

Speech by Amber Christino (class of 2012)
AGS Commencement 2012

It's really an honor to be here tonight and to be surrounded by so many people that I respect and admire.

Paris is known as the “City of Light,” and we have all been enlightened by our education here at AGS. Not only have we studied the theoretical and fundamental building blocks of international relations, we have also been given the unique opportunity to experience this first-hand through daily interaction with the Parisian culture. To quote Ernest Hemingway, “If you are lucky enough to have lived in Paris as a young man, then wherever you go for the rest of your life it stays with you, for Paris is a moveable feast.” Using only one word to describe Paris, students replied: