

The Two Hundred Second

COMMENCEMENT



CENTRE COLLEGE

CENTRE COLLEGE COMMENCEMENT
May Twenty-five • Two Thousand and Twenty-five • Ten O’Clock
Newlin Hall • Norton Center for the Arts • Danville, Kentucky

ORDER OF CEREMONY

PRESIDING — MILTON C. MORELAND, *President of the College*

THE PROCESSIONAL

Tune and Air Henry Purcell
Pomp and Circumstance March No.1 Edward Elgar

JONATHAN STITES, *Trumpet*
JOSEPH VAN FLEET, *Trumpet*
ROBERT SEEBACHER, *Horn*
COLBY NORTON, *Trombone*

THE INVOCATION

ARABELLA ROSE FOWLER
Class of 2025

WELCOME

MILTON C. MORELAND

THE COMMENCEMENT ADDRESS

KENT BARNETT
Dean and J. Gilbert Reese Chair in Contract Law
The Ohio State University, Moritz College of Law
Class of 2002

AWARDING OF VALEDICTORIAN PRIZES

ALEX M. McALLISTER
Associate Dean of the College and H. W. Stodghill, Jr. and
Adele H. Stodghill Professor of Mathematics

THE CONFERRAL OF DEGREES IN COURSE

Introduction of Candidates
ELLEN S. GOLDEY
Vice President for Academic Affairs, Dean of the College, and
Professor of Biology

Associate Dean Alex M. McAllister, Vice President for Student Life
Barbara LoMonaco, and Dean of Student Life Kendrick Durham will assist
in the granting of degrees.

BACHELOR OF ARTS
BACHELOR OF SCIENCE

RESPONSE FROM THE CLASS
KASEY MONTGOMERY
President, Student Government Association
Class of 2025

GODSPEED
MELINDA D. WEATHERS
Director of Diversity and Inclusion
Deputy Title IX Coordinator
Class of 2002

THE ALMA MATER..... *Centre Dear*..... Richard L. Warner
The Alma Mater will be led by Cooper Walden Hendrix, *Class of 2025*
(Audience standing, words and music on the last page of the program.)

THE BENEDICTION
REV. JASON CROSBY
College Chaplain
Class of 2001

RECESSIONAL
Rigaudon..... André Campra
(Audience seated during the recessional)

FACULTY MARSHALS
Genny D. Ballard, Allison Connolly, Jeff Fieberg, Marie Petkus, Amos Tubb, and
Karin Young

JUNIOR MARSHALS
Caroline Elizabeth Koenig, Student Government Association President, 2025–2026

Srija Badireddi	Jenna Kathryne Nicodemus
Lex Harrison Breeden	Caroline Rose Olds
Samuel McKay Cotthoff	Kade Everett Schooling
Jonah Creed Crenshaw	Katelynn Judith Stanczyk
Keely Elizabeth Faulkner	Jacob Anthony Vibbert
Lydia Bryn Handy	Grace Elizabeth Walker
Carson Howard Jenkins	William Henry Watson
Calvin Humphrey Mar	Taylor Jordin Webb
Bennett Andrew Marrillia	Claire Grace Yungbluth
Rosemary Hele Mihindukulasuriya	

KENT BARNETT

Class of 2002

Kent Barnett, a Shelbyville, Ky., native, is the 21st dean of the Michael E. Moritz College of Law at The Ohio State University and holds the Reese Chair in Contract Law. He recently served as the Associate Dean for Academic Affairs and the Hosch Professor at the University of Georgia School of Law, where he taught administrative law, contracts, and consumer law. Focused on the separation of powers and administrative law, his scholarship has been published in, among other places, the *New York University*, *Michigan*, *Duke*, *Vanderbilt*, and *Notre Dame Law Reviews*, and relied upon by leading casebooks and federal courts, including the Supreme Court of the United States. He is also a two-term appointed public member of the Administrative Conference of the United States, an independent federal agency that provides recommendations to the President and Congress about the federal bureaucracy. He clerked for Judge John Rogers of the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Sixth Circuit and practiced law at the international law firm Weil, Gotshal & Manges in its complex commercial litigation and appellate groups. Majoring in art history, he earned his undergraduate degree *summa cum laude* and Phi Beta Kappa from Centre College, where he was a John C. Young Scholar. He earned his law degree *summa cum laude* and Order of the Coif from the University of Kentucky College of Law.

SPECIAL ACADEMIC HONORS

Joan Cralle Day Fellowship.....	Tesneem Issa Shalash
Delta Scholar.....	Diana Lizeth Martinez
Doris Duke Conservation Scholars Program	Presley Dawn Swiney
Fulbright U.S. Student Program, ETA.....	Allison Barrows
Fulbright U.S. Student Program, ETA.....	Phillip-Michael Collins
Benjamin A. Gilman International Scholarship	Allison Barrows
	Layla Deneé Harper
	James Tyler Kinney
Newman Civic Fellow	Elke W. Coenders
PPIA Junior Summer Institute	Savant Wuthikah Pun
PPIA LBJ Leadership Weekend	Savant Wuthikah Pun
Rotary Global Grant Scholarship	Andrew Richard Davison

