

The One Hundred Eighty-Ninth
COMMENCEMENT
OF
TRINITY COLLEGE



*Sunday, May the Seventeenth
Two Thousand Fifteen*

HARTFORD, CONNECTICUT

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and Adjunct Professor of Music, ex-officio*

ELLEN E. DICKINSON, *College Carillonneur*

Order of the Exercises

Processional March

Manchester Regional Police & Fire Pipe Band
Quiet City Brass Quintet and Tympani

I

The Academic Procession

The audience is requested to remain standing until
the President's Party reaches the platform.

II

Call to Commencement

JOANNE BERGER-SWEENEY

III

Invocation

THE REVEREND ALLISON READ

IV

National Anthem

THE TRINITONES

V

*Greetings from the Board of Trustees and
Presentation of the Trustee Awards
for Faculty, Student, and Staff Excellence*

PHILIP S. KHOURY

VI

*Announcement of the
Thomas Church Brownell Prize for Teaching Excellence,
Charles A. Dana Research Professorship Award, and
Dean Arthur H. Hughes Award for Achievement in Teaching*

THOMAS M. MITZEL

VII

Remarks

GEORGIOS PAPADEAS, JR., CLASS OF 2015

VIII

Presentation of the Book

KEVIN J. McMAHON

SECRETARY OF THE FACULTY

*This precious book has been touched by each graduating class on Commencement day.
It is a symbol of knowledge committed to the care of the Faculty during this past year.*

*On behalf of the Faculty, I now present it to you that you may once again place
it in the hands of those who are about to be graduated.*

PRESIDENT

*I accept this book held in your loyal custody and I gratefully thank all of you for
educating these men and women devotedly in the tradition of Trinity College.*

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Conferring of Honorary Degrees

JOANNE A. EPPS

Doctor of Laws

*Presented by Randolph M. Lee '66, Associate Professor of Psychology
and Director of the Counseling Center*

You, JoAnne Epps, are a trailblazer, an advocate for social justice, a gifted teacher, and a role model to many. As dean of Temple University's Beasley School of Law, you have distinguished yourself as an advocate for legal education that emphasizes institutional responsiveness. Your commitment to curricular innovation has garnered significant praise, and in both 2013 and 2014, *National Jurist* magazine named you one of the 25 most influential people in legal education.

As a child growing up in the 1960s in suburban Philadelphia, you did not envision such a future. At the time, there were few women lawyers and even fewer black women in legal professions. Fortunately, a former high-school classmate who was studying at Trinity invited you to tour the campus. In the fall of 1969, you joined the College's first coeducational class. You count your time as a psychology major at Trinity among your fondest memories and say it is where you learned the importance of institutions in shaping people. You graduated in 1973.

At Yale Law School, you were one of just 10 black students in your class of 160 and have described that time as "very, very lonely." But you persevered and went on to serve for four years as deputy city attorney for the City of Los Angeles and five more as assistant U.S. attorney for the Eastern District of Pennsylvania.

In 1985, you began your academic career at Temple Law School as a visiting assistant professor. In 1989, you were appointed associate dean for academic affairs, and, in 2008, you were named dean of the law school. Recognized as a gifted teacher, you continue to inspire first-year law students each fall in Temple's "Litigation Basics" course.

Under your leadership, Temple Law School has received significant praise, particularly for its first-year experiential courses and nationally recognized clinical opportunities. It also has launched the Stephen and Sandra Sheller Center for Social Justice, which will introduce students to the roles lawyers can play in establishing access to civil justice.

Your involvement in social justice issues goes back to your days at Yale, when you were a national officer in the Black Law Students' Association. In recent years, you have counseled lawyers from some of the world's most war-torn areas, teaching advocacy skills to prosecutors at the United Nations International Criminal Tribunal for Rwanda and training Sudanese lawyers representing victims of the Darfur crisis.

A champion for women and minorities in the legal profession, you received the 2014 Justice Sonia Sotomayor Diversity Award from the Philadelphia Bar Association. This February, U.S. Senator Robert P. Casey, Jr. honored you during Black History Month at the U.S. Senate, citing your passion for advancing opportunities for women through education and law.

A member of Trinity's Board of Trustees from 1988 to 1994, you chaired the Committee on Student Life and the Committee on the Board. In 1988, the College honored you with the Alumni Medal for Excellence. In 1999, you received Trinity's 175th Anniversary Award. Your many contributions to your alma mater include co-chairing the College's first all-black alumni gathering and mentoring future law students.

For your significant contributions to the legal profession, to legal education, and to your alma mater, I have the honor of presenting you, JoAnne A. Epps, for the degree of Doctor of Laws, *honoris causa*.

JON A. REYNOLDS

Doctor of Humane Letters

Presented by Michael E. Lestz '68, Associate Professor of History

Jon Reynolds, though you experienced hardships that would break many, you never lost your direction. After seven years in North Vietnamese prison camps, you went on to distinguished careers in the military and the private sector. Friends describe you as a humble man of integrity.

Born and raised in Philadelphia, you were an engineering major at Trinity and a member of Alpha Chi Rho. You said the fraternity was central to your undergraduate life, and you have remained close to the friends you made during that time. Upon graduation in 1959, you obtained your commission via the U.S. Air Force ROTC.

Following pilot training, you were assigned to the 429th Tactical Fighter Squadron in New Mexico, where you participated in Cold War deployments, including the Cuban Missile Crisis in 1962. By the time you deployed to Vietnam in 1963, you were a seasoned pilot. As a forward air controller for the Vietnamese 22nd Infantry division in Kontum, you directed air strikes against Viet Cong forces. In 1965, you deployed to Thailand, flying F-105 fighter-bombers in strikes against North Vietnam. On November 28, 1965, you were shot down and captured; you spent more than seven years as a prisoner of war. During that time, your creed was to never give up, no matter how dim the situation.

Upon your repatriation in 1973, you chose to remain in the military and taught history at the U.S. Air Force Academy after receiving your master's degree from Duke University in 1975. You earned your Ph.D. from Duke in 1980. In 1982, you joined the Defense Intelligence Agency and studied Mandarin Chinese, and in 1984, you were assigned as air and defense attaché at the U.S. Embassy in Beijing, China, from 1984 to 1988. During that time, as the senior U.S. military representative in the People's Republic of China, you were responsible for establishing nearly \$1 billion in security assistance programs. You also were the first westerner in the modern era to fly a Chinese fighter aircraft.

You retired from the U.S. Air Force as a brigadier general in 1990. Your decorations included the Distinguished Service Medal, the Silver Star with Oak Leaf Cluster, the Legion of Merit, and the Distinguished Flying Cross.

After your retirement, you joined Raytheon Company as vice president for its International Technology Programs. Your first project was to destroy chemical weapons stored on Johnston Atoll. From 1993 to 2000, you and your wife, Emilee, lived in Beijing, where you were responsible for all of Raytheon's sales and operations in China, Hong Kong, and Mongolia.

Throughout the years, you have remained close to your alma mater, serving as a member of the National Alumni Association and a class secretary and sponsoring summer interns from Trinity's Engineering Department while you were with Raytheon China. You received an Alumni Achievement Award in 1973 – just months after you were released as a prisoner of war – and Trinity's 150th and 175th Anniversary Awards.

