMAN PHORPLUS AWARD for excellence in the Basic Sciences.
Tierra Victoria Lynch
Ashleigh Nicole Peterson
Kristina June Valentine

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.
Emily Maya Eakin

THE MILDRED A. REARDON, MD ’67 AWARD for service to the University of Vermont College of Medicine.
Luke Michael Higgins
Matthew Charles Hill Brandt

THE B. ALBERT RING, MD MEMORIAL GRANT AWARD for best exemplifying compassion, humor, humility, devotion to family and friends, and intellectual curiosity.
Malla Kate Keefe
Adam Morehead
Lauren Elizabeth Struck
Jacob Okie Weiss
Deena Werde

THE CHARLES T. SCHECHTMAN, MD ’26 AWARD FOR CLINICAL EXCELLENCE for excellence in the clinical care of patients during the Clerkship Year.
Faith Evalena Genereux
Malla Kate Keefe
Elena P. Martel
Colby Leaver McGinn
Nikkole Joy Turgeon

THE COLLEGE OF AMERICAN PATHOLOGISTS DISTINGUISHED MEDICAL STUDENT AWARD for a 4th year medical student committed to pursuing pathology residency training who has demonstrated outstanding achievement and great aptitude in Pathology and Laboratory Medicine.
Garrett Jun-Hai Chan

THE DURWOOD SMITH AWARD for excellence in Pharmacology.
Tierra Victoria Lynch

THE SOCIETY FOR ACADEMIC EMERGENCY MEDICINE AWARD for excellence in Emergency Medicine.
Tierra Victoria Lynch

SUMMER RESEARCH FELLOWSHIP MERIT AWARDS
Garrett Jun-Hai Chan
Elizabeth Hannah Hahn
Alexa Keller Pius

THE RALPH D. SUSSMAN, MD ’38/MEDICAL ALUMNI AWARD for excellence in Pediatrics.
Phuong Tran

THE WILLIAM SWEETSER AWARD for excellence in Psychiatry.
Rachel Marie Harrison

THE LAURA WEED, MD AWARD for scholarship and excellence in medicine.
Ashleigh Nicole Peterson

WELLNESS AWARD
Patrick Daniel Clarke

THE EPHRAIM WOLL AWARD for excellence in General Pathology.
Ashleigh Nicole Peterson

AWARDS FROM THE CLASS
Above and Beyond Award: Rebecca Wilcox, MD
AMWA Gender Equity Award: Rebecca Wilcox, MD
Best Support Staff: Julie Chiappinelli
Clinical Department of the Year Award: Emergency Medicine, UVM Medical Center
Clinical Resident of the Year Award: Ali Jandal, MD
Clinical Teacher of the Year: David Kaminsky, MD
Colette Award: Emma Faustner
Dean Warshaw Integration Award: William Raszka, MD
Foundations Course Director Award: Rebecca Wilcox, MD
Foundations Teaching Award: Rebecca Wilcox, MD
Harry E. Howe, MD & Theo O. Howe Outstanding Teacher of Surgery Prize: Katherine Dolbec, MD
Outstanding Foundations Teaching Assistant: Sebastian Franco, MD ’19
Silver Stethoscope Award: Ellen Black, PhD
Standardized Patient Award: Deb Lyons
DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY

BIOENGINEERING
Lindsey Jordan Turns Tulipani, Dallas, TX
BS, Texas A&M University 2001; DPT, The University of Vermont 2016
Dissertation: *Sit-Stand Performance with Wearables: An Indicator of Impairment and Fall Risk in Multiple Sclerosis*
Advisor: Dr. Ryan S. McGinnis

BIOLOGY
Taylor Robert Stewart, Green Bay, WI
BS, Northland College 2014
Dissertation: *Changing Environmental Conditions and the Response and Potential Adaptability of Freshwater Whitefishes*
Advisor: Dr. Jason D. Stockwell

CELLULAR, MOLECULAR, AND BIOMEDICAL SCIENCES
Joseph J. Bivona III, Stratford, CT
BS, University of Connecticut 2015
Dissertation: *A Multi-Scale Examination of Skeletal Muscle’s Contribution to Local and Systemic Immunomodulation*
Advisor: Dr. Matthew E. Poynter

Cole Dakota Davidson, Strafford, MO
BS, Truman State University 2017
Dissertation: *Thyroid Hormone Receptor Beta Inhibits PI3K Signaling and Glycogen Metabolism in Anaplastic Thyroid Cancer*
Advisor: Dr. Frances E. Carr

