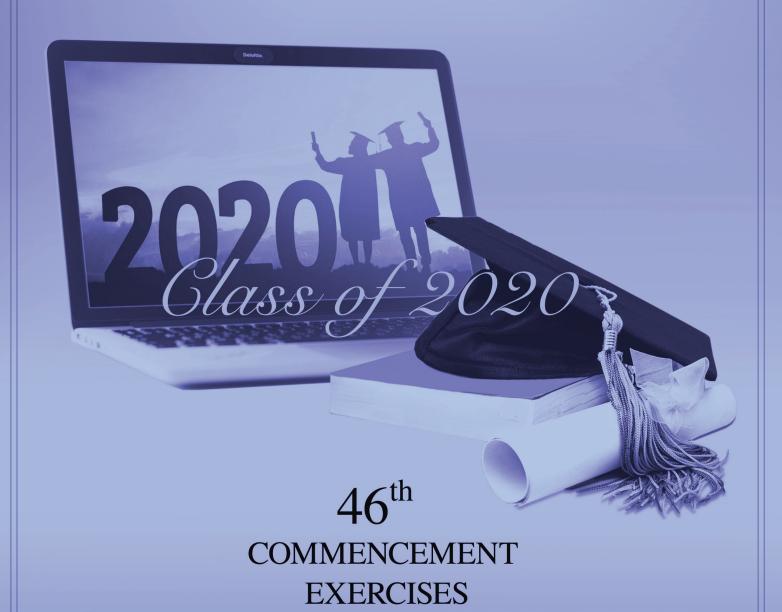


Where Knowledge and Values Meet



Virtual Commencement Ceremony Wednesday, June 17th, 2020 6:00 PM

## Congratulations to all our graduates!

Please stay connected and share the stories of your success with us so that we may continue to take pride in your achievements.



**Message from the President** *DR. ALAN KADISH* 

Dear Graduates,

Congratulations to the entire graduating class of 2020! It is my distinct pleasure to welcome you to our commencement exercises. We regret that circumstances do not allow us to all be in one room together today, but we are certainly joined in spirit.

Today, we honor and celebrate the culmination of your hard work and your commitment to fulfilling your dreams. I am confident that you will continue to transform your aspirations into realities. Touro provides an innovative educational environment that goes beyond classroom instruction. It is our hope that this unique approach to undergraduate education has prepared you with the skills necessary to enter the job market or move on to higher education.

Your graduation occurs during a challenging time. The coronavirus pandemic has brought all of civilization face to face with a crisis that few, if any, could have imagined. The only answer is to persevere with confidence and empathy. Your experiences here have been enriched by Touro's mission to model the values of compassion, service and social justice, and I am confident that we have instilled in you a commitment to serve humankind. You are ambassadors of our institution, and your service to your communities will attest to the values of our mission. Now is the time to apply all the knowledge and skills you have learned at Touro and live with passion and purpose.

As alumni, you remain members of the Touro family. I invite you to join us in alumni activities, stay connected and share your stories of success with your deans and instructors so that we may continue to take pride in your achievements. You will always remain a part of Touro's legacy and future.

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Dr. Alan Kadish President President Touro College and University System



# Message from the Associate Vice President for Undergraduate Studies and Dean of the New York School of Career and Applied Studies DR. JUDAH WEINBERGER

Dear Graduates,

Today we celebrate the culmination of your hard work and perseverance. You are graduating from Touro College after years of dedication to your studies. We are proud of you.

Touro College opens its doors to people of all backgrounds. At NYSCAS, students from varying cultures have learned to work together effectively and pleasantly. For some of you, this may be the first college graduation in your family; you have forged a path to follow. Many of you have stretched beyond what you thought you were capable of. Regardless of the path you pursued to obtain your degree, you have proven to yourself and to your loved ones that you have the ability to set and attain goals. These skills will continue to serve you well throughout your life.

For those of you continuing your education, we wish you success on your journey. For those of you joining the workforce, we hope you have productive and rewarding careers ahead of you.

We hope you stay in touch with us. We've established a special email address for our alumni, and would like to hear about your career and life events. Please write to us at alumni.nyscas@touro.edu. We will always consider you part of our family.

Best Wishes,

Judah Weinberger, M.D., Ph.D.

