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## MEMORANDUM TO THE VMI BOARD OF VISITORS THROUGH THE ACADEMIC AFFAIRS COMMITTEE

**SUBJECT:** Approval of the Graduation List

### **Background**

VMI grants degrees on 16 May, 15 September, 31 December, and 31 January. The Board of Visitors is charged with the responsibility of approving all graduates of the Institute.

At its 3 May 2024 meeting, the Board approved a tentative list of May 2024 graduates and granted the Deputy Superintendent for Academics and Dean of the Faculty the authority to delete the names of cadets who did not meet the graduation requirements and to add the names of those who did. Attached is the final list of 16 May 2024 graduates.

### **Recommended Motion**

“The Academic Affairs Committee has considered the attached Graduation List (Enclosure (1)) dated 27 August 2024 for September 2024 graduates. The Committee recommends the Board of Visitors approve this preliminary list of graduates. The Board of Visitors grants to the Deputy Superintendent for Academics and Dean of the Faculty the authority to delete the names of cadets who do not meet the requirements for graduation from VMI, and to add the names of graduates who may fulfill the requirements for graduation. The Academic Affairs Committee further recommends that the final list of 16 May 2024 graduates (MEMORANDUM NUMBER 41, dated 20 May 2024 – Enclosure (2) and MEMORANDUM NUMBER 44, dated 30 May 2024 – Enclosure (3)) be accepted and filed with the minutes of this meeting.”



Cedric T. Wins '85  
Major General, U.S. Army (Retired)  
Superintendent

**15 September 2023 Degree Candidates\***  
**As of 27 August 2024**

<b>Name</b>	<b>Degree</b>	<b>Major</b>
Ahanj, Antonio	Bachelor of Arts	International Studies
Annet, Eric	Bachelor of Arts	History
Bonilla, Melsy	Bachelor of Science	Computer Science
Calhoun, Gabriel	Bachelor of Arts	Applied Mathematics
Culbreath, Jacob	Bachelor of Arts	History
Davis, Parker	Bachelor of Arts	International Studies
Houston, Owen	Bachelor of Arts	International Studies
Kent, Joshua	Bachelor of Science	Civil Engineering
Major, Julian	Bachelor of Arts	History
McGarry, John	Bachelor of Arts	Modern Language and Cultures
Myers, Frederick	Bachelor of Science	Civil Engineering
Pendleton, Jack	Bachelor of Arts	International Studies
Richards, Jacob	Bachelor of Arts	History
Rosen, Owen	Bachelor of Science	Computer Science

\* Pending certification of completion of degree requirements.

VIRGINIA MILITARY INSTITUTE  
Lexington, Virginia

MEMORANDUM  
)NUMBER 41)

20 May 2024

**GRADUATION:** The following members of the Class of 2024, having met all requirements for graduation from the Virginia Military Institute, are declared by the Board of Visitors to be graduated as of 16 May 2024, and are awarded the degrees shown:

**BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN APPLIED MATHEMATICS**

**Abigail Grace Basener**, Minor in Economics, DISTINGUISHED GRADUATE WITH  
INSTITUE HONORS.....Virginia  
**David Andrew Clements**, BS in Applied Mathematics, Ensign USN, DNG, DISTINGUISHED  
GRADUATE, .....Virginia  
**Jeffrey M. George** .....Virginia  
**Adam Daniel Gild**, Second Lieutenant, USMC .....Tennessee  
**Connor Scott Green** .....Virginia  
**Chase Alexander Lane**, Second Lieutenant USA .....Kansas  
**Sarah Witter Liebenow**, WITH DISTINCTION, Minor in History .....South Carolina  
**Han-Chun Liu**, WITH DISTINCTION, Minor in Economics ..... Republic of China  
**Morgan Scott Magrisi**, WITH DISTINCTION, Ensign USN, DNG .....Virginia  
**Malcolm Xavier McIntosh**, Second Lieutenant USAF .....North Carolina  
**Anthony Louis Pearson** .....Virginia  
**Sebastian Mitchell Ramirez**, Second Lieutenant USMC .....Virginia  
**Komsun Samngamkeao**, BS in Applied Mathematics, Minor in Computer & Information  
Sciences, DISTINGUISHED GRADUATE. ....Thailand  
**Rukshana Rohinton Sarkari**, WITH DISTINCTION, Double Minor in Astronomy and Physics,  
Ensign USN, DNG.....Texas  
**Hagen Wayne Stewart**, WITH DISTINCTION, Double Minor in Business and  
Economics.....Florida  
**Matthew Jeffrey Zieg**, Second Lieutenant USAF .....Virginia

**BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN BIOLOGY**

**Owen John Ahrens**, WITH DISTINCTION .....Virginia  
**John Edward Barrett**, Minor in Chemistry, Second Lieutenant USA..... West Virginia  
**Noah Tate Campbell**, BS in Biology, DISTINGUISHED GRADUATE .....Virginia  
**Matheus Goulart Drennan**, WITH DISTINCTION, Minor in Exercise Science .....Virginia  
**Joseph Andrew Eller** .....Virginia  
**Gabriella Nicole Handford**, BS in Biology, Minor in Chemistry, DISTINGUISHED  
GRADUATE WITH INSTITUE HONORS.....Virginia  
**Kaylyn Kates** .....Virginia

Enclosure (2)

**Christopher Norman Kushner**, BS in Biology, Minor in Chemistry, Second Lieutenant USA,  
DISTINGUISHED GRADUATE WITH INSTITUTE HONORS ..... Virginia  
**Princeton Lou**, BS in Biology, Second Lieutenant USA, DISTINGUISHED  
GRADUATE..... California  
**Dylan Christopher McNally**, WITH DISTINCTION, Minor in Psychology, Second Lieutenant  
USA. .... New Jersey  
**Liam Robert Murphy**, WITH DISTINCTION, Minor in Chemistry ..... Indiana  
**Miles Jude Ortiz**, BS in Biology, Double Minor in Exercise Science and Rhetoric & Writing,  
Second Lieutenant USA, DISTINGUISHED GRADUATE WITH INSTITUTE  
HONORS ..... California  
**Elizabeth Mae Pickford**, BS in Biology, Minor in Mathematics, DISTINGUISHED  
GRADUATE WITH INSTITUTE HONORS..... California  
**Elijah Quamiley**, WITH DISTINCTION ..... Virginia  
**Anna Grace Rader**, WITH DISTINCTION, Minor in Literary Studies ..... Virginia  
**Khunsig Michael Redmon**, Second Lieutenant USA ..... Washington  
**Brijesh Ryan Regeti**, WITH DISTINCTION, Minor in Mathematics ..... Virginia  
**Seth Aidan Rosario**, WITH DISTINCTION, Second Lieutenant USA ..... New York  
**Sebastian Thomas Rivers Ruble**, WITH DISTINCTION, Second Lieutenant  
USA ..... Virginia  
**William Jefferson Tarter III**, BS in Biology, Minor in History, DISTINGUISHED  
GRADUATE ..... Virginia

**BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN CHEMISTRY**

**Kurt Patrick Comber**, WITH DISTINCTION ..... New Jersey  
**Emma Marie Funkhouser**, WITH DISTINCTION ..... Virginia  
**Alexander Gong Mon**, BS in Chemistry, Second Lieutenant USA, DISTINGUISHED  
GRADUATE WITH INSTITUTE HONORS ..... Virginia  
**Jeffrey Jay Stober** ..... Connecticut  
**Virginia Grace Townsend**, BS in Chemistry, BA in International Studies, Minor in National  
Security, DISTINGUISHED GRADUATE WITH INSTITUTE HONORS ..... Virginia

**BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN CIVIL ENGINEERING**

**Grant Christopher Andrews**, BS in Civil Engineering, DISTINGUISHED  
GRADUATE ..... Tennessee  
**Conner Charles Ball**, WITH DISTINCTION ..... Virginia  
**Owen Michael Clifford**, WITH DISTINCTION ..... Pennsylvania  
**Ethan James Danielson**, WITH DISTINCTION ..... Virginia  
**Joyce Marie Ellis**, WITH DISTINCTION, Second Lieutenant USA, DMG ..... Virginia  
**Joseph Addison Hagan V**, WITH DISTINCTION, Second Lieutenant USMC,  
DNG-MC ..... Virginia  
**Joseph Christopher Heffron** ..... Maryland  
**Carter Wayne Hugate**, Second Lieutenant USA..... Virginia  
**James Caleb Hughes**, Ensign USN ..... North Carolina

