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of

THOMAS JEFFERSON UNIVERSITY

PHILADELPHIA, PENNSYLVANIA

1824-2006

Monday, May Twenty-Second
Two Thousand and Six
Half Past Ten O'clock

KIMMEL PERFORMING ARTS CENTER
VERIZON HALL

ProcessionalTRUMPET VOLUNTARY JOHN STANLEY
THE JEFFERSON PROCESSIONAL BURLE MARX

Opening ProclamationBRIAN G. HARRISON, Chairman
Board of Trustees
Thomas Jefferson University

The National Anthem

InvocationEDWARD C. BRADLEY, SJ, MD
Clinical Associate Professor of Medicine
Thomas Jefferson University

Convocation and RemarksROBERT L. BARCHI, MD, PhD, President
Thomas Jefferson University

Conferring of Honorary DegreePRESIDENT BARCHI

REAR ADMIRAL MARSHA J. EVANS, Doctor of Science

Presented byCHAIRMAN HARRISON

Keynote StatementREAR ADMIRAL MARSHA J. EVANS

Conferring of Degrees in Course PRESIDENT BARCHI

Master of Science Degrees

Presented byJAMES H. KEEN, PhD, Dean
Jefferson College of Graduate Studies and
Vice President for International Affairs

Bachelor of Science Degrees

Post-Baccalaureate Certificates and

Associate Degrees

Presented byJAMES B. ERDMANN, PhD, Dean
Jefferson College of Health Professions

Benediction..... REVEREND BRADLEY

Recessional POMP AND CIRCUMSTANCE.....ELGAR

THE REVEREND R. BRUCE TODD, Organist

Grand Marshal
JANICE P. BURKE, PhD

RAELYNN COOTER, PhD
FRANCES GILMAN
MARY G. SCHAAL, EDD

Faculty Marshals
CAROLINE GOLAB, PhD
SHIRLEY E. GREENING, JD
WILLIAM THYGESON

MARGARET GRIFFITHS
MICHAEL J. PAQUET

ATHENA KING

Student Marshals

JILLIAN S. MACDONALD

The audience is requested to remain seated during the Academic Procession and Recession.

Candidates for the Degree of Bachelor of Science and Master of Science in Bioscience Technologies

Biotechnology

MEGAN CHOCIAY..... Philadelphia, PA
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ROBERT PAUL PEGLOW..... Philadelphia, PA
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SHANNON SOUTHALL..... Philadelphia, PA
MAGGIE TRUONG..... Philadelphia, PA
TRINA NICOLE WHORLEY..... Chambersburg, PA

Cytotechnology

LAUREN JENNIFER BROWN..... Gibbsboro, NJ

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KURT ALBIN ANDERSON..... Tuckerton, NJ
FELICIA NGOZI ANYANWU..... Philadelphia, PA
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GEM S. BURGESS..... Norristown, PA
JULIANNE WHALEN CODY..... Collegeville, PA
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PATRICIA KLINE..... Philadelphia, PA

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JENEH SAIDU..... Philadelphia, PA
KIRA SHTEINBERG..... Huntingdon Valley, PA
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ANDREW STORER..... Dunkirk, NY
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CYNTHIA E. TRAPPLER..... Philadelphia, PA
CHRISTINA BRIDGET TRAUTMANN..... Philadelphia, PA
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MARCY ELIZABETH ZERR..... Lebanon, PA

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CALVIN DOUGLAS GREER..... Philadelphia, PA

MARY POWELL..... Swarthmore, PA

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WENDY ANN ROWAN..... Lumberton, NJ
ANDREW LYNN SANDERSON..... Bradford, PA
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JESSICA ROSE DOMINGO..... Mentele, PA
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KRISTINA DAWN FISH..... Avondale, PA
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GINA GUHARROY..... Marlton, NJ
KELLY MARIE HUETER..... Haddon Heights, NJ
AMANDA CAROLINE HUGHES..... Roslyn, PA
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BETH ELLEN RUCKER..... Littlestown, PA
SUSAN RUTLEDGE..... Equinunk, PA
HEATHER KATHLEEN SHRIVER..... Brookville, PA
STEPHANIE L. SMITH..... Glenville, PA
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EMILY A. VINC..... Saint Clair, PA
HOLLY LYNN WHITE..... Clayton, NJ

