WELCOME
CLAYTON S. ROSE, President of the College

HONORS DAY ADDRESS
“On Inquiry and Antiquity: Confessions of a Citation Enthusiast”
TODD S. BERZON, Assistant Professor of Religion

PRESENTATION OF SYDNEY B. KAROFSKY PRIZE FOR JUNIOR FACULTY
ELIZABETH McCORMACK, Dean for Academic Affairs

INTERLUDE
Concerto for Violin and Cello, Op. 102 (“Double Concerto”)
II. Andante
by JOHANNES BRAHMS (1833-1897)
AUGUST POSCH ’18, Cello
HANNA RENEDO ’18, Violin
GEORGE LOPEZ, Beckwith Artist in Residence, Piano

PRESENTATION OF DEPARTMENTAL PRIZES
Academic Department and Program Chairs

CLOSING REMARKS
President Rose

SINGING OF THE ALMA MATER*
“Raise Songs to Bowdoin”
GEORGE LOPEZ, Piano

*Please stand and join in singing “Raise Songs to Bowdoin.”
The words are on the back page of this program.
PRESENTATION OF KAROFSKY PRIZE
Elizabeth McCormack, Dean for Academic Affairs

SYDNEY B. KAROFSKY PRIZE FOR JUNIOR FACULTY
Peggy Wang, Assistant Professor of Art History and Asian Studies
This prize, given by members of the Karofsky family, is to be awarded annually by the dean for academic affairs, in consultation with the Appointments, Promotion, and Tenure Committee on the basis of student evaluations of teaching, to an outstanding Bowdoin teacher who “best demonstrates the ability to impart knowledge, inspire enthusiasm, and stimulate intellectual curiosity.” The prize is given to a member of the faculty who has taught at the College for at least two years.

PRESENTATION OF DEPARTMENTAL PRIZES
Academic Department and Program Chairs

AFRICANA STUDIES
Lennox Book Prize
Adira Briana Polite ’18
Through a fund established by the Lennox Foundation and Jeffrey C. Norris ’86, an appropriate book is awarded to a student graduating in Africana studies.

Dorothy Haythorn Collins Award
Anne Fraser Gregory ’19
This award, given by Dorothy Haythorn Collins and her family to the Society of Bowdoin Women, is used to honor a student “who has achieved academic and general excellence in their chosen major” at the end of the junior year. Each year the society selects a department from the sciences, social studies, and/or humanities, and the departments choose a student to honor by purchasing books and placing them with a nameplate in the department library. The students also receive a book and certificate of merit.

ART HISTORY
Anne Bartlett Lewis Memorial Prize in Art History
Hailey Alisse Beaman ’18
Established by the family of Anne Bartlett Lewis, this prize is given for demonstrated excellence in art history.

Art History Junior-Year Prize
Noah Joseph Dubay ’19
Kinaya Moina Hassane ’19
Sara Schaffer Ory ’19

Art History Senior-Year Prize
Eliza Jane Goodpasture ’18
These prizes, established by a donor who wished to remain anonymous, are given respectively to juniors and to graduating seniors who have achieved the highest distinction in the major in art history.

VISUAL ARTS
Anne Bartlett Lewis Memorial Prize in Visual Arts
Nevan Shanley Swanson ’18
Diana Furukawa ’18
Established by the family of Anne Bartlett Lewis, this prize is given for demonstrated excellence in creative visual arts.

Richard P. Martel Jr. Memorial Prize
Benjamin Wood Painter ’19
Meghan Irene Parsons ’19
This prize is awarded to those students who, in the judgment of the visual arts faculty, are deemed to have produced the most creative, perceptive, proficient, and visually appealing art works exhibited at the College during the academic year.
ASIAN STUDIES

Chinese Language Prize
Samuel Alexander Kyzivat ’18
The Chinese Language Prize is awarded to a student with demonstrated motivation and commitment to the study of Chinese language and culture.

Japanese Language Prize
Ethan Glenn Barkalow ’18
The Japanese Language Prize is awarded to a student who demonstrates excellence in Japanese language and contributes to cross-cultural understanding through service or research.

