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# *Commencement*

December 10, 2022

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EAST TENNESSEE STATE  
UNIVERSITY

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*Commencement*

# *The Platform Party*

**Dr. Brian Noland**, President  
**Dr. Kimberly D. McCorkle**, Provost and Senior Vice President for Academics  
**Dr. Kate Beatty**, 2022 Distinguished Faculty Award in Research (10 a.m. Mace Bearer)  
**Mrs. Ashley Sergiadis**, 2022 Distinguished Faculty Award for Service (2 p.m. Mace Bearer)  
**Dr. Cerrone Foster**, 2022 Distinguished Faculty Award in Teaching (10 a.m. Commencement Speaker)  
**Mr. Larry D. Thornton, Sr.**, Artist, Entrepreneur, and Author (2 p.m. Commencement Speaker)  
**Dr. B.J. King**, Chief Financial Officer  
**Dr. Keith Johnson**, Vice President for Equity and Inclusion  
**Dr. Joe Sherlin**, Vice President for Student Life and Enrollment  
**Dr. Nick Hagemeyer**, Vice Provost for Research and Chief Research Officer  
**Dr. Thomas N. Donohoe**, University Registrar

**Mr. David P. Atkins**, Dean, University Libraries  
**Dr. Joseph Bidwell**, Dean, College of Arts and Sciences  
**Dr. William Block**, Vice President for Clinical Affairs and Dean, Quillen College of Medicine  
**Dr. Debbie Byrd**, Dean, Bill Gatton College of Pharmacy  
**Dr. Leann Horsley**, Dean, College of Nursing  
**Dr. Christopher Keller**, Dean, Honors College  
**Dr. Sharon James McGee**, Dean, College of Graduate and Continuing Studies  
**Dr. Tony Pittarese**, Dean, College of Business and Technology  
**Dr. Janna Scarborough**, Dean, Clemmer College  
**Dr. A. Lynn Williams**, Interim Dean, College of Clinical and Rehabilitative Health Sciences  
**Dr. Randy Wykoff**, Dean, College of Public Health  
**Dr. Ginette Blackhart**, Faculty Senate President  
**Mr. Mason Mosier**, Student Government Association President

# *Board of Trustees*

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# *President's Cabinet*

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# The Program for Commencement

## East Tennessee State University

Saturday, December Tenth, Two Thousand Twenty-Two  
Ballad Health Athletic Center

*Platform Party Processional .....	Liam Horne, Bagpiper
*The Star-Spangled Banner .....	Francis Scott Key ETSU Bluegrass Pride Band
Presiding .....	Dr. Kimberly D. McCorkle Provost and Senior Vice President for Academics, East Tennessee State University
Message on Behalf of the Board of Trustees .....	Dr. Linda Latimer Chair, Board of Trustees, East Tennessee State University
Student Government Association Remarks .....	Mr. Mason Mosier President, Student Government Association
Introduction of Commencement Speaker .....	Dr. Brian Noland President, East Tennessee State University
Commencement Speaker (10 a.m.) .....	Dr. Cerrone Foster 2022 Distinguished Faculty Award in Teaching
Commencement Speaker (2 p.m.) .....	Mr. Larry D. Thornton, Sr. Artist, Entrepreneur, and Author
Light of a Clear Blue Morning .....	ETSU Bluegrass Pride Band
Recognitions and President's Remarks .....	President Brian Noland
Presentation of Honorary Doctorate Degree (10 a.m.) .....	President Brian Noland
Degree Candidate Host .....	Dr. Thomas N. Donohoe University Registrar, East Tennessee State University
Presentation of Candidates .....	Dr. Kimberly D. McCorkle
Conferring of Degrees .....	President Brian Noland  Presentation of candidates and conferring of degrees will be in order by college and then by degree type (Doctoral, Master's, Baccalaureate).
Closing Remarks .....	President Brian Noland
*Alma Mater .....	ETSU Bluegrass Pride Band
*Platform Party Recessional .....	Liam Horne, Bagpiper

*The audience is requested to remain in their seats until the platform party exits the Ballad Health Athletic Center.  
Guests are not allowed to come forward to take pictures during the ceremony.*

\* Audience Standing

*Dr. Brian Noland*

President  
East Tennessee State University



Dear Class of 2022,

Today represents a milestone moment in your life as you, your faculty, your family, and your friends join together to celebrate the culmination of your hard work and dedication over the past several years. This event also marks the beginning of a new journey in your life – a journey that no matter where it takes you, whether it is into the workforce or continuing your education, will be enhanced by your experiences at ETSU. I encourage you to take a moment to reflect upon the journey that led you to the Commencement stage. Your hard work and persistence paved the way for you to achieve this dream. Undoubtedly, your journey also has been enhanced through the

support and encouragement of someone close to you: your family members, your classmates, and your loved ones, many of whom are seated in the audience today to celebrate your success. Please remember today to say “thank you” for their ongoing support as you begin this new chapter in your life. I also encourage you to show your gratitude to the faculty and staff who have stood with you throughout this journey. The ETSU community is so proud of your accomplishments, and we cannot wait to see the many things you will achieve. I hope you will stay engaged with your alma mater and the National Alumni Association. Also, we invite you to return to campus to take in a performance at the Martin Center for the Arts, cheer for the Bucs at an athletic event, attend Homecoming, or simply walk through our beautiful grounds. This place will always be a place you can call home. You have achieved the dream of a college degree. Share that dream with others and talk with them about the importance of higher education. It is through the power of higher education that we can make the greatest difference in the world.

Godspeed and go Bucs!

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "B. Noland". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a large initial "B" and a stylized "N".

Brian Noland

## Dr. Cerrone Foster

Associate Professor, Department of Biological Sciences  
ETSU College of Arts and Sciences



Dr. Cerrone Foster, a scientist teaching at East Tennessee State University for more than a decade, is the recipient of the university's Distinguished Faculty Award in Teaching. It is the highest teaching honor that ETSU presents to a faculty member.

"I have been nothing but inspired by Cerrone's passion to contribute to the ETSU community, not only through her teaching but also through a diverse number of activities including research mentorship and community service," wrote a fellow faculty member and Foster's nominator.

Foster earned a bachelor's degree in biology from The College of New Jersey in 2001 and a Ph.D. in Biomedical Sciences from ETSU in 2007.

Hired initially as a lecturer in the Department of Biological Sciences, Foster is now a tenured faculty member and the interim director for Undergraduate Research and Creative Activities. Over the last 11 years, Foster has taught nearly 6,000 ETSU students, averaging about 550 per year.

Foster's teaching motto is straightforward: "What you are learning is not for you. One day you will make decisions that affect the lives of others. Therefore, my job is to help you become prepared in doing this."

Foster teaches a wide range of courses, including introductory biology and senior-level classes in biochemistry. She has received teaching grants to redesign and implement evidence-based teaching practices in the classroom. Foster's impact on teaching includes not only higher education but also projects with K-12 secondary education.

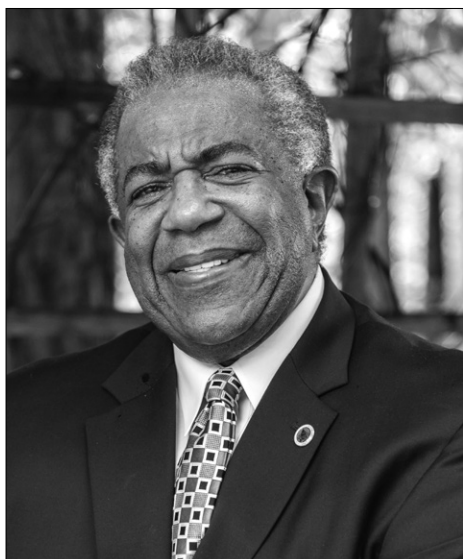
"Dr. Cerrone Foster is a beacon of hope to many ... especially to women of color, first-generation college students, and anyone who is intimidated to pursue STEM (science, technology, engineering, and math) fields," Foster's nominator added.

As Foster continues to lead students at ETSU, she is anchored by a guiding principle.

"Just as important – perhaps more important – than the content I teach is my training students to go out and be positive change agents in the world," she said. "If they have all this knowledge but no desire to bring change, then I fear our efforts were just futile."

# Mr. Larry D. Thornton, Sr.

Entrepreneur, Artist, and Author



Mr. Larry D. Thornton, Sr., is President and owner of Thornton Enterprises, Inc., a McDonald's franchisee.

He serves on the boards of directors for Coca-Cola Bottling Company United, Inc.; Federal Reserve Bank of Atlanta - Birmingham Branch; The Alabama Institute for Deaf and Blind Foundation; Freshwater Landtrust; Birmingham Botanical Gardens; and First Commercial Bank (Synovus). He is primarily known as a businessman and artist; however, in April of 2019, he released his first book, *Why Not Win?*, a reflection on his 50-year journey from the Jim Crow South to America's boardrooms and the lessons he learned.

Since the book's publication, the Why Not Win Institute, a leadership and professional development initiative, has launched and been delivered at Clemson University, Auburn University, Texas A&M University, University of

Alabama, Fisk University, Alabama A&M University, and Alabama State University.

Mr. Thornton was born in Montgomery, Alabama, and graduated from Alabama State University with a Bachelor of Science degree in Fine Arts. He taught fine arts at Vestavia Hills High School and subsequently joined Birmingham Coca-Cola, where he served as advertising manager and director of business development. He received the Moss A. Kendrix Award, a national distinction presented by Coca-Cola USA for excellence in community relations.

He has served many community organizations, including A.G. Gaston Boys' Club (board of directors), Big Brothers Big Sisters (board of directors and volunteer), Girls Inc. (board of directors and past president), United Way of Central Alabama, United Negro College Fund (chairman, 1995), Birmingham Museum of Art (board of directors), Community Foundation of Greater Birmingham, and Vulcan Park Foundation (board of directors).

Mr. Thornton is a past president of the Kiwanis Club of Vulcan and was named Kiwanian of the Year in 1988 and 1992, as well as State Kiwanian of the Year in 1993. He was elected in 1994 as Lieutenant Governor of the Alabama State District of Kiwanis. He is a current member of Birmingham Downtown Kiwanis Club, the largest Kiwanis chapter in the world, and served as the 2020 President. He is a graduate of Project Corporate Leadership Class, Leadership Birmingham, and Leadership Alabama.

He served as advertising and marketing representative for McDonald's Corporation's National Marketing in the area of the African American Consumer Markets and Media Budget. In 2013 he was appointed by the Governor of Alabama to the board of trustees of his alma mater, Alabama State University, and was elected chairman of the board in 2014.

In addition, Mr. Thornton continues to produce limited- and open-edition art. Some of the proud owners of pieces from his collection include Oprah Winfrey, former U.S. Secretary of State Condoleezza Rice, and Don Thompson, President of McDonald's Corporation Worldwide.



# Graduating Students Receiving Army Commissions

Three cadets in the Army ROTC program at East Tennessee State University took the oath of office during a special ceremony and were commissioned as second lieutenants. The new officers will serve in various branches upon graduation from ETSU.

