RUTGERS, THE STATE UNIVERSITY OF NEW JERSEY

BACCALAUREATE
CONVOCATION

May 2024
Rutgers Business School: Undergraduate—New Brunswick

2024 Baccalaureate Convocation

May 09, 2024
HISTORY OF THE RUTGERS BUSINESS SCHOOL
NEWARK AND NEW BRUNSWICK

In June 1984, the Board of Governors recommended the establishment of an upper-division School of Business at Rutgers on the New Brunswick campus, which was formally endorsed by the New Jersey Department of Higher Education effective September 1986. The school offers undergraduate programs in accounting, business analytics and information technology, finance, leadership and management, marketing, and supply chain management, leading to the degree of Bachelor of Science.

On July 1, 1996, the School of Business joined the Faculty of Management to form a single business school on Rutgers’ northern campuses. The newly formed unit, renamed Rutgers Business School-Newark and New Brunswick, with its larger faculty and wide variety of centers, institutes, and programs, provides extensive new opportunities to students enrolled in the undergraduate program in New Brunswick. In fall 2008, the New Brunswick undergraduate unit of the Rutgers Business School-Newark and New Brunswick became a four-year program with the admission of the first freshman class.

In August 2013, the Rutgers Business School-New Brunswick moved to its new location, 100 Rockafeller Road, on the Livingston Campus. Known to many as 100 Rock, this building contains state-of-the-art computer and media classroom facilities, technology centers, and multiple team meeting rooms, all dedicated to the exclusive use of Rutgers Business School students. With a commitment to renewable energy, 100 Rock represents the cutting-edge nature of this growing institution.

RUTGERS BUSINESS SCHOOL
NEWARK AND NEW BRUNSWICK GONFALON

The two golden stripes on the Rutgers Business School-Newark and New Brunswick gonfalon represent the school’s two undergraduate programs. The center stripe represents its graduate program. The colors of the stripes relate to the hood colors worn by each program’s graduates. The scarlet and black letters in the school’s name and logo represent the colors of the university. Business education at Rutgers can be traced back to 1929, when it was first offered through the Seth Boyden School of Business at Newark.
Rutgers Business School: Undergraduate—New Brunswick

Business School Leadership

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Advisor

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Administrative Assistant

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Dietrich Tschanz
Assistant Dean of International Programs
2024 RBS Convocation Program

National Anthem
Natalie Ligotino
'24 Marketing

Chancellor’s Remarks
Francine Conway, Chancellor
Rutgers-New Brunswick

Welcome
Lei Lei, Dean
Rutgers Business School-Newark
and New Brunswick

Introduction of Guest Speaker
Robert M. Kurland, Senior Associate Dean
Rutgers Business School-New Brunswick: Undergraduate Program

Convocation Address
Joe Stinziano, President & Chief Operating Officer
First Orion

Thomas H. Mott, Jr. Award
Robert M. Kurland, Senior Associate Dean
Rutgers Business School-New Brunswick: Undergraduate Program

Senior Awards
Robert M. Kurland, Senior Associate Dean
Rutgers Business School-New Brunswick: Undergraduate Program

Farewell Address
Jonathan Bellinghausen, President
Rutgers Business School Governing Association, New Brunswick

Presentation of 2024 Candidates
Robert M. Kurland, Senior Associate Dean
Rutgers Business School-New Brunswick: Undergraduate Program

Tassel Ceremony
Robert M. Kurland, Senior Associate Dean
Rutgers Business School-New Brunswick: Undergraduate Program
CANDIDATES FOR BACCALAUREATE DEGREES
August 2023

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Rafath Kader
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Zetian Ma
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Xuanxiang Meng 2 **
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Jiahao Wang
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Harold S. Winick 3 *
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Tianjuan Xu 3 *
Raymond B. Xue
Huahao Yang
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Christopher M. Avramidis 3
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Gagan Badineni
Saniya P. Bagewadi 2 **
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Matthew J. Batroney 3 *
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Muhammad Belmokhtar
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Thomas Billings 1 ***
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Rowan V. Blanchard 2 ***
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Patrick Bolin 3
Tanya Bonde 2 **
Matthew Bonnaven 3 *
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Margaret M. Boyle 3 *
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Daniel M. Briskin 2 **
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Alexander Raimi  
Manasi Raj 2  
Shwetha Rajagopalakrishnan 3  
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Falisha D. Ramani  
Sneha Ramesh 2*  
Brandon Ramos  
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Momina Raza  
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Tyler D. Redmond 1***  
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Shan Ren 3*  
Jeffrey Rendon 3*  
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Stephen Richards  
Mason Rickens 2**  
Sara Rios 2**  
Matthew Rivera  
Lorenzo Miguel E. Rizarri  
Musawwir Rizvi  
Ciyhanni A. Robinson 1  
 
