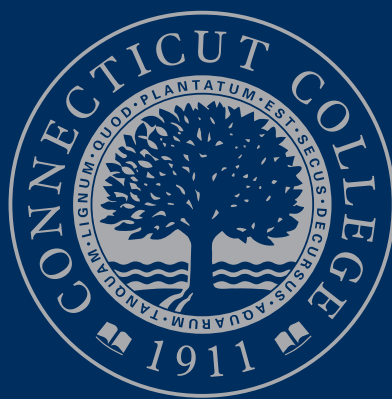


# CONNECTICUT COLLEGE

*One Hundred Fourth*

## COMMENCEMENT



SUNDAY, THE TWENTY SECOND OF MAY  
TWO THOUSAND TWENTY TWO

# COMMENCEMENT PROGRAM

PROCESSIONAL ... Selected Marches .....	The Manchester Pipe Band
A CALL TO ORDER .....	Marc R. Forster <i>Henry B. Plant Professor of History and College Marshal</i>
LAND ACKNOWLEDGEMENT AND A CALL TO COMMUNITY .....	Rodmon King <i>Dean of Institutional Equity and Inclusion</i>
REMARKS BY THE PRESIDENT .....	Katherine Bergeron <i>President of the College</i>
SENIOR CLASS SPEAKER .....	Emma Rose Gould '22
PRESENTATION OF OAKES AND LOUISE AMES PRIZE .....	Jeffrey Cole <i>Dean of the Faculty, Professor of Anthropology</i>
PRESENTATION OF ANNA LORD STRAUSS MEDAL .....	Erika J. Smith <i>Dean of the College</i>
CONFERRING OF HONORARY DEGREE .....	President Bergeron Karen D. Quint '87 <i>Vice Chair, Connecticut College Board of Trustees</i>
COMMENCEMENT ADDRESS .....	Deborah Bial
CONFERRING OF DEGREES .....	President Bergeron Dean Smith Marina J. Melendez <i>Associate Dean of the College; Dean for Juniors, Seniors and Transfers; Posse Coordinator</i> Marc R. Forster
ALUMNI ASSOCIATION WELCOME .....	Evan M. Piekara '07 <i>President, Board of Directors, Connecticut College Alumni Association</i>
CLOSING REMARKS .....	President Bergeron
CLOSING REFLECTION .....	Rabbi Susan Schein <i>Director of Zachs Hillel House, College Chaplain</i>
ALMA MATER .....	Emily Ruth Greenslit '22, Samuel Misha Mirza Kasem-Beg '22, Lauren Frances Moonan '22 and Max Joseph Toscano '22
VICTORY SONG .....	President Bergeron, Emily Ruth Greenslit '22, Samuel Misha Mirza Kasem-Beg '22, Lauren Frances Moonan '22 and Max Joseph Toscano '22 New London Big Band

*Sign Language Interpreters: Joy Valenti and Brynn Hickey*

# CONNECTICUT COLLEGE'S ELEVENTH PRESIDENT

## KATHERINE BERGERON

Katherine Bergeron became the 11th president of Connecticut College in January 2014. Over the past eight years, her work has focused on building the College's academic, residential, community, and financial strength. Bergeron was an early champion of the faculty's development of Connections, a bold new venture in integrative education that prepares students for leadership in an interconnected world. Under her leadership, the College received several of the largest single gifts in its history in support of financial aid, career education, student success, athletics, and the arts. In Fall 2021, the College publicly launched the \$300 million "Defy Boundaries" campaign, which aims to invest in facilities, programs, and endowment to promote the excellence of faculty and staff and elevate the student experience.

Capital projects completed during her tenure include the renovation of the Charles E. Shain Library; the creation of both the Walter Commons for Global Study and Engagement and the Hale Center for Career Development; and the transformation of the College's historic art deco theater, Palmer Auditorium, into the Nancy Athey '72 and Preston Athey Center for Performance and Research. The formal rededica-

tion of the Athey Center took place in April 2022. Projects now underway include the revitalization of the College's waterfront on the Thames River and the renovation of Hillyer Hall into the new Stark Center for the Moving Image, slated to open in Fall 2022.

A Phi Beta Kappa graduate of Wesleyan University, Bergeron earned master's and doctoral degrees in music history from Cornell University, and wrote two prize-winning books on French music and culture. Before coming to Connecticut College, she was dean of the college and professor of music at Brown University. She currently serves on the Board of the American Academic Leadership Institute and on the Board of Directors of the Eastern Connecticut Symphony Orchestra. She has served as a member of the Board of the Association of American Colleges and Universities and is the past chair of the Board of Directors of the Council of Independent Colleges. She has hosted a podcast, *Think. Do. Lead.*, about creativity and innovation, and has co-taught, with her husband, media artist Butch Rovin, a course on songwriting that has yielded three albums of original songs by Connecticut College students.

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## HONORARY DEGREE

### DEBORAH BIAL

Deborah Bial, founder and president of the Posse Foundation, is a leader in the fields of college access and student success. She has been recognized nationwide for her efforts to advance equity, diversity and talent at the most selective colleges and universities as well as for her vision to improve both the admission and retention of underrepresented students through cohort-based leadership development.

Bial, who received a prestigious MacArthur Fellowship in 2007, conceived of Posse and its mission after hearing a student lament that he would never have left college if he had found his posse. Bial's concept was to work with highly selective colleges to create the structures necessary for supporting teams (or "posses") of talented underrepresented students in attaining a baccalaureate degree. That simple idea has turned into one of the most successful college leadership programs in the United States. Since 1989, the Foundation has matched more than 10,000 students with \$1.6 billion in leadership scholarships from Posse's 60+ partner colleges and universities. In 2010, President Obama named Posse as one of 10 nonprofits with whom he would share the proceeds of his Nobel Peace Prize. Today, 90 percent of all Posse students

who start college complete their degree, a rate that exceeds the national average by 50 percent.

Connecticut College's partnership with Posse began in 2008 with a first group of students selected from Chicago for the Class of 2012. It then expanded in 2020 with the introduction of a second Posse from New York City. By May 2022, 95 Posse scholars will have graduated from Connecticut College.

Bial received her bachelor's degree in American and English Literature from Brandeis University in 1987. She also holds master's and doctoral degrees from the Harvard Graduate School of Education. She is a member of the Brandeis University Board of Trustees, where she chairs the Diversity, Equity and Inclusion Committee. She also serves on the Board of Directors at Xometry, Inc.

In recognition of her lifelong commitment to opening doors for tens of thousands of students and to fostering campus environments where all students reach their potential, the College is proud to confer upon Deborah Bial the Degree of Doctor of Humane Letters, *honoris causa*, with gratitude and admiration for her advocacy of the values of full participation, college access, and student success.

## THE OAKES AND LOUISE AMES PRIZE

*The Oakes and Louise Ames Prize, named for a president emeritus of the College and his wife, is given to a graduating senior who has completed the year's most outstanding honors study. The prize is offered by the trustees in recognition of the quality of academic achievement that Oakes and Louise Ames fostered during their 14 years of service to Connecticut College.*

### HANA MIRIAM TANABE '22

Hana Miriam Tanabe, an East Asian studies major and theater minor, is awarded the Oakes and Louise Ames Prize for her honors thesis, “Living as Art: Performance and the Haunting of the Japanese Diaspora.” Tanabe’s work is an autoethnographic narrative interwoven with scholarly analyses of Japanese and Japanese American artists and their performances.

Drawing productively on theater, art history, area studies and Asian American studies, Tanabe explores how Japanese and Japanese American artists use embodied practices of memorialization to address the erasures and absences in narratives of racialization, displacement and migration. She analyzes the performances of three artists – Aisuke Kondo, Rea Tajiri and George Takei – and uses them as inspiration to trace the past of her own grandfather, Santoro Tanabe, who had been part of a Japanese art movement in the 1960s, and excavate his story.

Weaving sections of autoethnography throughout her analyses, Tanabe takes readers through her own journey toward understanding the impact of collective trauma and diasporic experiences on identity as she grapples with the

intergenerational impact of Japanese American incarceration in the United States during World War II and comes to terms with the gaps in her own family’s memory. The result recasts understandings of Japanese American history and performance and reveals how Japanese American diasporic identity is not defined solely by one violent period in history, but also by a shared sense of the racialized and diasporic experiences of loss and memory.

Assistant Professor of East Asian Languages and Cultures Ayako Takamori, who served as Tanabe’s thesis adviser, called Tanabe’s work “exceptional” and said she found herself “completely consumed by the autoethnographic narrative skillfully integrated alongside discussions of Japanese American artists.”

“Hana’s weaving in of her personal and family history ... is exemplary of the potential of autoethnography to provide an avenue of connectivity between the personal and the political, of historical specificities of experience and the structural dimensions of racialization, displacement and erasure,” Takamori said.

