

# WEST VIRGINIA UNIVERSITY COMMENCEMENT

MAY 2023



## Alma Mater

by Louis Corson

Alma, our Alma Mater,
The home of Mountaineers.
Sing we of thy honor,
Everlasting through the years.
Alma, our Alma Mater,
We pledge in song to you.
Hail, all hail, our Alma Mater,
West Virginia "U".



# Congratulations from President Gee



*May 2023* 

The West Virginia University journey that you began with a dream culminates today.

But, as the word "commencement" implies, another journey is now beginning.

Your experience here has been about charting your course. Is your goal healing the sick? Inspiring others with your artistic vision? Shattering the status quo with the next high-tech innovation?

Whatever path you choose, Mountaineer grit and determination will guide you.

The unique strengths you identified and honed here will propel you.

The hopes and goodwill of 200,000 other West Virginia University graduates will accompany you.

And your own inner calling will lead you to where your purpose awaits.

Let's go.

Sincerely,

E. Gordon Gee

President, West Virginia University

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## Information for Graduates and Guests

## AMBASSADORS AND VOLUNTEERS

University volunteers are available to assist you. Look for individuals wearing West Virginia University name tags or lanyards.

## **ACCOMMODATIONS**

If you made arrangements with the Office of Accessibility Services, please follow the instructions that were provided to you. Accessible seating is available on a first-come, first-served basis.

## **COURTESY**

West Virginia University asks that guests remain in their seats. For the safety and security of the participants, guests are not permitted to approach the stage to take personal photos of, present gifts to or congratulate the graduates. Air horns or other noise-making devices should not be used. Please turn your cell phone to "silent" and remember that graduates will remain with their class for the duration of the ceremony. Your cooperation is appreciated.

## **DIPLOMAS**

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## **EMERGENCY INFORMATION**

In an emergency, event staff will guide guests and graduates to the nearest exit. If medical attention is needed, EMS is available to assist. Please seek out a University volunteer to assist you.

## **FLORAL SALES**

Proceeds benefit West Virginia University's Horticulture Club and Plant and Soil Sciences Club.

## **LOST AND FOUND**

Please call 304-293-7132 to make inquiries about any lost and found items. Unclaimed items will be retained for 90 days.

## **PHOTOGRAPHY**

West Virginia University contracts with GradImages to capture the special memories of Commencement. A photograph of each student will be taken as they cross the stage. Graduates will be sent electronic copies of their photo proofs within 48 hours of their ceremony. All electronic communication will be private and secure and will be sent to the email address indicated by the graduate. Visit gradimages.com for complete information.

## **SURVEY**

Following the ceremony, please take a moment to share your opinion of WVU Commencement. Your responses will be used to strengthen and shape future events: **graduation.wvu.edu.** 

West Virginia University is a tobacco-free campus.

## Commencement Traditions

## WEST VIRGINIA UNIVERSITY SEAL

The West Virginia University Board of Regents adopted the seal on June 15, 1869. The Regents' original, handwritten resolution is located in the University Archives at the Wise Library. The Greek motto inscribed in the inner circle translates to: "Add to your faith virtue and to virtue knowledge." The Latin verse inscribed on the outer circle translates to: "Seal of the West Virginia University. Established 7 February, 1867." The hills depicted behind Woodburn Circle reflect the institution's stability, and a rising sun indicates its prosperity.

## WEST VIRGINIA UNIVERSITY MACE

The mace is a symbolic tradition that originated during the Middle Ages. The University Marshal brings this ornamental staff of authority to the platform and taps it three times to signify the beginning of the ceremony. It represents the official authority of the University president and precedes him or her during Commencement and inauguration.

# WEST VIRGINIA UNIVERSITY ACADEMIC REGALIA

The history of academic regalia worn today dates to the Middle Ages. The oldest universities of northern Europe evolved from ecclesiastical institutions where both faculty and students were regarded as part of the clergy and dressed in clerical garb. The head covering of modern academic costume was developed from the skullcap worn by the clergy in cold weather to protect their tonsured heads. At

universities, this skullcap acquired a point on top, which gradually evolved into a tassel. The bonnet with tassel is still worn by some, but the mortarboard is more common. The gown worn today evolved from the habit worn by Benedictine monks. No trimming is found on bachelor's or master's gowns, but for those holding doctoral degrees, the gown is faced down the front and trimmed on the sleeves with velvet. Today's hood is colored according to the scholarly field of the individual and bears the official colors of the institution that conferred the degree.

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# WEST VIRGINIA UNIVERSITY ACADEMIC PROCESSIONAL

The sequence of the processional is as follows: deans, degree candidates, faculty, platform party, honored guests and University president.

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## WEST VIRGINIA UNIVERSITY MARSHALS

The tradition of academic marshals comes from storied English universities. The Grand Marshal is the chief protocol officer who coordinates the ceremonial traditions of Commencement, including the processional and recessional. The Grand Marshal is also responsible for the school's relics, including the mace and batons. Marshals are typically members of the faculty. Student marshals may be selected to help facilitate individual ceremonies.

## **GRAND MARSHAL**

Chad N. Proudfoot

## **UNIVERSITY MARSHALS**

Kashy Aminian Ilkin Bilgesu Matthew Blommel Jessica Bishop Damien Clement Roger Carpenter Jasper Fessmann Amy Fiske Aaron Gale Robert Gerbo

Margaret Glenn
Christopher Griffin

Joe Hagan General McArthur Hambrick Robin Hissam

Janet Hunt Hillar Klandorf Kevin Larkin

Qingqing Huang

Nikki Loy Joy Maramba Michael McCawley Marjorie McDiarmid Jessica Morgan

Susan Morgan Graham Peace Jeffrey Petersen Charles Ponte Geah Pressgrove

Brenda Pruett Jessica Queener Vicki Sealey Andrew Shiemke Alex Snow

Mary Strife

# 2023 Order of Augusta

The Order of Augusta is awarded to a select group of each year's WVU Foundation Outstanding Seniors. Those selected have shown superior scholarship, leadership and service as an undergraduate. This award, the highest given to a student by the University, is named for its historical significance in the state. Augusta was among the original names considered by the Legislature when the state seceded from Virginia in 1863.

Lillian Bischof Wheeling, WV Bachelor of Science, Chemical Engineering; Finance

Michael DiBacco Elkins, WV Bachelor of Science, Biology; Bachelor of Arts, English

Marleah Knights Morgantown, WV Bachelor of Science, Biology

Giana Loretta Shinnston, WV Bachelor of Arts, Communication Studies

Sonia-Frida Ndifon Yaounde, Cameroon Bachelor of Science, Biomedical Engineering

Lowell Parascandola Lewisberry, PA Bachelor of Science, Biology

Lauren Volk Cross Lanes, WV Bachelor of Arts, English/Secondary Education

Callyn Zeigler Charleston, WV Bachelor of Science, Computer Engineering and Computer Science

# 2023 WVU Foundation Outstanding Seniors

Established in 1995 to signify the 40th anniversary of the WVU Foundation, the WVU Foundation Outstanding Senior Award is given yearly to West Virginia University's top graduates, based on a number of criteria: academic achievement, honors, awards, public service, demonstrated leadership, collegiate work experience, letters of reference and a narrative of the value of the West Virginia University undergraduate experience.

Ali Albowaidey – Al-Ahsa, Saudi Arabia Bachelor of Science, Immunology and Medical Microbiology

Raeanne Beckner – Bridgeport, WV Bachelor of Science, Journalism; Bachelor of Multidisciplinary Studies

Lillian Bischof – Wheeling, WV Bachelor of Science, Chemical Engineering; Bachelor of Science, Finance

Bailey Cahill – Brookeville, MD Bachelor of Science, Management Information Systems; Accounting

Ethan Combs – Wardensville, WV Political Science and Philosophy

Grace Crankovic – Pittsburgh, PA Bachelor of Science, Economics

Deanna Crumm – Wheeling, WV Bachelor of Science, Marketing; Organizational Leadership

Aubrey Cumberledge – Wallace, WV Bachelor of Science, Biology

Michael DiBacco – Elkins, WV Bachelor of Science, Biology; Bachelor of Arts, English

Ashley Elswick – Charleston, WV Bachelor of Arts, Political Science; Philosophy

Heather Fetty – Fairmont, WV Bachelor of Science, Computer Science

Wenjuan Gu – Charles Town, WV Bachelor of Science, Biochemistry

Joelle Hebbard – Bethel, OH Bachelor of Science, Aerospace Engineering Katilyn Hepler – Shenandoah, PA Bachelor of Science, Computer Science

Hank Herald – Morgantown, WV Bachelor of Arts, Political Science

Grant Holzemer – Fairfax, VA Bachelor of Science, Computer Science

Matthew Hudson – Teays Valley, WV Bachelor of Science, Immunology and Medical Microbiology

Andrew Johnson – Charles Town, WV Bachelor of Science, Nursing

Wren King – Morgantown, WV Bachelor of Arts, Anthropology; Women's and Gender Studies

Marleah Knights – Morgantown, WV Bachelor of Arts, Biology

Teagan Kuzniar – Morgantown, WV Bachelor of Science, Environmental Microbiology

James Lamp – Martinsburg, WV Bachelor of Science, Neuroscience

Zoey Lim – Selangor, Malaysia Bachelor of Music, Music Composition

Mary Linscheid – Morgantown, WV Bachelor of Arts, English

Payton Litton – Summersville, WV Bachelor of Science, Advertising and Public Relations

Laura Loeffelbein – Morgantown, WV Bachelor of Science, Neuroscience

Victoria Longava – Lorton, VA Bachelor of Science, Energy Land Management

Giana Loretta – Shinnston, WV Bachelor of Arts, Communication Studies; Philosophy

Maria Maddy – Peterstown, WV Bachelor of Fine Arts, Musical Theatre; Bachelor of Arts, Dance

Melina McCabe – Wheeling, WV Bachelor of Science, Biomedical Engineering

Caitlin Mead – Wheeling, WV Bachelor of Arts, English; Psychology

Sonia-Frida Ndifon – Yaounde, Cameroon Bachelor of Science, Biomedical Engineering

Lily Neilsen – Frisco, TX Bachelor of Science, Environmental, Soil and Water Science; Bachelor of Arts, Political Science Brandon Neiswonger – Moundsville, WV Bachelor of Arts, Political Science; Philosophy

Lowell Parascandola – Lewisberry, PA Bachelor of Science, Biology

Kiran Patel – Parkersburg, WV Bachelor of Science, Biology

Portia Peterson – Smithfield, NC Bachelor of Multidisciplinary Studies

Devin Price – Weirton, WV Bachelor of Arts, History; English

Maddie Seman – Morgantown, WV Bachelor of Science, Exercise Physiology

Jenna Sergent – Hurricane, WV Bachelor of Science, Social Work; Bachelor of Multidisciplinary Studies

Timothy Shaw – Syracuse, NY Bachelor of Science, Marketing

Anthony Siler – Glen Dale, WV Bachelor of Science, Biology

Trevor Swiger – Grafton, WV Bachelor of Arts, Communication Studies; Interdisciplinary Studies

Savannah Toney – Chapmanville, WV Bachelor of Science, Aerospace Engineering; Mechanical Engineering

Pareera Uqaily – Morgantown, WV Bachelor of Science, Accounting; Management Information Systems

Raafay Uqaily – Morgantown, WV Bachelor of Science, Biomedical Engineering

Lauren Volk – Cross Lanes, WV Bachelor of Arts, English/Secondary Education

Brooke Welch – Scott Depot, WV Bachelor of Science, Mechanical Engineering

Rhett White – Clendenin, WV Bachelor of Science, Biology

Joshua Witt – Franklin, WV Bachelor of Science, Environmental Microbiology

Ram Zaveri – Surat, India Bachelor of Science, Computer Science

Callyn Zeigler – Charleston, WV Bachelor of Science, Computer Engineering; Computer Science

# BENJAMIN M. STATLER COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING AND MINERAL RESOURCES

**Pedro J. Mago**Glen H. Hiner Dean

Dear Statler College of Engineering and Mineral Resources Class of 2023,

On behalf of the Statler College, congratulations on this outstanding achievement. You have reached an incredible milestone in your life, and I am proud of all of you and your remarkable accomplishments.

Today, you can say that you have created a better future for yourself because of your hard work, dedication and willingness to follow your dreams. As much as graduation is a personal accomplishment, please acknowledge and thank your friends, family members, loved ones and mentors for their encouragement, unwavering support and for helping you to become the person you are today.

Although graduation is the end of your academic journey, it is also the beginning of an exciting, new and beautiful chapter in your life. At the Statler College, we strive to uphold the importance of education and always treat one another with respect. I hope you hold these values close and carry them with you as you navigate the next stage of your life.

All of you have the power to enrich the lives of others and to find success in everything you do. The world needs talented, innovative and passionate individuals like you to be future leaders and make a difference. I am confident that you will use the skills, knowledge and experiences you learned and gained at the Statler College to make a positive impact on the world.

I encourage you to stay true to your values, dream big and follow your passions. In this new chapter of your life, be persistent, resilient and willing to learn from your mistakes, and never give up on your dreams. Always remember that you have the tools to accomplish anything you want. I know life has amazing experiences in store for all of you, and it has been a privilege to assist you in achieving your dreams.

No matter where your journey takes you, I hope you always have West Virginia University in your heart and remain a proud member of the Statler College family.

Congratulations! Let's go!

Sincerely,

Pedro J. Mago Glen H. Hiner Dean

## Doctor of Philosophy

## **BIOMEDICAL ENGINEERING**

Hunter Timothy Snoderly

## **CHEMICAL ENGINEERING**

Sean Brown San Quan Dinh Katherine Hedrick

## **CIVIL ENGINEERING**

Nawaf Saad Alsulami Krishna Tulasi Gadde Md Amdad Hossen Linjun Lu Mohhammad Afsar Sujon Mehedi Hasan Tarek

#### **COMPUTER SCIENCE**

Ranya Almohsen Ahmed Cheikh Sidiya Ganga Siva Sasanka Katreddi Jinge Wang Na Zhang

#### **ELECTRICAL ENGINEERING**

Moktari Mostofa Partha Sarathi Sarker

## **INDUSTRIAL ENGINEERING**

Makenzie Keepers

#### **MECHANICAL ENGINEERING**

Liang Liang Samuel Abimbola Ogunfuye Michail Tzimas Christopher Joseph Ulishney

## **OCCUPATIONAL SAFETY AND HEALTH**

Joseph Olufemi Fasinu

#### PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS ENGINEERING

Mohammad Faiq Hazim Adenan Amir Ansari

## Master of Science

#### **AEROSPACE ENGINEERING**

Evan Spencer Cole Brock Mason Dolly James Manuel Floyd III

#### **CIVIL ENGINEERING**

Christopher Allen Anderson Aida da Silva Madison Rose Haddix Samira Jahan U. S. M. Dilruba Mahmud Nagavardhani Malineni Drew Reiter Carley Elizabeth Shingleton Prabal Shrestha Titus Callan Smith Jonah Gregory Tyson Joseph Ryan Virga Brady Owen Watters

## **CHEMICAL ENGINEERING**

Benjamin Akoh Ijiwole Solomon Ijiyinka Pavitra Senthamilselvan Sengalani

## **COMPUTER SCIENCE**

Aqib Ahmad
Robyn Renee Ayscue
Lakshmi Meghana Bharthavarapu
Cody Klingler
Venkata Jagapathi Babu Kolla
Wojciech M. Mazurek
Sai Swarup Noone
Michael Lee Osborne II
Jacob Thomas Restanio
Brandon James Romano
Tahsin Islam Sakif
Venkat Ram Sirasala

## **ELECTRICAL ENGINEERING**

Aeddon David Berti Holden Ryan Fraser Kholoud Sharif Khairy Ivy Yousuf Moutushi Akassi Rachel Niamke Epse Aman Garrett Owens Clay Edward Vincent

## **ENGINEERING**

Connor Jack Scott Alexander Lopez

## **INDUSTRIAL ENGINEERING**

Anna Jo Billey Nahian Ismail Chowdhury Tasmiah Haque

## **MATERIALS SCIENCE AND ENGINEERING**

Kevin Tennant

## **MECHANICAL ENGINEERING**

John Michael Burke
Daniel de Lorenzo Moreira
Hafeez Olafisayo Jimoh
Duncan Eric Manor II
Anna Puigvert i Juan
Jeremy William Rathjen
Joshua Tenney
Benjamin William Thornton

## MINING ENGINEERING

Zeynep Cicek Francisco Eduardo Gil Hurtado Maria Fernanda Quintero

#### PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS ENGINEERING

Valcia Mildreth Vasco Bulule Abdullah Johar Daniel Elijah Keller

#### **SAFETY MANAGEMENT**

James Paul Bishop II Camille Elizabeth Carmon Grace Christina Casper Derrick Corns Hassan Ali Fathallah Christian Goletz Kaylie Noel Hogan James Joseph Christopher Stephen Loy Adam McDowell Brian Miller, Ir. Joshua Michael Murray Brian Alan Reichert Oumou Souare Abdullah Sulaiman Carly Mary Walker

Rowland Wendell Welch III

## SOFTWARE ENGINEERING

Sean Woodruff

Daniel Edward Francis Alexis Takeko Jeter Brandon Aaron Johnson Suja Kuruvilla Victor Manuel Morales Adison Nicole Nordstrom Solomon Tsehay

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## Bachelor of Science

#### **AEROSPACE ENGINEERING**

Gavin Kenneth Acquaviva Haitham Mohammed Alkhashram Brandon Kai Anderson

- \*\* Kyleigh Angela Anderson Donald Lee Bailey, Jr.
- & Samuel Yazno Bartle
- \* Jenna S. Bell Scott Joseph Benek Denver Ray Bennett
- €\*\*\* Matthew Garris Bloomer
- \*\*\* Ryan Jeffrey Bodrog Zachary Bray
  - \* Matteo Dominic Cerasoli Robert Patrick Collins III
  - \* Logan B. Cook Dillon Scott Crytser **Brent Cummings** Elijah Rav Davis Olivia Ann De Leo
  - \* Michael Lee Farha James Robert Mackay Foster Matthew Carr Fox Kendell Joel Geffers
- €\*\* Dalton James Geter
  - \* Ryan Christopher Gross Timothy Joseph Harrigan
- €\*\*\* Joelle Rae Hebbard
  - \* Allen James Hermsdorf
  - \* Chase Michael Holley
  - \*\* Tanner McMakin Matthew Thomas Musco
  - \* Nathan L. Musser
  - \*\* Travis Myers Ross Lewis O'Hara
  - \*\* Eamonn Patrick Payton Zachary Charles Messaros Roney Cody Tyler Roy John Mark Ruszkowski
  - James Joseph Shope
  - \* Andrew Peter Stanneck Eric Szarowicz
  - \*\* Lukas Kristupas Thackery
- \*\*\* Robert Munroe Warner
- €\*\*\* Andrew Spencer Winters

## **BIOMEDICAL ENGINEERING**

Abdullah Saleh Alharbi, Sr.

- Mason Edward Andrews Ioshua Charles Barnes Brent Harris Burleigh
- \*\*\* Carlo Daniel Capozella Ryan Patrick Connolly
- €\*\*\* Darby Madison Criss
- \*\* Tanner C. Davis Sheyanne Alexandria Dinda Samuel Enrique Dyck

- Daniel Esguerra Sarah Catherine Herbert Andrew Robert Hor
- \*\* Johnathan Roy Thomas Huff
- \* Gina Ingegneri Jared Matthew Kimble
- €\*\*\* Divija Kottapalli
- €\*\*\* Ashley Linder
  - & Allison Elizabeth May
- €\*\*\* Melina Angela McCabe
- €\* Chloe Elizabeth Molish
- \*\*\*\* Sonia-Frida Tiku Ndifon
  - Kaitlyn Hope Nedrow Kaitlyn Marie Niecgorski
- 🕳 \*\*\* Maegyn Elizabeth Nurkiewicz
- \*\*\*\* Victoria Paige Parello
  - \*\* Iustus Kota Pentony
- \*\*\* Tatum Peverl
- €\*\* Anna Grace Phillips
- \*\*\* Parker James Preaskorn
- 🗱 \*\* Alexander Ryan Pueschel
- 🗱 \*\* \* Mauricio Javier Ramirez
- \*\* Jalen Hyun Jun Sim Ramiro
- \*\* Tyler James Rodgers
- €\*\*\* Axel Martin Schön
- \*\*\* Andrew David Seman Natalie F. Stine
- Stephen Tursi
- \*\*\*\* Muhammad Raafay Ugaily Cody Ray Van Allen Willow Grace Welch

## **BIOMETRIC SYSTEMS ENGINEERING**

- \*\*\* Evan Riley Garrett Carson Reeves King
- \*\*\* Sean Andrew Stricker
  - \* Grace Olivia Wood

## **CHEMICAL ENGINEERING**

Bader Alfailakawi Areej Alghanim Ali A. Alqadiri Basel Ali Alyahya

- \* Anthony Danilo Burgos Anastasi
- 🗱 \*\* Benjamin James Barbarito
- \*\*\* Nicole Elizabeth Beck
- \*\*\*\* Lillian Taylor Bischof
- €\*\*\* Zachary David Bohrer
  - \* Kelsie Taylor Borror
- \*\*\* Austin Braniff John Orr Brooks IV
- \*\*\* Eva Cartmel
- \*\* Kelsey M. Chacalos
- \*\* Grace Jiang Cunningham Megan Renee Denning Tyler Dennis

- Michael Wayne Ferrebee
- 🗱 \*\* Jeffery Allen Ginther, Jr.
- €\*\*\* Leah Michelle Haines Wyatt A. Hall
- \*\*\* Hayden Michael Hamilton
- \*\* David Robert Hendrick
- €\*\*\* Joseph Tyler Holbert Austin William Kendall
  - \*\* Nhan Hoang Khuu Matthew Elliot Knauff
  - \* Henry Ace Lipscomb IV Benjamin Lawrence Lonergan
- Gage Riley Nicholls
- \* Paola A. Perez Talal Sager
- \*\* Victoria Y. Shaver
- \*\*\*\* Shawn Curtis Stephens
- \*\*\* Dean Michael Sweeney

## **CIVIL ENGINEERING**

Faisal Abdalkareem Saeed Hassan Alsabbagh

- \*\* Asher Tayte Bailey
- \*\*\* Jared Paul Bajerski Connor William Baker
- €\* Dylan Thomas Bernard
- \*\* Ian Bird **Ied Bratcher** Alexander Erik Brun
- €\*\*\* Brady Walker Colvin
  - \*\* Avery Scott Costilow Liam Robert Dennis Jacqueline Renee Devlin
- \*\*\* Sarah Michelle Ferry Dylan Kentaro Gallentine Maureen E. Ghee Daniel Steven Gregg Benjamin Wilson Gregory Alexander Grey Hornfeck
- \*\* Zachary Houde Luke Thomas Kasten
- \* Cameron Brian Kellar Grace Kerr Evan Michael Kiener Michael Edward King
- \* Rvan William Labor Sarah Nicole Lowery Iacob Rvan Lupfer Samantha Gabrielle Mariano Andrew Martin Evan Lawrence Measures \* Chandler Blake Mills
- €\*\*\* Evan Gregory Ogden Jakob Thomas Palas

<sup>\*\*\*</sup> Summa Cum Laude \*\* Magna Cum Laude ₩ Honors EXCEL Scholar . Honors Foundations Scholar . Honors Laureate Names listed in this program are taken from applications for graduation made to the WVU Office of the University Registrar. This document is not an official record of degrees awarded. Honors listed in this program are based upon the next-to-last term of enrollment and are not official until all academic work has been certified by the WVU Office of the University Registrar.

