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Marshall Gracious Alma Mater,  
We thy name revere:  
May each noble son and daughter  
Cherish thine honor dear.  
May thy lamp be ever bright  
Guiding us to truth and light;  
As a beacon o'er dark water  
This is for thee our prayer.  

May the years be kind to Marshall;  
May she grow in fame;  
May her children fail her never  
True to her beacon flame.  
May her spirit brave and strong  
Honor right and conquer wrong;  
This the burden of our song  
Ever her truth proclaim.

C.E. and James Haworth
Today’s Ceremony

Welcome to Marshall University on this day of special recognition of our candidates for graduation. We hope you will find this ceremony – a culmination of the efforts of faculty, staff, our students and their families – both meaningful and impressive.

While awaiting the start of the ceremony, you may wish to read the historical notes on West Virginia’s oldest university on the following pages. There also is a brief description and picture of The Grand Mace. The narration on academic heraldry will detail the significance of the costumes worn by the participants in today’s ceremony.

The exercises begin with the traditional entry procession of the candidates for degrees. The degree candidates will be followed by representatives of the faculty and administration. The platform party consisting of the Academic Deans, Honorary Degree recipients, special guests of the President and the President of the University are led to the platform by the Chief Faculty Marshal, a distinguished member of the faculty, bearing The Grand Mace. The placing of The Grand Mace on the platform signifies the solemnity of the occasion and officially denotes the opening of the ceremony.

The University requests that in keeping with the formality of the occasion, once the procession begins; please do not move onto the floor during the ceremony. And, out of respect for the ceremony, please turn off all cellular phones and electronic devices before the procession.

Later in the ceremony, the audience is requested to remain seated when the graduates come forward to be recognized individually. We will have a photographer in place to take each graduate’s picture. We also would like to ask that after the graduates cross the stage and return to their seats, everyone in the audience remain seated until the ceremony is over.

When the President closes the ceremony following the conferring of all degrees, the audience is requested to rise for the traditional singing of the Alma Mater. The audience is requested to be seated following the Alma Mater until the platform party and faculty have recessed.

Once again, welcome to the Commencement Exercises of Marshall University. Enjoy this day of academic celebration with the Marshall Family of faculty, staff and students.
### Academic Procession

- Candidates for Doctoral Degrees
- Candidates for Master's Degrees
- Candidates for Bachelor's Degrees
- Candidates for Associate's Degrees

### Commencement Officials

**Chief Marshal:**
Professor Bonita Lawrence

**Assistant Chief Marshals:**
- Professor Dallas Brozik
- Professor Christopher Cassidy

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**Readers:**
Prof. Robin McCutcheon, Prof. Mary Elizabeth Reynolds, Prof. Judith Silver and Prof. Harlan Smith

**Disclaimer:**
The list of May degree candidates in this program is tentative based on the anticipated successful completion of courses undertaken during the Spring Semester 2011. This document should not be used as an official record for May candidates.
The 174th Commencement Program

President Stephen J. Kopp, Ph.D. Presiding

Precommencement Concert
Marshall University Commencement Band
Professor Steven R. Barnett, M.M., Conducting

Processional – Ceremonial Marches

National Anthem ......................................................... LaKedria C. Johnson-Lozano
Master's Degree Candidate

Invocation ................................................................. A. Stan Maynard, Ph.D.
Professor of Education

Introduction of Guests ............................................. Stephen J. Kopp, Ph.D.
President

Introduction of the Commencement Speaker ........ Stephen J. Kopp, Ph.D.
President

Commencement Address ........................................... Julia Keller, Ph.D.
Pulitzer Prize, 2005
Cultural Critic, Chicago Tribune

Conferring of the Honorary Degree
Candidate presented by ............................................. Stephen J. Kopp, Ph.D.
President

Candidate hooded by ............................................... Frances S. Hensley, Ph.D.
Senior Associate Vice President for Academic Affairs/Dean of Undergraduate Studies

Julia Keller - Doctor of Humane Letters

Recognition of Honored Faculty ............................... Camilla Brammer, Ph.D.
Faculty Senate Chair