## THE ANNA LORD STRAUSS MEDAL

*Anna Lord Strauss, a remarkable woman, was national president of the League of Women Voters, held five presidential appointments to national and international committees and missions, and served Connecticut College as a trustee for the extraordinary term of 32 years. The Anna Lord Strauss Medal is presented in her honor to the graduating senior who has done outstanding work in public or community service, including service to the College.*

### JACOB KOI NOZAKI '22

The 2022 Anna Lord Strauss Medal is awarded to Jacob Koi Nozaki, a conscientious and compassionate contributor to shared governance, an engaged scholar and a collaborative community builder from Barrington, Rhode Island. A computer science major, psychology and German studies double minor, and scholar in the College's Toor Cummings Center for International Studies and the Liberal Arts (CISLA), Nozaki has demonstrated a serious commitment to service across the institution, as well as to his fellow students, the greater New London community, and academic and marginalized communities around the world.

Since joining Connecticut College as a sophomore transfer student, Nozaki has served on nearly every major College committee and contributed meaningfully to important decisions impacting every member of the Conn community and almost every area of the College. He has represented his peers for all three years as a member of the Student Government Association, first as a house senator and, for the past two years, as the chair of academic affairs, and he has served on 10 College-wide committees and working groups, including the Educational Planning Committee; Academic and Administrative Procedures Committee; Priorities, Planning and Budget Committee; Study Away Committee; Academic Continuity Committee; COVID-19 Working Group on Academic Continuity; Summer Course Planning Group; Connections Coordinators' Committee; Dean of the College Search Committee; and Senior Speaker Committee.

Nozaki has also made significant contributions to his fellow students' learning experiences in and out of the classroom, serving as a German language tutor, German language table host, teacher's assistant in computer science

courses and in a first-year seminar, CISLA advisory board member, co-president of CC Democrats, founding member and president of the CC Consulting Club, and member of numerous other campus clubs and organizations, including CC Amnesty International, the Student Refugee Alliance, Asian Students in Action, Peggotty Investment Club, Robotics Club, Active Minds, Rethinking Economics, Figure Skating Club, Men's Disc Club, and Volleyball Club.

Extending his impact far beyond campus, Nozaki is a co-founder of the Global COVID-19 Project, which brings together students from across the world to share research and information regarding their experiences during the pandemic, and co-founder of the Summer Language Challenge, a structured virtual language learning platform which created opportunities for students across the world to learn new languages or build their skills in languages they had already been studying.

Nozaki has also volunteered with Paper Airplanes, an organization that provides support and skill development for refugees; served as a one-on-one English language tutor for refugees; and created videos, brochures and other outreach materials for local health organizations in the city of Santarem in Para, Brazil. In May, Nozaki was awarded a Fulbright English Teaching Assistantship to Germany.

In a letter nominating Nozaki, Faulk Foundation Professor of Psychology Jefferson Singer wrote, "There are few students in my memory that have had such a pervasive and positive impact over the course of their time at Conn. It would be difficult to imagine these last three years without Jacob's engaged and caring presence, representing all that is best about Connecticut College students."

CLASS OF TWO THOUSAND TWENTY TWO  
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<sup>8</sup> Completion of degree requirements expected Summer 2022    <sup>9</sup> Diploma presented by alumni/faculty/staff/trustee relative



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Lisa Dariana Torres Navarro  
Huyen Ngoc Diem Tran  
Ketsitseng Tsoo  
Jeremy Cameron Tubb  
Jake Fitzpatrick Upton  
Izabella Rose von Beren  
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Anna Elizabeth Warren

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## CUM LAUDE

Aquib Akhtar  
Aayush Aryal  
Morgan Graham Baughman  
Jacob Matthew Bernstein  
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Joslen Joia Beslity

Francesca Cleere Bifulco  
Jaimeson Tuolumne Bjorklund  
Katharine Rose Carrión  
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Campbell D Coughlin  
Clare Elizabeth Coyne  
Samantha Grace Crone  
Lorena Angelica De León  
Norah Palmer Deming  
Marta Weeks Denny

## CUM LAUDE (Cont'd.)

Marlyn Desire  
Jitu Alemu Dribssa  
Adalie Samantha Duran  
Olivia Lindsey Fechner-Lewis  
Eric Solomon Freeman  
Nicole M Genimatas  
Michael Gertsik  
Imogen Gillard  
Richard Sherburne Gilman  
Emma Rose Gould  
Victoria E Harrington  
Bridget Ann Hilgendorff  
Katherine Rose Howe  
Samantha Paige Hunt  
Robert Mathew Jensen  
Xiao Shan Jiang  
Sydney Jones  
Diana Curtis Kim  
Amelia Elisabeth Kirby  
Genevieve Elizabeth Kuhlmann

Austin Cole Lavitt  
Juliana Marie LeBlanc  
Cameryn J. Lesko-Jelley  
Ricardo Orlando Lombera  
Olivia Lee Maduro  
Neal Bartley Mahoney  
Marisa Anne Marshall  
Sohan Sanjay Mewada  
Sophia Rose Moroney  
Isaac Steven Moskowitz  
Jacqueline Sylvia Mountford  
Abigail Jane Murphy  
Taigo Nakazawa  
Eliza Rossmassler Nichols  
Ezra N Norris  
Jake Patrick O'Brien  
Erik Duffy Oddsund  
Kayla Karena O'Malley  
Jacqueline Rosa Perry  
Moriah Grace Prescia

Allison Renee Racela  
Kimberly Rivas  
Jillian Michelle Rothman  
Birgitta Kjerstin Salvesen-Quinn  
Amanda Brooke Sanders  
Emma Doris Schoepke  
Elena Smith Schomburg  
Rachel Emily Schultze  
Maya Matarazzo Sheff  
Kyle Shero  
Tyler James Robert Silbey  
Long Ta  
Hana Miriam Tanabe  
Megan Margaret Tracy  
Enso Vy Tran  
Jake Farrell Verrilli  
Lovisa Maria Christina Werner  
Katherine Leigh Wetzel  
Emma-Sofia Munroe Wipper

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## COMMENCEMENT HONORS

### HONORS STUDY AND DISTINCTION IN THE MAJOR FIELD

Cameron Lawrence Angliss – *Computer Science*  
Anna Stasia Bianchi – *American Studies*  
Katharine Rose Carrión – *Psychology*  
Jacqueline Chalghin – *English*  
Mika Antonia Cook-Wright – *Art*  
Katherine Grace Davis – *Philosophy*  
Autumn Kennedy Galindo – *History*  
Jordan Groff – *German Studies*  
Aartee Leena Hosanee – *Computer Science*  
Xiao Shan Jiang – *Psychology*  
Leelah Elayne Klauber – *Philosophy*  
Leah McKeen Kosovsky – *Biochem/Cell/Molecular*  
Genevieve Elizabeth Kuhlmann – *Biochem/Cell/Molecular*  
Emily Hannah Lorry – *Psychology*  
Benjamin Meyer – *Government*

Isaac Steven Moskowitz – *Psychology*  
Jacqueline Sylvia Mountford – *Environmental Studies*  
Erik Duffy Oddsund – *Botany*  
Kayla Karena O'Malley – *Theater*  
Emily Catherine O'Sullivan – *Government*  
Zoe Fiorenza Pellegrino – *English*  
Rachel Ann Powell – *Economics*  
Allison Renee Racela – *Biochem/Cell/Molecular*  
Amanda Brooke Sanders – *English*  
Anjum Fatima Shaikh – *Neuroscience*  
Isabella D Sorrenti – *Art History*  
Hana Miriam Tanabe – *East Asian Studies*  
Madison Sally Taylor – *History*  
Jake Fitzpatrick Upton – *English*

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## COMMENCEMENT HONORS

### HONORS STUDY IN THE MAJOR FIELD

Alice Angela Ball – *Biological Sciences*  
Logan Alexander Bowdish – *Environmental Studies*

Emanuel Pele Eagle – *Environmental Studies*  
Jake Farrell Verrilli – *Philosophy*

