

FALL COMMENCEMENT CEREMONY

SATURDAY, THE FOURTEENTH DAY OF DECEMBER TWO THOUSAND AND TWENTY-FOUR TEN O'CLOCK IN THE MORNING

Cannon Complex, Cuddy Arena Wingate, North Carolina

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PRESIDENT'S CHARGE TO GRADUATES

As you embark on the next phase of your life, I first and foremost hope you'll take a moment and reflect on the value of your Wingate education. Your degree is not just a piece of paper, but a symbol of your hard work, dedication and commitment to learning. It is an investment in yourself that will pay dividends throughout your life and the lives of your family members.

Second, I encourage you to continue to seek knowledge that informs and integrates your faith and leads you to a life of service. Education

does not end with a diploma but is a lifelong pursuit. Never stop asking questions, exploring new ideas, and challenging your assumptions.

Third, I urge you to use your education to be a differencemaker in your community, your places of worship, your workplace, and beyond. Use what you've learned in and out of the classroom to be a force for good and make a positive impact on those around you. Finally, I challenge you to never lose sight of

the importance of service. Your education should empower you to contribute your talents, knowledge and passion to serve others in ways you find both meaningful and exciting. As you depart today, know that you are part of Wingate University forever. I hope you visit and communicate with us often, keeping us apprised of your joys, your triumphs, and even your heartaches as you continue on your journey.

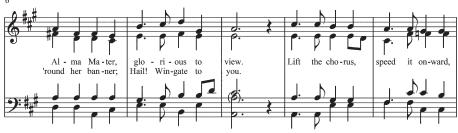
I was reminded recently that alma mater is Latin for "nourishing mother." Graduates, Wingate will always be your alma mater. Like any good mother, we will miss you, we are proud of you, and we will be cheering you on.

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Rhett Brown President

ALMA MATER











PROGRAM

CEREMONY

PRELUDE Simple Giftsarr. by Frank Ticheli Suite from Water MusicGeorge Frideric Handel
PROCESSION OF GRADUATES Pomp and Circumstance in D, Opus 39, No. 1Sir Edward Elgar "The President's Own" United States Marine Band Procession of The Nobles
INVOCATION Dana M. Patterson Vice President & Chief Diversity Officer
ALMA MATER
WELCOME
PRESENTATION OF HONORARY DEGREET. Rhett Brown President
INTRODUCTION OF SPEAKER
KEYNOTE ADDRESS Dr. Jonathan Fisher
HOW CAN I KEEP FROM SINGING?
PRESENTATION OF CANDIDATES FOR DEGREESEric F. Schneider Interim Provost
CONFERRAL OF DEGREES
BENEDICTION
RECESSIONAL Crown Imperial "The President's Own" United States Marine Band

*Audience members are requested to stand as able.

HONORARY DEGREE RECIPIENT

Dr. A. Hope Williams is President of North Carolina Independent Colleges and Universities (NCICU), the statewide office of the 36 independent (private) colleges and universities in North Carolina. As President, she is the Chief Executive Officer for the NCICU Board of Directors of college and university presidents and for the Independent College Fund of North Carolina board, which also includes corporate trustees and raises corporate and foundation

funds for student scholarships and programs. She works closely with Congress and the federal government, the North Carolina General Assembly and state government, and with the North Carolina public higher education and K-12 sectors to address state education issues. She has been president of NCICU since 1992.

Dr. Williams received her undergraduate degree in French and History from Duke University, an MPA degree from North Carolina State University, and a Ph.D. in Education from the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill. She currently

chairs the boards of the Coalition for College Cost Savings and Dupont Circle Investments. She serves on the Governor's Education Cabinet, the National Advisory Board of the Institute for Emerging Issues, the NCWorks Commission, and the boards of the National Student Clearinghouse, College Foundation, Inc., Communities in Schools of North Carolina, and the North Carolina Aquarium Society.

