

COMMENCEMENT

ONE HUNDRED EIGHTY-SECOND YEAR

SATURDAY, MAY 4, 2024

ORDER OF COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES

10:00 a.m.

PRELUDE

Roanoke College Wind Ensemble, Dr. Marc LaChance, *Director*

PROCESSIONAL: "Pomp and Circumstance"

Sir Edward Elgar

(The audience will rise when the academic procession enters.)

RINGING OF THE SESQUICENTENNIAL BELL

THE INVOCATION

The Rev. Christopher M. Bowen, Timothy L. Pickle, Ir. & Timothy L. Pickle, III, Dean of the Chapel

(Be seated.)

WELCOME

Mr. Malon W. Courts, Chair, Roanoke College Board of Trustees

PRESIDENT'S ADDRESS

Dr. Frank Shushok, Jr., President of the College

CONFERRING OF DEGREES

President Shushok with Dr. Kathy Wolfe, Vice President for Academic Affairs, Shirley C. and Donald E. Morel Dean of the College

VALEDICTORY ADDRESSES

Talia Maryann Cartafalsa, Massapequa, New York Sean William Kennedy, Houston, Texas James Gray Suleyman, Taylors, South Carolina Katherine Haley Vaughan, Salem, Virginia

RECOGNITION OF FACULTY AND STAFF

Dr. Wolfe

RECOGNITION OF THE SIMON CARSON WELLS MEDAL RECIPIENTS

Dr. Wolfe with

President Shushok and Mr. Courts

Dr. Roland B. Minton, Professor of Mathematics

Dr. Joshua B. Rubongoya, Professor of Public Affairs

Dr. Lynn K. Talbot, Professor of Spanish

CONFERRING OF HONORARY DEGREE

President Shushok with Dr. Wolfe and Mr. Courts

Doctor of Humane Letters:

Dr. Robert H. Sandel Roanoke, Virginia

AWARDING OF DIPLOMAS

President Shushok with Dr. Wolfe and Prof. Sharon Gibbs, *Chief Marshal*

ALMA MATER HYMN

(Please stand during the playing of the Alma Mater.)

Written by Dr. Frank M. Williams Roanoke College Choir Prof. Michael Pekel, *Director*

Deep in our hearts, a flame is softly burning.

Deep in our thoughts, the mem'ries are returning.

Bells that are ringing, choirs that are singing,

Bring back the joys that we have known.

Learning to live, and loving as we're learning.

Seeking to find the truths for which we're yearning.

Years come and go, but we'll always know

That dear old Roanoke served us well.

To live once more, here in these hallowed halls.

To know once again all the joys that we used to know!

Some day the winter of life will pass before us.

Then we'll remember the place that proudly bore us.

Then we'll remember Alma Mater.

Then we'll remember Thee.

THE BENEDICTION Rev. Bowen

(The audience will remain standing until the academic procession and all graduates have exited the John R. Turbyfill Quadrangle. You can meet them on the Back Quad for photos and light refreshments following the ceremony.)

RECESSIONAL

Roanoke College Wind Ensemble

CHIEF MARSHAL - Prof. Sharon Gibbs

ASSOCIATE CHIEF MARSHAL - Dr. Gary Hollis

MARSHALS – Dr. Shannon Anderson, Dr. Nelson Barre, Dr. Jesse Bucher, Dr. Christopher Buchholz, Dr. Michelle Hagadorn, Dr. Alice Kassens, Dr. Richard Keithley, Dr. Ian Michalski, Dr. Chelsea Peters, Dr. DorothyBelle Poli, Dr. Steven Powers, Dr. Margaret Rahmoeller, Prof. Katherine Shortridge, Dr. Meg Steinweg, Dr. David Taylor, Dr. Melanie Trexler

FLAGBEARERS – Mr. Mateo Julian Biggs '24; Ms. Gianna Nicole Hannum '24

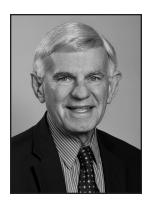
BELL RINGER – Ms. Elizabeth Kristine Krull '24

PHOTOGRAPHY

Professional photos of graduates at the backdrop will be available within a week to ten days of the ceremony. Graduates will receive an email to their Roanoke College email account with instructions and a private password.

HONORARY DEGREE RECIPIENT

DOCTOR OF HUMANE LETTERS



ROBERT H. SANDEL

Dr. Robert Sandel is a native of Orangeburg, South Carolina. He earned a bachelor's degree from The Citadel, a master's degree from South Carolina State University, and a doctorate from the University of South Carolina.

Dr. Sandel has been an educator for more than 50 years, and he has dedicated his career to serving community colleges. He previously served as president of Mountain Empire Community College in Big Stone Gap, Virginia. He became president of Virginia Western Community College in Roanoke, Virginia in 2001.

An innovator, Dr. Sandel has transformed higher education in the region, expanding access, promoting workforce and economic development, fostering community engagement and establishing regional partnerships, including a close collaboration with Roanoke College. In fall 2023, this shared mission and commitment to access, academic excellence and student success became the foundation of the Rapid Maroons Program, a joint venture that allows students accepted to Roanoke College to start their college careers at Virginia Western, experience a smooth transition and ultimately graduate from Roanoke College.

Dr. Sandel has been recognized for his vision and accomplishments, including being named Roanoke City's Citizen of the Year in 2013 and receiving the Roanoke/Blacksburg Technology Council's prestigious Ruby Award. He has chaired the Roanoke Regional Chamber of Commerce, the Pre-K Committee for Smart Beginnings, and the committee that developed Achieve 2015, the sixyear strategic plan for Virginia community colleges. He has also served as board president for the Roanoke Symphony Orchestra and for the LewisGale Medical Center, and he is currently serving as a trustee of the Friendship Health and Rehabilitation Center.

Throughout his decades in education, Dr. Sandel has shown how a deep belief in the power of learning can transform lives and communities.

Dr. Sandel and his wife, Jane, a retired educator, are the parents of four children and have 11 grandchildren.

DEGREES CONFERRED IN COURSE

Degrees with distinction:

cum laude (minimum 3.4 gpa); magna cum laude (minimum 3.7 gpa); summa cum laude (minimum 3.9 gpa)

VALEDICTORIANS

Talia Maryann Cartafalsa, Massapequa, New York
Sean William Kennedy, Houston, Texas
James Gray Suleyman, Taylors, South Carolina
Katherine Haley Vaughan, Salem, Virginia

SALUTATORIAN

Ethan Paul Stevenson, Apex, North Carolina



MASTER OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

The Inaugural Class of the Master of Business Administration program will complete their coursework on May 23, 2024, at which point they will receive their diplomas.

Elizabeth Ashley Jerman Booth	Covington, Virginia
Colin James Burns	Greenville, South Carolina
Christian Steinhoff Buskirk	Leesburg, Virginia
Joseph Cole Handly	Hampton, Virginia
Wyatt Keith Hartke	Woodstock, Virginia
Nicholas Parkin Lancaster	Daleville, Virginia
Zackary Shane Reynolds	Floyd, Virginia
Brent Weston Rittner	Lovettsville, Virginia
Rose Michelle Sande	Raleigh, North Carolina
Davis Cole Wheeler	Fredericksburg, Virginia

