



Spring 2024 Commencement

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INFORMATION STUDIES

MESSAGE FROM THE DEAN >

Dear INFO graduates,

Congratulations!

It is a great accomplishment that you all are graduating today. This room is filled with changemakers with a shared passion to serve and do good. Every single one of you has a unique understanding of how to apply information and technology to solving problems and improving lives. Many of you will go on to do work that will directly address the challenges of today's world. Some of you will focus on individuals and others on society. All levels are important. This is the time to dream big and follow those dreams.

At the College of Information Studies (INFO), we improve lives and opportunities for people through information. We foster responsible information use—and ensure equitable access to information. We harness data and technology for social, economic, and environmental good. We use information to move the world forward. These are the INFO college's values and they are needed now more than ever.

There is another value that we share across our entire university: to be fearless. Be willing to do what is right, to do good for the community, and to empower individuals through your work and life. This is not easy to do, but that's why we call it "fearless." And when you find yourself needing to be fearless, as you will—draw on the values you learned here at INFO. And look to your peers, now alumni, who are being fearless right alongside you.



Class of 2024, let me congratulate you again. This graduation is both an ending and a beginning.

I encourage you to think of the steps you can take today, tomorrow, and throughout your career, to fearlessly move the world forward and embrace change. We're counting on you.

Sincerely,

Dr. Keith Marzullo

Dean & Professor

UMD College of Information Studies

ORDER OF CEREMONY >

Faculty Processional

Welcome and Introductions

Dr. Keith Marzullo

Commencement Address

Lee J. Tiedrich, J.D

Conferral of Doctoral Degrees

Dr. Jessica Vitak

Doctoral Speaker

Dr. Amy Wickner

Conferral of Graduate Degrees

Mr. Jeff Waters, Dr. beth bonsignore, Dr. Bill Kules

Graduate Student Speaker

Ms. Vivian Samuels

Conferral of Undergraduate Degrees

Mr. Ron Padron, Ms. Tetyana Bezbabna, Dr. Mega Subramaniam

Undergraduate Student Speaker

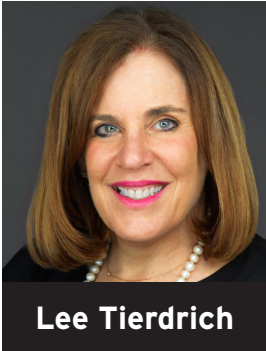
Ms. Veronica Kim

Closing Remarks

Dr. Keith Marzullo

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KEYNOTE SPEAKER >



Lee Tiedrich

Lee Tiedrich is a widely recognized leader in artificial intelligence, data, and emerging technologies. She is a member of both the OECD and Global Partnership on AI (GPAI) AI expert groups and co-chairs both the GPAI Responsible AI Strategy for the Environment (RAISE) committee and the GPAI Intellectual Property Advisory Committee. She's also a member of the OECD Expert Group on AI, Data, and Privacy.

With a degree in electrical engineering and over 30 years of legal experience, Lee has a long career helping organizations navigate uncertainty to achieve their objectives. She was a partner at the global law firm Covington & Burling LLP, where she led the firm's global and multi-disciplinary AI Initiative and counseled organizations on a broad range of data and technology matters, including digital transformation, AI and data governance, policy, intellectual property, regulatory, transactions, and other corporate matters. Lee holds three appointments at Duke University, including Distinguished Faculty Fellow in Law and Responsible Technology, Executive in Residence, and Responsible Technology Scholar in AI Health.

Lee speaks frequently to government leaders and at leading institutions, such as the Council on Foreign Relations, the Federal Judicial Center, the National Judicial College, the OECD, COP-27, GPAI, WIPO, the UN AI High Level Advisory Board, and at leading universities. She has held leadership positions with the American Bar Association and has served as a peer reviewer for Oxford University Press.

