



**EAST
STROUDSBURG
UNIVERSITY**

COMMENCEMENT

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Koehler Fieldhouse

A Member of Pennsylvania's State System of Higher Education

East Stroudsburg University Commencement

Welcome to East Stroudsburg University's Commencement celebration for our graduates. Congratulations to our students who have completed their academic programs, and to their family and friends who have supported them on this journey.

Academic Procession

An usher will lead the faculty followed by the graduating students. Candidates are placed according to the degree to be conferred, and each group is preceded by a commencement marshal. Once all are seated the grand marshal leads the platform participants and the president.

Academic Attire

The tradition of academic costume began in the medieval universities of Europe where gowns were everyday dress, providing for their wearers not only distinction but, quite possibly, warmth during long hours of study in poorly heated buildings.

Today, academic attire is seen on American campuses only at formal affairs such as commencement, Founder's Day, dedications and inaugural ceremonies. In 1895, an Academic Costume Code was established, and has since been adopted by most of our colleges and universities. When the code is followed, one can identify the degree which the wearer holds, the university that awarded it, and the course of study it represents. The distinguishing features are the cut of the gown, the length and colors of the hood, and the color of the tassel on the cap.

The bachelor's and master's gowns are generally made of plain black cotton without trim, while the gown for the doctor's degree is faced with black or colored velvet and has three bars of the same material across the sleeves. The bachelor's gown has long open sleeves, the master's gown has longer closed sleeves with arm slits at the elbow, and the doctor's gown has bell-shaped sleeves extending to the wrist.

The hoods can be distinguished by both the length and color. The bachelor's hood measures three feet, the master's, three and one-half, and the doctor's, four. The color of the velvet edging, which is wider for degrees higher than the bachelor's, indicates the subject area to which the degree pertains. In addition to the colored edging, the hood shows in its lining the official color or colors of the institution which awarded the degree. The hood is worn such that a large part of the lining is visible.

The black mortarboard cap with tassel is worn with each type of gown. Those holding the doctorate wear gold tassels, while holders of the bachelor's and master's degrees generally wear a black tassel, although in recent years it has often been customary to wear the colored tassel symbolizing, like the hood, the subject area of the wearer's degree.

In nearly every academic procession, a few costumes may be seen which do not conform to the standard patterns described above. Gold braid is frequently added to the gowns of academic administrators, and most faculties include several members who hold degrees from foreign universities, some of which prescribe very colorful attire.

The following colors are associated with the various faculties. It is mandatory that they be used on hoods and optional that they be on the tassels and the velvet used with the doctor's gowns.

Faculty.....	Color
Agriculture.....	Maize
Arts, Letters, Humanities.....	White
Commerce, Accountancy, Business	Drab
Dentistry.....	Lilac
Economics	Copper
Education.....	Light Blue
Engineering	Orange
Fine Arts, including Architecture	Brown
Forestry	Russet
Journalism	Crimson
Law	Purple
Library Science	Lemon
Medicine.....	Green
Music.....	Pink
Nursing	Apricot

Faculty.....	Color
Optometry.....	Sea Foam Green
Oratory (Speech)	Silver Gray
Pharmacy.....	Olive Green
Philosophy	Dark Blue
Physical Education	Sage Green
Podiatry-Chiropractic	Nile Green
Public Administration including Foreign Service	Peacock Blue
Public Health	Salmon Pink
Science	Golden Yellow
Social Science	Cream
Social Work.....	Citron
Theology.....	Scarlet
Veterinary Service	Gray

The Presidential Medallion

The medallion, or pectoral, has long been a symbol of the rights, authority, and power of kings and queens. At the inception of the university around the year 1000 A.D., and to this day in many European institutions, the reigning monarch still functions as the chancellor of the institution, its chief executive holding appointment as vice chancellor. With the establishment of the academy independent of the crown, the royal medallion has been retained as a symbol of the responsibilities and authority vested in the office of the president of the university by the state.