# COMMENCEMENT HONORS

## DISTINCTION IN THE MAJOR FIELD

- Eslam GamalEldein AbouSamra – *Biological Sciences*  
Elyce Ofori Afrifa – *Biological Sciences*  
Betsy Aguilar – *Anthropology*  
Louise Burley Martin Ahearne – *Sociology*  
Iyad Ait Hou – *Economics*  
Aquib Akhtar – *Computer Science*  
Suzanne Margaret Allen – *ACS Certified-Chem/Biochem*  
Cameron Lawrence Angliss – *Mathematics & Physics*  
Aayush Aryal – *Mathematics & Quant Econ & Econometrics*  
Emmanuella Aspras – *International Relations*  
Emma Julius Atlas – *International Relations*  
Alexander Joseph Bajohr – *Economics*  
Abigail Alison Balkin – *Human Development & Sociology*  
Samuel Arthur Baltz – *Economics*  
Mia Barbuto – *Film Studies*  
Alice Victoria Bates – *Art History*  
Morgan Graham Baughman – *Economics*  
Milo Rumble Becker – *Architectural Studies & Sociology*  
Alexa Grace Beckstein – *English & Gendr, Sexuality, Intrinsic Stds*  
Jacob Matthew Bernstein – *Neuroscience*  
Cedar Swag Berrol Young – *English*  
Zoe Anne Bertone – *Human Development & Psychology*  
Joslen Joia Beslity – *Government*  
Zachary Mark Beucler – *Computer Science*  
Anthony Matthew Bielecki – *International Relations*  
Francesca Cleere Bifulco – *American Studies*  
Jaimeson Tuolumne Bjorklund – *Art & Psychology*  
Justin James Boes – *Economics*  
Shani Breiman – *Economics*  
Jennifer Ellyn Browne – *Anthropology*  
Caleb Peter Chiesa – *History*  
Sawera Choudary – *Theater*  
Melissa Chow – *Human Development*  
Sonya Flynn Chung – *Neuroscience*  
AnaLucia Brenneke Clarkson – *Biological Sciences & Human Development*  
Madison Leigh Comer – *Classics & Philosophy*  
Jake Spencer Corcoran – *Computer Science*  
Clare Elizabeth Coyne – *Art & Economics*  
Samuel Ellis Crockford – *Government*  
Samantha Grace Crone – *English & Government*  
Thomas Danger Cyr – *Biological Sciences*  
Katherine Grace Davis – *Architectural Studies*  
Lorena Angelica De León – *English & Film Studies*  
Norah Palmer Deming – *International Relations*  
Emily Denker – *German Studies*  
Marta Weeks Denny – *Economics*  
Marlyn Desire – *Psychology*  
Maegen Elsie Dillon – *Art*  
Mary Nicoletta DiMaggio – *Biological Sciences*  
Quan Minh Do – *Quant Econ & Econometrics*  
Jitu Alemu Dribssa – *International Relations & Quant Econ & Econometrics*  
Ethan Kmetz Dubnansky – *Mathematics*  
Christopher Edward Duffy – *Classics*  
Adalie Samantha Duran – *Anthropology & Botany*  
Eleanor Ebby – *Art*  
Allison Elizabeth Falvey – *American Studies & Educational Studies*  
Olivia Lindsey Fechner-Lewis – *Art*  
Mary Elizabeth Fitzgerald – *Dance*  
Erin Nicole Fitzpatrick – *Biological Sciences*  
Billy Fleurima Jr. – *Hispanic Studies*  
Madison Brooke Ford – *Art & Computer Science*  
Benjamin Riley Fort – *Biochem/Cell/Molecular*  
Melanie Jean Fournier – *ACS Certified - Chemistry*  
Eric Solomon Freeman – *History*  
Hannah Osborne Frisch – *Government & Sociology*  
Katie Fujimori – *Economics*  
Autumn Kennedy Galindo – *Government*  
Jordan Rose Berger Galloway – *Psychology & Theater*  
Nicole M Genimatas – *Psychology & Quant Econ & Econometrics*  
Michael Gertsik – *Government*  
Tihut Deribe Getabicha – *International Relations & Quant Econ & Econometrics*  
Nikesh Ghimire – *Computer Science*  
Imogen Gillard – *Environmental Studies*  
Richard Sherburne Gilman – *Economics*  
Hailey Claire Gilson – *Gendr, Sexuality, Intrinsic Stds & Psychology*  
Matthew Thomas Giuttari – *Economics*  
Khadija Gohar – *Quant Econ & Econometrics*  
Evan Aoki Goldsmith – *Computer Science*

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## DISTINCTION IN THE MAJOR FIELD (Cont'd.)

Niklas Konstantin Golz – <i>Economics</i>	Jenna Kramer – <i>Film Studies</i>
Briana Ashley Goolsby – <i>Film Studies</i>	Danso Kuzoe-Jones – <i>Music Studies</i>
Sitesh Vrata Goonjur – <i>Mathematics &amp; Quant Econ &amp; Econometrics</i>	Riley McGovern Ladner – <i>Gender, Sexuality, Intersectional Studies &amp; Sociology</i>
Emma Rose Gould – <i>English</i>	Juliana Marie LeBlanc – <i>Mathematics</i>
Julia Rose Graham – <i>Psychology &amp; Slavic Studies</i>	Jake Philip Leone – <i>Architectural Studies &amp; Art</i>
Emily Ruth Greenslit – <i>English</i>	Cameryn J. Lesko-Jelley – <i>History</i>
Elizabeth Hailey Grodman – <i>Architectural Studies</i>	Jasmine Li – <i>East Asian Studies</i>
Jordan Groff – <i>International Relations</i>	Katharine Maris Liell – <i>Government</i>
Claire Elizabeth Gulbin – <i>Sociology</i>	Ricardo Orlando Lombera – <i>Government &amp; Sociology</i>
Anna Hackett – <i>Sociology</i>	Linh Nguyen Hai Luu – <i>Computer Science</i>
Victoria E Harrington – <i>History</i>	Alexis Marie Lynch – <i>Art &amp; Student-Designed Interdisciplinary</i>
Johanna Mary Hattan – <i>Sociology</i>	Caroline Thayer Mahan – <i>Psychology</i>
Mackenzie Marie Healy – <i>Human Development &amp; Psychology</i>	Emily Anne Mahoney – <i>Slavic Studies</i>
Bridget Ann Hilgendorff – <i>Biological Sciences</i>	Neal Bartley Mahoney – <i>International Relations &amp; Quant Econ &amp; Econometrics</i>
John William Hite IV – <i>Theater</i>	Marisa Anne Marshall – <i>Economics</i>
Katherine Whitney Hollister – <i>Human Development &amp; Psychology</i>	Phoebe E. Maxwell – <i>English &amp; Film Studies</i>
Evelyn Houseman – <i>Psychology</i>	Audrey Rose McCarron – <i>Psychology</i>
Alexis Ann Howard – <i>Gender, Sexuality, Intersectional Studies</i>	Xavier James McCormack – <i>Art</i>
Katherine Rose Howe – <i>Architectural Studies &amp; Art History</i>	Zach McCrystal – <i>Economics</i>
Eric Michael Huber – <i>Computer Science &amp; Economics</i>	Antoinette Lucia McGlynn – <i>East Asian Studies &amp; Economics</i>
Katherine Chiang Hurst – <i>Art</i>	Molly Kate McGovern – <i>Dance &amp; Educational Studies</i>
Caitlin Nicole Jacobson – <i>Educational Studies &amp; Human Development</i>	Sarah Prescott McLean – <i>English</i>
Samirah Jaigirdar – <i>Global Islamic Studies &amp; International Relations</i>	Asha Meckel-Sam – <i>Psychology</i>
Holly Sarah James – <i>French &amp; International Relations</i>	Sohan Sanjay Mewada – <i>International Relations</i>
Md Jawad – <i>Computer Science</i>	Benjamin Meyer – <i>Sociology</i>
Robert Mathew Jensen – <i>Computer Science</i>	Lauren Frances Moonan – <i>Biological Sciences</i>
Xiao Shan Jiang – <i>Human Development</i>	Abigail Jane Murphy – <i>Neuroscience</i>
Sydney Jones – <i>Economics</i>	Taigo Nakazawa – <i>Computer Science</i>
Rachel Eve Kantor – <i>Neuroscience</i>	Nhi Thao Nguyen – <i>Quant Econ &amp; Econometrics</i>
Olivia Christine Kappel – <i>History</i>	Eliza Rossmassler Nichols – <i>Biological Sciences</i>
Harleen Kaur – <i>Psychology &amp; Student-Designed Interdisciplinary</i>	Ezra N Norris – <i>Art</i>
Megan Catherine Kelly – <i>Human Development</i>	Katherine E Norton – <i>Human Development</i>
Logan Alexis Kilfoyle – <i>Film Studies</i>	Jacob Koi Nozaki – <i>Computer Science</i>
Quinn Anya Kilmartin – <i>Biological Sciences</i>	Charley Rae Nyzio – <i>Italian Studies &amp; Psychology</i>
Diana Curtis Kim – <i>Environmental Studies</i>	Jake Patrick O'Brien – <i>Computer Science</i>
Amelia Elisabeth Kirby – <i>Environmental Studies</i>	Katherine Grace O'Brien – <i>Anthropology &amp; Art</i>
Lydia Rose Klein – <i>American Studies</i>	Kayla Karena O'Malley – <i>English</i>
Tim Noah Alexander Kobler – <i>Quant Econ &amp; Econometrics</i>	Emily Catherine O'Sullivan – <i>American Studies</i>
	Nouhaila Oudija – <i>Economics</i>

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### DISTINCTION IN THE MAJOR FIELD (Cont'd.)

