

Hamilton College

Commencement



Clinton, New York
May 21, 2006

The Academic Procession

The Academic Procession is led by the national and collegiate flags. The College Marshal is followed by the Dean of Students. Four Associate and Assistant Deans act as marshals for the Baccalaureate candidates. The Faculty, with its marshals, precedes the platform party, which includes the Chairman of the Board of Trustees, the President of the College, the Dean of the Faculty, and the honorary degree recipients and their presenters. Following the platform party are the Trustees and local officials. The College Marshal carries a staff originally designed by Professor Thomas E. Colby and first carried by him at the 1968 Hamilton Commencement.

Academic Regalia

Academic Regalia derive much of their general style and symbolism from the gowns, cowls and caps of the medieval universities of Paris, Bologna, Oxford and Cambridge. In 1895 most colleges and universities in the United States agreed to a common intercollegiate code. The bachelor's gown has long pointed sleeves, and the master's has long squared sleeves with a slit for the arm. The doctor's gown is faced with velvet and has three velvet bars on each sleeve. In recent years some institutions have permitted the gown to be of the school's colors instead of the traditional black. The President and the Dean wear caps and gowns designed for Hamilton College. The President also wears a special medallion created as a symbol of her office by Ralph Menconi '36. The academic hood, a descendant of the medieval cowl, indicates the wearer's degree, field of study and the degree-granting institution. The width of the velvet facing indicates the degree and its color the field of study: white for Arts and Letters; dark blue for Philosophy; scarlet for Theology; golden yellow for Science. The lining of the hood is in the color of the degree-granting institution: Hamilton's is blue with a buff chevron. A poem popular in the 16th century says of the cap that "Tis square like scholars and their books."

The Hamilton Diploma

The Hamilton Diploma, written in Latin, continues the medieval tradition of considering undergraduates to be apprentices who, having completed their apprenticeship, are now allowed to "commence." Here is an English translation of the diploma, done as if it were being presented to Alexander Hamilton himself:

Hamilton College in the State of New York extends its most cordial greetings to all who witness this document.

Know ye that ALEXANDER HAMILTON has studied the best of the sciences and arts with sufficient enthusiasm to be recognized as someone worthy of receiving the customary rewards of distinction.

Wherefore Hamilton College declares and appoints this person BACHELOR OF ARTS and by virtue of this diploma confers upon him the power to enjoy the rights and privileges unique to that title.

In witness whereof the Trustees of this College have caused their seal and the signatures of the President and Dean to be affixed at the foot of this document.

Bestowed in the chambers of the College on the 21st day of May, 2006, the 194th year of the College.

Seal

President

Dean

For those who have done exceptionally well, the diploma reads BACHELOR OF ARTS WITH THE HIGHEST DISTINCTION (*Summa cum Laude*), BACHELOR OF ARTS WITH GREAT DISTINCTION (*Magna cum Laude*), or BACHELOR OF ARTS WITH DISTINCTION (*Cum Laude*).

America the Beautiful

O beautiful for spacious skies,
For amber waves of grain,
For purple mountain majesties
Above the fruited plain!
America! America!
God shed his grace on thee,
And crown thy good
with brotherhood
From sea to shining sea.

O beautiful for pilgrim feet,
Whose stern impassioned stress,
A thoroughfare for freedom beat,
Across the wilderness.
America! America!
God mend thine ev'ry flaw,
Confirm thy soul
in self-control,
Thy liberty in law.

Katharine Lee Bates

Carissima

M. W. Stryker 1872
(Adapted)

The musical score consists of four staves of music in G clef, common time, and a key signature of one flat. The lyrics are written below each staff, corresponding to the melody. The lyrics are as follows:

Dear is thy home - stead, glade and glen, Fair is the light that
Haunt-ing our hearts in ab - sent days, Call-ing us back from
Mem - o - ry still shall close en - fold, Bring-ing us joys of

crowns thy brow; Gath - er we close to thee a - gain,
stress and storm, Ten - der - ly all thy good old ways
days of yore; Faith shall thy con - stant fame up - hold,

Moth - er, all - lov - ing thou hast been, Our own sweet La - dy
Shine in thy smiles; be love thy praise! Thine arms are ev - er
While years, Ca - ris - si - ma, grow cold. We love thee ev - er -

thou!_____ Our own sweet La - dy thou!
warm,_____ Thine arms are ev - er warm.
more,_____ We love thee ev - er - more.

Order of Exercises

Processional

Bagpipes of the Mohawk Valley Frasers

Call to Order

The College Marshal
John H. O'Neill

Invocation

The College Chaplain
Jeffrey H. McArn

“America the Beautiful”

Welcome

The President of the College
Joan Hinde Stewart

On Behalf of the Board of Trustees
Stuart L. Scott '61

The James Soper Merrill Prize Winner
Haley R. Reimbold '06

Award of Honors and Prizes

Vice President for Academic Affairs and Dean of the Faculty
David C. Paris '71

Award of Honorary Degrees

The President

“No Fear”

Anna Quindlen

Motet

Bogoródítse Dévo
Sergei Rachmaninoff (1873-1943)

The Hamilton College Choir
G. Roberts Kolb, Director

Award of Degrees in Course

The President and the Dean

The audience is requested to withhold applause until all degrees have been awarded.

Valedictory

Matthew D. Danziger '06

Charge to the Graduates

The President

“Carissima”

Benediction

The College Chaplain

Recessional

Bagpipes of the Mohawk Valley Frasers

The audience is requested to remain until the procession has retired.

Candidates for Honorary Degrees

Doctors of Humane Letters

Judith and Bill Moyers

Presented by Elizabeth J. McCormack, *Life Trustee*

As husband and wife, and as associates in television broadcasting, Bill and Judith Davidson Moyers have been called “the outstanding journalistic team of our time.” Especially known for their award-winning work on PBS, they have produced, through their independent company Public Affairs TV, of which Judith Moyers is president and executive producer, some of the finest and most incisive public affairs programming to be aired on television. In the Edward R. Murrow tradition, they have forthrightly addressed controversial issues and challenged our collective conscience as Americans.

Doctor of Laws

Joseph S. Nye, Jr.

Presented by Mary Burke Partridge, *Charter Trustee*

University Distinguished Service Professor and former dean of Harvard University’s Kennedy School of Government, Joseph S. Nye, Jr., a former Rhodes Scholar, is among the nation’s preeminent political scientists. His writings on international conflict and power have been highly influential in shaping the thinking of policy makers and others concerned with America’s international affairs.