**Brianna L. Roberts**, Second Lieutenant, United States Army Reserves, Transportation, Army National Guard

**Shannon E. Parisot**, Second Lieutenant, United States Army Reserves, Medical Service Corps, Army National Guard

**Taylor P. Owen**, Second Lieutenant, United States Army Reserves, Branch Unassigned, Active Duty

## Commencement Participants

### Mace Bearer

**Dr. Kate Beatty**, 2022 Distinguished Faculty Award in Research (10 a.m.)

**Mrs. Ashley Sergiadis**, 2022 Distinguished Faculty Award in Service (2 p.m.)

### Color Guard

C/1LT Zackary Browning  
C/CSM Logan Bowling  
C/CPT David Palmer  
C/2LT Cheyenne Elliott

### ETSU Bluegrass Pride Band

**Dan Boner**, Program Director – fiddle/vocals  
**Justin Alexander** – guitar/banjo/vocals  
**Lydia Hamby** – mandolin/vocals  
**Will Hart** – guitar  
**Will Potts** – bass

### Bearers of University Banners

**College of Arts and Sciences**  
Dr. Lindsey Cochran

**College of Business and Technology**  
Asst. Prof. James Livingston

**College of Clinical and Rehabilitative Health Sciences**  
Dr. Brittany T. Wilkins

**College of Graduate and Continuing Studies**  
Dr. Jill Leroy-Frazier (10 a.m.)  
Dr. Lisa Haddad (2 p.m.)

**Clemmer College**  
Dr. Susan Epps

**Quillen College of Medicine**  
Dr. Eric Beaumont

**College of Nursing**  
Dr. PiMing Yeh

**College of Public Health**  
Ms. Whitney Oliver

**Bill Gatton College of Pharmacy**  
Dr. Ashana Puri

**Honors College**  
Dr. Carson Medley

**University Libraries**  
Mrs. Jennifer Young (10 a.m.)  
Asst. Prof. Jacob Bilek (2 p.m.)

**ETSU National Alumni Association**  
Ms. McKenzie Templeton

### Banner Cadet

CDT Emmanuelle Schwarzen

### Announcement of Candidates

**Chad Barrett**  
ETSU Radio Station Director, WETS-FM

# Candidates for Degrees

- ★ cum laude
- ★★ magna cum laude
- ★★★ summa cum laude

Because the commencement program must be prepared in advance, this list of candidates is tentative. Certification of graduation must come from the Registrar of the university.

Academic Regalia and Honors - See descriptions on pages 31-34.

# - Indicates students who completed degree requirements in August.

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## COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES

Dean: Dr. Joseph Bidwell

### Doctoral Degrees

#### Kelsey Sloane Braun #

*Psychology*

Dissertation: "An Intersectional Study of Perceived Academic Climate and the Imposter Phenomenon in Psychology Students"

Chair: Dr. Stacey Williams

#### Christin Nicole Collie

*Psychology*

Dissertation: "Validating an Internet Gaming Disorder Measure During COVID-19: Video Game Use, Distance Learning, and Impacts of COVID-19 on Gaming Behavior"

Chair: Dr. Meredith Ginley

#### Rebecca Hope Gilley #

*Psychology*

Dissertation: "Prevalence and Predictors of Polypharmacy in Adolescents who have Engaged in Sexually Abusive Behaviors"

Chair: Dr. Jill Stinson

#### Natasha Lynn Godkin #

*Psychology*

Dissertation: "Individual Characteristics of Postsecondary Underachievement"

Chair: Dr. Alyson Chroust

#### Rebecca Carolyn Otwell-Dove #

*Psychology*

Dissertation: "Look, But Don't Touch: Impact of COVID-19 on the NICU Caregiver"

Chair: Dr. Diana Morelen

#### Loni J. Parrish #

*Psychology*

Dissertation: "Adverse Childhood Experiences and Quality of Life: A Mediating Role of Physical Activity and Executive Function"

Chair: Dr. Alyson Chroust

### Master's Degrees

#### Ngozi Tracy Aleke

*Criminal Justice and Criminology*

Thesis: "Domestic Violence Against Men: Their Report Decision Making Process"

Chair: Dr. Nicole Prior

#### Genevieve Jessanne Allison

*Psychology*

Thesis: "Borderline Personality Disorder and Violent Crime: The Moderating Role of Sex and Race"

Chair: Dr. Kelly Moore

#### Christian Philip Bailey

*Brand and Media Strategy*

#### Milo Henry Bargeron #

*Public Administration*

#### Savannah Eve Bennett

*Appalachian Studies*

Thesis: "Susannah and Cold Mountain: Examining the Portrayal of Appalachian Culture in Opera"

Chair: Dr. Jane MacMorran

#### Kyle Bittner #

*Chemistry*

Thesis: "Dibutyl Amine Detection, Quantification, and Removal with Iron(II)tetrasulfophthalocyanine (FeTSPc)"

Chair: Dr. Dane Scott

#### Darian Michelle Bouvier #

*Geosciences*

Thesis: "The Paleocology of High-Elevation Bison in the Greater Yellowstone Ecosystem and Implications for Modern Bison Conservation"

Chair: Dr. Chris Widga

#### Yashika Starr Bradley

*Criminal Justice and Criminology*

#### Nicholas Robert Burski

*Biology*

Thesis: "Alcohol, Stress, and Sex in the Bed Nucleus of the Stria Terminalis"

Chair: Dr. Justin Gass

#### Matthew Wilson Bushell

*Geosciences*

Thesis: "New Reports of *Smilodon fatalis* and *Panthera onca* from North American Cave Sites with Reviews of Taxonomy, Biogeography, and History"

Chair: Dr. Blaine Schubert

#### Teliyah Anise Cobb

*Psychology*

Thesis: "An Examination of Race, Gender, and Age Bias in Processing and Outcomes Within the U.S. Criminal Justice System"

Chair: Dr. Jill Stinson

#### Julian Alexander Conley #

*Geosciences*

Thesis: "Community Structure Analysis of Turtles with Application to the Early Pliocene Gray Fossil Site"

Chair: Dr. Joshua Samuels

#### Emily Dawn Dingler #

*Appalachian Studies*

Thesis: "'The Most Important Thing is the Music:' Ralph Blizard's Legacy Preserving Traditional Appalachian Old-Time Music"

Chair: Mr. Roy Andrade

#### Makenzie Brooke Garrett

*Brand and Media Strategy*

#### Raffaella Giuliano

*Brand and Media Strategy*

#### Allison Franklin Goley

*Brand and Media Strategy*

#### Katie Rae Gouge #

*Public Administration*

#### Alicia Marie Gwaltney

*Sociology*

#### Karah Jaffe #

*Biology*

Thesis: "Evaluating Bat Roost Abundance: A Comparison of Drone-Acquired Thermal Imagery and Acoustic Estimates with Visual Observations"

Chair: Dr. Richard Carter

- Steven Timothy Jones**  
*Geosciences*  
Thesis: "Species Data and Vector Modeling: Evaluating Datasets for Improved Models of *Ixodes ricinus* Tick Distribution in Europe Under a Changing Climate"  
Chair: Dr. Timothy Joyner
- Thomas Johannes Jutz**  
*Appalachian Studies*  
Thesis: "An Acute Sense of Place: The Songs of Norman Blake"  
Chair: Mr. Roy Andrade
- Emily Sikora Katt**  
*Communication & Storytelling Studies*  
Thesis: "A Frayed Edge: A Qualitative and Poetic Inquiry Analysis of White Antiracist Protest in 2020"  
Chair: Dr. Amber Kinser
- Kelly Eileen Lubbers #**  
*Geosciences*  
Thesis: "An Evaluation of Castor californicus and Implications for the Evolution and Distribution of the Genus Castor (Rodentia: Castoridae) in North America"  
Chair: Dr. Joshua Samuels
- Keegan James Luckey-Smith**  
*Appalachian Studies*  
Thesis: "The Folk Festival of the Smokies and the Role of Music Festivals in Preserving Old-Time Music in Appalachia"  
Chair: Dr. Ron Roach
- Clarissa Faith Malone**  
*Criminal Justice and Criminology*
- Erika Marie McCluskey**  
*Brand and Media Strategy*
- Benjamin Adam McCullough #**  
*Biology*  
Thesis: "Flora of Doe Mountain Recreation Area, Johnson County, Tennessee"  
Chair: Dr. Foster Levy
- Zachary Austin Miller #**  
*History*  
Thesis: "False Idol: The Memory of Andrew Johnson and Reconstruction in Greeneville, Tennessee 1869-2022"  
Chair: Dr. Steven Nash
- Haley Lynn Mullins**  
*Brand and Media Strategy*
- Sadie Marie Murr #**  
*Criminal Justice and Criminology*  
Thesis: "Police Officer Perception of Body Cameras in East Tennessee"  
Chair: Dr. Bradley Edwards
- Rheva Frances Myhre**  
*Appalachian Studies*  
Thesis: "At Home at the Down Home: Building and Sustaining a Musical Community"  
Chair: Dr. Jane MacMorran
- Esther Oyindamola Oyanibi**  
*Brand and Media Strategy*  
Thesis: "An Evaluation of Media Messaging by African Fashion Designers and Marketing Message Strategies"  
Chair: Dr. Susan Waters
- Michael A. Pagel**  
*History*
- Daryl Ponce Parungao**  
*Psychology*  
Thesis: "Analyzing Emerging Adulthood Narratives and the Role of Anxiety in Developmental Functioning"  
Chair: Dr. Rachel Miller-Slough
- Beverly Helen Pennington**  
*History*
- Emmanuel Peprah-Yamoah**  
*Chemistry*  
Thesis: "Nitrogen-doped and Phosphorus-doped Epoxy Sealed Carbon Fiber Ultramicroelectrodes as Electrochemical Sensors for Detection of Hydrogen Peroxide"  
Chair: Dr. Greg Bishop
- Kaitlyn Leigh Puckett #**  
*Criminal Justice and Criminology*  
Thesis: "Safety and Security on Campus: Student Perceptions and Influence on Enrollment"  
Chair: Dr. Dustin Osborne
- Raven Ciel Ragsdale**  
*Biology*  
Thesis: "Light and Temperature Entrainment of Two Circadian-Driven Behaviors in the Flesh Fly *Sarcophaga crassipalpis*"  
Chair: Dr. Darrell Moore
- Garrett Nathaniel Reynolds #**  
*Biology*  
Thesis: "Cyclic di-GMP Regulates Motility, Biofilm Formation, and Desiccation Tolerance in *Acinetobacter baumannii*"  
Chair: Dr. Erik Petersen
- Alexis David Rivera-Rosario**  
*Geosciences*  
Thesis: "Fossil Mammals from Hickory Tree Cave, Sullivan County, Tennessee"  
Chair: Dr. Blaine Schubert
- Tess Ann Simpson**  
*Psychology*  
Thesis: "An Investigation of Lab-Based Research Procedural Fidelity: The Relationship between Experimenter Infant-Directed Speech, Temperament, and Language Proficiency"  
Chair: Dr. Wallace Dixon
- James Stamos**  
*Communication & Storytelling Studies*
- Maggie Claire Cothron Stinnett**  
*Appalachian Studies*
- Michael Tawiah Tetteh**  
*Chemistry*  
Thesis: "Folic Acid-Carbon Dots-Doxorubicin (FA-CD-DOX) Nanoparticles as Cancer Theranostics"  
Chair: Dr. Robert Standaert
- Sierra Dezarar Thomas**  
*Criminal Justice and Criminology*  
Thesis: "A Comparison of the Mental Health of Police Officers and Correctional Officers in Rural Appalachia"  
Chair: Dr. Dustin Osborne
- Emerson Alexander Todd #**  
*Sociology*  
Thesis: "Our Bodies, Our Stories: Mental and Physical Self Connection as a Protective Factor in Sexual and Gender Minorities"  
Chair: Dr. Martha Copp
- Derrick Johann Vaz**  
*Brand and Media Strategy*
- Kaleb Quinn Wentz**  
*History*  
Thesis: "Power in Portrayal: An Exploration of the Evolving Cold War Relationship Between Germany and America through Film"  
Chair: Dr. Stephen Fritz
- Cheston Antonio West**  
*Psychology*  
Thesis: "Parent Emotion Socialization and Emerging Adult Internalizing Symptoms: Differences and Moderation by Rurality"  
Chair: Dr. Rachel Miller-Slough
- Zoe K. Williford**  
*English*
- Darrell L. Wisner #**  
*Geosciences*  
Thesis: "Evaluating Spatial-Temporal Patterns in US Tornado Occurrence with Space Time Cube Analysis and Linear Kernel Density Estimation: 1950-2019"  
Chair: Dr. Ingrid Luffman
- Megan Ricca Wolff**  
*Psychology*  
Thesis: "Coping Strategies and Self-Compassion as Protective Factors in the Infant and Early Childhood Mental Health Workforce"  
Chair: Dr. Diana Morelen
- Travis James Wolven**  
*Communication & Storytelling Studies*  
Thesis: "It's About the Two Selves: Experiences in Code-Switching between Home and Academic Environments"  
Chair: Dr. Amber Kinser
- Hannah G. Youngers**  
*History*