In recognition of your extraordinary service to your country, your exemplary career with Raytheon, and your dedication to Trinity, I have the honor of presenting you, Jon A. Reynolds, for the degree of Doctor of Humane Letters, *honoris causa*.

GEORGE ALLEN WEISS

Doctor of Humane Letters

*Presented by Paul D. Assaiante, Paul D. Assaiante Associate Professor of Physical Education
and Head Coach of Men's Squash and Men's Tennis*

George Weiss, your belief in the transformative powers of education has created opportunities for thousands of at-risk children throughout the United States. In 1987, you founded Say Yes to Education when you boldly promised to send more than 100 Philadelphia schoolchildren to college if they graduated high school. Today, this nonprofit organization impacts 65,000 students in five cities, including Hartford.

You serve as chairman of Say Yes, which combines comprehensive support for students in grades kindergarten through 12 with the incentive of college scholarships to bridge the achievement gap between urban and suburban children.

In 1978, your success as a stockbroker led you to found George Weiss Associates, a money-management firm with offices in Hartford and New York. You currently are president of this firm and CEO of Weiss Multi-Strategy Advisers.

You know firsthand how education can change lives. The son of Jewish immigrants who fled Nazi Austria, you grew up poor in Massachusetts and began busing tables at age 11. You were working in a hotel coffee shop when a Boston University professor encouraged you to attend the University of Pennsylvania's Wharton School of Business, where you graduated in 1965.

It was at Penn where you discovered your love of philanthropy. During your sophomore year, your fraternity hosted a Christmas party for 12 underprivileged boys. You befriended them, playing pool and basketball and listening to their stories of hardship. After working a few years on Wall Street, you returned to take them to lunch and learned that all 12, inspired by your friendship, had graduated high school. It was then that you made a vow to provide opportunities for underserved youth through education.

Along the way, you never forgot your pledge. In addition to founding and growing Say Yes, you have given most generously to the University of Pennsylvania, endowing professorships and scholarships and funding academic and athletic centers.

Your philanthropy is not limited to the realm of education. In response to a young relative's diagnosis, you founded the Orphan Disease Pathway Project, which partners with Penn Medicine to find cures and treatments for rare diseases.

Your generosity of spirit also is evident in your volunteer commitments: you are a trustee at Penn Medicine and a member of the Penn Medicine Executive Committee. In the past, you served as vice chair of the Board of Trustees of the University of Pennsylvania and chair of its Development Committee. You also chaired the university's "Making History" campaign, which raised \$4.3 billion for Penn.

In recognition of your dedicated service to your alma mater, you received Penn's 1985 Alumni Award of Merit and an honorary doctor of laws degree in 2014. Other awards include honorary doctorates from Syracuse University, Lesley College, and Colby-Sawyer College, as well as the Cleveland E. Dodge Medal for distinguished service in education. You also are a life regent of the University of Hartford, which bestowed upon you its Medal for Distinguished Service in 1996.

In recognition of your exemplary educational philanthropy and your devotion to providing opportunities for at-risk youth, I have the honor of presenting you, George Allen Weiss, for the degree of Doctor of Humane Letters, *honoris causa*.

JAMES MORRIS LAWSON, JR.

Doctor of Divinity

Presented by Ellison Banks Findly, Scott M. Johnson '97 Distinguished Professor of Religion

The Reverend Martin Luther King, Jr., called you the “leading theorist and strategist of nonviolence in the world.” *TIME* magazine identified you as one of seven icons of the civil rights movement, paving the way for President Barack Obama’s historic election. The Reverend James Morris Lawson, Jr., your contributions as a preacher, nonviolent strategist, teacher, and activist are far-reaching, and you continue to create positive change through your commitment to social justice and nonviolence.

The son and grandson of Methodist ministers, you received your preacher’s license in 1949. You attended Baldwin-Wallace College, a Methodist college in Ohio. There you joined the Fellowship of Reconciliation, America’s oldest interfaith peace organization, and continued your study of Gandhi.

A draft resister before the Korean War, you were sentenced to three years in prison for refusing to serve. Paroled after 13 months, you resumed your studies and graduated in 1952. You spent the next three years in Nagpur, India, where you served as a coach and campus minister at Hislop College and continued to study the principles of nonviolent resistance.

Upon returning to the United States, you enrolled at the Oberlin School of Theology in Ohio. On February 6, 1957, you and King shook hands for the first time and had a face-to-face encounter, where he urged you to move south to teach the principles of nonviolence. In answering his call, you not only changed your life but also helped to change race relations in America.

You dropped out of Oberlin and moved to Nashville, traveling around the South in crisis situations as field secretary for the Fellowship of Reconciliation, including counseling the Little Rock Nine. You were an architect of a plan to desegregate downtown Nashville, leading workshops to prepare participants for the nonviolent campaign. You and the Nashville students were lead supporters of the founding of the Student Nonviolent Coordinating Committee, you wrote its statement of purpose, and you delivered the keynote speech at the organization’s founding meeting in April 1960. As a result of your leadership of those workshops on nonviolent strategy, the Executive Committee of the Board of Trustees of Vanderbilt Divinity School expelled you from the institution. You later completed your degree at Boston University.

During the 1960s, you were a mentor to King’s Southern Christian Leadership Conference and a volunteer for campaigns in cities across the South. In 1968, while serving as pastor of Centenary Methodist Church in Memphis, you were chair of a strategy committee for 1,300 sanitation workers who went on strike in a successful campaign to address their grievances, which included dangerous working conditions, inadequate pay, and racial discrimination.

In 1974, you moved to Los Angeles to lead Holman United Methodist Church, serving as pastor until your retirement in 1999. You have continued to work for justice and civil rights for all people. You are a founder of the Clergy and Laity United for Economic Justice and Interfaith Communities for Justice and Peace, and you have served as a consultant for Soulforce, a group that works to end oppression of LGBTQI people.

In 2006–2007, Vanderbilt University, in an act of reconciliation, invited you back as a distinguished visiting professor and established the James M. Lawson Jr. Chair to build upon your legacy of nonviolent activism and leadership. During the last 15 years, you have served as a visiting lecturer at several institutions, including Harvard Divinity School and UCLA.

In recognition of your life’s work as a leader for justice, peace, and equality, I have the honor of presenting you, the Reverend James Morris Lawson, Jr., for the degree of Doctor of Divinity, *honoris causa*.

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Commencement Address

THE REVEREND JAMES M. LAWSON, JR.