Doctor of Literature

Anna Quindlen

Presented by Susan E. Skerritt K’77, *Charter Trustee*

Journalist and novelist Anna Quindlen first made her literary mark as a columnist for *The New York Times*. Over the past decade, the Pulitzer Prize winner has devoted her attention to fiction as well as non-fiction, and her novels have been warmly greeted by critics and readers alike. As a social critic, she offers perspectives, in a voice of strength and ringing clarity, on the incidents and concerns of our times.

Candidates for the Degree of Bachelor of Arts in Course

Summa Cum Laude

Nicholas LaDuc Campany
Ming Qiong Chen, ΦBK
Alan Thomas Clark, ΦBK
Valery Ann Danilack, ΦBK, ΣΞ
Matthew David Danziger, ΦBK, ΣΞ
Svetoslav Misak Derderyan, ΦBK
Qi Ge, ΦBK
Gregory Stephen Gencarello, ΦBK
Thomas Theodore Heacock, ΦBK

Jason Drew Hecht, ΦBK
Adam Jason Hiller, ΦBK
Allison Therese Krutul, ΦBK
Deanna Marie Kulacz, ΦBK
Sarah Elizabeth Lozo, ΦBK
Megan Elizabeth Malone, ΦBK
Colin Christian Mortensen, ΦBK
Josephine Mary Paz, ΦBK
Anne Katherine Schlesinger, ΦBK

Amy Elizabeth Schloerb, ΦBK
Sarah Elizabeth Schmidt, ΦBK, ΣΞ
Sarah Rachel Schol, ΦBK
Daniel Bradley Seeger, ΦBK, ΣΞ
Matthew Chartier Smith, ΦBK
Brian James Sweeney, ΦBK
Tristan Henry Tomlinson, ΦBK

Magna Cum Laude

Erin Emily Altman
Gregory Lewis Armstrong, ΣΞ
Caroline Selleck Beaudriais, ΦBK
Daniel Adam Bleeker
Seth Stanley Coburn, ΦBK
Michael John Coffey
Matthew Alan Colman
Patrick Giddings Cooke
Emily Catherine Dick, ΦBK
Anne Merriam Donohue-Rolfe, ΦBK
Andrew Charles Fulton, ΦBK
Jessica Marina Glidden
Daniel David Gottlieb, ΦBK
Helena Harriet Isabel Grabo, ΦBK, ΣΞ
Sarah-Marie Jacklin Gross, ΦBK
Karen Lynn Haedrich, ΦBK
Sharon Marie Hakim, ΦBK

Matthew David Handelman, ΦBK
Ann Minna Horwitz, ΦBK
Jennifer Maryn Kahn, ΦBK
Mark Charles Kasdorf
Heather Dawn King, ΦBK
Elisabeth Christine Krainer, ΦBK
Karilyn Theresa Melanie Larkin, ΦBK, ΣΞ
Adrienne Elizabeth Liddic, ΦBK
Eric Frazer Lock, ΦBK, ΣΞ
Emily Ruth Luidens, ΦBK
John Macduffie Lynch, ΦBK
Ian Bernard Mandel
Courtney Forbes McBride, ΦBK
Grant Carlos McSurdy, ΦBK, ΣΞ
Sarah Elizabeth Miller
Renita Johana Moniaga, ΦBK
Conor Andrew Moore, ΦBK

Charles Joseph Neff, Jr., ΦBK
Allison McCay Nichols, ΣΞ
Carlyn Anne Patterson, ΦBK, ΣΞ
Kosta Popović, ΦBK, ΣΞ
Haley Rae Reimbold
Meghan June Rose
Emily Summerfield Rowland, ΦBK
Michael Leo Salmon
Dorothy Ellen Schug
Jordan Thomas Shedlock
Scott Alexander Siskind
Katherine Corning Spencer
John Edward Steinberg, ΦBK, ΣΞ
Arlo Gilbert Storey
Claire Pierrette Terraillon, ΦBK
Jessica Lynn Wagoner, ΣΞ
Justin Paul Young, ΦBK

Cum Laude

Christopher Eliot Abbott
Sara Elizabeth Bert
Whitney Jordan Bull
Kristina Maryann Cerrone
Douglas Andrew Chiciak
Emily Sarah Colbert
Erica Ann Colligan, ΣΞ
Heather Denise Comforto
Adrienne Holm Cook
Benjamin Ely Critton
Meghan Elizabeth Dunn, ΣΞ
Christopher Thomas Fazio
Katrina Anne Fredlund
Lela Cowan Gascoigne
Alicia Lynn Giglio
Amber Elizabeth Gillis
Adam Paul Gordon

Michael Eli Gruen
Colleen Marie Hallagan
Sara Jean Hamilton
Cameron McCartney Hanft
Amanda Rae Hannoosh
Julia Lauren Ho
Ellen Ruth Horbett
Donell O'Neil Hutson
Kalin Clark Jaffe
Anne Judith Kurtz, ΣΞ
Andrew Michael Kurz
Jennifer Marie Lattanzio
Mark Andrew Lutenski
Kelly Rae McCollum
Ernesto David Medina Gómez
Timothy Bell Moyer, Jr.
Peter Daniel Mucha

Kristen Marie Nielsen
Ryan Bradford Novak
Elisabeth Cady O'Bryon
Roxanne Paisible
Johanna Hollingsworth Reed
Katharine Elizabeth Riposta
Caitlin McGill Rochford
Danielle Marion Roper
Rebecca Lynne Shepherd
Kristen Leigh Sherry
Emma Timmins-Schiffman, ΣΞ
Matthew John Van Hook, ΣΞ
Kelly Marie Vaughan
Sarah Hillman Walsh
Douglas Wash Whittlesey
Jessica Kristin Wolinsky
Tracy Lynne Zaino, ΣΞ

Rite

Caroline Finucane Abbey
John Daly Adams
Christine Louise Agudelo
Zara Ahsanuddin
William Duncan Andersen
Kristen Laurel Archibald
William Axtell Arnold
Lawrence Lee Athan III
Taylor Emily Austin
Philip Marc Avallone
Emily Joy Baer
Sarah Johanna Zoë Baldwin
Aaron Francis Banewicz
Oriana Barros
Peter Christian Bartholomaus
Jordan Shulman Beckerman
Letty Bedard
Kimberlee Anne Beevers
Carolyn Packard Bell
Amanda Bennett
Charles Crawford Bent
Jamie Lynn Benway
Moses F. Berkowitz
Warren David Berkstresser
Andrew Ellis Berman
Amanda Suzanne Besinger
Kathryn Colby Bishop
Desdalin Jerrydene Black
Meghan Ann Blair
Paul Edward Bleiberg
Thomas Stockley Booth
Katharine Marie Borne
Edward Peter Bossange
Tyronne Marvin Bourne
Maura Weaver Boyle
Jane Meave Bradley
Kathryn Reese Branson
Benoît Emile Guillaume Brocard
Andrew Murray Brooks, Jr.
Peter Arthur Burke, Jr.
Kyla Ruth Burruss
Andrew Edouard Buscaglia
Oliver Jerome Robert Buskin