Recognition of Graduates Earning Academic Honors ............................................ Frances S. Hensley, Ph.D.
Senior Associate Vice President for Academic Affairs/Dean of Undergraduate Studies

Recognition of Honors College Graduates ................ Mary Todd, Ph.D.
Honors College Dean
Presentation of Doctoral Degree Candidates

Doctor of Education Degree Candidates presented by Dean Teresa R. Eagle, Ed.D.
Doctor of Philosophy Degree Candidates presented by Dean Donna J. Spindel, Ph.D.
Doctor of Psychology Degree Candidates presented by Dean Donna J. Spindel, Ph.D.
Doctor of Management Practice Nurse Anesthesia presented by Dean Donna J. Spindel, Ph.D.

Conferring of Doctoral Degrees

Presentation of Doctoral Diplomas and Investiture of Academic Hoods

Presentation of Associate’s, Bachelor’s, and Master’s Degrees

College of Liberal Arts presented by Dean David J. Pittenger, Ph.D.
College of Health Professions presented by Dean Michael Prewitt, Ph.D.
School of Journalism and Mass Communications presented by
Dean Corley F. Dennison, Ed.D.
College of Education and Human Services presented by Dean Robert B. Bookwalter, Ph.D.
College of Fine Arts presented by Dean Donald L. Van Horn, M.F.A.
College of Business presented by Dean Chong Kim, Ph.D.
College of Information Technology and Engineering presented by
Dean Betsy Dulin, J.D., P.E.
Regents Bachelor of Arts presented by Associate Vice President for Outreach and
Continuing Studies, Rudy Pauley, Ed.D.
College of Science presented by Dean Charles C. Somerville, Ph.D.
Graduate College presented by Dean Donna J. Spindel, Ph.D.

Conferring of Associate’s, Bachelor’s, and Master’s Degrees

Presentation of Associate’s, Bachelor’s, and Master’s Degree Graduates

Alumni Association Greetings.................................................................William “Mickey” Jackson
Marshall University Alumni Association President

Closing................................................................................................................Stephen J. Kopp, Ph.D.
President

Alma Mater .................................................................................................Curtis Edward Brown
Bachelor's Degree Candidate

Recessional.................................................................................................Platform Party and Faculty

The graduates and audience are requested to be seated following the singing of the Alma Mater and remain seated until the platform party and faculty have recessed.
Marshall University traces its origins to the founding of the Marshall Academy in 1837. The Academy was named in honor of John Marshall, the fourth Chief Justice of the United States Supreme Court, who died on July 6, 1835.

The Marshall University community has taken great pride in observing the memory of our namesake, who has been described by modern-day biographer, Jean Edward Smith, a noted member of the Marshall University faculty, as the “Definer of the United States Constitution.” John Marshall was a man for the ages in an era that brought forth greatness. Characterized by others as befitting Thomas Babington Macaulay's description, “He neither sought nor shunned greatness, and found glory only because glory lay in the plain path of duty.”

Chief Justice John Marshall served the Supreme Court in that capacity from 1801 to 1835, the longest serving Chief Justice in United States history. He is widely regarded as having established a broad interpretation of the Constitution of the United States, which established the Constitution as the basis of the American legal system and the “rule of law” as the law of the land. During his tenure as Chief Justice, the Judicial Branch of the new American government rose to a level of importance commensurate with that of the Executive and Legislative Branches.

John Marshall's image is used prominently in both the Marshall University President's Medallion and the Grand Mace of the University. The President's Medallion is the badge of office for the presidency of Marshall University. It consists of a relief carving of the seal of the university, which features the likeness of John Marshall. It is worn by the President when he is participating in formal University ceremonies.
The Grand Mace, a symbol of authority and leadership, is carried by the Chief Marshal of the Faculty at all formal University occasions and is displayed on the platform during these functions. The mace is made from a limb that fell from the Old Beech Tree in front of Old Main on the Huntington campus. The beech tree was part of the original farm on which Marshall Academy was founded, and was a campus fixture until it was toppled by a wind storm in 1987. It was believed to have been more than 300 years old and had initials and marks carved by hundreds of former Marshall students.

