

Baccalaureate

Friday, May 10, 2019



WPI

Baccalaureate Ceremony

Friday, May 10, 2019, 5:30 p.m.

The Quadrangle



– Prelude –

Fanfare and Flourishes –*James Curnow*

Three Elizabethan Madrigals –*Morley and Dowland*

Largo from *Xerxes* –*G. F. Handel*

Where'er You Walk –*G. F. Handel*

Moderato from *Symphony for Brass*, Op. 5 –*Victor Ewald*

WPI Brass Ensemble

Professor Douglas Weeks, Director

– Processional –

Trumpet Tune –*Henry Purcell*

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– Invocation –

Rev. Cheryl Leshay

Collegiate Religious Center

– Greetings –

John Loftus

Chair, Baccalaureate Committee

– Reflections –

Benjamin Hylak

– Musical Performance –

Suite for Flute and Jazz Piano, 1. Baroque and Blue –*Claude Bolling*

Olivia Leavitt, *flute*

Lazi Draga, *piano*

– Reflections –

Jessica Elder

– Musical Performance –

Negev –*John Hartmeyer*
WPI Brass Ensemble

– Inspirational Message to the Class of 2019 –

John McNeill
Professor and Dean of Engineering

– Musical Performance –

Feeling Good –*Anthony Newley, Leslie Bricusse*
Mathew Scanlon, *vocal*
Anthony Topper, *piano*

– Closing Remarks –

John Loftus

– Benediction –

Rev. Cheryl Leshay

– Recessional –

Gaudeamus Igitur –*Traditional*



WPI Brass Ensemble

Trumpet

Julia Bigwood
Michael Fierro
Colin Hiscox
Jacob Koslow
James Maxwell

Euphonium

Daniel Botelho
Matt Nicastro

French Horn

Laura Bunger
Andrew Deschenaux
Sola Sirai*

Tuba

Everest Peacock

Percussion

Terry Hearst
Patrick Roche

Trombone

John Bulman
Calvin Downey*
Chris Rene
Kalyn Ricciuti
Laura Sawin*

Organ

Lazi Danga

*Graduating senior

Baccalaureate Committee

John Loftus, *Chair*

Nicholas Batchelder, Theresa Bender,

Eve George, Casey Hunt

James McLaughlin, Committee Advisor

Class of 2019 Board of Directors

Chase Arsenault, *Chair*

Johnathan A’Vant

Austin Fabbo

Yasmeen Logan

Lucas Mancinelli

Rosie McCarthy

John Loftus

Lillian Olsen

Zachary Zolotarevsky

Special thanks to

Douglas G. Weeks,

*administer of applied music, associate department head of Humanities and Arts,
teaching professor, and coordinator of music at WPI,*
and the Senior Class Board of Directors



John McNeill

Dean of Engineering John McNeill joined WPI in 1994. Previously, he worked in industry on the design of high-speed, high-resolution analog-to-digital converters and low-noise interface electronics used in wide dynamic range imaging systems. He earned his bachelor’s degree at Dartmouth College, his master’s at the University of Rochester, and his PhD at Boston University. In 1999 he received WPI’s Award for Outstanding Teaching, and in 2007 he was one of the inaugural winners of WPI’s Exemplary Faculty Award.