



# **Manchester** University

*Commencement*

*May 20, 2023*



# Commencement

Graduate and Professional Commencement Exercises – 9 a.m., Cordier Auditorium

Undergraduate Commencement Exercises – 11 a.m., Cordier Auditorium

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Welcome! We hope you enjoy your time on campus today. Take a moment to locate exits nearest you, in case of an emergency. Medical assistance is available. As a courtesy to those around you, please silence cell phones.

The Campus Store, located in the Jo Young Switzer Center, is open from 8 a.m. to 2 p.m.

After the ceremony, graduates will proceed to the area designated on the Manchester Mall.

Share your photos and videos on social media with #ManchesterGraduation.



# Manchester University

## MISSION STATEMENT

Manchester University respects the infinite worth of every individual and graduates persons of ability and conviction who draw upon their education and faith to lead principled, productive, and compassionate lives that improve the human condition.

## HISTORY

Manchester University, founded in 1889, is an independent university of the Church of the Brethren. In 2022-2023, 1,217 students from 25 states and six countries studied here.

Manchester University traces its origins to the Roanoke (Ind.) Classical Seminary founded by the United Brethren Church in 1860. The Seminary became Manchester College in 1889, when the school was moved to North Manchester. In 1895, members of the Church of the Brethren purchased the campus and this affiliation continues. Mount Morris College (Ill.) merged with Manchester College in 1932. Manchester welcomes students of all faiths and celebrates its relationship with the Church of the Brethren.

On July 1, 2012, Manchester College became Manchester University and, in fall 2012, students began studying at Manchester University Fort Wayne, home of the Pharmacy, Pharmacogenomics, Nursing, Physical Therapy and Athletic Training Programs.

Manchester has been fully accredited since 1932 by the Higher Learning Commission of the North Central Association of Colleges and Schools. The Teacher Education Program is accredited by the Indiana Professional Standards Board and the National Council for the Accreditation of Teacher Education. The Social Work Program is accredited by the Council on Social Work Education. The Athletic Training Program is accredited by the Commission on Accreditation of Athletic Training Education. The Doctor of Pharmacy Program is accredited by the Accreditation Council for Pharmacy Education. The Nursing Program has initial accreditation from the Indiana Board of Nursing and has the approval of the Higher Learning Commission.

## VALUES STATEMENT

As a community of higher education rooted in the liberal arts and the traditions of the Church of the Brethren, Manchester University values:

- **Learning**, because high academic expectations in an environment combining liberal arts and professional preparation equip graduates to live healthy, productive and principled lives;
- **Faith**, because our diverse faiths call us to make the world a kinder and better place, establish justice, build peace amid strife, and model lives of *agape* (selfless love), *tikkun olam* (repairing a broken world), and *salam* (peace);
- **Service**, because committing self in service to others connects faith with action and abilities with convictions;
- **Integrity**, because honesty and trust are the foundations of teaching and learning, enriching, enduring relationships, and strong communities;
- **Diversity**, because understanding differences develops respect for ethnic, cultural and religious pluralism; an international consciousness; and an appreciation for the infinite worth of every person; and
- **Community**, because a positive community sharpens self-identity, promotes acceptance of the demands of responsible citizenship, and transforms conflict into mutual respect.

## TRADITION

Each year, immediately following commencement ceremonies, our new graduates receive a small oak tree from the Alumni Association. An iconic symbol of the University, the oak represents the University's hope for our graduates – that they be strong, resilient and awe-inspiring, and that they rely on their deep roots to thrive.



## Academic Ceremonies and Regalia

Academic dress, inspired centuries ago in Europe, has evolved in the United States since colonial times. Today most colleges and universities, including Manchester, observe the academic dress code of the American Council on Education.

A scholar's highest degree determines the robe. Gowns for the master's and doctoral degrees are usually ankle length and, for bachelor's and master's degrees, untrimmed. A doctor's degree gown is more elaborate, with velvet facing and three velvet bars on full, bell-shaped sleeves.