## Bachelor of Science (continued)

- \*\*\* Johnathan Lane Rabel Andrew Clayton Randolph
- \*\* Laura E. Ransom
- \* Jacob Douglas Sargent
- \*\*\* Tanner Justin Scruggs
- \*\* Megan Elizabeth Sibley Ionathan T. Slezak
- €\* Eva Lauren Smith Kelan Reynolds Smith Jack Macguire Soles
- \*\* Luke Vaughn Spencer
- 🗱 \*\* Tabitha C. Sponaugle
- \*\*\* John Z. Swanson
- \*\* Lane Douglas Tobin Israel Torres
- - Mason Van Tassell
     Matthew West Wachter
     Jed G. Ward
     Brian Otis Welsh
- €\*\*\* Jacob Dylan Wentz
- €\*\*\* Cameron A. White
  - \*\* Connor Leigh Wickline
- \*\* Riley G. Young

#### COMPUTER ENGINEERING

- \*\* Adnan Sultan Saud Al-Touqi Faisal Alogaibi John Patrick Benedickson Jeremy Bliner Anthony J. Coggins Jared Crowley Thomas Clay Grandolph Paige Elizabeth Harlan Andrew Edward Harper
- \*\*\* Chase Austin Harrison
  Ian Hutchison
  Befikadu Kebede
  Cory Knopp
- Trey Anthony Lennox-Kowalewski
- 🕉 \*\*\* Kaden Quinn McEldowney Malik Mukdadi
- \*\*\* Shubh Pintu Patel
- \* Ryan Pratz Hunter James Riley
- \*\*\* James Vincent Rogers
  Dallas Rollins
- \* Alexander Kenneth Royce
- \*\* Tyler Seidel
- \*\*\* Sean Andrew Stricker
- \*\*\* Samuel Alexander Swestock
- \*\* Jose Mario Vitale Perez
- €\*\*\* Callyn Makenzie Zeigler

## **COMPUTER SCIENCE**

\* Faham Salim Abdallah Al-Aamri

- Jeryle Begay London Joseff Bowen
- €\*\* Kevin Christopher Bruce
- \*\*\* Meghan Anne Cavanaugh Rachel Elizabeth Civils
  - \* Ethan Dean Amy Jo Farson-Ciccone
  - \* Austin Bibbee Felker
- \*\*\* Heather S. Fetty Morgan Fraley
- \*\*\* Harley Parker Frazee
- \* Andrew L. Garland
- \* Joshua B. Glendon Drew Alan Griffith
- \*\* Dylan James Harris
- \*\*\* Chase Austin Harrison
- €\*\*\* Katilyn Marie Hepler
- \*\*\* Grant Perry Holzemer Zachary M. Hubbard Dylan Michael Hughes
- \*\*\* Quinten R. Jeckering Ashwin Kannan
- \*\* David Connard Keaton
- \*\* Korey Robert Keefe Bradley Wilmoth Kersting
- \*\*\* Nicholas S. Kowalski
- \*\*\* Martha Amelia Lacek Kristoffer Mark Lee
  - \*\* Michael A. Lemon Iakob Alek Loverde
  - \* David William Mudge
- €\*\*\* Tessla Jade Muir
  - \*\*\* Patrick Thomas Murphy Madison Brooke Nichols
- €\*\*\* Shubh Pintu Patel
- 🗱 Jacob Ira Peterson
- \*\* Lucas Aaron Reinhardt
- \* Caroline Elise Reynolds Quinelle Richardson
- \* Alexander Kenneth Royce
- \*\*\* Walter Max Sandmeier
- \*\*\* Logan Douglas Sauers
- \*\*\* Maxwell McCarthy Sheehe
- 🗱 Margaret M. Smith
- \*\*\* David Marshall Snider
- \*\*\* David Curtis Snodgrass II
- \*\* Michael Thomas Tarantino
- \*\*\* Matthew Evan Towey Andrew Tyler Vargo Samuel Jacob Waechter
- \*\* Jacob Wenner Jarin Wildman
- 🗱 \*\*\* Austin Roger Williams
- \*\*\* Peter Yegorov
- \*\*\* Husain Yusuf
- 🗱 \*\*\* Ram Jitendrabhai Zaveri
- \*\*\* Callyn Makenzie Zeigler Kevin Zheng

## **CYBERSECURITY**

Wesley Alexander Butler Donovan Russell Ice Trey Scott McAtee Adrian Muñoz

- \*\*\* Drey Allen Newland Nathan Victor Shulman
- \*\* Benjamin David Suder Cristal Dale Tetrault
- \*\* Philip R. Wilson

#### **ELECTRICAL ENGINEERING**

- \*\* Firas Akram Ibrahim Al Mahruqi Bruce Alfonso Jordan Conte Kyle B. Cooke Daniel Richard Coughenour
- Katelyn Emily Crockett
   Gavin Thomas Farley
   Seth Patrick Farren
   Iordan Alexandra French
- €\*\*\* Evan Rilev Garrett
  - \* Christian Darius Johnston Adam Edward Jones Befikadu Kebede Cory Knopp Adam Lackovitch Bailey Sutton Lancaster
  - \* Paul Renick Miltenberger Malik Mukdadi
  - \* Ryan Pratz
- \*\*\*\* Samuel Alexander Swestock
- \*\*\* Timothy VanNetta
- Zachary Mason Waddell Matthew Widmer Ethan J. Wilson
- €\*\* Kenton Drake Young

## INDUSTRIAL ENGINEERING

- Muneera Alkandari
   Jinan Tarek Alqattan
   Hamad Mohammad Alsenan
- \* Trenton Philip Ashley
- \* Abbey Susan Barker Skyler Alexander Batchelor
- \*\*\* Joshua Bonin
  Casey Byron Corcoran
- \*\* Nicholas E. DeFelice
- \* Giorgio Elias Diacopoulos
- \* Patrick Tanner Diehl
- \* Carlos Dodero Fernandez Jared Eliopoulos Justin Robert Hartsek
- \* Corey Hines Nikolas Alexander Hollar Andrew Keith Kinney
- 🕻 \*\*\* Lydia Marie Knutsen
- \*\*\*\* Annabella R. Kuehn Zachary T. Maynor

## Bachelor of Science (continued)

- Robert Anthony Minard Ka'shon M. Musick
- Allen Potter
  Carly Amaris Pyles
- \*\*\* Aaron Michael Randolph Landon F. Roque

  - \*\* Andrew Snyder
  - \*\* Erik Gabriel Snyder
  - \*\* Andrew Graham Speirs Madison Laurel Springer Adam Douglas Sutton William Otto Thomas III
- - \* Davis Andrew Warmuth Collin Philip Whitlock
- 🗱 \*\*\* Joseph Frederick Wilkins KaLynn Renae Wiser
- \*\*\* Nicholas Lee Yoho

#### MECHANICAL ENGINEERING

Gavin Kenneth Acquaviva Abdullah Onaizan Alharbi Donald Lee Bailey, Jr. Samuel Yazno Bartle Scott Joseph Benek Denver Ray Bennett Michael John Berg

- \*\* Derek Colton Beverlin Douglas Binder
- \*\*\* Ryan Jeffrey Bodrog
  Taylor James Boury
- 🗱 \*\* Logan M. Brabbin
- \*\*\* Alec Trace Burgess
- 🗱 Matteo Dominic Cerasoli
- & Andy Chu
  - David Lawrence Churbuck
- \* Logan Lawrence Clapsadle
- \*\* Ethan I. Clark Robert Patrick Collins III Dillon Scott Crytser
- & Brent Cummings
  Bryce Mitchell Dahmer
  Olivia Ann De Leo
- Ethan James Dornisch-MoyerZachary Enguita
  - Michael Lee Farha
     Alexander Flemm
     James Robert Mackay Foster
- Matthew Carr Fox
- \*\*\* Conor Aengus Garvey Kendell Joel Geffers

- & Brady Allen Gorrell
- ₩\*\* Willard Clokey Hanson
- 🗱 Lauren Kay Heibel
- \* Allen James Hermsdorf
- \* Chase Michael Holley Foster Olaf Holmquist
- \*\*\* Morgan Gabriel Holzman
- \*\*\* Noah Christian Hower
- \*\*\* Ethan Hutchinson Isabelle Ruth Musngi Jacinto Tyler McLean James
- \*\*\* Ethan Mykel Jones Gregory Mitchell Kerere
- €\*\*\* Daisy Mikaela Levine Kaden Lohr
- \*\*\* Michael Allen Lough Egon Obonyo Mamboleo Gregory McBride
- \*\*\*\* Nathan Daniel McFall Matthew Steven McMiller
- \*\*\* Noah Harrison Miller
- \*\* Wesley Edward Mills IV Hunter Thomas Moore Sydney Rae Mushrush
- 🗱 Nathan L. Musser
- Kristina M. Neely Miles Robert Nelson Ross Lewis O'Hara
- €\*\*\* Daniel Patrick O'Meara
- \*\*\* Mark Robert Osborn
- \*\* Eamonn Patrick Payton
- \*\* Camillo Giancarlo Peracchia
- \*\*\* Layne Matthew Powell
  Jacob Thomas Ramsey
  Spencer Jerome Regnier
  Maison Alexander Richardson
  Zachary Charles Messaros Roney
  Angelo Jamal Ross
  Cody Tyler Roy
  John Mark Ruszkowski
- \* Kadin Ruvechan
- \*\* Michael Dakota Sammons Tre Anthony Sawyer Ethan Nicholas Shaw James Joseph Shope Nathan Blake Simonds
- \*\*\*\* Cameron N. Smith
  - \* Andrew Peter Stanneck Braxston Stevenson Iacob Antonio Surdick
- - \*\* Lukas Kristupas Thackery

- €\*\*\* Brooke Ivy Welch
  - \*\* Michael E. White
  - \* Ryan Wilson
- €\*\*\* Andrew Spencer Winters
  - \*\* Isaac E. Yahner
  - \*\* Jacob Levi Yancosek

#### MINING ENGINEERING

Ahmed Al Maashari Abdallah Ahmed Al Mandhari

- \*\*\* Haitham Rashid Al Yaaqoubi Abdul Malik Issa Aljabri Dawson Lane Apple Connor William Baker Maureen E. Ghee
  - \* Kyle Christopher Jenness
- Gabriela Lauren Kosakowski
   Andrew Martin
- 🗱 \*\* Rylan John Nemesh
- \*\* Megan Elizabeth Sibley Jonathan T. Slezak Victor Manuel Valencia Brian Otis Welsh

## PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS ENGINEERING

- \*\* Asara Ibrahim Salim Al Ajmi Dawood Nasser Said Salim Al Dhahli
- \* Fadwa Qaswar Al Ismaili
- \*\*\* Jaifar Khamis Al Rushaidi Bader Ahmad Alahmad Fawaz Alenezy, Sr.
- \*\* Abdulaziz Mohammed Alhajri
- \*\* Bader Muteb Almarri
- \* Faisal Ahmed Alqahtani Ameerah A. Alsadani
- \*\* Zachary J. Barnett Devon Michael Brown
- \* Wyatt Andrew Bunderson Adam Everest Eckenrode Andrew Allen Frantz Adam Joseph Keller
- \*\* Tanner Gilbert Kennedy
- \*\* Justin W. Lovell
- \*\*\* Alexander James Matsche
- \*\*\* Simon Ibrahim Menhem Jarod Michael Moore Donald Nji Nsoh Aaron Achempong Owusu-Teng
- \*\* Thomas Prince
- \*\* Tyler Gregory Rado
- \* Colton Craig Wietfeld
- \*\* Riley G. Young

## Certificate

## **BIOMEDICAL ENGINEERING**

Jeffery Allen Ginther, Jr.

Matthew Elliot Knauff

MacKenzie Lynne Moore

## BENJAMIN M. STATLER COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING AND MINERAL RESOURCES

# Commencement Speaker

OLAYEMI "YEMI" AKINKUGBE



Akinkugbe has served as the chief excellence officer of CNX Resources Corporation since July 30, 2019,

during which he managed all corporate and operations support functions and stood the company's unique ESG vision and philosophy.

Akinkugbe is currently leading CNX's Appalachia First strategic vision. Prior to assuming this role, Akinkugbe served as director of CNX Virginia Operations, a role he assumed in July 2018. Akinkugbe served as director of business development from September 2017 through July 2018, general manager — planning and petroleum reserves from February 2014 through September 2017, and served in various other positions, including with the Engineering Department, throughout his tenure at CNX, which started in 2003.

Akinkugbe holds an undergraduate degree in mineral engineering, a master's degree in mining engineering

with a specialty in rock mechanics from West Virginia University and an MBA from Carnegie Mellon University's Tepper School of Business.

# COLLEGE OF APPLIED HUMAN SCIENCES

Autumn Tooms Cyprès

Dear Graduates of the College of Applied Human Sciences,

On behalf of the entire faculty and staff of the College, I send our most sincere congratulatory wishes on this benchmark day.

Your journey to this moment includes transcending significant challenges that have come during unprecedented times. On the way to earning your degree you have endured a pandemic, fluctuations in our nation's economy and the challenges of learning in isolating environments. Your ability to see beyond the present moment and embrace the rocky path to a degree and the new life that comes with it are true signs of your resiliency.

It is resiliency that is the heart of the Mountaineer spirit. We don't give up when the storm clouds are overhead. You did not give up, and today you can savor the climb upward and look forward to a new chapter.

I encourage you to look forward in the direction of adding to your network of mentors with the momentum of your brave spirit and curious mind. Don't be afraid to bring others along who are walking the path you have just conquered. Celebrating, sharing and helping others is a core of our shared experiences as learners and human beings.

Without a doubt, your new path will have difficulties. But the work you have completed as a Mountaineer will prepare you to meet future challenges with a tenacity that only comes with wisdom and experience.

Thank you for choosing your path forward through West Virginia University. Thank you for thinking with your professors and dreaming with classmates and other members of the WVU family. We bask in the glow of your success and will always be here to welcome you home.

Sincerely,

Autumn Tooms Cyprès

Dean

## Doctor of Education

## **CURRICULUM AND INSTRUCTION**

Mariam Jalalifard

## **HIGHER EDUCATION ADMINISTRATION**

Iames Allen Froemel

## SPECIAL EDUCATION

Amanda Nicole Walkup

## Doctor of Philosophy

## **EDUCATION**

Taylor Leanne Mikalik Megan Elizabeth Mikesell

## **HIGHER EDUCATION**

Annette Freshour Christina Lee Hand Rachel Dianne Nieman Jessie Lynn O'Quinn

## **LEARNING SCIENCES AND HUMAN DEVELOPMENT**

Carinna Faye Ferguson Catherine Lynne Manley

## SPORT, EXERCISE AND PERFORMANCE PSYCHOLOGY

Andrew Neal Augustus Karly Marie Casanave-Phillips Blake Costalupes Matthew Paul Gonzalez Thomas Minkler

## Master of Arts

#### **COUNSELING**

Allison Atchison Cara DeCarlo Madalyn Martha DiGiulian Gwyneth Paige Fortney Kayla Lane Garland Tori Rene Garnes Makayla Tanay Haddix Sarah Nichole Johnson Rafael Rodney Joseph Alayna Michelle Kimble Kathryn Anna Laverdiere Madeline Joyce Murphy Emily Jane Poznanski Serena Roberts McKinzi Paige Samuels Spencer D. Setcavage Haley Williams Julia Anne Wingard

## **EDUCATIONAL PSYCHOLOGY**

Darran Robert Cairns Alexa Catherine Earle Haley Johnson

## **ELEMENTARY EDUCATION**

Makenzie Jade Hudson Raina Lee Meoli

## **ELEMENTARY EDUCATION/ADVANCED**

Katelyn Taylor Mumaw

## HIGHER EDUCATION ADMINISTRATION

Andrew Thomas Belcher Trista Nikkole Bunner Alyson Marie Carozza Adalheid Faith Crum Hunter Brynn Gorrell Austin Dean Grant Robert B. Kuenzel III Rebecca Lynne Smith Corrine Ullom Lindsay Marie Viars

## INSTRUCTIONAL DESIGN AND TECHNOLOGY

Sally Ayob Jacqueline Englehardt Noel Roland McCutchan Kester Small Katherine Brooke Springer Emily Stinespring Amber Anne Stoffel Jaclyn Suzanne Vance

## LITERACY EDUCATION

Sarah Browning Brynna Nicole Harless Tracey Lehman Amber Aileen Moore Kessiah Dawn Uphold Laura Ann Webb Samantha Flaherty Woodall

#### MULTICATEGORICAL SPECIAL EDUCATION

Helen Wenonia Davis Kelly Ann Mcfarlane

## PROGRAM EVALUATION AND RESEARCH

Maria Boki

## SECONDARY EDUCATION

Lindsay Mae Comer Lucas Ray Nagy Jeffrey Aaron Radcliff Marvin Wright

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## Master of Science

## CLINICAL REHABILITATION AND MENTAL HEALTH COUNSELING

Brooke Nicole Anderson Katherine Elizabeth Bennett Emma Bico

Zachary Tyler Branstool Catherine Ann Burnett Iulia Elizabeth Callan

Leah Coleman

Megan Elizabeth Gates

Sina King Timothy Lash

Brooke Danielle Lough Brady Nolan Moore

Suzanne Reichardt Zabrva Lee Robson

Zabrya Lee Robsor Kelsie Rohrbough

Lauren Elizabeth Segalla Emilie Madison Smith

Hannah Sternberg Matthew Tyler Vance

## **COACHING AND SPORT EDUCATION**

Tyler Aaron Carroll Tyree Harris II Michael A. Parello Olivia G. Rohrbacher Liesa Seifert

## **PHYSICAL EDUCATION - TEACHER EDUCATION**

Allison Lorraine Bamburg Brandon Goldsmith Michael Patrick Hart Colin Kline Brett Michael Pearson John Henry Robinson, Jr. Megan Warner Danielle Marie Werner Shannon Whitney

Charlotte Irene Wood

## **SPORT COACHING**

Antonio Martin Bachmann Jalen Benjamin Jonathan Cullen Logan Foster Casey Alan Hayes Tyler Matthew Milchman Danni Nichols Daniel Joseph Shaver Madisen Smith

## **SPORT MANAGEMENT**

Skyler Ashbaugh Reghan Elizabeth Bailey Skylar Jade Barnett Wilson Edward Bell III David Charles Benedict Dylan Austin Bennett Joshua Custer Brooks Joseph Anthony Carey Nicholas Wagner Carroll Adriana Silvia Darthuy Richard Michael Davy Brandon Alexander Denny

Melissa Dhyne Frederick Donatelli IV Alexis Kenyatta Garrett Ashley Nicole Goddard Conner Ross Graves Palmer Ernest Guhlke Samuel Isaac Hait Mia Elizabeth Holmes Iarrett Rav Hott Pei Ju Hsieh Gracelyn Nicole Jones Iensen Faith Kennev Makenna Noelle Kilano Scott Marlow, Sr. Tyler Matthew Milchman William Thomas Millick Ross Miner David Wayne Nixon Nicholas Perlich Bree Nicole Porter Lauren E. Rhvne Dominique Ridley Liesa Seifert

Michael Jamal Steadman

Daevon Vigilant

## Bachelor of Arts

## **ELEMENTARY EDUCATION**

- \*\*\* Sophie Jane Armstrong
- \*\*\* Madelyn Rose Bailey
- \*\*\* Kerigan Alyse Blake
- 🕻 \*\*\* Taylor Brooke Bleigh
  - \* Summer Erin Brallier
  - \* Megan Brown
- \*\*\* Molly Elizabeth Clark
- \* Nicole Marie Costa
- \*\* Lauren Denise Dahl
- \*\* Candra DelSignore Natalie Zara Diehl
- \*\*\* Katherine Grace Dlugos Ryan Patrick Ekey
- \*\*\* Jayla Evans
- \* Regen E. Fisher
- \*\* Alyssa Hansen

- \* Kacie Leigh Harvath
- \* Jasmyne Rae Hildreth
- \*\*\* Rebecca Adell Hudson
- \*\* Hannah Meredith Jones
- \*\* Sara Kolver
- \* Taylor Elizabeth Lee
- \*\*\* Alyssa Nicole Mauck Christina Donata McDonald Emily Grace Neely Abigale L. Noad
- \* Alexis Lauryn Pamula
- \*\* Paige Madison Powers
- \*\* Courtney Christine Pullen
- \* Lauren Taylor Roach Brielle Schneider Madison Hope Smith Paul Steven Sorrentino

