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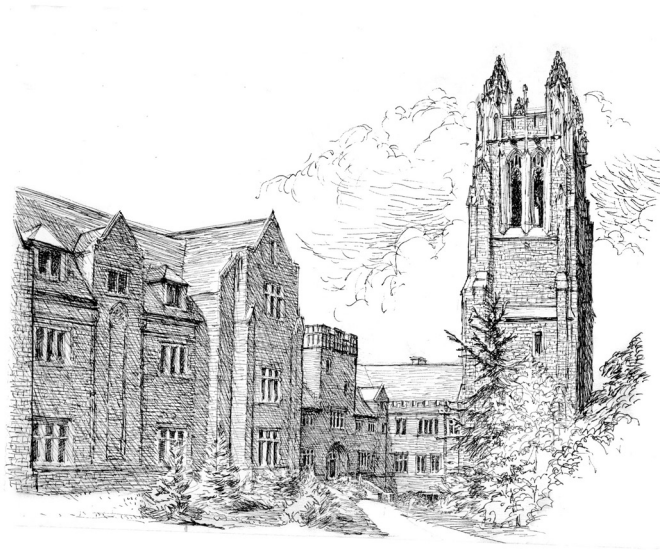
UNDERGRADUATE

Commencement



ERIVAN K. HAUB SCHOOL OF BUSINESS

FRIDAY, MAY 17, 2024



MISSION STATEMENT

As Philadelphia's Jesuit, Catholic university, Saint Joseph's provides a rigorous, student-centered education rooted in the liberal arts. We prepare students for personal excellence, professional success and engaged citizenship. Striving to be an inclusive and diverse community that educates and cares for the whole person, we encourage and model lifelong commitment to thinking critically, making ethical decisions, pursuing social justice and finding God in all things.

The Commencement Ceremony

Friday, May 17, 2024 – 1 p.m.

PRELUDE

Selected Works Crosstown Musical Services

PROCESSIONAL

Pomp and Circumstance (theme) Sir Edward Elgar
Crosstown Musical Services

Narrator

David B. Allan, MBA '99, PhD
Professor, Marketing

ACADEMIC PROCESSION

Grand Marshal

Ruben A. Mendoza, PhD
Associate Professor, Decision and System Sciences

Marshals for the Faculty

Natalie T. Wood, PhD
*Professor and Associate Dean, Executive Education,
Veterans Programs and Assessment for the Haub School of Business*

Marshals For the Graduates

Edward Balotsky, PhD
Nicolle Clements, PhD
Anthony DelConte, MD
Todd Erkis, FSA
Karen Hogan, PhD

Susan Kearney, MBA, CPCU
Viktoriya Lantushenko, PhD
Amy Lipton, PhD
Thomas Martin, PhD
Alfredo Mauri, PhD

Janet Souza, PhD
Jacqueline Volkman Wise, PhD
Kenneth Weidner, PhD

Stage Party

Honored Guests
Members of the Board of Trustees
Members of the Faculty and Administration

INVOCATION

Sarah F. Quinn, BA '89, MBA '09
Associate Vice President and Chief of Staff

NATIONAL ANTHEM

Katerina Calvo, BSBA '24
Marketing

WELCOME

James Carter, PhD
Interim Provost

VALEDICTORY ADDRESS

Peter J. Banfe, BS '24
Finance

**PRESENTATION OF THE TENGELMANN
DISTINGUISHED TEACHING AND RESEARCH AWARD**

David B. Allan, MBA '99, PhD
Professor, Marketing

PRESENTATION OF HONORARY DEGREE

Most Reverend Michael J. Fitzgerald
Auxiliary Bishop, Archdiocese of Philadelphia, Retired
Doctor of Humane Letters, *honoris causa*

PRESENTATION OF CANDIDATES FOR DEGREES AND AWARDING OF DIPLOMAS

Joseph A. DiAngelo Jr., BS '70, EdD
Dean, Erivan K. Haub School of Business

CONFERRING OF DEGREES IN COURSE

Cheryl A. McConnell, PhD
President

PRESIDENT'S REMARKS

Cheryl A. McConnell, PhD

ALMA MATER

Thomas Betterly, BS '24
Mathematics - Secondary Education

BENEDICTION

Daniel R.J. Joyce, S.J., BA '88
Vice President, Mission and Ministry

RECESSIONAL

Triumphal March Hector Berlioz
Crosstown Musical Services

Tengelmann Distinguished Teaching and Research Award

DAVID B. ALLAN, MBA '99, PhD

David B. Allan, PhD, is professor of marketing and the current Dirk Warren '50 Sesquicentennial Chair for Business in the Erivan K. Haub School of Business at Saint Joseph's University. He received a Bachelor of Arts in communications from American University, a Master's of Legal Studies in entertainment law from the University of Southern California, an MBA from Saint Joseph's University, and a PhD in mass media and communications from Temple University.

