THE GEORGE WASHINGTON UNIVERSITY

2024 GRADUATION CELEBRATION

THE EIGHTEENTH OF MAY, TWO THOUSAND TWENTY FOUR

School of Medicine & Health Sciences

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MAY 18, 2024 | 4:00 P.M. | LISNER AUDITORIUM
Dear Health Sciences Graduates,

Today marks a very important milestone, and like the many faculty members who guided you on this journey, I’m proud of all of you and the many accomplishments you’ve achieved during your time at the GW School of Medicine and Health Sciences (SMHS). As we look forward, I’m excited to learn how you will build on your GW education and experiences—and I’m grateful for your commitment to the future of health care.

In preparing for this moment, I was reflecting on your class and your unique path to success. Four years ago, the world seemed to change overnight. The onset of the pandemic disrupted almost every aspect of day-to-day life—including a reset on how you’ve pursued your education and research, culminating with your GW degree. Despite these challenges, you have risen to meet them. I know the members of the Class of 2024 are resilient, determined and dedicated. Most of all, I know you are well-prepared to help solve seemingly intractable problems.

In the coming days as you take the next steps in your careers, I hope that you will keep your minds open and continue to grow, learn, care and contribute to the health care professions. I’m confident that you will have a significant, positive impact on the patients you serve directly or indirectly—in whatever health care professional domain you enter to improve the health and wellness of our local, national, and global communities.

On behalf of SMHS, I wish you all the best on your graduation day. I hope you will stay engaged with the School, and I welcome you to our GW alumni family.

Warmest regards,

Barbara Lee Bass, MD, RESD ‘86, FACS
Professor of Surgery
Walter A. Bloedorn Chair of Administrative Medicine
Vice President for Health Affairs
Dean, The GW School of Medicine and Health Sciences
The George Washington University
CEO, The GW Medical Faculty Associates
Dear Health Sciences Graduates,

On behalf of the faculty and staff of the George Washington University, I extend a heartfelt congratulations to each of our graduates. We acknowledge the dedication and applaud the accomplishments that culminated in the successful completion of your degree. The mission of GW Health Sciences is to drive innovation and quality in health and health care delivery through education, scholarship, and service. We are grateful for the ways you embraced that mission and helped shape a community that values cultural and intellectual diversity. You did all of that with integrity, creativity, and innovation and we were privileged to partner with you and learn from each of you during your time with us as a student.

During your time at GW, you pursued skills that prepared you to provide excellent and compassionate care, lead teams in a range of environments, and conduct research critical to the advancement of our collective future. Success is rarely a single story. Reach out and thank the family and friends who provided support during your journey. Pay it forward by supporting others working to reach their goals and aspirations. Become a role model for those who are following in your footsteps. Continue to pursue knowledge, recognize your limitations, and be an agent of positive change.

Today, you become part of the university and school’s alumni family. The GW family is stronger and more dynamic because of your talents, passion, and capabilities. You are the future of health sciences and a central force in building a better future in health care. We look forward to hearing how you have furthered your academic journey and used your skills and talents to change our communities, locally and globally. Your faculty and mentors are eager to continue to be part of your building network – stay in touch!

Along with all the faculty and staff in the School of Medicine and Health Sciences, I offer again my congratulations and wish you every success in your future endeavors.

Sincerely,

Joyce R. Maring, EdD, DPT
Professor and Executive Associate Dean for Health Sciences
ORDER OF EXERCISES

ACADEMIC PROCESSION ................................................................. Faculty and Students
Timothy Kirkpatrick, Bagpiper

NATIONAL ANTHEM ........................................................................ Anthony Ugorji, MSHS
Clinical Microbiology, Class of 2024

WELCOME ................................................................. Barbara L. Bass, MD, RESD ’86, FACS
Dean, GW School of Medicine and Health Sciences

ÖZGUR EKMEKCI INTERPROFESSIONAL LEADERSHIP AWARD ............ Jessica Lincoln, MSHS
Clinical and Translational Research
Presented by Karen S. Schlumpf, EdD, MPH
Instructor, Department of Clinical Research and Leadership

OUTSTANDING UNDERGRADUATE STUDENT AWARD .............. Priya Kannusamy, BSHS
Clinical Research Administration
Presented by Kathleen Thoma, EdD, CCRP, CPH-DC CEAR
Assistant Professor and Director of Undergraduate and Graduate Certificate Programs in CRA

OUTSTANDING GRADUATE STUDENT AWARD .......................... Fatima Elgarguri, MSHS
Physician Assistant Studies
Presented by Brandon Beattie, MMSc, PA-C
Director of Didactic Education, Assistant Professor, Department of Physician Assistant Studies