- \*\* Thomas Jared Vallone
- \*\*\* Jennifer Elizabeth Vance
- \*\* Keslie D. Warnick
- \*\* Brice Elizabeth Williams
- \*\*\* Braelyn M. Young
- \*\*\* Joey Zhou

## **HEALTH AND WELL-BEING**

Tiffany Curtis
Emma Noel Fuller
Carley Breann Hines

 Liliana Philomena Rignani Mary Carolynn Tucker

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## Bachelor of Multidisciplinary Studies

Darrell David Carpenter III Shayna Eve Cherington Cheyenne Rose Franzen Iacob M. Krellin Gabrielle Marie Miller

Madeline Elizabeth Pauley Danajah Quiana Webster Chase Richard Wietstruk

## Bachelor of Science

## ATHLETIC COACHING EDUCATION

- \* Jack Silvio Aprilante
- \*\* Tyler Haywood Nicholas Francis Hulton Justin Pisapia

#### ATHLETIC TRAINING

- Ameil N. Anderson
- \* Clay Jackson Bailey
- \*\* Taylor Ann Brown
- \* Jayde Chuckalovchak
- \*\* Matthew Robert Doyle
- \*\* Kaitlyn Anne Ferns
- \*\* Emily A. Fields
- \*\* Kaitlyn Marie Groves
- \* Shannon Catherine Hughes Evan Jarrett
- Nicholas Philip Mangano III
- \*\*\* Charles Raymond McCool Skyler Setareh Nooralian Brooke Elizabeth Pataky
- \* Stephenie Meixing Yi Rexroad
- \* Derek Andrew Richardson
- \*\* Kailee Elizabeth Semon
- \*\*\* Samantha Ann Spiker Makayla R. Stowers
- \*\*\* Alexis J. Summers
  - \* Kobe Tiante Turlington
  - \* Mitchel Lyndon Williams

## **CHILD DEVELOPMENT AND FAMILY STUDIES**

- Olivia Grace Brvan
- \* Ashleigh Burnett Ashleigh N. Hall Shannon Brooke Mccartney
- \*\*\* Ivy Rae Mills
- \*\* Casey Lynn Russell Carson Lynn Short

## **COACHING AND PERFORMANCE SCIENCE**

- \*\*\* Bryce Joseph Niedoba
- \* Jason Samuel Ramey Akihito Shimizu
- \* Zackary Ryan Windsor

## **HEALTH AND WELL-BEING**

\*\*\* Lauren Vivian Adderley Kelsea L. Addis

- \*\* Alexis Anne Allbritten
- \* Kelsey Renae Alt
- \* Marleigh Hope Bays Travis Chase Blake
- €\*\*\* Connor Patrick Blake Cathiana Bosil Meghan Emma Grace Breeden
  - \* Valerie Ann Brunner Nathan Daniel Burdette
  - \* Sydney L. Butler Lauren Catherine Ciepiela Lauren Danielle Clem
  - Niya Kay Cook Leah Madeline DiMarzo
  - \* Kathleen Fritz Niko J. Fuscardo Arielle Lorraine Gantt
  - \*\* Blake Aaron Green Courtney Paige Haddix
  - \* Kacy Alaine Haydu Callie Marie Honaker Harlee Johnson Ayham Kalou **Bailey Nicole King**
  - Cole C. Kleppner Rhegan Alexis Lawler
  - \* Alexis Nicole Lippert Kamryn N. Majewski
- €\*\* Kayla Reese McDonald Olivia Kennedy McGinnis
- \*\* Samantha Annette Merew Camryn Renee Murlick Jacob Andrew Nestor Zanele Tiffany Nyabusha Meghan Alegria Oliver Megan Virginia Reitz Jeremiah David Riccardi, Jr.
- \* Abigail Lynn Rosenberger Alexandra Grace Snyder
- \*\* Harleigh Savannah Thompson Anne-Elaine Tiller Azimbek Turakhonov
- \* Alexa Renee Villalba Jalen J. Wimer Joshua Wingard

## PHYSICAL EDUCATION AND KINESIOLOGY

Allison Beth Bostic

- \* William Michael Bragg Parker Reilly Bristol
- & Brandon T. Combs Reese Raymond Crounse
- \*\*\* Angelina Marie D'Angelo Mackenzley Michelle Gaskill Iacob Franklin Hauser
- \*\* Nathan Keith Schweinebraten
- \* Kristen Paige Smith
- Wesley Saul Spencer Aidan Chrisopher Stotts
- \*\* Charlotte Irene Wood

## SPORT AND EXERCISE PSYCHOLOGY

Cooper Ryan Allison

- \*\*\* Isabella Grace Amrich
- \*\*\* Ryleigh Elizabeth Baldwin
- \*\*\* Meredith Jane Bolinger Kristen Brianne Bowman
  - \* Jeffrey Addison Boyd Hannah Boyd Ryan Philip Brault Demetri Michael Brown Makenzie Christine Bush
  - \* Kent Michael Butler
  - \* Abigail H. Conrad Emily Ruth Courtney Cooper Jackson Matthew Cornwell Sohan Philip Daniel Sydnie Laynne Destifanes Sheridan K. Dineen Rvan M. Elgin Bethany Michehl Elliot Gage Rylan Elza Taylor May Ford
- \*\*\* Gabrielle Grace Fream Michael Charles Buddington Glick
- \*\* Kiersten Thomas Grumbos
- \* Gabrielle Thomas Grumbos **Iacob Stewart Hamilton** Matthew Hickey Andrew Scott Hoffman Kayla Jean Jelenic Alexa Nicole Johnson Juliana Olivia Kingsborough
- \* Kyle Bradley Lehnert Caleb Lance Masters
- \*\*\* Jamie Leigh Theresa Maule Ruby Sweet Melvin

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## Bachelor of Science (continued)

- \*\*\* Sydney Brianna Miller Bella A. Mitchell Scott C. Newman Emily Ann O'Neil
- \*\* Natalie Claire Plaut Nailah Porter
- \*\*\* Brooke Nicole Roski
  Julia Marie Santangelo
  Payton Lee Schaaf
  Elizabeth Michelina Schubert
  Tara Michelle Smith
  Lexi K. Strawderman
  Jared Turner
  Owen C. Vargas
- \* Caleb Ryan Williams Brianna Yadlosky

## **SPORT MANAGEMENT**

Aaron John Adams Jordan Nicholas Amati Taylor Helen Angelillis Kieran McGee Beaver Tyler Alan Blohm Tyler Brayerton

\*\*\* Emily Marie Carl
Anthony Michiel William Carman
Kaitlyn Carr
Jacob Edward Carr
Salvatore Michael Cerasoli

- \*\*\* Trevor I. Clementson Mackenzie Dawson Alexander Delaney
- \*\*\* Tyler Michael Flood Nathaniel Friedman Benjamin Gilg William Eugene Gillin IV Ana Gustin Savannah Hess Jacob Randle Hogan
- \*\*\* Evan T. Hughes
- \*\* Zorin Istvan Owen Dwyer Johns John S. Joll
  - Caydan Shane Keeler
- \*\*\* Erin Mackenzie Kenney Carter Jon Kline
- \*\* Kaitlyn Rosemary Kokoski, Jr.
- \*\*\* Robert Sean Kurth Tanner Larson
- \*\* Logan Lazasz
- \*\*\* Allison Bay Lichte
- \*\* Jenna Elizabeth Livers
- \* Jacob Axtell Luke
  Nathan William Lynch
  Michael Mackey
  Gavin Mahoney
  Zoe Keefe Mastromatteo
  Tony Bernard Mathis, Jr.

- \*\* Aaron Tyler Matlock
  Dean Mauro
  Dylan James McDonald
  Gabrielle Marie Miller
  Amanda Lee Montgomery
  Morgan Kyle Montgomery
  Aidan Reid O'Donnell
  Chase Michael Ochs
- \*\*\* Chloe Elisabeth Paugh
- \*\*\* Drew M. Rosen
- \*\* Drew R. Sams
- Ian Nicklaus Scaffidi Connor Patrick Smith Hayden Grant Smith Michael James Sprague III Joshua Mark Stevens Shawn Patrick Taylor
- \* Connor Michael Thompson Jalen Isaac Thornton, Sr.
- \* Daniel Taylor Watkins Brandon Anthony Yates Trent M. Zavarella

## YOUTH AND FAMILY SCIENCES

 \* Alyssa Rachel Coccio Annie E. Goodman Michaela Elizabeth Wynes

## Certificate

## EARLY CHILDHOOD DEVELOPMENT

Ashleigh Burnett Shannon Brooke Mccartney Casey Lynn Russell Carson Lynn Short

## **INFANT/TODDLER EDUCATION**

Olivia Grace Bryan Ivy Rae Mills

## PROGRAM EVALUATION

Christine Ann Titus

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Cum Laude \*\*\* Magna Cum Laude \*\*\* Summa Cum Laude \*\*\* Honors EXCEL Scholar & Honors Foundations Scholar & Honors Laureate
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## **COLLEGE OF APPLIED HUMAN SCIENCES**

# Honorary Degree Recipient

## **CAROLYN LONG**



An educator at heart, Carolyn Long has spent her career serving as a teacher and administrator in the West Virginia public school and higher education systems. She was the first female board chair of the West Virginia University Board of Governors and the first female county superintendent for Braxton County Schools. She served as the campus president at West Virginia University Institute of Technology.

Long received her Bachelor of Arts degree in elementary education from Fairmont State College in 1970, after which she worked as a fifth-grade teacher at Big Chimney

Elementary School in Charleston, West Virginia, for five years. She accepted a position as a Title I Teacher at Little Birch Elementary in 1975, where she taught for six years. As the mother of a young son, she accepted a position as a bookkeeper and began working towards her master's degree, which she received in educational administration from the West Virginia University College of Graduate Studies in 1986.

She returned to Little Birch Elementary in 1986 as the principal. During her ten years of service, Little Birch consistently achieved the highest county test scores despite having the highest number of students receiving free and reduced lunches and maintained a 96 percent attendance rating. By 1996, Little Birch had received more commendations from the State Department of Education On-Site Accreditation than any other school in the county.

In 2001, she became superintendent of Braxton County Schools. During her eight-year tenure she balanced the school system's budget and received more than \$12 million in grants from the SBA. She led the successful efforts of the County Board of Education in passing a \$17 million bond to bring all of the existing elementary schools up to state code and complete renovations

to Braxton County High School among other building projects.

Long accepted a position on the West Virginia University Board of Governors in 2007 and served as the chair from 2008-2011. In December 2011, she agreed to lead WVU Tech during a time of revitalization and transition. Under her leadership, and with the assistance of the West Virginia Higher Education Policy Commission, WVU and the State Legislature, WVU Tech made tremendous progress.

In 2017, she oversaw the successful completion of the transition of WVU Tech from its former home in Montgomery to its new campus in Beckley. Under her leadership, the institution moved its more than 30 academic programs to the new campus while increasing enrollment to more than 1,600 students, marking the highest enrollment in nearly a decade.

Long returned to WVU Tech in 2019 as the campus president after serving as the interim chancellor of the Higher Education Policy Commission in 2018-2019. Long retired as the campus president of WVU Tech on December 31, 2022.

# COLLEGE OF CREATIVE ARTS

H. Keith Jackson
Philip J. Faini/Falbo Family Dean

## Creative Arts Graduates of 2023!

Congratulations on reaching this milestone; you have many reasons to celebrate! In addition to the reasons previous generations have had for celebration, you are a class that persevered through a pandemic. For many of you, you had just figured out the rhythm of college life when the world stopped.

You have made history by attending college during the greatest "disruption" of our time. Your ability to persevere has inspired us and makes us proud of you. Your time here was historically significant. More than a footnote it was an entire chapter in the history of humankind. But now is the time to move forward. Move forward with abandon and bravery because you have proven to yourself and others that you HAVE persevered. Move forward because SOCIETY needs you to. Move forward because YOU need to.

As you move forward, do so knowing that what you bring to the table is a set of essential characteristics. For those graduating from this college, two of those characteristics are shared 1) purpose and 2) soul. Many talk of purpose and it is a worthy topic. If your life is connected to the arts, then your sense of purpose has been your primary motivation for years. Fewer people talk about soul. Those connected to the arts are truly the soul of our culture. Nothing is more universally needed than soul (other than food). That is why the world needs the arts — it is how we express and recognize our soul. As you leave this place, you enter a world that needs the best you have to give. You graduate into a world that needs to reclaim its soul. That is the leadership role you have inherited and prepared for.

The moment to lead is close, but now is the moment to reflect and enjoy this achievement. Now is the time to know we will miss you (so please visit!). Now is the time to share hugs (if you are ok with that) and take lots of selfies. Now is the time to rest before leading us to a brighter future, one where soul matters.

Congratulations, you are ready to add the power of your "soul" to the world!!

H. Keith Jackson, DMA Philip J. Faini/Falbo Family Dean

## Doctor of Musical Arts

## **COLLABORATIVE PIANO**

Linxi Yang

## **PERFORMANCE**

Manuel Alejandro Molina Flores, Sr. Andrew Amadeus Ortega Tingyu Yan

## Master of Arts

## ART EDUCATION

Elaina Rose DePetro Michelle Fegeley William Preston Whittaker

## **ART HISTORY**

James Zachary Hunley Sydney Michelle Pascarella

## MUSIC BUSINESS AND INDUSTRY

Jonathan Broderick Flood Ross Philip Justice Cassandra Lynn Muhr Ciera Amanda Riggleman Bonilla

## MUSICOLOGY

Joseph Elias Boulos

## Master of Fine Arts

## **CERAMICS**

Brian Morgenlander

## **COSTUME DESIGN AND TECHNOLOGY**

Jacob Steven Currence Katrina Lundquist

## **PRINTMAKING**

Jamie Frances Mulac

## **SCULPTURE**

Molly Stout Davis

## Master of Music

## JAZZ PEDAGOGY

Joseph Elias Boulos Michael Douglas Robinson

## **PERFORMANCE**

Opal Marie Curry Clayton Heinecke Ryan Limanto Brendan Loeb Andrew Scott McGuire Nicholas Schlie Chloe Aldona Sodonis Ethan Taylor Spencer

## Bachelor of Arts

## **ART HISTORY**

- Randa Shae Fluharty
- \*\*\* Rebekah Lillian Elise Gooding
- \*\*\* Samuel Timothy Hensley

## **ART THERAPY**

\* Riley E. Cullen

## DANCE

- \*\* Sadie Margaret Arnold
- \*\*\* Elynn Kaye Blackwell
  - \* Caroline Rose Casey Alexandra Marie Cornell Emma Noel Fuller
- \*\*\* Rebecca Victoria Hyde
- \*\*\* Maria Elena Maddy

- \*\*\* Clayton Wayne Muir
- \* Cambria Stetson
- \*\* Holly Kathryn Van Voorhis

## **GAME DESIGN AND INTERACTIVE MEDIA**

\*\* Brian Weers

## INTERACTIVE DESIGN FOR MEDIA

- \*\* Tess X Barnhart
- \*\* Isaiah James Forsyth
- \* Madelena G Johnson Mia Elizabeth Larkin
- \* Julia Nicole Matthews
- \*\* Bailey Ahanna McCord
- \*\* Jacob R McGuire
- \*\* Arden Claire Minor
- \*\* Kaela Celeste Rogers

- €\*\*\* James Sullenberger
  - \* Jessica Renee Toothman
  - \*\* Clancy A Wells

## MUSIC

- \* Ruth Noelle Hartmann
- \*\*\* Eden Elise Lydia Rogers Haley Smith

## **MUSIC INDUSTRY**

Samuel Campbell

\*\* Hope Elizabeth Cooper Timothy Clark Friedhaber John Andrew McKee

## **THEATRE**

\* Kaylea J. Egnor

<sup>\*</sup> Cum Laude \*\*\* Magna Cum Laude \*\*\* Summa Cum Laude \$\mathbb{\mathbb{H}}\$ Honors EXCEL Scholar \$\mathbb{\mathbb{G}}\$ Honors Foundations Scholar \$\mathbb{\mathbb{+}}\$ Honors Laureate Names listed in this program are taken from applications for graduation made to the WVU Office of the University Registrar. This document is not an official record of degrees awarded. Honors listed in this program are based upon the next-to-last term of enrollment and are not official until all academic work has been certified by the WVU Office of the University Registrar.

## Bachelor of Fine Arts

#### **ACTING**

- \*\* Javen A. Buchanan William Tyler Gale
- \* Makale Ariel Honigsblum
- \* James Paxton Marner David Stephen Roberts
- \*\* Cathryn Alexandria Treleven

#### **ART EDUCATION**

- Sarah Ann Coleman
- \*\*\* Ashlev Amber Peskar
- \*\* Samantha Erin Schurr

## **GRAPHIC DESIGN**

Hannah Lea Arrick Connor Robert Arvav

- €\*\*\* Ainslee Ann Batt Benjamin Scott Broetzmann
  - \*\* Holly Buskirk
    Chase Brennan D'Hont
    Cadyn Lura Isabel Fauber

Matthew John Mangoni

💰 \* Brooke Helaina Saab Marissa Stojanovic

## INTERMEDIA/PHOTOGRAPHY

- \*\* Maura Elizabeth Bair
- \*\*\* Emily Rose Kennel
- €\*\*\* Caroline Murphy Natalie Autumn Murphy
  - Seth Christian Nardo
     Jadin Alex Shane Sirota

#### **MUSICAL THEATRE**

- \*\*\* Colette Catherine Curry
- \*\*\* Celia Elizabeth Doll
- \*\*\* Analise Marie Edwards
- \*\* Michael Ryan Gilligan
- \* Elisabeth Claire Gutridge
- \*\*\*\* Rebecca Victoria Hyde
  - \*\* Meredith Elise Kilmartin
  - \*\* Erin Ruth Kopit

- \*\*\*\* Maria Elena Maddy
  - \*\*\* Kyra Leigh McKillip
  - \*\*\* Clayton Wayne Muir

#### **PAINTING**

E\*\*\* Elizabeth K. Boccabello Emma Strickland Dale Rachel Leighann Roque

#### **PUPPETRY**

James Hayden

## THEATRE DESIGN AND TECHNOLOGY

Jacob B. Greene

Noah Webb Hamrick II
 Kailey M. Kloiber
 Hannah Camille Kramer
 Savannah Mateyka
 Seneca Daryn Phillips-McGraw
 Katherine Danielle Piatek

## Bachelor of Multidisciplinary Studies

Rachel Marie Bielski

\*\*\* Lara Alexa Bonatesta

## Bachelor of Music

## MUSIC COMPOSITION

- \*\* Jaiden Whitmore Courrier
- \*\*\* Jing Lim
- \*\*\* Christian James Rhen

## MUSIC EDUCATION

- \*\*\* William Jackson Alderman
- \*\*\* Mandi Lynn Bearjar
- 🗱 Caitlyn E. Gatian
- 🗱 \*\*\* Savannah Rae Hochberg Ian Loft

- \*\*\* Lindsay Marie Loncala
- \* Robert James Shamblen
- \*\*\* Nathan L. Wilson

## MUSIC PERFORMANCE: INSTRUMENTAL

Nicholas T. Bedway IV

- \*\*\* Annie Charlene Moon
- \*\*\* Ethan Charles Nylander

## MUSIC PERFORMANCE: JAZZ STUDIES

\*\*\* Christian James Rhen

## **MUSIC PERFORMANCE: PIANO**

\*\*\* Graham T. Sterling

## **MUSIC PERFORMANCE: VOICE**

- \*\*\* Samantha Elizabeth Goette Katie Martin
- \*\*\* Ana Paola Vergara Abascal Sherwell

## MUSIC THERAPY

- \*\* Sophia Clare Mondt
- \*\* Kathryn Ann Roe

## Bachelor of Science

## **MUSIC WELLNESS**

\* Jacob Cole Hendricks

## Certificate

## THERAPEUTIC ART

Michelle Fegeley Jamie Frances Mulac

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## **COLLEGE OF CREATIVE ARTS**

# Commencement Speaker

## JOHN HENDRICKS III

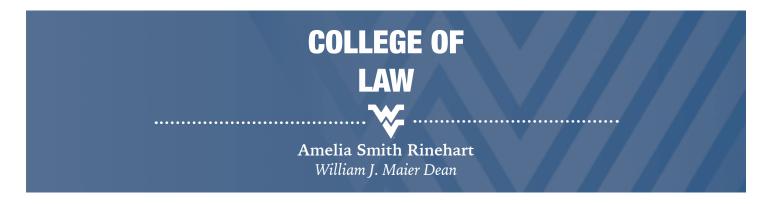


John Hendricks III has served on the faculty at the WVU College of Creative Arts for 30 years and will be retiring in June 2023. He currently serves as the associate dean for the College where he assists with academic and student affairs. Prior to this, he served as director of Bands for 11 years and as associate director for 12. His past duties include directing the Wind Symphony, Marching Band, Symphonic Band and Pep Band, as well as instructing graduate and undergraduate conducting and music education courses. He has served as the College's assistant dean, assistant chair for the School of Music, and coordinator of music undergraduate advising. Prior to his appointment at WVU, Professor Hendricks was the assistant director of Bands at Rutgers University.

Professor Hendricks received his Master of Music in Conducting and his Bachelor of Music in Music Education from WVU. While working toward his master's, he was actively involved with the WVU Band program as a graduate assistant. He also served for five years as the band director at Spencer High School in Spencer, West Virginia.

Professor Hendricks serves as a guest conductor for honor groups on the county, district, regional and all-state levels and serves as an adjudicator and clinician throughout the eastern United States. He has had several chapters published in the popular Teaching Music Through Performance in Band series. Past research focused upon the use of hymns in wind band music.