The East Stroudsburg University medallion was commissioned by the Student Activity Association in 1969, and first used by President Frank D. Sills at his inauguration. It was designed by Dr. Irene Mitchel, professor of art at East Stroudsburg University, and struck by Mr. Leslie Smith, an Allentown, Pa., craftsman. The chain of the pectoral was designed and crafted by Mr. Richard E. Phillips of East Stroudsburg, Pa.

The medallion has, on its obverse, the seal of the university. The seal is surrounded by the torch and the mace representing the light of learning and the authority of the university. These two symbols are superimposed on an abstract rendition of the Delaware Water Gap, so much a part of the geography of the region. On either side of the seal are representations of the original Stroud Hall (1893) and the current Koehler Fieldhouse (1967). Below the seal are the extended rays representing the fourteen institutions of the Pennsylvania State System of Higher Education.

The University Mace

The mace was originally a weapon of hand-to-hand combat in medieval times. With the advent of firearms, such a weapon became archaic and was adopted to symbolize the power and authority of kings and queens. Early in the history of the academy, the mace was borrowed from royalty and utilized to symbolize the authority of the institution given to it by the kings and queens and hence, the state, to grant baccalaureate and advanced degrees so specified. The mace is used at all official university functions of an academic nature.

The original East Stroudsburg University mace was commissioned by the ESU Alumni Association for the inauguration of President Frank D. Sills in 1969. It was designed and created by Mr. Richard E. Phillips, a local Pocono artisan. The redesigned mace, incorporating many features of the original mace and symbolizing the achievement of university status by East Stroudsburg State College, was commissioned by the University Commencement Committee in 1987. Mr. Phillips was again requested to modify the mace to reflect the transition from college to university, and Cherry Valley artisan Abby Porter completed the silver work. The current mace is made of cherry and is approximately 38 inches long. The mace has overlays made of hemlock, dating from 1893 from the original Stroud Hall. The black and red coloring represents the school colors.

The octagonal head of the mace represents the disciplines of the traditional academy, and four disciplines of contemporary higher education: science, arts, humanities, and philosophy. Surrounding the head are silver hands bearing the names and dates of the five precursor institutions. The handle is inset in silver with black onyx and red carnelian. The university seal crowns the mace.



Honors and Honor Cords

Those students in the baccalaureate degree program who have received scholastic honors are distinguished by colored cords, and their names are noted in the program with the proper number of asterisks as shown below. There are three scholastic honor categories:

- * Cum Laude (white/gold cords) for those possessing a 3.400 to 3.599 quality point average
- ** Magna Cum Laude (black/gold cords) for those with a quality point average of 3.600 to 3.799
- *** Summa Cum Laude (red/gold cords) for those who have maintained a quality point average of 3.800 or above

Quality points are based on a four-point system in which the grade A equals 4, A- equals 3.667, B+ equals 3.333, B equals 3.000, B- equals 2.667, C+ equals 2.333, C equals 2, C- equals 1.667 and D equals 1.000. Honor awards are based on the cumulative average of the entire undergraduate program taken by the student at East Stroudsburg University. Honor designations are translated from Latin to mean with honor, with great honor, and with highest honor.

University Honors Program

University Honors Program students who are graduating are wearing bright red stoles. These stoles are marked in gold with the English words "ESU Honors" on one side, and three Latin words on the other side: "Veritas," "Et," and "Civitas." These three Latin words mean, in English, "truth and citizenship." These Honors students have: maintained a high grade point average throughout their four years of undergraduate study; taken a prescribed set of Honors courses in addition to their regular coursework; and successfully submitted an Honors Thesis. University Honors Program graduates are recognized in the program with ★.

