HONORS CONVOCATION
THE MONMOUTH COLLEGE

Scholars Day
TUESDAY, APRIL 25, 2017
ELEVEN O’CLOCK

DAHL CHAPEL AND AUDITORIUM
MONMOUTH, ILLINOIS
Monmouth College Honors Convocation

April 25, 2017

Organ Prelude ........................................... Ms. Carolyn Kellert Griffiths ’81, Lecturer in Music

Bagpipe Processional ..................................... Mr. Jaron Park ’18 and Mr. TJ Wise ’18

The Monmouth College Hymn. Led by The Monmouth College Chorale – Dr. Tim Pahel, Conductor

Words appear on back page of program. Please rise and remain standing until after the Posting of the Flags.

Opening Prayer .................................................... The Rev. Dr. Teri M. Ott

Chaplain

Posting of the Flags ........................................... Associated Students of Monmouth College Officers

Welcome .............................................................. Dr. Clarence R. Wyatt

President

Recognition of Scholarship Recipients ............................................ Dr. Marsha Dopheide

Chair, Faculty Senate

Recognition of Scholastic Honoraries ...................................... Presented by Faculty Advisers

Presentation of Departmental Prizes and Awards ....................... Dr. Dopheide and Department Representatives

Recognition of Faculty .................................................. Dr. David Timmerman

Dean of Faculty

Recognition of Blue Key Members ........................................ Dr. Marjorie Bond

Faculty Adviser

Presentation of Freshman and Senior Men of the Year Awards .................. Mr. Saxon Day ’18

President, Blue Key

Recognition of Mortar Board Members .................................... Dr. Christine Myers

Faculty Adviser

Presentation of Freshman and Senior Women of the Year Awards ................ Mr. Bradley Dulee ’17

President, Mortar Board

Presentation of Hatch Academic Excellence Award for Distinguished Faculty Scholarship ........ Dean Timmerman

Announcements ......................................................... Ms. Emily Billin ’17

President, Associated Students of Monmouth College

A Flame of White and Crimson ...................................... Led by The Monmouth College Chorale

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Benediction .............................................................. The Rev. Dr. Ott

Organ Recessional .................................................... Ms. Kellert Griffiths

Associated Students of Monmouth College Officers

Ms. Emily Billin ’17, President
Mr. Trent Markland ’17, Vice President
Ms. Farida Mohammed ’18, Treasurer
Ms. Jessica Irons ’17, Student Affairs Representative
Mr. Carlin Reinig ’18, Parliamentarian
Ms. Diana Rubi ’18, Clerk

The campus community is cordially invited to participate in today’s Scholars Day activities in the Center for Science and Business
HONORARY SCHOLASTIC ORGANIZATION INDUCTEES

Blue Key
Honorary fraternity recognizing outstanding character and ability and distinction in service, leadership and scholarship
Brandon Allsop
Obaa Yaa Bowiansah
Atuahene
Abigail Baldocchi
Darice Brooks
Kathleen Brown
Callie Rae Keister Cook
Abigail Danner
Saxon Day
Stephanie Dehner
Madeline Dohleman
Sarah Ellis
Samantha Estrada
Alison Gustafson
Cyril Hansen-Quartey
Tate Heiple
Janielle Henderson
Caitlyn Honan
Michael Horath
Abby Hubbard
Sarah Hunt
Erin Kennelly
Kya Kimsey
Kaylee Kurtz
Sarah Lang
Mary Kate Luzzo
Ashley Maurer
Farida Mohammed
Joanna Podosek
Diana Rubi
Stephanie Saey
Kathryn Saulcy
Laura Sanchez Zarco
Rebecca Schmidt
Emily Sheetz
Sophia Siocum
Jamie Smith
Kelsi Smith
Allie Vallance
Dylan Wong

Mortar Board
Senior honorary to which students are elected in the spring semester of their junior year, on the basis of leadership, service and scholarship
Brittney Book
Darice Brooks
Callie Rae Keister Cook
Stephanie Dehner
Madeline Dohleman
Samuel Dummer
Sarah Ellis
Kelci Foss
Elizabeth Hippen
Tessa Jones
Cynthia Kamurigi
Ei Ei Khine
Kaylee Kurtz
Mary Kate Luzzo
Sarah Merodio
Farida Mohammed
Haley Osborn
Joanna Podosek
Diana Rubi
Stephanie Saey
Madison Schulenberg
Casey Schute
Nathaniel Smolczyk
Benjamin Stillwell
Jameyrae Valdivia
Ashley Wickenhauser
Isaac Willis
Amy Wollenburg