COMMENCEMENT SPEAKER

Dr. Jonathan Fisher is a cardiologist, wellness advocate, and thought leader with three decades of experience in healthcare. As a Clinical Physician Executive at Novant Health, he leads initiatives to combat burnout and foster well-being among healthcare providers. Trained at Harvard and Mount Sinai, Dr. Fisher combines his expertise in cardiology with a holistic, heart-centered approach to health, blending medical science and positive psychology with mindfulness and mind-body practices.

He is the author of *Just One Heart: A Cardiologist's Guide to Healing, Health, and Happiness*, a bestselling guide that provides practical tools for cultivating joy, managing stress, and building meaningful connections. Inspired by his own journey through anxiety and burnout, Dr. Fisher empowers others to lead and live with compassion, resilience, and purpose.

His commitment extends globally, from co-founding the Ending Clinician Burnout Global Community to working with leaders worldwide on resilience and peak performance. Dr. Fisher's work inspires healthcare professionals, patients, and organizations to lead with compassion and courage, prioritizing well-being at every level.



ACADEMIC AWARDS

The **H. K. Helms Award** is presented annually to the undergraduates who have achieved the highest academic average. The award honors the memory of former Wingate Mayor and businessman H. K. Helms, who also served as chair of the Wingate University Board of Trustees.

The **School of Sport Sciences Leadership Distinction** is presented to graduating students who have committed to leadership development, mentorship and community service throughout their studies in the School of Sport Sciences Leadership Academy at Wingate University.

2024 Recipient: Joel Garcia-Cubillos

The **Doctor of Physical Therapy Award** for Academic Excellence is presented to the students who achieve the highest GPA in the DPT curriculum. **2024 Recipients: Hannah Saxe and Timothy Leckrone**

The **Doctor of Physical Therapy Award** for Clinical Excellence is presented to the student who has consistently achieved beyond the performance expectation on the Clinical Performance Instrument for each clinical during their time at WUDPT. **2024 Recipient: Amari Black**

The **Doctor of Physical Therapy Award** for Service Excellence is presented to the student who has consistently demonstrated a commitment to community service through the development, organization and/or leadership in at least one community service project or activity, and been recognized by peers, faculty and community service organizations as committed to community service during their time at WUDPT.

2024 Recipient: Julia Galanto

The **Doctor of Physical Therapy Stoke's Leadership Award** is presented to the graduating student who has consistently exemplified the qualities of superior professional leadership through the employment of the Core Values of Professionalism in Physical Therapy during their time as a student in the DPT program. The core values for consideration include Accountability, Altruism, Compassion/Caring, Excellence, Integrity, Professional Duty, and Social Responsibility.

2024 Recipient: Nola Grace Brown

The **Doctor of Physical Therapy Advocacy and Professional Outreach Award** is presented to the student who has demonstrated dedication in enacting positive change in the field of physical therapy or in the community through advocacy efforts. The student given the Advocacy Award has displayed passion and perseverance in bringing change through public awareness or support for a cause. **2024 Recipient: Cipryana Mack**

ACADEMIC HONORS

Wingate University recognizes undergraduate students with academic honors by bestowing upon them a gold-tasseled braid to be worn over the gown. These levels of academic distinction include the following **Latin honors**:

cum laude	magna cum laude	summa cum laude
with praise	with great praise	with highest praise
3.50-3.649	3.65-3.899	3.90-4.00

Undergraduate students who graduate with **University Honors** are those students who successfully completed the Honors College curriculum, which includes Honorsdesignated courses and Honors research. Wingate University recognizes these students by bestowing upon them a University Honors medallion to be worn over the gown.

The Doctor of Physical Therapy program at Wingate University recognizes their academic honor students by bestowing upon them a gold-tasseled braid with the following **Latin honors**:

cum laude	magna cum laude	summa cum laude
with praise	with great praise	with highest praise
3.50-3.699	3.70-3.899	3.90-4.00

The Pi Alpha Honor Society is a national society that recognizes significant academic achievement, leadership, research, community/professional service, and encourages a high standard of character and conduct among physician assistant (PA) students and graduates. These students are recognized by a turquoise- and gray-tasseled braid.