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Dean & Associate Vice President of Undergraduate Education New York School of Career and Applied Studies



## Founding President of Touro College and University System Dr. Bernard Lander, of blessed memory

Dr. Bernard Lander was an inspirational leader and visionary who revolutionized the field of education. Dr. Lander founded Touro College and University System in 1970 and served as its first president until his passing in February 2010. Under his stewardship, Touro underwent significant growth, becoming an institution with multiple campuses and international reach. Dr. Lander's creative genius and original thinking continues to be reflected in Touro's innovative approach to the field of higher education. He believed that it was his mission in life to provide opportunities for

advancement for individuals from all walks of life. Before founding Touro College, Dr. Lander was recognized as one of the foremost influences on American Jewry. He was named associate director of former New York City Mayor LaGuardia's Committee on Unity. In 1958, Dr. Lander was appointed dean of the Bernard Revel Graduate School of Yeshiva University. He was a professor of sociology at The City University of New York and was selected to serve on several presidential commissions that dealt with social policy issues. Touro College and University System is Dr. Bernard Lander's legacy, a network of institutions that will continue to provide quality education for many generations to come.

#### **ACADEMIC REGALIA**

The academic regalia worn today originated in the universities of the Middle Ages, when a warm gown and hood were essential for scholars and clerics working in unheated buildings. The distinctive gown served to set the student apart from his fellow citizens. After the American Civil War, students at most American universities, wore caps and gowns daily while in residence.

In 1894, the American Intercollegiate Commission standardized the style and color of robes and hoods. At that time, it was decided that all robes would be black; the bachelor's gown would be made of worsted with pointed sleeves; the master's gown would be silk with long closed sleeves; and the doctor's gown would be silk, faced with black velvet and three velvet bands around each sleeve above the elbow. Hoods are made of the same materials as the gowns, the length varying with the degree. The lining of the hood indicates the university by its colors. The border color indicates the academic discipline in which the degree was earned.

While some colleges have begun to depart from this tradition, the New York School of Career and Applied Studies follows the standard described above.

In the academic procession, the marshals carry maces. This practice descended from medieval weaponry and signifies the keeping of order during the ceremony. The Grand Marshal carries the Touro Great Mace.



## VALEDICTORIAN Debra Albino

At 17, Debra entered Brooklyn College as a first generation college student. The combination of a lack of discipline and guidance caused her drop out after her second year. Years later, she faced the realization that as a stay at home mom she had no independent means of support, no higher education, and no job skills. When the opportunity arose for her to become a NYCDOE paraprofessional, she jumped at the chance. This also allowed her to return to college. She enrolled in Touro College in September 2014, and she had an immediate sense of belonging. Her academic

advisor, Anna, took the time to find out who she was and what she wanted. The doors were always open and good advice was always available. Had she received this kind of guidance when younger, she would have had her degree 30 years ago - but she would have missed the opportunity to develop lasting friendships! At Touro, age is transcended, and all students bring something very special to their classes, learning not only from their professors, but from each other. The diversity and sharing of unique experiences and insights are what make Touro College such a special place. Debra will miss the exchange of thoughts and ideas, the love and support, and the tremendous amount of laughter she experienced at Touro College. She was the "Baby Boomer" who took a selfie as she left the building after her very last exam. She encourages her fellow graduates to never give up on their dreams and never believe that it's too late. Dreams can become a reality if you are willing to put in the time and work to achieve them.



VALEDICTORIAN

Lori DeMeloitz

Six years ago Lori decided that, after 22 years, it was time to leave the only career she had known to chase after a dream. After high school, she had started a full-time job and attended college at night to get a degree in education. However, before long she quit college to focus on her profession. Over two decades later, she changed careers and was given the opportunity to go back to college and get her degree. She was nervous and scared that she might be too old and unable to keep up with the workload while balancing the demands of a job and family. With the encouragement

of a co-worker, who became a great friend, Lori enrolled in Touro College. She and her friend made a pact to graduate together, and, five years later, that's exactly what they did. Along the way, Lori encountered some amazing professors, had many laughs, some crazy study nights and a lot of rearranging of her life to fit her new schedule. She had a goal and was determined to get her degree. Even studying in the middle of a pandemic hasn't stopped her. Her wish for everyone is to pursue his or her dreams! It's never too late and obstacles must never be allowed to stand in the way. According to Lori, "We are the Class of 2020 and we have proven that we can persevere under all circumstances!"



