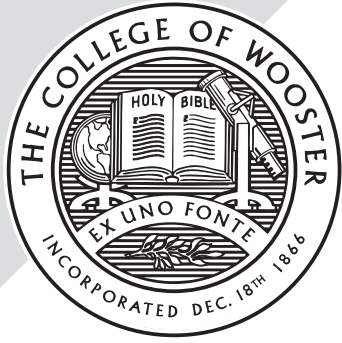


# *Commencement*

## *2020*

Sunday, May 22, 2022  
12:45 p.m.



### *Our Mission*

*The College of Wooster is a community of independent minds, working together to prepare students to become leaders of character and influence in an interdependent global community. We engage motivated students in a rigorous and dynamic liberal education. Mentored by a faculty nationally recognized for excellence in teaching, Wooster graduates are creative and independent thinkers with exceptional abilities to ask important questions, research complex issues, solve problems, and communicate new knowledge and insight.*

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### **Graduates of The College of Wooster demonstrate these personal and intellectual capacities:**

- Independent Thinking
- Integrative and Collaborative Inquiry
- Dynamic Understanding of the Liberal Arts
- Effective Communication
- Global Engagement
- Justice, Civic, and Social Responsibility

# Commencement Participants

## MEMBERS OF THE COLLEGE OF WOOSTER PIPE BAND

### MARSHALS FOR THE CLASS OF 2020

Paul A. Bonvallet *Professor of Chemistry*  
Thomas Wood *Professor of Music*

### MARSHALS FOR THE FACULTY

Drew Pasteur *Professor of Mathematics and Department Chair*  
Sarah J. Sobeck *Professor of Chemistry and Associate Dean for  
Experiential Learning, APEX*

### PROVIDING THE INVOCATION

Justin Warner '18, M.Div., M.A. *Pastoral Care Associate, Grace Presbyterian  
Church of South Brunswick, New Jersey*

### PRESIDENT

Sarah R. Bolton

### REPRESENTING THE CLASS OF 2020

Emilee René McCubbins '20 *Louisville, Kentucky*  
*English major*  
Aubri Paige McKoy '20 *New Brunswick, New Jersey*  
*Communication Studies major*  
Grace Cora O'Leary '20 *Toledo, Ohio*  
*Communication Studies and Philosophy majors*  
Maryori Danitza Sosa '20 *Lawrenceville, Georgia*  
*Political Science major*  
*Posse scholar*

### PROVIDING THE COMMENCEMENT ADDRESS

Kayla Campbell *Program Coordinator for the Office of the Vice  
President of Equity, Inclusion, and Diversity*  
Amber Garcia *Professor of Psychology*  
Marjorie Shamp *Director of Campus Dining and Conference Services*  
Daniel Bourne *Emeritus Professor of English*

### PROVOST

Lisa Perfetti

### DEAN FOR CURRICULUM & ACADEMIC ENGAGEMENT

Jennifer R. Bowen

### PROVIDING THE BENEDICTION

Chadwick Smith '17, M.Div., M.Ed. *Alumnus Posse scholar, Pastor of Youth and  
Community Outreach, Grace United Methodist  
Church of Atlanta, Georgia*

### CHAIR OF THE COLLEGE OF WOOSTER BOARD OF TRUSTEES

Sally Staley '78

# Commencement Ceremony 2020

President Sarah R. Bolton, presiding

## PROCESSION

Members of The College of Wooster Pipe Band

## *A LOOK BACK AT THE CLASS OF 2020*

## INVOCATION

Justin Warner '18, M.Div., M.A.

## WELCOME

President Bolton

## FOR THE CLASS OF 2020

Emilee René McCubbins '20

Aubri Paige McKoy '20

Grace Cora O'Leary '20

Maryori Danitza Sosa '20

## COMMENCEMENT ADDRESS

Kayla Campbell

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President of Equity, Inclusion, and Diversity*

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Marjorie Shamp

*Director of Campus Dining and Conference Services*

Daniel Bourne

*Emeritus Professor of English*

## PRESENTATION OF THE DEGREES IN COURSE

Provost Perfetti

Bachelor of Arts

Bachelor of Music

Bachelor of Music Education

Bachelor of Music Therapy

## CONFERRING OF THE DEGREES IN COURSE

President Bolton

Bachelor of Arts

Bachelor of Music

Bachelor of Music Education

Bachelor of Music Therapy

## *SOME TRADITIONS ARE WORTH REPEATING*

*WOOSTER CHORUS HONORS CLASS OF 2020 WITH VIRTUAL  
PERFORMANCE OF "I HOPE"*

## BENEDICTION

Chadwick Smith '17, M.Div., M.Ed.



# Degrees

Degrees conferred August 31, 2019

## BACHELOR OF ARTS

**Robert Anthony Dinkins Jr.** – Fairburn, Georgia  
*Philosophy*

**William Charles Gore** – Clinton, Ohio  
*Political Science*  
*History*

**Gillian Eilise Gregory** – Cleveland Heights, Ohio  
*Russian Studies*  
*Mathematics*

**William Keegan Grothaus** – Cincinnati, Ohio  
*Classical Studies*

**Jordan Nicole Heusner-Wilkinson** – Stone Mountain, Georgia  
*Theatre & Dance*

**Justin Tyler Kearney** – San Marcos, California  
*Biology*

**Ishmamur Rahman Khan** – Dhaka, Bangladesh  
*Business Economics*

**Andrew Wells Klein** – Sylvania, Ohio  
*Biology*

**Darrell Lee Miller III** – New Albany, Ohio  
*Sociology*

**Laura Vivian Pratt** – Bradenton, Florida  
*History*

**James McLhenny Rankin** – Northfield, Ohio  
*English*

**Adam Christopher Richert** – Sewickley, Pennsylvania  
*Student Designed: Biochemistry & Molecular Biology*  
*and Scientific Media*

