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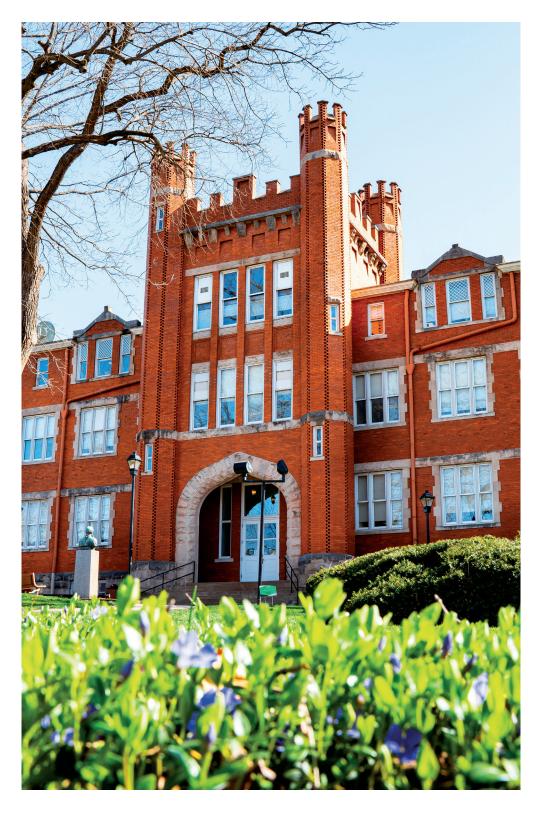
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The One Hundred Eighty-Seventh Commencement Marshall University

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 platform party consisting of the Academic Deans, Honorary Degree recipients, special guests of the President and the President of the University being 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.

Following the singing of the Alma Mater, graduates will be presented with their degrees on stage. The audience is requested to remain seated following the Alma Mater until the platform party and faculty have recessed which will signal the end of the program. Once again, welcome to the 2024 Commencement exercises of Marshall University.

Enjoy this day of academic celebration with the Marshall Family of faculty, staff and students.

Marshall University Board of Governors

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Prof. Lisa Heaton	Prof. Gretchen Prather	Prof. Debra Young
Prof. Sissy Isaacs	Prof. Brad Profitt	Prof. Sandy York
Prof. Cynthia Jones	Prof. Lisa Ramsburg	Prof. Mark Zanter
Prof. Joshua Caleb Keck		

Chief Usher:

Professor Raid Al-Aqtash

Assistant Chief Usher:

Professor Margie Phillips

Distinguished members of the Marshall University faculty serve as Commencement Ushers.

Readers:

Professor Marybeth Beller, Professor John Colclough, Professor April Fugett, Professor Derrick Kolling, Professor Boniface Noyongoyo, Professor Kimberly McFall, Professor Zelideth Rivas, Professor Kateryna Schray

Members of the Marching Thunder

Professor Martin W. Saunders, Director of the School of Music

Disclaimer:

The list of April degree candidates in this program is tentative based on the anticipated successful completion of courses undertaken during the Spring Semester 2024. This document should not be used as an official record for April candidates.

Spring Commencement Program

April 27, 2024 | 9:00 a.m. Ceremony

President Brad D. Smith, Presiding

Musical Selections Members of the Marching Thunder Professor Martin W. Saunders, Director of the School of Music

Processional		
National Anthem	BA, Secondary Education Graduate	
Moment of Reflection	Brad D. Smith President	
Opening Remarks	President Smith	
Greetings		
	Shawn Schulenberg Chair, Faculty Senate	
	D. Scott Davis Chair, Graduate Council	
	Tony Waugh Chair, Classified Staff Council	
	Walker Tatum President, Student Government Association	
Introduction of the Commencement Speaker	President Smith	
Commencement Address		
Conferring of the Honorary Degree		
Candidate presented by	President Smith	
Candidate hooded by	Avinandan Mukherjee Provost and Senior Vice President	
Christopher Paul Gardner - Doctor of Humane Letters		
Recognition of Graduates Earning Academic Honors	Provost Mukherjee	
Recognition of Honors College Graduates	Brian A. Hoey Dean, Honors College	

Recognition of Doctoral Degree Candidates Doctor of Business Administration by Dean Don R. Capener Doctor of Education Degree Candidates by Dean Teresa R. Eagle Doctor of Nursing Anesthesia Practice by Dean Don R. Capener			
Conferring of Doctoral Degrees President Smith			
Recognition of Physician Assistant Candidates			
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Conferring of Associate's and Bachelor's Degrees President Smith			
Moving of the Tassel			
Alumni Association Greetings			
Closing Remarks			
Alma Mater			
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April 27, 2024 | 2:00 p.m. Ceremony

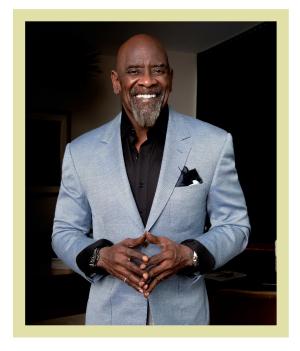
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	Shawn Schulenberg Chair, Faculty Senate
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Joan Constance Browni	ng - Doctor of Letters
Remarks	Joan C. Browning Freedom Rider

Recognition of Graduates Earning Academic Honors	Provost Mukherjee Senior Vice President
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Commencement Speaker



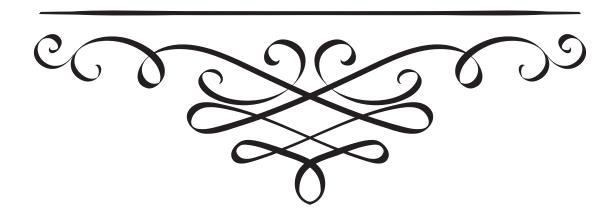
Chris Gardner is an acclaimed American businessman, motivational speaker, and author. Gardner's remarkable journey from homelessness to success has inspired millions of people around the world. As the founder and CEO of a brokerage firm, he has demonstrated exceptional resilience, determination, and compassion throughout his illustrious career.

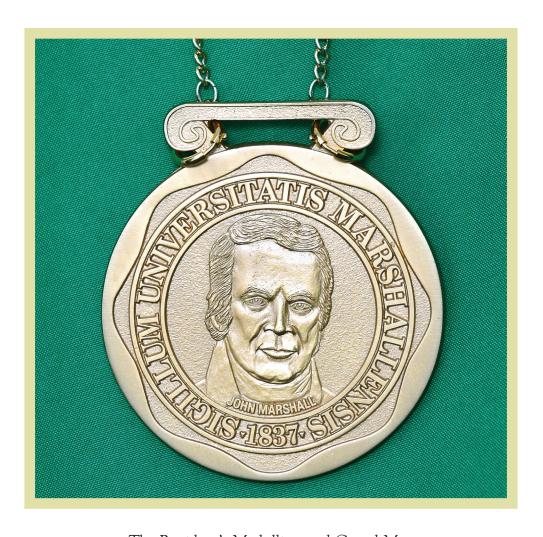
Gardner's bestselling autobiography, "The Pursuit of Happyness," was made into a movie starring Will Smith in 2006. After struggling with homelessness while raising his toddler son, Gardner became a stockbroker and eventually founded a

brokerage firm, now known as Gardner Rich & Co in 1987.

The native of Milwaukee, Wisconsin, was born in 1954. Gardner was in the U.S. Navy for four years, stationed at Camp Lejeune in North Carolina, where he was a hospital corpsman. Nowadays Gardner is a philanthropist who sponsors charitable organizations, the most prominent being the Cara Program and the Glide Memorial United Methodist Church in San Francisco, where he received shelter while homeless.