**VALEDICTORIAN**Yehuda Shon

Yehuda is graduating from Touro NYSCAS with a major in psychology and a minor in biology. While a full time student, he worked part time as a chemistry tutor and occasional shifts as an urgent care medical assistant. He is married and lives with his wife in Brooklyn. These accomplishments belie the challenges he had to overcome to get where he is today. His elementary school gave him a comprehensive Judaic education, but he graduated with little secular education and a poor English vernacular. Determined to earn a recognized high school diploma, he enrolled

in a 2-year GED program; however, his other demands made it impossible to complete that program. After consulting with a career counselor, he decided to pursue a degree in nursing. But first he needed a college degree. He struggled to make up for the deficits in his education. Between tutors, instructional videos, and help from friends and family, Yehuda began to see his hard work pay off, getting A's in all his classes. He learned that not only could he survive in college, but he could thrive. Although much of his success was due to his determination and hard work, Yehuda acknowledges that Touro played a major part. He credits the administration, advisors, and faculty with much of his success, especially those who acted more like mentors than as instructors. Yehuda often pauses in wonder that just three years ago he was barely able to write a legible paragraph or to speak English properly, yet here he is today, graduating with a 4.0 GPA. His story is very inspirational and teaches us that nothing can stand in the way of a truly determined individual.



VALEDICTORIAN Sara Wilhelm

This was supposed to be "Sara's Year." This was the year that she was going to 'walk onto stage' and graduate with a Bachelor's degree in Biology. This was the year she was going to start OT Graduate School. This was the year she was going to 'walk down the aisle' and get married. Instead, her graduation went online. Her graduate school went virtual. And her wedding has been postponed. She has asked herself if this was still her year? Yet, being chosen as a Valedictorian made her realize that she was looking at it all wrong. The negatives were obvious but there were so many

positives. She had studied and her hard work paid off. Not only did she graduate, but she is a Valedictorian. Despite tough classes, competitive classmates, and difficult tests, there were amazing professors, advisors, and new friends who were always available to help. Sara says that she "has become the new me" in Touro College. For example, she credits her speech teacher, Professor Sherry Reiter, with helping her conquer her fear of public speaking. Sara was chosen to represent her class in Touro's 25th annual speech contest, and she walked away as the first place winner! The year would go down in history as a difficult and challenging time, but the Touro graduates of 2020 learned how to take difficulties and use them as stepping stones to grow and overcome challenges. According to Sara, "By graduating 'virtually', we are not losing out, we are starting our future on a higher plane, we are starting in cyberspace. Thank you and Good Luck! "

#### **PROGRAM**

Dr. Alan Kadish, President Touro College and University System

## **PRESIDING**

Dr. Judah Weinberger, Dean & Associate Vice President of Undergraduate Education New York School of Career and Applied Studies

#### HERALD

Timothy Taylor, Associate Dean of Students

#### THE NATIONAL ANTHEM

Ms. Daria Taylor

#### **INVOCATION**

Rabbi Krupka, Executive Vice President

#### **PRESENTATION**

Dr. Judah Weinberger, Dean & Associate Vice President of Undergraduate Education New York School of Career and Applied Studies Dr. Alan Kadish, President Touro College and University System Dr. Stanley Boylan, Vice President & Dean of Faculties

#### **VALEDICTORIANS**

Debra Albino Yehuda Shon Sara Wilhelm Lori DeMeloitz

#### PRESENTATION OF DEGREE CANDIDATES

Dr. Judah Weinberger, Dean & Associate Vice President of Undergraduate Education New York School of Career and Applied Studies

#### **CONFERRAL OF DEGREES**

Dr. Alan Kadish, President Touro College and University System

#### **CLOSING REMARKS**

Dr. Judah Weinberger, Dean & Associate Vice President of Undergraduate Education New York School of Career and Applied Studies

### A DIVISION OF TOURO COLLEGE

## **BACHELOR OF ARTS CANDIDATES**

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Bontemps, Fritzgerald Booker, Joi Botrous, Hany G Cum Laude Boxhill, Claudette Cum Laude Braithwaite, LaShonda C Cum Laude