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Conferring of Master's Degrees in Course

CANDIDATES:

Honors in Graduate Scholarship

Garland E. Bartlett	B.S., 2012, Franklin and Marshall College	<i>American Studies</i>	M.A.
Alexandra Lee Beatty	B.A., 2013, Wesleyan University	<i>American Studies</i>	M.A.
Neil Williams Beup	B.A., 1997, University of North Carolina at Charlotte	<i>Public Policy</i>	M.A.
*Benjamin Breault	B.A., 2009, Goddard College	<i>English</i>	M.A.
Matthew J. Clyburn	B.A., 2011, Central Connecticut State University	<i>Public Policy</i>	M.A.
Amanda Noella Campbell Daddona	B.A., 2009, Lehigh University	<i>American Studies</i>	M.A.
Lauren Diane DeLuca	B.A., 2009, Providence College	<i>Public Policy</i>	M.A.
Kyle Gregoire	B.A., 2012, University of Connecticut	<i>Public Policy</i>	M.A.
Kathryn Fallon Howroyd	B.A., 2011, University of Connecticut	<i>Public Policy</i>	M.A.
Harry J. Levenstein	B.A., 1980, Trinity College	<i>American Studies</i>	M.A.
James W. Little	B.A., 1979, Providence College	<i>American Studies</i>	M.A.
Keith Charles McCarthy	B.S., 1991, Western Connecticut State University	<i>Public Policy</i>	M.A.
Laura Plunkett McCarthy	B.A., 2005, The Colorado College	<i>American Studies</i>	M.A.
Mary Ellen Molski	A.S., 2008, Tunxis Community College B.A., 2011, Trinity College	<i>English</i>	M.A.

*in absentia

Graduate Scholarship

Timothy Burke Cimini	B.A., 1984, Providence College	<i>American Studies</i>	M.A.
Joseph Michael Durette	B.S., 2000, Charter Oak State College M.S., 2003, Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute	<i>English</i>	M.A.
Juan M. Hernandez	B.A., 2013, Trinity College	<i>Public Policy</i>	M.A.
*Susan M. Holmes	A.S., 1977, Bay Path Junior College B.A., 2007, Eastern Connecticut State University	<i>Public Policy</i>	M.A.
Jacqueline Barrieau Iacovazzi	B.S., 2010, Syracuse University	<i>Public Policy</i>	M.A.
Meshie Knight	B.A., 2004, Howard University	<i>Public Policy</i>	M.A.
Stephanie Charlotte McDonald	B.A., 2013, Franklin and Marshall College	<i>American Studies</i>	M.A.
Kelly Ann Oleksiw	B.A., 2010, Central Connecticut State University	<i>English</i>	M.A.
*Kristin Runey	B.A., 2010, University of Richmond	<i>English</i>	M.A.
Isaac Garfield Anderson Scott	B.A., 2006, Villanova University	<i>Public Policy</i>	M.A.
*Benjamin David Sherry	B.A., 2011, Trinity College	<i>Public Policy</i>	M.A.
Alysia-Anne Siciliano	B.A., 2013, University at Albany, State University of New York	<i>Public Policy</i>	M.A.
Cierra Ashley Stancil	B.A., 2011, Southern Connecticut State University	<i>Public Policy</i>	M.A.
Alinafe Catherine Tengatenga	B.A., 2013, Trinity College	<i>Public Policy</i>	M.A.

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Conferring of Baccalaureate Degrees in Course

CANDIDATES:

Valedictorian

Erin Carroll Barney, *Connecticut, B.S.,
summa cum laude, with honors in Engineering Science, with honors in Psychology*

William Theodore Schreiber-Stainthorp, *Illinois, B.S.,
summa cum laude, with honors in Neuroscience*

Salutatorian

Binod Giri, *Nepal, B.S.,
summa cum laude, with honors in Engineering, Mathematics*

Evan Andrew Abraham, *California, B.A., Economics*

Adolfo Abreu, *New York, B.A., International Studies:
Global Studies*

Katherine Harris Adams, *Massachusetts, B.A., Public
Policy and Law*

Sadichhya Adhikari, *Australia, B.A., Biology, Studio
Arts*

Emily Mary Aiken, *Connecticut, B.S., with honors
in Neuroscience*

Chinyere Esther Aja, *New York, B.A., English,
with honors in Sociology*

Dayana A. Aleksandrova, *Bulgaria, B.A., Political
Science, with honors in Hispanic Studies, (Classical
Tradition)*

Claire Allman, *California, B.A., English*

Yanique A. Anderson, *New York, B.A., Theater
and Dance, Interdisciplinary: Human Rights Studies*

Cameron Armstrong, *Connecticut, B.A., Political
Science, (Formal Organizations)*

Gueve Ataie, *Massachusetts, B.A., Economics*

Nicole Seta Atamian, *Massachusetts, B.A., with
honors in Political Science, (Models and Data)*

Aimee Anjali Aurol, *Singapore, B.A., Political
Science, (Literature and Psychology)*

Liznel Celeste Aybar-Ventura, *New York, B.A.,
Political Science, (Hispanic Studies)*

Natálie Babjuková, *Czech Republic, B.A.,
International Studies: Global Studies with honors
in Russian*

Ian Murdoch Baker, *Vermont, B.A., Economics,
(Architectural Studies)*

Lily Elizabeth Baker, *New York, B.A., Political Science,
(Classical Antiquity)*

John Robert Bandera, *Massachusetts, B.A.,
Political Science*

Karyn Elizabeth Barrett, *Maine, B.S., summa cum
laude, Economics*

Elliott Peter Barron, *Massachusetts, B.A., summa cum
laude, with honors in Political Science, (Urban Studies)*

Emily Porter Barstow, *Massachusetts, B.A.,
American Studies, (Women, Gender, and Sexuality)*

Abigail Louise Barton, *Rhode Island, B.S., Economics,
Studio Arts*

Natalie Rose Behenna, *California, B.A., English,
Psychology*

David Clark Bell, *Virginia, B.A., Hispanic Studies*

George Bell, *Massachusetts, B.A., Public Policy
and Law*

Julia Mary Kalil Bellis, *New York*, B.S., *Psychology, Interdisciplinary: Media and Performance*

Alexis Nicole Benedetto, *Connecticut*, B.S., *cum laude, with honors in Neuroscience, (Biology)*

Richelle Marie Benjamin, *Florida*, B.A., *cum laude, with honors in Educational Studies, with honors in Hispanic Studies*

Hayley Berg, *New Hampshire*, B.A., *cum laude, with honors in Anthropology*

Katherine Pell Bermingham, *New York*, B.S., *Economics*

Oludaré Ogunkéyè Christopher Bernard, *New York*, B.A., *Theater and Dance*

Bradley Berry, *Connecticut*, B.A., *Political Science, with honors in Hispanic Studies*

Kristan Mary Bertschmann, *Massachusetts*, B.A., *Political Science*

Justin Oreste Beslity, *New Jersey*, B.S., *with honors in Environmental Science*

Subrina Bisnauth, *Guyana*, B.S., *with honors in Neuroscience*

Alison Ann Blaine, *New Mexico*, B.A., *with honors in American Studies, (Writing, Rhetoric, and Media Arts)*

William Blaine, *New Mexico*, B.S., *summa cum laude, with honors in Physics, Biology*

Alexandra Bailey Bogdanovics, *Connecticut*, B.S., *Psychology*

Charles Michael Bowen, *Massachusetts*, B.A., *Economics*

James Joseph Boyhan, *New Jersey*, B.A., *Economics*

Christine Constance Boyle, *Massachusetts*, B.S., *Computer Science*

Graham Bedula Bradley, *Connecticut*, B.A., *Economics, (Hispanic Studies)*

Katherine Nicole Brandl, *Massachusetts*, B.A., *English*

Fiona Brennan, *New York*, B.A., *Art History, Public Policy and Law, (Urban Studies)*

