

THE COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES OF THE ACADEMIC YEAR 2019–20

DICKINSON COLLEGE

Saturday, September 18, 2021 Ten O'clock On the John Dickinson Campus at Old West

Those attending the Commencement exercises are asked not to smoke. Restrooms are located in Althouse Hall (handicapped access), Bosler Hall, the lobby of the Holland Union Building and the Stern Center (handicapped access). A first-aid station will be located between Old West and Althouse Hall throughout the Commencement exercises. Per CDC guidelines, masks are required in all campus buildings even for vaccinated individuals. Due to the set-up and prolonged nature of the Commencement ceremony, all unvaccinated individuals are required to wear a mask and we strongly encourage all vaccinated guests to wear masks while seated. Please continue to take COVID-19 precautions and wear your masks properly, covering your nose and mouth.

The ceremony will be available for viewing via livestream on the Dickinson website at www.dickinson.edu/commencement.

The Commencement Exercises

The first Dickinson College Commencement exercises were held in the Presbyterian church on the town square, and the occasion was something of a public holiday. Professors and students marched in procession, first from the college buildings in Liberty Alley and then from our present campus. Each graduate gave proof of his learning by delivering an address in Latin or English, a practice that continued through most of the 19th century. In later years, music was introduced as a restorative between orations, and as the number of graduates increased, the final oratory was reduced to one guest speaker, rewarded with an honorary doctorate.

The details of the Commencement procession at Dickinson have varied, but the order has been preserved. Throughout much of the latter half of the 19th century, Trustee William Ryland Woodward, class of 1838, led the processions, followed by the head janitor, who wore a tall silk hat and carried the diplomas on a silver tray. In 1897 board member Horatio Collins King, class of 1858, was named the first marshal of the college. He led almost all of the processions during the next two decades, holding up a small wooden baton as an ensign of his authority. In the years since, 10 members of the faculty have carried the same baton while officiating as marshal.

In 1950, a more imposing symbol, the college mace, was fashioned by Mary O. Abbott. Carved in cherry and black walnut and surmounted by a bronze mermaid, the mace bears the seal of the college and bas-relief portraits of John Dickinson, Benjamin Rush and Charles Nisbet. Two rings and the finial on the shaft were carved from the stump of the walnut tree that grew where Denny Hall now stands and beneath which, according to tradition, George Washington stood as his army passed in review in 1794. Introduction of the mace into college ceremonies led to the selection of other professors to serve as mace bearer.

The order of procession is now the marshal, the mace bearer, faculty, administrators, the graduating class and the presidential party, which includes trustees and special guests.

The gowns worn by participants hearken back to the monastic robes of the Middle Ages. The hood—worn by clergy and students for warmth in drafty halls—was retained in specialized cases, such as academic distinction. In the United States, an intercollegiate commission in 1893 adopted a uniform code requiring bachelors' and masters' gowns to be made of cotton poplin or similar material, while silk or rayon is used for doctoral robes. Bachelors' gowns have pointed, open sleeves hanging to the knee, and masters' gowns have closed sleeves, with the arm brought through a slit at the elbow. Doctors' gowns have velvet facings down the front and full, bell-shaped sleeves, each trimmed with three bars of velvet. The black mortarboard cap is standard in the United States; doctors may wear a gold tassel, but all others wear black.

The hood is lined with silk in the official colors of the institution that granted the highest degree held by the wearer, while the color of the velvet border indicates the field of study within which the degree was awarded. Some of the latter designations are as follows: white, arts and letters; scarlet, divinity; purple, laws; golden yellow, science; dark blue, philosophy; light blue, education; brown, fine arts; pink, music; green, medicine; orange, engineering. With the duplication of college colors, some universities have authorized the use of an entire robe of a distinctive color, and others place an insignia on each side of the front.

Clerical gowns were worn by the earliest faculty but disappeared early in the 19th century. Curiously, students at Dickinson adopted the academic robes at Commencement before faculty, who did not appear in gown and hood until the procession of 1904. Previous generations of graduating seniors were distinguished only by their affiliation with one of the literary societies—the red rose of Belles Lettres or the white rose of Union Philosophical. During today's ceremony, graduating seniors who studied abroad during their Dickinson careers wear the flags of their host countries on their academic gowns.

In the college's early days, a Latin ritual was included in the Commencement ceremony, beginning with an inquiry by the president to the trustees: "Placetne vobis, viri admodum generosi, ut juvenes, qui cursum suum in hoece collegio nuper peregerunt, ad baccalaureatus in artibus gradum nunc admittantur?" To this one trustee solemnly answered for all: "Placet." The president completed the ceremony with words similar to those used now in English. The early diplomas also were in Latin and bore the signatures not only of the president but of every professor under whom the candidate had studied.

