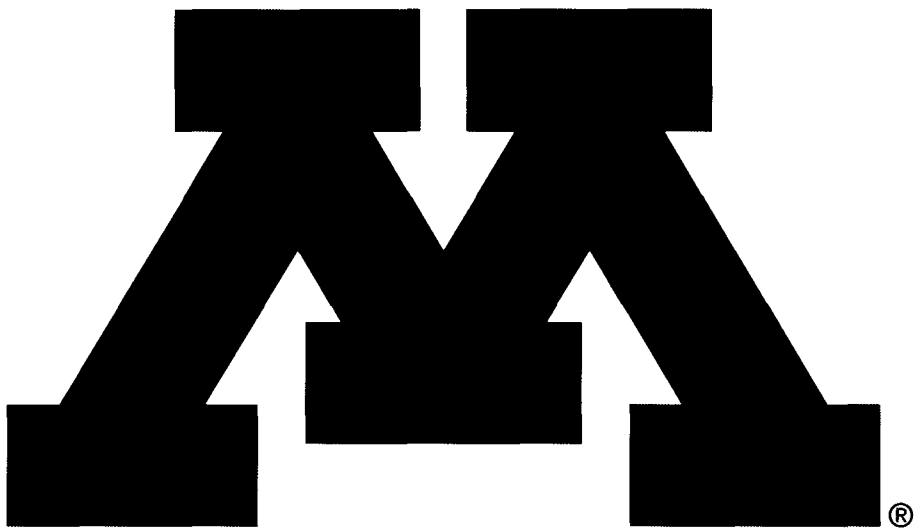


UNIVERSITY OF MINNESOTA

College of Veterinary Medicine



Commencement
2009

Northrop Memorial Auditorium
Minneapolis Campus

Saturday, May 2, 2009
7:00 p.m.

Recipients of the Doctor of Veterinary Medicine Degree

Matthew Allerson	Jake Johnson
Jason Anderson	Melissa Holcomb
Molly Anderson Krahn	Nina Kieves
Seth Baker	Amy Koenigsberger
Diane Battjes	Noel Kubat
Eric Battjes	Brenda Kuechle
Jess Baxter	Maya Kuratomi
Justin Bienkowski	Karen Lee
Katie Byrne	Melissa Lee
Jaelyn Carlson Van Lith	Holly Lillegaard
Katie Cartledge	Julie Liu
Carmen Chavez	Anne Lottie
Jenny Cho-MacSwain	Mary Luebbers
Jaime Chou	Sarah Maasch
Jessie Clark	Kara McArdell
Nicole Coates	Jennifer Melling
Melissa Cowan	Jaime Nett
Carrie Daly	Kathleen Neumann
Lena DeTar	Elizabeth O'Brien
Jessie Dunsmore	Noel Opitz
Carolyn Ecker	Margaret Perala
Kat Engelsma	Britt Peters
Brian Enger	Mary Peters
Andrew Federer	Katie Ptak
Terri Felske	Alexis Rambaud
DeAnna Fox	Jenny Revermann
Fonda Galbreath	Kevin Rosser
Gretchen Geib	Ian Rubinoff
Katie Geray	Carissa Schloesser
Brandi Golden	Alli Schnurrer
Alicia Grossman	Sarah Simonson
Shannon Guy	Stephanie Sosniak
Debra Hagen	Conrad Spangler
Stephanie Haket	Barbara Tauk
Lucy Hanus	Erin Tipton
Jamie Hartman	Jen Tuomi
Ann Haugen	Heather Vogl
Sara Hegge	Michelle Waldrop
Kimberly Helmbold	Jenna Webeck
Missy Henton	Emilee White
Jessica Hovet	Wendy Whitney
Maria Huh	Samantha Winkels
Sarah Jacobsen	Corey Woodcock
Kirsten Jagow	