# Baccalaureate Degrees

- ★★★ Jared Trent Adams  
*History*  
*Political Science*
- Joseph Wesley Anderson  
*Biology*
- ★ Myla Marie Anderson  
*Theatre*
- Rachel Nicole Andrews  
*Biology*
- India Scott Aulds  
*English*
- ★★★ Jada Rose Beal  
*Psychology*
- ★★★ Leanne Renee Beauregard  
*Psychology*
- Rachel Marie Belcher  
*Art*
- ★★ Dalton T. Bellamy  
*Biology*
- Andrea Victoria Benabe Sanchez #  
*Sociology*
- Morgan D. Berry  
*English*
- Phillip Isaiah Bishop  
*Criminal Justice and Criminology*
- Hannah Elizabeth Blair  
*Chemistry*
- Emily Blakely  
*Psychology*
- James Daniel Blaylock #  
*Geosciences*
- Olivia Nicole Bloomer  
*Graphic Design*
- ★ Foster Yarbrough Blowers  
*History*
- ★★ Cassidy L. Bolton  
*Psychology*
- Kaila Monique Bonds  
*Psychology*
- Kaleigh Rae Booher  
*Psychology*
- Chris Shawn Bowlin #  
*History*
- ★★★ Emily Crawford Boyd  
*Biology*
- Houston Lewis Boyd  
*History*
- Darrius Lebron Boyer  
*Media and Communication*
- ★★★ Justin Keith Braden  
*Sociology*
- ★★ Baylie Bradley  
*Political Science*
- ★★ Nakyla J. Brady  
*Foreign Languages*  
*International Affairs*
- ★ Madison Teahlor Brewer  
*Graphic Design*
- Makayla Marie Buckingham  
*Psychology*
- ★★★ Carson Grace Burchette  
*Media and Communication*
- Faith McKenzie Burrell  
*Criminal Justice and Criminology*
- ★★ Erin Barbara Byrd  
*History*
- Kayla Gaylene Byrd  
*Art*
- Amyre Monae' Cain  
*Sociology*
- Cade Ryan Campbell  
*Psychology*
- Savannah R. Canter  
*Biology*
- Aaron David Carlisle #  
*History*
- ★★ Jada Danielle Carpenter  
*Psychology*
- Gracie Mariah Rose Carter  
*Criminal Justice and Criminology*
- ★★ Gabrielle A. Chandler  
*Anthropology*
- ★ Tyler Remington Chandler #  
*Biology*
- Katelyn Brooke Christian  
*Anthropology*
- Jullianna C. Christy  
*Media and Communication*
- ★ Lillian E. Clark #  
*Psychology*
- ★ Hannah Fay Clevenger  
*Psychology*
- Christopher Ryan Clinton  
*Foreign Languages*
- John Harvey Clonce, II #  
*Geosciences*
- Grant Allen Coffey #  
*History*
- ★★★ Janaya A. Colbert  
*Psychology*
- Caitlin Marie Cole  
*Biology*
- ★ Emily Renee Coleman #  
*Criminal Justice and Criminology*
- Anthony Charles Collins, Jr.  
*Criminal Justice and Criminology*
- Jonathan B. Commons #  
*Criminal Justice and Criminology*
- ★ McKenzie Laine Cox  
*Art*
- Preston Scott Cox  
*Media and Communication*
- Jaedyn T. Crain  
*History*
- ★★ Kaleb W. Cross  
*Chemistry*
- Courtney Alexandria Davis  
*Geosciences*
- ★★★ Nicholas Chase DeBow  
*Biology*
- Tamesha M. Delaney  
*Psychology*
- Madison Grace Denny  
*Graphic Design*
- ★★ Audrey Rebecca Dillon  
*History*
- Preston R. Dorsett #  
*Psychology*
- ★★ Hannah Elizabeth Dougherty  
*Biology*
- Jarod Thomas Duckworth  
*Geosciences*
- Jean Augustine Dumas  
*Biology*
- Mackenzie Shea Dyer  
*History*
- Jacob Daniel Elmore  
*Chemistry*
- Lilith Katherine Erbach #  
*English*
- ★★★ Abigail Grace Fannon  
*Political Science*
- Bailey Scott Farmer  
*Geosciences*
- Julie Kirezi Fashaho #  
*English*
- Taylor M. Ferrell  
*Biology*
- Jenesis B. Fisher  
*Graphic Design*
- ★★ Kinner Lanier Flaglor  
*Chemistry*
- Brooklyn Chessie Flanagan  
*Psychology*
- Connar Shea Foote  
*Geosciences*
- ★ Emily Brooke Ford  
*Psychology*
- ★★ Jacob Dylan Frederick  
*Music*
- Braxton Eiriyon Gaitor  
*Criminal Justice and Criminology*
- ★★★ Nathan Geisel  
*English*
- ★★ Veronica Marie Gendron #  
*Psychology*
- Caroline Haynes Gibson  
*Graphic Design*
- Gavyn Joshua Gilliam  
*Political Science*  
*Criminal Justice and Criminology*
- Hannah Nicole Goan  
*Biology*
- ★ Riley Ann Graham  
*Biology*  
*Psychology*
- Baylie LeeAnn Gray  
*English*
- ★ Emily Elizabeth Gray  
*Criminal Justice and Criminology*
- Troy Holland Green  
*Media and Communication*

- ★ **Haley Elizabeth Hammonds**  
*Sociology*
- ★★★ **Joshua Matthew Hancock**  
*Communication Studies*
- Rachel B. Harrington**  
*Political Science*
- ★★ **Candace Miranda Hatch**  
*Media and Communication*
- ★★ **Emilee G. Head #**  
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- Austin Coty Hefner #**  
*Criminal Justice and Criminology*
- ★★★ **Halle J. Hernandez**  
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- ★★ **Summer Heschong**  
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- ★ **Laken Renee Higgins**  
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- ★★★ **Clara Rose Hoefer**  
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- Corbyn Elisabeth Hoffmeister #**  
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- Matthew Christopher Hopper #**  
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- ★★★ **TaKya Trenelle-Jennings Hughes**  
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*Anthropology*
- Kelsey Taylor Hunley**  
*Graphic Design*
- Thomas R. Hutcheson, II**  
*Psychology*
- ★ **Kacie L. Jarrett**  
*Psychology*
- Jacob Alexander Jenkins**  
*Criminal Justice and Criminology*
- ★ **Mary C. Jennings**  
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- ★★★ **Miranda Dawn Jennings #**  
*Sociology*
- ★★ **Courtney P. Johnson**  
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*Biology*
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- ★★ **Nicholas Alexander Jordan**  
*Political Science*
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- Psychology*
- Lianne Qian-Hong Kelley #**  
*Graphic Design*
- ★ **Olivia Bronwen Kent**  
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*Media and Communication*
- Hayden Mathew Kidd**  
*Biology*
- Demarcus T. King, Jr.**  
*Communication Studies*
- Mason D. King**  
*History*
- ★★★ **Skye King**  
*Psychology*
- Biology*
- Wesley James King**  
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- Connor Layne Klumb**  
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- ★ **Maleah R. Knaff**  
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- ★★ **Emily Krepps**  
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- Lauren Nicole Lefler #**  
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- ★ **Sara Del Valle Leon**  
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- ★ **Michaela Faith Love**  
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- ★★ **Austin Garrett Lumb**  
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- ★★★ **Hannah Larae Maines #**  
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- Nicolas Felipe Marcial**  
*History*
- Caleb Michael Marks**  
*Psychology*
- Marc Angelo Marquez**  
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- McKaylah Cole Martin #**  
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- ★★★ **Ryleigh Alexa Martin**  
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- Timothy A. Martin #**  
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- Mackayla Anne McBrien**  
*Graphic Design*
- Jackson Dane McCloud**  
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- ★★★ **Lucy Katherine Ruth McGee #**  
*Theatre*
- English*
- Lauryn Grace McGinnis**  
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- ★★★ **Megan Leigh McInturff #**  
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- Shelby L. McRae**  
*Psychology*
- Isaac Medina #**  
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- David E. Mees #**  
*Chemistry*
- Noemi Mejia**  
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- Madison Roemer Meyer**  
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- Political Science*
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- ★★★ **Olivia May Moder**  
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- Blake Andrew Montgomery**  
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- ★ **Brantley Nicole Mullins**  
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- ★ **Leslie Alexandria Myers #**  
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- ★★ **Jared Scott Nesbitt**  
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- Hunter Austin Neubauer**  
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- ★ **Lynnsey Caroline Newman**  
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- ★★★ **Alexis Carman Nowers**  
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- ★★ **Jordan M. Owens #**  
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- Bradley Andrew Pease #**  
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- ★★★ **Erika Nicolle Perez Cortazar**  
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- Benjamin Adam Perry**  
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- Zebediah A. Petty**  
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- ★★ **Nikki Danielle Pickle #**  
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- Amber Dawn Poarch**  
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- ★★ **Em Isabella Poff #**  
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- Victor Sean Popescu**  
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- ★★★ **Olivia Faith Preshong**  
*Media and Communication*
- Briana Lynn Presley**  
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- ★★★ **Mark Pursel #**  
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- Logan C. Ramey**  
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- Kristina Marie Reagan**  
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- Faith E. Reaves**  
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- ★★★ **Mallory Catherine Reed**  
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- ★★★ **Peyton M. Reed**  
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- Rachel Srey Resch**  
*Criminal Justice and Criminology*
- Nayana Monique Revish**  
*Biology*
- ★ **Kathryn Grace Rhoton**  
*History*
- ★★★ **Ellis Mackenzie Rice**  
*Criminal Justice and Criminology*
- Peyton Rhealee Rice**  
*Art*
- Hannah Lea Richards**  
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- Jared William Ricker**  
*History*
- Taylor S. Riddleberger**  
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- Preston Rieg**  
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- ★ **Emmalyne Louise Rikard**  
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- ★★★ **Megan Nichole Rines**  
*Psychology*
- Sarah Constance Ritchie**  
*Art*
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*Criminal Justice and Criminology*
- Kaitlyn Llewellyn Roberts #**  
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- Ben McDaniel Robinson**  
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- ★★★ **Clara Mae Roller**  
*Media and Communication*
- Samantha Nicole Romines**  
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- Sara Elizabeth Romines**  
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- Chemistry**
- Kaley Renee Rosenbaum**  
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- Caleb Michael Rowland**  
*Sociology*
- ★★★ **Bradley Colton Russell**  
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- ★★ **Gabriel O’Ryan Russell #**  
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- ★ **Caroline Kay Ryan**  
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- ★ **Alexander Jay Scarborough**  
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- History*
- ★★ **Ava Elizabeth Seagle**  
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- ★ **Lauren L. Shellmyer**  
*Biology*
- Christopher Mason Shelton**  
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- Hannah E. Sheppard**  
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- ★★ **Heather Marie Shipley**  
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- Kaitlyn Grace Shultz**  
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- Olivia M. Skeens**  
*Psychology*
- ★ **Sarah Cheyenne Slagle**  
*Theatre*
- ★★★ **Sophia Lorraine Smith #**  
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- ★ **Isaac Levi Smythe**  
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- Nicole Annette Sowell #**  
*Psychology*
- Michael Keith Stapleton**  
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- Paige Nicole Stelter**  
*Foreign Languages*
- Andrew M. Stephens #**  
*Communication Studies*
- Jessica Lachelle Stevens**  
*Psychology*
- Lauren H. Sullivan**  
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- ★★★ **Elizabeth Ashley Swanson**  
*Media and Communication*
- ★★ **Hannah Joy Swickheimer**  
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- Donovan J. Swinger**  
*Mathematics*
- ★ **Jeri Rayne Taylor**  
*Criminal Justice and Criminology*
- Eric Aldon Terry #**  
*Graphic Design*
- Elizabeth Kaitlyn Thacker**  
*Criminal Justice & Criminology*
- Elizabeth Ann Tindell**  
*Biology*
- Stephanie Lee Tovar**  
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- William Lee Tully**  
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- ★★★ **Kamryn McKennah June Vandyke**  
*Music*
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*English*
- Isabel Elease Villanueva**  
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- Alyson Kay Volkman**  
*Criminal Justice and Criminology*
- Autumn Rylee Walker #**  
*Sociology*
- Chelsea Nichole Walters #**  
*Biology*
- Erik John Walters**  
*Geosciences*
- Ty Landry Walters**  
*Criminal Justice and Criminology*
- ★★ **Zoey Audrey Warren**  
*Media and Communication*
- ★★ **Jared Reese Webb**  
*Geosciences*
- Lucas Elliott Weems**  
*English*
- Ryan Bailey Wetzell**  
*Criminal Justice and Criminology*
- Ashlyn Marie White**  
*Media and Communication*
- Katelyn Jade White**  
*English*
- ★★★ **Gabrielle Simone Wiley**  
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- Blaine M. Williams**  
*History*
- ★★★ **Emily Baker Williams**  
*Geosciences*
- Nicholas Ryan Williams**  
*History*
- ★★★ **Wesley Adam Williams**  
*Psychology*
- Whitney Olivia Willis**  
*Sociology*
- Criminal Justice and Criminology*
- ★★ **Erika M. Wilson**  
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- Madeline Alise Woodbridge**  
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- Jaymee Elisabeth Woodmore**  
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- ★★ **Sarah Grace Wright**  
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- ★ **Abigail Chassie Wyatt #**  
*Psychology*
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*Media and Communication*
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*Biology*

