



Creighton University School of Dentistry

Hooding Ceremony

Friday, May 13, 2016
Witherspoon Concert Hall
Joslyn Art Museum
Omaha, Nebraska

Vision Statement

Creighton University School of Dentistry is committed to excellence in education, patient care, service and research. It exists to develop dental professionals who will use the knowledge and technology of the 21st century in the Jesuit educational tradition characterized by compassion, leadership, professionalism, creativity, service and social justice.

Program

Processional

Organist

John Michael McCabe

The National Anthem

Jonathan W. Shaffer

Class of 2016

Master of Ceremonies

Jared H. Smith, DDS, MS

Associate Professor of Prosthodontics

Invocation

The Rev. Steven P. Ryan, BA, MA, MDiv, PhD

Chaplain, School of Dentistry

Welcome

Mark A. Latta, AB, DMD, MS

Dean, School of Dentistry

Hooding Investment

Terry F. Lanphier, BS, DDS, MBA

Associate Professor of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery

Kirstin T. McCarville, BS, DDS, MS

Associate Professor of Prosthodontics/General Dentistry

Oath of Hippocrates

David E. Williams, BA, DDS

Associate Professor of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery

(Dentists in the audience are invited to join in recitation of the oath)

Benediction

Michelle M. Falbo

President, Class of 2016

Recessional

The audience may remain seated

Reception

Immediately following in the ConAgra Foods Atrium

OATH OF HIPPOCRATES

One of the most widely known of Greek medical texts, the Hippocratic Oath requires new health care professionals to swear to uphold specific ethical standards.

As a member of the dental profession, I shall keep this pledge and these stipulations.

I understand and accept that my primary responsibility is to my patients, and I shall dedicate myself to render, to the best of my ability, the highest standard of oral health care and to maintain a relationship of respect and confidence. Therefore, let all come to me safe in the knowledge that their total health and well-being are my first considerations.

I shall accept the responsibility that, as a professional, my competence rests on continuing the attainment of knowledge and skill in the arts and sciences of dentistry.

I acknowledge my obligation to support and sustain the honor and integrity of the profession and to conduct myself in all endeavors such that I shall merit the respect of patients, colleagues and my community.

I further commit myself to the betterment of my community for the benefit of all society.

I shall faithfully observe the Principals of Ethics and Code of Professional Conduct set forth by the profession.

All this I pledge with pride in my commitment to the profession and the public it serves.

MASTER OF CEREMONIES AND GUEST HOODERS

The Class of 2016 elected a faculty member to be their Master of Ceremonies. They also elected two faculty members to hood each member of their class.

GUEST ESCORT PARTICIPATION

The Hooding Ceremony academic tradition states that in order to participate in the ceremony you must have an academic rank above or equal to the hood that is being bestowed. Therefore, all escorts must have a doctorate as our students are all receiving doctorate hoods. Our graduates are allowed to have one escort participate in the Hooding Ceremony with them. Faculty members are not eligible as guest escorts unless the student is a family member.

Jessica Arnee Alford

Private Practice — Atlanta, Georgia

Sara Kathryn Allen

Private Practice — Omaha, Nebraska

Andrea Dene Armstrong

Private Practice — St. Louis, Missouri
Guest Escort: Uncle, Gregory Davis, DDS

Anthony A. Azadi

Private Practice — Orlando, Florida

Andrew Joseph Bjork

Private Practice — Salt Lake City, Utah
Guest Escort: Father, Claron Bjork, PhD

Alexandra Marie Blomquist

General Practice Residency —
University of California San Francisco
Guest Escort:
Father, Thomas M. Blomquist, MD

Page C. Bolinske

Private Practice — Nampa, Idaho

Rachel Marie Bothun

Private Practice —
Grand Forks, North Dakota
Guest Escort: Father, Paul Bothun, DDS

Ashley Marie Bowland

Private Practice — Casper, Wyoming
Guest Escort:
Family Friend: Rodney C. Hill, DDS

Taylor R. Brown

Orthodontic Post-Graduate Program —
Virginia Commonwealth University
Richmond, Virginia
Guest Escort: Father, Ken Brown, JD

Ryan James Casper

Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery Residency
Program — Gunderson Health System
La Crosse, Wisconsin
Guest Escort:
Mentor, Richard Marlow, DMD

