

ONE HUNDRED FIFTIETH COMMENCEMENT MAY 14, 2015

RIDER UNIVERSITY

150

1865-2015

Fulfilling



















1865 Trenton Business College opens 1913

School of Education established,

one of the nation's first

one of the nation's first

1927
The New Jersey State Board of
The Rider to confer graduate degrees
Rider to confer graduate

1883

College begins reaching and shorthand typewriting and shorthand

1921 Name officially changed to Rider College 1937
Rider becomes a
Roper organization

THE PROMISE



















1957 Groundbreaking on Lawrenceville campus 1992 Rider College merges with Rider College Westminster Choir College

2009 LEED-certified residence halls open

1979
First Cramberry Fest held

1994
Rider officially granted university status

2015
Rider's 150th Celebration

Rider University Statement of Community Values

In our endeavor to make Rider University a just community, we commit ourselves, as caring individuals, to the following principles:

- that our rigorous intellectual life nourishes our minds and spirits;
- that no person travels these halls as a stranger;
- that integrity of word and deed forms the foundation of all relationships;
- that we recognize that real leadership is derived from service to others;
- that we celebrate our differences for they are our strength;
- that we are proud of this special place, entrusted to us by past generations, nurtured by us for future ones;
- that we share not one Truth, but respect our common pursuit for understanding;
- and through the time we spend here, we are forever joined to each other and to Rider University.

Adopted on University Day, April 12, 2001

The Tradition of the Rider Rock

The Rider Rock was initiated by students in 2006 to honor generations of Rider students, past, present and future and to connect them to the symbolic Rider Elm, the emblem of learning and the cycles of life.

Incoming Rider students touch the Rider Rock following New Student Convocation, and graduating seniors complete the cycle on Commencement Day. At the end of their Commencement ceremony on the Campus Green, graduates have an opportunity to walk by and touch the Rider Rock, which is located adjacent to the Bart Luedeke Center Patio.

The five-foot-high granite rock is inscribed with Rider's motto, the Latin words "In Omnia Paratus," which translates to "in all things prepared," along with the insignia of the tree of knowledge and 1865, the year Rider was founded. The inscription continues, "By touching the Rider Rock, we affirm our commitment to the pursuit of knowledge and the betterment of our world. Through the time we spent here, we are forever joined to the past and future generations of students and to Rider University."

Let's celebrate today's commencement on social media. Please use #Rider2015 to join in our commencement excitement.

Academic Heraldry

The wearing of caps, gowns, and hoods at college and university functions dates back to the Middle Ages when they were first worn by monks and students in order to keep warm in the damp and drafty 12th-century castles and halls of learning. Through the years, their style and color have come to represent certain exact meanings.

- Gowns for the associate's and bachelor's degrees, worn through undergraduate study, have a semistiff yoke, long pleated front and intricate shirring across the shoulders and back. The gown is worn closed and is primarily distinguished by its long, pointed sleeves.
- The gown for the master's degree has the same yoke effect as that of the bachelor's, but is so designed that it may be worn open or closed. The back of the sleeve is oblong and square cut.
- Gowns for the doctoral degree are also worn open or closed. They have long velvet panels down the front and three velvet bars on the bell-shaped sleeves. This velvet trimming may be either black or the color distinctive of the field of learning to which the degree pertains.
- Certain changes were made in 1960, and some colleges and universities have departed from the traditional black and adopted gowns in the official colors of the institution.
- Caps may be of serge, broadcloth, cotton, rayon, or silk, or, for the doctor's outfit only, velvet. Caps may be mortarboards or soft, square-topped caps. The tassel of the associate's and bachelor's caps may be black thread; the tassel for the master's cap, silver thread; and the tassel of the doctor's cap, gold thread.
- At Rider University, the tassel color indicates graduation with honors: undergraduate degree candidates
 receiving their degree with honors, cum laude, magna cum laude, or summa cum laude, wear white
 tassels. Master's degree candidates receiving their degree with distinction wear tassels of cranberry.
- The hood gives further color and meaning to the academic costume. The hood is a shell of varying sizes for the baccalaureate and graduate degrees and of material to match the gown. It is lined with the color or colors of the institution conferring the degree and is bordered with velvet of the proper width and color to indicate the field of learning:

Accountancy, Business, Commerce	Drab
Education	Light Blue
Liberal Arts and Sciences	White
Music	Pink
Nursing	Apricot

- The robe worn by the president of Rider University was presented by the Rider University Chapter of the American Association of University Professors to Dr. Rozanski on the occasion of his inauguration as the sixth president of Rider. The robe is cranberry and white, the University's official colors. It is worn by the president at formal academic occasions at the University.
- The mace, carried at the head of the procession, is a traditional symbol of authority at governmental, ecclesiastical and scholarly occasions. Originally a warlike implement, it has evolved in form and fabric to fit its present ceremonial purpose. Of silver and ebony, the mace of Rider University is a memorial to Roland T. Henderson, Class of 1949, and was presented in 1975 by his widow, Elizabeth. The names of the six Rider presidents are engraved on the mace.

