

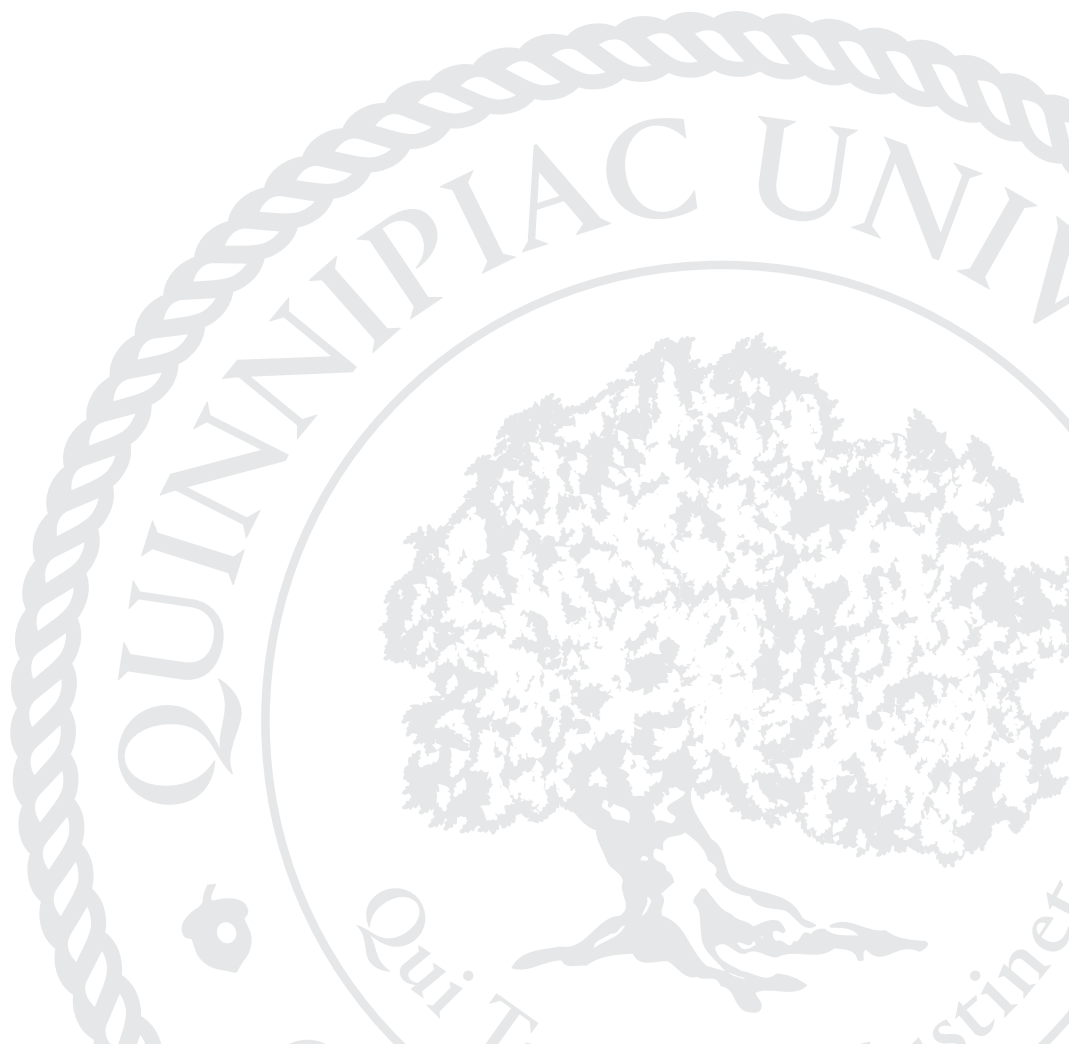
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UNIVERSITY

SCHOOL OF LAW
COMMENCEMENT
AND DOCTORAL HOODING

Friday the Tenth of May

2024

Five o'clock





GREETINGS FROM PRESIDENT OLIAN

Congratulations to the Class of 2024 as you celebrate the culmination of three years of hard work and a steadfast commitment to your dream. As whole lawyers who retain their personal values and sense of self while becoming skilled practitioners, you are well prepared to become leaders in your community and to advance social justice — both within and beyond the sphere of your practice.

As graduates of the Quinnipiac University School of Law, you have learned from a distinguished faculty and a committed staff. You also have learned from each other during this transformative time in your lives. Please stay connected to the Bobcat community and continue to draw upon the many friendships and mentorships you have formed here.

Your talent, drive, and purpose are sure to impact many and to make the world a better and more equitable place. Enjoy this day with your families, friends, and others who have helped you reach this milestone. Together, we are cheering for you, with utmost pride.

Warmly,

Judy D. Olian, PhD



A MESSAGE FROM DEAN BROWN

Congratulations to the Class of 2024. As you embark upon your careers, I'm confident that you're graduating fully prepared for the responsibilities that lie ahead, whether you'll be working at a law firm, clerking for a judge, or lending your voice to the fight for social justice.

So much has happened during your time at Quinnipiac; collectively, we have dealt with significant changes in constitutional law here at home, and devastating destruction and loss of life in wars across the globe. Through it all, you've worked hard, you've mastered the law, and you have grown — emotionally and intellectually — to become “whole lawyers” who will serve your clients and communities effectively, ethically, and empathetically.