Bianca Jazmin Brenz, *Massachusetts*, B.A., *Educational Studies, Sociology*

Jackson Knowles Brewer, *Massachusetts*, B.A., *Hispanic Studies*

Meredith Sheetz Briggs, *Minnesota*, B.A., *cum laude, American Studies, with honors in French*

Ian Hamilton Conn Brody, *Ohio*, B.S., *Psychology*

Alexander V. G. Brown, *New York*, B.A., *with honors in International Studies: Russian and Eurasian Studies, with honors in Russian*

Charlotte Elizabeth Carver Buchanan, *Connecticut*, B.A., *American Studies*

Michael J. Budness, *Massachusetts*, B.A., *Political Science*

Nicholas B. Buenaventura, *Massachusetts*, B.A., *Economics*

William Albert Burchill, *Massachusetts*, B.A., *cum laude, with honors in Urban Studies, (Architectural Studies)*

Evelyn Joye Burke, *Virginia*, B.A., *with honors in American Studies*

Rachael Marie Burke, *Massachusetts*, B.A., *Interdisciplinary: Film and Television Writing and Production, (Writing, Rhetoric, and Media Arts)*

Paul Burns, Jr., *Pennsylvania*, B.A., *History*

Audrey Rose Butler, *Connecticut*, B.S., *Neuroscience, (Biology)*

Carlton P. Cabot, Jr., *Massachusetts*, B.A., *Political Science*

Casey Joy Cadden, *Massachusetts*, B.S., *Psychology*

Riley Hutchins Cahill, *Connecticut*, B.S., *Engineering*

*Reid H. Caraher, *California*, B.A., *Economics*

Dominic James Valentinian Carbone, *Massachusetts*, B.A., *with honors in Political Science, Economics, Urban Studies, (Formal Organizations)*

Preston Carey, *New Jersey*, B.A., *History*

Nathalie Ford Carmel, *New York*, B.A., *American Studies*

Danielle Rose Carp, *Massachusetts*, B.A., *Political Science*

Daniel Lyons Carpenter, *Minnesota*, B.A., *Political Science*

Justin Cascione, *Rhode Island*, B.S., *Psychology*

John James Castelli, Jr., *New York*, B.A., *Political Science*

*Angel Elton Castromonte, *Connecticut*, B.S., *Mathematics*

*Brett V. Cde Baca, *California*, B.A., *Economics*

Francesca Maria Ceci, *Connecticut*, B.S., *cum laude*, *Neuroscience*

*Ada Chai, *Myanmar*, B.A., *with honors in Educational Studies*

Alexander Sam Chan, *Massachusetts*, B.A., *Psychology*

Hyungsun Chloe Cho, *Republic of Korea*, B.S., *summa cum laude*, *with honors in Economics, Political Science, (Urban Studies)*

Hyunsu Cho, *Washington*, B.S., *summa cum laude*, *with honors in Computer Science, with honors in Mathematics*

Marie Elaine Christner, *Pennsylvania*, B.A., *German Studies, English*

Margaret Douglass Ciocca, *Massachusetts*, B.A., *Women, Gender, and Sexuality*

Michael Ciotti, *New York*, B.S., *magna cum laude*, *Economics*

Taylor Pierce Classen, *Maryland*, B.A., *Urban Studies*

Evadne C. Coache Cruz, *Mexico*, B.S., *Psychology, Hispanic Studies*

Roger Howland Conant, *Massachusetts*, B.A., *History*

Alexander Austen Conaway, *Connecticut*, B.A., *Educational Studies*

Justin D. Conlon, *Massachusetts*, B.S., *Economics*

Nathan H. Corwin, *Colorado*, B.S., *Engineering, (Studio Arts)*

Karl-Stephane Cottendin, *France*, B.S., *Economics*

Jared Seth Matthew Cotton, *New Jersey*, B.S., *Biology*

Conor Michael Coveney, *Massachusetts*, B.S., *Economics*

Molly Erin Cox, *Massachusetts*, B.A., *American Studies*

Thomas John Crabtree, *Massachusetts*, B.A., *Economics*

Alexandra Jillian Criss, *Massachusetts*, B.A., *Political Science*

Robert Alexander Crockett, *Massachusetts*, B.A., *Political Science*

Margaret Elizabeth Crowe, *Massachusetts*, B.A., *with honors in Classical Studies, (History)*

Thomas Patrick Crowley, *Massachusetts*, B.A., *Political Science, (Legal Studies)*

Halley Hopkins Cruice, *Connecticut*, B.A., *International Studies: Global Studies*

Oscar Cruz-Machado, *Connecticut*, B.A., *Public Policy and Law, (Music)*

James Zachary Curlin, *Illinois*, B.S., *with honors in Biology*

Michael Cyr, *Maine*, B.S., *Neuroscience*

William Bradley Daiber, *New York*, B.A., *Political Science*

John Mukjian Daly, *Connecticut*, B.A., *History, (Classical Tradition)*

Mary Colnon Daly, *Wisconsin*, B.A., *with honors in Urban Studies, with honors in Hispanic Studies*

Cole Anthony D'Angelo, *Massachusetts*, B.A., *Economics*

James Lind Danziger, *Massachusetts*, B.S., *Economics, (Philosophy, Classical Antiquity)*

Megan Eileen Darnley, *Massachusetts*, B.S., *Mathematics, Philosophy*

Natalia Katherine Helena de Dalmas, *New York*, B.A., *Political Science, Interdisciplinary: Film Studies*

Alix A. de Gramont, *California*, B.A., *with honors in Religion, (Classical Antiquity)*

Matthew Michael Dejana, *Connecticut*, B.S., *Economics, (Hispanic Studies)*

William Dean DeLaMater, <i>New York</i> , B.A., <i>Philosophy</i>	Joseph Robert Duarte, <i>New York</i> , B.A., <i>Public Policy and Law</i>
Amalia Delgado Hodges, <i>Puerto Rico</i> , B.A., <i>Art History</i>	Kathryn Eline Durkin, <i>Connecticut</i> , B.S., <i>magna cum laude, with honors in Psychology, (Music)</i>
Alexandra Jordan Deluse, <i>Connecticut</i> , B.A., <i>magna cum laude, with honors in English, (Music)</i>	Luke Thomas Dutton, <i>New York</i> , B.A., <i>International Studies: Global Studies</i>
Brendan Neil Dempsey, <i>New York</i> , B.S., <i>Neuroscience</i>	Victor Alexander Dzenis, <i>New York</i> , B.A., <i>Economics, Public Policy and Law</i>
George Denkey, <i>Connecticut</i> , B.A., <i>with honors in Urban Studies</i>	Jamil Ebo, <i>Connecticut</i> , B.A., <i>Political Science</i>
Alexis Nicole Deschenes, <i>Connecticut</i> , B.S., <i>Psychology, (Studio Arts)</i>	Nathan B. Elkin, <i>Massachusetts</i> , B.A., <i>Philosophy, Economics</i>
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Jahnvi Shah, *India*, B.S., *Biology, (Studio Arts)*

