Honors Day Convocation

October 31, 2014 • Stetson Chapel • 11:00 a.m.
HONORS DAY CONVOCATION

*Processional
  Prelude in E minor, BWV 533
  Johann Sebastian Bach
  Mr. Timothy Tikker
  College Organist

*Invocation
  Rev. Liz Candido
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Music Tu che di gel sei cinta
  from Turandot
  Giacomo Puccini
  Hannah Shaughnessy-Mogill
  Soprano
  Jack Brooks, piano

Remarks
  Dr. Michael McDonald
  Provost

Presentation of Honors
  Dr. Michael McDonald

Closing Remarks
  Dr. Michael McDonald

*Alma Mater
  Mr. Timothy Tikker

*Retiring Processional
  Fugue in E minor, BMV 533
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Dr. Zaide Pixley, Dean of First Year and Advising
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Alma Mater

Words by
R. F. HOLDEN, ’07

Music by
W. F. DUNBAR, ’24
HONORS DAY AWARDS
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FINE ARTS DIVISION

Brian Gougeon Prize in Art
Chiara Sarter
Petra Stoppel
Anja Xheka
Jie Xu

Lillian Pringle Baldauf Prize in Music
Valentin Frank

Fan E. Sherwood Memorial Prize
Siwook Hwang

Margaret Upton Prize in Music
Gabrielle Holme-Miller
Ian Williams

Cooper Award
Kathryn Lee
Victoria Sebastian

Theatre Arts First-Year Student Award
Emma Franzel
Sarah Levett

FOREIGN LANGUAGES DIVISION

LeGrand Copley Prize in French
Maribel Blas-Rangel
Ellie Goldman
Gabrielle Holme-Miller

Hardy Fuchs Award
Yicong Guo

Margo Light Award
Emily Walsh

Romance Languages Department Prize in Spanish
Shanice Buys
Olivia Weaver

Clara H. Buckley Prize for Excellence in Latin
Danielle Gin
Alec Wright

Provost’s Prize in Classics
Anup Bhullar
Marquis Griffin

HUMANITIES DIVISION

O. M. Allen Prize in English
Sara McKinney

John B. Wickstrom Prize in History
Shanice Buys
Frances Heldt

Voynovitch Competitive Scholarship
Ayaka Abe

Department of Philosophy Prize
Andres ElAmin-Martinez
Jenna Sexton
Sarah Werner

L.J. and Eva (“Gibbie”) Hemmes Memorial Prize in Philosophy
Jon Jerow
Caroline Peterson
James Reuter
John Wenger

NATURAL SCIENCES AND MATHEMATICS DIVISION

Winifred Peake Jones Prize in Biology
Quinton Colwell
Kathleen George
Grace Smith
Eric Thornburg

Department of Chemistry Prize
Collin Steen

First-Year Chemistry Award
Quinton Colwell
Emily Powers
Raoul Wadhwa

Lemuel F. Smith Award
Daniel Karn

First-Year Mathematics Award
Ngoc Truong

Computer Science Prize
Liam Lundy
Griffin Smalley
NATURAL SCIENCES AND MATHEMATICS DIVISION
(CONTINUED)

Thomas O. Walton Prize in Mathematics
Sarah Manski

Cooper Prize in Physics
Nicholas Caywood
Daniel Moore
Katherine Pielemeier
Siyuan Zhang

SOCIAL SCIENCES DIVISION

Departmental Prize in Anthropology and Sociology
Sheila Carter
Daniella Glymin
Audrey Negro
Eli Seitz
Yaneli Soriano

William G. Howard Memorial Prize in Economics or Business
Philip Mulder
Emerson Talanda-Fisher
Scott Wharam

C. Wallace Lawrence Prize in Economics
Drew Hopper
William Cagney

Irene and S. Kyle Morris Prize
Robert Calco

William G. Howard Memorial Prize in Political Science
Melissa Erikson

Department of Psychology First-Year Student Prize
Sarah Bragg
Rachel Lifton
Ashley Schmidt

Marshall Hallock Brenner Prize
Alexandra Groffsky

PHYSICAL EDUCATION DIVISION

Division of Physical Education Prize
Andrew Kaylor
Grace Smith

Maggie Wardle Prize
Rachel Selina

COLLEGE AWARDS

Gordon Beaumont Memorial Award
Kacey Cook
Bronte Payne

Henry and Inez Brown Prize
David DeSimone
Tibin John

Virginia Hinkelman Memorial Award
Mele Makalo

HEYL SCHOLARS
Class of 2018
Rachel Change
Jacob Naranjo
Emily Fletcher
Alexandria Oswalt
Abhay Goel
Peter Rossi
Jager Hartman (2016)
Amber Salome

POSSE SCHOLARS
Class of 2018
Carlos Arellano
Aunya Scott-Anderson
Karen Ceballos-Pineda
Octavia Smith
Karina Duarte
Diana Toj-Ortiz
Alejandro Jaramillo
Johnathan Villalobos
Omar Leon
Kiavanne Williams
This scholarship fund was founded in recognition of the work and efforts of John T. Williamson to further the growth of education for our youth. The JT Williamson is awarded to recognize outstanding academic achievements and enhance the diversity of the student body.

