

Hooding Ceremony

Saturday, May 26, 2012

2:00 p.m.



Bailey Hall
Cornell University
Ithaca, New York

The Hooding

The academic hood not only represents the degree held by the wearer but also the institution which awarded it.

The placing of the hood whose color symbolizes a particular degree, the conferring of the degrees, and acceptance of the graduates into the profession marks the leaving of the old status; symbolizing and celebrating the formal transition from the role of learner to the role of producer and contributor to the field.

Program

Processional *

Fanfare ~ Ithaca Brass

The March from Three Pieces by Ludwig Maurer

Hooding Address

Michael I. Kotlikoff, Austin O. Hooey Dean of Veterinary Medicine

The Veterinarian's Oath

Dr. Linda E. Jacobson,

New York State Veterinary Medical Society

Hooding of the Doctors of Veterinary Medicine **

Michael I. Kotlikoff, Austin O. Hooey Dean of Veterinary Medicine

Dr. Katherine M. Edmondson, Assistant Dean

Charge to the Class of 2012

Dr. Bruce Kornreich,

The Pfizer Distinguished Teacher, 2012

Class of 2012 Awards

Dr. James Morrissey, Student Awards Committee

The Horace K. White Prize

The Malcolm E. Miller Award

The Leonard Pearson Veterinary Prize

Recognition of Interns and Residents

Dr. William Horne, Hospital Director

Closing

Evening Song ~ Ultrasound

* Alma Mater ~ Ultrasound and Assembly

Recessional * ~ Ithaca Brass

Fantasia on the "Dargason", from the Second Suite by Gustav Holst,

Arrangement by David Sabourin

* Assembled guests please rise, if able.

** Guests are welcome to take photographs.

Doctor of Veterinary Medicine

Class of 2012

Rachel Shan Albert
Aya Kristen Alt
Amanda Stockwell Andrijevic
Patrick Robert Ayscue
Jennifer Lynn Biasillo
Joshua Raymond Boyden
Heather Emily Burrowes
Kristina Nicole Casper
Gabriele Sarah Chase †
Matthew G. Chuff
Marissa Nicole Clifford †
James Ronald Colwill
Tania H. Dejoie
Priyangan Ann DeSoyza
Kathleen Mary Donovan †
Sarah Elise Dumas †
Laura Katherine Dunbar †
Robyn Elliene Ellerbrock
Erin Aisling Fagan
Lindsay Elizabeth Fennessy †
Jennifer Jean Fitcher
Stephen John Furst
Christine A. Garvey
Christopher Ryan Gaylord
Desiree Gentile
Jena Lee Gerlinger †
Lindsay Frances Goodale
Amy Gail Greenbaum †
Cheri Terenia Grigg
Jessica Lee Grodio
David Michael Gurbach
Mark Edward Gustavson
Elena Cecelia Helmerick
Kristi Joy Hulme †
Mollie Ray Hurley
Mason Cameron Jager †
Karen Lee James
Timothy Glyn Jones
Sarrah Williams Kaye †
Natalie Koons †
Jayne Antonie Kubat

Wendy Elizabeth LaBella
Sandra Lynn LaBuda
Vanessa Marie Lanzetti †
Erin Wright Lashnits
Shalini Latchman
Sonya Morse Lawlis
Maris Stella Lee
John Patrick Loftus
John Michael Lucy †
Michael Louis Mastromauro
Heidi Christina Miller
Julia Ellen Miller
Neil Scott Mittelman †
Elizabeth Susanne Moore †
Dana Frances Muir
Blake Thomas Nguyen †
Eva M. Oxford
Ravee Padte
Michelle Kathryn Pesce
Sarah Benson Petraitis
Renée Louise Porfido
Matthew Ladd Raleigh
Taryn G. Rathbone
Anna Smith Reading
Jessica Martha Reed
Abby Leigh Regner
Shileyn Angela Rego
Kerry Kaman Ryan †
Emily Anne Salvatore
Kaitlin Grace Stanmyer
Joyce Elizabeth Stuckey †
Emily Ann Sundman
Kerry Marie Thode
Selena Tinga †
Karaline Elise Tripp
Shannon Marie Vicario
Molly Elizabeth Whitlow
Kylus M. Wilkins
Stefanie Mee Ai Wong †
Molly Yazwinski
Devon Alexandra Young

Doctor of Veterinary Medicine
Class of 2012

With Distinction



Marissa Nicole Clifford

Mason Cameron Jager

Elizabeth Susanne Moore

Joyce Elizabeth Stuckey

2012 Residents and Interns

Residents

Hannah Bender, Anatomic Pathology
Kelly Blackstock, Small Animal Emergency Critical Care
Bryant Blank, Laboratory Animal Medicine
Mitzi Clark, Dermatology
Jason Gagne, Nutrition
Kirsty Gallacher, Theriogenology
Jodie Gerdin, Anatomic Pathology
Matthew Gutman, Imaging
Marc Hirshenson, Small Animal Surgery
Nedra Holmes, Imaging
Andrea Johnston, Small Animal Medicine
Rebecca Kessler, Small Animal Medicine
Patricia Mundy, Ophthalmology
Monique Pare, Anesthesiology
Toby Pinn, Large Animal Medicine
Nora Springer, Clinical Pathology
Lauren Talarico, Neurology
Angharad Waite, Radiation Oncology
Alanna Zantingh, Large Animal Surgery

Interns

Katherine Barnes, Small Animal
Katherine Gollon, Shelter Medicine
Sally Henderson, Small Animal
Daniel Honovich, Small Animal
Emily Kunihiro, Ambulatory
Marina McConkey, Small Animal
Nicole Putney, Shelter Medicine
Abigail Schrage, Small Animal
Lucien Vallone, Small Animal

The Horace K. White Prize

An endowment for this prize was originally given by Mr. Horace K. White (and later his sons of Syracuse, New York) for the student with the highest academic record during their veterinary training. This award, originally called the President's Prize, dates back to 1873 and is probably the longest-standing prize at Cornell. The original donor was a brother to Andrew Dickson White, the president of the University.

