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COMMUNICATION GRADUATION

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Opening Remarks and Welcome

Professor Christine Harold, Department Chair

Distinguished Alumni Address

Suki Dardarian

UW Communication alumna and Hall of Fame member Suki Dardarian ('80, Journalism and Political Science), served as editor of the *UW Daily* and has since spent her entire career in the news business, first as a reporter for the *Everett Herald* and *Seattle Times*. In her first year as an editor at the *News Tribune* in Tacoma, she led a project that was the first and only Pulitzer finalist for the *News Tribune*. Suki spent a majority of her career as a senior editor at the *Seattle Times*, where projects she oversaw earned Pulitzer Prizes in investigative reporting and breaking news. Suki was editor in chief and is now managing editor at the *Star Tribune* in Minneapolis, one of the nation's largest metro news operations. Under her leadership, the paper earned a Pulitzer Prize in breaking news, among other honors, for its coverage of the murder of George Floyd at the hands of the Minneapolis Police.

Presentation of Graduates

Turning of the Tassel

Celebration

PRESENTATION OF GRADUATES

Introduction of Ph.D. and M.A. Recipients

Remarks from Professor and Graduate Program Coordinator,
Leah Ceccarelli

Introduction of M.C. Recipients

Remarks from Director, Communication Leadership program,
Ekin Yasin

Introduction of B.A. Recipients

Remarks from Teaching Professor and Undergraduate Program Coordinator,
Caley Cook

DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY

Doll, Meagan (Dissertation chairs: Dr. Patricia Moy and Dr. Matthew Powers)
Dissertation: "Beyond Believability: Factors Driving Media Trust in Uganda"

Champion, Kaylea (Dissertation chair: Dr. Benjamin Mako Hill)
Dissertation: "Sociotechnical Risk in Sustaining Digital Infrastructure: Dissertation Proposal"

Ghosh, Aparna (Dissertation chair: Dr. Adrienne Russell)
Dissertation: "Pushing Journalism Boundaries: Understanding The Evolving Identities, Roles, And Professional Challenges Of Interactive Journalists"

Keoppen, Erin (Dissertation chair: Dr. Leah Ceccarelli)
Dissertation: "Fire Regimes: Rhetoric and the Local Climate Politics of Wildfire"

Kim, Seonah (Dissertation chair: Dr. LeiLani Nishime)
Dissertation: "Politics of Tanning: Overdetermining Discourse on Skin Color, Race, and Gender in South Korea"

Lee, Jenny (Dissertation chair: Dr. LeiLani Nishime)
Dissertation: "Korean Women Go Global on Social Media: Representation, Algorithms, and Audiences in Transnational Content Creation"

Losoya, Joshua (Dissertation chair: Dr. Christine Harold)
Dissertation: "The Mistranslation of Rhētorikē: Rereading 462b to 466a of Plato's Gorgias"

Rich, Kate (Dissertation chair: Dr. Leah Ceccarelli)
Dissertation: "Future Talk: Imagining and (Mis)Using Artificial Intelligence in Human Communication"

Shew, Abbie (Dissertation chair: Dr. Leah Ceccarelli)
Dissertation: "When Experts Deny Science: The Rhetorical Performance of Malexpertise"

Sturgis, Meshell (Dissertation chair: Dr. Ralina Joseph)
Dissertation: "The Political Aesthetics of Black Girl Magic: Self-Representation in Alternative Media"

Whitt, Joe (Dissertation chairs: Dr. John Crowley and Dr. Valerie Manusov)
Dissertation: "Mindfulness in Communication: Examining the Behavioral Trail of Mindfulness Practice"

MASTER OF COMMUNICATION

Welch, Bekah (Thesis chair: Dr. Leah Ceccarelli)
Thesis: "A Landscaped Campaign: Gig Companies and the Appropriation of Voice in California's Proposition 22"

Case, Tiana (Thesis chair: Dr. Valerie Manusov)
Thesis: "Exploring Preconditions of Kindness Communication"

Fan, Yibin (Thesis chair: Dr. Benjamin Mako Hill)
Thesis: "Polarization or Deliberation? Comparing Incidental and Purposive Political Discussion in Online Communities"

Simoes, Julie (Thesis chair: Dr. Kirsten Foot)
Thesis: "The Power of Feeling Heard: Establishing and Shaping Buy-In to Community Conversations Around Firearm Violence"

MASTER OF COMMUNICATION, COMMUNITIES AND NETWORKS

Chen, Tina
Chou, Amanda
Mcgrath, Dayna
Nandakumar, Nandhita

Plain, Katie A
Powell, Isobel
Spring, Molly

MASTER OF COMMUNICATION, COMMUNICATION LEADERSHIP

Cai, Lori
Chivukula, Ashwini
Li, Wenhui
Liang, Charis

Malyala, Gautam
Parker, Darlene Jeanelle
Shen, Alice Jia-Chi
Wright, Chiquita

MASTER OF COMMUNICATION, DIGITAL MEDIA

Abdulghafur, Abdullah Quadi
Arun, Roshni
Bautista Ramos, Gabriela
Bradburn, David
Chan, Max
Chen, Chia-Wei (Vivian)
Chen, Connie
Chen, Ping-Chun
Chen, Yi (Ian)
Cheng, Hui Hsin (Amber)
Chiang, Tzung-Han (Hans)
Cui, Yuwei
Duong, Linh
Ellison, Alex
Espeseth, Dylan
Estrada Vargas, Jason
Etchegoinberry, Manon
Fan, Yubo
Fisher, Kayla
Fu, Shiqi (Flora)
Gillanders, Malcolm
Goel, Baruni
Gormally, Shannon
Han, Jason Hadley
Hasan, Tasnim (Taz)
Herrera, Leopoldo
Hsiao, Yu-Tung (Dorothy)
Hu, Jingxuan
Huang, Yun-Fen (Amy)
Hyde, Nick Elliott Andrew
Ijaz, Mehak
Iyengar, Anusha
Ji, Haitao
Jiao, Xiangyuan
Kataria, Samiksha
Kc, Shraddha
Koh, Minjung (Jay)
Kuo, Wei-Lin