**Anum Kamran Sattar** – Karachi, Pakistan  
*English*

**Sota Shimizu** – Chiba, Japan  
*Computer Science*

**Simon Chavar Texidor IV** – Euclid, Ohio  
*Communication Studies*

**D’Khorvillyn Pheje-Mionne Tyus** – Douglasville, Georgia  
*Political Science*

**Josie Scott Veal** – Austell, Georgia  
*Communication Studies*

Degrees conferred December 31, 2019

## BACHELOR OF ARTS

**Arianna Elizabeth Collins** – Clinton, Pennsylvania  
*Communication Sciences & Disorders*

**Samuel Elliot Corrigan** – Granville, Ohio  
*English*

**Josie Moreland Cotton** – Cleveland, Ohio  
*History* HONORS

**Jacob Cameron Denbeaux** – Hillsdale, New Jersey  
*Mathematics*

**Zhimeng Gou** – Luohe, China  
*Mathematics*

**Hope Ivey Hunter** – Chardon, Ohio  
*Mathematics*

**Benjamin Israel Jenkins** – Ypsilanti, Michigan  
*Physics*  
*Chinese Studies* HONORS

**Gabriela Fisher Jocas** – North Canton, Ohio  
*Chemistry*

**Ayush Alok Kumar Mishra** – Navi Mumbai, India  
*History*

**Nathan Augustus Morit** – Delaware, Ohio  
*Biology*

**Phillip Allan Plotkin** – Dingmans Fry, Pennsylvania  
*Neuroscience*

**Sarah Isabelle Shanes** – Mundelein, Illinois  
*Communication Sciences & Disorders*  
*Education* ☺

**Nicholas William Shiach** – Green Valley, Arizona  
*Political Science*

**Harrison Joseph Walls** – State College, Pennsylvania  
*Computer Science*

**Boyu Wu** – Guiyang Guizhou, China  
*Philosophy*

Degrees conferred December 31, 2019

## BACHELOR OF MUSIC

**Gabriela Angeles-Paredes** – Chapel Hill, North Carolina  
*Music*

Degrees conferred December 31, 2019

**BACHELOR OF MUSIC THERAPY**

**Sarah Katherine Augustine** – Greenville, Ohio  
*Music Therapy*

**Adam Lev Hirsch** – Herndon, Virginia  
*Music Therapy*

**Madeleine Jane Silver-Riskin** – Berea, Ohio  
*Music Therapy*

Degrees conferred May 11, 2020

**BACHELOR OF ARTS**

**Sofia Abdirizak** – McLean, Virginia  
*English* HONORS

**Madison Bergstrom Adamo** – Oak Bluffs, Massachusetts  
*Psychology* HONORS

**Dzifa Adjei** – Ann Arbor, Michigan  
*Psychology* HONORS

**Robert Phillip Hondel Agle** – Westerville, Ohio  
*Political Science*

**Lauren Elizabeth Ahmann** – Richfield, Ohio  
*Neuroscience* HONORS

**James Mayhew Alltop** – Grosse Pointe, Michigan  
*Biochemistry & Molecular Biology* HONORS  
*English* HONORS

**Nela Aluwihare** – Colombo, Sri Lanka  
*Political Science*  
*French and Francophone Studies* HONORS

**Robert Lawrence Alvarez** – Fort Washington, Maryland  
*Computer Science*

**Abigail Elizabeth Ambrose** – Coshocton, Ohio  
*Physics*

**Elizabeth Sara Anderson** – Cincinnati, Ohio  
*Biology* HONORS

**Zacharias Andreou** – Nicosia, Cyprus  
*Mathematics* HONORS

**Michael Dalton Appel** – Arlington, Virginia  
*Communication Studies*

**Hannah E. Appleman** – Pickerington, Ohio  
*Philosophy*

**Fiona Yaaba Armoo** – Indianapolis, Indiana  
*Biology*

**Alejandro Antonio Arriaga Jr.** – Van Buren, Ohio  
*Philosophy*

**Ryoko Asakuma** – Setagaya-Ku, Japan  
*Global & International Studies* HONORS

**Katherine Hunter Atwell** – Vashon, Washington  
*Anthropology* HONORS

**Nina-Simone Avery** – Grayson, Georgia  
*Psychology*

**Haohang Bai** – Taiyuan, China  
*Psychology* HONORS

**Morgan Renee Bailey** – Ellwood City, Pennsylvania  
*Biochemistry & Molecular Biology*

**Yash Bajaj** – Kolkata, India  
*Computer Science*  
*Business Economics*

**Katarina Baltisberger** – Berea, Kentucky  
*Art History* HONORS

**Fabio Cesar Barreto** – Chicago, Illinois  
*Sociology*

**Jack Barrow** – Nashville, Tennessee  
*History* HONORS

**Nicholas Barto-Brown** – Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania  
*Psychology*

**Gregory Robert Bell** – Ashland, Ohio  
*Psychology* HONORS

**Mac Bellovich** – Grosse Pointe Farms, Michigan  
*Business Economics*

**Emily Bernstein** – Potomac, Maryland  
*English*

**Kate Bertrand** – Coudersport, Pennsylvania  
*Music* HONORS

**Blair Michele Besancon** – Wooster, Ohio  
*Communication Studies*

**Emily Elizabeth Xiubei Beuter** – Canton, Ohio  
*History* HONORS  
*Spanish* HONORS

**Michelle M. Biksey** – Washington, Pennsylvania  
*Biochemistry & Molecular Biology*

**Kristen Marie Blanchard** – Mayfield Heights, Ohio  
*Psychology*

**Benjamin Robert Blotner** – Westerville, Ohio  
*English*

**Brandon Dennis Borges** – Cleveland, Ohio  
*Political Science*

**Bailey Nicole Bradshaw** – Newark, Ohio  
*Communication Studies* HONORS  
*Education* ☺

**Ben Bridgman** – Louisville, Kentucky  
*Sociology* HONORS

**Gemma Elizabeth Briggs** – Clearwater, Florida  
*Neuroscience* HONORS

**Chelsea Brown** – Louisville, Kentucky  
*Political Science*

- Ingrid Buckley** – Athens, Ohio  
*History* HONORS
- Amelia Burke** – Atlanta, Georgia  
*English*
- Emmanuel Burton** – Carnegie, Pennsylvania  
*Political Science*
- Tianyi Cai** – Shanghai, China  
*Mathematics* HONORS  
*The Jonas O. Notestein Prize*
- Imogen Campbell Hendricks** – Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania  
*English* HONORS
- Emily Elizabeth Cano** – San Francisco, California  
*Communication Sciences & Disorders*
- Elizabeth Lynne Carlson** – Solon, Ohio  
*Psychology*
- Kaci Ann Carpenter** – Murfreesboro, Tennessee  
*Communication Studies*
- Philip Carter** – Auburn, Alabama  
*Chemistry*
- Jason Salvatore Cerniglia** – Trafford, Pennsylvania  
*Business Economics*
- Ava Chamberlain** – Ann Arbor, Michigan  
*Environmental Studies*
- Robert Preston Chamberlin** – Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania  
*Biology*
- Michelle Julia Chang** – Ravenna, Ohio  
*Biochemistry & Molecular Biology*
- Churou Chen** – Shanghai, China  
*History* HONORS
- Adam Scott Clark** – Stoneboro, Pennsylvania  
*History*  
*Education* ☺
- Spencer Michael Coffman** – Snohomish, Washington  
*Neuroscience* HONORS
- Jacob Leonard Cohen** – Farmington Hills, Michigan  
*History*
- Itala Marie Colby** – Silver Spring, Maryland  
*Political Science* HONORS
- William Alexander Collis** – Columbus, Ohio  
*History*
- Matthew Thomas Conrad** – Meadville, Pennsylvania  
*Biology*  
*Geology* HONORS
- Jason Nicholas Constable** – Erie, Pennsylvania  
*Biochemistry & Molecular Biology*
- Ciaran Conway** – Wayne, Pennsylvania  
*English* HONORS
- Anna Marie Cooke** – Englewood, Colorado  
*Geology* HONORS
- Audrey Rose Cordova** – Ignacio, Colorado  
*Biology*
- Isaiah Corso-Phinney** – Mansfield, Ohio  
*History*
- Emma Mary Martha Cotter** – Ballston Spa, New York  
*Political Science* HONORS
- Dylan Cox** – Arroyo Seco, New Mexico  
*History* HONORS
- Elijah Mason Culley** – Nashville, Tennessee  
*Classical Studies* HONORS
- Harrison Davenport** – Bloomington, Illinois  
*Biochemistry & Molecular Biology*
- Claire Elizabeth Davis** – Brook Park, Ohio  
*Neuroscience* HONORS
- Emily Anne Davis** – Wake Forest, North Carolina  
*Political Science*
- Jorge De Leon** – Chicago, Illinois  
*Global & International Studies*
- Adam James Deeley** – Youngstown, Ohio  
*Physics*
- Craig Deng** – Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania  
*Biochemistry & Molecular Biology*
- Reinier Descoteaux** – Geneva, Illinois  
*Religious Studies* HONORS
- Nathan William Devereux** – Finksburg, Maryland  
*Computer Science*
- Anh Thuc Dinh** – Ha Noi, Vietnam  
*Biochemistry & Molecular Biology* HONORS
- Thuy Dinh** – Ho Chi Minh, Vietnam  
*Computer Science* HONORS  
*History* HONORS
- Caelan Roger Doherty** – Bethesda, Maryland  
*Economics*
- Abigail Marie Donelan** – Massillon, Ohio  
*Biology*
- Tristan Donohoe** – Homewood, Illinois  
*Spanish*
- Abigail Goldthwait Donohue** – Hingham, Massachusetts  
*Political Science*
- Alexander Doone** – Findlay, Ohio  
*English* HONORS
- Daniel Michael Dorman** – Akron, Ohio  
*Biochemistry & Molecular Biology*
- Samantha Draves** – Homer, Alaska  
*Biochemistry & Molecular Biology*