The first Dickinson honorary degree was an M.A. awarded to Nathaniel Randolph Snowden in 1790. Through most of the 19th century, masters' diplomas were awarded to all alumni who, three years after graduation, had given some evidence of being established in life—a sort of confirmation of the first award. (Once a generally accepted practice in American colleges, this no longer prevails.) The earliest honorary doctorates, awarded in 1792, were in divinity. Distinguished alumni have been so honored from an early date, including Roger Brooke Taney, LL.D., 1831; James Buchanan, LL.D., 1842; Spencer Fullerton Baird, D.P.S., 1856; Moncure Daniel Conway, L.H.D., 1892; and Zatae Longsdorff Straw, Sc.D., 1937.

PROCESSIONAL AND RECESSIONAL

Fanfare	Antonio Soler (1729-83), arr. Oliver
"Gaudeamus Igitur"	Anonymous
Prelude to Te Deum	Gustave Charpentier (1860-1956), arr. Picher
General Burgoyne's March	Bellamy Band
Ronde	
Fanfare	
Pomp and Circumstance	
Military March no. 1	Edward Elgar (1857-1934), arr. Gale
Excerpts from the Battle of	TrentonJames Hewitt (1770-1827)
Triumphal March	Hector Berlioz (1803-69), arr. Olson
Finale	Georg Friedric Händel (1685-1759), arr. Holcombe
from Water Music Suite i	n D Major
La Rejouissance	Georg Friedric Händel (1685-1759), arr. Thomas
from Music for the Royal	Fireworks

Conductor: David Rohrer Music Coordinator: Jeffrey Wohlbach Sound Engineer: Patrick Oh Trumpet: Jeffrey Wohlbach, Vanessa Shenk Horn: Tyler Ogilvie Tuba: Allen Frank

Percussion: David Zygmunt

Order of Exercises

*THE PROCESSIONAL

Led by

Charles F. Zwemer *Marshal, Professor of Biology*

Robert Boyle

Mace Bearer, Professor of Physics and Astronomy

Alumni, representing all Dickinsonians from the decades of the 1960s and beyond, will be standing along the main walkway during the processional.

Anne Selden '65, P'97 Charles Ulmer '65 Pierce Bounds '71 Tim Potts '71 Debbie DeGroot Masland '80, P'06 Holly McLaughlin Tiley '84 Cheryl E. Kremer '90 Heather Champion '97 Jessica Howard '01 Julie Vastine '03 Sarah Wakefield '16 Sara Nash '19

LAND ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

Shea Player '22 Student Senate President

THE REMARKS OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE COLLEGE

John E. Jones III '77, P'11 *Interim President*

THE PHI BETA KAPPA RECOGNITION

Tara Vasold Fischer '02 President, Alpha Chapter of Pennsylvania Dean & Director of Academic Advising

THE PRESENTATION OF AWARDS AND PRIZES

The Constance and Rose Ganoe Memorial Award

Presented by
Kacey Waleski '20
President of the Class of 2020

The James Fowler Rusling Prize
The John Patton Memorial Prize
The William F. Hufstader Senior Prizes

Presented by
Interim President Jones

Order of Exercises

Remarks from the Young Alumni Trustee

Ian Genao '20

The Presentation of the Sam Rose '58 and Julie Walters Prize at Dickinson College for Global Environmental Activism

Accepted by

Armond Cohen

Founder and Executive Director of the Clean Air Task Force

Presented by

Neil Leary

Center for Sustainability Education Director

THE CONFERRING OF HONORARY DEGREES

Michael B. Moore

Vice President and Diversity and Inclusion Officer at Blackbaud and founding CEO of the International African American Museum

Presented for the honorary degree of Doctor of Public History by

Matthew Pinsker

Professor of History; Pohanka Chair in American Civil War History

Assisting:

Say Burgin

Shea Player '22

Assistant Professor of History

Student Senate President

Lisa Sherman '79

President & CEO of the Ad Council and Dickinson Trustee

Presented for the honorary degree of Doctor of Public Service by

Sarah Niebler

Associate Professor of Political Science

Assisting:

Laura Ives Colony '11

Xiaolu Wang

Member, Board of Trustees

Assistant Professor of International Business & Management

THE COMMENCEMENT ADDRESS

Lisa Sherman '79

The Conferring of Degrees in Cursu

John E. Jones III '77, P'11 Interim President Neil B. Weissman Provost & Dean of the College