Pratistha Shakya, *Nepal*, B.S., *magna cum laude, with honors in Engineering, with honors in Physics*

Leila Sharifi, *New York*, B.A., *Psychology*

Timothy Andrew Joseph Shea, *Massachusetts*, B.A., *Political Science*

Victoria Kiely Shea, *New York*, B.S., *Environmental Science*

Livia Shehaj, *Albania*, B.S., *cum laude, with honors in Biochemistry*

Caroline Shi, *California*, B.A., *with honors in Art History*

Chloe Virginia Shiras, *Maryland*, B.A., *summa cum laude, with honors in Urban Studies, (Hispanic Studies)*

*Nicholas Dean Shoelson, *Massachusetts*, B.A., *Political Science*

Mickel Merrick Simpson, *Massachusetts*, B.A., *International Studies: Global Studies*

Berkley Mikél Webb Singer, *Massachusetts*, B.S., *Psychology, (Community Action, Self-Designed Individually-Tailored Minor: Special Education)*

Sonjay Chandi Singh, *Pennsylvania*, B.A., *Political Science*

Sierra Lorraine Slade, *Illinois*, B.S., *summa cum laude, with honors in Neuroscience, (Philosophy)*

Lilly Callahan Slatkin, *Massachusetts*, B.A., *Anthropology*

Elliot Ernest Lichauco Smith, *Philippines*, B.A.,
Political Science

Sara Huckins Duxbury Smith, *Massachusetts*, B.A.,
magna cum laude, with honors in *Economics*, (*Formal Organizations, French Language*)

Shaun Smith, *Connecticut*, B.S., *Engineering*,
Mathematics

Victoria Gloria Smith Ellison, *Illinois*, B.A.,
Educational Studies, (*Community Action*)

*Stacy L. Sodergren, *Connecticut*, B.S., *Engineering*

Min Jae Song, *Republic of Korea*, B.A., *Psychology*

Edgar Soto, *Texas*, B.S., with honors in *Chemistry*,
(*Philosophy*)

Stephen A. Spirou, *New Hampshire*, B.S., *Economics*,
(*Models and Data; Writing, Rhetoric, and Media Arts*)

J. Gardner Standart, *New York*, B.A., *Public Policy*
and Law

Sheldon Edward Stansfield, *New Hampshire*, B.A.,
English, (*Chinese Language*)

Allison Lillian Stegeland, *New York*, B.A., *cum laude*,
with honors in *English*, (*Writing, Rhetoric, and Media Arts*)

Robert Stiefler, *California*, B.A., *International Studies*:
Global Studies, (*Legal Studies*)

William Walker Strabley, *Maine*, B.A., *English*

William French Strother, *Maryland*, B.A., *Political Science*, (*Middle East Studies*)

Sarah Margaret Stutman, *Massachusetts*, B.A.,
Political Science, with honors in *Italian Studies*

Brian Sullivan, *Massachusetts*, B.S., *Economics*,
Mathematics

Cary Dempsey Sullivan, *Connecticut*, B.A., *History*,
(*Studio Arts*)

Connor Ryan Sullivan, *Connecticut*, B.A., *summa cum laude*, *Economics*

Georgia Elizabeth Summers, *United Kingdom*, B.A.,
cum laude, with honors in *English*

*Moria K. Sweeney, *New Jersey*, B.A., *American Studies*

Maximilian Szápáry, *Austria*, B.A., with honors in
Philosophy, (*Hispanic Studies*)

Thomas Alexander Szymanski, *Massachusetts*, B.A.,
American Studies

Andrew R. Tallett, *Massachusetts*, B.A., *Economics*

Casey Francis Tanner, *Massachusetts*, B.A., *Public Policy and Law*

Nykia Lynyea Tanniehill, *Illinois*, B.A., *cum laude*,
with honors in *American Studies*, (*Writing, Rhetoric, and Media Arts*)

Karen Theresa Taylor, *Connecticut*, B.A., with honors
in *Educational Studies*

Mallory Elizabeth Taylor, *Massachusetts*, B.A., *Public Policy and Law*

Stephanie Lisa Taylor, *New York*, B.A., *Art History*,
(*English*)

Bridget Kathleen Tevnan, *New Hampshire*, B.S.,
Environmental Science, *Anthropology*

Nam T. Thai, *Vietnam*, B.S., *summa cum laude*,
Economics, *Interdisciplinary Computing with Economics*

Malaine Thorpe, *Connecticut*, B.A., *Sociology*

Ashley Tidman, *France*, B.A., *Political Science*

Evan Esko Tikka, *California*, B.A., *Public Policy and Law*, (*Environmental Science, Urban Studies*)

George Hammond Tilghman III, *New York*, B.A.,
German Studies

Zachary Brian Topkis, *California*, B.A., with honors
in *History*, (*Classical Tradition, Legal Studies*)

Marisa Celeste Tornello, *New York*, B.A., *summa cum laude*, with honors in *Music*

Victoria Frances Travia, *Massachusetts*, B.A., *English*

Nidhish Tulsiani, *India*, B.A., *Psychology*, (*Writing, Rhetoric, and Media Arts*)

Marilee Connerat Turner, *Maryland*, B.A., *Political Science*, (*Middle East Studies*)

Robert Edward Ugolik, Jr., *Connecticut*, B.A.,
Interdisciplinary: Human Rights Studies, (*Writing, Rhetoric, and Media Arts; Italian Studies*)

*Wesley D. G. Updike, *Massachusetts*, B.A., *English*

Anne Étienne Upton, *Michigan*, B.S., *Psychology*,
(*Studio Arts*)

Juan Ramon Vasquez, Jr., *New York*, B.A., *Theater*
and Dance, (*Film Studies*)

Michael Thomas Vassalotti III, *Massachusetts*, B.A.,
Economics

Callan Elizabeth Vessels, *Connecticut*, B.S., *Psychology*

Mariah Wachtman, *Ohio*, B.A., *Environmental Science*

Nikita Wadhwa, *India*, B.S., *with honors in Psychology*,
(*Studio Arts*)

Julia Reynolds Wald, *California*, B.A., *with honors in*
Art History, (*French Studies*)

Safari Lea Wallace, *Massachusetts*, B.A., *International*
Studies: Caribbean and Latin American Studies,
(*Studio Arts*)

Sarah Lynn Wallingford, *Iowa*, B.A., *summa cum laude*,
with honors in English, (*Religion*)

Connor Walsh, *Connecticut*, B.A., *Economics*,
(*Classical Tradition*)

Alexander Sprague Walters, *Massachusetts*, B.A.,
Political Science, (*Hispanic Studies*, *Classical Tradition*)

Luchang Wang, *China*, B.A., *Economics*,
(*Asian Studies*)

Mercedes Margaret Ward, *Massachusetts*, B.A.,
cum laude, *English*, (*Hispanic Studies*)

Sarah Sangermano Watson, *Ohio*, B.A., *English*

Georgia Housatonic Wetmore, *Connecticut*, B.A.,
Public Policy and Law

Abigail Anastasia Whalen, *Connecticut*, B.S., *magna*
cum laude, *with honors in Biology*