Garrett Bernard Butler
Michael Anderson Butler
Michelle Lee Butler
Jennifer Lynn Butterly
Christon William Cabey
Daniel Vincent Cafarelli
Catherine Libby Cameron
Abigail Noyes Campanie
Samuel Wallace Carnwath III
Chad Burgis Carta
Alexis Lauren Casady
Alexis Mary Castrovinci
Gregory Paul Cerra
John Andrew Champagne
Taylor Higgins Chapman
David Zhijiang Chen
Leslie Ann Cheung
Nolita Rochelle Clark
Matthew Charles Clausen
Emily Dawn Clinkhammer
Robert Blong Cole
Brendan Thomas Sochin Connor
Amy Elizabeth Conroy
Christan Shanelle Copeland
Eliza Anne Croen
Ryan Paul Crowther
William Lewis Cyr
Katie Ellis D'Agostino
Erin Elizabeth Daugherty
Genevieve Joy Davis
Michael Joseph D'Ecclesiis
Moira May Delahanty
Ashley Lauren Deline
Nicholas James DeMartini
Lauren Kathryn DeSantis
Suzanne Elizabeth Desormeau
Gregoire Pomeroy Devaney
Evan Ross Dewdney
Laura Ashley Dick
Jeffrey Swan Dixon
Jessica Naima Djilani
Kaitlin Kristen Donovan
Kelsey Megen Dorwart

Andrew Michael Downey
Gwendolyn Marie Downs
Allison Dryja
Joanna Michelle DuFour
Christian Marco Fedrigotti
Chelsea Britannia Fellows-Swenson
Jordan W. Feltus
Roslyn Giselle Fernandez
Benjamin Shabus Fertig
Samuel Butler Fey
Alexandra Nicole Field
James Russell Fleming
Timothy James Foley
Lauren Elizabeth Fonseca
Katherine deRosset Forshay
Alisha Ward Fowler
Lindsay Margaret Fowler
Alice Elizabeth Katherine Francis, ΣΞ
Henry Manley Frechette III
Alexander David Fu
Adam Christopher Funderburk
Michael Fung
Katy Ann Garbowicz
Christopher Parker Gardner
Matthew Thomas Gardner
Jesse Winsor Gaylord
Timothy David George, Jr.
Andrew Warren Glossner, ΣΞ
Lauren Renee Goldenberg
Lauren Michelle Gordon-Fahn
Jessica Kate Gorman
Erik Fadum Goulding
Kyle Edward Graham
Robert Charles Grannatt
Stephen Turner Grasso
Anne Greenawalt
Sarah Elizabeth Greenberg
Sarah Elizabeth Griffith, ΣΞ
James Pierson Grifo
Robert Douglas Group
Matthew Berwyn Gruca
Rebecca Rose Grusky
Emily Francesca Gunther

Rite

Devin Ros Halleran
Anne Lauren Hardiman
Alison Elisabeth Harding
Peter Codyre Harkins, Jr.
Julia Downey Hart
Michael Larkin Hayes
Benjamin Daniel Hecht
Chloe Jeanne Hensold
Shauna Abby Hirshfield
Mireya Ho
Adam Christopher Hobson
Erika Katherine Hoffman
Corinne Ashley Holmes
Erika Radding Holmes
Chad Bryan Holtzman
Daniel David Horowitz
Christy Lynn House
Meghan Catherine Hover
Elijah Huling III
Margaret Megumi Ito
Aliya Theresia Jalloh
Taylor Clarke Janes
Cory Alan Jemison, ΣΞ
Marsha Joseph Joachim
Courtney Meryl Johnson
Lauren Victoria Johnson
Samuel Victor Johnson
Katherine Ariel Juras
Shahryar Kabir
Zachary Aaron Kahn
Erik Thomas Kallio
Isaac Momoh Kaloko
Jessica Ann Kapps
Gus Katsuras
Alex Benjamin Kaufman
Andrew Mitchell Kay
Christopher John Keen
Joseph Brand Kent
Allison Chaya Kerbel
Jacquelin Kim
Daniel Joseph Klag
Alexander Wiggins Klivecka
John Robert Knauss

Kelsey Alexis Knight
Christopher Klaus Knorr
Mary Kate Howell Kogut
Levon Edward Kololyan, Jr.
Jeremy Austin Kozak
Emily Delaune Kraemer
Katherine Alexander Kritzalis
Aram David Kudurshian
Jonathan Lawrence Kuhl
Douglas Charles Lambert
Philip Hall Lamere
Thomas Stanley Lapinski
Dale Stanley Ledbetter, Jr.
Jonathan Lee
Minkyu Lee
Rebecca Louise Lee
Daniel Michael Leinung
Jay Edward Leonard, Jr.
Julia Drake Levine
Brandon Stone Leyden
Lauren Rachel Lifland
Alexander William Linton
Alexandra Nicole London
Brandon James Long
Anne Elizabeth Lucas
Eric Douglas Luoma
Marian Cook Lyman
William Thomas Lynch
Andrew Hamilton Lyons
Samir Suvas Majmudar
Latoya Nadreka Malcolm
Emily Anne Maltby
Nicola Charles Marro
Dana Burrows Martin
Dyrdra Jee Martin
Kristine Valerie Maslauskas
Diana Laura Mastrocola
James William Matthews
Tara Carlough McCarthy
Katelyn Noel McGee
William Wade McKerchie
Christopher Slason Mecham
Sandro Amerigo Mei

