



GRADUATE COMMENCEMENT

Friday, May 13, 2022

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Derrick Harnish, *Class of 2023*

Accompanied by the Westfield State University Wind Symphony under the direction of Dr. Karen Lavoie, Professor, Music

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GREETINGS

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2021 John F. Nevins Outstanding Educator Award Winner

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Nancy S. Cavanaugh Social Work Award

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Megan Bishop '13, *President-Elect, Westfield State Alumni Association Executive Council*

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Please join us for a light celebratory reception in honor of
the Class of 2022 immediately following the ceremony.
MassMutual Convention Center entrance lobby, floor 1

THE COMMENCEMENT SPEAKER

Yolonda M. Bowman

Yolonda M. Bowman is the clinical supervisor for the Hampden County House of Corrections where she has been employed for the past 17 years. She is responsible for program development and oversight. Additionally, she serves as an adjunct professor in the graduate Social Work Department with Westfield State University, teaching diversity and social justice, social welfare policy and child welfare policy.

Yolonda has a Bachelors of Science in Criminal Justice and Psychology from Bay Path College, a Masters of Social Work from Springfield College and is currently a Ph.D., candidate at North Central University.

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