Mortarboards are the standard headwear except for persons with doctorates who may chose a soft, rounded tam. Hoods, once worn on the head for warmth, are now draped over the shoulders and are longer for doctors than for masters.

Colors help tell the story. The color of the hood lining indicates the university where the graduate degree was earned. The color of the hood trim, satin for masters and velvet for doctorates, identifies the scholar's field. For those with doctorates, the velvet facing and bars of the gown may be black or the color of the academic discipline. Once only black, the gown itself can now be in the color of the university awarding the degree.

Drab (beige)	Accounting and Business
White	Arts, English, History, Sociology
Sage Green	Athletic Training, Physical Education
Light Blue	Education
Crimson	Communication
Brown	Dramatic Arts, Fine Arts
Copper	Economics
Science Gold	Environmental Science, Pharmacogenomics, Physics, Sciences
Purple	Law
Green	Medicine
Pink	Music
Apricot	Nursing
Olive Green	Pharmacy
Dark Blue	Philosophy
Teal	Physical Therapy
Gold	Psychology
Citron	Social Work
Scarlet	Theology

### Pharmacy Graduation with Distinction

Students graduating with Latin honors wear gold cords draped around the neck. To graduate with distinction, a candidate for the Doctor of Pharmacy degree must have completed a minimum of 149

semester hours and accumulated a GPA at or above 3.50. There are three levels of graduation with honors: *summa cum laude* (with highest honors) requires a GPA of 3.90 to 4.00; *magna cum laude* (with high honors) requires a GPA of 3.70 to 3.89; and *cum laude* (with honors) requires a GPA of 3.50 to 3.69.

### Undergraduate Graduation with Distinction

Students graduating with Latin honors wear gold cords. *Summa cum laude* (with highest honors) requires a grade point average of 3.950 to 4.000; *magna cum laude* (with high honors) requires a GPA of 3.850 to 3.949; and *cum laude* (with honors) requires a GPA of 3.650 to 3.849. At least 90 semester hours in residence at MU are required for a baccalaureate degree.

### Undergraduate Honors Recognition

There are three levels of Honors recognition.

**Honors and Achievement** requires a student to achieve a cumulative 3.5 GPA and complete at least 18 hours of honors coursework – 9 hours outside of the major, 6 hours in the major, and 3 hours of IDIV 495. Graduates wear an Honors Program graduate medallion engraved with the University crest. **Honors** requires a student to achieve a cumulative 3.5 GPA and complete a minimum of 12 hours of honors coursework – at least 6 at the 300-400 level. Graduates wear gold and black cords.

**Achievement** requires a student to maintain a cumulative 3.5 GPA and 3 hours of IDIV 495. To qualify, students must apply no later than the beginning of senior year and have a strong recommendation from an instructor.

Alpha Mu Gamma - National Collegiate Foreign Language Honor Society. The cord colors are yellow.

Beta Beta Beta - Biology Honors Society. The cord colors are blood red (zoology) and leaf green (botany).

Psi Chi - International Honors Society for Psychology. The medallion colors are dark blue and platinum.

Pi Gamma Mu – International Honor Society in Social Sciences (Indiana Theta Chapter). The cord colors are white and royal blue.

Pi Sigma Alpha - National Political Science Honor Society. The medallion color is red.

Sigma Tau Delta - International English Honor Society. The cord colors are rich cardinal red and black. The medallion colors are red, black and white.



## Graduate and Professional Commencement Exercises

Prelude Music

Oak Leaf Brass  
Scott Humphries, Conductor

“Triumphal March” – Giuseppe Verdi  
“Sheep May Safely Graze” – Johann Sebastian Bach  
“Allegro Maestoso” (from Water Music) – George Frideric Handel  
“Elsa’s Procession to the Cathedral” (from Lohengrin) – Richard Wagner

Processional “Pomp and Circumstance” – Edward Elgar

Oak Leaf Brass

Welcome

David F. McFadden ’82, President

\*Invocation

Timothy L. Troyer, Campus Chaplain

Presentation of Candidate for Honorary Degree Celia B. Cook-Huffman ’86, Vice President for Academic Affairs

Conferring of Honorary Degree

President McFadden

Doctor of Humanities: Michael J. Packnett

Remarks

Michael J. Packnett

Presentation of Candidates for Degrees

Celia Cook-Huffman  
Rose G. Reinhart, Registrar

Conferring of Degrees

President McFadden

Greetings from the Alumni Association

Ryan P. Linstromberg ’03 ’04 M.Acct., President, Alumni Association

Charge to the Graduates

President McFadden

Recessional “Recessional Celebration” – Sabra Lindgren

Oak Leaf Brass

Please remain seated during recessional.