Noelle Elizabeth Gillis, Branford, CT
BS, The University of Vermont 2015
Dissertation: *Transcriptional Programming by Thyroid Hormone Receptor Beta Maintains Normal Cell Identity and Suppresses Tumor Growth*
Advisor: Dr. Frances E. Carr

Princess Dee Rodriguez Ramirez, New Windsor, NY
BS, St. Lawrence University 2010; MS, Albany Medical College 2015
Dissertation: *Mutations in IKAROS Lead to an Altered Epigenetic and Chromatin Landscape Contributing to the Manifestation of B-Cell Related Disorders*
Advisors: Dr. Seth Frietze, Dr. Eyal Amiel

Leslie Anne Sepaniac, Houston, TX
BA, St. Mary’s College of Maryland 2015
Advisor: Dr. Jason K. Stumpff
Scott Henry Vanson, Loudon, NH
BA, Saint Anselm College 2015
Dissertation: Characterizing the Interaction of Polymerase θ
Holcace-Like Domain with DNA
Advisor: Dr. Sylvie Doublé

Emily E. Whitaker, Westport Island, ME
BS, University of Maine 2016
Dissertation: Analysis of Host Factors Involved in Regulating HIV-
1-Induced Syncytium Formation
Advisor: Dr. Markus Thali

Sierra Rose White, Willimantic, CT
BA, The University of Vermont 2014
Dissertation: Mitochondrial Dynamics Regulation of the Lung
Epithelial Response to Complex Allergen
Advisor: Dr. Vikas Anathy

CHEMISTRY
Kyle Thomas McKay, Burlington, VT
BS, The George Washington University 2016
Dissertation: Computer Aided Design: Targeting the PACIR
for Novel Therapeutics and Investigating Biologically Relevant
Materials
Advisors: Dr. Jianing Li, Dr. Lesley-Ann L. Dupigny-Giroux

Maziar Foroutan, Babol, Iran
BS, Islamic Azad University Qaemshahr 2009; MS, University of
Technology, Malaysia 2013; MS, Louisiana State University 2017
Dissertation: Geomechanical, Geochemical, and Hydrological
Aspects of CO2 Injection into Saline Reservoirs
Advisor: Dr. Efkan Gazanfarli

Yuxiang Shen, Chengdu, China
BA, Lafayette College 2017
Dissertation: Characterization of Effects of Electric and Acoustic
Fields on Fouling during Microfiltration Experiments
Advisor: Dr. Appala Raju Badireddy

COMPLEX SYSTEMS AND DATA SCIENCE
Danne Charlotte Emily Pieneman Elbers, Charlotte, VT
BSc, University of Amsterdam 2012; MSc, Vrije University
Amsterdam 2014
Dissertation: Building a Learning Healthcare System: A Path to
Optimizing Big Health Data to Inform Clinical Care Decisions
Advisor: Dr. Peter Sheridan Dodds

Colin M. Van Oort, Averill Park, NY
BS, The University of Vermont 2016; MS, The University of Vermont
2018
Dissertation: Leveraging Domain Knowledge in Deep Learning
Systems
Advisor: Dr. Safwan Wshah

COMPUTER SCIENCE
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BA, Grinnell College 2014; MS, University of Massachusetts 2019
Dissertation: Language-Based Analysis of Differential Policy
Advisor: Dr. Joseph P. Near

Fayha Shabbab Almutairy, Riyadh, Saudi Arabia
BS, Qassim University; MS, King Saud University 2013
Dissertation: Enhancing Cybersecurity of Power Systems using
Machine Learning
Advisor: Dr. Safwan Wshah

Ali Javed, Rawalpindi, Pakistan
BS, National University of Computer and Emerging Sciences 2010;
MS, The University of Vermont 2016
Dissertation: Cluster Analysis of Time Series Data with Application
to Hydrological Events and Serious Illness Conversations
Advisors: Dr. Donna M. Rizzo, Dr. Byung Suk Lee

Joshua Paul Powers, Bluffdale, UT
BS, Brigham Young University 2017
Dissertation: Exploring the Effects of Robotic Design on Learning and
Neural Control
Advisor: Dr. Josh Bongard

EDUCATIONAL LEADERSHIP AND POLICY STUDIES
Tina Bly, Eagleton, OK
BA, Sam Houston State University 1990; MEd, Southeastern
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2016
Dissertation: Hina Hanta: The Circle of Metacognition
Advisor: Dr. Robert J. Nash