Assisting:

Elizabeth White-Hurst Registrar

George H. Stroud Vice President & Dean of Student Life

David O'Connell Associate Professor of Political Science

THE ALMA MATER

Led by senior members of the College Choir

Noble Dickinsonia

Alma Mater, tried and true, Noble Dickinsonia,
Oft our hearts shall turn to you, Noble Dickinsonia,
How each ancient classic hall, fondest mem'ries will recall,
Sacred is each gray old wall, Noble Dickinsonia.
Words by Horatio C. King, Class of 1858
Mr. King, who practiced law in Brooklyn, N.Y., received the Congressional Medal of Honor in 1897.

THE RINGING OF THE DENNY TOWER BELL

Wheel and Chain members of the class of 2022

*THE RECESSIONAL

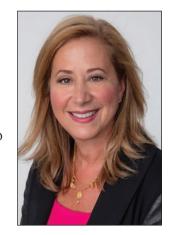
At the end of the recessional, the graduates will counter-march through the faculty.

Opening the doors to Old West are alumni representatives Charles D. Ulmer '65 and Sara Nash '19. Immediately following the exercises, the members of the class of 2020 and their families and friends are invited to attend an All-Campus Barbeque at Biddle Field.

Honorary Degrees

Lisa Sherman '79

Lisa Sherman is an innovative leader and accomplished operating executive with deep experience building, transforming and growing private and nonprofit organizations. Since 2014, she has served as president and CEO of the Ad Council, leading all aspects of this national institution that convenes the world's best marketers to produce pro-social, public engagement campaigns around



the most pressing issues facing the country.

Under Sherman's leadership, the Ad Council launched the groundbreaking "Love Has No Labels" campaign that promotes acceptance and inclusion of all people. In 2015, the campaign's first video "Skeletons," became the first public service ad (PSA) to win an Emmy Award for Outstanding Commercial, and to date, it is the second most-viewed community and activism campaign of all time with more than 164 million views. Most importantly, "Love Has No Labels" has had significant impacts on shifting behaviors and attitudes towards bias and inclusion.

Sherman also has led Ad Council campaigns tackling LGBT acceptance, gun safety, breast cancer awareness, opioid abuse, teen bullying and teen suicide prevention, STEM for girls, voter engagement, and sexual harassment. Of those breakthrough campaigns, former NAACP president Bruce Gordon said, "They represent the underrepresented. They protect the unprotected. They inspire the dialogue that too many would opt to avoid. They reinforce those of us who consider ourselves to be woke. And they serve as a wake-up call for those who need it." Gordon, also a former Verizon executive and Sherman's mentor and friend, made those comments in 2019 as he presented Sherman with the coveted Matrix Award from the New York Women in Communications, one of many industry and community service awards she has received.

In March 2020, Sherman led the Ad Council's immediate response to the COVID-19 pandemic, which included critical messaging about wearing masks, social distancing and staying home when possible, while also addressing issues exacerbated by the pandemic, such as racial justice and inequity, gun safety, mental health, and more. In November, the Ad Council announced its initiative with the COVID Collaborative to educate the American public about the COVID-19 vaccines—with more

than 300 partners involved, including medical experts, brands and corporations, government agencies, sports leagues, celebrities, pharmacies, faith-based organizations, and more, it's the largest and most critical communications effort in American history.

Prior to the Ad Council, Sherman was at Viacom, where she built a powerful media business, launching and leading Logo TV, the first cable network for LGBTQ audiences. She also held a number of senior operating roles at Verizon, ad agency Hill Holliday, and the Women's Sports Network, the venture-capital backed marketing company she co-founded and one of the first marketing companies that connected brands with women and girls through sports.

Sherman is an active participant on advisory boards for several industry and public service organizations, including the World Economic Forum's Information and Entertainment Stewardship Board. She also is an advisor to Guild Education and a member of the Dickinson College Board of Trustees and President's Panel on Innovation. In her Matrix Award acceptance speech, Sherman said "the best job on the planet" is aspiring to do work that truly matters, "creating the life we want to live. Creating the world we want to live in. That is the ultimate project."

