

CALIFORNIA



2024 FALL COMMENCEMENT

PENNSYLVANIA WESTERN UNIVERSITY

Celebrating Graduates

CONVOCATION CENTER
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Dear graduates, families and friends,

Welcome to the Fall 2024 Commencement at Pennsylvania Western University – California. Today, we gather to celebrate a truly remarkable milestone for each of you.

Graduates, this is your moment. Through hard work, resilience and an unyielding commitment to your goals, you've not only conquered academic challenges but also paved the way for a future filled with promise and possibility. We honor your journey and the countless hours of effort that brought you here.

As you prepare to cross this stage, know that you're stepping into a proud legacy. You now join a network of 203,000 PennWest alumni — trailblazers, innovators, and leaders making a difference around the globe. Together, you represent the spirit of perseverance and the boundless potential of this community.

Your time at PennWest has not only prepared you for success in your chosen fields but also for making meaningful contributions to the world around you. Wherever life takes you next, know that you carry the power of this university and its values with you.

Congratulations, Class of 2024! We are incredibly proud of you. As Vulcans now and forever, this will always be your home.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Jon Anderson".

Jon Anderson, Ph.D.

President

Pennsylvania Western University



Pennsylvania Western University

MISSION

Through innovation, academic excellence, and empowering environments, Pennsylvania Western University provides accessible education that cultivates career-ready, life-long learners and leaders, who enrich and engage each other, their communities, the region, and beyond.

VISION

Pennsylvania Western University empowers students to achieve meaningful goals through a broad array of nationally accredited undergraduate and graduate programs, career-focused learning, and support systems to foster lifelong success.



JON ANDERSON, PH.D.
President, Pennsylvania Western University

Dr. Jon Anderson began his term as the second president of Pennsylvania Western University on July 1, 2024, leading the institution into an exciting era of growth and innovation. As the second-largest public university in western Pennsylvania, PennWest serves 10,834 students and boasts a proud network of 203,000 alumni across its campuses.

A growth-oriented and collaborative academic leader, Anderson brings extensive experience in multi-campus leadership, prioritizing student success, streamlining budgets, optimizing enrollment, and fostering shared cultures. Before joining PennWest, he served as provost and vice president for academic affairs at Southern Utah University, a regional institution with more than 15,000 students. His career also includes leadership roles at Middle Georgia State University and the University of West Georgia, where he advanced academic initiatives and institutional success.

Under Anderson's leadership, PennWest has already achieved remarkable milestones, including an increase in retention, a 9.5% increase in online enrollment, and a 9.4% rise in new graduate enrollment during the fall 2024 semester. The university also secured a \$3.2 million gift for early childhood education and launched the PennWest Center for Artificial Intelligence and Emerging

Technologies, positioning itself at the forefront of innovation and community engagement.

An advocate for connection and dialogue, Anderson hosts The Power of PennWest podcast, where he engages with students, faculty, alumni, and staff to share stories and insights that shape the university.

Anderson holds a Ph.D. in Business Administration from the University of Kentucky, a master's degree in Business Education from the University of West Georgia, a Bachelor of Science in Sociology from Utah State University, and an associate's degree from Ricks College. Recognized as one of Pennsylvania's most influential leaders in City & State's 2024 PA Fifty Over 50, he is committed to empowering students and advancing PennWest's mission to serve its communities.

Residing in Clarion with his wife, Kristy, and their son Bryce, Dr. Anderson also spends time on the California and Edinboro campuses, embodying his hands-on leadership style. The Andersons are proud parents of seven children and grandparents to seven granddaughters.

Anderson was officially inaugurated on December 6, 2024, marking a new chapter in PennWest's legacy of transformation and excellence.

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PROCESSIONAL*

Organist, Yana Tyulkova, D.M.A.

Beverly Ross, Ph.D., C.C.P.

Associate Professor, Department of Criminal Justice,
History and Politics; Bearer of the Mace

"THE STAR SPANGLED BANNER"*

Francis Scott Key

Pennsylvania Western University – California Choir

CONVOCATION / INTRODUCTION OF THE PLATFORM PARTY

Brenda Fredette, Ph.D.

Dean, College of Science, Technology and Business

GREETINGS ON BEHALF OF THE PRESIDENT

Susanne K. Fenske, Ph.D.