Brewster, Latasha Nicole

Brister, Shakeenia

Brown, Damon L Bruckman, Krystal L Brunson, Khalil J Burgos, Priscilla A Burt, Vickie Buslovich, Yuriy Butler, Taresie Cabrera, Destheny Capers, Donna L Cum Laude Caruso, Alfred D Summa Cum Laude Casale, Ashley E Caul, Christine Sophia Charles, Shirmaine Cum Laude Charles, Cynthia Charmant, Choumart Chilelli, Robert Cum Laude Coe, Shawanna I Cohen, Rachel Magna Cum Laude Condo, Ximena Cordero, Teresa R Cummings, Sherlana S Cum Laude Cunalata, Talisa Cusack, Derrick Donelle Cyrus, Brittney W

Magna Cum Laude David, Olive Summa Cum Laude Daza, David M Diaz, Jennifer R Magna Cum Laude Duran, Gladys

Darieva, Tatiana

Summa Cum Laude Ediberidze, Aliya Edouard, Trisha Edwards, Nardia Samantha

Magna Cum Laude Ennakab, Chaya Fattakhov, Samuel

Faust, Caterina Cum Laude Feiger, Eitan Zecharia Felici, Francesco Ferreira, Clarissa Summa Cum Laude Ferreira, Ariany Cum Laude Flores, Betty Angelina Flores, Jessica Follett, Mercedes E Cum Laude Frazier, Keith Matthew Frias, Rosa Herminia Magna Cum Laude Friedman, Brocha L Summa Cum Laude Fulton, Hadiyah Magna Cum Laude

Magna Cum Laude Fuzaylov, Joseph Cum Laude Garber, Mariamme Lana Magna Cum Laude Genuth, Isaac

Fulton, Sophia

Cum Laude Gheith, Areen Sami Gittler, Rachel Zahava Summa Cum Laude Gomez, Amelia Gonzalez, Josephine Grant, David Grigorian, Natalie Guarnera, Rosanna Hagley, Clara

Cum Laude Harley, Keisha M Haynes, Travis Tyrrell Cum Laude Hecht, Shoshana R Heinsen Devora, Annibel Henry-Lewis, Brian P Hernandez, Amber Summa Cum Laude

Kotis, Georgios Hernandez, Jessica J Montezuma, Nazha Dora Kuneeva, Elena Cum Laude Morillo Sanchez, Yanibel Del Carmen Hernandez, Mark Magna Cum Laude Morin, Nagela Cum Laude Kushner, Sabrina Heather Cum Laude Moses, Jamielia T Hernandez, Jazmin A Labay, Ketty Herskowitz, Joseph Murad, Sm Shahriar Cum Laude Summa Cum Laude Langford, Ayeola A Mushaiev, Miriam Hoffman, Avrohom Mordechai Lankri, Jacqueline Rochelle Nakkach, Yehuda Leon Nashed, Sandy G Holder, Ann L Cum Laude Hossani, Nervana A Lanza, Samantha Natanov, Rebecca Ilyabayev, Daniel Leon, Deneeka Magna Cum Laude Ilyayeva, Sharona Levin, Simona Newton, Ayotunji Inniss, Iyana Cum Laude Ng, Samantha Cum Laude Nickie, Carlene K Levin, Jaclyn Michele Irwin, Nikel Claudia Levy, Chaya Faiga Nunez, Marizabel Levyhaim, Amanda Summa Cum Laude Cum Laude Lindsay, Juliet Isaac, Cornelia R Onitiri, Florence Isakov, Michael Magna Cum Laude Ortiz, Carmen Maria Magna Cum Laude Lopez, Stephanie Nicole Ortiz-Arenas, Ulysses Manuel Izgelov, Sarah Lozandier, Reginald Osorio, Angelinalove James, Toni S Lyones, Danita Otway Jr, Arnoldo H Palumbo, Lauren N Cum Laude Mack, Diamond J Cum Laude James, Feebade Mahon, Catherine Sara Javier, Mariel J Summa Cum Laude Pereira, Eleice M Jenkins, Diandra Line'e Malik, Amina Perez, Tarah Hanna Jenkins, Adourable D Mamanna, Mandi Magna Cum Laude Johnson, Jeanee Margulis, Aaron Perry, Florence L Johnson, Annmarie Marin, Viviana Cum Laude Johnson, Denaya A Martin, Sparkle Stacy Pilgrim, Naline Jones, Deborah Cum Laude Cum Laude Jones, Armenta N Martinez, Oscar M Pinkhasova, Milana Martinez, Dinorah Jones, Hope T Pinkhasova, Reveka E Joseph, Chana Raizy Mashiyev, Shlomo Pizarro, Michelee Joseph, Jethro Mashkabov, Yaffa Plamenitskaya, Margarita Justin, Annazette V Magna Cum Laude Summa Cum Laude Kalatizadeh, Esther Matthews, Rolanda M Plashteav, Shoshana Kandov, Tiffany Cum Laude Cum Laude Magna Cum Laude McDuffie, Candice Mel-Lisa Plavcak, Kevin Katsman, Jeffrey Previl, Estenia McIntosh, Amirah Bashirah Previlon, Hechter Kazakova, Violeta Mejia, Evelyn A Magna Cum Laude Melara, Eva Marina Ragoobir, Omwattie Kearse, Dominiqua M Micial, Rebecca Magna Cum Laude Summa Cum Laude Miller, Paul M Rattray, Annette P Khaimova, Rachel Miller, Tamika Reese, Sharon Cum Laude Magna Cum Laude Reyes, Laura Franchesca Mirzayeva, Leah Rios, Christina Khan, Rosheela Cum Laude Mitchell, Shakell I Rodriguez, Julia E Cum Laude Magna Cum Laude Khan, Satara Khanimova, Riva-Rachael V Mizrachi, Natalie Rodriguez, Maria Khashmati, Intigam Summa Cum Laude Cum Laude