National and International Honor Societies

Alpha Kappa Delta	international honor society in sociology
Alpha Phi Sigma	honor society for criminal justice
Alpha Psi Omega	dramatic fraternity
Chi Alpha Epsilon	honor society for academic development
Chi Sigma Mu	honor society for sport management
Delta Alpha Pi	honor society for student disabilities
Eta Sigma Delta	honor society in hospitality management
Eta Sigma Gamma	professional health education honorary
Gamma Theta Upsilon	professional geography fraternity
Iota Iota Iota	women's studies honorary
Kappa Delta Pi	honor society in education
Lambda Pi Eta	communication honor society
Omicron Delta Epsilon	honor society of economics
Omicron Delta Kappa	leadership honorary
Phi Alpha	honor society for social work
Phi Alpha Theta	history fraternity
Phi Epsilon Kappa	professional physical education honorary
Phi Sigma Iota	foreign language honor society
Pi Sigma Alpha	political science honor society
Psi Chi	psychology honor society
Rho Phi Lambda	recreation honor fraternity
Sigma Beta Delta	business management honor society
Sigma Phi Omega	gerontology academic honor and professional society
Sigma Pi Epsilon Delta	special education honor society
Sigma Pi Sigma	physics honor society with the Society of Physics Students
Sigma Tau Delta	English honorary fraternity
Sigma Theta Tau	international honor society in nursing
Sigma Xi	sciences and mathematics honorary of the Scientific Research Society
Tau Sigma	honor society for transfer students



Kenneth Long
President

Kenneth Long was appointed president of East Stroudsburg University of Pennsylvania by the Board of Governors for Pennsylvania's State System of Higher Education, effective November 2, 2022, after serving more than two years as the interim president. Long has more than 35 years of progressive experience in higher education. Prior to the interim appointment, which began July 31, 2020, Long served as the University's chief administrative, financial, and operations officer. Among his many accomplishments at ESU, he has been responsible for: stabilizing the University's financial condition; increasing the University cash reserves and reducing capital debt; lowering costs and increasing availability and access to student health services by partnering with a regional medical center; initiating the University's first academic space utilization study; enhancing campus accessibility; coordinating the development of an athletic master plan and upgrading athletic facilities, including adding air conditioning and a generator in Koehler Fieldhouse, painting and branding Eiler-Martin Stadium, replacing the turf for all outdoor sports, and partnering with the local municipality

and little league for baseball and softball facilities; coordinating the construction of a new student housing building which included new counseling and testing centers and the offices of the Dean of Student, Student Conduct, Accessibility Services and Title IX; and facilitating land development plans for the new University Center.

Prior to joining ESU, Long held leadership positions at two other Pennsylvania State System institutions, Kutztown and Cheyney universities. He served five years as assistant vice president of administration and finance at Kutztown University and during that time he worked six months as interim vice president for finance and administration at Cheyney University, in a loaned executive capacity. Long has served on a number of taskforces, committees and workgroups over his nearly 20 years in the State System, including: Tuition Alignment Committee, System Appropriation Funding Review Committee, State of PA 529 Advisory Board, co-chaired the State System Budget and ESU Sports Alignment Taskforces, and Kutztown University General Education Committee.

Prior to coming to the Pennsylvania State System, Long held multiple leadership positions at the University of Toledo and University of Toledo Physician Practice Group and played an instrumental role in the merger of the University of Toledo with the Medical University of Ohio. Long started his career in higher education at DeVry University – New Jersey where he worked for 18 years beginning as an assistant director of the office of student accounts and working his way to the chief administrative and financial position of the New Jersey campus. As one of the most senior administrative and financial officers in the northeast region, Long assisted with the opening and staffing of DeVry locations in New York, Florida, Pennsylvania and Virginia.

Long earned his bachelor's degree in math and political science from Drew University in Madison, N.J., and an M.B.A. from Monmouth University in West Long Branch, N.J. He has experience teaching college courses in business administration, financial accounting, and managerial accounting and statistics, and during his career has made numerous presentations at regional and national meetings and conferences. In 2013, Long was selected to serve on the Board of Directors for the Eastern Association of College and University Business Officers (EACUBO) and in 2017 he was selected as the association's treasurer, which he served until 2022. In 2025, EACUBO presented him with the KPMG Distinguished Service Award, the organization's highest award for his contributions to the organization.