Gardner has spoken previously at the Hampton University graduation in 2008 and at the University of California, Berkeley's Spring 2009 graduation ceremony.





The President's Medallion and Grand Mace

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 biographer, Jean Edward Smith, an esteemed member of the Marshall University faculty until his death in 2019, 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 towers 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.

Faculty with 25 or more years of service as of April 2024

Name	College	MU Years
Ronald Childress	College of Education and Professional Development	49
Dennis Emmett	Lewis College of Business	48
Philip Carter	College of Health Professions	45
Gary Rankin	School of Medicine	45
Diana Stotts	College of Health Professions	43
John Vielkind	College of Liberal Arts	43
James Riemer	College of Liberal Arts	41
Jamil M. Chaudri	College of Engineering and Computer Science	40
Patricia Kelly	School of Medicine	40
Charles Bailey	College of Arts and Media	39
Laura Adkins	College of Science	38
Marjorie McInerney	Lewis College of Business	38
Ron Titus	University Libraries	38
Monica Valentovic	School of Medicine	38
Michael Castellani	College of Science	36
Edward (Mike) Murphy	College of Arts and Media	36
Sasha Zill	School of Medicine	36
Rabah Boukhemis	School of Medicine	35
Nosratollah Chahryar-Namini	College of Science	35
Elizabeth Reed Smith	College of Arts and Media	35
Jagannath Valluri	College of Science	35
Jeremy Barris	College of Liberal Arts	34
W. Edwin Bingham	College of Arts and Media	34
David Castleberry	College of Arts and Media	34
Joseph Evans	School of Medicine	34
Dae Sung Ha	Lewis College of Business	34
Thomas Linz	College of Liberal Arts	34
Kathleen O'Hanlon	School of Medicine	34
Stephen Petrany	School of Medicine	34
Robert Rubenstein	College of Education and Professional Development	34
Joseph Werthammer	School of Medicine	34
Ariyadasa Aluthge	College of Science	33
Dennis Anderson	College of Education and Professional Development	33
Wendell Dobbs	College of Arts and Media	33
Alan Horwitz	College of Science	33
Majed Khader	University Libraries	33
Michael Norton	College of Science	33
Evelyn Pupplo	College of Science	33
Todd Green	School of Medicine	32
Marianna Linz	College of Liberal Arts	32
Elsa Mangiarua	School of Medicine	32
David Denning	School of Medicine	31
Christopher LeGrow	College of Liberal Arts	31
Paula Lucas	College of Education and Professional Development	31
Suzanne Strait-Holman	College of Science	31
Stephen Tipler	University Libraries	31
Ralph Webb	School of Medicine	31
Ricky Weible	Lewis College of Business	31
Silvestre Cansino	School of Medicine	30
Beverly Delidow	School of Medicine	30
Lynne Goebel	School of Medicine	30

Faculty with 25 or more years of service as of April 2024

Lawrence Grover	School of Medicine	30
Barbara Nicholson	College of Education and Professional Development	30
W. Mitchel Shaver	School of Medicine	30
Mark Studeny	School of Medicine	30
Elizabeth Alexander	Lewis College of Business	29
Adel Faltaous	School of Medicine	29
Victor Fet	College of Science	29
Richard Garnett	College of Liberal Arts	29
James Hall	College of Arts and Media	29
David Jude	School of Medicine	29
J. Michael Waldeck	School of Medicine	29
Rebecca Appleton	College of Health Professions	28
Kevin Conaway	School of Medicine	28
Montserrat Miller	College of Liberal Arts	28
Jeffrey Powell	College of Liberal Arts	28
Darshana Shah	School of Medicine	28
Kateryna Schray	College of Liberal Arts	27
Paulette Wehner	School of Medicine	28
Timothy Burbery	College of Liberal Arts	27
Leslie Frost	College of Science	27
Robert Morgan	College of Science	26
William Price	College of Science	27
John Colclough	College of Arts and Media	26
Patricia Lutz	School of Medicine	26
Kevin McCann	School of Medicine	26
David Hermon	College of Educational and Professional Development	26
Eric Migernier	College of Liberal Arts	26
Barbara O'Byrne	College of Educational and Professional Development	26
Kelli Williams	College of Health Professions	26
Dan Hollis	College of Arts and Media	25
Thelma Isaacs	College of Education and Professional Development	25
Gary McIlvain	College of Health Professions	25
Melissa Reed	College of Education and Professional Development	25
Howard Reynolds	College of Arts and Media	25
Paris Webb	University Libraries	25

Recognition of Honored Faculty

Retiring Faculty 2023-2024

Arivadasa Aluthge Professor Mathematics

Ruthann Arneson Associate Professor Undergraduate Teacher Education

Jeffrey BoggessInstructorPsychologyGayle BrazeauProfessorPharmacyPhillip CarterProfessorSocial WorkMenashi CohenfordProfessorChemistryNorman CottrillAssistant ProfessorPediatrics

Davide Mauro Associate Professor Computer Science and Electrical Engineering

Nega Dobela Professor Elementary and Secondary Education

Associate Professor Debra Greene Nursing David Hermon Professor Counseling Professor Majed Khader Library Marty Laubach Professor Sociology Associate Professor Elsa Mangiarua Pharmacology Ronald Martino Professor Geology Robert Morgan Associate Professor Chemistry Edward (Mike) Murphy Professor Theatre Assistant Professor Pharmacy Lisa Nord Professor Robert Rubenstein Counseling Elizabeth Reed Smith Professor Music Professor Joseph Shapiro Medicine Kathie Williams Professor History Charles Yarbrough Chair Dermatology

Distinguished Service Award 2023-2024

Wendell Dobbs Professor Music
Keith Beard Professor Psychology
Kelli Williams Professor Dietetics

Charles E. Hedrick Outstanding Faculty Award 2023-2024

Laura Michele Diener Professor History

Marshall and Shirley Reynolds Outstanding Teacher Award 2023-2024

Laura McCunn-Jordan Professor Chemistry

Pickens-Queen Teacher Award 2023-2024

Andrew Morelock Assistant Professor Political Science

Leslie-Dawn Quick Assistant Professor Criminal Justice, Criminology, and Forensic Sciences

Julie Snyder-Yuly Assistant Professor Communication Studies

Recognition of Honored Faculty

Council of Chairs Excellence in Teaching Award 2023-2024

Matthew Smith Assistant Professor Art and Design

Distinguished Artists & Scholars Award 2023-2024

Senior Recipient for Arts, Social Sciences, Humanities, Education & Business

Sarah McDermott Associate Professor Art and Design

Senior Recipient for Sciences & Technology

Rosalynn Quinones Associate Professor Chemistry

Junior Recipient in All Fields

Roozbeh (Ross) Salary Assistant Professor Mechanical and Industrial Engineering

Hedrick Faculty Teaching Fellowship Award 2024-2025

Meghan Hancock Assistant Professor English

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:

AgricultureMaize	MusicPink
Arts and Humanities	Nursing Apricot
Business Administration	Oratory (Speech)Silver Gray
DentistryLilac	PharmacyOlive Green
EconomicsCopper	Philosophy
EducationLight Blue	Physical Education
EngineeringOrange	-
Fine Arts and Architecture Brown	Public Administration Peacock Blue
Forestry Russet	Public HealthSalmon Pink
Home Economics Maroon	Science
JournalismCrimson	Social ScienceCream
Law Purple	Social WorkCitron
Library ScienceLemon	Theology or DivinityScarlet
Medicine Green	Veterinary ScienceGray

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 days of Marshall University are filled with rich history and traditions.

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 youth.

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. 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."

The years ahead saw steady academic and physical expansion and Marshall became a university in 1961. Marshall has an enrollment of about 13,300, a full-time instructional faculty of 816 and 230 part-time instructors.