Honorary Degrees

Michael B. Moore

Michael Boulware Moore built a successful career in brand management at Coca-Cola and at Kraft, where he oversaw the iconic Coca-Cola and Jell-O gelatin brands. He went on to become chairman and CEO of Glory Foods—the leader in Southern, seasoned foods—led The Brand Farm, a boutique marketing consulting practice and served in multiple C-suite corporate roles. A thought-leader on brand strategy, consumer



behavior, social justice and African American history, Moore most recently was founding CEO of the International African American Museum (IAAM) in Charleston, South Carolina, which is scheduled to open in 2022.

The IAAM will be located on the former Gadsden's Wharf, the predominant site of arrival for enslaved Africans who were taken from West Africa, entered North America in Charleston, endured hardship and cruelty, and then contributed so significantly to the greatness of America. Moore led the IAAM's \$100 million capital fundraising effort, recruited a world-class staff and was responsible for the development of the museum experience, which will tell important narratives that have been overlooked in most history books and promote compassion and empathy across all races and ethnicities.

Moore's work is informed by his own family history. He is the great-grandson of Robert Smalls, the Civil War hero who liberated himself and his family by commandeering the Planter steamer ship in Charleston Harbor in 1862 and who served five terms in the U.S. House of Representatives during Reconstruction. Moore also is the great-grandson of attorney Samuel Jones Bampfield, a Charlestonian who was a leading businessman, clerk of court and state legislator. Additionally, Moore's cousin, the Honorable Harold S. Boulware Sr., was a South Carolina judge who served with Thurgood Marshall on the legal team that won the landmark Supreme Court case, Brown vs. Board of Education.

"My ancestors arrived at Gadsden's Wharf, and I am proud to have played a role in creating a museum and memorial that commemorates their lives and the lives of the tens of thousands of others who took their first steps into America on that hallowed ground," Moore said.

Moore is the author of *Bridging the Gaps: The Love of Marketing*, an Amazon bestseller on brand strategy and consumer behavior,

and he writes and speaks frequently about issues of social justice and African American history. Currently, Moore is the VP, Diversity and Inclusion Officer at Blackbaud, the world's leading cloud software company. He serves on the boards of St. Mark's School in Southborough, Massachusetts, and Nation United Foundation He is an advisor to The National Civil War Museum and Reconstruction Beaufort.

THE SAM ROSE '58 AND JULIE WALTERS PRIZE AT DICKINSON COLLEGE FOR GLOBAL ENVIRONMENTAL ACTIVISM

Honoring Natural Resources Defense Council Co-Founder John Adams



Dickinson College awarded the ninth-annual Sam Rose '58 and Julie Walters Prize at Dickinson College for Global Environmental Activism to Armond Cohen.

Armond Cohen is the founder and executive director of the Clean Air Task Force (CATF), a leading force in reducing air pollution and

climate pollutants from the nation's power plants, industries and cars and trucks since its founding in 1996.

Cohen conceived CATF's first national campaign, which identified and documented through rigorous scientific analysis America's coal-fired power plants as a major cause of respiratory illness and death. That campaign led to rules that have helped spur the closure of a third of the nation's coal capacity, and has resulted in more than an 80% reduction in the power plant emissions that cause smog and soot; more than 96% reductions in air toxics including mercury, other toxic and carcinogenic metals, acid gases and carcinogenic organics. Additionally, CATF's campaign to curb health-damaging pollutants from America's heavy diesel engines led to the retrofit and retirement of dirty engines nationwide and bolstered tight emission controls for new engines. Under Cohen's leadership, CATF's work led to the first-ever federal "price on carbon" that provides a tax credit for capturing and storing carbon dioxide underground. In addition, CATF helped revive interest in next-generation nuclear energy for electricity and zero-carbon fuel production and advocated for increased support for "firm" renewable energy such as superhot deep geothermal energy. Cohen also founded the Nuclear Innovation Alliance, which brings industry, environmental and research organizations together to spur advances in this field.

Cohen's roots as an environmental lawyer led him to continue CATF's work in regulating global warming pollutants as well as spurring clean technology. CATF has led state efforts to enact "clean energy standards" requiring power companies to provide 100% carbon-free electricity by 2050, now the law in seven states, and pushed major power companies to make voluntary pledges to do the same where the law does not require it. CATF also initiated a successful national campaign to curb emissions from oil and gas production and contributed major elements to former President Obama's proposed Clean Power Plan, requiring deep carbon reductions.

But his peers would say that Cohen's greatest contribution to the field is his thought leadership on climate. For decades, Cohen has been a leading advocate of a technologically inclusive approach to solving climate change. He has been a key figure in reframing the strategy from a focus on a single group of technologies to include a wide portfolio of zero-carbon technologies needed to decarbonize the entire economy across all sectors—power, industrial, transportation, agriculture—while supporting growth in global energy demand as the Global South becomes richer. While once an outlier view among climate advocates, this approach has now been widely embraced by advocates and decisionmakers alike.

