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Office of the President

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Daemen College
Faculty and Staff

Dear Colleagues,

Now that the academic year has drawn to a close, I want to thank each and every one of you for contributing to such a successful year. The College has come a long way in a very short time, and you are responsible for that success.

Please know that the Cabinet and the Board of Trustees are well aware of how dedicated and hard working our faculty and staff are. You have no peers in any college or university that I have ever seen.

I want to especially thank those of you who worked so hard to make one or both of our Commencement ceremonies so successful. I know that transitioning to a two-ceremony format was a difficult adjustment, and many of you felt trepidation even at the thought of another ceremony, but you stepped up to the task with grace and enthusiasm and eventually produced what several people—including trustees—have called two of the best Daemen Commencement ceremonies ever.

Congratulations to each and every one of you who rolled up your sleeves and once again demonstrated Daemen's storied family spirit and work ethic. You should be very proud of yourselves.

So, again, for those of you who worked on Commencement and for those who did not but who contributed in other ways to such a successful year, thanks for all you do to make our College such a special place for our students and for all of us who work here.

Cordially,

Gary A. Olson
President