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JENNIFER REBECCA HERTZOG..... Lansdale, PA
JOHN DRAKE KLADOS..... Bethlehem, PA
JOSEPH OKECHUKWU ONYEIZU..... Nigeria
ADITYA PRASAD..... Lumberton, NJ
EDMUND V. PRICE..... Huntingdon Valley, PA
CASSANDRA L. ROSCHEL..... Philadelphia, PA
CHRYSTAL LEIGH TALLEY..... Philadelphia, PA
DESIRÉE JEAN TOYER..... Tobago

Cytotechnology

ANOKYE KUMASI CREIGHTON..... Mountain View, CA
STACY LEE DERSHEM MOLNAR..... Defiance, OH
BRIAN VINCENT GRILLO..... Lansdale, PA

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DANIEL B. MICKY..... Upper Darby, PA
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Radiography & Cardiac Sonography

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Radiography & Magnetic Resonance Imaging

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JOHN JOSEPH MERCURIO Philadelphia, PA

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JOANNE NGO Camp Hill, PA

LINDSEY NICOLE PHELPS Saint Louis, MO

KIMBERLY MAY RIDENHOWER Saint Louis, MO

COLLEEN M. SHEAHAN Philadelphia, PA

Advanced Placement Programs

Cardiac Sonography

TAHMINAH DEHBOZORGI Haddonfield, NJ

ANDREA JANE GREWAY Medford, NJ

ROBERT L. HORTON Pottstown, PA

LEONID LASKIN Denver, CO

ALICIA MARIE PAGANO Williamstown, NJ

JESSICA LYNN MAWSON Philadelphia, PA

Computed Tomography

ERIC NICHOLAS DEFIGORE Havertown, PA

General Sonography

MARYANA AVRAMENKO Langhorne, PA

SHARI BROWN Cherry Hill, NJ

CATHERINE BRYNAN Blackwood, NJ

STEPHANIE FINK Rockledge, PA

YAN HONG King of Prussia, PA

DAWN MARIE HYEIT Lewes, DE

ALEKSANDRA KIRCUN Bensalem, PA

AMANDA LANCE Saint Louis, MO

TATIANA G. YOUNG Philadelphia, PA

NICOLE LYNN YOUNGBAUER Lewistown, MT

Medical Dosimetry

SHIBU JOSEPH ANAMALAYIL Warminster, PA

CHRISTINA MARIE BRENNAN Sewell, NJ

SHAOMIN ZHANG Roslyn, PA

HUI ZHAO Philadelphia, PA

Magnetic Resonance Imaging

MARC E. AMBROSY Red Bank, NJ

RYAN J. AMELUNG North Wales, PA

ANGELA ELIZABETH LEHMUTH Lincoln, DE

NANA YAW A. OBENG Westerville, OH

Nuclear Medicine

JOSEPH TYRONE BARNETT Roselyn, PA

DIANA LEE DESMOND Metuchen, NJ

DIETRA MARYANNA DOTCHKAL Quakertown, PA

JOHN JAMES HOROSHOCK Shamokin, PA

CHERYL L. KIEFFER Philadelphia, PA

CHRISTOPHER M. LOGUE Surf City, NJ

CHRISTOPHER GEORGE MORGAN Margate, NJ

RAKESH PATEL West Berlin, NJ

MONICA KATHRYN RANGER Charleston, SC

Radiation Therapy

SUSAN SYMONDS Schwenksville, PA

Vascular Sonography

NOURA AMAN Orange County, CA

DONNA LEE AMATO Melbourne, FL

ANGELA J. TSIAKNIS Mount Ephraim, NJ