Ian P. Colling

General Practice Residency —
Naval Medical Center Portsmouth
Portsmouth, Virginia
Guest Escort:
Father, Grant R. Colling, DDS

Trang Minh Doan

Private Practice — Spokane, Washington

Maria Kathleen Drzycimski

Private Practice — Fort Dodge, Iowa
Guest Escort:
Father, Nicholas J. Drzycimski, DDS

Phillip James Elassal

Private Practice —
Oklahoma City, Oklahoma
Guest Escort:
Father, George Elassal, DDS

Michelle Margaret Falbo

Private Practice — Omaha, Nebraska
Guest Escort:
Uncle, Scott Anderson, DDS

Audra Ann Feldhaus

Private Practice — Claycomo, Missouri
Guest Escort:
Father, Gerard Feldhaus, DDS

Adrian Elizabeth Fisher

Private Practice — Des Moines, Iowa

Jake D. Fisher

General Practice Residency —
University of California
San Francisco, California
Guest Escort: Friend and Mentor,
Barrett Klemm, DDS

Joseph James Formanek

Private Practice — Des Moines, Iowa
Guest Escort:
Father, Teri S. Formanek, MD

Christopher Gallegos

Private Practice —
Albuquerque, New Mexico
Guest Escort:
Brother, John Gallegos, DDS

Wayne Marten Gergens

Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery
Post-Graduate Program —
University of Nebraska Medical Center
Lincoln, Nebraska

Christopher Robert Gipple

Private Practice —
Highlands Ranch, Colorado

Nathaniel S. Gonzales

Private Practice —
Bloomington, Minnesota

Spencer Edward Greer

Private Practice — Prosser, Washington

Jeffery Paul Hammond

Private Practice — Lander, Wyoming
Guest Escort:
Brother-in-Law, Derick Fenton, MD

J. Zachary Hartnett

Private Practice — Omaha, Nebraska
Guest Escort:
Mother, Pamela D. Hartnett, DNP

Eric J. Herman

Private Practice —
Devils Lake, North Dakota
Guest Escort:
Father, Rollin D. Herman, DDS

Sharitha Eboni Herring

Private Practice — Atlanta, Georgia
Guest Escort: Friend, Kari Olbrey, DDS

Matthew G. Hill

Private Practice — Flagstaff, Arizona

Wade Carl Hillam

Orthodontic Residency —
University of Louisville
Louisville, Kentucky
Guest Escort:
Father, Rodney Harold Hillam, DDS

Michael Takashi Hironaka

Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery
Residency — Louisiana State University
New Orleans, Louisiana

Lyndi M. Jenson

Private Practice — Salt Lake City, Utah

Jeffrey Mark Johnson

General Practice Residency —
George W. Wahlen VA Medical Center
Salt Lake City, Utah

Elle Jones

Private Practice — Omaha, Nebraska

Chelsea E. Keck

Private Practice — Chehalis, Washington

Troy Barish Kemahli

Private Practice — Sarasota, Florida

Samuel Adams King

Private Practice — Spokane, Washington
Guest Escort: Father, Kevin King, DDS

Sara Lynn Pilakowski Kleven

Private Practice —
Bottineau, North Dakota

Breanna Kristen Koch

Private Practice — Salina, Kansas

William J. Kreifels

General Practice Residency Program —
Mount Sinai
New York, New York
Guest Escort: Cousin, Rex Kumpf, DDS

Jason Minchul Kum

Periodontal Post-Graduate Program —
University of Illinois at Chicago
Chicago, Illinois
Guest Escort: Uncle, Woon Ho Yi, DDS

John Minwoo Kum

Periodontal Post-Graduate Program —
Temple University
Philadelphia, Pennsylvania
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Private Practice — Lewiston, Idaho
Guest Escort: Father, Erin Leavitt, DMD

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General Practice Residency —
VA Medical Center
Salt Lake City, Utah

Richard LaVar Loveless

Private Practice —
Grand Island, Nebraska

Jessica Nicole Luers

Private Practice — Sheridan, Wyoming

Brenden Christopher Mar

Private Practice — Wichita, Kansas

Drew E. Marketto

Public Health —
Las Cruces, New Mexico
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Father, Don Marketto, DO

