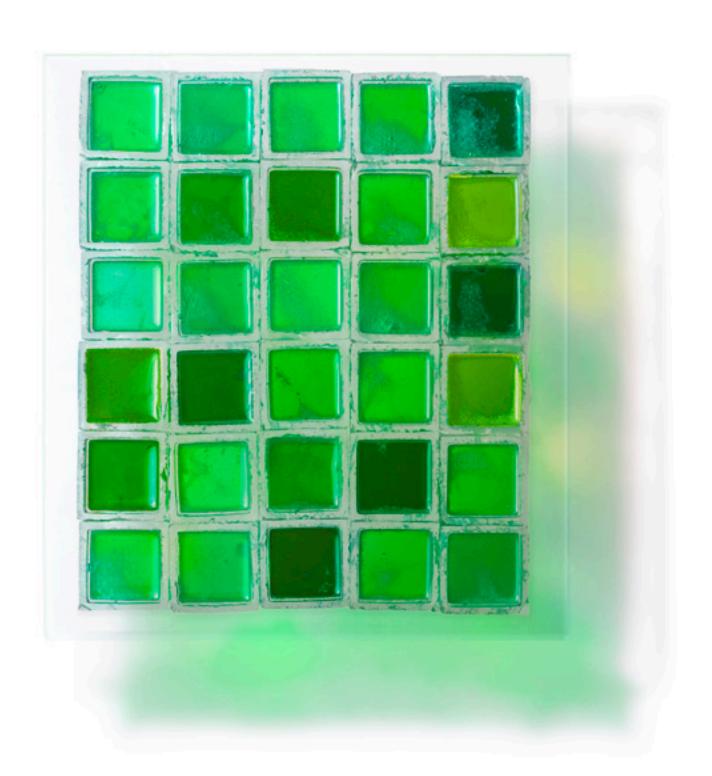
### SARAH LAWRENCE COLLEGE



COMMENCEMENT 2023

# Commencement Speaker BILL LAWRENCE

Bill Lawrence is an award-winning television writer, producer, and director. His current projects include the Apple TV+ series *Ted Lasso*, for which he recently won an Emmy Award for Outstanding Comedy Series; *Bad Monkey* with Vince Vaughn for Apple TV+; *Shrinking* with Jason Segel for Apple TV+; and a *Clone High* reboot for HBO Max.

Lawrence previously created and executive-produced *Scrubs* and co-created *Cougar Town*, *Ground Floor*, *Spin City*, and *Clone High*. *Scrubs*, which was twice nominated for an Emmy Award, was also named a Future Classic by the TV Land cable network and was the winner of both a Humanitas Prize and an Imagen Award. Lawrence also executive-produced/supervised numerous other shows under his Doozer banner, including *Whiskey Cavalier*, *Undateable*, *Nobody's Watching*, *Surviving Jack*, and *Head of the Class*.

Lawrence currently resides in Los Angeles with his wife, actress Christa Miller (*The Drew Carey Show, Scrubs*); their daughter, singer Charlotte Lawrence; and sons Will and Henry. He is the great-great-grandson of William and Sarah Lawrence, founders of the College.

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#### **HONORARY DEGREE RECIPIENT**

Linda Earley Chastang '74

#### **SPEAKER**

Bill Lawrence

#### PRESIDENT OF THE COLLEGE

Cristle Collins Judd

### **PROGRAM**

### WELCOME FROM THE PRESIDENT OF THE COLLEGE

Cristle Collins Judd

### GREETINGS FROM THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES

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President, Alumni Council

#### GREETINGS FROM THE CO-PRESIDENTS OF THE SENIOR CLASS

Grace Jackson '23 Jamie Lenehan '23

### PRESENTATION OF THE SENIOR CLASS GIFT

Aubrey Baker '23 Hannah Morelli '23

#### GREETINGS FROM THE GRADUATE STUDENT ASSOCIATION

Jeremy Kadetsky MFA '23 Treasurer, Graduate Student Association

#### **ADDRESS**

Bill Lawrence

### CONFERRING OF HONORARY DEGREE

Linda Earley Chastang '74

Doctor of Laws (LL.D),

honoris causa

#### CONFERRING OF DEGREES— BACHELOR OF ARTS

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### CONCLUSION

#### **CLOSING REMARKS**

Cristle Collins Judd, President

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After the platform party has exited, all are invited to a reception on the North Lawn following the ceremony.

### 2023 Honorary Degree Recipient

# LINDA EARLEY CHASTANG '74

# Attorney; President and CEO of the John and Lillian Miles Lewis Foundation

Linda Earley Chastang serves as President and CEO of the John and Lillian Miles Lewis Foundation. The foundation was conceived by Congressman Lewis before his passing in 2020 to further his and his wife's passion for purposeful living and civic engagement.

Linda first met Congressman Lewis as a 14-year-old growing up in Washington, DC. Her family belonged to the small Presbyterian church where Jefferson P. Rogers, president of the Southern Christian Leadership Conference, was minister. Years later when she moved to Atlanta, she met Lillian Miles Lewis and then got to know John Lewis. She supported his campaign for city council and worked on his race against Julian Bond in 1986.

In 1982, at age 27, Linda was the youngest, the only woman, and the first Black faculty member at Georgia State College of Law. She taught there for five years before following her husband back to Washington, DC, where he had accepted a position. She became General Counsel in the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People's (NAACP) Washington office before going on to serve as Congressman Lewis' Chief of Staff, Counsel, and Associate Staff on the Ways and Means Committee.