The small academy has become a major university, functioning through the following 12 academic units: the Graduate Studies; the College of Engineering and Computer Sciences; the College of Business; the College of Education and Professional Development; the College of Arts and Media; the College of Liberal Arts; the College of Science; the Joan C. Edwards School of Medicine; the University College; the College of Health Professions, the Honors College and the School of Pharmacy.

Marshall has two major campuses, one in Huntington and one 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 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.

Marshall continues to grow academically, adding a Doctor of Physical Therapy program and a School of Pharmacy in 2012. The inaugural physical therapy class graduated in 2015 with 27 students. The School of Pharmacy's first class graduated in 2016. The Division of Aviation programs and a Physician Assistant program are now also offered at Marshall.

Class of 2024 Honor Graduates Bachelor Degree Candidates

Summa Cum Laude

Green & White Cord & White Tassel

The students have attained an overall academic average of 3.85 to 4.00.

Aaron Sean Adkins **Emily Beth Adkins** Nicole Delenn Adkins Savanah Hope Adkins Tyama Amro Al-Astral Kenly Logan Arbogast Arianna Jewel Baggett Holly Elizabeth Baker Paige Elizabeth Banton Jacob S. Bartholomew Samantha Rose Bujak Karsyn Haley Nicole Campbell Alexis G. Campbell Gina Lynn Cantoral Lauren Ashley Carroll Chase Gentry Casto Amanda Suzanne Chapman Makayla Lee Chibuzo Gabrielle Agathe Clairotte Trace Allen Clark Vanessa Elizabeth Coffman Reid Andrew Collins Mary Claire Combs Amelia Emmanuelle Cox Allison Renee Cramer Garret Ray Cummings Morris Franz Duggan Nathan Thomas Ellis Khaled Aley El-Din El-Shazly Emily Paige Fox Ryan Preston Frasure Madison Riley Freeman Claire Averie Fulks Caden Doss Fuller Madison G. Gibbs Rieke Gillar Dakota Ryan Gilliam Ashley Taylor Grimmett Isha Gupta

Emily Nicole Harper Madison Grace Harper Madeline Joy Hart Tyler Rae Hebert Kirsten Laina Hesson Sydnee Elizabeth Holley Kinsey Noelle Hudson Peyton Scott Hughes Alia Cynthia Kibler Alison Faye Klaiber Keturah Michelle Knight **Emily Rose Lambert** Aaron Luther Larkins, Jr. Nathaniel James Lawson Alaina Marie Laster Alexander Garrett Laverty Jamison Owens Lewis Nicole Renee Liang Reagan Sidney Light Ethan G. Lilly Shawna Nicole Lockard Joshua Dean Chase Maddy Kylee Christine Mastin John Samuel McGrath Sarah Elizabeth McGuffey Macy Brianna McKnight Meredith Kave Mears Haley Marie Milhoan Olivia Reeves Moncada Kushal Jignesh Modi Tyler Thomas Moore Madilyn Grace Morgan Emily Grace Neal Karli Annalise Neal Tiffany Nicole Neal Hannah Margaret Niles Ayanda Mgbo Nnachi

Hannah Grace Perry Braden Lee Petry Kacey Rene Poe Marlee Claire Porter Kennedy Francis Prater Elizabeth Ann Queen Havanah Grace Queen Tatyana Lashay Reynolds Jonah Douglas Ridenour Nicole Paige Riniti Erin Michele Roberts Hannah Elisabeth Romans Isaak Shawn Ross Daniell Grace Samsury Jayme Lynn Sarver Isabella Marie Schrader Peregrine Michael Schray Keegan D. Shaffer Hanna Jade Shrout Smara Dirga Sigdel Abigail Grace Spence Isabelle Briallen Steele Mikayla Shay Steele Gary Wayne Stevens Macey Lynne Swearingen Layton Gabrielle Sydenstricker Kavla Lvnn Tvler Hannah Raine Vitalos Nickolas Delano Vance Griffin Jason Wagoner Tabitha D. Wallace Audrey Ann West Hannah Nicole Walz James Clinton Williamson Robbyn Ashley Winters Callia Tina Yang Cohen William Yates Benjamin Jacob Zachariah

Magna Cum Laude

Gold Cord and Gold Tassel

These students have attained an overall academic average of 3.60 to 3.84.

Benjamin James Adkins Samuel Edward Adkins Alyssa Grace Aftanas Hayden Meade Alford Naya Alhaj Isabella Alauna Rose Arthur

Rachel Ann O'Dell

Masden Lee Ball Janessa Bangha-on Julia Elizabeth Barnes James Michael Bauer Erick William Bevil Rachel Theresa-Ann Bibeau Victoria Lee Blickenstaff Iacob David Blizzard John Randall Boggess Summer Faith Boling Amelya LeighAnn Bostic Chad A. Bowen McKenzie Bowman Andrew Mason Breeding Casey Gage Bronger McKenzie Renee Brooks Noelle Elizabeth Brown Nicole Rae Burt Alexander Joseph Carr Robert Ezekiel Carter Austin Blake Chandler Melanie Denise Clark Noah Frank Compton Taylor Sean Conley Ta'Marra Rain Cook Veronica LaShawn Coping John Michael Cowger Dylan Scott Crumpton Graci Mae Davis Lauren Kinley Deardorff Jenna Grace DeTemple Haley James Dorsey Victoria Lynn Dotson Christian Lee Dyer Sarah Ann Dyer Noel Paige Edmunds Garrett Blake Edwards Kaylyn Brooke Elswick Natasha Mae Esselstein Isabella Nicole Fields **Emily Paige Fox** Michael Keith Franklin II Molly Elizabeth Franklin Oliva Heather Gandee Madison Nicole Garnes Lindsay Taylor Garrison Campbell Reese George Lakin Marie Hall Mallory Ka-La Hamm Sydney Grace Hamrick Mattie Ferguson Hanna Nevaeh Nichole Harmon Andrew Paul Hatcher Amanda Jean Haves Madelynn Kate Henderson Baylie Madison Hoffman Erica I. Holt Brittney JoAnne Hooper

Laura Jo Hudson Joshua David Huffman Addison Rose Hughes Carter Allan Igo Aaron Tyler Jackson Brooke Taylor Jackson Chase Dalton Jackson Amanda Paige Jefferson Wynn E. Johnson Kalei Alexi Iordan Klavdia M. Katavama Makensey Leigh Kearns Meagan Grace Kearns Claire E. Kenney Marcie Florence Kessinger Lisa Annette Kovach Eszter Laban Kindra Renae Lacy Addison Brooke Leaberry Sophie Elizabeth Lemons Maleah Amanda Majakev Lauren Beth Marchio Alejandra Martin Hildalgo Nathanael K. Martin Eddie Mathew Mayes Trinity Lynn McCallister Natalie Marie McCann Emily Faith McCloud-Bell Holden Douglas McClung Eli William McFeelev Abeigh Janae Meadows Sela Mickey Jonathon Zeke Mohrman Christian James Morrow Mackenzie Faith Mount Macy Annalise Music Aaron Michael Napier Ashely Brooke Nelson Jillian Madeline Nicholson Calista Amethyst Novak Phuc Huu Nguyen Mattison Paige Null Emilie Kate Osborne Abagail Bradlee Parks Ryan Daniel Parsons Bionka Shree Patterson Daniel Richard Patterson Iosiah Allen Patton Mary Emma Pauley Carl Dawson Pelfrey Morgan Denae Pemberton Lynnette Starr Phillips Brady Tyler Postek Jacob Allen Priddy