Jared Andrew Ackerman ■	International Relations	Northfield, Massachusetts
Lilly Ayten Adam, cum laude ■	Psychology	Leesburg, Virginia
Mihdi Vuyiya Agbaw Anticipated August Graduate	International Relations	Rocky Mount, North Carolina
Christian Lee Akerberg, cum laude	Biochemistry	Denver, North Carolina
Arlo-Andre Allotey Anticipated August Graduate	International Relations	Austell, Georgia
Calvin Scott Anthony	Economics	Roanoke, Virginia
Tyler Brandon Arnold 🗆	Criminal Justice	Rosedale, Maryland
Erin Victoria Arthur, cum laude ■	Communication Studies	Charlotte, North Carolina
Makayla Joy Austin	Biology	Jeffersonton, Virginia
Rosemarie Angelica Barnes-Lilye	Creative Writing	Scotch Plains, New Jersey
Brittany Nicole Barnett	Philosophy	Naples, Florida
Joseph Richard Bednarczuk	Creative Writing, Screen Studies	Brewster, New York
Lance Braden Beheler, cum laude	Biology	Roanoke, Virginia
Kaylee Cheyenne Belcher, summa cum laude	Sociology	Floyd, Virginia
▲ Jake Victor Berecz Anticipated August Graduate	Political Science	Fairfield, Connecticut
Mateo Julian Biggs	Creative Writing	Hertford, North Carolina
Lindsay Grey Blanchfield, magna cum laude	History	Chantilly, Virginia
Delaney Paige Boice	Criminal Justice	Huntingtown, Maryland
Caroline Elizabeth Bowman, cum laude	Biology Education	Salem, Virginia
Seanice Emani Bowser Anticipated August Graduate	Psychology	Harlem, New York
Breana Marie Brennan Anticipated August Graduate	Math Education	Pottsville, Pennsylvania
Julia LeFeber Brown ■	Education Studies	Salem, Virginia
Sydney Grace Brown, magna cum laude ■	Music Education, Education Studies	Salem, Virginia
Saige McKaylyn Bullock	Health and Exercise Science	Millsboro, Delaware
Hailey Morgan Bulmer Anticipated August Graduate	Criminal Justice	Warrenton, Virginia
Lilly Elizabeth Burns, summa cum laude	Criminal Justice	Manassas, Virginia
Caitlin Annelise Campbell Anticipated August Graduate	Education Studies	Roanoke, Virginia
Mary Margaret Carlson, magna cum laude	Creative Writing, Screen Studies	Setauket, New York
Camille Elise Carter, magna cum laude	History	San Mateo, California
Abby Jo Casen	Health and Exercise Science	South Boston, Virginia
* Albert Joseph Cavagnaro, cum laude ■	Political Science	Wilmington, North Carolina
Ian Scott Chance	Economics	Leesburg, Virginia
Andrew McKinley Chitwood, magna cum laude	Public Health Studies	Collinsville, Virginia
Laura Nicole Cilley, cum laude	Communication Studies, Screen Studies	Webster, New Hampshire
Luke Paul Coburn, magna cum laude	Public Health Studies	Christiansburg, Virginia
Matthew Robert Cochis, cum laude	Philosophy	Apex, North Carolina
* Julia Sibyl Coe, magna cum laude	Art History, Philosophy	Parkton, Maryland
Maura Carolyn Conroy Anticipated August Graduate	Criminal Justice	Roanoke, Virginia

* * Sophia Marie Contini, summa cum laude	Criminal Justice, Psychology	Pittsfield, Massachusetts
Elle Rae Crawford, cum laude	Communication Studies	Cherry Hill, New Jersey
Mary Claiborne Creasy ■	Literary Studies	Roanoke, Virginia
Elizabeth Lee Dameron, cum laude	Music Education	Salem, Virginia
Damon Sharod Daniels	Health & Physical Education	Roanoke, Virginia
John Paul David, Jr. ■	Communication Studies	Christiansted, U.S. Virgin Islands
▲ Jacob Daniel Dellinger, magna cum laude	Theatre Education	Roanoke, Virginia
Lucas Hendry Docking	Engineering Science	Chevy Chase, Maryland
Gregory Edward Dolan Anticipated August Graduate	Philosophy	Allenwood, New Jersey
Carlos Antonio Domacasse	Political Science	Baltimore, Maryland
Michael Christopher Donnelly, Jr.	Criminal Justice	Pawling, New York
Emma Christian Durand, magna cum laude	English Education	Dumfries, Virginia
Hannah Michele Eaves	Sociology	Roanoke, Virginia
Madison Rose Filson ■	Public Health Studies	Warrenton, Virginia
Cameron Todd Fredette Anticipated August Graduate	Political Science	Winslow, Maine
Skyler Avione Frye 🗆	Political Science	Plainfield, North Carolina
Charlotte Price Gaston Anticipated August Graduate	Education Studies	Charlotte, North Carolina
🛊 Autumn Michele Goff, magna cum laude 🔳	Spanish Education, Spanish	Bedford County, Virginia
Kiersten Grace Gowers	Biology	Gloucester, Virginia
Jack Robert Graves, cum laude	History	Shawsville, Virginia
🛊 * Virginia Claire Graves, magna cum laude	Communication Studies	Urbanna, Virginia
Samantha Paige Gravette Anticipated August Graduate	Criminal Justice	Roanoke, Virginia
Samantha Kailyn Greene Anticipated August Graduate	Health and Exercise Science	New Kent, Virginia
Elizabeth Geneva Grey ■	Art History	Roanoke, Virginia
▲ Deanna Brooke Grossi, cum laude	Sociology	Bluefield, Virginia
Hannah Elizabeth Guanti	International Relations	Towson, Maryland
Erykah Michelle Guerra ■	Education Studies	Brownsville, Texas
Ellieblue Ryan Gurkin	Criminal Justice, Art	Richmond, Virginia
Madeleine Rae Hall Anticipated August Graduate	Public Health Studies	Keene, New Hampshire
Emery Anais Hampton	Theatre	Nashville, Tennessee
🕴 Gianna Nicole Hannum, summa cum laude	Public Health Studies	Smyrna, Delaware
Lily Faith Harmison, summa cum laude	Public Health Studies	Harrisonburg, Virginia
🕯 * Tess Marie Harrington, cum laude	International Relations, Philosophy	Glens Falls, New York
Madison Renae Harris, cum laude	Education Studies	Georgetown, Washington, D.C.
Melissa Lynn Hatfield Anticipated August Graduate	Creative Writing	Portsmouth, Virginia
Nicholas Aaron Hayes	Political Science	Coeburn, Virginia
▲ Madison Laurel Holbert, magna cum laude	Education Studies, English Education	Winchester, Virginia
Emma Grace Holley	Literary Studies, Creative Writing	Dayton, Maine

Isabella Grace Holman	Education Studies Florentery Education	n Frederick, Maryland
Kaylon Nicole Hoover	Education Studies, Elementary Education Communication Studies, Screen Studies	San Antonio, Texas
Ashton Reese Howard	Political Science	Roanoke, Virginia
Rebecca Catherine Hughes	Communication Studies	Morganton, North Carolina
Anticipated August Graduate	Communication Studies	Morganion, Norm Carolina
Marica Areleigh Hutchison ■	Psychology	Roanoke, Virginia
Isaiah Allen Jacobs	Sociology	Annapolis, Maryland
John Edwin Jakupciak, summa cum laude ■	Economics	Boonsboro, Maryland
Noah Michael Jarrett	Communication Studies	Troutville, Virginia
Elizabeth Marie Kaminski	Creative Writing	Carteret, New Jersey
Lauren Nicole Keel Anticipated August Graduate	Public Health Studies	East Windsor, Connecticut
Namiaya Ebonee Kelton	Sociology	Ewing, New Jersey
Joseph Stefano Kenney Anticipated August Graduate	Art	Albany, New York
Lindsey Joy Keyes	Health and Exercise Science	Alexandria, Virginia
Logan Marie Kinkema	Criminal Justice	Collinsville, Virginia
Caroline Helen Kivior □	Biology	Glen Allen, Virginia
▲ Maxwell Edward Koch, magna cum laude	Literary Studies, French	Falls Church, Virginia
Alice Caroline Krien Anticipated August Graduate	History	Carpentersville, Illinois
Elizabeth Kristine Krull, cum laude	Political Science	Reston, Virginia
Clare Eilise Kuczo	Political Science	Fairfield, Connecticut
Haley Nicole LaRuffa, summa cum laude	Education Studies	Clifton, Virginia
Ethan Patrick Lawrence	History	Salem, Virginia
George Frederick Layton, III, cum laude	History	Nokesville, Virginia
Gabrielle Josephine Lirosi, cum laude	Psychology	Jackson, New Jersey
Erik Larsen Livingston □	History	Alexandria, New Jersey
* Grace Marie Loftus, magna cum laude	Sociology	Howell, New Jersey
Chelsea Lynne Lopes, magna cum laude	Criminal Justice, Sociology	West Greenwich, Rhode Island
Aubrey Paige Lynch, cum laude	Health and Exercise Science	Roanoke, Virginia
Tierney O'Neal Maloney	Communication Studies	Fairfield, Connecticut
Cierra Olivia Mangum Anticipated August Graduate	Education Studies	Ringgold, Virginia
Natalie Renee Mason, cum laude	Sociology	Royersford, Pennsylvania
Zain Maher Masri 🗆	Political Science, International Relations	Erie, Pennsylvania
Tracy Lynn Mayhew	Sociology	Bedford, Virginia
* Cameron Allen McDonald, summa cum laude	International Relations	Defiance, Ohio
Daniel Christopher McDonough, cum laude	History	Sewanee, Tennessee
Riley Elizabeth McLain Anticipated August Graduate	Sociology	Salem, Virginia
Tessa Keefe McMillan, magna cum laude	Communication Studies	West Granby, Connecticut
Robert Gardner Meeks Anticipated August Graduate	Communication Studies	Virginia Beach, Virginia
* Adelle Rachel Mengedoht, summa cum laude	Literary Studies, Criminal Justice	Clarksburg, Maryland
Michael Nicholas Michallas	Economics	Fairfax, Virginia

