



Commencement 2017

Forty-third Commencement Exercises

Saturday, May 20, 2017

11 a.m.

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Mission of Bunker Hill Community College

Bunker Hill Community College serves as an educational and economic asset for the Commonwealth of Massachusetts by offering associate degrees and certificate programs that prepare students for further education and fulfilling careers. Our students reflect our diverse local and global community, and the College integrates the strengths of many cultures, age groups, lifestyles and learning styles into the life of the institution. The College provides inclusive and affordable access to higher education, supports the success of all students, and forges vibrant partnerships and pathways with educational institutions, community organizations, and local businesses and industries.

Vision of Bunker Hill Community College

Bunker Hill Community College empowers and inspires students, faculty and staff diverse in identities, experiences and ideas to make meaningful contributions to our local and global communities. The College embodies a spirit of inquiry, critical thought, inclusive excellence and lifelong learning.

Bunker Hill Community College Institutional Values

Bunker Hill Community College Trustees, Faculty, Staff and Students embody the highest academic and institutional integrity through their commitment to:

- Access and Success
- Excellence and Innovation
- Economic and Social Justice
- Inclusiveness and Equity
- Civic Engagement and Service
- Kindness and Respect
- Accountability and Transparency

The Vision, Mission and Values statements were approved by the Board of Trustees, Massachusetts Department of Higher Education and Massachusetts Secretary of Education, October 2014.

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Presiding

Pam Y. Eddinger, Ph.D., *President*

Order of Procession

Adam Holdaway, *Bagpiper*

Suffolk County Sheriff's Department Honor Guard

Chief Marshal

Yazdan Rodd, *Coordinator, Instructional Technology, Distance Education and Weekend College*

Assistant Marshals

Paul Kasili, Ph.D., *Associate Professor, Biology and Chemistry Department*

Pamela Schmidt, *Professor, Early Childhood Development and Human Services Department*

Degree Candidates

Certificate Candidates

The Faculty and Staff of the College

(in order of appointment)

Platform Party

Pam Y. Eddinger, Ph.D., *President*

The Honorable Robert A. DeLeo, *Speaker of the Massachusetts House of Representatives*

Jonathan Keller, Ph.D., *Board Member, Massachusetts Board of Higher Education*

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Welcome

President Eddinger

National Anthem

Frances Botelho-Hoeg, accompanied by Axel Schwintzer and Mark Zaleski

Remarks

Boubacar Diallo

Aurora B. Bautista

Jonathan Keller

William J. Walczak

President's Distinguished Service Award

Presented by President Eddinger to The Honorable Robert A. DeLeo, *Speaker of the Massachusetts House of Representatives*

Commencement Address

The Honorable Robert A. DeLeo, *Speaker of the Massachusetts House of Representatives*

President's Leadership Award

Presented by President Eddinger to Manita Khamsuan

Trustees' Distinguished Service Award

Presented by Chair Walczak to Elizabeth Seabury, *Professor, English as a Second Language Department*

Presentation of Degree and Certificate Candidates

Provost Canniff with the assistance of Professor Richard W. Boulware, Professor Donna M. Misrati, Associate Professor Wissal Nouchrif and Assistant Professor Bryan Craven

Conferring of Degrees and Certificates

President Eddinger

Recessional*

*The audience will please rise while the Faculty and Staff and the Platform Party are entering and leaving. Please remain at your seats until the Platform Party and the Faculty and Staff have finished the Recessional March at the completion of the exercises.

Kindly mute all cell phones during the ceremony.

Janet Bergstrom and Mark Riley, American Sign Language Interpreters, are certified by the National Registry of Interpreters for the Deaf and the Massachusetts Commission for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing.

Computer-Aided Realtime Translation provided by Mona Leviton.

President's Distinguished Service Awardee and 2017 Commencement Speaker

The Honorable Robert A. DeLeo, *Speaker of the Massachusetts House of Representatives*

The Bunker Hill Community College President's Distinguished Service Award is presented annually at Commencement to an individual who has rendered extraordinary service to our community and to the students of Bunker Hill Community College. This year's award is presented to the Honorable Robert A. DeLeo, Speaker of the Massachusetts House of Representatives, a long-time advocate for community colleges and friend of the College.