**Robert Cassidy Driscoll** – Swampscott, Massachusetts  
*Sociology*

**Amber Dronebarger** – Dalton, Ohio  
*Psychology* HONORS  
*Education* ☺

**Harry R. Dunham** – Princeton Junction, New Jersey  
*Computer Science* HONORS  
*Mathematics* HONORS

**Gustavo Duran** – Chicago, Illinois  
*Communication Studies*

**Elyse Echegaray** – Brooklyn, New York  
*History* HONORS  
*Sociology* HONORS

**Daniel Mulhern Engel** – Evanston, Illinois  
*Communication Studies*  
*History*

**Henry Epling** – Fort Wayne, Indiana  
*Environmental Studies*

**Ana Riley Fairbanks-Mahnke** – Denver, Colorado  
*Biochemistry & Molecular Biology* HONORS

**Morgan Renee Faldowski** – Mantua, Ohio  
*Communication Sciences & Disorders* HONORS

**Emily Grace Farmer** – Attleboro, Massachusetts  
*Urban Studies*

**Jack R. Felch** – Pleasant Ridge, Michigan  
*Studio Art* HONORS

**Madeleine C. Ferguson** – West Windsor, New Jersey  
*Mathematics*

**Benjamin Arthur Ferling** – Medina, Ohio  
*Communication Studies*

**Evan Scot Ferrara** – Kent, Ohio  
*Business Economics*

**Joseph Ferraro** – Ann Arbor, Michigan  
*Russian Studies*

**Sara Marie Fikse** – Byron Center, Michigan  
*English* HONORS

**Catherine Elizabeth Fiorito** – Goshen, Kentucky  
*Communication Studies* HONORS

**Heather Foust** – Youngstown, Ohio  
*Communication Sciences & Disorders*

**Helen Hai Ying Francis** – Atlanta, Georgia  
*Psychology* HONORS  
*Education* ☺

**Daniel Grant Fraser** – Bethesda, Maryland  
*Political Science*  
*History*

**Benjamin Freije** – Indianapolis, Indiana  
*Biochemistry & Molecular Biology* HONORS

**Daniel Peter Gail** – Euclid, Ohio  
*Biochemistry & Molecular Biology*

**Emily Gamez** – Chicago, Illinois  
*Communication Sciences & Disorders*

**Isabelle G. Gangloff** – Dayton, Ohio  
*Psychology* HONORS

**Nicholas Groves Gargaro** – Ann Arbor, Michigan  
*History*

**Carson Clyde Geissler** – Delaware, Ohio  
*Mathematics* HONORS

**Payton Field Gennett** – Henderson, Nevada  
*Communication Sciences & Disorders*

**Arsenia Georgopoulos** – Girard, Ohio  
*Biochemistry & Molecular Biology*

**Holly Geraci** – Etna, Ohio  
*Psychology*

**Lila Brooke Elise Gibson** – Mohnton, Pennsylvania  
*Psychology* HONORS

**Erick Gilbert** – Chippewa Lake, Ohio  
*Neuroscience* HONORS

**Aishu Six Giriraju** – Bangalore, India  
*Psychology*

**Nicholas Kane Godsey** – Hanover, Maryland  
*Communication Studies*

**Erika Alma Goetz** – Honey Brook, Pennsylvania  
*Computer Science* HONORS

**Reid Thomas Golnik** – Blue Ash, Ohio  
*Computer Science*

**Mackenzie Goltz** – Muskegon, Michigan  
*Biology* HONORS

**Scotty Gordon** – Ashland, Oregon  
*Philosophy* HONORS

**Hannah Margarita Grachen** – The Villages, Florida  
*Geology*

**Samantha Myers Green** – Cuyahoga Falls, Ohio  
*English* HONORS

**Benjamin Ryan Gregoire** – Burnsville, Minnesota  
*Neuroscience*

**Megan Elizabeth Gross** – Solon, Ohio  
*Communication Studies* HONORS

**Jennifer Grossmann** – Dayton, Ohio  
*Neuroscience* HONORS

**Anushkaa Gupta** – Gurgaon, India  
*Psychology* HONORS  
*Economics*

**Jason Gustely** – Jakarta, Indonesia  
*Economics*

- Manal Fatima Habib** – Shaker Heights, Ohio  
*Religious Studies*
- Kelsey Taylor Hall** – Coraopolis, Pennsylvania  
*Neuroscience* HONORS
- Emma Ryley Hambricht** – Cincinnati, Ohio  
*Neuroscience* HONORS
- Alyssa Renee Hamm** – Wickliffe, Ohio  
*Biology*
- Alexander Reid Hancock** – Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania  
*Political Science*
- Waverly Swan Hart** – Sylvania, Ohio  
*English* HONORS
- Anna Marie Hartig** – Saint Louis, Missouri  
*Chemistry*
- Darian Alexis Harvey** – Franklin, Indiana  
*Theatre and Dance*
- Daniel Harwood** – Brecksville, Ohio  
*Business Economics*
- Connor William Hawkins** – Mason, Ohio  
*Business Economics*
- Dakota Shaw Hayes** – Columbus, Ohio  
*Biology*
- Efua Aferiba Hayford** – Accra, Ghana  
*Economics*
- Malik Jordan Hearst** – Douglasville, Georgia  
*Philosophy* HONORS  
*Psychology* HONORS
- Noah Shane Helton** – Strongsville, Ohio  
*Biochemistry & Molecular Biology* HONORS
- Danyon Hempy** – Waldo, Ohio  
*Psychology*
- Carlos Hernandez Maldonado** – Chicago, Illinois  
*Psychology*  
*Spanish*
- Benjamin Joseph Hessman** – Magnolia, Texas  
*Physics*
- Isadora Marie Hetrick** – Goode, Virginia  
*Anthropology*
- Stephanie Victoria Hilton** – Darien, Connecticut  
*Sociology*
- James M. Hinton** – North Canton, Ohio  
*Political Science* HONORS
- Hannah Hirsch** – Chillicothe, Ohio  
*Biology* HONORS
- Savanna M. Hitlan** – Huron, Ohio  
*History* HONORS
- Pyeongan Hong** – Kijabe, Kenya  
*Global & International Studies*
- Rebecca Hopkins** – East Falmouth, Massachusetts  
*Chemistry* HONORS
- Vienna Leigh Howard** – Fairport, New York  
*Biology*
- Christian Howard-Smith** – Bedford, Ohio  
*Communication Sciences & Disorders* HONORS  
*Neuroscience*
- Alison Hsu** – Iowa City, Iowa  
*Neuroscience*
- Brodie Collen Hufnagel** – Gambier, Ohio  
*Computer Science*
- Cyrus Hulen** – Saint Louis, Missouri  
*Archaeology*
- Nicholas Keaton Hull** – Mount Vernon, Ohio  
*Business Economics*
- Robert Earl Hunt** – Sherwood, Oregon  
*Biochemistry & Molecular Biology*
- Nicholas James Hunter** – Phoenixville, Pennsylvania  
*Computer Science*
- Sharah Georgia Hutson** – Atlanta, Georgia  
*Philosophy*
- Vi Huynh** – Morrow, Georgia  
*Mathematics*  
*Biochemistry & Molecular Biology*
- Alex Hwang** – Seoul, Republic of Korea  
*Economics* HONORS  
*Mathematics* HONORS
- Tyler Patrick Iversen** – Riverview, Florida  
*History*  
*Political Science*
- Anna James** – Denver, Colorado  
*Biology* HONORS
- Miranda Taylor James** – Columbus, Ohio  
*Anthropology* HONORS
- Dina Jamshidi** – Medina, Ohio  
*Neuroscience*
- Jemal Mahdi Jemal** – Addis Ababa, Ethiopia  
*Computer Science* HONORS
- Yifan Jiang** – Taiyuan, China  
*Mathematics*  
*History* HONORS
- Alexandria Joyner** – Akron, Ohio  
*History* HONORS
- Christian Julius** – Lantana, Texas  
*Physics*

- Eliana Rebecca Kahn** – West Windsor, New Jersey  
*Sociology* HONORS  
*Women's, Gender, and Sexuality Studies* HONORS
- Ethan Kahl** – Cleveland, Ohio  
*Chemistry*
- Connor Thomas Kalish** – Saint Louis, Missouri  
*Communication Studies*
- Minjoo Kang** – Yeonje-Gu, Republic of Korea  
*Chemistry*
- Shengjia Kang** – Beijing, China  
*Mathematics*
- Sung Won Kang** – Seongnam-Si, Republic of Korea  
*Biochemistry & Molecular Biology*
- Alexander Kania** – Duxbury, Massachusetts  
*Business Economics*
- Koral Marie Kasnyik** – Lagrange, Ohio  
*Biochemistry & Molecular Biology* HONORS
- Kamba Fred Kayoka** – Lawrenceville, Georgia  
*Biology*
- Yuxuan (Katie) Ke** – Shenzhen, China  
*Business Economics* HONORS  
*East Asian Studies* HONORS
- Cormac Sommer Kelly** – Oakland, California  
*History* HONORS
- Morgan Paige Kelly** – Lutherville Timonium, Maryland  
*Music*
- Caitlin Grace Kerzan** – Louisville, Ohio  
*Classical Studies*
- Nashmia Khan** – Lahore, Pakistan  
*Neuroscience*
- Kaitlyn Manal Khayat** – Williamsville, New York  
*Anthropology* HONORS  
*Religious Studies* HONORS
- Heather Elizabeth Knotek-Black** – North Royalton, Ohio  
*Urban Studies*
- Juyoung Ko** – Gyeonggi, Republic of Korea  
*Psychology* HONORS
- Taryn Kendall Drake Kohlman** – Gambier, Ohio  
*Communication Sciences & Disorders*
- Laurén Ashley Kozlowski** – Richmond, Michigan  
*Art History* HONORS  
*Archaeology*
- Cullen Edward Kuhn** – Towson, Maryland  
*History*
- Alexis Lanier** – Navarre, Ohio  
*Geology* HONORS  
*The Jonas O. Notestein Prize*
- Desi Jeseve LaPoole** – Stone Mountain, Georgia  
*Student Designed: Journalism & Society*
- Maya Mokhiber Lapp** – Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania  
*Mathematics* HONORS  
*The Jonas O. Notestein Prize*
- Todd Chi-Thanh Le** – Hue, Vietnam  
*Biology* HONORS
- Eli Learn** – Dublin, Ohio  
*Chemistry*
- Seung Yeon (Michelle) Lee** – Yongin-si, Republic of Korea  
*Biology*
- Chris Lehmann** – Hanover, New Hampshire  
*Philosophy* HONORS
- Daphne Bean Letherer** – Wilkinson, Indiana  
*Global & International Studies* HONORS  
*Russian Studies*
- Nathan Robert Levesque** – Fairfield, Ohio  
*Political Science*
- Jacob Isaiah Lewis** – Silver Creek, New York  
*Mathematics*
- Muyao Li** – Weihai, China  
*Business Economics* HONORS  
*Psychology* HONORS
- Joy Li** – Beijing, China  
*Art History* HONORS
- Yumeng Li** – Tsukuba, Japan  
*Chemistry*
- Eleanor Linafelt** – Takoma Park, Maryland  
*English* HONORS  
*Women's, Gender, and Sexuality Studies* HONORS
- Chloe Litts** – Hamel, Minnesota  
*Chemistry* HONORS
- Kendall Leigh Lloyd** – Apple Creek, Ohio  
*Mathematics*  
*Education* ☺
- Courtney Carlese Dolores Lockhart** – Bedford, Ohio  
*Psychology*
- Kathleen Marie Sweeney Loftus** – Fairview, Ohio  
*Biology* HONORS
- Casey Lohman** – Santa Cruz, California  
*Women's, Gender, and Sexuality Studies* HONORS
- Zoe Luksa** – Skokie, Illinois  
*Psychology* HONORS  
*Education* ☺
- Ciaran Lyons** – Arlington, Virginia  
*Political Science*
- Kathlyn MacDonald** – Westerville, Ohio  
*Biology*