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BA, Middlebury College 2010; MGov, Universidad de los Andes 2012
Dissertation: Understanding the Relationship among Durable Goods,
Academic Achievement, and School Attendance in Colombia
Advisor: Dr. Bernice Garnett

Audrey Flynn Richardson, Taffs Well, Wales
BS, University of Nevada, Las Vegas 2009; MEd, Western Illinois
University 2011
Dissertation: The Role of Higher Education in Intergenerational
Mobility
Advisor: Dr. Jason C. Garvey

ELECTRICAL ENGINEERING
Sarnaduti Brahma, Kolkata, West Bengal, India
Btech, Indian Institute of Technology Patna 2016
Dissertation: Quasilinear Control: Multivariate Nonlinearities,
Robustness and Numerical Properties, and Application
Advisor: Dr. Hamid Reza Ossareh

Adil Khurram, Lahore, Pakistan
BSc, National University of Science & Technology 2013; MSc,
American University of Sharjah 2016
Dissertation: Modeling and Control for Packetized Energy
Management
Advisor: Dr. Mads R. Almassalkhi
FOOD SYSTEMS

Luis Alexis Rodríguez Cruz, Juana Díaz, Puerto Rico
BS, University of Puerto Rico at Ponce 2014; MS, University of Puerto Rico at Mayagüez
Dissertation: Adaptive Capacity and [un]Natural Disasters: Puerto Rican Farmers’ Adaption and Food Security Outcomes after Hurricane Maria
Advisor: Dr. Meredith T. Niles

HUMAN FUNCTIONING AND REHABILITATION SCIENCE

Mariana Wingood, Waterbury, VT
BS, State University of New York at Oswego 2009; DPT, Upstate Medical University 2012
Dissertation: Exploring Barriers and a Potential Solution for Physical Therapists Prescribing Physical Activity to Patients 50 Years and Older
Advisors: Dr. Nancy Gell, Dr. Denise Peters

INTERPROFESSIONAL HEALTH SCIENCES

Ashley Rae Brien, Holland, VT
BA, The University of Vermont 2011; MS, The University of Vermont 2015
Dissertation: We Are Our Memories: Evaluating the Efficacy of a New Caregiver-Mediated Intervention to Support Episodic Memory in Children with Autism Spectrum Disorder
Advisor: Dr. Tiffany L. Hutchins

MATERIALS SCIENCE

Ekraj Dahal, Jhapa, Nepal
BS, Tribhuvan University 2008; MSc, Tribhuvan University 2011; MS, Boston College 2013
Dissertation: Tuning Electroluminescence from Resonators Based on Fabry-Pérot Microcavity OLEDs
Advisor: Dr. Matthew S. White

Alina Karki, Kathmandu, Nepal
BSc, Tribhuvan University 2006; MSc, Kurukshetra University 2009; MS, Ohio University 2013
Dissertation: Medical Applications of Ultrasound: T-Cell Drug Delivery, Osteoporosis Diagnosis, and Biofilm Mitigation
Advisors: Dr. Jeffrey S. Marshall, Dr. Junru Wu

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BS, South China University of Technology 2012; MS, South China University of Technology 2015
Dissertation: Strain-Enhanced Coherent Exciton-Polaron States in 1D Phthalocyanine Crystalline Thin Films
Advisors: Dr. Madalina I. Furis, Dr. Matthew White

Nathan Scott Nichols, Newfane, VT
BS, Hartwick College 2014
Dissertation: Quantum Simulations of Low Dimensional Systems and Analytic Continuation of Imaginary Time Correlation Functions
Advisor: Dr. Adrian Del Maestro

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BS, University of Electronic Science and Technology 2011; MS, University of Electronic Science and Technology 2014
Dissertation: Transient Effects in Solution-Processed Organic Thin Films
Advisor: Dr. Randall L. Headrick

MATHEMATICAL SCIENCES

Nazek Ahmad Obeidat, Burlington, VT
BA, The University of Findlay 2008; MA, The University of Toledo 2019
Dissertation: Studies on the Tempered Fractional Natural Decomposition Method
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NATURAL RESOURCES

Lindsay Kaye Barbieri, Natick, MA
BA, Hampshire College 2010
Dissertation: Shaping Soil: Examining Relationships between Agriculture and Climate Change
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BS/BA, Florida State University 2013; MS, The University of Vermont 2015
Advisor: Dr. Brendan Fisher