PHI BETA KAPPA GRADUATES

Jackson Neil Arnold	Isabella Rose Marcum
Angela Chiamaka Asonye	Logan Isaac Mason
Alexandra Kaelin Barnhill	Elizabeth Lee Moore
Ava Isabell Brown	Isha Ishwer Patel
Kathleen Margaret Brown	Natalie Anne Peyton
Elke Wai-Kwan Coenders	Anika Sudarshan Rana
Aliana Marie Conway	Olivia Carr Roach
Andrew Richard Davison	Emma Catherine Silvert
Ana Luiza Dorner	Tenley Anne Soergel
Grace Nicole Dutcher	Jonah David Stephens
Megan Nicole Ewing	Brooke Elizabeth Van Vliet
John Samuel Feingold	Nathan Anthony General Vela
Sarah Elaine Koch	Grace Anne Walker
Michael Xijie Liao	Maggie May Will
Lauren Alanna Marchbanks	An Zainetdinova

★ *Additional members may be elected just prior to Commencement.*

JOHN C. YOUNG SCHOLARS

The John C. Young Scholars program enables outstanding seniors to conduct independent research under the guidance of faculty mentors. The 2024–2025 John C. Young Scholars, their projects, and faculty mentors are listed below.

ARABELLA ROSE FOWLER *Close Contact, Critical Outcomes:
Red Panda Responses to
Interactive Visitor Experiences*

Mentor: Professor Melissa Burns-Cusato

JAMES TYLER KINNEY *The Inflation Reduction Act and
Green Energy in Appalachia*

Mentor: Professor Sarthak Behera

LAUREN ALANNA MARCHBANKS *Painting the Painters:
The Artist in 19th and 20th
Century Literature*

Mentor: Professor John Kinkade and Professor Andrew Brown

GABRIELLE MCMAHON-CSAKI *Colonial Seabirds and Climate Change:
Morphological Responses to Global
Warming in Common Terns*

Mentors: Professor Amy Falk

KASEY MONTGOMERY *Black Imagination and Video Essays:
A Strategy for Community Care*

Mentor: Professor Philip White

AN ZAINETDINOVA *Electron-Withdrawing Groups to
Enhance Anti-Cancer Properties of
Ruthenium (II) Polypyridyl Complexes*

Mentor: Professor Steve Asmus and Professor Erin Wachter

DEGREE CANDIDATES BACHELOR OF ARTS

Sarah Elizabeth Albrecht (English) <i>Summa Cum Laude</i>	Lexington, Kentucky
Jett Michael Anderson (business, Spanish)	Prosper, Texas
Maya Simone Anderson (ethnic studies) <i>Magna Cum Laude</i>	Louisville, Kentucky
Claire Isabella Artman (politics)	Louisville, Kentucky
Erik Lars Backstrom (philosophy)	Nashville, Tennessee
Avery Burke Balch (business) <i>Cum Laude</i>	Decatur, Alabama
★ Jaxson Banks (environmental studies)	Bowling Green, Kentucky
Alexa Morgan Barker (international studies) <i>Cum Laude</i>	Frankfort, Kentucky
Madison Barron (international studies, anthropology/sociology)	Fort Myers, Florida
Allison Barrows (international studies, German) <i>Magna Cum Laude</i>	Paducah, Kentucky
Bon Bartholomy (studio art, art history) <i>Magna Cum Laude</i>	Owensboro, Kentucky
Kristen Denae Bénard (business) <i>Cum Laude</i>	Calgary, Canada
Amanda Blanco Feliz (business)	Boston, Massachusetts
Lydia Grace Bowling (business)	Covington, Kentucky
★ Thomas Bartow Pell Brown (philosophy)	Lexington, Kentucky
Jake Bruce (history)	Louisville, Kentucky
Norbert Joseph Burzynski III (history) <i>Magna Cum Laude</i>	Louisville, Kentucky
Sophie Alexis Butler (politics) <i>Cum Laude</i>	Frankfort, Kentucky
Liam Kent Cercone (English) <i>Cum Laude</i>	Lexington, Kentucky
★ Carter Chandler (business)	Memphis, Tennessee
Jonna Ashton Brooke Clayton (environmental studies)	Madisonville, Kentucky
Jonathan Ramsay Cole (business) <i>Cum Laude</i>	Nashville, Tennessee
Phillip-Michael D. Collins (religion, international studies)	Milton, Georgia
Conley James Alexander Combs (anthropology/sociology) <i>Magna Cum Laude</i>	Louisville, Kentucky
Aliana Marie Conway (Spanish) <i>Summa Cum Laude</i>	Louisville, Kentucky
Brett Michael Cooper (business, international studies) <i>Magna Cum Laude</i>	Chattanooga, Tennessee
Embry Noelle Curtis (anthropology/sociology) <i>Cum Laude</i>	Louisville, Kentucky
Emily Micheal Cuzick (history, international studies) <i>Magna Cum Laude</i>	Nicholasville, Kentucky
Andrew Richard Davison (computer science, religion) <i>Summa Cum Laude</i>	Morehead, Kentucky
★ Madjo Doumbia (French)	Philadelphia, Pennsylvania
Eli Dyer (English, Spanish) <i>Summa Cum Laude</i>	Lexington, Kentucky
John Samuel Feingold (business) <i>Summa Cum Laude</i>	Mt. Pleasant, South Carolina
Alexander Jonathan Ferree (business)	Louisville, Kentucky
Lauren Elizabeth Fredsall (environmental studies, international studies)	Richmond, Maine
Emily Ashley Gardner (business)	Brentwood, Tennessee
John Jasper Gazzo (business)	Aiken, South Carolina
Jayden Tyriq Gilmore (studio art)	Somerset, Kentucky
Emily Elizabeth Goddin (politics) <i>Cum Laude</i>	Prospect, Kentucky
Caroline Graves (English) <i>Cum Laude</i>	Danville, Kentucky
★ Parker Graves Guillaume (business)	Louisville, Kentucky
Jenna Grace Haines (anthropology/sociology)	Danville, Kentucky
Ethan Harder (international studies, religion)	Cincinnati, Ohio