- Olivia Noel Maher** – Riverside, Illinois  
*Economics*  
*English*
- Matt Mahoney-White** – Shaker Heights, Ohio  
*Biochemistry & Molecular Biology*
- Henry Mai** – Nanchang, China  
*Sociology* HONORS
- Elizabeth Main** – Mukwonago, Wisconsin  
*Sociology*
- Edward Fintan Manoli** – Rochester, New York  
*Political Science*
- Gianmarco Arturo Martignetti** – Chappaqua, New York  
*English*  
*Education* ☺
- Nedas Matulionis** – Vilnius, Lithuania  
*Chemistry*
- Matt Mayes** – Alfred, New York  
*Political Science* HONORS  
*The Jonas O. Notestein Prize*
- Victoria D. McCaslin** – Newfield, New Jersey  
*History* HONORS  
*English* HONORS
- Emilee René McCubbins** – Louisville, Kentucky  
*English*
- Stephen McGarry** – Beaverton, Oregon  
*Biochemistry & Molecular Biology*
- Margaret McGuire** – Washington, North Carolina  
*Mathematics* HONORS
- Grady Michael McHugh** – Coatesville, Indiana  
*Communication Studies*
- Aubri Paige McKoy** – New Brunswick, New Jersey  
*Communication Studies*  
*The William A. Galpin Award for General Excellence in College Work, 1st Prize*
- Mary Grace McLoughlin** – Ashland, Massachusetts  
*Classical Studies* HONORS  
*History* HONORS
- Anna Louise Medema** – Poolesville, Maryland  
*Political Science* HONORS
- Juliet Merillat** – Midland, Michigan  
*Theatre and Dance* HONORS
- Eleni Miliotou** – Latsia, Cyprus  
*Neuroscience* HONORS
- Cameron Linton Miller** – Akron, Ohio  
*Anthropology* HONORS
- Claire Fuhuan Miller** – Bucyrus, Ohio  
*Political Science*
- Kevin Allen Miller** – Tiffin, Ohio  
*Biochemistry & Molecular Biology* HONORS
- Mason Minerva** – Rochester, New York  
*Geology*
- Gargi Mishra** – Wassenaar, Netherlands  
*Biochemistry & Molecular Biology* HONORS
- Claire Elizabeth Montgomery** – Aurora, Colorado  
*English* HONORS
- Julia Grace Montgomery** – Granville, Ohio  
*Political Science* HONORS
- Morgan Mooty** – Macomb, Michigan  
*Biochemistry & Molecular Biology* HONORS  
*The G. Julian Lathrop Memorial Award*
- Riley Moreau** – Albion, Michigan  
*Biology* HONORS
- Kamal Akeem Morgan** – Randallstown, Maryland  
*Africana Studies*  
*The William A. Galpin Award for General Excellence in College Work, 2nd Prize*
- Clark Donald Morin** – Accident, Maryland  
*Business Economics*
- Alexander David Morris** – Royal Oak, Michigan  
*Biochemistry & Molecular Biology*
- Gloria Best Murray** – Atlanta, Georgia  
*Studio Art* HONORS
- Kacy Elizabeth Muthiora** – Manakin Sabot, Virginia  
*Communication Studies*
- Dena Nashawati** – Canton, Ohio  
*Psychology*
- Garima Nayar** – Kolkata, India  
*Psychology*
- Bao Chau Nguyen** – Da Lat, Vietnam  
*Neuroscience* HONORS
- Tam Minh Nguyen** – Hanoi, Vietnam  
*Computer Science*
- Elise Marie Nikolich** – Takoma Park, Maryland  
*Religious Studies*
- Rhys Niner** – Maumee, Ohio  
*Archaeology*
- Kelsey Marie Nolin** – Claysville, Pennsylvania  
*Studio Art* HONORS
- John Patrick Nugent** – Bethesda, Maryland  
*Chemistry* HONORS
- Paulo Nunes Maldonado** – Apple Creek, Ohio  
*Biochemistry & Molecular Biology*
- Grace Cora O’Leary** – Toledo, Ohio  
*Communication Studies* HONORS  
*Philosophy* HONORS
- Augustine Uche Ogwoh** – Accra, Ghana  
*Neuroscience*

- Kelechi Okoronkwo** – Alexandria, Virginia  
*Biology*
- Pedro Adami Oliboni** – Novo Hamburgo, Brazil  
*Philosophy* HONORS  
*Mathematics* HONORS
- Kylie J. Orr** – Newport, Kentucky  
*Sociology*
- Kevin Vincent Ortiz** – Chicago, Illinois  
*Women's, Gender, and Sexuality Studies*  
*Sociology*
- Mackenzie Owen** – Commerce City, Colorado  
*Biochemistry & Molecular Biology*
- Mia A. Palmejar-Takaki** – Chicago, Illinois  
*Psychology* HONORS  
*Communication Studies* HONORS
- Korri Elexus Palmer** – Marietta, Georgia  
*Communication Studies* HONORS
- Ellen Peabody** – Brunswick, Maine  
*English*
- Andrew Newcomb Peacock** – Saint Louis, Missouri  
*English*
- Avery Elizabeth Pearson** – Cincinnati, Ohio  
*Biology* HONORS
- Brent Pederson** – Novi, Michigan  
*Biochemistry & Molecular Biology*
- Timothy Stephen Perales** – Front Royal, Virginia  
*Neuroscience* HONORS
- Alberto Peralta Mendoza** – Atlanta, Georgia  
*Student Designed: Latin American Studies*  
*The William A. Galpin Award for General Excellence in College Work, 1st Prize*
- Scott Walter Perkins** – Wooster, Ohio  
*Neuroscience* HONORS  
*The Parker Myers Memorial Award*
- Kyra Isabelle Perlmutter** – Leesburg, Virginia  
*English*
- Robin Perry** – Cleveland, Ohio  
*Political Science*
- Aspen Roth Pesheck** – Ann Arbor, Michigan  
*Music*
- John Demetrios Petersen** – Grosse Pointe, Michigan  
*Global & International Studies*  
*Chinese*
- Marco Francis Peticca** – Strasburg, Pennsylvania  
*Political Science*
- Aedan Daniel Pettit** – Round Hill, Virginia  
*Mathematics*  
*Computer Science* HONORS
- Cooper Pewitt** – New Albany, Ohio  
*Chemistry*
- David McCulloch Pfeffer** – Deerfield, Illinois  
*Computer Science*
- Linh Tuan Pham** – Ha Noi, Vietnam  
*Chemistry*
- Hunter Pierson** – Byron Center, Michigan  
*Biochemistry & Molecular Biology*
- Kyndalanne Pike** – Willoughby, Ohio  
*Chemistry* HONORS  
*Mathematics* HONORS
- Noah Benjamin Plotkin** – Scottsdale, Arizona  
*Political Science*
- Olivia Poindexter** – Nashville, Tennessee  
*Anthropology*  
*Education* ☺
- Kwame Berchie Poku-Acheampong** – Tema, Ghana  
*Neuroscience*
- Cleo Potter** – Arlington, Virginia  
*Theatre and Dance* HONORS
- Henry Potts-Rubin** – Yellow Springs, Ohio  
*Mathematics* HONORS  
*The Jonas O. Notestein Prize*
- Frederick Finly Prichard** – Charleston, West Virginia  
*History*
- Hannah Rose Prokop** – Strongsville, Ohio  
*Biology* HONORS
- Charles Lind Quigley** – Wilmette, Illinois  
*Psychology*
- Mikael Emmanuel Rae** – Capitol Heights, Maryland  
*Political Science*
- Krenare Rakoci** – Hoffman Estates, Illinois  
*Neuroscience*
- Emily Nicole Randall** – Houston, Texas  
*Geology* HONORS  
*The Jonas O. Notestein Prize*
- Katie Elizabeth Reese** – New Philadelphia, Ohio  
*Political Science* HONORS  
*Philosophy*
- John-Paul Wetzel Richard** – Lakewood, Ohio  
*English*  
*Russian Studies*
- Lily Jane Richardson** – Canton, Ohio  
*Mathematics*
- Ian Ricoy** – Ann Arbor, Michigan  
*Political Science* HONORS
- Jessica Rae Roberts** – Greencastle, Indiana  
*Biology*

- Justin Robert Robinson** – Arlington, Virginia  
*Communication Studies*
- Marco Roccato** – Rovellasca, Italy  
*Global & International Studies* HONORS
- Max Rochester** – Chicago, Illinois  
*Global & International Studies*
- Fatima Leticia Rodriguez** – Los Angeles, California  
*Neuroscience*
- Jared Howard Rogers** – Middleton, Massachusetts  
*Political Science*
- Kevin Andrew Rolph** – Westerville, Ohio  
*Archaeology*
- Marina Rae Roski** – Diamond Bar, California  
*Political Science* HONORS
- Nicholas Rosner** – Wooster, Ohio  
*Physics*
- Noelle Rotte** – Cincinnati, Ohio  
*Anthropology* HONORS
- Sophia Marie Rovenko** – Manchester, Michigan  
*Chemistry*
- Donyea MaShun Ruffin** – Atlanta, Georgia  
*Studio Art* HONORS
- Nina Ruth Hooper Rusmore** – Elk Grove, California  
*Anthropology* HONORS  
*Classical Studies*
- Moyo Saliu** – Lagos, Nigeria  
*Biochemistry & Molecular Biology* HONORS
- Akalia Samms** – Columbia, Maryland  
*Psychology*
- Eli Merrill Samuelson** – Rockville, Maryland  
*Mathematics*
- Christian Michael Santos** – Lansdowne, Pennsylvania  
*Mathematics*
- Akari Sato** – Minato, Japan  
*Economics*  
*Psychology*
- Brianna Schmidt** – Wooster, Ohio  
*Philosophy* HONORS
- Peter Francis Schopen III** – McHenry, Illinois  
*Philosophy*  
*Religious Studies* HONORS
- David Andrew Schulz** – Walnut Creek, California  
*Communication Studies*
- Katherine Schwab** – North Royalton, Ohio  
*Communication Sciences & Disorders*  
*Education* ☺
- Kay Schwab** – Bedford, Ohio  
*Neuroscience*
- Katherine Sendek** – Washington, Pennsylvania  
*Neuroscience* HONORS
- Sidney Nicole Senita** – Ashtabula, Ohio  
*Sociology*
- Shannon Rhyme Sertz** – Fairview, Pennsylvania  
*Psychology* HONORS
- Evan Shadbolt** – Ridgewood, New Jersey  
*Geology*
- Nick Shereikis** – Silver Spring, Maryland  
*Political Science* HONORS  
*Communication Studies* HONORS
- Hope Katherine Siegel** – East Amherst, New York  
*English* HONORS
- Margaret Maeve Simmering** – Plainfield, Illinois  
*Anthropology* HONORS  
*French and Francophone Studies* HONORS
- Leman William Simpson** – Urbana, Ohio  
*Biochemistry & Molecular Biology* HONORS
- Emily J. Skerl** – Cleveland, Ohio  
*Computer Science*
- Alana Corine Smith** – Philadelphia, Pennsylvania  
*Africana Studies*
- Devyn James Smith** – Wattana, Thailand  
*Communication Studies*
- Madeline Smith** – Carmel, Indiana  
*Psychology* HONORS
- Matthew Paul Sobota** – Glenwood, New York  
*Political Science*
- Atul Sonthalia** – Chennai, India  
*Economics*
- Maryori Danitza Sosa** – Lawrenceville, Georgia  
*Political Science* HONORS  
*The Dan F. Lockhart Outstanding Senior Award*
- William Blake Southerland II** – Cincinnati, Ohio  
*Business Economics*
- Aaron Waid Spidell** – Mount Eaton, Ohio  
*Communication Studies*
- Elizabeth Sophia Stanis** – Indianapolis, Indiana  
*Anthropology* HONORS
- Shay Steele** – Berea, Kentucky  
*Philosophy*
- Mary Aikins Stevens** – Buffalo, New York  
*Biology* HONORS
- Jacob Thomas Stewart** – South Park, Pennsylvania  
*Communication Sciences & Disorders*