- Nathaniel Christopher Palumbo – *Economics*  
Luigi Giuseppe Pasquariello – *Italian Studies*  
Isabella Simone Patino – *Mathematics*  
Zoe Fiorenza Pellegrino – *Sociology*  
Jacqueline Rosa Perry – *Art*  
Graham Parker Plewniak – *Psychology*  
Stuart Springer Pollock – *Architectural Studies & History*  
Moriah Grace Prescia – *Anthropology*  
Allison Renee Racela – *Neuroscience*  
Grace Rathbun – *Gendr, Sexuality, Intrsrction Stds*  
Garrett King Reilly – *Economics*  
Alexandra A. Reinecke – *English*  
Alana Flora Reiss – *Educational Studies & Human Development*  
Kimberly Rivas – *Economics & Hispanic Studies*  
Alexander James Roch – *Economics*  
Jillian Michelle Rothman – *Theater*  
Leslie Marie Ruddy – *Economics & French*  
Caroline Grace Ruggiano – *English*  
Owen Philip Sagerman – *Art*  
Lindsay Reh Salvati – *Mathematics*  
Birgitta Kjerstin Salvesen-Quinn – *Educational Studies, Human Development & Psychology*  
Matthew Davidson Sambor – *Economics*  
Laura Lucille Schneider – *Art History*  
Elena Smith Schomburg – *Environmental Studies & Sociology*  
Rachel Emily Schultze – *Psychology*  
Sarah Rachael Seeley – *Economics & Gendr, Sexuality, Intrsrction Stds*  
Ayla Carrie Senna – *Human Development & Psychology*  
Audrey Shaev – *English*  
Sneh Shah – *Neuroscience*  
Aubry Ann Shaw – *Environmental Studies*  
Maya Matarazzo Sheff – *Sociology*  
Kyle Shero – *Economics*  
Erin Marie Shevlin – *Educational Studies & English*  
Hatim Siddique – *Music, Sound, and Technology & Psychology*  
Samantha Jo Siewertsen – *Dance & Student-Designed Interdsclphnry*  
Tyler James Robert Silbey – *Computer Science & Film Studies*  
Sebastian Lee Skipwith – *Slavic Studies*  
Natalie Elizabeth Solari – *Architectural Studies*  
Isabella D Sorrenti – *Classics*  
Charles Henry Spreda – *Educational Studies & History*  
Caroline Llewellyn Stevenson – *Italian Studies & Psychology*  
Brendan James Stiltner – *Psychology*  
Gaby Metanoia Sukmono – *Anthropology*  
Irakli Svanidze – *Computer Science & English*  
Long Ta – *Economics & International Relations*  
Susan Tabele Kolbenheyer – *Human Development & Psychology*  
Madison Sally Taylor – *Government*  
Julian Slade Tien – *History*  
Finn Tobias – *ACS Certified - Chem/Biochem*  
Lisa Dariana Torres Navarro – *Hispanic Studies & Sociology*  
Megan Margaret Tracy – *English & Gendr, Sexuality, Intrsrction Stds*  
Enso Vy Tran – *Anthropology & International Relations*  
Huyen Ngoc Diem Tran – *Educational Studies*  
Ketsitseng Tsolo – *Government & Quant Econ & Econometrics*  
Jeremy Cameron Tubb – *English & German Studies*  
Justin Lucas Turbeville – *Computer Science*  
Jake Fitzpatrick Upton – *Classics*  
Daniel Angel Varela – *Italian Studies & Latin American/Latino Studies*  
Liliana Azalia Vazquez – *Educational Studies & Psychology*  
Lucas Ulysses Verrilli – *Computer Science*  
Izabella Rose von Beren – *Educational Studies, Human Development & Psychology*  
Elisabeth Loring Wales – *Dance & Government*  
Anna Elizabeth Warren – *Biochem/Cell/Molecular & Neuroscience*  
Jordan Shane Westlake – *Global Islamic Studies & History*  
Katherine Leigh Wetzel – *Economics & Psychology*  
Emma-Sofia Munroe Wipper – *Architectural Studies*  
Aoye Yuan – *Physics*  
Elizabeth Amalia Zaccaro – *Gendr, Sexuality, Intrsrction Stds*  
Adam Zhai – *Biochem/Cell/Molecular*

## SENIORS RECEIVING HONORS AND AWARDS – 2022

W.E.B. DUBOIS SCHOLAR/ACTIVIST AWARD .....	Daniel Angel Varela
WINNIE MANDELA OUTSTANDING SCHOLAR AWARD .....	Danso Kuzoe-Jones
CLASS OF 2003 PRIZE IN AMERICAN STUDIES .....	Anna Stasia Bianchi
AMERICAN STUDIES PRIZE FOR EXCELLENCE IN INTERDISCIPLINARY WRITING .....	Anna Stasia Bianchi
AMMERMAN CENTER SMALLEY/ZAHLEER AWARD .....	Alexis Marie Lynch
AMMERMAN CENTER BRIDGET BAIRD AWARD .....	Briana Ashley Goolsby Alcy Hart
EVA L. BUTLER MEMORIAL PRIZE .....	Moriah Grace Prescia
CLAIRE GARBER GOODMAN '54 AWARD .....	Katherine Grace O'Brien
B. JUNE MACKLIN SENIOR ANTHROPOLOGY AWARD .....	Jennifer Ellyn Browne Adalie Samantha Duran
ARCHITECTURAL STUDIES AWARD .....	Katherine Grace Davis Jake Philip Leone
ART HISTORY DEPARTMENT PRIZE .....	Isabella D Sorrenti
NANCY BATSON NISBET RASH ART HISTORY PRIZE .....	Laura Lucille Schneider
PAUL FELL BIOLOGICAL RESEARCH AWARD .....	Alice Angela Ball Bridget Ann Hilgendorff Genevieve Elizabeth Kuhlmann
E. FRANCES BOTSFORD PRIZE .....	Quinn Anya Kilmartin Adam Zhai
SENIOR BIOLOGY PRIZE .....	Eslam GamalEldein AbouSamra Elyce Ofori Afrifa Erin Nicole Fitzpatrick Alyss Bell Humphrey Lauren Frances Moonan Lovisa Maria Christina Werner
ANTHONY FRANCIS NELSON MEMORIAL PRIZE .....	Erik Duffy Oddsund
BOTANICAL SOCIETY OF AMERICA YOUNG BOTANIST AWARD .....	Adalie Samantha Duran Talia Emilie Zeidner
JEAN V. JOHNSTON PRIZE .....	Melanie Jean Fournier
DR. JOSEPH NUNES PEREIRA MEMORIAL PRIZE .....	Allison Renee Racela
PAUL ABEL SCHWARTZ MEMORIAL PRIZE .....	Benjamin Riley Fort
AMERICAN CHEMICAL SOCIETY DIVISION OF ANALYTICAL CHEMISTRY AWARD .....	Finn Tobias
AMERICAN CHEMICAL SOCIETY CONNECTICUT VALLEY SECTION AWARD .....	Allison Renee Racela
ACS UNDERGRADUATE AWARD IN PHYSICAL CHEMISTRY .....	Suzanne Margaret Allen
ACS UNDERGRADUATE AWARD IN ORGANIC CHEMISTRY .....	Benjamin Riley Fort
THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF CHEMISTS FOUNDATION AWARD IN CHEMISTRY .....	Leah McKeen Kosovsky
THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF CHEMISTS FOUNDATION AWARD IN BIOCHEMISTRY .....	Adam Zhai
ELIZABETH C. EVANS PRIZE .....	Madison Leigh Comer Isabella D Sorrenti
DIRK Tom DIECK HELD MEMORIAL AWARD .....	Christopher Edward Duffy Jake Fitzpatrick Upton
ARABIC STUDIES STUDENT EXCELLENCE AWARD .....	Jordan Shane Westlake

SENIOR COMPUTER SCIENCE AWARD	
For distinction in research, academics, and service	Nikesh Ghimire
For distinction in research and academics	Cameron Lawrence Angliss
For distinction in academics	Madison Brooke Ford Eric Michael Huber Jacob Koi Nozaki
Awarded to the top Computer Science student with excellence in research, academics, and service	Aartee Leena Hosanee
JOAN CONNELL MEMORIAL AWARD	Lucie de Fontaine Molly Kate McGovern Samantha Jo Siewertsen Elisabeth Loring Wales
JOSÉ LIMÓN AWARD	Juana Lopez Alvarez
DANCE DEPARTMENT AWARD	Mary Elizabeth Fitzgerald
DANCE DEPARTMENT AWARD IN HONOR OF JEAN-LEON DESTINE	Lovisa Maria Christina Werner
LUCY C. MCDANNEL '22 PRIZE	Samirah Jaigirdar
DEANS' LEADERSHIP AWARD	Alexis Jovanie Rodriguez
ROBERT HAMPTON AWARD	Antoinette Lucia McGlynn
KATHERINE FINNEY MEMORIAL AWARD	Jacob Koi Nozaki
HARRIET BUESCHER LAWRENCE '34 PRIZE	Briana Ashley Goolsby
MRS. ELIZABETH FIELDING MEMORIAL AWARD	Samirah Jaigirdar
BARBARA E. GURWITZ '88 MEMORIAL AWARD	Aquib Akhtar Lisa Dariana Torres Navarro
ROSEMARY PARK FELLOWSHIP FOR TEACHING	Molly Kate McGovern
VERA SNOW GRADUATE FELLOWSHIP	Quinn Anya Kilmartin Antoinette Lucia McGlynn Alexandra Leigh Wagner
BEVERLY G. KOWAL PRIZE	Tihut Deribe Getabicha
THERESA PERRI AMMIRATI AWARD	Melissa Chow
JEWEL PLUMMER COBB PRIZE	Alice Angela Ball Anjum Fatima Shaikh
HAROLD D. JULI MEMORIAL AWARD FOR STUDENT RESEARCH	Madison Sally Taylor
OFFICE OF THE DEAN OF THE COLLEGE – STUDENT EMPLOYEE AWARD	Elena Smith Schomburg
DIEI STUDENT LEADERSHIP AWARD	Ricardo Orlando Lombera Grace Rathbun
LOIS TAYLOR '31 ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENT AWARD	Jitu Alemu Dribssa Gaby Metanoia Sukmono
COMMUNITY BUILDER AWARD	Zoe Anne Bertone Elizanette Castillo
VANGUARD AWARD FOR EQUITY AND INCLUSION	Daniel Angel Varela Elisabeth Loring Wales
JANET FOSTER '80 SENIOR AWARD	Elizabeth Lopez
CHRISTINE W. MATTESON '69 PRIZE FOR EXCELLENCE IN SERVING PROGRAM	Campbell D. Coughlin Matthew Sang Park
EAST ASIAN LANGUAGES & CULTURES PRIZE	Antoinette Lucia McGlynn Hana Miriam Tanabe
CYNTHIA PAUL WALKER '67 PRIZE	Rachel Ann Powell

