

**2022 Arts & Sciences
Honors Convocation**
A celebration of student achievement

Friday, April 22, 2022
Camp Concert Hall, located in the Booker Hall of Music
11 a.m. - 12 p.m.



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School of Arts & Sciences™



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Prelude

Duetto in C Major, op. 9 Alessandro Rolla
II. Pollonese (1757-1841)

Mimi Laws, viola
Mandy Zhou, violin

Welcome..... Dr. Daniel Palazzolo
Interim Dean of the School of Arts & Sciences, Professor of Political Science

Student Address Sandeep Kumar, '22

Special Music

Violin Concerto in D minor, op. 22 Henryk Wieniawski
II. Romance (1835-1880)

Matthew Robinson, violin

Dr. Joanne Lan-Funn Kong, piano
Director of Accompaniment, Coordinator of Chamber Ensembles

Presentation of David C. Evans Awards..... Dr. Daniel Palazzolo
Interim Dean of the School of Arts & Sciences, Professor of Political Science

Presentation of Symposium Awards..... Dr. Kelling Donald
Associate Dean, School of Arts & Sciences, Professor of Chemistry

Symposium Paper Competition Award..... Brianna Cantrall
Molly Kate Kreider
Reide Petty

Symposium Arts Competition AwardHelene Leichter

Outstanding Faculty Mentor AwardDr. Kristjen Lundberg
Associate Professor of Psychology

Recognition of Honor Societies Dr. Palazzolo

Alpha Kappa Delta — *Sociology*
Founded at the University of Southern California, 1920

Alpha Phi Sigma — *Criminology*
Founded at the Washington State University, 1942

Alpha Psi Omega — *Dramatics*
Founded at the State College, Fairmount, West Virginia, 1905

Beta Beta Beta — *Biology*
Founded at Oklahoma City University, 1922

Eta Sigma Phi — *Classics*
Founded at the University of Chicago, 1914

Gamma Theta Upsilon — *Geography*
Founded at the University of Chicago, 1924

Golden Key — *Scholarship*

Founded at Georgia State University, 1977

Kappa Delta Pi — *Education*

Founded at the University of Illinois, 1911

Lambda Alpha — *Anthropology*

Founded at Wichita State University, 1968

Lambda Pi Eta — *Communication Studies*

Founded at the University of Arkansas, 1985

Mortar Board — *Scholarship, Leadership, Service*

Founded at Syracuse, New York 1918

Omicron Delta Epsilon — *Economics*

Founded at the University of Wisconsin and Harvard University, 1963

Omicron Delta Kappa — *Leadership*

Founded at Washington and Lee University, 1914

Phi Alpha Theta — *History*

Founded at the University of Arkansas, 1921

Phi Beta Delta — *International Scholars*

Founded at California State University, Long Beach, 1986

Phi Beta Kappa — *Scholarship*

Founded at the College of William and Mary, 1776

Phi Eta Sigma — *First Year Honors*

Founded at the University of Illinois, 1923

Phi Kappa Mu — *Music*

Founded at the University of Richmond, 1977

Pi Mu Epsilon — *Mathematics*

Founded at Syracuse University, 1903

Phi Sigma Iota — *Modern & Classical Languages*

Founded at Allegheny College, 1922

Phi Sigma Tau — *Philosophy*
Founded at Muhlenberg College, 1930

Pi Sigma Alpha — *Political Science*
Founded at the University of Texas, 1920

Psi Chi — *Psychology*
Founded at the University of Kansas, 1929

Sigma Delta Pi — *Spanish*
Founded at the University of California, Berkeley, 1919

Sigma Pi Pi — *Chemistry*
Founded at the University of Richmond, 2010

Sigma Pi Sigma — *Physics*
Founded at Davidson College, 1925

Sigma Tau Delta — *English*
Founded at the Dakota Wesleyan University, 1924

Women, Gender, & Sexuality Studies
Founded at the University of Richmond, 1990

Recognition of Student Achievement..... Dr. Palazzolo

Department of Art and Art History

Philip Frederick, Jr. Memorial Award in Art Hadley Beckstrand
Maky Espinoza

The Bobby Chandler Award in Art and Music..... Megan Salters

Merit Award in Art and Art History
made possible by Capital One MacLaine Bamberger
Bailey Santaguida