- Emily Elizabeth Stoehr** – Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania  
*Political Science*  
*Anthropology* HONORS  
*The William Wallace Chappell – Elizabeth Dalton Memorial Prize*
- Nicholas James Strausbaugh** – Fredericksburg, Ohio  
*Communication Studies*
- Katie Strickert** – Olmsted Falls, Ohio  
*Chemistry*
- Sarah Stutler** – Akron, Ohio  
*Art History* HONORS  
*English* HONORS
- Harriet Sudduth** – Louisville, Kentucky  
*Mathematics*
- Emmalee Sierra Sullivan** – New London, Ohio  
*Biology* HONORS
- Hannah Rose Sullivan** – Beachwood, Ohio  
*Religious Studies* HONORS
- Regan Nicole Szalay** – Wadsworth, Ohio  
*Chemistry* HONORS
- Alysa N. Tarrant** – Rutland, Vermont  
*Communication Studies* HONORS  
*French and Francophone Studies* HONORS
- Aakash Thapa** – Kathmandu, Nepal  
*Economics*
- Claire Margaret Thompson** – Pembroke, Bermuda  
*Psychology*
- Katherine Grace Thurston-Griswold** – Huntingdon, Pennsylvania  
*Psychology* HONORS
- Akwia Serwa Tilton** – Southfield, Michigan  
*Sociology*
- Garrett S. D. Tinline** – San Carlos, California  
*Biochemistry & Molecular Biology*
- Trenton Jacob Tipton** – Saint Clairsville, Ohio  
*Biology*
- Rachel Tomei** – Woodridge, Illinois  
*History* HONORS
- Hieu Phuoc Tran** – Hai Chau District, Vietnam  
*Mathematics* HONORS  
*Computer Science* HONORS
- Samantha Taylor Tromba** – Madison, Ohio  
*Art History* HONORS
- David Trujillo** – Chicago, Illinois  
*Chemistry*
- Sarah Vandenberg** – Ypsilanti, Michigan  
*Neuroscience* HONORS
- Audrey VanderVelde** – Holland, Michigan  
*Sociology*
- Jocelynn Gloria Vega** – Chicago, Illinois  
*Sociology*
- Jonathan Scott Velazquez** – Huntley, Illinois  
*Political Science*
- Eduardo Vetancourt** – Caracas, Venezuela  
*Economics*
- Wesley Joseph Wagner** – Gurnee, Illinois  
*Chemistry* HONORS
- Anneliese Wagoner** – Wooster, Ohio  
*Biochemistry & Molecular Biology*
- Addison Wanner** – Lyme, New Hampshire  
*English* HONORS
- Ian Andrew Warren** – Deerfield, Illinois  
*Urban Studies*
- Rebecca Renee Warren** – Rockville, Maryland  
*Neuroscience* HONORS
- Eric Franklin Wasserzug** – Silver Spring, Maryland  
*Economics* HONORS
- Micaela Watson** – Nashville, Tennessee  
*Psychology*
- Sierra Weir** – Oakmont, Pennsylvania  
*Biochemistry & Molecular Biology*
- Isaac Weiss** – Louisville, Kentucky  
*Mathematics* HONORS  
*Political Science*  
*The William A. Galpin Award for General Excellence in College Work, 2nd Prize*
- Keara Simpson Weiss** – Painesville, Ohio  
*Biology*
- Meghan Wells** – Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania  
*Biochemistry & Molecular Biology*
- Rebecca Diane Wells** – Strongsville, Ohio  
*Communication Studies*
- Anna Leigh Whitman** – Chillicothe, Ohio  
*Psychology* HONORS
- Brianna Leigh Williams** – Beverly Hills, Michigan  
*Spanish*
- Spencer Wilson** – Huntsburg, Ohio  
*Mathematics*
- Harrison Stow Witwer-Dukes** – Monmouth, Oregon  
*Communication Studies* HONORS
- Taylor Makenzie Wood** – Glenshaw, Pennsylvania  
*English* HONORS  
*Education* ☺
- Adria Woodruff** – Wooster, Ohio  
*Art History* HONORS
- Chen Wu** – Taichung City, Taiwan  
*Neuroscience*

**William James Yakubik III** – Williston, Vermont  
*Neuroscience* HONORS

**Daron Yim** – Granite Bay, California  
*Neuroscience* HONORS

**Yiqun Yu** – Beijing, China  
*Business Economics*

**Qaiser Hasan Zaidi** – Dallas, Texas  
*Biochemistry & Molecular Biology*

**Mahlet Frezer Zemedkun** – Adis Abeba, Ethiopia  
*Neuroscience* HONORS

**Yinxi Zhao** – Qujing, China  
*Mathematics* HONORS

**Sara E. Zidek** – Greensburg, Pennsylvania  
*Neuroscience*

**Daniel Edwin Zuchelkowski** – Uniontown, Pennsylvania  
*Mathematics* HONORS

**Degrees conferred May 11, 2020**  
**BACHELOR OF MUSIC**

**Neva Derewetzky** – Spring, Texas  
*Music-Composition* HONORS

**Brendan McBride** – Poland, Ohio  
*Music Performance* HONORS

**Degrees conferred May 11, 2020**  
**BACHELOR OF MUSIC EDUCATION**

**Kiersten Elise Johnson** – Wickliffe, Ohio  
*Music Education* HONORS

**Benjamin Schetter** – Fostoria, Ohio  
*Music Education* HONORS

**Degrees conferred May 11, 2020**  
**BACHELOR OF MUSIC THERAPY**

**Morgan Paige Kelly** – Lutherville Timonium, Maryland  
*Music Therapy*

**Olivia Elena Lawrence** – Largo, Maryland  
*Music Therapy*

**Degrees conferred August 31, 2020**  
**BACHELOR OF ARTS**

**Andrea Joanna Wichhart Arts** – Ann Arbor, Michigan  
*Studio Art* HONORS

**D'Andre Brown** – Atlanta, Georgia  
*Mathematics*

**Evan Christopher Jenkins** – Canton, Ohio  
*Political Science*

**Jacob Adam Lautman** – Cincinnati, Ohio  
*Business Economics*

**Isaiah Logan** – Richmond, Indiana  
*Communication Studies*

**Gabrielle Anna Marlowe** – Jenkintown, Pennsylvania  
*Psychology*

**Daniel Osei** – Tema, Ghana  
*Economics*

**Degrees conferred December 31, 2020**  
**BACHELOR OF ARTS**

**Kevin Brooks Compliment** – Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania  
*Philosophy*

**Ryan Daniel Farrell** – Northbrook, Illinois  
*History*

**Seth Green** – Millersburg, Ohio  
*Theatre and Dance*

**Evan Xavier Jackson** – Chicago, Illinois  
*Biology*

**Nell Lorraine Kacmarek** – Dexter, Michigan  
*Communication Sciences & Disorders*  
*Education* ☉

**Braxton Wayne McDonald** – Knoxville, Tennessee  
*Political Science*

**Carlos E. Mejia** – San Diego, California  
*Communication Sciences & Disorders*

**Nabil Zhang Osborn** – East Lansing, Michigan  
*Political Science*

**Crystal Dominique Sermon** – Conyers, Georgia  
*Psychology*

**Cobi Grace Warstler** – New Albany, Ohio  
*Psychology*  
*Education* ☉

☉ Will be eligible for State of Ohio Teaching License.  
A single old gold cord indicates departmental honors.  
Black and gold mix indicates Phi Beta Kappa membership.





# *The Latin Honors*

A widely recognized academic distinction, Latin Honors are based on overall grade point average in courses taken at the College: summa cum laude for 3.900 to 4.000, magna cum laude for 3.750 to 3.899, and cum laude for 3.500 to 3.749. To graduate summa cum laude, a student must also receive honors on the senior Independent Study.