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Order of Procession

Grand Marshal

Members of the Faculty

Members of the Graduating Class

ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICERS

Trustees

Honorary Degree Recipient

President of the University

The audience is asked to rise for the procession and join in singing the National Anthem.

Music performed by The Blawenburg Band Dr. Jerry E. Rife, *Musical Director and Conductor*

Order of Ceremonies

Presiding Officer	Dr. DonnaJean A. Fredeen Provost and Vice President for Academic Affair
Invocation	The Reverend Katie Mulligan Rider Campus Ministry
The National Anthem	Angelica Staicos '15
Welcome	Dr. Mordechai Rozanski President
Conferring of Honorary Degree Dr. J. Barton Luedeke	Dr. Rozanski
Distinguished Honors and Awards	Dr. Fredeen
Presentation of Class Gift	
Graduating Class Speaker	Ms. Cristin Eckhardt '09, '15
Conferring of Degrees	Dr. Rozanski

Introduction of the Graduates

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Alumni Induction	Mr. Jonathan Meer
	Vice President for University Advancement
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Recession	al

The audience is asked to rise for the recessional.

We recognize the passing of members of our Rider community with the flower arrangements located center stage.

Honorary Doctor of Laws



Dr. J. Barton Luedeke

Rider University is proud to award the Honorary Doctor of Laws to Rider University President Emeritus, Dr. J. Barton Luedeke at its 150th Commencement ceremony.

Dr. Luedeke, better known as Bart, served as Rider's fifth president from 1990 until his retirement in 2003. During his tenure, Rider saw the completion of several major facility projects, the dramatic expansion of its information technology infrastructure, the move to the Metro Atlantic Athletic Conference, the establishment of a comprehensive advancement and marketing program, and the successful completion of its first-ever general capital campaign. Most importantly, Bart led both the successful merger with Westminster Choir College as well as Rider's achievement of university status in 1994, making Rider the first New Jersey institution to meet the state mandated guidelines.

Rider's Student Center, fondly referred to as the BLC (The Bart Luedeke Center), was named in Bart's honor upon his retirement in recognition of his strong commitment to students and the true sense of community he fostered during his 32 years of service to the University.

Bart came to Rider in 1971 as the assistant to then President Frank N. Elliott. He served as Dean of the College of Continuing Studies, where he led a comprehensive redesign of the former Evening School and guided the creation of the Liberal Studies degree program. He also served as Associate Provost and Vice President for Academic Affairs and Provost.

A strong advocate of the transformative power of higher education and athletics in the lives of students, Bart held leadership roles with several national organizations including the NCAA. He currently serves on several boards, among them the Charlotte W. Newcombe Foundation and Hanover College, his alma mater.

Bart earned a Ph.D. in Higher Education Administration from the University of Illinois, an M.Ed. in Counseling from Xavier University and a B.A. in Psychology from Hanover College.

2015 Distinguished Teaching Awards



Dr. Tan Miller
Associate Professor and Director
Global Supply Chain Management Program

Dr. Tan Miller joined Rider's faculty in September 2008 as a visiting professor. He was instrumental in developing Rider's global supply chain management program, which launched in September 2009 and is now ranked among the nation's top 25 programs by the global research firm, Gartner. Tan earned his master's and doctorate from the University of Pennsylvania and his MBA from the Wharton School. Before joining Rider, he worked in private industry for more than 20 years, including a role as regional director of distribution and head of U.S. consumer distribution at Johnson & Johnson, where he made time to volunteer on Rider's Science Advisory Board. Tan has influenced countless students to major in global supply chain management. In nominating him for the award, one student wrote, "Dr. Miller is one of the main reasons I chose Rider University. He is a great teacher and a superb advisor."