Maria Alexandra Mendez
Margaret Ellen Meyers
Caryn Nafsika Mickle, ΣΞ
Keira Maureen Moore
Lucinda Davis Dorr Moorhead
Andrew Steve Mordkoff
Julia Holden Morgan
Stephan Erich Marozas Morris
Daniel William Nelson
Katherine Mary Nelson
Christina Linnea Nemeth, ΣΞ
Joshua Irving Newman
John Loring Newton
Benjamin Edward Norland
Obio Philip Ntia
Philip Lyne O'Donoghue, Jr.
Shin Sebastian Okuzono
Carey Andrew O'Laughlin, Jr.
Anne Maguire O'Malley
Catherine Marie O'Mara
Michael William Oppenheim
Meredith Leigh Paddock
John Dominic Pappano
Emma Elizabeth Parker
Justin John Parker
Christopher Scott Parkinson
Jason Paulino
Caitlin Leah Pavelle
Marshall Staunton Peck
Caitlin Anne Pegnim
Lee Perkins Pendergast
Daniel Robert Perl
Jessica Lynn Perry
Samuel Stewart Peskin
Cambridge Quincy Peters
Nicholas Turner Philippi
Kristen Nicole Pinna
Jessica Maxham Pisegna
Noah Philip Plakun
Brad Harold Polan
Benjamin Ryan Preston-Fridman
Jonathan William Price
Sarah Janiece Prusasky

Rite

Kyle Robert Psaty
Elif Pulcu
Elizabeth Cunningham Purchia
Michael Alfred Rapetti
Tigisty Reda
Timothy George Reed
Jonathan Schachter Rees
Nayomi Deborah Reghay
Richard Daniel Reichenbach
James Thomas Reilly
Andrew Hamilton Rice
Karen Tamar Richardson
Patrick Drislane Richardson
Alexander Anthony Richman
Sarah Wilckes Rienhoff
Colton Andrew Riley
Jay Warren Rishel
Elizabeth Anne Roberts
Vladimir Rodriguez
Tara Elena Rosabal
Nilson Rosario
Leigh Smith Rosenfeld
Benjamin Thomas Rossetter
Roy Jonathan Rothschild
Janine Marie Rowe
Daniel Alexander Rubin
Jennifer Susan Ruch
Jamieson Ford Russell
Lisa Christine Sanfilippo
Lisa Nicole Schaaf, ΣΞ
Meredith Scofield Scheiner
Kirsten Anne Schmitt
Arielle Blair Schraeter
Richard A. Schwam
Phoebe Ballantine Scott
Christina Susan Scotti
Megan Elizabeth Semerod
Ryan Matthew Serhant
Christopher Raymond Sessa
Megha Sethi
Shraddha Mukesh Shah
Kishawra Keara Shannon
Evelyn Frances Shapiro

Deenea Therese Shepherd
Alexandra Melissa Simons
Michelle Ester Skornicki
Ashley Beth Slobodkin
Aaron Whitman Smith
Wendell Wallace Smith
Courtney Michele Snyder
Justin Timothy Snyder
Tyler Pennock Soleau
Shivani Sood
Gabriela Patricia Soto Alicea
Michael Paul Stahl
Joseph Albert Stefano
Callen Sarah Sterling
Laura Elizabeth Stern
Kevin Charles St. John
Daniel Mann Stuermer
Juliana Kurth Subashi
Karen Elizabeth Sullam, ΣΞ
Kevin Matthew Sullivan
Megan Nicole Swanby
Alexander James Taddei
Arezoo Taef
Laura Elizabeth Talaga
Gabriel James Tash
Sugey Odetty Terrero
Andrew Colbath Terry
Loubens Theork
Irene Wangechi Thuo
Sean William Tice
Emily Carol Tobin
Andrea Vanessa Torres
Paul Anthony Torres
Anthony Daniele Tripicchio
Chrystal Alexandra Troya
Leigh Germaine Trucks
Lyle Kenneth Trued
David Zachary Turchin
Scott Joshua Turowsky
Alexander Roberts Huxley Twerdahl
Keith Anthony Tyler
Alexander John Ulreich
Virginia Maria Urdaneta

Renny Octavia Uzbay
Philip Joseph Valenti
Peter Shakley Van Siclen
Jeffrey Vincent Vautour
Mary Ann Vicari, ΣΞ
Charles Hassett Vick
Anna Phoebe Vickers
Eric Gill Villanova
Pablo William David Vives
Sarah Jane Voigt
Karin Ariel Waldbrand
Molly Frances Walther
Todd Vincent Waskiewicz
Joshua Brandon Wasserman
Katherine Ann Wasserman
Kimberly Mary Weeden
Timothy McGregor Welchons II
Catherine Elizabeth West
Ashley Rae Westbrook
Stefanie Kate Whalen
Julia Elizabeth Williamson
Suzanne Grace Wilson
Suzanne Marie Wilson
Brook Trout Wolcott
Gerron Richard Woodruffe
Hann Yang
Anna Rachel Zane
Benjamin Kray Zanfagna
Stephen Elwood McGown Zeek
Catherine McClusky Zinn
Emily Patt Zwerner
Nora Bailey Zwiren

Visiting Students
Aglae M. Bernard
Catherine E. Clark

Honors

Commencement Honors, 2006

Valedictorian of the Class of 2006
George Lyman Nesbitt Prize
Matthew David Danziger

Salutatorian of the Class of 2006
George Lyman Nesbitt Prize
Ming Qiong Chen

James Soper Merrill Prize
Haley Rae Reimbold

Senior Fellows, 2005-06

Alan Thomas Clark
The Virtual Life: A Closer Look at the Determinants, Effects and Implications of Presence

Michael Eli Gruen
Wireless Security in Resource-Constrained Mobile Systems

Carlyn Anne Patterson
Brain Circuitry for Detecting Rewards: Neural Activity in the Rat Superior Colliculus

Amy Elizabeth Schloerb
Working at Acting: The Creation and Maintenance of an Actor Identity

Concentration Honors, 2006

Africana Studies
Latoya Nadreka Malcolm
Roxanne Paisible

Archaeology
Caryn Nafsika Mickle
Sarah Elizabeth Schmidt

Art
Thomas Stockley Booth
Benjamin Ely Critton
Eliza Anne Croen
Christopher Parker Gardner
Colleen Marie Hallagan
Donell O'neil Hutson
Courtney Forbes McBride
Joshua Irving Newman
Emma Elizabeth Parker
Alexander John Ulreich

Art History
Amy Elizabeth Conroy
Adrienne Holm Cook
Henry Manley Frechette III
Jennifer Maryn Kahn
Katherine Alexander Kritzalis
Johanna Hollingsworth Reed

Asian Studies
Gregory Stephen Gencarello
Mark Andrew Lutenski
Suzanne Marie Wilson