Logan Mckinley Ragland Byron S. Raider Ethan Phillip Rawson Tayler Lynn Reed Savannah Jayde Rice Samantha Katelynn Richbart Mackenzie Arnette Rider Rebekah Hope Roberts Samantha Nicole Rose Trevor Andrew Rosenhagen Alaina Gale Rumbaugh Savannah Lynne Scaggs Cassaundra Marie Sears Madison Brook Skeen Abigail Leanne Smith Adeline May Smith Alex Ronald Smith Rileigh K. Snavely Karen Lynn Sparks Mackenzie Renee Staten Faith Ellen Steele Landen W. Stengel Taylor Brooke Stevens Zackary David Suttles Walker Reese Tatum Callie I. Thacker Grant Brennen Thacker Reece W. Thomas Jonah Lee Tincher Autumn Paige Trent Jessimi Keith Trent O'dell Emanuel Tucker George Douglas Urling Megan B. Walker Victoria Lynn Ware Danish A. Waseem Meghan Paige Watson Madeline Blair Watts Valerie Shae Watts Brennen Patrick West Evan Wilson White Ella Grace Wilburn Angel Renee Willis Alexis Shae Wilson Helen Elizabeth Wilson Kenedi Ryan Wilson Madison Skye Wilson Sarah Leighann Winland Thomas Seth Wolfe Iulie Brooke Woodruff Katie Elizabeth Wooten Andrew James Wyss Bennett Bradley Zeitner Abbi Rose Zornes

Cum Laude

Red Cord and Red Tassel

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

Amanda Marie Adkins Casey Alexander Adkins Ember Raine Adkins Grace Adkins Noah Thomas Arkenburg Jacob Christopher Ashworth Caitlin Mackenzie Auld Faith Paige Auvil Allie Elizabeth Bailey Bailey Elizabeth Baker Sarah F. Balderson Madison Marie Ballow Megan Sue Ann Bartram McKenzie Alana Bastug Alexis Marie Bautista Lindsay Danielle Bays Alexa S. Beane Kent Parker Bee Sydney Michelle Bickel Chenoa Skan Bocook Yusupha FK Bojang Sofia Kay Bormett Ashlynn Sierra Bowles Benjamin James Buchanan Justus Warren Burton Sydney Lee Bush Emily Faith Cadd Chloe Sabrina Cahill Taya Renee Call Andrew Joseph Carrico Emily Brooke Carrico Amelia R. Carter Timothy William Charest Grace Danae Childers Alissa Grace Clifton Adalie Brielle Clutter Jeannie Dawn Coffman Adriana Faith Collelo Colby Collins Marissa Elizabeth Cook Monica Jean-Anne Cook Paul Josiah Cook Lindsey Nicole Copenhaver Skylar Nevaeh Copley Grace Amilia Cox Krystin Nicole Cranford Myra Linette Cuffee Jaclyn Bryann Davis Matthew Joseph Davis Rachel Kaytlin Dingess Jie Lu Dong Tori Alexis Doty Brady Chance-Bostick Doyle Reanna Bethanie Drake Wyat Iesten Draper James Lucas Durham

Johnathan Dwight Edwards Samantha Lynn Eldridge Nathaniel Blake Ellis Megan Mackalah Estep Allison Brooke Farmer Allison Dishone Feamster Kendall Lou Merrill Ferrebee Rachel Noelle Ferrell Casev A. File Dylan Andrew Foltz Bethany Gladys Forbes Timothy Adam Ford Sara Elizabeth Fortune Kaitlin Elizabeth Friend Angie Rena Gilkerson Stacey Marie Gillispie Austin Douglas Gordon Madison Ann Grant Zachary Green Ashlev Taylor Grimmett Jodi Brooke Grimmett Azreah Camille Groves Alexis Isabelle Hall Cameron Scott Hall Garrett Alvin Halstead Chandrea Alison Shai Hardin Christian Grant Harris Olivia Jade Harrison Mallory Paige Hatcher Brianna Paige Hill Lauren C. Heil Bader Helwani Amanda Erin Hensley Madyson Paige Hensley Cari Leigh Hively Ialen D. Hollins Gregory Paul Howard Emily Grace Huffman Samantha Grace Humphreys Caeden T. Intemann Cierra Faith James Carley Rease Jarrell Irene Grace Javier Latasha Lynette Jones Austin Da'len Johnson Doroteja Joksovic Abigail Quinn Jordan Emily Dawn Jordan Andrew Ryan Justice Mayam Katouzi Elizabeth Grace Kelly Lanava Iade Kight Trent Kinder Alexia Danielle King

Makai Alexus Laguines

Amanda Mae Lane

Amy Dianne Lawson Samuel H. LeGrow Alexandra Denise Leonard Macy Mee Litton Colyn Lowe Chin Clarence William Manley Saad Ahmad Mansoor Abby Leigh Marano Iordan Tait Matney Salem Rhiannon Mattscheck Allyson Marie Mayle Dezray Marie Renea Mays Elise Michele McClelland Daniel William McCloy Haley Joe McLaughlin Regan L. Meyer Matthew Walker Miller Iosie Nichole Moore Mckenah Eliot Morris Casey Carmon Morrison Nathaniel Jay Neale Chyenne Michelle Nelson Oliva Grace Newhouse Benjamin D. Noble Emily E. Nokleby Sophia Nasrin Oliashirazi Mark A. Oliver Emilie Kate Osborne Hunter Adam Pack Evan Jay Page Nathan Benjamin Paiz Curnow Aaron Thomas Paschke Logan Brendan Payne Christian Allen Perez Katelyn Grace Perkins Iehniebave Leila Perry Angela Marie Phillips Hannah Grace Phillips Emily Grace Poe Jacob Arnold Poindexter Robert Chase Poore Tyler Porter Brooke Kennedy Powers Bridget Gloria Rajarajan Lauren Elizabeth Rakes Megan LeeAnn Randolph Jewelian Kaye Raynes Brianna Kay Reymond Iacob Keith Richardson Alanna Grace Roberts Madalynn Rose Romeo Annabelle Iean Rowland John Kennie Russell Arwa Saleem Salameh Marko Sarenac Matthew Patrick Schaffer

Peyton Adam Schofield Kelsie Renee Scott Hailey Louise See Masaya Sekiguchi Alyson Jo Sergent Cameron Diana Sexton Brianna Lynn Shamblin Madison Grace Shamblin Joseph Carpenter Sheils Jennifer Short Elizabeth Ann Simmons Jadyn Rylee Simon Kayla Nicole Slater Brea Nichole Smith

Chase Andrew Smith
James Tucker Stacks
Mackenzie Danae Stanley
Tessa Ruth Spurlock
Carson MacIntyre Taylor
Randy Tyler Trout
Grace Elizabeth Valenza
Xavier Alexander Veltri
Zoe Rianne Valvo
Jasmine Aliyah Waite
David Warner
Charles Hunter Watts
Semoni Jurnee Weaver
Summer F. Weikle

Sophie Anne Wellman Lakyn Elise West Hannah Alexis White Jason Andrew White Kaylea Paige Whitehead Jenna Yvonne Willey Brianne Kristin Williams Avery G. Wilson Hannah Marie Winkler Allison Beth Wiseman Emmie Marie Woods Cassandra Sue Workman Braxton Lee Yates Caitlyn Josephine Zimmerman

Associate Degree Candidates

With High Honors

Royal Blue Cord and Royal Blue Tassel

These students have attained an overall academic average of 3.70 to 4.00

Madisyn Brooke Mitchell Ashley Lynn Sinclair Kendra Nicole Thaxton

With Honors

Royal Blue Cord and Royal Blue Tassel

These students have attained an overall academic average of 3.30 to 3.69.