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Dissertation: Forest Development and Regeneration Dynamics in the Context of Global Change and Associated Adaptation Strategies
Advisor: Dr. Anthony W. D'Amato

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Advisor: Dr. Joshua Farley

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BS, Bates College 2014; MS, Boston College 2018
Dissertation: Assessing Assumptions and Applying Cosmogenic Nuclide Methods to Earth Surface Processes
Advisor: Dr. Paul R. Bierman

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BA, University of Chicago 2016
Dissertation: Soil Invertebrates in Agriculture: Assessing Ecosystem Services, Biodiversity Impacts, and Farmer Perceptions
Advisor: Dr. Gillian Galford

Brittany Victoria Lancellotti, East Greenwich, RI
BS, The University of Vermont 2014; MS, University of Rhode Island 2016
Dissertation: Investigating Spatial and Temporal Variability of Environmental and Biological Controls on Riparian Soil Denitrification
Advisors: Dr. Carol Adair, Dr. Julia Perdrial

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BA, American University in Bulgaria 2012; MA, University of Puerto Rico, Rio Piedras 2016
Dissertation: How and Why do People Value Nature? An Examination of Nonmaterial Aspects of Human-Nature Interactions
Advisor: Dr. Rachelle K. Gould

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BA, Northern Michigan University 2014
Dissertation: Drivers and Controls on Soil Carbon Storage in Temperate Forest Soils
Advisor: Dr. E. Carol Adair

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BA, Communication University of China 2008; MS, State University of New York College of Environmental Science and Forestry 2014;
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Dissertation: Environmental Justice in Vermont’s Vulnerable Communities
Advisor: Dr. Bindu Panikkar

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BA, The University of Tennessee, Knoxville 2015
Dissertation: Revealing the Direct and Indirect Effect of Climate Change on Soil Nutrient Dynamics and Forage Resources in Mountain Ecosystems
Advisors: Dr. Aimée T. Classen, Dr. E. Carol Adair
Elias Goldsmith Rosenblatt, Bangor, ME
BS, The University of Vermont 2010; MSc, Montana State University 2016
Dissertation: Implications of Population Genetics and Physiological Responses on the Conservation of Moose (Alces alces Americana) Advisors: Dr. Therese Donovan, Dr. James Murdoch

R. Kirsten Tyler, Duxbury, MA
BS, University of Massachusetts Boston 2014
Dissertation: A Global Understanding of the Factors Facilitating Plant Invasions
Advisor: Dr. Kimberly Wallin

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BS, State University of New York College of Environmental Science and Forestry 2013; MS, Louisiana State University 2017
Dissertation: Phosphorous Dynamics in Restored Riparian Wetlands on Former Agricultural Land in Vermont
Advisor: Dr. Eric D. Roy

NEUROSCIENCE
Katherine Beca, Chazy, NY
BS, Saint Michael’s College 2016
Dissertation: Mediators of Bladder Dysfunction in a Rat Model of Cyclophosphamide-Induced Cystitis
Advisor: Dr. Margaret A. Vizzard

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BA, University of Arkansas 2011
Dissertation: The Effects of Interneuron Progenitor Cell Transplantation on Network Dynamics in an Animal Model of Mesial Temporal Lobe Epilepsy
Advisor: Dr. Rodney Scott

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BA, University of Iowa 2014
Dissertation: Brain-Behavior Connections Underlying Emotion and Theory of Mind in Autism Spectrum Disorder
Advisor: Dr. Patricia A. Prelock

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BS, Southern Medical University 2014; MS, Georgetown University 2015
Dissertation: Functional Characterization of Leptomeningeal Anastomoses in Physiological Condition and Chronic Hypertension
Advisor: Dr. Marilyn J. Cipolla

Patrick Mullen, Potsdam, NY
BS, St. Lawrence University 2013
Dissertation: Investigating the Mechanisms Linking Mutations in the Protein Synthesis Apparatus to Neurological Disease
Advisors: Dr. Christopher Franklyn, Dr. Alicia Ebert

PLANT AND SOIL SCIENCE
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BA, University of Michigan 2012; MS, University of Georgia 2016
Dissertation: Multiscale Assessment of Drinking Water Treatment Residuals as a Phosphorus Sorbing Amendment in Stormwater Bioretention Systems
Advisor: Dr. Stephanie E. Hurley

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BS, The University of Vermont 2003; MS, The University of Vermont 2012
Dissertation: Metarhizium anisopliae, Metarhizium brunneum and Beauveria bassiana Formulations for Biological Control of Larval Winter Ticks, Dermacentor albipunctus
Advisor: Dr. Margaret Skinner