The top of the mace consists of a gold-plated bronze casting that features, on one side, the Seal of Marshall University, and, on the other side, the Great Seal of the State of West Virginia. These features are surrounded by beech leaves and the entire casting is crested by a torch, symbolic of academic excellence.

Immediately below the top casting is a four-sided section with carved symbols significant to the history of the University – the tower of Old Main, the Memorial Fountain, the seal of Marshall College, and an American bison (commonly known as a buffalo), official mascot of the institution’s athletic teams. The area immediately surrounding the four carvings features small clusters of beech nuts and leaves.

The center portion of the mace is carved in double-wrap ribbon, one-half inch wide. Between the gaps in the ribbon wraps are carved beech leaves descending in size. The base of the mace is protected by a gold-plated bronze casting of beech leaf clusters. The entire mace weighs about 25 pounds and is 66 inches from the top of the torch to the base.

Both the President’s Medallion and the Grand Mace were created in 1986 by Byron Johnson. Mr. Johnson, an honor graduate of Marshall University, is a renowned wood carver and sculptor, as well as an art teacher in the public schools.
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Noel Bowling
Kathy Chezik
Joe Fuller
Barbara Gayer
Sandra Marra
Michael Moore
Leslie Petteys
Gilbert Ratcliff, Jr.
Maria-Carmen Riddel
Philip Rutsohn
Dewey Sanderson
Gary Saunders
Joe Stone, Jr.

Professor
Associate Professor
Professor
Professor
Associate Professor
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Art & Design
School of Education
Surgery
Reading Education @ MUGC
Communication Disorders
Engineering
School of Education
Nursing
Biochemistry & Microbiology
Music
Pediatrics
Modern Languages
Management, Marketing, MIS
Geology
Accountancy & Legal Environment

Marshall and Shirley Reynolds
Outstanding Teacher Award 2010/11 Recipient

Dan Hollis

Associate Professor
Journalism & Mass Communications

Charles E. Hedrick Outstanding Faculty Award 2010/11 Recipient

Jamie Warner

Professor
Political Science

Distinguished Service Award 2010/11 Recipients

Camilla Brammer
Barbara Gayer
Marcia Harrison

Professor
Professor
Professor

Communication Studies
Special Education
Biological Sciences

Distinguished Artists and Scholars Award 2010/11 Recipients

Richard Aagesa
Rachael Peckham
Thomas Wilson

Professor
Assistant Professor
Professor

Finance & Economics
English
Physics

Pickens/Queen Excellence in Teaching Award 2010/11 Recipients

Maribea Barnes
April Fugett-Fuller
Brent Patterson

Assistant Professor
Assistant Professor
Assistant Professor

Art & Design
Psychology
Art & Design

John & Frances Rucker Graduate Advisor of the Year Award 2010/11 Recipients

Mike Cunningham
Piyali Dasgupta

Professor
Assistant Professor

Leadership Studies @ MUGC
Pharmacology, Physiology, Toxicology

Sarah Denman Faces of Appalachia Award 2010/11 Recipient

Donna Sullivan

Associate Professor
Sociology
Academic Heraldry

The academic costumes worn in the procession of today’s Commencement and at other formal University occasions trace their origins to those worn by faculty and students at medieval European universities. With only minor modifications these costumes have remained largely unchanged since the 16th century. Standards for colleges and universities in the United States were established in 1895 with the adoption of an Intercollegiate Code which specifies design and color appropriate for various degrees. As in medieval times the costumes worn on formal academic occasions denote the wearer’s academic heritage.

Modern academic costume consists of three parts: the gown or robe, a headpiece, and a hood. The style of the gown denotes the wearer’s level of education. The baccalaureate gown is the simplest in design. Usually black, it is distinguished by a wide yoke with shirring in front and back and by open flowing sleeves which end in a point. The baccalaureate gown is worn closed.

The master’s gown is similar to the baccalaureate gown except that it has a closed or glove sleeve which is open at the wrist. The master’s gown has no other trim and may be worn either open or closed.

The doctoral gown is full flowing and has large bell shaped sleeves. It is trimmed with velvet panels down the front and has velvet chevrons on the sleeves. While black is still the predominate color for doctoral gowns, the trim may be in a color which denotes the wearer’s discipline or the color of the gown may denote the wearer’s university.