Allan has published numerous journal articles related to music marketing, but his work also extends to the "real world." He has authored three books on music and advertising (including "This Note's for You"), as well as many case studies about the impact of music celebrities such as Taylor Swift and Beyoncé on popular culture.

He is often consulted by media outlets including *The New York Times* and *The Wall Street Journal* for his views about the impact of music in advertising. Allan also is a beloved teacher and advisor, and he received the American Marketing Association (AMA) Lifetime Achievement Award for his work with students. Prior to his academic career, Allan spent over 20 years in the radio industry, including Power 99FM in Philadelphia.



THE PRESIDENT, BOARD OF TRUSTEES, AND FACULTY OF
SAINT JOSEPH'S UNIVERSITY

TO ALL WHO VIEW THESE PRESENT LETTERS

GIVE GREETINGS IN THE LORD

Saint Joseph's University welcomes and recognizes Most Reverend Michael J. Fitzgerald, auxiliary bishop of the Archdiocese of Philadelphia from 2010 to 2023. Bishop Fitzgerald has served this community and archdiocese for over 40 years, combining a love of pastoral ministry with a desire to advance Catholic education and a commitment to the law.

A New Jersey native, Bishop Fitzgerald graduated from Temple University in 1970 with a Bachelor of English and went on to earn a Juris Doctor from Villanova University School of Law in 1973. He discerned a call to the priesthood and entered St. Charles Borromeo Seminary in 1975, where he would earn a Master of Divinity in 1980.

Bishop Fitzgerald was ordained a priest for the Archdiocese of Philadelphia in 1980 and went on to serve in parishes across the city. His unique background of legal studies and theology equipped him for a storied career in the Church. He earned a Licentiate of Canon Law from Catholic University in 1989 and a Doctor of Canon Law from the Pontifical Gregorian University in Rome in 1991. Returning to Philadelphia, Bishop Fitzgerald served as the first director of the archdiocesan Office for Legal Services and, thereafter, was named chaplain of his holiness by the Vatican. He also served as vice rector of St. Charles Borromeo Seminary and judicial vicar of the archdiocese before his appointment as auxiliary bishop in 2010.

During his 13-year tenure, Bishop Fitzgerald undertook key leadership roles in Catholic education and promoting safe environments for children, as well as acting as liaison to Catholic colleges and universities.

Archbishop of Philadelphia Most Reverend Nelson J. Pérez said, "Throughout the years, Bishop Fitzgerald generously sowed seeds of deep love for the Lord with the zealous heart of a missionary disciple. With great faith, fidelity, charity and humility, Bishop Fitzgerald has worked tirelessly for the good of souls and to build up the Kingdom of God in our region."

It is with great pleasure that Saint Joseph's University awards Most Reverend Michael J. Fitzgerald with the Doctor of Humane Letters, *honoris causa*, for his 40-year commitment to the Archdiocese of Philadelphia.

MOST REVEREND MICHAEL J. FITZGERALD
DOCTOR OF HUMANE LETTERS, *honoris causa*

Citation read by:
Stephen Surovick, S.J.
Senior Director of Mission and Ministry
St. Joseph's Preparatory School