George Milholland Wheatley IV, *New York*, B.A.,
Political Science

Thomas Farley Whelan, Jr., *New York*, B.A., *Classical*
Studies

Charles Arthur Whittingham IV, *California*, B.A.,
International Studies: Global Studies

Ruthcecelia J. Whitworth, *Connecticut*, B.S.,
Psychology, (*Writing, Rhetoric, and Media Arts*)

Hans Ashforth Wiener, *Utah*, B.A., *English (Formal*
Organizations)

Jenna Louise Wilborne, *Connecticut*, B.S.,
Environmental Science

Bahiyyah Williams, *New Jersey*, B.A., *with honors in*
Philosophy, Interdisciplinary: Human Rights Studies

Benjamin Charles Williams, *Massachusetts*, B.S.,
summa cum laude, *with honors in Engineering*,
Mathematics, (*Models and Data*)

Haley Anne Wodenshek, *New Jersey*, B.A., *with honors*
in History, Economics

Sarah Schaefer Wolcott, *Delaware*, B.A., *History*

Bryan Austin Wolfe, *California*, B.S., *with honors in*
Engineering, Economics

Jonathan C. Wolff II, *Massachusetts*, B.A., *Sociology*

Courtney Canning Wynne, *Connecticut*, B.A.,
Economics, (*Formal Organizations*)

Youlan Xiu, *Massachusetts*, B.A., *cum laude*, *with*
honors in Public Policy and Law, *English*

Bojun Xu, *China*, B.A., *summa cum laude*, *with honors*
in Public Policy and Law, (*Models and Data*)

Lisa Yamada, *New Jersey*, B.S., *summa cum laude*, *with*
honors in Engineering, Mathematics, (*Music*)

Haley Helen Yang, *Massachusetts*, B.A., *Political*
Science

John Joseph Yanulis, *Massachusetts*, B.A., *Public Policy*
and Law

Tianyi Yao, *China*, B.A., *cum laude*, *with honors in*
Interdisciplinary: Film Studies, International Studies:
Russian and Eurasian Studies

Samira Nikki Yazdanseta, *Massachusetts*, B.A.,
American Studies, (*Writing, Rhetoric, and Media Arts*)

John Francis Zalenski, *Connecticut*, B.A., *cum laude*,
with honors in Philosophy

Miled Emmanuel Zarazúa Ramírez, *Mexico*, B.A.,
History

Makar Zaverucha, *Massachusetts*, B.A., *Economics*

Carolyn Madeline Zimmer, *Florida*, B.S., *Psychology*,
(*Philosophy*)

Lauren Victoria Zimmermann, *Massachusetts*, B.S.,
with honors in Economics, Mathematics

Robert Douglas Zindman, *New Jersey*, B.A., *Political
Science*

XIII

Charge to the Graduating Class

PRESIDENT JOANNE BERGER-SWEENEY

XIV

Alma Mater: 'Neath the Elms

(arranged by Robert E. Smith, Composer-in-Residence)

THE TRINITY PIPES

'Neath the elms of our old Trinity,
'Neath the elms of our dear old Trinity,
No more shall we meet,
Our classmates to greet,
'Neath the elms of our old Trinity.

College days are from care and sorrow free.
And oft will we seek in memory
Those days that are past,
Far too joyous to last,
'Neath the elms of our old Trinity.

'Neath the elms of our old Trinity.
'Neath the elms of our dear old Trinity
Oh it's seldom we'll meet,
In the moonlight so sweet,
'Neath the elms of our old Trinity.

Then we'll sing to our old Trinity,
To our dear old Alma Mater, Trinity;
We're together today,
And tomorrow away,
Far away from our old Trinity.

On the hills of our old Trinity,
In the halls of our dear old Trinity,
There is bright merry cheer,
There are friends true and dear,
In the halls of our old Trinity.

XV

Benediction

THE REVEREND ALLISON READ

The Academic Recessional

The graduates and the audience are requested to remain standing
until the President's Party leaves the platform.

Commendations

Beta Beta Beta

William Blaine
Audrey Rose Butler
James Zachary Curlin
Sara Izzat Khalil
Davis Kim

Heather Starr Loring
Michael R. Mancini
Christine Gray Reavis
Abigail Anastasia Whalen

Eta Sigma Phi

Margaret Elizabeth Crowe
McKenzie Nelle Jones

Nu Rho Psi

Alexis Nicole Benedetto
Subrina Bisnauth
Nicole Joann Evancha
Tasmerisk Rae Haught
Colin Robert MacKichan

Michael R. Mancini
Selena Patel
Consuelo Maria Alexa Pedro
William Theodore Schreiber-Stainthorp
Sierra Lorraine Slade

Phi Beta Kappa

Erin Carroll Barney
Karyn Elizabeth Barrett
Elliott Peter Barron
Richelle Marie Benjamin
Hayley Berg
William Blaine
Hyungsun Chloe Cho
Hyunsu Cho
Michael Ciotti
Alexandra Jordan Deluse
Kathryn Eline Durkin
Salima Mbelechi Etoke
Matthew B. Fellows
David Ellis Field
Binod Giri
Stephanie Ann Goetz
David Mark Goodman
Padmini Gopal
Amanda Grier Gurren
Alexander Decker Hermesen
Shanice Dara Hinckson
Mary Eleanor Williamson Kanzler
Sara Izzat Khalil
Carolyn Bliss Kimmick
Duy Thai Luong
Bridget E. Maguire

Michael R. Mancini
Malcom Chance Roey Moon III
Adam Ellis Moossmann
Brooke Alexis Moschetto
Nicole Elena Muto-Graves
Chi Phuong Nguyen
Molly Irene Parent
Codyann Britannia Patrino
Joshua Ryan Peter
Gregory Andrew Reardon
Julia Claire Sager
Apoorva Sahay
William Theodore Schreiber-Stainthorp
Pratistha Shakya
Chloe Virginia Shiras
Sierra Lorraine Slade
Sara Huckins Duxbury Smith
Connor Ryan Sullivan
Georgia Elizabeth Summers
Nam T. Thai
Marisa Celeste Tornello
Sarah Lynn Wallingford
Abigail Anastasia Whalen
Benjamin Charles Williams
Bojun Xu
Lisa Yamada

Pi Gamma Mu

Karyn Elizabeth Barrett
Hayley Berg
Alexandra Jordan Deluse
Elizabeth Ann Driscoll
Salima Mbelechi Etoka
Magdalena M. Filippone
Schuyler Hamilton Giordano
David Mark Goodman
Padmini Gopal
Amanda Grier Gurren
Whitney Hyde Hartmeyer
Tasmerisk Rae Haught
Alexander Decker Hermsen
Carolyn Bliss Kimmick
Mark Richard Komanecky, Jr.