Since being appointed into the University's chief executive role in 2020, President Long has been recognized by the Governor's Advisory Commission on Latino Affairs, the Monroe County NAACP, the Pocono Mountains United Way, and the Monroe County Chamber of Commerce. While serving as interim president, he was selected to serve as the chairperson of the PASSHE Freedom of Speech and Title VI Task Group. President Long currently serves as the presidential liaison to the PASSHE Board of Governors' Governance Committee, vice chair of the PASSHE Commission of Universities, a member of the Board of Directors for the Pocono Center for the Arts, an advisory board member for Communities in Schools of Eastern Pennsylvania, and Board of Governors for Valley Youth House. In 2024, he was appointed by Pennsylvania Governor Josh Shapiro to the newly established State Board of Higher Education.

Long is married to Evelyn and has three daughters, Alysha, Peyton, and Taylor.



Peter Pruim, Ph.D., Professor, Grand Marshal

Dr. Peter Pruim is Emeritus Professor in the Department of Modern Languages, Philosophy, and Religious Studies. He is the recipient of the 2020 ESU Distinguished Professor Award.

Dr. Pruim joined the ESU faculty in 1997 and served the Philosophy program for 25 years. He has published on the relationship between mind and brain, epistemology, and logic, as well as in the journal *Teaching Philosophy*. His contributions to the academic life of ESU students include co-directing the Honors Program, initiating the One Book/One Campus reading program, inviting Noam Chomsky to address the campus, bringing the author and future Governor of Maryland Wes Moore to speak, and developing the First-Year Experience program – for which he edited a textbook, *University Matters*.

Dr. Pruim remains a campus presence, sharing his border collie Rose with students for the Pause for Paws therapy-dog service at Kemp Library each week.



***Zachary McDowell '08, M.D.
Keynote Speaker***

Zachary McDowell, M.D. is a proud alumnus of East Stroudsburg University, where he graduated in 2008 with a Bachelor of Science in Biology. During his time at ESU, he was a linebacker on the football team, earning a varsity letter while helping lead the Warriors to the Northeast Regional Championship and an appearance in the NCAA Division II national semifinals.

After graduating from ESU, Dr. McDowell went on to earn his Doctor of Medicine from Virginia Commonwealth University School of Medicine, completed a General Surgery Internship and Urology Residency at Baylor College of Medicine in Houston, Texas, and finished his training with a Fellowship in Minimally Invasive Surgery and Oncology at Swedish Medical Center in Seattle, Washington.

Following four years in private practice in Phoenix, Arizona, Dr. McDowell made the deliberate choice to pursue academic medicine — driven by a passion for teaching the next generation of physicians. He currently serves as an Assistant Professor of Urology at Wake Forest University School of Medicine, where he specializes in robotic surgery for urologic cancers and is dedicated to training the surgeons of tomorrow.

Today, he returns to where it all began — to celebrate you, the graduating class, and to remind you that every great journey starts with a single step forward from a place just like this one.



Vera Renshof '26
Student Commencement Speaker, morning ceremony
Public Health major

Vera Renshof, a graduating public health major from Barneveld, Netherlands, stepped into the unknown when she left home four years ago to pursue her college and swimming career in the United States. She found community at ESU through small, consistent moments, and over time the university became a second home. She has grown academically, athletically and personally and reminds the graduating class that they can take brave steps, even when they do not feel entirely ready.

As a student-athlete, she holds multiple school records in the freestyle and was ESU's first champion in the Pennsylvania State Athletic Conference in the sport since 1979. She has been a member of the Student-Athlete Advisory Committee, assisted with the health and wellness department providing student support, is a student worker for the residential life and housing office, and is a nurse aide at an elder care facility when home in the Netherlands.