Asian Studies Prize
Daniel Castro Bonilla ’17
The Asian Studies Prize is awarded to a member of the senior class majoring in Asian Studies who has attained an exceptional cumulative average in Asian Studies courses and/or undertaken an advanced independent study or honors project in the major.

BIOCHEMISTRY

John L. Howland Book Award in Biochemistry
Kacie Jean Nelson ’19
This prize is given each year to a student who has achieved academic and general excellence in the biochemistry program at the end of the junior year. The award is in honor of John L. Howland, a member of the Bowdoin faculty from 1963 to 2002 and the Josiah Little Professor of Natural Sciences and professor of biology and biochemistry, who founded the biochemistry program at Bowdoin in 1971.

The Stephen Smith Prize in Biochemistry
Sophia Elisabeth Conwell ’18
This prize is awarded each year to an outstanding senior majoring in biochemistry, based on academic achievement, engagement, and distinction in biochemistry research.

BIOLOGY

Copeland-Gross Biology Prize
Caleb Matthew Gordon ’18
Devlin Shea ’18
Zoe Makepeace Wood ’18
In honor of Manton Copeland and Alfred Otto Gross, this book prize is presented to the graduating senior who has best exemplified the idea of a liberal education during the major program in biology.

Donald and Harriet S. Macomber Prize in Biology
Tossapol Pholcharee ’18
Samuel Arlington Walkes ’18
This prize is awarded annually to one or more outstanding students in the Department of Biology.

James Malcolm Moulton Prize in Biology
Mikayla Starbird Kifer ’19
Susannah Claire Lawhorn ’19
This book prize, established in honor of James Malcolm Moulton, is awarded annually to an outstanding junior majoring in biology, as judged by scholarship and interest.

CHEMISTRY

ACS Awards for Superior Work in Chemistry
Analytical Chemistry
Catherine Mary Call ’19
Inorganic Chemistry
Gavin Taylor Shilling ’21
Organic Chemistry
Jack Christopher Sharland ’18
Physical Chemistry
Laura Fei Cotter ’18
Maine Award
Ryan Christopher Keefe ’18
Four prizes awarded annually by the American Chemical Society recognizing superior work in the areas of analytical, inorganic, organic, and physical chemistry, and one prize awarded by the Maine Section of the American Chemical Society to a graduating senior from the state of Maine.
The Sunrise Prize
RAYNE KELLEN STONE ’18
The Sunrise Prize, named for F.W. Murnau’s 1927 film Sunrise, is awarded to a member of the senior class for the best essay written for a cinema studies class or independent study.

CLASSICS

Hannibal Hamlin Emery Latin Prize
COOPER MASON HEMPHILL ’18
This prize is awarded to a member of the junior or senior class for proficiency in Latin.

Nathan Goold Prize
JULIANA GRACE LEWIS ’18
LOUISA HOPKINS MOORE ’18
This prize, established by Abba Goold Woolson, of Portland, in memory of her grandfather, is awarded to that member of the senior class who has, throughout the college course, attained the highest standing in Greek and Latin studies.

J. B. Sewall Greek Prize
WILLIAM STUART DONALDSON ’20
This prize is awarded to the member of the sophomore class who sustains the best examination in Greek.

J. B. Sewall Latin Prize
JUSTIN COREY MILLER ’20
This prize is awarded to the member of the sophomore class who sustains the best examination in Latin.

COMPUTER SCIENCE

Computer Science Senior-Year Prize
ANDREW PHILIP PRESCOTT ’18
This prize is awarded to a senior or seniors judged by the Department of Computer Science to have achieved the highest distinction in the major program in computer science.
Allen B. Tucker Computer Science Research Prize
Corinne Taylor Alini ’18
This prize is awarded to a computer science student or students for excellence in summer research.

EARTH AND OCEANOGRAPHIC SCIENCE

Earth and Oceanographic Science Book Award
Eugen F. Cotei ’21
Katelyn Mosher Cox ’21
Zoe Alexandra Dietrich ’21
This award is given annually to one first- or second-year student from each of the introductory earth and oceanographic science courses for exceptional class performance, including creative contributions to the class project.