The College honors Speaker DeLeo's commitment to the local community through his support of programs that focus on accessible educational opportunities as an important solution for local workforce development needs. His work towards educational advancement includes steering approval of the Higher Education Capital Improvement Act as well as former Governor Patrick's initiative to promote the development of the state's life sciences industry. He earmarked funding under the 2012 Economic Development Law to create the MassTech Intern Partnership, creating internship opportunities for 2- and 4-year college students.

Speaker DeLeo's interest in the community college students is perhaps best exemplified by his championing of the STEM Starter Academy, an initiative of Massachusetts Community Colleges designed to inform, engage, recruit, retain and graduate significantly more students through STEM Pathway programs. These pathways ultimately lead to job placement or transfer to university STEM programs and careers. Speaker DeLeo has visited Bunker Hill Community College to observe the STEM Starter Academy in action and engage with students about their interests and goals.

We are pleased to present the Bunker Hill Community College President's Distinguished Award to Speaker DeLeo and honored to have him as the College's 2017 Commencement Speaker.

Trustees' Distinguished Service Awardee

Elizabeth Seabury, *Professor, English as a Second Language Department*

Elizabeth Seabury has been a leader in the English as a Second Language (ESL) Department and a significant contributor to the life of the College for more than a decade. A 2009 recipient of the Commonwealth Citation for Outstanding Performance and the Manuel Carballo Governor's Award for Excellence in Public Service, she is dedicated to the success of the College's diverse student population.

Professor Seabury is an inclusive collaborator and a leader by example. Notable are her contributions to the LifeMap Initiative, her role in revising the General Concentration Program of Study and her leadership in conducting the ESL Department's most recent self-study. She was an early adopter of Learning Communities, partnering with Professor Amparo Hernandez-Folch to offer the first accelerated math cluster in 2008. Professor Seabury's pioneering work to integrate effective learning outcomes into the cluster has informed efforts in math and English that are accelerating student progress through developmental education.

In her current role as Chair of the ESL Assessment and Advising Design Team under the Title III-funded Building the Framework for Student Success, she is working with her colleagues to create a success-oriented entry for English Language Learners.

Honors Graduates

During the Commencement Exercises, you will notice the gold tassels which distinguish the caps of some candidates for the associate degree. These students, the honors graduates of the class of 2017, have consistently demonstrated high academic achievement while attending the College. Students receiving their degrees with honors are in three categories: Honors, High Honors and Highest Honors. Honors graduates are denoted by a “*” symbol in the program.

Alpha Kappa Mu Honor Society

The Alpha Kappa Mu Honor Society is a chapter of the National Honor Society, Phi Theta Kappa. The emblem of Phi Theta Kappa is a gold key. Across the center is a black band upon which appear the Greek letters, “Phi,” “Theta” and “Kappa,” standing for wisdom, aspiration and purity. During the ceremony, graduates who are members of the Alpha Kappa Mu Honor Society can be identified by the gold Phi Theta Kappa stole worn over the regular academic gown. Alpha Kappa Mu Honor Society graduates are denoted by a “o” symbol in the program.

Bunker Hill Community College Commonwealth Honors Program

The Honors Program offers students from any academic discipline the opportunity to study and learn in an academically challenging and enriching learning environment. During the ceremony, graduates who have completed the Honors Program can be identified by a gold medallion.

Degree Candidates

Degree candidates listed in this program have been identified as eligible to participate in the Commencement ceremony. Participation in the ceremony and/or listings in the program does not constitute conferral of degree or awarding of honors. Cumulative Grade Point Average (GPA) used to identify Honors graduates was based on the GPA prior to the printing of the program and may not reflect the final GPA. Eligibility for Honors will be reevaluated for pending graduates when GPAs are final and may be different from what is listed in this program.

Associate in Arts

Business Concentration

Harun Abdi-Omar*
Sid Ahmed Abdrabou
Kofi Adjei-Koranteng
Marcelo Joshua Alvarado
Mohammed K. Alwuhush*
Chuisse Patou Aoudou Bassirou*
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Hind Azzaoui
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Vanessa Bauzile
Sara Benmoha*
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Vy Tu Dinh*
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Christian Dore*
Linh Duong
Mohammed E. El Anyaoui*
Djapheland Emile
Stephanie D. Encarnacion*
Galo W. Espinosa*
Lorentz F. Etienne
o