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 [♣] Elected to Phi Beta Kappa National Honor Society
 ★ Honors Program Graduate
 ■ August 2023 Graduate
 ▲ Elected to Omicron Delta Kappa National Honor Society
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	Trevor Dane Moore	Health and Exercise Science	Mebane, North Carolina
	Rebecca Jane Moorman Anticipated August Graduate	Communication Studies	Superior, Colorado
	Chase Donovan Morgan	Creative Writing	Fairbanks, Alaska
	Samantha Clarke Murphy, cum laude	Political Science, International Relation	ns Bristow, Virginia
* *	Caroline Matheson Nowell, magna cum laude	Public Health Studies, Biochemistry	Lenoir City, Tennessee
	Morgan Weiss O'Neill, cum laude	Public Health Studies	Morristown, New Jersey
	Chase Austin Oberg Anticipated August Graduate	Social Studies Education	Fincastle, Virginia
• • ▲ *	Megan Alexandra Onofrei, summa cum laude	Political Science	Mesa, Arizona
Ť	Isabella Reece Owen, magna cum laude	History	Salem, Virginia
	Caroline Marie Painter	Sociology	Vhite Stone and Topping, Virginia
	Kallie Danielle Parrish, cum laude	Public Health Studies	Roanoke, Virginia
	Natalie Alyssa Paul	Education Studies	Roanoke, Virginia
	James Kinsler Phelps	Creative Writing, Spanish	Groton, Massachusetts
p	Jacob Glen Phillips, cum laude	Communication Studies	Roanoke, Virginia
	Taylor Camille Poole	Criminal Justice, Sociology	Waldorf, Maryland
	Makenna Elizabeth Prillaman, summa cum laude	English Education	Salem, Virginia
	Jordan Lindsay Rearick Anticipated August Graduate	Biology	Blue Ridge, Virginia
	Reagan Elizabeth Reffke	Art History	Virginia Beach, Virginia
	Katherine Grace Robinson	Public Health Studies	Hampton, Virginia
	Morgan Allen Robinson Anticipated August Graduate	Criminal Justice	Front Royal, Virginia
	Julia Lauren Romano Anticipated August Graduate	Health and Exercise Science	Fairfield, Connecticut
	Alyssa Leeann Rose, cum laude	History, Spanish	Saugerties, New York
	Kelys La'Shae Rouse, cum laude	Teaching English as a Second Langua	ge Raleigh, North Carolina
	Mahlic Tigan Sallah Anticipated August Graduate	Criminal Justice	Roanoke, Virginia
	Jessica Anahi Salvador Anticipated August Graduate	Political Science	Lexington, Virginia
	Caroline Lois Santilli	Criminal Justice	Centreville, Virginia
	Jack Christian Santomero	Screen Studies	Wilton, Connecticut
	Molly Elizabeth Scheerer ■	Public Health Studies	Glen Mills, Pennsylvania
* ^	John Wallace Schultz, summa cum laude	Political Science	Greenville, South Carolina
	Michaela Catherine Seay ■	Biology	Moneta, Virginia
	John Le Selby Anticipated August Graduate	Sociology	Salem, Virginia
	Matthew Preston Shay, cum laude	History	Roanoke, Virginia
	Mia Emily Shelton Anticipated August Graduate	Creative Writing	Henrico, Virginia
	Avery Elizabeth Shirley	Biology	Moseley, Virginia
	Austin Wayne Shively, magna cum laude	Biology	Roanoke City, Virginia
	Gurleen Kaur Singh, cum laude	Public Health Studies	Salem, Virginia
₽ ▲	Madison Elizabeth Leigh Smith, cum laude	History	Colorado Springs, Colorado

locelyn Elise Snader, cum laude Political Science New Windsor, Maryland Anna Rose Stafford, cum laude Criminal Justice Hampton Falls, New Hampshire Sara Kang Stauffer Criminal Justice Salem, Virginia Kaysie Nicole Steele History Salem, Virginia Anticipated August Graduate Owen Charles Steen Vienna, Virginia History ▲ * Ethan Paul Stevenson, Salutatorian Economics, Political Science Apex, North Carolina summa cum laude Kimberly Rose Stokes ■ Creative Writing Spring, Texas **Brandy Christine Suggs** Criminal Justice Blackstone, Virginia Anticipated August Graduate 🖡 🛦 * James Gray Suleyman, Valedictorian Criminal Justice, Sociology Taylors, South Carolina summa cum laude Anthony James Sullivan **Economics** Huntersville, North Carolina Sean David Swenson Political Science Saratoga Springs, New York Zachary Ryan Thornhill, magna cum laude Creative Writing, Screen Studies Roanoke, Virginia 🛊 * Joseph Nicholas Tonn, magna cum laude **Biochemistry** Raleigh, North Carolina Julia Ann-Marie Tosoni **Education Studies** Roanoke, Virginia Anticipated August Graduate Peyton Read Townsend, magna cum laude Creative Writing, Screen Studies, Saco, Maine Literary Studies Connor Lockwood Van Orden Health and Exercise Science Hayes, Virginia Cara Nicole Viele Public Health Studies Wiscasset, Maine * * Sydney Ellen Wagner, summa cum laude Plantsville, Connecticut Creative Writing, Sociology Ethan Patrick Walker Warrenton, Virginia History ▲ Christopher Noah Walton, magna cum laude Criminal Justice, History Lansdale, Pennsylvania Tori Michele Weed, magna cum laude International Relations, Spanish Shelton, Connecticut Zachary Anderson White, cum laude Economics, Data Science Norfolk, Massachusetts **James Wyatt Whitlow** Communication Studies Salem, Virginia Anticipated August Graduate **Avery Madison Wolff** Art Columbia, South Carolina 🛊 Flores Feng Wu, magna cum laude Sociology Alajuela, Costa Rica