ECONOMICS

Paul H. Douglas Prize
Mathieu Hudson Bialosky ’19
Frank Michael Bruni ’19
Isaiah Smeltzer West ’19
Victoria Estelle Yu ’19
This prize recognizes juniors who show outstanding promise in scholarship in economics. The prize is named for Paul H. Douglas of the Class of 1913, a respected labor economist and United States senator.

Adam Smith Book Prize
Christopher Ho–Lam Li ’19
Amalia Roth ’19
Marina Blair Stam ’19
This award recognizes juniors who demonstrate exceptional analytical skills and originality in the study of economy and society.

EDUCATION

Bowdoin Teacher Scholars
Rachel Nicole Pollinger ’15
Kimberly Sacala Gilmore ’16
Olivia Dannette Bean ’17
Diego Infante ’17
Benjamin Harris Miller ’17
Jude Elyana Marx ’18
Rebecca Allison Stern ’19
These students have completed the Bowdoin Teacher Scholars program, qualifying them for secondary school Maine teacher certification.

Education Department Award for Interdisciplinary Scholarship
Kristin Katherine Bishop ’18
LaShanda Harbin ’18
Presented to the student(s) whose interdisciplinary scholarship demonstrates exceptional purpose and passion in the study of education.

ENGLISH

Academy of American Poets Collette Inez Poetry Prize
June Daowen Lei ’18
This national prize is awarded by the Academy of American Poets for best poem or groups of poems.

Philip Henry Brown Prize
Sophie Fleur de Bruijn ’18
June Daowen Lei ’18
Two prizes from the annual income of a fund established by Philip Greely Brown 1877, A.M. 1892, in memory of Philip Henry Brown 1851, A.M. 1854, may be offered to members of the senior class for excellence in extemporaneous English composition.

Hawthorne Prize
Andrew William McGowan ’19
This prize is awarded each year to the author of the best short story.
Nathalie Walker Llewellyn Poetry Prize
Sydney V. To ’19
This prize is awarded to the student who submitted the best work of original poetry.

Non-Fiction Prize
Carly Gail Berlin ’18
This prize, established in 2008, is awarded for the best work of creative nonfiction.

Poetry Prize
Adam Li Silberberg ’20
This prize is awarded for the best poem written by an undergraduate.

Pray English Prize
Jae Yeon Yoo ’18
This prize, given by Dr. Thomas Jefferson Worcester Pray 1844, is awarded to the best scholar in English literature and original English composition.

Forbes Rickard Jr. Memorial Poetry Prize
Ayana Harscoet ’21
This prize, given by a group of alumni of the Bowdoin chapter of Alpha Delta Phi fraternity in memory of Forbes Rickard Jr., Class of 1917, who lost his life in the service of his country, is awarded to the undergraduate writing the best poem.

David Sewall Premium
Brianna Marie Cedrone ’21
Emily M. Ha ’21
This prize is awarded to a member of the first-year class for excellence in English composition.

Mary B. Sinkinson Short Story Prize
Brendan Paek Mallery ’18
This prize, established by John Judson Sinkinson of the Class of 1902 in memory of his wife, Mary Burnett Sinkinson, is awarded each year for the best short story written by a member of the junior or senior class.

Bertram Louis Smith Jr. Prize
Monica Huan-Huan Xing ’19
This prize was established by his father in memory of Bertram Louis Smith Jr., of the Class of 1903, to encourage excellence of work in English literature and is awarded by the department to a member of the junior class who has completed two years’ work in English literature.

ENVIRONMENTAL STUDIES

Academic Award in Environmental Studies
Casey Chase ’18
Jesse Otis Chung ’18
Linnea Rose Patterson ’18
This prize is awarded to graduating seniors who have achieved outstanding academic distinction in the completion of the environmental studies coordinate major.

Community Service Award in Environmental Studies
Nicholas Charles Mitch ’18
This prize is awarded to graduating students majoring in environmental studies who have demonstrated exemplary service to the College and the broader community.