Joshua N. Barnett Gracie Nichole Bloss Haley Nicole Caldwell Bailey Michelle Coleman Austin Conley Katheryn Mary Drey Garrett Samuel Green Brittani Carol Greene Hanah Grace Harris Georgiana Hurd Rianna Kole Kingery Ann Elizabeth Knight Haley Danielle Martin Sydney Reese Meredith Jordin Skye Michels Lakeisha Lee Mitchell

Hannah Michelle Price Shayne David Pry Lexie Isabella Ramos Lauren Shay Tanner Linh Thuc Tran Macey Leigh Wagner Louise Brooke Wright

The Honors College

Candidates presented by Brian A. Hoey, Dean

University Honors

Iulia Elizabeth Barns Rachel Theresa-ann Bibeau Jacob David Blizzard Samantha Rose Bujak Alexis G. Campbell Gina Cantoral Robert Ezekiel Carter Mel Clark Trace Clark Myra Linnette Cuffee Victoria Lynn Dotson Michael Franklin Madison G. Gibbs Zachary M. Green Isha Gupta Lakin Hall Nevaeh Nichole Harmon Madeline Hart Andrew Paul Hatcher Tyler Rae Hebert

Sydnee E. Holley Samantha Humphreys Wynn Johnson Abigail Quinn Jordan Kalei Alexis Jordan Alia Cynthia Kibler Addison Leaberry Jamison Owens Lewis Nicole Liang Ethan Gregory Macy Litton Shawna Lockard Joshua Maddy Maleah Majakey Emily Faith McCloud-Bell Daniel McCloy Sarah E. McGuffey Macy McKnight Olivia Moncada Ayanda Mgbo Nnachi

Hunter Pack Mary Emma Pauley Kacey Rene Poe **Brook Powers** Eva Kay Rhodes Erin M. Roberts Alaina Rumbaugh Savannah Scaggs Isabella Schrader Smara Sigdel Mikavla Steele Autumn Trent Manny Tucker Kayla Tyler Grace Valenza Hannah Raine Vitalos Madeline Blair Watts James Clinton Williamson Andrew James Wyss Callia Yang

Yeager Scholars

Tyler Rae Hebert Addison Leaberry Shawna Lockard Isabella Schrader

Military Commissions

United States Army Reserve Officers' Training Corps Battalion

The following individuals were commissioned as Second Lieutenants in the United States Army at Marshall University on April 26, 2024.

Katelynn Paige Bissell Brettina K. Jeffers Hannah Nicole Walz

Candidates and Degrees Granted

College of Arts and Media

Candidates presented by Maria P. Gindhart, Dean

Candidates for Degrees April 27, 2024

Bachelor of Arts

Samuel Edward Adkins John Randall Boggess Noel Paige Edmunds Johnathan Dwight Edwards Natasha Mae Esselstein Kaylee Michelle Esteves Ariel Marshelle Harper Zachary Allen Highlander Benjamin Cody Humphreys Austin Da'len Johnson Makai Alexus Laguines Alaina Marie Laster Jimi Lee Lawson Aaliyah Jae'la-Nichole Manns Alyssa June Marxen Jamie Lee Meadows Lydia Montague Morgan Denae Pemberton Justin Phillips Byron S. Raider Benjamin Thomas Reid Tatyana Lashay Reynolds Nicole Paige Riniti Raymond Rynearson Matthew Patrick Schaffer Rhys Colton Shamblin Brea Nichole Smith Victoria Lynn Ware Meghan Paige Watson Semoni Jurnee Weaver Benjamin Jacob Zachariah

Bachelor of Fine Arts

Emily Beth Adkins Morgan Barchett Vanessa Elizabeth Coffman John Michael Cowger Graci Mae Davis Allison Dishone Feamster Molly Elizabeth Franklin Jillian Marie Gentry Brady O'Dell Goddard Seth Alan Hardwick Amanda Paige Jefferson Claire E. Kenney Marcie Florence Kessinger Demi Marie Napier Jehniebave Leila Perry Megan LeeAnn Randolph Callie J. Thacker Jenna Toms

Division of Aviation

Candidates presented by Karen L. McComas, Dean

Candidates for Degrees April 27, 2024

Associate of Applied Science

Joshua M. Barnett

Brian L. Bradley

Caleb S. Bradshaw

Tanner S. Copley

Travis D. Daniel

Drake A. DeHart

Hunter S. DeMoss

BayLee R. Draper

Devin E. LeMaster

Landon J. Ratcliff

Justin C. Samson

Samantha R. Sparks

Timothy D. Vance

Lewis College of Business

Candidates presented by Don R. Capener, Dean

Candidates for Degrees April 27, 2024

Colby Collins

Bachelor of Arts

Amanda Marie Adkins Mary Alice Albrecht Maxwell Oliver Basler Christian Asbury Boyd Jamie Campbell Griffin Shawn Craddock Noah William Craddock Lara Marie Crump Audrie Nicole Darago Christopher Ellison Robert Engel Andrew Michael Gibson Cameron Matthew Grobe Andrew James Harlow Gregory Paul Howard Kinsey Noelle Hudson Marvah King Daytione Demontae Smith Daniel Grayson Van bibber Christy Joan Watson Bailee Madison Wilev Alexis Shae Wilson

Bachelor of Business Administration

Andrew Michael Adkins Benjamin James Adkins Casey Alexander Adkins Hayden Thomas Adkins Pablo Aguilera Simon Haley Ann Armstrong Caitlin Mackenzie Auld Emily Bell Ball Masden Lee Ball Schaefer Scott Ball Christopher Joel Ballard Grant David Beckett Benjamin Jason Bell Quallace Terrell Bell Tristyn Susanne Bess Victoria Leigh Blickenstaff Andrew Chase Blower Brayden Taylor Bower McKenzie Bowman Alexander Joseph Carr Andrew Joseph Carrico Emma Grace Casebolt Gabrielle Agathe Clairotte Ienna Grace Clary Vanessa Elizabeth Coffman Adriana Faith Collelo

Kanani Collins Curtis Andrew Cooley Dominic Kilburn Cosco Aidan M. Cosper Keandre Tayvonn Craft Selena T. Dang Micayla Sierra Davis Blake Thomas Dobert Jie Lu Dong Chad Caleb Doss Brady Chance-Bostick Doyle Reanna Bethanie Drake Sarah Ann Dyer David Justin Estep Alyssa P. Fearing Ashton Nikole Ferguson Ryan Preston Frasure Kaitlin Elizabeth Friend John Hunter Gatewood Rieke Gillar Dakota Rvan Gilliam Madison Taylor Gillispie Zachary Green Emily Nicole Harper Jalen D. Hollins Evan Michael Horsley Annabella Hyre Aaron Tyler Jackson Kole Scott Jarvis Doroteja Joksovic Brady Parker Jones Latasha Lynette Jones Emily Dawn Jordan Andrew Ryan Justice Yifan Ke Alison Faye Klaiber Parker Bryce Lambert Myles Anthony Lee Samuel H. LeGrow Jamison Owens Lewis Nicholas David Lina Benjamin James Lyon Mason Tate Manns Kerion Shemar Martin Nathanael K. Martin Jordan Tait Matney Cairah Janae Mays Shay Christopher McCalla Elise M. McClelland Holden Douglas McClung