Monge Hernandez, Aracely

Magna Cum Laude

Rodriguez, Angelica P

Rubinoff, Rachelle

Koptiev, Jennifer

Magna Cum Laude

Salus, Kristi Summa Cum Laude Samuels, Avrohom Yehoshua Cum Laude Sanchez, Valentin Sanders, Amanda C Magna Cum Laude Santiago, Tina F Cum Laude Sato, Mary Lael Sato, Dwayne Edrae Schon, Yehuda Summa Cum Laude Schwartz, Helen Magna Cum Laude Seda, Benigna Shamina, Anastassiya Shmaya, Esther Sklar, Shoshana Leah Magna Cum Laude Smulowitz, Leeba M Magna Cum Laude Soler, Eleana Sparks, Hannah Spitz, Jordana Iardena Stanley, Bernita Cum Laude

Steinberg, Joshua Seth

Stoll, Niambi Ashia Sturman, Victoria R Magna Cum Laude Suarez, Starr S Sudlow, Shari Sufian, Abu Summa Cum Laude Tariq, Zulaikha Cum Laude Taylor, Laporscha M Theodore, Kadidja Thomas, Linda D Timsit, Chaoul Magna Cum Laude Tobi, Ora Cum Laude Trapani, Jeremy Cum Laude Trought, Alcian Trusova, Oxana Cum Laude Tyson, Karen Annette Ubaydullaeva, Asolatkhon Summa Cum Laude Udovi, Patience Urbaez, Airam Lizbeth Magna Cum Laude

Vainer, Yana

Valdez, Elizabeth Cum Laude Velasquez, Yvette Cum Laude Velez, Dalia E Vincent, Curlin Sherin Walters, Melissa N Maana Cum Laude Weaver, Kizzie I. Cum Laude Weinreb, Leah Summa Cum Laude Whitney, Toinenajah Amel Summa Cum Laude Williams, Darlene Williams, Sherlyn C Williamson, Nekisha Winter, Kevin Yakubov, Aleks Zaurov, Batel Cum Laude Zavalunova, Victoria Zenelaj, Merita Magna Cum Laude Zuntz, Menachem Mendel Summa Cum Laude

