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Names of the 2012 August and December graduates will appear in WVU's official Commencement program in May 2013, and on the December Convocation website at <http://graduation.wvu.edu> in January 2013. Degrees will be conferred on December 28, 2012.

Candidates will have professional photos taken as they are recognized on-stage. Ordering instructions are available at <http://graduation.wvu.edu> and www.gradimages.com. Proofs will be e-mailed to the e-mail addresses provided by the student prior to today's ceremony.

Following today's ceremony, please log onto <http://graduation.wvu.edu> to complete a survey and offer feedback about this event.

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DECEMBER GRADUATES *Convocation* WEST VIRGINIA UNIVERSITY

December 9, 2012



1:30 p.m.
COLISEUM

Convocation Speaker

Alison M. Wilson, MD, FACS

Alison Wilson, MD, FACS, is the director of the Jon Michael Moore Trauma Center at Ruby Memorial Hospital, ensuring state of the art trauma and critical care for thousands of injured patients from West Virginia and surrounding states each year.

Dr. Wilson is an associate professor in the West Virginia University School of Medicine, Department of Surgery, and director of the Division of Trauma, Acute Care Surgery and Critical Care. She leads a multi-disciplinary team that cares for patients from the scene of the injury, to emergency transport and treatment and on through their stay in the trauma center until they enter rehabilitation. Under her leadership, the center has maintained certification as an American College of Surgeons' Level One Trauma Center. She serves on the West Virginia State Trauma Advisory Council and works toward improving and maintaining quality standards for trauma statewide.

Dr. Wilson is actively involved in teaching medical students, residents and graduate students, and has developed a training curriculum for both trauma and surgical critical care. She has received the surgical teaching award four times. In 2012, Dr. Wilson was honored with the Dean's Award for Clinical Excellence. She is a member and holds leadership positions in several surgical and trauma professional societies. She serves on the Board of Directors of the Michael E. DeBakey International Surgical Society.

Dr. Wilson received her medical training, completed a surgical residency and completed a critical care fellowship at Baylor College of Medicine in Houston, Texas.

Alma Mater

Louis Corson

*Alma, our Alma Mater,
The home of Mountaineers,
Sing we of thy honor,
Everlasting through the years.
Alma, our Alma Mater,
We pledge in song to you.
Hail, all hail our Alma Mater,
West Virginia "U."*

Program

Prelude and Processional

West Virginia University Wind Symphony
John Hendricks, III, Conductor
Christopher J. Nichter, Conductor

*National Anthem

Hope Koehler, Soprano
WVU Wind Symphony

Welcome

James P. Clements, President
West Virginia University

Keynote Introduction

Zach Redding, President
WVU Student Government Association

Convocation Address

Alison M. Wilson, Associate Professor
School of Medicine
Director of the Jon Michael Moore Trauma Center

“My Home Among the Hills”

Hope Koehler
WVU Wind Symphony

Academic Salutation

Michele G. Wheatly, Provost
West Virginia University

Recognition of Graduates

James P. Clements
Michele G. Wheatly
William Nevin, Reader

Alumni Charge to the Class

David K. Hendrickson, Chair
West Virginia Higher Education Policy Commission
WVU '79, '82

Closing Remarks

James P. Clements

*Alma Mater

Hope Koehler
WVU Wind Symphony

*Recessional

WVU Wind Symphony

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**Degree candidates and members of the audience are requested to stand and remain in place*