**Nicholas Westcott Hughes**, WITH DISTINCTION, Second Lieutenant USA .....Virginia  
**John Burch Janson**, Second Lieutenant USMC .....Virginia  
**Frederick Martin Junko III**, WITH DISTINCTION ....Pennsylvania  
**Stephen Richard Kelley**, WITH DISTINCTION, Minor in Mathematics,  
Ensign USN .. Virginia  
**Daniel K. Lee**, BS in Civil Engineering, Minor in Mathematics, Second Lieutenant USAF,  
DISTINGUISHED GRADUATE ..... Virginia  
**Thomas Michael Lees Jr.**, BS in Civil Engineering, Second Lieutenant USA, DMG,  
DISTINGUISHED GRADUATE .....Virginia  
**Michael Jacob Liberatore**, WITH DISTINCTION .....Virginia  
**Thomas Edwin Luther**, WITH DISTINCTION, Ensign USN ..... Virginia  
**David Joseph Nussbaum**, WITH DISTINCTION .....Texas  
**Samuel Bryant Patterson**, BS in Civil Engineering, Ensign USN, DNG, DISTINGUISHED  
GRADUATE ..... Virginia  
**Justin Timothy Peterson**, BS in Civil Engineering, Second Lieutenant USA, DMG,  
DISTINGUISHED GRADUATE WITH INSTITUTE HONORS. .... Virginia  
**Lawrence Jessup Porter**, WITH DISTINCTION ..... Virginia  
**Peyton James Reingruber** ..... Virginia  
**Zachary Bradley Schwegel** ..... Virginia  
**Allen Wade Stewart Jr.**, WITH DISTINCTION ..... Virginia  
**Zachary Gunther Sturm** ..... Virginia  
**Mohamed Sylla** ..... Wisconsin  
**Zheng Yang Tang**, WITH DISTINCTION, Second Lieutenant USA ..... New York  
**Kate Ashby Taylor**, WITH DISTINCTION, Minor in Chinese, Second Lieutenant  
USA.....Massachusetts  
**Lawson H. Thomas**, Second Lieutenant USMC .....Virginia  
**Jace Dean Thompson**, WITH DISTINCTION, Second Lieutenant USA .....Georgia  
**Anne Columbia Townsend**, BS in Civil Engineering, Double Minor in Mathematics and  
Spanish, DISTINGUISHED GRADUATE WITH INSTITUTE HONORS ..... Virginia  
**Alexander William Vera**, WITH DISTINCTION ..... Virginia  
**Grace Ellington Wagner** ..... Virginia  
**Kieran Francis Weldon**, BS in Civil Engineering, Minor in Mathematics, Ensign USN, DNG,  
DISTINGUISHED GRADUATE..... Virginia  
**Nathan Patrick Wineinger**, Second Lieutenant USA ..... Virginia

**BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN COMPUTER SCIENCE**

**Audrey Michelle Barbaza** .....Virginia  
**Kyle Lee Bordeaux**, WITH DISTINCTION ..... Virginia  
**Bijon Paris Bose**, BS in Computer Science, Minor in Cybersecurity, DISTINGUISHED  
GRADUATE ..... Virginia  
**Jordan Lee Coleman** ..... Virginia  
**Reid Carl Cox**, BS in Computer Science, Double Minor in Cybersecurity and History,  
DISTINGUISHED GRADUATE..... Virginia  
**Jacob Andrew Hill**, WITH DISTINCTION, Ensign USN ..... Virginia  
**Joseph Timothy Hipp**, Second Lieutenant USA ..... Virginia

**Jacob Ray Johnston**, BS in Computer Science, Second Lieutenant USAF, DISTINGUISHED GRADUATE..... Virginia  
**Izaak Andrew Kersey**, WITH DISTINCTION, Minor in Cybersecurity ..... Virginia  
**Chi-Hsien Li**, BS in Computer Science, Double Minor in Computer Engineering and Cybersecurity, DISTINGUISHED GRADUATE ..... Republic of China  
**Joshua Reynaldo Licona**, WITH DISTINCTION ..... Virginia  
**Peter Matthew Major** ..... New York  
**Dylan Eugene Palmer**, BS in Computer Science, Second Lieutenant USA, DMG, DISTINGUISHED GRADUATE WITH INSTITUTE HONORS ..... Pennsylvania  
**Kolby Wayne Quigg**, WITH DISTINCTION, Second Lieutenant USA ..... Virginia  
**William Steeves Riley**, WITH DISTINCTION ..... Virginia  
**Braedyn Andrew Easton Rose**, Second Lieutenant USAF ..... Virginia  
**Mark Luther Shelton II**, WITH DISTINCTION, Minor in Cybersecurity, Second Lieutenant USA, DMG ..... Virginia

**BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN COMPUTER SCIENCE**

**Ethan Saflor Chanco**, WITH DISTINCTION, Cybersecurity Track ..... Florida  
**Alyssa Brooke Ingerson**, BS in Computer Science, Theory and Application Track, DISTINGUISHED GRADUATE ..... Virginia  
**Charles Bwaani Malé**, WITH DISTINCTION ..... Virginia  
**Parker Wiley Rice**, Cybersecurity Track, Second Lieutenant USA ..... Pennsylvania

**BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN ELECTRICAL AND COMPUTER ENGINEERING**

**Jacob Daniel Clift**, BS in Electrical and Computer Engineering, Ensign USN, DISTINGUISHED GRADUATE ..... Virginia  
**Jesse Janette Dennis**, WITH DISTINCTION, Double Minor in Mathematics and Psychology, Ensign USN ..... North Carolina  
**John Thomas Lightfoot IV**, WITH DISTINCTION, Second Lieutenant USA, DMG ..... Virginia  
**John W. Liselli** ..... Colorado  
**Robert Leo Moran**, BS in Electrical and Computer Engineering, Double Major in Civil Engineering, Second Lieutenant USMC, DISTINGUISHED GRADUATE ..... Virginia  
**Timothy Keith Palmer Jr.**, BS in Electrical and Computer Engineering, Ensign USN, DISTINGUISHED GRADUATE..... Virginia  
**Stone Matthew Petersen**, BS in Electrical and Computer Engineering, DISTINGUISHED GRADUATE ..... District of Columbia  
**Sudarshana K. T. Rajagopal**, BS in Electrical and Computer Engineering, Minor in Mathematics, Second Lieutenant USAF, DISTINGUISHED GRADUATE ..... Virginia  
**Lynda Ghita Toumi**, WITH DISTINCTION ..... Virginia  
**Jonathan Tumwikirize**, BS in Electrical and Computer Engineering, Minor in Mathematics, DISTINGUISHED GRADUATE ..... Virginia  
**Connor Michael Vayette**, WITH DISTINCTION, Ensign USN ..... Virginia  
**William Raymond Weigeshoff**, WITH DISTINCTION, Second Lieutenant USA ..... Virginia

**BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN MECHANICAL ENGINEERING**

**Ethan Cole Barrett**, Minor in Mathematics ..... Virginia  
**Francis Raymond Boehling Jr.**, WITH DISTINCTION ..... Virginia  
**Maximillian Kerr Bradley**, WITH DISTINCTION, Concentration in Nuclear Engineering,  
Double Minor in Mathematics and Physics, Ensign USN ..... Pennsylvania  
**Stephen James Castle**, WITH DISTINCTION, Double Concentration in Aerospace Engineering  
and Nuclear Engineering, Double Minor in Mathematics and Physics ..... Virginia  
**Justin Y. Chow**, WITH DISTINCTION, Concentration in Nuclear Engineering, Ensign USN,  
DNG, ..... California  
**Colby Matthew Doyle**, BS in Mechanical Engineering, Concentration in Nuclear Engineering,  
Minor in Mathematics, Ensign USN, DNG, DISTINGUISHED GRADUATE ..... Virginia  
**Robert Samuel Estes**, WITH DISTINCTION, Minor in Mathematics ..... Virginia  
**Ella Marie Flickinger**, WITH DISTINCTION, Concentration in Nuclear Engineering, Double  
Minor in Mathematics and Physics, Ensign USN, DNG ..... Pennsylvania  
**Mark Anthony Gaughan V**, WITH DISTINCTION, Concentration in Nuclear Engineering,  
Minor in Mathematics, Ensign USN, DNG ..... Virginia  
**Reid M. Hampton**, Minor in Physics, Ensign USN ..... Florida  
**Jacob Adam Leonard**, WITH DISTINCTION, Minor in Physics, Concentration in Nuclear  
Engineering, Second Lieutenant USAF ..... Virginia  
**Jr-Wei Liou**, BS in Mechanical Engineering, Concentration in Nuclear Engineering, Double  
Minor in Mathematics and Physics, DISTINGUISHED GRADUATE ..Republic of China  
**Joshua Kyle Mayo**, WITH DISTINCTION, Concentration in Nuclear Engineering, Minor in  
Mathematics, Second Lieutenant USA ..... North Carolina  
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Engineering, Minor in Mathematics, Ensign USN, DNG, DISTINGUISHED  
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**Caleb Douglas Menders**, Concentration in Nuclear Engineering, Minor in  
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**Jakub Adam Mihulka**, WITH DISTINCTION, Concentration in Nuclear Engineering, Minor in  
Physics, Second Lieutenant USA, DMG ..... Maryland  
**Alton Wood Moon**, Minor in Physics, Second Lieutenant USA, DMG ..... Pennsylvania  
**Suttipat Muangna**, BS in Mechanical Engineering, Concentration in Aerospace Engineering,  
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**Alexander John Salisbury**, WITH DISTINCTION, Minor in Mathematics,  
Ensign USN..... Virginia  
**Herbert Reynolds Short III**, BS in Mechanical Engineering, Concentration in Nuclear  
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**Zakary Kent Staley**, WITH DISTINCTION, Concentration in Nuclear Engineering, Minor in  
Mathematics, Second Lieutenant USA ..... Maryland  
**Luke Thomas Stann**, WITH DISTINCTION, Concentration in Nuclear Engineering, Double  
Minor in Mathematics and Physics, Second Lieutenant USA ..... Virginia  
**Lydia Nicole Stephens**, Minor in Mathematics ..... Virginia  
**Akhil R. Thadur**, WITH DISTINCTION, Concentration in Aerospace Engineering, Minor in  
Mathematics, Second Lieutenant USA, DMG ..... Arizona

