



Founders Week 2012

For the past 17 years, the University of Maryland, Baltimore has celebrated the successes of our University community with a series of Founders Week events, including a Black-Tie Gala at which awards were presented to the Teacher, Public Servant, Researcher, and Entrepreneurs of the Year.

This year was extra special because we celebrated the 200th birthday of Davidge Hall, the founding building of the founding campus of the University System of Maryland.

As the oldest medical school building in continuous use for medical education in the Western Hemisphere, Davidge Hall has witnessed so much, from the bombardment of Fort McHenry in 1814 to the School of Dentistry's White Coat ceremony in 2012. Today used for ceremonial purposes by all seven schools of the University, Davidge Hall stands tall as a beacon of advancement in medicine, patient care, and interdisciplinary research. Its columned facade forms the basis for the new logo shared by the University and the University of Maryland Medical System.

In addition to Davidge Hall, our Founders Week celebrations this year reflected the continued pride and achievements of our world-class faculty, staff, and students, as well as the entrepreneurial and collaborative spirit that thrives on our campus.

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