Dr. Nikki Shepardson Associate Professor, History Department

A member of Rider's faculty since 2000, Dr. Nikki Shepardson teaches early modern and modern European history. Students praise her passion for the subject and engaging teaching style. Nikki earned a doctorate in European history, as well as a master's in history, from Rutgers University. Her research concentrates on martyrs and martyrdom in sixteenth-century France as well as gender issues in the Renaissance and Reformation. Students, even non-history majors, line up to take multiple classes with Nikki. In nominating her, one student wrote, "Her passion for the material is contagious. Not being a history major myself, she makes her classes fun and exciting."

2015 Dominick H. Iorio Research Prize



Dr. Wendy Heath
Professor, Psychology Department

Dr. Wendy Heath has been a member of the Rider University faculty since 1993. She earned a master's and doctorate in experimental psychology from the University of Texas at Arlington. Over her career, Wendy's research has applied the tools of experimental psychology to examine how memory and judgment affect juror decision making. Her work, which has found an eager audience of legal scholars and psychologists, has led to a greater understanding of how jurors perceive defendant behavior — knowledge with important implications for justice in society. As a research scholar for the Innocence Project, a national nonprofit organization that works to exonerate the wrongfully convicted, Wendy has undertaken research that promises to dramatically impact public understanding of wrongful conviction. Through the example of her teaching and scholarship, Wendy serves as a model of excellence for the entire Rider community and beyond.



Degree Candidates

The following is a list of candidates for degrees. Indication of graduation honors is based upon the cumulative grade point average after the conclusion of the fall semester. The official roster of degree recipients and the final calculation of graduation honors are recorded in the Office of the Registrar of the University.

- * Degree candidates listed with this symbol completed their degree requirements in December 2014 or January 2015.
- + Degree candidates listed with this symbol are expected to complete their degree requirements during the summer.

A recording of today's ceremony is available on DVD from Rider University Media Services. For an order form, go to *www.rider.edu/commencement*.

College of Business Administration

Executive Master	Cynthia Nicole Birdsong	Justin R. Geissler with distinction
of Business Administration	M. A. Betty Bright-Romero *	Michael E. Gershon
Andrew Cristopher Alaya * with distinction	Cara A. Buccellato * Frank Laspada Burroughs +	Matthew Nicholas Gioia +
Allison Lee Basten * with distinction	Geralyn Laspada Burroughs with distinction	Steven Michael Grant Jieying Gu *
Jennifer Diane Dillon +	Karen Elizabeth Canino	Sarah Beth Hicks
MICHAEL Hu * with distinction	VINCENT D. COWARD * with distinction	Gordon Vincent Horvath Jr. with distinction
Tina R. LeMar *	Melissa Anne Dardani +	Jing Hu *
James William Meyers *	Eurico David II	Xiaoyun Hu
MARTIN J. OTT III * with distinction	Jennifer Ann DeForge	SEAN HUTTON * with distinction
Samir Natwarlal Patel *	DEEPA DESAI with distinction	Yunxin Jin +
Anthony Kerry Rajkumar *	Stephanie Di Bella	Spring Rae Jones with distinction
Master of Accountancy	KEVIN WILLIAM DODGE * with distinction WEILI DONG +	STEPHANIE MICHELLE KAPLAN + with distinction
		Jacqueline M. Karvoski *
RICARDO J. ALCORTA with distinction	Mariah M. Duckett *	Harpreet Kaur
Layla Khaled Al Khalefah	Cristina Marie Dunay * with distinction	Justin Michael Kenney
Haozong An	Darren M. Durant +	Amy Michelle Landau * with distinction
Wesley L. Anglin +	ERIC T. ELGIN with distinction	Jimmy H. Larios-Flores
Leslie Ann Arkuszewski *	Kristin A. Elias	with distinction
Jeffrey William Baird	with distinction	Peter A. Lavin + with distinction
Hanfan Bao *	Gaoxing Feng +	