## SUMMA CUM LAUDE

Haohang Bai  
Emily Elizabeth Xiubei Beuter  
Gemma Elizabeth Briggs  
Imogen Campbell Hendricks  
Emma Mary Martha Cotter  
Thuy Dinh  
Morgan Renee Faldowski  
Helen Hai Ying Francis  
Isabelle G. Gangloff  
Carson Clyde Geissler  
Mackenzie Goltz  
Samantha Myers Green  
Anna James  
Jemal Mahdi Jemal  
Kiersten Elise Johnson  
Alexandria Joyner  
Eliana Rebecca Kahn  
Koral Marie Kasnyik  
Alexis Lanier  
Maya Mokhiber Lapp  
Todd Chi-Thanh Le  
Eleanor Linafelt

Casey Lohman  
Matt Mayes  
Margaret McGuire  
Julia Grace Montgomery  
Riley Moreau  
Kelsey Marie Nolin  
John Patrick Nugent  
Grace Cora O'Leary  
Pedro Adami Oliboni  
Scott Walter Perkins  
Kyndalanne Pike  
Henry Potts-Rubin  
Emily Nicole Randall  
Benjamin Schetter  
Katherine Sendek  
Shannon Rhyme Sertz  
Leman William Simpson  
Katherine Grace Thurston-Griswold  
Hieu Phuoc Tran  
Sarah Vandenberg  
Daron Yim

## MAGNA CUM LAUDE

Zacharias Andreou	Kaitlyn Manal Khayat
Andrea Joanna Wichhart Arts	Daphne Bean Letherer
Ryoko Asakuma	Muyao Li
Katarina Baltisberger	Chloe Litts
Jack Barrow	Zoe Luksa
Ingrid Buckley	Henry Mai
Tianyi Cai	Victoria D. McCaslin
Churou Chen	Anna Louise Medema
Spencer Michael Coffman	Kevin Allen Miller
Ciaran Conway	Gargi Mishra
Anna Marie Cooke	Claire Elizabeth Montgomery
Abigail Marie Donelan	Morgan Mooty
Alexander Doone	Gloria Best Murray
Amber Dronebarger	Bao Chau Nguyen
Harry R. Dunham	Cleo Potter
Elyse Echegaray	Hannah Rose Prokop
Ana Riley Fairbanks-Mahnke	Marco Roccato
Emily Grace Farmer	Brianna Schmidt
Catherine Elizabeth Fiorito	Hope Katherine Siegel
Benjamin Freije	Margaret Maeve Simmering
Lila Brooke Elise Gibson	Madeline Smith
Erika Alma Goetz	Maryori Danitza Sosa
Kelsey Taylor Hall	Mary Aikins Stevens
Waverly Swan Hart	Emmalee Sierra Sullivan
Malik Jordan Hearst	Regan Nicole Szalay
Noah Shane Helton	Alysa N. Tarrant
James M. Hinton	Wesley Joseph Wagner
Hannah Hirsch	Rebecca Renee Warren
Savanna M. Hitlan	Taylor Makenzie Wood
Rebecca Hopkins	William James Yakubik III
Alex Hwang	Yinxi Zhao
Miranda Taylor James	Daniel Edwin Zuchelkowski
Yuxuan (Katie) Ke	

## CUM LAUDE

Sofia Abdirizak  
Madison Bergstrom Adamo  
Dzifa Adjei  
Lauren Elizabeth Ahmann  
James Mayhew Alltop  
Nela Aluwihare  
Elizabeth Sara Anderson  
Alejandro Antonio Arriaga Jr.  
Gregory Robert Bell  
Kate Bertrand  
Michelle M. Biksey  
Benjamin Robert Blotner  
Ben Bridgman  
Chelsea Brown  
Jason Salvatore Cerniglia  
Itala Marie Colby  
Dylan Cox  
Claire Elizabeth Davis  
Neva Derewetzky  
Reinier Descoteaux  
Anh Thuc Dinh  
Samantha Draves  
Jack R. Felch  
Sara Marie Fikse  
Daniel Peter Gail  
Payton Field Gennett  
Holly Geraci  
Erick Gilbert  
Jennifer Grossmann  
Anushkaa Gupta  
Emma Ryley Hambright  
Alexander Reid Hancock  
Anna Marie Hartig  
Darian Alexis Harvey  
Connor William Hawkins  
Alison Hsu  
Nicholas James Hunter  
Vi Huynh  
Dina Jamshidi  
Yifan Jiang  
Minjoo Kang  
Alexander Kania  
Cormac Sommer Kelly  
Caitlin Grace Kerzan  
Heather Elizabeth Knotek-Black  
Laurén Ashley Kozlowski  
Nathan Robert Levesque  
Joy Li  
Kendall Leigh Lloyd  
Kathleen Marie Sweeney Loftus  
Kathlyn MacDonald  
Brendan McBride  
Mary Grace McLoughlin  
Juliet Merillat  
Eleni Miliotou  
Cameron Linton Miller  
Claire Fuhuan Miller  
Tam Minh Nguyen  
Rhys Niner  
Avery Elizabeth Pearson  
Aedan Daniel Pettit  
Cooper Pewitt  
David McCulloch Pfeffer  
Olivia Poindexter  
Katie Elizabeth Reese  
Jessica Rae Roberts  
Marina Rae Roski  
Noelle Rotte  
Nina Ruth Hooper Rusmore  
Moyo Saliu  
Nick Shereikis  
Emily J. Skerl  
Matthew Paul Sobota  
William Blake Southerland II  
Elizabeth Sophia Stanis  
Emily Elizabeth Stoehr  
Katie Strickert  
Sarah Stutler  
Harriet Sudduth  
Trenton Jacob Tipton  
Rachel Tomei  
Samantha Taylor Tromba  
Addison Wanner  
Cobi Grace Warstler  
Isaac Weiss  
Anna Leigh Whitman  
Adria Woodruff  
Mahlet Frezer Zemedkun



# *College Prizes*

## **THE JONAS O. NOTESTEIN PRIZE**

Tianyi Cai  
Alexis Ann Lanier  
Maya Mokhiber Lapp  
Matt Mayes  
Henry Potts-Rubin  
Emily Nicole Randall

## **THE WILLIAM A. GALPIN AWARD FOR GENERAL EXCELLENCE IN COLLEGE WORK**

Aubri McKoy, 1st Prize  
Alberto Peralta Mendoza, 1st Prize  
Kamal Akeem Morgan, 2nd Prize  
Isaac Weiss, 2nd Prize

## **THE DAN F. LOCKHART OUTSTANDING SENIOR AWARD**

Maryori Danitza Sosa

## **THE G. JULIAN LATHROP MEMORIAL AWARD**

Morgan Mooty

## **THE PARKER MYERS MEMORIAL AWARD**

Scott Walter Perkins

## **THE WILLIAM WALLACE CHAPPELL - ELIZABETH DALTON MEMORIAL PRIZE**

Emily Elizabeth Stoehr



# *Departmental and Program Prizes*

**THE ALLARDICE-WISE PRIZE IN THEATRE**

Juliet Merillat  
Cleo Potter

**THE AMERICAN CHEMICAL SOCIETY  
SENIOR AWARD**

Rebecca Hopkins  
Kyndalanne Pike

**THE AMERICAN CHEMICAL SOCIETY  
UNDERGRADUATE AWARD IN  
ORGANIC CHEMISTRY**

Chloe Litts

**THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF CHEMISTS  
FOUNDATION AWARD**

Anh Thuc Dinh  
Wesley Joseph Wagner

**THE WILLIAM Z. BENNETT PRIZE IN CHEMISTRY**

Kyndalanne Pike

**THE DAVID L. CARPENTER PRE-LAW PRIZE**

James M. Hinton

**THE ARTHUR H. COMPTON PRIZE IN PHYSICS**

Adam James Deeley  
Abigail Elizabeth Ambrose

**CORE AWARD FOR CRITICAL  
DIGITAL ENGAGEMENT**

Thuy Dinh  
Margaret McGuire

**THE WILLIAM C. CRAIG THEATRE PRIZE**

Juliet Merillat

**THE KAREN DIANE CROSS MEMORIAL AWARD**

Ana Riley Fairbanks-Mahnke  
Bao Chau Nguyen

**THE CUMMINGS-RUMBAUGH  
GOVERNMENT PRIZE**

Emma Mary Martha Cotter  
James M. Hinton  
Matt Mayes  
Anna Louise Medema  
Julia Grace Montgomery  
Maryori Danitza Sosa

**THE CUMMINGS-RUMBAUGH HISTORY PRIZE**

Ingrid Buckley  
Churou Chen

**THE CUMMINGS-RUMBAUGH SPEECH AND  
DRAMATICS PRIZE**

Alysa N. Tarrant (Communications)  
Cleo Potter (Theatre)

**THE ROLAND H. DEL MAR PRIZE IN SPANISH**

Emily Elizabeth Xiubei Beuter

**THE DONALDSON PRIZE FOR  
INDEPENDENT STUDY**

Samantha Myers Green

**THE AILEEN DUNHAM PRIZE IN HISTORY**

Emily Elizabeth Xiubei Beuter  
Thuy Dinh  
Elyse Echegaray  
Alexandria Joyner  
Cormac Sommer Kelly