RUBY TURNER MORRIS PRIZE .....	Jitu Alemu Dribssa Katie Fujimori Iyad Ait Hou Tim Noah Alexander Kobler Rachel Ann Powell
CHAIR'S PRIZE IN ECONOMICS .....	Khadija Gohar Adam Connor Mullen
ECONOMETRICS PRIZE .....	Tim Noah Alexander Kobler
WOMEN IN ECONOMICS PRIZE .....	Tihut Deribe Getabicha Nouhaila Oudija
SALLY ABRAHMS '75 PRIZE IN FICTION .....	Jacqueline Chalghin Emma Rose Gould
BENJAMIN T. MARSHALL PRIZE .....	Emma Rose Gould
SARAH ENSIGN CADY MEMORIAL PRIZE .....	Jacqueline Chalghin
JOHN EDWIN WELLS MEMORIAL PRIZE .....	Jacqueline Chalghin
THE GERDA TARANOW PRIZE .....	Amanda Brooke Sanders
SALLY ABRAHMS '75 PRIZE FOR AN OUTSTANDING SENIOR ENGLISH MAJOR .....	Alexa Grace Beckstein Jacqueline Chalghin Lorena Angelica De León Zoe Fiorenza Pellegrino Amanda Brooke Sanders Irakli Svanidze Jake Fitzpatrick Upton
BARBARA SHATTUCK KOHN '72 ENVIRONMENTAL STUDIES AWARD .....	Jacqueline Sylvia Mountford Aubry Ann Shaw
RICHARD H. GOODWIN PRIZE .....	Susanna Claire Buckley
FILM STUDIES THEORY/CRITICISM PRIZE .....	Briana Ashley Goolsby Jenna Kramer
FILM STUDIES CREATIVE PRODUCTION PRIZE .....	Thomas Scott Awender Lorena Angelica De León
FILM STUDIES NON-MAJOR STUDENT AWARD .....	Moriah Grace Prescia
FILM STUDIES SERVICE AWARD .....	Phoebe E. Maxwell
ESTHER C. CARY PRIZE .....	Katharine Maris Liell Leslie Marie Ruddy
FRENCH BOOK PRIZE FOR OUTSTANDING ACHIEVEMENT .....	Holly Sarah James
FRENCH AND FRANCOPHONE COMMUNITY LEADERSHIP PRIZE .....	Eliza Rossmassler Nichols
PRESIDENT CLAIRE GAUDIANI '66 AWARD FOR EXCELLENCE IN THE SENIOR INTEGRATIVE PROJECT .....	Eleanor Ebby
SUSAN J. ROSE '62 PRIZE .....	Grace Rathbun Megan Margaret Tracy
GENDER & WOMEN'S STUDIES AWARD FOR FEMINIST COLLECTIVE ACTION .....	Grace Rathbun Megan Margaret Tracy
OUTSTANDING MAJOR IN GERMAN STUDIES .....	Jeremy Cameron Tubb
OUTSTANDING MINOR IN GERMAN STUDIES .....	Jacob Koi Nozaki
GERMAN DEPARTMENT PRIZE .....	Jordan Groff
GLOBAL ISLAMIC STUDIES PRIZE .....	Samirah Jaigirdar Jordan Shane Westlake
HELEN F. MATHIESON '52 PRIZE .....	Bridget Ann Hilgendorff



GOVERNMENT & INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS DEPARTMENT PRIZE

For Outstanding Achievement in Government ..... Benjamin Meyer  
Emily Catherine O'Sullivan  
Ketsitseng Tsolo  
For Outstanding Achievement in International Relations ..... Emma Julius Atlas  
Nouhaila Oudija

WILLIAM J. ROBINSON '95 AWARD

FOR ACHIEVEMENT AND COMMITMENT ..... Ricardo Orlando Lombera  
Payton Marisa Mulvehill

ANTONIO REBOLLEDO MEMORIAL PRIZE ..... Madelyn McKenna  
Lisa Dariana Torres Navarro

DORIS MEYER SCHOLARSHIP AND SERVICE AWARD ..... Kimberly Rivas

SARAH SCHOELLKOPF '97 HISPANIC STUDIES AWARD

FOR RESEARCH AND SOCIAL ACTIVISM ..... Daniel Angel Varela

HISPANIC STUDIES BOOK PRIZE ..... Betsy Aguilar  
Annette Cuapio-Mendieta  
Billy Fleurima Jr.  
Abigail Edith King  
Elizabeth Lopez

HANNAH GRACE ROACH PRIZE ..... Eric Solomon Freeman

HISTORY DEPARTMENT PRIZE: AFRICAN HISTORY ..... Charles Henry Spreda

HISTORY DEPARTMENT PRIZE: GLOBAL HISTORY ..... Autumn Kennedy Galindo

HISTORY DEPARTMENT PRIZE: LATIN AMERICAN HISTORY ..... Julissa Lee Roldán

HISTORY DEPARTMENT PRIZE: U.S. HISTORY ..... Olivia Christine Kappel

WIMBERGER PRIZE FOR SOUTH ASIAN STUDIES ..... Cameryn J. Lesko-Jelley

PETER S. YOZELL PRIZE ..... Madison Sally Taylor

HOLLERAN CENTER ELIZABETH DURANTE '10 ACTIVIST AWARD ..... Grace Rathbun  
Megan Margaret Tracy

HOLLERAN CENTER ACTIVIST SCHOLAR AWARD ..... Anna Stasia Bianchi  
Autumn Kennedy Galindo

HOLLERAN CENTER TRACEE REISER

NEW LONDON COMMUNITY PARTNERSHIPS AWARD ..... Tihut Deribe Getabicha  
Alazar Samuel Kebede  
Asha Meckel-Sam

HOLLERAN CENTER TRACEE REISER

COMMUNITY ACTIVISM AWARD ..... Ricardo Orlando Lombera  
Naomi Salee Miller

LOUISE LACEY MCGARRY AWARD ..... Melissa Chow  
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*Roman S. and Tatiana Weller Professor of English and Writer-in-Residence*

Blanche McCrary Boyd received her B.A. from Pomona College and her M.A. from Stanford University. She joined Connecticut College in 1982.

An American novelist, journalist, essayist, teacher and mentor, Boyd has taught creative writing to generations of aspiring writers. Among her many students have been writers Sloane Crosley, Jazmine Hughes, Lee Eisenberg, Jessica Soffer, William Lychack, David Grann, Ann Napolitano, Jonathan Fahey, Hannah Tinti, Mehdi Okasi, Soon Wylie and Soraya Palmer.

Boyd is the author of five novels, including a trilogy, *The Revolution of Little Girls*, *Terminal Velocity* and *Tomb of the Unknown Racist*, and a collection of autobiographical journalism, *The Redneck Way of Knowledge*, which includes pieces first published in the *Village Voice*. Boyd's essays and reporting have also appeared in *The New York Times Magazine*, *Esquire*, *Ms.* and *Vanity Fair*.

Boyd's works traverse the racial and political contradictions of the second half of the 20th century, intertwining personal and psychological adventures with feminist protests, lesbianism, racial conflicts and a confrontation with the

violent white supremacist subculture. All of her work reveals a continual exploration of the relationship of fiction and nonfiction; her nonfiction involves both personal revelation and reporting, and her fiction combines autobiographical elements with real-world events.

Among the awards Boyd has received are a Guggenheim Fellowship, a National Endowment of the Arts Fellowship, a South Carolina Arts Commission Fellowship and a Wallace Stegner Fellowship in Creative Writing at Stanford University. In 1991, *The Revolution of Little Girls* won both the Lambda Award and the Ferro-Grumley Award for Lesbian Fiction, and it was nominated for the Southern Book Award. In 2019, *Tomb of the Unknown Racist* was one of five finalists for the PEN/Faulkner Award for Fiction, America's largest peer-juried prize for fiction.