Wingate University recognizes students known to have served in the United States Armed Forces by bestowing upon them a red-, white-, and blue-tasseled braid to be worn over the gown.



ACADEMIC REGALIA

The formal academic dress worn today originated more than 600 years ago at Oxford and Cambridge. First a practical concession to the comfort of scholars and clerics laboring in unheated stone buildings, the apparel has changed little in appearance but has taken on a significant role in identifying the degree and alma mater of its wearer.

Gowns indicate bachelor's, master's, and doctoral degrees. Bachelor's gowns are traditional black and are unadorned, while master's gowns have an elongated oval sleeve. The gowns of doctoral degrees are distinguished by the velvet panels on the front and the three velvet bands on the sleeves. Within the academy, only a president is entitled to wear the fourth band on the sleeve.

Hoods bear the colors of the institution from which the degree was received, and the color of the hood's border represents the academic discipline in which the degree was earned. Some examples include: white, arts and letters; scarlet, theology; dark blue, philosophy; yellow, science; pink, music; light brown, business; light blue, education; copper, economics; green, medicine; olive green, pharmacy; sage green, physical education.

Mortarboards of those with bachelor's and master's degrees carry black tassels. The gold tassel is reserved for holders of doctoral degrees.

The Wingate University Mentor Medallion, added to the academic regalia in 2018, is a two-sided pendant adorned with the University seal on one side and the Wellspring on the other. Acts 8:31, "How can I, unless someone guides me?" encircles the Wellspring. The Medallion is bestowed upon faculty, staff, and administrators who have been exemplary mentors in the areas of faith, knowledge, and service. Graduating seniors nominate their mentors for this recognition prior to each commencement.

ACADEMIC PROCESSIONAL

The academic processional is organized according to academic office and rank, in the following order: faculty marshal (mace bearer), officers of the University, professors, associate professors, assistant professors, and instructors. During the processional and recessional, audience members are requested to stand, as able.

MACE

The Mace has been used in legal and religious settings for centuries. Originally used as a defensive weapon, the mace has its roots in Roman courts, where it was used to restore order. The mace eventually came to be regarded as a symbol of authority. In a University setting, it implies the authority to grant degrees and marks significant occasions on the academic calendar.

The Wingate University mace is 42 inches in length and is made of solid dark walnut with two bronze University seals. The University seal features oak leaves (representing the oak trees that populate the Academic Quad) and the phrase "Faith, Knowledge, Service" – the University motto. The mace should always lead the ceremony and procession.

GONFALONS

Gonfalons are banners that have been used since the 12th century to designate districts and to show authority. The University has adopted these symbols as a way of honoring and celebrating the uniqueness of each college and school. The gonfalons act as representations of the principles and ideals that guide the University.

MACE BEARER

Laora Brizendine Professor of Mathematics (2002)



COMMENCEMENT MARSHALS

Eli Toole Kassidy Robinson Catherine Luzzi Bella Roberts Kamryn Browder Rebekah Faith Minton Aniston Hann Peyton Riddick Paola Zepeda Anneliese Kerrigan Chapman Kaydence Daughtrey Helen Molina Kyle Grant Jordan Sinclair Bella Crapis



FOR YOUR INFORMATION

If you need assistance at any time prior to or during the ceremony, help is available at the Guest Services desk located near the entrance of Cuddy Arena or by asking a student marshal. All student marshals will be wearing a nametag and a blue-and-gold tasseled braid.

A sign language interpreter will be on a platform adjacent to the main stage. Student marshals are available to direct guests needing this service to the appropriate seating sections.

Restrooms are available near the concession area in Cuddy Arena. You will also find restrooms in the Crowder Welcome Center near Starbucks.

Remember to purchase WU apparel, gifts, and more at the Cindy Jordan Campus Store in the Crowder Welcome Center.