### A DIVISION OF TOURO COLLEGE

## **BACHELOR OF SCIENCE CANDIDATES**

Summa Cum Laude

Barris, Ben

Aaron, Sherrie V Magna Cum Laude Abramova, Rachel Abuameir, Wessam S Achille, Eblond Adams, Kimberly Summa Cum Laude Ahmed, Jasim Akujuo, Nnaemeka Alexis, Raquel N Magna Cum Laude Alishayeva, Izabella Cum Laude Alleyne, Audrey C Amirbekova, Izabella Summa Cum Laude Amirgulova, Svetlana Anderson, Hopeton Lance Anderson, Nefertiti S Andre, Edelande Andreychuk, Nataliya Ansari, Rajib A Aquino, Jazmine Aronov, Tziona Tamar Summa Cum Laude Aronova, Ariella Magna Cum Laude Arutinian, Zhanna Audziaichuk, Nadzeya Magna Cum Laude Augustin, Gorby Larry-Robert Babyak, Andriy Cum Laude Bachulashvili, Tamari Bade, Orli Baez, Yahaira

Bajracharya, Nikisha

Banu, Arafa

Barna, Reka

Magna Cum Laude

Magna Cum Laude

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Magna Cum Laude

Barrett, Corrinne J

Barrett, Richelle S

Barzi, Leora Summa Cum Laude Baturova, Anzhelika Batyrov, David Magna Cum Laude Baybachayev, Nissim Cum Laude Baytalskiy, Oksana Magna Cum Laude Beach, Michael Bernard Becker, Leslie Sara Bellamy Harrison, Ariannah Nicole Belskiy, Gregory Benchegroun, Sanae Benjamin, Josel Benton, Samantha Malana Benyaminov, Liora Zina Magna Cum Laude Berkowitz, Shloime Samuel Cum Laude Bernadin, Rhode Bibi, Benazir Bilgin, Ramazan Billingslea, Franklin J Bitton, Shmuel Blau, Gitel Chaya Magna Cum Laude Boldyreva, Tatiana Magna Cum Laude Borisova, Tatiana Summa Cum Laude Borukhova, Esther Magna Cum Laude Bourne, Sharon Bousbaci, Samia Bradley, Lesia M Summa Cum Laude Braithwaite, Ashlev Magna Cum Laude Brisport, Denise Magna Cum Laude Brown-Johnson, Pauline

Brunson, Kelly J

Burnaeva, Milana S Burton, Joshua Cum Laude Cadet, Isabelle Caka, Erda Carollo, Maria R Summa Cum Laude Carter, Gina M Carucci-Tomasino, Jessica Summa Cum Laude Casilla, Ingrid E Magna Cum Laude Chan, Jack Cum Laude Charleus, Chantel L Chernova, Mariia Summa Cum Laude Cherry, Niambi Magna Cum Laude Cherry, Ishmael Cum Laude Chevere, Alyssa D Magna Cum Laude Chillemi, Angela Magna Cum Laude Clarke, Christiana Fiona Clarke-smith, Monica V Cohen, Jane Monica Summa Cum Laude Cohen, Netanel Collins, Rosemary Colon, Victoria Catherine Cooper, Je T'aime Cox, Jasmine Craft, Tishawana Crane, Alfonso Andrew Cum Laude Crittenden, Olivia Curtis, Tasha Nicole Dadavan, Alexander Summa Cum Laude Daniarov, Jonathan Cum Laude Davidov, Elizabeth