PLANT BIOLOGY
Aayudh Das, Kolkata, West Bengal, India
BS, Presidency College 2011; MS, University of Calcutta 2013; MS, Texas A&M University 2016
Advisor: Dr. Jill Preston

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BA, Washington & Jefferson College 2013
Dissertation: Climate Responses of Red Spruce (Picea rubens Sarg.) and its Associated Forest Community along Elevational Gradients in the Northeastern United States
Advisor: Dr. Stephen R. Keller

PSYCHOLOGY
Caroline P. Martin, Essex, MA
BA, Oberlin College 2013
Dissertation: The Developmental Course of ADHD in the Preschool Classroom: Toward a Prevention Treatment Framework
Advisor: Dr. Betsy Hoza

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BS, The University of Vermont 2012; MA, The University of Vermont 2018
Dissertation: Examining Sex Differences in Habit Formation: Effects of Methamphetamine Sensitization and Contribution of Ovarian Hormones
Advisor: Dr. Donna Toufexis

Michael R. Steinfeld, Scotch Plains-Fanwood, NJ
BS, Rutgers University 2016; MA, The University of Vermont 2018
Dissertation: An Examination of Response Inhibition in Operant Conditioning
Advisor: Dr. Mark E. Bouton

Katherine van Stolk-Cooke, Shaker Heights, OH
BA, Barnard College 2012
Dissertation: The Development and Validation of the Supportive Other Experiences Questionnaire: Integrating the Perspectives of the Social Support Provider after Traumatic Injury
Advisor: Dr. Matthew Price

Holly T. Weldon, Rochester, NY
BA, University of Rochester 2014
Dissertation: Parent Status and Post-Traumatic Stress Severity Experienced by Refugees
Advisor: Dr. Karen Fondacaro

DOCTOR OF EDUCATION
EDUCATIONAL LEADERSHIP AND POLICY STUDIES
Vicki Lynn Garrison, Burlington, VT
BA, Trinity College of Vermont 1993; MS, Southern New Hampshire University 2007
Dissertation: Black Resilience and Empowerment through Self-Affirming Self-Care at Predominately White Institutions of Higher Education
Advisor: Dr. Maureen Neumann

Maria Elena Graffeo Horton, Essex, Junction, VT
BA, The University of Vermont 1986; MBA, The University of Vermont 1990
Dissertation: Understanding Differences in School District’s Identification Rates for Children Receiving Special Education with an Emotional Disturbance: A Case Study in Vermont
Advisor: Dr. Tammy G. Kolbe

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BSEd, The University of Vermont 1974; BSAcc, Trinity College 1997; MEd, The University of Vermont 2001
Dissertation: The Gradual Disappearance of Financial Literacy in the World. What is Financial Literacy and Why is it so Important? My Own Story of Acquisition
Advisor: Dr. Susan A. Comerford

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BA, University of New Hampshire 1993; MSW, University of New Hampshire 2001
Dissertation: Online Cross-Cultural Mentorship in a Health Career Pipeline Program
Advisor: Dr. Jessica Strolin-Goltzman
DOCTOR OF NURSING PRACTICE

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DOCTOR OF PHYSICAL THERAPY

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MASTER OF ACCOUNTANCY

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MASTER OF ARTS

ENGLISH

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AA, Bergen Community College 2014; BA, University of North Carolina-Chapel Hill 2016
Thesis: 'he went out and subdued them! The Significance of the Haitian Revolution in Absalom, Absalom!
Advisor: Dr. Helen Scott

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Thesis: Lingering with Hegel and the Madhyamaka School: Lack in Anna Karenina and Swann's Way
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BA, Villanova University 2019

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BA, The University of Vermont 2017

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Thesis: The Sublime Object of Digitality: Psychoanalysis and Cyberspace
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BA, The University of Vermont 2018

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Thesis: "The Side of Those Not Fighting for The Children": Reproductive Futurism and The Female Sinthomosexual
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GREEK AND LATIN