**JOHN T. WILLIAMSON SCHOLARS**
Class of 2018

- Alejandro Alaniz
- Jonathan Aleman
- Anthony Ali
- Kalkidan Amare
- Hannah Bacchus
- Zoey Blake-Mark
- Georgetta Booker
- Alejandro Bucio
- Dylan Calloway
- Michael Castellanos
- Elan Dantus
- Oluchi Ebere
- Jonathan Evans
- Shawn Fair
- Natalie Fisher
- Melba Flores
- Monet Foster
- Maria Franco
- Olivia Gaines
- Alicia Gaitan
- Kaitlyn Gordon
- Andre Grayson
- Adrianna Grillier
- Roger Hood
- Alexander Juarez
- Johanna Keller
- Patricia LaCaze
- Diego Lagunas
- Darryl Lewis
- Brandon Lopez
- Jacqueline Mills
- Monica Miranda-Malerva
- Andrea Mora
- Michelle Murray
- Euan Nesbitt
- Carmen Nogueron
- Michelle Orta
- Ayumi Perez
- Shon Powell
- Erika Pueblo
- Andrea Ramirez
- Sara Ramirez
- Yajaera Ramirez
- Samantha Ramsay
- Lorenzo Redmond
- Sydney Riddick
- Sep’tisha Riley
- Benjamin Rivera
- Daniela Rojas
- Melanie Ross-Acuna
- Kathleen Russell
- Matthew Ryder
- Francisco Serrano
- Caleb Sherwood
- Amber Sims
- Logan Smith
- Matera Stuart
- Maya Sykes
- Josiah Thomas
- Kaitlyn Toohey
- Camila Treffitz
- Madsyn Tyldesley
- Austin Vance
- Joshua Vance
- Elisia Venegas
- Kierra Verdun

**ALPHA LAMBDA DELTA**
Class of 2017

Alpha Lambda Delta is a national honor society that recognizes excellence in academic achievement during the first college year. To be eligible for membership, students must earn a cumulative GPA of at least 3.5 and be in the top 20% of their class during the first year. The Kalamazoo College chapter was installed on March 5, 1942.

- Suma Alzouhayli
- Katherine Ballew
- Riley Boyd
- Maxine Brown
- Shanice Buys
- Robert Brice Calco
- Sheila Carter
- Marissa Cash
- Corrin Davis
- Cecilia DeBoeck
- David Demarest
- Trisha Dunham
- Rachel Fadler
- Olivia Finkelstein
- Annah Freudenburg
- Lydia Fyie
- Brett Garwood
- Dominic Gattuso
- Kathleen George
- Mousa Ghannam
- Danielle Gin
- Sarah Glass
- Marlon Gonzalez
- Alyse Guenther
- Yicong Guo
- Rebecca Guralnick
- Frances Heldt
- Ashley Henne
- Allia Howard
- Siwook Hwang
- Pinar Inanli
- Amanda Johnson
- Brittany Jones
- Kamalaldin Kamalaldin
- Hannah Kim
- Na Young Kim
- Hannah Lehker
- Sarah Levett
- Rachel Lifton
- Gordon Liu
- Chenzhi Lu
- Liam Lundy
- Sara McKinney
- Anne Nielsen
- Mackenzie Norman
- Marlisa Pennington
- Katherine Pielemeyer
- Emily Powers
- Malavika Rao
- Sarah Schmitt
- Sonam Shrestha
- Grace Smith
- Sarah Smith
- Collin Steen
- Thomas Stut
- Eric Thornburg
- Madeleine Tracey
- Dakota Trinka
- Kaela Van Til
- Raoul Wadhwa
- Paris Weisman
- Cameron Werner
- Rachel Williams
- Lindsay Worthington
- Katherine Wynne
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MIAA ACADEMIC HONOR ROLL
Student Athletes 2013-2014