PROGRAM

Prelude	<i>Summit Hill Brass Quintet</i>
Processional Pomp and Circumstance	<i>Summit Hill Brass Quintet</i> Edward Elgar
Opening Remarks	<i>Dr. Trevor Ames, Dean</i>
Commencement Address	<i>Dr. W. Ron DeHaven, DVM, MBA</i> <i>AVMA Executive Vice President</i>
Response for the Class of 2009	<i>Andrew Federer</i>
Musical Interlude Concerto No. 1 (Alegro)	<i>Summit Hill Brass Quintet</i> Antonio Vivaldi/J.S.Bach (transcribed by David Baldwin)
Introduction of DVM Candidates	<i>Dr. Leslie Sharkey</i>
Placing of DVM Hoods	<i>Drs. Erin Malone, Roberto Novo, Christie Ward</i>
Presentation of DVM Diplomas	<i>Dr. Trevor Ames, Dean,</i> <i>Dr. Laura Molgaard, Associate Dean</i>
Introduction of MS & PhD Candidates	<i>Dr. Mark Rutherford,</i> <i>Associate Dean for Graduate Programs</i>
Placing of MS and PhD Hoods	<i>Advisors</i>
Presentation of MS & PhD Diplomas	<i>Dr. Trevor Ames, Dean</i> <i>Dr. Srirama Rao, Associate Dean for Research</i>
Introduction of DVM/MPH Candidates	<i>Dr. Larissa Minicucci</i>
Placing of MPH Hoods	<i>Dr. John Finnegan, Dean,</i> <i>School of Public Health</i>
Conferring of Degrees	<i>Regent, Dallas Bohnsack</i> <i>Board of Regents</i>
Administration of Veterinarian's Oath	<i>Dr. Paul Rapnicki, President</i> <i>Minnesota Veterinary Medical Association</i>
Welcome by the Alumni and Friends Society	<i>Dr. Tom Schuld, President</i>
CVM Alumni & Friends Society	
Congratulatory Remarks	<i>Dr. Mark Paller,</i> <i>Assistant Vice President for Research, Academic Health Center</i>
Closing Remarks	<i>Dr. Trevor Ames, Dean</i>
Recessional Earl of Oxford's March	<i>Summit Hill Brass Quintet</i> William Byrd

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We invite all those holding a DVM degree to join us
in the recitation of the Veterinarian's Oath.

VETERINARIAN'S OATH

**Being admitted to the profession of
veterinary medicine, I solemnly swear to use my
scientific knowledge and skills for the benefit of
society through the protection of animal health,
the relief of animal suffering, the conservation of
animal resources, the promotion of public
health, and the advancement
of medical knowledge.**

**I will practice my profession conscientiously,
with dignity, and in keeping with the
principles of veterinary medical ethics.**

**I accept as a lifelong obligation the continual
improvement of my professional knowledge and
competence.**

**Adopted by the AVMA House of Delegates,
July 1969**

Recipients of the PhD Degree

Recipient/Thesis

Advisors

Lee Chaves

Dr. Kent Reed

“Molecular Genetics of the Turkey Major Histocompatibility Complex”

Joseph Anthony Jude

Drs. Mathur Kannan and Timothy Walseth

“Regulation of CD38 Expression in Human Airway Smooth Muscle Cells”

Alfonso Lago

Dr. Sandra Godden

“Efficacy and Cost-benefit of the Selective Treatment of Clinical and Subclinical Mastitis in Dairy Cattle Based on On-farm Culture Results”

KwangSoo Lyoo

Dr. HanSoo Joo

“Virologic and Epidemiologic Investigation of Porcine Circovirus Type 2 Infection on Swine Farms”

Tamene Melkamu

Dr. Scott O’Grady

“Toll-like Receptor Regulation of Innate Immune Function in Human Airway Epithelial Cells”

Patrick Pithua

Dr. Scott Wells

“Role of Colostrum in the Epidemiology of Bovine Paratuberculosis”

Suphot Wattanaphansak

Drs. Connie Gebhart and Randall Singer

“Lawsonia Intracellularis: Epidemiology and Disease Control”

Recipients of the Master of Science Degree

Recipient/Thesis

Advisors

Kristelle Mendoza

Dr. Kent Reed

“Functional Genomics of Round Heart in the Turkey”

Andrea Pitkin

Dr. Scott Dee

“The Production Region Model: A New Approach to Evaluate Routes of Transmission and Protocols of Biosecurity for PRRS Virus”

CONGRATULATIONS!

The faculty and staff at the University of Minnesota College of Veterinary Medicine congratulates the Class of 2009 on their accomplishments. We wish you well as you enter this profession and look forward to hearing great things about you in the future.

Please keep in touch with us as you make the transition from student to colleague. Don't forget your friends here at the College, as we will not forget you!

Summit Hill Brass Quintet

David Baldwin – Trumpet

Pam Humphrey – Trumpet

Gwen Anderson – Horn

Scott Anderson – Tuba

David Stevens – Trombone