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Stefan Rojas-Ayala  
Alexander D. Romero  
Crystal Rorrer  
Aidan M. Rose  
Dominick Rosiak  
Alexander J. Rossi 3*  
Ilana Rozenberg 3*  
Xinyi Ruan 1*  
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Scott J. Rubin 2**  
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Andrew Rutherford  
Andrew W. Rygiel 2***  
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Abdullah Salih  
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Brian Sandoli  
Nimai S. Sanikop 2**  
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Sunanda Saravanakumar 1***  
Shivan Sarkar  
Sarah K. Sarna 1**  
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Max Schechter 3*  
Caley J. Scheuing 1**  
Abigail R. Schreiber 2**  
Richard Schubach 3*  
David Schwartzman  
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Olessya Sergunina  
Reema Sethi 2**  
Riya Sethi 3*  
Anshil Shah 3  
Dylan Shah 3*  
Hafsia Shah  
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Jill D. Shah 2**  
Meha Shah  
Neel Shah  
Parth P. Shah 3*  
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Sahil Shah 2**  
Sanjana A. Shah 2**  
Siddhi K. Shah 2*  
Sparsh Shah 3*
Syed T. Shah
Tej P. Shah 1***
Tisya Shah 2 **
Urvaj Shah
Vir Shah 3 *
Wajiha Shaikh 2 **
Mariam Shalash 2 ***
Michael Shalonov 2 **
Reza A. Shamshad 1
Yufei Shao
Amir Sharipov
Ria Sharma 1 ***
Ritvik Sharma 1 ***
Chenhui Shen
Yiren Shen 2
Heli Sheth 1 ***
Pratham A. Sheth 2 ***
Cody Shi
Fengshuo Shi
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Yu Shi 2 ***
Briana L. Shifrin 3 *
Christopher W. Shin 2
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Kyu-Rhee Shin 2 *
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Brooke Simmons 1 **
Amanda Simon
Akashdeep Singh 2 **
Anindita Singh 2 **
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Jaskaran Singh 3 *
Karan Singh 3
Tajinder Singh
Gunjan Sinha 2 **
Salome Siradze
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Yijun Sun
Sanjana Sure 1 ***
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Subiksha Surianarayanan
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Asadullah Taher 1 **
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Vijay Talluri
Rishub Talreja 2 **
Jason Tan
Chao Tang 2 **
Huijie Tang 2 **
Qiyuan Tang 2 **
Yixin Tang 3 *
Aijia Tao
Yuzhi Tao 1 ***
Hannah Tarantino
Rhea Telidevara 1
Senay Teshome
Eva Thai 1
Neil Thaker
Jay Thakkar 1 **
Darius Thomas
Jason Thomas
Peter N. Thompson 3 *
Zhichen Tian 1 ***
Saumya Tiwari
Cassandra H. Tom 2 **
Natalia T. Tomusiak 1 **
Rui Tong 3 *
Libby Toren 2 *
Joseph J. Toth
Quinn P. Tovey 3 *
Andrew Tran 3 *
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Jiayi Ouyang ³
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Jakub P. Porowski
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Ayman R. Rahman ³  
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Vansh S. Shah  
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Brooke A. Walsh  
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Zhangjie Wen ³  
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Gengshu Xu  
Yuliang Xu  
Eliana G. Yanez Infante ²  
Cuncheng Yuan  
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¹  Summa Cum Laude  
²  Magna Cum Laude  
³  Cum Laude  
*  Departmental Honors  
**  Departmental High Honors  
***  Departmental Highest Honors  
∞  Beta Alpha Psi

All honors designations are based on GPAs as of the end of the fall 2023 semester.
DEPARTMENTAL OUTSTANDING ACHIEVEMENT AWARDS

These awards are given each year by the faculty of the Rutgers Business School Newark and New Brunswick to the students demonstrating outstanding achievement in their major.

Accounting:
Regina Cheung

MSIS:
Andrew Wang

Finance:
Felix Cheng

Leadership and Management:
Michael Alfieri

Marketing:
Anjali Amin

Supply Chain Management:
Caleb Li
2024 DEAN’S
DISTINGUISHED LEADERSHIP AWARD

The Dean’s Distinguished Leadership Award recognizes one student leader each year who has demonstrated outstanding academic achievement, service to RBS and leadership potential. Following tradition, the name of the recipient is engraved onto the Rutgers Business School Brass Bell. This bell is rung six times at University Commencement, symbolizing the number of degree programs in the Rutgers Business School.

Presented to:
Sukhmeet Bedi

RUTGERS BUSINESS SCHOOL
NOTABLE SENIOR HONOR

The Rutgers Business School Notable Senior Honor is awarded by the Undergraduate Programs Office to graduating seniors who demonstrate excellence in service, community building, and dedication to the RBS community. Students chosen for this award are distinguished examples of well-rounded individuals who have exceeded expectations in their commitment to the university. Throughout their undergraduate careers, they have offered noteworthy contributions to the Rutgers Business School community and brought positive recognition to the RBS name.

Presented to:
Sydney Herman
Sahanah Sahay
Michael Shalanov

THOMAS H. MOTT, JR.
EXCELLENCE IN TEACHING AWARD

Thomas H. Mott was a faculty member who had a major impact on the New Brunswick Program of the Rutgers Business School (then called the School of Business). During the earliest years of the New Brunswick program of the Rutgers Business School, Thomas H. Mott Jr. was the individual directly responsible for the creation of our department of Management Science and Information Systems. He was also dedicated to providing students with an excellent education that they could carry with them throughout their lives. It is fitting that the Annual Award for Excellence in Teaching be named in his honor. The professor selected to receive the award is determined by the RBS student body. Candidates are identified and students vote while providing support for their candidate. This year’s winner is:

Presented to:
Ahmed Abrolisy
Assistant Professor of Professional Practice
Beta Gamma Sigma Inductees Class of 2024

Beta Gamma Sigma members are known as the “Best in Business”. Membership is highly exclusive with only the top 10% of their class invited to join.

2023-2024 Beta Gamma Sigma Board

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