



EUROPEAN LANGUAGES, LITERATURES, AND CULTURES

DEPARTMENTAL CONVOCATION

Celebrating the Class of 2021

May 19, 2021

ELLC'S 2ND Remote Graduating Class

With Recognition and Appreciation

A MESSAGE FROM THE CHAIR ...

To all our graduates from the Department of European Languages, Literatures & Cultures:

CONGRATULATIONS!

This program commemorates the Class of 2021

We are so very proud of you!

Despite the challenging circumstances of your final year, you persevered. You have displayed the resourcefulness and the resilience of those who are faced with adversity. We hope and expect that this will be just the first of your many accomplishments.

The language and linguistic skills that you have developed during your studies will serve you well in the multilingual world in which we live. Perhaps more importantly, your studies have allowed you to develop a deep understanding of other cultures. Intercultural understanding is what will help us to reimagine and then create a better world.

We encourage you to aim high, to continue to challenge yourself to be better, and to put your unique talents to good use.

My personal congratulations,

Sarah Jourdain,

Chair, Department of European Languages, Literatures & Cultures

Authentication of Graduates

Classics/Latin Studies

Kathleen De Riesthal

French Studies

Dr. Franck Dalmas

Italian Studies

Dr. Giuseppe Gazzola

Dr. Loredana Polezzi

Russian Studies

Dr. Timothy Westphalen

Dr. Anna Gershik

Teacher Certification

Dr. Irene Marchegiani

Master of Arts in Romance Languages

Dr. Franck Dalmas

Dr. Giuseppe Gazzola

Dr. Loredana Polezzi

GRADUATES

FRENCH LANGUAGE & LITERATURE, BA

Abigail Maher Ψ

Caroline Studer Ω

Vincent Joseph Giacalone Ω

CLASSICS MINOR

Marc Julien C. Calza

FRENCH STUDIES MINOR

Anita Diana Rescia Ψ

Kendy Thegeniste

ITALIAN STUDIES MINOR

Gabriella Stella Dattolo

Alisa Formina

Anita Diana Rescia Ψ

RUSSIAN STUDIES MINOR

Jaclyn Ilene Gurevich Ω

Kyle Philip O'Hara Ψ

Julia Vos

Ψ Summa Cum Laude

Ω Magna Cum laude

π Cum Laude

* Phi Beta Kappa

Undergraduate Teaching Certification

Spanish

Anita Diana Rescia

Master of Arts in Teaching

FRENCH

Abigail Maher

Marc-Thomas Allen McKee

Carolyn Pace

ITALIAN

Lorenzo C. Abbatiello

Caroline Marie Feibert

Ryan Gregory Licht

SPANISH

Maggie Adriana Sarmiento

Ayla Marie Yildiz

Master of Arts in Romance Languages

ITALIAN

Stephanie Galluzzo

Esmeralda Luz Soto

DEPARTMENTAL HONORS

Dr. Michael De Luca Prize In Italian Studies:

Alisa Formina

Anita Rescia



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