Economics

Troutville, Virginia

Nicholas Alexander Young

Anticipated August Graduate

	Olivia Susanne Aaron, cum laude	Environmental Studies, Spanish	Martinsville, Virginia
	William Jackson Abdi	Sport Management	Halifax, Virginia
	Abdullah Isam Abdulkhaleq	Biology	Roanoke, Virginia
	Andrew Michael Adams Anticipated August Graduate	Psychology	Roanoke, Virginia
	David Gene Adams, III	Biology	Roanoke, Virginia
* *	Ariel Morgan Agner, summa cum laude	Health and Exercise Science	Abingdon, Virginia
	Laurel Wood Alderman, cum laude ■	Elementary Education	Roanoke, Virginia
	Alexandra Sunshine Anderson, cum laude ■	Biology	Roanoke, Virginia
	Kristina Jennifer Aucoin	Biology	Reston, Virginia
Ť	Elizabeth Caroline Bain Anticipated August Graduate	Psychology	Salem, Virginia
	Iva Mae Barnes, cum laude ■	Elementary Education	Salem, Virginia
	Emma Grace Joni Barnett Anticipated August Graduate	Sport Management	Powhatan, Virginia
	Olivia Reagan Bean Anticipated August Graduate	Psychology	Roanoke, Virginia
	Amanda Lynn Beard, summa cum laude	Mathematics	Granger, Indiana
	Sean Matthew Beardsley, cum laude	Computer Science	Bakersfield, California
	Madeline Marie Bergeron, cum laude	Mathematics	Herndon, Virginia
	Jessica McKinley Billingsley	Biology	Roanoke, Virginia
	Connor Patrick Bitz Anticipated August Graduate	Psychology	Owings Mills, Maryland
	Alana Grace Blosser	Biology	Glen Allen, Virginia
	Brennan Nicholas Bosque Anticipated August Graduate	Actuarial Science	Gainesville, Virginia
	Margriet Jeanine Bostoen	Psychology	Bonita Springs, Florida
	Emma Marie Bradbury	Mathematics	Troutville, Virginia
	Lindsey Marie Breidenfeld ■	Actuarial Science	Ashburn, Virginia
	Olivia Anne Brichter ■	Psychology	Chesapeake, Virginia
	Keara Paige Burgoyne	Health and Exercise Science	Roanoke, Virginia
	Parker Channing Burke, cum laude ■	Biology	South Hill, Virginia
	Madison Elizabeth Burnette Anticipated August Graduate	Environmental Studies	Rocky Mount, Virginia
	Michael McLaughlin Calvert, cum laude	Biology	Lynchburg, Virginia
	Marissa Ann Campana, cum laude	Sport Management	Whiting, New Jersey
	Kaleigh Anne Campbell	Elementary Education	Ferrisburgh, Vermont
*	Talia Maryann Cartafalsa , Valedictorian summa cum laude	Environmental Studies, Chemistry	Massapequa, New York
	Alan Imanol Castellon	Physics, Engineering Science	Manassas, Virginia
	Emma Marie Chamberland, cum laude	Psychology	Salem, Virginia
*	Emma Grae Chapman	Health and Exercise Science	Fredericksburg, Virginia
	Naol Dagnachew Cheru, cum laude ■	Biochemistry	Salem, Virginia
* *	Sophia Margaret Chickering, summa cum laude	Environmental Studies	Naples, Florida
	Emma Marie Clark, cum laude	Psychology	Pleasant Prairie, Wisconsin

	Ryanna Rae Clark	Psychology	Troutville, Virginia
	Katelynn Raychelle Collier	Health and Exercise Science	San Diego, California
	Ellington Thomas Cooke, cum laude	Psychology	Ellicott City, Maryland
	Ashley Summer Curtice, cum laude	Environmental Studies	Gainesville, Virginia
_	Taylor Ann Darling	Psychology	Bradenton, Florida
	Jordyn Victoria DiFava	Psychology	Lewes, Delaware
	Joshua James Dionne	Actuarial Science	Bowdoinham, Maine
	Ryan Alexander Doss, cum laude	Environmental Studies	Warrenton, Virginia
	Paige Kathryn Duncan ■	Mathematics	Salem, Virginia
	Victoria Paige Duncan, magna cum laude	Environmental Studies, Biology	Waldorf, Maryland
	Ciara Nikole Fadeley, magna cum laude □	Psychology	Woodstock, Virginia
	Victoria Lee Falb ■	Health and Exercise Science	Locust Grove, Virginia
	Halle Elizabeth Fernstrum, cum laude	Data Science	Cary, North Carolina
	Edwin Harris Fort, magna cum laude	Computer Science, Mathematics	Nottingham, Maryland
	Ryan Jackson Foutz	Sport Management	Roanoke, Virginia
	Grace Ann Fowler Anticipated August Graduate	Environmental Studies	Lewisville, North Carolina
	Gabriella Virginia Fox	Environmental Studies	Bridgewater, Virginia
	Olivia Grace Furrow ■	Elementary Education	Roanoke, Virginia
	Bailey Catherine Gallagher	Sport Management	Mount Pleasant, South Carolina
*	Taylor Ann Gallik, cum laude	Health and Exercise Science	Memphis, Tennessee
Ť	Haylee Noelani Gamble, magna cum laude	Health and Exercise Science, Art	New Smyrna Beach, Florida
	Eliana Patricia Glover, magna cum laude	Elementary Education	Manassas, Virginia
	Noah Thomas Goad	Sport Management	Hudson, Ohio
	Andrew Joseph Goodridge	Sport Management	New Market, Maryland
	Grace Jillian Hall	Biology	White Hall, Maryland
Ť	Madison Laurel Hall, magna cum laude	Environmental Studies	Salem, Virginia
*	Ainsley Nicole Harris, summa cum laude	Elementary Education	Roanoke, Virginia
	Nicole Marie Harrison, cum laude	Psychology, Communication Studies	Newton, Massachusetts
Ŷ	Connor Harold Hart, magna cum laude	Biology	Rindge, New Hampshire
Ť	Huda Hashash, magna cum laude ■	Biochemistry	Nablus, Palestine
	Elijah Blake Hayes	Psychology	Pound, Virginia
* *	Dennis William Hepworth, magna cum laude	Chemistry	Chattanooga, Tennessee
	Timothy William Hoffstaetter	Psychology	Smithfield, Virginia
	Katherine Evelyn Houle, magna cum laude	Health and Exercise Science	Williamsburg, Virginia
*	Robert Andrew Hoye	Physics, Engineering Science	Fair Haven, New Jersey
	Olivia Madison Hurley, magna cum laude	Psychology	Louisa, Virginia
* *	Noah Austin Isaacs, magna cum laude	Mathematics	Chesterfield, Virginia
	Matthew Robert Jahries ■	Sport Management	Baltimore, Maryland
	Adler Paige Jenkins	Psychology	Middleburg, Virginia
	Lucas Aiden Kammerman Anticipated August Graduate	Sport Management	Monroe, Connecticut
	Haley Rose Keene, summa cum laude	Biochemistry	Abingdon, Virginia

🕴 Hope Victoria Keller, magna cum laude	Health and Exercise Science	Pasadena, Maryland
▲ Sean William Kennedy, Valedictorian summa cum laude	Actuarial Science	Houston, Texas
Zachary Jay King	Biology	Gettysburg, Pennsylvania
• * Zachary David Kriebel, magna cum laude	Chemistry	Peterborough, New Hampshire
* Anna Grace Lane, magna cum laude	Elementary Education, Religious Studies	Cary, North Carolina
Jasmine Michelle Laramay, cum laude	Biology	Virginia Beach, Virginia
🛊 * Ainsley Jacqueline Lederer, magna cum laude	Biochemistry	Langhorne, Pennsylvania
Taylor Matthew Lewis ■	Data Science	Buford, Georgia
Elijah Maurice Lotharp	Sport Management	Marshville, North Carolina
Cara Denise Martin	Mathematics	Vinton, Virginia
Kelsey Paige Martin ■	Health and Exercise Science	Wilmington, Delaware
Casey Nicole McGirt ■	Psychology	Amarillo, Texas
Raegan Nicole Middelthon, summa cum laude	Psychology	Falls Church, Virginia
Katherine Rose Mitkos, cum laude	Biology	Troutville, Virginia
Scott Ryan Muller ■	Actuarial Science	Aldie, Virginia
Meghan Colleen Murphy, cum laude	Elementary Education	Dumfries, Virginia
Elizabeth Danielle Newmiller Anticipated August Graduate	Biology	Hampton, Virginia
Kaitlyn Ngan-Ha Nguyen	Elementary Education	Richmond, Virginia
Ethan Scott Nichols, magna cum laude	Psychology	Roanoke, Virginia
Kayla Marie Norton, cum laude	Elementary Education	Oxford, New Jersey
Fadzai Gracious Nyarugwe, magna cum laude	Environmental Studies	Bulawayo, Zimbabwe
Marlen Gabriela Orellana Paz	Biochemistry	North Chesterfield, Virginia
Cyrus Thomas Pace ■	Sport Management	Roanoke, Virginia
Austin Brian Parker	Biochemistry, Biology	Salisbury, North Carolina
Ethan Randall Parker Anticipated August Graduate	Psychology	Danville, Virginia
Haley Christine Patterson □	Psychology	Salem, Virginia
Olivia Ann Phelps Anticipated August Graduate	Environmental Studies	Crozet, Virginia
Carson Davis Pietruszynski	Sport Management	Williamsburg, Virginia
* Hannah Leith Pluim, cum laude ■	Psychology	Suffolk, Virginia
Lillian May Proctor Anticipated August Graduate	Psychology	Quicksburg, Virginia
Alexis Gwen Ratcliff	Health and Exercise Science	Palm Beach Gardens, Florida
Christopher Brian Resendiz, magna cum laude	Health and Exercise Science	Roanoke, Virginia
Jessica Megan Rhea , cum laude ■	Biology	Botetourt County, Virginia
Spencer William Rhoads Anticipated August Graduate	Sport Management	Lewisberry, Pennsylvania
Shaylan Victoria Richards Anticipated August Graduate	Psychology	Tabernacle, New Jersey
Sean Patrick Roeschke Anticipated August Graduate	Mathematics	Blacksburg, Virginia
Madison Lynn Rose ■	Elementary Education	Roanoke, Virginia