The mortar board is the headpiece most often worn at American universities for formal occasions. It is appropriately worn with the board flat on the top of the head and with the tassel falling from the left quarter of the board. Tassel colors usually denote the field of discipline in which the wearer’s degree was earned. Doctoral tassels are often gold. The soft velvet Tudor cap is also worn by many who hold the doctorate.

While the gown and headpiece denote the wearer’s level of education, it is the hood which adds meaning and dimension to the academic costume. Changed little since medieval times, the hood is worn falling from the shoulders down the back of the gown in a display of vivid color. It is edged in velvet which by its color denotes the field of discipline in which the wearer’s degree was earned and it is lined in two colors of silk which represents the college or university from which the degree was earned. Hence the Marshall University hood is lined in green and white and edged with the appropriate discipline color.

A partial listing from the Intercollegiate Code for colors signifying academic disciplines follows:

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At Marshall University, holders of the bachelor and associate degrees do not wear hoods. The color of the tassel on their caps indicates the level of academic excellence achieved in pursuit of their respective degrees.
Profile of Marshall University

The early history of Marshall University is filled with colorful events and people.

To put things in chronological perspective, the academic saga started in 1837 when the good citizens of Guyandotte and the farming country to the west—now the city of Huntington—decided they needed an annual school to provide for the education of their youngsters.

Tradition records they met at the home of John Laidley, who assumed leadership of the project and named the new school Marshall Academy in honor of his friend, the late Chief Justice John Marshall. They decided to locate their new school on a knoll known as "Maple Grove," site of a small log building called Mount Hebron Church. The structure also had served for some time as a subscription school for the area.

It wasn't until March 30, 1838, that the General Assembly of Virginia passed an act formally incorporating Marshall Academy and appointing Laidley and eight other men as trustees.

On June 30 of that year, the trustees purchased from James and Lucy Holderby the one and one-fourth acre lot containing their log "academy." The price: $40. That land is now the site of Old Main.

The trustees proceeded to build a new two-story, brick building, 22 feet wide and 50 feet long, containing four rooms. It was completed by February, 1839.

The first full school term was conducted in 1838-39. In 1850, the academy and its financial obligations were accepted by the Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South. In 1858, Marshall Academy was renamed Marshall College.

Due to financial problems the property was sold at public auction in 1861.

Ms. Salina Mason bought the land and building for $1,500 for her father, John W. Hite. He was a Confederate sympathizer and could not appear in court in his own behalf. For the next few years, Hite and his family lived in the college building.

During at least part of the war, a small school, probably a subscription school, was maintained at the college—fulfilling a provision in the original deed from James Holderby which specified it was to be used "...for the express purpose of an Academy (sic) and for no other use." The building also was used as a hospital during part of the conflict.

Meanwhile, the new state of West Virginia had recognized the need for an institution to train teachers to serve the state's public schools.

On Feb. 27, 1867, the Legislature voted approval of a bill establishing a "state normal school" to be located at Marshall College.

In order to get the college reopened, the voters of Cabell County approved a property tax levy amounting to $5,000. The state also appropriated funds and on Aug. 1, 1867, the school's regents purchased the lot and building from Mrs. Mason for $3,600.

The first session of Marshall College as a state normal school began June 15, 1868, and lasted 10 weeks.

In 1905, construction was started on the final section of Old Main. This is the familiar "towers" segment facing the main entrance to the campus on Hal Greer Boulevard. With its completion, Old Main consisted of five sections.

Athletics got their start at Marshall with the first football team being fielded in 1898. The Marshall teams originally were known as the Blue and Black, but the now-familiar Green and White colors had been adopted by 1904.

In 1907, Marshall was still strictly a secondary school. By 1912, the regents had added two years of study to the school's program, equivalent to the freshman and sophomore years in college.

In 1914, President Corbly recommended that "...Marshall College should be made a 'college' in fact as well as in official name—a degree-conferring institution."

In 1920, the State Board of Education approved Marshall's granting of a bachelor's degree in education. Teachers College conferred degrees upon four candidates in June, 1921.