**THE WALDO H. DUNN PRIZE IN ENGLISH**

Victoria D. McCaslin  
Addison Wanner

**THE DAVID A. GULDIN AWARD**

Mackenzie Goltz  
Benjamin Freije

**THE WILLIAM EDGAR HOFFMAN JR. PRIZE  
IN EDUCATION**

Helen Hai Ying Francis

**THE VIVIAN L. HOLLIDAY PRIZE**

Kevin Andrew Rolph  
Cyrus Hulen

**THE CHARLES E. HURST PRIZE IN  
SOCIOLOGY AND ANTHROPOLOGY**

Eliana Rebecca Kahn

**THE INTERNATIONAL PAPER COMPANY  
FOUNDATION BUSINESS ECONOMICS PRIZE**

Yuxuan (Katie) Ke

**THE DAVID A. LEACH MEMORIAL PRIZE  
IN PSYCHOLOGY**

Madeline Smith

**THE DELBERT G. LEAN PRIZE IN SPEECH**

David Andrew Schulz

**THE DONALD R. MACKENZIE PRIZE IN ART**

Andrea Arts  
Jack R. Felch

**THE EDWARD MCCREIGHT PRIZE IN DRAMATICS**

Cleo Potter

**THE MANGES PRIZE**

Daniel John Harwood  
Danyon Hempy  
Joy Li

**THE HORACE N. MATEER PRIZE IN BIOLOGY**

Anna James

**THE EMERSON MILLER MEMORIAL PRIZE  
IN SPEECH**

Morgan Renee Faldowski  
Grace Cora O'Leary

**THE FRANK MILLER PRIZE IN  
POLITICAL SCIENCE**

Emily Elizabeth Stoehr

**THE JOHN F. MILLER PRIZE IN PHILOSOPHY**

Pedro Adami Oliboni

**THE GEORGE OLSON PRIZE IN ART**

Gloria B. Murray  
Kelsey M. Nolin

**THE JOHN W. OLTHOUSE PRIZE IN FRENCH  
AND FRANCOPHONE**

Nela Aluwihare

**THE PROCTER & GAMBLE ECONOMICS PRIZE**

Alex Hwang

**THE WILLIAM BYRON ROSS MEMORIAL PRIZE  
IN CHEMISTRY**

Noah Shane Helton  
Kyndalanne Pike

**THE ROYAL SOCIETY OF CHEMISTRY  
CERTIFICATE OF EXCELLENCE**

Regan N. Szalay

**MELISSA SCHULTZ I.S. RESEARCH PRIZE IN  
SUSTAINABILITY AND THE ENVIRONMENT**

Maya Mokhiber Lapp  
Noah Shane Helton  
Pedro Adami Oliboni

**THE NETTA STRAIN SCOTT PRIZE IN ART**

Jack R. Felch  
Gloria B. Murray

**THE MARIA SEXTON AWARD**

Anna Louise Medema

**THE SISODIA-WILLIAMS PRIZE  
IN BIOCHEMISTRY**

Kevin Allen Miller  
Leman William Simpson

**THE WHITNEY E. STONEBURNER MEMORIAL  
PRIZE IN EDUCATION**

Bailey Nicole Bradshaw  
Kendall Leigh Lloyd  
Olivia Poindexter

**THE JAMES R. TURNER PRIZE IN WOMEN'S,  
GENDER, & SEXUALITY STUDIES**

Eliana Rebecca Kahn

**THE PAUL DEWITT TWINEM BIBLE AWARD**

Kaitlyn Manal Khayat

**THE JOSEPH E. WEBER PREMEDICAL AWARD  
(CHEMISTRY)**

Benjamin Freije  
Morgan Mooty  
Scott Walter Perkins

**THE PAUL Q. WHITE PRIZE IN ENGLISH**

Samantha Myers Green  
Imogen Campbell Hendricks

**THE WILLIAM H. WILSON PRIZE  
IN MATHEMATICS**

Margaret McGuire  
Maya Mokhiber Lapp  
Henry Potts-Rubin

# *Phi Beta Kappa*

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Mackenzie Goltz\*  
Malik Jordan Hearst\*  
James M. Hinton  
Rebecca Hopkins\*  
Anna James  
Alexandria Joyner\*  
Koral Marie Kasnyik\*  
Alexis Lanier\*

Casey Lohman\*  
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Matt Mayes  
Margaret McGuire\*  
Julia Grace Montgomery\*  
Riley Moreau\*  
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Emily Nicole Randall  
Shannon Rhyme Sertz\*  
Katherine Grace Thurston-Griswold\*  
Sarah Vandenberg\*  
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Daron Yim\*

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# *Honorary Societies*

## **ALPHA KAPPA DELTA**

*Sociology*

Ben Bridgman  
Elyse Echegaray\*  
Eliana Rebecca Kahn\*  
Henry Mai

## **ALPHA PSI OMEGA**

*Theatre and Dance*

Amelia Burke  
Itala Marie Colby\*  
Seth Green\*  
Darian Alexis Harvey\*  
Casey Lohman\*  
Juliet Merillat\*  
Cleo Potter\*

## **BETA BETA BETA**

*Biology*

Lauren Elizabeth Ahmann  
Elizabeth Sara Anderson  
Morgan Renee Bailey  
Gemma Elizabeth Briggs  
Robert Preston Chamberlin  
Michelle Julia Chang  
Matthew Conrad  
Abigail Marie Donelan  
Ana Riley Fairbanks-Mahnke  
Benjamin Freije

Daniel Peter Gail  
Erick Gilbert  
Mackenzie Goltz  
Kelsey Taylor Hall  
Emma Ryley Hambricht  
Alyssa Renee Hamm  
Hannah Hirsch  
Vienna Howard  
Vi Huynh  
Anna James  
Kathleen Marie Sweeney Loftus  
Stephen McGarry  
Kevin Allen Miller  
Gargi Mishra  
Riley Moreau  
Paulo Nunes Maldonado  
Avery Elizabeth Pearson  
Jessica Rae Roberts  
Moyo Saliu  
Katherine Schwab  
Mary Aikins Stevens  
Emmalee Sierra Sullivan  
Garrett S. D. Tinline  
Meghan Wells  
Chen Wu  
William James Yakubik III

## **DELTA PHI ALPHA**

*German*

Isadora Marie Hetrick

**ETA SIGMA PHI***Classics*

Elijah Mason Culley  
 Alexandria Joyner  
 Alexis Lanier  
 Mary Grace McLoughlin  
 Avery Elizabeth Pearson  
 Nina Ruth Hooper Rusmore  
 Taylor Makenzie Wood

**IOTA IOTA IOTA***Women's, Gender & Sexuality Studies*

Eliana Rebecca Kahn  
 Eleanor Linafelt  
 Casey Lohman  
 Kevin Vincent Ortiz

**KAPPA DELTA PI***Education*

Haohang Bai  
 Katarina Baltisberger  
 Emily Elizabeth Xiubei Beuter  
 Bailey Nicole Bradshaw  
 Amber Dronebarger  
 Helen Hai Ying Francis  
 Stephanie Victoria Hilton  
 Savanna M. Hitlan  
 Connor Thomas Kalish  
 Zoe Luksa  
 Gianmarco Arturo Martignetti  
 Olivia Poindexter  
 Akalia Samms  
 Alysya N. Tarrant

**LAMBDA ALPHA***Anthropology*

Miranda Taylor James\*  
 Kaitlyn Manal Khayat\*  
 Laurén Ashley Kozlowski  
 Cameron Linton Miller  
 Olivia Poindexter  
 Noelle Rotte  
 Margaret Maeve Simmering\*  
 Elizabeth Sophia Stanis

**LAMBDA PI ETA***Communication*

Bailey Nicole Bradshaw  
 Morgan Renee Faldowski  
 Catherine Elizabeth Fiorito  
 Payton Field Gennett  
 Megan Elizabeth Gross  
 Aubri Paige McKoy  
 Kacy Elizabeth Muthiora  
 Grace Cora O'Leary  
 Mia A. Palmejar-Takaki  
 David Andrew Schulz  
 Nick Shereikis  
 Alysya N. Tarrant  
 Rebecca Diane Wells

**NU RHO PSI***Neuroscience*

Gemma Elizabeth Briggs  
 Erick Gilbert  
 Jennifer Grossmann  
 Kelsey Taylor Hall  
 Emma Ryley Hambright  
 Bao Chau Nguyen  
 Sarah Vandenberg  
 Rebecca Renee Warren  
 Mahlet Frezer Zemedkun

**OMICRON DELTA EPSILON***Economics*

Jason Salvatore Cerniglia\*  
 Evan Scot Ferrara  
 Anushkaa Gupta  
 Connor William Hawkins  
 Alex Hwang\*  
 Alexander Kania\*  
 Yuxuan (Katie) Ke\*  
 Jacob Adam Lautman\*  
 Joy Li  
 Muyao Li\*  
 Olivia Noel Maher  
 Clark Donald Morin  
 Marina Rae Roski  
 William Blake Southerland II\*  
 Eric Franklin Wasserzug\*  
 Meghan Wells  
 Yiqun Yu

**PHI ALPHA THETA***History*

Jack Barrow  
Emily Elizabeth Xiubei Beuter  
Ben Bridgman  
Ingrid Buckley  
Churou Chen  
Adam Scott Clark  
Jacob Leonard Cohen  
Isaiah Corso-Phinney  
Emma Mary Martha Cotter  
Dylan Cox  
Thuy Dinh  
Abigail Goldthwait Donohue  
Elyse Echegaray  
Savanna M. Hitlan  
Tyler Patrick Iversen  
Anna James  
Yifan Jiang  
Alexandria Joyner  
Cormac Sommer Kelly  
Daphne Bean Letherer  
Chloe Litts  
Victoria D. McCaslin  
Stephen McGarry  
Mary Grace McLoughlin  
Claire Elizabeth Montgomery  
Clark Donald Morin  
Rhys Niner  
Alberto Peralta Mendoza  
Frederick Finly Prichard  
Charles Lind Quigley  
Eli Merrill Samuelson  
Rachel Tomei  
Addison Wanner

**PHI SIGMA TAU***Philosophy*

Dzifa Adjei\*  
Hannah E. Appleman

Alejandro Antonio Arriaga Jr.†  
Harry R. Dunham†  
Erick Gilbert  
Erika Alma Goetz\*  
Dakota Shaw Hayes  
Malik Jordan Hearst\*  
Rebecca Hopkins  
Vienna Leigh Howard\*  
Sarah Georgia Hutson\*  
Grace Cora O'Leary\*  
Pedro Adami Oliboni†  
Katie Elizabeth Reese\*  
Ian Ricoy  
Brianna Schmidt†  
Peter Francis Schopen III  
Daniel Edwin Zuchelkowski\*

**PI KAPPA LAMBDA***Music*

Kiersten Elise Johnson

**PI MU EPSILON***Mathematics*

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Tianyi Cai  
Harry R. Dunham  
Erika Alma Goetz  
Vi Huynh  
Alex Hwang  
Minjoo Kang  
Jordan L Kirsch  
Maya Mokhiber Lapp  
Margaret McGuire  
Kevin Allen Miller  
Tam Minh Nguyen  
John Patrick Nugent  
Pedro Adami Oliboni  
Aedan Daniel Pettit  
David McCulloch Pfeffer  
Kyndalanne Pike

Henry Potts-Rubin  
Eli Merrill Samuelson  
Regan Nicole Szalay  
Hieu Phuoc Tran  
Isaac Weiss  
Yinxi Zhao  
Daniel Edwin Zuchelkowski