Leah Deborah Hardin (business)	Wilmore, Kentucky
Erin Stauble Haugh (environmental studies)	Louisville, Kentucky
<i>Magna Cum Laude</i>	
Coy Sage Hayes (business)	Versailles, Kentucky
Jackson Dean Henderson (politics, history)	Lexington, Kentucky
Skylar Hensley (English, theatre)	Danville, Kentucky
Kennia Juliette Hernandez (Chinese)	Louisville, Kentucky
Amanda Kay Houston (international studies)	Shelbyville, Kentucky
<i>Cum Laude</i>	
Emma Nicole Howell (politics)	Greensburg, Kentucky
<i>Cum Laude</i>	
Katherine Ai'Man Howell (international studies)	Richmond, Kentucky
Elisabeth Ann Hundley (business)	Lexington, Kentucky
Adam D. Hutchinson (anthropology/sociology)	Ashland, Kentucky
<i>Magna Cum Laude</i>	
Aiden Nicholas Jackson (business)	Louisville, Kentucky
Abigail Jacobs (religion)	Simpsonville, Kentucky
JaMikel James (business)	Louisville, Kentucky
Kylin Kendall Jia (business, Chinese)	Danville, Kentucky
<i>Magna Cum Laude</i>	
Zolon Sebastian Knoll (international studies)	Sewanee, Tennessee
Sarah Elaine Koch (anthropology/sociology, Spanish)	Louisville, Kentucky
<i>Summa Cum Laude</i>	
Jonathan Neale Kromer (history, business)	Charlotte, North Carolina
Bradley Wayne Langevin (history)	Fort Worth, Texas
<i>Cum Laude</i>	
Ethan Tabb Layton (business)	Knoxville, Tennessee
Shane William Limberg (business)	Louisville, Kentucky
Lauren Alanna Marchbanks (studio art, English)	San Luis Obispo, California
<i>Summa Cum Laude</i>	
Ayla Massey (anthropology/sociology)	Franklin, Kentucky
<i>Magna Cum Laude</i>	
Emma Maynard (politics)	Campbellsville, Kentucky
William T. McDaniel (business)	Danville, Kentucky
Dylan James McGrath (business)	Louisville, Kentucky
Owen William McGuirk (environmental studies)	Louisville, Kentucky
Gabrielle McMahon-Csaki (environmental studies, English)	Stratford, Oklahoma
<i>Summa Cum Laude</i>	
Samuel Alan Merritt (German, anthropology/sociology)	Lexington, Kentucky
Salah Yusuf Mohamed (politics)	Lynn, Massachusetts
Kasey Montgomery (anthropology/sociology)	Clayton, California
<i>Magna Cum Laude</i>	
Elizabeth Lee Moore (studio art, mathematics)	Lexington, Kentucky
<i>Summa Cum Laude</i>	
Monse Muniz (politics, history)	Shelbyville, Kentucky
<i>Magna Cum Laude</i>	
Perry Davis Nadreau (philosophy)	Palmetto, Georgia
<i>Cum Laude</i>	
Alivia Grace Nettesheim (international studies)	Baileys Harbor, Wisconsin
<i>Summa Cum Laude</i>	
★ Emma Grace Njigua (politics)	Lynn, Massachusetts
Elsa Nystrom (anthropology/sociology)	Northfield, Minnesota
<i>Cum Laude</i>	
Ikenna Oleru (Spanish)	Jackson, Tennessee
<i>Cum Laude</i>	
Richard John O'Neill (Spanish, international studies)	Lexington, Kentucky
<i>Cum Laude</i>	
Lucy Catherine Owen (art history, studio art)	Louisville, Kentucky
<i>Cum Laude</i>	
Isha Ishwer Patel (business, international studies)	Louisville, Kentucky
<i>Summa Cum Laude</i>	
Elizabeth Graydon Patterson (studio art)	Lexington, Kentucky
Kendal Suzette Patty (studio art)	Knoxville, Tennessee
Emma Ann Perna (business)	New Smyrna Beach, Florida
Emma Yixiang Peterson (politics)	Lebanon, Kentucky
<i>Cum Laude</i>	
Colton Price (business)	Taylorsville, Kentucky
Clayton Andrew Quiggins (studio art)	Louisville, Kentucky

