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Richmond, Virginia
Gateway to the new millennium...

Some of us remember the Skull & Bones Restaurant, replaced by McDonald's...

...which was demolished in the Summer of 1999. We stood mesmerized on the street in January 2000 as the wrecking ball wreaked havoc on the office building behind it.
All of this to make way for...
...the Medical College of Virginia Hospitals Gateway Building.

The completion of the Gateway Building will coincide with the turn of the century and the millennium and stands as a symbol of growth, adaptation, and innovation in an ever-changing health care environment.

The year 2000 is finally here and we are finding that some of the things that we were expecting to see in this magically-numbered year have not yet come to light, yet some things that we would not have foreseen are challenging the way health care is administered. Despite the Jetson's best efforts, we are not driving flying cars. The Y2K bug that threatened to shut down the world turned out to be a nonevent. However, we are well on our way to decoding the human genome, which Watson and Crick could not have predicted in the 50s. The family physicians depicted by Norman Rockwell could not have foreseen the way that managed health care has changed the way that today's physicians do their doctoring.

As we stand at the gateway to the new millennium, we look forward to continuing advances in technology and in the health sciences. The students and faculty of Virginia Commonwealth University-Medical College of Virginia are prepared to take on these challenges and will emerge at the forefront of their respective fields, contributing new discoveries to our global community.
Clockwise from top: OT Grad I students are all smiles as they complete their final Gross Anatomy lab; Katy McNiff and Laura Le Smith just before the MCV 5K; Lauren Reitano, Caroline Betz, and Michelle Lucero prepare for dissection lab; Jaime Wisniewski, Nicole Smith, Selena Isabelle, Lauren Gardner, and Maria-Elena take a night off from studying to meet some friends in Shockoe Slip.
Clockwise from left: Ngoc Dao and Celene Amabile at the Pharmacy Formal; Tia, Scott, Erin, and Brian hanging out at the post-anatomy party; Sarah Bridget, Jen, Clarissa, and Amy at the Strawberry Hill Races; Wes Rainey and Bobby Stallard get huge at Halloween.
Clockwise, from right:
Chino Ramirez and Rolland Robinson at happy hour after class;
Arshia, Megan, and Negar at the Medicine Ball;
Laura Christenson, Carrie Freeman, Ashley Beckner, Jessica Baughman, Cheryl Ann Corcoran, and April Finan at the Diamond for a Braves game; "Ladies Night" at Heather's bachelorette party
Clockwise, from top:
Lori Melton, Jary Barney, and Julie Barron enjoy the Blue Ridge Mountains; Angelo Guanzon and Cecily Santos sing a little ditty at Baja Bean; Rhodaline Rebano and Monica Neshtat celebrate together; Rob Conklin and Christian Jenski get down at the MCV Formal
Clockwise, from top:
Ready for a night on the town at MRM in New Jersey; Teddy Cordero and Lisa Gambito at King's Dominion's Eiffel Tower; Negar Golesorkhi and Mike Stiefel bring in the New Year together; Revelers at the 1999 MCV Formal
Clockwise, from left:
Barbara Wise and Brian Krakover in West Virginia for Spring Break; David Sun, Laura Schobitz, and Mike Smith are all smiles; getting rowdy at a final exam party; Jess Clement, Ghazaleh Afshar, and Beth Kessler at a Medicine Ball preparty.
Don't know much about history:
Looking back through the Millennium...

Medicine & Biology
1348: The Black Plague: the bubonic plague killed one third of Europe's population between 1348 and 1350, making it the most deadly epidemic since the 6th century.
1543: Anatomy
Andreas Vesalius revealed the true skeletal and muscular structure of humans for the first time and correcting more than 200 errors in the common thinking among doctors of the day.
1628: Harvey discovers the circulatory system: Dr. William Harvey, an English physician, made medical history when he published his discovery that blood, driven by the pumping of the heart is constantly on the move throughout the body.
1796: Smallpox vaccine: Edward Jenner developed a vaccine from the cowpox virus virtually wiping out smallpox, which had killed more than 60 million Europeans.
1866: Mendel's Law of Heredity: Through his work with crossbreeding the garden pea, Austrian monk Gregor Mendel advanced the idea that traits are transferred from parents to progeny by way of distinct units and formulated mathematical laws governing the inheritance of these traits.
1882: Germs proven to cause disease: Robert Koch develops the "germ theory of disease," which improved physicians' ability to diagnose and treat patients.
1914: Birth Control: Margaret Sanger's efforts to encourage women to view conception as a choice rather than an obligation resulted in the establishment of America's first legal birth control clinic.
1928: Alexander Fleming discovers penicillin: Fleming accidentally discovers the ability of some molds to kill staphylococcus in culture, leading to the discovery of antibiotics.

Science & Discovery
1300s: Gunpowder first used in Europe: A relatively simple mixture of charcoal, sulfur, and saltpeter, gunpowder has been making the world's wars more deadly ever since.
1492: Columbus lands in America: With him, he brought about European colonization and a slew of changes: Christianity, disease, guns, and horses.
1522: First circumnavigation of the globe completed: Ferdinand Magellan and his crew of 237 men and 5 ships departed and 18 men (without Magellan) and 1 ship returned.
1543: Copernicus disputes geocentric universe: Nicolaus Copernicus was the first to propose that the sun was the center of the universe. This claim was later proven by Galileo Galilei and his telescope.
1666: Newton's Law of Gravity: Isaac Newton realized that the force holding any object to the Earth is the same as the force holding the moon and planets in their orbits.
1859: Darwin's Origin of Species: Charles Darwin explained that, over time, species adapt to their environment in order to survive and then pass along future generations in a process known as "natural selection."
1905: Einstein's Theory of Relativity: Albert Einstein concluded that if the energy of motion could change mass, then mass itself could become energy, leading to the equation: E=mc².
1938: Nuclear fission discovered in uranium: Hahn, Strassmann, Meitner, and Frisch's discovery led to the creation of the first atomic bomb, which the United States dropped on Hiroshima and Nagasaki to end World War II.
1957: First satellite launched: Sputnik 1's successful launch indicated to the world that the Soviet Union had taken the lead in space exploration. In response, the United States established NASA.

Inventions
1455: Moveable
metal type: Johann Gutenberg developed moveable type, which brought about a quicker, less expensive means of distributing information.

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1826:

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steam engine: The steam engine not only provided an immense source of power and energy, but also paved the way for the Industrial Revolution.

1826: The first photograph: Joseph-Nicphore Niepe captured the world’s first image in a photograph, allowing us to forever record people, events, and places in time for future generations.

1876: The telephone: Within a year of its introduction, Alexander Graham Bell had installed 230 phones. Today more than 643 billion calls are made by people in the United States alone.

1879: The incandescent lamp: Thomas Edison introduced this alternative to candles and gaslight using carbonized filaments from cotton thread.

1901: Wireless transmission of a signal: Guglielmo Marconi transmitted the Morse code letter “s” from England to Newfoundland, paving the way for today’s global communications.

1903: First powered flight: Orville Wright took off with the help of his brother Wilbur in Kitty Hawk, NC.

1908: Ford’s Model T: The development of the automobile proved to be invaluable to farmers and city dwellers alike. Henry Ford’s development of the assembly line also brought costs of the Model T from $850 to just $525.

1926: First demonstration of television: since Paul Nipkow received a patent for this invention in 1883, there are more than 213 million television sets in the United States alone.

1947: The silicon chip: The discovery that the flow of electricity can be selectively controlled through silicon led to the creation of microprocessors, paving the way from ENIAC, the first computer, to today’s high-speed, efficient PCs.

Politics & Government

1215: Magna Carta signed: This document issued by King John ensured feudal rights to barons, guaranteed freedom of the church, the customs of the towns, and implied laws protecting the rights of subjects.

1513: Niccolo Machiavelli wrote The Prince: This was one of the most influential political treatises in the Western World, promoting “the end justifying the means” and government without religious mandate.

1660: Formation of the East India Company: This allowed the major exportation of textiles and tea from India, leading to colonial rule by the British in India and elsewhere.