Boyd directs The Daniel Klagsbrun Symposium on Writing and Moral Vision at Connecticut College, through which she has interviewed and hosted readings on campus by Margaret Atwood, David Sedaris, Gloria Naylor, Art Spiegelman, Michael Cunningham, Amy Tan and Dorothy Allison, as well as many others.

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## LESLIE BROWN

*Associate Professor of Physics*

Leslie Brown received her B.A. in Russian and her B.S. in physics from the University of Delaware and her M.A. and Ph.D. in physics from Brandeis University. She joined Connecticut College in 1992.

Soon after arriving at the College, Brown worked with the Department of Physics to establish a new major concentration in astrophysics and a minor in astronomy. Over the years, she developed several new courses, including "Introduction to Astrophysics," "Observational Techniques in Astrophysics," "The Origin and Fate of Our Universe," and a popular first-year seminar, "The Search for Life in the Universe." She has also taught many courses in physics from "Modern Physics," to "Electromagnetic Theory."

Brown wrote, and was awarded, an NSF grant in 1995 that funded a new research-grade telescope; this new telescope and ancillary equipment were installed in 1996 in the just-completed observatory atop the new Olin Science Center. Brown uses this telescope to conduct research with her students. This collaborative effort has involved many astronomy students in individual studies and honors theses covering topics as far-ranging as astronomy education, meteorology, planetary science and extragalactic astronomy. Many of these projects resulted in presentations at local

and national professional astronomy and physics meetings. Furthermore, she co-authored a 2004 Astronomy and Astrophysics paper, "The WEBT BL Lacertae campaign 2001 and its extension," with two of her students.

Brown also maintains the two observatories on campus: the Olin Observatory and the Clark Observatory on Bill Hall; this latter observatory houses the College's historic Clark refractor about whose history Brown is finishing a monograph. She organizes and runs public observing nights and lectures in astronomy, making use of the Olin Observatory primarily. Over the past three decades, she has welcomed several thousand visitors from the surrounding region as well as the Connecticut College campus to our observatories to view and appreciate the beauty of the night sky. As part of her effort to share the night sky with the public, Brown volunteers as the education director for the Stars-to-STEM consortium, writes an astronomy column for a local community paper and authors almost monthly posts on what's visible and of interest in the night sky in New England for her publicly accessible Google groups/mail-list, CCAstronomy.

Recently, Brown has been studying the optical variability of gamma-ray bright blazars, conducting multi-filter,

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CCD photometry using the Olin telescope, as well as a remote-access telescope in California. The research done by her and her students is incorporated into multi-national, multi-wavelength studies of these extremely active galactic

nuclei. The most recent research by her students, which forms a portion of the total observations gathered by an international consortium known as the Whole Earth Blazar Telescope, will be published later this year.

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## ANN SLOAN DEVLIN

*May Buckley Sadowski '19 Professor of Psychology*

Ann Devlin received her B.A., M.A. and Ph.D. from the University of Michigan. She joined Connecticut College in 1973.

Devlin regularly teaches courses on cognitive processes, industrial and organizational psychology, and environmental psychology, as well as a research methods course. Her expertise lies in environmental psychology, particularly in the creation of more humanistic environments for health care, including psychotherapy offices and facilities that house the elderly. She also specializes in way-finding and frequently writes about issues in evidence-based design.

A former Woodrow Wilson Fellow, Devlin is the recipient of several Mellon Foundation grants. She received the Mellon Initiative on Multiculturalism grant, as well as a grant to develop the Freshman Focus Cluster, an integrative, writing-intensive program for incoming first-year students at Connecticut College. With colleagues from Portugal, she also received an Academy of Architecture for Health Foundation grant.

A prolific writer, Devlin is the author of seven books, including *The Research Experience: Planning, Conducting and Reporting Research*; *Transforming the Doctor's Office: Principles*

*from Evidence-based Design*, and *What Americans Build and Why: Psychological Perspectives*. Her articles, many of which include student co-authors, have been published in numerous journals, including *Environment and Behavior*, the *Journal of Counseling Psychology*, the *Journal of Environmental Psychology*, and the *Journal of Applied Social Psychology*. She is a former editor-in-chief of the journal *Environment and Behavior*, and was elected to the board of directors of the Environmental Design Research Association in 2000. In 2020, she received the Environmental Design Research Association Career Award.

Devlin served as college marshal from 2002 to 2015. In 2019, she received the Nancy Batson Nisbet Rash Faculty Award for Excellence in Research; and in 2012 she received the Helen B. Regan Faculty Leadership Award, which recognizes faculty members who exemplify the College's commitment to shared governance, democratic process and campus community development. She was awarded the John S. King Memorial Teaching Award in 2006, and she is a recipient of the Student Government Association Teaching Award for excellence in teaching.

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## MICHELLE R. DUNLAP

*Professor of Human Development*

Michelle Dunlap received her B.S. with honors in psychology from Wayne State University, and her M.S. in social psychology with an emphasis in consumer behavior and Ph.D. in social psychology with an emphasis in prejudice, racism and intergroup relations from the University of Florida. A trailblazer, she joined Connecticut College in 1994, and in 2000 became the first African American woman in the history of the College to both begin as an assistant professor and obtain tenure and promotion.

Dunlap, who specializes in multicultural and contemporary family issues, teaches "Introduction to Human (Lifespan) Development," "Adolescent Development," "Children and Families in a Multicultural Society," "Social and Personality Development" and "Basic Applied Statistical Analyses." She has written extensively, having published more than 40 journal articles, books, book chapters and

essays about her research and experiences involving college students working in community service-learning settings, intergroup relations, perceptions and misperceptions of African American child rearing, and Black and minority experiences in consumer marketplaces. Her recently released book, *Retail Racism: Shopping While Black and Brown in America*, is published by Rowman & Littlefield. She has also traveled extensively and presented her work nationally and internationally.

Dunlap has served on numerous boards and in many leadership positions, including terms as chair of the Department of Human Development and faculty liaison to the Connecticut College Child Development Lab School. Over the years, she has served in leadership capacities with the New England Psychological Association, the National Association for Women in Psychology, the American

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Association of Higher Education, Campus Compact and United Community Family Services. She also has reviewed for a variety of journals, including *Teaching of Psychology*, *Psychology of Women Quarterly* (PWQ), and the *Michigan Journal of Community Service*.

Dunlap has volunteered her time and served as a consultant for numerous community organizations, social service agencies, schools, universities and businesses. For her community engagement and scholarship, Dunlap has

been recognized with a variety of local, state and national awards, including the Norwich NAACP Branch President's Award in 2003, the State of Connecticut African American Affairs Commission 2005 Woman of the Year Award, the 2008 New England Resource Center for Higher Education's Ernest J. Lynton Award for the Scholarship of Engagement, and the 2018 National Council of Negro Women Eunice McLean Waller Award for Outstanding Work in Education and Community.

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## VICKI FONTNEAU

*Senior Lecturer in Chemistry*

Vicki Fontneau received her B.S. from Florida State University and her M.S. from the University of Hawaii. She joined Connecticut College in 1984.

Fontneau specializes in protein biochemistry, laboratory safety and chemistry education. She has taught and coordinated the general chemistry labs for 38 years and taught biochemistry labs for 28 years. She has developed and implemented experiments in both areas and has been instrumental in improving laboratory safety throughout the Department of Chemistry. She is an active

member of the College's Laboratory Safety Committee, as well as the American Chemical Society.

Each year Fontneau writes the in-house laboratory manuals for the general chemistry labs and, for 24 years, Fontneau also wrote the laboratory manuals for the biochemistry labs.

In 1987, Fontneau requested the first online connection at the College, and she initiated the College's hazardous waste disposal program in 1988.

A committed teacher, Fontneau says one of her greatest joys has been sharing her fascination with chemistry with her students.

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## WILLIAM FRASURE

*Lucretia L. Allyn Professor of Government and International Relations*

William Frasure received his B.A. from the University of Pittsburgh, his J.D. from Yale University and his Ph.D. from Johns Hopkins University. He joined Connecticut College in 1974.

In his early years at the College, Frasure specialized in United States politics, environmental policy and law, and public policy and law. The second half of his career was almost entirely centered on various programs in Vietnam. In 1997, the College sent him to Hanoi to explore the possibility of establishing a Study Away Teach Away (SATA) program there. Subsequently, SATA Vietnam, initiated by Frasure and Professors Peppard and Jensen in 1999, became the fulcrum for the lengthiest and most expansive relationship between a U.S. college and Vietnamese universities and schools.

In 2001, while Frasure was serving as associate dean of the faculty, he secured for the College a grant from the U.S. State Department Bureau of Educational and Cultural Affairs to support a five-year faculty partnership program between Connecticut College and Vietnam National University in Hanoi. In all, over 200 Connecticut College students have studied in Vietnam, more than 20 VNU

faculty members and officials have visited Connecticut College and 14 Connecticut College faculty members have visited VNU as part of various programs. This unique relationship has also enabled several Connecticut College professors to conduct extensive research in Vietnam and in collaboration with colleagues at VNU.