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Dean: Dr. Tony Pittarese

## Master's Degrees

**Isiwat Adebukanla Adenopo**  
*Computer Science*

Thesis: "Opinion Mining of Bird Preference in Wildlife Parks"  
Chair: Dr. Ghaith Husari

**Brooklyn Alycia Allison #**  
*Business Administration*

**Kayla Makenzie Bird**  
*Accountancy*

**Mechala Kristin Blankenship #**  
*Business Administration*

**Paul D. Brummitt #**  
*Computer and Information Science*  
Thesis: "Reduced Fuel Emissions through Connected Vehicles and Truck Platooning"  
Chair: Dr. Mohammad Khan

**Thomas Brett Bryan**  
*Business Administration*

**Carly Jean Clark**  
*Digital Marketing*

**Leon Jean Alexan Dumas #**  
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**Alexander William Folkard #**  
*Digital Marketing*

**Kathleen Sarah Gemar**  
*Accountancy*

**Justin Conner Hill #**  
*Digital Marketing*

**Scott E. Kreider**  
*Computer Science*

**Benjamin David Lowery #**  
*Engineering Technology*

**LeeAnn Nichole Manz-Young #**  
*Engineering Technology*  
Thesis: "Female Motivation in Engineering, Manufacturing, and STEM-Related Trades"  
Chair: Dr. Mohammad Uddin

**McKenzie Jo Mullins**  
*Accountancy*

**Joseph Kwadwo Nyarko Obuobi**  
*Computer Science*

**Yumi Oh**  
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**Aakriti Pandey**  
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**Christian Lynn Peterman**  
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**April Lauren Rainbolt**  
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**Matthew Vincent Scarr**  
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**Olivia Taylor Sturgill**  
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*Management*

**Aaron David Addison**  
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**Issa Khalid Aldabbagh**  
*Engineering Technology*

**Mason J. Armstrong**  
*Marketing*

★ **Caden Ray Arnold #**  
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**Troy C. Arnold**  
*Finance*

**Maekenzie Grace Asbury #**  
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**Chase Brady Askew**  
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*Digital Media*

**Nathan Grant Bailey**  
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★★ **Stephanie Lauren Bailey**  
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**Morgan Elizabeth Barker**  
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★★★ **Jason Michael Beal**  
*Digital Media*

★ **Jennifer Michelle Birkner**  
*Interior Architecture*

**Macie Gabrielle Blevins**  
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★★★ **Erin Shae Bloomer**  
*Management*

**Brandon Scott Bowers**  
*Computing*

**Chris Shawn Bowlin #**  
*Finance*

★ **Savannah J. Bresler**  
*Digital Media*

**Thomas Jordan Brown #**  
*Marketing*

**Kyle Douglas Byrnes #**  
*Engineering Technology*

**Alexzius Miyuki Capron**  
*Interior Architecture*

**Ashley R. Carey #**  
*Management*

**Robert Raphael Carlton**  
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**Garrett Raymond Carpenter**  
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**Brian Jason Carruth**  
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**Hannah Brooke Christian**  
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**Loren Scott Cooper**  
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★ **Kennedy Elizabeth Cowan**  
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- ★ Caitlyn Olivia Farnsworth  
*Marketing*
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- Nicholas Charles Ferrell  
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- Nicholas R. Fisher  
*Computing*
- Leland S. Flanagan  
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*Engineering Technology*
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- ★ Douglas Ford  
*Surveying and Mapping Science*
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- Laura Ellen Frazier #  
*Marketing*
- ★★ Bethany Galovin #  
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- Aleksandar Gjeorgievski #  
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*Surveying and Mapping Science*
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*Marketing*
- ★★★ Melvin Nathaniel Greene  
*Digital Media*
- Candace Nicole Griffith  
*Accountancy*
- Joshua Aaron Hale  
*Economics*
- Lindsey Joan Hamly  
*Accountancy*
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*Management*
- ★ John Wesley Hardin  
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- ★★ James Harris  
*Surveying and Mapping Science*
- ★★ Sarah Joellen Hayes  
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*Engineering Technology*
- ★★★ Fatima Montserrat Hernandez  
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- Zachary Peyton Holtzclaw  
*Digital Media*
- ★ Christopher John Hudson  
*Engineering Technology*
- Isaiah Ryan Hudson  
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- ★★★ Jade Alexis Hughes  
*Management*
- Caleb Ayomikun Ishola  
*Computing*
- Garrett Mitchell Johnson  
*Accountancy*
- Mary Lawson Johnson  
*Marketing*
- Taylor O. Johnson #  
*Finance*
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*Management*
- ★ Noah Dewayne Jones  
*Economics*
- Noah S. Jones  
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- ★★ Cassidy N. Kaldy  
*Marketing Management*
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*Marketing*
- ★ Tyler James Keltner  
*Management*
- Clayton Arnie King  
*Management*
- Richard Cole Knight  
*Management*
- ★★★ Alexandra Kathleen Kosinski  
*Finance*
- Christopher William Koubele  
*Surveying and Mapping Science*
- Jonathan A. Kraft #  
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- Mariah K. Kramer  
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- ★★★ James Carroll Kyte, IV  
*Finance*
- ★★★ Adam Leigh Lane  
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- ★★ Aaron O'Neal Latham  
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- ★★ Aimee Madisyn LeFevers  
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- Justice Isaiah Lewis  
*Management*
- Noel Armenta Leyva  
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- Erwin Alexander Lopez  
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- ★★ Kaylyn Elaine Lunsford  
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- Zachary Allen Lykins  
*Computing*
- Autumn J. Lyon  
*Management*
- Evan Luke Malone  
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- ★★ Erika Martinez  
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- ★ John David McCafferty  
*Digital Media*
- Jeffrey Z. Mcfalls  
*Economics*
- Alex Jordan McKinney  
*Accountancy*
- ★★ Kathleen L. McMahan  
*Digital Media*
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McSwine #  
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- ★★ Tyra M. Metcalf #  
*Management*
- Meredith Lee Moore  
*Management*
- Christopher Benjamin Moser  
*Digital Media*
- ★★ Taylor James Muirhead  
*Management*
- Bobby D. Mullins, III  
*Computing*
- Rachael Angelica Murphy  
*Economics*
- Greyson L. Nave  
*Computing*
- ★ Jaxon Trevor Neil  
*Surveying and Mapping Science*
- James E. Nix  
*Digital Media*
- Carlos Daniel Ortiz  
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- Angel Brooke Ottinger #  
*Marketing Management*
- Seth Parx Overbay  
*Engineering Technology*
- ★★★ Taylor Madison Owens  
*Economics*
- Danielle Nicole Palmer  
*Computing*
- Hiren Mitul Patel  
*Computing*
- ★★ Jacob M. Peters  
*Management*
- Jacob Richard Pfefferkorn  
*Management*
- ★★ Luke Phillips  
*Finance*
- Evan Jonathan Pierce  
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- ★★ Tala Michael Pierce-Burleson  
*Marketing*
- ★★★ Hannah Alexis Rayne Pittman  
*Marketing Management Economics*
- Quentin Patrick Polinski #  
*Management*
- Sarah Grace Ponder  
*Digital Media*
- Paizlee Amoiryra Pope  
*Accountancy*
- Christopher Poteet #  
*Computing*
- Aaron S. Pratt  
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- ★★ Aleigha Jo-Grace Puckett  
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- Madeline Grace Pyle**  
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- Jason Turner Ray**  
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- ★★★ **Samuel Earl Reynolds**  
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- ★★ **Alex William Riegle**  
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- Ramiro Edward Rodriguez #**  
*Computing*
- Dustin Timothy Roe**  
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- ★★ **Victoria Danielle Rutherford**  
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- Jacob Malik Saylor**  
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- Nathanael Rabon Schofield**  
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- Joshua Douglas Scott #**  
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- ★★ **Tyler Clyde Scott**  
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- ★★ **John Charles Serra, III**  
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- ★★ **David Jackson Sherrill**  
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- Stephen Gene Shultz**  
*Engineering Technology*
- ★ **Allen Kyle Simcox**  
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- William Andrew Simmons**  
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- Dyson Qwen Simonds**  
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- Kamryn L. Sluder**  
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- Ryan Thomas Smith**  
*Management*
- Taylor Brooke Smith**  
*Management*
- Tyler Lee Smith**  
*Accountancy*
- Samuel James Smyth**  
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- ★★ **Raegan Montana Snapp**  
*Digital Media*
- ★★★ **Shay Elliott Snyder**  
*Computing*
- ★★★ **Lauren Mackenzie Souder**  
*Accountancy*
- Anderson L. Southerland**  
*Accountancy*
- Corey Steven Spears #**  
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*Interior Architecture*
- Spencer T. Stiles**  
*Finance*
- Jeremiah Edward Stout**  
*Engineering Technology*
- Caleb Russell Street**  
*Computing*
- Samuel J. Sullivan-Moore #**  
*Marketing*
- Cathrine Ellan Tadder #**  
*Management*
- Brandon Lee Thai**  
*Computing*
- Collin Andrew Thomas, II**  
*Digital Media*
- Caleb Daniel Thompson #**  
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- Cedric Alden Touchstone**  
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- ★★★ **Marion Katherine Tudor**  
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- Hannah Allison Tweed**  
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- Idaraobong Deborah John Udoeyop**  
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- ★ **Ivy Elizabeth Vinson**  
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- Joshua Tyler Wallin**  
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- Kameron Michael Walsh**  
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- Colin Nathaniel Ward**  
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- ★★ **Madison Grace Warner**  
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- Whitney Nicole Welch**  
*Marketing*
- Hannah Elisabeth Wells #**  
*Management*
- Ethan C. Whitley**  
*Finance*
- ★★ **Bretton Duane Willett**  
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- Trevor J. Williams**  
*Engineering Technology*
- Sam Edward Willoughby #**  
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- Emily Michelle Winters #**  
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- Nicholas Evans Wishon #**  
*Management*
- Alexa Renee Workman**  
*Marketing*
- ★ **Montea Noemia Wright**  
*Management*
- ★ **Andrew Jefferson Young**  
*Digital Media*
- ★★ **Taylor Zang**  
*Digital Media*
- Panagiotis D. Zavogiannis**  
*Digital Media*