1787: Philadelphia Convention published the U.S. Constitution: Its four most important contributions were: the electoral process, a system of checks and balances, federalizations combined with state control, and protection of individual rights.

1792: Mary Wollstonecraft publishes "Vindication of the Rights of Woman": beginning the women’s liberation and women’s suffrage movements.

1804: Napoleon declared himself emperor of France: He built the largest European empire since the Romans.

1933: Hitler came to power: He became chancellor of Germany and one month later assumed the role of dictator. His invasion of Poland sparked the beginning of World War II.

1917: Lenin led Bolshevik Revolution: The Revolution finalized the end of Czarist Russia and formed the Soviet Union under the Marxist-Leninist system.

1947: India won independence: This marked the beginning of the British colonial empire’s demise and the beginning in a trend of developing nations gaining independence.

Things We Couldn’t Live Without

1299: Eyeglasses: invented by Italian scholars.

1498: Toothbrush: invented by the Chinese.

1535: Tobacco: When Europe first began to use tobacco, it was used to cure everything from
flatulence to discolored teeth. It wasn't until the 19th century that the health hazards of tobacco use came to light.

1582: The Gregorian calendar: Pope Gregory XIII changed the calendar from the Julian calendar, in use since 46 BC.

1596: Flush toilet: invented by John Harington and termed the "water closet."

1714: Mercury thermometer: invented by Daniel Fahrenheit.

1834: The refrigerator: invented by Jacob Perkins. Less than 1% of American homes lacked this convenience.

1851: Sewing machine: invented by Isaac Merritt Singer.

1854: Elevator: invented by Elisha Graves Otis.

1886: Coca-cola: Invented by John Pemberton from a carbonated blend of coca leaf and the kola nut.

War

1095-1192: The Crusades 1 through 3: They were a series of attacks organized by the Western Christians in order to take control of Jerusalem from Muslim powers.

1618-1648: The Thirty Years War: This was the last of the religious wars. France emerged as the chief power of Europe, Germany was ruined, and the breakup of the Holy Roman Empire was complete.

1756-1763: The Seven Years War: Through the Treaty of Paris, Great Britain emerged as the world's chief colonial empire and France lost most of its overseas possessions, particularly in North America.

1775 - 1781: American Revolutionary War: The 13 colonies' successful war against Great Britain led to the creation of the United States and the establishment of modern democratic style of government.

1861 - 1865: American Civil War: It erupted when the southern states seceded from the Union. The North's ultimate victory preserved the Union, abolished slavery, and granted citizenship to newly freed slaves.

1914 - 1917: World War I: It was the advent of "total war," in which civilians became legitimate targets, and the use of modern weaponry made the war one of the bloodiest in history, with about 10 million killed.

1939-1945: World War II: Modern methods of warfare, including the first use of nuclear weapons, together with Germany's attempt to exterminate entire religious and ethnic groups, killed tens of millions. This led to the birth of the United Nations and the beginning of the Cold War.

1950-1953: Korean War: This was the first war fought under international authority (the UN) and the first post-nuclear war.

Music & Literature

1387: Tales from the trail: Geoffrey Chaucer's The Canterbury Tales exhibited a keen perception of the human condition.

1594: The power of fiction: Miguel de Cervantes's Don Quixote dramatically impacted the development of the novel and fiction in Europe.

1603: William Shakespeare: His tragedies, comedies, romances, and sonnets, celebrated the possibilities of language while simultaneously creating some of literature's most memorable characters.

1722: Bach: He divided the scale into twelve equal semitones, opening up the harmonic range of the keyboard and paving the way for the piano in the 19th century.

1795: Sense and Sensibility: Jane Austen expanded the novel's range in subject matter as the first to write about average people in everyday situations.

1820: Ludwig van Beethoven: Completely deaf, his finely wrought and emotionally driven compositions proved that artistic feeling cannot al-
ways be neatly contained within previously existing forms.

1955: Rock and Roll: Elvis Presley burst upon the rock and roll scene created by Chuck Berry and added the moves, charisma, and sensuality that caused nationwide hysteria.

1969: Half-a-million strong: 500,000 music-devotees, hippies, and musicians gathered at Woodstock to protest the war in Vietnam. Music had never been used in the name of protest on such a grand scale.

Sports

1400: The first golf tournament at St. Andrews, home of the Royal and Ancient Golf Club, which has provided guidance on the rules and regulations of the sport since its inception.

1888: Jim Thorpe was born: Track and field, baseball, lacrosse, basketball, hockey, swimming, boxing, tennis, archery, and football: Jim Thorpe played them all.

1896: The Olympic Games were revived: The competitive spirit of the original Olympics was renewed and today the Olympics is one of the most popular television, and commercial, events in the world.

1947: Jackie Robinson played his first major league baseball game: He broke baseball's color barrier and paved the way for other African-Americans in sports

1965: The first football game was broadcast on television: Increased interest in the game and exposure from the broadcasts sparked expansion of the NFL.

1973: Billie Jean King beats Bobby Riggs: King shattered misconceptions about female athletes when she beat male professional tennis player Riggs. She also helped to bring about the passage of Title IX, ensuring equal access to sports for females in schools.

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"We will continue our bold new initiatives and continue to make change happen – to continue as the national leader in allied health higher education."

-Cecil B. Drain, Ph.D.
School of Allied Health Professions
School of Allied Health
As you read this issue of the X-Ray, the last edition to be published in this century, you will be impressed by the tremendous accomplishments of the School of Allied Health Professions' students, faculty, staff, and alumni.

The shifting of demographic, macroeconomic forces, volatility in the health care industry, and rapidly emerging technologies have all significantly impacted our school. As a consequence, we have developed state-of-the-art programs, which have enhanced our capacity for even greater achievement and quality improvement. By many objective measures, our school is one of the leading schools of allied health in the country. But to declare victory or to become too complacent would harm many of the accomplishments this school has made. Hence, we will continue our bold new initiatives and continue to make change happen – to continue as the national leader in allied health higher education. All these things will enhance the academic and clinical excellence of our students. We are so proud of our students, as these persons will provide positive leadership in their chosen profession in the future.

Soon many of you will be joining the ranks of our distinguished alumni. I hope you will remember your VCU years fondly, and maintain an active relationship with us. On behalf of the faculty and staff of the School of Allied Health Professions, congratulations and sincere best wishes for your future.

Sincerely,

Cecil B. Drain, Ph. D.
Professor and Dean
School of Allied Health Professions
Clinical Laboratory Sciences

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Yvonne S. Martin-Howgate
Kimberly A. Rainbow

Class of 2001
Amy M. Cleveland

Alisha Hodges, the 2001 CRS Class President and Kelly Kincaid, the 2000 Class President

Angela Mueller, Aric Duckett, and Katie Graves Studying

CRS 2001 Class Picture
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Heena Patel

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The mission of the Department of Health Administration is:
- educating the next generation of health administrators and enhancing the skills of the present generation
- preparing a new generation of health services researchers and educators
- creating and disseminating basic and applied knowledge about the management, organization, financing, function, and performance of the health care system
- serving people in the public and private sectors of the health care system.
Occupational Therapy Students

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Evangeline A. Dance!