**Dillon Clay Tidwell**, BS in Mechanical Engineering, Concentration in Nuclear Engineering,  
Minor in Mathematics, Ensign USN, DISTINGUISHED GRADUATE ..... Tennessee  
**Jack Holland Whitmore**, WITH DISTINCTION ..... Virginia  
**Keanu Matthew Williams**, BS in Mechanical Engineering, Concentration in Aerospace  
Engineering, Minor in Mathematics, Ensign USN, DNG, DISTINGUISHED  
GRADUATE ..... North Carolina

**BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN PHYSICS**

**Christopher Lopez Castro** ..... New York  
**Julius In-Sung Chung**, Double Minor in Astronomy and Mathematics ..... California  
**Joel Orlando Diaz**, WITH DISTINCTION ..... Virginia  
**Thomas Glenn Esselman**, Minor in Mathematics, Second Lieutenant USA ..... Wisconsin  
**Faith Elaine Guy**, BS in Physics, Double Major in Applied Mathematics, Minor in Astronomy,  
Ensign USN, DNG, DISTINGUISHED GRADUATE ..... North Carolina  
**James Wade Hebert**, WITH DISTINCTION, Minor in Mathematics ..... Virginia  
**Mitchell Wayne Meyer**, BS in Physics, Double Major in Applied Mathematics,  
DISTINGUISHED GRADUATE ..... Virginia  
**Nicholas John Rozsa**, WITH DISTINCTION, Minor in Mathematics, Ensign  
USN..... South Carolina  
**Talli Renee Tarring**, WITH DISTINCTION, Ensign USN ..... Virginia  
**Shane Patrick Wise**, Minor in Mathematics ..... Maryland

**BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN PSYCHOLOGY**

**Alexander William Arnold** ..... Ohio  
**Christopher Bethea**, Second Lieutenant USA ..... Virginia  
**Travis Stuart Buchanan**, BS in Psychology, Second Lieutenant USA, DISTINGUISHED  
GRADUATE ..... Georgia  
**Natalie Gayle Clark** ..... Virginia  
**Brett Alexander Cook**, WITH DISTINCTION, Minor in Philosophy ..... Virginia  
**Noble David Dodge**, BS in Psychology, Second Lieutenant USA, DMG, DISTINGUISHED  
GRADUATE..... Virginia  
**Isaac Scott Dolph**, WITH DISTINCTION ..... Virginia  
**Brandon Dorian Escobar** ..... Maryland  
**Travis Scott Fridley**, Minor in History ..... Virginia  
**Daniel Augustous Galvez**, Minor in Philosophy ..... Virginia  
**Cole Steven Garrett** ..... Virginia  
**Calin Andrew Green**, WITH DISTINCTION, Minor in Leadership Studies, Second Lieutenant  
USMC, DNG-MC ..... Tennessee  
**Benjamin Luke Greer**, WITH DISTINCTION, Second Lieutenant USA ..... Virginia  
**Katelynn Grochalski**, Minor in French, Second Lieutenant USMC ..... Pennsylvania  
**Jillian Rose Hall**, Minor in Rhetoric and Writing, Second Lieutenant USA ..... Connecticut  
**Matthew William Hatcher** ..... Virginia  
**David Milton Hess Jr.** ..... Virginia