Vice President for Institutional Effectiveness and Student Affairs

REMARKS TO THE GRADUATES

Trustee Greeting

Barry Niccolai, (California 1993)

Pennsylvania Western University Council of Trustees

Student Speaker

Courtney N. Kiesling

Bachelor of Science in Education, Middle Level Education

"CELEBRATION"

By Kool and the Gang,
Arranged by Russ Shively

Pennsylvania Western University – California Choir

Directed by Yugo Sava Ikach, D.M.A.

PRESENTATION OF CANDIDATES

Yugo Ikach, D.M.A.

Associate Dean, College of Education, Arts and Humanities

Thomas Wickham, Ph.D.

Associate Dean, College of Health Sciences and Human Services

Robert Mehalik, Ph.D. LPC, NCC

Associate Provost and Graduate Dean

CONFERRING OF DEGREES

Susanne K. Fenske, Ph.D.

ALUMNI GREETING

A. Tereasa Rerko, (California 1979, 2020)

President, California Alumni Association

SPECIAL ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

Brenda Fredette, Ph.D.

ALMA MATER*

By Phillip Rossi, 1937

Audience, Pennsylvania Western University – California Choir

Directed by Yugo Sava Ikach, D.M.A.

RECESSIONAL*

Organist, Yana Tyulkova, D.M.A.

Beverly Ross, Ph.D., C.C.P.

*Audience Stands

PRESIDENTIAL MEDALLION

Medallions, or chains of office, have served for centuries to commemorate special events or to recognize meritorious service or conduct. Chains of office are worn by a university president on ceremonial occasions as part of the regalia. The chains can be made of bronze, sterling silver or gold plate, and are usually anchored by a large medallion.

The University Seal forms the centerpiece medallion of the ceremonial chain that is worn by the president of Pennsylvania Western University.

The medallion pictured here was graciously given to University President Jonathan R. Anderson by the Foundation for California University of Pennsylvania, Clarion University Foundation, Inc., and Edinboro University Foundation at President Anderson's inauguration on December 6, 2024.



THE CEREMONIAL MACE



Vulcan, the Greek god of fire and metalworking, lifts a hammer high over his head, preparing to strike an anvil which is draped with a triangle inscribed with the words “education, research and service.” He holds the triangle in place with tongs; his face fierce with determination, he kneels at the forge. Captured forever in the act of creation, this Vulcan is memorialized on the university mace created by artist Thomas Shimrock of Grantsville, Maryland. His interpretation of the California mascot, cast from six pounds of silver, sits proudly atop a 52-inch-high wood mace that made its debut at California University’s 147th commencement.

Mr. Shimrock was commissioned to design and create the mace, a display cabinet and a carrying case by the Foundation for California University. Crafted from bubinga wood, the cabinet holds the mace upright within its circular confines. Three graceful bubinga supports, stretching upward from delicately carved ebony ovals, each topped with a different hand-cast silver finial, cradle the circular cabinet body, made up of two curved glass windows and a curved ebonized anegre wood door set in a bubinga wood frame. The carrying case is made from quarter-cut sycamore lined with velvet.

The university mace, carried by a senior faculty member in all formal academic processions, is on permanent display in the lobby of the Louis L. Manderino Library.

ACADEMIC ATTIRE

The academic attire worn at university ceremonies today in the United States dates back in its essential features to the Middle Ages. The oldest universities of northern Europe, such as Paris and Oxford, grew out of church schools. Students and faculty wore clerical garb, largely borrowed from the monastic dress of their day.

The head-covering of the academic costume developed out of the skull cap worn by the clergy in cold weather. In the universities, this skull cap acquired a point on top that gradually evolved into a tassel. In this country, it has been replaced by the familiar mortarboard, which still retains the medieval tassel.

The hood originally was worn over the head and otherwise dropped onto the shoulders, like a cowl. Today, each college has its distinctive colored hood-lining by which its graduates may be recognized.

GOWNS

Although the gown is more frequently black, certain universities have authorized the use of colored gowns. The bachelor's and master's gowns are fashioned from black serge. The yoke for the bachelor's gown is designed to be worn closed and features long, flowing and pointed sleeves. The master's gown is designed to be worn open or closed. Its sleeves are very long with square ends, and the front part has an arc cut away. The arms protrude through a slit at the elbow. The gown for the doctorate has bell-shaped sleeves, with velvet facing down the front and on three bars across the sleeves. The facing and crossbars of velvet may be of the color distinctive of the field to which the degree pertains.

HOODS

The hood is usually worn only for the master's and the doctorate. The doctor's hood is longer than the master's hood and has distinguishing panels. The college or university granting the degree is indicated by the color of the hood lining. The velvet trim of the hood indicates the field in which the degree was granted; those colors are listed on the next page.

