



FALL 2020 CONVOCATION PROGRAM

UNIVERSITY OF MAINE AND ITS REGIONAL CAMPUS
THE UNIVERSITY OF MAINE AT MACHIAS

Tuesday, September 1, 2020 ~ 3:30 p.m.

Hutchins Concert Hall | Collins Center for the Arts | University of Maine

Livestream: <https://youtu.be/QcFpVJwDDc4>

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The University of Maine is the state's land grant, sea grant and space grant institution. Located in Orono, it serves as the flagship university of the University of Maine System. UMaine is responsible for providing world-class undergraduate and graduate education, basic and applied research, and public engagement to extend UMaine's expertise and resources statewide to the people of Maine, and beyond.

The University of Maine at Machias, the regional campus of the University of Maine, awards baccalaureate and associate degrees, and certificates. Established in 1909, the University of Maine at Machias is the easternmost university campus in the United States. The area's bountiful natural resources and rich environmental, recreational, cultural and educational traditions define the campus.

Pre-event Music

Black Bear Men's Chorus

Pre-event Posting of the Colors

Sunni Holland, Taylor Parsons and Adam Regan

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National Anthem

Brandon Emerson, Trumpet, Music Performance

Introduction of Speakers

Harrison Ransley, President, University of Maine Student Government, Inc.

Welcome Messages

Dannel Malloy, Chancellor, University of Maine System

John Volin, Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs and Provost

Introduction of Speakers

Avery Davis, President, University of Maine at Machias Student Government

Land Acknowledgement and Greetings

Maulian Dana, Ambassador of the Penobscot Nation ~ kk^wey pahk^winák^wəsəyek^w

Introduction of President Joan Ferrini-Mundy

Faye Smith, Junior, Ecology and Environmental Sciences,
with a Concentration in Sustainability

Keynote Address

Joan Ferrini-Mundy, President

*The University of Maine in Fall 2020: Learning, Discovering,
and Partnering with Inclusive Excellence as the Core*

Perspectives

Introduction of Speakers

Saman Zare, President, University of Maine Graduate Student Government

University of Maine Alumni Association

Shontay Delalue, '00, '03G, Vice President, Institutional Equity
and Diversity, Brown University

Member of the University of Maine Board of Visitors

University of Maine Faculty

Richard Powell, Distinguished Maine Professor

Professor and Director of the Cohen Institute for Leadership and Public Service

University of Maine at Machias Staff

Marnie Kaler, Dean of Students and Admissions

Video Musical Performance

UMaine Renaissance

*Acknowledgement of University of Maine and University of Maine at Machias families,
special guests, student organizations, international students and honor societies*

Robert Dana, Vice President for Student Life and Inclusive Excellence and Dean of Students

CONVOCATION PLANNING COMMITTEE

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STEIN SONG

Fill the steins to dear old Maine
Shout 'til the rafters ring
Stand and drink a toast once again
Let every loyal Maine fan sing

Drink to all the happy hours
Drink to the careless days
Drink to Maine, our alma mater
The college of our hearts always.

To the trees, to the sky
to the spring in its glorious happiness
To the youth, to the fire
to the life that is moving and calling us

To the Gods, to the Fates
To the rulers of men and their destinies
To the lips, to the eyes
To the ones who will love us some day

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