At the request of Vietnam's Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Frasure created and administered a training program for mid-level officials, funded by the Vietnamese government and the U.S. Agency for International Development. Each summer, from 2010 through 2013, groups of Vietnamese diplomats—63 in all—were in residence at the College for classes conducted by members of Conn's Departments of Government and Economics.

In 2008, Frasure was awarded an honorary doctoral degree by VNU "in honor of his excellent achievements in scientific activities and his valuable contributions to the development of cooperation and friendship with Vietnam National University." A Vietnamese newspaper included him among the "five foreigners who have contributed the most to higher education in Vietnam."

## CHARLES O. HARTMAN

*Lucy Marsh Haskell '19 Endowed Professor of English; Poet-in-Residence; Creative Writing Program Co-Director*

Charles Hartman received his A.B. from Harvard University and his M.A. and Ph.D. from Washington University. He joined Connecticut College in 1984.

Hartman teaches poetry-writing courses in the English Department's program in creative writing, as well as courses on contemporary poetry, science fiction, and poetry and music, including "Recent American Poets" and "Bob Dylan." He also directs honors theses in the concentration in creative writing in poetry.

A prolific poet, Hartman has published numerous volumes of poetry, including *New and Selected Poems* from Ahsahta Press, and his work has been published in dozens of magazines, including *The New Yorker*, *Poetry*, *Carolina Quarterly*, *Poetry Northwest*, *Poetry Now*, *Copper Nickel*, *Ploughshares*, *Yale Review*, and *TriQuarterly*. In addition, Hartman is widely known for his critical writing on the prosody of free and metrical

verse. He has published books and essays on various modern and contemporary poets, on jazz and other musical forms and their relation to poetry, and on poetry and computers. A jazz guitarist, Hartman has recorded two albums of music.

Hartman has created a series of computer programs that contribute to the writing and inspiration of poetry, including *Prose*, a generator program that creates random, syntactically correct English sentences, and the *Scandroid*, which scans English metrical verse. Hartman also uses computers to preserve poetry. He is the co-founder of the Contemporary American Poetry Archive, where out-of-print volumes of poetry are preserved online and can be accessed free of charge by anyone with Internet access. Additionally, Hartman has been translating poems by Yannis Ritsos from modern Greek and experimenting with the web presentation of annotated poetry translations.

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## PAMELA HINE

*Senior Lecturer in Botany*

Pamela Hine received her B.A. from Bates College and her M.A. from Connecticut College, where she worked with William Niering. She joined the faculty in 1984. Hine specializes in plant ecology and has done research in tidal marsh ecology and pollination ecology.

For nearly 40 years, Hine has helped shape the curriculum and pedagogy within the biology and botany departments and the environmental studies program. She developed and taught courses ranging from introductory biology, botany and general ecology to environmental biology, plant ecology and restoration ecology. She has also directed individual study and honors study students interested in topics of environmental education and has served as an adviser to students

majoring in botany, environmental studies and biology.

On campus, Hine has served as a fellow of the Goodwin-Niering Center for the Environment, as an associate of the Connecticut College Arboretum, twice as acting director of the interdisciplinary major in environmental studies, and as a member of various Connecticut College committees.

Hine has also served as president of the Old Lyme Land Trust and on a Connecticut Audubon advisory group tasked with implementing a grant for public education. She has also been involved with Project Learning Tree, working with public school teachers interested in teaching environmental science, and has evaluated tracts for local land trusts and led interpretive walks for members.

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## PAMELA MARKS

*Associate Professor of Studio Art*

Pamela Marks received her B.F.A. in painting and drawing from the University of Illinois and her M.F.A. in painting from the University of Arizona. She joined Connecticut College in 1991.

An expert in color theory, Marks has taught numerous courses in the Art Department, including drawing, painting, gallery methods and "De-Coding Color." In addition, Marks has taught and mentored students in drawing marathons on campus and drawing workshops in Monte Castello di Vibio, Italy. Marks was a visiting critic at the Yale University School of Art in 2004 and taught summer sessions at the Pont Aven School of Contemporary Art in Brittany, France, sponsored by the Rhode Island School of Design.

As co-director of the Sherman Fairchild Program for four years, Marks worked to broaden interdisciplinary

teaching experiences among art faculty and expand those collaborations to include the sciences, humanities and social sciences. These early thematic collaborations impacted the arts on campus, laying the groundwork for deeper collaborative teaching and new creative intersections with other disciplines. As the gallery director at the Cummings Arts Center from 1994 to 2008, Marks curated numerous exhibitions and managed the Art Department's gallery program. After 2008, she continued to play an active role in designing the annual culminating exhibition for senior art majors.

Marks investigates the perceptual play of color in her abstract paintings and prints. She has exhibited in numerous venues across the United States and in Asia and Europe. Her works are in many public and private collections. Her painting installation, "Healing," commissioned in 1994, is

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on permanent display at the University of Arizona Health Sciences Library in Tucson.

Throughout her career, Marks has combined travel with research. She participated in the residency program at Altos de Chavon in the Dominican Republic in 1986 and at the Pont Aven School of Contemporary Art in France in 2000. Marks was named a MacDowell Fellow

in 1999 and a Virginia Center for the Creative Arts Fellow in 2007. While a visiting artist and scholar at the American Academy in Rome in 2006, she completed research on the Cosmatesque patterns found in Roman churches. In 2013, Marks was invited to explore new paint technologies in a residency at the Golden Foundation in New Berlin, New York.

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## FREDERICK S. PAXTON

*Brigida Pacchiani Ardenghi Professor of History*

Fred Paxton received his B.A. from Michigan State University, his M.A. from the University of Washington, and his Ph.D. from the University of California, Berkeley. He joined Connecticut College in 1985.

Paxton has taught some 30 separate courses at the College and at other institutions on European and Islamic history and on topics ranging from sickness, death and dying to medieval law, monasticism and spirituality. He also introduced “Big History” to the curriculum, which traces the history of the cosmos, our solar system, life on Earth, and humanity from the Big Bang to the present.

Paxton twice served as the chair of the Department of History and as the director of the Toor Cummings Center for International Studies and the Liberal Arts. He also served as chair of the Faculty Steering and Conference Committee and as dean of international studies, and he directed Study Away Teach Away programs in Cairo, Rome and Perugia, Italy.

Paxton is the author of four books, including *Christianizing Death: The Creation of a Ritual Process in Early Medieval*

*Europe*, which spurred his interest in sickness and healing in early medieval Europe. His research was facilitated by grants and fellowships from the American Council of Learned Societies, the Mellon Foundation, the Fulbright Commission, the Camargo Foundation and the National Endowment for the Humanities. He has also published dozens of articles, book chapters, book reviews and essays.

From 1994 to 2002, Paxton was a visiting professor at the Chalice of Repose Project, in Missoula, Montana. His master’s thesis, *A Medieval Latin Death Ritual: The Monastic Customaries of Bernard and Ulrich of Cluny*, was published for students in the project in 1993. According to the founder of music-thanatology, Therese Schroeder-Sheker, Paxton’s work has placed this recent addition to the field of palliative care of the dying in historical context.

Most recently, Paxton has been conducting research on the Middle Ages in the American Southwest and completing a manuscript, *The North American Southwest in the Middle Ages, 500-1500 CE*.

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## WILLIAM WUYKE

*Adjunct Professor of Physical Education; Strength and Conditioning Coach; Fitness Center Director*

William Wuyke received his B.S. and M.S. from the University of Alabama. He joined Connecticut College as the head coach of men’s track and field in 1990.

Wuyke directed the men’s and women’s cross country and track and field programs, and in 2006 was appointed director of the Connecticut College fitness center and head strength and conditioning coach. As an adjunct professor of physical education, Wuyke has expanded the fitness curriculum and course offerings for all Connecticut College students.

Under his direction, Connecticut College completed the construction of a new 10,000-square-foot facility, the Ann and Lee Higdon Fitness Center, in 2009. He also assisted in the planning and preparation for the construction of the Lyn & David Silfen Track and Field in 1996. Wuyke has coached numerous regional and national qualifiers, and his popular conditioning classes and “Wuyke Runs” have allowed him to develop lasting relationships with the College’s students and student-athletes.

A two-time Olympian, Wuyke competed in the 1980 and 1984 games for his native country of Venezuela. He placed ninth in the 800 meters at Moscow in 1980. In 1984, Wuyke

was honored as the flag bearer for his team in the games of the XXIII Olympiad in Los Angeles. In 1986, Wuyke posted a time of 1:43.54 in the 800, which was then the third-fastest time in the world.

Wuyke holds the longest running track and field record in Venezuela and still holds the record in the 800 meters at the University of Alabama. He served as Venezuela’s representative for the World Olympian’s Organization in Beijing in 2008 and in London in 2012, and he is a frequent guest at numerous athletic conferences and panels around the world. In 2009, Wuyke was inducted into the Venezuela Athletic Federation Hall of Fame.