CAPS

The standard cap is the mortarboard, usually the color of the gown. The tassel is black for the baccalaureate and master's degree and is worn over the left front quarter of the cap. The doctoral cap is indicated by a tassel of gold thread. Undergraduates wear the tassel on the right side of the cap until the moment the degree is conferred.

COLORS DISTINCTIVE OF THE DISCIPLINES AND PROFESSIONS

Only a single degree from a single institution should ever be indicated by a single garment. For all academic purposes, including trimmings of doctors' gowns, edgings of hoods, and tassels of caps, the colors associated with the different subjects are as follows:

Agriculture – <i>Maize</i>	Fine Arts – <i>Brown</i>	Philosophy – <i>Dark Blue</i>
Architecture/Planning – <i>Blue</i>	Foreign Affairs – <i>Aquamarine</i>	Physical Education – <i>Sage Green</i>
Arts, Letters, and Humanities – <i>White</i>	Forestry – <i>Russet</i>	Psychology – <i>Antique Gold</i>
Business – <i>Drab</i>	Journalism – <i>Crimson</i>	Public Administration – <i>Peacock Blue</i>
Criminal Justice – <i>Midnight Blue</i>	Law – <i>Purple</i>	Public Health – <i>Salmon Pink</i>
Chiropractic – <i>Silver</i>	Library Science – <i>Lemon</i>	Science – <i>Golden Yellow</i>
Dentistry – <i>Lilac</i>	Medicine – <i>Green</i>	Social Work/Social Science – <i>Citron</i>
Economics – <i>Copper</i>	Music – <i>Pink</i>	Theology – <i>Scarlet</i>
Education – <i>Light Blue</i>	Nursing – <i>Apricot</i>	Veterans – <i>Red, White and Blue</i>
Engineering – <i>Orange</i>	Oratory – <i>Silver Gray</i>	Veterinary Science – <i>Gray</i>
	Pharmacy – <i>Olive Green</i>	

HONORS DESIGNATIONS

Summa Cum Laude – <i>Gold Stoles</i>
Magna Cum Laude – <i>White Stoles</i>
Cum Laude – <i>Red Stoles</i>
Associate Degree with Distinction – <i>White Cords</i>
Pennsylvania Western University Honors Program – <i>Gold Medallions</i>

PHILANTHROPY RECOGNITION

Pennsylvania Western University Advancement recognizes students who demonstrate their generosity and commitment to their alma mater as they transition from student to engaged alumni. To earn this red tassel and/or red or white cord, students must participate in their first alumni event by making a gift through the Pennsylvania Western University – California Gift Drive. The tassel and cord symbolize the important role that our alumni serve in strengthening the university.

PENNSYLVANIA WESTERN UNIVERSITY HONORS PROGRAM

Meghan Paige Bittinger
Allison Marie Droneberger
Jessica Lea Huemme
Natalie Marie Rickert

HONORS

The following degree candidates have earned at least 30 credits as undergraduate students of Pennsylvania Western University and have attained the following cumulative grade-point averages: summa cum laude, 3.8 to 4.0; magna cum laude, 3.6 to 3.79; and cum laude, 3.4 to 3.59. Associate degree candidates graduating With Distinction have earned at least 15 credits as undergraduate students of Pennsylvania Western University and have attained a minimum cumulative grade-point average of 3.4.

SUMMA CUM LAUDE

Brandy Alice Aiello	Dalton Adam Halfhill	Mathew Isaac O'Neil
Marian Kemisola ASunbo	Clinton Sean Hall	Shauna Lee Penska
Gurmeet Singh Bedi	Maryam Hana	Katie Pentecost
Meghan Paige Bittinger	Kameryn Paige Hixenbaugh	Britton Ann Positano
Gillian Margaret Bowytz	Jessica Lea Huemme	Michelle Lynn Prevade
Emily Diane Brooks	Raquel Lee Imler	Savannah Elaine Price
Heavenlie Dawn Buxton	Karley Rae Irwin	Carolina Rey
Michael Anthony Casamassa	Steven Wesley Kenderes	Brittany Elaine Samolovitch
Courtney Rose Coccia	Courtney N. Kiesling	Zachary Michael Sargent
Tyler Marc Colby	Valen Jade Lilley	Bridget Elizabeth Sluka
Samantha Marie Cortez	Morgan Joann McMurdy	Chelsea Lynn Solak
Tabitha L. Coven	Chase Miller	Lukas Daniel Vukovich
Vanessa Marie Damone	Penrith Jane Moyer	Alicia Nicole White
Damien Gabriel Davila	Christiana Murphy	Cynthia Dove Wilhelm
Nicholas Frank DePalma	John Adam Nadzan	Amanda Colleen Williams
Nicholas Jeffrey Downs	Tori Lynn Nahas	Robert Edward Winschel
Allison Marie Droneberger	Johnna Olivia Neiderer	Laila M. Wolpink
Emma Angeline Gowton	Ginah M. Neil	