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Symathia D. Freeman

Joyce E. Goff
Scott Gurley
Kristi L. Hickman
Amy Howard

Jodi Kaseff
Celeste Magtang
Erin Moeckl
Lisa Owens
Class of 2000

Laurie L. Perkins
Charles Prinz
Kristin Prophet
Rachel J. Puchalski

Hollie Register
Tracy E. Talley
Mindee Vo
Jennifer P. Zinn

Above: OT Grad IIs getting ready to head out for a night on the town

Left: Molly Mitchell bounces Lori Melton on the therapy ball for a class demonstration
Occupational Therapy Graduate Students

Jary D. Barney
Julie Barron
Stephanie Boyle
Kathryn G. Long

Lori Melton
Molly Mitchell
Carrie Morgan
Suzanne Murch

Carrie Schempp

Occupational Therapy Class of 2000
Celebrating Ashley’s birthday

Alex Berry, Kathryn Long, and Sue Murch work a class yard sale to raise money for graduation

OT Grad IIs after a visual impairment lab activity

Julie Barron and Kristi Knicely typing a research proposal for CCHR approval

Working hard to raise money at their yard sale

Kristi Knicely assists Carrie Morgan in a toilet transfer during class
Above: Spring Break at Daytona Beach
Above, right: Alex Berry uses a cleaning device during living skills training
Right: Carissa Bennett and Danielle Young cool off after class

Above: PT students celebrate the end of the year
Right: Steph Boyle and Sue Murch work on daily living skills in the kitchen

School of Allied Health
Above, left: Traci Coyle assists Beth Childs during a vision impairment lab
Above: PT 2nd years displaying foods and wares from around the world
Left: PT pals Jason, Clay, and Kyle share a happy moment

Above: PT students partying after final exams
Left: OT students seek assistance with a flat tire before class
Physical Therapy

Clarissa Albo
Kyle Brown
Carolyn Buford
Jessica Cunningham

Jennifer English
Susan Gemmill
Joann D. Gravley
Cari Hentges

Lisa Lewis
Suzanne Martin
Megan McNulty
Laurelyn Pratt

Keri Riddell
Roland Robinson
A. Reed Shumway
Robyn Smith

Dana Swartz
Ashley Ware
Class of 2000

Left: PT Ladies of 2000 at Heather’s bachelorette party

Right: Amy Lewis and Dave Blanch at a San Diego Padres baseball game

Left: Having fun at the SGA Formal
Class of 2001

Shawn E. Arrowsmith
Jennifer Corbet
Eric A. Ingold
Jennifer D. Johnston

Leah Keen
Jonathan M. Kula
Amy S. Lewis
Holly Loveless

Michelle B. Lucero
Rebecca Morton
Chad Taylor
Tara Turner

Joseph Wilkins
Jim Wilson

Right: Michelle Lucero and Carissa Bennett right after their last final exam
Class of 2002

Kenneth Breath
Jason Bridges
Marc Forrest
Kerry E. Gilsenan

Left: Class of 2001 ladies at the wedding of Heather and Derek Andreson

Right: Chino Ramirez and Rolland Robinson chill at the Up and Away Dude Ranch

Left: PT 2001 students destress and unwind
Above: Shawn Barley always has a good time

Above, right: Chad Taylor challenges Michelle Lucero to a pillow fight

Right: PT students and Dr. Reed Humphrey at the Up and Away Dude Ranch

Above: PT 2nd years at Up and Away Dude Ranch

Right: Amy Lewis at Summer Camp and therapeutic recreation services of Fairfax County
Above, left: Heather and Derek during Halloween
Above: PT students celebrate at Heather's bridal shower
Left: If PT doesn’t work out, we’re taking this show on the road!

Left: Kate Rivera with one of her "kids"
Above: PT students just hanging out
Top, left: Shawn Barley strikes a pose
Top, right: PT students and friends picking pumpkins
Left: Michelle Lucero is exhausted after partying so hard
Above: Danielle Young at Up and Away Dude Ranch
Top, left: PT 2nd years starting the year off right
Top, right: Carissa Bennett flashes the PT gang sign
Above: Annamarie Marshall and Teri Bell discuss the day’s events
Right: Carissa Bennett analyzes the bottle cap’s composition
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-Dean Ronald J. Hunt
School of Dentistry
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Ronald J. Hunt, Dean
Fourth Year Dental Students

Moutaz Abdeen
Quyen Dao
Thao Doan
Hoda Eid

Mohammed El-Mashharawi
Daren Gehring
Treacy Jones
Joe Khalil

Dave Kirk
Matt Lyerly
Ron Mamrick
Shah M. Nawaz

Quynh Trang Nguyen
Tuong Van Nguyen
Ashley Nichols
Leila Saba

Mona Gulliksen Semtner
Jennifer Staas
Eli Sweiry
Taurus Tatem
Above, Left: Dave Kirk asks, "Another beer please !!@#?"
Above: Enjoying the 1999 MCV Formal
Left: Photo op at the Christmas formal
Third Year Dental Students

Gavin Aaron
Ruth Abraham
Sobia Bhutta
Amy Black

Jeff Bourne
Dwight Buelow
Roy Carter
Sam Choi

Gregory Cole
Curt Crowder
Mike Crowton
Cynthia Dang

Guy Hughes
Kerry Janssen
Neda Kalantar
Trang T. Le

Eugene Lee
Cheryl Lobo
Richards Miller
Tanya Mouchahoir

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Above: Are you seeing double yet?

Left: "Cafe 21"
Above, left: D3s enjoying the Back to School Bash
Above, right: "You've lost that loving feelin!"
Right: Back to School, back to friends

Above: Taking it easy
Right: "Please use Listerine."
Above, left: D3s at the SGA Formal
Above: Nothing like a good party...
Left: "Open wide... First injections EVER!!"

Left: Candy Corn Samuel Adam
Above: Halloween fun
Top, left: Wonder Twin powers... Activate!
Top, right: Party at the Mayo house
Above: Jason Woodside, Dr. Strauss, and Scott Tomlenson participate in IM and IV day
Right: "What did you get for #23?"
Top, left: Taking a break...
Top, right: Big Nawaf and Little Nawaf
Left: Cheese!
Above: D3s at a back to school party
Second Year Dental Students

Allan Acton
Jason Atha
Joseph Bernier-Rodriguez
Nirmal Bogollagama

Kathleen Bryant
Jennifer Butterfoss
Darren Chamberlain
Jonathan Chang

George S. Cheng
Monica Clisso
Brian Cochran
Anh Dang

Rhea del Castillo
Adel Esmail
Bobby Garofalis
Michael Han

Justin Heiden
Judy Hsu
Yousef A. Hussain
Ty Joncas

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Right: D2s relaxing at a class picnic by the river

Left: A very motley crew made an appearance at the SGA Halloween party

Right: D2 class picnic
Sonu Kakar
Sophia Kuneho
Sameer Kwatra
Trung Le

Left: VDA Luncheon

Right: End of the year class party

Jason Lipscomb
Christopher M. Malone
Aaron Marks
Jim Mason

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Second Year Dental Students
Left: Rainy day fun! D2s Bowling at Nags Head Beach

Right: D2 Barbeque

Diana Skinner Almy
Stacey B. Sparkman
Tricia Tran
Mai Truong
D3 Teletubbies made an appearance at the Halloween party.

"Somebody... get this off of me!"
Left: "And the winner is..."
Below: D1s Paul, Arshia, Jen, Chris, and Lenny enjoying a night out

Above: They let the D1 students out and this is what happens.
Right: On IM and IV day, Chen Yi tries to be brave as Liz Wilson administers an injection
First Year Dental Students

Simplicio S. Aganad, III
Arshia Ahmadi-Nabi
Rash Al-Anezi
Hadi Al-Bahrani

Ra'ed Al-Hawaj
Ibrahim Al-Munif
Frank Lee Angus, Jr.
Joe Anwah

Majd Babik
Amal Behbehani
Ricardo Belinchon
Zane Berry

Jason C. Campbell
Jared Cardon
Shane Claiborne
Christy Coleman

Phillip Milton Cook, Jr.
Griffin A. Cross
Mike Ellis
Sarah Friend
Class of 2003

Joel Gardner
Jeff Graham
Michael E. Grosso
Joe Hopkin

John Howard
Yun M. Kang
Bryan Konikoff
Jennifer LaCroix

Right: Christy and Arshia are thankful for the end of semester Christmas formal

Left: John proudly shows off his articulator.
Above: The 3 Jens (R., L., and M.) demonstrate their bowling form
Above, right: Sean and Paul take a load off
Right: D1 boys get down at the Christmas formal
Right: Shane Claiborne giving Duy Phan a lift  
Below: FAME! I'm gonna live forever!  
Below, right: Jared Cardon, AV man for hire

Marci Smith  
Theodore W. Struhs  
Sigrid Sziasss  
Ken Thomas  
John Truitt

Kevin Truong  
Mark Vagnetti  
Christina Vinson  
Annie Zimmerman

First Year Dental Students
Left: Final post gross party: Kelly, Dr. Meredith, Paul, John, Jennifer, Milton, Shady, Shane, Annie, and Arjang