Honsors Program
Alexis Brauer
Luis Flores Ramirez
Courtney Green
Shane Herkert
Quinton Kailhara
Natalie Kaminski
Lily Lindner
Harmony Miller
Daniel Milojevich
Gabrielle Nance
Benjamin Nelson
Vivian Pham
Elizabeth Reasoner
Hadley Smithhisler
Brian Steimel
Zelinda Taylor
Jacob Wenokur
Michelle Zelino

Graduate School Exploration Fellowship
Anthony Adams
Melissa Hernandez
Paulo Piengo
Diana Rubi

Alpha Lambda Delta
National honorary scholastic fraternity for freshmen who earn a 3.5 GPA during the first semester or maintain a 3.5 average over the first academic year
Shaniah Anderson
Attilio Angelotti
Carly Bergerhouse
Michael Bersell
Alexis Brauer
Samantha Brosend
Natalie Cordoba
Charles Cranford
Ashley Farris
Mackenzie Fletcher
Courtney Green
Joshua Gross
Alyssa Hale
Tanner Heiple
Esther Hubbard
Modou Lamin Jarju
Shelby Jones
Sydney Jones
Natalie Kaminski
Lily Lindner
Harmony Miller
Adrianna Nussar
Matthew Polaski
Campbell Qurik
Elizabeth Reasoner
Hadley Smithhisler
Lucas Sondgeroth
Lauren Sperry
Zelinda Taylor
Margaret Tiethoff
Jordan Timpe
Taylor Tramil
Jordan Utter
Kaniehsa Whatley
Michelle Zelino

Alpha Psi Omega
National Theatre Honor Society
Natalie Curtis
Richard Eyre
Amanda Green
Miles Rose

Art Department Awards
Mickayla Valenzuela
Excellence in Drawing
Gabrielle General
Excellence in Sculpture
Miranda Jones
Excellence in Graphic Design
Robin Weis
Excellence in Painting
Maria Lily Guille
Excellence in Photography
Cody Jackson
Excellence in Ceramics
Natalie Cordoba
Emerging Artist Award

Beta Beta Beta
National Biology Honor Society
Maxwell Balagna
Meghan Cheever
Elizabeth Choban
Ashley Cuddy
Paige Gerard
Cheyenne Hacker
Caitlyn Honan
Stephanie Saey
Ashley Schrader
Madison Schulenberg
Shayne Stone
Antoinette White
Rebekah Wollenburg
Brandi Yoder

Eta Sigma Pi
National Latin Honor Society
Gabrielle General
Katherine Helme
Nicholas Mainz

Kappa Chapter of Lambda Pi Eta
National Communication Association’s Honor Society
Anthony Adams
Kayla Beadles
Joseph Boyd
Olivia Diaz
Kallie DiTusa
Keri Dodson
Riley Hess
Michael Horath
Kaylee Kurtz
Mary Kate Luzzo
Nhung Vu

Kappa Delta Pi
National Education Honor Society
Daisy Baeza
Katherine Day
Rebecca Guinea
Kaila Heitter
Ellen Johnson
Amanda Landrey
Amy Lawrence
Emilee Livesay
Lillybeth Mendez
Lynnette Reyes
Bonita Worthington

Phi Alpha Theta
National History Honor Society
Brody Anderson
Taylor Ewald
Tia Graham

Pi Delta Phi
National French Honor Society
Abrafi Osei-Kofi
Maria Magallon
Mackenzie Olson
Akbeta Yerbolovna

Psi Chi
International Psychology Honor Society
Jamie Donahue
Samantha Estrada
Baylee Evans
Carley Interiial
Abigail Kuzmanich
Jacob Myers
Sophia Siocum
Ashley Wickenhauser

Sigma Delta Pi
National Collegiate Hispanic Honor Society
Hannah Maloney
Lillybeth Mendez
Diana Rubi