MAGNA CUM LAUDE

Liberty Rose Addis	Angelia Marie Hubbard	Natalie Marie Rickert
Attab Alsadoon	Abigail Elizabeth Hursh	Maya Soriano Shimizu
Carmen Grace Baker	Uniquee Javier Hurtado	Jayla Ann Tierney
Kristen Nichole Baney	Sophia Lauren Johnson	Braxton James Turner
Jasmine E. Beasley	Daniel John Kordich	Colleen Erin Urcho
Brady A. Birtikidis	Nalani Lowman	Chelsea Anne Vadas
Angelina Marie Boleen	Bailey Maria Lutz	Macayle Nire Wade
Jesse Costanzo	McKenna Marie Mayer	Makaila Nire Wade
Lucas Wayne Curtaccio	Braeden K. Moody	Matthew Ray Williams
Jacob M. DeFigio	Alice Rebecca Moses	Alexis Ann Wilson
Reis Thomas Englert	Leah Dawn Pilarski	Emily Elizabeth Wilttrout
Jacinta Chinonso Ezekwem	Daniel James Purvis	
Anna Grace Hohowski	Morgan Elizabeth Richards	

CUM LAUDE

Maryam Akram
Madison Jane Boone
Jesse J. Britt
Paige Elyse Brown
Crystal L. Crusan
Amaechi Ubaka Ezekoye
James Walter Faidley
Keegan Shea Fordyce
Aidan William-James Gibson
Kayla Grey
Jordan Griffin

Evan Jason Huber
Bobbi Jo Morgan Knouse
Brendan G. Linhart
Justice Elann Lundy
Samantha Marchionda
Morgan Mai Mcelhany
Brianna Vivian Meade
Daniel Gregory Meyers
Ma'Kenan Juwan Mitchell
Emma Nicole Mullett
Garrett Richard Myers

Elaina L. Nicholson
Kie Angelique Pearson
Christina Marie Ringler
Jaxon Dennis Selvoski
Marissa Elizabeth Takash
Taylor Nichole Timmons
Adir Turgeman
Haley Marissa Vernon
Reese Andrew Walter
Jacob Taylor Williams
Hailey Madison Wittkopp

ASSOCIATE DEGREES WITH DISTINCTION

Emily Jean Guffey

Jennifer McCord

Noah Ashley Turner

DOCTORAL DEGREES

DOCTOR OF EDUCATION

Jennifer Marie Baginski ^

The Effect of Individualized Coaching on the Perception of Efficacy of School Leaders
Dr. Todd Keruskin

Geina Maria Beaver ^

Reimagining Targeted Classroom Management Supports for Teachers to Increase Teacher Retention Perceptions in the Reading School District
Dr. Mary A. Wolf

Sarah Beth Box ^

The Impact of Sense of Belonging
Dr. Mary A. Wolf

Jennifer Marie Butterworth ^

Impact of a New Induction Program on Retention of Paraprofessionals in a K-12 Public School
Dr. Todd Keruskin

Gina Mason Colarossi ^

The Impact of Student and Staff Engagement in Comprehensive High School Programs Toward Educational Attainment
Dr. John F. Ziegler

Kai Coleman-Morris

Teacher Perspectives on Implementing a New Curriculum and Subsequent Strategies for English Language Learners (ELLs) in Grades 6-8
Dr. Todd Keruskin

Angelo DePrimo ^

Positive Impact of Positive Behavior Interventions and Supports (PBIS) on Regular Attendance in Grades K-4
Dr. Todd Keruskin

Anna Larsen Gawel ^

Teachers' Perceived Impact of Professional Learning Communities' (PLC) on Teaching and Learning
Dr. Mary A. Wolf

Melissa Grantz ^

Teacher Perception of Professional Development and Its Influence on Instruction Practice
Dr. Todd Keruskin