Benny Lim * Ryan Anthony Ricci COREY CHUN HO WU with distinction Mark Edward Ronchetti Jr. + Huijie Xi * Хіаониі Ма with distinction ROBERT ANTHONY ROSATI * XIBEI XIA * Bridget Kaye Mackolin + Alfred Anthony Russo Lin Xiang * with distinction with distinction Mohammed Itban Sadeque * Joshua Thomas Malcolm with distinction Ping Xu * with distinction MATTHEW AARON SAMPSON Zuozhi Xu* Victoria Marquardt with distinction with distinction Xu Zhang Corina Nichelle Santiago + Tara Hanley Mathiesen with distinction YANCHANG ZHANG with distinction with distinction Iose Antonio Santos * Taylor Scott Matthews + with distinction YE ZHENG * with distinction JOSHUA ERIC MEAD + THERESA MARY SCHULTZ Zhuang Yi Zhou * Oian Miao Matthew Francis Sheridan + with distinction Alicia M. Zuccarelli + GEGE SHI + with distinction Timothy Raymond Molineux * with distinction James P. Shreve with distinction Chengeei Ni + JACQUELINE K. SOUKSAY Monica Nizzare + JESSICA MARIE O'TOOLE SULLIVAN Tingshan Pan * with distinction SOOHO PARK + SEAN TYLER SWEENEY + with distinction Peter A. Taylor ROSHNI PATEL with distinction Kaitlyn Massing Ramsen **JEFFREY REED THOMAS** with distinction with distinction MICHAEL D. REILLY Timothy Ignacio Torres * with distinction with distinction XIAO XING REN* KEOING WANG * Antonio J. Ribeira CHENYI WEI with distinction EMILY ROSE WOLFMAYER +

Master of Business Administration	Xiaowen Gu *	Mohamed Sassioui + with distinction
TIDMINISTRATION	Daniela P. Guarraggi +	Bertille Saudrais-Petit
Neelofar Abdul Salam *	YanDa Guo *	
Laura Rae Albright	Erica Leann Gutman *	Qunyuan Shu *
Danielle Antoinette Amico + with distinction	Victoria Marie Halenda *	David S. Stott II with distinction
Marion Artolle +	Siyu He *	Michael J. Szubrowski *
Matthew T. Bradley	Brennan R. Heuer	Aisha Jasmine Varnadore *
Emerson M. Bursis +	Damien Anthony Hughes	Buqun Wang
with distinction	Joseph N. Immordino + with distinction	Chenchen Wang
Maria Dolores Calcaterra		Jonathan B. West with distinction
Chun Chen +	Ming Jin *	wiin aistinction
Tracy L. Cunningham	Lingyi Kong	Kayla L. Wong +
Ana C. Daley +	Amber Ryan Kopp with distinction	Yinqian Yue
with distinction		Jingwei Zhang +
Michael E. Davis +	Yiming Li	Junjie Zhang
YiSheng Ding	QıYun Liu *	Shuai Zhang +
Shaun Michael Doherty *	Kimberly E. Loux *	Yuqiao Zhou
Allison Lynn Drake +	Yijun Lu	
Aaron Dvorin	Kevin F. Malinowski	
Virginia Egusquiza Taramona	Thomas Daniel McGoldrick	
Brittany Nicole English +	KATE E. McKinley with distinction	
Jaclyn M. Farina + with distinction	Joseph William Mingo Jr. +	
Robert J. Ferroni	Sean P. O'Connor +	

Daniel Christopher Perez +

Steven Michael Rudenstein *

NATALIE SOPHIA GALATI

Charlotte Marie Gioia +

College of Liberal Hrts, Education, and Sciences

School of Education

Educational Specialist

SAMANTHA E. ALLYN School Psychology with distinction

Jaime Alberto Antonio-Bravo School Psychology with distinction

Ana R. Benalcazar School Psychology with distinction

KIMBERLY ANNE CARL *
School Psychology
with distinction

JUSTIN O. DAWLABANI School Psychology with distinction

Rebecca Sweeney DeFrancisco School Psychology with distinction

LORRAINE HELSABECK LA PIERRE Counseling Services with distinction

Deniela Cleonice Lo Presti School Psychology

SEAN DAVID PARKER School Psychology with distinction

JENNIFER L. PIECHOSKI + Counseling Services DAVIDA DANIELLE PRICE + Counseling Services with distinction