Natasha Merchant '26
Student Commencement Speaker, afternoon ceremony
Psychology major

Natasha Merchant, a graduating psychology major from Bushkill, Pa., is a first-generation college student and member of ESU's Honors Program who found a sense of belonging, purpose, and confidence in her ability to succeed during her time on campus. ESU gave her community and professors who were approachable and encouraged her to do research focused on compassion, positive psychology, psychopharmacology and student success.

She was recently accepted into a clinical doctoral program to continue pursuing her career. Her experience includes an internship as a behavioral health technician at her high school, returning to the same building where she had difficulty finding meaning and direction as a student. She holds multiple certifications, has contributed to 10 research presentations, was a research team leader, received the Sigma Xi top researcher award, is a volunteer at a local mosque, and has been a peer tutor.

Program

PRELUDE: Music from My Neighbor Totoro	Joe Hisaishi, arr. Hiroki Takasashi
PROCESSIONAL:	Celtic United Pipes & Drums
Greetings	Kenneth Long President
NATIONAL ANTHEM: The Presentation of the Colors.....	ESU ROTC
Singing led by	Olivia McLaughlin, <i>ESU Senior (morning)</i> Lauren Matrisciano, <i>ESU Sophomore (afternoon)</i>
Performed by	East Stroudsburg University Ceremonial Band Brian Hodge, <i>Director</i>
Greetings from the 2025-26 Legislative Fellow	Representative Eddie Day Pashinski, <i>Afternoon Ceremony</i>
Greetings from the Council of Trustees	L. Patrick Ross '67 Chair
Student Commencement Address.....	Vera Renshof '26, <i>Morning Ceremony</i> Natasha Merchant '26, <i>Afternoon Ceremony</i>
Commencement Address	Zachary McDowell '08, M.D. Assistant Professor, Wake Forest University School of Medicine
Presentation of Candidates and Conferring of Degrees	Margaret J. Ball, D.M.A. Provost and Vice President for Academic Affairs
College of Arts and Sciences (afternoon)	Nieves Gruneiro-Roadcap, M.F.A. Dean
College of Business and Management (morning)	Sylvester Williams IV, J.D. Dean
College of Education (afternoon)	Brooke Langan, Ed.D. Dean
College of Health Sciences (morning)	Christopher Domanski, M.F.A. Interim Dean
University Leadership Award and University Service Award	Santiago Solis, Ed.D. Vice President for Campus Life and Inclusive Excellence
Greetings from the Alumni	Jamie Borger '15 Secretary, East Stroudsburg University Alumni Board
Singing of Alma Mater* (lyrics on last page)	Olivia McLaughlin, <i>ESU Senior (morning)</i> Lauren Matrisciano, <i>ESU Sophomore (afternoon)</i>
RECESSIONAL: Procession of the Nobles+	Mlada, Nikolai Rimsky-Korsakov, arr. Brian Hodge

* Please stand for Processional and Alma Mater.

+ Please remain seated for Recessional.

Thank you to the following participants in today's ceremonies:

Readers:

Morning Ceremony - College of Business & Management: Robert Thomas, Assistant Professor of Business Management;

College of Health Sciences: Kevin Casebolt, Professor of Physical Education

Afternoon Ceremony - College of Arts & Sciences: Timothy Connolly, Professor of Modern Languages

College of Education: Shawn Watkins, Associate Professor and Department Chair of Reading

Please turn off cell phones during the Commencement Ceremony. Thank you.

Candidates for Undergraduate Degrees

COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES

BACHELOR OF ARTS

Art + Design

Mason Raye Higgins**

Integrated Art + Design (Bachelor of Fine Arts)

Wyatt Morgan Almer***
Jacob Basrawi***
Elina Braverman*
Asha Shannon Garcia*
John Alphanso Heath**
Stephanie Irma Hendricks-Vasquez
Mason Raye Higgins**
Mia Angelina Jones***★
Nicole Martyna Kolakowski
Kennedy Cailey Leadbetter
Christopher M. Light
Gwyn L. Miller
Alexandra E. Morse*
Arianna M. Nguyen*
Ayden Paige Pigeon
Michael Jerry Jerrell Ramos
Morgan Randolph***
Melanie Haydee Reynoso★
Nilsamaria Isabel Saez
Avery Nicole Steckel*
Matthew D. Teada Jr.***
Jourdyn Olivia Whitehurst**★
Christian Stephen Wolfe*
Thomas A. Wright