Also located in the Crowder Welcome Center, Starbucks will have hot and cold beverages and snacks available for purchase.



LETTER TO THE ALUMNI

Dear recent Wingate University Graduates,

On behalf of the entire Wingate University community, congratulations on your recent graduation! As you embark on the next chapter of your lives, we are incredibly proud of your accomplishments and the positive impact you will make on the world.

The Wingate University Alumni Association is a network of over 19,000 proud Bulldogs, spanning various industries and professions. We are dedicated to providing our alumni with opportunities for engagement, networking, and lifelong learning.

Here are a few ways to stay connected:

- Join the Wingate University Alumni Association Group on Facebook and update your profile at **wingate.edu/i-am/alumni**.
- Attend Alumni Association events, such as Homecoming, reunions, and networking receptions.
- Support Wingate University students and programs by giving back through volunteerism and philanthropy.

Follow us on social media to stay updated on upcoming events and opportunities:

- Facebook: Wingate University Alumni
- Facebook Group: Wingate University Alumni Association
- Instagram: @WingateAlumni

We look forward to welcoming you to the Wingate Alumni Association and supporting you as you continue to grow and succeed.

All the best,

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Sarah Colón Director of Alumni Engagement

Graduate Class of 2024 DEGREE CANDIDATES

MASTER OF ACCOUNTING

Lexie Starnes Decker Lauren Elizabeth Emerson Hoi Sin Hung

Maylunie May Phonsongkham Justin Sterling Spielman

MASTER OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

Gabriel Bustos-Hernandez Dominic Joseph Byers Jenny Zheng Chan Juliana Mary Chapin Daniel Czepielewski Kasey Loraine Eastland John Neely Gilbert IV Stephen Carr Hardister Nescotia Oksana Harrison Kevin Colin Hennessy Jordan Graham Howard Robin Christine Jackson Williams McCain Kerr Kyle Adrian Lantz Jean-Mérès Mondé James Calvin Rapp Brianna Lee Salvitti Kaitlyn Nicole Sluder Jason Christopher Smith Sarah Luise Towner Jenny Vega-Pagan

MASTER OF ARTS IN SPORT MANAGEMENT

Shayla Michelle Baldwin Noah Thomas Bell Jacob Matthew Blank Orinthius Kamasea Byrd Jr Laura Lisanne Diebold Clark Jasmine Denise Dunlap Jaquan Axavian Devontay Edwards Dylan Michael Elkins

John Steven Ellison Ethan Michael Howard Dalen Rodell Mickle Margaret Jane Mullen Benjamin Joseph Robertson Khalil Tyjon Saunders Jason Streeter Joshua Caleb Thornburg

MASTER OF PHYSICIAN ASSISTANT STUDIES

Charlotte Marie Adams Jessica Lane Adams Abby Jean Barbour **Carleigh Harmon Zee Barnes** Brooke Lynn Ellie Beach Elinore Lillie Beazley Mackenzie Brannon Bonilla Reves Victoria Briana Bonomo Meredith Louise Brehm Rosemary Kathryn Brehm Madeline Gautreaux Brence Olivia Rose Brown Ara Caroline Burger Maya Cassidy Burnett **Elizabeth Holland Capps** Victoria Frances Carlino Lynsey Morgan Carter Natalia Chela **Bethany Nicole Cope Grace Rael Frisbee** Lindsay Ann Hatt **Bradley Scott Hicks** Nicholas Francis Hollingsworth Sabrina Renee Hutchinson Sophie Christine Lois Jacobs **Chloe Catherine Johnston** Kristen Lynn Jones Aleigh Rae King Gabrielle Rose Kolesar Hanh Kim Le