GENDER, SEXUALITY, AND WOMEN’S STUDIES

Edith Lansing Koon Sills Prize in Gender, Sexuality, and Women’s Studies
Elena Arielle Gleed ’18
The Society of Bowdoin Women’s Edith Lansing Koon Sills Prize is a yearly prize awarded to an outstanding student in gender, sexuality, and women’s studies, as selected by the Gender, Sexuality, and Women’s Studies Program Committee.
GERMAN

German Consular Prize in Literary Interpretation
Brewster William Taylor '18
This prize was initiated by the German Consulate, from whom the winner receives a certificate of merit and a book prize, in addition to a small financial prize to be awarded from the income of the fund. The prize is awarded annually to the senior German major who wins a competition requiring superior skills in literary interpretation.

Old Broad Bay Prize in Reading German
Alexandra Belmore '18
Christopher Michael Brown '18
Brewster William Taylor '18
This prize was established by Jasper J. Stahl 1909, Litt.D. 1960, and others as a living memorial to the men and women from the valley of the Rhine who in the eighteenth century founded the first German settlement in Maine at Broad Bay, now Waldoboro. The prize is awarded to students who have profited especially from their instruction in German.

GOVERNMENT AND LEGAL STUDIES

Prizes for Excellence in Government and Legal Studies
American Politics
McClure Williams Salovaara Brower '18
Comparative Politics
Joseph Block Amdur '18
International Relations
Alexandra Ida Miller '18
Political Theory
Jonathan Atticus Carnell '18
Four prizes awarded annually to senior majors who demonstrate exceptional performance at Bowdoin in the study of American politics, comparative politics, international relations, and political theory.

Richard E. Morgan Prize for Excellence in the Study of the Constitution
Kristin Katherine Bishop '18
Awarded annually to a student excelling in the study of constitutional law.

LATIN AMERICAN STUDIES

The John Harold Turner Prize in Latin American Studies
Paola Antonia Maymí Francis '18
Jonah Gordon Watt '18
This prize is awarded to a graduating Latin American Studies major who, in the judgment of the Latin American Studies Committee, has achieved academic distinction and has contributed to an understanding of the region.

Latin American Studies Award for Public Engagement
Jonah Gordon Watt '18
Established in 2016, the LAS Award for Public Engagement prize is awarded to a junior or senior, majoring in any discipline, who has contributed to the recognition and understanding of Latin America, the Caribbean, or the Latin American or Caribbean diasporas through exemplary public engagement, meaningful community service, and/or efforts in public education, intersecting, to the extent possible, with his/her academic studies.

MATHEMATICS

Edward Sanford Hammond Mathematics Prize
Ira Hanzhao Li '18
Samuel Elias Swain '18
The prize is awarded on recommendation of the Department of Mathematics to a graduating senior who is completing a major in mathematics with distinction. This book prize honors the memory of Edward S. Hammond, for many years Wing Professor of Mathematics, and was established by his former students at the time of his retirement.
Smyth Mathematical Prize
SAMUEL AUDEN HARDER ’20
JOHN TAEKYONG AHN ’19
SAMUEL ELIAS SWAIN ’18
Established by Henry Jewett Furber 1861 in honor of Professor William Smyth, this prize is awarded to the student in the sophomore class who obtains the highest grades in mathematics courses during the first two years. Recipients are selected at the end of their sophomore year and continue to receive the awards as juniors and seniors.

\[100\pi - e\] Prize
ALANNA JOY HASLAM ’20
The \[100\pi - e\] Prize is to be awarded at the discretion of the Department of Mathematics to a first- or second-year student demonstrating extraordinary inspiration and joy for the pursuit of mathematics.

MUSIC

Sue Winchell Burnett Music Prize
JAE YEO YOO ’18
Established by Rebecca P. Bradley in memory of Sue Winchell Burnett, this prize is awarded to the member of the senior class who has majored in music and has made the most significant contribution to music while a student at Bowdoin.

NATURAL SCIENCES

Sumner Increase Kimball Prize
MARGARET MARIE CONLEY ’18
TOSAPOL PHOLCHARREE ’18
This prize is awarded annually to those members of the senior class who have shown the most ability and originality in fields of the natural sciences.

NEUROSCIENCE

Munno Neuroscience Prize
EMMA KATHERINE KANE ’18
SHANNON MARIE KNIGHT ’18
MEREDITH EMERY STANOHOPE ’18
Established by David W. Munno ’99, this prize is awarded for excellence in research by a student majoring in neuroscience.