Kendra Gruber ^

Multi-Tiered System of Support at Renaissance Academy Charter School
Dr. Todd Keruskin

Daniel James Heaney ^

Evaluating the Impact of Block Scheduling Mathematics at the Palmerton Area Junior High School
Dr. Todd Keruskin

Megan Lee Hull ^

Whole School Cluster Grouping: Addressing the Widening Range of Academic Needs and Teacher Efficacy
Dr. Mary A. Wolf

Adam Benjamin Knaresborough ^

The Impact an Advanced Placement (AP) Exam Fee Reimbursement Incentive Had on AP Exam Participation and Qualifying Scores at Thomas Jefferson High School
Dr. John F. Ziegler

Erikka Wilt Kuhse ^

Teacher Perceptions Regarding the Usage of Personalized Learning Time for Remediation and Academic Support in High School Core Classes
Dr. John F. Ziegler

Courtney Maguire ^

Teacher Retention Relates to Administration Connection: Are We Working Together or Against Each Other?
Dr. Mary A. Wolf

Joni Beth Mansmann ^

An Analysis of Teacher Shortages and the Use of Daily Substitutes
Dr. John F. Ziegler

Stefan Muller ^

Middle School Teachers' Perceptions of Social Emotional Learning and Its Impact on Student Behavior
Dr. Todd Keruskin

Emily Suzanne Ostrom Graham ^

Exodus of the Educator: A Mixed-Methods Analysis of the Cause for Educators Leaving the Profession Prior to Retirement
Dr. Mary A. Wolf

Shannon Renee Reeder ^

Improving School Perception of Climate with Two Trauma-Informed, School-Based Strategies in an Intermediate School Setting
Dr. John F. Ziegler

^ Students who completed degree requirements during Summer 2024.

Kimberly Lew Safran ^

*Comparing Wayfinder and RethinkEd
Curriculums: An Investigation of Behavior in
Infractions and Social-Emotional Competencies in
an Urban Elementary School*

Dr. John F. Ziegler

Brian Thomas Schell ^

*The Impact of Student Success Rates When
Mandatory Tutoring is Applied to a First-
Semester Barrier Course in Writing at a Two-Year
Community College*

Dr. John F. Ziegler

Thomas Justin Seidenberger ^

*Identifying Professional Development
Opportunities and Supports for K-12 Principals
and Assistant Principal*

Dr. Todd Keruskin

Matthew Joseph Siembida ^

*The Effect of a School-Wide Positive Behavior
Program on Student Discipline Frequency and
School Culture of Students and Staff*

Dr. Mary A. Wolf

Walter Smith III ^

*Secondary Teachers' Perceptions of Co-Teaching
on Students with Disabilities*

Dr. Todd Keruskin

Brian Wade Swartzlander Jr. ^

*Effective Systems and Instructional Strategies for
Mid-Level Mathematics Achievement*

Dr. Mary A. Wolf

Rocco William Telli ^

*Post Pandemic Analysis of School Culture:
Implementing a Collaborative Leadership Council
to Successfully Transition 9th Grade Students Into
a Suburban High School*

Dr. Mary A. Wolf

DOCTOR OF HEALTH SCIENCE

Devon Joseph Bates ^

*Fostering Collaboration Between Clinicians and
Fitness Professionals for Effective Chronic
Disease Management*

Dr. Marc Federico

Brian Douglas Brogno ^

*Reduce Health Disparities in Minorities
Using Exercise*

Dr. Marc Federico

Tina Kelly Brown ^

*Functional Training and Its Effect on Quality
of Life*

Dr. Marc Federico

DOCTOR OF NURSING PRACTICE

Jennifer Ann Hicks

*The Value of Providing Equitable Patient
Education Through the Evaluation of
Health Literacy*

Dr. Robin Weaver

GRADUATE DEGREES

MASTER OF ACCOUNTANCY

Tenley Grace Hughes
Jada Alexis Snowden
Amanda Marie Tantlinger ^
Britney Marie Wilson

MASTER OF ARTS

Sataneh Abdel Haq
Benta AbdulMatin ^
Evan Alexander
Siba Almeshrigi +
Ala M. Alshammary +
Emily Helena Baum
Imani Brown
Kailee Farr Bunyard
Tyrese Lavell Canada
Mackenzie M. Carson
Alaina Chanel Cauley
Nour El Hoda Diab Al Harake +
Erin Flickinger
Rebecca Fenton Gavalchik
Olivia Jo Glusica
Owen James Hannah
Caroline Harper
Darrek Matthew Harshberger
Jihan Hasan
Mirona Diaaeldin Hussein
Nicole Rachel Johnson +
Brian Thomas Jones
Brittni Michelle Lombardi
Annie Michelle Manley
Eric Von Mckan III +
Chloe Moore ^
Christina Marie Newcomer
Samantha Lee Phillips
Beverly Ann Rathbun
Aaron Frederick Sevener
Delaney Brooke Sexton
Kenneth Melcalm Smith Jr.