Sigma Omicron Mu
Upperclass fraternity for students who maintain a 3.615 GPA or above, with a minimum of 16 credits with a grade of A and no grade below C-
Mohamad Ahmad
Matthew Barnes
Randi Blazier
Kathleen Brown
Margaret Brundige
Jasmine Davila
Cole Downey
Bradley Dulee
Khrd Basem Eskandar
Samantha Estrada
Carley Follow
Jessica Fox
Hayden Fulfer
Jessica Govis
Morgan Gulley
John Hanlon
Austin Hardy
Payton Holmes
Megan Horack
Sarah Johnston
Arianna Keleher
Devin King
Jailene Leal
Kaley Lobb
Kayla Moore
Abrafi Osei-Kofi
Barbara Pajor
Michelle Ravel
Andrea Sandrock
Sarah Schmitt
Alexis Sierens
Nyle Stevens
Kathryn Tolsky
Riley Van Velsor
Emma Vanderpool
Neriangela Velez
Dustin Watts
Rachel Witzig
Rebekah Wollenburg

Sigma Tau Delta
International English Honor Society
Amanda Grissom
Hunter Wollvert
Emma Schnerr
Amy Ward
SPECIAL PRIZES AND AWARDS

ACCOUNTING DEPARTMENT
Accounting Department Award
Outstanding work in the department
Michelle Ravel

Nathan & Laura Gaskill Accounting Prize
Junior with 2.5 or better and involved in extracurricular activities
Sarah Hunt

ART DEPARTMENT
Art Department Award
Outstanding work in the department
Kathleen Brown

Harlow Blum Prize
Outstanding work in Painting
Robin Weis

Jane Graham Most Promising Art Work Award
Most promising art work
Jasmine Davila

Waltershausen Prize
Outstanding work in 3-D
Gabrielle General

BIOLOGY DEPARTMENT
David Carothers Allison Prize
Outstanding senior biology major
John Hanlon

CHEMISTRY DEPARTMENT
Biochemistry Freshman Award
Outstanding freshman in the program
Attilio Angellotti

Biochemistry Senior Award
Outstanding senior in the program
Jasmine Davila

Chemistry Freshman Award
Outstanding freshman in the department
Esther Hubbard

Chemistry Senior Award
Outstanding senior in the department
Carley Folluo

CLASSICS DEPARTMENT
American Philological Association Award
Recognition of an outstanding classics student by national organization
Daniel Hintzke

Archaeology Prize
Outstanding work in the program
Alexandra Barrett

Biblical Greek Award
American Bible Society recognition for outstanding work in Biblical Greek
Kathleen Brown

CAMWS Prize
For excellence in the promotion of Latin
Madison Baker

Classic Department Award
Outstanding work in the department
Emma Vanderpool

Eta Sigma Phi Prize in Greek
Outstanding work in Greek
Ian Salveson

Virginia K. Hellenga Prize for Excellence in Latin
Emma Vanderpool

Illinois Classical Conference Prize
Outstanding classics student in the state of Illinois
Kayla Beadles

National Latin Exam
Gold Summa Cum Laude VI
Emma Vanderpool

Magna Cum Laude II
Daniel Hintzke
Daniel Johnson
Cum Laude VI
Kathleen Brown

Harold Ralston Classics Essay Award
Best paper focusing on a topic directly related to the civilization of ancient Greece or Rome
Emma Vanderpool

Manson A. Stewart Undergraduate Award
Nationally recognized by the Classical Association of the Middle West and South
Daniel Hintzke

COMMUNICATION STUDIES DEPARTMENT
Lois Bailey McGaan Prize
Excellence in communication
Rachel Masch

J. Nevin Debate Prize
Outstanding student in forensics competition
Cole Downey

Public Relations Prize
Outstanding senior in public relations
Jessica Fox

COMM 101 Showcase Speaker Winners
Beatrix Thornton
Tiffany Hart

EDUCATIONAL STUDIES DEPARTMENT
Jessie & Fielding A. Smith Award [Secondary or Special]
Excellence in pre-service teacher education
Michael Smith

Jessie & Fielding A. Smith Award [Elementary]
Excellence in pre-service teacher education
Sarah Johnston

ENGLISH DEPARTMENT
Lloyd C. Arthur Prize in Expository Writing
Carlin Reinig
Morgan Osman