Biochemistry/Molecular Biology
Valery Ann Danilack
Amber Elizabeth Gillis

Biology
Megan Elizabeth Malone
Allison McCay Nichols
Benjamin Edward Norland
Rebecca Lynne Shepherd
Karen Elizabeth Sullam
Emma Timmins-Schiffman
Matthew John Van Hook

Chemistry
Meghan Elizabeth Dunn
Helena Harriet Isabel Grabo
Karilyn Theresa Melanie Larkin
Grant Carlos McSurdy
Daniel Bradley Seeger

Chinese
Sarah-Marie Jacklin Gross
Conor Andrew Moore
Shin Sebastian Okuzono
Lyle Kenneth Trued

Classical Languages
Jessica Marina Glidden

Classical Studies
Sarah Elizabeth Schmidt

Communication
Erik Fadum Goulding
Katharine Elizabeth Riposta

Communication Studies
Anna Phoebe Vickers

Comparative Literature
John Andrew Champagne
Julia Downey Hart
Johanna Hollingsworth Reed

Computer Science
Aram David Kudurshian
Todd Vincent Waskiewicz

Creative Writing
Amanda Bennett
Karen Lynn Haedrich
Amanda Rae Hannoosh
Nayomi Deborah Reghay
Emily Carol Tobin

Dance
Valery Ann Danilack
Laura Ashley Dick
Dyrdra Jee Martin

Concentration Honors, 2006 (continued)

Economics

Whitney Jordan Bull
Nicholas LaDuc Campany
John Andrew Champagne
Ming Qiong Chen
Anne Merriam Donohue-Rolfe
Qi Ge
Jason Drew Hecht
Andrew Michael Kurz
Mark Andrew Lutenski
Brad Harold Polan
Michael Leo Salmon
Lyle Kenneth Trued
Douglas Wash Whittlesey

English

Christopher Thomas Fazio
Katrina Anne Fredlund
Ellen Ruth Horbett
Sarah Elizabeth Lozo
Tara Carlough McCarthy
Anne Katherine Schlesinger
Laura Elizabeth Stern
Brian James Sweeney
Sarah Hillman Walsh
Jessica Kristin Wolinsky

French

Emma Timmins-Schiffman

Geoarchaeology

Mary Ann Vicari

Geology

Robert Douglas Group

German

Colleen Marie Hallagan
Matthew David Handelman
Stephen Elwood McGown Zeek

Government

Douglas Andrew Chiciak
Seth Stanley Coburn
Matthew Alan Colman
Samuel Victor Johnson
Alex Benjamin Kaufman
Ian Bernard Mandel
Ernesto David Medina Gómez
Peter Daniel Mucha
Caitlin McGill Rochford
Kelly Marie Vaughan

History

Patrick Giddings Cooke
Jordan Thomas Shedlock
Tristan Henry Tomlinson

Interdisciplinary

Alan Thomas Clark
John Macduffie Lynch
Brian James Sweeney

Mathematics

Nicholas LaDuc Campany
Ming Qiong Chen
Robert Blong Cole
Matthew David Danziger
Gwendolyn Marie Downs
Qi Ge
Matthew David Handelman
Thomas Theodore Heacock
Cory Alan Jemison
Jennifer Marie Lattanzio
Eric Frazer Lock
Emily Ruth Luidens
Charles Joseph Neff, Jr.
Kosta Popović
Charles Hassett Vick
Tracy Lynne Zaino

Neuroscience

Jamie Lynn Benway
Desdalin Jerrydene Black
Erica Ann Colligan
Carlyn Anne Patterson
Jessica Lynn Wagoner

Philosophy

Taylor Higgins Chapman
Adrienne Elizabeth Liddic
Kristen Leigh Sherry

Physics

Gregory Lewis Armstrong
Jeffrey Swan Dixon
Sarah Elizabeth Griffith
Kosta Popović
John Edward Steinberg

Psychology

Kaitlin Kristen Donovan
Lindsay Margaret Fowler
Daniel David Gottlieb
Sharon Marie Hakim
Sara Jean Hamilton
Adam Jason Hiller
Kalin Clark Jaffe
Heather Dawn King
Allison Therese Krutul
Kelly Rae McCollum
Keira Maureen Moore
Kristen Marie Nielsen
Elisabeth Cady O'Bryon
Meghan June Rose
Emily Summerfield Rowland
Lisa Christine Sanfilippo
Dorothy Ellen Schug
Scott Alexander Siskind
Matthew Chartier Smith
Julia Elizabeth Williamson

Public Policy

Alicia Lynn Giglio
Rebecca Rose Grusky
Philip Hall Lamere

Russian Studies

Jordan Thomas Shedlock

Sociology

Caroline Selleck Beaudrias
Daniel Adam Bleeker
Kristina Maryann Cerrone
Joanna Michelle DuFour
Julia Lauren Ho
Alexandra Nicole London
Karen Tamar Richardson
Amy Elizabeth Schloerb

Spanish

Whitney Jordan Bull
Emily Sarah Colbert
Donell O'Neil Hutson
Colin Christian Mortensen
Danielle Marion Roper

Theatre

Sara Elizabeth Bert
Amanda Suzanne Besinger
Christan Shanelle Copeland
Amy Elizabeth Schloerb
Sarah Rachel Schol
Ryan Matthew Serhart

Women's Studies

Lela Cowan Gascoigne
Haley Rae Reimbold
Emily Carol Tobin

World Politics

Svetoslav Misak Derderyan
Katy Ann Garbowicz
Jason Drew Hecht
Ann Minna Horwitz
Renita Johana Moniaga
Katherine Corning Spencer
Douglas Wash Whittlesey

Fellowships and Prize Scholarships, 2005-06

National Awards

- Council of American Overseas Research
Critical Language Scholarship
Tyler P. Logan
J. William Fulbright Grants
Matthew D. Handelman
Ann M. Horwitz
Doreet Preiss '04
Haley R. Reimbold
Barry M. Goldwater Scholarship
Daniel R. Griffith
Huntington Public Service Award
Haley R. Reimbold
Saint Andrew's Society Scholarship
Erika R. Holmes
Thomas J. Watson Fellowship
Danielle M. Roper

Fellowships

- Manley F. Allbright Fellowship*
Colleen M. Hallagan
Samuel F. Babbitt Kirkland College Fellowships
Renita J. Moniaga
Megha Sethi
Kelly J. Stryker '05
Emma Timmins-Schiffman
Bristol Fellowship
Sarah E. Griffith
James H. Glass Fellowship
Matthew J. Van Hook
Franklin D. Locke Fellowship
Brian J. Sweeney
Elihu Root Fellowships
Gregory L. Armstrong
Meghan E. Dunn
Andrew W. Glossner
Anne J. Kurtz
Katrina W. Lexa '05
Frank C. Pickard IV '05
Kosta Popović
Heather M. Shapiro '05
Emma Timmins-Schiffman
Matthew J. Van Hook
Mary Ann Vicari
George Watson's College Teaching Fellowship
Lee P. Pendergast
Judge John Wells Fellowships
Renita J. Moniaga
Conor A. Moore