Peyton Anne Lee Allison Nicole Majestic Graham Martin Christina Marie Martinez Arielle Christina Mauceri Arianna Moazzami Nicole Alexandra Montalvo Victoria Holmes Moore Thomas Ion Nelsen Kathryn Annette O'Connell Victoria Rush Orbison Ashetyn Taylor Owen Bhakti Patel Avery Mackenzie Pope **Joshua David Pruett** Elliot Kevin Jason Caleb Ramirez Castellanos Shayan Rohani Hannah Leah Ross **Spencer Philip Sholl** Hannah Harrell Speaks **Phillip Scott Tibbs** Lindsey Parkhurst Upchurch Madeline Belle Ustanik **Carrie Marie Williard** Kaley Nicole Williford **Emily Grace Wise Elizabeth Witty Justin William Woods Breana Skye Youngs**

EDUCATIONAL SPECIALIST

Harold Palmera Acosta

Valunda Shawnez Artis

LaShonda R. Lewis

Mayra Rosales Kristin Nichole Wharton

DOCTOR OF EDUCATION IN EDUCATIONAL LEADERSHIP (K-12)

Summer Nicole Blount

Angela Jean Faulkner

Bridget Cassandra Fleming Vanessa Lynn Ruffin

DOCTOR OF EDUCATION IN HIGHER EDUCATION EXECUTIVE LEADERSHIP

Erick Jason Lindsey

Rhonda Flowers Weaver

Holly Jane Sawyers

DOCTOR OF PHARMACY

Jacob Tyler Gardner

DOCTOR OF PHYSICAL THERAPY

Lily An Hocking Armington *cum laude*

Jonathan Michael Arocho

Amari Victoria Black

Hannah Delcamp Bledsoe *cum laude*

Trevor Robson Brannock *cum laude*

Nola Grace Brown cum laude

Brett Nicholas Bucci magna cum laude

Esperanza Lizette Calderon

Monika Renee Dixon summa cum laude Michael Todd Elwood cum laude

Jacob Fletcher

Julia Elizabeth Galanto magna cum laude

Imani Anika Gerald

John Neely Gilbert IV magna cum laude

Gerald Britton Harper III magna cum laude

Diamond Monè Jackson *magna cum laude*

Victoria Jeske

Bryant Scott Jones

Karoline Jones

Jonathan Sunghoo Kim

Julie Ann Kinard magna cum laude

Jamie Carol Lange cum laude

Timothy Joel Leckrone *summa cum laude*

Cipryana Danyel Mack *cum laude*

Angel Luis Marrero III

Keirsten Blair Morgan cum laude

Dana Marie Morris magna cum laude

Tyler Andrew Nation *cum laude*

Denise Olivas Castillo magna cum laude

Lauren Lee Pauley magna cum laude

Amy Gracyn Polk magna cum laude

James Calvin Rapp

Eddie Kyle Rhodes magna cum laude

Rebecca Jayne Rice summa cum laude

Alexa Nicole Rivera

Lindsey Raynell Rogers

Rebecca Jean Brewer Rothera cum laude

Ricardo Andres Salinas cum laude

Hannah Louise Saxe summa cum laude

Noah Riley Vincent magna cum laude

Peyton Craig Whiteside

Kara Ann Whitson *cum laude*





Undergraduate Class of 2024 DEGREE CANDIDATES

Grayson Arduini B.S., Psychology *cum laude*

Richard Andrew Baker B.L.S., Organizational Communication and Management *magna cum laude*

Manuela Baptista Filipe B.A., International Business magna cum laude

Riley Brooke Barbee B.S., Biology *magna cum laude*

O'Brien D. Barnett B.S., Sport Management

Abbigail Elizabath Beamon B.S., Psychology

Samantha Ann Beaufort B.L.S., Organizational Communication and Management

Layanne H. Bedwan B.S., Biology

Ja'Mira Elyse Bennett B.S., Educational Studies in Humanities

Dontorian Gimare Best Jr B.S., Sport Management

Yehuwalashet Azemra Biyzen B.S., Public Health

LeAnna Lidiya Blanchard B.S., Psychology *magna cum laude*

Caleb Bonesteel B.S., Sport Management *magna cum laude*

Tammy Doreen Branch B.L.S., Organizational Communication and Management *cum laude* **Christina M. Brown** B.L.S., Organizational Communication and Management