PRESENTATION OF GRADUATES .......... Marcia Firmani, PhD, MSPH, MT(ASCP)MBCM
Associate Professor and Chair, Department of Biomedical Laboratory Sciences
Leslie Davidson, PhD, OT/L, FAOTA
Associate Professor and Chair, Department of Clinical Research and Leadership
Ellen Costello, PT, PhD
Professor and Interim Chair, Department of Health, Human Function, and Rehabilitation Sciences
Mary Warner, DBH, PA-C
Associate Professor and Chair, Department of Physician Assistant Studies

RECITATION OF OATH ................................................................. Faculty and Graduates

CHARGE TO THE GRADUATES ......................................................... Joyce Maring, EdD, DPT
Professor and Executive Associate Dean of Health Sciences, GW School of Medicine and Health Sciences

RECESSIONAL ................................................................. Faculty and Graduates
Timothy Kirkpatrick, Bagpiper

Graduates and guests please join us immediately after the ceremony, across the street, in the University Student Center 3rd Floor Ballrooms to celebrate your graduation with your friends with some appetizers before you head to dinner.
STUDENT AWARDS

Nominees for the Health Sciences Outstanding Student Awards
For excellence in academics, service, and leadership.

Leslie Anderson, BSHS ................................................................. Operations and Healthcare Management
Kristen Chandeck, MSHS .............................................................. Clinical Research Administration
Angela Cunningham, DPT .............................................................. Doctor of Physical Therapy
Christina Donayri, MSHS .............................................................. Clinical Operations and Healthcare Management
Fatima Elgarguir, MSHS ............................................................... Physician Assistant Studies
Nancy Fryer, MSHS ................................................................. Clinical Operations and Healthcare Management
Priya Kannusamy, BSHS ............................................................... Clinical Research Administration
Ian Sibal, BSHS ............................................................................ Medical Laboratory Science
Anasia Stinson, MSHS ............................................................... Clinical Operations and Healthcare Management

Alpha Eta Inductees
The National Scholastic Honor Society for the Allied Health Professions

Alexandria May Abad
Callee Aikman
Leslie Anderson
Arti Bhavsar
Alyssa Bialek
Alexandria Blacker
Allison Blankenship
Kristen Chandeck
Esteban Chittester
John Cope
Alexandra Dacey
Keegan Daugherty
Jennifer Davis
Patricia Deyo
Rachael Diprinzio
Christina Donayri
Allison Durazo
Alexandra Ecott
Fatima Elgarguir
Torin Foundos
Emily Freeman
Nancy Fryer
Olivia Garcia
Jonathan Green
Nathan Guest
Emma Hickman
Andrea Hvizdak
Samantha Jacob
Rimsha Jan
Priya Kannusamy
Tae Kim
Abigail King
Amanda Kirby
David Klein
Heather Kryzsko
Jamie Lee
Russell Leverich
Kate Light
Jessica Lincoln
Brianna Lopez
Jacob MacDonald
Jordan Maldonado
Amber Mallory
Jillian Man
Samantha Mattern
Joshua McFarland
Jennifer Miller
Kayvan Mivehnejad
Melanie Moser
Anna Muse
2023-2024 GRADUATES

ALPHA ETA INDUCTEES (CONTINUED)

Jisha Nair
Tyrone Nieves-Martinez
Brittany Oddo
Michiko Ota
Robert Pedroza
Logan Prock
Kenneth Puepke
Lilong Qin
Roger Quint
Halley Read
Ma Melody Redona
Shianne Reyes
Alison Rodriguez
Crystal Ruisard
Ian Sibal
Lauren Slattery
Donna-Ann Spence
Joshua Stallings
Anasia Stinson
Thuy-Lan Trinh
Emily Watson
Andre Weldy
Fawna Wyatt
Jianing Zhang

2023-2024 GRADUATES

BACHELOR OF SCIENCES IN HEALTH SCIENCES
BIOMEDICAL LABORATORY SCIENCES DEPARTMENT

CLINICAL EMBRYOLOGY AND ASSISTED REPRODUCTIVE TECHNOLOGY

Hannah Qasim

MEDICAL LABORATORY SCIENCES

Mezghan Akbar
Moges A. Ambaw
Jacinque J. Butler
Erick Lee Chapa
Colleen M. Cooper
Orlandzo L. Johnson
Xi Lin
Cristina Camille J. Macabeo
Krystle L. Norsworthy
Abednego Omune
Roger A. Quint
Shianne S. Reyes
Ian Sibal
Hindolo N. Thomas
Hayden A. Ward

