



Class of 2026

WHITE COAT

CEREMONY

August 19, 2022 - 10 a.m.

Moss Arts Center



Virginia-Maryland College of Veterinary Medicine

White Coat Ceremony

Dean's Welcome

Dr. M. Daniel Givens, Dean

Alumni Board of Directors and Veterinary Medical Association

Presidents' Welcome

Dr. William S. Swecker Jr. (DVM '84, PhD '90)
Immediate Past President, Virginia Veterinary Medical Association

Dr. Elizabeth Hepner (DVM '16, MPH '16)
President, Maryland Veterinary Medical Association

Dr. Jeff Alexander (DVM '98, PhD '15)
President, VMCVM Alumni Board of Directors

Presentation of White Coats and Stethoscopes

Dr. Katherine Fogelberg
Associate Dean for Professional Programs

Dr. Nathaniel Burke (DVM '11, MS '07)
Vice President, Virginia Veterinary Medical Association

*Stethoscopes generously provided by CVCA Cardiac Care for Pets
and the veterinary medical associations of Virginia,
Maryland, and West Virginia*

*White coats generously provided by National Veterinary Associates
and several VMCVM alumni*

Veterinary Student's Oath

Dr. Jacquelyn Pelzer (DVM '97)
Director of Admissions and Student Support

Closing Remarks

Dr. M. Daniel Givens, Dean

Class of 2026 Group Photo

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Katherine Agster
Amelia Elizabeth Aiken
Danielle Mae Alms
Shannen Jo Auffarth
Sebastien Joseph Banos
Elizabeth Grace Barry
Niamh-Marie Patricia Batstone
Mamta Bhatia
Alyssa Marie Blancke
Natalie Claire Bolin
Cathryn Bowling
Colin Patrick Boyle
Michelle Nicole Brennaman
Delaney Briscoe
Jacquelynn Bubier
Haley Paige Burger
Mariah Liane Casaday
Taylor Cefalo
Elizabeth Chin
Christa Lynn Clark
Madison Elizabeth Cogle
Brett Patrick Connolly
Andrea Jimei Connor
Mia Marie Damiano
Georgia Anne Daniel
Cameron Dedrick
Taylor Elisse Downing
Jordan Christopher Eadie
Rebecca Jane Enger
Lauren Ashley Evans
Gabriel Maynor Faulcon
Kayla Fay
Daniel Fields
Brittney Nicole Fogg
Jessica Margaret Gaine
Daniel Stefun Gaines
Luke Anderson Garges
Kenzie Todd George
Kelli Ann Gillespie
Lauren Nicole Ginefra
Briana Sarah Gleizer
Noah Joel Goldfarb
Meredith Chapman Gregg
Brynna Marie Gyuricsko
Leslie Hackney
Nina Magdalena Havelka
Cecily Sharbel Hayek
Thomas Calhoun Heck
Ethan Jacob Heiberger
Illiana Isabella Hins
Sean Michael Horne
Rachael Michelle Horton
Thomas Cody Howard
Ezekiel Jennette
Benjamin Michael Jewusiak
Ryan Jordan
Katherine Margaret Karlen
Danielle Nicole Kila
Samantha Reagan King
Jax Lane Knott
Logan Danielle Kruse
Emily Kutskel
Shelby Paige Lassiter
Diana Abigail Lemus
Alison Michelle Lynch
Lauren Alexandra Maghakh
Mckenna Maloney
Elena Alexandra Mantis
Alexander Blair Marsh
Kiana Martinez
Camryn Jane McCloskey
Brianna Leigh McPhail
Skylar Ashton Merkle
Stephanie Meyer
Mackenzi Lee Mills
Laurel Lydia Jewel Moore
Jasmine Gabrielle Morgan
Kaitlyn Lee Morse
Taylor L. Mortensen
Autumn Gabrielle Mullins
Sean Patrick Murray
Christian William Nase
Nicholas Terrance Nase
Elizabeth Marie Niesz
Gianna Novak
Acadia Marie Parker
Tyler Brian Parlo
Maxwell Thomas Pasquinelli
Kruti Chirag Patel
Aida Estefania Pereyra Cruzado
Ava Porter
Matthew Robert Porter
Alicia Marie Pyne
Jolie Elizabeth Quiros
Shade Allen Rader
Shreya Ramasubramaniam
Abigail Catherine Reilly
Sophia Baumer Rhoads
Cheyenne Lynn Roderick
Brianna Nicole Romagnano
Hailey M. Roman
Healy Rosenberg
Amanda Rosendo Ocasio
Mariah Marshelle Sands
Mikel N. Shabloski
Emma C. Shanabrook
Cole Thomas Shapiro
Ashton Keith Shiraz
Jas-Lynn Kaur Singh
Mary Frances Rose Smith
Jamie DeAnne Snider
Victor Spera
Teresa Morgan Stabler
Molly Ferguson Staker
Casey Stallman
Jalea Marie Stevens
Nicole E. Tczap
Ashley Lauren Thursby
Shelly Yvonne Underwood
Kate Marie Uray
Madison Ladin Warner
Baker Keegan White
Katelyn Wilkosz
Nonye J. Williams
Danielle Shannon Witt
Michelle Lynn Yohe
Samantha Michelle Zolkiewicz
Caitlin Elise Zvoloski

Veterinary Student's Oath

Being admitted as a student in the
Virginia-Maryland College of Veterinary Medicine,
I solemnly accept as a
lifelong obligation, the pursuit of
scientific knowledge and skills
for the benefit of society
through the protection of animal and public health,
the conservation of animal resources,
and the relief of animal suffering.
I will pursue my professional education
conscientiously, with dignity,
and in keeping with the principles of
intellectual integrity and veterinary medical ethics.

