

COMMENCEMENT

CLASS OF 2020



EASTERN UNIVERSITY

College of Arts and Humanities

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Esperanza College of Eastern University

Palmer College

May 10, 2021

GREAT IS THY FAITHFULNESS

WORDS: Thomas O. Crisholm

MUSIC: William M. Runyan

Great is Thy faithfulness, O God my Father
There is no shadow of turning with Thee
Thou changest not, Thy compassions, they fail not
As Thou hast been Thou forever wilt be

Great is Thy faithfulness, great is Thy faithfulness
Morning by morning new mercies I see
All I have needed Thy hand hath provided
Great is Thy faithfulness, Lord, unto me

Summer and winter, and springtime and harvest
Sun, moon and stars in their courses above
Join with all nature in manifold witness
To Thy great faithfulness, mercy and love

Great is Thy faithfulness, great is Thy faithfulness
Morning by morning new mercies I see
All I have needed Thy hand hath provided
Great is Thy faithfulness, Lord, unto me

Pardon for sin and a peace that endureth
Thine own dear presence to cheer and to guide
Strength for today and bright hope for tomorrow
Blessings all mine, with ten thousand beside

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COMMENCEMENT SPEAKER

Dr. Gordon A. Zook, PhD '15



Dr. Gordon Zook currently serves as the Chief Executive Officer of Ten Thousand Villages, a fair trade retailer and wholesaler based in Lancaster County, Pennsylvania. Previously, Dr. Zook was the India Co-Country Director for the Mennonite Central Committee (MCC) in Kolkata, India. He also has international leadership experience with MCC in Bangladesh and in Haiti. In addition to his international work, he has worked in general management with a Lancaster-based construction firm and as an agricultural loan officer with Farm Credit Service.

Dr. Zook received a Bachelor of Science degree from Michigan State University and a Master of Science from Cornell University, both in Agricultural Economics. He earned his PhD in Organizational Leadership from Eastern University where his dissertation focused on how leadership teams assess and impact the effectiveness of their organizations. He has found opportunities to apply learnings from his research to his work with Ten Thousand Villages and MCC.

As a global maker-to-market movement, Ten Thousand Villages connects artisans in developing countries with conscious shoppers in the U.S. by offering ethically sourced gifts, homewares, and fashion accessories crafted by hand. Every product generates sustainable income — and impact — for 20,000 makers in 30 countries who earn a fair, living wage in safe working conditions. Partnering with people often excluded from the marketplace, particularly women, Ten Thousand Villages shares the craft, culture, and stories of makers through a network of over 50 branded stores and 300-plus retail partners, as well as an e-commerce shop. As a pioneer of fair trade, Ten Thousand Villages does business differently: putting people and planet first — since 1946.

Dr. Zook and his wife Carol have been married for 38 years. They are the proud parents of four young adult children: three sons and one daughter.



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PALMER COLLEGE

Commencement Program, Class of 2020

President Ronald A. Matthews, presiding

*Monday, May 10, 2021
2:00 p.m.*

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*Platform Processional

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University Chaplain

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Adjunct Professor, Department of Music

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President

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Palmer College
(reading Scripture in English)
Suzanne M. Staherski ’20
College of Health and Sciences and
the Templeton Honors College
(reading Scripture in Spanish)

Acknowledgement of Senior Class Gift and Alumni Welcome.....Tim Wortham, Jr. ’15
Associate Vice President for
Alumni and Family Engagement

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Provost

Student Speaker..... Bernadette M. McGirr ’20
College of Health and Sciences

Musical Selection..... Perry O. Brisbon
Adjunct Professor, Department of Music
Accompanied by Steven Ford
Chair, Department of Music

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President

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F. David Bronkema
Dean, Palmer Theological Seminary and College

*Benediction Christina B. Jackson
Professor Emerita, Department of Nursing,
College of Health and Sciences

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*Audience please stand.

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Lisa D. Roach, Accounts Payable Manager

COLLEGE OF ARTS AND HUMANITIES

Bachelor of Arts

James Arnold IV
Matthew Gerard Auletti
Sydney Erin Becker
Cum Laude
Chiara Frances Behm
Cum Laude
Templeton Honors College
Jamie Allison Bressmer
Cum Laude
Templeton Honors College
The Frederick J. Boehlke Award
Anabelle Cole Cacciatore
Liam Joseph Carlin
James Stephen Davenport
Magna Cum Laude
Templeton Honors College
Kelsey Brogan Fiander-Carr
Cum Laude
Student Body Award
Lauren Gail Good
Summa Cum Laude
Caroline Cherry Literature Award
Thomas P. Gordon
Aaron Hudson Heacock
Laurel Marian Kearney
Christian Elias Knaub
Maggie Jane Lauer
Cum Laude
Robert Emerson Leamer
Gilbert L. Guffin Freedoms Foundation Award
Amanda Mallory Lowman
With Distinction