Cohen serves on numerous boards and panels, including the Keystone Energy Board, the Bank of America Community Advisory Council, Nuclear Innovation Alliance, the Center for Responsible Shale Development and Ice 911. He is also the former Chair of the Electric Power Research Institute's Advisory Council. He writes and speaks frequently on the topic of climate and energy, and is a frequent witness before Congress, state legislatures and regulatory bodies.

Committed to restoring and sustaining the natural world for future generations, Rose and Walters created this prize to focus attention on the need to reduce the impact of human lives on the planet, particularly given the rising population predictions for this century.

Dickinson, a national leader and innovator in sustainability education, challenges its students through classroom studies, living laboratories, service learning, student-faculty research and study abroad to build the knowledge and skills needed to create a sustainable world. Courses throughout the curriculum examine and seek solutions to national and global environmental problems. Dickinson's achievements and leadership in sustainability have earned the highest recognition from the Association for the Advancement of Sustainability in Higher Education, *Sierra* magazine, the Sustainable Endowments Institute, The Princeton Review and Second Nature.

The Rose-Walters Prize is given annually to an individual or organization that makes a defining difference and advances responsible action on behalf of the planet, its resources and people. Previous recipients are Varshini Prakash, executive director and co-founder of Sunrise Movement; international environmental advocacy organization, the National Resources Defense Council; advocacy organization Our Children's Trust; Brett Jenks, CEO of Rare; Pulitzer Prize-winning author Elizabeth Kolbert; award-winning actor and environmental activist Mark Ruffalo; author and environmental activist Bill McKibben; Apple's vice president of environmental initiatives and former Environmental Protection Agency administrator Lisa Jackson; and award-winning nature photographer James Balog.

Candidates for Degree

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Rami Al Nahas, B.S	
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Alondra Alvarez Juarez, B.A	
Ryan N. Ammirato, B.A	
Sophia Amarachukwu Anigbo, B.S	
Emily Ann Atkinson, B.S	
Kimberly Adja Atta, B.A	
**Larissa Victoria Babicz, B.S	
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Aashir Athar Baig, B.A International Business & Management	
Paige Elizabeth Baisley, B.S	
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**Siddharth Batra, B.SComputer Science	
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Amanda Christine Baylor, B.S	
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Kaliph Nathaniel Brown, B.A Psychology, Theatre Arts	
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Justin Morgan Burkett, B.A
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Jessica Susan Carusillo, B.S
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The Atlantic Richfield Foundation Research Award

Joshua Caleb Abele 2019

The William Lennox Avis Prize in U.S.