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HUNG TUAN LE Glenside, PA

Candidates for the Degree of Bachelor of Science in Occupational Therapy

DIPALI BHAGAT Kendall Park, NJ

ASHLEE NICHOLE CONNERTON Pitman, NJ

LISA M. CULP Claymont, DE

JESSICA MARY FOLTIN Glenmoore, PA

FRANCES NICOLE GANADEN Deptford, NJ

MELISSA J. GATLIN Beaver Falls, PA

MELISSA ANN HARDER Glassboro, NJ

EMILY MARIE HAYES Little Silver, NJ

MATTHEW S. HOEHN Winfield, PA

SAROEUN YADAH KITH Philadelphia, PA

MOLLY REBECCA KLEIN Collegeville, PA

CORRYN ELIZABETH MARSDEN West Berlin, NJ

MAUREEN A. MCGOOHAN Upper Darby, PA

PAYAL PATEL Fair Lawn, NJ

EMILY J. RIGILANO Laurel Springs, NJ

MELISSA LYNN ROBERTS Willow Grove, PA

RACHEL K. ROBERTS Metuchen, NJ

LAURA MARGUERITE SEARLES Philadelphia, PA

STEPHANIE STEIN Jenkintown, PA

Candidates for the Degree of Bachelor of Science in Health Services Management

SYERITA MONIQUE AVANT Philadelphia, PA

KATHLEEN A. CARROLL Philadelphia, PA

DANIELLE M. DEMAIO-DEANGELIS Turnersville, NJ

DAWN MARIE KREWDA Cherry Hill, NJ

NICHOLE S. MCLEOD-STROTHER Marlton, NJ

PAULA ANN ROSS Philadelphia, PA

Candidates for the Degree of Bachelor of Science in Health Services Management Information Systems

KIMBERLY NICHOLS Lansdowne, PA

ALMETHA DOREEN FORD ROGERS Paulsboro, NJ

LYNN W. WILCOX Sewell, NJ

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KATHLEEN JANE BARTILOMO Bloomsburg, PA

ERIN NICHOLE BELL Catawissa, PA

AMANDA M. BOWER Danville, PA

KRISTIN ELIZABETH BRIGGS Wapwallopen, PA

DAWN D. BUCKLES Mifflinburg, PA

KIMBERLY A. DELBO Paxinos, PA

ELIZABETH A. ERDMAN Coal Township, PA

LAURA SUE FETTEROLF Bloomsburg, PA

KRISTA FORD Port Trevorton, PA

JESSIE LEE GEBHART Bloomsburg, PA

HEATHER C. HAAS Danville, PA

TRACY NICOLE HARTLEY Stillwater, PA

TIODA LOIS HOLDREN Danville, PA

KATELYN ANNE JOHNSON Bloomsburg, PA

JOSEPH J. KOPFINGER Lavelle, PA

ANNE C. KOWALCHICK Elysburg, PA

MICHELLE N. KREIDER Sunbury, PA

TAMMY D. KULAGA Muncy Valley, PA

BIEONKIA ROSE LESHO Danville, PA

AMANDA JANE McLAREN Danville, PA

JONATHAN R. PENNYCOFF Sunbury, PA

STACEY LEE POWLUS Bloomsburg, PA

SOMMER DAWN MARIE PRESLEY Bloomsburg, PA

AMY L. ROSEMAN Mount Carmel, PA

AMANDA B. SARGE Berwick, PA

DEANNA LEAH SIMS Dornsife, PA

CAROLYN ANN SPRINGMAN Montoursville, PA

DANIELLE N. STONE Coal Township, PA

MICHELE ANN SWITZER Sunbury, PA

NICOLE DIANE THOMAS Bloomsburg, PA

ROBERT ELWOOD WHITMER Coal Township, PA

Candidates for the Degree of Associate in Science in Nursing at the Methodist Hospital Campus