Kenny Marshall Brown III B.S., Exercise Science - Fitness Professional summa cum laude H.K. Helms Award

Andrew Nolan Bullard B.S., History

Mark Aaron Burks B.S., Biology

Ana Mercedes Butters B.L.S., Organizational Communication and Management *summa cum laude* H.K. Helms Award

Miguel L. Cabalceta Lizano B.S., Exercise Science Fitness Professional

Tia S. Cabell B.S., Environmental Biology

Austin Tyler Cain B.S., Exercise Science - Pre-Professional

Caroline Jane Cambruzzi B.S., Public Health

Ayerim Guadalupe Celis-Soto B.A., Biology

David Steven Chable B.S., Accounting

Mariana Jackelin Claros Tineo B.S., Criminal Justice

Amber Dawn Collins B.S., Accounting magna cum laude with University honors

McKenzie Cammille Connor B.S., Elementary Education *cum laude*

Daphne Giselle Contreras B.S., Psychology **Yasmin Patricia Cowley** B.S., Exercise Science - Fitness Professional *magna cum laude*

Colin Crowley B.S., Marketing

Joshua Dwight Dotson B.S., Exercise Science - Fitness Professional

Anna Marie Faile B.S., Elementary Education magna cum laude

Sydney Elizabeth Farnsworth B.S., Middle Grades Education -Mathematics

Natalie Yvonne Garcia Correa B.S., Criminal Justice

Abigail Frances Gano B.S., Educational Studies in Mathematics and Science

Joel Garcia Cubillos B.S., Exercise Science - Fitness Professional summa cum laude H.K. Helms Award

Chloe Rebecca Greer B.S., Public Health

Xavier Kison Grimball B.S., Biology

Jada Ashanti Hall B.S., Human Services

Dennis Hamzić B.S., International Business *cum laude*

Stephanie Lee Hargus B.M.E., Music Education *summa cum laude* H.K. Helms Award

Sarah Lynn Haymaker B.S., Biology magna cum laude with University honors **Genesis S. Hepburn** B.A., English *magna cum laude*

Marisol Hernandez-Solorzano B.S., Finance

Colby Norris Holmes B.S., Exercise Science - Pre-Professional *summa cum laude* H.K. Helms Award

Rachel Elise Howe B.S., Exercise Science - Fitness Professional *cum laude*

Nina Dorothy Irons B.S., Accounting summa cum laude H.K. Helms Award

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Lily Katherine Johnson B.S., Accounting summa cum laude

Justin Allen Johnson B.S., Exercise Science - Pre-Professional

Jasmine MaKayla Jones B.S., Biology

Katy Elizabeth Kahlich B.S., Elementary Education *magna cum laude*

Autumn Nicole Kennedy B.A., English magna cum laude

Ethan Lomax Kilby B.S., Communication

Cas Jori Kopmels B.S., Management *summa cum laude*

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Asher Alexander Lauderdale B.S., Political Science magna cum laude

Farhlé Solange Lévano B.S., Psychology cum laude

Carolyn Rushing Little B.L.S., Human Services

Lauren Marie Livingstone B.S., Educational Studies in Language and Literacy

Geidy Araceli Maldonado-Cruz B.S., Accounting

Chelsea Marie Maloney B.S., Communication

Khadyjatou Marenah B.S., Psychology

Kaziyah Alnayja McCauley B.S., Psychology

Jasmine Sierra McCollough B.S., Psychology summa cum laude H.K. Helms Award

Isaiah L. McPhee B.S., Biochemistry

Melanie Merino B.S., Exercise Science - Fitness Professional

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Sverre Oland B.A., Finance *summa cum laude*

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Yamila Sami-Geng B.A., English

Yasmine Sanchez Molina B.S., Management

Amber Grace Scott B.S., Educational Studies in Humanities *magna cum laude*

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