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DEPARTMENT OF BIOMEDICAL ENGINEERING  
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UNIVERSITY OF ROCHESTER

# *BME Graduation Ceremony*

CLASS OF 2023



# *BME Graduation Ceremony Program*

MAY 13, 2023 | 9:00 AM  
HUBBELL AUDITORIUM

## **PROCESSIONAL**

Trumpet Voluntary, Jeremiah Clarke

## **WELCOME FROM THE BME DEPARTMENT CHAIR**

Professor Stephen McAleavey

## **CONGRATULATIONS FROM THE DEAN**

Dean Wendi Heinzelman  
Dean, Hajim School of Engineering & Applied Sciences

## **VIDEO ADDRESS**

Edmund A. Hajim  
Chairman Emeritus, UR Board of Trustees  
Chairman, HighVista Strategies LLC

## **BME GRADUATE STUDIES**

Professor Mark Buckley

## **PRESENTATION OF THE DOCTORAL CANDIDATES**

Professor Diane Dalecki

## **PRESENTATION OF THE MASTER'S CANDIDATES**

Professor Laurel Carney





This ceremony will be  
livestreamed so that friends  
and family may join in virtually.  
[tinyurl.com/urbme-grad](https://tinyurl.com/urbme-grad)

## **CENTER FOR MEDICAL TECHNOLOGY & INNOVATION (CMTI)**

Professor Greg Gdowski

## **PRESENTATION OF THE CMTI MASTER'S CANDIDATES**

Professor Amy Lerner

## **BME UNDERGRADUATE STUDIES**

Professor Edward Brown

## **PRESENTATION OF THE BACHELOR'S CANDIDATES**

Professor Scott Seidman

## **CLOSING REMARKS**

Professor Stephen McAleavey

## **RECESSIONAL**

*Second Suite in F – Gustav Holst*

*English Folk Song Suite – Ralph Vaughn Williams*

*After the ceremony, students and their guests, along with faculty and staff, are invited to the Hajim Tent for refreshments. BME Senior Design and CMTI design project posters will be on display throughout the morning on the 2nd and 3rd floor of Goergen Hall.*



**2023**  
*Undergraduate  
Award Recipients*

**DONALD M. BARNARD PRIZE**

Anna Hazelwood, Mitchell Kershner & Phuong Le

**LISA NORWOOD STUDENT INVOLVEMENT PRIZE**

Zaynab Dantsoho

**RICHARD EISENBERG ENGINEERING AWARD**

Katherine Broun

**NATIONAL ACADEMY OF ENGINEERING GRAND CHALLENGES SCHOLARS**

Abbey Kampel & Maysoon Harunani

**NSF GRADUATE RESEARCH FELLOWSHIP**

Abbey Kampel

**PROJECTS FOR PEACE AWARD**

Miguel Armistice Yakouma

**BME FACULTY AWARD FOR EXCELLENCE IN UNDERGRADUATE RESEARCH**

Anna Hazelwood

**BME FACULTY AWARD FOR UNDERGRADUATE SERVICE**

Katia Iliza

**BME FACULTY AWARD FOR EXCELLENCE AS A TEACHING ASSISTANT**

Katherine Broun

**BME OUTSTANDING SENIOR**

Sameer Jain

**BME OUTSTANDING JUNIOR**

Aasim Hawa, Diana Karosas & Audrey Yu