Nicole Markert
Magna Cum Laude
Thyra Ferre Bjorn Creative Writing Award
Christian Lee Mendoza-Laude
Cum Laude
Alexander Jay Metzgar
Breanna Myers
Summa Cum Laude
Templeton Honors College
Caroline Cherry Literature Award
Matthew Ryan Nesbitt
Elizabeth Christine Novak
Phillip Clayton Piper
Summa Cum Laude
Templeton Honors College
Juan Gabriel Quinodoz
Cum Laude
Templeton Honors College
Ceara Elizabeth Shanahan
Magna Cum Laude
Templeton Honors College
Abigail Rose Slater
Jessica Elizabeth Snader
Magna Cum Laude
Marcelina Louise Spencer
Magna Cum Laude
Templeton Honors College
Simone Samantha Springer Harewood
Rebecca L. Stevens
Cum Laude
Templeton Honors College
Alexa Kieran Swantek
Morgan Amelia Thomas

COLLEGE OF ARTS AND HUMANITIES

Sabrina Rose Thomas
Magna Cum Laude
Maya Lyn Wales
Magna Cum Laude
Abigail Leigh Webb
Magna Cum Laude
Templeton Honors College
Harrison James White
Cum Laude
Templeton Honors College

Kaetlin Abigail Wienholt
Magna Cum Laude
Templeton Honors College
Taylor Marie Williams
Cait MacKenzie Wooten
Summa Cum Laude

COLLEGE OF BUSINESS AND LEADERSHIP

Bachelor of Arts

Braxton Paul Frederick Brent
Cum Laude
Jhaunell Shakur Burnside
Kyle Matthew Fanelli #
Cum Laude
Sean Christopher Fechter
Julia Melissa Kelly
Colleen Patricia Killoran
Morgan Kennedy Kline
Cum Laude
Brett J. Mc Donald
Jarrett Patman
Cum Laude
Colin Piper
Abigail Rae Rzaca #
Magna Cum Laude
Cara-Ann Faith Stone
Magna Cum Laude

Brooke Desiree Todd
Magna Cum Laude
Templeton Honors College
JiaNan Zhu
Cum Laude

Bachelor of Science

Clifton Cortez Adams
Ally Megan Bartlett
Zachary Ryan Belansek
Megan Paige Bernotas
Paige Nicole Covington
Cum Laude
Dominick Dwayne Dixon
Christopher Michael Durning
Magna Cum Laude
Pennsylvania Institute of Certified Public Accountants Award
Bryan William Eltman
Cum Laude

COLLEGE OF BUSINESS AND LEADERSHIP

Abigail Marie Frey #
Cum Laude
Brett David Geib
Adam Lane Grant
Bryton David Henry
Christopher Allen Hopkins
Nicholas William Humes
Amanda Eileen Kelly
Jack Geiger Memorial Award
Britton Matthew Lawrence
Monica M. Martinez
Stephen Alexander Morshead
Rachel Nicole Morton
Magna Cum Laude
Timothy Duy-Tien Nguyen
Cum Laude

Charles K. Okae
Victor Manuel Peña
Lauren Madison Reed
Magna Cum Laude
Anais Rivera
Jake Douglas Sankey
Summa Cum Laude
Reilly Kenneth Seal
Jordan Tate Sisson
Caleb Andrew Sneller
Summa Cum Laude
Business Faculty Award
Jacob James Stauffer
Cum Laude
Anthony Vincent Titano
Javian H. Williams

COLLEGE OF EDUCATION

Bachelor of Science

Katherine Sarah Beatty
Magna Cum Laude
Rachel Eliana Beltran
Cum Laude
Jacob Ryne Breyer
Summa Cum Laude
Kennedy Coffelt
Mackenzie Dix
Magna Cum Laude
Katelyn Anna Dukes
Cum Laude
Michael Thomas Gentile, Jr.

Alyse Marie Headley
Cum Laude
Kendra Elizabeth Kemp
Cum Laude
Mrs. W. Byron Brown Christian Service Award
Viktoria Kneis
Summa Cum Laude
Meghan Abigail Kosmides
Claire Elizabeth Leek
Shannon Marie McGuire
Cum Laude
Alexcia Cierra McKinney
Summa Cum Laude
Academic Honor Award

COLLEGE OF EDUCATION

Jennifer Leigh Monkman
Summa Cum Laude
Sarah Elizabeth Moser
Grace Catherine Newman
Summa Cum Laude
Templeton Honors College
Alyssa Faith Simpkins
Carli Marie Sitkowski
Magna Cum Laude
Elsie Williamson Fraser Award in Education

Allen Lee Stoltzfus
Summa Cum Laude
Alexandria Paige Strausser
Frederick William Yahn III
Cum Laude