## CLEMMER COLLEGE

Dean: Dr. Janna Scarborough

### Doctoral Degrees

**Alicia N. Abney #**

*Educational Leadership*  
Dissertation: "The Front Lines of Student Success: A Phenomenography Exploring the Background and Knowledge of Primary Role Academic Advisors in Higher Education"  
Chair: Dr. Jill Channing

**Tahani Ahmed Mohammed Ahmed #**

*Early Childhood Education*  
Dissertation: "An Investigation of the Relationship Between Teachers' Personal Epistemologies and Their Self-Efficacy About Culturally Responsive Classroom Management"  
Chair: Dr. Amy Malkus

**Monaco Marie Briggs**

*Educational Leadership*  
Dissertation: "Physician Quality Scores and the Presentation and Delivery Method of Data in a Residency Program in East Tennessee"  
Chair: Dr. Don Good

**Keri Lee Carter**

*Educational Leadership*  
Dissertation: "A Phenomenological Study of Tenure-Track Faculty Serving in Dual Roles as Administrators"  
Chair: Dr. Jill Channing

**Preston Jerome Clarke #**

*Educational Leadership*  
Dissertation: "A Phenomenological Study of Contributing Factors and Common Trends Related to Teacher Attrition in Western North Carolina"  
Chair: Dr. William Flora

**Joseph Salvatore D'Amato, III #**  
*Sport Physiology and Performance*  
Dissertation: "Investigating Force-Velocity Profile Alterations and Methodology after Traditional Resistance Training"  
Chair: Dr. Kevin Carroll

**Heather Michelle Easterling #**  
*Educational Leadership*  
Dissertation: "Adverse Childhood Experiences and Trauma-Informed Schools: Restorative Practices for Social and Emotional Behavior Issues in Education"  
Chair: Dr. Pamela Scott

**Dustin Chase Ford #**  
*Educational Leadership*  
Dissertation: "The Role of Middle and High School Principals During the COVID-19 Pandemic: A Phenomenological Study"  
Chair: Dr. Ginger Christian

**Nicholas G. Harden**  
*Sport Physiology and Performance*  
Dissertation: "Return-To-The-Platform: The Case of a Collegiate Level Weightlifter Recovering from a Meniscus Injury"  
Chair: Dr. Michael Stone

**Amy Hill #**  
*Educational Leadership*  
Dissertation: "A Phenomenological Study on How University Employees Experienced Working from Home During a Pandemic"  
Chair: Dr. Susan Epps

**Kathi LeCroy Horne**  
*Educational Leadership*  
Dissertation: "Transfer Articulation and Transfer Agreement Success: Student Transfer from Community College to a Locally Governed, Public, 4-Year University in Tennessee"  
Chair: Dr. James Lampley

**Debbie Sue Johnson**  
*Educational Leadership*  
Dissertation: "The Lived Experiences of Students Who are Single Parents and Attending Community College: A Phenomenological Study"  
Chair: Dr. Jill Channing

**Laura Lynn Higgs Kappel #**  
*Educational Leadership*  
Dissertation: "College Students' Perceptions of Sense of Community, Satisfaction, and Cognitive Learning in Online Classes"  
Chair: Dr. Donald Good

**Scott T. Lamie #**  
*Educational Leadership*  
Dissertation: "Educator Perceptions of the Working Environment in Tennessee Elementary Schools that Actively Employ Positive Behavior Supports and Restorative Practices"  
Chair: Dr. Virginia Foley

**Karen McLerran**  
*Educational Leadership*  
Dissertation: "Perceptions of Middle School Teachers Regarding Differentiation Instruction"  
Chair: Dr. Pamela Scott

**Martha Meredith #**  
*Educational Leadership*  
Dissertation: "Teachers' Perceptions on the Effects of COVID-19 on Juniors and Seniors in High School"  
Chair: Dr. Pamela Scott

**Rita Lynn Page Hosay #**  
*Educational Leadership*  
Dissertation: "An Examination of the Working Relationships Between General Education Teachers, Special Education Teachers, and Paraprofessionals in General Education Settings"  
Chair: Dr. Pamela Scott

**Jennifer Elaine Pangle #**  
*Educational Leadership*  
Dissertation: "Student Achievement and Teacher Perceptions of School Climate in Title 1 and Non-Title 1 Schools"  
Chair: Dr. Virginia Foley

**Rebecca Joan Riggs #**  
*Educational Leadership*  
Dissertation: "Perceptions of Tenured Science Faculty Regarding the Provision of Reasonable Accommodations for Students with Disabilities"  
Chair: Dr. Jill Channing

**William Edward Scheuer, IV**  
*Educational Leadership*  
Dissertation: "K-5 Elementary Alternative Program: A Case Study"  
Chair: Dr. Virginia Foley

**Randi A. Staggs #**  
*Educational Leadership*  
Dissertation: "Consequences of Caring: The Manifestation of Compassion Fatigue in High School Teachers During the Covid-19 Pandemic"  
Chair: Dr. Pamela Scott

**Dylan Guidetti Suarez #**  
*Sport Physiology and Performance*  
Dissertation: "An Investigation into the Use of Biomechanical and Performance Data from Vertical Jump Testing to Monitor Competitive Weightlifters"  
Chair: Dr. Satoshi Mizuguchi

**Sarah Elizabeth Tolbert-Hurysz**  
*Educational Leadership*  
Dissertation: "Community College Faculty's Perceptions of Culturally Responsive Teaching"  
Chair: Dr. Jill Channing

**Ashley E. Weber #**  
*Educational Leadership*  
Dissertation: "A Phenomenological Study of Positive Coteaching Dyads Perceptions of Their Coteaching Relationship"  
Chair: Dr. Virginia Foley

**Lacy Elaine York Hughes #**  
*Educational Leadership*  
Dissertation: "Adaptation of Instructional Strategies and Practices During a Pandemic"  
Chair: Dr. Pamela Scott

## Master's Degrees and Education Specialists

**Uzma Aaqib**  
*Early Childhood Education*

**Chloe Elizabeth Bales**  
*School Librarianship*

**Jesyka Lynne Katerina Barbieri #**  
*Curriculum & Instruction*

**Hannah Briggs Bond**  
*School Librarianship*

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**Vanessa Civil**  
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**Breanna Caitlin Damp**  
*Counseling*

**Justin A. Downs**  
*Educational Leadership*

**Charlie Lee Dugger #**  
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**Mandy Leigh Dugger #**  
*Counseling*

**Alison Margaret Dyer**  
*Counseling*

**Halie Gillett Emsheimer**  
*Human Services*

**Chelsa Noelle Flanary #**  
*Counseling*

**Erica Christine Fletcher #**  
*Educational Leadership*

**Grayson Trader Flora #**  
*Sport Science & Coach Education*  
Thesis: "Acute Effects of Match play Induced Fatigue on Jump Performance in Collegiate Women's Volleyball"  
Chair: Dr. Kevin Carroll

**Emily Nicole Gibson**  
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**Kelsey Marie Heck**  
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**Hannah Mariah Hinkle**  
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**Emma L. Wood**  
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## Baccalaureate Degrees

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*Kinesiology*

**Heath Anthony Baldwin**  
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★★ **Samantha Joann Berry**  
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★ **Hayden J. Boles #**  
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**Michaela Ashten Bolinger #**  
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**Ava A. Carufel**  
*Early Childhood Education*

★★ **Trina Chaudhuri**  
*Human Services*

**Gavin Keith Cooper**  
*Kinesiology*

★★ **Whitney Lanea Crowe**  
*Kinesiology*

★★ **Katherine Marie Davis**  
*Human Services*

★ **John Benson Davison**  
*Kinesiology*

★ **Bethany Deel**  
*Human Services*

**Michael Anthony Edwards**  
*Human Services*

**Blake Ernest Elkins #**  
*Kinesiology*

★★★ **Faith Nicolle Fedoronko**  
*Human Services*

★ **Grace Lauren Fillmore**  
*Kinesiology*

★★★ **Rachel Danielle Franklin**  
*Early Childhood Education*

**Anastasia Ruth Fugate #**  
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**Cierra Monet Gaines**  
*Kinesiology*

★★ **Dewayne Steven Garrett**  
*Kinesiology*

★★★ **Katherine R. Gray**  
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★★★ **Melanie Shannon Gray #**  
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★★★ **Aaron Z. Green**  
*Human Services*

★★ **Makenzie Brooke Harrison**  
*Kinesiology*

★★ **Candace Miranda Hatch**  
*Sport and Leisure Management*

**Amanda Lauren Hensley**  
*Human Services*

**Daniel Jay Hodges**  
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**Hannah Pearl Hughey #**  
*Human Services*