Cooper Hamelton Wingert 2019

The Harry F. Booth Prize in Religion

Abigail Elizabeth Cottle 2019

The Paul Burkholder Biology Prize

Boya Cui 2019

The Joseph Middleton and Isabel Mullin

Burns Memorial Prize

Marisa Schaefer 2018

The Henry P. Cannon Memorial Prize

Kathryn Anne Elyse Beck 2018

The Stephen M. Courtland Prize

Alexander B. Bossakov 2017

The First-Year Seminar Excellence in Writing Awards

Ilana Jessica Gruber 2016 Audrey Devon Schlimm 2016

Cooper Hamelton Wingert 2016

The Sergeant Harry Goldberg Dickinson

College Military Science Prize

Thomas T. Forte 2017 Thomas T. Forte 2018

James Edgar Turner 2019

The Henry Hanson Research Prize in Geology Marisa Schaefer 2019

The Kurth-Voight Student Research Award in German

Elizabeth Anne Bodenman 2018

Sandi Kadric 2018

The William W. Landis Memorial Prize in

Mathematics

Kathryn Anne Elyse Beck 2017

The Landis-Mohler Prize in Physics

Rachel Bryce Krewson 2017

The Ruth Sellers Maxwell Prize in English

Literature

Audrey Devon Schlimm 2018 Audrey Devon Schlimm 2019

The Delaplaine McDaniel Prize

Ming-Hua Chang 2017

Mengting Chao 2017

Nicholas Serensits 2018

The Charles H. Mullin Prize

Sarah Emily Lutz 2019

The Wilbur Harrington and Helen Burns

Norcross Prize

Meredith Alicia Smith 2019

The John Patton Memorial Prize

Sara Elizabeth Duane 2019

Sarah Joy House 2017

Aidan Joseph Pidgeon 2018

The Ron Phillis Memorial Prize

Boya Cui 2018

The Dr. S. Ned Rosenbaum Endowed Prize in Indaic Studies

Solomon Aaron Zisser 2019

The Richard M. Sia Memorial Prize in Physics

Olivia Marie Young 2019

The Junior Class Sophister Prize

Sara Elizabeth Duane 2018

The Senior Class Sophister Prize

Mengting Chao 2019

The William W. Vernon Research Prize in

Geology

Benjamin Julius Eppinger 2019

Alexander Philip Wattles 2019

The Winfield Davidson Walkley Prize

Kathryn Anne Elyse Beck 2017

Joshua Zachary Bennett 2017

The Emil R. and Tamar Weiss Prize for

Creative Arts

Rose Anne Mary McAvoy 2019

The Angeline Blake Womer Memorial Prize

Alexis Caroline Wiggins 2017 The Agnes Sterrett Woods Prize

Audrey Devon Schlimm 2018

The John David Wright III Memorial Prize

Beth Sarah Eidam 2017

Academic Prizes Earned by the Class of 2020 During the Senior Year

Prize for Excellence in Cultural Anthropology Bevin Kathleen McDevitt

Ethan Benjamin Rao-Cramer

Prize for Excellence in Development

Anthropology

Kalei Elizabeth Downing

The George Allan Prize in Philosophy

Nicholas Serensits

The Bruce Andrews Prize in Political Science

Ilana Jessica Gruber

The Paul F. Angiolillo Prize

Natura Agape Sant Foster

The Art & Art History Prize

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The William Lennox Avis Prize in U.S.

History

Geoffrey Hunter Cole

The Spencer Fullerton Baird Biology Prize

Trapper Ty Hobble

Katherine Theresa Parise

The David A. Baram Prize for Excellence in

Molecular Biology

Lauren Julia Kageler

The Stephen D. Benson '56 Senior Prize in Psychology

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The Benson Student Research Grant Fund in

Psychology

Amelia Corinne Hadar

The Marianna Bogojavlensky Prize in Russian

Grace Margaret Ingle

The Heinrich Böll Prize

Elizabeth Anne Bodenman

The Neilson C. Bridger Memorial Art Prize

Bryce Catherine Delaney

The James W. Carson Prize

Thomas T. Forte

The Kenneth L. Cashdollar Prize in Physics

Aidan Joseph Pidgeon

The Class of 1875 Prize

Nicholas Seck

The Class of 1914 Prize in American History

Justin Morgan Burkett

The John Dickinson Sabre Award

James Edgar Turner

The Environmental Studies Award for

Excellence in Service and Scholarship

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The C. W. Fink Memorial Economics Prize Xinzhu Zhang

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The Sergeant Harry Goldberg Dickinson College Military Science Prize

Lanca Edma Taman

James Edgar Turner

The Gould Memorial Drama Prize

Joshua Zachary Bennett

Amanda Tracy Xiong

The Louise Hauer Greenberg Prize for

Excellence in Biochemistry

Thai Uyen Phuoc Dinh

The Charles Mortimer Griffin Prize in

Religion

Abigail Elizabeth Cottle

The Richard Howland Prize in Mathematics

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The Lloyd W. Hughes Scholar-Athlete Award

Adam Colton Gamber

Olivia Marie Young

The Caroline Kennedy French Literature Prize

Isabel Morgan Cooke

The John L. King Prize for Excellence in

International Business and Management

David Andrew Farnham

The Lance E. Kohlhaas Memorial Prize in

Mathematics

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The Marion Dexter Learned Prize in German

Sandi Kadric

The Philip Lockhart Prize in Classical Studies

Tessa Eavan Cassidy

The Ruth Sellers Maxwell Prize in English

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The Joseph J. Myers Prize

Bryce McKain Allen

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The Northeast Conference on the Teaching of Foreign Languages Award

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The Gaylord H. Patterson Memorial

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The Morris W. Prince History Prize for

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Cooper Hamelton Wingert

The Morris W. Prince History Prize for

Excellence in European History

Sophia Marie Scorcia

The Morris W. Prince History Prize in

Support of Graduate Study

Cooper Hamelton Wingert

The Margaret McAlpin Ramos Award in Spanish

Justina Anna Warnick

The Dr. S. Ned Rosenbaum Endowed Prize in

Judaic Studies

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The Dr. S. Ned Rosenbaum Research Award