Claudia Malaga
Adam Ellis Moossmann
Chi Phuong Nguyen
Codyann Britannia Patrina
Catherine Elizabeth Read
Julia Claire Sager
Apoorva Sahay
Natalie Elizabeth Salmon
Kyra Andrea Saniewski
Sara Huckins Duxbury Smith
Connor Ryan Sullivan
Nam T. Thai
Mercedes Margaret Ward
Bojun Xu

Pi Mu Epsilon

Hyunsu Cho
Kaiyan Ding
Matthew B. Fellows
Binod Giri
Scott Huley
Jake Alan Hyland

Abhishek Khanal
Michael Ernest McCarthy
Joshua Ryan Peter
Benjamin Charles Williams
Lisa Yamada
Lauren Victoria Zimmermann

Psi Chi

Erin Carroll Barney
Kathryn Eline Durkin
Melody Rebecca Fulton
Michelle Whitlock Long
Nicole Lukac
Barbara Regina Massa

Katherine Susan Rorer
Kristina Ann Kuhn Ruth
Julia Claire Sager
Jennifer Noel Schackner
Nikita Wadhwa

Sigma Pi Sigma

William Blaine
Abhishek Khanal
Pratistha Shakya

President's Fellows

American Studies – Nykia Lynyea Tanniehill

Anthropology – Apoorva Sahay

Biochemistry – Livia Shehaj

Biology – Sara Izzat Khalil

Chemistry – Woojung Ji

Classics – Margaret Elizabeth Crowe

Computer Science – Hyunsu Cho

Economics – Karyn Elizabeth Barrett

Educational Studies – Richelle Marie Benjamin

Engineering – Erin Carroll Barney

English – Sarah Lynn Wallingford

Environmental Science – Justin Oreste Beslity

Fine Arts:

Art History – Ashley B. Mullen

Studio Arts – Mary Eleanor Williamson Kanzler

History – Codyann Britannia Patrina

International Studies – Alexander Decker Hermsen

Language and Culture Studies – Carolyn Bliss Kimmick

Mathematics – Matthew B. Fellows

Music – Marisa Celeste Tornello

Neuroscience – William Theodore Schreiber-Stainthorp

Philosophy – Shanice Dara Hinckson

Physics – William Blaine

Political Science – Hyungsun Chloe Cho

Psychology – Jennifer Noel Schackner

Public Policy and Law – Youlan Xiu

Religion – Colin Robert MacKichan

Sociology – Laura M. Figueroa

Theater and Dance – Oludaré Ogunkéyé Christopher Bernard

Urban Studies – Salima Mbelechi Etoke

Women, Gender, and Sexuality – Caroline Benson Hayes

Of Note

Yanique A. Anderson,
U.S. Fulbright Student, research grant for Norway

Erin Carroll Barney,
Thomas Holland Scholar and Dr. Robert A. Moran '85 Prize for Academic Excellence

Richelle Marie Benjamin,
U.S. Student Fulbright English Teaching Assistantship for Colombia, semi-finalist

William Blaine, *W.H. Russell Fellowship*

Benjamin Breault,
“Manufacturing Regionalism: The Local Color of Lowell, Massachusetts”
Paul Smith Distinguished Master's Thesis Award

Hyunsu Cho, *W.H. Russell Fellowship*

Rachael Lederman DiPietro,
Campus Compact Newman Civic Fellows Award

Salima Mbelechi Etoke,
Truman Scholarship and New York Urban Fellowship

Binod Giri,
Mary A. Terry Fellowship and Thomas Holland Scholar

Noah Kizito Gitta,
U.S. Student Fulbright English Teaching Assistantship for Taiwan, semi-finalist

Sara Izzat Khalil, *Thomas Holland Scholar*

Ambar Paulino,
U.S. Student Fulbright English Teaching Assistantship for Greece, alternate

William Theodore Schreiber-Stainthorp,
U.S. Student Fulbright English Teaching Assistantship for Malaysia, alternate

Sierra Lorraine Slade, *H.E. Russell Fellowship*

Sara Lynn Wallingford,
Dr. Robert A. Moran '85 Prize for Academic Excellence

Trustee Awards for Faculty, Student, and Staff Excellence

2005

Samuel D. Kassow '66, *Charles H. Northam Professor of History*
Robert W. Bialobrzeski '05
Siu-Lynn Leong '05

2006

Kenneth Lloyd-Jones, *John J. McCook Professor of Modern Languages, Emeritus*
Elizabeth H. Guernsey '06
Christopher D. Moore '06

2007

Cheryl L. Greenberg, *Paul E. Raether Distinguished Professor of History*
Vanessa A. Holguin '07
Siobhan M. Knight '07

2008

David J. Ahlgren '64, *Karl W. Hallden Professor of Engineering*
Milla C. Riggio, *James J. Goodwin Professor of English*
David C. Calder '08
Carolyn E. Edwards '08

2009

Pablo Delano, *Professor of Fine Arts*
Cara E. Pavlak '09
Verdell N. Walker '09

2010

Drew Hyland, *Charles A. Dana Professor of Philosophy*
Jacob D. Gire '10
Sophia A. Simpson '10

2011

Louis P. Masur, *William R. Kenan, Jr., Professor in American Institutions and Values*
Cristina R. Conti '11
Ibrahim Diallo '11
Brian Killian, *Campus Security Officer*

2012

Susan A. Masino, *Associate Professor of Psychology and Neuroscience*
Herman Brito, Jr. '12
Lorenzo R. Sewanan '12
Doris Kammradt, *Head Librarian, Collections, Research, and Instruction*

2013

Paul D. Assaiante, *Paul D. Assaiante Associate Professor of Physical Education and Head Coach for Men's Tennis and Men's Squash*
Emily Catherine Howe '13
Ayiti-Carmel Maharaj-Best '13
Margaret M. Grasso, *Administrative Assistant, English*

2014

Paul Lauter, *Allan K. and Gwendolyn Miles Smith Professor of English*
Tram Ngoc Luong '14
Gaurav Inder Singh Toor '14
Jason Rojas, *Director of Community Relations*

Thomas Church Brownell Prize for Teaching Excellence

1986:	Robert C. Stewart, <i>Mathematics</i>
1988:	Diane C. Zannoni, <i>Economics</i>
1990:	Drew A. Hyland, <i>Philosophy</i>
1992:	Milla C. Riggio, <i>English</i>
1994:	Dina L. Anselmi, <i>Psychology</i>
1996:	Craig W. Schneider, <i>Biology</i>
1998:	Dirk Kuyk, <i>English</i>
2000:	Henry A. DePhillips, Jr., <i>Chemistry</i>
2002:	John H. Chatfield '64, <i>History</i>
2004:	Sheila M. Fisher, <i>English</i>
2006:	Not awarded
2008:	Ralph A. Morelli, <i>Computer Science</i>
2010:	Timothy Curran, <i>Chemistry</i>
2011:	Frank Kirkpatrick '64, <i>Religion</i>
2012:	Ellison B. Findly, <i>Religion and International Studies</i>
2013:	Samuel D. Kassow '66, <i>History</i>
2014:	Gerald Moshell, <i>Music</i>