The years ahead saw steady academic and physical expansion and Marshall became a university in 1961. Today, Marshall has an enrollment of nearly 14,200, a full-time faculty of about 700 and about 370 part-time instructors.

The small academy has become a major university, functioning through 13 divisions: Marshall University Graduate College, the College of Information Technology and Engineering, Elizabeth McDowell Lewis College of Business, College of Education and Human Services, College of Fine Arts, College of Liberal Arts, College of Science, Joan C. Edwards School of Medicine, W. Page Pitt School of Journalism and Mass Communications, College of Health Professions, Honors College, School of Extended Education, and Graduate School of Education and Professional Development.

Marshall has two major campuses—a main campus in Huntington and the Marshall University Graduate College in South Charleston—along with several learning centers including the Joan C. Edwards School of Medicine; the Marshall Medical Center; the Learning Resource Center in Gilbert; the Teays Valley Regional Center in Putnam County; the Mid-Ohio Valley Center in Point Pleasant; the Southern Mountain Center in Logan; the Robert C. Byrd Institute for Advanced Flexible Manufacturing, and the Public Higher Education Center in Beckley.
Class of 2011 Honor Graduates

Bachelor Degree Candidates

The Bachelor Degree honor graduates are distinguished by cords and tassels worn with their caps and gowns. The Summa Cum Laude graduates are distinguished by the Green and White Cords and White Tassels. The Magna Cum Laude graduates are distinguished by the Gold Cords and Tassels. The Cum Laude graduates are distinguished by the Red Cords and Tassels.

### Summa Cum Laude
**Green & White Cord & White Tassel**

These students have attained an over-all academic average of 3.85 to 4.00.

- Ennis Ayla Barbery
- Rachel Perry Blake
- Geston David Churchill Brumfield
- Cameron D. Buchman
- Katherine Elizabeth Budden
- Kelley Ann Bugler
- Angela Louise Bumgarner
- Calin Joseph Burger
- Jennifer Lynn Byrd
- Amy Elizabeth Cattrell
- Christopher Lindsey Chadwick
- Angela Colleen Chandler
- Kathleen M. Clark
- Ivy Grace Clarkson
- Daniel Patrick Collins
- Elizabeth Anne Fleming
- Molly Romayne Gallagher
- Ian Michael Gaunt
- Brandon Tyler George
- Molly Elizabeth Ginger
- Wesley Matthew Hager
- Henry David Heisey
- Jessica Nicole Hughes
- Sara Beth Hutchinson
- Brittany Frances Ireland
- Rebekah Janette Jamieson
- Wendie Nicole Jordan
- Justin Michael Kazee
- Jill Elizabeth Lansden
- Jessica Ann Layne
- Casey Dawn McCallister
- Andrew M. Merritt
- Zachary Luke Merritt
- Kamryn Christine Midkiff
- Kenneth Robert Mullen
- Chad Tyler Pemberton
- Melanie Marie Pleiss
- Kaitlin Margaret Reed
- Bailey B. Reynolds
- Robert J. Richardson
- Jessica Lynn Rogerson
- Niki Allison Rowe
- Holyann Noel Schiller
- Jay K. Sisson
- Amanda K. Skeens
- Hannah Sue Smith
- Staci Ann Ligouria Standiford
- Patrick Lee Stewart
- Margaret Jan Stonestreet
- Angela N. Taylor
- Catherine A. Togger
- Samantha Lynn Turley
- Alexandra Lynn Vaclavek
- Aaron Myles Williamson
- Elijah Alderson Wise
- Crystal L. Woody
- Jenna Marie Workman
- Olivia V. Wymer
- Michael Vaughn Baxter Bledsoe
- Benjamin Patrick Blodgett
- Kyra Ann Brodwater
- Angelina Browning
- Stephanie Lea Bumgarner
- Whitney Marie Burdette
- Brittany NaCole Caldwell
- Beth Ann Carlton
- Mary Louann Chapman
- Elizabeth Marie Cochran
- Erin Michelle Collins
- Chelsea Chantel Cormer
- Hannah Michelle Cooper
- Emily Elizabeth Corley
- Samantha M. Cotsmire
- Jonathan Robert Crowder
- Hannah Nicole Davis
- Katherine Elizabeth Davis
- Robert Carl DeMuth
- Brianna Cathleen Dickerson
- Byron David Dodson
- Jessica Rae Elliott
- Stella R. Estep
- Rebecca Beville Falcon
- Jeremy Scott Ferrell
- Christopher Heath Fine
- Casey Eric Fitzpatrick
- Stephen Thomas Fleming
- Ryan David Frampton
- John C. Fredeking
- Ashley Nicole Freye
- Whitney Jo Garner
- Kristina Rae Garrett
- Alex Keith George
- Thomas Michael Glennon
- Dalton E. Hadlock
- Mark J. Hagy
- Darlene M. Hardwick
- Cristin Rebecca Haught
- Lindsay Nicole Hawk
- Jacob Kearney Hensel
- Maryellen Marie Hill
- Megan Nicole Hunt
- Danielle Megan Ingram
Cum Laude
Red Cord & Red Tassel