COLLEGE OF HEALTH AND SCIENCES

Bachelor of Arts

Rosanny Leondra Adorno
Heroic Endeavor Award
Shantel Emerald Anderson
Casanora Anokye
Ali Raye Balmer
Magna Cum Laude
Terry Weathersby Memorial Scholarship Award
Zachery Joseph Bauer
Rebecca Elizabeth Belotti
Cum Laude
Lauren Christine Bloom
Susannah Lyn Boyles
Magna Cum Laude
Sarah Jeanne Bradshaw
Cum Laude
Azalea Jasmine Brown
Mary Elizabeth Cassel

Giana Jade Cirulli
Magna Cum Laude
Templeton Honors College
Natalie Allyson Collazo
James W. Conroy, III
Janice Stead Memorial Award
Rachel Joy Covert
Summa Cum Laude
Templeton Honors College
Jaclyn Marie D'Angelo
Davier L. Daniels
Hans J. Deutsch
Eliezer Echavarria
Cum Laude
Abigail Lillian Fell-Dewalt
Summa Cum Laude
Templeton Honors College
Diane Renich Kelley Award in Missions
Anthony Ray Fernandez
Adam Robert Flaharty

COLLEGE OF HEALTH AND SCIENCES

Cara Rose Fordenbacher
Cum Laude
Michael J. Foytik
Grace Veronica Gonzalez
Templeton Honors College
Emily Anne Green
Magna Cum Laude
Robert John Gritzer
Pascal Noah Guerrier
V́ctor Efrén Guillén Febres
Heroic Endeavor Award
Benjamin Thomas Hand
Cade Francis Harmon
Hannah Ariana Hawkins
Rebecca Lynn Howard
Connie Marie Hrdina
Summa Cum Laude
Amber Huddell*
Summa Cum Laude
Templeton Honors College
Karen Kathleen Michelle Hughes
Eunkyung Katherine Hur
Magna Cum Laude
Dominique Armand Johnson
Jordan Ross Johnson
Colin Jacob Jones
Summa Cum Laude
Templeton Honors College
Lauren Mary Kocsi
Summa Cum Laude
Criminal Justice Award
Jacob Allen Kurtz
Summa Cum Laude
Templeton Honors College
Office of Faith and Practice Award

Jordan Miguel Laboy
Mikaela May Lardarello
William Connor Lowry
Owen Robert Lukowski
Caitlyn Erika Spor Marshall
Cum Laude
Alicia Ann Michaels
Summa Cum Laude
Pamela Jeana Myers
Elysia Inez Nogueras
Aderonke S. Oyetayo
Ashley Angela Peart
Minnie Manning Psychology Award
Adam Cole Perdue
Bryanna Roshay Perry
Cum Laude
Daneille Najoy Robertson
Shelby Jean Seith
Samantha Lee Sekula
Brandon Paige Smith
Rachel Peyton Smith
Magna Cum Laude
Templeton Honors College
Cara Ellen Sparks*
Cum Laude
Suzanne Marie Staherski Zúñiga
Summa Cum Laude
Templeton Honors College
Sociology Award
Dillon J. Staples
Christina Jovan Stevenson
Holly C. Sutley
Magna Cum Laude
Kaitlin Elizabeth Todaro
Samuel Ellis Vaughan

COLLEGE OF HEALTH AND SCIENCES

Mary Louise Stewart Whaley
TianQi Zhang
Cum Laude
Yujia Zhang
Bachelor of Science
Stephanie Faith Arnold
Eric Russell Batykefer
Summa Cum Laude
Elainah Rose Boyles
Cum Laude
Colin Sean Burden
Summa Cum Laude
Templeton Honors College
American Chemical Society Scholastic Achievement Award
University Alumni Award
Sabrina Campbell
Magna Cum Laude
Jordan Marie Carvell
Cum Laude
Kenneth Joseph Deloff
Frank Harold Deuter
Mariella Rosa DiStefano
Magna Cum Laude
Janice Stead Memorial Award
Student Body Award
Thomas Henry Fraser Award in Life Sciences
Eric Isaiah Galloway
Magna Cum Laude
Templeton Honors College
Arielle Yuci Grohosky
Olivia Amber Han
Cum Laude

Sarah Herring
Magna Cum Laude
Templeton Honors College
Paige Allyn Hollingsworth
Cum Laude
Madeline Elizabeth Iswalt
Cum Laude
Marguerite Meghan Rose Johnson
Cum Laude
Mary Josephine Lauer
Cum Laude
Marisa B. LiVoti
Hassan Supreme Mackey
Brooke Annette Meckley
Tatiana Maria Mendez
Cameron Alexander Miller
Caitlyn Elizabeth Newport
Magna Cum Laude
Soad Alejandra Pagoada-Moya
Michelle Marie Paulsen
Marquise Trevon Peel
Christa Mariah Peyton
Cum Laude
Karyna Rzhetskaya
Ranjana Shrestha
Cum Laude
Melissa Marie Staley
Magna Cum Laude
Templeton Honors College
Katherine Victoria Rose Stenby
Aron Szency
Samantha Christine Thomason
Summa Cum Laude
Academic Honor Award
University Achievement Award

