

## PROGRAM

- CALL TO ORDER Robin Kelsey  
*President of the Chapter*
- INVOCATION The Reverend Dr. Lucy Forster-Smith
- WELCOME Robin Kelsey
- TEACHING PRIZES Alison Simmons  
Kiran Gajwani (Department of Economics)  
Charles Hallisey (Committee on the Study of Religion)  
Brigitte Libby (Department of the Classics)
- HONORARY MEMBERS Logan McCarty  
Jack Strominger, *Higgins Professor of Biochemistry*  
Marsha Berzon, *Class of 1966*  
Jo Ann Moran Cruz, *Class of 1966*  
Barbara Underwood, *Class of 1966*  
Robyn Schiff, *poet*
- CANTIQUÉ DE JEAN RACINE, OP. 11 Gabriel Fauré  
Text by Jean Racine (1845-1925)  
Radcliffe Choral Society, conducted by  
Andrew G. Clark, Director of Choral Activities  
Mariah Wilson, *pianist*
- POEMS Robyn Schiff  
“Eighty-blade Sportsman’s Knife, by Joseph Rodgers & Sons”  
“Gate”  
“Lion Felling a Bull”  
“Fourth of July, 2012”
- WE ARE... Ysaye Barnwell  
(b. 1946)  
Radcliffe Choral Society

ORATION Stephen Greenblatt  
Liberal Arts Education and “The Waiting Spring of  
Intelligence”

ENVOI Robin Kelsey

COLLEGE HYMN Samuel Gilman A.B.1811  
Fair Harvard! We join in thy jubilee throng,  
And with blessings surrender thee o’er,  
By these festival rites, from the age that is past  
To the age that is waiting before.  
O relic and type of our ancestors’ worth,  
That has long kept their memory warm,  
First flower of their wilderness! Star of their night!  
Calm rising through change and through storm.  
Farewell! be thy destinies onward and bright!  
To thy children the lesson still give,  
With freedom to think, and with patience to bear,  
And for Right ever bravely to live.  
Let not moss-covered Error moor thee at its side,  
As the world on Truth’s current glides by,  
Be the herald of Light, and the bearer of Love,  
Till the stock of the Puritans die.

BENEDICTION Reverend Forster-Smith

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The Phi Beta Kappa Society was founded in 1776 by five students at the College of William & Mary in Williamsburg, Virginia. Harvard’s chapter, Alpha of Massachusetts, was chartered in 1781 and remains the oldest continuously operating chapter. Radcliffe’s chapter, Iota of Massachusetts, was chartered in 1914, and the two chapters merged to form Alpha Iota in 1995. These Literary Exercises have been a part of Harvard’s commencement activities since 1782.

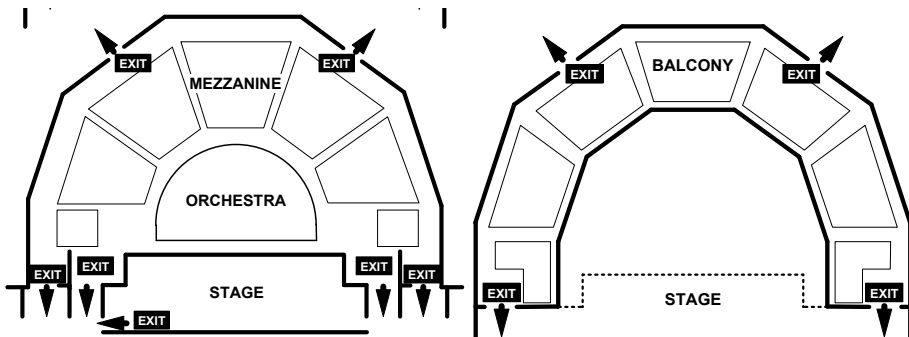
## CHAPTER OFFICERS

President	Robin Kelsey
Vice-president	Hopi Hoekstra
Secretary	Logan McCarty
Treasurer	Leslie Slavin
Chief Marshal	James Wilkinson

## UNDERGRADUATE MARSHALS Class of 2016

Emma Adler  
Taylor Benninger  
Garrett Lam  
Colton Valentine

## SANDERS THEATRE Emergency Exit Locations



## PHI BETA KAPPA

Alpha Iota of Massachusetts  
at  
Harvard College



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two hundred and twenty-sixth

## LITERARY EXERCISES

Sanders Theatre  
May 24, 2016  
11 o'clock