Asher D. Rafkin (anthropology/sociology, religion)	Chester, New Jersey
Madeline Grace Riley (environmental studies)	Campbellsville, Kentucky
<i>Cum Laude</i>	
Jaclyn Rodriguez (Spanish)	San Jose, California
<i>Magna Cum Laude</i>	
Kayla Jade Rogers (politics, history)	Frankfort, Kentucky
<i>Magna Cum Laude</i>	
Ella Russell (Spanish)	Lexington, Kentucky
Olivia Jane Ruth (studio art, art history)	Colorado Springs, Colorado
★ Ethan S. Scott (anthropology/sociology)	Danville, Kentucky
Solomon Shepherd (English)	Anchorage, Alaska
<i>Cum Laude</i>	
Nicole Susan Shouse (English)	Frankfort, Kentucky
<i>Magna Cum Laude</i>	
Lauren Rodrigues Silva (philosophy)	Newark, New Jersey
<i>Cum Laude</i>	
Augusta Reese Smith (business)	Louisville, Kentucky
<i>Cum Laude</i>	
Sydney Allyson Snyder (environmental studies, history)	Louisville, Kentucky
<i>Magna Cum Laude</i>	
Tenley Anne Soergel (religion)	Louisville, Kentucky
<i>Summa Cum Laude</i>	
Ximena Tamariz (international studies, Spanish)	Paris, Kentucky
Cameron Anthony Tegge (business)	Louisville, Kentucky
Anna Marie Thomas (Spanish)	Cincinnati, Ohio
<i>Cum Laude</i>	
Colt Richardson Thomas (business)	Lancaster, Kentucky
Madeleine Grace Thompson (English)	Hamilton, Ohio
<i>Magna Cum Laude</i>	
Ella Maycee Thornberry (politics)	Independence, Kentucky
<i>Cum Laude</i>	
Isabel Caroline Thornton (environmental studies)	Murfreesboro, Tennessee
Brianna Shay Tilley (anthropology/sociology)	Louisville, Kentucky
Robyn Tribolet (studio art, art history)	Louisville, Kentucky
<i>Cum Laude</i>	
# Connor J. Tucker (English)	Danville, Kentucky
Emma Leigh Valsted (politics)	Louisville, Kentucky
<i>Magna Cum Laude</i>	
Tyler Wesley Vaughn (business)	Jefferson, Georgia
Jasmine E Viergutz (psychology)	Mount Washington, Kentucky
Jennifer Vong (anthropology/sociology)	Louisville, Kentucky
<i>Cum Laude</i>	
Laurel Wallace (international studies)	Louisville, Kentucky
<i>Magna Cum Laude</i>	
Emily Grace Warner (business)	Louisville, Kentucky
Nathan Joseph Weaver (history)	Atlanta, Georgia
Lauolive Weeks (international studies)	Atlanta, Georgia
Maggie May Will (politics)	Louisville, Kentucky
<i>Summa Cum Laude</i>	
Sunnie Qin Woske (politics)	Bradenton, Florida
<i>Magna Cum Laude</i>	
Lauren McKenna Wright (Spanish, international studies)	Lexington, Kentucky