Michaela McCreavy

Lucinda Madyia McCullough Tanner Randall McDaniel Evan Michael McGuire Reginald Jawavn McIver Sela Mickey Tyler Thomas Moore Karli Annalise Neal Tiffany Nicole Neal Nathaniel Jay Neale Jillian Madeline Nicholson Benjamin D. Noble Mattison Paige Null Logan Jakob Parsons Aaron Thomas Paschke Josiah Allen Patton Reaghyn Erica Pauley Gravcen Lauryn Perdue Christian Allen Perez Jacob Arnold Poindexter Iacob Allen Priddy Havanah Grace Queen Bridget Gloria Rajarajan Jonah Douglas Ridenour Mackenzie Arnette Rider Erin Michelle Roberts Trevor Andrew Rosenhagen Isabella Marie Schrader Masava Sekiguchi Hanna Jade Shrout Rileigh K. Snavely Reilly Jameson Sowards Ty Patrick Spurlock Ethan Douglas Starkey Isabelle Briallen Steele Landen W. Stengel Anna Marie Straight William Jacob Templeton Jonah Lee Tincher Betty Ann Watson Valerie Shae Watts Austin Lane Weikart Brennen Patrick West Jason Andrew White Mone'y Jania Williams Walajia Desirea Williams Julie Brooke Woodruff Wendy Marie Wysong Andrew James Wyss Hongtao Xu Braxton Lee Yates Bennett Bradley Zeitner Abbi Rose Zornes

College of Education and Professional Development

Candidates presented by Teresa R. Eagle, Dean

Candidates for Degrees April 27, 2024

Bachelor of Arts

Grace Adkins Alyssa Grace Aftanas Kenly Logan Arbogast Isabella Alauna Rose Arthur Benjamin James Buchanan Alexis G. Campbell Lauren Ashley Carroll Allison Renee Cramer Garret Ray Cummings Lauren Kinley Deardorff Nathaniel Lee DeWeese Christian Lee Dyer Samantha Lynn Eldridge Kaylyn Brooke Elswick Allison Brooke Farmer Rachel Noelle Ferrell Bethany Gladys Forbes Madison Nicole Garnes

Sydney Grace Hamrick Ioshua David Huffman Addison Rose Hughes Brooke Taylor Jackson Alia Cynthia Kibler Keturah Michelle Knight Kindra Renae Lacy **Emily Rose Lambert** Nathaniel James Lawson Clarence William Manley Trinity Lynn McCallister Regan L. Meyer Mckenah Eliot Morris Calista Amethyst Novak Logan Mckinley Ragland Ethan Phillip Rawson Savannah Jayde Rice Rebekah Hope Roberts

Hannah Elisabeth Romans Madalynn Rose Romeo Samantha Nicole Rose Madison Grace Shamblin Emily Gail Shannon Katherine Ashton Skipworth Abigail Leanne Smith Abigail Grace Spence Faith Ellen Steele Taylor Brooke Stevens Grant Brennen Thacker Molly Jo Wallace Helen Elizabeth Wilson Madison Skye Wilson Sarah Leighann Winland Robbyn Ashley Winters Mackenzie Lynn Wise Emmie Marie Woods

College of Engineering And Computer Sciences

Candidates presented by David A. Dampier, Dean

Candidates for Degrees April 27, 2024

Bachelor of Science

Ember Raine Adkins Mark Christian Baker Kevin Michael Bryant Chase Gentry Casto Emilio Martin Celorio Austin Blake Chandler Isaac Jeffrey Daniels James Lucas Durham Nicholas Hunter Foster Michael Keith Franklin II Aaron David Goldsberry Colby Michelle Humphreys Carter Allan Igo Chase Dalton Jackson Andrew David Lees Joshua Dean Chase Maddy Devin Michael Maynard Daniel William McCloy Matthew Walker Miller Aaron Michael Napier Donovan Alexander O'Connor Jayden Marie Pardue John Kennie Russell Chase Andrew Smith Gabriel Smith Gary Wayne Stevens O'dell Emanuel Tucker Hannah Raine Vitalos Jaron Scott Womack

Bachelor of Science in Biomedical Engineering

Madeline Joy Hart

Bachelor of Science in Civil Engineering

Jacob Christopher Ashworth Kent Parker Bee Spencer Ryan Cochran Luke E. Darrah Wyat Jesten Draper Claire Averie Fulks Garrett Alvin Halstead Luke McKinley Hardway Tyler Rae Hebert Jared Wade Humberston Kaitlin Mashel Jezewski Nicolas Alan Kuhn Brayden Aaron Lingenfelter Kaleb Jackson McDaniel Kyler Garrett McDaniel Karlie Jo Melvin Braeden Todd Newman Jazminn Parrish James Allen Queen Nickolas Delano Vance

Bachelor of Electrical Engineering

Nicole Delenn Adkins Kyra Marie Baber Calvin Arthur Cole

Bachelor of Science in Mechanical Engineering

Mitchell Kade Davis Tanner Han Ekstrom Cameron Scott Hall Zachary Chad Hutchinson Imari Tahje Leftwich Marko Sarenac

Bryse Devin Sexton Xavier Alexander Veltri David Warner

College of Health Professions

Candidates presented by Michael W. Prewitt, Dean

Candidates for Degrees April 27, 2024

Bachelor of Science in Nursing

Tiffany Elaine Adams Amber Lee Atkins Allie Elizabeth Bailey Sarah F. Balderson Madison Marie Ballow Lakevn Sierra Belcher Erick William Bevil Rachel Theresa-ann Bibeau Yusupha FK Bojang Samantha Victoria Bostic Heather Lee Boyle Randall Allen Brooks Noelle Elizabeth Brown Nicole Rae Burt Sydney Lee Bush Taya Renee Call Grace Danae Childers Olivia Grace Collier Monica Jean-Anne Cook Lindsey Nicole Copenhaver Skylar Nevaeh Copley Dominique Lena Costantini Kyrstin Nicole Cranford Rachel Kaytlin Dingess Tori Alexis Doty Rayne Richard Duttine Margie Rose Miranda Enaya Ethan B. Fry Aspyn Haley Gilchrist Lakin Marie Hall Chandra Alison Shai Hardin Olivia Iade Harrison Mallory Paige Hatcher Brianna Paige Hill Laura Jo Hudson Emily Grace Huffman Margaret McElroy Imm Abigail Quinn Jordan Nicolas David Justice Maryam Katouzi Lanaya Jade Kight Alexia Danielle King Alexandra Denise Leonard Abby Leigh Marano Gracie Lynn Martin Dezray Marie Renea Mays Emily Faith McCloud Tonya Nichole McCormick Haley Jo McLaughlin Abeigh Janae Meadows Josie Nicole Moore

Stephanie Dawn Murphy Phuc Huu Nguyen Emilie Kate Osborne Hunter Adam Pack William Dean Parrish Hannah Grace Phillips Levi James Phillips Kendra Nicole Pienta Lvdia Elizabeth Pierson **Iasmine Prowell** Elizabeth Ann Queen Lauren Elizabeth Rakes Jewelian Kaye Raynes Kristen Elizabeth Rose Savannah Lynne Scaggs Kelsie Renee Scott Cassaundra Marie Sears Kayla Nicole Slater Maegan LeAnn Spaulding Anna Grace Spears Jacob Alexander Stanley Tanner Gage Staten Zachary David Suttles Carson MacIntvre Taylor Sydney Beth Toler Sarah Beth Wagoner Vanessa Renee Ware Danish A. Waseem Summer F. Weikle Torie Madison Wellman Hannah Alexis White Kaylea Paige Whitehead Angel Renee Willis Kenedi Ryan Wilson Felicia Woody Cassandra Sue Workman

Bachelor of Science

Veronica Luz Acosta Aaron Sean Adkins Savanah Hope Adkins Hayden Meade Alford Haley Louis Allen Noah Thomas Arkenburg Faith Paige Auvil Owen Jeffrey Ayers Bailey Elizabeth Baker ah Mac Bright Banda Janessa Bangha-on Benazir Bano