COLLEGE OF HEALTH AND SCIENCES

Albert Christopher Urbina
Heroic Endeavor Award
Nicole Ashleigh Thea Weenink
Summa Cum Laude
Student Body Award
University Alumni Award
Natalie Rose Williams
Summer Carolyn Winston

Bachelor of Science
in Nursing

Ashley Grace Anderson
Cum Laude
Carla Lucia Ardiles
Abiodun Christopher Ashade
Carly Jolleen Baker
Cecilia Louise Bauer
Megan Taylor Bell
Summa Cum Laude
Nicole Raelynn Bercaw
Alexandra Paige Bowers
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Karissa Aileen Brady
Shelby Diana Brandt
Taylor Elizabeth Czerpak
Magna Cum Laude
Danielle Mary D'Ambrosio
Cum Laude
Victoria Lynn David
Kaitlyn Rae Frankenfield
Cum Laude
Alison Marie Gaebel
Zoe Elizabeth Galvin

Madeline Rose Gerace
Katrina Elaine Goecke
Magna Cum Laude
Crystal Janitza Gonzalez Roman
Abigale Annilee Hansen
Cum Laude
Jade Marie Hollenbach
Magna Cum Laude
Frantzcia Jean
Shannon Lee Jugler
Magna Cum Laude
Elizabeth Ann Kopp
Jacqueline Elizabeth Lamont
Magna Cum Laude
Emily Marie Landis
Magna Cum Laude
Danielle Marie Large #
Yingpeng Liu
Lien P. Ly
Magna Cum Laude
Eleanore Howard McCleary
Magna Cum Laude
Bernadette Mary McGirr
Cum Laude
University Achievement Award
Stephanie Nicole Medina-Perez
Cum Laude
Asante Sarpong Mensah
Cum Laude
Samantha Ashley Miller
Hannah Marie Minnick
Magna Cum Laude
Nancy Zhang Morgan
Mikayla Noelle Neff

COLLEGE OF HEALTH AND SCIENCES

Rachel Brooks Norris
Cum Laude
Mordan Alexandra Pappas
Magna Cum Laude
Rebecca Leigh Philbin
Cum Laude
Hannah Joy Purring
Summa Cum Laude
Erin Lee Robinson
Cum Laude
Kristi Nicole Rohrer
Magna Cum Laude
Danielle Lynn Schenck
Lindsay Cullen Scott
Joseph James Cabigquez Sears
Cum Laude
Brianna Nicole Summerill
Cum Laude
Rachel Bernier Turner
Olivia Rose Weaver
Magna Cum Laude
Janae Wilsman
Cum Laude
Logan Ming Zadroga
Magna Cum Laude

Bachelor of Social Work

El-Fatih Tobansi Chase
Mrs. W. Byron Brown Christian Service Award
Student Body Award
Karolys Espinal
Norma Jean Gerald
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Templeton Honors College
Carter William Heerema
Magna Cum Laude
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Cum Laude
Shelby Leanne Kemp
Cum Laude
Morgan Elizabeth Leavy
Madeline Michelle Lee
Emily Hope Mason
Summa Cum Laude
Carmen Milagros Muñiz
Amani Tamira Parker
Amy Christine Radcliffe
Cum Laude
Amaris Christina Randolph
Cum Laude
Benjamin Peter Reichner #
Summa Cum Laude
Templeton Honors College
Christiana Ginel Taylor
Summa Cum Laude
Phi Sigma Iota Language Honorary Award

PALMER THEOLOGICAL SEMINARY AND COLLEGE

Bachelor of Arts

Kyra Nicole Anthony

Magna Cum Laude

Biblical Studies Award

Matthew Michael Biskup

Taylor Leigh Buchanan

Drew Cameron Buller

Jaclyn Favaroso

Cum Laude

Office of Faith and Practice Award

Daniel Allen Kuhn, Jr.

Juliette Dorothea Kuhn

William M. Ligus, Jr.