Larson, Anna
Lee, Jj Lee
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Li, Nina
Li, Yuze (Isabella)
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Paul, Nibedita
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Pullarkattu Sageer, Sandhra
Roberts, Nadir C.
Shah, Maniti Hitendra
Shahi, Ishita
Sivasankaran, Ardhra
Smith, Kasey Savannah
Thein Win, Thit Thit
Thumpassery, Mathew Joseph
Tsai, Rueishin (Bella)
Turner, Zackary
Tyron, Victoria T
Wang, Qianni (Sunny)
Wang, Xinyi
Weaver, Isaac
Wu, Biying
Wu, Yihan (Coldie)
Xiao, Handan
Xu, Mengjie (Michelle)
Xu, Run
Xu, Wenyi (Vivian)
Yang, Alice
Yang, Yeqi
Yiyu, Deng
Yu, Jiaxi (Jessie)
Zeiger, Rachael Marie
Zhang, Ella
Zhu, Daisy
Zhu, Guangdi

BACHELOR OF ARTS

B.A. IN COMMUNICATION

Ahmed, Amina
Andala, Andira R
Anderson, Isabel
Andreini, Isabella
Arinez De La Vega, Emilia
Armas, Kaia
Ayers, Samantha H
Benze, Cassie M
Birch, Hailey R
Bland, Irya
Bonifield, Maia
Booth, Makaila Kuulei
Brown, Chackgrarin (Jack)
Brown, Levera H
Brunner, Anna
Brzezinski, Matthew A
Bunyatipanon, Benjamin
Cahill, Heidi
Caras, Dianne
Carda, Kennedy
Castronuovo, Kendal
Chan, Karina
Chang, Tien-Hsin (Tina)
Chen, Fangye (Emily)
Cheng, Jihui (Isabella)
Cheng, Pin-Chu (Ben)
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Christensen, Allison F
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Chu, Deborah
Chung, Heather
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Cooper, Olivia
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Crider, Graci J L
Crisostomo, Nicole
Cui, Hongyiming
Czachowski-Rylski, Zuzanna
Daniels, Dalayah
Debragga, Alyssa E
Delgado, Hailey
Dewell, Isabella
Di, Jiahang (Gia)
Dufault, Maddie
Durham, Lillyanne
Ehlert, Madeline
Ellsworth, Leah
Emerson, Kendall G
Enquist, Mary Margaret
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Felderman, Alec Conrad
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Huang , Wei-Ju (Angel)
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Isip, Mia C
Jamora, Megan Joyce
Janssen, Myla
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Jimenez Ortega, Jasmine
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Keatts, Jaden Siotha
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Li, Zhinuo (Mia)
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Lin, Yun Chung (John)
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Lukatah, Vidora
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Maciulewski, Isabella J
Mahadjana, Raymond
Manum, Woody
Marek, Isabella C
Marquess, Michael J
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Matchawate, Jasmine
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Okumoto, Mari
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Panelo, Samantha R.
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Pao, Kelly
Park, Yeeun
Parker, Benjamin
Parker, Jenny Lynn
Patel, Riya
Paul, Maya
Perez, Mia Jane
Person, Chloe Margaret
Phang, Ryan
Pinney, Carsin G
Potts, Chloe
Praises, Orji
Propst, Clara E
Proverby, Kezia
Qin, Weiyl
Quach, Dalena
Roach, Sasha

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Sabi, Pontea
Salgado Sotelo, Bianca
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Sanchez, Nathaniel P
Santora, Sophie
Scego, Edil Ali
Schenone, Olivia
Shaw, Abigail
Shelton-Jenck, Carmen
Siroky, Ella
Sommers, Katherine Claire
Song, Beiyan (Betty)
Sorenson, Lauren
Sotelo, Jaelyn Elizabeth
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Strotz, Skylar Katarina
Swanson, Jessica
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Tepper, Jodi
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Wang
Wang, Qi
Wang, Ziqian
Ward, Abigail Ruth
Warford, Drew
Watson, Allie
Welch, Katherine
Welch, Madeleine
Wells-Edwards, Rhys
Wen, Na
Whaley, Anne
Winkworth, Charles Allen

Wissa, Mario
Wong, Hoitung
Woo, Jinny
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Wu, Yiheng (Jianhua)
Xi, Zhang
Yan, Aurelia
Yan, Xiyu
Yang, Siyu
Yang, Wuyi
Yohannes, Bella
Zeng, Amethyst
Zeng, Guoyi
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Kilbreath, Ethan Arles
Ma, Yihan (Shawna)
Murphy, Mary R.
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Park, Julia Danbi

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Rector, Quinn
Robi, Matthew
Sarmiento, Chloe J.
Smith, Maeve
Stekly, Skylar
Stiles, Emily Mae
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