Degrees Conferred In Course

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Adebodun Ademoyo, Jr.	Lucas Bongiovanni	Morgan Cooper
Olivia Agatone	Mark Borek	Luis Correa Rodriguez
Alexa Agovino	Matthew Bracero	Ann Cosgrove
Meshal Alanazi	Talia Broems	Brendan Coughlin
Nicholas Albinson	Patrick Bronander	Michael Covino
Carolyn Alfier	Andrew Bruce	Eamon Coyne
Jake Aliquo	Talya Brugler	Alexa Crowder
Emily Allocco	Gabrielle Bruno	Jackson Crutchfield
Sofia Amalfitano	Kathryn Brutzman	Anthony Czarrunchick
Darren Ambrose	Lauren Buonomo	Justin Czarrunchick
Mikkel Andersen	Quinn Burns	Andrew Dachowski
Joseph Andrews	Andrew Burt	Robert D'Agostaro
Michael Angiolillo	Timothy Butler, Jr.	Giavanna D'Antonio
Nicholas Anni	Justyn Caccese	Ben Davis
Francesca Antonucci	Kaleigh Cadogan	Carli Davy
Javier Arana	Katerina Calvo	Nicole DeDonatis
Rose Archer	Anthony Camarro	Nicholas Defulio
Catharine Argiriou	Benett Camell	Sarah DeGeorge
Christopher Arizin	Gavin Campbell	Madison Delucia
Matthew Armitage	John Campbell	Samuel Denlinger
Christopher Arrigale	Fletcher Caponecchia	Kevin Dennin
Rubab Athar	Emma Capron	Melissa Dhima
Peter Auer	Patrick Carbon	Aboubacar Diaby
Matthew Avery	Nicholas Cardow	Carly Diascro
William Avery	Garrett Carella	Sophia Dicocco
Giacomo Badalamenti, II	Ryan Carey	Grant Difabio
Justin Bakely	Anna Carroll	Joseph Digenio
Ryan Baker	Max Carter	Aidan Doherty
Jillian Balsamo	Gregory Cates	Ryan Donohue
Peter Banfe, III	Hailey Cavanaugh	John Donovan
Matthew Barbera	Joseph Cecchine	Justin Douenias
Karleigh Bard-Marsh	Nicholas Chan	John Dougherty, III
Anthony Bartoli	Luke Chmiel	Robert Dougherty
Ryan Basarab	Nicholas Ciarrocchi	Gabriella Dudajek
Julianna Bastos	Aidan Clark	Nicholas Duffala
Zachary Bednarz, Sr.	James Clark	Caroline Duggan
Nicole Benson	Tess Coary	Samantha Dumont
Michaelangelo Berardi	Daniela Colberg	Kayleigh Eckles
Samuel Bertrando	Stephanie Coleman	Ryan Eckman
Thomas Bevilacqua	Patrick Cone	Nicholas Edwards