CLINICAL RESEARCH AND LEADERSHIP DEPARTMENT

BIOMEDICAL INFORMATICS

Nathan Guest
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CLINICAL HEALTH SCIENCES
Cory D. Ballentine
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Alberto Gonzalez
Madelyn L. Hale
Tyler E. Johnson
Thomas I. Klein
Andrew B. Kozloski
Davin N. Laurell
Russell H. Leverich
Aaron Colby Mack
Simon M. Makuchowski*
Joshua S. McLane
Brittany Jeanette Oddo
Mitchell S. Poffenbarger
Michael J. Ramirez
Chad S. Singer
Pete A. Walker

CLINICAL OPERATIONS AND HEALTHCARE MANAGEMENT
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Maria Ledesma
Isabella N. Mburu
Smriti S. Shah
Joel Victor

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Christian Hyderkhan
Desiree M. Joy
Priya Kannusamy
Elena D. Moore
Trisha Pryce

GLOBAL LEADERSHIP IN DISASTER RESPONSE
Andrew P. Kypriss
Sidney James Pollock
Keera Ann Saylor

LEADERSHIP FOR EMERGENCY ACTION AND DISASTER RESPONSE
Steven Flannagan
Taylor D. Hunnicutt
David S. La Pearl
Nathan V. Young

MASTER OF SCIENCE IN HEALTH SCIENCES
BIOMEDICAL LABORATORY SCIENCES DEPARTMENT

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Emely Daniela Larios
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Dhanyakumari Pramakumar
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Itzel A. Salmeron Portillo*
Danielle Denise C. Siao
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IMMUNOHEMATOLOGY
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Ikechuku Aguilera-Nwachuku
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Ma Melody Deguzman Redona
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LABORATORY MEDICINE
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Sara Nieves Soto
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Donna-Ann R. Spence

DOCTOR OF PHYSICAL THERAPY

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*Summer 2024 graduate; Degrees will be conferred on August 31, 2024 after completion of degree requirements during the summer 2024 semester.
HUMAN, HEALTH FUNCTION & REHABILITATION SCIENCES DEPARTMENT
DOCTOR OF HEALTH SCIENCES

LEADERSHIP IN CLINICAL PRACTICE AND EDUCATION

Allison K. Blankenship
Effects of health coaching when added to a precision medicine approach for mild cognitive impairment: a pragmatic retrospective cohort study
Faculty Advocate: Skip Gill

Catherine Byrne*
Pain Neuroscience Education (PNE) Combined with Standard Physical Therapy Treatment for Patients Following Total Knee Arthroplasty
Faculty Advocate: David Scalzitti

Leairra Chambers*
Exploring Barriers to Food Insecurity Screening in a Federally Qualified Health Center in Prince George’s County, Maryland
Faculty Advocate: Lisa Paganotti

Celdrick Robinson Course
Current Concepts Regarding Awareness of Human Papillomavirus (HPV), Attitudes Towards Healthcare Providers and Perception of HPV Vaccinations: A Cross-Sectional Survey Among College Students in The Mississippi Delta Region
Faculty Advocate: David Scalzitti

Tesha J. Crockett-Gibson*
The impact of self-stigma on mental health care access for black men with depression, as perceived by mental health professionals
Faculty Advocate: Skip Gill

Ivette T. Curiel
Survey of orthopaedic surgeons perceptions of adopting an initiative with cemented hip hemiarthroplasties
Faculty Advocate: Skip Gill

Suzanne Etienne-Wright
Impact of Faith-Based Education Programs on Clinical Trial Participation among African Americans
Faculty Advocate: Donal Murray

Martin G. Gesheff
Time to total knee arthroplasty post intra-articular injections
Faculty Advocate: David Scalzitti

Shannon Givens
Health disparity interventions to improve maternal health outcomes for Black women: a systematic review
Faculty Advocate: David Scalzitti
Melissa A. Hoefer-Kravagna
Would therapy be more effective if they knew what they said was truly confidential*: Behavioral health providers’ experiences in telehealth with socially vulnerable clients, a mixed methods study.
Faculty Advocate: Skip Gill

Natalie Isham-Dean
Diabetes Management and Social Vulnerability in the Military Community
Faculty Advocate: Skip Gill

Ghislaine P. Kobbon Sissoko
Perspectives Of Healthcare Providers in Rural Cote d’Ivoire on the Influence of Traditional Beliefs on the Management of Rheumatic Heart Disease: Qualitative Research
Faculty Advocate: David Scalzitti

Seth J. Kress*
Predictive Factors for Recovery in Older Adults Post Mild Traumatic Brain Injury
Faculty Advocate: Skip Gill