Cole Edwin Ruark ■ **Environmental Studies** Urbanna, Virginia Edward Francis Rygalski, summa cum laude Cortland, Ohio Psychology Shane Matthew Saunders, cum laude **Environmental Studies** Bristow, Virginia Tanvi Savarkar, cum laude Mathematics, Actuarial Science Mumbai, India Brian Alexander Schwenk, magna cum laude Psychology Floyd, Virginia Robert Logan Speight Psychology Goochland, Virginia Anticipated August Graduate William Connor Speight Biology Goochland, Virginia Anticipated August Graduate Lukasz Andrzej Stasiuk Psychology Raleigh, North Carolina Davin James Stevenson, magna cum laude Biology Chesapeake, Virginia Madeline Grace Stopkoski Health and Exercise Science Clinton, Connecticut Christopher William Suaso **Environmental Studies** Rock Hill, South Carolina 🕴 Rebekah Emily Sullivan, magna cum laude Mathematics West Kingston, Rhode Island **Environmental Studies** Nora Jane Terrill Roanoke, Virginia Erin Joy Trost, magna cum laude Physics, Mathematics Staunton, Virginia Kira Marie Turonis Whispering Pines, North Carolina Biology Psychology Lindsay Madeleine Twining Owings, Maryland ▲ Elise Kathryn Upright, magna cum laude Biology North Wales, Pennsylvania Emma Grace Valcourt, cum laude Biology Powhatan, Virginia Grace Lauren Vernarelli Sport Management Baldwin, Maryland Jonathan Michael Wall Health and Exercise Science Virginia Beach, Virginia Jody-Ann Kelissa Walters Psychology Woodbridge, Virginia **Emily Michelle Wasser** Environmental Studies, Political Science New Canaan, Connecticut Mary Warren Whitaker **Elementary Education** Darien, Connecticut Nicholas Alexander Witt, cum laude Health and Exercise Science Roanoke, Virginia Dairen Jamal Woolfolk Sport Management Moneta, Virginia Peyton Rosemarie Wright **Elementary Education** Monmouth, Maine Anticipated August Graduate Nicholas William Years Sport Management Boca Raton, Florida Amari Mychael Yerby Psychology Henrico, Virginia **Environmental Studies** Jamison Theodore Young, cum laude Bear, Delaware

Computer Science

Flemington, New Jersey

Iordan Alexander Young

Anticipated August Graduate

BACHELOR OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION **Emily Marie Arrington** Rocky Mount, Virginia Anticipated August Graduate Dylan Thomas Berk ■ Kannapolis, North Carolina Aidan Brenner Bishop Williamsburg, Virginia Morgan Raye Bomhardt Dagsboro, Delaware Madeline Fraser Boyd Boston, Massachusetts Anticipated August Graduate Benjamin Joseph Branic Ashburn, Virginia Lynchburg, Virginia Jack Wilson Brestel, magna cum laude Virginia Lee Bowles Carden ■ Princeton, New Jersey Nathan Michael Carey, magna cum laude Severna Park, Maryland Second Major: Economics Kyleigh Nicole Chickering, summa cum laude Naples, Florida Morgan McKenzie Clark, magna cum laude Madison, Virginia Tiernan Lodge Connor, cum laude Kennebunk, Maine • Katelyn Nicole Craghead, magna cum laude Franklin County, Virginia Kevin David Cruz Nolasco, cum laude Roanoke City, Virginia Second Major: Spanish Trent Matthew Dawson, cum laude Purcellville, Virginia John Thomas Dineen, Jr. Huntingtown, Maryland Webb Loftin Drescher Virginia Beach, Virginia Anticipated August Graduate James Henry Eddleton ■ Christiansburg, Virginia Lewis Christopher Edwards, cum laude High Wycombe, United Kingdom Troutville, Virginia John Lewis Etzler, VI, summa cum laude ■ Samuel Quinn Evans Cincinnati, Ohio Braeden Wayne Farrell Roanoke, Virginia Jordan David Fiorani, magna cum laude Clemmons, North Carolina Wynnewood, Pennsylvania

Paige Elizabeth Fisher, cum laude John Thomas Frye, III Bloomfield Hills, Michigan

Jack Ambler Gladden, cum laude Salem, Virginia James Davis Green Richmond, Virginia Enrique Antonio Grijalva Leesburg, Virginia

Second Major: Economics Joshua Michael Grossman, cum laude Magnolia, Delaware Jacob Wallace Harvey Roanoke, Virginia Gabriel Basilio Salomon Hendi, magna cum laude ■ Alexandria, Virginia

Lauren Elizabeth Hoffman Troutville, Virginia Jonathan Parker Keen, cum laude Warrenton, Virginia Karol Kevin Kusmierczuk, summa cum laude Clinton, North Carolina

Second Major: Data Science Justin Miles Kuthan Denver, North Carolina Klairha Elizabeth Larrabee Searsmont, Maine Riley Denton Linback Lafayette, Indiana

Anticipated August Graduate Roge Rosendo Lopez ■ Roanoke, Virginia

Second Major: Spanish

BACHELOR OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

Kathleen Mary Loughran, magna cum laude Greenwich, Connecticut

Second Major: Communication Studies

Christopher lack Marshall

Benjamin Riley MacLeod Virginia Beach, Virginia

Anticipated August Graduate

Charlottesville, Virginia

Margaret Kerrigan McFillen, summa cum laude ■ Berryville, Virginia

Jared Dwayne McIntyre Manassas, Virginia

Thomas Branen Mckeon
Anticipated August Graduate

Manassas, Virginia
Henrico, Virginia

 Dana Mae Meyer
 Long Valley, New Jersey

 Oratile Tiro Moeng □
 Egg Harbor City, New Jersey

 Julie Marie Morris, cum laude
 Roanoke, Virginia

 Zoey Lucille Nichols, magna cum laude
 Roanoke, Virginia

 Ethan Paul Palaskas
 Dalton, Pennsylvania

 Hanish Dilip Patel
 Salem, Virginia

 Jay Upendra Patel
 Roanoke, Virginia

 Timothy Patrick Patterson
 Roanoke, Virginia

Mary-Catherine O'Neil Petrucelli Midlothian, Virginia

Nehemiah John Pettis Westampton, New Jersey

Anticipated August Graduate

Judson Riley Powell Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania

Carolyn Ann Privette, magna cum laude Alexandria, Virginia
Second Major: Communication Studies

Brenden Kyle Reber, cum laudeBedford, VirginiaJonathon Rockwell Rossi, magna cum laudeCharlotte, North CarolinaColby Jonathan RoyHigh Point, North Carolina

Kasey Nicole Sarmiento

Hannah Renee Shay

Colette Ann Sparks

Grace Marie Taylor

Kasey Nicole Sarmiento

Warren, Connecticut

Keysville, Virginia

Cornelius, North Carolina

Roanoke, Virginia

Anticipated August Graduate

Matthew Andrew Tharpe
Nicholas Rae Tuttle
Allan John Twitty, Jr.
Pawling, New York

* Katherine Haley Vaughan, Valedictorian Salem, Virginia summa cum laude

Leonard Sethman Von Heill, III Vero Beach, Florida

Anticipated August Graduate

Madison Renee Walton
Anticipated August Graduate

Danville, Virginia

Grant Harrison Webster ■ Chatham, New Jersey

Brady Joseph Whilden Morrisville, North Carolina

Richard Howie Williamson, III, cum laude
Second Major: Economics

Charlotte, North Carolina

Jacob Alvin Winn Middlesex, Virginia

PHI BETA KAPPA

NU OF VIRGINIA CHAPTER

Phi Beta Kappa is the nation's oldest, largest, and most prestigious academic honor society. The Society's mission is fostering and recognizing excellent in the liberal arts and sciences. Faculty and staff key holders select students for this distinct honor based on the Society's stipulations for membership, which include students' intellectual and cultural interests and scholarly achievements at the College.