\*Please stand as you are able.

After picking up their MU oak trees, graduates and their families are welcome to meet faculty and others on the Manchester Mall for photos.



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Presentation of Candidate for Honorary Degree

Celia B. Cook-Huffman ’86, Vice President for Academic Affairs

Conferring of Honorary Degree

President McFadden

Doctor of Humanities: Glynn A. Hines ’73

Remarks

Glynn A. Hines

Presentation of Candidates for Degrees

Celia Cook-Huffman  
Rose G. Reinhart, Registrar

Conferring of Degrees

President McFadden

Greetings from the Alumni Association

Ryan P. Linstromberg ’03 ’04 M.Acct., President, Alumni Association

Response from the Class of 2023

Cole Montgomery Filson ’23

Charge to the Graduates

President McFadden

\*University Song

“By The Kenapocomoco”

Original Lyrics by Katherine Walker Beauchamp. Modified in 2010 and 2012

\*Benediction

Bridget Ann Nash ’23

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Oak Leaf Brass

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## Honorary Degree Recipients



Michael Packnett was president and CEO of Parkview Health from 2006 until his retirement at the end of 2022.

Committed to Parkview's mission and meeting the growing health care needs of northeast Indiana, he guided Parkview's growth from 50 providers and 6,300 co-workers to more than 1,000 providers

and 14,000 co-workers across 16 counties.

He also led the health system through challenging conditions, including the 2008 Great Recession and the COVID-19 pandemic.

During Packnett's tenure, Parkview expanded into Wabash, Kosciusko and DeKalb counties, opened Parkview Regional Medical Center and added specialized cancer care with the Parkview Packnett Family Cancer Institute.

Awarded the Sagamore of the Wabash in 2019, he played an integral role in regional development

initiatives, including transformational investments into the revitalization of downtown Fort Wayne with both Parkview Field and Electric Works. He is also a passionate advocate for advancement of the historically underserved southeast quadrant of Fort Wayne, supporting efforts to improve access to health care and early childhood education.

A member of the Manchester University Board of Trustees, Packnett has also served on boards of the Northeast Indiana Regional Partnership, the Regional Chamber of Northeast Indiana, the Indiana Chamber, the Allen County Capital Improvement Board and Greater Fort Wayne Inc.

He holds a bachelor's degree in business administration from the University of Central Oklahoma and a master's degree in hospital administration from the University of Minnesota.

Before joining Parkview, Packnett served eight years as president and CEO at Mercy Health System of Oklahoma. He had been with the parent organization, Sisters of Mercy Health of St. Louis, Missouri, since 1993.



Glynn Hines is a 1973 Manchester graduate and longtime civic leader in Fort Wayne.

Elected in January 2023 as Fort Wayne City Council president, he has been on the council since 1999. He focuses on neighborhood empowerment, economic and business development, housing

revitalization, new-housing development, public safety initiatives and programs that give young people positive alternatives.

Hines was instrumental in placing a "Rosa Parks" seat on every Citilink bus in Fort Wayne.

He earned a bachelor's degree with a double major in history and in speech and drama from Manchester, and then went on to graduate study at Temple University in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

Hines is a recipient of the Manchester Alumni Honor Award, the highest recognition the Alumni Association can bestow on a graduate.

He has been a Xerox Corp. marketing manager and Bank One assistant vice president in the treasury management department. Through Brightpoint, he taught high school students core competencies related to work readiness, college preparation and life skills with Jobs for America's Graduates.

