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*"Hark the Sound
of Tar Heel Voices
Ringing Clear and True"*

————— *SPECIAL THANKS TO OUR ADVISORS* —————

Dr. Hannelore Jaraus
French Major/Minor

Dr. Elizabeth Bruno
Spanish for the Professions
Minor

Dr. Amy Chambless
Italian Major/Minor



Dr. Richard Vernon
Portuguese Major/Minor

Dr. Hassan Melehy
French Graduate Studies

Dr. Gosia Lee
Hispanic Literature & Culture
Major, Hispanic Studies Minor

Dr. Ennio Rao
Italian Graduate Studies

Dr. Martha Ruiz-Garcia
Hispanic Linguistics Major

Dr. Alicia Rivero
Spanish Graduate Studies



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**THE DEPARTMENT OF
ROMANCE STUDIES**

welcomes you to the

*Graduation Celebration
& Awards Ceremony*

THIRTEENTH DAY OF MAY,

TWO THOUSAND AND SEVENTEEN

TWO O'CLOCK

GENOME SCIENCES BUILDING, G100

Welcome & Introduction



Undergraduate Awards

*Camões Prize for Excellence in Portuguese**
Joseph May

*Jacques Hardré Award for Excellence in French**
Anna Taylor

Kimberly Kyser Award for Excellence in Italian Studies
Julie Canziani
Emma Miller

Reed Gabriel Ignizio Award
Miriam Bahrami

*Sterling A. Stoudemire Award for Excellence in Spanish**
Enrique Hernan Santacruz Toloza

Stoudemire Award for Excellence in Spanish
Lindsey Warburton

Stoudemire Prize for Excellence in Spanish
Caroline Drysdale
Natalie Scott

Thomas Henry Wilson, Sr., Undergraduate Research Award
Erika Munshi
Shelby Johnson

Larry D. King Post-Graduate Fellowship
Lauren Rebecca Groffsky

**Chancellor's Award*



Student Reflections

French - Anna Taylor

Italian - Julie Canziani

Portuguese - Joseph May

Spanish - Enrique Hernan Santacruz Toloza

GAMMA KAPPA ALPHA
Italian National Honor Society
Dr. Amy Chambless, Advisor



Eef Andriessen
Tristan Baval
John Biondi
Katherine Blandford
David Bussell
Tessa Castlebury
Stefanie Clinton
Solomon Collins
Emily Danes
Ray Duvall
Ebenezer Edema-Sillo
Kristin Galeri
Alton Gayton
Isabel Ghica
Emma Goodwin
Alex Graham
Whitney Gulvin
Farhan Khan
Kyle Krajewski
Madelaine Lance

Millie Lennard
Maureen Marquie
Demi Massari
Evan Mertz
Marielle Meyer
Kyle Michie
Caroline Norton
Will Onorato
Andrew Persaud
Daniel Petrucci
Anna Phillips
Megan Ruhe
Jackson Seymour
Elyse Slabaugh
Teodora Stojmanovska
Sara Throckmorton
Nicole Ward
Brianna Wilcox
Logan Wolk
Jazmin Young

2016-2017 Honor Society Inductees

PI DELTA PHI

French National Honor Society

Dr. Dorothea Heitsch, Advisor



Brenda Aguilar
Sam Barber
Cerys Humphreys
Eva Johnson
Niamh Sinclair
Anna Taylor
Dana Trumpower

SIGMA DELTA PI

Spanish National Honor Society

Drs. Martha Alexander & Cristina Carrasco, Advisors



Yu-Su Chen
Alexandra Combs
Hope Crockett
Ryan Fuller
Shannon Grand
Timothy Hartman
Maggie Helms
Katelyn Hill
Paige Hines
Katherine Kalivoda
Sean Kurz
Stephanie Lee
Charles Lumsden

Luis Marcelino Gómez*
Grace Pickens
Kacey Rigsby
Karmyn Sessoms
Elizabeth Sheild
Niamh Sinclair
Erin Stacks
David Tang
Emily Troxell
Lindsey Warburton
Lindsey Wiggins
Brandon Yeatts

*Honorary member

Graduate Awards

Dana Drake Travel Fellowship in Spanish
Alejandra Marquez Guajardo

Florence McCulloch Travel Fellowship in French
Martha Moreno Linares
Amanda Moehlenpah

Isabella Payne Cooper Travel Fellowship in Italian
April Weintritt

Armida Marconi Falvo Award for Excellence in Italian
Martina Adani

Jacques Hardre Award for Excellence in Teaching in French
Jordan Bessette

Dana Drake Award for Excellence in Teaching in Italian
Tessa Bullington

Dana Drake Award for Excellence in Teaching in Spanish
Natalie Love

Faculty Award

Faculty Mentorship Award
Ellen Welch



Recognition of the Graduates



Reception

Please Join Us in the Lobby for Refreshments

Students Graduating with Degrees in Romance Studies



Doctor of Philosophy

Daria Bozzato - Italian
Julian Diez Torres - Spanish
Andrew Jordan Gard - French
Greg Severyn - Spanish

Master of Arts

Henry Parker Brookie - Spanish
Erica Nicole Diamond - French*
Johnny Francis - French
Jhonn Nilo Guerra - Spanish
Donald Miller McLean - French
Olivia Grace Naeger - French
Elisa Salemi - Spanish
Derek Scott Segebarth - Spanish

Bachelor of Arts

French & Francophone Studies

Brenda Aguilar Banda
Hannah L. Bossut
Holly Elaine Elmore
Lucas D. Godley
Gabriele Juskeviciute
Shantell Tishana Mclaggan
Nakisa Sadeghi
Victoria Lee Scarpa
Anna Elisa Taylor*
Kiera Brigh Turner
Zachary D. Turner

Italian

Karissa Elisa Barrera
Julie Simone Canziani*
Kimberly Renee Milanesae
Emma Moncrief Miller

*BA/MA Graduate in French & Francophone Studies

Hispanic Literature & Culture

Alessandra Olivia Akers	Eva Sarah Johnson
Akanksha Arora	Joanne H. Joug
Lindsay Denise Barth	Alexandria Midthun
Nicole Suzanne Basile	Sierrah Rayne Mueller
Morgan Brooke Benedict	Alex Michael Novosel
Erica Megan Biggert	Christopher Michael Nowak
Riley Miller Buchanan	Grace L. Pickens
Yanexy Cardona	Elizabeth Houston Sheild
Autumn Shaw Demonet	Timothy Sokphat
Ansley Grey Foster	Elizabeth Stine
Sara Hussein Heikal	Jessica Aida Stout
Paige Caroline Hines	Enrique Toloza
Jillian Cenna Ghuneim	Marissa Liana Treible
Lauren Rebecca Wu Groffsky	Cameron Trimpey-Warhaftig
Sara Hussein Heikal	Lindsey Munro Warburton
Victoria D. Hernandez	

Hispanic Linguistics

Raikija S. Allen	Caroline Elizabeth Nichols
Miriam Bahrami	Corinne O'Brien
Brianna Bauchle	Jessica Rose O'Hara
Megan Nicole Brown	Laura Ornelas
Arina M. Contuna	Claire Elizabeth Poindexter
Grant Andrew Dunlop	Natalie Scott
Natalie Frantz Harris	Kendal J. Thomas
Danni S. Hayes	Emily Marie Troxell
Kendell Patrice Medford	Carolina G. Valder
Alexander Thomas Mitchell	

Portuguese

Stefano Aldo Belloni
Leah Heather Bishop
Joseph May

*The above students are only those present today
and do not reflect all those graduating from the department.*

*Honors Student