Eva Cleland Book Award
Outstanding work in English literature
Amanda Grissom

Adelle Kennedy Book Award
Outstanding work in American Literature
Abigail Danner

William McKinley English Prize
Outstanding work in the English Department in individual study and research
Hunter Wollwert

Rosanne Webster Graham Prize in Creative Writing
Abigail Danner
Isaac Willis
Rachel Witzig
Olivia Howey – Honorable Mention

Philip Wheeler Prize in Literature
Excellent work by a student majoring in English with a strong interest in literature
Rachel Witzig

HISTORY DEPARTMENT
Garvin F. Davenport Prize in History
Student who excels academically in History courses and is active in department
Daniel Hintzke

Douglas R. Spitz Sr. History Prize
Recognition of students with an interest in Public History
Brody Anderson

William L. Urban History Prize
Top research paper in a 300-level History research course in previous calendar year
Matthew Bessell

INTEGRATED STUDIES
Waid Prize for Research Writing in Global Perspectives
Outstanding piece of scholarly research in the program
Amjad Karkout – 1st Place
Alison Gustafson – 2nd Place
Stephanie Saey – 3rd Place

KINESIOLOGY DEPARTMENT
Kinesiology Department Award
Outstanding work in the department
Payton Holmes

MATHEMATICS AND COMPUTER SCIENCE DEPARTMENT
Hugh R. Beveridge Prize
Outstanding work in Intermediate Mathematics
Ashley Maurer
Nathaniel Smolczyk

Computer Science Award
Introductory Sequence
Emily Sheetz

Computer Science Award
Senior Project
Melanie Costin
Paul Cramer Prize
Outstanding work in upper-level mathematics
Emily Sheetz

Lyle Finley Prize
Outstanding work in calculus
Lucas Sondgeroth

MODERN LANGUAGES, LITERATURES, AND CULTURES DEPARTMENT
Modern Languages, Literatures, & Cultures Department Award in French
Outstanding work in French
Hadley Smithhiser
Chandler Claude

Modern Languages, Literatures, & Cultures Award in Spanish
Outstanding work in Spanish
Kathryn Tolsky
Kierra King

MUSIC DEPARTMENT
Lulu Johnson McCoy Prize In Music
Outstanding work in the department
Iman Abdurrazzak
Sean Klink

Gracie Peterson Showmanship Prize
Excellence in instrumental musical performance
Zachary McCoy

PHILOSOPHY AND RELIGIOUS STUDIES DEPARTMENT
Thompson Prize in Humanities
Outstanding piece of creative or scholarly work in the humanities
Emma Vanderpool
Isaac Willis
Anthony Adams

Brad Wefenstette Prize
Outstanding student who is committed to peace, social justice and social change
Hayden Fulfer
Diana Rubi

PHYSICS DEPARTMENT
Physics Department Award
Outstanding work in the department
Jailene Leal
Berko Tsogtbaatar
Khdro Basem Eskandar

POLITICAL ECONOMY AND COMMERCE DEPARTMENT
John Clay Bruner Economics Writing Contest
Writing in economics
Matthew Barnes
Austin Hardy
Trevor Oetting

Tom Johnson Prize
Junior who best exemplifies a strong work ethic and values
Farida Mohammed

Political Economy and Commerce Department Award in Economics
Outstanding work in the program
Austin Hardy

Political Economy and Commerce Department Award in International Business
Outstanding work in the program
Barbara Pajor
**Recipients of Named Scholarships**

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THE MONMOUTH COLLEGE HYMN

(1) Straight from the heart of ev’ry one
Who here has college life begun,
Comes sounding through the balmy air,
This fervent wish, this heartfelt pray’r.

Refrain:
O God, Thy blessing we implore
On Monmouth College evermore.
May all our effort ever be
To honor Thee!

(2) Sturdy the band of pioneers
Who planted for the coming years;
Sturdy the ones who here are met,
To reach the goal their forebears set.

(Refrain)

(3) Loyal to God and native land,
For Monmouth College we will stand;
Stand for the College ever dear,
And for the right we all revere.

(Refrain)

A FLAME OF WHITE AND CRIMSON

A flame of white and crimson
Weaves mem’ry’s shadow spell,
And a thousand hearts’ devotion
To the school we love so well.

Thy name means honor, loyalty and beauty,
Ever be
Thy strength, our strength and pride for aye.
Old Monmouth, hail to thee.