In 2010, Wuyke was awarded a Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Service Award from Connecticut College for his leadership and commitment to community service. In addition to supporting the College’s multicultural initiatives on campus, Wuyke actively engages faculty, staff and students in fitness and wellness programs and volunteers at a local soup kitchen and homeless shelter. Wuyke has also worked extensively with children from the New London community through the College’s Kids, Books, Athletics mentorship program.

## COMMENCEMENT TRADITIONS

**Academic Regalia and the Academic Procession.** The robes and colorful hoods of the academic regalia have a religious origin. The style of the garments worn today dates back to the 12th century, when universities were the training grounds for Europe's clergy.

Current academic dress in the United States is based on an intercollegiate code established in 1895. The bachelor's gown has long pointed sleeves, is untrimmed and is worn closed. The master's gown, worn either open or closed, has long, crescent-shaped sleeves. The doctor's gown has bell-shaped sleeves, is worn closed, and has velvet panels down the front, around the neck and on the sleeves.

The customary head covering is either the mortarboard or the Oxford cap. The mortarboard tassel is black for bachelor's and master's degree holders and gold for those with doctoral degrees. The hood, which drapes over the back of the gown, also is significant. The length and width of the hood and the color of its trim and lining signify the wearer's highest academic achievement and the degree-granting institution. The velvet trim reveals the wearer's major field of study.

Honor cords, sashes or stoles are often awarded to graduating seniors who are members of honor societies, centers for interdisciplinary scholarship or for various academic and nonacademic achievements, awards or honors.

The senior class processes to Tempel Green to begin the Commencement processional reflective of the same tradition that occurs at Convocation and the opening of the academic year when they were first-year students.

**The Alma Mater.** "Alma Mater by the Sea" was written in the spring of 1920 by two Connecticut College students, Olive Littlehales Corbin '21 (words) and Edith C. Smith '20 (music). Their composition prevailed over other original student works in a contest to find a College song. Additional stanzas were added in the late 1980s by Jeffrey G. Barnhart '89 MAT '92 and Claire L. Gaudiani '66.

**Bagpipe Music.** Scottish or Irish bagpipe bands have long been a special feature of American holiday parades. Connecticut College employs the Manchester Pipe Band to lead the Commencement procession for the same reason that they are so popular in street parades: they add excitement, drama, color and a rousing sound to the occasions. The Manchester Pipe Band was founded in 1914 and is the second-oldest pipe band in continuous existence in the United States.

**Class Colors and the Class Banner.** The tradition of class colors goes back to the very beginning of the College, when the class of 1919 chose theirs. The next three classes did the same in their first year. Beginning with the class of 1923, freshmen no longer selected their own colors and instead adopted those of the class that had graduated that spring. The original four color combinations have been in rotation ever since: green and grey, blue and buff, purple and gold, and red and white. The Class of 2022 banner reflects the class colors, which is carried by the class marshals who lead the procession. The banners representing the current four class years are on permanent display in the College Center at Crozier-Williams. Additionally, they are carried in Reunion parades and at the annual Convocation that signifies the start of the academic year.

**College Motto.** "Tanquam lignum quod plantatum est secus decursus aquarum," which means "Like a tree planted by the rivers of water

(that bringeth forth its fruit in its season)." The motto is a Vulgate version of a phrase from the first psalm. Connecticut College's translation comes from the King James version of the Bible.

**College Seal.** The College seal is composed of several elements, including two open books, a tree on a background of water and the College's motto: "Tanquam lignum quod plantatum est secus decursus aquarum," which means "Like a tree planted by the rivers of water (that bringeth forth its fruit in its season)." The current seal is based on a design created by Connecticut College's first president (1913-1917), Frederick H. Sykes.

**Commencement Saplings.** Thanks to the generosity of Athena Tsakanikas-Philippides '86 through the Konstantinos T. Tsakanikas Memorial Fund, graduates are presented with individual white spruce saplings, which they carry as they march. The sapling represents the tree on the College seal, and its growth serves as a reminder of the connections between the graduates, the College and the world. This tradition began with the Class of 1993.

**Flags.** Connecticut College maintains a collection of international flags that represent the home countries of the College's students, as reflected by the Office of the Registrar. The international flags are displayed on significant ceremonial occasions to celebrate the diverse nature of the student body. The international flag collection is updated each year as new students join the Connecticut College community. In 2019, the College added three flags – those of the Mashantucket Pequot, Mohegan and Eastern Pequot Tribal nations – to acknowledge the land, history and continued presence of the Indigenous peoples of this region.

**Laurel Chain.** In the spirit of Connecticut College's original founding as a women's college, members of the junior and sophomore classes, dressed in white, carry chains of laurel to guide the graduates to the ceremony. Laurel was traditionally used as a symbol of honor and fame. The ancients presented laurel wreaths to university graduates in rhetoric and poetry. The laurel chain has been part of Connecticut College's ceremonies since the first Class Day in 1919.

**The Mace.** A mace was originally a weapon consisting of a staff with a ball of steel or brass at one end. The word "mace" comes from the Latin "mateola," meaning mallet. The mace evolved from an instrument of battle to a symbol of authority. Connecticut College's mace was a gift to the College from The Century Council when Claire L. Gaudiani '66 began her presidency in 1988. Designed and fabricated by Richard Scheller '73, it contains brass sleeves with the names of the College presidents.

**'Pomp and Circumstance.'** The trio section from Sir Edward Elgar's "Pomp and Circumstance March No. 1" is the most popular musical piece played at American graduations. The first of five marches by the composer, the piece is a perfect tune for a graduation because its inspirational quality elicits feelings of promise and optimism, while its stately, wistful quality suggests that a milestone has been reached – that we are bidding farewell to the past.

**The Presidential Medallion.** Featuring the Connecticut College seal, the presidential medallion is worn on ceremonial occasions as part of the president's regalia. It was created for the Inauguration of the College's 10th president, Leo I. Higdon Jr., and was a gift of Trustee Emeritus Linda J. Lear, a 1962 graduate of the College.

# CONNECTICUT COLLEGE

## ALMA MATER

OLIVE LITTLEHALES '21  
EDITH C. SMITH '20



Al - ma Ma - ter by the sea, Our hearts in love are  
Hail to our col - lege, white and blue. Keep through the years all our



lift - ed to thee; We'll car - ry your stand - ard for - ev - er,  
love deep and true, Our Al - ma Ma - ter we love thee,



Loy - al - ty To C. C. Faith, Friend-ship and Love.  
I - vied walls, C. C. calls To Loy - al - ty true.

© 1925 by Connecticut College for Women

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## MARSHALS

*College Marshal*  
Marc R. Forster

*Trustee Marshal*  
Peter Siver

*Faculty Marshal*  
Midge Thomas

*Senior Marshals*  
Norah Palmer Deming and Jacob Koi Nozaki

*Alumni Marshal*  
David Dorfman '81

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## NEW LONDON BIG BAND

**Saxophones:** Erik Elligers, John Clark, Cedric Mayfield, Felipe Salles, Andrew Studenski

**Trumpets:** Don Clough, Seth Bailey, Haneef Nelson, Ricardo Brown

**Trombones:** Sean Nelson, Leroy Loomer, Vince Yanovitch, Wes Mayhew

**Rhythm Section:** Jen Allen, *piano*; Doug Maher, *guitar*; Lou Bocciarelli, *bass*; Nathan Lassell, *drums*

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## THE MANCHESTER PIPE BAND

The Manchester Pipe Band is a not-for-profit organization focused on performance and instruction of traditional Scottish and Irish music, and is based in Manchester, Connecticut. Organized in 1914 by the large immigrant community that worked principally in the textile mills of Manchester, the band has operated continuously for 105 years, making it one of the

oldest bagpipe bands in North America. A year-round schedule of performance, instruction and musical competition has the band performing at local musical events and ceremonies, providing tuition-free instruction on a weekly basis, and traveling regularly with two competition groups in the eastern United States, Canada and occasionally Scotland.



# CONNECTICUT COLLEGE VICTORY SONG

## We Are Camels!

KATHERINE BERGERON

In a sprightly march tempo

♩ = 110

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We are Ca-mels! To you, We are stead-fast and true; We will fight with all our might For the

4 G7

White and the Blue! We are Ca - mels! So proud, We are loy - al and loud; Ev' - ry

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score we ask for more: Hear the roar of the crowd! In New Lon - don

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By the Thames We bring our col - lege Glo - ry and fame. We are

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Ca - mels! From Conn, and we keep mar- ching on To sing our Vic' - try Song! GO CONN!

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Four areas are designated as gathering spaces for faculty and graduates who wish to connect immediately following the ceremony.

**Arts** – green side of the Athey Center for Performance and Research at Palmer Auditorium, across from the information tent

**Humanities** – in front of Blaustein Humanities Center

**Social Sciences** – green side of Frederic Bill Hall

**Sciences** – green side of science center at New London Hall

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The livestream of the Commencement ceremony can be found on the Connecticut College website and viewed on smartphones, tablets and computers.

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**#ConnColl2022 #MyCamelGrad**

Celebrate the Class of 2022 on social media.

We invite you to share your photos and well wishes on social media using these hashtags!