KRISTINA SACCOMONDO School Psychology with distinction

KERRI LYNNE SIEDENBURG School Psychology with distinction

YOCHEVED SPEISER School Psychology with distinction

TRACY CHRISTINE TIMIAN School Psychology with distinction

MAYA ZOHAR School Psychology with distinction

MASTER OF ARTS

Andrew R. Ahimovic Jr. + Teacher Leadership with distinction

COLLEEN P. ANDREWS + Clinical Mental Health Counseling with distinction

KEENAN T. BAILEY Organizational Leadership

JOHN M. BARNETT SR. Counseling Services with distinction

RACHEL CHRISTINA BOYLE Organizational Leadership with distinction

LUCILLE BEVERLY BROWN
Clinical Mental Health Counseling
with distinction

Anthony Vincent Cannuli + Educational Leadership with distinction

MICHELLE ANB CEBULA + Teacher Leadership with distinction

TARYN MICHELLE CHASE * Clinical Mental Health Counseling with distinction

Lauren Shari Cohen Special Education with distinction

MEGAN N. CORREIA Educational Leadership with distinction

MICHELLE M. CORSINI *
Clinical Mental Health Counseling
with distinction

FELIX GENE CRIMOLI * Educational Leadership with distinction

Jenai Marie Damatta Special Education

MICHAEL ALLEN DEEHR Organizational Leadership

CRYSTAL L. DEVINCENZI Counseling Services with distinction

STEPHANIE LEIGH DISBROW Counseling Services with distinction

CAITLIN KIBLER FAIR *
Organizational Leadership
with distinction

Laura Beth Fay Teacher Leadership with distinction

LISA CROWLEY FEINSTEIN Reading/Literacy Education with distinction

Daniel Patrick Finn + Educational Leadership

Donna Michelle Fleury Organizational Leadership

TARA MICHELLE FULLER Organizational Leadership with distinction

JESSICA MARIE GALLICCHIO *
Organizational Leadership
with distinction

CHRISTINA ROSE GIANNOPOULOS Special Education with distinction

JEREMY AARON GLOVER Organizational Leadership

Kristofer Gould Special Education with distinction

KAREN M. GRONIKOWSKI Teacher Leadership with distinction

Prerna Gupta + Reading/Literacy Education SABBATH GUZMAN *
Organizational Leadership
with distinction

KIARA HAGEMAN Teacher Leadership with distinction

HOLLY L. HIRT Reading/Literacy Education with distinction

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RUDI ANISE JONES Counseling Services

KRYSTAL D. KANICKIJ Teacher Leadership with distinction

Kristyn Michelle Kantor Special Education with distinction

COLLEEN MARIE KEBLES
Organizational Leadership
with distinction

MICHAEL THOMAS KELLEY Special Education

LYNN KLINE Organizational Leadership

NICHOLAS MIGUEL LATORRE Counseling Services with distinction

JANE-ELLEN B. LENNON Teacher Leadership with distinction

CHRISTINA MARIE LLOYD Clinical Mental Health Counseling with distinction ADAM JERRY LUCAS Clinical Mental Health Counseling with distinction

KAREN E. LURIE Reading/Literacy Education with distinction

ASHLEY NICOLE LURKER + Clinical Mental Health Counseling with distinction

CHRISTINE LYNCH
Clinical Mental Health Counseling
with distinction

MARY C. MADEWELL Educational Leadership with distinction

TIFFANY J. MANDL Counseling Services with distinction

Amanda Gayle Marinaro + Teacher Leadership

Tawrye A. Mason + Educational Leadership with distinction

AMANDA E. MATTICKS + Educational Leadership with distinction

Kara Ann Miletic Teacher Leadership with distinction

Morgan S. Muraresku * Clinical Mental Health Counseling with distinction

YESENIA NAZARIO *
Organizational Leadership
with distinction

MICHAEL EVERETT OSMOND + Educational Leadership

Lucia Oubina + Teacher Leadership with distinction

SARAH ALDEN PALUZZI Teacher Leadership with distinction

KARLA A. PERONI Educational Leadership with distinction

DEIRDRE PHILLIPS-ARATO Counseling Services

Wendy Merkin Piller + Teacher Leadership with distinction

PATRICIA PINELLI Educational Leadership with distinction

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Amy Elizabeth Smith Counseling Services with distinction

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KAITLIN ELIZABETH TAFT Reading/Literacy Education with distinction

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Aмanda D. Weвв * Organizational Leadership

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ERICA L. WINN Clinical Mental Health Counseling with distinction

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DANIEL J. WOLF Counseling Services

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Kerry Anne Young * Teacher Leadership with distinction