Below, Left: D1s enjoying Fall Break on the lake

Above: Ricardo and Chris pumping it up at the SGA Halloween fete

Left: The D1 Softball team
Above: D1 Class picture
Right: Fun times in occlusion lab
Far right: Emily and Mike are all smiles
Below, right: Mark doesn't look very grouchy...
Top left: Jen R. and Jen M. enjoying the Halloween party
Far left: Joe and Zane take a break in occlusion lab
Left: Randy and Meredith ham it up
Below: Ladies of the Class of 2003 step out for Halloween
Above: Chris, Christy, Annie, Shady, John and Adam celebrating at the winter formal
Above, right: Laura and Rob with Sigrid and her kids
Right: Chris, Arshia, Christina, Jen, John, and Dan enjoying life at MCV
Above, left: D1s out on the town
Above: Majd, Kelly, Phu, and John are enjoying one another's company
Left: D1s at the Christmas formal

Left: Bryan displays his gang loyalties
Above: No shirt, no service? Perhaps not so.
Left: Jason, with his wife and child, Kip and his wife, and Joe and his wife enjoying a night of bowling
Below: Getting crazy at a Post Gross party
Far below: Matt, Griffin, Jen L., Robbie, and Arshia
Far above: The D1 bowling excursion
Above: Passing the time in lab with a little Foos
Right: Greg, Bridgette, Jen, Majd, and Arshia
Top, left: Monica, Greg, Jen L., Jen R., Christina, and Arshia hanging out

Top, right: D1s getting a little hectic

Above: Halloween hijinx: Meredith, Ricardo, Majd, and Chris play the parts

Right: Robbie, Emily, and Monica's glasses
Top, left: Ted and his wife, Shady and Adam relaxing at the Christmas formal
Top, right: D1 bar night: any given day
Left: Emily, Milton, Kelly, and Randy at the Christmas formal
Above: Christy, Monica, Emily, and Annie
Dental Hygiene Students

Marcie Doherty
Jennifer Evans
Carla Faris
Joan Flammia

Ghada I. Francis
Angela Goode
Carrie Johnson
Lee Ann Lay

Left: Pallavi Desai, Natasha Jefferson, Sherry Newton, and Laura Phinney in clinic
Below: Kelly Englisby (Vice-President) and Phu Tran (President) during Halloween Happy Hour
Class of 2000

Right: Dental Hygiene students take a break at the Halloween Happy Hour
Below: Julie Holcomb and Deb Inman pause for a picture in clinic
Above, left: D1s Bryan, John, and Will share a laugh
Above: D1s celebrating the new year in Nags Head
Left: D3s have pearly white smiles

Left: Happy New Year!
Above: D3s taking it easy...
"The Millennium Class is a special one; shall we say, one-in-a-thousand."

-H. H. Newsome, Jr., M.D.
School of Medicine
Dear School of Medicine Students:

The Millennium Class is a special one; shall we say, one-in-a-thousand. You’re also special within the events unfolding around you; the completion of the genome project, globalization of health care, the measurement of the effectiveness of our profession, the new emphasis on prevention of disease, and alternative medicine, to name a few. These will all bring tremendous changes to each of you. We can only hope that you are prepared, in spite of, or because of your experience here. We do know for a fact, it was a pleasure having you with us.

In this exciting future stretched out before you, “Don’t be a stranger.” Keep in touch; you may be surprised by the changes the 21st Century brings to us.

Sincerely,

H. H. Newsome, Jr., M.D.
Senior Associate Dean
Fourth Year Medical Students

Doug Beach
Sandra Beyer
Chris Brown
Brad Butkovich

Sandra Carty
Felix Chen
Michele A. Cofield
Christina Cox

Left: Christina Cox and Lisa Enders step out at the Medicine Ball
Below: Mary Kreck and Terry Fairbanks, engaged in December 1999
Class of 2000

Above: David Sun and Tony Moore find something to dance about
Right: Jenny Sheehan and Jim Crandall are all smiles

Kimberly A. Curseen
James E. Gosney, Jr.
Munish Goyal
Rebecca Henry

Jason Highsmith
Kenneth Hite
Arnold Kim
Virginia Kladder
Right: Kathryn Miller, Katie Laughon, and Dana Holwitt flash a smile
Below: Kathy Laughon and Sarah Josephs
Below, right: Sarah and Tim, newlyweds since November 1999

Jennifer Lehman
Dean Lin
Sarjeev Lulla
Andrew Magnet

Amy E. Messier
Aye Min
Benjamin Morrison
William Newcomb
Above: Mike Smith, Laura Schobitz, Jim Crandall, and David Sun share some couch space
Above, right: Look closely and you can catch Brad Butkovitch doing la vida loca at the Medicine Ball
Third Year Medical Students

Mariana Abraham
Rhonda B. Algeier
Paige Beattie
Steven Caldwell

Shirley Chai
Emily Debord
M. Poornima Gowda
Alex Honkham

Hanging out at the Back to School Bash at TJ Giorgio's
Above: Glenn Ereso, Hang Nguyen, and Sam Sohn at the Med Ball. Who says that you're allowed only one date?
Right: Alex Honkham, blaming it on the next guy

William Konitsky
Christopher J. Krebs
Tammy Lockwood
Carlie Martin

Jennifer Masden
Stephen Messner
Susie Mitchell
Patricia Monge-Meberg
Van H. Nguyen
Eric Oberlander
G. Laissa Ouedraogo
Miten R. Patel

Kevin H. Peacock
Richard C. Peebles
Laura C. Pendlebury
Jessica F. Prastein

William Reed
Kim Schock
Jeffrey Singley
Carter L. Starr

Samuel Turner
Marcus Van
Gary A. Vela
Kevin Vogeley

David Yao
Above: Rakesh, Steve, Cindy, Poornima, Matt, Gauri (Pediatric resident), Chris, and Amanda taking a break at the Medicine Ball
Right: Don Luong (M2), Poornima, and Ako Bradford (M2) take in the Medicine Ball
Below: Mona, Neal Desai (M2), and Poornima
Second Year Medical Students

Rebecca Adleman
Ghazaleh Afshar
James D. Allred, Jr.
Michael F. Amendola

Amin Amini
Karen E. Anderson
John A. Arledge
Deborah A. Armstrong

Karen Arnold
Leslie A. Bae
Tristan Berry
Jennifer Bischoff

Wendy Bowman
Ako D. Bradford
Kia Brown
Laura Burison

Bonnie A. Carmichael
Christopher Carter
Clayton Chen
Eric C. Chen
Class of 2002

Jessica M. Clement
Ruth M. Coleman
George Crits
Wilson P. Daugherty

Cliff Davis
Neal Desai
Mark A. Doane
Philip H. Ewing

Michael Ferrell
Bernard Fischer
Alan Flanigan
Seth B. Forman

Matthew J. Freeby
Eric B. Freeman
John E. Gee
Kim George

Negar Golesorkhi
Liv Gorla
Shannan A. Green
Theresa Hitselberger
Above, left: Glenn Ereso and Cesar Scott hang loose at the Medicine Ball
Above: The M2 Softball team
Left: Arash, J. T., Ghazaleh and Don gather at TJ Giorgio's
Above, right: Sign of the times: "We're really M2s!"
Right: Kenny Chippendale and Tristan Hooter, up to no good
Below: The Hershey's Kiss, pseudohermaphrodite, terrorist, ski guy and gal, and M&Ms: Halloween at Larrick! (a.k.a., Mona, Nizam, Deb, Rick, Ghazaleh, and Nalini)

Tam T. Ly
Debabrata Maji
Vivek V. Mathur
Louis E. McAdory

Prateek Mendiratta
Nizam Missaghi
Kerry Moss
Kerrian Mross

Welcome Back, M-2s
The School of Medicine Development Office &
The MCV Alumni Association
James Senechal
Nalini Sharma
Todd Shatynski
Talmage Shill

