College celebrates Class of 2019 Commencement

Energy was high across campus in mid-May as Virginia Tech recognized its spring 2019 graduates. In addition to University Commencement in Lane Stadium, the veterinary college held ceremonies for its Doctor of Veterinary Medicine (DVM) program, Master of Public Health (MPH) program, and Biomedical and Veterinary Sciences (BMVS) M.S. and Ph.D. programs.

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Outstanding students and faculty honored during Virginia Tech Graduate Education Week

Two veterinary college students and a faculty member were among those receiving recognition for outstanding service, teaching, research, academic performance, and mentoring.

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Master of Public Health capstone projects showcase One Health research

The selected projects demonstrate the students' fluency in the college's transdisciplinary One Health approach and align with the MPH program's mission to train public health leaders.

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Class of 2019: Veterinary student Libby Majette named class valedictorian

The achievement also earned her the Richard B. Talbot Award, named for the college's founding dean.

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Andrea Oliver named 2019 Outstanding Graduating Student for College

"It almost seemed too obvious," said Oliver of her decision to be an equine veterinarian. "Oh, horse girl goes for being a horse vet — what a boring story."

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Texas A&M CVM honors six graduates as outstanding alumni

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2019 Alumni Award Winners

Bill Tyrrell (DVM '92) received the college's 2019 Lifetime Achievement Alumni Award, while Claire Simeone (DVM '11) received the 2019 Outstanding Recent Alumni Award.

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Susan VandeWoude named to the National Academy of Sciences

Susan VandeWoude (DVM '86) has specialized in studying conditions affecting cats, both big and small, including feline immunodeficiency virus.

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Pennsylvania Department of Agriculture appoints Brightbill to State Veterinarian post

Kevin Brightbill (DVM '03) will spearhead efforts to protect animal health, oversee the Pennsylvania Veterinary Laboratory, and lead several public-private interdisciplinary partnerships.

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Courtney earns Next Generation Award

In recognition of her work to improve the well-being of veterinary professionals, Missouri veterinarian Cynthia Courtney (DVM '11) will receive the Hill's Pet Nutrition Next Generation Veterinary Award in July.

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Featured Video

Virginia Tech veterinarians and technicians build emergency relief shelters for local dogs in crisis

A group of Virginia Tech veterinarians, veterinary technicians, and veterinary students, along with four carpenters/contractors and other volunteers, worked together to build 100 emergency dog shelters for dogs enduring crisis living conditions in underserved rural counties.

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