PHILOSOPHY

Philip W. Cummings Philosophy Prize
NICHOLAS JOHN DISTEFANO ’18
This prize, established by Gerard L. Dubé ’55 in memory of his friend and classmate, is awarded to the most deserving student in the Department of Philosophy.

PHYSICS

Edwin Herbert Hall Prize in Physics
RUSSELL RABSON O’BRIEN ’20
HANNAH JORDAN SCHLEIFER ’20
The annual income of this fund, named in honor of Edwin Herbert Hall 1875, A.M. 1878, LL.D. 1905, the discoverer of the Hall effect, is awarded each year to the best sophomore scholar in the field of physics.

Noel C. Little Prize in Experimental Physics
THOMAS HENRY SPENCER HAIG ’18
This prize, named in honor of Noel C. Little ’17, Sc.D. ’67, professor of physics and Josiah Little Professor of Natural Science, is awarded to a graduating senior who has distinguished himself or herself in experimental physics.

E. O. LaCasce Jr. Prize in Theoretical Physics
MARGARET MARIE CONLEY ’18
A prize named in honor of Elroy O. LaCasce Jr., of the Class of 1944, professor of physics emeritus, is awarded to a graduating senior who has distinguished herself or himself in theoretical physics.

American Association of Physics Teachers Learning Assistant Prize
DEREK MARTIN SEDERMAN ’19
This prize is given to the student or students who show an exemplary reliability, dedication to inspiring student engagement, excellence in learning group work, and willingness to go above and beyond their roles as department learning assistants.
RELIGION

**Edgar Oakes Achorn Prize**
Cole Woodside Crawford ’20
Audrey Jean Muscato ’20
The income of a fund established by Edgar Oakes Achorn 1881 is awarded as a prize for the best essay written by a member of the second- or first-year classes in Religion 1101.

**Lea Ruth Thumim Biblical Literature Prize**
Sydney Catherine Smith ’19
Collin Michael van der Veen ’21
Established by Carl Thumim in memory of his wife, Lea Ruth Thumim, this prize is awarded each year to the best scholar in biblical literature.

ROMANCE LANGUAGES AND LITERATURES

**Prize for Excellence in Romance Languages and Literatures**
Gabriella Julia Papper ’18
Established by the Department of Romance Languages and Literatures, this prize is awarded to a graduating Romance languages and literatures major for outstanding achievement and promise in the study of more than one Romance language, literature, and culture.

**Goodwin French Prize**
Anna Robinson MacLean ’19
Established by the Reverend Daniel Raynes Goodwin, Class of 1832, this prize is awarded to the best scholar in Francophone Studies.

**Eaton Leith Francophone Studies Prize**
Diego Rafael Grossmann ’20
Tessa True Peterson ’20
Established by James M. Fawcett III of the Class of 1958 in honor of Eaton Leith, professor of Romance languages and literatures, this prize is awarded to the member of the sophomore or junior class who, by proficiency and scholarship, achieves outstanding results in the study of French literature.

**Charles H. Livingston Honors Prize in Francophone Studies**
Zachary Richard Duperry ’18
This prize, established by former students and friends of Charles Harold Livingston, Longfellow Professor of Romance Languages, upon the occasion of his retirement, is awarded to encourage independent scholarship in the form of honors theses in French.

**Dante Prize in Italian Studies**
Spencer Larson Wuest ’18
Christopher John Markisz ’20
This prize, established in 2010 by the generous donation of Zachariah Messitte ’90, is awarded to the student who writes the best essay on Dante or Italian literature.

**Raimondi Prize in Italian Studies**
Emily Meredith Beaulieu ’18
César Varela ’18
This prize, established in 2010 by the generous donation of Zachariah Messitte ’90, honors the most outstanding student in Italian studies to include language and culture.

**Philip C. Bradley Hispanic Studies Prize**
McClure Williams Salovaara Brower ’18
Henni Maura Friedlander ’18
Established in 1982 by classmates and friends in memory of Philip C. Bradley of the Class of 1966, this prize is awarded to outstanding students in Spanish language and literature.

**Sophomore Prize in Hispanic Studies**
Finny Li Doherty ’20
This prize is awarded each year to the most promising sophomore who has declared a major in Hispanic studies.