★★ **Mylan Tercedez Hutchins**  
*Human Services*

**William Taylor Huzzie**  
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★ **Kaylee Brooke Ingram**  
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★★★ **Kaitlyn Ogden Keen**  
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- ★★★ Jared Curtis Kirby  
*Sport and Recreation Management*
- ★★★ Sarah Elizabeth Lane  
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- ★★ Matthew Glen Long  
*Sport and Recreation Management*
- ★ Jessica Annette Lovelace  
*Special Education*
- ★ Erica Danielle Maupin  
*Human Services*  
Nathan Indiana McDavid #  
*Sport and Recreation Management*  
Noemi Mejia  
*Sport and Recreation Management*
- ★ Faith Danielle Miller #  
*Human Services*
- ★★ Madeline Elizabeth Morawski  
*Kinesiology*
- ★★★ Hannah Rebecca Musick #  
*Human Services*  
MaKayla A. Newman  
*Kinesiology*
- ★ Christopher Anthony Norton  
*Sport and Recreation Management*
- ★ Jessica Thea O'Donnell  
*Human Services*  
Emily Kate Owens  
*Elementary Education*  
Noah Jacob Owens  
*Kinesiology*
- ★★★ Natalie Grace Perry  
*Sport and Recreation Management*
- ★ Shelbey Allison Pittman  
*Kinesiology*  
Rachel Ann Pleasant  
*Human Services*
- ★★ Benjamin D. Raymer  
*Kinesiology*  
Hannah E. Reeves  
*Kinesiology*
- ★★★ Casey Mae Riley  
*Sport and Recreation Management*
- ★ Michael A. Rivera  
*Kinesiology*  
Drew Vincent Roy  
*Sport and Recreation Management*  
Jacob Morgan Salyer  
*Physical Education*
- ★★★ Amber Sharp  
*Early Childhood Development*
- Austin Alan Shedden  
*Sport and Recreation Management*  
Quinn Solomon Smith  
*Sport and Recreation Management*
- ★★★ Mary Hannah Statzer  
*Kinesiology*
- ★★★ Lauren B. Suder  
*Human Services*
- ★ Brittany Raquel Turner  
*Human Services*  
Laken Carissa Turner  
*Kinesiology*  
Peyton Austin Veers  
*Sport and Recreation Management*
- ★★★ Samantha Stefani Waters  
*Kinesiology*  
Bryce Marcus Wilkey #  
*Sport and Recreation Management*  
Abbey Claire Wilks  
*Special Education*
- ★ Sarah McKenzie Wilson  
*Kinesiology*
- ★ Campbell Michael Wolf #  
*Sport and Recreation Management*

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### Doctoral Degrees

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| Madison Christine Bankston<br><i>Physical Therapy</i> | Travis J. Gibson<br><i>Physical Therapy</i>        | Cambria Middleton<br><i>Physical Therapy</i>         |
| Brock Jansen Beeler<br><i>Physical Therapy</i>        | Jesse Brent Goodman<br><i>Physical Therapy</i>     | Brooke Logan Miner<br><i>Physical Therapy</i>        |
| Madison Bailey Begley<br><i>Physical Therapy</i>      | Xavier Jordan Grisham<br><i>Physical Therapy</i>   | Paul Tyler Moody<br><i>Physical Therapy</i>          |
| David Paul Binns, III<br><i>Physical Therapy</i>      | Courtney Brooke Hagy<br><i>Physical Therapy</i>    | David Kyle Mounger<br><i>Physical Therapy</i>        |
| Noah Christopher Bronnert<br><i>Physical Therapy</i>  | Holly Brooke Hall<br><i>Physical Therapy</i>       | Taylor Irene Murillo<br><i>Physical Therapy</i>      |
| Carly Payne Burnett<br><i>Physical Therapy</i>        | Logan Tyler Harris<br><i>Physical Therapy</i>      | Dustin Earl Neubrandner<br><i>Physical Therapy</i>   |
| Samantha DeJager Bursley<br><i>Physical Therapy</i>   | Kyle Robert Hester<br><i>Physical Therapy</i>      | Shannon Elizabeth Parisot<br><i>Physical Therapy</i> |
| Casilyn B. Chandler<br><i>Physical Therapy</i>        | Cory David Hilton<br><i>Physical Therapy</i>       | Jamie Marie Pewitt<br><i>Physical Therapy</i>        |
| Rachel Kevyn Crabtree<br><i>Physical Therapy</i>      | Kesley Brewer Kirk<br><i>Physical Therapy</i>      | Christian A. Redd<br><i>Physical Therapy</i>         |
| Jordan Noelle Drafts<br><i>Physical Therapy</i>       | Phong Lien<br><i>Physical Therapy</i>              | Shelbi Louise Releford<br><i>Physical Therapy</i>    |
| Haley Donna Elliott<br><i>Physical Therapy</i>        | Brandon S. Lowe<br><i>Physical Therapy</i>         | Daniel William Smith<br><i>Physical Therapy</i>      |
|   | Katharine S. McComiskey<br><i>Physical Therapy</i> | Zachary Michael Thomas<br><i>Physical Therapy</i>    |

Christopher Velasco  
*Physical Therapy*

Brookelyn Alexis Wright  
*Physical Therapy*

Jessica R. Zaeri  
*Physical Therapy*

Trent Allen Zander  
*Physical Therapy*

## Master's Degrees

Natalie Page Wiseman #  
*Social Work*

## Baccalaureate Degrees

- ★★★ Amber Allen  
*Dental Hygiene*
- ★ Stephanie Joy Berry #  
*Respiratory Therapy*
- Rebecca A. Bradshaw  
*Allied Health*
- ★★★ Allison Todd Ball Bunch  
*Dental Hygiene*
- Alexis Marie Contos  
*Radiologic Science*
- ★★★ Allie Danielle Davidson  
*Rehabilitative Health Sciences*
- ★★★ Kristen Erin Davis #  
*Social Work*

- ★ Mercy Adenitan Falade  
*Rehabilitative Health Sciences*
- Brianna L. Florek  
*Rehabilitative Health Sciences*
- ★★★ Abby Danielle Fowler  
*Dental Hygiene*
- ★★★ Jonathan Mason Gray  
*Allied Health*
- Thomas Andrew Greene  
*Allied Health*
- ★★★ Jerry Scott Guffey  
*Allied Health*
- ★★ Audrey Lynn Harrington  
*Radiologic Science*
- ★★ Kaylee Elaine Henry  
*Rehabilitative Health Sciences*
- ★★ Hannah Faith Hoglen  
*Allied Health*
- ★★ Abigail Grace Holmes  
*Rehabilitative Health Sciences*
- ★ Kendra Sue Judd  
*Allied Health*
- Jason Matthew Kimmel  
*Respiratory Therapy*
- Santana Faith Lane  
*Rehabilitative Health Sciences*
- ★★ Daniel LaRose, II  
*Rehabilitative Health Sciences*
- ★ Ambra Nicole McMillian  
*Dental Hygiene*
- ★★ Matthew Clark Morton #  
*Radiologic Science*

- Martina Selena Nickles  
*Rehabilitative Health Sciences*
- ★★★ Denise Michelle Njuguna  
*Allied Health*
- Reagan Elizabeth Penix #  
*Allied Health*
- ★★★ Amanda Harrison Puente  
*Dental Hygiene*
- Parastoo Raasch #  
*Respiratory Therapy*
- ★★ Hope Rubert  
*Cardiopulmonary Science*
- ★★ Derek Scott Shaw #  
*Radiologic Science*
- ★★★ Kara Louise Smathers  
*Allied Health*
- ★ Amber E. Smetana  
*Dental Hygiene*
- ★★★ Alexandra Starkey  
*Dental Hygiene*
- ★ Kylie Stoffer #  
*Radiologic Science*
- ★★ Rachel Stone  
*Allied Health*
- Dylan Tackett  
*Nutrition*
- ★★ Mikayla L. Thomas  
*Allied Health*
- ★ Brian Scott Townsend  
*Allied Health*
- ★ Shaperrish Watts #  
*Dental Hygiene*

# COLLEGE OF GRADUATE AND CONTINUING STUDIES

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## Master's Degrees

Kimberly J. Barber #  
*Liberal Studies*

## Baccalaureate Degrees

- ★★ Jacob Matthew Adcock  
*Interdisciplinary Studies*
- ★ Daniel Aldridge  
*Interdisciplinary Studies*
- Cynthia K. Bacon  
*Interdisciplinary Studies*
- Nathaniel Stephen Bailey #  
*Interdisciplinary Studies*
- ★★ Holly Elizabeth Baughman  
*Interdisciplinary Studies*
- Dakota James Booth #  
*Interdisciplinary Studies*

- Hunter Blake Byrd #  
*Interdisciplinary Studies*
- Amelia Grace Cantrell #  
*Interdisciplinary Studies*
- Teyannah Breaja Castillo  
*Interdisciplinary Studies*
- Amber N. Coffey  
*Interdisciplinary Studies*
- ★★★ Amy Sowers Collins  
*Interdisciplinary Studies*
- ★★★ Aleigha Madison Cope  
*Interdisciplinary Studies*
- Devin Rayshawn Danko  
*Interdisciplinary Studies*
- ★ Ellie Rose Darnell #  
*Interdisciplinary Studies*
- Timmy Dorsey  
*Interdisciplinary Studies*
- Madison Paige Duncan  
*Interdisciplinary Studies*
- Elijah Avery Fagan  
*Interdisciplinary Studies*

- Brittany Morgan Fleenor #  
*Interdisciplinary Studies*
- Natalie Michelle Foster  
*Interdisciplinary Studies*
- ★★★ Janet H. Green  
*Interdisciplinary Studies*
- Matthew Kendall Green  
*Interdisciplinary Studies*
- ★ Andy Logan Hall  
*Applied Science*
- ★★ John Fredrick Hall  
*Interdisciplinary Studies*
- ★★★ Jonathan D. Haralson  
*Interdisciplinary Studies*
- Eric Alexander Hasemeier #  
*Interdisciplinary Studies*
- ★★★ Matthew Christopher Hatcher  
*Interdisciplinary Studies*
- ★★★ Stanley H. Hathorn, Jr.  
*Professional Studies*
- Joshua Hensley  
*Interdisciplinary Studies*

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*Interdisciplinary Studies*
- Kelli Danielle Humphreys  
*Interdisciplinary Studies*
- Jamir Huston #  
*Interdisciplinary Studies*
- ★★ Franklin Cecil Hyder, III  
*Interdisciplinary Studies*
- ★★★ Bridgette Adriel Kennedy  
*Interdisciplinary Studies*
- Andjela Zlatko Kricak  
*Interdisciplinary Studies*
- Ethan Perry Mays  
*Interdisciplinary Studies*
- Melissa Gail Milhorn #  
*Applied Science*
- ★ John Michael Moore #  
*General Studies*
- ★★★ Grace Anna Murray  
*Interdisciplinary Studies*
- Derrick Antonio Myers #  
*Interdisciplinary Studies*
- Carissa Shea Nix  
*Interdisciplinary Studies*
- ★★ Jose Cano Peña  
*Professional Studies*
- ★★ Jace L. Pitner  
*Professional Studies*
- Kearney Rae Pluth #  
*Interdisciplinary Studies*
- Jill Marie Robbins  
*Interdisciplinary Studies*
- ★★ Trenton Cole Robinette  
*Interdisciplinary Studies*
- Emily Beth Rogers  
*Applied Science*
- ★★ David Ross Salinas  
*Interdisciplinary Studies*
- Brooklyn LaShea Samples  
*Interdisciplinary Studies*
- ★ James Joseph Schreiber  
*Interdisciplinary Studies*
- Nicholas Edgard Semaan  
*Interdisciplinary Studies*
- ★★ Lisa Anne Shankle #  
*Interdisciplinary Studies*
- ★ Cayla Nicole Simerly  
*Interdisciplinary Studies*
- Robert Logan Smith  
*Interdisciplinary Studies*
- Zachary Taylor Smith  
*Professional Studies*
- Jennifer Michelle Stout  
*Interdisciplinary Studies*
- Sabrina Danielle Sugg  
*Interdisciplinary Studies*
- ★★ Kaitlyn L. Tilson  
*Interdisciplinary Studies*
- Emily Paige Tinman #  
*Interdisciplinary Studies*
- ★★★ Nancy Mae Wade  
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- Corinne Isabelle Walker  
*Interdisciplinary Studies*
- Julia Elizabeth Wallace  
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- Renee N. Williams  
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- Brittany Marie Wyland #  
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## COLLEGE OF NURSING