Communication

Sarah E. Amsberg**★
Kaiya Rose Andrukitis***
Daena Mia Balaguer
Brooke Lynn Brittain
Alyssa Ann Connolly
Tai J. Goodwin-Okaome**
Jacob Thomas Gumaer
Austin Kurtz Hoffert
Christopher Ryan Hoffmann**
Graylon Maura Kuritz***
Kathryn Joy Lipovsky*
David T. Loeffler
Elizabeth C. Mayers***
Emmanuel McIntyre
Tatum Eve Repshis
Peteya E'meika Scott
Willow Rose Scull**
Patrick Vail Smythe***
Kylie Rose Solomon***
Alexa-Nichole Candace Villafana
Elijah Moses Wells***
Clara Isabel Wenk

Economics

Tyler Joseph Akob***
Bryce Vincent Governali***
Minke Louise Christina Klijn***

English

Nyah Leila Acklam
Phillip K. Dua-Adonteng
Zoe Olivia Eagon*
Ashley Erin Larson***
Connor Joseph Misko**★
Candi Molina Santana*
Debbi Ruddick Moran**
Sean Michael Selback
Jessica Koren Vanwhy

History

Grace May Bergbauer
William Andrew Buchanan***
Taylor Curry**
Katerina C. Deene***
Connor Dickey
Samantha Lynne Ehrlich**
Nicholas D. Elvin*
Dominick L. Genovese*
Rebecca Shani Herring
Sophia Montana Johnson*
Zachary James McIendon*
Lucie Catherine Miller*
Gabriel Evan Montalvo***
Alexandre Borian Page**
Christopher Patrick Quigley***
Ryan Mark Roth**
Daniel Andrew Schmidt
Grace Moira Scott***★
Andrew Thomas Senlick***
Bridget Victoria Snyder
Stephen Tellez
Andrew James Viva
Jacob Matthew Walsh*

Interdisciplinary Studies

Autumn Rosemarie Ivins
Madison M. Tyminski***

Philosophy

Christopher Natale Isolda Jr.
Catherine Elizabeth Reeves***

Physics

Carolina Alejandra Campos
Jacqueline Grace Neyhart***★

Political Science

Thomas John Actisdano*
Tiffani Elizabeth Baublitz**
Ava Aleksandra Blon*
DeSean-Devonte Omolara Chin
Cailin Katherine Connelly**
Parker David Flamisch***
Marla Kay Gonzalez*
Marquan Keshaw Hoskins
Amber Lynn Jenkins
Maya Lauren Kasa*
Amarilis Z. Lopez-Reese
Aaron Marouchoc***
Kayla Maureen McClure**
Danea Jahlea Mitchell*
Jazmine Elizabeth Rose Parker***★
Gonzalo Alexander Ingram***
Grace Hannah Perun
Delaney Ridgell***
Libia Daniela Romero
Kwanza Simone Smith*
Taiba Sultana
Christina Talero***
Justin Matthew Walters
Carter Michael Whistler*
Jason Elijah Zavala***

Sociology

Carlens Abdon Lapaix
Kimberly Ann Spindler

Spanish

Ian Nathaniel Keiter***
Lucas Martins Lodovino

Theatre

Madison Renee Boltz
Sydney A. Cain-Frazier***
Rebekah Ryann Hughes
Samuel Selfridge Huyett***
Olivia Grace McLaughlin
Mia Abby Mendia
Martina G. Mulbah
Andre Jonathan Perez IV
Naomi Angelina Springer**
Tala Terena Vanblarcom***
Shawn Stevens Walsh*