Husun Fang*
Mardochee Faustin*
Lucas Fernandes*
Cassio Lauriano Ferreira*
Valdirene Fils-Aime*
Lucas M. Garcia*
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Joseph Giarla*
Elisabeth Goch*
Jimmy A. Gonzalez
Kristin A. Gray
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Sahra A. Guled
Hasriq Hadil*
Shiva Haghighi*
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Xiaomin He*
Celina L. Hernandez
Sebastian Hernandez*
Si M. Ho*
Winnie H. Ho
o

Simon Robert Erik Holtmo*°
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Kimberly Interiano
Sumire Ishii*
Jennifer Jimenez
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Silmara Kan*°
Maria Karelllo*°
Kosei Kawahara*
Nafisha I. Khalifa*°
Soo H. Kim*°
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Adi Gerard Ornella N'goran*
Khanh D. Nguyen*
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Ji Seung Oh*°
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Alexander Pellegrino*°
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Kunlin Qiu*°
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History & Government Concentration

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Mohamed Sadik
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Fartun Ali*
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Jeannette Jimenez*
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Yeni Zhen Mui*°

Associate in Sciences

Administrative Information Management Option

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Baking & Pastry Arts Option

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Biology Transfer Option

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Brandy D. Bernabe
Augustine M. Delair°
Tran Do
Merhawi S. Ghebremichael*°
Jean Goncalves*°
Lada Grigoreva*°
Maria Yevgenyevna Ivanova*°
Jonathan M. Layman*
Stephanie Laure Makamto
Jesus Mallol Diaz*
Dao M. Nguyen
Luis D. Pena*°
Pye S. Phyo*°
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Chronology of Commencement Speakers

1975 – Harold E. Shively, *President, Bunker Hill Community College*. 1976 – The Honorable Michael J. Harrington, *Member of Congress from the 6th Congressional District of Massachusetts*. 1977 – Eli Ginsburg, *Economist and Educator, Director of the Conservation of Human Resources Project at Columbia University*. 1978 – Ralph L. Bruno, Adele K. Cannizzaro Castater, and Dorothy J. Gomez, *Degree Candidates*. 1979 – Maria A. Brown, William S. Harold and Kathleen Monagle, *Degree Candidates*. 1980 – Herbert I. Gross, *Professor of Mathematics, Bunker Hill Community College*. 1981 – Anne R. Umansky, *Associate Professor of Communication, Bunker Hill Community College*, and Judith Ann Adelizzi, *Degree Candidate*. 1982 – Johnnetta B. Cole, *Associate Provost for Undergraduate Education, University of Massachusetts Amherst*. 1983 – The Honorable Paul D. Lewis, *Associate Justice, Boston Juvenile Court*. 1984 – The Honorable Foster Furcolo, *Administrative Law Judge, U.S. Occupational Safety and Health Review Commission, former Governor of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts*. 1985 – Linda Harris, *Broadcast Journalist, WBZ-TV, Boston*. 1986 – Joseph Duffey, *Chancellor, University of Massachusetts Amherst*. 1987 – The Honorable Raymond L. Flynn, *Mayor, City of Boston*. 1988 – Harold E. Shively, *President, Bunker Hill Community College*. 1989 – The Honorable Richard A. Voke, *Massachusetts State Representative, Chairman of the House Committee on Ways and Means*. 1990 – Mike Barnicle, *Newspaper Columnist, Boston Globe*. 1991 – Liz Walker, *Broadcast Journalist, WBZ-TV Eyewitness News Co-anchor*. 1992 – The Honorable Joseph P. Kennedy II, *United States Congressman*. 1993 – The Honorable Joyce London Alexander, *United States Magistrate Judge*. 1994 – The Honorable Peter W. Agnes, Jr., *Managing Justice of the Chelsea Court*. 1995 – Rosaria Salerno, *Community Leader, Boston City Clerk*. 1996 – James S. Dilday, *Professor, Criminal Justice, Bunker Hill Community College*, and Susan T. Dole, *BHCC Counselor*. 1997 – The Honorable John Kerry, *United States Senator*. 1998 – William J. Grize, *President and Chief Executive Officer, The Stop & Shop Supermarket Company*. 1999 – The Honorable Jane Swift, *Lieutenant Governor of Massachusetts*. 2000 – Dr. Joan Wallace-Benjamin, *President and Chief Executive Officer, Urban League of Eastern Massachusetts*. 2001 – The Honorable Roderick L. Ireland, *Associate Justice of the Massachusetts Supreme Judicial Court*. 2002 – Gerardo Villacrés, *Executive Director, Hispanic-American Chamber of Commerce*. 2003 – Andrea J. Cabral, *Sheriff, Suffolk County Sheriff's Department*. 2004 – Amadou Lamine Bâ, Ph.D., *Ambassador of Senegal to the U.S.* 2005 – Frances Rivera, *7NEWS Anchor/Reporter*. 2006 – Marjorie Clapprod, *Executive Director, One Family, Inc.* 2007 – The Honorable Jarrett T. Barrios, *Massachusetts State Senator*. 2008 – Carol R. Johnson, Ed.D., *Superintendent of the Boston Public Schools*. 2009 – Gary L. Gottlieb, M.D., M.B.A., *President, Brigham and Women's Hospital*. 2010 – Benjamin S. Carson, Sr., M.D., *Director of Pediatric Neurosurgery, The Johns Hopkins Medical Institutions*. 2011 – Louis Gossett, Jr., *Academy Award-winning Actor, and Founder, Eracism Foundation, Inc.* 2012 – Eileen M. Collins, *Colonel, U.S. Air Force (Retired)*. 2013 – William H. Swanson, *Chairman and Chief Executive Officer, Raytheon*. 2014 – The Honorable Edward J. Markey, *Senator for Massachusetts*. 2015 – The Honorable Elizabeth Warren, *Senator for Massachusetts*. 2016 – The Honorable Martin J. Walsh, *Mayor of Boston*.