These students have attained an overall academic average of 3.30 to 3.59.

Maria Aiello
Trenton Andrew Aitken
Samantha Marie Anderson
Ciara Dawn Arnold
Carah Shane Arrtrip
Kendra Lynne Arvon
Carol Lee Bailey
Kati Elizabeth Bailey
Jodi Dee Baisden
Kimberly Jean Beach-Shaffer
Kerissa Jane Bennett
Stephen Cooper Bergstrom
Jake Henry Billmyer
Gregory Scott Bills
Conrad Tyler Blackburn
Jared AdamBlankenship
Christopher Brice Boelter
Sarah Kristen Bonham
Lori Jae Boswell
Robert C. Bowers
Courtney Noel Boyer
Emilly Marie Brooks
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Robert Darren Brumfeld
Gloria Kay Burdette
Anthony Donald Bush
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Robert Benjamin Calderwood
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Dionne L. Canterbury
Elizabeth A. Canterbury
Leanninda Lin Carey
Latisha Rochelle Carr
John Thomas Caudill
Katherine Lucille Cavis
Cary Patrick Child

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Mona Christine Drake
Staci Nicole Drury
Erika L. Duncan
William Ramon Thomas
Edwards
Jacob Franklin Eller
Michael Lee Elmore
Lauren Ashley Fairbanks
Stephen Matthew Ferrell
Meghan Elise Fillinger
Christopher John Finlay
Christopher Thomas Fitzpatrick
Brian Lewis Floyd
Eric Michael Flynn
Kristen Gail Footo
Lane Andrew Fowler
Noah Zackary Fraley
James Michael France
Jordan Lea Gaal
Don E. Garrison
Rylee Grace Geneal
Julie Ashley Goedel
Shayne Leigh Goedel
Erin Kathryn Grimm
Jessica Leigh Gunn
Joseph Benjamin Haaf
Ashley N. Hardin
Elizabeth Lynn Hardin
Christina Nicole Harvey
Kayla Elizabeth Hatfield
Mary Margaret Heath
Marlowe Wynne Hereford
Nathan Kyle Hill
Jenaer Robin Hinchman
Mari Holliday
Sarah Beth Holliday
Melanie Elizabeth Horn
Adam Clay Howerton
Chelsey Lavonne Hughes
Carly Eileen Jividen
Korey Jo Jividen
Amber Renee Johnson
Melody Rose Jordan
Heather Ashley Julian
Kristin Lynn Kelley
Megan Michelle Kelly
Sophia Ione Kelz
Erin Catherine Kennedy
Wisam Majed Khader
Chassity Rachelle Kirk
Zachary Shane Lanham
Zachary Daniel Lauffer
Erika Rose Lawson
Matthew Todd Layne
Richard Thomas Legg
Debra Kay Leonard
Jeremy Nathaniel Litton
Tinia M. Lucas
Erin Elizabeth Lynd
Laura Elaine Mader
Ashley Dawn Mannon
Jennifer Marie Marinacci
Jessica Eve Marsh
Andrew Scott Martin
Ashley F. Martin
Ashley Marie Matheny
Heather Marie McCallister
Kayla Jo McClaskey
Curtis Aaron McComas
Kendrick Edward McElfish
Kara Beth McNeely
Gregory Scott Miller
Melissa Ann Moore
Danilo Rezende Froes d Moraes
Jenae Nicole Moreno
Joshua Kevin Morgan
Bethany J. Morris
Whitney Afton Naylor-Smith
Anna Kathleen Neil
Tresa Anne Nelms
Marissa D. Nelson
Sarah K.Nibert
Jessica Morgan Nicholson
Mark Robert Nutter
Olivia Marie Nutter
Andrew Stephen O’Neal
Elizabeth Emily Orton
Jenna Danielle Palmer
Kathleen Elisabeth Parsley
Lenza Elyce Paul
Heather Dawn Payne
Adam Jacob Phillips
Andrea Dawn Poe
Angelique Marie Price
Wynema Nicole Prince
Kristen Samantha Pritchard
Rachel Lynn Randall
Krista Brooke Ratliff-Bias
Megan C. Ray
Steven Thomas Reed
Vanessa Aileen Ridgway
Steven Patrick Romano
Patricia A. Ross
Mikaela Rubenstein
Brandon Cody Sabol