Professor Hendricks is a member of several professional affiliations, including the College Band Directors National Association, National Band Association, National Association for Music Education and Phi Beta Mu. He has served as the president of the Tau Chapter of Phi Beta Mu, president of the Big East Band Directors Association and has held state positions for several organizations. He is also an honorary member of several national and local organizations. Professor Hendricks is a past recipient of several awards including the West Virginia Music Educators Association Hall of Fame, West Virginia Band Director of the Year presented by Phi Beta Mu and the A. Frank Martin Award presented by Kappa Kappa Psi.



Dear College of Law Class of 2023,

Congratulations on your commencement from the West Virginia University College of Law! We take great pride in knowing that you will carry on the legacy of generations of distinguished Mountaineer alumni, using the knowledge and skills you have acquired to lead and serve communities throughout the state of West Virginia and the world. Your achievement is a testament to your hard work, perseverance and dedication to the study of law and we look forward to celebrating your future successes with you.

As you embark on your new journey, we encourage you to celebrate your many accomplishments and to face your future with confidence. It is also a good moment to reflect on your time at the College of Law. Through many triumphs and challenges, you developed critical thinking, reading and communication skills, you learned a great deal about law and society in the classroom and outside of it, and you have made lifelong friends. We have been privileged to learn from you, just as you have learned from us. Your families and friends are tremendously proud of you, and we are, too.

On behalf of our faculty, staff and your fellow alumni, I would like to extend our best wishes as you leave us to begin a new journey full of joy, hope and confidence that your time here has prepared you to engage in the legal profession in a meaningful way. We know that you are ready to serve our profession well, no matter where your career leads you next. Good luck with your new endeavors. Please stay in touch and come back to visit us on Law School Hill soon!

Take good care,

Amelia Smith Rinehart

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William J. Maier, Jr. Dean and Professor of Law

## Doctor of Jurisprudence

Lexus Don Allen Devon B. Alt Kendra M. Amick Brooke Ashlynne Antol

Hallie H. Arena
Daniel V. Baker
Nicholas Blevins
Philip K. Brown III
Mark R. Burdette
Peter M. Carlton
Kevin W. Carpenter
Sara Gwinn Carpenter
Madison Marie Carroll
Karli A. Celestin
Mark Combs

Elena Coole
Dominic S. Cunningham
Michael Joseph De Santis
Alexis Marguerite DiMarzo
Adriana Camille DiMatteis
Carlie Walker Diserio
Emma Jane Duncan
Amanda Emily Duvall
Harrison A. Enright

Christopher J. Everson Jordan Fanelli Austin J. Fisher Sterling G. Fitzwater Brianna C. Frontuto Angelyn Gemmen Bailey M. Gilchrist Taylor J. Giles Seth J. Goletz Samuel Isaac Hait Sophia R. Hogg Ryaan A. Ibtisam Blake A. Jacobs Alley F. Jordan Alexis L. Kessel Trevor J. Kiess

Alexander Matthew Kinder Cameron M. Kiner

Karly Nicole King Dillon G. Kopec Christian B. Laparne Caroline Elizabeth Leadmon

Olivia Morgan Lee Cameron T. LeFevre Eli McLain Leggett Alexander W. LeRoy Margaret Ann Lohmann Alexander Hamilton Long

Timothy T. Malloy Lauren Gabrielle Manchin

Abigail R. Martin
Madison Brooke Martin
Regan N. Martinez
Jonathon C. Mawyer
Christian T. Mbualungu
Madison Messinger
Alexandria N. Miller
Carolyn Paige Edens Miller

Colin J. Molnar Rachael L. Mullins Travis D. Nupp Leif Olson Eleni Orfanides Isabella M. Ortiz Molly Plante

Nathan P. Quarantillo Devin Lin Redding Nakia Ridgeway Hunter E. Savilla Aaron Scarr Alexis B. Schneider Justin M. Seybert Michael D. Shenton Keri Lakin Shetler Madison F. Shuler William S. Shultz III Hunter B. Sims Elijah S. Stevens Evan Stire

Jacob L. Stonecypher Cameron R. Stoops Jack D. Swiney Gabriella T. Taverne Greyson C. Teets

Phoebe Elizabeth Temple Robert B. Thompson Calvin R. Tomblin Jacob T. Trombley Shelby R. Turley

Stephen William Tzitzicas

Ryan Everett Vick Brigham R. Warf Brandon M. Wasson Stephanie Ryan Weber Anna G. Williams Elizabeth Lee Zahnow Thomas A. Zeni

## **COLLEGE OF LAW**

# Commencement Speaker

## VALARIE K. BLAKE



Professor Valarie K. Blake joined the WVU College of Law faculty in fall 2015. She currently serves as the associate dean for faculty development and research.

Professor Blake teaches courses in torts, healthcare law, health care torts,

healthcare fraud and abuse, health care civil rights and bioethics. Her scholarship focuses on healthcare discrimination, civil rights in healthcare, health reform, disability rights and the social implications of health policy.

Professor Blake is a nationally regarded health law scholar with publications in the Columbia Law Review, Cardozo Law Review, Utah Law Review, Hastings Law Journal, and Harvard Law and Policy Review, among other journals. She is the leading author of a forthcoming Modern Health Law casebook with West Academic Press and the author of LexisNexis Civil Rights & Strategy Series: Federal Health Care Laws. She is the 2020 recipient of the WVU Law Significant Scholarship Award and a 2015 recipient of the American Society for Law Medicine and Ethics Health Scholars Award.

Professor Blake's teaching experience spans law, medicine, public health, health administration and public policy programs. She spent two years as a visiting professor at Duquesne School of Law. Prior to that, she served as an ethics senior research associate for the American Medical Association, where she engaged in research and policy-making efforts related to the AMA's Code of Medical Ethics.

She has also worked at the Cleveland Clinic as an advanced bioethics fellow providing bedside ethics consultation, research, teaching, and service in the areas of law, ethics and professionalism.

Professor Blake has a Juris Doctorate from the University of Pittsburgh School of Law, a Master of Arts in Bioethics from Case Western Reserve University and a Bachelor of Science from the University of Pittsburgh.

## **COLLEGE OF LAW**

## Justitia Officium Award

## PAUL THOMAS FARRELL, JR.



Paul Thomas Farrell, Jr. is a graduate of the University of Notre Dame (B.A. 1994) and the West Virginia University College of Law (J.D. 1997) where he served as the managing editor of the West Virginia Law Review. Farrell is a second-generation West Virginia lawyer whose father, the Honorable Paul T. Farrell, is a presiding circuit court judge in Cabell County, West Virginia.

Paul Farrell's diverse background includes criminal defense as well as serving as a prosecutor for murder charges, representing healthcare providers as well as bringing medical malpractice claims on behalf of birth trauma victims, insurance defense as well as insurance bad faith.

He has taught appellate advocacy as an adjunct professor at the WVU College of Law, served as the president of the West Virginia Association for Justice and most recently served as the co-Lead of MDL2804 styled In re: National

Prescription Opiate Litigation which has been described as the largest and most complex mass tort in the history of American litigation, resulting in more than \$50 billion in settlement proceeds to abate the opioid epidemic.

He is a founding member of Farrell & Fuller, LLC, which recently relocated to San Juan, Puerto Rico. He operates one of the most successful mass tort law firms in the United States.

Most importantly, he is married to his law school classmate and best friend, Jacqueline Farrell, and they are the proud parents of Connor, Cahley and Casey Farrell.

# DAVIS COLLEGE OF AGRICULTURE, NATURAL RESOURCES AND DESIGN

Darrell W. Donahue

Dean

Davis College Class of 2023,

Congratulations, graduates! After a few challenging and unpredictable years, you made it! Your success that we applaud today is well-earned. Today is a celebration of all that you've accomplished and what is yet to come.

As you walk across the stage on graduation day, you are walking out of one phase of your life and into a new one. The next phase is a book with nothing yet written, a canvas with nothing yet painted, a farm with nothing yet planted. Guided by your education, relationships and experiences you've gathered while at West Virginia University, you begin a new chapter today.

You are moving on to becoming the best you can be — the best partner, the best friend, the best colleague, the best guardian, the best person.

It might feel daunting, but you won't be going it alone for long. You'll find new friends and make new connections. You'll become part of a new community. Be generous and lend the skills, the knowledge, and the perspective you learned here.

My hope is that along the way, you will seek out mentors — and some will find you. Mentors come in all forms: kind neighbors, new friends, challenging co-workers and experienced alumni. Learn from them all. Your time at WVU has helped you navigate and surmount challenges to prepare you to be your best.

Your new chapter of life will be both character enhancing and undoubtedly fulfilling. I encourage you to use all the resources afforded to you as a new alumnus of WVU as you write your story, paint your canvas and plant your farm. WVU and the Davis College are honored to have been a part of your journey to become your best.

As author Mitch Albom writes, "Devote yourself to your community around you and devote yourself to creating something that gives you purpose and meaning." We, at WVU Davis College, can't wait to see where the future takes you.

The time has come, graduates, to write the next chapter of your story. Live your life and live it well.

Let's go,

Darrell W. Donahue

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Dean of Davis College of Agriculture, Natural Resources and Design

## Doctor of Philosophy

**GENETICS AND DEVELOPMENTAL BIOLOGY** 

Samantha Joy Fabian

NATURAL RESOURCE ECONOMICS

Michael Cary Maher F. M. Mekky REPRODUCTIVE PHYSIOLOGY

Heather Lynn Chaney Jaelyn Zoe Current

**HUMAN AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT** 

Ganga Nakarmi

Master of Agriculture, Natural Resources and Design

Mariah Lynn Engle Sean Estep Adam Paul Harper Seth William Law Sean Estep

## Master of Landscape Architecture

Caitlyn Lewis Parvaneh Sabbagh-Ziarani

## Master of Science

## **AGRICULTURAL AND EXTENSION EDUCATION**

Mikayla Rae Hargis

## **ENERGY ENVIRONMENTS**

Xinming Andy Zhang

## **ENTOMOLOGY**

Jennifer Sabrina Greenleaf

## **ENVIRONMENTAL, SOIL AND WATER SCIENCE**

Sarah Joan Higgins David J. Stas, Jr.

## **FORESTRY**

Kaitlyn Marina Deskins Ruben Sabella Melissa Shafer Matthew Allen Young

## HORTICULTURE

Nathan El Blake

## **NUTRITIONAL AND FOOD SCIENCE**

Alik Devyn Browning Michelle Landry DuVall Connor Freed

## PLANT PATHOLOGY

Molly Anne Sherlock

## RECREATION, PARKS AND TOURISM RESOURCES

Evan August Harms Morgan Reighanne Martin

## RESOURCE ECONOMICS AND MANAGEMENT

Barry Arthur Stephens

## **WILDLIFE AND FISHERIES RESOURCES**

Alexander Clark Samuel Johnston

## Bachelor of Multidisciplinary Studies

- Erin Grace Adkins
   Samuel Jay Burford II
   Mohamed Safwat Elhaddad
- \*\*\* Claire Elizabeth Heavner Haley Elizabeth Miller Carli Karen Quaine

Shelby Irene Sherman Stephanie Jo VanGilder

## Bachelor of Science

#### AGRIBUSINESS MANAGEMENT

- \*\*\* Jenna Michelle Carpenter Tyler Eric Connolly Kilee Davis Jenna Makenzie Downey Isac Gutierrez
- \*\* Walker Harrison Heard Kelli Lyn Kreider
- \*\*\* Lauren Renae McLaughlin Anna Marie Riggleman
- \*\* Daniel Summers
- \*\* Regan E. Swan Rebecca Dawn MacKenzie Thompson
- \*\*\* Abigail Hope West

## **ANIMAL AND NUTRITIONAL SCIENCES**

Nicholas Alexey Penix

- \*\* Cameron Caton Buck Lillian Adamiec
- €\*\*\* Charles Matthew Becher
  - \*\* Chloe Bolin

Yasmine Arianya Cagle

- - \*\* Makayla D. Grace
- 🕳 \*\* \* Kelly Georgia Hanlon
  - \* Madison L. Lance
- 🗱 \*\* Mary Elizabeth Laswell
- \*\*\* Briauna Mickelle Malone
- \*\* Eric W. Marker
  Hannah Elizabeth Maxwell
  Lucas James McDonald
  Jenna Elizabeth McGee
- Kristina Marie Mertz Emma Joanne Miller Cassidy Miller
- \*\* Mallory Elle Napolillo Emily Abigail Parent Connor R. Raspanti
- \* Madeline Nicole Ritter
- €\*\*\* Kelsie Elizabeth Sanders
  - \* Danielle R. Stull Jonathan Carter Taylor Travis Brett James Tingler Allyson M. Walker Taylor Leeann Waugerman
- \*\*\* Karlie N. Whited

## **BIOCHEMISTRY**

- \* Austin William Alexander
- 🕳 \*\*\* Andrea Torres Alimario
  - Carlee Elizabeth Arnold
  - \*\* Kaitlin Elizabeth Bainer
- €\*\*\* Clayton Stephan Baldwin

- \*\*\* Andrea May Barker
- €\*\*\* Lauren Mary Bish
  - \*\* William Zachary Boley
- 🕻 \*\*\* Joshua Alan Chambers
  - \*\* Morgan Christian
- \*\*\* Laiken Ashley Cook
- €\*\* Emily R. Duckworth
- €\*\*\* Hailey R. Gray
- 🕻 \*\*\* Wenjuan Gu
- €\*\*\* Bryan C. Ho
- - \*\* Abigail Marie Jones
  - \* Riley Thomas Kane Cheyenne Marie Lewis
- €\*\*\* Danielle Elizabeth Matheny
- €\*\*\* Emily Paige Sweitzer
  Mary Michelle Uhl

#### **DESIGN STUDIES**

Jordan Nicole Gensurowsky Hallie Lyle

- \*\* Olivia Jude Rowcliffe
- \* Olivia Anne Vesci

#### **ENERGY LAND MANAGEMENT**

- \* Corrick W. Ambrose Leighton Kirk Bechdel
- \*\* Michele Champeau Amber Marguerite Gordon Jefferson Ryan Gwynn Shane O. Humphrey Logan M. Kucera
- \*\*\* Victoria Longava
  Conner Jacob Looney
  Andrew Thomas Michael
  Ethan Matthew Perry
  Scott John Sample
  Samuel Reuben Yoder

## **ENVIRONMENTAL AND COMMUNITY PLANNING**

Isabella Hailey Kirlangitis

## ENVIRONMENTAL AND ENERGY RESOURCES MANAGEMENT

- \* Kelly Nicole Amos
- \*\* Donn Eugene Bartram
- \* Vaneesa Franciosa Ross Gorby Kyle Brendon Jackson
- \*\*\* Kate K. Jursca Aaron Sage Kugel
- \*\*\* Kennedy Lawson
  Garrett Scott Monty
  Jacob Alexander Morris

- Joseph Edward Myers Stephen Joseph Oberle Jenna Marie Premo
- - \*\* Joshua Verst

## ENVIRONMENTAL AND NATURAL RESOURCES ECONOMICS

- \*\* Madison K. Cannon
- €\*\*\* Cameron Rose Riordan
- €\*\*\* Jordyn Nicole Underkoffler

#### **ENVIRONMENTAL MICROBIOLOGY**

- \*\*\* Teagan Mckenzie Kuzniar
- \*\*\* Zachary Emerson Moats

## **ENVIRONMENTAL, SOIL, AND WATER SCIENCE**

- \* Jonathan Michael Adams
- \*\*\* Eva Katherine Bridges Aaron Brian Bunner Noah C. Dillon Rhianna Nicole Edmunds
- \*\* Nathan Robert Edwards Liborio Anthony Gatto
- \*\* Anna Lee Herchl
- \*\* Gabriel L. Lucas
  Chad Ryan McIntyre
  Nataly Miller
  Margaret Elizabeth Moulton
- \*\*\* Lily Fei Neilsen Peyton R. Sarsfield
  - Matthew Stephen Schenk Madalyn Smith Thorne Taul
- \*\*\* Dylan Patrick Upperman Lily Noel Wagner
- \*\* Samantha Kay Williams

## **FASHION, DRESS AND MERCHANDISING**

- \*\*\* Layla Elizabeth Cline E'mon Nossie Cunningham-Robinson
- \* Jacob B. Dial Haley Nicole Duncan Zaidmary Guzman
- \*\* Nicole Lee Harmon
- \*\*\* Madison R. Hess
  - \* Madison A. Hughes
- \*\*\* Delainey Jade Lantz
- \*\*\* Emily Gail Quarantillo
- \*\*\* Alexi F. Sokos
- \*\* Emma Taylor Wadeka
- \*\* Natasha Lynn Yarowenko Lauren Michele Zeigler

## Bachelor of Science (continued)

#### FOREST RESOURCES MANAGEMENT

Donavan F. Beaver

- \*\*\* Jordan Andrew Beyer
- \*\* Christopher Eric Bodkin
- \*\*\* Codi Ray Clapper Jacob Thomas Franz
- \*\*\* Kendall Anne Hill James Johnson Joseph Donald Mckeown
- \*\*\* Patrick Aaron Plaugher
- \*\* Kelsey Taylor Razvillas Christopher Jaeden Santonastasi
- \*\* Jordan Edward Stewart Michael David Young Sarah Kaylee Young

## **HUMAN NUTRITION AND FOODS**

- \* Fatema Abdulredha Nathan Kelly Akers
- Jessi Noel Buckler Taylor Renee Flannery Lia Marie Fresenko
- \*\* Miah Nicole Gathman
- \* Brennah Teresa Groves
- \*\* Anel De Los Angeles Guerrero
- \*\*\* Claire Elizabeth Heavner
- €\*\*\* Kinsey L. Hershberger
- \*\*\* Meredith Lee Kiss Joseph Lawrence Lowers
- \*\* Mary Irene Ossman
- \*\*\* Karina Bharat Patel
- 🗱 \*\* Katharine Lind Pratt
- \*\* Megan E. Riley
- \*\* Gabriela Rose Romano Molly Rose Tiffany Strange

## INTERIOR ARCHITECTURE

- \* Erin Grace Adkins
- \*\*\* Rachel Elizabeth Barlow
- \* Bethany Danielle Brown
- \*\*\* Allison Brooke Bucklew Janet Caceres-Lopez Alexandra Marie Cornell
- \*\*\* Ashley Nicole Demarco
- \*\*\* Emily R. Flanagan
- \*\*\* Sidney Elizabeth Gandee
- \*\*\* Austin Michael Hadcock
  - \* Ioshua Cole Iarrett
- \*\*\* Sienna Jayde Kohler Cristofoli Emily Arden Lewis
- \*\* Cora Kay Nairn
- Olivia Wilson Phillips Alessandra Roland Elise Barbara Sizick
- \*\*\* Catherine Grace Testerman
- \*\*\* Belen Grace Turak

## **INTERIOR DESIGN**

- \*\* Joy Kristina Hursey
- \*\*\* Emily Paige Oliver
- \*\*\* Sierra Noelle Tolley

## LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE

- \* Daniel Adam Amaya
- \*\*\* Thomas Paul Burns Ruby M. Cole Ali Hassan Elbarrawy Jack Carlisle Hardley Isabella Hailey Kirlangitis
- \*\* Eva N. LaGard Robert Motte Mcanany Leah Jo McPhail Griffin Murtha
- \*\*\* Kaira Jean Niedoba Ruston R. Seaman Justin David Welch Alexander White

## RECREATION, PARKS AND TOURISM RESOURCES

Taylor Ruth Crystaloski Bryn Anne Dineen Daniel Boye Fowler III Brittany Michelle Humphrey

- \*\* Jaclyn Kiko
  Emily Ann Lynn
  Vanden Kane Rackley
  Dakota Wells Scott
  Emily Madison Strickler
- \*\*\* Nicholas Shane Summerlin
- \*\* Laurel Williams

## **WILDLIFE AND FISHERIES RESOURCES**

- \*\*\* Jason Robert Ackerman
- \*\*\* Emily Beal
- \* Cory Bergman
- 🕻 \*\*\* Sara A. Brown
  - \* Lane Edward Lee Burton Orlando Christopher Castellucci III
- €\*\*\* Peyton Ann Caylor
- \*\*\* Abigail Clasgens
  James Aaron Entrekin
  - Clayton Michael Esposito Camilla Rose Feldman
- \*\* Riley James Flynn
- Hannah Marie Frye Jakob Daniel Goshen Caleb Christopher Hamner, Sr.
- \*\* Hannah Marie Hoskins
- \* Mahaley G. Hughes
- \*\*\* Clark Thomas Jackson
- \*\* Drew Soloman Jacobs
- \*\*\* Carrie Ann Kirkendoll Eric Mason Klaus Krista Brooke Krcek

Stephen Lyon Seth Thomas McCoy

- \*\*\* Matthew Megois
  - \* Morgan Elizabeth Miller
  - \* Cooper Kee Motzko
- €\*\*\* Jacob Timothy Pennell
- \*\*\* Seth Robert Rinderle Ryan Frank Rutherford Benjamin David Sabala
- \*\*\* Austin Schauer
- \*\* Wesley Kathryn Shaver
- \*\*\* Christian Ronald Smith Gregory Brett Smith Braden Keith Snyder
- \*\*\* Nicholas Shane Summerlin Travis Victorio Brandon Wallace Maggie Ashton Leigh Walton
- \*\*\* Shawna Marie Weatherholtz Brooke Taylor Williams Tyler J. Williams

## **WOOD SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY**

Caleb Beversdorf Benjamin Beversdorf

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Cum Laude \*\* Magna Cum Laude \*\*\* Summa Cum Laude \*\* Honors EXCEL Scholar \* Honors Foundations Scholar \* Honors Laureate
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## Bachelor of Science in Agriculture

## AGRICULTURAL AND EXTENSION EDUCATION

- \*\*\* Justin Robert Arnold
- \*\* Erin Elizabeth Bowman Alayna Clare Cox
- \*\*\* Keri Megan Ferster Brianna Marie LeMay
- \*\* Brian Edward Long
- €\*\*\* Lynne Christine Thomas
  - \*\* Lilliana Carolyn Thompson

## **ANIMAL AND NUTRITIONAL SCIENCES**

Hannah Marie Bechtel

\*\* Darcey Catherine Bennett

Lenah Melodi Chedid

- \* Brooke Elizabeth Cornell
- \* Adrianna Celine Dunbar Caroline Elise Ercol
- \*\*\* Viktorya Autumn Floyd Jenna Friend
  - Paige Elise Kyle
     Chloe Grace Mccarty
     Dakota Alan McNutt
  - \* Shelby Rose Miller
     Alexis Renner
     Abby Marie Skrzypek
     Katelyn Elizabeth Toms

#### **HORTICULTURE**

K\*\*\* Meghan Bundick
 Rachel M. Larson
 Ashlyn N. Piekarski
 \*\*\* Mathias Shelly Solliday

## SUSTAINABLE FOOD AND FARMING

Rebecca Rose McCracken

## Certificate

## GEOGRAPHIC INFORMATION SYSTEMS AND SPATIAL ANALYSIS

Lucas A. Kinder Morgan Reighanne Martin Melissa Shafer Shobha Kumari Yadav

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## DAVIS COLLEGE OF AGRICULTURE, NATURAL RESOURCES AND DESIGN

# Honorary Degree Recipient

JOEL G. NEWMAN



Joel Newman, a visionary leader, accomplished many impactful advances in food safety and enhanced sustainability of animal food production throughout his 48-year career.