THEODORE RONALD ZALESKI *
Clinical Mental Health Counseling
with distinction

XIAODONG ZHANG *
Organizational Leadership

JILL M. ZIOBRO + Teacher Leadership with distinction

Master of Arts in Teaching

CHRISTEL M. BECK

Melissa Lee Beer *

Talisa Ann Butler with distinction

Monika Cagliostro + with distinction

Bartolomeo G. Crimani +

Cristin Jeanette Eckhardt with distinction

Samantha Garcia Elliott +

CHRISTINA EUGENE with distinction

Andrea Nicole Giuliana

JENNIFER PEREZ GUZIO * with distinction

HEATHER L. HAYES

Maria Kruzdlo with distinction

ELLEN MARIE LEAPER with distinction

KARA A. LONG * with distinction

Jessica Lynne Marcinkowski *

ANTHONY D. McMichael with distinction

Ashley Nicole Nelson with distinction

JESSICA L. NUCERA * with distinction

Samantha Olcott +

Kakoli Paul

Amanda Veronica Pienciak + with distinction

ROBERT FRANCIS PORCHE II

KRYSTAL M. RUSSO with distinction

Lauren Kristina Salerno + with distinction

SARAH IRENE SCARANTINO

Deborah A. Smith * with distinction

Amy Kathryn Smuro with distinction

SHERRIE L. WALLACE with distinction

SHANNA M. WEBER * with distinction

Angela Allyn Winthers with distinction

NICHOLAS LEVON WRIGHT + with distinction

School of Liberal Arts and Sciences

Master of Arts

KIMBERLY A. ALGEO Business Communication

Adria Leah Allenza Applied Psychology

COURTNEY L. BIONDO + Applied Psychology

Krysti A. Brandt + Applied Psychology with distinction

Jennifer Karen Byrne *
Applied Psychology

NICOLE GENESIS CAPLINGER Business Communication

Megan Chorba Sasso *
Applied Psychology
with distinction

Patricia E. Conti + Applied Psychology with distinction

JESSICA M. COSTA Applied Psychology with distinction

Kristy Ann DiVito + Applied Psychology

ERICA NICOLE DUBIN *
Applied Psychology

JESSICA LEIGH ECKBOLD + Applied Psychology with distinction

Rachel Ann Farreny + Applied Psychology

Kimberly Ann Fenton + Applied Psychology

JENNIFER D. GALLO *
Applied Psychology
with distinction

KELLY L. GAPINSKI *
Applied Psychology
with distinction

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Business Communication
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LICIA N. KEEVILL + Applied Psychology

GERALYN KELLY *
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with distinction

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Business Communication
with distinction

SHEREEN L. LIGHTBOURNE * Business Communication

Mary Catherine Lillis Applied Psychology with distinction

CHRISTINA MARIE LOBRUTTO
Business Communication
with distinction

JENNIFER LOPEZ Applied Psychology

SAMANTHA ANNE McGovern Business Communication with distinction

Jared Faulkner Pfancook *
Applied Psychology

CLARE POSEY + Applied Psychology

JESSICA ANNE RIDOLFINO *
Business Communication

Brandon James Roffina Business Communication

PAIGE ANN SANTHIN Applied Psychology with distinction

Josephine Anna Scala Applied Psychology

STACY BETH SCHLAGS *
Business Communication
with distinction

CHRISTINE ELIZABETH SCHULTZ Applied Psychology

DEBORAH A. SILVER Applied Psychology with distinction Desiree C. Tash + Applied Psychology

PAUL VINCENZO VIZZIO Business Communication

Briana Michele Walsh Business Communication

Mariecia Q. Wilkinson Business Communication

RENATA ANNE ZAK *
Business Communication

College of Continuing Studies

BACHELOR OF ARTS

CHRISTEL DENISE ARCARESE-REYNOLDS + Liberal Studies cum laude

YULETTE ELIZABETH BARRETT Psychology

Darlene Angela Benson Psychology

Eric M. Bishop Psychology

CHRISTOPHER BOGGS + Liberal Studies magna cum laude

JENNIFER VAN SANT BRADLEY Liberal Studies summa cum laude

Christian Frederick Brandt Liberal Studies cum laude

BARBARA A. BYSURA Liberal Studies

Donna Monyae Caldwell Liberal Studies magna cum laude

COLEEN M. CARR Liberal Studies

RACHEAL CERVANTES + Liberal Studies

SANDEE CLIBANOFF Psychology summa cum laude Inga Damanti + Psychology cum laude

ELLICE C. DELLI *
Liberal Studies
cum laude

Yvonne McGee Ejiogu * Liberal Studies

GLENN J. FOGLIA + Liberal Studies summa cum laude

SCOTT JOSEPH GOLLUSCIO + Liberal Studies summa cum laude

Mary L. Gushin * Liberal Studies magna cum laude

STEPHANIE ELLEN ROTHBERG Haas Liberal Studies

Christopher M. Hutchinson + Psychology summa cum laude

NICICIA JONES JENKINS Liberal Studies

JESSICA CATHERINE JONES
Public Relations
cum laude

EDITH V. JUAREZ *
Liberal Studies

CATHERINE E. KARPOWICZ Liberal Studies cum laude RYAN MICHAEL KELLY + Liberal Studies magna cum laude