She has served as Special Advisor to the Chairman of President Obama's Board of Advisors on Historically Black Colleges and Universities (HBCUs), as Executive Vice President for the National Association for Equal Opportunity in Higher Education, as the Committee Aide for the Joint Federal Relations Committee for the New Jersey State Legislature, and as Assistant Attorney General for the State of Florida.

She earned a BA from Sarah Lawrence College (1974), a JD from Howard University (1978), and an LLM from Emory University (1984). She is a graduate of the Harvard University Kennedy School of Government Executive Programs for Senior Managers in Government and Community Builders. A member of the bar in Georgia, Washington, DC, and Florida, she is admitted to the bars of the U.S. Supreme Court and the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Eleventh Circuit.

She delivered the commencement address at the University of North Carolina Asheville in May 2021.

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#### PRIZES AWARDED BY SARAH LAWRENCE COLLEGE

THE SPENCER BARNETT MEMORIAL PRIZE FOR EXCELLENCE IN LATIN AMERICAN STUDIES

Braden Burman '26 Simone Endress '24 McKenzie Shaffer-Kay '25

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THE EDWARD COGAN PRIZE FOR MATHEMATICS AND SCIENCE Payton G. Howell '23

THE LUCY GREALY PRIZE FOR POETRY

Aubrey Elizabeth Baker '23 Naomi Rottman '23

THE LORI HERTZBERG PRIZE FOR CREATIVITY

Brooklynn Golinvaux '23 and Mason Hughes Miller '23

THE DAVID LINDSAY-ABAIRE AWARD FOR PLAYWRITING

Rachel Saruski '23 Zoe Stanton-Savitz '23

THE LIPKIN FAMILY PRIZE FOR HUMAN GENETICS Meghan Zadorsky MS '23 THE STANLEY AND EVELYN LIPKIN PRIZE FOR THE HUMANITIES

Theo Koskoff'23

THE STANLEY AND EVELYN LIPKIN PRIZE FOR PLAYWRITING Kenneth Keng MFA '23

THE STANLEY AND EVELYN LIPKIN PRIZE FOR POETRY Emma Sky DeNaples '23

THE IAN LIPKIN '74 SCIENCE PRIZE Natalia Potter '23

Theodore Heil '25

THE LAURA KIRCHMAN MANUELIDIS '63 SCIENCE AND LITERARY ARTS ENDOWMENT PRIZE Brittany Deininger MFA '24

Freddie Sugiyama '25

Honorable Mentions:
Annie Bingham '23

Makayla Gay MFA '23

Jane Scheiber '24

THE GRETA MINSKY PRIZE FOR STAGE MANAGEMENT Elias Gutierrez '23 Ella Lieberman '23

THE MOSER MARSH ANNUAL FELLOWSHIP IN THE VISUAL ARTS AND VISUAL CULTURE Avery Moore '23 THE PRESSER UNDERGRADUATE SCHOLAR AWARD IN MUSIC Shawn Mou '24

THE NANCY LYNN SCHWARTZ PRIZE FOR FICTION First Place:

Sara Yossef '24 Second Place: Rachel O'Connor '26

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THE LIPKIN FAMILY PRIZE FOR INSPIRATIONAL TEACHING Michelle Hersh (Biology)

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#### THE ACADEMIC COSTUME CODE

The custom of wearing academic dress stems from the Middle Ages when scholars were also clerics and wore the costumes of their monastic orders. Significant parts of academic dress are the gown, the hood, and the cap. Each has a particular significance and is worn in accordance with standards established by the Academic Costume Code of the American Council on Education.

#### PRESIDENTIAL REGALIA

The president has always been the focal point of a college or university commencement. For this reason, it is acceptable that they wear a distinctive gown unique to the institution over which they preside. The unique feature of a presidential gown is the addition of the fourth chevron to each sleeve. This honor is granted only to one who holds the rank of president or chancellor of an academic institution.

#### **GOWNS**

The gown for the master's degree has an oblong sleeve, open at the wrist. The sleeve base hangs down in the traditional manner. The rear part of its oblong shape is square-cut, and the front part has an arc cut away. The gown is supplied with fasteners so that it may be worn open or closed.

#### HOODS

Sarah Lawrence College uses hoods for the master's degree, which are three and a half feet in length. Hoods are lined with the official colors of the College, green and white. The colors of the trimmings of the hoods are associated with different subject matters, as follows, conferred at Sarah Lawrence College:

#### **ARTS, LETTERS, HUMANITIES**

White

Child Development, Health Advocacy, Women's History

#### **EDUCATION**

**Light Blue** 

Art of Teaching

#### **FINE ARTS, INCLUDING ARCHITECTURE**

**Brown** 

Dance, Theatre, Writing

**SCIENCE** 

**Golden Yellow** 

Dance/Movement Therapy, Human Genetics

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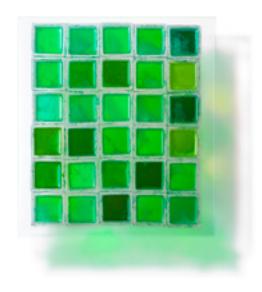
Please leave aisles free under the tent.

Do not stand and block the view of the people behind you.

All guests must be prepared to adhere to visitor guidelines in place at the time of Commencement.

The College has provided a photographer (Island Photography, Port Washington, New York) who will take photographs of all graduates individually: first as each receives the diploma and again as each departs the stage. The photographer will send proofs within two to three days after the ceremony. There is no obligation to purchase the photographs. For questions, contact custserv@islandphoto.com or call 800.869.0908.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR COOPERATION AND FOR HELPING US ENSURE THAT EVERYONE WILL ENJOY THE CEREMONY.



**Art by Avery Moore '23**Gelatin, food coloring, plexiglass, and resin
Created in John O'Connor's Senior Studio course