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COLUMBUS, Ohio—GLBT students, friends, family and OSU alumni packed a lounge in Ohio State's Page Hall last Wednesday for the university's seventh annual Rainbow Graduation.

The event pays tribute to graduating GLBT undergraduate and graduate students from all university colleges and schools. This year, 24 students were honored.

"Spring commencement is so huge," said Jack Miner, president of OSU's GLBT Alumni Society. "Rainbow Graduation presents a more intimate opportunity for these students to share in the joy of their achievements."

Tom Tootle, 1990 Ohio State graduate and accomplished local attorney, provided a heartfelt keynote address. Tootle encouraged the group to channel their intellect and drive to create positive change for the community.

The event was organized by Ohio State's GLBT Alumni Society and the office of GLBT Student Services.

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