Hines chose to attend Manchester in 1968 after hearing about what was, at the time, a controversial decision to have Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. speak on campus. In February of 2021, he stood at the lectern where King spoke and gave the keynote address at Manchester's MLK Remembrance and Rededication Ceremony.

He told students about campus tensions in his day that led to physical altercations. One led to Black students seeking sanctuary in Petersime Chapel. This pivotal moment led to his role in establishing the AAFRO House – Afro Americans Forming Rightful Objectives – more than 50 years ago.



## Degree Candidates Class of 2023

### DOCTOR OF PHARMACY

**Ahmad S. Ahmad**  
Bridgeview, Ill.

**Lauren Suzanne Ahrendt**  
*Magna Cum Laude*  
Valparaiso, Ind.

**Abass Abdul Aliahmad**  
Clinton Township, Mich.

**Suheily Alonso Sevilla**  
Guaynabo, PR

**Jesus Daniel Astorga**  
Fort Wayne, Ind.

**Polina Astorga**  
Fort Wayne, Ind.

**Madison Nicole Barnett**  
Southport, Ind.

**Lauren Beaumont**  
*Cum Laude*  
Greenwood, Ind.

**Saed Belkhyat**  
*Cum Laude*  
Howell, N. J.

**Katherine Nicole Blystone**  
*Cum Laude*  
Carmel, Ind.

**Nicholas James Buttermore**  
*Magna Cum Laude*  
Auburn, Ind.

**Mazharul Hoque Chowdhury**  
*Cum Laude*  
Center Line, Mich.

**Vanessa Cortez**  
*Magna Cum Laude*  
Chicago, Ill.

**Miranda Nicole DeHart**  
Dayton, Ohio

**Eniola Morolake Egunyomi**  
Lagos, Nigeria

**Rim El-Dirani**  
Dearborn Heights, Mich.

**Mariam Farhood**  
*Cum Laude*  
Sterling Heights, Mich.

**Toheeb Adeyemi Gafari**  
Chicago, Ill.

**Leena Ghaeb**  
*Cum Laude*  
Sterling Heights, Mich.

**Megan Nicole Gushrowski**  
*Summa Cum Laude*  
Michigan City, Ind.

**Emina Halimanovic**  
*Summa Cum Laude*  
Fort Wayne, Ind.

**Medina Halimanovic**  
*Summa Cum Laude*  
Fort Wayne, Ind.

**Mohamed Jihad Hammoud**  
Dearborn, Mich.

**Maya Aiman Hassan**  
Fort Wayne, Ind.

**Aya Hawa**  
Macomb, Mich.

**Caleb Michael Hoppe**  
*Summa Cum Laude*  
Markle, Ind.

**Nathaniel Johnson**  
Rome City, Ind.

**Amanda Junker**  
*Magna Cum Laude*  
Indianapolis, Ind.

**Melody H Kalla**  
Sterling Heights, Mich.

**Kelsey Ann Karbowski**  
Manitowoc, Wis.

**Joseph Thang Lian Khai**  
Hakha, Myanmar

**Andrea Knutson**  
Fort Wayne, Ind.

**Breia Leavell**  
*Summa Cum Laude*  
Indianapolis, Ind.

**Lexee Shaye Lemler**  
Bourbon, Ind.

**Kristin Marie Lytal**  
*Magna Cum Laude*  
Fort Wayne, Ind.

**Jennifer Nicole McCarthy**  
Crown Point, Ind.

**Amela Pargan**  
*Magna Cum Laude*  
Rochester Hills, Mich.

**Carol Mejia Perez**  
San Juan, PR

**William R. Mikesell**  
*Cum Laude*  
Macy, Ind.

**Jackline Rose Muia**  
Thika, Kenya

**Minh Nhat (Darren) Nguyen**  
Fort Wayne, Ind.





## Degree Candidates Class of 2023

**Esther Shinga Nyembo**  
Houston, Tex.