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### Doctoral Degrees

- Jessica Marie Altman #  
*Nursing*
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*Nursing*
- Marie Julie Boudreau-Klymas #  
*Nursing*
- Jacqlyne Weber Bowman #  
*Nursing*
- Courtney Austin Burleson #  
*Nursing*
- Amy L. Burse #  
*Nursing*
- Heather Harden Cathey #  
*Nursing*
- Thomas Allen Diller #  
*Nursing*  
Dissertation: "Cognitive Preference and Skill Acquisition: The Relationship Between Student Nurse Anesthetists and Certified Registered Nurse Anesthetists Thinking Styles"  
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- Kaitlynn Puckett Earls #  
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- Alicia Susanne Emery #  
*Nursing*
- Kayla Marie Foster #  
*Nursing*
- Danielle Giles #  
*Nursing*
- Jacklyn Marie Halpin #  
*Nursing*
- Grace Kathrine Herriman #  
*Nursing*
- Kaitlin Holley #  
*Nursing*
- Sukesh Joseph Jadav #  
*Nursing*
- Carmen Melissa Gerarde Jones #  
*Nursing*
- Shawn Christopher Malugin #  
*Nursing*
- Kelly Marcum #  
*Nursing*
- Sandra Kay Marshall #  
*Nursing*
- Brittany Nicole Mendo #  
*Nursing*
- Stephanie Elaine Sossong  
*Nursing*

- Tessa Woodroof #  
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- Marlena O. Wright #  
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- Josh Elliot Campbell #  
*Nursing*
- Rachel Rebecca Cone #  
*Nursing*
- Megan Elaine Dugger  
*Nursing*
- Deana Holland Flynn #  
*Nursing*
- Sherry Lynn Foster #  
*Nursing*
- Christina Rochelle Gaby #  
*Nursing*
- Andrea Gilliam #  
*Nursing*
- Jesse Michael Gronback #  
*Nursing*
- Sam Romine Harwell, IV #  
*Nursing*
- Teresa Joyce Henderson  
*Nursing*

**Kelsey Michelle Jenkins**  
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**Adam Allen Johnson #**  
*Nursing*

**Laura Gail Johnson #**  
*Nursing*

**Nicole Marie Justus #**  
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**Katie R. Langley #**  
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**Stephanie Renee Long #**  
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**Lauren Rashel Martin #**  
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**Christy Lee Moore #**  
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**Sonia Morera-Hernandez #**  
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**Amanda Nicole Nations #**  
*Nursing*

**Tyson Blake Nickels #**  
*Nursing*

**Kenny Rey Padron #**  
*Nursing*

**Natalie Paige Pressley #**  
*Nursing*

**Jessica Jane Schafer**  
*Nursing*

**Thomas Brandon Smith**  
*Nursing*

**Caitlin Davidson Smithburg**  
*Nursing*

**Alexandra M. Steadman-Cowan**  
*Nursing*

**Amy Lee Walka #**  
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**BreAnna Whitfield #**  
*Nursing*

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*Nursing*

**Chaka Rena Allen #**  
*Nursing*

**Cody Scott Allen**  
*Nursing*

**Stephen C. Allen**  
*Nursing*

★★★ **Thomas D. Allen**  
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**Daiana Macarena Almanzar**  
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**Boahema Danquah Amoako  
Temeng #**  
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**Brisja Amos**  
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**Maverick Anderson #**  
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★ **Mercy Michelle Anderson**  
*Nursing*

**Matthew Caleb Arms**  
*Nursing*

★★ **Jesse McLane Arthur**  
*Nursing*

**Eric Asare**  
*Nursing*

**Danielle LaShell Atkinson**  
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★★ **Coby Dale Atwell**  
*Nursing*

★ **Anthony J. Baiamonte**  
*Nursing*

**Erin Michelle Bailey**  
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★ **Kaylee R. Baitinger**  
*Nursing*

**Destiny Victoria Baker**  
*Nursing*

**Haley Briana Baker**  
*Nursing*

**Guerthy Banks**  
*Nursing*

**June Alexandra Banks**  
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★ **Brandon Douglas Barber #**  
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★★ **Stacey Lynn Bass #**  
*Nursing*

**Nickole Darlene Beaman #**  
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★★ **Hannah Brooke Bellamy**  
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**Peggy Benoit**  
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★★ **Jessica Leigh Bentley**  
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**Austin J. Bihlmeyer**  
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**Jordan Tylar Blacker**  
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★ **Lauren Blackwell**  
*Nursing*

**Tristan Blevins**  
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★ **Samantha Ann Boersma**  
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**Crystal Gale Bond #**  
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**Robin Bonilla**  
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★ **Lindsey J. Boyd**  
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★ **Stephanie Lynne Boyd #**  
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**Abby Nichole Bradshaw #**  
*Nursing*

**Macy A. Brewster**  
*Nursing*

★★ **Ashton Michaela Bride #**  
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★★★ **Lauren Elizabeth Brock**  
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# Academic Regalia

The three academic degrees generally recognized are the bachelor's, the master's and the doctor's. The name of each degree seems to have been determined by medieval university custom. The bachelor's degree, the baccalaureate, takes its name directly from the medieval practice of "bachelors" wearing a garland of bayberries. The master's degree was equivalent to a license to teach, and sometimes was followed by the express words *Licentia Docendi*. The doctor's degree was originally a title of respect and a recognition of great learning. Today the doctor's degree indicates advanced study and independent research in a specialized field of learning, whereas honorary degrees are granted for meritorious service and for distinction in public or private endeavor. In the medieval university, students and teachers wore gowns indicating their status and scholastic achievement.

In 1895, an intercollegiate commission drafted a uniform code for the use of academic caps, gowns and hoods in the United States. This code is followed by approximately 95 percent of all colleges and universities. In 1932 and 1935 the American Council on Education reviewed and refined the American academic costume.

Those holding a bachelor's degree traditionally wear a gown of worsted material, fastened at the top, and distinguished by long pointed sleeves hanging nearly to the knees. The master's gown, worn open, is made either of worsted or silk, and has long closed sleeves with an arc appearing near the bottom and a slit for the arm near the middle of the sleeves. The doctor's gown, also worn open, is made of silk, faced with a broad strip of velvet, and has three bars of velvet on each sleeve.

A hood may be worn with the gown and is made of the same material. The master's hood is three and one-half feet long, faced with a three-inch strip of velvet; the doctor's hood is four feet long, faced with a five-inch strip of velvet. The color of the tassel or the velvet strip on the hood indicates the field of study in which the degree was earned or granted, as for example: Agriculture – Maize; Arts, Letters, Humanities – White; Commerce, Accountancy, Business – Drab; Dentistry – Lilac; Economics – Copper; Education – Light Blue; Engineering – Orange; Fine Arts including Architecture – Brown; Forestry – Russet; Journalism – Crimson; Law – Purple; Library Science – Lemon; Medicine – Green; Music – Pink; Nursing – Apricot; Oratory (Speech) – Silver Gray; Pharmacy – Olive Green; Philosophy – Dark Blue; Physical Education – Sage Green; Physical Therapy – Teal; Public Administration including Foreign Service – Peacock Blue; Public Health – Salmon Pink; Science – Golden Yellow; Social Work – Citron; Theology – Scarlet; Veterinary Science – Gray.

The appropriate cap for all degrees is the familiar "mortarboard." A tassel, displaying the color signifying the field of specialization, hanging to the left of the face, is appropriate for all degrees. Those holding a doctor's degree may wear a soft velvet cap of the color indicating their field of study, or with the "mortarboard" may wear a tassel in whole or in part of gold thread.

**The Presidential Medallion** - The presidential medallion is the traditional symbol of office worn at official functions. The design features a torch symbolizing learning; a wreath, symbol of victory, while the star ruby symbolizes excellence.

**The Mace** - The East Tennessee State University mace is an organic design in forged silver with an ebony handle. The form gives a circular impression, referring to the medieval concept of a heavy armor-breaking club yet losing its warlike appearance by becoming less solid and a more decorative symbol of the university as it encompasses global thinking. A central staff radiates the thrust of the rhythmical branches of the tree of knowledge; the heavier branches representing the well-established disciplines and the more delicate ones the beginnings and growth of the new.

**The Flag** - The flag of East Tennessee State University is of simple conception, yet representative of the rich heritage of the area and the aspirations of the university.

# Academic Honors

Students wearing a medallion on a colored ribbon are graduating with honors as follows:

White ribbon - cum laude (3.50 – 3.64 GPA)

Yellow ribbon - magna cum laude (3.65 – 3.84 GPA)

Blue ribbon - summa cum laude (3.85 – 4.00 GPA)

## National Honor Societies

### Alpha Epsilon Delta

Purple and red cords signify membership in Alpha Epsilon Delta, the national health pre-professional honor society dedicated to the encouragement and recognition of excellence in pre-professional health scholarship.

### Alpha Sigma Lambda

The cream colored stoles with deep burgundy and antique gold embroidery signify the credo “First in Scholarship and Leadership.” Membership in the Zeta Tau chapter of Alpha Sigma Lambda represents the premier national honor society for nontraditional students.

### Delta Alpha Pi International

The blue and gold cords signify the participation in the Psi chapter of Delta Alpha Pi, which honors high achieving students with disabilities.

### Gamma Beta Phi

The gold sashes signify membership in the Gamma Beta Phi Honor Society, which emphasizes service, scholarship, and character.

### Gamma Sigma Alpha

The cords of red and gold signify membership in Gamma Sigma Alpha and a commitment to leadership, academic achievement, and excellence as core values of fraternities and sororities.

### Golden Key International Honour Society

The Golden Key medallion is a round 2” gold sandblast finished medallion with the GK logo attached by a royal blue and gold 30” neck ribbon. The honor stole is a beautiful rich gold satin embroidered material with the GK logo in royal blue. The honor cords have double strands of intertwined royal blue and gold cords with a GK charm attached. The Golden Key regalia signifies membership in the Golden Key International Honour Society and the pillars of academics, leadership, and service for which the society was founded.

### Omicron Delta Kappa

The sky blue, black, and white intertwined honor cords signify membership in Omicron Delta Kappa, the national leadership honor society which recognizes juniors, seniors, and graduate students who exhibit excellence in one or more of the following areas: scholarship, athletics, community service, campus governance, involvement in student organizations/publications, or the performing arts.

### Phi Kappa Phi

The blue, gold, and white medallions signify membership in the National Honor Society of Phi Kappa Phi, which recognizes and encourages superior scholarship in all academic disciplines.

### Phi Sigma Pi

The purple and gold sashes signify membership in Phi Sigma Pi, a national co-ed honor fraternity. The fraternity’s purpose is to bring together some of the brightest and most motivated students on campus and work together in a spirit of excellence to encourage the three ideals of scholarship, leadership, and fellowship.

### Sigma Alpha Lambda

The navy, black, and gold intertwined honor cords signify membership in Sigma Alpha Lambda, a national leadership and honors organization, which recognizes and encourages academic achievement, servant leadership, and community service.

### Tau Sigma

Cords of burgundy and gold signify membership in Tau Sigma, an academic honor society designed specifically to recognize and promote the academic excellence and involvement of transfer students.

## College of Arts and Sciences

### Alpha Psi Omega Lambda Epsilon

The amber and sky blue cords signify membership in the Alpha Psi Omega National Theatre Honor Society, designed to recognize and reward exemplary student participation in theatre.