Anthony C. Sonita
Lee A. Wagner +
Layla Alexis Welsch
Lindsey Butler Wilson

MASTER OF ARTS TEACHING

Allison Frances Ahl
Kristen Camille Allison
Shelby Ann Anderson
Carly Lynn Fuga
Marney Hillen
Sierra Starr Lancaster
Julie Doris Lariccia +
Anastasia I. Mayernik
Justin Richard Mazzulla
Erin S. Napolitan
Jordan James Pawlikowsky +
Jennifer Lee Rogers
Stephen James Wensel
Emily Ann Wydra

MASTER OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

Oluwakemisola Adeuyan
Joseph Twumasi Arthur
Dana Baker
Jacquelyn Renee Bergo
Brett A. Bieber ^
Jack Cameron Colecchi
Lydia Faith Custer
Bradford Ross Fenell
Bruce Allen Fenell
John Mark Franklin Jr.
David James Heckman
Abraham Itodo
Mason Jobe
Shandreal Jordan Rudolph
Jared Joyce
Beyonc'e Feria Kelly
Brittany Ann King

^ Students who completed degree requirements during Summer 2024.

+ Students who will complete degree requirements during Winter 2024.

Carrie B. Lavecchia
 Katelyn Marie Mertz
 Walter Molishus III
 Abraham Mutale ^
 Kobe James Norfleet
 Allison O’Gorman
 Ryan Max Pavelka
 Nicholas A. Pryor
 Samantha Alice Foulger Pulliam
 Megan Marie Reicholf
 Micaela Abrianna Ricco
 Bailey Shamrock
 Hannah Jo Shaner
 James Sherer III
 Ashley R. Skrobacs
 Alexis Marie Strouse

MASTER OF EDUCATION

Caitlin Aaron
 Sara Elizabeth Anderson ^
 Osahon Asemota
 Chelsea Marie Balawejder
 Kimberly Eileen Bayer
 Harley Elizabeth Bloom
 Alexa Marie Boytchev
 Arianna Christine Bracco
 Kelli Lynne Buksar
 Kathryn Paige Bulgarelli +
 Gianna Aldina Castaldo ^
 Jessie Cucciarre
 Rachel Jane Devenney ^
 Donald William Einhouse Jr.
 Aimee Marie Eismont
 Jennifer J. Erdlen
 Jordon Jesse Fisher ^
 Kristina Rose Hartman
 Rachel L. Henry

Katelyn A. Herman
 Stephanie Marie Huff
 Amber Nicole Johnston
 Kaylee Krepps
 Alexis Taylor Lachowski
 Allison M. Leonard
 Lindsay Rea Lloyd
 Catherine Kristina Lund
 Allyson Michele Martin
 Jessica Marie Martin
 Victoria Michelle Martin
 Leigh Anne May
 Emily McGinley
 Diana Marie Melnick
 Seana Elizabeth Montalbano
 Geneva Murray
 Reilly Dawn Parker
 Dante Curtis Paul
 Jonathan Wesley Perry
 Ashley Darlene Pritts
 Anna Ronan
 Dana Elizabeth Ruffing
 Dana Salanik
 Julia Kirsten Simpkins
 Timothy Ellsworth Snair
 Maria Diamond Sova
 Jenna Marie Stefanyszyn
 Vanessa D. Toth
 Matthew Stephen Turoczy
 Jordan Nichole Underwood
 Rebecca Valente
 Kaitlyn Marie Walker
 Michela Chilleo Wemyss +
 Emily Whitfield
 Samantha L. Wilkinson
 Dalashay K. Williams
 Danielle Maria Woods

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+ Students who will complete degree requirements during Winter 2024.