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE

Ayomide Adeniyi Adeyemi (physics)	Newark, New Jersey
Erika Nahomy Amarilla Alonso (chemistry)	Bela Vista, Brazil
<i>Summa Cum Laude</i>	
June Elizabeth Padilla Arias (behavioral neuroscience)	Murfreesboro, Tennessee
Jackson Arnold (computer science)	Louisville, Kentucky
<i>Summa Cum Laude</i>	
Angela Chiamaka Asonye (biochemistry & molecular biology)	Dallas, Texas
<i>Summa Cum Laude</i>	
Johsty Bach (computer science)	Louisville, Kentucky
Ethaniel Mattheiu Banzon (behavioral neuroscience)	Louisville, Kentucky
<i>Cum Laude</i>	
Vassar Jackson Barney (biology)	Plain City, Ohio
Alexandra Kaelin Barnhill (psychology)	Pleasant View, Tennessee
<i>Summa Cum Laude</i>	
Cameron Scott Bassel (economics and finance)	Lexington, Kentucky
Nicole Batista Morillo (behavioral neuroscience)	Bronx, New York
Vedant Uttam Bhong (computer science, business)	Pune, India
Suzanne Elizabeth Bicksler (economics and finance)	Lewisburg, West Virginia
Landon Garrett Binion (psychology)	Roundhill, Kentucky
* Bryan Scott Birch (physics)	Versailles, Kentucky
Aimee Bohannon (behavioral neuroscience)	Mount Washington, Kentucky
<i>Cum Laude</i>	
Janea D'Aja Bottinelli (psychology)	Dallas, Texas
<i>Cum Laude</i>	
Hannah Botts (behavioral neuroscience)	Lexington, Kentucky
Abigail Jane Brainard (environmental science)	Wilmington, Delaware
Ford Wayne Branch III (biology)	Princeton, Kentucky
<i>Magna Cum Laude</i>	
Blake Brigham (computer science)	Norman, Oklahoma
Ava Isabell Brown (biochemistry & molecular biology)	Louisville, Kentucky
<i>Summa Cum Laude</i>	
Kathleen Margaret Brown (physics)	Bardstown, Kentucky
<i>Summa Cum Laude</i>	
Scotty Brown (economics and finance)	Bowling Green, Kentucky
Emma James Bryant (chemistry)	Lexington, Kentucky
<i>Magna Cum Laude</i>	
Liam E. Busin (behavioral neuroscience)	Louisville, Kentucky
Rashawn Butler (computer science)	Louisville, Kentucky
Sol Yatziry Cabrera Lomeli (behavioral neuroscience)	Dallas, Texas
<i>Magna Cum Laude</i>	
David Gerard Caldwell (economics and finance, history)	Roanoke, Virginia
Owen Patrick Carey (economics and finance, business)	Goshen, Kentucky
Lindsay Virginia Carr (chemistry)	Charleston, West Virginia
<i>Cum Laude</i>	
Elke W. Coenders (economics and finance, business)	Lexington, Kentucky
<i>Summa Cum Laude</i>	
Tatum Scott Colvin (behavioral neuroscience)	Lexington, Kentucky
<i>Magna Cum Laude</i>	
Winnie Chatelain Combs (behavioral neuroscience)	Nashville, Tennessee
<i>Cum Laude</i>	
Brad Cotcamp (economics and finance)	Erlanger, Kentucky
<i>Magna Cum Laude</i>	
Micah Bryce Cowen (biology)	Lexington, Kentucky
<i>Magna Cum Laude</i>	
Morgan Faith Crowe (chemistry)	Liberty, Kentucky
<i>Cum Laude</i>	
Henry Winfield Crumley (physics, mathematics)	Charlotte, North Carolina
<i>Magna Cum Laude</i>	
Hailey Dant (biology)	Louisville, Kentucky
<i>Magna Cum Laude</i>	
William Gregory Daunhauer (economics and finance)	Louisville, Kentucky
<i>Magna Cum Laude</i>	
Drew Davidson (mathematics)	Crossville, Tennessee
Geovanna Rodrigues de Andrade (chemistry)	Boston, Massachusetts
<i>Cum Laude</i>	
* Emerson G. Dean (economics and finance)	Upper Arlington, Ohio

Silas Earl Dennis (chemistry)	Harrodsburg, Kentucky
Joshua Denny (economics and finance, history)	Macon, Georgia
Jason Medeiros Dias (economics and finance)	Boston, Massachusetts
<i>Magna Cum Laude</i>	
Ana Luiza Dorner (economics and finance)	Malden, Massachusetts
<i>Summa Cum Laude</i>	
Mrlil Caesar D'silva (computer science, international studies)	Ahmedabad, India
<i>Cum Laude</i>	
Braden Ray Duncan (psychology, religion)	Louisville, Kentucky
<i>Summa Cum Laude</i>	
Macy Renee Dungan (biology)	Frankfort, Kentucky
Grace Nicole Dutcher (behavioral neuroscience)	Orlando, Florida
<i>Summa Cum Laude</i>	
Elizabeth Virginia Dziech (behavioral neuroscience)	Cincinnati, Ohio
Brendan James Egan (physics)	Louisville, Kentucky
Evan Spaulding Elder (economics and finance)	Louisville, Kentucky
Megan Nicole Ewing (computer science, mathematics)	Lexington, Kentucky
<i>Summa Cum Laude</i>	
Rebecca Ibukunoluwa Fakunle (behavioral neuroscience)	Celina, Texas
Jackson Avery Fears (biochemistry & molecular biology)	Louisville, Kentucky
Andrew Finch (biology)	Cincinnati, Ohio
<i>Cum Laude</i>	
Lainey Mia Fingerman (psychology)	Ocean Township, New Jersey
<i>Cum Laude</i>	
Ashleigh Flaherty (psychology)	Louisville, Kentucky
James Anthony Folz (biology)	Herndon, Kentucky
Elizabeth Oluwatomisin Fortress (behavioral neuroscience)	Boston, Massachusetts
Kara Nyx Foster (psychology)	Erlanger, Kentucky
<i>Cum Laude</i>	
Arabella Rose Fowler (biology, history)	English, Indiana
<i>Magna Cum Laude</i>	
Jack Thomas Furlong (economics and finance)	Louisville, Kentucky
<i>Magna Cum Laude</i>	
Venkat Sudeep Gadde (behavioral neuroscience)	Marion, Iowa
<i>Magna Cum Laude</i>	
Peyton Marie Gahm (psychology)	Louisville, Kentucky
<i>Magna Cum Laude</i>	
Dirk Thomas Gambrel (economics and finance)	Richmond, Kentucky
Nikolai Reeves Garding (economics and finance)	Huntsville, Alabama
<i>Cum Laude</i>	
Rachel Gaynor (psychology)	Prospect, Kentucky
Mary A. Gonzalez (biology)	Louisville, Kentucky
Sydney Noelle Gonzalez (economics and finance, business)	Hinckley, Illinois
Adriana Izabel Gonzalez-Alvizures (psychology)	Byron Center, Michigan
Grey Lynndon Goodwin (economics and finance)	Mt. Juliet, Tennessee
<i>Magna Cum Laude</i>	
Callie Ann Gormley (behavioral neuroscience)	Versailles, Kentucky
<i>Cum Laude</i>	
Grant William Griffith (economics and finance)	Johnson City, Tennessee
Madhu Rangi Gunasena (mathematics)	Louisville, Kentucky
Layla Deneé Harper (behavioral neuroscience)	Louisville, Kentucky
Robert Lee Harper II (physics, Chinese)	West Liberty, Kentucky
<i>Magna Cum Laude</i>	
Allise Helmes (biology)	Cincinnati, Ohio
<i>Magna Cum Laude</i>	
Cooper Walden Hendrix (computer science)	Frankfort, Kentucky
<i>Summa Cum Laude</i>	
Quentin G. Ho (biochemistry & molecular biology)	Happy Valley, Oregon
William Cleary Horan IV (chemistry)	Louisville, Kentucky
Natasha Renée Hoskins (computer science)	London, Kentucky
Nora Catherine Watson Howard (French, biology)	Louisville, Kentucky
<i>Magna Cum Laude</i>	
Alexandra Humphries (biology)	Lexington, Kentucky
Logan Taylor Isaacs (biology)	Bardstown, Kentucky
Jordan "JJ" Jones (chemistry)	Hamilton, Ohio
Andrew Michael Kahn (mathematics)	Alpharetta, Georgia