Ariel Morgan Agner	Huda Hashash	Ethan Randall Parker
Elizabeth Caroline Bain	Dennis William Hepworth	Jacob Glen Phillips
Talia Maryann Cartafalsa	Noah Ausin Isaacs	Christopher Brian Resendiz
Sophia Margaret Chickering	Hope Victoria Keller	John Wallace Schultz
Andrew McKinley Chitwood	Maxwell Edward Koch	Brian Alexander Schwenk
Julia Sibyl Coe	Zachary David Kriebel	Madison Elizabeth Leigh Smith
Sophia Marie Contini	Ainsley Jacqueline Lederer	Ethan Paul Stevenson
Haylee Noelani Gamble	Grace Marie Loftus	James Gray Suleyman
Autumn Michele Goff	Cameron Allen McDonald	Rebekah Emily Sullivan
Virginia Claire Graves	Adelle Rachel Mengedoht	Joseph Nicholas Tonn
Madison Laurel Hall	Caroline Matheson Nowell	Sydney Ellen Wagner
Gianna Nicole Hannum	Fadzai Gracious Nyarugwe	Tori Michele Weed
Tess Marie Harrington	Megan Alexandra Onofrei	Flores Feng Wu

Isabella Reece Owen

Connor Harold Hart

HONORS IN MAJORS

To qualify, students must graduate with a minimum grade point average of 3.4 in their major. They must also complete an honors project in their major, featuring a program of independent study which culminates in a paper, artistic creation, or performance.

Olivia Susanne Aaron, BS Honors in Environmental Studies

Michael McLaughlin Calvert, BS Honors in Biology

Marissa Ann Campana, BS Honors in Sport Management

Talia Maryann Cartafalsa, BS Honors in Environmental Studies

Sophia Margaret Chickering, BS Honors in Environmental Studies

Luke Paul Coburn, BA Honors in Public Health Studies

Julia Sibyl Coe, BA Honors in Philosophy

Tiernan Lodge Connor, BBA Honors in Business Administration

Ashley Summer Curtice, BS Honors in Environmental Studies

Taylor Ann Gallik, BS Honors in Health and Exercise Science

Eliana Patricia Glover, BS Honors in Elementary Education

Virginia Claire Graves, BA Honors in Communication Studies Ainsley Nicole Harris, BS Honors in Elementary Education

Connor Harold Hart, BS Honors in Biology

Huda Hashash, BS Honors in Biochemistry

Dennis William Hepworth, BS Honors in Chemistry

Hope Victoria Keller, BS Honors in Health and Exercise Science

Maxwell Edward Koch, BA Honors in Literary Studies Honors in French

Zachary David Kriebel, BS Honors in Chemistry

Anna Grace Lane, BS Honors in Elementary Education

Ainsley Jacqueline Lederer, BS Honors in Biochemistry

Grace Marie Loftus, BA Honors in Sociology

Cameron Allen McDonald, BA Honors in International Relations **Kayla Marie Norton**, BS Honors in Elementary Education

Caroline Matheson Nowell, BA Honors in Biochemistry

Edward Francis Rygalski, BS Honors in Psychology

Madison Elizabeth Leigh Smith, BA Honors in History

Davin James Stevenson, BS Honors in Biology

Ethan Paul Stevenson, BA Honors in Economics

Elise Kathryn Upright, BS Honors in Biology

Emma Grace Valcourt, BS Honors in Biology

Katherine Haley Vaughan, BBA Honors in Business Administration

Tori Michele Weed, BA Honors in Spanish

RECOGNITION FOR ACADEMIC EXCELLENCE 2023-2024

ALL COLLEGE AWARDS

Alpha Lambda Delta Award — Talia Maryann Cartafalsa; Sean William Kennedy; James Gray Suleyman; Katherine Haley Vaughan

Annie Terrill Bushnell Prize - Gianna Nicole Hannum

The Reverend Doctor John E. Bushnell Prize – Mateo Julian Biggs

ALPHA LAMBDA DELTA SENIOR CERTIFICATES

Graduates with a minimum 3.5 grade-point average — Ariel Morgan Agner; Christian Lee Akerberg; Erin Victoria Arthur; Elizabeth Caroline Bain; Iva Mae Barnes; Sean Matthew Beardsley; Madeline Marie Bergeron; Lindsay Grey Blanchfield; Jack Wilson Brestel; Lilly Elizabeth Burns; Talia Maryann Cartafalsa; Kyleigh Nicole Chickering; Sophia Margaret Chickering; Andrew McKinley Chitwood; Morgan McKenzie Clark; Julia Sibyl Coe; Sophia Marie Contini; Ellington Thomas Cooke; Katelyn Nicole Craghead; Elle Rae Crawford; Jacob Daniel Dellinger; Victoria Paige Duncan; Paige Elizabeth Fisher; Taylor Ann Gallik; Charlotte Price Gaston; Eliana Patricia Glover; Autumn Michele Goff; Virginia Claire Graves; Tess Marie Harrington; Ainsley Nicole Harris; Huda Hashash; Madison Laurel Holbert; Olivia Madison Hurley; Haley Rose Keene; Hope Victoria Keller; Sean William Kennedy; Maxwell Edward Koch; Zachary David Kriebel; Elizabeth Kristine Krull; Karol Kevin Kusmierczuk; Haley Nicole LaRuffa; Ainsley Jacqueline Lederer; Grace Marie Loftus; Chelsea Lynne Lopes; Cameron Allen McDonald; Tessa Keefe McMillan; Adelle Rachel Mengedoht; Rebecca Jane Moorman; Samantha Clarke Murphy; Zoey Lucille Nichols; Caroline Matheson Nowell; Megan Alexandra Onofrei; Ethan Randall Parker; Kallie Danielle Parrish; Makenna Elizabeth Prillaman; Lillian May Proctor; Jordan Lindsay Rearick; Brenden Kyle Reber; Edward Francis Rygalski; Jocelyn Elise Snader; Ethan Paul Stevenson; James Gray Suleyman; Rebekah Emily Sullivan; Joseph Nicholas Tonn; Peyton Read Townsend; Emma Grace Valcourt; Katherine Haley Vaughan; Sydney Ellen Wagner; Christopher Noah Walton; Tori Michele Weed; Nicholas Alexander Witt; Peyton Rosemarie Wright; Jamison Theodore Young

DEPARTMENTAL AWARDS

BIOLOGY

Senior Scholar in Biology - Elise Kathryn Upright

Gary Wesley Leonard Memorial Award in Biology – Connor Harold Hart; Jordan Lindsay Rearick;
Davin James Stevenson

Dr. George G. Peery Achievement Award - Victoria Paige Duncan; Zachary Jay King

BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION AND ECONOMICS

Senior Scholar in Business Administration – Katherine Haley Vaughan

Senior Scholar in Economics – Ethan Paul Stevenson

Omicron Delta Epsilon Award – Richard Howie Williamson, III

Outstanding Student in Accounting – Morgan McKenzie Clark

Outstanding Student in Business Administration – Karol Kevin Kusmierczuk

Outstanding Student in Economics – Nicholas Alexander Young

Outstanding Student in Finance – Sean William Kennedy

Outstanding Student in Global Business – Katherine Haley Vaughan

Outstanding Student in Marketing – Katelyn Nicole Craghead

The Dr. William A. Sandridge Leadership Award – Lewis Christopher Edwards

CHEMISTRY

Senior Scholar in Biochemistry - Haley Rose Keene

Senior Scholar in Chemistry – Talia Maryann Cartafalsa

American Institute of Chemists Student Award – Dennis William Hepworth

Health Professions Award – Caroline Matheson Nowell

James Lewis Howe Award - Zachary David Kriebel

John D. Schumacher Endowed Chemistry Award – Ainsley Jacqueline Lederer

Undergraduate Award in Analytical Chemistry – Joseph Nicholas Tonn

EDUCATION

Senior Scholar in Biology Education – Caroline Elizabeth Bowman

Senior Scholar in Education Studies – Haley Nicole LaRuffa

Senior Scholar in Elementary Education – Ainsley Nicole Harris

Senior Scholar in English Education – Makenna Elizabeth Prillaman

Senior Scholar in Mathematics Education — Breana Marie Brennan

Senior Scholar in Music Education – Elizabeth Lee Dameron

Senior Scholar in Teaching English as a Second Language – Kelys La'Shae Rouse

Senior Scholar in Theatre Education – Jacob Daniel Dellinger

Outstanding Senior in Education - Peyton Rosemarie Wright

Michael J. Sandridge Award for Excellence – Meghan Colleen Murphy

ENGLISH AND COMMUNICATION STUDIES

Senior Scholar in Communication Studies – Virginia Claire Graves

Senior Scholar in Creative Writing - Sydney Ellen Wagner

Senior Scholar in Literary Studies - Adelle Rachel Mengedoht

Senior Scholar in Screen Studies – Peyton Read Townsend

English Department Teaching Award – Caitlin Annelise Campbell

Gender and Women's Studies Concentration Best Major Research Project Award – Kaylee Cheyenne Belcher