MASTER OF SCIENCE

Patrick Jacob Ace-Feher
 Adebowale Isaac Adediji Jr.
 Nii-Saki Akumiah
 Briana Angelica Allen
 Kanela Allen
 Alexis Marie Argyros
 Sarah Katherine Begly +
 Adeline Benjamin
 Michael Lee Bess +
 Benjamin C. Blaylock
 Russell William Bowman
 Jonathan Michael Caley
 ALeisha LeSheal Clayton +
 Shane Cole
 Emily N. Doyle
 Karmichael Mackenzie Dunbar II
 William Eakins III
 Fritz-Kelly Edmond
 Charles Edward Erdman III
 Payton Reise Etier
 Brody Adam Evix
 Tara Renee Flaherty
 Braidy L. Fulton
 John Michael Gilmore
 Timothy Seamus Graham
 Dean Charles Graner
 Katherine Brookerose Henderson
 Alexis Nicole Hicks
 Annie Laurie Christy Holfelder
 Deborah Ruth Hurst
 Kassidie Mae Hynes
 Joshua James Jackson
 Ian Keil
 Christina L. Kolodziej
 Maria Anne Kruppa

Mason James Malone
 Alexis Taylor McCarron +
 Joshua McCray +
 Emma Ann McSurdy
 Teresa Ann Mehalik
 Alexis A. Mejia
 Aleynah Grace Miller
 Nicole Marie Mirani
 Jessica Mohr
 Casey Lawrence Moses
 Kevan Cordell Murgia
 Jacob Owen Murphy +
 Romi Nachman
 Alexis Gabriela Ottonello
 Richard Pontious
 Marc Rattay
 Kerri A. Raval
 Ashley Elizabeth Rensel +
 Bailey Morgan Richards
 Keith Jason Roddy
 Brayner E. Santos
 Logan J. Scheider
 Cherice Gabriel Scott +
 Molly K. Smetak
 Lucyhelena Somarriba
 Jon Stanley
 Charity Danae Stanton
 Quintasia Xyelle Streeter ^
 Nicole Sue Thurston +
 Jessica Tisher +
 Alan Michael Wynne ~
 Emma Luv Sheradin Werner
 Kamirah Tonica Williams
 Darrell A. Woodard Jr. +
 Devin Woodhouse
 Dawson John Wright

~ Students who completed degree requirements during Spring 2024.

^ Students who completed degree requirements during Summer 2024.

+ Students who will complete degree requirements during Winter 2024.

MASTER OF SOCIAL WORK

Brittany Lynn Branch
Jaicelyn J.K. Brown
Savannah L. Butler
Elaine Mae Chapell
Jensen Diane Fleming
Kristi L. Flummer +
Debbie-Lynn H. Gibson
Kristen Nicole Good +
Erin Beth Graham
LeAnn Marie Havelock
Amy Lynn Johnson
Stephen M. Knechel
Elizabeth Marie Kohr
Samantha Jo Kubitza
Pantelia Konstandina Lamnatos
Laura Catherine Laza +
Dena J. Lazar
Monica Marie Leroux
John Albert Makell IV ^
Adam Patrick McLeod +

Isabella Marie Melito
Brianna Rae Nielsen
Jessica Jo Prentice
Jaidan Elizabeth Putnam
Kaya Raines
Josh J. Resimo
Evey Maeve Santos
Emily Nicole Sinsley
Gregory S. Skomsky
Ashley B. Smith
Rachel Stryker
Abigail Anna Thorius
Owen Thomas Wehner
Stephanie Ann Weller
Megan Assenath Whitmer

PROFESSIONAL SCIENCE MASTER'S

Emma Bernardoni
Kyrese Audre Davis
Jennifer Gossett
Ann Marie Speelman

^ Students who completed degree requirements during Summer 2024.

+ Students who will complete degree requirements during Winter 2024.

BACCALAUREATE DEGREES

BACHELOR OF ARTS

Maryam Akram
 Attab Alsadoon
 Amya Elise Carlisle +
 Michael Anthony Casamassa
 Sydni DiNae Cheatham-Archie
 June Y. Coffee
 Samantha Marie Cortez ^
 Tabitha L. Coven
 James Walter Faidley
 Jahneek Marquise Fant
 Bryce Oakley Frye
 Noah Harrison Haines
 Tristen J. Haltom +
 Maryam Hana
 Koshana Hart
 Anna Grace Hohowski
 Brian Hughes Horoshko
 Matalyn Olivia Howley
 Garrett Miles Knox
 Aaron S. Lantz
 Hannah Cecilia Lasky
 Nalani Lowman
 Samantha Marchionda
 Brenda E. Matos
 Taylor Paige McGugin
 Alice Rebecca Moses
 Penrith Jane Moyer
 Brooke Marie Myers
 Ginah M. Neil
 Mathew Isaac O'Neil +
 Shauna Lee Penska
 Katie Pentecost
 Rachel Marie Phillips
 Zachary Michael Sargent
 Mariah Stanton Sattler
 DaiQuan Thomas Skinner
 Bridget Elizabeth Sluka
 Payton P. Smith

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With our voices loudly ringing,
Of thy fame we're ever singing.
California, alma mater;
Hail! All hail to thee.