Douglas Michael Parry

Nathan Preuhs

Anna Katerina van Deventer

Summa Cum Laude

Templeton Honors College

Youth Ministry Award

Justin McKinley Wilson

Cum Laude



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Marilyn Marsh
Executive Dean, Esperanza College
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COLLEGE OF ARTS AND HUMANITIES

Master of Arts in Teaching

Sarah Moon Bradley
Philip D. Cialini
Danielle Rae Dillenschneider
Ryan Paul Klein
Sarah Ruff Mccafferty

COLLEGE OF BUSINESS AND LEADERSHIP

Bachelor of Arts

Amanda Michelle Harris
Matthew Charles Lurz
With Distinction
Jessie B. Manjate
With Distinction
Judy Lyn Schlosser
Cum Laude
Irma E. Shannon
Kristen L. Sheaffer
Sarah Marie Slate
Bahiya Eslonde Stone
Beverly Lynn Vardy
Summa Cum Laude
Miranda Wright Young
Magna Cum Laude

Bachelor of Science

Penelope Jordan Darkins
Akilah DeLorme
Mark Allen Dettinger
Summa Cum Laude
Christine Marie Giampa
Cum Laude
James Michael Hight
Magna Cum Laude
Troy E. Langendoerfer
Luisandro Lugo
Magna Cum Laude
James Owen Mulford
Alette Anne Peña
Magna Cum Laude
Meralis Rodríguez
Anthony C. Roman
Fraylin Suero-Jaquez
Kayon Camille Talmie
With Distinction
Renee Marie Williams
Cum Laude

COLLEGE OF BUSINESS AND LEADERSHIP

Master of Arts
(Organizational Leadership)

Ishmael Rahim Adam
Sarah Nnenna Anene
Sarah Atai
Matina Joy Bogertey
Tehron Jaqui Bush
Timothy J. Gorton
Courtney Anika Johnson
Matthew Anthony Justice
Dorothy Senzani Kamoto
John Munyi Kathuri
Eric Kluge
Glory Daisy Munthali
Kangar Whyeawehn Topoe
Giftie Edet Umo
Benjamin Ray West

Master of
Business Administration

Amber Lyn Anderson
Mary Elizabeth Bebe
Carole Lynn Bennett
Jennifer R. Beyer
Christopher James Binder
David L. Boyer, Jr.
Elizabeth Catherine Brennan
Eric A. Bullock
Matt Carminito
Nicholas Joseph Ciocco
Joseph Michael Clancy III
Kenneth James Coleman II
Alyssa Christine Conaway
Brittneyann Felicia Cover

Jared John Crain
Andrew Scott Crockett
Tracy Tanneh Dahn
Nicholas R. Dalsey, Jr.
Whitney Ellen Dickey
Eleni Driza
Justin M. Dunbar-Stevens
Whitney Nicole Dunn
William Edward Fisher
Tina Marie Frank
Charles Jerome Gergits, Jr.
Chad Grundon
Craig Hargrove, Sr.
Kathryn Ann Haring
Kimberly Shawn Jones
Maria Kirby
Levi Wyatt Kittrell
Angelika Kurpaska
Rachel Anne Lamb
Teyen Neal Lewis
Cortney Alexandra Lovenguth
Jessica Mae Lyles
Meghane Renee Marie Malvoisin
Joyce Erioth Matama
Markesha Vernettia Mayo
Shelby McMillian
Jordan Lane Miller
Elia N. Mosko
Donna M. Murph
Laura Rae Myers
Merlissette Nuñez-Peréz
Patrick Ryan O'Dell
Andrew Patterson
Lindsey Elizabeth Philbin
Beth Anne Rambo

COLLEGE OF BUSINESS AND LEADERSHIP

Ryan Patrick Raudenbush
Sharnay Simone Reid
Eric Stephen Rossi
Berry Sasmitasonie The
Megan Elizabeth Schnitzer
Nicole Marie Seigafuse
Marcia Givonne Shepherd
Kathryn Elizabeth Shull
Brooke Michele Souder
Howard D. Soule
Cedric Donovan Steiner
Rika Susiani
Arlene F. Toomer
Jeremy Daniel Wendal
Carol Vernice Wertz
Robert Yancy Wilson
Kristen S. Zell

Master of Science in
Health Services Management

Susan E. Biggs
Michele Lynn Goss
Judelissa Rosario
Michelle Kasherpeh Thompson

Doctor of Philosophy
(Organizational Leadership)

Cheyenne L. N. Bennett
DISSERTATION – *A Quantitative Investigation
Examining the Perception of a Leader’s
Integrity and Ethical Orientation on an
Employee’s Sense of Meaning and Engagement
in a Small Business Environment*
DISSERTATION COMMITTEE CHAIR –
Dr. Kelly Monahan

JoAnn Flett
DISSERTATION – *Reshaping the Goals of 21st
Century Business: A Grounded Theory Study of
the B-Corporation Movement*
DISSERTATION COMMITTEE CHAIR –
Dr. Beth A. Birmingham

Ericka L. Harney
DISSERTATION – *Sustaining Volunteer Leadership
in Associations: Succession Planning through
the Lenses of Planned Behavior and
Organizational Commitment*
DISSERTATION COMMITTEE CHAIR –
Dr. Franklin O. Oikelome