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HISTORY

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PSYCHOLOGY

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Thesis: Examining Antepartum Quit Attempts using a Latent Factor Model of a Hypothetical Cigarette Purchase Task
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Thesis: Examining the Effect of Very Low Nicotine Content Cigarettes on Weight among Smokers with Psychiatric Conditions or Socioeconomic Disadvantage
Advisor: Dr. Sarah H. Heil
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BS, Arizona State University 2019  
Thesis: Associations of Anxiety and Executive Function with Attendance and Fitness Improvement in Cardiac Rehabilitation  
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Thesis: A Network Intervention Analysis: Exploring Patterns of Symptom Change over Winter Depression Treatment with Cognitive-Behavioral Therapy vs. Light Therapy  
Advisor: Dr. Kelly J. Rohan

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BA, Colorado College 2017  
Thesis: Personality Pathology in Winter Depression: Prevalence and Treatment Trajectories in Cognitive-Behavioral Therapy and Light Therapy  
Advisor: Dr. Kelly J. Rohan

MASTER OF ARTS IN TEACHING

CURRICULUM AND INSTRUCTION

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MASTER OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

SUSTAINABLE INNOVATION

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BASIC AND APPLIED SCIENCES
Reed Gurchiek, Ph.D., Towards Remote Gait Analysis Combining Physics and Probabilistic Models for Estimating Human Joint Mechanics
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SOCIAL SCIENCES, HUMANITIES, AND CREATIVE ARTS
Mariana Wingood, Ph.D., Exploring Barriers and a Potential Solution for Physical Therapists Prescribing Physical Activity to Patients 50 years and Older
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Honor Societies and Scholars Programs

**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 to admit both African-Americans and women to its membership.

**ELECTED SPRING 2022**
Ethan Abel*
Lydia Ambaye
Hunter Amory
Sean Anderson
Paige Bissaillon
Sara Bostock
Grace Bugler
Hannah Buscher
Luc Capaldi
Lindsey Colwell
Katie Corkum
Maddy Degelsmith
Billy Dixon III
Emily Duggan
Billy Dixon III
Emily Duggan
Eleanor Duva
Lauren Eisel
Diana Fennimore
Bailey Gengel
Tessa Georgeon
Emma Hoechner
Maddie Hutchinson
Mary Kennedy
Olivia Kern
Stephanie Kramer
Jane Krohn
Sam Leahy
Sara Leonard
Mary Lynch
Ellery Mahum
Maddie Mathew
Eva Mazara
Sierra Miller
Raven Murray
Christopher Nagorniak
Riona O’Donnell
Emily Pallas*
Megan Petrie
Mia Pienkowski
Celeste Piette
Lauren Polk
Daisy Powers
Emily Press
Megan Richardson
Paige Roussell
Catie Scaduto
Izzy Schmitt*
Anna Sherman
Stella Shiffman
Isabella Sievert
Samantha Smoger
Michael Tomas III
Jon Tremblay
Cassidy Turnbach
Bella Weston

*Students elected in December 2021 who will be inducted in May 2022

**GOLDEN KEY INTERNATIONAL HONOUR SOCIETY**
The Golden Key International Honour Society is an international academic honor society founded in 1977 by a group of undergraduate students and faculty members at Georgia State University. The UVM chapter was chartered in 1993. It is interdisciplinary, honoring the top 15 percent of sophomores, juniors, seniors, and top-performing graduate students in each college/school.

**UNDERGRADUATE**
Ethan Brueckner
Allison Dennehy
Matt Ennis
Sarah Fazzaro
Will Jeffries
Yiwen Lu
Kelly Manley
Alessandra Murphy
Tabitha Myers
James Parisi
Samantha Saltsky
Catie Scaduto
Tyler Skroski
Kevin Veronneau
Daniel Wells
Benjamin Will

**GRADUATE COLLEGE**
Sindhu Donepudi
Lindsay Worley
Robert Worley II
Connor Zwonik

**MORTAR BOARD**
Mortar Board is a national honor society for senior women and men. 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 interest of the college campus.

Eliza-Beth Bird
Alina Chiccarrone
Madeline Hutchinson
Austin Goetzke
Micaela Nadeau-Williams
Gabrielle Ochs
Hannah Parker
Mya Petrie
Isabella Pillows
Kaley Vinacco

**BOULDER 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.

Nick Bowman
Steve Carlson
Jacob Curtis
Garrett Higgins
Jake Gess
Aiden May
Jack Mitchell
Sam Pasqualone
Keegan Vaughn

**TOWER SOCIETY**
Founded in 1981, Tower Society is an honor society that celebrates scholarship, leadership, and service in students with traditionally marginalized gender identities or expressions. The Tower Society is comprised of ten seniors and one junior who have demonstrated outstanding commitment in their communities. Members can be distinguished by Green and Gold Honor Cords.