RUSSIAN

**Prize for Excellence in Russian Language and Literature**
Jae Yeon Yoo ’18
This prize, established in 2002 by Jane Knox, professor of Russian emerita, is awarded to a graduating senior who has achieved distinction as a Russian major.
Russian Scholar Laureate

**Johna Ann Cook ’19**

This award, given by the American Council of Teachers of Russian, recognizes the best qualities of a post-secondary Russian student: an unfailing love for all things Russian; a passion for the language, literature, and culture; a commitment to excellence; and an enthusiasm for knowledge and cultural literacy. Nomination for this national honor is a testament to the high esteem in which the Department of Russian holds the student.

SOCIeLOGY AND ANTHROPOLOGY

**Award for Distinguished Public Sociology and Anthropology**

**Diya Chopra ’18**

**Margaret Mary "Daisy” Wislar ’18**

The prize is awarded to those students majoring or minoring in sociology or anthropology who demonstrate an exemplary engagement in public scholarship and/or community service. It recognizes those who have exhibited sociological or anthropological imagination in connecting the knowledge of their major to public service and/or scholarship. It also acknowledges those students who have made meaningful impacts on the community.

**Elbridge Sibley Prize**

**Sophie Rebecca Cowen ’18**

This prize, established in 1989 in honor of Elbridge Sibley by Milton M. Gordon ’39, a student of Professor Sibley, is awarded each year to that member of the senior class majoring in sociology or anthropology who has the highest mid-year general scholastic average in their Bowdoin class.

THEATER AND DANCE

**Bowdoin Dance Group Award**

**Genesis Escalante ’18**

An appropriate, inscribed dance memento is awarded annually to an outstanding senior for contributions of dedicated work, goodwill, and talent, over the course of their Bowdoin career, in the lively, imaginative spirit of the Class of 1975, the first graduating class of Bowdoin dancers.

**Award for Excellence in Dance Performance**

**Lucia Wetherbee Gagliardone ’20**

This prize is awarded annually to dance students in any class whose performing skills and commitment to excellence warrant special recognition.

**Award for Outstanding Contribution to Theater and Dance**

**Eric Daniel Mercado ’18**

Awarded to a student who—through consistent, generous, and varied activities—enriches the department’s culture, raises the quality of its productions, and lifts the spirits of students, staff, and faculty.

**William H. Moody ’56 Award**

**Conor Crosby Walsh ’18**

**Miriam Edith Fraga ’18**

Established in memory of Bill Moody, who for many years was the theater technician and a friend of countless students, this award is presented annually to sophomores, juniors, or seniors who have made outstanding contributions to the theater through technical achievements accomplished in good humor.

**Abraham Goldberg Prize**

**Jae Yeon Yoo ’18**

This prize is awarded annually to those members of the senior class who have shown the most skill in the art of designing or directing plays.

**Alice Merrill Mitchell Prize**

**Sophie Fleur de Bruijn ’18**

This prize, established by Wilmot Brookings Mitchell 1890, A.M. 1907, L.H.D. ’38, Edward Little Professor of Rhetoric and Oratory, in memory of his wife, Alice Merrill Mitchell, is awarded annually to that member of the senior class who, in the opinion of a faculty committee headed by the director of theater, has shown, in plays presented at the College during the two years preceding the date of award, the most skill in the art of acting.
RAISE SONGS TO BOWDOIN

Words by K. C. M. Sills, Class of 1901  
New Lyrics by Anthony Antolini ’63  
Arranged by Thornton W. Allen

Raise songs to Bowdoin, praise her fame,  
And sound abroad her glorious name;  
To Bowdoin, Bowdoin lift your song,  
And may the music echo long  
O’er whispering pines and campus fair  
With sturdy might filling the air.  
Bowdoin, from birth, our nurturer and friend  
To thee we pledge our love again, again.

While now amid thy halls we stay  
And breathe thy spirit day by day,  
Oh may we thus full worthy be  
To march in that proud company  
Of poets, leaders and each one  
Who brings thee fame by deeds well done.  
Bowdoin, from birth, our nurturer and friend  
To thee we pledge our love again, again.