Katharine Havana Grainger Keller (biology) <i>Cum Laude</i>	Salem, Kentucky
Porter James Kelley (data science)	Nicholasville, Kentucky
Victoria Evelyn Kelmanson (biology)	Louisville, Kentucky
Allison Kimmerer (psychology) <i>Cum Laude</i>	Lexington, Kentucky
James Tyler Kinney (economics and finance) <i>Cum Laude</i>	Ashcamp, Kentucky
Daniel Stephen Kirk (economics and finance, business)	Milford, Ohio
Jackson David Klein (economics and finance)	Lexington, Kentucky
# Aden Kraft (biology)	Mobile, Alabama
Kate Elizabeth Krogen (physics) <i>Cum Laude</i>	Chesterfield, Missouri
Francisco Lacson III (computer science, business)	Virginia Beach, Virginia
Addison Marie Lewis (behavioral neuroscience)	Lexington, Kentucky
Michael Xijie Liao (computer science, Chinese) <i>Summa Cum Laude</i>	Superior, Colorado
Jade Loftus (behavioral neuroscience)	Lexington, Kentucky
William Lawrence Long II (psychology)	Hopkinsville, Kentucky
Noah Ronald Malubay (economics and finance)	Louisville, Kentucky
Isabella Rose Marcum (economics and finance, business) <i>Summa Cum Laude</i>	Cincinnati, Ohio
Sarah Ellen Marks (psychology) <i>Cum Laude</i>	McKee, Kentucky
Diana Lizeth Martinez (psychology)	Harvey, Louisiana
Pierce Mason (computer science, data science) <i>Summa Cum Laude</i>	Crab Orchard, Kentucky
Lily Matthiessen (behavioral neuroscience) <i>Magna Cum Laude</i>	Crestwood, Kentucky
Alec McAlister (psychology, Spanish) <i>Summa Cum Laude</i>	Danville, Kentucky
Joanna McGill (computer science, art history) <i>Magna Cum Laude</i>	Georgetown, Kentucky
Claire Mechlin (psychology)	Louisville, Kentucky
Uriana Perla Medellin Santiago (business, economics and finance)	Atlanta, Georgia
Ezzatullah Mehrdad (physics)	Hazarajat, Afghanistan
Arthur Melo (data science) <i>Magna Cum Laude</i>	Imperatriz, Brazil
★ Chloe Lynn Metcalfe (biology)	Madisonville, Kentucky
Natalie Ann Mills (psychology) <i>Magna Cum Laude</i>	Bowling Green, Kentucky
Kathryn Elliott Milward (biology)	Lexington, Kentucky
Elise Germaine Moeykens (biology)	Covington, Kentucky
Quinn Damon Moore (behavioral neuroscience) <i>Cum Laude</i>	Alpharetta, Georgia
Massiel Mora Fernandez (psychology, French) <i>Cum Laude</i>	Louisville, Kentucky
Charles Schaefer Morgan (economics and finance)	Louisville, Kentucky
Kayla Nicole Mullin (biology) <i>Cum Laude</i>	Louisville, Kentucky
Philippe-Andre N'Dia (economics and finance, French)	Lexington, Kentucky
Harrison Neff (biochemistry & molecular biology) <i>Magna Cum Laude</i>	Lexington, Kentucky
Taylor Nelson (economics and finance, business)	Columbia, Maryland
Tyler Michelle Neltner-Devine (psychology) <i>Cum Laude</i>	Charlotte, North Carolina
Abigail Oaks (biology)	Nashville, Tennessee
Grace Anne O'Brien (biology)	Lexington, Kentucky
Louis Ene Okon (economics and finance) <i>Magna Cum Laude</i>	Calabar, Nigeria
Peyton Quinn Oney (mathematics) <i>Summa Cum Laude</i>	Frankfort, Kentucky
★ Leilani Osborne (psychology)	Louisville, Kentucky
Joshua Christopher Peters (economics and finance, music) <i>Summa Cum Laude</i>	Birmingham, Alabama
Natalie Anne Peyton (psychology) <i>Summa Cum Laude</i>	Morehead, Kentucky