The Anna Morgan Award for Excellence in Communication Studies – Tessa Keefe McMillan

Outstanding Engagement Award in Disability Studies – Timothy William Hoffstaetter

Outstanding Senior in Disability Studies – Hope Victoria Keller

Outstanding Student in Gender and Women's Studies Concentration – Flores Feng Wu

Outstanding Student in Publishing and Edition – Mateo Julian Biggs

Jeanne and Ray Robinson Endowed Prize – Mateo Julian Biggs

Screen Studies Outstanding Performance Award – Joseph Richard Bednarczuk

ENVIRONMENTAL STUDIES

Senior Scholar in Environmental Studies – Talia Maryann Cartafalsa

Environmental Studies Research Award - Nora Jane Terrill

FINE ARTS

Senior Scholar in Art - Haylee Noelani Gamble

Senior Scholar in Art History - Julia Sibyl Coe

Fine Arts Prize, Art - Joseph Stefano Kenney

Fine Arts Prize, Art History and Archaeology – Reagan Elizabeth Reffke

Fine Arts Prize, Music - Elizabeth Lee Dameron

Sam Robert Good Award – Emery Anais Hampton

Outstanding Gallery Assistant – Ryanna Rae Clark

HEALTH AND HUMAN PERFORMANCE

Senior Scholar in Health and Exercise Science – Ariel Morgan Agner

Senior Scholar in Sport Management – Marissa Ann Campana

Health and Human Performance Departmental Award Health and Exercise Science – Hope Victoria Keller

Health and Human Performance Departmental Award Sport Management – Nicholas William Years

HISTORY

Senior Scholar in History – Camille Elise Carter

Harry J. Breithaupt Award – Daniel Christopher McDonough

The Brian Keith Award — Alyssa Leeann Rose

The Kim Kyusik Award - Flores Feng Wu

The Susan P. Millinger Award – Matthew Preston Shay

Outstanding Student in African and African Diaspora Studies Concentration – Mihdi Vuyiya Agbaw

Outstanding Student in Public History – Lindsay Grey Blanchfield

Dr. Harry E. Poindexter Award – Isabella Reece Owen; Christopher Noah Walton

The Roy H. Ritter Southern History Prize – Madison Elizabeth Leigh Smith

MATHEMATICS, COMPUTER SCIENCE, PHYSICS

Senior Scholar in Actuarial Science – Sean William Kennedy

Senior Scholar in Computer Science – Edwin Harris Fort

Senior Scholar in Data Science – Karol Kevin Kusmierczuk

Senior Scholar in Mathematics – Amanda Lynn Beard

Senior Scholar in Physics - Erin Joy Trost

Julia McBriety Chalfant Memorial Award – Rebekah Emily Sullivan

William Ergle Memorial Award – Lily Faith Harmison

Herta T. Fretag Mathematics Award – Noah Austin Isaacs

Frank Munley Physics Award - Robert Andrew Hoye

Physics Outreach and Service Award - Erin Joy Trost

MODERN LANGUAGES

Senior Scholar in Modern Languages (French) – Maxwell Edward Koch

Senior Scholar in Modern Languages (Spanish) – Tori Michele Weed

Patricia Dragon Jordahl Award for Service in Modern Languages (French) – Maxwell Edward Koch

Patricia Dragon Jordahl Award for Service in Modern Languages (Spanish) – Alyssa Leeann Rose

Evan W. Lindsey Memorial Prize - Cameron Allen McDonald

Outstanding Student in French – Elizabeth Caroline Bain

Outstanding Student in German – Cameron Allen McDonald

Outstanding Student in Spanish – Kevin David Cruz Nolasco

PSYCHOLOGY

Senior Scholar in Psychology — Raegan Nicole Middelthon

Karl W. Beck Memorial Prize – Raegan Nicole Middelthon

Curt R. Camac Student Research Award – Elizabeth Caroline Bain; Ethan Randall Parker;

Edward Francis Rygalski

The Charles E. Early Award – Elizabeth Caroline Bain; Timothy William Hoffstaetter

The Jan H. Lynch Human Development Concentration Award – Emma Marie Clark; Ethan Scott Nichols; Sydney Ellen Wagner

Outstanding Student in Neuroscience Concentration – Andrew McKinley Chitwood; Edward Francis Rygalski Psi Chi Achievement Award – Raegan Nicole Middelthon

PUBLIC AFFAIRS

Senior Scholar in Criminal Justice – James Gray Suleyman

Senior Scholar in International Relations – Cameron Allen McDonald

Senior Scholar in Political Science – Ethan Paul Stevenson

C. William Hill, Jr., Criminal Justice Award – Lilly Elizabeth Burns

The Will Selzer Political Science Award – Megan Alexandra Onofrei

Howard Warshawsky International Relations Award – Tori Michele Weed

RELIGION AND PHILOSOPHY

Senior Scholar in Philosophy – Julia Sibyl Coe

Senior Scholar in Religious Studies — Anna Grace Lane

John T. Bowman Memorial Award – Rebecca Jane Moorman

The Mary Cooper Williams Memorial Award – Tess Marie Harrington

The Rev. Dr. Paul L. Yount Prize - Lily Faith Harmison

SOCIOLOGY AND PUBLIC HEALTH STUDIES

Senior Scholar in Public Health Studies – Gianna Nicole Hannum

Senior Scholar in Sociology — James Gray Suleyman

Alpha Kappa Delta Award – Grace Marie Loftus

C. Randolph Benson Applied Research Award – Gianna Nicole Hannum

Edward J. Hamilton Award — Andrew McKinley Chitwood; Lily Faith Harmison; Morgan Weiss O'Neill

Outstanding Student in the Crime, Deviance, and Social Control Concentration - Grace Marie Loftus

OTHER AWARDS

2023 – 2024 Fintel Senior Scholarship Recipients – Brittany Nicole Barnett; Sean Matthew Beardsley;
Brennan Nicholas Bosque; Marissa Ann Campana; Sophia Marie Contini; Haylee Noelani Gamble;
Gianna Nicole Hannum; Kelys La'Shae Rouse; Madison Elizabeth Leigh Smith; James Gray Suleyman;
Emma Grace Valcourt; Tori Michele Weed; Nicholas Alexander Young

2023 – 2024 Summer Scholars — Talia Maryann Cartafalsa; Virginia Claire Graves; Dennis William Hepworth; Timothy William Hoffstaetter; Noah Austin Isaacs; Raegan Nicole Middelthon; Austin Brian Parker; Madison Elizabeth Leigh Smith; James Gray Suleyman; Emma Grace Valcourt; Jordan Alexander Young

The Morehead Award – Huda Hashash; Raegan Nicole Middelthon; Tanvi Savarkar

SENIOR CLASS 2024 GIFT PROGRAM

Listed below are members of the Class of 2024 who have given to the Senior Class Gift Program.