Stephanie M. Martins

Private Practice —
Albuquerque, New Mexico

Clarissa Ann Mertens

Private Practice — Des Moines, Iowa

Alison Katherine Meyer

Private Practice — Des Moines, Iowa
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General Practice Residency —
Salt Lake VA Hospital
Salt Lake City, Utah

Logan Brett Miller

Private Practice — Austin, Texas

Austin Joseph Mohs

United States Army — Killeen, Texas
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Tanner W. Moir

Private Practice — Lander, Wyoming

Gregory D. Montgomery

Private Practice —
Albuquerque, New Mexico
Guest Escort: Fiancée, Erika Klein, DPT

Michael John Morgan

Advanced Education in General
Dentistry — Idaho State University
Meridian, Idaho
Guest Escort:
Father, Vernon E. Morgan, DDS

Betty T. Nguyen

Private Practice — Omaha, Nebraska

Stacey Rae Nygaard

Private Practice — Fargo, North Dakota

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Prosthodontic Residency —
University of Illinois at Chicago
Chicago, Illinois
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Friend, Jessica Mattern, DDS

Lauren A. Patrick

Private Practice — Des Moines, Iowa
Guest Escort:
Husband, Kevin B. Patrick, JD

Timothy James Pettis

Private Practice —
Santa Cruz, California
Guest Escort:
Father, Shawn James Pettis, MD

Evelyn Quynh Nhu Pham

Private Practice — Pomona, California
Guest Escort:
Father, George Pham, DDS

Jason Mitchell Pickett

Advanced Education in General
Dentistry — Nellis Air Force Base
Las Vegas, Nevada
Guest Escort:
Father, Steven Pickett, DDS

Adrian Kyle Sandoval

Indian Health Service —
Zuni, New Mexico
Guest Escort:
Cousin, Stephanie Tsosie, J.D.

Donald Thomas Schrack

Oral Maxillofacial Surgery Residency —
The Oral Surgical Institute
Nashville, Tennessee

Jonathan Wesley Shaffer

Advanced Education in General Dentistry — United States Army

Fort Still Lawton, Oklahoma

Guest Escort:

Father, Brian Shaffer, DMD

Clarke Landon Short

Private Practice — Lewiston, Idaho

Guest Escort:

Brother, Loren Short, DMD

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Private Practice — Longmont, Colorado

Guest Escort:

Aunt, Jacquelynn Gould, MD

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Private Practice — Jacksonville, Florida

Guest Escort: Senior Mentor,

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Private Practice — Boise, Idaho

Guest Escort:

Father, Terrell F. Tingey, DDS

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Kati Irene Beam Tyler

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Guest Escort:

Father-in-Law, Rick Tyler, PhD

Steven J. Van De Graaff

Private Practice —

Las Cruces, New Mexico

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Public Health Community Healthcare — Davenport, Iowa

Guest Escort: Father, Prem S. Viridi, MD

Robert Oliver Weiss II

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Residency —

Texas A&M Baylor College of Dentistry

Dallas, Texas

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Private Practice — Atlanta, Georgia

Guest Escort:

Father, Stephen Wiles, MD

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Las Cruces, New Mexico

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United States Navy

San Diego, California

Wilson C. Yip

Private Practice — Salt Lake City, Utah

Guest Escort: Father, Andrew Yip, PhD

John Walter Young

General Practice Residency —

University of Nebraska Medical Center

Omaha, Nebraska

Academy of General Dentistry Senior Student Dental Award

Brennan N. Takagi

Academy of Operative Dentistry Award

Brennan N. Takagi

Academy of Osseointegration “Outstanding Dental Student in Implant Dentistry” Award

Steven J. Van De Graaff

Alpha Sigma Nu Inductees

Matthew G. Hill

Michael Takashi Hironaka

Breanna Kristen Koch

Jason Minchul Kum

John Minwoo Kum

Brenden Christopher Mar

Donald Thomas Schrack

Robert Oliver Weiss

American Academy of Esthetic Dentistry Award

Sara Lynn Pilakowski Kleven

American Academy of Gold Foil Operators Student Award

Kevin L. Tingey

American Academy of Implant Dentistry Predoctoral Dental Student Award

Derek Williams

American Academy of Oral and Maxillofacial Pathology Award

Donald Thomas Schrack

American Academy of Oral and Maxillofacial Radiology Award

Robert Olivier Weiss II

American Academy of Oral Medicine Award

Brenden Christopher Mar

American Academy of Pediatric Dentistry Predoctoral Student Award

Lauren A. Patrick

Dental Student Award for Achievement in Periodontology

John Minwoo Kum

American Association of Oral Biologists Award

Jason Minchul Kum

American Association of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgeons Award