Jonathan J. Pierre Louis (economics and finance, French)	Waltham, Massachusetts
Lauren Kate Poe (biology)	Prestonsburg, Kentucky
Susmita Poudel (computer science, data science)	Dhankuta, Nepal
<i>Magna Cum Laude</i>	
Ava Marie Priest (psychology)	Bowling Green, Kentucky
Savant Wuthikah Pun (economics and finance, international studies)	Siem Reap, Cambodia
<i>Summa Cum Laude</i>	
Ryan Alexander Pyles (economics and finance)	Elizabethtown, Kentucky
Colin James Race (psychology)	Chattanooga, Tennessee
Katelyn Ramsey (biology)	Elizabethtown, Kentucky
Anika Sudarshan Rana (behavioral neuroscience)	Spartanburg, South Carolina
<i>Summa Cum Laude</i>	
Haley Rae Rice (behavioral neuroscience)	Chattanooga, Tennessee
<i>Cum Laude</i>	
Natalie Rice (economics and finance)	Knoxville, Tennessee
Emery Eleen Richards (psychology)	Louisville, Kentucky
Raegan Elizabeth Richardson (economics and finance)	Bowling Green, Kentucky
<i>Magna Cum Laude</i>	
Olivia Carr Roach (physics)	Statesville, North Carolina
<i>Summa Cum Laude</i>	
Turner Roach (psychology)	Bardstown, Kentucky
<i>Cum Laude</i>	
# Connor Roberts (mathematics)	Pikeville, Kentucky
Elida Yulissa Rodriguez (mathematics)	Mission, Texas
Indy Ailed Rodriguez (behavioral neuroscience)	Lynn, Massachusetts
# Jerry Ben Ross III (physics)	Franklin, Tennessee
Bailey Alexis Rucker (biochemistry & molecular biology)	Catlettsburg, Kentucky
Jacob Charles Sanders (economics and finance)	Louisville, Kentucky
<i>Magna Cum Laude</i>	
Zach Schmaltz (behavioral neuroscience)	Bowling Green, Kentucky
Margaret Anne Schneider (biology)	Versailles, Kentucky
<i>Cum Laude</i>	
Emily Brooke Sears (behavioral neuroscience, studio art)	Louisville, Kentucky
Tesneem Issa Shalash (biochemistry & molecular biology, classical studies)	Lexington, Kentucky
<i>Magna Cum Laude</i>	
Chenjie Shang (computer science, physics)	Shanghai, China
<i>Magna Cum Laude</i>	
Kayla M. Sharkey (biology)	Belton, Texas
Erin Mackenzie Siler (behavioral neuroscience)	Cincinnati, Ohio
Emma Catherine Silvert (biology)	Owensboro, Kentucky
<i>Summa Cum Laude</i>	
Benjamin Ryan Smith (behavioral neuroscience)	Afton, Wyoming
Stephen Maxwell Speers (economics and finance)	Nashville, Tennessee
Jacob William Sponel (economics and finance)	Shelbyville, Kentucky
<i>Cum Laude</i>	
Jonah David Stephens (mathematics, data science)	Frankfort, Kentucky
<i>Summa Cum Laude</i>	
Katelyn McKenzie Stiltner (biology)	Oneida, Tennessee
<i>Magna Cum Laude</i>	
Isabel Grace Stumpf (biochemistry & molecular biology)	Lexington, Kentucky
<i>Magna Cum Laude</i>	
Johnson Subedi (computer science, mathematics)	Kathmandu, Nepal
Presley Dawn Swiney (psychology)	Breaks, Virginia
Layla Tahanasab (psychology)	Frankfort, Kentucky
<i>Magna Cum Laude</i>	
Anneliese Simone Thomas (biochemistry & molecular biology)	Louisville, Kentucky
Adrien M. Trainor (environmental studies, computer science)	Lexington, Kentucky
<i>Cum Laude</i>	
# Huong Thu Tran (economics and finance, mathematics)	Hai Phong, Viet Nam
<i>Magna Cum Laude</i>	
Rori Danae Traugott (biochemistry & molecular biology)	Lexington, Kentucky
# Tim Trieu (chemistry)	Louisville, Kentucky
Owen Joseph Trimmier (economics and finance, business)	Columbia, South Carolina
Krissa Marie Van Schoyck (biology)	Lexington, Kentucky

