In these unprecedented times, it’s important to find the silver linings. You, our Class of 2020 graduates, are one such bright spot.

Now, it’s your time to shine.

I’m sorry that we can’t celebrate your achievements in person. The last two semesters of your college career have been unlike any other, but I want to thank you for your commitment and resiliency during these trying times. Please don’t let the Zoom lectures overshadow the bulk of your time spent in our classrooms, labs, and forests. In your time at Warnell, you’ve bonded with classmates through many shared experiences—van trips, camping out, muddy walks through the woods, and late nights in the lab.

During your time here you were inspired by our natural world, connected with professionals and mentors in your field, and, I hope, are now graduating from Warnell with a sense of pride and wonder, looking forward to your next adventure.

But know that wherever your Warnell degree takes you, we will always be here for support, guidance, and even a letter of recommendation or two. You are now part of the Warnell family forever, and we look forward to the next time we can gather on campus for a tailgate or Warnell Weekend to celebrate in person. We have enjoyed learning from you and with you, and we hope to see you in the future.

Stay in touch, and go Dawgs!
Fall Graduation
2020

Welcome and Introduction
Dean Dale Greene

Student Speakers
Kerigan R. Greeson
Parks, Recreation, and Tourism Management

Kentrell L. Richardson
Wildlife Sciences

Faculty Speaker
James Martin
2020 Herrick Award for Outstanding Teaching
Honor Graduates

Summa Cum Laude

Rebecca Anne Templeton  
Natural Resource Management and Sustainability (Geospatial Information Science)

Magna Cum Laude

Sarah Grace Abad  
Parks, Recreation and Tourism Management

Sydney Catherine Burke  
Fisheries and Wildlife (Pre-Veterinary Medicine)

Calvin Clay Ellis  
Fisheries and Wildlife (Wildlife Sciences)

Laura Beth Garrett  
Parks, Recreation and Tourism Management

Danielle Ruth Goold  
Fisheries and Wildlife (Wildlife Sciences)

Ashlyn Nicole Halseth  
Fisheries and Wildlife (Wildlife Sciences)

Cum Laude

Chloe Marie Westhafer  
Fisheries and Wildlife (Wildlife Sciences)

Hannah Louise Young  
Parks, Recreation and Tourism Management
Bachelor of Science in Forest Resources

Monica Bebawy
Fisheries and Wildlife
(Wildlife Sciences)

Caleb Michael Bixler
Parks, Recreation and
Tourism Management

Raymond Alexander Browning
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(Aquatic Sciences)

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(Aquatic Sciences)

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Sarah Nicole Yeakle
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Graduates

Master of Forest Resources

Robert Brynnan Adams  Anthony Joseph Purnell
Bryan Scott Hall  Tyler Owen Smith
Timothy Raymond Miller  William Michael Harris Steele
Henry Haynes Morris

Master of Natural Resources

Andrew Vaughn Bray  Nicholas Tait Rassel
Katrina Ariel Henn  Samantha Teresa Siragusa
Katie Marie Parson

Master of Science

Henry Crawford Adams  Heather Elyse Levy
Gina Alexandra Alvarez  Seth Alex McWhorter
David Austin Berasconi  Steven Mark Porter Jr.
Cortney Jo Bunch  Emily Nicole Prosser
Victoria Anne Cassidy  Sameen Raut
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Laura Leith Fowler  Zhine Wang
Madisen Ree Fuller  Manlin Wei
Rachel Rae Gardner  Cheyenne Jolene Yates
Thomas Baisley Harris
Justin Nathaniel Hill

Doctor of Philosophy

Christine Cairns Fortuin  Farhad Hossain Masum
John Forrest Grider  Karuna Paudel
Alba Rocio Gutierrez Garzon  Justin Tyler Pynne
Pooja Gupta  Melissa Dawn Shockey
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