Patricia J. McLaughlin
DISSERTATION – *Creating Success: A Grounded
Theory Study of International Development
Expatriate Project Leaders*
DISSERTATION COMMITTEE CHAIR –
Dr. F. David Bronkema

Natasha M. Webster
DISSERTATION – *Advancement and Persistence in
Higher Education Leadership: A Narrative
Study of Women Deans in Business Schools*
DISSERTATION COMMITTEE CHAIR –
Dr. Heewon Chang

COLLEGE OF EDUCATION

Bachelor of Science

Jessica Ali
Nadirah Artemus
Adam M. Bacher
Cum Laude
Mercedes K. Baskerville
Theresa Lorraine Brown
Angeleaner K. Burks
Monique S. Burrell
Magna Cum Laude
Deborah Blonenaire Colter
Cum Laude
Olivia Hope Dolan
With Distinction
Theresa Renee Durham Simpson
LaShawn Denise Farrar
Heather Jean Grim
With Distinction
Alicia Marie Hall
Magna Cum Laude
Norma Hart
Tamika Yolanda Hassan
Angela Hayes
With Distinction
Jill Yvonne Herb
James Walter Hines, Jr.
John J. Kramer
Thomasina Lee
Cum Laude
Naemah Nadera Littles
Stephanye Karen Madalion
Cum Laude
Abigail Ann Mailen
With Distinction

Yamayra Melendez
Cum Laude
Maria Teresa Montes
Cum Laude
Leah J. Negron
Summa Cum Laude
Derek Ashley Rodriguez
Felicia McCullough Stackhouse
With Distinction
Charise Renee Stewart
With Distinction
Lynnea Ann Marie Summerscales
Summa Cum Laude
Arnae Sutton
With Distinction
Tyshaana Ameera-Monae Thomas
With Distinction
Mireshia Marie Toro
Magna Cum Laude
Maria V. Torres
Summa Cum Laude
Robin Walker McLeod
Emma L. Warner
Magna Cum Laude
Shaquana Washington

Master of Arts
in School Counseling

Daniel Alfonso-Diaz
Christine Sarah Callahan
Chelsea Ann DiBattista
Thomas Edward Marvin
Nicole Noelle Murphy
Teresa Ann Santivasci
Nicholas Erin Wall

COLLEGE OF EDUCATION

Master of Education

Ashley Sinclair Allen
Julianna Lyn Ardire
Gregory Michael Arnoldy
Fevian Samy Awad
Michele Althea Ayala
John Courtney Batts
Alyssa Ann Belardo
Lindsey Jeanette Bernhardt
Maria Nicole Besada
Sarah Birchmeier
Lauren V. Borrasso
Helen Marie Boyle
Ashley Michele Brown
Brittany Déja Brown
Kelsie Rose Bryant-Canty
Devon L. Buchanan
Colin Michael Campbell-Bussiere
Jessica Lynne Clark
Avery Marice Cloud
Delethine Denise Coleman
Rachel Lynn Coleman
John Joseph Conran
Andrea Daisy-Jarvie
Jamee Elizabeth Davis
Joseph John Dembik
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Inasia Virginia Giddings
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Alexis Pierce Gooch
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Ayannah Griffin
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Sarah Elizabeth Hart
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Jennifer Nicole Hill
Chavonna Joi Holiday
Jeffrey Thomas Illig
Allison K. Inch
Tracye Elayne Johnson
Tahyna L.V. Jules
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Parveen Jacob - Mall
Jilyssa S. Mallory
Moiria Alisha Manila
Christina LaReina Manon
Addison Dale Buxton Martin
Samantha Elizabeth Masciangelo
Shannon Isabella McHugh
Gina Marie Miller
Christopher G. Mork
Bongani Edgar Moyo
Bethany Leigh Napolitano
Victoria D-C Nelson
LaKisha Camille Pate
Brian Michael Picknally
Latonta Sherry Porterfield-Godboldt

COLLEGE OF EDUCATION

Leslie Ramos
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Hannah Ives Reisser
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Luke Henry Schlegel
Briana Daniella Sfamurri
Ally Minjae Shin
Maria Skinner
Martin Francis Sullivan
Sakeenah Aziar Sweeney
Cheryl Gale Sweigart
Nicole Washington Tate
Ifetayo Titilola Kumasi-Ka
Megan M. Trexler

Keshia Louise Trusty
Tammy Lynnette VSoske
Erik Lawrence White
Christopher Kent Wilson
Kathryn Elaine Wilson

Master of Science
(School Psychology)

Nina Carolina Federman
Anne Havalchak Gallegos
Tiffany Marie Haralson
Alexis Latifah Holmes
Catherine Latocha
Joy LaShon Miller
Julia Nicole Ridley

COLLEGE OF HEALTH AND SCIENCES

Associate of Arts

Nakita Bledsoe
Ashley Renee Blocker
Mercedes S. Clemonts
India S. Cottman
Marie L. Gee
Angela L. Lipsey
Isabelo Padron III