Paige Elizabeth Banton Lauren Michell Barr James Michael Bauer Alexis Marie Bautista Lindsay Danielle Bays Sofia Kay Bormett Amelya LeighAnn Bostic Andrew Mason Breeding McKenzie Renee Brooks Tianna Leigh Brown Tracy Nicole Bryant Samantha Rose Bujak Lauren Elizabeth Cale Karsyn Hayley Nicole Campbell Gina Lynn Cantoral Emily Brooke Carrico Amelia R. Carter Gabrielle Suzanne Carter Alissa Grace Clifton Paul Iosiah Cook Ta'Marra Rain Cook Madilynn Grace Cooper Dylan Scott Crumpton Haley Jaymes Dorsey Morris Franz Duggan Garrett Blake Edwards Rileigh Jennifer Elk Nathaniel Blake Ellis Megan Mackalah Estep Giuseppe Ferraro-Nahr Kendall Lou Merrill Ferrebee Kristina Renee' Fertig Isabella Nicole Fields Dylan Andrew Foltz Timothy Adam Ford **Emily Paige Fox** Caden Doss Fuller Michael Paul Gallimore Campbell Reese George Angie Rena Gilkerson Jeffrey Allen Goderre Dae'Jera Alexandria Graham Jadarius Devon Green-McKnight Jodi Brooke Grimmett Alexis Isabelle Hall Mallory Ka-La Hamm Madison Grace Harper Andrew Paul Hatcher Madyson Paige Hensley Kristen Laina Hesson Cari Leigh Hively

Baylie Madison Hoffman Sydnee Elizabeth Holley Erica I. Holt Brittney JoAnne Hooper Kiara Marie Hunter Carley Rease Jarrell Brettina K. Jeffers Foster Patrick Iones Latasha Lynette Jones Klavdia M. Katayama Makensey Leigh Kearns Andrew J. Kehoe V Karly Camaro Kerns Amanda Mae Lane TyQaze Tywan Leggs Reagan Sidney Light Jenna Grace Livingston Colyn Lowe Chin Maleah Amanda Majakey Saad Ahamd Mansoor Lauren Beth Marchio Kylee Christine Mastin Iaron Keebler Mata Salem Rhiannon Mattscheck Eddie Matthew Mayes Allyson Marie Mayle Adam Rida Mazagri Macy Brianna McKnight Meredith Kaye Mears Megan Leigh Middleton Kylie Mae Miles Haley Marie Milhoan Bryant James Moore Megan Rae Moore Rileigh I. Morris Macy Annalise Music Samuel Daulton Neese Ashlev Brooke Nelson Olivia Grace Newhouse Kyle Devin Nibert Dalton Nida Hannah Margaret Niles Emily E. Nokleby Chidinma Precious Nwadili Mark A. Oliver Bionka Shree Patterson Jarron Isaih Paxton Kebler Antonio Peralta Angela Marie Phillips Lynnette Starr Phillips Sydney Paige Plumley Emily Grace Poe Marlee Claire Porter Tyler Porter Kennedy Frances Prater Alexus Michelle Ramey Tayler Lynn Reed Brianna Kay Reymond Eva Kay Rhodes John Patrick Ringhisen Caitlin Rochelle Robinson Alaina Gale Rumbaugh Chrisiah Amiel Rush

Harshan Sachdeva Arwa Saleem Salameh Danielle Grace Samsury Jayme Lynn Sarver Peyton Adam Schofield Brianna Lynn Shamblin Shelby Jean Shepard Alex Ronald Smith Brianna Lea Kaystine Smith Alex Ronald Smith Calin James Smith Mackenzie Danae Stanley Samantha Kathleen Sturgeon Cody James Taylor Megan Abigayle Taylor Tyra Tramae Thomas Mya Jordan Tooley Randy Tyler Trout Grace Elizabeth Valenza Zoe Rhianne Valvo Brittanie Diane Wallace Hannah Rhys Walters Charles Hunter Watts Hope Emily Weese Sophie Anne Wellman Audrey Ann West Lakyn Elise West William Nathaniel White Jenna Yvonne Willey John Thomas Williams Avery G. Wilson Hannah Marie Winkler Thomas Seth Wolfe Katie Elizabeth Wooten Caitlin Iosephine Zimmerman

Bachelor of Social Work

Jeannie Dawn Coffman Stacey Marie Gillispie Samuel Ernest Green Taylor Mackey Henry Lisa Annette Kovach Amelia D. Long Hailey Jean Nevins Nathan Benjamin Paiz Curnow Dennaya Mercie-May Ross Annabelle Jean Rowland Kayla Moriah Thomas

Associate in Science in Nursing

Skylar Marie Archer Olive Marie Bartram Gracie Nichole Bloss Sarah Elizabeth Brison Isabella Marie Burns Haley Nicole Caldwell Katelyn Casterline Kameron Elizabeth Chapman

Eric Chatterton Bailey Michelle Coleman Austin Conley Morgan Jo Copley Mera Katherine Cunningham Riley Nichole Curry Hannah Leigh Day Katheryn Mary Drey Angela Leah Dunmire Barbara Lynn Erlwein Rachel Faith Freeman Thane Alexander Grayson Garrett Samuel Green Brittani Carol Greene Brayden Wayne Hammond Chloe Michelle Harding Courtney Faith Harless Hanah Grace Harris Haylee Alesa Hunter Georgiana Hurd Elizabeth Nicole Johnson Tara Brooke Johnson Kimberly Sue Iones Kaitlyn Marie Keeney Rianna Kole Kingery Ann Elizabeth Knight Zoe Savannah Lewis Stephanie Dawn Linville Abigayle Elizabeth Liston Haley Danielle Martin Deeanna Marie Mayo Brookelyn Faith McComas Karli Danae McDaniel Kristin Lorraine McKay Sydney Reese Meredith Jordin Skye Michels Lakeisha Lee Mitchell Madisyn Brooke Mitchell Ioshua Michael Murrell Abigail Brooke Nutter Chidinma Precious Nwadili Rachel Pate Ashleigh Brooke Pierce Hannah Michelle Price Shayne David Pry Morgan A. Puffer Lexie Isabella Ramos Brianna Morgan Robertson Breanna Faye Runyon Kennedy Grace Sansom Ashlev Lynn Sinclair Haley Nicole Smalley Andrew Allan Spears Gavin Thomas Stephens Kameron Elizabeth Sweeney Lauren Shay Tanner Kendra Nicole Thaxton Linh Thuc Tran Macey Leigh Wagner Austin James Wiles Bryce Xavier Wolfe-Browning Louise Brooke Wright

College of Liberal Arts

Candidates presented by Robert B. Bookwalter, Dean

Candidates for Degrees April 27, 2024

Bachelor of Arts

Grace Kathryn Adkins Tayma Amro Al-Astal Veronica Cecilia Archer Arianna Jewel Baggett Holly Elizabeth Baker Kaitlyn Darcy Blankenship Chenoa Skan Bocook Summer Faith Boling **Justus Warren Burton** Kristen Nicole Calvert Makayla Lee Chibuzo Melanie Denise Clark Essence Monique Clerkley Emily Brooke Cline Taylor Sean Conley Eternity Rayne Crawford Chloe Jolene Davis **Jaclyn Bryann Davis** Nathan Bonner Edmonds Casey A. File Cassidy Ryanna Florencio Lindsay Taylor Garrison Madison G. Gibbs Olivia Reed Glockner Ashley Taylor Grimmett Azreah Camille Groves Grace Elizabeth Hagley

Aryiana Shenaye Haley Rylee Marie Hampton Jordan Rena Hedge Taylor Mackey Henry Samantha Kinnear Jessica Nicole Knipp Eszter Laban Aaron Luther Larkins, Jr. Amy Dianne Lawson Ryan Thomas Lee Lacy Jo Lemley Sophie Elizabeth Lemons Ethan G. Lilly Alejandra Martin Hildalgo Sarah Elizabeth McGuffey Jessie Lynn Meadows Olivia Reeves Moncada KeAundra SherMayne Moore Christian James Morrow Rosemary Layne Neff Chyenne Michelle Nelson Madison Ann Nitardy Avanda Mgbo Nnachi Courtney Jayne Noe Rachel Ann O'Dell Kate Mackenzie O'Donnell

