December Graduation Recognition Event
Monday, December 13, 2021
**Student Photo Presentation**

**Welcome**
Antonia M. Villarruel, PhD, RN, FAAN  
Professor and Margaret Bond Simon Dean of Nursing

**Faculty Remarks**
Holly Harner, PhD, MBA, MPH, RN, WHCNP-BC, FAAN  
The Afaf I. Meleis Director of the Center for Global Women's Health  
Practice Professor of Women’s Health

**Student Remarks**
Grace Armineh Pereles, BSN

**Presentation of Candidates for Degree**
Aleaha M. Peoples, MSN, RN  
Advanced Senior Lecturer

**Closing Remarks**
Antonia M. Villarruel, PhD, RN, FAAN

**Congratulatory Slideshow**
Erika Stephanie Abrantes, BSN
Elizabeth Ach, BSN
Stephanie Naa Adorkor Acquaye, BSN
George Ugochukwu Ajoku, BSN
Sean Sullivan Albright, MSN
Catherine Aler, PGN
Zyanna Marie Almonacy BSN
Hafeeza R. Anchrum, PhD
Heather Marie Anderson, PGN
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Lori Ann Anderson, PGN
Claire Anh Aurand, BSN
Jessica R. Barnett, BSN
Kirstyn Shea Barrows, MSN
Scott Allan Bauer, PGN
Ellen Beckett, BSN
Emily Bell, MSN
Tonya R. Benjamin, PGN
Geraldine G. Bent, PGN
Graciela Bolanos, BSN
Kelly Madison Boyle, BSN
Rebecca Ann Brown, PGN
Taeite Brunetta, BSN
Maeva Rose Carley, MSN
Gabriella Maria Cesare, PGN
Susanna Keren Cha, BSN
Yeonsoo Chang, BSN
Kha-Ling Emilee Cheam, BSN
Seung In Cho, BSN
Teneatra Monet Christie, MSN
Corinne Condie, BSN
Kathleen Megan Conway, BSN
Daniela Cuellar Arinez, MSN
Rowena Hipolito Dela Cruz, PGN
Heather Hastings Dennis, PGN
Pankty Harin Desai, PGN
Erica Domeier, MSN
Denise Lora Tolentino Dometita, MSN
Lawrence Philip Dunn, BSN
Vivian Echeverria Quiroga, BSN
Aybike N. Eraslan, BSN
Eleanor Julia Fanto, BSN
Paulina Carmine Fernandez, BSN
Jessica Lynn Fisher, PGN
Lauren Fisher, BSN
Francesca Anne Flink, BSN
Mirabel Ngwegang Forteh, PGN
Eileen M. French, PhD
Hannah Frances Fry, BSN
Taylor Gallo, MSN
Lauren E. Gardner, BSN
Mary Catherine Gavin, MSN
Annie Elizabeth Gevertz, BSN
Alexa Lauren Girasole, BSN
Marcia Joan Glickman, BSN
Amanda Erin Goll, BSN
Molly Jean Groskreutz, BSN
Misty Leigh Grove, PGN
Grace Guinoiseau, BSN
Helen Ndwiga Hall, PGN
Sara Hart, PGN
Elizabeth Robin Heinlein, MSN
Kate Alice Delia Hennessy, BSN
Eva Elyse Hoenigess, BSN
Rebecca Anne Hosey, BSN
Yinxuan Hu, BSN
Yeji Hwang, PhD
Stella Omogbehin Imose, PGN
Ashtin Jacoby, BSN
Lillian Gail Jahan, BSN
Sarah Elizabeth Makowski Jameson, PGN
Crystal Lynn Jensen, PGN
Maryanne Patricia Karahalis, PGN
Justin Tyler Kelly, BSN
Kristin Marie Kelly, BSN
David Allen Kelly Jr., MSN
Rebecca Kim, MSN
YuJin Yuma Kim, BSN
Shannon M. Kirby, PGN
Luca Anna Koritsanszky, MSN
Christopher Krauze-Choi, BSN
Victoria Lafrance, MSN
Angelisa Annette Lambert, PGN
Megan Landriau, BSN
Jin Lang, PGN
Irene Senher Lee, BSN
Susan Sun-Young Lee, BSN
Candidates for Degrees