MICHAEL J. KORTONICK * Liberal Studies

BETH ALEXANDRA KROSS + Liberal Studies summa cum laude

JUDE A. MARTIN-CIANFANO Liberal Studies

WINSOME ROSE McBean Liberal Studies

Charles Drake Measley * Liberal Studies

Tiffani F. Methvien * Liberal Studies

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The eco-friendly caps and gowns being worn by graduates are made from 100 percent, post-consumer recycled plastic bottles with an average of 23 bottles used to make each gown. Funding for the GreenWeaver™ graduation gowns has been provided by the Rider University Energy and Sustainability Steering Committee (ESSC).

In addition, this souvenir Commencement book has been printed by an FSC-certified printer with vegetable-based inks on FSC-certified paper with 10 percent post-consumer waste recycled content.

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Student Entertainment Council Award	Naquasia Ramsey-Sheppard
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Biology Award		Danielle Minichino Jennifer Smolyn
Certificate of Achievement in	Political Science	Kevin Oswald
Criminal Justice Student Mer	it Award	Jennifer Sox
Harry Rine DeYoung Award		Elizabeth Huang Samantha Parrino
Frederick L. Ferris Journalism	1 Trophy	Casey Gale
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Honors in Environmental Sci	iences	Elaine Panuccio
Honors in Geosciences		Muhammad Sarwar
Honors in Integrated Sciences and Math		Nicole Ruggiero
Honors in Marine Sciences		Laura Moritzen
The Shirley Johnson Prize in	Psychology	Jennifer Dowling Jessica Lascano Samantha Parrino
Journalist of the Year Award		Christopher Brooks Amanda Dodson
Law and Justice Student Mer	it Award	Maura Hilgar
The Emanuel Levine Phi Alp	ha Theta Prize in History	Karryne Louise MacLean
Sidney Meth Annual Sociology Award		Elizabeth Huang
Outstanding Service in the N	lathematics Skills Lab	Deanna Doyon Rachel Jensen

Dr. Chau T. Phan Model United Nations Award	
	Winifred Mackintosh
Prize in Mathematics	Kristin Hill
	Heather Johnson
Amaya and Liana Rosa Award	Josephine Boyle
	Petra Gaskins
Howard and Harriett Schwartz Award	Sarah Bergen
Service Award for the Department of	
Communication and Journalism	Sarah Bergen
	Christopher Brooks
	Casey Gale
	Madeline Smith
	Jake Tuff
The Paul C. Sherr English Award	Alison Sudol
The Sociology Certificate of Merit	Elizabeth Huang

Graduate Education

Robert Foose Memorial Award in Education Leadership	Amanda Matticks
Susan Mandel Glazer and Phyllis Fantauzzo Award	Megan Moyer
Dr. James Murphy Award	Stephanie Disbrow
Outstanding Achievement Award in Organizational Leadership	Cherena James-Walker
Outstanding Achievement and Promising Success Award in Reading/Language Arts	Jayne Barrett
Outstanding Achievement Award in Special Education	Jennifer Warwick
Student Teacher of the Year Award	Maria Zalokostas
Lincoln Scott Walter Memorial Award in Counseling Services	Allison Rebenack

School of Education

Carol Brown L	iteracy Award	Catherine Castro
Certificate for	Excellence in Early Childhood Education	Lindsay Tamuzza
Certificate for	Excellence in Elementary Education	Kristy Alexander
Certificate for	Excellence in English Education	Pilar Nunez
	Excellence in English Education ge Education	Mery McNicholas
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Certificate for	Excellence in Mathematics Education	Deanna Doyon
Certificate for	Excellence in Middle School Education	Sandra Amato
Certificate for	Excellence in Science Education	Yulieth Le
Certificate for	Excellence in Special Education	Jamie DiLetto Katelyn Wood
	Outstanding Achievement in	John Tees
	Outstanding Achievement in ucation	Ashley Liput
	Outstanding Achievement in cation	Jennifer Smolyn
Faculty Citatio	n of Merit	Bridget Sullivan
National Busin	ess Education Association Professional Award	John Tees
New Jersey Dis	tinguished Student Teacher Award	CATHERINE CASTRO
	tinguished student reacher riward	Nicole Ruggiero
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•	or Excellence in Social Studies Education	Nicole Ruggiero Karryne MacLean Marci Rubin Cheyenne Trimmer