HOLLIE NESHAY BOOKER Philadelphia, PA

DANIELLE ELISE CIVATTE Drexel Hill, PA

KATHLEEN CLONEY DALIN Philadelphia, PA

ANN MARIE M. DIANGELO Deptford, NJ

MONIKA F. ERTWINE Stochov, Czech Republic

ANTHONY FICHERA Philadelphia, PA

ANGELA NICOLE GABELUS-LOUIYA Abington, PA

AMY GRECO Wilmington, DE

CHRISTA HESS Hilltop, NJ

KENYA OMOROSE HUNTER Lindenwold, NJ

LINDSEY MARIE HYLAND Philadelphia, PA

KIM DENISE JOHNSON Philadelphia, PA

PATRICK J. KELLY Philadelphia, PA

SHANNA LAMCKEN-GROVER Milmay, NJ

KAREEM T. LAWRENCE Philadelphia, PA

KATHLEEN E. MARQUARDT Folcroft, PA

RACHAEL A. MARSHALL Philadelphia, PA

JOHN LEWIS MARSTRELL Philadelphia, PA

CECELIA SHARON McCALL.....	Philadelphia, PA	TRACIE L. RODRIGUEZ.....	Egg Harbor Township, NJ
MELINDA M. MCCOY.....	Trevoose, PA	GINA L. ROMANO.....	Philadelphia, PA
DANIELLE L. MEEHAN.....	Secane, PA	ANNA SIERRE.....	Trevoose, PA
KATHLEEN MARIE MURDOCK.....	Aldan, PA	ANA CRISTINA SILVA.....	Clifton Heights, PA
ALBA ANGELICA NAVARRETO.....	Philadelphia, PA	DINA SORRENTINO.....	Philadelphia, PA
BRANDI MARIE NIGRO.....	Bensalem, PA	JO-ELLEN PATRICIA SUSHKO.....	Norwood, PA
SHARON YVETTE OLIVER.....	Philadelphia, PA	BERNICE DENICE TAYLOR.....	Philadelphia, PA
ANNAMARIA N. PORCHIA.....	Philadelphia, PA	CARMEN TAYLOR.....	Philadelphia, PA
KYLE L. PRESSLEY.....	Philadelphia, PA	PHAN QUOC TRINH.....	Philadelphia, PA
ERICA B. RICCI.....	Philadelphia, PA	LATASHA C. WOMACK.....	Philadelphia, PA
		LATYRAH S. YOUNG.....	Brookhaven, PA

Candidates for the Degree of Associate in Arts

MARCELLA KEEL.....	Philadelphia, PA
DINA LEIBOWITZ.....	Philadelphia, PA
AUTUMN LYN RUGLETIC.....	Voorhees, NJ
RUTH A. WILLIAMS.....	Collingdale, PA

Candidates for the Degree of Associate in Science

ESTHER D. JAMES.....	Philadelphia, PA
WENDY ORTIZ.....	Philadelphia, PA
KIM RAWLINSON.....	Philadelphia, PA

Candidates for the Degree of Associate in Science in Business

CLOE J. DAVIS.....	Philadelphia, PA
MARY GUILMARTIN.....	Philadelphia, PA

Candidate for the Degree of Associate in Science in Information Systems

LINDA ALGARIN KELLY.....	Philadelphia, PA
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Candidate for the Degree of Associate in Science in Emergency Medical Services

BRIAN D. KING.....	Landenberg, PA
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As final action cannot be taken before the program goes to press, Thomas Jefferson University reserves the right to add or withdraw names from the list of candidates for degrees and certificates.

In curricula such as the degree program in Occupational Therapy, candidates complete formal course work prior to Commencement and fulfill additional clinical requirements during the summer. Students in these programs participate in these Commencement Exercises but receive their diplomas only after all requirements have been satisfied.

Candidates in the combined B.S./M.S. degree program in Physical Therapy participated in a Closing Convocation on May 4, 2006. Upon successful completion of all requirements, these candidates will receive the Bachelor of Science and Master of Sciences Degrees in Physical Therapy.

Doctor of Science — Rear Admiral Marsha J. Evans, U.S. Navy (Retired)

Marsha J. Evans' distinguished career has combined both military service and leadership of one of the nation's premiere non-profit organizations. During her nearly 30-year career with the Navy, Evans was one of only a handful of women to reach the honored rank of rear admiral and gained a reputation for forging new ground for women in the military. Admiral Evans held a variety of command positions throughout her naval career. She was the Chief of Staff at the U.S. Naval Academy in Annapolis and the first woman to command a U.S. naval station (Treasure Island in the San Francisco Bay Area). In 1992 she chaired the task force that developed a strategy to address the gender-based issues that emerged from the Tailhook incident. Prior to her retirement from active duty in 1998, she also held the top positions at the Navy Recruiting Command, where she managed 6,000 employees in 1,200 locations and recruited more than 70,000 officers and sailors annually, and then at the Naval Postgraduate School in Monterey, CA.