**PI SIGMA ALPHA**

*Political Science*

Itala Marie Colby  
Emma Mary  
Martha Cotter  
James M. Hinton  
Matt Mayes  
Anna Louise Medema  
Grace Montgomery  
Marco Roccato  
Nick Shereikis  
Nicholas W. Shiach  
Maryori Danitza Sosa

**PSI CHI**

*Psychology*

Haohang Bai  
Helen Hai Ying Francis  
Isabelle G. Gangloff  
Anushkaa Gupta  
Malik Jordan Hearst  
Muyao Li  
Madeline Smith  
Katherine Grace Thurston-Griswold  
Sarah Vandenberg  
Rebecca Renee Warren

**SIGMA DELTA PI**

*Spanish*

Katherine Hunter Atwell  
Emily Elizabeth Xiubei Beuter  
Tristan Donohoe  
Sara Marie Fikse  
Benjamin Freije  
Waverly Swan Hart  
Carlos Hernandez Maldonado  
Anna James  
Cameron Linton Miller  
Katherine Grace Thurston-Griswold  
Jocelynn Gloria Vega  
Jonathan Scott Velazquez  
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**SIGMA TAU DELTA**

*English*

Imogen Campbell Hendricks  
Ciaran Conway  
Alexander Doone  
Sara Marie Fikse  
Waverly Swan Hart  
Eleanor Linafelt  
Olivia Noel Maher  
Claire Elizabeth Montgomery  
Hope Katherine Siegel  
Sarah Stutler  
Taylor Makenzie Wood

*\*Inducted at the end of sophomore year*

*\*Inducted at the end of junior year*



*Awards to Seniors  
at the 2020 Dewald  
Recognition Banquet*

**THE MARY SANBORN ALLEN PRIZE**

Matt Mayes

**THE J. ARTHUR BAIRD PRIZE FUND**

Peter Schopen

**THE ROBERT G. BONE HISTORY PRIZE**

Emily Beuter Cormac Kelly

**THE ROBERT JAMES BROWN MEMORIAL  
PEACE PRIZE**

Emily Stoehr

**THE URLENE F. BROWN SCHOLARSHIP IN THE  
PERFORMING ARTS**

Kee Singleton

**THE VIVIEN W. CHAN PRIZE IN  
INTERDISCIPLINARY SCIENCES**

Noah Helton

Vi Huynh

Kyndalanne Pike

**THE THOMAS D. CLARESON PRIZE IN ENGLISH**

Samantha Green

**THE GLADENE “DEANIE” COLLINS ENDOWED  
SCHOLARSHIP**

Kathlyn MacDonald

**THE J. GARBER DRUSHAL SCHOLARSHIP**

Sofia Abdirizak

**THE D. IVAN DYKSTRA PHILOSOPHY  
ROUNDTABLE BOOK PRIZE**

Scotty Gordon

Pedro Oliboni

**THE EBERHART FAMILY SCHOLARSHIP**

Dzifa Adjei  
Dylan Cox  
Heather Knotek-Black  
Sarah Niner  
Katherine Sendek  
Shannon Sertz

**THE JOHN D. FACKLER AWARD**

Brianna Schmidt

**THE ENDOWED FACULTY SCHOLARSHIP**

Anna Cooke  
Morgan Faldowski  
Isabelle Gangloff  
Carson Geissler  
Miranda James  
Jemal Jemal  
Kiersten Johnson  
Daphne Letherer  
Riley Moreau  
Maryori Sosa

**THE JOSH FARTHING ENDOWED PRIZE**

David Pfeffer

**THE FOSTER PRIZE IN MATHEMATICS**

Christian Santos  
Harriet Sudduth

**THE HERMAN FREEDLANDER  
STUDENT AID FUND**

Alexander Kania

**THE MAHESH K. GARG PRIZE IN PHYSICS**

Abigail Ambrose

**THE GERMAN DEPARTMENT BOOK PRIZE**

Isadora Hetrick

**THE PETER H. GORE PRIZE FUND**

Marco Roccato

**THE FRANCES GUILLE-SECOR MEMORIAL FUND**

Nela Aluwihare

**THE DAMON D. AND MARY T. HICKEY ENDOWED  
LIBRARY PRIZE**

Ava Chamberlain

**THE RONALD E. HUSTWIT PRIZE IN PHILOSOPHY**

Grace O'Leary  
Brianna Schmidt

**THE G. PAULINE IHRIG FUND IN FRENCH**

Margaret Simmering

**THE REMY JOHNSON MEMORIAL PRIZE  
IN PHILOSOPHY**

Alejandro Antonio Arriaga Jr.  
Malik Jordan Hearst

**THE PHI BETA KAPPA PRIZE**

Helen Francis  
Todd Le

**THE JILL RASMUSSEN KARATINOS, M.D.  
ENDOWED SCHOLARSHIP**

Katherine Sendek

**THE PAUL EVANS LAMALE SCHOLARSHIP  
IN THE SOCIAL SCIENCES**

Katherine Grace Thurston-Griswold  
Jonathan Velazquez

**THE STUART J. LING JAZZ AWARD**

Lily Jane Richardson

**THE ALICE HUTCHISON LYTTLE BIOLOGY AWARD**

Anna James

**THE ROBERT W. MCDOWELL PRIZE IN GEOLOGY**

Alexis Lanier  
Emily Randall

**THE BARBARA WARD MCGRAW  
MEMORIAL PRIZE**

Kendall Lloyd  
Gianmarco Martignetti

**THE CHARLES B. MOKE PRIZE**

Hannah Grachen

**THE J. HOWARD MORRIS AND JOSEPHINE L  
MORRIS VOLUNTEER SERVICE AWARD**

Jason Cerniglia

**THE ANN C. MOWERY ENDOWED SCHOLARSHIP**

Abigail Ambrose

**THE TOM NEISWANDER MEMORIAL AWARD**

Casey Lohman

**THE DANIEL AND CLARICE PARMELEE  
ENDOWED PRIZE FUND**

Imogen Campbell Hendricks

**THE JOHN PLUMMER MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP  
FOR CONTRIBUTING TO A MORE WELCOMING  
CAMPUS FOR LGBTQ PEOPLE**

Casey Lohman

**THE WILLIAM I. SCHREIBER SCHOLARSHIP**

Destiny French

**THE SHARP FAMILY PRIZE**

Emmanuel Burton

**THE SWAN PRIZE FUND**

Elise Nikolich

**THE LESLIE GORDON TAIT SCHOLARSHIP**

Kaitlyn Manal Khayat

**THE JAMES R. TURNER PRIZE IN HISTORY**

Alexandria Joyner

**THE FRANCIS AND ELIZABETH  
TWINEM SCHOLARSHIP**

William Yakubik

**THE CARY R. WAGNER PRIZE IN CHEMISTRY**

John Nugent

**THE ELIZABETH SIDWELL WAGNER PRIZE  
IN MATHEMATICS**

Henry Potts-Rubin

**THE THEODORE WILLIAMS PRIZE IN MUSIC**

Elizabeth Anderson  
Elijah Culley  
Carson Geissler

**THE THEODORE WILLIAMS SCHOLARSHIP**

Aubri Paige McKoy

**THE ROBERT E. WILSON SCHOLARSHIP**

Rebecca Hopkins

**THE WOMEN'S ADVISORY BOARD SCHOLARSHIP**

Bao Nguyen

**THE WOMEN'S, GENDER, AND SEXUALITY  
STUDIES SCHOLARSHIP**

Kevin Ortiz



# *Academic Regalia*

The gathering of The College of Wooster family is the expression of a living tradition. The wearing of caps and gowns is an English custom which goes back to the twelfth century and is still used in many nations today. Over the years the apparel of scholars has evolved to differentiate the degrees of learning and areas of study. From the gown, cap, tassel, and hood, it is possible to distinguish the institution from which the wearer graduated, the field of learning in which the degree was earned, and the level of degree: bachelor's, master's, or doctor's.

Gowns, which are typically black but are frequently quite colorful, fall in straight lines from a fairly elaborate yoke. The level of degree is indicated by the cut of the gown. The bachelor's gown is relatively simple with bell-shaped sleeves. The master's gown is somewhat fuller, and its sleeves are longer and squared at the ends. The doctor's gown has velvet panels down the front and around the neck, and the bell-shaped sleeves are decorated with three horizontal velvet bars.

Caps may be either mortarboard or tam in style, though generally the tam is reserved for doctoral degrees. The tassel may be the color of the major field of learning in which the degree has been granted, or the tassel may be black for any degree. Gold tassels are worn only by doctors.

The hood is the most distinctive and colorful part of the academic regalia. Hoods are lined with silk in the colors of the institution granting the degree. The color of the velvet binding on the hood designates the discipline in which the degree is held – white for Arts, Letters, and Humanities; green for Medicine; pink for Music; dark blue for Philosophy; golden yellow for Science; scarlet for Theology, etc. The hood shows by its size, width of trimming, and shape the level of the highest degree held. Of the three hood styles, the doctor's is the most elaborate. The bachelor's hood is rarely used, and doctor's hoods are slightly longer than master's degree hoods.

Colleges and universities often add their own traditions to the gown. At Wooster, a single old gold cord indicates departmental honors. Black and gold cords indicate Phi Beta Kappa membership. Kente stoles symbolize the rich history of domestic students of color, and the country flag stoles represent the home country or identity of graduating seniors. Lavender stoles acknowledge achievements and contributions of lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender, queer, intersex, asexual (LGBTQIA+), and ally students to the College.



Flowers for the 2020 Commencement have been given in memory of *Esther Mae Graber* '34, director of food service from 1947 to 1970, and at the time of her retirement in June 1977, manager of the Wooster Inn.



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