Magna Cum Laude

Davidov, Moisey Gadayeva, Yana Dayan, Edan Joseph Cum Laude Magna Cum Laude Galindez, Victor Garcia, Iris N DeAngelo, Andrea Antoinette Magna Cum Laude Garcia, Michael E DeJesus, Felipe Gardener, Tanva DeJesus, Myriam J Gatti, Joann M Delbe, Onnika Y Summa Cum Laude DeMeloitz, Lori Gattling, Shamaine Gavrielov, Alex Summa Cum Laude Dimitrov, Ronald Genis, Jonathan Jay Domovsky, Oleg Summa Cum Laude Summa Cum Laude Giaccio, Jillian M Donohue, Cynthia Lynn Glaser, Benjamin Jason Douglas, Katrina Gnatovskiy, Alena Dupree, Shamaine Summa Cum Laude Magna Cum Laude Goldberger, Alexander Maurice Duran, Erica Golder, Jason R Dykes, Jennifer Gordon, Shanisha Aenea Kaur Gottlieb, Aaron Dzhurayev, Benjamin Cum Laude Gozalova, Natavan Echevarria, Mildred Ileana Grant, Qwatiana Lenora Grant, Quinnyana Edwards, Megan E Egalite, Darline Cum Laude Green, Shaquanna L El Gallad, Wafaa A Grovas, Olga Emelianova, Nadezda Summa Cum Laude Summa Cum Laude Gurgas, Abanoub Ereshov, Rovshen Cum Laude Haas, Scott John Esmurdoc, Stephany Summa Cum Laude Hall, Tiairra I Halper-Rosenthal, M M Evans, Destinee Fellus, Daniel Maana Cum Laude Fernandez, Yuri Liseide Harmon, Milissa F Magna Cum Laude Magna Cum Laude Fernandez, Rafael Harrigain, Petal Dierdre Cum Laude Magna Cum Laude Fernandez, Wendy M Hashem, Nourhan Cum Laude Hatamova, Jennet Ferrara, Joseph Summa Cum Laude Filocamo, Marianna Hatamova, Shirin Summa Cum Laude Magna Cum Laude Fish, Alyssa Dana Hayimov, Michelle Magna Cum Laude Cum Laude Fontan, Nancy Herzog, Meyer Chaim Cum Laude Summa Cum Laude Ford, Inger Latronda Hiley, Ricky Fuzailov, Yosef Hlushan, Veranika Fuzaylova, Eleonora Summa Cum Laude Magna Cum Laude Hoang, Hai Minh Gadayev, Yelena Magna Cum Laude Magna Cum Laude Horsford, Lillian Lynte'

Hossain, Mdjabed Hughley, Garcia Hussain, Agra Ilyayeva, Milana Islam, Synthia Tabassum Istamova, Dilnoza Summa Cum Laude Izrailov, Yashaya Jacob, Lutina R Jacobs, Menachem Mendel Summa Cum Laude Jacobs, Farrah C Cum Laude Jahan, Monika Jakubov, Sarah James, Glynis Summa Cum Laude James, Trishawna Shadae Magna Cum Laude James, Mishka Kendra Cum Laude James, Kareem Jean Baptiste, Martine Jean-Francois, Ketsia Jean-Paul, Xavier Jimenez, Jonathan Jones, Katrina S Jordon Denny, Yonnette Samanta Joseph, Vanessa Kahen, Payman Kalantarov, Yeleasar Ely Magna Cum Laude Kandinov, Moshe Karpinski, Patricia J Cum Laude Kataev, Gabriella Katanova, Mazal Magna Cum Laude Kaufman, Rayna Nicole Kemme, Heidi R Magna Cum Laude Kershner, Jonathan Adam Magna Cum Laude Khalil, Mohammed I Khatun, Shahida Kohanteb, Avigail Magna Cum Laude Komarovsky, Batya Summa Cum Laude Konomi, Lindita Magna Cum Laude