### Kappa Mu Epsilon

The rose pink and silver cords signify membership in the Tennessee Beta Chapter of the Kappa Mu Epsilon national mathematics honor society, which recognizes achievement in and appreciation of mathematics.

### Lambda Pi Eta

Graduates who have attained a standard of excellence in the field of communication wear honor cords of red and white to signify their membership in Lambda Pi Eta honor society.

### Phi Alpha Theta

The maroon and light blue cords signify membership in Phi Alpha Theta, an American honor society established in 1921 for undergraduate and graduate students and professors of history. The society is a charter member of the Association of College Honor Societies and ETSU’s chapter, Alpha Epsilon Epsilon, was chartered in 1989.

### Pi Gamma Mu

The blue and white honor cords signify membership in the Pi Gamma Mu International Honor Society in Social Science, which emphasizes scholarship in the social sciences.

### Pi Kappa Lambda

The gold and white honor cords signify membership in the National Music Honor Society, Pi Kappa Lambda, which recognizes outstanding scholarly achievement and musicianship.

### Pi Sigma Alpha

The red, white, and black honor cords signify membership in Pi Sigma Alpha, the Political Science National Honor Society, which recognizes excellence in the study of political science.

### Psi Chi

The silver satin stole worn by some psychology graduates signifies membership in Psi Chi, the honor society in psychology.

### Sigma Tau Delta

The red and black honor cords signify membership in the Sigma Tau Delta International Honor Society, which recognizes excellence in English scholarship.



## College of Business and Technology

### **Beta Alpha Psi**

The red and black honor cords signify membership in Beta Alpha Psi, the international honor society for accounting, finance, and information systems.

### **Beta Gamma Sigma**

The blue and gold honor cords signify membership in Beta Gamma Sigma, the honor society for schools accredited by AACSB - the International Association for Management Education.

### **Epsilon Pi Tau**

The blue, gold, and white honor cords signify membership in Epsilon Pi Tau, the international honorary for professions in technology.

### **Upsilon Pi Epsilon**

The maroon and white cords signify membership in Upsilon Pi Epsilon, the national honor society for computer science.

## College of Clinical and Rehabilitative Health Sciences

### **Alpha Eta**

The intertwined white and light green honor cords signify the distinction of membership in Alpha Eta, the national honor society for allied health professionals. Alpha Eta members maintain a cumulative GPA of 3.5 or greater and have evidenced community and professional service and leadership status, reflected in their motto: "Together We Serve."

### **Lambda Beta**

The blue and green cords and ribbons signify membership in Lambda Beta, the national honor society for the respiratory care profession. Lambda Beta honors scholastic achievement, service, and the character of students, graduates, and faculty members of the respiratory care profession. These graduates represent the top 25 percent of their respiratory class.

### **Lambda Nu**

The maroon and forest green cords signify membership in Lambda Nu, the national honor society for the radiologic and imaging sciences. Lambda Nu fosters academic scholarship at the highest academic levels, promotes research and investigation in the radiologic and imaging sciences, and recognizes exemplary scholarship.

### **Phi Alpha National Honor Society**

The blue and gold medallions signify membership in the Phi Alpha National Honor Society, which recognizes and encourages superior scholarship in social work as well as all other academic disciplines.

### **Sigma Phi Alpha**

The purple and gold cords signify membership in Sigma Phi Alpha, the national honor society for the dental hygiene profession. The purpose of Sigma Phi Alpha is to promote, recognize, and honor scholarship, leadership, and service among dental hygiene graduates. These graduates represent the top 10 percent of their dental hygiene class.

## Clemmer College

### **Chi Sigma Iota**

The royal blue and white twined honor cords signify membership in the Eta Tau Sigma chapter of Chi Sigma Iota, Counseling Honor

Society International, which values academic and professional excellence in counseling.

### **Kappa Delta Pi**

The violet and jade green twined honor cords with violet tassels signify membership in Kappa Delta Pi, the international honor society in education.

### **Kappa Omicron Nu**

The crimson and cream honor cords signify membership in Kappa Omicron Nu, the national family and consumer sciences honor society.

## College of Nursing

### **Sigma Theta Tau**

The orchid and white honor cords signify membership in Sigma Theta Tau, the international honor society of nursing.

## Bill Gatton College of Pharmacy

### **Phi Lambda Sigma**

The green and gold honor cords signify membership in Phi Lambda Sigma, also known as the National Pharmacy Leadership Society. Members of Phi Lambda Sigma are selected by their peers in recognition of service and leadership in the advancement of pharmacy.

### **Rho Chi**

The purple and white honor cords signify membership in Rho Chi, the academic honor society in pharmacy. Membership in Rho Chi is based on academic and professional achievement.

## College of Public Health

### **Delta Omega**

The black and salmon stoles signify membership in Delta Omega, the national honor society for public health. Membership reflects dedication to quality in the field of public health and to protection and advancement of the health of all people.

### **Epsilon Nu Eta**

The gold, green, and sky blue honor cords signify membership in Epsilon Nu Eta, the national honor society for environmental health majors. ETSU is the founding chapter of Epsilon Nu Eta.

## College of Graduate and Continuing Studies

### **Graduate Liberal Studies Programs**

The Association of Graduate Liberal Studies Programs National Honor Society is open to graduate students in liberal studies who have earned a minimum of a 3.75 cumulative GPA on a 4.0 scale and who have demonstrated leadership in the classroom and in the greater community. AGLSP National Honor Society members at ETSU wear honors cords of blue and gold to signify their distinction.

## Additional Programs

### **Access ETSU**

Access ETSU is an inclusive higher education service providing supplemental support to young adults with an intellectual disability. The silver cord worn by participants represents advocacy and achievement of personal goals related to academic and career development. The braided royal blue, green, and yellow cords are worn by students who served as peer mentors to

Access ETSU participants. These colors represent leadership and community service.

### **Center for Academic Achievement**

The gold medallions with blue ribbons designate tutors and supplemental instruction (SI) leaders from the Center for Academic Achievement. These graduates were selected based on academic performance, faculty recommendations, and interpersonal skills. Each individual must maintain a 3.0 GPA each semester. After selection and completion of an internationally recognized training program, the tutors and SI leaders work diligently to provide one-on-one and group academic assistance to support the success of their fellow students.

### **Emerging Leaders Academy**

The intertwined royal blue, gold, and silver cords signify completion of The Dr. Brenda White Wright Emerging Leaders Academy. Based on principles of servant-leadership, the Emerging Leaders Academy serves to identify, encourage, and equip emerging student leaders with the skills, knowledge, and experience to effectively lead at ETSU and beyond.

### **Expedition Leaders**

The gold stoles designate graduates who are members of the Expedition Leader organization through the Office of Undergraduate Admissions. After selection through a competitive application and interview process, these leaders work to provide an unforgettable on-campus experience for prospective students and guests through the facilitation of campus tours and events. As an indispensable part of our recruitment team, they must maintain at least a 2.5 GPA, uphold the standards of their contract, and meet specific performance objectives.

### **Fine and Performing Arts Scholars Program**

The long stoles of silver designate the Fine and Performing Arts Scholars Program of the ETSU Honors College. These graduates were selected as artistically talented students and have completed a rigorous major or minor in an arts-related field.

### **Honors-in-Discipline Programs**

The bronze medallions on blue and gold ribbons designate the Honors-in-Discipline Programs of the ETSU Honors College. These graduates, selected on the basis of their academic performance, completed a rigorous honors program in their major area of study.

### **International Regalia**

Stoles depicting the colors and/or flags of different countries represent the home countries of ETSU international graduates or the countries where the graduates have participated in significant study abroad experiences as part of their degree programs.

### **Interprofessional Education (IPE) Program**

Graduates who complete the two-year Interprofessional Education Experience offered through the Academic Health Sciences Center are wearing white cords. This experience focused on the four core domains of Interprofessional Education and Practice – Interprofessional Communication, Interprofessional Values and Ethics, Teams and Teamwork, and Roles and Responsibilities. The white color represents the end result when multiple colors of light (representing each profession involved in the experience) pass through a prism and symbolically blend expertise in the Interprofessional Education Experience.

### **Midway Honors Scholars Program**

The long stoles of ETSU blue with gold embroidery designate the Midway Honors Scholars Program of the ETSU Honors College. These graduates were selected as academically talented students who transferred from other colleges and universities and who have completed programs of academic challenge and performance here at ETSU.

### **National Residence Hall Honorary**

The blue and white cords signify membership in the National Residence Hall Honorary, which recognizes the top one percent of residence hall students who are exemplary residential students in academics, leadership, and service.

### **National Society of Collegiate Scholars**

The burgundy and gold cords signify membership in the National Society of Collegiate Scholars, which recognizes students who earned at least a 3.0 GPA in their first and second years of college. The cord shows that the student is a lifetime member of the NSCS, and is committed to the three pillars of scholarship, leadership, and service.

### **Pre-Health Living-Learning Community**

The gold stoles signify membership in the pre-health living-learning community, an interdisciplinary undergraduate community focused on the academic, professional, and personal growth of pre-health students.

### **Preview and Orientation Leader (POLO)**

The Preview and Orientation Leader (POLO) emblem is represented on white stoles trimmed in gold. This emblem is a circle of blue surrounded by a laurel wreath. At the center, in a field of white, is a tree, a burning torch, and the ETSU mascot, Bucky. POLO team members represent themselves as leaders to new Buccaneers through transition programming and campus traditions.

### **Reserve Officers' Training Corps (ROTC)**

Graduates wearing military uniforms participated in ETSU's ROTC program and are newly commissioned officers of the United States Army. These graduates took on the challenge and seized the opportunity to combine world-class leadership and management training with their academic studies here at ETSU.

### **Roan Scholars Leadership Program**

The purple and gray stoles are representative of the prestigious Roan Scholars Leadership Program founded in 1997. Outstanding student-leaders throughout the region are selected based on exemplary character, leadership, intellectual curiosity, physical vigor, and overall leadership potential.

### **Student Veterans of America**

The Student Veterans of America (ETSU Chapter) is a national student organization that recognizes veterans for their service to our country and their continuing excellence in pursuing higher education. The red, white, and blue cords presented proudly by SVA represent the graduate's veteran status while attending ETSU. Yesterday's Warriors, Today's Scholars, Tomorrow's Leaders.

### **University Honors Scholars Program**

The long stoles of antique gold with blue embroidery designate graduates of the University Honors Scholars Program of the ETSU Honors College. These graduates, selected on the basis of academic excellence and well-rounded experiences, have participated in a four-year program of academic challenge and performance at ETSU.

## *The Star-Spangled Banner*

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Oh say, can you see, by the dawn's early light,  
What so proudly we hailed at the twilight's last gleaming?  
Whose broad stripes and bright stars through the perilous fight,  
O'er the ramparts we watched, were so gallantly streaming?  
And the rockets' red glare, the bombs bursting in air,  
Gave proof through the night that our flag was still there.  
Oh say does that star-spangled banner yet wave  
O'er the land of the free and the home of the brave?

## *Alma Mater*

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In the shadow of the mountains,  
Under skies of blue,  
Stands our dear old Alma Mater,  
Glorious to view.  
Sound the chorus, speed it onward;  
Thee we'll never fail!  
Hail to thee, our Alma Mater—  
Hail to thee, all hail!

In thy halls we formed our friendships,  
Dear old college home;  
And to thee we pledge our hearts,  
Wherever we may roam.  
Sound the chorus, speed it onward;  
Thee we'll never fail!  
Hail to thee, our Alma Mater—  
Hail to thee, all hail!

# Banners