Perry Wayne Oxley Abigail Bradlee Parks Mary Emma Pauley Logan Brendan Payne Carl Dawson Pelfrey Parker Colt Perry Kasey Marie Ratliff Jacob Keith Richardson Anthony Christopher Ruggier Ian Marcus Schorr Stormie Alexandra Sigler Elizabeth Ann Simmons Adeline May Smith Mackenzie Renee Staten Mikayla Shay Steele Layton Gabrielle Sydenstricker Justin Gregory Tackett William W. Todd Jasmine Aliyah Waite Hannah Nicole Walz Faith Elizabeth Ward Daniele Kathleen Watts Brianne Kristin Williams Allison Beth Wiseman Christa V. Wolf Jackson Wyatt Zulauf

Bachelor of Science

Emily Faith Cadd Matthew Joseph Davis Aidan Keith O'Brien Hannah Grace Perry Cameron Diana Sexton Ella Crace Wilburn Madison Renae Wilburn

College of Science

Candidates presented by Wesley E. Stites, Dean

Candidates for Degrees April 27, 2024

Bachelor of Arts

Jacob S. Bartholomew Ashlynn Sierra Bowles Kaleigh Roxanna Brown Chloe Sabrina Cahill Nathan Thomas Ellis Madeline Rianne Fletcher Sara Elizabeth Fortune Lauren C. Heil William Ryan Lavallee Luke Abram Mills Madilyn Grace Morgan Mackenzie Faith Mount Emily Grace Neal Braden Lee Petry Robert Chase Poore Aarionna Idessa Redman Samantha Katelynn Richbart Kaitlyn Marie Ross Matthew Lee Smith Rahmod Smith Tessa Ruth Spurlock Salem Kendal Sword Charles Cesar David Ventura Griffin Jason Wagoner Evan Wilson White

Bachelor of Science

Nava Alhai Jordan Elizabeth Anderson Michael Atik Julia Elizabeth Barnes Megan Sue Ann Bartram McKenzie Alana Bastug Jacob David Blizzard Casev Gage Bronger Yilin Cai Robert Ezekiel Carter Trace Allen Clark Adalie Brielle Clutter Reid Andrew Collins Mary Claire Combs Noah Frank Compton Marissa Elizabeth Cook Amelia Emmanuelle Cox Grace Amilia Cox Myra Linette Cuffee Jenna Grace DeTemple Skyler Abigail Dean Sydney Paige Devaney Victoria Lynn Dotson Khaled Aley El-Din El-Shazly Dwayne Anthony Eplin Madison Riley Freeman Olivia Heather Gandee Owen Bailey Gibson Austin Douglas Gordon Isha Gupta Mattie Ferguson Hanna Nevaeh Nichole Harmon

Christian Grant Harris

Grant Morgan Harrison Garrett Michael Hatten Amanda Jean Haves Bader Helwani Amanda Erin Hensley Peyton Scott Hughes Samantha Grace Humphreys Caeden T. Intemann Ceirra Faith James Irene Grace Javier Wynn E. Johnson Penny Lea Iones Kalei Alexis Jordan Elizabeth Grace Kelly Trent Kinder Alijah Rane Kuhn Alexander Garrett Laverty Addison Brooke Leaberry Nicole Renee Liang Macy Mee Litton Shawna Nicole Lockard Jacob Scott Maddox Natalie Marie McCann Eli William McFeelev John Samuel McGrath Philip Joseph Michael Kushal Jignesh Modi Noah Corker Moss Joshua Brett Newsome Sophia Nasrin Oliashirazi Evan Jay Page Ryan Daniel Parsons

Daniel Richard Patterson

Jack Wheeler Pennington Katelyn Grace Perkins Kacev Rene Poe Brady Tyler Postek Brooke Kennedy Powers Alanna Grace Roberts Isaak Shawn Ross Peregrine Michael Schrav Alyson Jo Sergent Keegan D. Shaffer Anabeth Kassidy Sharpe **Joseph Carpenter Sheils** Jana Ahmed Sherif Smara Dirga Sigdel Jadyn Rylee Simon Madison Brooke Skeen **James Tucker Stacks** Macey Lynne Swearingen Walker Reese Tatum Reece W. Thomas Jessimi Keith Trautman Autumn Paige Trent Kayla Lynn Tyler George Douglas Urling Jamie Sierra Ward Samuel Reece Watkins Andrew Thomas Watson Madeline Blair Watts Thomas Gage Williams Iames Clinton Williamson Callia Tina Yang Cohen William Yates Holden Clay Young

Regents Bachelor of Arts

Candidates presented by Karen L. McComas, Dean

Candidates for Degrees April 27, 2024

Regents Bachelor of Arts

Matthew T. Adkins Jessica Brooke Anderson Alicea June Ash Alexa S. Beane Chad A. Bowen Tara D. Brown Breanna Campbell Matthew David Cardwell Mckaela Ellen Carter Amanda Suzanne Chapman Timothy William Charest Ronal Gene Conley Veronica LaShawn Coping Jeanine Louise Crissey Rebecca Faye Daniels Stephen A. Dix, Jr. Aaron Keith Easterling Travis Andrew Eskins Rachelle A. Estep Anna J. Evans Ashton Nicole Galvan

Madison Ann Grant Bianca Leshai Denise Gray Alexander Seth Graybeal Michael J. Greer George Malak Salib Habib Macon Hall Sherry Ann Hall Kristi Denise Helmer Madelynn Kate Henderson Travella J. Hoops Jonathan Marquis Jackson Emma Grace McDonald Jonathon Zeke Mohrman Michael Andrew Moore Casey Carmon Morrison Cody Lee Mullens Conner Franklin Mynes Ernest Scott Obiozor Briauna Marie Osburn David Jaiavre Pearsall Cindy Bearhs Poling

Cary Andrew Prejean II Tabetha A. Rich Tyler Ward Riggs Jessica Roachell **Jeremy Garon Robbins** Steven Young Schmidt Roshala Shonte Scott Hailey Louise See **Jennifer Short** Brian Keith Sparks Karen Lynn Sparks Jenny Rebekah Stephens Cassandra Marie Strait Benjamin B. Stratton Emily-Dawn Nicole Taylor Joseph M. Unger Sarah C. Vititoe Sophia Ngoc Bich Vu Megan B. Walker Tabitha D. Wallace Jenna Kay Lilly Winell

Graduate Studies

Candidates presented by Carl Mummert, Assistant Provost

Candidates for Degrees April 27, 2024

Education Specialist

Laura Kaytlyn Aluise Ebony L. Burress Evelina Starr Butcher Kennedy Marie Carman Amanda Kathleen Davis Regan Christine Drake Olivia Diane Gandee Sherry Rae Harney Rebekkah Joy Heading Victoria Hunt Megan Marie Jennings Kimberly Dawn Kahle Teresa Ann Meddings Chloe Renee Murphy-Williams Ariel Lanae Stamper Cynthia Kay Sun Airen Nicole Wallen Jane Madison Walters Mary J. Welch

Master of Arts

Evan M. Abshire Mathematics

Stephanie K. Albright Literacy Education

Krishna Antoine Geography

Brandie Rae Arbogast Special Education

Catherine Baniakas Leadership Studies

Brittany Berry Special Education

Tatum Alexis Bock Communication Studies

Emily Katherine Bowen Special Education

Carrie Elizabeth Bowers Special Education

Roman Benjamen Scott Bryson Education

Jennifer L. Burns Special Education

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