Joyce Stuckey
Elizabeth Moore

The Malcolm E. Miller Award

In 1965, Ms. Mary Wells Miller Ewing established this award in memory of her husband, Dr. Malcolm E. Miller, '34, a former professor of anatomy and the head of that department from 1947 to 1960. The recipient is to be a fourth-year student who, in the judgment of the Dean, has demonstrated perseverance, scholastic diligence, and other personal characteristics that will bring credit and distinction to the veterinary profession.

Neil Scott Mittelman

The Leonard Pearson Veterinary Prize

This award, endowed in 1993, is for the fourth-year student who most successfully demonstrates the potential for professional and / or academic leadership in veterinary medicine.

Sarah Elise Dumas

Veterinarian's Oath

Being admitted to the profession of veterinary medicine, I solemnly swear to use my scientific knowledge and skills for the benefit of society through the protection of animal health and welfare, the prevention and relief of animal suffering, the conservation of animal resources, the promotion of public health, and the advancement of medical knowledge.

I will practice my profession conscientiously, with dignity, and in keeping with the principles of veterinary medical ethics.

I accept as a lifelong obligation the continual improvement of my professional knowledge and competence.

Alma Mater

Far above Cayuga's waters,
With its waves of blue,
Stands our noble Alma Mater,
Glorious to view.

(Refrain) Lift the chorus, speed it onward,
Loud her praises tell;
Hail to thee, our Alma Mater,
Hail, all hail, Cornell!

Far above the busy humming
of the bustling town,
Reared against the arch of heaven,
Looks she proudly down.

2012 Senior Awards

AMERICAN COLLEGE OF VETERINARY ANESTHESIOLOGISTS'	Devon Young
AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF FELINE PRACTITIONERS'	Anna Reading
AMERICAN COLLEGE OF VETERINARY INTERNAL MEDICINE - SA.....	John Lucy and Kerry Thode
AMERICAN COLLEGE OF VETERINARY INTERNAL MEDICINE - LA.....	Laura Dunbar
AMERICAN COLLEGE OF VETERINARY OPHTHALMOLOGISTS'	Matthew Raleigh
AMERICAN COLLEGE OF VETERINARY RADIOLOGY PRIZE.....	Marissa Clifford
AMERICAN COLLEGE OF VETERINARY SURGEONS' SMALL ANIMAL.....	Sarah Petraitis
AMERICAN COLLEGE OF VETERINARY SURGEONS' LARGE ANIMAL.....	Emily Sundman
AMERICAN SOCIETY OF LABORATORY ANIMAL PRACTITIONERS	Elizabeth Moore
BANFIELD COMMUNICATION SCHOLARSHIP.....	Maris Lee
JAMES GORDON BENNETT PRIZE.....	Kathleen Donovan
ANNE BESSE PRIZE	Desiree Gentile
FRANK BLOOM PATHOLOGY AWARD	Mason Jager
GARY BOLTON MEMORIAL CARDIOLOGY AWARD	Eva Oxford
CHARLES GROSS BONDY	Elizabeth Moore
GORDON DANKS LARGE ANIMAL SURGERY AWARD.....	Abby Regner
DAPHNE AWARD.....	Cheri Grigg, Mason Jager, Taryn Rathbone, Blake Nguyen
DONALD DELAHANTY MEMORIAL	David Gurbacki
DERMATOLOGY AWARD.....	Devon Young
HUGH DUKES EXPERIMENTAL PHSIOLOGY	Neil Mittelman
HOWARD E. EVANS AWARD IN COMPARATIVE ANATOMY.....	Not awarded this year
MYRON FINCHER PRIZE	Lindsay Goodale
GENTLE DOCTOR.....	David Gurbacki
GRANT SHERMAN HOPKINS.....	Shannon Vicario
ROBERT MANNING.....	Matthew Chuff
MERCK AWARD	Joyce Stuckey, Elizabeth Moore Marissa Clifford, Mason Jager
MARY LOUISE MOORE PRIZE	Cheri Grigg
NEUROANATOMY AND CLINICAL NEUROLOGY PRIZE	Priyangani DeSoyza
NEW YORK STATE VETERINARY MEDICAL SOCIETY PRIZE	Ravee Padte Honorable mention – Timothy Jones
NOVARTIS PARASITOLOGY	Kathleen Donovan
NOVARTIS SURGICAL EXCELLENCE AWARD SMALL ANIMAL.....	Mark Gustavson
NOVARTIS SURGICAL EXCELLENCE AWARD LARGE ANIMAL.....	Julia Miller
PFIZER CLINIC AWARD DAIRY PRODUCTION MEDICINE.....	Joshua Boyden
PFIZER CLINIC AWARD EQUINE MEDICINE.....	Neil Mittelman
WILLIAM C. REBHUN AND SAMUEL GORDON CAMPBELL AWARD.....	Priyangani DeSoyza
JULIE RICHTER.....	Molly Yazwinski
COLONEL FLOYD SAGER.....	Wendy LaBella and Robyn Ellerbrock
ISIDOR I. SPRECKER WILDLIFE MEDICINE AWARD.....	Priyangani DeSoyza
DOROTHY SULLIVAN PRIZE.....	Ravee Padte
JACOB TRAU.....	Anna Reading
ABBOT ANIMAL HEALTH VECCS.....	John Loftus
VETERINARY CANCER SOCIETY AWARD FOR PROFICIENCY IN.....	Kristi Hulme
CLINICAL ONCOLOGY	