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Jake Engelke	Grace Giambalvo	Brendan Keyser
Gabriel Escriba	Samuel Gigliotti	Zakkiyyah Kidd-Parker
Adam Estrada	Jared Glad	Caitlin Kiefner
Finda Fabian	James Gorman	Ciara Kiefner
Matthew Fabiszak	Dylan Graham	Chanho Kim
Katherine Fabris	Samantha Greco	Brendan King
Shane Faherty	Ellie Green	Amanda Kinney
Nicholas Fair	Jayden Greene	Matthew Kirchgasser
Andrew Fannin	Gabrielle Grillo	Colin Kissane
Nicholas Farrell	Erin Groves	Ryan Koch
Matteo Favaro	James Guccio, III	Walter Kokol
Julia Federico	Thomas Gural	Raul Labrador Carballo
Patrick Fehm	Egan Gutenberg	Jaylan Lambert
Rebecca Feola	Sebastian Guzman	Matthew Lambert
Kieran Ferguson	Kristen Haerberle	Alexander Landis
Liam Ferguson	Nora Haggerty	Luke Laperriere
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Ava Ferrara	Brian Harbaugh	Sean Leahy
Liam Ferris	Gavin Harmon	Alexander Lee
Brendan Finerty	Brandon Harris	Zachary Lee
Marissa Finney	Justin Hassey	Destiny Leflore
Ryan Flaherty	Andre Hatcher, Jr.	Sophia Leone
Andrew Flannery	Joshua Heins	Samuel Levine
Jeffrey Floramo	Clifton Henderson	Luis Lewis
Chelsea Flores	Katherine Hilferty	Kendall Lightner
Laura Flores-Martinez	Chloe Hiner	Alison Lim
Aaron Floyd	Max Hitman	Colin Lippert
Nicholas Floyd	Colin Hodgson	Andrew Liszewski
Kyle Flynn	Ryan Hoffman	Andrew Lojewski
Stephen Foertch	Connor Hohman	James Long
Nikki Foller-Moll	Madison Holland	Theodore Long, IV
Eric Ford	Susana Hresko	Madison Lopez
Mccall Foulke	Julia Ianieri	Drew Lorenz
William Frank	Ana Iglesias Alvarez	Stephen Lorenzo
Louis Fresta, IV	Justin Igoe	Ryan Louden
Francis Fritz, V	Jackson Incollingo	Louis Luongo
Elizabeth Fuentes	Kaled Ivanov	Liam Lyons
James Funk	Ted Janiec	Timothy Lyons
Ryan Furr	Daniel Janssen	Olivia Madaras
Ava Galiffa	Julianna Jimenez	Kerri Maguire
Elizabeth Gallo	Luis Jimenez	Rebecca Makrides
Jacob Gandler	Thomas Johnson, II	Jeremy Malave
Sicily Gardiner	Tara Juhas	John Paul Marchetti
Ethan Gardner	Wyatt Karson	Joseph Maressa, III
Tanya Gaymon	Justin Kearns	Carlo Martello
Brian Geatens	Alexander Keener	Joseph Martello
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Troy Matty	Caitlin O'Connor	Nathan Sages
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William Maxwell	Maura O'Hare	Michelle Santos
Chloe Mazick	Michael Olejarczyk	Gina Sassane
Ryan McAuley	John O'Malley	Colin Saunders
Maria McBride	Finnbarr O'Reilly	Ryan Sawka
Sean McCarthy	Rachel Orr	Siobhan Scaffidi
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Jenna McCutchen	Michael Ott	Daniel Schulke, Jr.
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Francis McGann	David Owsik, III	Kevin Schurr
Dylan McGowan	Carter Page	Mary Schweiker
Matthew McGrath	Ava Paoletti	Connor Scofield
Aidan McGregor	Cierra Parker	Brandon Sebor
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Mackenzie McHale	Salvatore Pascarella	Lindsey Shannon
Hannah McKenna	Andrew Pasquarelli	John Sharpe
Andrew McKeon	Vatsal Patel	Lauren Shaughnessy
Carter McKeown	Cameron Patridge	Kyler Sherlock
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Matthew McNamara	Heavenly Perez	Joseph Shoemaker
Matthew Medve	Evan Perrette	Emily Siler
Timothy Merighi	Christian Phillips	Emily Silva
Peter Mester	Lindsay Pinto	Tyler Simendinger
Francesca Miami	Xavier Poblete	Emma Skey
Meghan Miller	Frank Pollock, III	Grace Smith
Richard Mitchell	Margaret Priole	Justin Smith
Jessica Mitich	David Profit	Kevin Smith
Emily Mooney	Nicolette Pruneau	Mackenzie Smith
Ainsley Morasco	Molly Quigley	Lucas Soares
Samuel Much	Ashley Radell	Zachary Sorgini
Will Mulligan	Nicholas Radick	Caroline Spall
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Danielle Nardella	Louis Rocco	Harrison Stewart
Kevin Niderostek	Craig Rodgers	Kyle Stivala
Andrew Neiderer	Maris Rodriguez	Sara Stockett
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Joseph Toscano
Luca Toth
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Kaitlyn Tsiaras
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Luke Vacha
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James Vassallo, III
Enrique Vazquez, IV
Valeria Vega
Dylan Vega-Rios
Scott Verrilli
Hannah Vickers
Joseph Vigliotta
Jillian Villanova
Benjamin Vinci
Taylor Vogel
Colin Voisine
Jacob Vucinaj
Conlan Wall
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Dalton Walsh
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Isabella Watrall
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Jack Wheeler
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Sarah Woolston
Morgan Wormley
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Ebi Yankson
Madeleine Yeager
Mikayla Yeager
Kevin Yonkeu
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Honors Program

UNIVERSITY HONORS AND COLLEGE HONORS THESIS

Students who have completed University Honors with a College Honors Thesis project

Nicole Angelini
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UNIVERSITY HONORS AND RCF HONORS PROJECTS

Students who have completed University Honors with a Research Concept Form

Spencer Brackett
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UNIVERSITY HONORS

Students who have completed University Honors with a two-semester Honors capstone

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FELLOWSHIPS AND AWARDS

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Honors Societies

ALPHA ETA

Bachelors of Science in Health Science Honor Society

Lia D'Angelo
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Kayla Reese
Emily Reester

