

INAUGURATION OF

DARRYL J. PINES

34TH PRESIDENT
OF THE UNIVERSITY OF MARYLAND,
COLLEGE PARK



OFFICIAL INVESTITURE CEREMONY

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Hail! Alma Mater!
Hail to thee, Maryland!
Steadfast in loyalty,
For thee, we stand.
Love for the Black and Gold,
Deep in our hearts we hold,
Singing thy praise forever,
Throughout the land.

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INAUGURAL CEREMONY
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WELCOME

Eun Yang '95
Anchor, News4 Today

MOMENT OF REFLECTION

The Rev. Robert Turner
St. John's Baptist Church

GREETINGS

Brodie Remington
Chair, Committee to Inaugurate the President

Steny H. Hoyer '63
Majority Leader, U.S. House of Representatives

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C.D. "Dan" Mote Jr., *Former UMD President*;
and Wallace D. Loh, *Former UMD President*

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*Senior Information Technology
Accessibility and UX Specialist,
Division of Information Technology*

Dan Alpert, *President, Student Government Association*,
and Dan Laffin, *President, Graduate Student Government*

POETRY READING

Ileana Lozano '22
"Together Again Soon"

INTRODUCTION OF THE PRESIDENT

Kalala Pines '18
Alumna and Daughter of President and Mrs. Pines

INVESTITURE OF THE PRESIDENT

Linda Gooden
Chair, Board of Regents
Jay Perman
Chancellor, University System of Maryland

INAUGURAL RESPONSE

Darryll J. Pines
President

MUSICAL SELECTION

Chelsey Green D.M.A. '17 and The Green Project

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DARRYLL J. PINES
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Darryll J. Pines became president of the University of Maryland on July 1, 2020, and is also the Glenn L. Martin Professor of Aerospace Engineering.

Formerly the Nariman Farvardin Professor of Engineering and dean of UMD's A. James Clark School of Engineering, where he has served on the faculty since 1995, Pines amassed a record of academic leadership and research accomplishments that dramatically elevated the school's rankings and stature nationally and internationally. In 2019, he was elected to the National Academy of Engineering.

As dean for 11 years, Pines instituted sweeping changes to improve the student experience, including revamping teaching in fundamental undergraduate courses; encouraging participation in national and international student competitions; emphasizing sustainability engineering and service learning; and expanding innovation and entrepreneurship activities. Diversity was a hallmark of his tenure as well, and with increases in female and underrepresented minority faculty and undergraduates, the Clark School now ranks among the top 10 in conferring the most B.S., M.S. and Ph.D. degrees to African American students.

Under Pines' leadership, the college established five interdisciplinary research centers and institutes: the Maryland Energy Innovation Institute, Robert E. Fischell Institute for Biomedical Devices, Maryland Transportation Institute, Quantum Technology Center (jointly with the Department of Physics) and Maryland Robotics Center. The Clark School led the university in fundraising while Pines was dean, and in the current *Fearless Ideas* campaign, Pines and his leadership team secured a \$219.5 million investment—which in 2017 was the sixth-largest gift ever to a public university—from the A. James & Alice B. Clark Foundation. *Building Together: An Investment for Maryland* is funding need-based scholarships campuswide as well as graduate fellowships, faculty positions, infrastructure and other initiatives.

Prior to his promotion to dean, Pines led the Department of Aerospace Engineering for four years, taking a leave of absence from the University of Maryland from 2003 to 2006 to serve as a program manager for the Tactical Technology Office and Defense Sciences Office at the Defense Advanced Research Projects Agency. He also held positions at the Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory, Chevron Corp. and Space Tethers.

Since assuming the presidency, Pines has created a new TerrapinSTRONG onboarding initiative for students, faculty and staff; convened a task force on community policing; began participation in the Common Application; and taught a new course for first-year students on "Grand Challenges" such as COVID-19, racial equality, climate change and voting rights.

Pines is a fellow of the American Institute of Aeronautics and Astronautics, American Society of Mechanical Engineers and Institute of Physics. He chairs the Engineering Advisory Committee for the National Science Foundation's Engineering Directorate and sits on the Board of Trustees for Underwriters Laboratory not-for-profit arm.

Pines received a B.S. in mechanical engineering from the University of California, Berkeley and earned M.S. and Ph.D. degrees in mechanical engineering from the Massachusetts Institute of Technology.

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“Seemingly
insurmountable
challenges present us
with an opportunity
that we must seize.
As we begin to plan
for a different and
more equitable future,
the University of
Maryland will play a
transformative role in
tackling the issues facing
our global community
and work to improve
the health and well-
being of people in the
state of Maryland and
around the world.”

DARRYLL J. PINES
PRESIDENT