In January 1998, Evans assumed leadership of Girl Scouts of the USA. She revolutionized and modernized the vision and programs of the 90-year-old organization for its nearly three million young members. Under her leadership, Girl Scouts created cutting-edge programs in science, technology, sports, money management, and community service. Evans enhanced the Girl Scouts' image and recruiting practices and increased its number of adult volunteers to the highest level in the organization's history. Throughout Evans' tenure, Girl Scouts enjoyed a continuous increase in young membership and reached an unprecedented level of diversity as African/American, Asian and a record number of Hispanic girls discovered the organization.

From August 2002 through December 2005, Evans was the 13th President and Chief Executive Officer of the American Red Cross. In 2005 alone, under Evans' leadership Red Cross volunteers and staff assisted the victims of more than 70,000 natural- and human-caused disasters; collected almost 6.5 million units of blood; trained more than 12 million people in lifesaving skills; helped thousands of U.S. service members stationed overseas stay connected with their families; responded to Hurricanes Katrina, Rita and Wilma and the December 2004 tsunamis in South Asia; and made major progress in eradicating measles in Africa. More than 1.3 million families received direct emergency Red Cross assistance in the wake of the devastating hurricanes and floods.

Today Evans speaks to business and community audiences about leadership and diversity issues. In addition, she serves as a director of Lehman Brothers Holdings, Weight Watchers International, Huntsman Corporation, and the U.S. Naval Academy Foundation.

Throughout her career Evans has been honored with numerous awards and accolades. She was named a White House Fellow in 1979-80, and in 2002, the White House Fellows Association awarded her the John W. Gardner Legacy of Leadership Award. In 2005, The Franklin and Eleanor Roosevelt Institute honored her with the Four Freedoms Award.

Following her graduation from Occidental College in Los Angeles, where she earned an AB degree in Diplomacy and World Affairs, Evans earned a Master's degree in Law and Diplomacy from Tufts University's Fletcher School of Law and Diplomacy. She has also studied at the Naval War College in Newport, RI, and the National War College in Washington, DC. A world traveler who has held residence in such cities as Tokyo and London, Evans currently resides in the Washington, DC area with her husband Jerry Evans, a retired Navy jet pilot.

Faculty Awards

To be awarded at the Annual College Awards Ceremony on May 24, 2006.

The Fred and Sadye Abrams Award for Excellence in Clinical or Laboratory Instruction

KATHLEEN CZEKANSKI, MSN, RN
Instructor, Department of Nursing

Established in memory of the late Fred and Sadye Abrams, parents of Lawrence Abrams, EdD, former JCHP Dean, this is the only College-wide award devoted exclusively to the recognition of clinical or laboratory teaching excellence.

The Dean's Faculty Achievement Award

ELIZABETH C. ELKIND, MSN, MBA, RNC
Instructor, Department of Nursing

The Dean sponsors a Faculty Achievement Award to recognize outstanding performance in higher education and to honor the College's outstanding faculty members.

Lindback Award for Distinguished Teaching

MARCUS P. BESSER, PhD
Associate Professor, Department of Physical Therapy

The Christian R. and Mary F. Lindback Award is given by the College in recognition of distinguished teaching.

Sigma Theta Tau

Awarded at the Sigma Theta Tau International Honor Society of Nursing's Delta Rho Chapter Induction Ceremony at Thomas Jefferson University on May 3, 2006.

Sigma Theta Tau, International Honor Society of Nursing, was founded in 1922. The Delta Rho Chapter was established at Jefferson in 1980. Since its founding, more than 390,000 nurse scholars have been inducted into Sigma Theta Tau, and 125,000 of them are active members in over 90 countries and territories. There are 446 chapters located on college and university campuses in the U.S. and around the world. Membership is by invitation to baccalaureate and graduate nursing students who demonstrate excellence in scholarship, and to nurse leaders exhibiting exceptional achievements in nursing. Individuals are selected on the basis of excellence and faculty recommendations addressing scholarship, leadership, creativity, professional standards and commitment.