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Mary Frattara
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Grace Giambalvo
Anne Gutherman
Reilly Hall
Sarah Halupa
Ian Hauck
Sadie HENZES
Melissa Holland
Julia Iacovella
Joseph Kelly
Makayla King
Katherine Koestler
Caroline Kominick
Raul Labrador Carballo
Enzo Lopez
Rebecca Lucas
Hannah Madeya
Rebecca Makrides

Matthew McCaffrey
Marlaina Meltzer
Alec Mettin
Danielle Nardella
Emma Nemeth
Natalie Nevins
Thientrinh Nguyen
Ian Nicholls
Owen Noonan
Patrick O'Hara
Rachel Orr
Sarah Owen
Tenley Paga
Heavenly Perez
Julianna Pollander
Mary Pucci
Ashley Radell
Madison Rawling
Kayla Reese
Shannon Risser

Patrice Romano
Cara Santilli
Riley Schaefer
Hannah Schmidt
Jessica Shaw
Isabella Stefanic
Grace Stewart
Meg Thompson
Rose Tomaszewski
Elizabeth Tynan
Caitlyn Ulmer
Emily Valentino
Anna Valiant
Nicoletta Viscione
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BETA GAMMA SIGMA

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Rose Tomaszewski
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Matthew Weeden
Sarah Woolston

PHI BETA KAPPA

Liberal Arts Honors Organization

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Rachel Brown
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Gavin Campbell
Alex Colman
Chase Davis

Owen Fabula
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Jordan McCarthy
Alec Mettin
Alexa Mihaita

Emma Nemeth
Ian Rowe-Nicholls
Breanne Nunn
Miranda Oseguera
Joseph Peracchio
Heavenly Perez
Mary Pucci

Ethan Robison Ramoutar
Cara Santilli
Isabella Stefanic
Alexis Sterling
Luke Vacha
Shannon Ward
Eva Webb

Awards

COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES

Dean's Award	Ian Rowe-Nicholls
Ann Smulowicz Award in Art and Art History	Anne Gutherman
Dr. Adeline M. Fagan '14, Award for Excellence in Biology	Rachel R. Brown
Biology Award	Alexandra A. Colman
Biology Award	Thientrinh V. Nguyen
Chemical Biology Award	Alexa Mihaita
American Chemical Society Scholastic Achievement Award	Kurt Zaballero
American Institute of Chemists Award for Scholastic Achievement	Jenna Zietowski
Communication and Media Studies Award	Isabella Colina Hidalgo
Computer Science Award for Academic Excellence	Owen Fabula
Economics Award	Gavin Campbell
Daniel J. Dougherty English Award	Natalie Nevins
Environmental Science Award	Miranda Oseguera
Faith-Justice Studies	Grace M. Taylor
Thomas J O'Malley, S.J., Award for Excellence in Historical Studies Award	Ian Rowe-Nicholls
Medical Alumni Scholarship	Joseph Kelly
Medical Alumni Scholarship	Caroline Kominick
Catherine Nash Scholarship Award	Thientrinh Nguyen
Fr. Moore Scholarship	Isabella Stefanic
International Relations Award for Academic Excellence	Alec Mettin
Justice & Ethics in the Law Minor Award	Madison Lopez
Matthew G. Sullivan, S.J., Latin American Studies Program Award	Alec Mettin
Mathematics Award	Nicole Angelini
Northeast Conference Award in French	Lucie Marin
Northeast Conference Award in Italian	William Avery
Northeast Conference Award in Spanish	Breanne Nunn
Linguistics Program Award	Emma Nemeth
Communication Sciences and Disorders	Riley McDade
Classical Studies	Chase Davis
Spanish Program Award	Allie Miller
Italian Program Award	Brigid Kane
French Program Award	Jocelyn Brad
Theatre Award	Melissa Holland
The Philosophy Award	Callan O'Rourke
Houston-O'Connor Award	Jessie Jin
Political Science Award for Academic Excellence	Mary Pucci
Dr. Henrik S. Arnesen Psychology Award	Shannon Ward
Criminal Justice	Jessica DiBricida
John J. Kane Sociology Award	Ian Rowe-Nicholls
Joseph and Nancy Ruane Commencement Award for Sociology	Alexis Sterling
Interdisciplinary Studies Humanities	Alyssa Tino
Interdisciplinary Studies Social Sciences	Jennifer Tronoski
Norman F. Ramsey Commencement Research Award	Jordan McCarthy
Bertha Litsky Endowed Commencement Award	Jillian Marshall

COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES AWARDS *(continued)*

Francis M. White American Institute of Biological Sciences	Rachel Prutzman
Marin S. Dunn Memorial Prize for Biology	Sylvia Rudzinski
Martin and Karen Gibbs Prize in Biological Sciences	Thu (Ivy) Le
Norman F. Ramsey Commencement Research Award	Pedro Ramos
Medical Laboratory Science Award	Isla Brennan
Steinberg Family Commencement Award	Thu (Ivy) Le
American Chemical Society Scholastic Achievement Award	Kurt Zaballero
American Chemical Society Scholastic Achievement Award - Chemistry/Pharm Chemistry	Hope Coffinberger
Louis A. Reber, PhD, Memorial Research Award - Biochemistry	Jake Basara
Louis A. Reber, PhD, Memorial Research Award - Chemistry	Riley Schaefer
Louis A. Reber, PhD, Memorial Research Award - Pharmaceutical Chemistry	Sarah Herter
Martin and Karen Gibbs Prize in Chemistry	Toan Luong
Dr. Louis Gershenfeld Memorial Prize for Microbiology	Jillian Marshall
Mildred Wasserman Award	Natalie De la Cruz Vargas
Dr. Bernard Witlin '38 Award in Microbiology	Jillian Marshall
Lena DeLisser-Matthews Prize	Mustafa Shakir
Virginia Lebo Osol Memorial Prize	Owen O'Reilly

ERIVAN K. HAUB SCHOOL OF BUSINESS

Accounting Department Award	Alexander Lee
Business Intelligence and Analytics	Kathryn Brutzman
Machine Learning / Artificial Intelligence Major Award	Joseph Peracchio
Supply Chain Management Major Award	Finda Fabian
Finance Department Award	Peter Banfe
Risk Management and Insurance Award	Morgan Cooper
Actuarial Science Award	Gavin Campbell
Eugene K. Brown Excellence in Food Marketing Award	Daniel Tencza
Richard J. George Award for Excellence in the Food Marketing Co-op Program	Ben Funk
Leadership, Ethics and Organizational Sustainability Award	Joseph Shoemaker
Human Resources and People Management Award	Sarah Woolston
International Business Award	Andre Lavergne-Vassallo
Business Administration	David Owsik
Organizational Development and Leadership Award	Tanya Gaymon
Metin H. Gurol Award for Excellence in Marketing	Gianna Consalo
Sports Marketing Award	Samantha Dumont
Pharmaceutical and Healthcare Marketing Award	Ellie Green
Dean's Award	Ellie Green

SCHOOL OF EDUCATION AND HUMAN DEVELOPMENT

Dean's Award	Thomas Betterly
Pre-K-4, 4-8 UG Early Childhood	Grace Taylor
4-8, 7-12, PK12 7-12	Jenna Zietowski
Autism Behavioral Studies UG Award	Olivia DeSabella
Special Education Department Award	Tenley Paga
Child and Family Studies	Reina Prado

PHILADELPHIA COLLEGE OF PHARMACY

PHARMACY PRACTICE

American Society of Consultant Pharmacists Award	.....	Serena Zhang
Hyman C. Bogash Drug Salesmen's Association of Pennsylvania Award	.....	Rohan Nainan
Cantor Family Prize	.....	Hannah Higgins
Margaret Mary Culin Memorial Award	.....	Jessica Dinh
Michael F. Dollarton Memorial Prize	.....	Marta Walewska
Herbert L. Flack PSHP Commencement Award	.....	Jessica Baals
Mr. Seymour Fox '36 Commencement Award	.....	Ellen Wirawan
Joseph L. Garde Commencement Award	.....	Stephanie Mazurek & JoJo Jacob
GlaxoSmithKline Commencement Award	.....	Kate Bradshaw & Sophia Ellis
Benjamin Greenbaum '38 Memorial Prize	.....	Maryjane Hammel
Theodore I. Goldblum Memorial Prize	.....	Evelyn Ibarra
HVS Laboratories Commencement Award	.....	Dylan Zuch & Austin Blumetti
Wolters Kluwer Clinical Drug Information Award of Excellence in Clinical Communications	.....	Jessica Bedford
Johnson & Johnson Consumer Inc, McNeil Healthcare Division Award	.....	Charles Lau
Leonard M. Krusinski '61 Memorial Prize	.....	John McCrane
Monmouth County Society of Pharmacists Memorial Graduation Award	.....	Charles Lau
Olumfemi "Femi" Ogunkorode Memorial Award	.....	Dylan Zuch
Pennsylvania Pharmacists Association Outstanding Pharmacy Student Award	.....	Vaidehi Patel
The Irwin Reich and Judith Reich Memorial Award	.....	Caitlyn Dill
Warren Rosemarin Commencement Award	.....	Vaidehi Patel
Albert E. Rosica Jr. Memorial Prize	.....	Faridah Nguyen
Sarah B. Shapiro Memorial Prize	.....	Minah McDougald
Viatrix Excellence in Pharmacy Award	.....	Kayla Skinner