His values were shaped early on through achieving his Boy Scout Eagle award and his work on local farms, which ignited a passion for agriculture and food production. He later obtained a Bachelor of Science in Animal Science from West Virginia University and a Master of Business Administration in Finance from Syracuse University. He recently retired from the agribusiness and food industry, most recently serving as president and CEO of the American Feed Industry Association (AFIA).

Joel Newman is widely respected for his preeminent leadership of innovative and transformational change, nationally and internationally. He guided AFIA through the development and implementation of the Food Safety Modernization Act in 2011, considered one of the most sweeping U.S. food industry reforms since the 1950s. Internationally, while serving on the U.S. delegation to the Codex Alimentarius Commission. he achieved multilateral consensus on several international food safety and trade standards that protect consumers and trade partners. During his term as president of the International Feed Industry Federation, working with European partners, he participated in establishing the Global Feed Lifecycle Institute, which assesses the feed industry's complete environmental impact from crop to feed, and is being put into practice by global companies to benchmark, measure and reduce their environmental emissions.

Newman remains actively involved in the ongoing research and development of sustainable animal agriculture practices, as well as the education and leadership for global implementation, through an advisory role with the University of California-Davis's Clarity and Leadership for Environmental Awareness and Research (CLEAR) Center. This also entails using his expertise to broaden alliances and communicate with legislative and regulatory bodies, all sectors of the food industry, healthcare and consumers to keep them appraised of progress.

Among his many accomplishments, Joel Newman has served on the President's Council on Food Safety, the U.S. Department of Agriculture's Advisory Committee and is the only non-European to be granted a lifetime membership to the European Feed Industry Federation. He has also been invited to speak in numerous global forums.

In his retirement, he remains active with the WVU Davis College, as well as mentoring students and executives.

# EBERLY COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES

R. Gregory Dunaway

## Dear Eberly Graduates:

On behalf of the entire Eberly College of Arts and Sciences, I want to congratulate you and tell you how delighted we are on your attaining this amazing achievement. This clearly is a time to celebrate. I do encourage you to take time to reflect on the experiences that have brought you to this day. You will no doubt reflect fondly on so many things such as the friends you have made, the unique and fulfilling experiences you have had and the many things you learned, both inside and outside of class. At the same time, you will probably recall some things that may have challenged you; maybe even disappointed you. And you will most certainly reflect on the difficulties of pursuing your studies through an unprecedented public health crisis. However, your perseverance in the face of adversity makes this accomplishment even more satisfying. And I hope you know how proud we are of you.

As you move forward to the next part of your life's journey, I would like for you to continue to reflect on your experiences at WVU and most particularly on your education. The graduation ceremony commemorates the completion of your academic course of study, and your diploma will be a tangible symbol of that achievement. But remember, the education you received at West Virginia University is something that now, and always will be, a part of you. So, I ask you to reflect from time to time about your education and the opportunities it prepares you for. Moreover, I ask you to make good use of your education. The benefit of an Eberly education is that it is not just about the knowledge you gained about a particular subject, but rather the skills that will allow you to continue to learn throughout your life. Those skills manifest in being a critical thinker; being intellectually curious, being creative and innovative; being able to express yourself in a thoughtful and respectful manner; being compassionate and understanding; and being a problem-solver. The world needs individuals who possess these skills. Finally, and because of this, I hope you will also be good ambassadors for the power of education. When you have the opportunity, be willing to stand up and support the importance of education in all forms and find ways of helping others attain their educational goals.

Through reflection, action and support for others, the benefits of your education from the Eberly College and WVU will be renewed and perpetuated, and you will have an even greater sense of satisfaction and accomplishment than you do at this wonderful moment.

I wish you nothing but success and I cannot wait to see what you will achieve. Congratulations, graduates!

Let's Go!

R. Gregory Dunaway, PhD

Dean

## Doctor of Philosophy

#### **BIOLOGY**

Chanaka Roshan Abeyratne

#### **CHEMISTRY**

Samuel Dwight Eddy Robert Gaston, Jr. Chathuranga Chamal Siriwardhana Adam Skeens Michael P. Stanton Alyssa Stonebraker Amir Tavakoli

## **COMMUNICATION STUDIES**

Katherine Armstrong Heath Allen Howard Rachael Elizabeth Purtell Casey Michael Stratton

#### **ENGLISH**

Jennifer Denise Peedin Dustin Andrew Purvis

#### **FORENSIC SCIENCE**

Lauryn Christian Alexander Meghan Prusinowski

#### **GEOGRAPHY**

Sara Loftus Shobha Kumari Yadav

## **GEOLOGY**

Natalie Abigail Mitchell

#### **HISTORY**

Coleburn Volman

#### LIFE-SPAN DEVELOPMENT

Laura Elizabeth Bernstein Amanda Nichole Chappell Michaela Sue Clark Jeffrey Lee Hughes Yea Won Park

## **MATHEMATICS**

Basim Mohammed Amer Al-Maliki Ziyad Mohammed Hamad James Allen Long, Jr. Yikang Xie

#### **PHYSICS**

Andrew Ryan Kaiser Raju Bhai KC

#### **POLITICAL SCIENCE**

Fatemah M. S. M. Nawabdin Maxwell Afriyie Nimako

## **PSYCHOLOGY: BEHAVIOR ANALYSIS**

Rebecca Lillian Chalme Kacey Renee Finch Lindsey M. Hronek

#### SOCIOLOGY

Ellory Ruth Dabbs

## Master of Arts

## **COMMUNICATION STUDIES**

Jordan Aadahl Heather Marie Statler Theresa Vy Tran

## **ENGLISH**

Destinee D. Harper Aerianna Breanne McClanahan David Riser

## **GEOGRAPHY**

Heather Ann Maxey Megan Ann Ponczek Tyler Zeh

## **HISTORY**

George Patrick Jacobs II Johnathon Keller Ebony Taylor Martin Isabella Genet Neer

## LINGUISTICS

Hani Al-Na'eem Elena Hernandez Fresno Iuliia Mikheeva Gaia Prunotto Sofia Sanchez Navarro

## **POLITICAL SCIENCE**

Griffin Case Bradley Corinne Nicole Connor Karl Robert Haider Morgan Elizabeth Harris Payel Nasrin

## PROFESSIONAL WRITING AND EDITING

Melissa Faye Reynolds Stone Schaldenbrand

## **PUBLIC HISTORY**

Emily Ann Bublitz Autumn Rose Martino Madison Marie McCormick Claire Elizabeth Tryon Emily Morgan Walter

## SOCIOLOGY

Taylor Elizabeth Remsburg Jill Elizabeth Sturges

## SPANISH

Heidy Castro Umana Paula Martinez Alonso Brennan Conley Zerbe

## TEACHING ENGLISH TO SPEAKERS OF OTHER LANGUAGES

Patricia Bartolomé del Canto Heidy Castro Umana David Clemente Castillo Natasha Cortinovis Ting-Lin Huang Paula Izquierdo Garcia Momoka Masui Iuliia Mikheeva Diego Adolfo Navarro Meza Breno Santos Rodrigues Pereira Franny Pérez Ramírez Noelia Rizo Aznar Isabel Rodriguez Pisano Iohn Iairo Romero Mora Iia-Shan Tsai Viktors Valkovskis

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## Master of Fine Arts

## **CREATIVE WRITING**

Mary Elizabeth Koepele Ashley Preece Anna Hamilton Schles Grace O'Neill Smith Liam Timothy Wholihan Leslie Burgess Wilber

## Master of Legal Studies

Lori Anne Davis Anthony Robert Del Negro Tiara Phillip

## Master of Public Administration

Lucas Scot Blankenship Amelia Catherine Boehme Blake Col Caldwell Seth James Cardwell James Seth Collins Linsey Lamour Dillon Brianna C. Frontuto Caitlin Fulp Maya Corcoran Huggins Lora Rena McDonald Leif Olson Camryn Delaney Pressley Sydney Evelyn Putnam Katelyn Elizabeth Simms Mallory Elise Sisler Paige Morgan Wantlin Beverley Carol Yarber

## Master of Science

## **BIOLOGY**

Scott Emil Arbet II Julianne Gmys Grady Shivani Maan Marvin Jacob Wright

## **CHEMISTRY**

Jack Allen Patterson

## FORENSIC AND INVESTIGATIVE SCIENCE

Eleen Alfonso Samantha Brady Max Denn Sarah Elizabeth Hester Christopher Steven Poulos Baillie Elizabeth Poulton Katrina M. Rupert Jessica Elizabeth Thornton Kayla Ann Trimble

## **GEOLOGY**

Maya Yamei Bradford Nicholas Joseph Colaianne Junhao Hu Dietrich Henry Kuhlmann IV Ryan James Prchlik B. D. Voss

## **MATHEMATICS**

Stephen Sol Han Alexandra Jalean Hill

#### **PHYSICS**

Swarali Shivraj Patil

## **PSYCHOLOGY**

Jacob Edwin Alderson
Paige Marisa Currie
Erika Anne Fenstermacher
Brittany D. Hughes
Anishka Jean
Brian Patrick Long
Mickaela Reann Reed
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Kole Maxwell Kessler

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   Morgan Boutwell
   Abigail Gene Bowman
   Sabrina Victoria Brooke
   Kaleigh Marie Brooks
   Sydney Louise Brown
   Ryan Elizabeth Bruehler
   Alexis Ann Bryan
- &\*\*\* Bryanna A. Buker
  Casey Elizabeth Burns
  Victor Corey Butler
  Ethan C. Caminero
  Brett Matthew Campbell
  Madison F. Casteele
- \*\*\* Kristian Cecere
  Brando Dominic Ciccarelli
  Stephanie Dawn Cummings
  Nicholas John D'Annunzio
  Taryn Nicole Trafton Davis
- \*\* Olivia Helena Delgado Joseph Anthony Delia Laura Dennigan Erin Michelle Dodson
- 🕻 \*\* McKenzie A. Dotson
  - \* Kaylea J. Egnor
     Chloe Amanda Everly
     Hunter Michael Ferdarko
     Morgan Fink
- \*\*\* Gloria Catherine Mary Gray Hanna Makana Greer
- \* Nicole Taylor Groves Mason Robert Hackley Haley Sarah Hagadorn
- \* Hailey Elizabeth Hall
- \*\* Mia M. Hammons Emily Renee Hellems Rhett Heston Haig Hovsepian Rachel Isabel Imber Julia Johnstone

- \* Raelyn Dawn Jones
- \* Kristian M. Kemp Megan Elizabeth Kiernan
- **€**\* Julia Kocis
- \*\* Hannah Paige Loar
  Bailey Margaret Lopes
  Nicholas Patrick Marley
  Nolan Charles Mattern
  Alexander S. Matthews
  Luke McCormick
  John Thomas McCutcheon
- \*\* Meghan Erin Michaud Allison Marie Milkowski
- \*\* Cassidy Marie Mitchell Nicholas John Mohardt Quinten Adam Moore Beatriz Isabel Mosquera
- Colton Bryce Nichols
  Chidera Maryann Ochei
  Catherine Victoria Palahunik
- \*\*\* Gabriel P. Papadopoulos Collin Partridge
- \*\*\* Jordan Élizabeth Perry Ericka Yamilet Portillo Nanishka Quiles-Perez
- \*\* Emma Elaine Rakowski Whitney Jacqueline Ramsey Matthew J. Reed Madison Nicole Revis
- \*\* Alivia Marie Rosnick Emma Grace Roth
- \*\*\* Samuel James Sadler
  Abigail Katherine Sawyers
- \* Courtney Schuh
- \*\*\* Mia M. Sebastian Margaret Claire Shaver
- \*\* Marissa Lynn Slupe Linwood Sully Smith Whitney Jade Smith
- \*\* Madison E. Snyder
  Rana Hamdy Ramadan Hussein
  Solieman
  Isabella Kansadie St John
  Brian Alexander Stahli
  Camden William Start
  Bergen James Stevens
- \*\* Ethan Christopher Still
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  Reagan Stoner
  Mary Elizabeth Studlack
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  - \* Kaleigh Jeanette Whorton
- \*\* Alexis Mckenzie Wilkinson
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- \* Laura Beth Wodarcyk
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Jennifer Jean-Marie Barry

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- \*\*\* Karena Sage Clarke
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- \*\*\* Kathryn Elizabeth Hardy
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- & Erin McKenna Langan
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- 🕻\*\*\* Devin E. Price
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- €\*\*\* Joshua Ethan Treadway

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- Alicyn B. Craig
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- \* Victoria Lynne Brea Noah Alan Carte
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- \*\* Simon Dinkov Marcus James Grueneberg Keith Eron Hall
- \*\* Caitlyn E. Harless Brandyn Johnson
- \*\* William David Kent Corey Lester
- \*\* Julia Anne Parrill Lopez
- \*\* Jacob Isaac Lowers
- \* Raychel Michel Kirk Daniel Mitchell
- \*\*\* Lauren Ashley Mooney Quin G. Nessel
- \* Derek Podvojsky
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- \*\*\*\* Tyler Morgan Robertson Josina Faith Shaver Blake Speicher
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- \* Victoria Lynne Brea
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- \*\*\*\* Brandon A. Neiswonger Kailyn Renee Nestor
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- \*\* Hayden Lovoya Powell Madeline Lee Purcell
- - \* Emily R. Rexroad
- E\*\* Emerson Paige Rice Cassidy Elizabeth Roberts
- 🗱 \*\*\* Zachary Ryan Rohrbaugh Tiara Rowe
  - \*\* Madison Elizabeth Scott Luke Robert Six
- \*\*\* Joshua Keenan-Lipson Spurrier Chrisanthos E. Stavrulakis Joshua D. Thomas Conner Jaxson Underwood Gunnar Seth Webb
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- \* Blake C. Andrews
- \* Laura Mills Badger
- \* Morgan Bailes

- Nolan Scott Balderson Titan C. Ballinger Noah Robert Barker
- Olivia Baublitz

  \*\*\*\* Jacob Andrew Bowen
- \*\*\* Carson Nicholas Brehm Alayzia Brown
- \*\*\*\* Lauren Elizabeth Browning
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  Savannah Lynn Edwards
  Gabrielle Nicholle Epp
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  Corey Dale Fluharty
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- \*\* Lauren Hill
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- \* Meghan C. Labbree Victoria Paige Leonard
- \* Madison Taylor Mann
- \*\*\*\* Caitlin Crider Caldwell Mead
  - \* Lindsey B. Montgomery Genna Morganroth Trysten Moss
- €\*\*\* Hattie Lavada Murphy
- ❖\*\*\* Sydney Parker
- €\*\*\* Kimberly Andrea Perez
- \*\*\* Adrianna Michelle Pierson
- \*\* Kaitlyn Marie Pizzani
- \* Madison P. Ramella Ellen Richelle Reed
- - Kylie Rae Richo
     Madison Gail Satterfield
  - \* Courtney Schuh

- \*\*\* Mia M. Sebastian
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  Whitney Jade Smith
  Arianna Nateé Price Spaulding
  Alec Michael Stanley
  Charley Stinespring
  Hannah Sage Suesserman
- \*\* Katelyn Grace Sullivan
- 🗱 \*\* Madelyn Alyse Wilson
  - \* Gabriel Rain Windsor-Reedy
  - Laura Beth Wodarcyk
- €\*\*\* Catherine Joanne Work

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# Bachelor of Multidisciplinary Studies

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- €\*\*\* Carrie E. Dean

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- \*\* Nicholas Jerrod Kirchoff Lianna Maite Montalvo
- **ℰ** Kaitlyn Hope Nedrow Ryan Joseph Owens Patrick Xavier Palcic Hannah Puckett Alec Ricker

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- €\*\*\* Melissa Dorothy Stuckey
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# Bachelor of Science

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  - Carlee Elizabeth Arnold \*\* Kaitlin Elizabeth Bainer
- €\*\*\* Clayton Stephan Baldwin
- \*\*\* Andrea May Barker
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- \*\* William Zachary Boley €\*\*\* Joshua Alan Chambers
- \*\* Morgan Christian
- 🗱 \*\* Laiken Ashley Cook
- €\*\*\* Emily Taylor Donley
- €\*\*\* Hailey R. Gray
- €\*\*\* Wenjuan Gu
- €\*\*\* Bryan C. Ho
- €\*\*\* Hanna Nicole Jandrain
  - \*\* Abigail Marie Jones
  - \* Riley Thomas Kane Cheyenne Marie Lewis
- 🕳 \*\*\* Danielle Elizabeth Matheny
- **€**\*\*\* Brooke Rebecca Mitchell Kristen Sierra Morrow

\*\*\* Emily Paige Sweitzer Mary Michelle Uhl

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- \* Ali Ashkanani
- \*\*\* Nicholas Hayden Atkins Brinleigh Elizabeth Bailey Sarah Elizabeth Bell
- \* Amina Boukhris
- Zane Jeffrey Brooks
- \*\* Cayton Mackenzie Carder Marissa Brooke Carter Samuel Micah Collins
- \*\*\* Piper Rose Cook
- \*\*\* Rylee Madison Corfman
- Anthony Ray Cutlip

- Nathan Dale
- \*\*\* Sahil Darshan Dave Leonard I. DeFazio
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- \*\* Michael Jared Gagnon
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- \*\*\*\* Rachel Ann-Marie Morris
- \*\*\* Ashlee Nicole Moyer Luke Munna
  - \* Mikayla Ruth Murphy Madison Shae Neace
- €\*\*\* Skye Josephine Pacelt
- - \*\* Cody Pasden
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- \*\* Joseph E. Price
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- - \* Liam Poole
  - \* Barbara Shea Pridemore

- Sumner Sterling Ranft
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- \*\* Alyssa Grandsard
- €\*\*\* Emily Kim
  - \*\* Kara M. Luckett
- \*\* Michaela Nancy Xi Phelps
- 🗱 \*\* Tianna Rae Warner
- 🗱 \*\* Kaitlin Elizabeth Wilson

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- \*\* Morgan R. Critchosin \* Kailey Ann Evanowsky
- \*\*\* Chaney Ashlyn Ganninger
- \*\* Chaney Asmyn Ganninger
- \*\*\* Hannah Giovanna Good
- \*\* Sharon Pauline Kalb
- \*\* Kerstin Kell
- \* Madison Meredith Lindung
- \*\* Emma Rose O'Hair Stephanie Jeanne Paulsen
- \*\*\* Divyanjali Sellamuthu Pulivendhan
- \*\*\* Madelyn Kate Sperry
- €\*\*\* Anna Teresa Takac

  - \*\* Emily Nicole Whalen

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- - \* Emily Guerrera
  - 🗱 Jordyn Ayesha Hussain
- **€**∗ Breanna Keller
- Katherine Anna Latawiec
   Haley Mackenzie Lyon
   Jacqueline R. Manessier
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  - \*\* Nicholas Mears
  - \* Jonah Joseph Nieschwitz
- 🕳\*\*\* Emma Lee-Rose Osborne
  - \*\* Langley Grace Pado
  - \*\* Caylin Grace Patla Hailey Renee Pongracz Sarah Providenti

- Allison M. Roecklein Iared Sanders

- €\*\*\* Madison N. Stone
- \*\*\* Melissa Dorothy Stuckey
- 🕳\*\*\* Olivia K. Taitt
  - Madison Michelle Taylor
  - \*\* Emma J. Thatcher
- - \* Megan Alexis Thompson
- \*\* Sarah Beth Woods
- \* Cozette Elizabeth Zimmerman

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- \* Josie Leigh Gilbert
- \*\*\* Miranda Clair Goldsberry
- \*\*\*\* Gillian Rae Kaier Briana Karem
- \*\*\* Carson Cirion Mahoney
- €\*\*\* Danielle Elizabeth Matheny
- 🗱 \*\* John Michael Mendoza
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- & Amy Brennan
- \* Michael Joseph LaMont Bryant
- \*\*\* Bailey Elizabeth Dixon
  - \* Kaitlyn Elizabeth Donalson Alexis Emmamae Fleming

- \*\*\*\* Luke Kendall Frashure Sydney Olivia Frazier
  - \*\*\* Miranda Clair Goldsberry Olivia Hansson Silken Dale Harlan Savanna Rai Henry

  - \* Kearanie Hopkins
  - ❖\* Brooke Elizabeth Stitzinger Jones
- G\*\*\* Gillian Rae Kaier

  Marley R. Kesterson

  Samuel Philip Krisher

  Mariah Ariana Paige Le

  Jonathan Thomas Looman
  - \*\* Myah A. Maisonave-Sheets
- \*\*\*\* Gabrielle Marilyn McDonald
  - \*\*\* Dylan Thomas McKibben

- \*\* Julia Ann Mumbower
- €\*\* Ainsley Io Prudhomme
  - \* Sydney Elyse Puchalski
- \*\*\* Emily Richards
  Trinity Alysa Rodriguez
  Michelle C. Roth
  - \* Bethanie Ann Scott
- \* Megan Rose Seykowski
- \* Elise Kiara Taylor
- \* Amelia Whiting Theobald Mikenna Rae Vanderheyden
- Natalie Elizabeth Watson
   Mya Sherrae Wherley
   Alicia Nicole White
- \*\* Hannah Wilson Ryan Woodland
- \*\* Julianne M. Zajdel

# Bachelor of Social Work

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- \*\*\* Jessica Elaine Bleigh
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- \*\*\* Marissa Lillie Denlinger Katlyn Paige Dolly
- - \*\* Jayde Baylee Gilliece
  - \*\* Lauren Elizabeth Gould
  - \*\* Catherine Anne Hamm Mackenzie Allyse Haymond
- \*\*\* Kortni A. Henderson

- \*\*\* Austin Michael Kovack
  Kaitlynn Elizabeth Lambert
  Adam David Law
  Caroline Elizabeth Lego
- \*\* Sadie Elizabeth Lobdell Mackenzie Lauren Matz Shane Joseph Nuzum Emma Mae Parkinson
- \*\* Abigail Virginia Paugh Melissa Phillips
- \*\* Madalyn Rife
- \* Lia Schaarschmidt Taylor Elise Schwartz

- €\*\*\* Jenna R. Sergent
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- \*\* Rainey Nicole Tsekouras Natalie J. Vanarsdale
- \* Katrina Michelle Vance Bethany Amber Welch Jordan L. White
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#### **EBERLY COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES**

# Honorary Degree Recipient

#### **NOEL DOHENY**



Noel Doheny has been an executive in medical diagnostics who introduced novel medical testing devices and products.