Prize Scholarships

- Benjamin Walworth Arnold Prize Scholarships*
Sophomore, Kristin S. Alongi
Junior, Heather C. Michael
Senior, Matthew D. Danziger
Robert A. Bankert, Jr. Prize Scholarship
Steven J. Simone
Dr. Philip I. Bowman Prize Scholarships
Erica A. Colligan
Emma Timmins-Schiffman
Madeleine Wild Bristol Prize Scholarship in Music
Michael T. Simonelli
Coleman Burke Prize Scholarships
Amy M. Barrows
Edward J. Gilliss, Jr.
Jessica B. Goldberg
Michael D. Hayes
Rebecca P. Mackenzie
Jennifer E. McGowan
Carter Family Prize Scholarship
Rebecca G. Gross
Class of 2003 Memorial Prize Scholarship
Tamin E. Akiki
Thomas E. Colby III Prize Scholarship in German
Colleen M. Hallagan
Frank C. and Marion D. Colbridge
Prize Scholarship
Laura H. Belden
Curran Prize Scholarships
Maria-Christina Rubino
Captain Gerald Fitzgerald Dale Senior Scholarship
Valery A. Danilack
Charles A. Dana Prize Scholarships
Marco A. Allodi
Taylor D. Burt
Maxwell W. Falkoff
Jacob H. Gross
Ngoda P. Manongi
Adam A. Polonski
Fiona Rigby
Emanuel Rosario
Evan A. Savage
Lorraine E. Sperling
Dirvin Family Prize Scholarships
Jennifer E. McGowan
Nathaniel E. Miller
Ned Doyle Prize Scholarships
Freshman, Kaillie M. Briscoe, TiDelco
Ductan
Sophomore, Taylor E. Brady, Matthew
J. Pitarresi
Junior, Nicholas A. Jones, Inga M. Stots
Duell German Prize Scholarships
Colleen M. Hallagan
Matthew D. Handelman
Fillius/Drown Prize Scholarship
Tyler A. Zink
Dr. Edward R. Fitch Prize Scholarships in Classical Languages
Greek, Cassie C. Sullivan
Latin, Margaret E. Noonan
Donald A. Hamilton Prize Scholarship
Meghan E. Moulton
Ann Miller Harden Prize Scholarship
Anne M. Bowler
Randall J. Harris Prize Scholarship
Bradley M. Taylor
L. David Hawley Prize Scholarship in Geology
William R. Hoffman
Matthew Houlihan Prize Scholarship
Jason D. Hecht
Edward Huntington Memorial Mathematical Prize Scholarships
Ming Q. Chen
Eric F. Lock
Grant Keehn Prize Scholarships
Aidee Acosta
Johanna Sanchez
Leonard E. and Sue J. Kingsley Prize Scholarship
Laura J. Hartz
Kirkland Alumnae Prize Scholarships
Lindsay A. Martin
Amy E. Schloerb
Paul S. Langa Prize Scholarship
Emily D. Clinkhammer
Calvin Leslie Lewis Prize Scholarships in the Dramatic Arts
Rebecca G. Gross
Niels P. Lesniewski
Willard Bostwick Marsh Prize Scholarships
Matthew D. Danziger
Yubo Lu
Michael Maslyn '01 Memorial Prize Scholarship
Lindsay A. Rubenstein
Carl B. Menges Prize Scholarship in College Governance
Scott W. Iseman
Marcel Moraud Memorial Prize Scholarships
Christopher T. Fazio
Roxanne Paisible
Robert Leet Patterson Prize Scholarships in Philosophy
Maxwell W. Falkoff
Abigail S. Miller
Lorraine E. Sperling
Jessica L. Yau
Frank Humphrey Ristine Prize Scholarship
Lindsay A. Martin
Oren Root, Jr. Prize Scholarships
Yubo Lu
Yin Tian
Dongyue Zhang

Fellowships and Prize Scholarships, 2005-06 (continued)

Jenny Rubin Memorial Prize Scholarships
Lindsey C. Crusan
Sharon M. Hakim
William John Schickler III
Prize Scholarship
Emanuel Rosario
Arthur W. Soper Prize Scholarship in Latin
Jessica M. Glidden
Chauncey S. Truax Prize Scholarship in Greek
Brian J. Sweeney

Vrooman Prize Scholarship
Nathaniel E. Miller
Frederick Reese Wagner Prize Scholarship in English
Laura J. Oman
Sam Welsch Memorial Prize Scholarship in Computer Science
Todd V. Waskiewicz

Sidney and Eleanor Wertimer Prize Scholarships in Economics
Dane M. Johnson
Patrick M. Ridall
Lawrence K. Yourtee Prize Scholarship
Kirsis A. Genao

Achievement Prizes, 2005-06

American Chemical Society and Joint Polymer Education Committee Prize in Organic Chemistry
Kristin S. Alongi
Babcock Prize in Philosophy and Pedagogy
Adrienne E. Liddic
Edwin Barrett Prizes
Lindsey H. Pearlman
Randi A. Rivera
James L. Bennett Prize
Brian J. Sweeney
Emily and Alfred Bohn Prizes in Studio Art
Emily J. Baer
Thomas S. Booth
Eliza A. Croen
Harold C. Bohn Prizes in Anthropology Archaeology, Sarah E. Schmidt
Cultural Anthropology, Josephine M. Paz
Brockway Prize
Kristin S. Alongi
Frederick Edmund Alexis Bush Awards
Sarah J. Z. Baldwin
Ashley L. Deline
G. Harvey Cameron Memorial Prize
Daniel L. Campbell
Class of 1990 Educational Aid Award
Emanuel Rosario
CRC Press First Year Prize in Chemistry
Kristin S. Alongi
Nelson Clark Dale, Jr. Prize in Music
Peter S. Van Siclen
Donald J. Denney Prize in Physical Chemistry
Daniel R. Griffith
Arthur O. Eve Prize Scholar
Michael Fung