PHARMACY SCIENCES

Johnson & Johnson Award	.....	Jubin Saji
Remington Memorial Prize	.....	Danielle Feldman
Johnson & Johnson Award for Innovation in Pharmacology/Toxicology	.....	Jessica Shaw
Packman Family Award in Toxicology	.....	Akito Kina
Mitchell I. Steinberg and Family Award	.....	Caitlyn Ulmer

CLASS OF '50 AWARD

The Class of '50 Award is an award given to the top graduating senior who has excelled in their sport on the local, regional or national level, and/or has been instrumental in contributing to the team's success in the current academic year, and/or has had a distinguished career and established him/herself among those in the program's history.

Talya Brugler, BSBA '22, MS '24 (Organizational Development and Leadership)	.....	Women's Basketball
Jorden Concordia, BS '22, MS '24 (Applied Behavior Analysis)	.....	Women's Lacrosse
Patrick Fehm, BSBA '24 (Business Intelligence and Analytics)	.....	Men's Track and Field
Manu Ghigliotti, BA '24 (International Relations)	.....	Field Hockey
Carter Page, BSBA '24 (Marketing)	.....	Men's Lacrosse
Sydney Rose, BA '24 (Communication Studies)	.....	Women's Track and Field

HAWK LEGACY AWARD

The Hawk Legacy Award is an award given to a student-athlete who best reflects the culture and values of Saint Joseph's Athletics through hard work and competitive excellence, selflessness, resilience, inclusion and service to others.

Gavin Campbell, BSBA '24 (Actuarial Science)	Men's Track and Field
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EXPLANATION OF ACADEMIC REGALIA

The first year in the academic life of Saint Joseph's College opened with a ceremony, the Mass of the Holy Spirit, and closed with a ceremony, a commencement exercise. In the years since, the academic year at Saint Joseph's has continued to open with a solemn Mass of the Holy Spirit and to close with a formal commencement. Thus firmly rooted in the history of Saint Joseph's, the ceremony in which you share today is part of a still older historical tradition, that of the medieval university, where as early as the 13th century, the awarding of academic degrees was attended with great ceremony and solemnity.

Today's academic procession replicates the march through the streets of Paris (or one of the other great university centers of the time) of the doctors and masters of the university, their somber gowns, brightened by the colored ornamentation of their hoods, testifying to their status as members of a corporate body, free of feudal controls, which alone possessed the right to fix the standards for academic degrees and licenses. Their gowns and hoods, practical garments designed to ward off the chill of unheated lecture halls and libraries and to provide adequate space to shelter books and manuscripts, provide the models for the gowns worn on ceremonial occasions by the professors and students of today.

The cut of the gown indicates the level of the degree. The bachelor's gown, always black in color, is cut simply, with long, pointed sleeves, and is worn closed. The traditional master's gown resembles the bachelor's except for the cut of the sleeves; these are quite long and cut above the elbow so that the lower part of the sleeve, closed at the bottom, hangs behind the wearer's arm or coat sleeve. Much more elaborate is the doctor's gown, embellished with velvet panels down the front and around the neck and with three velvet chevrons on each of its bell-shaped sleeves. The master's and doctor's gowns may be worn open or closed.