David Shu
Juris Simanis
Carolyn Sime
Suneet Singh

Lynelle Slade
Juanita L. Smith
Matthew Smith
Robert T. Smith

Di Su
Joe T. Tai
Arash Taleghani
Christopher Tiner

Nathan Tran
Neil Q. Tran
John W. Turner
Kenny Uy

92 School of Medicine  Second Year Medical Students
Don Luong's birthday party, August 1999: Don, Frank, Clayton, and Tristan strike a pose
Top, left: Laura Park and Erin Gilbert enjoying a beer at an Orioles game
Top, right: Christy Cooksey, Stephanie Trost, Hang Nguyen, Shahrzad Shareghi, and Payal Patel hanging out
Above, left: AAIM wonton-making workshop—a success!
Above, right: M2s and M1s taking part in the American Heart Walk
Right: Don Luong, Chris Lau, Alice Chaiou, Janet Lai, and Eric Chen enjoying the scene
Top, left: M2s on a class trip to an Orioles game
Top, right: Ghazaleh Afshar and Barbara Wise at the Strawberry Hill Races
Above, left: Yun Kang, Kevin Truong, Andy Ma, Arjang, Anna Phung, and Don Luong hanging out
Above: Police lineup of AAIM members
Left: Tristan, Chris Lau, Suneet, Don, and Kenny at a party at Leigh Langdon’s celebrating the last day of their first year
Class of 2003

Jiyearn Katya Chung
Rory Clawswer
Hugh Colvin
Nira Colyn

Rob Conklin
Lauren Cooper
Wirt W. Cross, Jr.
Michelle DesChamplain

Manjiri Mukund Didolkar
Kelly Doyle
Gaelyn E. L. Eaton
Jonathan H. Ellis

Michelle L. Ellis
Michael Feldman
Mark Felmann
Katrina V. Fox

Kara B. Fulcher
Todd A. Goodnight
Dmitry Gorelik
Julia Graves
M1s on their way to their first Medicine Ball
Hey and Dan make a friend in the Anatomy Lab

Getting a head start: Pam and Vince learn to suture with the Student Family Practice Association and a pig foot

Eric Lyders
John Bradley Malcolm
Edward W. Malin
Heather S. Masters

Eric McCollum
Ashley McCowen
Cory O. McGill
Katherine B. McNiff

Angela Middleton
James A. Miller
Jeremy Paul Moore
Jon Moussally
Rebecca Mumpower
Nadim Nasr
Pamela M. Neff
Rob Neff

Gregg Nicandri
Anjali Nirmalani
Andrea M. Oertel
Laura Paletta

David Pastel
Devang Patel
Sumukh Patil
Khendra I. Peay

Erica Pelletier
Erik J. Petersen
Stephanie R. Pevenstein
Thuythuy Phamle

John Port
Bo Poulson
Lam C. Quan
Omer Riaz

Class of 2003
School of Medicine
Above, left: Julie, Devang, Eric, and Mark discuss the day's events
Above: Angelo Guanzon playing his gig at Baja Bean
Left: Rob's got Liz, Michelle, and Erica eating out of the palm of his hand
Above: Wes, Kim, Colin, and Katy relax at Liver Rounds at Area 51

Above, right: Nira Colyn gives a knowing wink as amused Erica, Hugh, and Bryan look on

Right: Andrea, Gaelyn, and Manjiri succumb to the Sandman in class

Above: Katy McNiff, Dave Salley, Dan Santos, and Susie (the future Mrs. Santos)

Right: Anjali, Tom, and Michelle enjoy a post-anatomy exam Halloween party
Above, left: NAVel: Brynn, Kelsey, and Sara demonstrate their anatomy skills
Above: Bryan, Chris, Brett, and David at a bonfire at Mama and Papa Wirt's
Left: Laura Paletta, David Green, Erica Pelletier, Katie Burjon, Amy Leuthauser, and Carrie Allen enjoy a cold one

Left: Hamid and Rory take a break in anatomy lab
Above: Eager medical students await to receive their white coats
Above: Marc Ferrera is examined by Karen Cheng in Anatomy
Above, right: Vartan gets violated
Right: Anjali and Erica are all smiles

Left: TJ Wallace and Carrie Allen can't believe how good the buffalo wing tastes!
Above: The Bridesmaids from hell: Colin, Katie, and Sally
Above, left: Christine the witch and Katy as Snow White
Above: Ryan Modilinski, Dave Salley, and Rick Brah
Left: Angelo Guanzon and Curt Heimbach concentrate on their Foos game

Above: Michelle trying to get anatomy straight
Right: Dana likes Wirt's 10-gallon hat
Top, left: Nice pants, Rob
Top, right: Happy M1s at Liver Rounds
Above: Christian, Naureen, and Kevin taking a break in Hunton Hall
Above, right: Dave Salley, Brynn Sigal, and Writ Cross share a laugh at the bonfire
Right: Celebrating Halloween after the Anatomy exam
Top, left: Because of an exam, Halloween came on November 1st for the M1s
Top, right: Hugh Colvin, new father
Above, left: Kelly and Rob play dress-up and make-believe
Above: Erica, Anjali, Laura, and Jen enjoying Liver Rounds
Left: Laura, Katy, TJ, and Kim
Right: Dr. Banks
Far right: Paul Arnold and Eric Lyders work diligently on their sutures

Above: Mark, Kim, Katy, and Danny preparty before the Medicine Ball
Middle, right: Kelly takes a bite out of an unwitting Fitzhugh
Right: Elisabeth, Ashely and Jonathan
Below, right: Dr. Seibel
Middle, left: Hula girls
Rachel, Lauren, and Evan

Above: Nadim, the crazy pothead, and Ilan, the guy on the beach

Left: Kelsey Swanson and Sarah Baumgartner share a laugh

Below, left: Dr. Lloyd
Graduate Students in the School of Medicine

Randy Abutin
Rammy I. Alam
Eric P. Hooker
Amanda G. Johnson

Jawwad Khan
Patrick Maeng
Andrew Meyer
Amanda Mower

Rhodaline Rebano
Cecily Santos
Robert Spencer
Peter Tait

Tiana Urgolites
Gennifer Wiltshire

Scientists and doctors in training...
Pharmacology and Toxicology students Neda, Di, Sharon, and Van all ready to go out

Katie, Beth, and Luis out at Sidewalk

Pharm/Tox M.D./Ph.D. student, Mohi

Cecily, Katie, Rhoda, and Charlotte like eating Thai dinner at the Thai Diner

First year Pharm/Tox students: Jae-wen Lee, Melinda Cox, Ryan LeBlanc, Rick Tiller, Rene Aniqwue, Randy Abutin, Christine Falo, and Jenny Bell

Patrick, Charlotte, Cecily, and Glenn squeeze four onto a loveseat.
Above: Pharm/Tox students at the American Heart Walk in October 1999: They and the M2s which participated raised over $1,500

Right: Andrew Meyer (biomedical engineering) and Diana Cichewicz (pharm/tox)

Left: "Peace, dude!"