Kopp, Joshua Mendez, Lizbeth Pinkhasov, Boruch Korviakov, Ruslan Magna Cum Laude Pinkhasova, Daniella Koster, Kurt Menoni, Michelle F Magna Cum Laude Laguerre, Sarsha Merani, Nazneen M Pinkhasova, Sharona Lawrence, Dexter Mercado, Jennifer T Pittman, Jessica Micciulla, William A Layliev, Nathan G Magna Cum Laude Magna Cum Laude Cum Laude Poncedeleon, Monique Pope, Kameeka S Lazic, Radica J Miller, Pauline Victoria Levihim, Odevah Mingov, Vadim Magna Cum Laude Summa Cum Laude Mitchell, Courtney Portilla, Delia A Leyzer, Gledis Mnatsakanyan, Ani Primavera, Gina Marie Linea, Gabrielle G Morales, Mariann Maana Cum Laude Liu, Yanhua Mordukhayev, Leah Priyeva, Siporo Liverpool, Nadeen Morris, Paulette Rampadarat, Annie Llukani, Elsona Magna Cum Laude Magna Cum Laude Cum Laude Mozalevskiy, Nikolay Razhkova, Ilona Muennoi, Charanya Lohier, Scarly Summa Cum Laude Lopez, Victor H Mullokandova, Esther Red, Jahan Cum Laude Murat, Fritz G Cum Laude Lubonja, Dorian Murat, Kathia Reedy-Farley, Cheryl A Murray, Shoniel S Maitre, Joann M Rijal, Sulav Cum Laude Cum Laude Rijal, Shiva Ram Rivera, Melissa Malkiev, Regina Musheyev, Sharon Summa Cum Laude Cum Laude Cum Laude Marinciuc, Liudmila Myles, Richard Rivera, Emanuel Magna Cum Laude Nakkach, Mark Rivera, Carlotta Marinevich, Elvira Nechayeva, Olga Rodriguez, Ashley Nicole Magna Cum Laude Nelson, Christine M Rodriguez, Yana M Neuwirth, Menachem Mendel Marino, Dana Marie Rosado, Amy Magna Cum Laude Summa Cum Laude Rosenblum, Shoshana Doba Marquez, Yashira M Ng, Samantha Cum Laude Cum Laude Nunes, Dianedra Rosenblum, Yehuda A Marte, Christopher Nunez, Roberta E Ruano, Christopher Allan Cum Laude Nunez, Jesse Magna Cum Laude Marte, Yenny C Nzomo, Makau Rutta, Shmuel Martinez, Gladys O Cum Laude Cum Laude Martinez, Lissania Lissette Salamon, Rebecca M Omri, Amel Masliak, Oksana Ortikov, Jasur A Salcedo, Luzmarina Summa Cum Laude Orujov, Emin Cum Laude Matatov, Melana Tamara Pacheco, Samantha Rachel Saltz, Yakov Summa Cum Laude Padchamirova, Madinam A Sanders, Christina Matatov, Elana Frida Summa Cum Laude Sarkisov, Igor Cum Laude Magna Cum Laude Patel, Javsmit Mathieu, Patrick Patterson, Malika Jsamine Savino, Shazanne E Matyakubova, Nurzhamal Cum Laude Schayes, Isabelle Mays, Rellasia Perez, Mildred L Schiefer, Lauren Magna Cum Laude Peterson, Armeteshia S Cum Laude McNerney, Madeline M Philistin, Danielle Schleifer, Jacob Magna Cum Laude Phuval, Chandra Banshi Cum Laude Medina Torres, Josephine R Cum Laude Scott, Nikocolai K

Sdayeb, Revital Summa Cum Laude Selvester, Gina Marie Summa Cum Laude Senavirathna, Ayesha Manori Magna Cum Laude Serieh, Simon Shalomov, Jacob Shamalova, Diana Summa Cum Laude Shedd, Jillian Shelvester, Tatyana Sherpa, Kipa Shimonova, Rebecca Sigal, William Cum Laude Simon, David J Sirabella, Damien A Snow, Daniel Marvin Sokol, Stephanie Robyn Soto, Cherry Ann Subashiq, Seneta Magna Cum Laude Sultana, Sharmin Cum Laude Sumter, Shaquana Donneice Surielow, Tzlil Z Swenson, Brittany M Summa Cum Laude Swing, Tawana Sylla, Miriam B Syrkova, Olena Summa Cum Laude Talibjanova, Inobat Magna Cum Laude Tambieva, Diana Teitelbaum, Yehudis Magna Cum Laude Thomas, Shanora Cum Laude

Tillman, Donna

Tobiasz, Olivia Tokov, Sholom Cum Laude Townsend, Suan Treyger, Aleksandr Summa Cum Laude Trop, Shlomo Cum Laude Tsybriy, Galyna Summa Cum Laude Tursunova, Iroda Summa Cum Laude Twerski, Meshulam Zishe Summa Cum Laude Ugliano, Toniann Ustayev, Gabriel Uvaidov, Orith Vadivel, Sivayogam Magna Cum Laude Valentin, David Cum Laude Varzunov, Anton Vaughn, Malissa M Velez, Jessica V Cum Laude Vezirvan, Anna Magna Cum Laude Vora, Dipti Magna Cum Laude Waiters, Saddig Walker, Alisha Ward, Sylvia Ann Warren, Latoya Wasser, Samuel Summa Cum Laude Watt, Alecia Symone Summa Cum Laude Weston, Ameer D

Wilder, Tali M

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