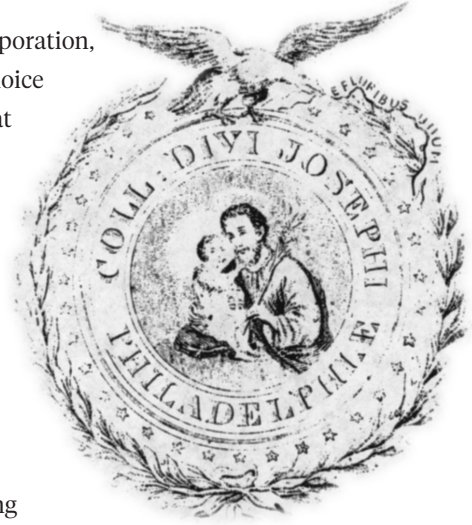
Hoods also vary in cut according to the degree represented: the bachelor's again being the most simple and doctor's the most elaborate. The hood is lined with silk in the colors of the university that granted the wearer's highest degree, and the color of the bordering velvet indicates the field of study to which the degree pertains.

— Attributed to Francis X. Gerrity, PhD, Professor *Emeritus*, History



THE SEAL OF SAINT JOSEPH'S UNIVERSITY

The first seal of Saint Joseph's College designed in 1852, the year of incorporation, featured a half-length figure of St. Joseph holding the Christ Child. The choice of this image for the first corporate seal reflects the founding of the college at St. Joseph's, the first Catholic church in Philadelphia, as well as the piety of Felix Joseph Barbelin, S.J., pastor of the church and founder of the college. This first seal was surrounded by one star for each state in the Union, a wreath of olive leaves and a bald eagle holding a banner inscribed *E Pluribus Unum* (Out of Many, One) at crest. The arms of the republic would have been important symbols for the new college to put forward, founded, as it was, at a time when the loyalty and patriotism of Catholics was questioned by Nativists.



By the turn of the century, the college had left the safety of the founding parish church, built a splendid new campus in North Philadelphia and developed a collegiate structure and identity. In 1903, John F. X. O'Connor, S.J., designed a new seal, more in keeping with the new collegiate identity. His design included most of the heraldic emblems, or charges, found in the modern shield of Saint Joseph's University.

The modern shield is quartered, that is, divided into four equal parts by a cross. In the upper left quarter, the dexter chief in heraldic terms, are 15 bands (bends): seven gold and eight red. The seven gold bands represent the seven sons of the House of Loyola: St. Ignatius and his six brothers. Red and gold are traditional as they are the heraldic colors of the royal House of Castille, to which the Loyola's were loyal.



In the upper right quarter, the sinister chief, is the coat of arms of the House of Loyola: two wolves at a kettle, said to symbolize the hospitality of the House. In the lower left quarter, the dexter base, is a lily, an iconographic attribute of St. Joseph, the patron of the University.

In the lower right quarter, the sinister base, is the emblem of the Society of Jesus. The letters "IHS" inscribed in a radiating sun at center are the Greek *iota*, *eta*, and *sigma*, the first three letters of the word "Jesus" in Greek. Rising out of the "H" is a cross, the symbol of redemption and salvation through Christianity. Below are three nails symbolizing the Passion of Christ.

The seal of the University is composed of the full heraldic shield with a periphery bearing the words "Saint Joseph's University Philadelphia 1851." The shield is used for institutional identification and ornamentation while the seal is used on diplomas, transcripts, and for the attestation of documents.

ALMA MATER

*Saint Joseph's hail! In song we praise our mother dear and fair.
In life's grim battle, we'll march on with Faith and strength to dare.
For valiant deeds make stout our hearts to prove your heirs are true.
So come rejoice and with one voice pledge loyal love to you.*

*Saint Joseph's hail! Our blood runs proud to hold tradition's fame.
For words of gold on history's scroll shed glory on your name.
To honor God, to love God's world, your champions for each fray.
Against the sky our colors fly, deep crimson folds and gray.*

Music: F. Edward Bigham '43 | Words: Robert F. McKeon, S.J.

LIVING INDIGENOUS LAND ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

Saint Joseph's University – Hawk Hill resides in the present and ancestral homeland of the Lenape. The Lenape, "Original People," inhabited the region for over 10,000 years prior to European imperial colonization and are considered to be the "ancient ones" or "grandfathers" by other Algonquin. With our acknowledgement, the Saint Joseph's University community dedicates itself to building meaningful relationships with Lenape and other Indigenous communities to inform the advancement of curriculum and sustainability practices that honor and uplift Indigenous knowledge and traditions.