**Adam Chendeb Hoffman**, BS in Psychology, Minor in Leadership Studies, Second Lieutenant USA, DMG, DISTINGUISHED GRADUATE WITH INSTITUTE HONORS ..... Pennsylvania  
**Rachel Elizabeth Hudgins** ..... Virginia  
**Cole Anderson Jenkins** ..... Virginia  
**Crews Alexander Jones**, WITH DISTINCTION, Minor in Exercise Science ..... Virginia  
**Jackson Walker Kamb**, Minor in Leadership Studies, Ensign USCG ..... South Carolina  
**Joshua Bradley Knapp** ..... Maryland  
**Jeffrey Felipe McBeth Jr.**, BS in Psychology, Second Lieutenant USMC, DNG-MC, DISTINGUISHED GRADUATE... ..... Virginia  
**Ryan Keith McBride Jr** ..... Virginia  
**Tanner Lloyd Nelson**, BS in Psychology, Second Lieutenant USMC, DISTINGUISHED GRADUATE ..... Virginia  
**Caragh Siobhan Osborne**, BS in Psychology, DISTINGUISHED GRADUATE ..... California  
**Andrew John Partridge**, Minor in History, Second Lieutenant USA . . . . . Virginia  
**Kaleb Carter Priddy**, WITH DISTINCTION, Minor in Leadership Studies, Second Lieutenant USA..... Ohio  
**Mason James Rudolfs**, WITH DISTINCTION, Second Lieutenant USMC ..... Maryland  
**James Patrick Selton**, Minor in Philosophy, Second Lieutenant USA ..... Virginia  
**Justin B. Starke** ..... Virginia  
**Grant Tyler Swinehart**, BS in Psychology, Minor in Leadership Studies, DISTINGUISHED GRADUATE..... Virginia  
**Matthew Michael Vigil** ..... Virginia  
**Devin Amos Watkins** ..... New Hampshire  
**Tyler Scott Watson**, BS in Psychology, Minor in Philosophy, Ensign USN, DNG, DISTINGUISHED GRADUATE ..... Maryland  
**Austin Matthew White** ..... Virginia  
**Henry Barrett White** ..... Virginia  
**Mark Robert Wright**, WITH DISTINCTION ..... Virginia

**BACHELOR OF ARTS IN BIOLOGY**

**Brandon Kendall Bauman**, Minor in Exercise Science ..... Virginia  
**Joshua Diesel Cheung**, BA in Biology, Double Major in English, Double Concentration in Literary Studies and Rhetoric & Writing, Honors in English, Second Lieutenant USA, DMG, DISTINGUISHED GRADUATE..... Connecticut  
**Benjamin Ray George**, Minor in Exercise Science ..... West Virginia  
**Jenna Denae Kirkland** ..... Virginia  
**Katherine Thao Orndorff** ..... Virginia  
**Nina Soleil Otto**, Minor in Exercise Science ..... Virginia  
**William Daniel Torres**, WITH DISTINCTION, Minor in International Studies, Second Lieutenant USA ..... Virginia

**BACHELOR OF ARTS IN ECONOMICS AND BUSINESS**

**Morgan Hope Anderson** ..... Colorado  
**Jed Lee Barrett, WITH DISTINCTION** ..... Virginia  
**Zachary Kirkpatrick Biller** ..... Virginia  
**John Cole Cathcart, WITH DISTINCTION** ..... Virginia  
**Thomas Owen Coble, WITH DISTINCTION, Second Lieutenant USA, DMG** ..... Maryland  
**Warner Thomas Collier, BA in Economics and Business, Double Concentration in Decision Analytics and Financial Analysis, Double Minor in Computer & Information Sciences and Cybersecurity, DISTINGUISHED GRADUATE** ..... Virginia  
**Adrian Franco Cox, Ensign USN** ..... Virginia  
**Reese Russell DeVries, Concentration in Global Business, Minor in French** ..... Virginia  
**Luke A. Fegley, Second Lieutenant USA** ..... Pennsylvania  
**Garrett Everette Gradine** ..... Virginia  
**Maxine Mary Gray-Barth, BA in Economics and Business, Concentration in Financial Analysis, Minor in Mathematics, Ensign USN, DNG, DISTINGUISHED GRADUATE** ..... Florida  
**Noland Joseph Griffith, BA in Economics and Business, Minor in Mathematics, Second Lieutenant USA, DMG, DISTINGUISHED GRADUATE WITH INSTITUTE HONORS** ..... South Carolina  
**Jacob Ethan Griles** ..... Virginia  
**Anna Kay Heidepriem, Concentration in Decision Analytics, Minor in Spanish** ..... Florida  
**Marquan Jones** ..... Virginia  
**Jacob Russell Kleinschuster, BA in Economics and Business, Concentration in Financial Analysis, Minor in Mathematics, Second Lieutenant USA, DMG, DISTINGUISHED GRADUATE WITH INSTITUTE HONORS** ..... Virginia  
**William Chance Knox, WITH DISTINCTION**..... West Virginia  
**Alexander Vincent LaRou** ..... Virginia  
**Charles Preston Lewis III, WITH DISTINCTION, Double Concentration in Decision Analytics and Global Business** ..... Virginia  
**Connor Maxwell Hidalgo McCarthy, WITH DISTINCTION, Minor in Leadership Studies, Second Lieutenant USA, DMG** ..... Virginia  
**Alexander Benedict Melvin Jr., WITH DISTINCTION** ..... Virginia  
**Henry W. Morgan III** ..... Virginia  
**Samuel Beau Pollock, WITH DISTINCTION** ..... Virginia  
**Maxwell Norman Redmond** ..... Virginia  
**Jack Hamilton Rice, WITH DISTINCTION** ..... Virginia  
**Jacob O. Sandquist, BA in Economics and Business, Second Lieutenant USA, DISTINGUISHED GRADUATE** ..... Ohio  
**Colby Alan Slade, WITH DISTINCTION** ..... Virginia  
**Aristotle John Stamos, WITH DISTINCTION, Second Lieutenant USN, DNG** ..... Virginia  
**Stone Tristan Ryan Summers** ..... Virginia  
**Tyler Clay Swaim, WITH DISTINCTION** ..... Virginia  
**Matthew Ross Sylvia Jr.** ..... Virginia  
**John Aaron Taxiarchou, Minor in Leadership Studies, Second Lieutenant USA** ..... New Jersey  
**Gabriel Rocco Tufaro** ..... Virginia