The Dean Arthur H. Hughes Award for Achievement in Teaching

- 1990: Dan E. Lloyd, *Philosophy*
- 1991: Arthur B. Feinsod, *Theater and Dance*
- 1992: John H. Chatfield '64, *History*, and Leslie Craine, *Chemistry*
- 1993: Paula A. Russo, *Mathematics*
- 1994: Dario Del Puppo, *Language and Culture Studies*
- 1995: M. Joshua Karter, *Theater and Dance*
- 1996: Michael A. O'Donnell, *Biology*
- 1997: Kathleen A. Curran, *Fine Arts*, and Ronald R. Thomas, *English*
- 1998: Robert F. Peltier '91, *English*
- 1999: E. Kathleen Archer, *Biology*, and Carol L. Clark, *Economics*
- 2000: Vijay Prashad, *International Studies*
- 2001: Jennifer E. Beineke, *Mathematics*
- 2002: Paul D. Assaiante, *Physical Education*, and Sarah A. Raskin, *Psychology and Neuroscience*
- 2003: Thomas Mitzel, *Chemistry*, and Lise Waxer, *Music*
- 2004: Gail H. Woldu, *Music*
- 2005: Lisa-Anne Foster, *Biology*, and Luis A. Figueroa, *History*
- 2006: Scott R. Smedley, *Biology*, and David Rosen, *English*
- 2007: Christoph E. Geiss, *Physics and Environmental Science*
- 2008: Anne C. Gebelein, *Language and Culture Studies*, and Chloe Wheatley, *English*
- 2009: Eric A. Galm, *Music*
- 2010: Christopher Hager, *English*
- 2011: Laura Holt '00, *Psychology*, and Mark E. Stater, *Economics*
- 2012: Seth M. Markle, *History and International Studies*
- 2013: Ciaran M. Berry, *English*
- 2014: Emilie Dressaire, *Engineering*, and Kifah Hanna, *Language and Culture Studies*

The Charles A. Dana Research Professorship Award

Professors

1984–1985:	Glenn Weaver, <i>History</i>
1985–1987:	Albert J. Howard, Jr, <i>Physics</i>
1987–1989:	Howard DeLong, <i>Philosophy</i>
1989–1991:	Karl F. Haberlandt, <i>Psychology</i>
1991–1993:	Samuel D. Kassow '66, <i>History</i>
1993–1995:	Frank Kirkpatrick '64, <i>Religion</i>
1995–1997:	Craig W. Schneider, <i>Biology</i>
1997–1999:	Priscilla Kehoe, <i>Psychology</i>
1999–2001:	Ellison Banks Findly, <i>Religion</i>
2001–2003:	Daniel G. Blackburn, <i>Biology</i>
2003–2005:	Miguel D. Ramirez, <i>Economics</i>
2005–2007:	Gary Reger, <i>History</i>
2007–2009:	Diana Evans, <i>Political Science</i>
2009–2011:	Leslie G. Desmangles, <i>Religion</i>
2011–2013:	James A. Trostle, <i>Anthropology</i>
2013–2015:	Mark Setterfield, <i>Economics</i>

Associate Professors

2007–2009:	Kent D. Dunlap, <i>Biology</i>
	Joan Morrison, <i>Biology</i>
2009–2011:	Susan Masino, <i>Psychology and Neuroscience</i>
	Beth E. Notar, <i>Anthropology</i>
2011–2013:	Sonia Cardenas, <i>Political Science</i>
	Kevin J. McMahon, <i>Political Science</i>
2013–2015:	Zayde Gordon Antrim, <i>History and International Studies</i>
	Jeffrey Bayliss, <i>History</i>

The Academic Regalia

In 1895 a commission of leading American educators established the Intercollegiate Code pertaining to the academic costume. The color of the lining of the hood is that of the college or university conferring the degree. The edging of the hood and the tassel of the cap indicate the subject to which the degree pertains, in accordance with the following official designations for colleges and universities in the United States:

Agriculture	Maize
Arts, Letters, Humanities	White
Commerce, Accountancy, Business	Drab
Dentistry	Lilac
Economics	Copper
Education	Light Blue
Engineering	Orange
Fine Arts, including Architecture	Brown
Forestry	Russet
Home Economics	Maroon
Journalism	Crimson
Law	Purple
Library Science	Lemon
Medicine	Green
Music	Pink
Nursing	Apricot
Oratory (Speech)	Silver Gray
Pharmacy	Olive Green
Philosophy	Dark Blue
Physical Education	Sage Green
Public Administration, including Foreign Service	Peacock Blue
Public Health	Salmon Pink
Science	Golden Yellow
Social Work	Citron
Theology	Scarlet
Veterinary Science	Gray

Trinity College differs from the above list because the colors of Trinity hoods were established prior to the formulation of the Code. Following are the colors of the academic hoods symbolizing the honorary degrees conferred by Trinity:

Doctor of Canon Law Crimson, lined with black	Doctor of Laws Scarlet, lined with dark blue
Doctor of Divinity Scarlet, lined with black	Doctor of Music White, lined with pink
Doctor of Fine Arts White, lined with white and a red chevron	Doctor of Sacred Theology Scarlet, lined with blue and a gold chevron
Doctor of Humane Letters Scarlet, lined with purple	Doctor of Science Black, lined with light blue
Doctor of Letters Scarlet, lined with russet brown	Master of Music Black, lined with pink
Doctor of Humanities White, lined with dark crimson	

The Owen Morgan Mace

The mace, which precedes the president in academic processions and is a symbol of his executive powers, was presented to Trinity in 1950 in memory of Owen Morgan, Class of 1906, who served his Alma Mater as a member of the Board of Fellows, as a Trustee, and as treasurer of the College. Historically, maces were first used as weapons in warfare and later became a symbol of the sovereign and his power. One of the first known uses of a mace by an educational institution was at Cambridge University in the thirteenth century. Today a number of colleges use the mace as a symbol of authority and of the power invested in the president by the faculty and trustees. The Morgan Mace is made of ebony, signifying endurance; bronze, meaning power; and gold, symbolizing dignity and glory. It is 44 inches long and weighs 20 pounds. The fluted staff represents the various components of an enduring education. It is bound by a gold ribbon, inscribed with the names of every Trinity president. On the head, or urn, of the mace are six seals of the sources of life and growth of this College: the Great Seal of the United States; the Seal of the State of Connecticut; the Charter Oak; the original seal of the City of Hartford; the Washington Coat of Arms; and the seal of the Episcopal Diocese of Connecticut. Surmounting the Gothic urn is the Trinity College seal crowned by an eagle about to take flight, symbolizing the freedom and power of an educated person.

The Presidential Collar

The collar, which is worn on ceremonial occasions, is the visible symbol of the president's high office and authority. The collar was presented to the College in 1953 by former President G. Keith Funston, Class of 1932, in memory of his grandmother, Maria Briggs Keith. The chain symbolically links modern higher education with the universities of yesteryear. The golden seal of the Trinity President hangs from the collar which is fashioned of 20 replicas of the Trinity Elms and seven silver seals including the six reproduced in the mace, and the Trinity College seal superimposed on a triangle representing the religious foundations of the College crowned by a sun signifying enlightenment. In the lower corners of the triangle are the Book and a pair of student's hands extended to receive it, symbolizing the desire of youth to receive an education.

Celebrate and congratulate the
Class of 2015 using #tringrad.



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