



University of Washington

*Department of
Political Science*

CONVOCATION

JUNE 10, 2021




WELCOME to Political Science Virtual Convocation!


The Political Science Department's faculty and staff wish we could celebrate your graduation from UW you in person. Completing your degree is definitely worth celebrating!

The Convocation will commence at 10:00 am Pacific time on Thursday, June 10, and will be available for later viewing on the department's website, www.polisci.uw.edu. In addition to congratulations from members of the faculty, recognition of undergraduate departmental award winners, and a procession of the graduates, several students contributed videos and photos about their time at UW.

We hope you enjoy the virtual Convocation, and we wish you, your family and your friends the best on this very special occasion!

John D. Wilkerson, Professor and Chair





UNDERGRADUATE AWARDS

During the 2020-21 academic year, over 1000 undergraduates majored in political science. Each year the department recognizes the scholarly achievements and public service contributions of a few of our graduating seniors.

These students are the recipients of this year's awards:

**THE ROBERT ALAN DAHL AWARD
OUTSTANDING SENIOR**

Megan Baffaro

**THE DANIEL S. LEV AWARD
OUTSTANDING SENIOR THESIS**

Ly Coffin

**THE SHARON REDEKER AWARD
OUTSTANDING ACHIEVEMENT
IN PUBLIC SERVICE**

Kiran Singh



DEGREES GRANTED

Doctor of Philosophy

Ellen Ahlness
Mathieu Dubeau
William A Gochberg
Beatrice Magistro

Eric J Schwab
Paige A Sechrest
Rafeel Wasif

Master of Arts

Rachel Castellano
Megan Kristin Erickson
Zhaowen Guo
Shihao Han

Inhwan Ko
Thomas Locke
Julia Wejchert

Bachelor of Arts

From summer 2020 through summer 2021, 456 undergraduates will earn B.A. degrees in Political Science from the University of Washington.

Abate, Mekdes	Aznam, Amir	Blynov, David
Abdelwahed, Yahya	Baffaro, Megan *‡	Anatolyevich ‡
Abdulwahid,	Baker, Jillian Shaye	Boelke, Lauryn D
Abdulwajid Wahidi	Balani, Pavan	Bogdovitz, Abigail Marie
Abimanyu, Daniel Evan	Baldini, Nicholas	Bracken, Chaz
Abtahi, Kassra Reza	Ballo, Mckenzie	Alexander
Ackerman, Katie	Bedi, Bani Kaur	Bresee, Agnes M
Adams, Connor James	Belden, Charles Joseph	Brinchmann, Carter
Afolayan, Isaac O	Beltran, Juan	Alexander
Agafonov, Tyler Dean	Benjamin, Athena Grace	Brink, Cy William
Aho, Hannah	Bennett, Allison Rae ‡	Brooks, Dana Kathleen
Ahuja, Nitin	Besser, Sawyer	Brown, Hazel Kathryn *‡
Al-Sadi, Batoul *	Best, Alexander Joseph	Brull, Rebecca
Aldrich, Kaley M *	Bi, Adam	Burke, Brayden
Alhomoud, Maha Sohail *	Biddle, Amelia Patricia	Burton, Virginia Anne
AlMunajem, Saad	Bigger, Danyel Gray	Calodich, Joe *
Altamirano-Crosby,	Black, Megan Alaina	Cameron, Ewan
Daniela	Blackburn III, Brad	Campfield, Lisa
Asman, Brianna	Lavale	Cancel, Thibault
Azar, Isabella-Yasameen	Blair, Baylor	Carleton, Megan
Azelby, Katie		Maureen

Carp, Camille Hope	Dippel, Maxwell	Gregory, Sierra Nicole
Carpenter, Allison	Dixon, Robert T	Griffin, John Lorren
Carreon Quiroz, Elizabeth	Doyle, Elizabeth Harrington	Grigerman, Katherine Maria
Chan, Kimberly Zhi	Duke, Mason J ‡	Guan, Shenlan
Chan, Max Tokuo	Duong, Emily	Guest, Donovan Ethan
Chang, Daniel	Dutt, Hannah A	Gutbezahl, Tristan Alexander
Chang, Ellie S	Echternkamp, Wyatt Samuel	Hagler, Nektarios John
Chang, Marendra	Edmunson, Shalena Marie	Hare, Brooke
Chang, Yenna Mi	Eggerud-Bozorth, Evan	Harris, Cooper
Chapman, Kendall J	El-Badawi, Selma	Harrison, Emma
Chen, Raina	Elmore, Megan	Hayes, Rhyannon E
Chen, Zhenghao	Elzig, Hannah Mary	He, Taiqi
Chi, Amos Hangyul	Fagan, Mason	Healey, Madelyn Anne
Cho, Yesl	Farivar, Rusteen	Heffner, Jake William
Choi, Eugene	Fatty, Ebrima	Hert, Natalie Ann
Choi, James Bolam	Fehr, Travis	Hilal, Ryan R
Choi, Yooseong	Feldhaus, Dylan S	Hill, Craig A
Cid Garza, Valeria	Feldman, Andrew	Hinck, Sarah F
Coffin, Ly *	Fiddes, Justin Alexander	Hoffman, Ava Elizabeth
Cohen, Danielle	Fishman, Michael G	Hornecker, Elisabeth
Cole, Helen Margaret	Fitzgibbon, Monika Hin	Hou, Po
Collins, Grace Elizabeth	Flores-Wiseman, Mateo	Hua, Ziang
Conway, Allegra L	Foronda, Kendall-Reese	Huang, Jia Hui
Cooper-West, Eli K	Fredman, Jackson A	Huang, Xiaowen
Cope, Madeline Ann	Freeman, Abigail	Hubbard, Abigail
Corff, Anna R	French, Colman Russell	Huerta, Alexis Rebecca
Correa, Crystal Leua	Fridman, Gabrielle Adelle	Huffman, Dakota Jefferson
Cull, Duncan	Fryer, Ardon	Hunt, Trevor E
Cupat, Philip A	Fujinaga, Hope	Husain, Maleha
Curry-Edwards, Mique Keahi	Fukuhara, Chika	Hussen, Ameera Abdella
Dahl, Helen Cecil	Gangon, Gabriel M	Hussing, Ariana Elise Lengua
Daniels, Rileigh K	Gauthier, Benjamin Ryan	Iman-Olea, Armando
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Davis, Rachel	Golden, Joey Lynn	Jacobson, Hannah
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Dini, Lucas		

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Lee, Laura	Nguyen, Kirk	Romo, Rico ‡
Lembke, Mykhail	Nguyen, Shelley H	Rraklli, Sara
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Love, Marqué	Osstyn, Loren A	Scheller, Madeleine
Lu, Yilun ‡	Owens, Dalton	Anne
Lyon, Jared S	Pakzad, Ellie ‡	Schroeder, Tyler Chen
Mann, Harpreet K	Pang, David W	Schuh, Austin James
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Mejia, Mariana B	Mathew	Singh, Kiran *
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Sohn, Christopher Jun	Garrett	Woolsey, Noah Phillip
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