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE

Biochemistry

Shawn Michael Bugeanu**★
Taj Jacob Odhiambo*
Veronica Gabriela Roca Ruano**
& Chemical Biotechnology
Emily Rose Simon
& Chemical Biotechnology
Connor Dale Spurgeon

Biology

Anastasia Aurora Antzoulis***★
Gabriel Baroudi
Lilly Ana Calabrese
Anya Lanee Catty
Emmilia Laura Clarkson***
& Marine Science
Emma Sage Clause
& Marine Science
Telly Diallo
Noah Michael Dillon
Alex William Foreman***
Carter D. Gambill*
Bailey Marie Gizzo***★
& Chemistry
Bailey Noel Grassmann**
Zoe L. Green
Lorna Habib*
Anique Marith Hazebroek***
Cailey Malin Jones***
Kirsten Rae Karlak
Kernia Rochelle Khan
Kaylee Levernier
Alvin Lewis
Jaylene Madison Martinez
Aaryan Brian Medford
Katherine Ann Norton
Logan K. Oswald
Melissa Pluviose
Emily Faith Ramsour**
Andrew Ringer
Gabriela Rodriguez Ortiz*
Tavia Rogers
Alex Junior Sanchez
Jamie Grace Scheidle
Selma Vaydin Soulev
Piotr Mateusz Swierzewski
Kiara Nickayla Wallace
Shawn Stevens Walsh*
Caroline Ann Westphal***★
Jahsim Nadir Williams
Samantha Grace Woodson***

Biotechnology

Nicholas Aiello**
Katherine Grace DeAngelo***
Sevin Gegova★
Sarah C. MacIntire*

Chemical Biotechnology

Kehinde Adeyanju Adewale
Laura Babu
Chelsea Michelle Cummings
Donald Stanley Francois Jr.*
Jada Ann Mahmde*
& Biochemistry
Kennedy A. Smartt

Chemistry

Dante Anthony Alessi
Carlton John Ashton
Julianna Marie Lubertazzo
Ciana Denise Taylor

Computer Science

Javani Micas Anderson
Milton E. Boyd III
Nathaniel Louis Busedu*
& Computer Security
Payton Jeremy Butler**
Carolina Alejandra Campos
RJ Justin Coke
Jamal Dabari
Joshua Deusinger
Andrea Jamero Gasgonia
Helen Gervacio*
Nylsaiah Nathaniel Hall***
Timothy Joshua Jagnarine*
Jack Daniel Johnston***
& Computer Security
Kieran Dalton Laverty*
Valor Lawrence Leynes
Jake Manders*
Jamie Lynn Mattern*
Gabriel S. Mazza
Rowan W. Medcraft***★
& Mathematics
Sorayaa Shazarda Mohammed*
Naiya Amishkumar Patel★
& Computer Security
Jaden S. Randolph**
Jaryd Dylan Rockman**
& Computer Security
Brandon Alexander Rosenthal*
Joseph D. Seeley
Hollister Elliot Seney
Abdul Khayyam Shaikh**
Cayetano Indalecio Simon Diaz Jr.**
Rachel Velez

Computer Security

Dylan Mark-Anthony Brooks
Jordan D. Chang***
Chad Ashley Coelho
Jonathan Javier Diaz*
Sean K. Honey
D'Andre Travass Jordan Johnson
Richard Gary Mathesz*