Following his graduation from WVU as a double major in 1976, where he was recognized as Phi Beta Kappa, Doheny studied biochemistry at Georgetown. Later he completed a certificate in entrepreneurship at Case Western.

After entering the medical diagnostics field in blood chemistry tools, he led an effort to enter the emerging DNA thermal melting field. Upon acquisition by Corning, the company created a novel benchtop random access analyzer that generated over \$5 billion of global life cycle revenue.

Desiring to enter point of care testing, Mr. Doheny was appointed GM, and he identified a technology applicable to both operating room and home health use. By incorporating the device into the global GUSTO trial in the thrombolytic field, worldwide use accelerated. Simultaneously, the device was launched to home health and visiting nurse organizations for coumadin management. He created a new commercial approach, flex team selling, that drove rapid adoption.

In 1994, he joined a rapid testing company based on destructive interference of light. The company adopted the "flex" selling approach to launch an initial test for strep A pharyngitis. It rapidly followed with the first CDC recognized test for group B strep, a life-threatening birth disease. By working with the CDC and European nations to mandate prenatal testing, death rates were reduced dramatically and costs of care avoided.

Doheny secured a joint venture with an Australian pharma company to develop a influenza AB test (first ever) to complement the launch of new pharma agents called neuraminidase inhibitors. Upon FDA approval of the test and drugs the company established a 600-site national surveillance network for influenza. The following year in response to significant deaths in Japanese nursing homes a similar effort was initiated with Daiichi Pure Chemical.

The technology served as a platform to expand the offering for pathogen detection. This company was acquired by TMO.

Returning to the DNA field, Mr. Doheny led the transition of QIAGEN to an assay focus through several acquisitions. Then he led the migration of Affymetrix microarrays into the clinical indications for gene expression and copy number.

Subsequently, he initiated a venture capital backed effort to establish "optical genome mapping" for use in forensic pathogen identification in the food supply and biowarfare indications for the U.S. government.

Lastly, Doheny was CEO of Epigenomics, Inc., the first company to develop a blood based colorectal cancer screening method designed to increase the screening participation in age-eligible persons. Much of the clinical trial data for this product was developed at the WVU Medical Center through their clinical trials group.

He continues to be active in the oncology field through board level participation in start-up companies.

Noel Doheny's late wife Deanna was also a 1976 WVU alum. He has two daughters and two grandchildren.

# JOHN CHAMBERS COLLEGE OF BUSINESS AND ECONOMICS

Josh Hall Milan Puskar Dean

Dear Class of 2023,

Today, a new journey begins.

Even if you don't know exactly where that journey will take you, know that you are ready for it because of what you've learned during your years at West Virginia University.

Each of you learned more than you ever bargained for during your time at WVU – and you learned it fast. In the true pioneering spirit of the Chambers College, you pivoted and successfully learned to navigate the unexpected.

We often say that our Chambers College students are the future of work, and that has never been more true than it is today.

A bright future lies ahead – and that future needs you. It needs your perseverance, your energy and your adaptability. It needs your hope and your aspirations to change the world for the better. It needs you to be the next generation of creators, entrepreneurs and business leaders who will confront the problems of today and solve the problems of tomorrow. It needs you to value and champion diversity so that you can break through barriers and do impossible things – and so that you can inspire others to do impossible things, too.

The jobs of tomorrow will favor those who are prepared to innovate and adapt on their feet. Chambers College students are well-prepared to do just that, as you have risen to the challenge together of navigating your college education with flexibility and tenacity.

Each of you has a blank slate in front of you, and that will give you the ability to transform business. Companies are rethinking how they work, and they will look to this generation to make an impact and shape a new course for all functional areas of business.

My hope is that you never stop dreaming big. As you take on the world, remember the importance of compassion. Take care of yourselves and each other. Be courageous enough to turn impossible to possible. Be humble enough to learn from your mistakes.

Know that I am so proud of each and every one of you. I can't wait to see you all change the world for the better!

Best wishes,

Josh Hall Milan Puskar Dean

# Doctor of Philosophy

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## Master of Arts

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## Master of Business Administration

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# Bachelor of Arts

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# Honorary Degree Recipient

RICHARD M. ADAMS



Richard Adams is executive chairman of the Board of United Bankshares, Inc., and United Bank. A Parkersburg native, he is a graduate of West Virginia University and Stonier Graduate School of Banking at Rutgers University.

Adams began his banking career as a management trainee with

Wachovia Bank, Winston-Salem, North Carolina. Later he returned to his roots in West Virginia to join Parkersburg National Bank. At the age of 29, he was named president and CEO of what was Parkersburg National Bank (predecessor to United), a single-office, \$100 million bank. Under Adams' leadership, United has completed 33 acquisitions, building United into a nearly \$30 billion regional banking company with 250 offices throughout Virginia, West Virginia, Ohio, Pennsylvania, Maryland, North Carolina, South Carolina, Georgia and Washington, D.C. United is the largest headquartered, publicly traded company in the state of West Virginia and the 38th largest banking company in the nation.

Richard Adams is a member of the Bank Policy Institute and the World President's Organization. He is a past chairman of the board of directors of the West Virginia Business Roundtable, the West Virginia Chamber of Commerce, the West Virginia Bankers Association, and West Virginia Kids Count. Adams has also served on the board of the Federal Reserve Bank, as well as the West Virginia United Health System.

Adams was recently the recipient of the Washington Business Journal's CEO of the Year. He has been inducted into the West Virginia University Business Hall of Fame, and has been honored as a recipient of the Ernst & Young "Lifetime Achievement Award"; The State Journal "Lorenelle White Lifetime Achievement Award": the West Virginia Honors Award "Executive of the Year"; and the Executive Magazine "CEO of the Year Award." Adams was selected by Morningstar, Inc., a leading provider of investment research worldwide. as one of three nominees nationwide for their CEO of the Year Award. The winner was Alan Mulally of Ford Motor Company.

Adams was a member of the U.S. Army Reserves, and served on the vestry of the Good Shepherd Episcopal Church. He and his wife Liza have five children and ten grandchildren.

#### **JOHN CHAMBERS COLLEGE OF BUSINESS AND ECONOMICS**

# Honorary Degree Recipient

#### **DIANA LEWIS JACKSON**



Diana Lewis Jackson is the CEO of Action Facilities Management (AFM), which specializes in integrated facilities solutions for federal agencies across the United States. A native of Clarksburg, West Virginia, Diana Lewis Jackson founded AFM in her basement over

20 years ago and has grown the company to almost 400 employees across ten states and Washington, D.C. The company remains headquartered in Morgantown even as it has gained a national reputation, including being named the 2020 National Small Business Prime Contractor of the Year by the U.S. Small Business Administration. As a result of her success as a businesswoman and the contributions she has made to her community, she was inducted into the 2020-2021 West Virginia Business Hall of Fame.

For the past several decades, Jackson has poured her time, leadership and generosity into myriad organizations that prioritize education, health and diversity of opportunity. She is a graduate of Fairmont State University, and both her children graduated from West Virginian universities. She currently serves on the West Virginia Higher Education Policy Commission and is a board member of United Bankshares Inc., Discover

the Real West Virginia Foundation, West Virginia Regional Technology Park, WVU Cancer Institute Council and the West Virginia Highmark Blue Cross Blue Shield Board. She was previously appointed by former Governor Manchin to serve on the West Virginia University Board of Governors and also served on the WVU Hospital Board of Directors and boards for community organizations such as Teaming to Win and Members of Diversity, which supported underrepresented youth in the community in collaboration with the Board of Education.

Jackson is proud to be a West Virginian and is strongly committed to strengthening its communities and improving the lives of those who call it home. She lives with her husband, Kenneth Jackson, in Morgantown, West Virginia. Her daughter, Stephanie Hill, also lives in Morgantown and her son, Donald Hill, resides in Potomac, Maryland and manages AFM's D.C. office as chief financial officer.



May 12, 2023

Dear Reed College of Media Class of 2023,

Congratulations! Your hard work, drive and determination have led to this day, and we are proud of you.

As you pursue your future goals, take heart in knowing your College of Media experience has prepared you to be resilient and to perform meaningful work that not only influences your life, but also the lives of countless others.

Journalism, communications and media innovation are vitally important to society. Your graduating class will embark on a variety of careers in industries all over the world, but you will continue to have one thing in common: The work you do helps people better understand and navigate our complex world. I hope you will find motivation and joy in your work and that you will remain ever confident in your ability to overcome life's challenges.

Thank you for your time with us, which has enriched our classes, lives and campus. We will miss you, but we are eager to hear of your journeys. May "country roads" take you professionally far but keep you always near in spirit.

Best wishes for much continued success.

Viana Martinelli

Let's go, Mountaineers!

Diana Martinelli

Dean

### Master of Science

#### DATA MARKETING COMMUNICATIONS

Zoveyda Marilyn Espinal Leonard Michael Hunt, Jr. Kala Christina Mae Ibarra Valaree Mae Machen

#### DIGITAL MARKETNG COMMUNICATIONS

Julia Nicole Aloisi Nicole Bernard-Munoz Madilyn Renee Carothers Alexandra Lynne Davis Cheryl Anne Edelstein Kaylee Paez Rachel E. Stark Larissa Lee Usher

#### INTEGRATED MARKETING COMMUNICATIONS

David Ambrose Gina Amsellem Jennifer Kathleen Baird Allison Biedenharn Kevin Gene Black Jalyn Kay Bolyard Alexandria Elizabeth Britt

Brooke Marie Buchanan Brianna Kav Clark Rylee Hannah Colebank Stacy E. Dellefield Lindsay Ann Fanning Quinesha Fullington Allie Gibson Conor Griffith Katherine Elizabeth Gwinn Alyssa Renee Hansrote Hayley Nicole Jackson Colin Joy Charity Leanne Junkins Juliet Louise King Abigail Knott Jennifer Walsh Lankford Lisa Marie Lester Ariella Sylvia London Nathan Douglas Luck Mallory Martinez Rebecca Lynn Minear Beth Catherine Myers Chloe Leeann Nelson

David Caleb Pytlik
Morgan LeeAnn Reveal
Chamarya Roberts
Danielle Roberts
Nelson Robert Robinson IV
Alontra Robinson-McNeil
Rachel Rudd
Brienna E. Schuette
Erin Lynne Shelinski
Kelby Elizabeth Smith
Blake Donte Smith
Brandin Antoine Walker
Gillian Leigh Wanosky
Amber Witzleben
Charlotte Williams Yenney

#### **JOURNALISM**

Ershad Komal Khan Tolulope Oluwatobi Olasoji Jade Nicole Ruggieri Andrew Miles Sealy Madison Rae Urse Rhyanna Chrystine Wiethe

# Bachelor of Arts

#### **INTERACTIVE DESIGN FOR MEDIA**

- \*\* Tess X Barnhart
- \*\* Isaiah James Forsyth
- \* Madelena G Johnson Mia Elizabeth Larkin
- \* Julia Nicole Matthews
- \*\* Bailey Ahanna McCord
- \*\* Iacob R McGuire
- \*\* Arden Claire Minor
- \*\* Kaela Celeste Rogers
- €\*\*\* James Sullenberger
  - \* Jessica Renee Toothman
  - \*\* Clancy A Wells

#### **GAME DESIGN AND INTERACTIVE MEDIA**

Cathy Jean Peoples

Josephine Mary Pride

Brian Weers

#### **MULTIDISCIPLINARY MEDIA STUDIES**

Libbie Marie Closter

- \*\* Alina S. Mian Annabelle Hope Milne
- \*\* Courtney Parsley

#### **MULTIDISCIPLINARY STUDIES**

\*\* Nicholas Tyler Allen

Paige Mckinley Casteel Jesse Stephen Dulaney Zamora Aria Market-Maestre Emma Naomi Miller Nicholas Nunes Natalie Gabrielle Winter

# Bachelor of Science

#### **ADVERTISING AND PUBLIC RELATIONS**

- Logan Patrick Adams
   Danielle Beistline
   Grace Ellen Campbell
   Alexander Antonio Casto
- \*\*\* Kennedy Elizabeth D'Antoni Matthew Dale Daniels
- \*\*\* Dominique Marie DeVivo
  - \* Carson Rielley Diehl
- 🗱 \*\* Jessica Danielle Diehl

- \* Angelica DiGiovanni Alexa Storm Doyle
   Piper Julia Shea Fanning
   Sarah Frate
   Nicholas Paul Gaglio
- \*\* Audrey Gaudet
- \* Brittany Jean Holt
- \* Sophia Hudanich Karsyn Jean Keaton Ashton Alese Kudlak

- \* Shea Laval Lally Kaycee E. Lantz
- \* Raymond Francis Lapoint III Bianca Sophia Leonard Benjamin Levine Matthew Michael Lewis

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\*\*\* Payton E. Litton Lucas Lopes Stephen Scott Lovato Molly Malacarne

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# Bachelor of Science (continued)

- Kaitlyn Christine McClung
- Ke\*\* Paige Marie McElroy
  Kevin James Miller
  Taylor W. Mooers
  Zoe Elizabeth Nonnenberg
  Shelby Marie Paproth
- \*\*\* Jillian Adelle Peyton
  Tyler V. Porter
  Evan Garrett Potts
  Parker Matthew Roberts
  Chase D. Robinson
  Kianna Veronica Rodriguez
- \*\*\* Maxwell David Russell Stephen Francis Santivasci Britney Faye Saunders
- \*\* Emma K. Schwartzmiller
- \*\* Cameron Elizabeth Scott-Vandeusen
- \*\* Marian Grace Sears Rvan Heath Shatto
- \* Nicholas M. Slaven
- - \* Evan Nicholas White
- \*\*\* Rhyanna Chrystine Wiethe Thomas M. Williams
- \*\*\* Madison Anne Wirebach
  - \* Emma M. Wood
- \*\*\* Emily Kate Yoder

#### INTEGRATED MARKETING COMMUNICATIONS

Kierra Noel Freeman

#### **JOURNALISM**

William Arnett

- - \*\* Rori O'Neill Biszantz Gabriella Donna Boal Ethan David Bock Mya Marie Boggs
  - \*\*\* Lara Alexa Bonatesta Blake T. Bowers Dylan Elijah Bryant
  - \*\* Elle L. Colbert Christian Glenn Crone
  - \*\*\* Zachary Thomas DeLuca Francis Sonny Egan
  - \*\*\* Gianna L. Ellison
  - Izabella K. Gallo
     Ladimir C. Garcia
     Jack William Hamrick
     Jake Howard
     Chase Jordan Hughart
  - \*\* Maxwell Ionno Brenton Johnson Makenna Rae Leisifer Spencer Macke
  - \*\* Sean McCallister Jerrod Christian McGann
  - \*\*\* Jessica Isabella Meyer
  - \*\*\* Margaret R. Oliverio
    Alexis Nicole Piatkowski
  - \* Alexa Jane Richardson Wesley Michael Rouch

- €\*\*\* Christina V. Rufo
  - \*\* Jade Nicole Ruggieri
- \*\*\* Matthew David Sarver
- \* Lauryn Elizabeth Saxour
- Trenton Nathaniel Straight
  Katie Marie Wolfhope

#### **SPORTS AND ADVENTURE MEDIA**

- \*\* Natalie Andreyev
  Stephen C. Bergeman
  Jordan Gillis
  Michael Gourley II
  Alexander Bailey Johnson
  Teran Edward Malone
  Matthew Natriello
- \*\*\* Andrew Nogowski Shaheen Noorzai
- \* Lauren E. O'Brien
- \*\* Bryce O'Leary
- \*\*\* Chloe Elisabeth Paugh John W. Raley David Jonathan Roe Daniel John Schuster
- \*\* Adam W. See Madison Sue Simmons Patrick James Strong

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\* Bailee Marie Tucker

# Certificate

#### DATA MARKETING COMMUNICATIONS

Jillian Kenyon Mazey

#### **DIGITAL AND SOCIAL MEDIA**

Ashley Rose Clausen

#### **HIGHER EDUCATION MARKETING**

Jared Ryan Tice

#### INTEGRATED MARKETING COMMUNICATIONS

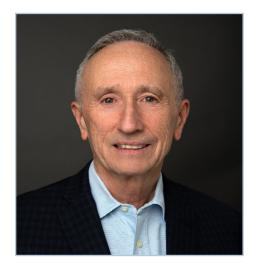
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#### **REED COLLEGE OF MEDIA**

# Honorary Degree Recipient

#### SCOTT DOUGLAS WIDMEYER



Scott Widmeyer has a distinguished background providing strategic counsel to leading decision-makers from presidents and governors to Cabinet secretaries, CEOs and college presidents.

A native of Martinsburg, West Virginia, and a 1975 graduate of WVU's Reed College of Media, Widmeyer's professional career began as a reporter for the Charleston Daily Mail. He later served as press secretary to Governor Jay Rockefeller and held similar positions with President Jimmy Carter, the late Vice President Walter Mondale, the late Geraldine Ferraro and the late Albert Shanker.

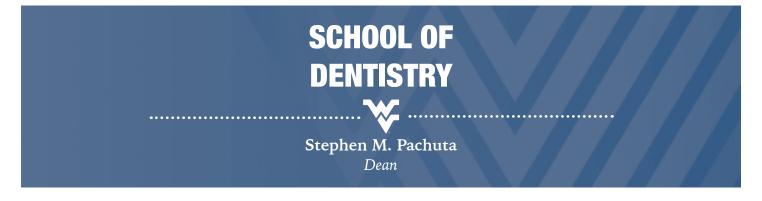
He launched Widmeyer Communications in 1988 and grew it to become one of the largest independent nationally recognized firms focused on education, health, public affairs and crisis management. In 2013, in its largest acquisition to date, Finn Partners acquired the Widmeyer agency where Scott Widmeyer continues to serve as a founding managing partner.

His deep commitment to making a difference in the world comes through very clearly in his board service and philanthropy. Widmeyer now chairs The George Washington University's School of Media and Public Affairs National Council and holds seats on the boards of WomenHeart, the Leadership Academy, the Country Roads Angel Network, the Stubblefield Institute for Civil Political Communications, St. Gregory's Episcopal Church, the Catskill Mountain Foundation and the Education Writers Association. He also has chaired the Visiting Committee for the Reed College

of Media and headed the School's capital campaign. He also formerly chaired the LGBTQ Victory Fund.

Widmeyer and his family have long been supporters of the College of Media at WVU where they endowed the Widmeyer Professorship of Public Relations currently held by Dean Diana Martinelli. Additionally, the family has provided scholarship support to dozens of College of Media students. After witnessing the divisiveness that permeates our nation, in 2017 Widmeyer helped launch and fund a joint reporting collaborative for journalism students at both WVU and GWU who work together on critical topics including the opioid epidemic, energy policy and communities underserved by "media deserts."

Widmeyer holds honors in many circles including being named a David Rockefeller Fellow, inducted into the WVU Academy of Distinguished Alumni and the PR News Hall of Fame as well as receiving PR Week's Diversity Distinction Award, the P.I. Reed Achievement Award at WVU and the Distinguished West Virginian Award from then-Governor Bob Wise.



Dear Class of 2023 Graduates of the School of Dentistry,

Congratulations on your commencement day!

Your journey through dental hygiene school, dental school and residency training has been a tough and challenging one. Today is the culmination of many years of hard work, personal commitment and self-sacrifice. From the faculty, staff and your fellow students at the School of Dentistry, we join you in celebrating your special day and extend our heartfelt congratulations to you and your families.

You are entering an incredibly rewarding profession centered on service to those entrusted to our care. Joining a profession is about service, and our patients must always be the central focus of our service. Find your purpose. Your purpose will evolve and mature, and in some instances change as you grow personally and professionally. Balance is an important part of purpose. Personal and professional well-being is central to balance. Nurture your friendships and build your professional relationships. Be a mentor to the next generation – your leadership will make a difference.

We encourage you to stay connected with the many colleagues and friends you made while at West Virginia University. Our Alumni Association and our West Virginia Dental Association are strong. Each provides an opportunity to network, maintain friendships and build new ones. They also provide an opportunity for maintaining currency in your clinical practice. Clinical excellence requires continual study. Just as we grow and change as individuals, our clinical practice must evolve as our profession evolves.