Bachelor of Arts

Jessica Yvette Colon
Ney Antonio De Leon Sierra
Ericka Reina Feliciano
Angela Martes
Cynthiale Montanez
Bryan Rivera
Summa Cum Laude
Jailyn Marie Rodriguez
Kristiana Melanie Santiago
Yamilex Santiago-Rivera
Edgardo Velez-Quiles

COLLEGE OF HEALTH AND SCIENCES

Bachelor of Science
in Nursing

Jennifer Rose Brunell

Cum Laude

Effie Christine Culp

With Distinction

Karen Dolan Duffy

Laurie K. Dougherty

With Distinction

Tammi Jean Fisher

With Distinction

Julia E. King-Ruff

Kelly Jo Smeltz

With Distinction

Megan Kathleen Whisel

With Distinction

Master of Arts
(International Development)

Jane Abera

Emily D. Aloto

Azikiwe Stewart Calhoun

Michael Parach Kuol

Mikaela Renee Miller

Shearsby Mupfudzapake

Muchuchi Donald Nghonyama

Rossa Yvonne Nuñez

Milcah Mussa Thomas

Bobbie Lynn Watkins

Master of Arts
(Theological and Cultural
Anthropology)

Sara Elizabeth Cook

Amber Breon Crowe

Christopher Davin Fraley

Carolyn Sue Johnson

Erin Clark Kincaid

Molly Ann Lindquist

Christyn Alysabeth Herr Riehl

Ryan Mitchell Shenk

Hazel Soto

Magaly Velazquez

Master of Arts
(Urban Studies)

Bonita Bell

Joseph Matthew Givens

Megan Spivey

Naomi Karen Vesey

Master of Arts
in Counseling

Oluyemisi Funmilayo Adeyemi

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Katherine E. Bryson

Samantha Rae Cimabue

Mawasi Nosipho Kadesha Clarke

Jillian Patricia D'Amico

Angelina R. Davies

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COLLEGE OF HEALTH AND SCIENCES

Edgardo Diaz, Jr.

Janise Dommercant

Yarrisa Chermere Sharon Ebanks

Haley Lenore Flagg

Jennifer Rachel Georgiadis

Tiffany Danielle Gibson

Karlie Christine Greenhalgh-Stricker

Quatasia Damon Harris

Amanda Jo Hernandez

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Oriana Leigh Kramer-Almquist

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Stephen Robbins

Roxanne Alicia Robinson

Katie R. Ruggieri

Lili Paize Shuster

Sierra Monique Thompson

Matthew D. Timmel

Chanelle Da'mira Watkins

Kathleen Ann Weber

Brieyanna Wilson

Courtney Samantha-Jean Wilson

Master of Education
(School Health Services)

Danielle Ann Barnette-Eckenrode

Monica Briamonte

Susan Marie Bullard

Traci Lynn Caplan

Leanne Marie Cichelli

Mary Ann Clayton

Leigh Anne Coakley

Stephanie Elizabeth DelVecchio

Caroline R. Dennin

Karli Rae Gerhart

Sarah Elizabeth Glass

Jamie Malak Glogowski

Emily Jo Hess

Megan Linn Hoffman

Sonja Marie Jackson

Sheila Kelly

Sheila Marie Kocher

Jeanne Simpson Latimer

Megan Renee Lazar

Jennifer Ann Leachko

Elizabeth Marie Locke

Jennifer Schwab Maguire

Roberta T. Marcolino

Aimee Lynn McCann

Michelle Lynn Molyneaux

Linda L. O'Rourke

Kevin Ozimkiewicz

Amanda Hickman Palo

Amanda Emily Peachey

Kristie Lynn Pennoni

Bridget Loughran Plenn

Rosemarie A. Poole

COLLEGE OF HEALTH AND SCIENCES

Sarah Theresa Portle
Connie Marie Roberts
Dolly Marlene Santana
Dawn M. Smitheman
Jean Marie Spitofsky
Susan Marie Steuber

Bernadette Ann Stewart
Lauren E. Suess
Crystal Lee Swartz
Beth Ann Trexler
Bernadette Yuknek

Doctor of Arts
(Marriage and Family Therapy
Studies)

Cathy Renea Coleman
PROJECT – The Impact of Attachment Style on
Heterosexual Romantic Relationships
PROJECT ADVISOR –
Dr. Cheryl B. Sparks

Monique C. Scott
PROJECT – Navigating Autism and Ambiguous
Loss Together: When Divorce is Not an Option
PROJECT ADVISOR –
Dr. Kristen B. Poppa

Mark David Goodson
PROJECT – Changing the Culture of Policing in
African American Communities to Counter the
Negative Health Effects
PROJECT ADVISOR –
Dr. Cheryl B. Sparks