Dr. Edward Fitch Prizes in Greek
Adam A. Polonski
Albert B. Trithart
Dr. Edward Fitch Prize in Latin
Lesley C. Castellano
Gélas Memorial Prize
Gus Katsuras
Michael T. Genco, Jr. Prizes in Photography
Eliza A. Croen
Christopher P. Gardner
Francis W. Gilbert Prize
August-Drew S. Kanassatega
William Gillespie Prizes in Art
Benjamin E. Critton
Catherine E. West
Adam Gordon Campus Service Award
Michael P. Stahl
Edgar Baldwin Graves Prize in History
Patrick G. Cooke
David J. Gray Prize in Sociology
Amy E. Schloerb
Mary McMaster Hallock Prize in Science
Daniel B. Seeger
Hamilton College Campus Service Awards
Emily M. Pallin
Haley R. Reimbold
Hamilton College Book Award in Russian
Jordan T. Shedlock
The Franklin G. Hamlin Prizes in French
Adrienne H. Cook
Sarah J. Prusasky
Charles J. Hasbrouck Prize in Art History
Johanna H. Reed
Hawley Prizes in Greek and Latin
Greek, Albert B. Trithart
Latin, Thomas J. Lewek

HAVOC Service Awards
Sharon M. Hakim
Haley R. Reimbold
Holbrook Prizes in Biology
Megan E. Malone
Allison M. Nichols
Benjamin E. Norland
Matthew J. Van Hook
Constantine Karamanolis Prizes in World Politics
Svetoslav M. Derderyan
Jason D. Hecht
Kirkland Prizes
Ming Q. Chen
Matthew D. Danziger
Kneeland Prize
Matthew J. Van Hook
Edwin B. Lee, Jr. Prizes in Asian History/Asian Studies
Gregory S. Gencarello
Mark A. Lutenski
Suzanne M. Wilson
Leo Mackta Prize in Physics
Gregory L. Armstrong
Jonathan Marder Prizes
Allison T. Krutul
Elisabeth C. O'Bryon
Jeffrey P. Mass Prize in Japanese History
Gregory S. Gencarello
J. Barney Moore Prizes in Art
Courtney F. McBride
Joshua I. Newman
Norton Prize
Meghan E. Dunn
Payne Hills Prizes
Mary Beth Day
William R. Hoffman

Achievement Prizes, 2005-06 (continued)

Phi Beta Kappa Book Prizes

Marco A. Allodi
Kristin S. Alongi
Daniel L. Campbell
Andrew M. Graham
Michael P. Gregg, Jr.
Jacob H. Gross
Katharine R. Hottenstein
Kathleen E. Naughton
Thao Nguyen
Yejun Qian

Walter Pilkington Prize

Spencer R. Soloway

Prizes for Excellence in Chinese Language and Literature

Introductory level, Tyrone F. Evans II
Advanced, Shin S. Okuzono

Public Policy Prize

Kimberlee A. Beevers

Renwick Prize in Biology

Jonathan E. Milgrom

Jack B. Riffle Awards for Senior Athletes

Sarah J. Z. Baldwin
Michael L. Salmon

Rogers Prize in Geology

Robert D. Group

Senior Prize in Biochemistry and Molecular Biology

Valery A. Danilack

Senior Prize in Comparative Literature

Johanna H. Reed

Senior Prize in Dance

Valery A. Danilack

Senior Prizes in Economics

Nicholas L. Campany
Ming Q. Chen
Anne M. Donohue-Rolfe
Qi Ge

Senior Prize in Government

Douglas A. Chiciak

Senior Prize in Neuroscience

Carlyn A. Patterson

Senior Prizes in Theatre

Sara E. Bert
Amanda S. Besinger
Christan S. Copeland
Amy E. Schloerb
Sarah R. Schol
Ryan M. Serhant

B.F. Skinner Prize

Keira M. Moore

H. Samuel Slater Prizes in Romance Languages

French, Fiona R. Rigby
Hispanic Studies, Joshua T. Frost

Rusty Smith Memorial Teaching Prize in Computer Science

Aram D. Kudurshian
Southworth Prizes in Physics
Gregory L. Armstrong
Kosta Popović
Squires Prize in Philosophy
Kristen L. Sherry

Tompkins Prizes in Mathematics

Yubo Lu
Dongyue Zhang
Underwood Prizes in Chemistry
Helena H. Grabo
Daniel B. Seeger

John Lovell Watters Prize

Emma Timmins-Schiffman

Karen Williams Theatre Prize

Shannon R. Stanfield

Winchell Prize in Greek

Brian J. Sweeney
Winslow Prize in Greek
Maria-Christina Rubino

Winslow Prize in Latin

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Winslow Prizes in Romance Languages

Emily C. Dick
Colin C. Mortensen
Woman of Color Prizes
Ghiane C. Jones
Elaine Martinez
Wyld Prize in German
Matthew D. Handelman

Public Speaking

Clark Prize

Matthew A. Colman

McKinney Speaking Prizes

Freshman, Stuart R. Lombardi
Sophomore, Britt A. Freitag
Junior, Michael A. Blasie
Senior, Jonathan L. Kuhl

Earl H. Wright Prize for Excellence in Public Discourse and Advocacy

Matthew A. Colman

Warren E. Wright Prize in Public Speaking

Alicia L. Giglio

Writing

Dean Alfange Essay Prizes

Matthew A. Colman
Ian B. Mandel

Adam Gordon Poetry Prize for First-Year Students

Kyle A. Dolinsky

Doris M. and Ralph E. Hansmann Poetry Prize

Benjamin E. Critton

Hutton Essay Prize

Joshua T. Frost

Wallace Bradley Johnson Prize

Sara E. Bert

Thomas McNaughton Johnston Prize in English

Sarah E. Lozo

Kellogg Essay Prizes

Laura J. Oman
Brian J. Sweeney
Andrew R. Whalen

Kirkland Endowment Essay Prize in Interdisciplinary Studies

Alison L. Fisher

Raphael Lemkin Essay Prize

Renita J. Moniaga

Dwight N. Lindley Prize

Jacob H. Gross

Thomas E. Meehan Prize in Creative Writing

Rebecca L. Ramsey

Pruyn Essay Prize

Michael A. Blasie

William Rosenfeld Chapbook Prize in Creative Writing

Amanda Bennett

Alfred J. and A. Barrett Seaman Prizes in Interdisciplinary Writing

Laura J. Hartz
Michael L. Mortimer
Catherine E. Pallin

Soper Essay Prize

Daniel D. Gottlieb
Daniel A. Rubin

Soper Research Prize

Ming Q. Chen

Rose B. Tager Prize

Amanda Bennett

George A. Watrous Literary Prizes

Fiction, Anne Greenawalt
Literary Criticism, Brian J. Sweeney
Poetry, Kyle R. Psaty
Most Promising, Brian J. Sweeney