**Brett Michael Olin**  
Cherry Hill, N. J.

**Hassan Omeis**  
Dearborn, Mich.

**Mohammed Mustafizur Rahman**  
Warren, Mich.

**Onyekachi John Robert-Eze**  
Lagos, Nigeria

**Alexa Cecile Ruse**  
Fort Wayne, Ind.

**Marven Saferta**  
West Bloomfield, Mich.

**Cecilia Schowe**  
*Summa Cum Laude*  
Auburn, Ind.

**John S. Schroeder Camacho**  
Carolina, PR

**Hussein Wissaf Seklawi**  
Westland, Mich.

**Benjamin Martin Sendo**  
*Cum Laude*  
New Haven, Ind.

**Nikol Shllaku**  
Rochester Hills, Mich.

**Ashley Nicole Springer**  
Angola, Ind.

**Keiffer Paul Suddeth**  
Mooresville, Ind.

**Zoey Thu Tran**  
Indianapolis, Ind.

**Brittany Lynn Udell**  
Niles, Mich.

### MASTER OF ACCOUNTANCY

**Edna Nahbila Eben Ebai**  
Yaounde, Cameroon

**Evan Scott Charles Greiwe**  
St. Leon, Ind.

**Matthew David Kochanski**  
Fort Wayne, Ind.

**Día Rallings**  
La Porte, Ind.

**Elizabeth Joan Schmidt**  
Ossian, Ind.

**Gianna E. Struewing**  
Connersville, Ind.

**Alexander Elijah Wade**  
Carmel, Ind.

**Paige Elizabeth Young**  
Plymouth, Ind.

### MASTER OF ATHLETIC TRAINING

**David Lee Anderson**  
Marion, Ind.

**Robin Catherine Berghoff**  
Churubusco, Ind.

**Carlee Ann Conrad**  
Auburn, Ind.

**Ashly Mariana Deleon**  
Plymouth, Ind.

**Ariel Dubbels**  
Stephenville, Tex.

**Kalyn Alexis Ford**  
Cincinnati, Ohio

**Cassandra A. Horn**  
Fremont, Ohio

**Cassidy Nichole Weiss**  
Centerville, Ind.

### MASTER OF SCIENCE IN PHARMACOGENOMICS

**Lauren Suzanne Ahrendt**  
Valparaiso, Ind.

**Lauren Beaumont**  
Greenwood, Ind.

**Sydni Elayne Berkihiser**  
Grantville, Pa.

**Katherine Nicole Blystone**  
Carmel, Ind.

**Megan Alyssa Chauncey**  
Warsaw, Ind.

**Roua Dabal**  
West Bloomfield, Mich.

**Megan Elisabeth Ditzenberger**  
Lake Geneva, Wis.

**Sean Brian Doody**  
Chicago, Ill.

**Jeanine Jarnes**  
Wayzata, Minn.

**Nathaniel Johnson**  
Rome City, Ind.



## Degree Candidates Class of 2023

**Kelsey Ann Karbowski**  
Manitowoc, Wis.

**Christina Lynn Lassetter**  
Ahoskie, N. C.

**Emily Frances Loudermilk**  
Pickerington, Ohio

**Kristin Marie Lytal**  
Fort Wayne, Ind.

**Ella Noelle Machall**  
Fort Wayne, Ind.

**Susie Destacamento-Magpantay**  
Newbury Park, Calif.

**Cera Malueg**  
New London, Wis.

**Jennifer Nicole McCarthy**  
Crown Point, Ind.

**Michael David McNeil**  
Pittsburgh, Pa.

**Nermin Hamid Abubakar**  
**Mohamed Alhasan**  
Al Wukair, Qatar

**Ngoc Thao Thi Nguyen**  
Everett, Wash.

**Michele A. Oehling**  
Forked River, N. J.

**Carlos Paredes**  
Portland, Oreg.

**Eva Marie Passek**  
Savage, Minn.

**Rolay Rabie**  
Windhoek, Namibia

**Alexa Cecile Ruse**  
Fort Wayne, Ind.

**Cecilia Schowe**  
Auburn, Ind.

**Benjamin Martin Sendo**  
New Haven, Ind.

**Nikol Shllaku**  
Rochester Hills, Mich.

**Ashley Nicole Springer**  
Angola, Ind.

