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Class of 2020

48% men
52% women
64% outside of NE
31% students of color
5% outside of US
10% Maine residents
15% first generation to attend college
11 US states with ten or more students (CA, CT, MA, MD, ME, NH, NJ, NY, PA, VA, WA)

Class of 1985

57.2% men
42.8% women
43.1% outside of NE
15.8% Maine residents
11 US states with ten or more students (CA, CT, MA, ME, MI, NH, NJ, NY, OH, PA, WA)

Get Involved!

If you have any interest in getting involved with the College, please contact Dave Holman at dholman@bowdoin.edu or 207-798-7091



are practicing to drive there soon...

Darvin Scott Smith

I am so excited that our daughter is applying and wanting to go to Bowdoin. Loving life in California. We are not seceding from the nation yet though it is a hot topic of late. Please visit us anytime - before you might need a passport. **Other Polar Bears you've connected with recently:** have been in touch a little with Andy Meyer, Leo Walker, would love to connect with the many others near and far...

Photo: It's a long road trip from California to Maine, but we

Ted Lund

I was elected as a shareholder of Rich May, P.C., where I am a corporate and transactional lawyer, joining Emmett Lyne ('81) and Tom Bilodeau ('90) as shareholders. I see Charlie Korn ('85) frequently and Tim Kelley ('85) on his annual recruiting trips from Switzerland.

Martin Hollick

Continuing to enjoy retirement. Off to Egypt and Jordan next. World travel seems to suit me.

Other Polar Bears you've connected with recently:

Photo, right: Martin Hollick Class of '85 and his husband Michael Clark at Yellowstone National Park July 2016



David E. Little

In the fall of 2015 I started a new job as Director and Chief Curator at the Mead Art Museum, Amherst College. It is terrific to be back in a liberal arts environment with students.

Other Polar Bears you've connected with recently: I recently saw Chris Rogers and Leslie Walker for a fun evening in San Francisco.

What's New at Bowdoin

Historic Lincoln Inauguration Photograph Unveiled

The Bowdoin College Museum of Art recently unveiled a photograph of President Abraham Lincoln's first inauguration. The photo shows one of the earliest political ceremonies to be captured on film and is one of only three copies in existence. Read more about this significant piece revealing an extraordinary historical moment in the [Bowdoin News](#)

Bowdoin Wins Beckman Scholars Award for Scientific Research

For the fourth time since 2005, Bowdoin has received the Beckman Scholars Award in recognition of the high level of faculty research as well as "strong mentorship" that professors provide students. The grant will bring in \$104,000 over the next three years to support four student-faculty pairs. Learn more about the current and former recipients and the award in the [Bowdoin News](#).

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Scenes from Campus



Photo: Andy Meyer '85 (l) and Phil Brown '85 (r) enjoy a bit of Miss Brunswick Diner chili before watching a Bowdoin hockey game 1/13/17. "It don't get no better than this!"

Andy Meyer

Half an empty nest now with our son at Tufts. Enjoying our 15th year as a host family for a Bowdoin international student. Loving my job promoting energy efficiency across Maine (think LEDs and heat pumps). Still hanging out with Bobo roommates Phil Brown '85 (Maine) and David Criscione '85 (Arkansas). Life is good. **Other Polar Bears you've connected with recently:** Terrie Casavant '85, Clare Cline '85, Kevin Cassidy '85,

Harriet 'Leech' Roberts

I am have been living in Memphis, TN for 19 years, and the South for 30 years. Our son, Matthew, is a senior and is about to make his college decision. Visiting SEC schools was VERY different than the Bowdoin/Bates/Colby/Smith/Williams tour I did 35 years ago: We had a blast though! I am currently not working but spending a lot of time sewing. Mainly crewel embroidery which I learned from a marvelous woman in England. I travel/teach with her in the summers which has been a ball. We tour castles in Scotland and England looking at the textile collections wherever we go. I also do a lot of quilting which is marvelous fun. We have a small lakehouse in North Mississippi which is where you can find my family most weekends.

Hossein Sadeghi-Nejad

Celebrating my 25th wedding anniversary to Leila Jahangiri this February. Practicing urology and teaching residents at Rutgers NJ Med School. My daughter Lily is a sophomore at NYU and my son Kouros is a star track athlete at West Essex high school here in NJ. Proud of my nomination by Rutgers med students for the Golden Apple teaching award. Miss my Bowdoin friends from classes of '85 and '86.

Photo, right: With Leila Jahangiri (Harvard DDS '95)



Scott Roy

Executive Vice President of Human Resources for Bull Moose Industries in St. Louis, Missouri as of January, 2017. Happily divorced with three adult children (James who was two weeks old at my Bowdoin graduation, Adam and Stephanie) and nine grandchildren, including twin grandsons born in October, 2016.

Other Polar Bears you've connected with recently: Harriet Leech ('85), Dave Bonner ('85), Mike Kopp ('85), Vasso Gyftopolous ('85), Linda Kennealy ('85), Tom ('84) and Barbara ('86) Rand, Tom Bennett ('86)

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Todd Herrmann

Hey, I get to be on campus here at Bowdoin every day. How much better can one guy have it? Next fall we will welcome to the first-year class offspring of Bob Slayton (son, Beckett) and Wilson Jackson (daughter, Peyton). Not a day passes in which I don't see our old professors or the children of classmates. Please, let me know when you're in Brunswick.

Other Polar Bears you've connected with recently: Regularly in touch with Lindsey Humphrey '85, Craig Richardson '85, Rob Donovan '85, Dave Thompson '85, John Kronick '86, Mike Cloutier '86, Rory Morton '85, Bill Hinckley '84, Jon Jodka '83, Hugh Huleatt '83 and many, many more.

Photo, below: Hanging with the NCAA Champion Bowdoin Men's Tennis team in Kalamazoo, MI.

**Maria Kokinis Tougas**

My son Alex graduated from Bowdoin in 2014, we had 20 family members attend the graduation ceremony and I marched in the Alumnus parade proudly wearing my hat! We rented a house on the ocean in Freeport and had a great grad party and all my relatives thought Bowdoin looked awesome, including my parents and uncle who also attended our graduation in 1985!

Photo, below: Maria Kokinis Tougas (1985) in her Bowdoin alumnus march grad. hat with son Alex (2014) and family.