We want to extend a very special thank-you to your families. Behind every successful student is a committed and dedicated family. Our families and the support they provide are central to your successes. Your many sacrifices have not gone unnoticed. Today is equally a celebration of your commitment as well as of those of our graduates.

Your success at West Virginia University School of Dentistry affirms that the future of our profession is bright. Thank you for choosing West Virginia University and our School of Dentistry. Be proud of your accomplishments – now is the time to engage in a lifetime of professional service.

Stephen M. Pachuta

Stephen\_M. Pachuta

Dean

# Doctor of Dental Surgery

Bailey Jordan Aab Mohamad Ghaith Al Halak Ali A. Alterki Callaway Morgan Anderson Fatmah M. Atsh Blake Nicholas Bachner Dakota Alan Bailey Payal K. Bhagat Kyle Thomas Bird Andrew Brian Bishop Jared Hunter Butler Brittany Renee Carver Eamonn Daniel Cronin Wijdan Dabeek Allison Paige Fritz
Mark Alan Gilkerson
James Thaddeus Goots
Grant Tyler Hodges
Mays Abdullah Ibraheem
Brittany Anne Joseph
Mariam W. Khan
Vaidehi Kumar
Elizabeth Victoria Labuda
Cole Logan Lanier
Brittany Nicole Lewis
Samuel Colombo Martino
Ryan Charles Massinople
Keerthana Mesineni
Brittany Downs Moleta

Ashley Raine Noah
Hunter Logan Palmer
Jacob Paul Pancake
Nidhi B. Patel
Austin Micheal Perdue
Samantha Lynn Phelix
John Pitzer
Chase Nelson Preston
Madison Hull Smith
Lauren Michelle Srivastava
Gregory Hamilton Traver
Logan Ray Webb
John Byron Wilfong III
Nick Xuehao Xie

## Master of Science

Ashley Rene Faddis

#### **ORTHODONTICS**

Rachel Katherine Huffman Nicholas D. Palmer Ian Montgomery Weaver

## Bachelor of Science

#### **DENTAL HYGIENE**

- \*\*\* Jacqueline Suzanne Beall
- \*\* Taylor Linnea Bittenbender
- \*\* Katherine Grace Bixler Erin Taylor Chopak
- \*\* Kayla L. Clark Jenna Nicolle Colagiovanni
- \*\* Kailey A. Cullen

- \*\* Jodi Anne Drumheller Halie Breann Duba Hannah Brooke Duba
- \*\*\* George Benjamin Harris V Rachael N. Johnson
- \*\*\* Savannah Pearl Lahey Haley Marie Liu
- \*\* Amanda Robyn Lux

Savannah Rae McSwain

- \*\* Megan Ann Merritt
- \* Hannah Alexis Nicoletti
- \*\*\* Mackenzie Marie Parker
- \*\* Alice Lu Xinping Salter-Roy Kayley J. Sisler
- \*\* Darcie P. Trotter Savannah Haley Warnken

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#### **SCHOOL OF DENTISTRY**

# Commencement Speaker

GEORGE R. SHEPLEY, D.D.S.



Dr. George R. Shepley, a general dentist in Baltimore, Maryland, is the president of the American Dental Association. Dr. Shepley served as president-elect and fourth district trustee of the ADA prior to being elected as president.

Dr. Shepley is a life member of the ADA. He served as an alternate or

delegate from 2006 to 2017 to the ADA House of Delegates.

Dr. Shepley has served as chair of the ADA Council on Communications, the chair of the Budget and Finance Committee and the Chair of the Committee on Annual Meetings. He also served two terms on the State Public Affairs Oversight Committee. He has been a Board liaison to the Council on Members Insurance and Retirement Programs, the American Student Dental Association, the Council on Government Affairs and the American Dental Political Action Committee.

Dr. Shepley is an active member of the Maryland State Dental Association and served as a past President.

Additionally, he was past president of the Baltimore City Dental Society and the Maryland Academy of General Dentistry). He recently completed a six-year tenure as a trustee for the Academy of General Dentistry (AGD), where he also previously served as chair of the Dental Education Council and Division Coordinator of the Dental Education Division.

Dr. Shepley is a Fellow of the American College of Dentists, the International College of Dentists and the Pierre Fauchard Academy. He has achieved mastership and was awarded Life-Long Learning and Service Recognition in the AGD. He received the Maryland State Senatorial Proclamation and Governor's Citation. He was a faculty member at the University of Maryland School of Dentistry as a lecturer in dental ethics from 2009 to 2012. He also has participated in Maryland Missions of Mercy and has been an active participant in the Donated Dental Service Program since 1990.

Dr. Shepley graduated from the West Virginia University School of Dentistry. He has practiced dentistry in Baltimore since 1978. Dr. Shepley and his wife Ellen live in Baltimore, Maryland, and have three children and two grandchildren.

# **SCHOOL OF MEDICINE**



Chancellor and Executive Dean for Health Sciences

Dear Friends,

As you, our graduates, enter this next phase of your lives, I think about the parable of the bricklayer.

Three bricklayers are working towards building a church. When each person is asked what they are doing, the response is different. The first says, I'm a bricklayer and I'm working to feed my family. The second responds that they're building the walls of the church. The third answers that they are a cathedral builder and are part of building a house of the divine.

In this parable, the first bricklayer has a job, the second has a career and the third has a calling.

On the surface, all three jobs are the same, but how each person internalizes their role is different. It's a fitting thought for this time in your life when you are surrounded by your peers, and we hope that your educational journey with us helps you find your calling or your higher purpose.

Your time as a WVU student has shaped the foundation you carry into the future — personally, professionally and societally. There are lessons and values gained from each experience, but regardless of your journey here, we hope you take away the foundations of kindness, fairness, community, hope, service and purpose.

So, one final assignment as you celebrate your commencement: reflect on the past, while being open to the possibilities of the future, and live in the present. Remember, an ending is just the start of a new beginning.

I would like to end with one of my favorite quotes by the Indian poet Rabindranath Tagore:

"I slept and dreamt that life was joy. I awoke and saw that life was service. I acted and behold, service was joy."

Godspeed Class of 2023!

Clay Marsh, M.D. Chancellor and Executive Dean WVU Health Sciences

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### Doctor of Medicine

Evan Mark Abbey Dylan Thomas Anderson Mia Gabriele Antinone Christina George Attia Ana Rebecca Baltierra William Hunter Barclay Katherine Elizabeth Beard Victoria G. Belcher Haley Morgan Blake Matthew Odell Blaney Jarred Madison Boone Ryan Isaiah Bower Hannah Leigh Bowles Emily Nicole Brezler Isabella Grace Bushman Megan Elizabeth Cavrak Mark Alexander Colantonio Killian Cavanaugh Coyne Katelyn Renee Crowder Alexander Edward Crum Grace Catherine Danby Drew Michael Diaz Brian Walsh Donaldson Thomas Alexander Fakadej Adriana Garrison Madeline Alexandra Gerwig Jonathan Alber Ghobrial

Paraag Raj Gupta Katherine E. Hageboeck Owen Alexander Hamilton Rotem Hass Quincy Alexander Hathaway Catherine Kay Hercules Laura Rosa Hernandez Garcia Noah Hewitt

William Patterson Hickman Bailey Leah Hixon Christian Holland Marin Layton Howie Amaris Sabia Jalil Sarah M. Janczewski Aryana Jones Lindsay G. Jones Emilie Marie Kramer Sarah Rosemary Leep Richard Nicholas Liberio

Olivia Lohman Samuel Kevin Luketich Ankur Makani Matthew Mamone

Matthew Edward McKenzie Salamatu Omoro Momoh Bradley Carter Muncy Minahal Naveed Richard Landon Nolan Divine Chibuzor Nwafor Uchenna Ifeanyichukwu Peter-

Okaka

Vincenzo John Pizzuti Nizmi Ponery Elizabeth Proenza Tanner Joseph Quiggle Kathryn Quillen Rahul Santosh Raiker Joshua Tyler Rawson Anna Maria Raymond Lindsey Nicole Robinson Kylie LeMay Rose-Newlon Abigail Taylor Rosiello Omar Anwar Sadat Brianna Nicole Skaff Lynsey Jean Soule Caden David Stewart Luke Jarrod Stover David Patrick Sullivan Lindsey Michelle Thevenin

Chandler O. Parker

Sarah Tolaymat Ryan Alan Wanstreet Shanawar Ali Waris Curtis Wade Wentz Nathan Andrew Williams Andrew Harper Williams Elizabeth Crane Williams William J. Woodall Ahmet Miguel Yildirim Nicholas Andrew Yuhas Ahmed Amer Zanabli Morgan Elizabeth Zopp

# Doctor of Philosophy

#### **BIOCHEMISTRY AND MOLECULAR BIOLOGY**

Vanessa Lea Gipson

Lilian Gracia

Julia Ann Graff

Katherine Marie Gnegy

Janelle Joo Yee Chuah

#### **BIOCHEMISTRY AND MOLECULAR MEDICINE**

Schuyler Dan Adams Vickers

#### **CANCER CELL BIOLOGY**

Marc Purazo

#### **CELLULAR AND INTEGRATIVE PHYSIOLOGY**

Julie Anne Griffith Nairrita Majumder Xena Marie Williams

#### **CLINICAL AND TRANSLATIONAL SCIENCE**

Kristin Anne Grogg

Brandon Jeffrey Jenson

#### **EXERCISE PHYSIOLOGY**

Matthew Gene Yough

#### **IMMUNOLOGY AND MICROBIAL PATHOGENESIS**

Shelby Danielle Bradford Megan Elizabeth Grund

#### NEUROSCIENCE

Tyler Austin McGaughey Olga Hecmarie Melendez-Fernandez Divine Chibuzor Nwafor

# Doctor of Physical Therapy

Alexandra Marie Arnoldy Jamie Edmund Billiter Jr Emelia Lynn Branham Sara Marie Burky Tabitha Lee Craddock Martha JoAnn Ellis Amanda Hurley Ferrell Benjamin Connor Flanagan Shelby Suzanne Garner Joseph Logan Grass Ashley Helsley Hannah Lane Hopson

Jeremy L. Kovacs Christi LaBella Serenity Eden Marie Lynch-Bolen Gianna Mancinelli Evan Michael Mathess Perry Louisa McGhee Than Than Oo Madison Owens Victoria Marie Pfab

Courtney Michelle Randolph Madeline Paige Rice Fabio Romano
Kelly Suzanne Schambach
Morgan Alexandra Signorelli
Makayla Brooke Smith
Katie N. Snodgress
Ronni Lynn Taylor
Seth James Trahan
Kelsey Nicole Unroe
Kyle H. Weaver
Robert Kobe Weed
Rachel Lauren Wirth

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## Master of Health Sciences

#### PHYSICIAN ASSISTANT

Baylee Lynae Bancroft Haleigh Alexandra Bell Jennie Boisvert Mikayla L. Crane Katelyn Elizabeth Delaney Alexa Dudding Tyler Engle Ellen R. Geiselman Abigail Elizabeth Kaufman Katherine Brooke Lambert Jeremy Wayne McCarty Michaela Elaine Meadows Julie Ann Memel Casey Lynn Mingle Hannah Nicole Nesselrodt Jenna Nicole Ritz Morgan Taylor Roach Kylie M. Schafer Shabnam Shavakh Isaac Craig Smith Lindsay Ranea Thomas Lauren Taylor Warner Jessica A. Wasek

# Master of Occupational Therapy

Paige Nicole Atkinson
Jordyn Alexzandra Bachman
Madison Elise Bailey
Ashley Marie Baker
Breanna Taylor Balog
Taryn Grace Benedict
Alexandra Faith Berger
Emily Madison Boyd
Emily K. Butcher
Jessica Ann Butcher
Corey Ray Cantley
Emily Rose Cottrell
Haylee Madison Daniels
Molly Peyton DeBone

Lia Elizabeth Deiriggi
Abigail Marie Dorsa
Megan Marie Farr
Kerrin Ann Fitzgerald
Kassie Ann Frohnapfel
Gracie Lane Gum
Nicole McClain Hatton
Destanee Lane Hazuga
Brianna Nicole Hege
Olivia Morgan Hinkle
Brionna Lynn Lehman
Hannah Gabrielle Louzy
Chandler Kane McCormack
Lindsey Nicole McGreevy

Kaylee Rose McKenzie
Emily Ann Morton
Emily Rose O'Brien
Reilley Kate Parsons
Chloe Breanne Payne
Claire Pinkerton
Imoni Saab
Kiersten Nicole Scott
Aaron Matthew Smith
MacKenzie Rae Summers
Avery Elizabeth Rose Tomes
JoLee Michelle Walton
Amanda Nicole Weller

## Master of Science

#### **ATHLETIC TRAINING**

Garrett James Burnside Kasey Elizabeth Fairbanks Taylor Eileen Heckert Grace Anne McCullough Hunter Michael Robinson Ian Ulrich

#### **BIOMEDICAL SCIENCES**

Kendyl Marie Berry Leland Edward Earp Julia Tressie Ivey Mena Mansy

#### **CLINICAL AND TRANSLATIONAL SCIENCES**

Shubash Adhikari Danish Safi Kyli Lynn Smith Stephen Lee Yu

#### **EXERCISE PHYSIOLOGY**

Cierra Bedard Nick Linn Dean Marinacci

#### **HEALTH SCIENCES**

Jesus Candler Tegan Marie Curren Ahmad Dakhlallah Emily Cheryl Davis Olivia Rose DePond Akosua Otoo Dalton Keith Perdue Kari Paige Walls

#### SPEECH-LANGUAGE PATHOLOGY

Alexis Paige Arbaugh
Mikaela Ourania Argyrakis
Emma LaRue Baker
Chelsea Lynn Black
Peyton Renee Brooks
Anna Beth Brown
Solanna Grace Byrd
Carly Faith Davis
Julianna Rae Fisher
Carly Nicole Glinski
Emma Mae Goddard
Megan Green
Hannah Michele Haddix

Bretany A. Jones Audra Rachelle Knotts Hannah Rae Laugh Sydney Nicole Leary Miranda Bethany Lynn Victoria Suzanne McKnight Sydney Lee Moffett Hannah Lynn Savage Maggie Nicole Simon Abby Kathryn Sindledecker Megan Christine Stout Natalie Jo Thorpe Kalli Iean Tyner Bree Marise Warren Alexis Rae Watkins Olivia Ashton Wavne Madison Paige West Sydney Grace Whitlock Julia Alexis Yocum

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- \*\*\* Dalas Ann Carder
- \*\* Baylee Alexis Carroll-Lynch
- \*\* Stephanie A. Chmiel
- \*\* Julian Jay Harrington
- \*\* Tiara Nicholle Jones Morgan A. Kish
- \* Morgan Marie Marquart
- \*\* Madelon Newkirk
- \* Seanna Brooke Stump
- \*\*\* Haley Ann Wolfe

#### COMMUNICATION SCIENCES AND DISORDERS

Rachel Elizabeth Abline Shelby M. Anderson Alexander Andrews Kaitlyn Marie Angalich

- \*\* Sadie Margaret Arnold Bella Maria Arthur
- \* Zachariah Iordan Backus
- \*\* Alexis L. Brashear MacKenzie Arden Canby Kristen Rose Cunningham
- - \* Madison Reese DeVaughn Chase Matthew Dierkers
- \*\* Sara Elizabeth Edwards
- \*\* Rachel Leigh Garrett
- \* Hannah Grace Given
- \*\*\*\* Rylee Michele Harris Emma Rae Howell
  - \* Serena Ashlynn Hunsberger Jenna Ann Jenkins
  - \*\* Abigail Frances Kilkeary
- \*\*\* Katelyn Patricia Kline
- \*\*\* Sara K. Marano
- \*\* Lauren Marie Meighen
- \* Kaleah R. Mellott Jayna Michael
- \*\* Brooklyn Dawn Milam Rhiannon Nicole Negley
- \* Lindsay Renee Pope Makayla T. Randolph
- \*\*\* Mia Zuzanne Sandala
- \*\*\* Kayli Grace Sauro
- \*\* Malia Sayavong Savannah Jean Showman
- \*\*\* Calista L. Smoyer Calli N. Sneddon
- \*\* Abigail Marie Virgin
- \*\*\* Sierra M. Walker Abrianna Mae White
- \* Nathaniel L. Wykle
- \*\*\* Malayna Marie Zimcosky Murray

#### **EXERCISE PHYSIOLOGY**

- €\*\* Chance J. Anderson

- \*\*\* Makayla N. Anderson Christian Axman
  - \*\* Shay Marie Babich
  - \*\* Leann Cheri Baker
- \*\* Brenten G. Barnette Mackenzie Paige Batyko
- 🕻 \*\*\* Reagan Elaine Bennett
- - Olivia Joy Bodine
     Joseph Elijah Borneo
- 🗱 \*\* Malori Belle Brown
- \*\* Kaitlyn Mckenzie Burgess Emily Diane Burkholder
- \*\* Katelyn Mary Caccamo Anna Sophia Casto
- \*\*\* Matthew Alexander Choueiri Ashleigh Nicole Clarke Ryan Michael Coen
- €\*\*\* Daniel M. Corley
- €\*\*\* Elizabeth Caroline Cutler
  - \* Brooke Louise Davison
- 🗱 \*\*\* Carrie E. Dean
- 🗱 \*\* Sarah Elisabeth Deem
- \*\*\* Paige Dixon
  Ava Elizabeth Dobbs
  Reese A. Ellis
- \* Christopher Perry Elschlager
- 🗱 \*\*\* Phillip Allen Englund
  - \*\* Racquel Victoria Eppler
  - Phillip John Essenmacher Grant Evick
- \*\*\*\* Justin B. Finarelli Hamilton Fletcher Joseph Fore Kaden Garland
- 🗱 \*\* Madison Yvonne Gersper
- \*\*\* Julia Margaret Gianni Riley William Glines
- \*\*\* Logan Ray Handwork
- \* Virginia Hansen
- \*\*\* Grant Harman
- \* Erica L. Hegele
- \* Shania Faith Henderson
- 🕳 \*\*\* Jacob Ephraim Herriott
- Emma Grayce Hines
  Hannah Grace Hollen
- €\*\*\* Emily Holmes-Hackerd
- \*\*\* Jacob C. Hoover
- \*\* Andrew Conner Hopkins Drew Michael Hudson Jordan Elizabeth Johnston
- Jacob Wesley Johnston
- \* Maya Kraus Preston Scott Legg
- & Sarah Elizabeth Bailey Lester
- \* Jessica L. Macierowski
- Haley M. Macierowski Raymond Maglione IV
- €\*\*\* Briauna Mickelle Malone Caitlin Marie Mann

- \*\*\* Taylor Martino
  - \* Maya McCutcheon Samantha Ann Miller
- \*\* Katelyn Nicole Minor
- \*\*\* Vincenzo Adam Muccioli
- 💰\* Joseph Michael Muto III Wyatt W. Nett
- €\*\*\* Abigail Lee Nickerson
- \*\*\* Abigail Grace Pierson Emily Nicole Pollock
- Emily Marie Pustelnik
- \* Natalie Rose Satterfield
- \*\* Marlee Maree Scott
- \*\*\* Madison Grace Seman Luke Ryan Shaffer
- - \* Jackson Francis Sharpe
- 🗱\*\*\* Dylan Michael Shaver

- K\*\*\* Kiersten Riley Smith
   Alex Snyder
   Haleigh Paige Straight
- €∗∗ Max Enio Sybert
- \*\* Hunter Michael Temple
- €\*\*\* Vincent Michael Tierno
- \*\* Benjamin Levi Turner Alison Jean Utter Alexis Lauren Vuiller
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- \* Karlev Hvla White
- \*\* Georgia Grace White
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  - \* Nicolas L. Zator

# HEALTH INFORMATICS/INFORMATION MANAGEMENT

- Lauren Ashley Aidoo Paxton Brooke Anderson
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  - \* Alexandra L. Estep
- \*\*\* Aidan D. Hall Margaret Sue Hensell
- \*\*\* Kerri Leigh Herron Kamryn Richon Jefferson Caitlyn E. Jones Spirit Leeanne Kolb
- \*\* Jadyn Rose Laneve

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- Jocelyn Kaylee Laneve
- **€**\*\* Domenick LaRosa
  - \* Skylar Marie List
- \*\*\* Kristen R. Marmol
- \* Lauren Elizabeth McCarron Dakota Grace McCoy
- \*\* Chad Joel Nunes
  Helen E. Parsons
  Taylor A. Ramsey
  Kaitlin Elizabeth Rockwell
  Kallie Jessica Schafner
  Samuel Clay Slayden
  Amanda Noel Smith
- \* Alexis Stanley
- \* Jessica Hannah Strachan
- \*\* Abigail Hall Sullivan

- \*\* Leah Irene Tetrick
- \* Braleigh E. Trout Marissa R. Turner-Shabazz
- \* Marlana Walker

#### **IMMUNOLOGY AND MEDICAL MICROBIOLOGY**

- €\*\*\* Kamil Ali Abbas
- \*\*\* Ali Adel Albowaidey Kendyl Marie Berry
  - \* Chloe Elizabeth Chipman
- \*\*\* Jonathan Duff
  - \* Jack Steven Evans
  - \* Bailey Irina Gibson
- & Breanna Lynn Haught
- €\*\*\* Matthew Scott Hudson
  - \*\* Brice Robert Johnston

- €\*\* Emily Elizabeth Lecea
- €\*\*\* Marissa M. Lipscomb
- €\*\*\* Linda Ma
- \*\* Olivia R. McHugh
- 🗱 \*\* Jordan Ashley Means
- 🗱 \*\*\* Emma Alexandra Miller
  - \* Emily Marie Peles
- €\*\* Garrett Presley Perkins
- €\*\*\* Autumn Dawn Rogers
- \*\* Alana Jo St Pierre
- €\*\*\* Thomas William Wilkins
  - \*\* Michael L. Willis Emily A. Wright
- \*\*\* Evita Yang

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#### **SCHOOL OF MEDICINE - MD, PHD, MASTERS**

# Honorary Degree Recipient

MICHAEL L.J. APUZZO, M.D.