Lee is a member of the CEIMIA Board of Directors and the Editorial Board of the Journal for AI Law and Regulation and has several publications. Lee served on the Biden Campaign Policy Committee and is registered to practice before the US Patent and Trademark Office. She graduated from the University of Pennsylvania Law School and earned a B.S.E. in electrical engineering from Duke University, with both Phi Beta Kappa and Tau Beta Pi honors. Prior to joining the Duke faculty, she chaired the Strategy Committee of the Duke Engineering School Board of Visitors and was an adjunct faculty member at the University of Pennsylvania Law School.

STUDENT SPEAKERS >

Doctoral Student Speaker: Amy Wickner

Amy Wickner is a digital archivist living, working, and studying on traditional Piscataway land. Her dissertation research was about archival workers as climate advocates. On this and many other occasions, Amy is grateful to mentors, classmates, colleagues, comrades, neighbors, teammates, friends, and family for sharing their support and doubts along the way.



Graduate Student Speaker: Vivian Samuels

A native of Prince George's County, MD, Vivian Samuels is well known for telling anyone who will listen that Maryland is the best state in the union and rambling about the greatness of Old Bay. With a background in education and a passion for accessibility, she hopes to use the knowledge gained at UMD to change how the world views learning by designing fun, engaging, and impactful educational technology. Vivian would like to thank Dr. Lee for making her love research again, Prof. Aston for pushing her to improve her visual design skills, Dr. Williams-Pierce for showing her a new perspective on games, Dr. Lutters for keeping her capstone group sane, and Prof. Alex for always pushing her towards a new goal.

STUDENT SPEAKERS >



Undergraduate Student Speaker: Veronica Kim

Veronica Kim, from Ellicott City, MD, is graduating with a B.S. in Information Science and a minor in Science, Technology, Ethics, and Policy. During her time at UMD, she served as Vice President of Signature Events for the Women in Business Association, Vice President of Information Technology for Ascend, Executive Tech Track Lead for Terps in the City, and Events Committee Member for the Smith Undergraduate Student Association. Veronica is a member of Alpha Omega Epsilon and Omicron Delta Kappa. Within the College of Information Studies, she was an Undergraduate Student Ambassador, Undergraduate Teaching Assistant for INST 126 (Introduction to Programming), and an Academic Peer Mentor for INST 314 (Statistics for Information Science). She is a recipient of the 2024 Undergraduate iSchool Excellence Award. Upon graduation, she will be working as a Data Analytics Consultant at Cohn Reznick LLP while studying for the LSAT. Veronica extends her gratitude to her family and friends, particularly her mom, stepdad, Lydia, Justin, and Johanna, for their unwavering support and mentorship throughout college.

ABOUT OUR PROGRAMS >

InfoSci

Bachelor of Science in Information Science (BSIS/InfoSci) program is a STEM major that prepares students for careers where they design, develop and use tools and methods that bring together information, technology, and people to meet individual, organizational, and societal needs. InfoSci was launched in Fall 2016, and has grown to reach more than 1,400 students, becoming one of the largest majors at UMD. The program graduated its first cohort of alumni in May 2018, and has graduated more than 250 alumni as of May 2019. The major was also launched at the Universities at Shady Grove campus in Fall 2018. InfoSci alumni excel in a variety of jobs including data scientists, cybersecurity analysts, and user experience (UX) designers.

InfoDesign

The Bachelor of Arts in Technology and Information Design (InfoDesign) teaches students to frame important problems at the intersection of people and information; to design solutions for those problems; and to realize, deploy and iterate on those solutions. InfoDesign supports students in their efforts to use technology in the service of the greater good; to apply and expand their creativity; to develop a start-up mentality (in which they must try solutions and fail first in order to succeed), and to engage in rapid development and prototyping grounded by rapid evaluation and assessment. Students participate in hands-on studio and laboratory classes in user-centered design, technology development, problem-solving and cross-disciplinary communication. This innovative curriculum blends theory, practical skills, and hands-on learning with industry professionals, preparing our graduates to apply their skills directly and immediately in their careers.