Criminal Justice

Isabella Faith Anderson***
Christian Ash
Joseph Thomas Benson
Chantelle Marie Bonilla***★
& Sociology
Savannah Joli Boutte*
& Sociology
Kevin Christopher Branas
Sekou Bromell-Parkinson*
& Sociology
Luciano Rocco Joseph Calderone
Megan Nicole Carels
Amelia Elizabeth Chapman***
Oliviya Catherine Deweese*
Abigail Ruth Eller*
Giana M. Fredericks
Michael Stephen Gecik
Troy Alexander Gentzel
Devin Steven Harper
Beau Thomas Heyser**
Terrance Montez James II
Jaden Marquis Johnson
Katrina Lynn Keim***
& Sociology
Carlens Abdon Lapaix
Efrain Jose Antonio Madera*
Sasha Dieanka Mcrae*
Tristan Alexander Miller
Tondalaya Amirah Norton
Kendra Veronica Patterson***
Ashly Mishell Perez Cortorreal***★
Emily Ann Phillips***
Christopher Reyes Jimenez
Patrick Edmond Reynolds
Christopher Ryan Rosseland
Anthony Martino Sabatino
Jake Thomas Sabino**
Adriana Emelia Santos**
& Sociology
Mustafa Shah
Samantha Sarafina Claudette Elise Smith
& Sociology
Nahshon Aldwin Swift Jr.
Ethan Barry Tallo
Taiwo Temilade Adewale**
Destiney Nevada Uribe
Samantha Lynn Walter***
Kiley F. Yotter*
& Sociology

Digital Media Technologies

Jadeann Morgen Ashley-Cameron***
Gabriel Manfred Block
John Stephen Capurso***
Madison Faith Carberry
Braydon Christian
Brian James Crozier***
Cynthia Rose Dobrowski**
Haylee Nicole Drosnock
Shoukry Fauntleroy***
Callie Formella
Diane Ilene Hapke
Thomas John Herstich***

Brandon Tito Huertas**
 Tyee James Kramer
 Trinity Nycole Lucas
 Kamari David McIntosh
 Serena Munoz
 Chloe Debbie O'Donnell**★
 Joseph Kenneth Otero
 Xavier Pagan
 Joshua R. Patterson Jr.
 Riley Finn Robinson
 Alaina Schwartz
 Lucious Malachi Smith-Johnson**
 Suriaha Joe-Ann Springer*
 Eric M. Van Horn***
 Ethanael Alexis Vega
 Scott Paul Wynne Jr.
 Julianna Nicole Ziegenfus*

English

Gabrielle Esther Baker*
 Karlee Marie Bartlow***
 Aubrey E. Sawyer***

Environmental Studies

Kassy Lynn Barlieb
 Landon Conroy Boyle
 Ella Elizabeth Brennan*
 Bradley Bruce Desmarais
 Elise Anne Hertling
 Patrick James Hill Jr.
 Devin M. Kovach
 Kayla Grace Lazarik***
 Shane Micheal O'Leary
 Morgan Elizabeth Rissmiller***
 Nicholas John Sawyer**
 Trinity Hope Ziegler*

Interdisciplinary Studies

Jamirah Davis
 Thomas Fierro
 Marie Heidi Fritts
 Joseph Halus**
 Madison Paige Hunter
 Yamu Angelica Jagne
 Hannah Lynne Kates
 Marybeth Katherine Lewis
 Jonathan Eugene Maichin
 McConnell Fox Platek
 Kiana Smalls
 Abigail Elizabeth Stewart

Marine Science

Shelby Anderson
 Celeste Anne-Renee Barnhill
 & Biology
 Kayla Mackenzie Correll
 Melena L. Eagle
 Jacqueline Ann Gladen
 Kelly Mackay Haughey
 Kyle P. Holiman
 Kayla Jeannette Irizarry**
 & Psychology
 Jax Thomas Jurisic
 Sarah Ann Roth

Mathematics

Sage Marie Buddock***
 Joseph Patrick Daly**
 Kevin Michael Fisher***
 Jessica Anne Frie
 Ian T. McDowall*
 Matthew Mason Milkowich**
 Catherine Elizabeth Reeves***
 Adam Rusiecki
 David Verdejo

Medical Technology

Aaron A. Allen
 Rachel Kay Heggenstaller
 Jeyriliz Marrero Bonilla***
 Alyssa Marilyn Neely**
 Nickelia Abigale Willie***★

Physics

Lauren Ruby Duyssen
 William Glenn Levey***★
 Ian Christian Minalda*
 Luke Roy Schirmacher***
 Chase Louis Watson***★

Psychology

Sierra Rose Adams
 Gold Aluko
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