Chronology of Faculty/Professional Staff Speakers

In the 1997-1998 academic year, a tradition was established at the College. Faculty and professional staff select one of their colleagues whom they view as an outstanding educator to bring greetings to the graduates.

1997 – Richard Klayman, *Professor, Social Science Department*. 1998 – John L. Vaccaro, C.P.A., *Professor, Business Administration Department*. 1999 – Anne Mansfield Minton, *Professor, Social Science Department*. 2000 – Timothy M. McLaughlin, *Professor, English Department*. 2001 and 2002 – Richard W. Boulware, J.D., *Professor and Chair, Criminal Justice Department*. 2003 – Herbert I. Gross, *Professor, Mathematics/Physics Department*. 2004 – Michael T. Puopolo, *Professor and Chair, Computer Information Technology Department*. 2005 – Deborah J. Westaway, *Professor and Chair, Nurse Education Department*. 2006 – Susan T. Dole, *Senior Academic Counselor, Advising/Counseling and Assessment*. 2007 – Lucius A. Salisbury III, *Professor, English Department*. 2008 – William L. Hoover, *Assistant Professor, Science Department*. 2009 – Shirley Cassarà, Ed.D., *Professor, Behavioral Science Department*. 2010 – James S. Dilday, J.D., *Professor, Legal Studies and Public Safety Department*. 2011 – Timothy M. McLaughlin, *Professor and Chair, English Department*. 2012 – Lloyd Sheldon Johnson, Ed.D., *Professor, Behavioral Science Department*. 2013 – Jennifer A. Cohn, *Associate Professor, English Department*. 2014 – Scott S. Benjamin, *Professor, Science and Engineering Department*. 2015 – Enzo Surin, *Assistant Professor, English Department*. 2016 – Justice Kumahia, *Success Coach, Advising and LifeMap*.

Chronology of President's Distinguished Service Awardees

1998 – Jeanne-Marie Boylan, *Executive Vice President and Treasurer, Boston Sand & Gravel Company*. 1999 – Anne Hyde, Esq., *Peabody and Brown Law Firm*. 2000 – Guy Santagate, *City Manager, Chelsea, Massachusetts*. 2001 – Bing L. Wong, Ph.D., *Senior Vice President, Biopure Corporation*. 2002 – Paul Guzzi, *President and Chief Executive Officer, Greater Boston Chamber of Commerce*. 2003 – The Honorable Eugene L. O'Flaherty, *Massachusetts State Representative*. 2004 – Ray Monkiewicz, *President and Chief Executive Officer, Kayem Foods, Inc.* 2005 – Thomas S. Cunha, *First Vice Chair of the BHCC Board of Trustees and Chair of the Charlestown Neighborhood Council*. 2007 – The Honorable Jarrett T. Barrios, *Massachusetts State Senator*. 2008 – Thomas A. Kershaw, *Chairman and Chief Executive Officer, The Hampshire House Corporation*. 2009 – Gary L. Gottlieb, M.D., M.B.A., *President, Brigham and Women's Hospital*. 2010 – Ronald Bonney, Jr., *First Vice Chair of the BHCC Board of Trustees*. 2011 – Stephen B. Weiner, *President, BHCC Foundation, Inc., and President, The Weiner Company, Inc.* 2013 – William H. Swanson, *Chairman and Chief Executive Officer, Raytheon*. 2014 – Beverly A. Morgan-Welch, *Executive Director, Museum of African American History*. 2015 – John P. McDonough, *Interim Superintendent, Boston Public Schools*. 2016 – The Honorable Martin J. Walsh, *Mayor of Boston*.