Robert Olivier Weiss II

American Association of Endodontics Achievement Award and the Department of Endodontics Award of Excellence in conjunction with Harriet J. Knowles Daughters of the American Revolution Scholarship

Derek Williams

American Association of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgeons Dental Implant Student Award

Spencer E. Greer

American Association of Orthodontists Student Award

Wade Carl Hillam

American Association of Public Health Dentistry Award

Adrian Kyle Sandoval

American Association of Women Dentists’ “Eleanor J. Bushee Senior Dental Student Award”

Michelle Margaret Falbo

American College of Dentists – Nebraska Section Award

John Minwoo Kum

**American College of
Prosthodontists Your Smile
Our Specialty Award**

Adam M. Ostrand

**American Dental Society
of Anesthesiology Horace Wells
Senior Student Award**

Steven J. Van De Graaff

**American Equilibration
Society Award**

Clarke L. Short

**American Student Dental
Association Award
of Excellence**

Stacey R. Nygaard

**Axis SybronEndo Excellence
in Endodontics Award**

Betty T. Nguyen

**DENTSPLY Merit Award in
Removable Prosthodontics**

Sara Kathryn Allen

**DENTSPLY Tulsa Dental
Leadership in Endodontics
Award**

Drew E. Marketto

**Department of Endodontics
Award of Excellence in
conjunction with the
Harriet J. Knowles**

**Daughters of the American
Revolution Omaha Chapter
Scholarship Award**

Derick Williams

**Department of General
Dentistry Acute Care Award**

Drew E. Marketto

**Department of General
Dentistry Award**

Sara Lynn Pilakowski Kleven

**Department of Oral Biology
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**Department of Oral and
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Michael T. Hironaka

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Dentistry “Hall of Fame” Award**

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Humanitarian Award**

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**Dr. Joseph M. Simpson II Award
for Aesthetic Endodontics
Restorative Dentistry**

Jessica N. Luers

**Dr. Marvin O. Ludlow,
Brasseler USA Excellence in
Endodontics Award**

Matthew D. Williams

**Dr. Michael McGuire Award
of Excellence in Periodontics**

Jason Minchul Kum

Dr. Stanley J. Honsa Award

Sara Lynn Pilakowski Kleven

**Department of General
Dentistry Acute Care Award**

Drew E. Marketto

**Institute for Latin American
Concern Certificates**

Alexandra Marie Blomquist
Ian P. Colling
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Wayne M. Gergens
Sara Lynn Pilakowski Kleven
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**International College of
Dentists Humanitarian Award**

Jason Minchul Kum

**International College
of Dentists' Student
Leadership Award**

Sara Lynn Pilakowski Kleven

**International Congress of Oral
Implantologists Predoctoral
Student Achievement Award**

Clarke L. Short

**Implant Concierge
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Logan D. Locke

**Membership in Omicron
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**The Nebraska Society of
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Dental Student Award**

Sara Kathryn Allen

**OneWorld Clinic
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Michael Takashi Hironaka

**Practice Teaching Certificates –
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Michelle Margaret Falbo
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**Practice Teaching Certificate –
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Technique Course**

Joseph Zachary Hartnett
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**Practice Teaching Certificate –
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Laboratory Course**

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**Quintessence Award
for Clinical Achievement
in Periodontics**

Wade C. Hillam

**Quintessence Award for
Research Achievement**

Manisha Viridi

**Quintessence Award for
Clinical Achievement
in Restorative Dentistry**

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**Whip Mix Hanau “Best of the
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On behalf of the Creighton Alumni Association, we congratulate you on your significant achievement and welcome you to the beginning of a lifelong relationship with Creighton University. With your degree, you commence a new connection with Creighton, joining a worldwide community of Creighton alumni as an official member of the Alumni Association. Through the association, you gain access to networking and mentoring opportunities, event invitations, and much more. Additional information is available at alumni.creighton.edu.

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