Above: Amy Lawson (MD/PhD) of the Pharm/Tox department was a 2nd place recipient of the Lauren A. Woods Award.
Below: Diana Cichewicz and Van Nguyen as a bat girl and Batgirl
Right: First year Kwan Ho Roh in the Pharm/Tox department

Left: Dr. Feher is enjoying the Physiology picnic
Below: Charlotte Cockrell, Katy McNiff, Beth Gannon, Katie Forsythe, and Monica Neshat share a laugh over a beer
Clockwise from top left: Getting a little punchy on the roadtrip to Atlantic City; Dr. and Mrs. Poland and Ruby discuss exercise at high altitudes; Laura and Patrick share a birthday shot as Rob cheers on; Patrick, Katy, and Rene after a long day... of drinking; Kim, Diana, Vera, and Lennox at a holiday party.
Clockwise from below: Rammy and Rob explore the possibilities of hip hop and acoustic guitar fusion; Sherrie, Jen, and Beth patiently await for their burgers; Monica, Katie, Beth, and Charlotte looking fine at the preparty before the SGA Formal; Pharm/tox 2nd years Beth, Julie, Mahreen, and Kedar in front of the Smith Building; Alex, Diana, Loi, and Quynh Anh
Above: American Heart Walk: Where's Waldo?
Right: Dr. Pittman, Molly, and Dawn enjoy the scrumptious spread at the physiology picnic

Left: Pharm/tox students pose for a Christmas picture
Above: It's a bird! It's a plane! No, it's Superman and a Fembot!
Below: Students in Dr. Welch's lab microwaving their lunch
Right: First year pharm/tox student Randy Abutin aliquots protein samples

Left: John and Monica say, "Cheese."
Below: John Andreassi, Diana Cichewicz, Andrew Meyer, Kim Ronald, Alex Honkham, and Diana Auyeung meet for lunch
The Medicine Ball

Clockwise from top right: Negar, Megan, and TJ; Roland and Martha; Arshya and Megan check out the ball
Clockwise from above: Dean Heldberg and Dr. Messmer; Laura Paletta and Kara Fulcher; Munish Goyal and date; Hugh Colvin, Bryan's date, Bryan Lewis, and Mark Hobeika
Left: Party goers enjoying the holiday atmosphere
Below, left: Leslie Badra and her boyfriend Hassan
Below, right: Chris and Sarah
Bottom: Steve Lee and friends find out about Danny Lee's 1st semester grades
Right: Brynn Sigal and Sara Moore
Below: Laura Paletta and Chris Krebs
Bottom: More partygoers
AMA/MSV-MSS: Partnership for Unsurpassed Health Care

The American Medical Association/Medical Society of Virginia-Medical Student Section (AMA/MSV-MSS) is dedicated to improving medical education, developing leadership, and promoting activism by medical students for the health of America. As members of the AMA and the MSV, we support their stated missions and purposes as follows:

Founded in 1847, the AMA is the primary voice for the medical profession. Through the promotion of the art and science of medicine and the betterment of public health, the AMA is building a responsive and responsible health care delivery system to provide quality care to all patients.

The Medical Society of Virginia is the oldest state medical society in the country. By advocating for patient protection in the current managed care environment and for access to health care for all Virginians, the MSV is striving to ensure the highest standards of quality for health care.

Barbara Wise, MCV Chapter President
AMA/MSV-MSS

Right: Members of the AMA’s Healthy Heart Program Stephanie Webber, Melody Rice, and Kerrian Moss
Below: Ghazaleh Afshar and Brian Krakover teaching children in our community how to keep their hearts healthy
Clockwise from top left: Tim Zisman, Dr. Enrique Gerrstzen, and Kerry Moss at AMA Wine and Cheese "Welcome Class of 2003"; Adam Crits applying what he learned at the AMA's BP screening workshop; AMA President Barbara Wise (right) and Adam Crits (left) brushing up on his skills; Matt Freeby (Treasurer and Coordinator of Community BP screenings with the National Kidney Foundation), Matt Jones, and Laura Park (AMA Secretary); Kenny Uy (VP of Membership for AMA) and Jessica Clement (Public Relations for AMA); Tim Zisman, Betsy Kleiner, Jay Levin, Melody Rice, and Laura Park
"As the reputation of this school continues to increase, the perception of others will be that you are a capable professional because you graduated from a quality program."

-Nancy F. Langston, R.N., Ph.D.
School of Nursing
"We are caught in an inescapable network of mutuality, tied in a single garment of destiny," wrote Martin Luther King, Jr. in 1963. I believe that the truth of this observation will manifest itself for you in the years to come as this School of Nursing and your professional careers and lives continue in relationship to one another.

As the reputation of this school continues to increase, the perception of others will be that you are a capable professional because you graduated from a quality program. The mutuality is that in fact as you engage in quality work whether in direct patient care or other positions such as nursing faculty, the reputation of the school increases. So the reputation of the school and you are in a network of mutuality.

As you leave the school and embark on a new leg of your life's journey, the friendships made, challenges met, and lessons learned will travel with you. It is my wish and hope that you will, with intent, continue your formal contacts and connections with each other and the school and in so doing create a positive sense of this mutuality and shared destiny. May the garment of destiny Dr. King spoke of be one knit of professional integrity and compassionate care of others for the improved health of humanity.

I extend to each of you my sincere best wishes for a fulfilling career and life.

Sincerely,

Nancy F. Langton, R.N., Ph.D
Class of 2000

Amy L. Bayne  
Ens Bill  
Tom K. Brandeberry  
Stacy A. Brinkley

Trina D. Broache  
Kathy Bui  
Melissa K. Colby  
Teddy Cordero

Janelle Cruz  
Rosalind deLisser  
Jamie Farmer  
Alex Feria

Karen Gravley  
Jeffrey S. Harris  
Jaclynn S. Haymon  
Liz Howland

Kathryn A. Kelly  
Adanech Lemma  
Wan-Lu K. Lian  
Janice B. Manalo
The Class of 2000 does it up for Halloween

Teddy Cordero and Lisa Gambito share a moment on Miami's South Beach
Class of 2001

Heather Ballard
Todd Borchers
Jennifer Hale
Amy Hart

Brian Marsaen
Calee Morris
Angela Ramos

Left: gettin' down

Right: Making Valentines for the nursing home
Above: Handing out homemade Valentines
Right: Hanging out at the School of Nursing
Below: Having some good old fashioned fun
Class of 2002

Linda Bishop
Victoria R. Levine
Michelle Mastin

Graduate Nursing Students

Ronald R. Alligood, II
Edward Arnold
Patricia A. Campbell
Lisa Gambito

Nancy Leung
Jennifer M. Murphy
Left: Sharing a secret at the formal
Far left: I crack myself up!
Below: A leisurely afternoon spent at the picnic
Bottom: Dressed in their best and ready to dance the night away
Top, left: Maria Devera in the computer lab
Top, right: Teddy Cordero, Brian Byro, Randy Atienza, and Brian Marsden participating in IM basketball
Above: 3rd years distributing homemade Valentines
Above, right: hanging out at the Nursing School
Right: Dorothy Pitts and Elizabeth Perkinson with several "Nursing" children at the picnic, painting pumpkins
Top, left: Taking a break at the formal
Top, right: Rachel Blaska and daughter at the class picnic
Above, left: Jackie Haymon contemplates this drink
Above: Karen Gravley and Dan Stone don't look very stressed before finals
Left: Class of 2000 Nursing picnic
Top: Nursing picnic

Above: Karen Gravley anticipates her drink

Right: "Hi, I'd like a large pepperoni with anchovies, please."

Below, right: The moment before the first sip of your morning coffee...
Above: Dan Stone and Dr. Janet Younger conversing at the class picnic
Left: Christian Chaffins brews an otherworldly concoction
Below: Katy Kelly and Maria Brooks out on the town
Bottom: Halloween in full swing
Top, left: ...upside, inside out...
Top, right: Making Valentines for a good cause
Above: Randy Atienza and Teddy Cordero at the class picnic, manning the grill
Above, right: Primping before the Halloween party madness
Right: "Mmmmm... these wooden sticks are tasty!"
Top, left: Lauren, Halley, Liz Howland, Stephanie Neatour, and Darleen Matthews catching up on gossip at the class picnic
Top, right: Jennifer Hale, Tina Gwaltney, Jackie Hatch, and Stacy Brinkley at Casa Grande after-test celebration
Above, left: Janet Younger, Undergraduate Dean for School of Nursing, with picnic-goers
Above: Dan Stone and Rosalind DeLisser sharing a wooden stick
Right: Dan Stone, Stephanie Neatour, Teddy Cordero, and Liz Howland at the MCV Formal, obviously underdressed.
Left: Time to go to the ball!
Below: Rosalind DeLisser and Trina Brouch are more than happy to sell tickets

Above: Stay within the lines!
Right: "It's fun to stay at the Y... M... CA!"
Top: Nursing Student Association at Charlotte, NC: Amy Hart, Maria DeVera, Monique Farrington, Stacy Brinkley, Jackie Hatch, Jackie Claude, Calee Morris, Dean Langston, Jennifer Hale, and Felicia Brown
Left: Felicia Brown giving flu shots in the community during an event sponsored by the Nursing Student Association
Bottom Left: Dorathy Pitts, Janice Manalo, Jamie Farmer, Will Childress, Rosalind, DeLisser, Karen Gravely, and Darleen Matthews at the Sigma Theta Tau Induction
Bottom Right: Karen Gravely, Darleen Matthews, and Rosalind DeLisser cut loose at the Sigma Theta Tau Induction

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"No other health profession has the background and training to understand how such factors as structure activity relationship, pH, or protein binding can influence the therapeutic efficacy or toxicity of a drug. Use it well!"