Michael L.J. Apuzzo is one of the world's best known and respected neurosurgeons.

He is the distinguished adjunct professor of Neurosurgery in the Department of Neurosurgery at Yale Medical School, adjunct professor of neurosurgery in the Department of Neurosurgery at Weill/Cornell Medical College and Edwin M. Todd/Trent H. Wells, Jr., professor emeritus of neurological surgery, radiation oncology, biology and physics at USC Keck School of Medicine.

He was educated at Yale College, Boston University, McGill's Royal Victoria Hospital and Yale School Medicine. He served in the United States Naval Nuclear Submarine Service and was deployed on Polaris patrols for NATO to polar regions, Mediterranean and Black seas. Later, in association with the NASA's Jet Propulsion Laboratory, he served as medical consultant and research scientist during the first Viking Project for Mars landing in 1977.

He joined the faculty at the University of Southern California's Keck School of Medicine in 1973. His career there was principally focused on disorders of the human cerebrum and the application of emerging technologies and progressive neurosciences in creative and innovative methods to establish the cutting edge of modernity over four decades. During that period of time, he pioneered areas of technology transfer, image directed stereotaxy, immunology, stereotaxic radiosurgery, microsurgery, navigation, endoscopy, modulation, OR design and operative simulation. He conceived, developed and "coined" areas of "minimal invasion," "cellular and molecular surgery," "functional neurorestoration" and "nanoneurosurgery."

This work is documented in 800 publications, including 52 edited volumes and 14 monographs, a number of which are considered classics in the field.

Over a 25-year period, he held the positions of editor of the premier international journal NEUROSURGERY, establishing new dimensions in medical journalism and the dynamic use of the internet as a global vehicle for information dissemination and Operative Neurosurgery and World Neurosurgery — singular offerings in the field.

An avid internationalist, he has received multiple honors and awards nationally and internationally during which he was lauded as the "principal architect of the reinvention of neurosurgery" and the "primary intellectual catalyst for the field."

He served on advisory panels for the United States National Institutes of Health and held special advisory positions for three American Presidents and the United States Congress.

He served as the neurological consultant to the USC Department of Athletics, the New York Football Giants and National Football League Commissioners — having a central role in advancing helmet design and revolutionizing head injury management.

His activities and collective body of work played a primary role in the reinvention of neurosurgery, its practice, scope and status in the global community — earning him iconic historical standing.

#### SCHOOL OF MEDICINE - PROFESSIONALS AND UNDERGRADUATES

# Commencement Speaker

DANIEL E. DAWES, J.D.



Daniel E. Dawes, J.D., is a widely respected healthcare and public health leader, health policy expert, educator and researcher who serves as senior

vice president of global health equity and the executive director of the Institute of Global Health Equity at Meharry Medical College. Prior to this, he served as executive director of the Satcher Health Leadership Institute and a professor of health law, policy and management at Morehouse School of Medicine. He is the author of two groundbreaking health policy books, "150 Years of ObamaCare" and "The Political Determinants of Health." both published by Johns Hopkins University Press. Among his many achievements, he was an instrumental figure in developing and negotiating the Mental Health Parity Act, the Genetic Information Nondiscrimination Act, the Americans with Disabilities Act Amendments Act and the Affordable Care Act's health equity-focused provisions, among other landmark federal policies, as well as the principal investigator for the nation's first health equity

tracker, co-founder of the Health Equity Leadership and Exchange Network (HELEN), and a principal investigator of the HHS National COVID-19 Resiliency Network.

Professor Dawes is an elected member of the National Academy of Medicine and an elected fellow of the New York Academy of Medicine. He serves as an advisor to the White House COVID-19 Health Equity Task Force, an appointed member of the CDC's Advisory Committee to the Director where he co-chairs the CDC's health equity work, and the NIH's National Advisory Council for Nursing Research.

# SCHOOL OF NURSING

Tara Hulsey
Dean and E. Jane Martin Endowed Professor

"Let us never consider ourselves finished nurses. We must be learning all of our lives." — Florence Nightingale

Dear School of Nursing graduates,

Graduating from nursing school is no small feat. Over the past several years, you have obtained the knowledge, the skills and the experience you need to excel as you enter the field of nursing.

But as Florence Nightingale said, "We must be learning all of our lives." I hope that your time at the WVU School of Nursing has ignited a spark inside you to continue pursuing your purpose throughout your careers and throughout your lives.

As I have always said, nursing is not just a career — it is a calling. You were called to this profession for a reason and I'm so glad you have answered the call. Nursing leaders like you are needed throughout West Virginia and beyond.

On behalf of the entire WVU School of Nursing, I extend our sincerest congratulations to you on achieving this milestone. We wish you all the best and we look forward to welcoming you into our alumni family.

Sincerely,

Tara Hulsey, PhD, RN, CNE, FAAN

Jan Hulse

Dean and E. Jane Martin Endowed Professor

# Doctor of Philosophy

Kerry Drabish Marian Elaine Reven Stacy Lynn Russell Salamata Yoda Stephanie Young

# Master of Science in Nursing

Molly Alexis Beaver Tressa Marie Bonasso Halee Janelle Bowie Alison Marie Bovce Kayla Compton Derrick Conner McKenna Sheridan Coyne Tiffany Dawn Dearing Tricia Marie Denjen Courtni Lee DeWitt Vanesa Carina Galley

Tammy Lynn Glover Barbara Ann Hamilton Alison Brooke Haught Gregory Jason Jaranko Sarena Breann Carter Johnson Megan Nichole Johnson Tyonna Marie Jones Danielle Kay Kemp Olivia Katherine Knowlson Kvle Marhefka Helen Rachel Melnick

Caroline Ladon Menighan Kaitlyn Angelina Mullins Safiyyah Zohra Nomani Ianna Nicole Osbourn Allison Pettit Angela Jane Schaffer Eric Nathan Small Julie Ann Smith Halie Brooke Swick

# Bachelor of Science in Nursing

- 🗱 Amber Elizabeth Allen
- \* Bailey Michelle Allen
- \*\*\* Eliza Marie Barker Brittan Breonna Barley Sarah Virginia Billmeyer
  - \* Kayla Nicole Blankenship
  - \* Makenzie Faith Boggs
  - \* Katelyn Nicole Bonsall Elijah Charles Brown Kelly Ann Bryson
- \*\*\* Ashleigh Marie Burgess Ted Cancel, Ir. Cristin Nicole Carnell Kavleigh Stewart Coe
  - \* Alexa Marie Collins Garrett Riley Collins
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- \* Andrea Michelle Houchins
- \*\* Monica Diane Hvde
- \* Lillian F. Irvin
- \*\*\* Andrew Adams Thomas Johnson
- €\*\*\* Zachary Garrett Iordan
  - \* David Keicher
  - \* Avery McKenzie Kesner Courtney Ann Kincaid
  - 🗱 Christian D. Alexander Kittle
  - \*\* Carley Ann Knuckles
  - \* Jared Alec Kocher
  - \*\* Peyton Marie Kocher
- \*\*\* Sydney Marie Kormick
- \* Emma Elizabeth Leach
- Sydnee Jagger Loy
- 🗱 Elizabeth Lauren Maier
- €\*\*\* Emily L. McCabe

- Alexus Michelle McGee Haley Dawn McGraw
- \*\* Alexa Jane McNeely Madison Nicole Meadows Sierra Brooke Mollohan
- \*\* Sidney Jean Moneypenny
- \*\*\* Elizabeth Grace Morgan
- \*\*\* Shania Shawnta Morgan
- & Jessica Kimberly Morris Sydney La'Dawn Lucas Morton
- \*\* Morgan Leigh Mullens
- \* Marissa Pearl Muth
- € \* Catherine F. Myers
- **€**\*\*\* Brooke Nicole Nelson
- \* Kayleigh Jo Nicholson
- - Tarissa Orndorff
- €\*\* Grace Kathrvn Painter
- \*\*\* Angelina Rosemarie Pisani
  - \*\* Bethany Trae Pittman Kendra LaSha'e Pratt
  - \* Evan Brady Preece Meghan Elizabeth Rader
  - \* Katlynn Nichole Rasnake
  - \* Rachel Olivia Reese
  - \* Katelyn Faith Rexrode
- €\*\*\* Brenna Paige Ridenour Kate Louise Salmans Brianna Michelle Schleicher Katrina Danielle Schmolke Meagan Corrinne Schmuck
  - \* Katherine Elizabeth Shelby Jestin Izaac Smith

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- Michaela Lynn Smith
- \*\* Hanna Mae Sredv
- \*\* Olivia Jayne Stear
- Colivia Catherine Steeley
- \*\*\* Tahya Rai Stewart
- €\*\*\* Julie Stierer
  - \* Alyssa Laine Taylor

- \* Shelby I. Thomas
- \*\* Lucas Robert Thompson
- \* Juliana Van Der Lans
- \*\* Bradie Lee Vance
- \*\*\* Ateria Lonnae Walker
  - \* Jenna Aileen Wermers
  - \* MacKenzie Rhae Whorton

- €\*\* Tiffany Sue Williams
- \*\* Johnathan Chance Withrow
- \*\* Kristina Madison Worley
- \*\* Hannah Sophie Zbinden

# Bachelor of Science in Nursing-RN

- Jeremy Thomas Erwin Brandi Desiree Gyorko Alicia Marie Keefer
- \*\*\* Shelby Lynn Kirwin Renee Lynn Luff

- Emily Faith Martin
- \*\*\* Clinton Maust
- \*\* Gregory Meadows Christina Lynn Newman
- \*\* Natalie Proffitt

- \*\* Hannah Michelle Rhoades
- \* Shannon Gayle Starkey Mary Jane Stine

## Certificate

ADULT-GERONTOLOGY ACUTE CARE NURSE PRACTITIONER (AGACNP)

Stephanie Whiteside Harrison

**FAMILY NURSE PRACTITIONER (FNP)** 

Melissa Coleman Brenna Kathleen Lansden

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# SCHOOL OF PHARMACY



William P. Petros

Dean and The Gates Wigner Endowed Chair

#### Congratulations Graduates,

The faculty and staff of the School of Pharmacy are incredibly proud of your accomplishments and excited for you to begin the next phase in your career path. We join in appreciation of your loved ones who may have helped you through this journey.

Commencement marks the culmination of your educational journey, but it also signifies a time to look forward to the exciting opportunities ahead. Your innovation, leadership and collaborative skills are needed now more than ever, given the rapidly changing healthcare delivery environments and pharmaceutical development. So, do not fear challenges and believe you can make meaningful differences if you put forth the effort.

You certainly needed persistence to earn your degree, particularly navigating the choppy waters of the pandemic! I am sure your mentors have instilled in you not to be afraid of failure, for you cannot succeed without it. You have learned many concepts and skills to facilitate success in the future, but your ability to best utilize them will require persistence on your part.

Events of the past few years have certainly shone a bright light on pharmacy and biomedical science, demonstrating an ability to bring enormous intellectual resources to identify, combat and prevent health problems. Data scientists and drug developers have saved tens of millions of lives by guiding public health policy with facts while developing treatments and vaccines in record time to combat COVID-19. Pharmacists have been at the forefront of vaccination efforts, immunizing 70% of those choosing to receive a vaccine while being instrumental in caring for those with the disease.

You are joining a more than 100-year-old legacy of WVU School of Pharmacy alumni who have become leaders in healthcare delivery, research and management. Now it is time for you to become future generators and facilitators of new ideas that could improve the health of many. Your greatest test going forward will be to find the area of research or practice that is most rewarding for you and beneficial to society, consistent with the roots of your degree from a land-grant institution.

Your "home amongst the hills" will always be here to encourage your professional growth, commiserate in not-so-good times, and celebrate your successes. We certainly look forward to seeing you at national meetings and our School of Pharmacy alumni events.

Best wishes on the new pathways you blaze.

William (Bill) Petros, PharmD, FCCP

Dean and Professor of Pharmaceutical Sciences

# Doctor of Pharmacy

- Imalisse Alejandro Ramirez Ramlah Ahmad Alshaikhali
- \* Firaol German Amente
- Gianna Marie Antinone Carter Atkinson
- \* Sarah Pauline Ayers Lucas Vance Belt Kerry Jordan Blaney
- \*\*\* Sydney Adrienna Bongiorni
- E\*\*\* Emily Anne Bowman Adam Matthew Cavendish Zachary Michael Cook
- \*\* Jacquelyn Amelia Corley
- \*\*\* Hunter Patrick Curry Carter Victoria Diges Maria Paraskeve Dimou Maureen Ann Fagan Francesca Alana Farran
- \*\*\* Autumn Lee Fleming
- \*\* Evan Christian Flohr
- \*\* Isaac Ray Flohr
- \*\*\* Autumn Jade Fogle
- \*\* Olivia Helen Fortune

- \*\*\* William Hahnym Gu
- \*\*\* Shaylee Marie Gunzenhauser Noah Marshall Hall Halie Paige Hardman Jonathan Paul Harkness Samantha Lee Harpel
- \*\*\* Brandon Michael Harvey
- Elizabeth Anne Hayhurst Lauren Kate Hopper
- \*\* Henry Lee Hornsby III Shawn Michael Humphreys Lexi Jade Jackson
- 🗱 \*\*\* Taylor Nicole Jones Fatime M. Kassira Charvina Kayasth
  - \*\* Conner Kelly
- \*\* Marianna Oleksandrivna Kibak
- &\*\*\* Brooke Noel Kielkowski Shane Charles Kolson
  - \*\* Tyler John Lawrentz Kim Thi Thu Le

- 🕻 \*\* Miranda Jo Moser
  - Olivia Christine Murray Morgan Leigh Neville
- 🗱 Allison Ann Potts
- \*\*\* Isaac Michael Pringle
- \* Katlyn Sara Ryan Maxwell Von Schubel
- \*\*\* Dixie Rae Shahan Ephraim Kelsen St Cyr Charles Michael Stanley
- 🕻 \*\*\* Ryan Andrew Vilain
  - \* Chance Michael Walters

- \*\*\* Seneca Brooke Williams
- \*\*\* James Wyland
  Victor Samuel Yarosz

# Doctor of Philosophy

#### **HEALTH SERVICES AND OUTCOMES RESEARCH**

Mohammad Ikram Rudi Safarudin

# PHARMACEUTICAL AND PHARMACOLOGICAL SCIENCES

Stephanie Onyeka Agba Gayathri H. N. Heenatigala Palliyage Daniella Munezero Siyan Zhu

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# SCHOOL OF PUBLIC HEALTH

Erik L. Carlton, Interim Dean
Sarah C. Woodrum. Interim Dean

#### Dear Graduates:

Today marks both an end and a beginning. It is a wonderful moment to celebrate all that you have accomplished, the achievement of your goals and your work to reach them. It is also a celebration of all those who have supported you along the way — family, friends, teachers and mentors. However, it is most of all a commencement, a literal and figurative start to the next phase in your life.

Nearly 170 years ago, John Snow famously removed the handle from the Broad Street pump in London, England. Even before an understanding of germs and microbes, he used his knowledge and skills to stem the cholera outbreak. In many ways, Dr. Snow represents each of you — driven by a fervent desire to make an impact on the world, lift and improve the lives of others and serve beyond yourself. You have understood early in your life what the character Jacob Marley in Charles Dickens' "A Christmas Carol" only comprehended in death: "Mankind was my business. The common welfare was my business; charity, mercy, forbearance and benevolence, were, all, my business. The dealings of my trade were but a drop of water in the comprehensive ocean of my business!" You have made mankind your business.

Though bound by this sense of selfless purpose, you have each found a unique path and focus to your work. Your interests are as diverse as our faculty, staff and students. Each of you represents change for good in a world overwhelmed by health disparities, environmental crises and epidemics of physical and mental diseases. You bring strength to the weak and hope to the hopeless.

As you commence the next phase of your wonderfully promising lives, we implore you to find your pump handle. Look at the world around, find something you want to change and go change it. Listen to and follow your heart. Don't let the darkness and difficulty you will inevitably encounter dissuade you from using your unique gifts to make the impact that only you can make. We believe in you and, today, we celebrate you.

Congratulations!

Erik L. Carlton, DrPH, CPH, FACHE Interim Dean

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Sarah C. Woodrum, DrPH, FACHE Interim Dean

Sarah C. Woodrum

# Doctor of Philosophy

#### **EPIDEMIOLOGY**

Madelin Elizabeth Gardner Eric Wayne Lundstrom Yuni Tang

#### **SOCIAL AND BEHAVIORAL SCIENCES**

Samantha Irene Moyers

## Master of Health Administration

Mary Jane Braham Carmen Nicole Burrell Kailie Marie Clark Noah Robert Collie Corey Robert Edmonds Natalie Marie Green Ashley Griffith Bradley Gutta Vincent Hornig Aaron Hunt Madison Leigh Katz William Lloyd Koch Stephanie Ann Prescott Wesley Varney Colton Elias Alexander Young

## Master of Public Health

#### **BIOSTATISTICS**

Meiling Zheng

#### **EPIDEMIOLOGY**

Hailie Shea Arnold Aidan Rowe Davis Vida Falahatian Timothy Lee Hahn Andrew Stephen Meyer Inni Ngijoi Yogo Jessica Leigh Rubenstein Dalton Smith

#### **HEALTH POLICY**

Yann Pierre-Auguste Banou Nene Bi

# OCCUPATIONAL AND ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH SCIENCES

Megan Garland Sana Gulraiz Fraz Ahmad Haseen

#### **SOCIAL AND BEHAVIORAL SCIENCES**

Amna Haque Jeffrey Lynch Anusha Sheikh Sarah Renee Young

# Master of Science

#### **BIOSTATISTICS**

Matthew John Myers

# Bachelor of Science

# HEALTH SERVICES MANAGEMENT AND LEADERSHIP

- \*\* Alec R. Edge
- \*\* Jillian Vachon Fennelly
- \*\*\* Lydia Marie Ferrell
  - \* Paige E. Futey
- \*\*\* Payten Harrison
- \*\* Hannah K. Ihnat
- \* Norah M. Jack
- \*\* Morgan Elizabeth Krough
- \*\*\* Yusuf Mozahem Kolten Paul Jakob Mueller

- Lila Marie Perroots
- 🗱 \*\* \* Matthew Carlos Branco Rivera
- 🕳\*\*\* Megan Michelle Townsend

#### **PUBLIC HEALTH**

- \* Caylin M. Armentrout
- \* Taylor Ashley Bradley
- \* Audrey L. Castle
- \*\*\* Lauren Lee Cox Rebecca Lou Cvr
- \* Marleigh Davis
- \* Jenna Rae Davis

- \*\*\* Mason Earl
  - Oliver Fletcher Akili Francis
     Diana Grace Gardner
- \*\*\* Amara Danielle Garity
- \*\* Audrey M. Hamrick
- \* Paige Marie Hardison
- \*\* Lauryn Nicole Hockman Patricia Valeria Holladay
- \* Androniki A. Horiates
- \*\* Jenna M. Kahwash Lauren Elizabeth Kirman

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- \*\*\* Mackenzie Rae Meis Bianca Saige Migliaccio
- \* Maggie Melissa Milton Kaleigh Mae Moss
- \*\* Melissa Ann Paspalas

- Abigail Marie Pawelczyk Olivia Morgan Ramsay
- \*\* Meaghan Grace Richter Emily Royer Zoe Nicole Schafer
- \*\* Kendra Scruggs

- Evan Nathaniel Thomas
- \* Micah A. Vance Joshua D. Yianne

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# West Virginia University Certificate

**COUNTRY ROADS** 

Abbie Hamilton Sam Shay **UNIVERSITY TEACHING** 

Sean William Brown Justin Ray Dutton Carly Hannah Gordon Iuliia Mikheeva Jamie Frances Mulac Meghan Prusinowski Ethan Taylor Spencer Xena Marie Williams Shobha Kumari Yadav

#### **CONGRATULATIONS FROM THE**

# WVU Alumni Association

Congratulations, Graduates!

Welcome to the WVU alumni family! After years of hard work and perseverance, you've earned your degree from West Virginia University, and I commend you for reaching this meaningful milestone.

Today marks a symbolic moment in your journey as a Mountaineer. As a West Virginia University alum, you will experience many more exciting moments as you explore your purpose, and your alma mater will always be with you to celebrate those moments, big and small.

In this new chapter, I hope you'll proudly wear your favorite old gold and blue, so all will know you are a Mountaineer. Whether you stay close to Morgantown or relocate to a new city, state or country, I encourage you to join your local alumni association chapter to stay connected.

As a member of the WVU family, I hope you will continue to use your time and talent to help future generations of students who will follow in your footsteps. Just as previous generations of alumni have extended a hand to help you, today I encourage you to do the same. Here are a few examples of how you can help:

- Keep in touch with your professors to stay up to date with what's happening on campus and consider visiting to participate on a panel or make a class presentation.
- Serve as a mentor through WVU Connect or the Purpose Center and offer advice to students who might be interested in learning more about your passions and purpose, campus involvement, research or career path.
- Volunteer to recruit prospective students in your new region who might be considering a future at WVU.

To help you stay connected, we are providing you with a complimentary year of membership in the WVU Alumni Association as a graduation gift. I hope you'll take advantage of our valuable resources and communications that will deepen your connection with West Virginia University. You can learn more about the WVU Alumni Association by visiting alumni.wvu.edu.

Wherever your Country Roads may lead you next, I'm sure you'll find fellow Mountaineers who will make it feel like home. On behalf of a community of more than 200,000 living WVU graduates, congratulations on this important achievement. I look forward to helping you stay connected with our alma mater.

In Mountaineer Spirit,

Ken B. Beng

Kevin Berry ('94; '95) Vice President for Alumni Relations President, WVU Alumni Association



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