Tarikwa MacAulay Leveille, BSN
Katherine Lo, BSN
Rachel Marie Loth, MSN
Jeannie Marie Lozowski, BSN
Sharon Jo-Ann Lucey, PGN
Haley Joan Lucian, BSN
Heather Lynn Hurm Lukk, PGN
Joanna Nicole Macintosh, MSN
Julia Rose Mammon, BSN
Clare Jocelyn Perez Mangubat, BSN
Lauren Jane Marconi, BSN
Melanie Jill Martin, BSN
Lee Daniel Matlock, PGN
Emma Clare McClafferty, BSN
Fiona Ann Mclaughlin, BSN
Hope Brown Mcclendon, PGN
Kristen Marie Medina, BSN
Mark Joseph Melkun, BSN
Sarah Elizabeth Miller, PGN
Mary Illig Minnely, PGN
Mary Kathleen Mittereder, BSN
Elizabeth Agnes Moriarty, BSN
Jaime Lee Murray, PGN
Lilly Murray, BSN
Rachel Anna Nahamo, BSN
Lydia Nefedov, PGN
Manisha Nidamarthy, MSN
Sabrina Noboa, BSN
Heather Joy Osborne, PGN
Rayleigh Melia Palmer, BSN
Samantha Palmer, PGN
Andrea Larkin Papa, BSN
Joy JooHee Park, MSN
Khushbu Patel-Kapadia, PGN
Grace Armineh Pereles, BSN
Grace Elizabeth Perigaut, BSN
Melissa C. Plies, PGN
Monica Jane Poeske, MSN
Nicholas Posivak, BSN
Megan Elizabeth Power, BSN
Emily Pyle, MSN
Alexandra Jane Regas-Riewerts, BSN
Rachel RAZALI, MSN
Miriam Anna Rosetti, BSN
Aletta McCarthy Ryan, BSN
Ana Lyn Cayanan Saavedra De Gracia, PGN
Daniel Clement Sairisimh, MSN
Dawn Marie Scammahorn, PGN
Nadja Christine Schwenk, PGN
Julia Grace Scribano, BSN
Joshy Aleyamma Shabu, PGN
Lily Rose Shaffer, MSN
Rachel Mariah Shifflet, BSN
Ashley Smalling, PGN
Megan Joan Smitala, BSN
Katherine Walker Kinnane Smith, BSN
Roberta Lynn Snead, PGN
Angel Josephine Socha, MSN
Anna Lee Sparrow, MSN
Navah Stein, BSN
Melissa Jean Stephan, MSN
Madellyn S. Stoner, BSN
Hannah Aliza Straus, MSN
Angel NaShae Street, MSN
Kristina Terzakis, MSN
Julia Elisabeth Thomas, BSN
Eleanor L. Thompson, MSN
Simone Everett Tolmie, MSN
Kathy Tong, BSN
Margaret Treacy, BSN
Kylie Trone, BSN
Lufei Tu, MSN
Alexandra Simone Uscuta, BSN
Jay Wayne Vazquez, PGN
Diego Mauricio Vera, BSN
Gabrielle Corinne Wagner, MSN
Darah J. Waskin, BSN
Brohama Richelle Williams, BSN
Thomas Richard Harold Witkop, PGN
Amy Laisan Wong, BSN
Kayleigh Rose Yeung, MSN
Amanda Young, BSN
Patra Jane Zambetis, MSN
Aaron Zhan, BSN
Bonnie Zheng, BSN
Clara Zheng, BSN
Xiaoshu Zhou, MSN
Dear graduates,

Congratulations! It is our honor to celebrate with all of you.

As alumni, we are truly inspired by your accomplishments and endeavors to promote health across the spectrum of populations and environments. This year in particular, you dug deep and demonstrated grit, determination, and compassion for self and others in the face of difficult circumstances, traits that will serve you well throughout your nursing career. Each of you makes the Penn Nursing community richer with your unique talents, passion, and dedication to patients.

Today, as you look forward and beyond the doors of Fagin Hall, remember that your relationship with Penn Nursing has only just begun. As you complete your degree, you join a network of more than 15,000 Penn Nursing Alumni and over 300,000 Penn Alumni spanning disciplines across the globe. Penn Alumni who have preceded you are anxious to assist in your progress. Future generations of Penn students will rely on your mentorship, clinical expertise, and scientific footprint.

As you move onward and upward, please know how important your endeavors are to Penn Nursing. Today and always, Penn Nursing is your professional home. As you take on new roles, contemplate additional degrees, collaborate with experts from varied disciplines to solve the hardest issues facing the health of individuals—as we know you will, remember your support system at Penn Nursing.

Your engagement with Penn Nursing is of paramount importance for the next generation of Penn nurses, and our continued mission to shine as a beacon of excellence and innovation. Your careers will take you to institutions, cities, and positions where your voice is important and your accomplishments plentiful. Please intertwine your journey with Penn Nursing.

Keep your contact information up to date. Join us for the many events sponsored by the school virtually, and – we hope again soon – on campus or in your corner of the world. Share your expertise with students, colleagues, and mentors through networking opportunities. Most importantly, let us know what you are doing both personally and professionally.

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