Kelsey Deemer
Antonia DiPreta
Annie Donovan
Lauren Eisel
Micaela Nadeau-Williams
Alyssa Oviedo
Mia Papageorge

**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.

Erin Adams
Sam Allada
Laura Bisebee-Slade
Sophie Cleland
Emily Cummings
Riley Deth
Olivia Eisenberg
Daisy Grossman
Maddie Hutchinson
Melissa Kampf
Natalie Lociardi
Bryan McIlhenny
Christina Oakes
Olivia Palmer
Emma Parzyzk
Haley Raftery
Greta Roser
Cierra Ruping
Garrett Sinclair

**RHO LAMBDA 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.

Erin Adams
Emily Cummings
Maddie Hutchinson
Melissa Kampf
Natalie Liciardi
Caroline Patou
Julia Robbins
Talia Seidman
Cassandra Uy

**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:

Elizabeth Andrew
Christina Asher
Ari Bauer
Mackenzie Beck
Emily Bourdeau
Tessa Brimblecombe
Lynn Brown
Jolyne Collins
Elizabeth Farrell
Jarod Fountain
Isabelle Francke
Aliza George
Tessa Georgeos
Travis Grosse
Jocelyn Hunt
Justin Joyal
Jannie Keel
Ella MacMaster
Maddison McGuiness
Vincent Moeykens
Gabrielle Ochs
Emily Pallas
Ryan Parker
Celeste Piette
Whitney Renaud
Zoe Schemm
Tyler Skroski
Kimberly Taylor
Maegan Winters

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

Dakota Allen
Lydia Ambaye
Megan Arden
Ema Badnjevic
William Bailey-Rowe
COMMENCEMENT 2022

Elizabeth Magnan
Lydia Maitland
Aidan May
Trevor McGlaffin
Kira Mincar
Arianna Morton
Jordan Mousley
Elma Musanovic
Tabitha Myers
Michael Newton
Mitchell Niles
Layla O’Connor
Erin O’Donnell
Mia O’Farrell
Stella Oris
Logan Park
Jack Parker
Matthew Pawlowski
Cooper Pell
Julia Pellegrino-Wood
Lauren Polk
Hannah Poquette
Haley Raftery
Hannah Randall
Clifford Ransom
Lauren Rauert
Jackson Rettew
Daniel Reyome
Aland Rinhearth
Grace Rizio
Avery Romp
Genevieve Rossi
Sarah Rouleau,
Eric Roy
Melena Sanchez
Marial Savard
Isabelle Schmitt
Harrison Schueki
Aidan Seipke
Emily Sheftman
Andrew Slauterbeck
Artur Smiechowski
Natasha Sowulewska
Tristan St. Cyr
Scott Stanley
Jeffrey Steinman
Henry Stone
Megan Tarte
Alura Thiem
Willem Trowbridge
Johnathan Urbani
Anna Ursiny
Kolena Versesi-Clarke
Cecilia Vichi
Joseph Warren
Rosalie Wasser
Carly Webb
Zoey Webb
Michelle Wehrle
Sophia Weisman-Rowell
Isabella Weston
Morgan Whitney
Thomas Wiemold
Dominick Wilder
Lilly Wilkinson
Joseph Wills
Malachi Witt
Walker Wright

ELIZA-BETH BIRD
Nicholas Bleau
Keegan Bliss
Martha Bruhl
Charlotte Buckles
Sabina Buffa
Abigail Burfoot
London Cayia
Natalie Charron
Courtney Clement
Ama Conde
Bethany Conner
Rachel Conner
Samantha Cragin
Aidan Deane
Abigail DeBay
Alice Drew
Natalie Durieux
Brendan Dutton
Vanessa Dykstra
Eliza Fehrs
Michael Ferro
Zach Fogg
Emily Gervais
Seneca Hart
Caleb Hayes
Alexandria Hepp
Meghann Howrigan
Alexandra Jackson
Sadie Jones
Matthew Julius
Evan Kaye
Lukas Keating
Dwayne Kirby
Amara Krag
Justin Lai
Mackenzie Lamathe
Ethan Lauricella
Isaac Lee
Taylor Martell
Jonah Mathison-Regan
Alexander McCrae
Olivia Mead
Alison Merritt
Grace Miller
Zachary Munson
Paige Niarchos
Olivia Palmer
Grace Pease
Quilyn Peterson
Mya Petrie
Olivia Petrie
Shaye Pisarczyk
Elana Reavill-O’Toole
Eli Rickner
Jade Rigout
Jada Rosemark
Austin Roussel
Paige Roussell
Zane Russom
Ethan Sander
Brianne Severance
Cameron Silloway
Grace Simmons
Garrett Sinclair
Jayce Slesar
Michaela Sobczak
Lucien Theriault
Madeline Thormer
Codi VanDyk
Sophia Venturo
Daniel Wells