**Taylor Elizabeth Stahl**  
Fort Wayne, Ind.

**Keiffer Paul Suddeth**  
Mooresville, Ind.

### BACHELOR OF ARTS

**Alexandra Danielle Blackwood**  
*Magna Cum Laude*  
English/Language Arts Education  
Hartford City, Ind.

**Hope Rebecca Gebhart**  
*Summa Cum Laude*  
Art, Public Relations  
Brookville, Ohio

**Madeline Olivia Hanks**  
*Summa Cum Laude*  
Social Work  
Fishers, Ind.

**Taraen Michael High**  
Exercise Science & Fitness  
Daleville, Ala.

**Jarrold Latrell Hubbard**  
Religious Studies  
Indianapolis, Ind.

**Sean Ross Jones**  
Art, Psychology  
Indianapolis, Ind.

**Korynn Elizabeth Kinnaird**  
Art  
Delphi, Ind.

**Elizabeth Alene Kreps**  
*Summa Cum Laude*  
Peace Studies, Educational Studies  
Bridgewater, Va.

**Benjamin Anthony Miles**  
Communication Studies  
Fort Wayne, Ind.

**Brooklyn Rená Schumm**  
Art  
Kendallville, Ind.

**Shayla Jan-Marie Welch**  
*Magna Cum Laude*  
Educational Studies, Mathematics,  
Peace Studies  
Berne, Ind.

### BACHELOR OF SCIENCE

**Kayla Marie Anderson**  
*Cum Laude*  
Psychology  
Philadelphia, Pa.

**Jakob Eugene Armstrong**  
*Magna Cum Laude*  
Marketing, Sport Management  
Winamac, Ind.

**Austin Donovan Arnold**  
Sales  
Coatesville, Ind.



## Degree Candidates Class of 2023

**Mikaya Elizabeth Auerbach**

*Magna Cum Laude*  
Sociology, Criminology  
Indianapolis, Ind.

**July Myo Aung**

Biology-Chemistry, Global Health  
Fort Wayne, Ind.

**Christian Ryan Avery**

Exercise Science & Fitness  
Monroeville, Ind.

**Oluwasefunmi Omotayo**

**Babatunde**  
Biology-Chemistry  
Ondo, Nigeria

**Olivia Adeline Bangert**

Criminology  
Lafayette, Ind.

**Jora Gayle Barnes**

Criminology  
Niles, Mich.

**Keryna Paige Barrett**

Social Work, Sociology, Criminology  
Greenfield, Ind.

**Michael Allen Bathke**

Exercise Science & Fitness  
Medaryville, Ind.

**Abby Carol Bechtel**

Biology-Chemistry  
Kokomo, Ind.

**Caden Keith Benson**

Sport Management  
North Judson, Ind.

**Heather C. Binion**

*Summa Cum Laude*  
Chemistry, Engineering Science  
Lebanon, Ind.

**Isabelle Etta Bishop**

Early Childhood & Elementary  
Education  
Larwill, Ind.

**Sarah Elizabeth Bogan**

Biology-Chemistry  
Lafayette, Ind.

**Bizayehu Bomberger**

*Cum Laude*  
Political Science  
Goshen, Ind.

**Lainey Marie Bonser**

*Cum Laude*  
Exercise Science & Fitness  
Muncie, Ind.

**Brooke Bouwens**

*Cum Laude*  
Biology-Chemistry  
Clarksville, Mich.

**Devante' Tyson Boyd**

Psychology, Criminology  
Marion, Ind.

**Timothy James Bozeman**

Sociology  
Melbourne, Fla.

**Hannah Sue Brubaker**

*Summa Cum Laude*  
Mathematics  
Goshen, Ind.

**Aidan Michael Brunkow**

Sport Management, Business  
Management  
Fishers, Ind.

**Jennifer Loraine Budd**

*Magna Cum Laude*  
Biology  
Winamac, Ind.

**McKenna Marcile Burkholder**

*Cum Laude*  
Sociology  
Argos, Ind.

