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**School of Communication  
and Information**

**2026**

**CONVOCATION**

**May 14, 2026**





# **School of Communication and Information Convocation Program 2026**

## **Processional Class of 2026**

Led by Gonfalonier Yonaira Rivera  
*Assistant Professor of Communication*

***Star Spangled Banner and Alma Mater***  
Rutgers Shockwave

## **Welcome**

Francine Conway, *Chancellor, Rutgers—New Brunswick*  
Karen Hundert Novick, *Associate Dean for Administration*

## **Dean's Message**

Mark Aakhus, *Interim Dean*

## **SC&I Alumni Association Presentation**

Martin Siederer, *LC'77 and President, SC&I Alumni Association*

## **SC&I Student Representative Presentation**

Isabella Rose, *SC&I '26*  
Introduced by Susan Keith, *Associate Dean for Programs*

## **Presentation of Ph.D. Candidates**

Names will be read by  
Melissa Aronczyk, *Director, SC&I Doctoral Program*

## **Presentation of Masters Candidates**

Names will be read by  
Mark Beal, *Assistant Teaching Professor, Communication*  
Joyce Kasman Valenza, *Associate Teaching Professor, Library and  
Information Science*

## **Presentation of Bachelor's Candidates**

Names will be read by  
Jack Bratich, *Professor, Journalism and Media Studies*  
Jon Oliver, *Associate Teaching Professor, Library and Information Science*  
Maria Venetis, *Professor, Communication*

## **Closing and Recessional**

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The School of Communication and Information is a dynamic center of scholarship and learning at the heart of Rutgers-New Brunswick on the College Avenue campus. SC&I is home to three academic departments: Communication, Journalism and Media Studies, and Library and Information Science. The school was founded in 1982, although individual programs in our disciplines were first offered at the university as far back as the 1920s. Our research and teaching focus on communication, data science, health communication, information technology, journalism and media studies, library and information science, social and new media.

The school's competitive and renowned degree programs prepare students for careers available today and developing for tomorrow. We offer undergraduate programs in Communication, Information Technology and Informatics, Journalism and Media Studies, and participate in the Data Science major, all leading to a Bachelor of Arts degree; minors in Digital Communication, Information, and Media, and Gender and Media; masters programs in Communication and Media, and Information (which is accredited by the American Library Association); an interdisciplinary Ph.D. program in Communication, Information, and Media; and continuing education programs in areas such as digital asset management and strategic communications. About 2,500 students are enrolled in our degree programs, and many thousands of Rutgers students take elective classes with us. SC&I has offices, classrooms, and laboratories in New Brunswick in seven buildings on the Rutgers-New Brunswick campus.

The school's distinguished faculty have been named fellows of national and international scholarly societies and serve as members of scholarly councils and government advisory boards. They have served as presidents or officers of the International Communication Association, Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication, American Library Association, and the Association for Library and Information Science. They serve as editors and associate editors of top-ranked academic journals in their disciplines.

With our prime location and national rankings, SC&I is able to attract part-time faculty from the New York-Philadelphia corridor – and across the world for our online programs - who have been Grammy award winners, corporate executives, officers of cultural and national associations, and acclaimed professionals who bring their knowledge, experience, and networks to our students in and out of the classroom.

Our outstanding students have received awards such as the Association of Research Libraries Diversity Scholar; Emerging Researcher Award (ASIS&T SIG SI); the National Communication Association's Donald P. Cushman Memorial Award; a Paul Robeson Renaissance Award; and a Telly Award (honoring excellence in video and television); as well as several International Communication Association awards and Johnson & Johnson fellowships. Hundreds have been inductees into national honors societies. They graduate equipped with the knowledge and skills to succeed in a wide range of professions that require a depth of understanding of communication, information, and media processes, organizations, and systems.

We are proud of the Class of 2026 who are joining the ranks of our alumni, and excited to watch them grow as professionals and citizens. Best wishes to all of our graduates, and please stay in touch!

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**On the Banks of the Old Raritan  
(The Rutgers Alma Mater)**

*“On the Banks” has been sung at Rutgers since 1873*

*Verse I*

From far and near we came to Rutgers,  
And resolved to learn all that we can;  
And so we settled down,  
In that noisy college town,  
On the banks of the old Raritan.

*Chorus*

On the banks of the old Raritan, my friends,  
Where old Rutgers ever more shall stand,  
For has she not stood  
Since the time of the flood,  
On the banks of the old Raritan.

*Verse V*

Then sing aloud to Alma Mater,  
And keep the scarlet in the van;  
For with her motto high,  
Rutgers' name shall never die,  
On the banks of the old Raritan.

*Chorus*

On the banks of the old Raritan, my friends,  
Where old Rutgers ever more shall stand,  
For has she not stood  
Since the time of the flood,  
On the banks of the old Raritan.