Undergraduate Programs

Pre-Licensure

Two-Year Students

Jennifer Albin
Rachel Allen
Elizabeth Antosy
Brooke Bazz
Erika Bendetti
Andrea Bria
Samantha Close
Amanda Doyle
Celina Flament
Rachel Foster
Rachel Geller
Tracy Gerlach
Sharetta Johnson
Steve Karkenny
Marion Leary
Danielle Litzinger
Elizabeth Lynch
Kristina Massari

Barbara Mesmer
Emily Perretti
Tashika Reeves
Tracy Santo
Denise R. Smith
Megan Smith
Cindy Sowisdril
Kathleen Staub
Tiffany Thomas
Jessica Torres
Christina Valenta
Tate Van Bellen
Emily Venuta
Aimee Walsh
Rachel M. Woods

FACT Students

Jonathan Applegate
Amina Barbieri
Suzanne Bursak
Emily Hazan

Laura Horton
Kristen Kachur
Kristin Lavigne
Erin Martin
Holly Menzel
Elizabeth Ronan
Barbara Skala
Danielle Target
Barry Thomas
Lauren Tucci
Rebecca van Vliet
Carol Vasold

RN-BSN Students

Blessing Amaefuna
Isabel Benson
Marissa Brenner
Amira Clemens
Brenda Lee Douglass
Homira Feely
Suzette Flores

Judy Heredia
Jessica Lee
Lucinda Martinez
Dominic Parone
LaNeya Pompey
Joyce Smith
Jamie Sosa
Kathleen Stroz
Tomoko Takanashi
Victoriz Tomshaw
Siobhan Walsh-Bonis

Graduate Program

MSN Students

Felicia Anyanwu
Melissa Diehl
Damali Dixon
Lani Kerlin
Gail Mickolonis
Caroline Sweeney
Karen Wilkinson

Alpha Sigma Lambda

Awarded at the Department of General Studies Annual Class Night Ceremony.

Founded in 1945 at Northwestern University, Alpha Sigma Lambda is a national honor society devoted to recognition and encouragement of adult students' academic achievement while they fulfill their many responsibilities of family, work and community service. Membership is restricted to matriculated students in the associate degree program who have completed a minimum of 30 credit hours, who have achieved a grade point average of 3.20 or higher, and who rank in the highest ten percent of all eligible students.

Associate in Arts

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Associate in Science Business

Mary Guilmartin

Associate in Science Information Systems

Linda Kelly

Associate in Science-EMS

Brian King

Bachelor of Science: Health Services Management

Danielle De-Maio-DeAngelis
Kathleen Carroll
Dawn Krewda
Nicole McLeod-Strother
Paula Ros

Lambda Nu

Awarded at the Pennsylvania Gamma Chapter of the Lambda Nu National Honor Society for the Radiologic and Imaging Sciences Induction Ceremony at Thomas Jefferson University on May 21, 2006.

Lambda Nu, the National Honor Society for Radiologic and Imaging Sciences, was founded during 2001 at Arkansas State University. Currently, there are 64 chapters of Lambda Nu in 34 states. Thomas Jefferson University received a charter to form the Pennsylvania Gamma Chapter of Lambda Nu during 2002. Individuals are selected for membership in Lambda Nu on the basis of promoting the Society's objectives: fostering scholarship at the highest academic levels, promoting research and investigation in the radiologic and imaging sciences, and recognizing exemplary scholarship.

Christopher Q. Abella	Kelly Ann Chew	Dawn Marie Hyett	Nana Yaw A. Obeng
Donna Lee Amato	Diana Lee Desmond	Brian David Johnson	David R. Pennell
Marc Eric Ambrosy	Chelsea S. Esford	Vincent Ryan Klebon	Monica Kathryn Ranger
Ryan James Amelung	Stephanie Fink	Amanda L. Lance	Kimberly May Ridenhower
Shibu Joseph Anamalayil	Amanda Ashley Gallatig	Lindsay Alexandria LaPata	Kenneth V. Shim
Olava Anderson	Laura Marie Gilbert	Leonid Laskin	Brad C. Smith
Jennifer Leigh Baczenas	Andrea J. Greway	Julie Rae Lockman	Neal R. Stephens
Joseph Robert Brock	Julia C. Grey	Jillian M. Long	Allan R. Sutter
Rachele Nichole Burkey	John J. Horoshock	Christopher G. Morgan	Jennifer Lauren Voorhees
Nancy R. Butterworth	Robert L. Horton	Richard M. Norton	Shaomin Zhang

Alpha Eta Society

Awarded at the Thomas Jefferson University Chapter of the Alpha Eta Society Induction Ceremony on May 4, 2006.