-Victor A. Yanchick, Ph.D.
School of Pharmacy
I am very pleased to take this opportunity to salute the graduating class of 1999-2000 as you prepare to enter into a practice environment that will provide you with many challenging opportunities in the years to come. The health care environment that you are about to enter will not continue to exist in its present form. It will be replaced by new students that focus on cost and efficiency; systems in which the roles of all health professionals will become increasingly blurred. Our intention in the School of Pharmacy was to prepare you to be able to respond to those health care market changes while being motivated to continue to learn throughout your professional careers.

To survive in these uncharted waters you must not only possess the required clinical skills to take care of the individuals who seek your care, you must be able to argue, to persuade, and to transmit accurate data, impressions, and conclusions. You must know how to communicate! You must understand ethics and behave in an ethical manner. You must be able to understand population dynamics and epidemiology, and you must be able to document clearly the services you provide to your patients. You are a unique and valuable member of the health care team because you can make a contribution to the pharmacotherapy decision-making process that no other team member has to offer. You bring to the team the perspective, recommendations, and conclusions based on the pharmaceutical sciences. No other health profession has the background and training to understand how such factors as structure activity relationship, pH, or protein binding can influence the therapeutic efficacy or toxicity of a drug. Use it well!

I hope you can carry with you a feeling of pride and accomplishment as you leave this University and School of Pharmacy. We are honored that you have chosen our program to prepare you to practice your profession, and we hope you will allow us to play a significant role in your professional growth and development in the future.

Victor A. Yanchick, Ph. D.
Dean of Pharmacy
Fourth Year Pharmacy Students

Katie Andreano
Tamra Appling
Razan F. Aridi
Michelle R. Arney

Angela Cafiero
Amy Chan
Rebecca Collins
F. Loveth Cruz

Diep Dam
Mary Peace Dattilo
Mark DeAngelo
Kakneka Dixon

Christina T. Do
Mimi Doan
Soheila Ebadian
Beth Ellis

Edye Ferebee
Berita K. Freeman
Princess A. Gradney
Angela M. Hall

School of Pharmacy
Above, left: Kappa Psi brothers at an IFC party
Above, right: Jennifer Scales and Warren McCann smile!
Left: Mary Peace Datillo and Brian Donovan
Below, left: Brian and Deanna Givens, Janelle Swope, and April Saunders
Below, right: Ricky Stogdale and Allison Pishock
Left: Rick Collie at Longdale Elementary School for Big Brother Day

Right: Deanna Givens, Sonya Happel, and Mike Happel at the MCV Formal

Joann Hong
John N. Hong
Kimberly L. Howden
Beth Hudson

Sharon Johnson
Collin K. Jones
Alok Kumar
Cyndi C. Lam

Fourth Year Pharmacy Students
Left: Kappa Psi brothers on a fishing trip in Myrtle Beach

Right: Bev Marin, Brian Donovan, and Tina Mitchell
Above: Dajen Runge, Angela Cafiero, and Beth Ellis smile at the MCV Formal

Below: Kim Howden, Rick Collie, Ricky Stogdale, and N. A. Porter preparty before the MCV Formal
Top: Pharmacy students at the final exam party
Above, left: Amy Bivens and Brian Donovan out and having a good time
Above: Rick Collie and Ricky Stogdale taking a break from paintball
Left: N. A. Porter on the Kappa Psi fishing trip in Myrtle Beach
Below: Brian Donovan and Stacey Nguyen smiling for the camera
Right: Kim Howden and Rick Collie enjoying the evening
Below, right: Ricky Stogdale and Allison Pishock share a moment in front of the Christmas tree
Bottom: Thong, Tran, Hoi Ngai, Racquel Rivera, and John Hong decorating for the gurney tourney
Top, left: Cindy Coffey and Sonia Mittal at a Longaburger Party, just hanging out
Top, right: Getting down at the Pharmacy formal
Above, left: Pharmacy professors Dr. Brophy, Dr. Tush, Dr. Crouch at the KE/KY formal
Above, right: Carrie and Travis Fisher and Jamie Edwards at a party
Right: Pharmacy students letting their hair down at a post anatomy party
Top, left: Erin Griffin, Mary Rojas, Kelly Hayse, Kelly Foley, and Denise Lyons socializing
Top, right: Kachelle Riley and Stephanie Thackston at the end of the year Myrtle Beach trip
Above, left: Labwork is fun!
Above: Val Stanard, Lisa Christman and their dates at the formal
Left: Kelly Foley, Kelly Hayse, and Mary Rojas in the great outdoors
Third Year Pharmacy Students

Michael Acree
Kari Aiello
Celene Marie Amabile
Jennifer G. Angell

David E. Araojo
Juanita Baer
Wesley Blankenship
Kent Bui

Pamela S. Bunker
Kimberly Cappuzzo
Lisa Christman
Cynthia Williamson Coffey

Al Coholic
Jason Corcoran
Lien X. Dang
Ngoc Dao

Michael L. Deangelo
My Linh Do
James A. Edwards
Belinda Lovelace Elmore

School of Pharmacy
Class of 2001

Above, left: Dale Whitby, Becky Collins, Rebecca Wood, Yen Hua, and Cindy Coffey decorating for the Gurney Tourney
Above, right: Travis Fisher and Kari Fisher
Left: Jason Corcoran evaluates an antique peak flow meter for asthma management
Below, left: Wes Rainey, Dave Araojo, Eric Gundayo, and Keith Kiedrow gettin' down at the Pharmacy Formal
Below, right: Nicole Paolini trying her hand at rock climbing
Above: Deanna Sherman, Christine Worrell, and Rene Roberts testing the theory of gravity
Above, right: Pharmacy Lab
Right: Yen Hua, Rebecca Wood, Minh Vo, Rebecca Napier, Denise Quan, and My Linh
Do letting loose at the MCV Formal
Above, left: The Pharmacy School wants YOU! Keith Kiedrow, Dave Araojo, and Scott McKinney hamming it up at the MCV Formal
Above left: Scott McKinney shooting pool at Trademarks
Left: The Pharmacy School makes a good showing at the MCV 5K: Dave, Jason, Chris, Kelly, Betsy, Celine, Loi, Brian, and Tim

Joe Kupiec
Roberto G. Lovick
Heath A. Marshall
Matthew R. May

Darren Maybee
Ronald S. McKinney
Jacques Mehoffe
Ann Marie Nye
Above: P3s at Trademarks final exam party
Above, right: Kachelle Riley, Roberto Lovick, Rene Roberts, and Lisa Christman at the MCV Formal
Right: Skiing at Massanutten: see, it is possible to ski without snow!

Above: Ryan May, Dr. Patrick, and Mitch Slattery at Trademarks final exam party
Right: Eric Gundayo and Celine Amabile at the Pharmacy Formal
Above, left: Joe Kupiec, Laura Gagnon, Dale Whitby, Mike Acree, and Seth Jennings hanging out before class

Above: Chris Jones, Big Country, Eric Gundayao, and Dave Araojo golfing in Myrtle Beach

Left: My Linh Do, Denise Quan, Yen Hua, Rebecca Wood, and Minh Vo at the MCV Formal

Left: Amy Trobaugh and date: "You MUST dance with me!"