I am honored to conclude my tenure as dean just as you are concluding your work as students. I hope we can all reflect back on this time at Quinnipiac Law as a period of growth, friendship, and joy in learning. On behalf of the entire faculty and staff at Quinnipiac Law, I wish you long and meaningful careers and much success.

kindest wishes,

Jennifer Gerarda Brown

ORDER OF EXERCISES

Trumpet Prelude and Processional

Pomp and Circumstance, Sir Edward Elgar

Call to Commencement

Debra J. Liebowitz, PhD
Provost

National Anthem

Cameron Chaplen, JD '24

Greetings

Judy D. Olian, PhD
President

Remarks

Jennifer Gerarda Brown
Dean of the School of Law

Introduction of Commencement Speaker

Jennifer Gerarda Brown

Commencement Address

Arunan Arulampalam, JD '14
Mayor, City of Hartford

Presentation of Candidates for Degrees and Conferral of Hoods

Jennifer Gerarda Brown

Kevin Barry
Associate Dean

Hooders:

Stephen Gilles, *Professor of Law, Professor of the Year*
Marilyn Ford, *Professor of Law*
Stanton Krauss, *Professor of Law*

Conferral of Degrees

Judy D. Olian

Remarks

Matthew David Ventricelli, JD '24
President, Student Bar Association

Stephen Gilles
Professor of the Year

Alumni Welcome

Adam Swanson, JD '08
President, Law Alumni Association

Recessional

Please remain at your seats until the Commencement procession files out.
A post-ceremony reception will take place at the Rocky Top Student Center.

CANDIDATES FOR GRADUATION

Subject to completion of all curricular requirements, degrees will be conferred upon all candidates listed herein and any others who meet the graduation requirements.

Included in the May ceremony are students who completed the requirements for graduation in December 2023 and May 2024, and those who expect to complete their requirements by July 2024.

AWARDS AND HONORS

Projected candidates for Latin honors based upon cumulative grade point average at the end of Fall 2023 are noted in the program.



JURIS DOCTOR DEGREE CANDIDATES

Adrianna Aresco
Lena Ann Arnold +
Lauren Elizabeth Baretta +
Celeste Battipaglia
Amanda J. Blake +
Theresa Pamela Blangiforti
Erica M. Blue
Mia Simone Bonadies
Amy Rose Bonin
Garrett A. Borden +
Griffin Scott Bottomley +
Julianne Sarah Brown +
Jacob W. Buttiker +
Thor Erik Caroe
Matthew Chai
Fontaine Ra-Jene Chambers +
Cameron Noelle Chaplen
Jessica Cocomazzi +
Deven Cote
Bradd Cyr +
Mark D'Augelli Jr. +
Aubrey Davis
Armando P. DeChalus +
Thomas DeCrescenzo +
Brianna R. DellaValle +
Deven D. Desai +*
Alexandra Sophia DeVito +
Lily Melina Di Leo +
Emily N. Dichele +
Amanda Joy DiFrancesca +
Giuliana DiMeo +
Michelle Margaret Dougherty
Thomas Edward Driscoll +
Justin M. Dunn +
Caroline Mary Early
Joel Ennin
Bridget Erin Ertl +
Bridget Fischer
Evan William Foley +
Hunter C. Frenze
Lauren Catherine Geary +
Jessica L. Gibree +*
Mareesca Jahmilla Gordon
Mia Del Carmen Gratacos-Atterberry +
Juliana R. Greco +

Michelle A. Grieco +
Steffany Lauren Hamilton +
Taryn Nicole Henderson
Patrick S. Henry +*
David Bertram Heuvelman +
Nicole Horen +
Marianna Kalander +
Joshua Keegan +
Marta Konopka-Kourelis +
Alexander O. Kosakowski +
Amina Kuljancic
Kesang Choden Lama
Patrick William Lazor
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Brian Lenz
Sarah N. Leone +
Cade Lewis
Drake Samuel Marchese +
Hope Katherine Marino +
Siannah Dawn Marie Martius +
Elisabeth Kristin McMahon +
Senaj Mersim +
Wajiha Misbah +
Samantha M. Morton
Timothy Morytko +
Kayla Rose Moulin +
Samantha M. Murdock +
Benjamin Ryan Murray +
Saloni Naik
Kristen M. Oleskewicz +
Michel Ravell Pascal
Samantha M. Passanante +
Taylor A. Carroll Patmore +
Ryan Patrick Pawlak
Vanusa Payne +
Tyler Stefan Peruta +
Ashley Ann Peterson +
Gabrielle Petrie
Francesco Picone +
Mikayla Pieksza +
Emily Podlewski +
Andrew W. Post
Kathleen A. Quinn *
Ashley Marie Reding +
Connor Reed +

Marjorie Anne Richardson +*
Rachel Marie Richardson
Bharbara Viegas Rocha +
Samantha M. Rosa
Alexa Paige Saberito +
Kylee Rose Santos +
Leah Elsa Schwartz +
Hannah Buckley Scott +
Anthony Robert Sette
Steven Smith +
Paige E. Sorenson +
Robert Liberato Tedeschi Jr.
Bianca Raquel Torres Tejada
Kaylyn A. Terry +
Francesca L. Testa +
Taylor Ann Teulings +
Simran Thakur +
Matthew David Ventricelli +
Nicholas A. Verardi +
Jennifer M. Vincenzo +
Abigail Theresa Walsh +
Harrison Newton Waltman
Scott Andrew Warden
John Stanley White +
Tyler John Wilson-Menting +
John W. Wizeman +

+ projected candidate for Latin honors based upon the Fall 2023 grade point average

** candidate for joint JD/MBA, JD/MELP or JD/MSW*

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