Department of Biology

John Neasmith Dickinson Award Dominique Pham
Willie M. Reams Award Kristen Starks
Robert F. Smart Award Andrew Cook, Betty Duan
Daniel Frascella, Jean Patrick Gonzales
Mir Kim, Daniel Larson, London Nemmers, Aelan Snyder

Department of Chemistry

Garnett Ryland Award..... Julia Vidlak
J. Stanton Pierce Award..... Camryn Carter
Tyler Chong

Environmental Studies Program

Christopher L. Stevenson Award
for Excellence in Environmental Studies..... Taylor Coleman, Inyda Woodfolk

Department of Geography and the Environment

Outstanding Senior Geographer.....Elizabeth Halasz
Exemplary Service Award Claire King
Exemplary Geography Research Award.....Bob Chia Balmaceda
Outstanding Service to the Spatial Analysis LabEliza Herrenkohl

Department of Languages, Literatures, and Cultures

Outstanding Senior Award

Arabic	Cutty Ashley
Chinese	Sam Mickey
French.....	Layla Cobrinik
German.....	Calvin Hogg, Sarah Wagner
Italian.....	Olivia Lomax, Alex Pistolesi
Russian	Whiting Chisman, Emma Johnson

Latin American, Latino, and Iberian Studies

Outstanding LALIS Majors.....	Hannah Grace Howell Anna Postma
Outstanding Service to the Richmond Hispanic Community.....	Ally Osterberg
Outstanding Assistant Teacher.....	Isabelle Drayer
Modern Languages Award, Latin American, Latino, and Iberian Studies.....	Braxton Hughes

Department of Mathematics and Computer Science

Bessie Pond Eppes Scholarship	Anna Fortunato Jordan Richardson
V.S. Lawrence Scholarship.....	Dylan Hooper
James D. Crump Prize for Excellence in Mathematics	Matthew Robinson Andre Shannon
Outstanding Student Award (Mathematics)	Andrew Brady
Mary Church Kent and Joseph F. Kent Computer Science Prize.....	Andre Shannon
B. Lewis Barnett Award for Outstanding Service	Sreya Aluri
Outstanding Student Award (Computer Science).....	Andrew Brady Nikita Morozov, Angela Stefanovska

Department of Music

- Bobby Chandler Award Elva Xiao
Mandy Zhou
- C.J. Hesch Award.....Jon Gandara
Matthew Robinson
Brooke Siever
- Roy Jesson Music PrizeAshley Frazier
Mimi Laws
Angelique Steenhagen

Department of Political Science

- Spencer Albright Book Award Cassie Coughlan
Jake Winter
- Spencer Albright Scholarship.....Davis Alcorn
Charley Blount
Addy Hailu
Hannah Hald
Maeve Hall
Kaitlyn O’Leary
Logan Jones-Wilkins
Chloe Steckart
- May Thompson Evans and William Ney Evans Scholarship Maeve Hall
Lily Miller
Kaitlyn O’Leary
Sokeara Sanford
Megan Schmitz
- The Richmond AwardBrianna Silva
Drew Strong
Eyga Williamson

Department of Religious Studies

- The Lynn C. Dickerson AwardJonathan Gandara
- The Philip R. Hart Prize..... Drew Schuchman

Department of Rhetoric and Communication Studies

Academic Excellence Award..... Haley Hom

Engaged Leader Award Jordyn Lofton

Department of Sociology

The James A. Sartain Award Metasebia Tessema

Department of Theatre and Dance

Myra Daleng Award Kayla Schiltz

University Museums

Joel and Lila Harnett Summer Research Fellow Sophia McClellan

Joan Maitre Award for Outstanding Museum Attendant Joey Guevara

Doris and Warren Dieterich Award for Outstanding Service..... Joseph Coyle

Notable Scholarships, Grants, and Awards

Beckman Scholars Camryn Carter
Faculty Mentor: Carol Parish

Helen Xia
Faculty Mentor: Wade Downey

Harry Dang
Faculty Mentor: Michael Leopold

Julia Vidlak
Faculty Mentor: Miles Johnson

Benjamin A. Gilman Scholar..... Julia Vidlak
Mako Inasaridze
Indya Woodfolk
Arghawan Darvesh