Brooke Elizabeth Van Vliet (biochemistry & molecular biology)	Alberta, Canada
<i>Summa Cum Laude</i>	
Caroline Elliott Vaughn (biology)	Independence, Kentucky
Nathan Anthony General Vela (biochemistry & molecular biology, anthropology/sociology)	Dededo, Guam
<i>Summa Cum Laude</i>	
Dominic Verry (chemistry)	Lexington, Kentucky
<i>Magna Cum Laude</i>	
Jackson Charles Waldrige (economics and finance)	Shelbyville, Kentucky
Grace Anne Walker (economics and finance)	Louisville, Kentucky
<i>Summa Cum Laude</i>	
Benjamin Noah Webster (economics and finance)	Lexington, Kentucky
Griffin Weiss (chemistry)	Belchertown, Massachusetts
Parker Alan Wells (biology)	Lexington, Kentucky
Caroline Shelton West (chemistry)	Lexington, Kentucky
<i>Cum Laude</i>	
Claire Whelan (biology)	Eagle, Colorado
Nicklaus Whitlow (computer science)	Clarksville, Tennessee
Kevin Ishan Williams (biochemistry & molecular biology)	Brooklyn, New York
Davis Atwell Wilmes (economics and finance)	Louisville, Kentucky
<i>Cum Laude</i>	
Leah Faye Witcher (biology)	Bowling Green, Kentucky
<i>Summa Cum Laude</i>	
Carson Curry Wooldridge (economics and finance, business)	Lawrenceburg, Kentucky
Jiles Ryder Wyatt (biology)	Hopkinsville, Kentucky
Dengnan Yang (chemistry)	Jiangsu, China
An Zainetdinova (biochemistry & molecular biology)	Yekaterinburg, Russia
<i>Summa Cum Laude</i>	
Lillian Josephine Zehnder (biochemistry & molecular biology)	Union, Kentucky
<i>Summa Cum Laude</i>	
Samuel Owen Zickel (economics and finance)	Cleveland, Ohio
<i>Magna Cum Laude</i>	

** Requirements for graduation to be completed subsequent to May 25, 2025.*

In absentia

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ACADEMIC DRESS

The traditions of academic dress originated in the medieval monastery, where the present-day university has its roots. Originally, all university faculty were clerics. The earliest academic robes, like the monastic robes, provided considerable warmth in the unheated academic halls, as they were made of heavy wool. In addition to their practical use, these gowns later signified degree and rank with colors and styles.

The symbolic system of academic dress began at the University of Oxford in the early 12th century. Cambridge University made further developments in the next century. Most of the universities in continental Europe, which were founded during the Middle Ages and the Renaissance, adopted similar gowns. Academic dress was originally worn on a daily basis, but was later worn exclusively on ceremonial occasions. Modern-day Oxford and Cambridge doctorate holders are robed in bright scarlet; those from the University of Paris wear gold. Both are trimmed with colorful hoods.

A standard system of academic dress in the United States was established by the end of the 19th century. The bachelor's gown is generally black, closed in the front and worn without a hood. It is the simplest of the gowns, having only the long pointed sleeves as its distinguishing feature. A master's gown is similar to the bachelor's, with the exception that it may be worn open or closed in front and it has modified sleeves and a hood. The inside of the hood is lined with the color or colors that identify the institution that granted the degree. The border color signifies the discipline in which the degree was awarded.

Doctoral gowns, originally black with colorful hoods, have undergone noticeable changes in the 20th century by some institutions. Harvard's doctoral gowns are now crimson, Yale's dark blue, and Princeton's black with orange stripes. Most elaborate of the three gowns, the doctor's robe has long bell sleeves with three velvet stripes on each, and velvet panels down the front. Worn either open or closed, the gown's hood is longer and fuller than that of the master's gown. The inside of the doctoral hood is lined with the symbolic colors, also in velvet.

The colored border around the hood, indicating the subject in which the degree was taken, may be highly symbolic or apparently arbitrary. The humanities are given "pure" white, while the more "practical" sciences are gold. Economics is signified by copper. Theology is represented by "martyr's" scarlet, and philosophy is "contemplative" dark blue. Other colors appear to have been chosen at random, such as education's light blue, engineering's orange, fine arts' brown, music's pink, and physical education's sage green. The hood is worn around the throat and draped over the shoulders. The colors symbolizing the scholar's field of study may be observed just under the wearer's chin.

THE CENTRE COLLEGE MACE

The Centre College Mace was created for the College's bicentennial celebration in 2019. The Mace is crafted primarily of poplar taken from a joist removed from Old Centre during a 1990s renovation. Other materials include holly and magnolia from trees removed during a renovation of the Norton Center for the Arts and walnut discovered beneath the floor of the Facilities Management shop. Damon Denny, of Centre Facilities Management, designed and built the wooden components. Professor Stephen Rolfe Powell designed the glass flame atop the Ceremonial Mace. Following Powell's death, Ché Rhodes and Brook White crafted the piece based on his design.

Centre Dear

Rev. Edward L. Haines

Richard L. Warner

Cen - tre dear, we of - fer thee, Love pro - found and
We thy sons and daugh - ters free, Through the truth re-

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prai - ses free. Where thy walls of i - vy rise,
vealed by thee. Strong in re - so - lu - tion rise,

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God un - seals our blind - ed eyes. Where thy tree-lined
To the fu - ture's en - ter - prise. Du - ty is our

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path - ways lure, Friend - ships spring e - ter - nal sure.
bea - con pure. Ho - nor is our stan - dard sure.

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For thy gifts we of - fer thee,

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Cen - tre dear our loy - al - ty.