**Aidan James Twombly**, Concentration in Decision Analytics .....North Carolina  
**Shane Garrett Washko**, Concentration in Decision Analytics .....Virginia  
**Kyle Patrick Webster** .....Virginia  
**Lucas Kai Wood** .....North Carolina  
**Joshua T. Yost** .....Virginia

**BACHELOR OF ARTS IN ENGLISH**

**Devin Ahmad Butler**, Quadruple Concentration in Art History & Visual Culture, Literary Studies, Philosophy, and Rhetoric & Writing .....Georgia  
**Kyle Harrison Dargis**, BA in English, Honors in English, Triple Concentration in Literary Studies, Philosophy, and Rhetoric & Writing, DISTINGUISHED GRADUATE WITH INSTITUTE HONORS .....Virginia  
**Conner Stephen Felts**, Quadruple Concentration in Art History & Visual Culture, Literary Studies, Philosophy, and Rhetoric & Writing .....Virginia  
**Ethan Patrick Forbes**, Triple Concentration in Literary Studies, Philosophy, and Rhetoric & Writing .....Virginia  
**William David Garbett**, WITH DISTINCTION, Triple Concentration in Literary Studies, Philosophy, and Rhetoric & Writing .....Virginia  
**Andrew Jacob Granger**, Triple Concentration in Literary Studies, Philosophy, and Rhetoric & Writing .....Georgia  
**Brianna Heather Havron**, BA in English, Honors in English, Triple Concentration in Literary Studies, Philosophy, and Rhetoric & Writing, Second Lieutenant USA, DISTINGUISHED GRADUATE.....Virginia  
**Brian Michael Jackson**, Triple Concentration in Literary Studies, Philosophy, and Rhetoric & Writing, Second Lieutenant USA .....Illinois  
**Robert Brayden Jones**, WITH DISTINCTION, Double Concentration in Literary Studies and Rhetoric & Writing ..... Colorado  
**Jonathan Patrick Krueger**, BA in English, Honors in English, Double Concentration in Literary Studies and Rhetoric & Writing, DISTINGUISHED GRADUATE WITH INSTITUTE HONORS .....Virginia  
**William David Longacher**, WITH DISTINCTION, Triple Concentration in Literary Studies, Philosophy, and Rhetoric & Writing .....Virginia  
**Jackson Guy Miller**, BA in English, Honors in English, DISTINGUISHED GRADUATE WITH INSTITUTE HONORS..... Maryland  
**James Caleb Mueller**, Double Concentration in Literary Studies and Rhetoric & Writing.....Virginia  
**Alexander Benjamin Oliver** .....Virginia  
**Jake Anthony Tominaro**, Double Concentration in Art History & Visual Culture and Rhetoric & Writing, Second Lieutenant USA .....Virginia  
**Caleb Nathan Ventura**, Quadruple Concentration in Art History & Visual Culture, Literary Studies, Philosophy, and Rhetoric & Writing, Second Lieutenant USA .....Virginia  
**Jarrett Hunter Wolf**, Concentration in Rhetoric & Writing .....Virginia