Keaton Adams
Michael Allen
Abby Anderson
Nicholas Bolig
Madeline Booth
Olivia Bouchard
Zoe Bowman
Matthew Burczyk
William Cagney
Olivia Cares
Edward Carey
Nicholas Caywood
Katherine Cebelak
Monica Cooper
Holly Cooperrider
Rachel Dandar
David DeSimone
Scott Devine
Dana DeVito
Querubin Dubois
Erin DuRoss
Kayla Dzialdzo
Rachel Epstein
Alan Faber
Mario Ferrini
Tyler Fisher
Caroline Foura
Christopher Francis
Jacob Gallimore
Keith Garber
Brett Garwood
Kathleen George
Mark Ghafari
Ian Good
Kaitlin Gotcher
Alexandra Goathard
Alexandra Groffsky
Sally Harrison
Veronica Hayden
Ashley Henne
Kyle Hernandez
Kelsey Hill
Jakob Hillenberg
Allia Howard
Clare Jensen
Tibin John
Dylan Joliffe
Daniel Karn
Andrew Kaylor
Spencer Kennedy
Kelsey Kerbawy
Michael Korn
Rebecca La Croix
Samuel Larioza
Jacob Lenning
Jordan Lewis
Alex Lindsay
Emily Lindsay
Lucy Mailing
Megan Malish
Amanda Mancini
Scott Manski
Mallory McClure
Quinn McCormick
Adam McDowell
Molly Meddock
Joshua Miller
Victoria Najacht
Mackenzie Norman
Agust Olafsson
Jessie Owens
Bronte Payne
Adam Peters
Beau Prey
Jenna Riehl
Megan Riley
Sophie Roberts
William Roberts
Peter Rothstein
Connor Rzeznik
Aaron Schoenfeldt
Natalie Schmitt
Aaron Schwark
Rachel Selina
Lauren Seroka
Dylan Shearer
Cameron Shgos
Madeline Sinkovich
Grace Smith
Jordan Stainforth
Alexandra Stephens
Sarah Sullivan
Mira Sweare
Emerson Talanda-Fisher
Karen Timm
Alexander Townsend
Elizabeth Tyburski
Kaela Van Til
Samantha Voss
Kyra Walenga
Sidney Wall
Perri Weiderman
Clayton Weissenborn
Cameron Werner
Brent Yelton
Cheryl Zhang
Agron Ziberi
Marc Zughaid

ARCUS Center for Social Justice Leadership
Rumsha Sajid

Creative Expression in Creative Writing
Amanda Stutzman

Creative Expression in Journalism
Alexander Juarez
Carolyn Williams

Creative Expression in Music
Jena Groshek
Kelly Haugland
Kelsey Matthews

Creative Expression in Theatre
Stina Taylor

Creative Expression in Visual Arts
Julia Koreman

Environmental Activism and Sustainability
Thao Duong
Gabrielle Herin
Benjamin Rivera

International Activism
Kathleen Fariss
Hannah Kline

Social Activism and Community Engagement
Mary Burnett
Alicia Gaitan
Jacqueline Mills

MIAA AWARDS
These teams earned the 2013-2014 MIAA Team GPA Award for achieving a 3.3000 or better grade point average for the entire academic year:

Men’s Basketball
Men’s Cross Country
Men’s Golf
Women’s Basketball
Women’s Cross Country
Women’s Golf
Women’s Soccer
Women’s Softball
Women’s Volleyball

The MIAA (Michigan Intercollegiate Athletic Association) each year honors students at MIAA member colleges who achieve in both the classroom and in the athletic competition. A student needed to be a letter winner in a varsity sport and maintain at least a 3.5 grade point average for the entire school year.
Chapel Bells

On June 2, 1984, a ring of eight English tower bells was dedicated, a generous gift from a friend of the College in honor of our 150th birthday. Each bell bears the College motto, Lux Esto (“give light”), is inscribed with the name of a person associated with the College during its first century.

College Mace

The traditions of having a mace carried by the first person in an academic procession dates from the earliest days of the cathedral schools of Bologna, Paris, and Oxford. In those medieval times, liturgical processions were led by a verger, who carried a long wand called a verge to clear a path through the throngs gathered inside the cathedral so that the procession could make its way to the high altar and the bishop's sedile. The mace traditionally carried by the chief faculty marshal in modern day academic processions originated in the verger's wand in medieval times.

The mace used in formal academic processions at Kalamazoo College has a unique history. For Christmas of 1859, the College's students presented a gold-tipped walking stick to the institution's first president, Dr. James Andrus Blinn Stone. Dr. Stone's great-grandson, Webster J. Jones, presented the walking stick to the College in 1986. It has become a tradition at Kalamazoo College for the Stone Walking Stick to be carried by the chief faculty marshal who precedes the president of the College in academic processions, a formal reminder of the forward thinking, courage, scholarship, and community involvement that have characterized the College since its founding. By following Dr. Stone's Walking Stick, the president and faculty symbolically walk in the paths of those who have come before.

For information on how to obtain photos of this ceremony, please log on to http://www.dugalphoto.com/.