The Alpha Eta Society is a nationally recognized honor society for allied health professionals established in 1975 under the auspices of the Association of Schools of Allied Health Professions. The purpose of the Alpha Eta Society is to recognize significant academic achievement, leadership, and contributions to the allied health professions. At present, the Society is comprised of approximately 11,000 members in 59 chapters in colleges and universities nationally. Thomas Jefferson University's Chapter of the Alpha Eta Society, which was established in October 1982, is the twenty-second chapter to be formed in the country.

Undergraduate Students	Occupational Therapy	Radiography and Radiation Therapy	Gina Marie Link
Bioscience Technologies	Emily Marie Hayes	Joseph Robert Brock	Tracy Brianna Lomba
<i>Biotechnology</i>	Matthew Scott Hoehn		Erin H. Lynn
Michael Patrick Donnelly, Jr.	Corryn Elizabeth Marsden	Graduate Students	Physical Therapy
John Drake Klados	Emily Jo Rigilano	Nursing	Jessica Rose Domingo
Chrystal Leigh Talley		<i>Adult Nurse Practitioner</i>	Kristina Dawn Fish
<i>Cytotechnology</i>	Radiologic Sciences	Suzette M. Flores	Leah Vanessa Friedman
Stacy Lee Dershem Molnar	<i>General Sonography & Vascular Technology</i>	<i>Family Nurse Practitioner</i>	Margaret Mary Gallen
Kisu Kim	Olava D. Anderson	Gail Anne Mickalonis	Sarah Rachelle Johnson
Nursing	Kimberly M. Ridenhower	Occupational Therapy	Amanda Brennan Morina
Rachel A. Foster	<i>Nuclear Medicine</i>	Kristy Diane Buechele	Lindsey M. Rogers
Kristen N. Kachur	Diana Lee Desmond	Courtney M. Knobl	Heather Kathleen Shriver
Jennifer Vene O'Hearn	Christopher George Morgan	Jennifer Laufhutte	
Dominic Anthony Parone		Margaret Ann Leary	

Faculty	Occupational Therapy	Radiologic Sciences
Bioscience Technologies	E. Adel Herge, MS, OTR/L	Frances H. Gilman, MS,
Janet M. Devine, PhD,	Stephen B. Kern, MS, OTR/L	RT(R)(CT)(MR)(CV)ARRT
MT(ASCP)		

The University Mace

Originally a medieval weapon, the mace evolved from a short staff weighted with metal (used for breaking armor) into a bejeweled and sculptural relic. It fell into disuse by the 16th century as firearms made protective armor and some hand-to-hand combat weapons obsolete. In one of the earliest ceremonial uses of the mace, it was carried by the royal bodyguard before the French king in the 1200s. Examples of the mace as a symbol of authority in modern government include its use in the British House of Commons where the ceremonial mace has a presence on the Treasury table, and in the U.S. House of Representatives, where it is placed on a pedestal to the right of the Speaker's podium when the House is convened. Universities also used the ceremonial mace, borne by the chief marshal, during academic processions.

The Thomas Jefferson University Mace, carried for the first time in the 1986 commencement ceremonies by Grand Marshal Robert Mandle, PhD, was designed and cast by Howard Serlick, member of the Guild of Mastercraftsmen, Winterthur Scholar and Chief Conservator (Gilding) of the Historical Society of Pennsylvania. It was crafted by silversmith Eugene Zweigle and woodturner Michael Copeland.

The four-foot-long, 14-pound mace is made of ebony highlighted with lapis lazuli to reflect Jefferson's colors (black and blue). It features a miniature of Henry Mitchell's sculpture, the "Winged Ox of Saint Luke," symbol of Saint Luke the Physician, the original of which stands on campus beside the Scott Building on Walnut Street. The miniature was cast in silver by Zweigle.

Mitchell's original statue of the "Winged Ox," adopted by the University in 1976 as its symbol of clinical excellence, is mounted on a column containing the names of 50 medical scientists who have most advanced the art of healing. It also reflects the historical evolution of Thomas Jefferson University from its beginnings as Jefferson Medical College in 1824 to its current status as an academic institution comprising the Jefferson Medical College, the Jefferson College of Graduate Studies and the Jefferson College of Health Professions.