**BACHELOR OF ARTS IN HISTORY**

**Frederick Abbott Allner**, Minor in Business ..... Maryland  
**Payton L. Amos**, BA in History, Honors in History, DISTINGUISHED GRADUATE .... Virginia  
**Dalen Thomas Armeni**, Minor in French, Second Lieutenant USA ..... Virginia  
**Eric Arthur Baer**, BA in History, Double Major in Modern Languages & Cultures, Minor in  
International Studies, Second Lieutenant USA, DISTINGUISHED  
GRADUATE ..... Virginia  
**Gage Parker Bland**, Second Lieutenant USA ..... North Carolina  
**Connor Michael Carroll** ..... Virginia  
**Patrick W. Cavanaugh**, WITH DISTINCTION, Second Lieutenant USA, DMG ..... New York  
**James Thomas Cockerham**, Minor in Spanish, Second Lieutenant USA ..... Virginia  
**Christian Andrew Wells Cole**, WITH DISTINCTION, Minor in Arabic, Second Lieutenant  
USMC ..... Virginia  
**Dalton Edward Cosner**, Second Lieutenant USA ..... Virginia  
**Michael Garrett Dale**, WITH DISTINCTION, Concentration in Military History, Minor in  
Literary Studies, Ensign USN ..... Georgia  
**Patrick James Donahoe**, WITH DISTINCTION, Minor in Military History, Second Lieutenant  
USA ..... Virginia  
**Alexander Carroll Ezzelle**, WITH DISTINCTION, Minor in French ..... Virginia  
**Henry Franklin Faircloth** ..... Virginia  
**Justin Charles Faught**, WITH DISTINCTION, Minor in Rhetoric and Writing, Second  
Lieutenant USMC ..... Virginia  
**Evan Clayborn Glasscock**, WITH DISTINCTION ..... Ohio  
**B. Parker Hall**, Second Lieutenant USA ..... Virginia  
**Pierce Seldon Harvey**, BA in History, Second Lieutenant USA, DISTINGUISHED  
GRADUATE WITH INSTITUTE HONORS..... Georgia  
**Jonathan Nathaniel Hedger**, WITH DISTINCTION, Second Lieutenant USMC ..... Virginia  
**Aiden Jeffrey Hill**, WITH DISTINCTION ..... Florida  
**Miles Marsalis Johnson**, BA in History, Concentration in Military History, Second Lieutenant  
USMC, DNG-MC, DISTINGUISHED GRADUATE ..... Ohio  
**Parker Howell Johnson**, BA in History, Honors in History, Second Lieutenant USA,  
DISTINGUISHED GRADUATE ..... Virginia  
**Nolan Alexander Kinz**, BA in History, Honors in History, DISTINGUISHED  
GRADUATE..... Massachusetts  
**Alexander Scott Lee**, WITH DISTINCTION, Second Lieutenant USA ..... Kentucky  
**Liam Matthew Loughlin**, BA in History, Honors in History, Second Lieutenant USA, DMG,  
DISTINGUISHED GRADUATE . ..... New Jersey  
**Nathan William Lundy** ..... Virginia  
**John McCown**, BA in History, Double Major in English, Honors in History and English,  
Concentration in Literary Studies, DISTINGUISHED GRADUATE WITH INSTITUTE  
HONORS..... Virginia  
**Joseph Paul McNeill** ..... Florida  
**John Gregory Paccassi**, Double Minor in Cybersecurity and Philosophy ..... Virginia  
**Alexander Ryan Perry**, WITH DISTINCTION, Second Lieutenant USA, DMG ..... Virginia  
**Jamison Garrett Pitts** ..... Virginia

**Joshua Brinkley Pointer**, Second Lieutenant USMC ..... Virginia  
**Hunter Matthew Reed**, WITH DISTINCTION, Second Lieutenant USMC,  
DNG-MC ..... Virginia  
**James William Reid III**, BA in History, DISTINGUISHED GRADUATE WITH INSTITUTE  
HONORS..... Virginia  
**Alexis Dorothy Rocker**, Minor in Middle Eastern Studies, Second Lieutenant  
USA.....New Jersey  
**Tyler Schwartz**, Minor in Psychology, Second Lieutenant USA ..... Virginia  
**Ian Cole Struzzieri**, Minor in Exercise Science ..... Virginia  
**Luke Alexander Tarbox**, Second Lieutenant USMC ..... California  
**James Blackwell Wickham**, WITH DISTINCTION, Minor in Literary Studies ..... Virginia  
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