Joshua Cameron McFarland
The impact of physician assistants on resource utilization in a community emergency department
Faculty Advocate: Skip Gill

Bonnie McIntosh
What drives taking the next step? The relationship between patient-centered communication, health literacy, and discussing information from social media with healthcare providers
Faculty Advocate: Donal Murray

Linda M. Monterroso
Assessing well-being and support in sibling caregivers of individuals with intellectual and developmental disabilities across socioeconomic groups
Faculty Advocate: Joyce Maring

Gina L. Powers
Can entrance criteria measures predict success with critical thinking in students of doctor of physical therapy programs?
Faculty Advocate: Donal Murray

Alison J. Rodriguez
Barriers, Facilitators, and Sustainability of hypertension management programs by US nonprofit and nongovernmental organizations in sub_saharan Africa: a mixed-methods study
Faculty Advocate: David Scalzitti

Christopher Sims
Barriers and facilitators to recruitment in rural health communities in Mississippi: perspectives of rural health physicians
Faculty Advocate: Skip Gill
Katie Suleta*
  Improving scholarly activity through faculty-resident connection and research ideas via QR codes
Faculty Advocate: Skip Gill

Emmanuel Varkpeh
  The Perceptions of West African Immigrants on the relationship between Type II Diabetes (T2D) risk and their cultural eating habits in Hennepin County, Minnesota
Faculty Advocate: Donal Murray

Andon M. Ware
  Effects of a modified nurse training program on completion rates of forms and assessments in the electronic medical record: a retrospective study
Faculty Advocate: Skip Gill

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CLINICAL RESEARCH AND LEADERSHIP DEPARTMENT
DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY

TRANSLATIONAL HEALTH SCIENCES

Elizabeth Joy Austin
  Engaging Patients in Opioid Use Disorder Treatment: A Mixed Methods Study Investigating Primary Care Team Perspectives on Approaches, Barriers, and Facilitators
Faculty Advocate: Uli Koch

Alexandria M. Blacker
  Empowering the Community: An Explanatory Mixed Methods Study Exploring the Social Mechanisms of Community Health Worker-Primary Care Integration Using a Team Science Approach
Faculty Advocate: Gaetano Lotrecchiano

Jennifer C. Davis
  Toward a Patient-Partnered Model of Clinical Trial Design: A Qualitative Descriptive Case Study of the Duchenne Muscular Dystrophy Clinical Research Partnership
Faculty Advocate: Sabrina Figueiredo

Patricia R. Deyo
  Understanding How Patient Engagement is Enacted through Telehealth: A Grounded Theory Study
Faculty Advocate: Paige McDonald

Juliet L. King
  Neuroscience-Informed Art Therapy: A Knowledge Translation Toolkit for the Treatment of Psychological Trauma
Faculty Advocate: Uli Koch

Vinaya S. Murthy
  Exploring Strategies to Increase Genomic Literacy and Integrate Genomic Medicine Education into Graduate Medical Education Programs: A Multi-Case Qualitative Study
Faculty Advocate: Joseph Bocchino
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Halley Read
Understanding Coordinated Specialty Care Best Practice Through Fidelity Practices: A Qualitative Exploration
Faculty Advocate: Brandon Kohrt

Julie C. Sapp
Communicating Unexpected Genetic Information with Family Members: A Multimethod Study of Secondary Findings Recipients
Faculty Advocate: Lisa Schwartz

Monika Sinha-Bhamra
Virtual Education Implementation for Children with Autism Spectrum Disorders Amidst the COVID-19 Pandemic
Faculty Advocate: Leslie Davidson

Worlanyo Sosu-Sedzorne
Understanding Stakeholder Collaboration in Precision Medicine – an Explanatory Sequential Mixed Methods Study of Collaboration Among Stakeholders at a Rare Diseases Institute in the USA
Faculty Advocate: Gaetano Lotrecchiano
I will lead my life and practice my profession with integrity and compassion, treating each individual I see with dignity and respect. I promise to comfort, care, and work toward curing the sick and disabled and will strive to promote the health and well-being of all the people for whom I care.

I will work for the benefit of, and avoid harm to, the individuals I serve and those who are my colleagues; and even if directed, I will do nothing that I believe could harm my patient.

I will use my knowledge and skill to serve all individuals, regardless of race, gender, religion, disease, or social status.

I will respect the privacy of every person and will hold confidential all information about patients for whom I care.

I pledge to continue to learn and grow in my profession and continually seek to gain new knowledge.

I will constantly strive to contribute to my profession through teaching others who can benefit from my knowledge.

I promise to pursue each of the tenets of this pledge with strength and courage, to the utmost of my power.
SHARE YOUR DAY
#GWMCommencement

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