Modern Scholars in Ancient Garb

The color and pageantry marking a college Commencement are rooted in long tradition. Academic degrees have been awarded for more than 800 years, the first known being conferred by the University of Bologna in the twelfth century. The caps and gowns worn by the faculty and the graduating class are also inherited from early medieval universities. Scholars of those days wore the gown and its attached hood for the dual purpose of keeping warm in the drafty, unheated buildings, and of identifying the particular clerical order to which they belonged.

The Gown

The style of the modern academic gown is based on an intercollegiate code established in 1895. The gown is commonly black, differing in type according to the level of the degree held. Gowns of some American and foreign institutions are often of red and other brilliant hues.

The doctor's gown is paneled in velvet, and has bell-shaped sleeves, each trimmed with three matching velvet bars. The velvet may be black or of the color representing the field of learning in which the degree was earned. For example, the Doctor of Philosophy (Ph.D.) is designated by blue, for centuries the color associated with wisdom and truth. The Doctor of Theology (Th.D.) may be indicated by red, a traditional color of the church, and the Doctor of Jurisprudence (J.D.) by the royal purple of the King's Court. The title Doctor refers to the degree one holds, not to a profession or occupation, and by ancient definition means an eminently learned person, one sufficiently skilled in any branch of knowledge to teach it.

Master's and bachelor's gowns have no velvet panels or trims. Sleeves of the master's are extra long, and are open either at the forearm or the wrist. Those of the bachelor's gown are pointed and are normal sleeve length.

The Cap

The mortarboard cap is proper for all American degrees, and is worn both indoors and out on all occasions when gowns are used. The tassel, worn over the left front quarter of the cap, may be black or may be in a color representing the degree.

The Hood

The hood is the most striking feature of the costume. Its shape, size and colors show both the degree of the wearer and the college which conferred it, so that anyone attending an academic function in America can distinguish holders of bachelor's, master's and doctor's degrees.

The shell or base of the hood is invariably black, but the lining is the color of the college or university granting the degree. As the faculty and platform party march down the aisle at Commencement, the audience will see the official colors of many colleges and universities represented in the hoods of the participants. Some of these are: Cornell University, carnelian with two white chevrons; Harvard University, crimson; Columbia University, light blue with white chevron; Tufts University, brown and blue.

The color of the border of the hood designates the field in which the degree was earned; for instance, white represents arts; scarlet—theology; golden yellow—science; blue—philosophy; pink—music; lemon—library science; brown—fine arts; purple—law; light blue—education; apricot—nursing; and drab—business administration.

The bachelor's hood has a two-inch velvet border; the master's, a three-inch one; and the doctor's a five-inch one. The size of the hood also helps identify the degree; the bachelor's hood is three feet long, the master's three and a half, and the doctor's four feet.

College trustees or members of boards are permitted to wear a doctor's gown, but the hood they wear must designate only the degree they actually hold. The president of a college is entitled to wear a specially-designed costume. Trustees and other members of the official party, such as Marshals, may also wear specially-designed caps and gowns. At Bunker Hill Community College, the President, Trustees and Marshals appear in academic regalia which shows the colors of the college—red and white—and which designate, by the use of slight design differences, the office held. Graduates of two-year colleges are awarded an associate in arts or associate in science degree or a certificate. Successful candidates for the associate degree and the certificate wear a bachelor's gown without a hood.

Divisions of the Procession

The academic procession at Commencement is made up of three divisions: The candidates for degrees and certificates, members of the faculty and the President of the college, the Commencement speaker, the Trustees and other dignitaries or officers of the college.

The entire company is led by the Chief Marshal bearing a mace, originally a weapon of defense and a centuries-old symbol of academic authority.

A college or university Commencement symbolizes the induction of the graduates into the guild of scholars, whose tradition reaches back through centuries of western civilization to include all those who sought learning. Graduates can take pride in participating in such an ancient and honorable rite.

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