John V.A. Weaver Prize in Poetry

Kathleen E. Naughton

Sydna Stern Weiss Essay Prizes in Women's Studies

Katrina A. Fredlund
Emily C. Tobin

Scholastic Honor Societies

Lambda Pi Eta (Communication)

Alan Thomas Clark
Michael John Coffey
Erik Fadum Goulding
John Macduffie Lynch
Katharine Elizabeth Riposta
Emily Summerfield Rowland
Anna Phoebe Vickers

Omicron Delta Epsilon (Economics)

Christopher Eliot Abbott
William Duncan Andersen
Moses F. Berkowitz
Whitney Jordan Bull
Ming Qiong Chen
Michael John Coffey
Matthew David Danziger
Anne Merriam Donohue-Rolfe
Qi Ge
Daniel David Gottlieb
Jason Drew Hecht
Deanna Marie Kulacz
Andrew Michael Kurz
Jennifer Marie Lattanzio
Alexandra Nicole London
Mark Andrew Lutenski
Sarah Elizabeth Miller
Brad Harold Polan
Michael Leo Salmon
Lisa Christine Sanfilippo
Matthew Chartier Smith
Kevin Charles St. John
Alexander James Taddei
Claire Pierrette Terraillon
Lyle Kenneth Trued
Douglas Wash Whittlesey
Nora Bailey Zwiren

Phi Alpha Theta (History)

Matthew Alan Colman
Patrick Giddings Cooke
Lauren Kathryn DeSantis
Gregory Stephen Gencarello
Adam Paul Gordon
Adam Jason Hiller
Rebecca Louise Lee
Jordan Thomas Shedlock
Arlo Gilbert Storey
Tristan Henry Tomlinson

Phi Sigma Iota (Foreign Languages)

Whitney Jordan Bull
Kristina Maryann Cerrone
Emily Sarah Colbert
Erica Ann Colligan
Adrienne Holm Cook
Suzanne Elizabeth Desormeau
Emily Catherine Dick
Jessica Naima Djilani
Christopher Thomas Fazio
Katherine deRosset Forshay
Henry Manley Frechette III
Katrina Anne Fredlund
Andrew Charles Fulton
Michael Fung
Gregory Stephen Gencarello
Timothy David George, Jr.
Jessica Marina Glidden
Jessica Kate Gorman
Sarah-Marie Jacklin Gross
Karen Lynn Haedrich
Colleen Marie Hallagan
Sara Jean Hamilton
Matthew David Handelman
Ellen Ruth Horbett
Heather Dawn King
Deanna Marie Kulacz
Rebecca Louise Lee
Sarah Elizabeth Lozo
Mark Andrew Lutenski
Emily Anne Maltby
Margaret Ellen Meyers
Conor Andrew Moore
Colin Christian Mortensen
Charles Joseph Neff, Jr.
Elisabeth Cady O'Bryon
Shin Sebastian Okuzono
Sarah Janiece Prusasky
Johanna Hollingsworth Reed
Nayomi Deborah Reghay
Caitlin McGill Rochford
Danielle Marion Roper
Lisa Christine Sanfilippo
Anne Katherine Schlesinger
Sarah Elizabeth Schmidt
Jordan Thomas Shedlock
John Edward Steinberg
Brian James Sweeney
Emma Timmins-Schiffman
Lyle Kenneth Trued
David Zachary Turchin
Jessica Lynn Wagoner
Hann Yang
Justin Paul Young
Nora Bailey Zwiren

Pi Sigma Alpha (Political Science)

Kimberlee Anne Beevers
Daniel Adam Bleeker
Douglas Andrew Chiciak
Seth Stanley Coburn
Matthew Alan Colman
Svetoslav Misak Derderyan
Andrew Charles Fulton
Adam Paul Gordon
Benjamin Daniel Hecht
Jason Drew Hecht
Ann Minna Horwitz
Ian Bernard Mandel
James William Matthews
Ernesto David Medina Gómez
Renita Johana Moniaga
Conor Andrew Moore
Timothy Bell Moyer, Jr.
Peter Daniel Mucha
Kristen Nicole Pinna
Caitlin McGill Rochford
Meghan June Rose
Katherine Corning Spencer
Arlo Gilbert Storey
David Zachary Turchin
Kelly Marie Vaughan
Ashley Rae Westbrook
Suzanne Marie Wilson
Justin Paul Young

Psi Chi (Psychology)

Erica Ann Colligan
Henry Manley Frechette III
Daniel David Gottlieb
Sharon Marie Hakim
Sara Jean Hamilton
Adam Jason Hiller
Kalin Clark Jaffe
Heather Dawn King
Allison Therese Krutul
Anne Judith Kurtz
Sarah Elizabeth Lozo
Dydrá Jee Martin
Kelly Rae McCollum
Sarah Elizabeth Miller
Keira Maureen Moore
Julia Holden Morgan
Kristen Marie Nielsen
Benjamin Edward Norland
Elisabeth Cady O'Bryon
Carlyn Anne Patterson
Meghan June Rose
Emily Summerfield Rowland
Lisa Christine Sanfilippo
Dorothy Ellen Schug
Scott Alexander Siskind
Matthew Chartier Smith
Jessica Lynn Wagoner
Julia Elizabeth Williamson

The Green Apples

Kirkland College was founded as a women's college in 1968, and until it merged with Hamilton a decade later, it offered alternative educational opportunities for both women and men on the Hill. The green apple was Kirkland's emblem, and from the first graduation of the combined institutions, members of the graduating class have presented a green apple to the president as a way of acknowledging Kirkland's principles of diversity, flexibility and free inquiry.

The International Flags

In addition to the American flag and the Hamilton flag, the flags representing the home countries of our international students are displayed. This year's graduating seniors hail from Austria, Bulgaria, Canada, China, France, India, Indonesia, Kenya, Mexico, Pakistan, Serbia/Montenegro, Sierra Leone, South Korea, Turkey and the United Kingdom.

The Senior Canes

Senior canes are awarded to each graduating senior. The cane is intended to serve as a tangible reminder of the Hamilton experience and as a token of the College's affection. The head of the cane forms a Continental tri-corner hat in honor of Baron von Steuben, who served as drillmaster of Washington's Continental Army and who laid the cornerstone of the Hamilton-Oneida Academy in 1794.



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