The mace, a grand emblem of the University's heritage, is carried at the head of all formal academic processions.

Presidential Medallion of Thomas Jefferson University

The President's Medallion was created for the inauguration of Lewis W. Bluemle Jr., MD, the second President of Thomas Jefferson University, on September 7, 1977. It consists of the four previous official corporate seals of Thomas Jefferson University and the predecessor corporation, the Jefferson Medical College of Philadelphia. These seals were used to mark diplomas, certificates, and other official documents and have been gold-plated to form the Presidential Medallion.

The four seals of the medallion represent the various seals from 1839-2003.

1839-1967- Represents the first seal. Prior to 1839, diplomas of Jefferson Medical College carried the seal of its parent institution, Jefferson College of Canonsburg, Pennsylvania. When the medical college received its own independent charter in 1838, it established its own seal which depicted the traditional likeness of a young Thomas Jefferson. Below this profile was the date of the College's first graduating class in 1826.

1839-1967- The second seal is identical to that described above but bears the Latin script *Sigillum Jeffersoniani Medicinae Collegii - Philadelphiae*.

1967-1969- Represents the creation of the third seal which displayed an updated likeness of Thomas Jefferson and the founding date of 1824, the year that the medical school was first established.

1969-2003- The fourth seal is created to reflect the major change in the status of the institution as the inscription "Jefferson Medical College" was changed to "Thomas Jefferson University" to also include the Jefferson College of Graduate Studies and the Jefferson College of Health Professions.

The current version of the seal may be seen on the cover of this program. This modern silhouette looks forward to the University's expanding role in medical education, health care and research in the new millennium.

The Presidential Medallion is worn by the President at all convocations of the University.

The Jefferson Processional

The Jefferson Processional was commissioned by the Alumni Association of Jefferson Medical College and played for the first time on November 15, 1974, at the Sesquicentennial Celebration of the Jefferson Medical College of Thomas Jefferson University. This piece was presented to Thomas Jefferson University by the President of the Alumni Association of the Jefferson Medical College, Doctor John J. Gartland. It was composed by Burle Marx.

Academic Regalia

The attire worn at academic ceremonies evolved from the dress worn by clergy in the 12th and 13th centuries. In 1222, the Archbishop of Canterbury, Stephen Langston, decreed that a closed, flowing gown known as the *cappa clausa* be worn by all clerics within his jurisdiction. Because Oxford and Cambridge were within the provinces of Canterbury, the clerks at both institutions adopted this style of attire. Hoods seem to have served to cover the tonsured head until superseded for that purpose by the skull cap.

Throughout the years European universities have continued to show great diversity in their academic dress. American universities, on the other hand, when they decided to adopt academic dress in 1895, immediately established a code of regulations which today is followed by practically all American institutions. The establishment of this code has made it possible to distinguish the associate's, bachelor's, master's and doctoral degrees and, at the same time, recognize the university which has conferred the degree.

The associate in arts and bachelor's gowns have pointed sleeves and are worn closed. The master's gown has oblong sleeves, open at the wrist. The rear part of its oblong shape is square cut and the front part has an arc cut away, and is worn open or closed. The doctor's gown has bell-shaped sleeves. It is worn open or closed. The majority of gowns are black, but a number of institutions have adopted other colors to identify special programs or groups within that institution.

The hoods vary in length: 48 inches for the doctoral degree, 42 inches for the master's and 36 inches for the bachelor's and associate's. All hoods are lined in silk in the academic color or colors of the institution conferring the degree. If the institution has more than one color, the colors are shown in divisions using chevrons. The binding or edge of the doctoral, master's and bachelor's hoods are usually made of velvet in the color designating the subject in which the degree was granted. The associate's hood does not have a velvet border. The outside is black.

Black mortarboards are most commonly worn; four-sided and six-sided tams of various colors are also used.

Some of the colors in the bindings of the hoods are:

<i>White</i>	Arts and Letters	<i>Green</i>	Medicine
<i>Tan</i>	Business	<i>Apricot</i>	Nursing
<i>Lilac</i>	Dentistry	<i>Dark Blue</i>	Philosophy
<i>Light Blue</i>	Education	<i>Salmon Pink</i>	Public Health
<i>Purple</i>	Law	<i>Golden Yellow</i>	Science



