

"Harvard is a place to which we chose to come to be amongst like-minded individuals and an institution that has gathered exceptional people who have now passed on to us some of their collected wisdom. Now we each must make the choice of how to direct our efforts in the world, and it is the fruit of those efforts that will some day serve as the scale by which the world measures Harvard."

—Matthew W. Hutchins

"As impressive as our accomplishments already are, they are nothing compared to what each of us will go on to accomplish. I don't know what we will do as a class, but I do know that the Harvard Law School Class of 2010 will, someday, be recognized for what I already know you all to be—one of the single most exceptional groups of thinkers, doers, and people the world has ever seen."

—Mark Benjamin Samburg

"We were fortunate enough to have the choice to come to Harvard Law School, and I for one am proud to have made that choice. I am proud that I can call each and every one of you my classmate. Thank you so much for being a part of my choice, and I'm grateful I could be a part of yours. Congratulations, Class of 2010, you made a great choice."

—Vera Ranieri

"We have the opportunity to use our talents and our experience that we have had at Harvard Law School and transform our professions into voices for the voiceless, make poetry from our experiences that can be read eternally to create paths that bring about positive change ...

We all should take opportunity to recognize and thank our professors, mentors, teachers, and parents for being our guiding lights in our individual journeys. Thank you!"

—Maliha Hashmi

"On this luminous and historic day—when Holmes Field shines, the pomp and circumstance rings, and we, as Harvard Law School graduates, are challenged and implored by society to lead anew—let us commit to defining success by significance."

—Andrew David Klaber

"We have demonstrated time and again our capacity for action, to produce incredible results when we are passionate. This energy, this enthusiasm that we all have—it has been integral to why we have made it here today.

Fellow members of the Harvard Law School Class of 2010, I offer you my congratulations and my desire that as we progress from this institution, we will continue to inspire one another no matter where we work or live."

—Balaji Lakshmi Narain

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GREETINGS

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Harold P. Hope III '99, President, Harvard Law School Association

STUDENT SPEAKER

Nilab Nilofar Rahyar

PRESENTATION OF CLASS GIFT

Britanie Anne Hall, Class Marshal

THE SUZANNE L. RICHARDSON STAFF APPRECIATION AWARD

Presented by

Darrell Jay Bennett Jr., Class Marshal

Presented to

Judith Murciano, Associate Director and Director of Fellowships for the
Bernard Koteen Office of Public Interest Advising

**THE ALBERT M. SACKS-PAUL A. FREUND AWARD FOR
TEACHING EXCELLENCE**

Presented by

Jessica Eve Nachman, Class Marshal

Presented to

Michael Klarman, Kirkland and Ellis Professor of Law

THE FRANK RIGHEIMER, JR. PRIZE FOR STUDENT CITIZENSHIP

Presented by

Dean Martha Minow

Presented to

Erika Judith Rickard

THE DEAN'S AWARDS FOR COMMUNITY LEADERSHIP

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Dean Martha Minow

Presented to

Jessica Eve Nachman
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Britanie Anne Hall
Darrell Jay Bennett Jr.
Brian Taylor Aune
David Kishner Baumgarten
David Fotouhi
Elizabeth Krasa Kelly
Elaine Lin
Stephanie Marie Matthews
Mark Benjamin Samburg
Anne Ronelle Siders
Neema Devendra Trivedi
Dominique Danelle Winters

THE DAVID WESTFALL MEMORIAL AWARD FOR COMMUNITY LEADERSHIP

Presented to

Debra Beth Rosenbaum

ANDREW L. KAUFMAN PRO BONO SERVICE AWARDS

Presented to

Julia Nicole Hildreth
Mark Benjamin Samburg

INTRODUCTION OF THE CLASS DAY SPEAKER

Randall Thomas Adams, Class Marshal

CLASS DAY SPEAKER

Samantha Power '99, Special Assistant to the President and
Senior Director for Multilateral Affairs, National Security Council

CLOSING

Darrell Jay Bennett, Class Marshal
Britanie Anne Hall, Class Marshal



*Dean Martha Minow invites graduates, their families and guests to a reception immediately
following this program under the tent on Jarvis Field (4:00 p.m. to 5:30 p.m.)*