Ms. Olivia S. Aaron Ms. Ariel M. Agner Ms. Olivia R. Bean Mr. Jake V. Berecz Ms. Madeline M. Bergei

Ms. Madeline M. Bergeron Mr. Aidan B. Bishop Ms. Alana G. Blosser Ms. Olivia A. Brichter Ms. Sydney G. Brown Ms. Marissa A. Campana Mr. Nathan M. Carey Ms. Talia M. Cartafalsa Ms. Abby J. Casen

Ms. Julia S. Coe Ms. Katelynn R. Collier Ms. Maura C. Conroy Mr. Damon S. Daniels Mr. James H. Eddleton Ms. Victoria L. Falb Mr. Jordan D. Fiorani

Ms. Laura N. Cilley

Ms. Charlotte P. Gaston Mr. Jack R. Graves Ms. Lily F. Harmison Mr. Jacob W. Harvey Mr. Dennis W. Hepworth Ms. Madison L. Holbert Ms. Isabella G. Holman Ms. Kaylon N. Hoover Ms. Ashton R. Howard

Ms. Paige E. Fisher

Ms. Olivia M. Hurley Mr. Matthew R. Jahries Mr. John E. Jakupciak Ms. Elizabeth M. Kaminski Mr. Lucas A. Kammerman Ms. Hope V. Keller

Ms. Namiaya E. Kelton Mr. Joseph S. Kenney Mr. Zachary D. Kriebel Ms. Haley N. LaRuffa Mr. Ethan P. Lawrence Ms. Grace M. Loftus Mr. Roge R. Lopez

Ms. Adelle R. Mengedoht

Ms. Kallie D. Parrish Mr. Timothy P. Patterson Ms. Carolyn A. Privette

Ms. Reagan E. Reffke Ms. Shaylan V. Richards Ms. Julia L. Romano Ms. Kelys L. Rouse Ms. Tanvi Savarkar

Ms. Hannah R. Shay Ms. Avery E. Shirley Mr. Ethan P. Stevenson

Nora J. Terrill

Mr. Matthew A. Tharpe
Ms. Kira M. Turonis
Ms. Elise K. Upright
Ms. Katherine H. Vaughan
Ms. Jody-Ann K. Walters
Mr. Dairen J. Woolfolk

ACADEMIC REGALIA

Ceremonial robes worn in the academic procession during Commencement exercises convey the breadth and intricate structure of the academic world.

Colors of diverse institutions and academic fields stand in high relief against the basic black of the caps and gowns. By its color(s), the lining of the hood represents the college or university that is conferring the degree.

Note the royal blue and gold of Roanoke College.

Gowns themselves are different shapes for bachelor's, master's and doctorate degrees.

The typical American cap is flat with a tassel draped over its front edge. Some colleges and universities in the United States and abroad use caps that are softly peaked or round and stiff.

In addition to traditional regalia, you will see some students at Roanoke's Commencement ceremony wearing honor cords and graduation stoles.

Honor cords consist of colorful twisted cords with tassels on the ends. The cords signify academic achievement or membership in a recognized academic honor group or society.

For graduates earning Latin honors, you will see specific solid-color honor cords: gold for summa cum laude, silver for magna cum laude, and white for cum laude.

Graduation stoles are decorative vestments worn by members of a college organization.

The stoles recognize membership or participation.

The cord and stole color and design are specific to a recognized academic honor or group.

Hoods also differ in shape for each of the traditional degrees. The edge of the hood and the chevrons and piping of the gown mark the field of study, according to the following scheme:

Agriculture – Maize Medicine – Green Arts, Letters, Humanities – White Music – Pink

Commerce, Business – Drab and Sapphire Blue Oratory – Silver Gray

Economics – Copper Philosophy – Dark Blue
Education – Light Blue Physical Education – Sage Green

Engineering – Orange Public Administration – Peacock Blue

Fine Arts, Architecture – Brown

Journalism – Crimson

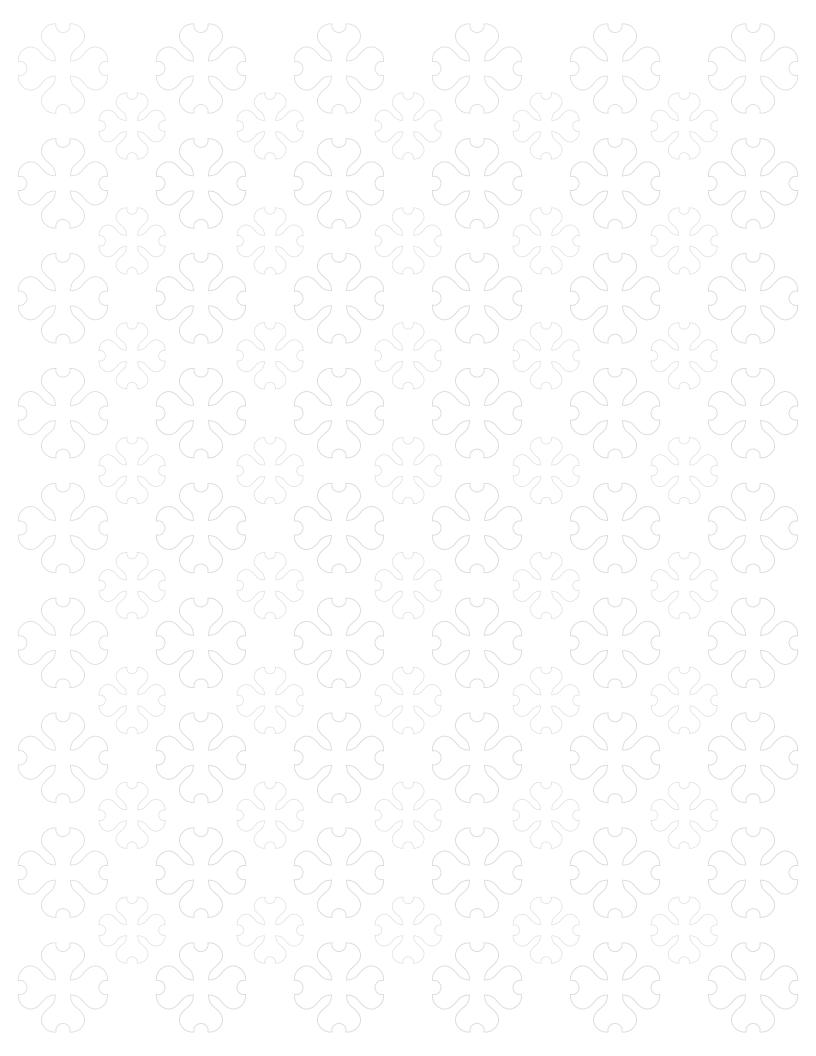
Law – Purple

Science – Golden Yellow

Social Work – Citron

Theology – Scarlet

Library Science – Lemon





THE ROANOKE COLLEGE MACE

The Roanoke mace was presented to the College in 1996 by the four daughters of Hartselle DeBurney Kinsey 1921. The mace is dedicated to Mr. Kinsey, who was devoted to Roanoke College as a student, teacher, advocate and trustee.

Maces date back to the Middle Ages, when they were used as weapons. Today, they are primarily symbols of academic authority used at formal convocations and commencement ceremonies.

Roanoke College's mace was designed by Susannah Wagner Merritt, a British-trained goldsmith and jeweler in Ashland, Virginia. Also involved in its making were a jeweler, engraver, stonecutter, glassblower and woodcrafter. The mace features a sterling silver headpiece, which is adorned with garnets and engraved symbols representing subjects cherished by Mr. Kinsey, an American walnut baluster (or wooden stem) and a medallion engraved with a replica of the College seal on one side and the symbol of the Evangelical Lutheran Church in America on the reverse. A maroon hand-blown glass globe honoring the College colors rests inside the sterling silver cage of the headpiece. The cage features architectural elements from Miller Hall and rests on a base that includes a fleur-de-lis pattern found in wrought ironwork around campus.

THE ROANOKE COLLEGE SEAL

The seal of the College was approved by the Board of Trustees in April of 1964. It features a shield in national blue emblazoned with a mandarin yellow cross, representing Roanoke College's relationship with the Lutheran Church. The cross symbolizes the Christian values inherent in our culture, and above it is the lamp of knowledge. The white dogwood flower on the shield symbolizes the Commonwealth of Virginia.



The motto, "PALMAM QUI MERUIT FERAT," means "Let him who earns the palm wear it." The palm is symbolic of the palm leaf that was given in honor of excellence in ancient Greece.



Roanoke has a special Snapchat filter for 2024 graduates. It's only available during Commencement on Saturday. The official hashtag for the Roanoke College Class of 2024 is #maroons2024. Go Maroons!