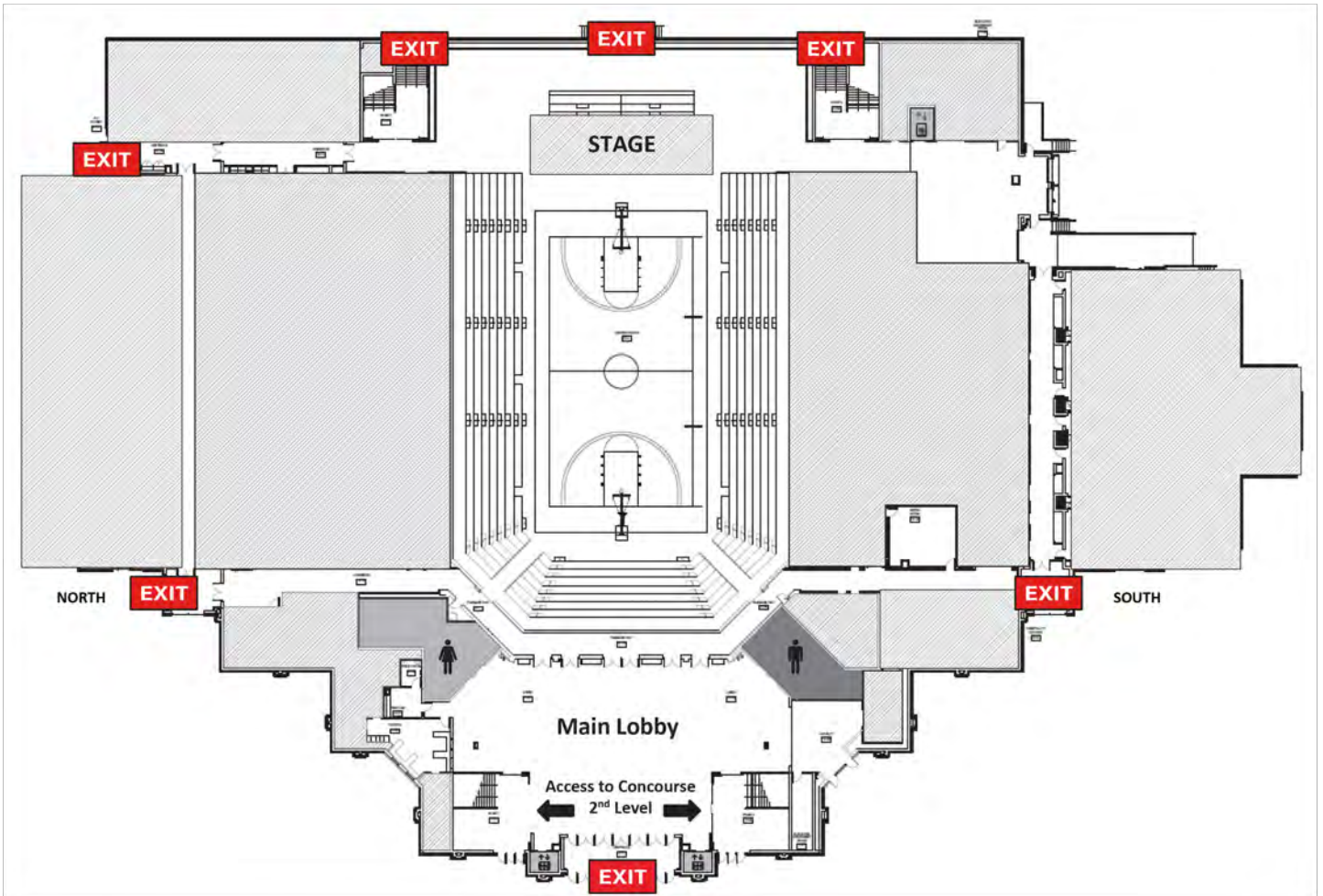
For the friends and joys you gave us,
We give thanks to thee
All thy knowledge we'll make worthy
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May thy reign be ever prosperous
And thy name forever glorious.
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