JUSTIN MORRILL SCHOLARSHIP
The Justin Morrill Scholarship is awarded to incoming Vermont students who have demonstrated strong academic performance during high school. Recipients must maintain at least a 3.0 GPA while at the university to continue to receive this merit scholarship.

Allyson Bain
Elizabeth Betitsos
Kendall Blonck
Eliza Bruns
Alexis Cain
Anna Charland
Maison Charlebois
Taylor Clark
Marissa Coboe
William Cousineau
Emily Couture
Andrew Cunningham
Brandon Donahue
Molly Douglas
Lauren Drasher
Josef Gilbert
Katherine Gingras
Ashley Hill
Brooke Houghton
Joshua Huffman
Matthew Kempe
Haley Kuralt
Bianna Lancaster
Austin Lee
Ryer Leveille
Stephen Looker
Alyslbeth Lynch
Maisy MacMillen
Sawyer McNary
Simon Mendenhall
Benjamin Moran
Julian Oates
Ellie Rochford
Clar Schultz
Cadence Shuman
Grace Slauterbeck
Emily Spencer
Camille Stevens
Caroline Trevett
Jaden Varin
Olivia Voth
Sage N’be Francis
White Cloud
Elizabeth Wideawake
Joseph Yando

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.

Alina Chiccarine
Bethany Eldridge
Lexus Pattershall
Camille Stevens
Olivia Wolter Logan
Dear Graduates,

It is my privilege to congratulate each member of the Class of 2022, and to welcome you into the UVM Alumni Association. You have faced unprecedented challenges on your path to graduation, but your grit and resilience have brought you to the finish line. Your accomplishment reflects the capabilities of our community. Your strength and talent will carry you into the next stage of your journey, and I can’t wait to see where that will lead for each of you.

Today, you join nearly 124,000 UVM graduates who live and work in every U.S. state and over 105 countries around the world. Wherever your life and travels take you, rest assured that there will be a Catamount nearby.

The University of Vermont is a special place, and each of you have contributed to its fabric and left a personal mark. UVM alumni hope that you will join them to continue building and fostering this relationship. Please join us by:

• Proudly displaying your diploma to let the world know you are a graduate of the University of Vermont;
• Helping us enroll the next generation of Catamounts and encouraging others to find their way to this special place;
• Staying connected with each other and with UVM.

Your voice in our community is special and meaningful, and we hope that you'll engage with your university and your alumni network. The Alumni Association offers career networking, mentorship, community events, volunteer opportunities, and more. Visit alumni.uvm.edu to learn about the myriad ways you can stay connected and get involved.

Your graduation is a tremendous accomplishment, and I encourage you to find the time and space to celebrate, relax, and recharge. When you are ready to take the next steps in your future, whatever those may be, please remember that our alumni community is here for you. We join you in celebrating both this moment and the beginning of an exciting new chapter. We have full confidence that each of you, in your distinct way, will make the world a better place.

With pride & best wishes,

Afi Ahmadi ’93
President, UVM Alumni Association Board of Directors

May 22, 2022
Univeritas V. Montis
Tune: Jane Oppenlander ’79, G’81 | Text: David Cox ’49

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

Vermont! Vermont! Vermont!
Our University!
Our hearts and minds and voices
sing in love and praise to Thee!

Vermont! Vermont! Vermont!
Our University!
Our hearts and minds and voices
sing in love and praise to Thee

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

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Our University!
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Academic Regalia

The color of the hood border indicates the degree earned. Lined with green, with a gold chevron, the official school colors. Additional colors. A University of Vermont hood is the color or colors of the institution conferring the degree, with a chevron for additional colors. 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.

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.

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

| College of Agriculture and Life Sciences | Maize |
| College of Arts and Sciences | White and Yellow |
| College of Education and Social Services | Orange |
| Larner College of Medicine | Green |
| College of Nursing and Health Sciences | Seafoam & Apricot |
| Grossman School of Business | Drab |
| Graduate College | Green & Gold |
| Rubenstein School of Environment and Natural Resources | Russet & Yellow |

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.