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Amelia Corinne Hadar

The Charles A. Tasso Prize in Policy Studies

Caitlin Jeanette Gugliotta

The Alice and F. Chapline Moorehead-

Barbara Elder Timberlake Award

Sierra Climaco

The William W. Vernon Prize for Excellence

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The Fox Martinez-Vidal Citizenship Award

Alana Fields Richards

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PHOTO STAND PROCEDURE

Photos of students receiving their diplomas may be taken from the photo stand on the left side of the platform. Please assist us in making sure every family has the opportunity to take a photo by sending only one family member per graduate to the photo area well in advance of your student's descent down the "old stone steps." College personnel will be stationed near the photo area to help you move onto the platform shortly before your graduate receives his or her diploma. Please note that this area is for photography only. No video recording will be permitted, as doing so is time consuming and does not allow other families the same opportunity to photograph their graduate.

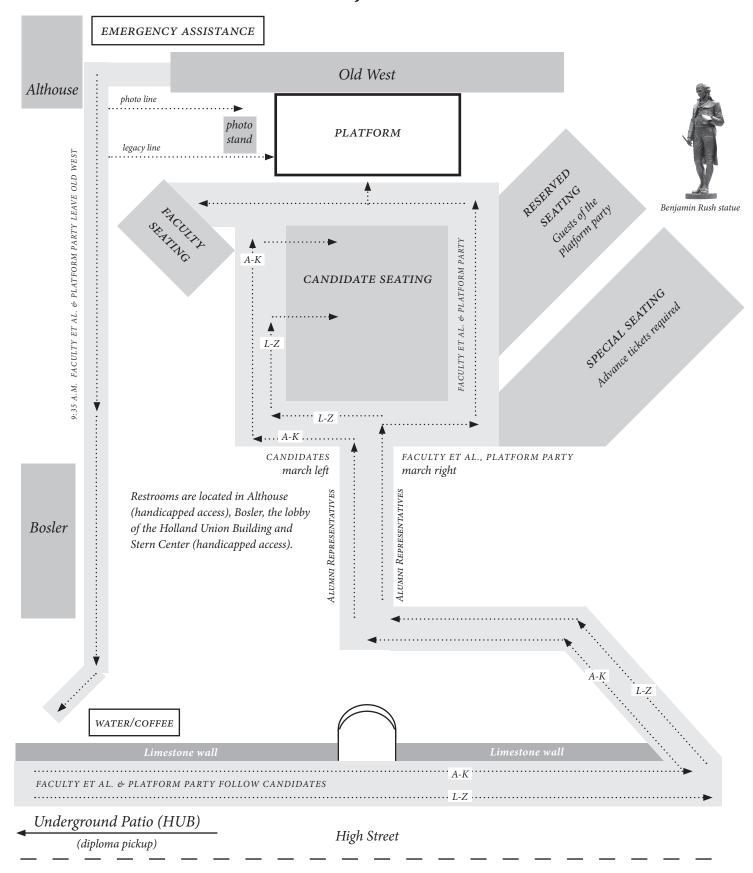
DIPLOMAS

At the request of past graduates and parents, we do not roll the actual diplomas. The original diplomas were mailed to graduates in May 2020.

PHOTOGRAPHS

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Presidents of the College

Charles Nisbet	1784 - 1804
Robert Davidson	1804 - 1809
Jeremiah Atwater	1809 - 1815
John McKnight	1815 - 1816
John Mitchell Mason	1821 - 1824
William Neill	1824 - 1829
Samuel Blanchard How	1829 - 1832
John Price Durbin	1834 - 1845
Robert Emory	1845 - 1848
Jesse Truesdell Peck	1848 - 1852
Charles Collins	1852 - 1860
Herman Merrills Johnson	1860 - 1868
Robert Laurenson Dashiell	1868 - 1872
James Andrew McCauley	1872 - 1888
George Edward Reed	1889 - 1911
Eugene Allen Noble	1911 - 1914
James Henry Morgan	1914 - 1928
Mervin Grant Filler	1928 - 1931
James Henry Morgan	1931 - 1932
Karl Tinsley Waugh	1932 - 1933
James Henry Morgan	1933 - 1934
Fred Pierce Corson	1934 - 1944
Cornelius William Prettyman	1944 - 1946
William Wilcox Edel	1946 - 1959
Gilbert Malcolm	1959 - 1961
Howard Lane Rubendall	1961 - 1975
Samuel Alston Banks	1975 - 1986
A. Lee Fritschler	1987 - 1999
William G. Durden	1999 - 2013
Nancy A. Roseman	2013 - 2016
Margee M. Ensign	2017 - 2021

During the periods 1816 to 1821 and 1832 to 1834 the college was closed. In 1888-89, Charles Francis Himes was acting president; in 1986-87, George Allan, the dean of the college, served as acting president; and in 2016-17 Neil B. Weissman, provost and dean of the college, served as acting president; and from 2021-23, John E. Jones III will serve as interim president.