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Zilla Joan Sansom
Lynn Ann Scalise
Kristin Nichole Schroeder
Emily Jo Shamblin
Jia Shen
Tyler Christopher Shoub
Jameson Evan Smith
Theresa Marie Smith
Yezenia Grisel Soto
Megan Marie Springman
Sean Martin Staley
Diana Marie Starkweather
Danielle Nicole Stephens
Abigail Emilie Stewart
Amanda Beth Stewart
Natalie Rachelle Stover
Brandon Lee Sunbury
Ryan Sotero Svingos
Patricia Ann Szerszen
Ye Tao
Melissa Renata Terry
Carly Ann Thiel
Alicia Nicole Thomas
Leslie Caitlin Toney
Steven Patrick Turner
Christopher Michael Tyree
Natasha Nichole Vance
Natalie Tess Vanderpool
Hao Wang
Jacqueline Nicole Webb
Loren Candace Wells
Victoria L. Wheeler
Jennifer S. White
Tiffany LeeAnn White
Christian Lee Conrad Whitt
Ryan Daniel Whorton
Jewelia Mae Williams
Joshua Kenneth Williams
Amory Kenitia Wilson
Associate Degree Candidates

With High Honors
These students have attained an over-all academic average of 3.70 to 4.00.
Royal Blue Cord & Royal Blue Tassel

Karen Sue Howerton
Mary Christine Petran
Kathleen Mavourneen Siegrist

With Honors
These students have attained an over-all academic average of 3.30 to 3.69.
Royal Blue Cord & Royal Blue Tassel

Howard Lee Early
Audrey Marie Griffith
Leslie N. Horton
Elizabeth Nicole Mullins
Brittany Nicole Myers
Heather Grace Sims
Billie Jo Talbott
The Honors College

Candidates Presented by Mary Todd, Dean

Alyssa Nicole Adkins
University Honors

Elizabeth Anne Fleming
University Honors

Brittany Dawn Milhoan
University Honors

Jackie Lee Baisden
University Honors

Ellen Kastner Moore
University Honors

John Marshall Scholar
Yeager Scholar

Jordan Lea Gaal
University Honors

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Ian Michael Gault
University Honors

Bethany J. Morris
University Honors

Alyssa Nicole Adkins
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Elizabeth Anne Fleming
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Military Commissions

United States Army
Reserve Officer’s Training Corps Battalion

The following individuals were commissioned as Second Lieutenants in the United States Army at Marshall University on May 6, 2011

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Candidates and Degrees Granted

College of Education
and Human Services

Candidates presented by Robert B. Bookwalter, Dean

Candidates for Degrees May 07, 2011

Bachelor of Arts

Nicholas L. Adams
Maria Aiello
Heather Marie Allison
Brian Walter Anderson
Samantha Marie Anderson
Melissa Lynn Arthur
Kendra Lynne Arvon
Justin Lee Baidsen
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Wilson Tyler Grimmett
Isaac Lee Hollon
Sarah Beth Hutchinson
Megan Michelle Kelly
Grant Edward Labarbara
Gregory Alan Lake
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Morgan K. Vance
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Susan Claire Velte
Catherine Anne Weber
Aaron Matthew Wellman
Jennifer S. White
Jewelisa Mae Williams
Lindsay Taylor Winfield
Emily Beth Withrow
Ashley Lynn Witt
Rachel Lynn Workman
Olivia V. Wymer
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Bachelor of Arts