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SDSC

The undergraduate major Bachelor of Science in Social Data Science (SDSC) at the University of Maryland is offered by the Colleges of Information Science (INFO) and Behavioral and Social Sciences (BSOS). The major builds expertise in the complex skills needed to create and work with information that captures aspects of human behavior. Social data science encompasses all elements of the data life cycle, including measure conceptualization, data gathering, management, manipulation, analysis, presentation, archiving, and reuse. Further, effective and appropriate construction, analysis, and use of social data requires understanding social science theory and domain expertise. This program combines the expertise of BSOS and INFO faculty members to prepare students to effectively, ethically and efficiently create high quality information products, such as datasets, visualizations, and models, about human activity and behavior.

GEM

The Master of Professional Studies in Game, Entertainment, and Media Analytics (GEM) degree trains students to apply analytics and data science methods in support of video games, streaming video, Over-The-Top (OTT) media, mobile games, eSports, traditional media, professional sports, and other current internet-based entertainment products. The GEM Analytics MPS weaves sociotechnical facets of entertainment into the curriculum, enabling students to influence consideration of data privacy, ethical design, and national security concerns in product and service design and deployment.

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HCIM

The Master of Science in Human-Computer Interaction (HCIM) program prepares students to transform the way people connect to information and to create innovative technologies with diverse users in mind. Students learn to design, evaluate, and implement new information technologies that are understandable, usable, and appealing to a wide variety of people. They develop a fundamental understanding of the technology design process, tool-building technologies, evaluation techniques, application areas for users, and the social impact of technology on the individual and community.

MIM

The Master of Information Management (MIM) degree prepares students to be strategic leaders in the use of information and technology in any organization. The MIM degree fuses training in computer science, information science, and advanced analytics. It provides students with skills and knowledge to develop and deploy emerging technologies, lead efforts to develop and modernize organizational information management capabilities, and manage high-value information resources to successfully meet users' information needs.

MLIS

The Master of Library and Information Science (MLIS) program, continuously accredited by the American Library Association since 1967, is committed to preparing its students to be socially engaged and technologically focused information professionals, ready to create, educate, and innovate. Our students have the option to follow a plan tailored to their interests or to focus their studies in one or more of the following areas: archives and digital curation; school librarianship; diversity and inclusion; youth experience; legal informatics; or, intelligence and analytics. Through online and face-to-face classes, our students gain valuable skills in research techniques, project management, outreach, and pedagogy, among other areas.

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HiLS

The History and Library & Information Science (HiLS) dual-degree program is jointly run by the Department of History and the College of Information Studies. It allows students to graduate with both a Master of Arts in History and a Master of Library and Information Science degree in about three years. Training in history provides students with skills complementary to library and information science as students will develop the ability to work with artifacts; to analyze those artifacts and to successfully organize and manage the data collected from them; and to collect, sift, organize, question, and interpret complex materials.

PhD

The Doctor of Philosophy in Information Studies (PhD) program prepares students to address the hardest social and technical problems of today and tomorrow. Working side-by-side with world-renowned faculty and at internationally recognized research centers and labs, students conduct research on pressing information issues, which often entwine social and technical innovation. Students draw on core values of information studies, including justice, inclusion, and access, and use these principles to facilitate the discovery of new knowledge.

DOCTORAL DEGREES >

Salma Elsayed-Ali (2024)

Personal Objects as Design Materials

Advisors: Joel Chan and Beth Bonsignore

Daniel Pauw (2023)

Stickers Conveying Youth Interests: How Youth Use Stickers for Meaning Making

Advisor: Tamara Clegg

Kristine Rogers (2024)

Change Detection: Theoretical and applied approaches for providing updates related to a topic of interest

Advisor: Doug Oard

Amy Wickner (2024)

Archival Workers as Climate Advocates

Advisor: Katie Shilton

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Master of Professional Studies in Game, Entertainment, and Media Analytics (GEM)

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Taneen Momeni
Eitan Dunn

Master of Science in Human-Computer Interaction

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Rayna Arora
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Dharini Chandrashekar
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