**Claire M. Butler**

English  
South Bend, Ind.

**Juan Carlos Cabello**

Professional Sales  
Anderson, Ind.

**Marissa SueAnn Carr**

Sport Management, Business  
Management  
La Porte, Ind.

**Savana Nicole Case**

*Cum Laude*  
Political Science  
Page, Ariz.

**Kylie Grace Castator**

Biology-Chemistry, Chemistry  
Garrett, Ind.

**Sierra Elise Caster**

Environmental Studies  
Portland, Ind.

**Josue Francisco Castro**

Sociology  
Miami, Fla.

**Jacob Alan Chaffee**

Biology-Chemistry  
Huntertown, Ind.

**Darvoni Edward Christopher**

K-12 Human Performance Education  
Gary, Ind.

**Morgan Lynn Cisneros**

Early Childhood & Elementary  
Education  
Wabash, Ind.



## Degree Candidates Class of 2023

**Marvin Donald Collins**

Sport Management  
West Palm Beach, Fla.

**Makayla Marie Combs**

*Cum Laude*  
Biology-Chemistry  
Elkhart, Ind.

**Lynsie Hunter Compton**

Sport Management, Marketing  
Losantville, Ind.

**Shelbi Joleigh Corlett**

Business Management  
Kokomo, Ind.

**Alexis Michaela Crawford**

Music  
Angola, Ind.

**Maria Nicole Dalman**

Educational Studies  
Spring Lake, Mich.

**Aaliyah Rachelle Dates**

Global Health  
Fort Wayne, Ind.

**Brooke Noelle Davis**

Exercise Science & Fitness  
Lawrenceburg, Ind.

**Evan Wayne Davis**

Professional Sales  
Muncie, Ind.

**Marcus J. Delacruz**

Criminology  
Angola, Ind.

**Hayley Michelle Demler**

Exercise Science & Fitness  
South Bend, Ind.

**Audrianna Maite Diaz**

*Cum Laude*  
History  
La Porte, Ind.

**Emma Cathern Dixon**

Chemistry  
Thompsonville, Ill.

**Anna Rose Driscoll**

Psychology  
Urbana, Ind.

**Hannah Camille Durkes**

*Cum Laude*  
Social Work  
Akron, Ind.

**Edna Nahbila Eben Ebai**

*Cum Laude*  
Business Management, Accounting  
Yaounde, Cameroon

**Mackenzie M. Faine**

Educational Studies  
Peru, Ind.

**Madison Jelaine Fielder**

*Cum Laude*  
Psychology  
Valparaiso, Ind.

**Cole Montgomery Filson**

*Summa Cum Laude*  
Finance, Marketing  
Plymouth, Ind.

**Zakary Fowler**

Sociology  
North Port, Fla.

**Kaitlyn MacKenzie Freel**

Early Childhood & Elementary  
Education  
La Porte, Ind.

**Kendal Grace Garringer**

*Cum Laude*  
Biology-Chemistry  
Portland, Ind.

**Natalee Rose Gawthrop**

*Cum Laude*  
Biology-Chemistry  
Columbia City, Ind.

**Ian Michael Gengler**

Population Health  
Huber Heights, Ohio

**Trever Michael Getts**

Exercise Science & Fitness  
Corunna, Ind.

**Dakota Goetz**

Exercise Science & Fitness  
Lowell, Ind.

**Ruben A. Gonzalez**

Data Science  
Sylvania, Ohio

**Kaitlin Joann Graber**

*Summa Cum Laude*  
Biology-Chemistry  
Syracuse, Ind.

**Carly Annette Greaves**

*Summa Cum Laude*  
English  
Niles, Mich.

**Harrington Damond Greer Jr.**

Business Management  
South Bend, Ind.

**Evan Scott Charles Greiwe**

Accounting  
St. Leon, Ind.



## Degree Candidates Class of 2023

**Alexander Lee Gronkiewicz**

Biology-Chemistry, Biology,  
Environmental Studies  
DeMotte, Ind.

**Monae Andrea Hatcher**

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