Christina Ann Adams
Alyssa Nicole Adkins
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Dustin Wesley Allen
Victoria Barnard Allen
Tara Julianna Allman
Jackie Lee Baisden
Daniel Edward Ball
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Ennis Ayla Barber
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Kayla Ann Ruh
Holyann Noel Schiller
Anjellica Nicole Scott
Tyler Christopher Shoub
Joshua Morgan Sime
Christopher Joseph Simmons
Ami Michelle Sirbaugh
Samantha A. Sisk
Laura Caroline Skewes
Adam Lewis Slone
Bobbie Jo Smith
Chance Andrew Reid Smith
Theresa Marie Smith
Eric Holden Springer
Aarika Leigh Stanley  Jennifer Leigh Thornton  Courtney Lauren Westfall
Brittany Elaine Stanley  Amanda Beth Tignor  Amanda M. Williams
Marshall John Stenson  Ryan Anthony Tillman  Maya Amy Williams
Adam Ketner Strider  Carissa Michelle Tufts  Elijah Alderson Wise
Alexandria Ellen Sturgill  Kayla Suzanne Turner  Steven Jacob Wolowinski
Ryan Sotero Svingos  Brittany Michelle Vance  Zachary Dane Woods
Angela N. Taylor  Natalie Tess Vanderpool  Crystal L. Woody
Amy Michelle Terry  Jordan Mikka Waddell  Kayla Anne Young
DeMetrius James Thompson  Kimberly Renee Walters  Mikhaela Elizabeth Young
Madeleine Anne Thompson  Owen Alexander West

Bachelor of Science

Noah Zachary Fraley
Candidates for Degrees May 07, 2011

Bachelor of Business Administration

Anna Elizabeth Adkins
Pedro Jose Agenjo Pila
Aftab S. Ahmad
Joshua David Allen
Robert J. Balis
Jared Ryan Barker
Kristin Lea Bateman
Kristen Rebecca Berquist
Nicholas Hunter Blankenship
Leigh Anne Booth
Glen Ross Burgraff
Anthony Donald Bush
Sonya Mae Butcher
Lauren B. Caldwell
Timothy John Campbell
Amy Elizabeth Cattrell
Kathleen M. Clark
Martin Taylor Clay
Elizabeth Marie Cochran
JoAnn D. Combs
Raymond Franklin Cousins
Cody Allen Cremeans
Elizabeth Ann Davis
Garrett Ray Davis
Mark Christopher Deal
Zachary David Deal
Erin Colleen Deegan
Erin Miachele Donley
Zachary C. Duncan
Courtneyn Dontavious Edmonson
Michael Lee Elmore
Lauren Ashley Fairbanks
Shane Edward Farrell
Jeremy Scott Ferrell
Nathan Allen Freeman
Amanda Elizabeth Garrido
Julie Ashley Goedel
Shayne Leigh Goedel
Jeremy Ian Goodman
Matthew S. Graham
Michael Tyler Grant
Jeremiah Ryan Greenleaf
Jessica Leigh Gunn
Dalton E. Hadlock
Mark J. Hagy
Angela Christina Hamrick
Christopher Lee Harris
Sara Elizabeth Holcomb
Melanie Elizabeth Horn
Jessica Nicole Hughes
Danielle Megan Ingram
Zhe Ji
Carly Eileen Jividen
Taylor Reed Johnson
Ian Joseph Kadish
Ryan Gregory Kelly
Keisha Sharon Keys
Michaela Kyrie Kissell
Lola Nicole Lackey
Kyle Gregory Lambert
Jill Elizabeth Lansden
Zachary Daniel Lauffer
James Lavinskas
Richard Thomas Legg
Clayton Herman Lehmkuhle
Chelsea Marie Lemons
Wendy Gale Lincoln
Morgan Cathlene Lucado
Kyle Franklin Lundy
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