History of the College

In 1773 the citizens of Carlisle founded a grammar school on land donated by Thomas and John Penn, but classes were temporarily suspended when the first schoolmaster left to serve at Valley Forge. With an optimism buoyed by colonial independence, Philadelphia physician Benjamin Rush proposed that the fledgling school be transformed into a college that would be "a source of light and knowledge to the western parts of the United States"—the wilderness lands stretching west from the Susquehanna River.

John Dickinson, governor of Pennsylvania and drafter of the Articles of Confederation, was persuaded, and on Sept. 9, 1783, a charter was approved by the Representatives of the Freemen of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania. The new college, founded by Presbyterians but with an independent board of trustees, was dedicated to "the instruction of youth in the learned languages" and in the "useful arts, sciences, and literature."

Charles Nisbet, a Calvinist minister from Scotland, was the first principal of the college. He insisted on rationality and high standards of learning and encouraged the founding of two of the nation's oldest continuing literary societies, Belles Lettres (1786) and Union Philosophical (1789). U.S. President James Buchanan, class of 1809, was among the societies' early student members.

The college's first permanent building, Old West, was completed in 1805. Benjamin Latrobe, the architect of the Capitol building in Washington, contributed both preliminary designs and working drawings for the building. To him and to its builders, higher education was a cause upon which the life of their new nation depended, and Old West was built as a living monument to their conviction. Known as the "College Edifice," the building was crowned by a weathervane replica of a classical sea deity, interpreted and rendered by a local coppersmith in the form of a mermaid. Over the years, it has become a distinctive symbol of this inland campus.

When Old West was erected, Dickinson's trustees and donors had the same broad objective in mind—to secure the freedom and future of America by assuring an educated citizenry. They agreed that liberty must be founded on learning. This aim was inscribed on the college's seal, a copy of which appears on the cover of this program. Among the donors were a U.S. president (Thomas Jefferson), a U.S. vice president (James Madison), a chief justice (John Marshall), members of President Jefferson's cabinet and members of the Supreme Court—in all, more than 100 patriots and soldiers of the War for Independence.

In the early 19th century, Dickinson fell on hard times, briefly closing twice before coming under the sponsorship of the Methodist Church in 1833. The college was revitalized under the leadership of its new president, John Price Durbin, a former chaplain of the U.S. Senate.

During the Civil War, Dickinson sent students to fight on both sides, hopeful "that college loyalties would bind where civil strife separated." In the years after the war, Dickinson leavened its abiding commitment to liberal-arts education with several innovations. The college became coeducational in 1884 in response to the determination and courage of its first woman student, Zatae Longsdorff, class of 1887. The law department, inaugurated in 1834, became the Dickinson School of Law in 1890. Since 1917 it has been independent of the college. Dickinson also introduced elective courses for its students at this time and experimented briefly with awarding doctoral degrees in cursu. Following World War I, President James Henry Morgan presided over a new educational experiment that required each student to graduate with a major field of concentration as a part of the general baccalaureate.

Since 1960, under the leadership of presidents Howard L. Rubendall '31, Samuel A. Banks, A. Lee Fritschler, William G. Durden '71, Nancy A. Roseman, Neil B. Weissman, Margee Ensign and John E. Jones III '77, P'11, Dickinson has developed and expanded a balanced and diverse liberal-arts curriculum that has fostered a wide range of distinctive multidisciplinary strengths that include innovative programming in global and sustainability studies; a willingness to tackle contemporary challenges through emerging fields such as security studies; a nationally celebrated workshop/laboratory approach to science education; abundant student-faculty research opportunities; extensive internship, study-abroad and service-learning options; and a distinctive first-year seminar program.

Dickinson's picturesque campus has always served as a park and recreation area for students, its history punctuated by major fires, an 1863 Confederate Army bivouac and soldier parade drills in 1917 and 1942. In the early years, professors and students cultivated cabbages and onions on the grounds. Today, the campus's abundant flowers and trees are augmented by produce, herbs and forage greens, which also thrive at the nearby organic College Farm. In warm weather, classes often are held on the campus green, and as in generations past, Commencement exercises and other ceremonious occasions take place by the "old stone steps" of Old West.

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