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The Gabby Petito case

Our college was well represented during President Washington’s Investiture activities and sessions, as well as all those across our college who attended the festivities at the SciTech and Fairfax campuses. The discussions were lively and the atmosphere was festive as we all joined this occasion to welcome the next leader of our university.

At the first meeting of the Mason Science Community Council, our College Dean, Dr. Fernando Miralles-Wilhelm, welcomed the new president and updated the group on the College’s goals and strategies.

Jennifer Espina recently appeared in the Grand Challenges panel at President Washington’s Investiture event. Espina’s research focuses on the intersection of mathematics, biology, and medicine.

Fernando Miralles-Wilhelm, Mason’s eighth president, officially welcomed the next leader of our university.

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A diverse group of Mason scientists and mathematicians were among the guests at the investiture of President Dr. Fernando Miralles-Wilhelm. The group included team leader Faysal Shaikh, MS, Computational and Data Sciences, Konrad Wessels, associate professor in Geography and Geoinformation Science, and Laura Powers, PhD, from the Department of Mathematics and Statistics.

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Mason science news prior to virtual Virginia datathon

High-resolution ocean-ice-vegetation models and their applications in the study of climate change are the focus of Konrad Wessels, associate professor in Geography and Geoinformation Science. Wessels presented his research at the Virginia Datathon, a virtual event that brings together experts from across the state to address issues of our time.