School of Fine and Performing Arts

Dance Merit Award	Nicole Colossi
The Dr. Patrick Chmel Theatre Award	Sean Cackoski Kelsey Carroll
Mildred S. Hawkins Award	Ashley Miller
Rider Choir Award	Geena Bergen Samantha Rusnak
The Linda Schmidt Memorial Award	Louis Esposito
John Philip Sousa Award	Taffy Le

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The Cassie D. Iacovelli Student Government Award

Allison Koury

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Thank You!

The Cranberry Cavalry program was introduced to create a lifelong connection to Rider University by establishing meaningful engagement opportunities for students and alumni. Presented by the offices of Alumni Relations, Annual Giving and Career Services, the program introduces Rider students to our history and traditions and demonstrates how alumni are a vital part of our past, present, and future. The program offers three vital components for student success: social events, stewardship and career development sessions.

The Class of 2015 Gift Campaign is a culmination of this initiative. The graduates listed to the right have contributed to this campaign (as of April 27, 2015), thereby supporting a long-standing tradition of students coming together to invest in the future of Rider by making their first gift to the University. The funds from this campaign support a scholarship in honor of the Class of 2015 to be awarded during the 2015-16 academic year to select upper-class students whose financial situations may hinder their ability to complete their studies. Each graduate who contributed at least \$18.65 in honor of Rider's founding year was presented with a Rider lapel pin to proudly wear today at commencement.

To date, the Class of 2015 has raised the funds to award five scholarships to members of next year's graduating class. You can still make a difference. Gifts to The Class of 2015 Scholarship Fund are accepted through June 30, 2015. For more detailed information, or to make your gift online, please visit *alumni.rider.edu/classgift*.

Parents of the Class of 2015 are also invited to make a gift to The Parents Campaign in support of The Rider Scholarship Fund in order to receive their own Rider lapel pin.

Please visit The Parents Campaign table located on the Campus Green for more details or contact Andrea Jarvis in the Office of Annual Giving at 609-896-5219 or via email at *ajarvis@rider.edu*.

Congratulations and best wishes for a bright and successful future!



Thanks to all contributing members of the Class of 2015!

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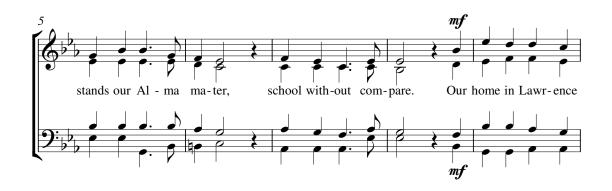
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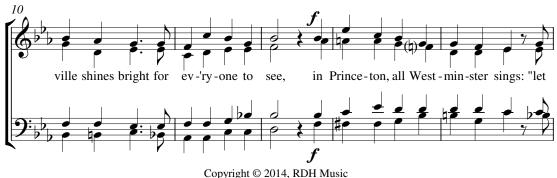
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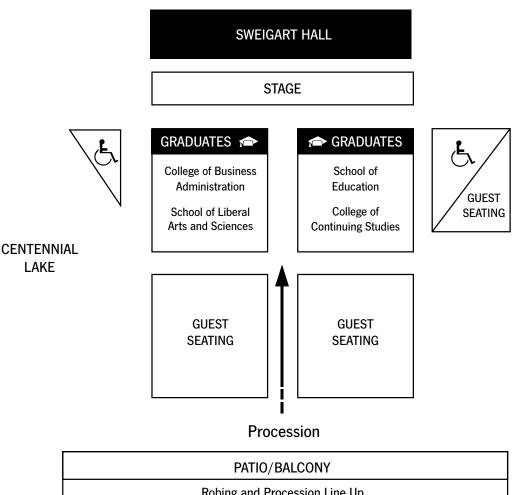


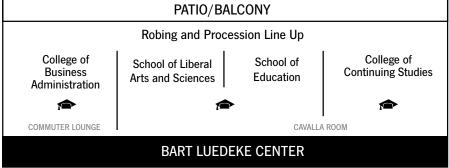


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