Above: Hey bebe! Noy Russell, Vicky Ho, and Ngoc Dao just posing
Top: Moms, do you know where your daughters are?
Left: Chris Jones rock climbing at 2000 feet
Above: Dale Whitby and Laura Gagnon trying to decide what to buy at the basket party
Above: Betsy Shadis and Vanita Sharma at the MCV Formal
Right: Rebecca Wood and Yen Hua at the formal

Left: Mitch Slattery, Keith Kiedrow, and Ryan May playing pool
Below: Matt Weber and Eric Gundayao as Ponch and John: "Is there a problem officers?"
Above, left: Becky Collins, Cindy Coffey, Rebecca Wood, Yen Hua, and Dale Whitby decorating for the Gurney Tourney.

Above, right: Lien Dang and Leon Shea and dates at the formal.

Right: Intramural basketball champions!

Above: Wes Rainey, Mitch SlATTERY, Chris Jones, and Brian Jones at the formal.

Right: Austin Rainey, Valerie Stanard, and Lara Stoms-Noble at a pharmacy party.
Above, left: Eric Gundayao, Celine Amabile, Keith Kiedrow, and Dave Araojo party all night long
Above: Deanna Sherman, Val Stanard, Stephanie Thackston, and Kachelle Riley at a party
Left: Kim Cappuzzo and Keith Kiedrow and their dates at the formal

Left: All smiles at the Pharmacy Formal
Above: Geeta Padiyar, Rebecca Wooten, and Melissa Ronquillo enjoying themselves at a party
Top, left: Pregame before the formal

Top, right: Jen Angel is being evaluated in physical assessment lab by Dr. A. Gorham. He's showing us the right technique and she's a cooperative patient

Right: Ladies getting ready for the MCV Formal

Bottom, left: Heather Blosbaum and Betsy Shadis share a cheek

Bottom, right: Celene Amabile, Eric Gundayao, and Lisa Christman
Top, left: Heather Biosbaum, Noelle Beltram, Celene Amabile, and Betsy Shadis
Top, right: Dale Whitby and her date and Laura Gagnon and Rob Mansman
Left: Lisa Christman, Kim Cappuzzo, and Rene Roberts relaxing
Bottom, left: Yen Hua and Rebecca Wood are practicing for their skills lab exam
Bottom, right: Valerie Stanard, Austin Rainey, and Cindy Coffey at a Thanksgiving dinner
Second Year Pharmacy Students

Azra Ali
Tim Baumgardner
Susan Biernot
Mary Beth Butler

Jae Sun Cho
Kamun Choy
Michelle Coleman
Uyen Do

David Eades
Michael I. Elliott
Stephanie Flythe
Kelly Foley

Jay T. Graham
Kelly Hayse
Tonya L. Henderson
Thanh-Thanh Ho

Seth Hodgkins
Kristin Hufford
Seth Jennings
Amy Jernigan
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Above, left: Jen and Jodi having a great time at a party
Above, right: The P2s showing class spirit at the Pharmacy picnic
Right: Carolyn and Han letting off some steam at a post-anatomy party
Below, left: Chardae and Erin enjoying the night
Below, right: Letting loose at an IFC party
Above: Minh, Linh, and Racquel having fun at Trademarks
Right: Mary, Erin, Chardae, Sharon, Grace, and Robert at the post-anatomy party
Below, right: Thao, Racquel, Rita, and Han enjoy the post-anatomy party libations
Above, left: P2 girls ready to win at a grueling match of tug-o-war
Left: Linh, Stephanie, Maria, Rita, Kalpseh, Priti, and April pose at an IFC party
Below: Anthony and Michelle are celebrating at a post-anatomy party

Tran Manh Nguyen
Erin Nuckols
Grace Park
Rita Patel

Kelly Peters
Lori Proeschel
Priti Ranparia
Arash Raoufinia

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Yin Zhang

Maria I., Dana K., and Shanna R. at the MCV Mixer at TJ Giorgio’s
Above: P2 class picture at the Pharmacy Fall Picnic

Left: Jen, Erin, and Jodi having fun at the IFC party

Right: Stephanie Flythe, Kelly Peters, Melinda Wilson, and Shelly McComas celebrated Halloween in New Jersey

Above: Just hanging out!
Above, left: Shelly, Azra, Thanh, and Kelly at the summer picnic
Above, right: Linh, Rita, Sharon, and Kelly at Trademarks
Right: P2 girls celebrating their tug-o-war victory at the fall picnic

Above: Arash, Kelly, Sharon, and Denise having fun at the IFC party
Right: Mr. Brian Jones, celebrating his victory as Miss USA
Above, left: Racquel, April, Rita, Lashell, and Mike at Trademarks
Above: Rita Patel, Arash Raoufinia, and Racquel Rivera at the post anatomy party
Left: Han, Tracy, Caroline, Jodi, Priti, April, Sharon, and Tim drinking the night away

Left: Michelle, Gubb, and April before going out
Above: Candace, Dave, Michelle, Carolyn, April, and Denise toasting the new school year
Top: Thao, Han, Racquel, Priti, Rita, and Arash at the post anatomy party
Above, left: Carolyn, Michelle, Chardae, Hau, April, and Kachelle just hanging out
Above: Mary Beth, Kelly, and Bo taking a break at Trademarks
Above, left: Stephanie F., Maria I., Tu, Emily B., Paige M., and Dana K. at the pharmacy picnic
Far left: Pharmacy girls love to have fun at the Costume Ball in New Jersey
Left: Michelle, Erin, and Chardae at the post anatomy party
Below: P2s at the summer picnic
First Year Pharmacy Students

Philip Ball
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Rhonda Cobb
Tia Eddy

Eric Faulkner
Kamy Fung
Scott Gilmer
Erin N. Griffin

Dana Hines
Steven May
Theodros Y. Negash
Kalpesh Patel

Chad Worthington
Top, left: Lisa Christman, Kari Aiello, Eric Gundayao, and Amy Gillespie at Halloween
Left: Mike Elliot, Bobby Stallard, Brian Jones, and Mitch Slattery at Trademarks
Below, left: Enjoying refreshments at the IFC party
Below: Lisa Christman, Kachelle Riley, and Celene Amabile
Above: Kappa Epsilon sisters at IFC party
Right: Kappa Psi brothers volunteering their time at XL-102 Chili Cookoff. Proceeds from these sales were to benefit Richmond Stop Child Abuse
Now: Dave Eades, Ricky Stogdale, Chris Jones, Beerman Joe, Brian Donovan, and Brian Jones

Left: Kappa Epsilon sisters at an IFC party
Above: Kappa Psi pledges posing with Arthur Ashe
Below: Kappa Psi brothers Big Country, Mitch Slattery, and Chris Jones at the Virginia Pharmacy Convention

Right: Kappa Psi brothers at the pharmacy formal

Left: Kappa Psi washing the limo

Below:
Kappa Psi brothers after the Goat Olympics
Top: Kappa Psi pledges having fun

Above: Kappa Psi brothers at Longdale Elementary School for Big Brother Day

Above, right: Chris Jones, Dave Arajo, Eric Gundayao, Keith Kiedrow, Big Country, and Travis Fisher getting ready for the MCV formal

Right: Kappa Epsilon sisters chillin'
Top: Kappa Epsilon sisters at the Pharmacy Formal
Above, left: Kappa Psi members, Travis Fisher, Chris Jones, and Dave Araojo at the Virginia Pharmacy Convention
Above: Dave Araojo assumes the position
Left: Brothers on a fishing trip at Myrtle Beach, SC
Far left: Halloween shenanigans
Left: Lieu, Kachelle, Stephanie party the night away
Below: Dave and Amy at Trademarks

Above, left: Enjoying Trademark's final exam party
Far left: Austin Rainey and Cindy Coffey outside the School of Pharmacy
Left: Mary Rojas, husband Greg, and son Nikolas
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You got to meet whom?!
Clockwise, from top left: Midpackers find their stride; The first woman overall, Erin Fahey; Race
director Neda Kalantar, with Dave Kirk, and a
representative from Meals on Wheels; MCV 5K staff
happily registering the runners; Yen Lee and Faline
Phucas are happy that the race is over
Clockwise, from top left: The first man to finish overall blazes past; runners anticipating the start of the race; thumbs up from Arash; a happy crowd celebrates their finish; moments before the race, this group poses for a picture
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We stand at the gateway to the new millennium...
...make it count!
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