Critical Language Scholar 2021 & 2022 Cutty Ashley
Adelaide Tracey

Davis Projects for Peace Grant..... Indya Woodfolk

Fulbright U.S. Student Grant..... Cutty Ashley
Isabelle Drayer
Anna Tartline
Sarah Wagner

Newman Civic Fellow Brianna Silva

Public Policy & International Affairs Fellow Ifetayo Maloney
Brianna Silva
Drew Strong

Postlude

Waltzes Op. 39..... Johannes Brahms
No. 1 in B minor (1833-1897)
No. 2 in E Major
No. 3 in B Major

Jenny Liu, piano
Elva Xiao, piano

Please remain seated through this selection.

*Student and faculty musicians are from the University of Richmond
Department of Music.*

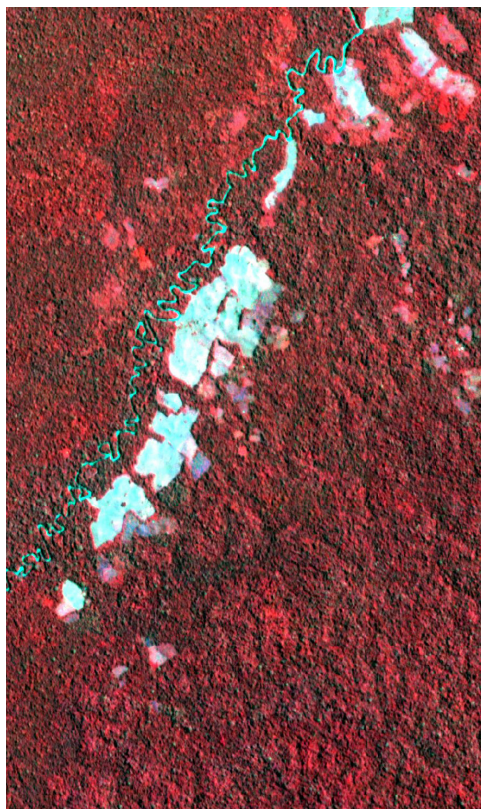
*Following the Convocation, we invite everyone to celebrate with lunch in the
Heilman Dining Center. A group of tables has been reserved with tablecloths on the left
side of the dining room. If you are not on a meal plan you may pick up a ticket as you
leave the Camp Concert Hall.*

Student Speaker

Sandeep Kumar, '22

Sandeep Kumar is a Richmond College Student from Karachi, Pakistan. He is a senior honors student completing a Bachelor of Arts in Political Science and Economics. His honors thesis title reads: *Examining Factors Determining United Nations Security Council (UNSC) Interventions in Both Interstate and Intrastate Conflicts and if there is a Selectivity Bias for Cases*. An international student here at the University of Richmond, he has drawn on other opportunities to understand the world beyond Pakistan. He attended the United World College Baccalaureate program before starting at the University of Richmond, and more recently the Lent Term in 2021 at the London School of Economics. He has done undergraduate summer research in Political Science supervised by Jennifer Pribble (2020) and Jennifer Erkulwater (2021). His 2020 publication in *Virginia Engage Journal* reflects on writing in prisons and the power of stories, and he has presented at our Arts and Sciences Symposium. He is a leader and advocate among his peers, a winner of the 2021 Pinchbeck Prize (Richmond College), and earned membership to the first-year student, political science, and leadership honors societies on campus.





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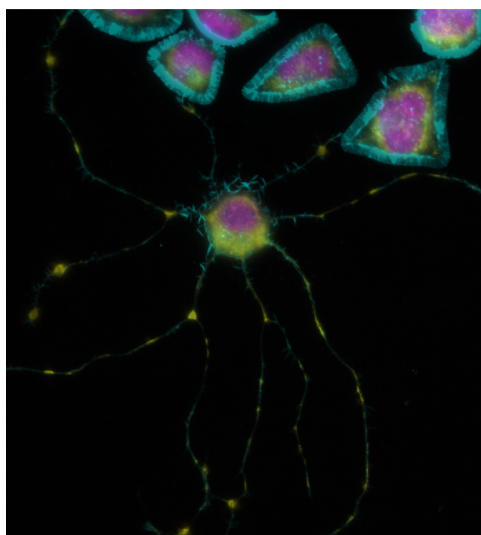
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