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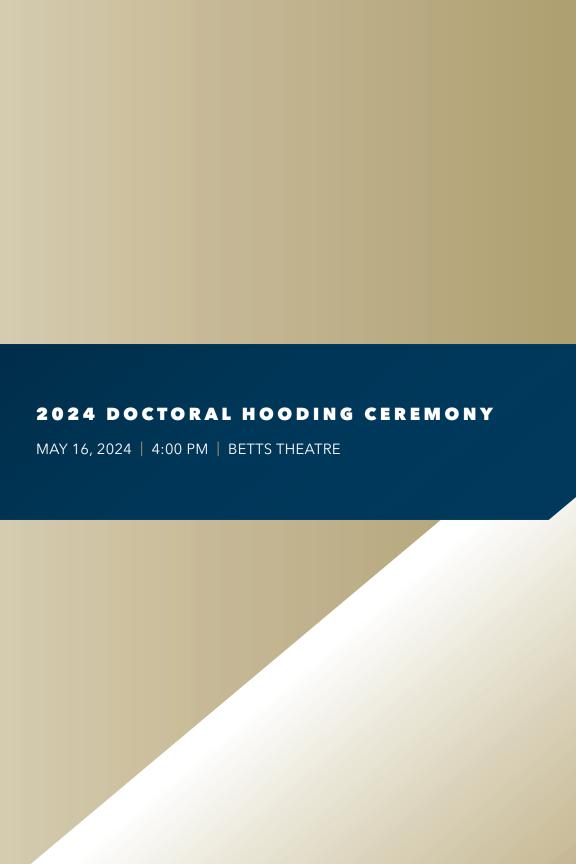
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THE GEORGE WASHINGTON UNIVERSITY





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PROCESSIONAL	Pomp & Circumstance
WELCOME	Jason M. Zara Associate Dean for Academic Affairs
THE DOCTORAL HOOD AND ACADEMIC REGALIA	Suresh Subramaniam Vice Provost for Graduate & Postdoctoral Affairs
CHARGE TO DOCTORAL CANDIDATES	John Lach Dean
HOODING OF THE DOCTORAL CANDIDATES	Dean John Lach and Faculty Advocates
RECESSIONAL	Pomp & Circumstance

Please remain standing as the academic procession leaves the auditorium.

The hooding program is meant to be a guide to the ceremony.

Although every effort has been made to ensure its accuracy, the program is not an official record of an individual's degree.

A LETTER FROM THE DEAN



John Lach Dean, School of Engineering and Applied Science

Dear Graduate:

On behalf of the faculty and staff of the George Washington University's School of Engineering and Applied Science, I congratulate you on your wellearned academic achievement.

I hope you are as proud of your accomplishment as we—your professors, advisors, and mentors—are. We have watched you learn, grow, broaden your perspectives, and deepen your understanding of engineering and computer science and of the critical roles they play in our increasingly technologydriven world. It took hard work and perseverance for you to be here today, and I hope you look back on your time at GW Engineering with fondness and appreciation.

As you look forward to your next challenge, I hope you carry with you what you have learned during your time here. First and foremost, you have studied your discipline in technical depth and acquired an understanding of the ethical practice and societal context of engineering and computer science. You have contributed original research to your academic field. You have learned to think creatively about complex topics and to work collaboratively with people across disciplines and from various backgrounds. Your experiences inside and outside the classroom have prepared you to become a valuable member—and leader—of diverse teams solving society's grand challenges.

But the preparation you have acquired here is just the beginning.

I challenge you to go forth from today as a life-long learner, constantly collecting new knowledge, skills, and perspectives to better serve humankind in our ever-changing world. The recent pandemic has reminded us of the importance of adaptability and resilience and of the need to be proactive in preparing for any challenges that may come our way. As engineers and computer scientists, you have special capabilities and responsibilities, and your commitment to continued growth and adaptability will help you make the world a better and more resilient and equitable place for all.

Whether you are now going on to your first full-time job, continuing your career, or otherwise following your life path, please stay in touch with us and with your fellow alumni. Remember that the GW Engineering community extends far beyond campus and will always welcome you. With a worldwide network of alumni and friends, you will find opportunities to connect with, support, and be supported by fellow GW graduates wherever you venture. And individually and together, you will Raise High!

I wish you all the best,

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John Lach

Dean, School of Engineering and Applied Science

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