Bryan M. Stafford
PROJECT – Understanding Interpersonal Trauma
in Biblical Narratives through the Lens of
Bowen Family Systems Theory
PROJECT ADVISOR –
Dr. Cheryl B. Sparks

Taja J. Peterkin-Mclean
PROJECT – The Effectiveness of Play Therapy for
Social Emotional Learning
PROJECT ADVISOR –
Dr. Cheryl B. Sparks

Gary Dwayne Williams Sr.
PROJECT – The Sound Relationship House Model
for Couple Therapy
PROJECT ADVISOR –
Dr. Cheryl B. Sparks

COLLEGE OF HEALTH AND SCIENCES

Doctor of Philosophy
(Marriage and Family Therapy)

Tiffany Daonne Gilmore
DISSERTATION – African American Sexually
Abused Women (SAW) and the Use of Praise
and Worship Dance as a Therapeutic Healing
Modality: A Qualitative Phenomenological
Study
DISSERTATION COMMITTEE CHAIR –
Dr. Cheryl B. Sparks

Wendell Hadyn Scanterbury
DISSERTATION – “Going Into the Fire Without
Getting Burned.” Use of Self-Preserving
Approaches to Family Communication by
Men Living with Cancer: A Grounded Theory
of Study
DISSERTATION COMMITTEE CHAIR –
Dr. Andrea M. Hargett

Sherri Humphries
DISSERTATION – The Lived Experience of
Adoptive Mothers: Transitioning from Foster
Care to Adoption
DISSERTATION COMMITTEE CHAIR –
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PALMER COLLEGE

Bachelor of Arts

Rebecca Ann Bartram Wendler

ESPERANZA COLLEGE

Associate in Applied Science

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Associate in Science

Sasha Rae Allen

Amanda Marie Crespo

Darlin Y. Cruz Hernández

Nilda Lizz Diaz-Masso

Lismary Gonzalez

Eros De Jesús Montes Rivera

Erica Marie Morales

Xelanys Morales-Villanueva

Alexandra Mota

Carmen Maria Ortiz

Aisha Badia Pleasant

Kimberly Rangel

Karina Marie Rodriguez

Gabriel Rodriguez-Ramirez

Janet Elizabeth Tapia

William Joshua Torres

Amanda Velazquez

Associate of Arts

Talsia Kerry-ann Lesrene Bailey

Stephanie Jasmin Betancourt

Irisyarelisse Casiano-Medina

Lexy Marie Colon

Jayna Lujan Cruz

Jose Benjamin DeJesus

Amy Luz Dominguez

Ciaraly Ciara Garcia

Alberto Gonzalez III

Amanda Marie Gonzalez

Patricia Elaine Hansberry

Linda Maria Morales Bryant

Ivelisse Marie Perez

Maria Isabel Perez

Samuel Luis Pizarro

Pearl Helen Ross

Priscilla Marie Santiago

Rita Marie Thorn

Yaneileen Torres

Anderson Uribe



PRIZES AND AWARDS

W.W. Smith Charitable Trust Scholarship recipient

*Legacy Students - children and/or grandchildren of Eastern University Alumni. Each * represents a generation.

PRIZES AND AWARDS

Academic Honor Awards

Awarded to the graduating seniors who have attained the highest scholastic averages for three years; i.e., six semesters or more as full-time students at Eastern University.

Alexcia Cierra McKinney
Samantha Christine Thomason

Caroline Cherry Literature Award

Awarded to a graduating senior with a major in English literature who has both pursued and attained excellence in the critical engagement with literature.

Lauren Gail Good
Breanna Myers

American Chemical Society Scholastic Achievement Award

Awarded to a graduating senior with the highest academic achievement in chemistry.

Colin Sean Burden

Criminal Justice Award

Awarded to a graduating Criminal Justice major who demonstrates outstanding academic achievements as well as participation activities that benefit the larger community.

Lauren Mary Kocsi

Biblical Studies Award

Awarded to a graduating senior by the department for excellence in Biblical Studies.

Kyra Nicole Anthony

Diane Renich Kelley Award in Missions

Awarded to a graduating missiology and anthropology major who shows promise for cross-cultural Christian ministry.

Abigail Lillian Fell-Dewalt

Board of Fellows Outstanding Dissertation Award

Awarded for doctoral dissertations that not only embody a high quality of scholarship but also an integration of faith, reason, and justice.

Kathleen Brenneman Nussbaum

Elsie Williamson Fraser Award in Education

Awarded to a graduating education major for excellence and ability.

Carli Marie Sitkowski

Business Faculty Award

Awarded to a graduating business major who has displayed academic excellence as well as practical application of business concepts.

Caleb Andrew Sneller

Emeritus Faculty Status

Awarded to retired professors who have made an exceptional contribution in academic leadership terms at Eastern University.

Dr. Wendy Mercier, Professor Emerita

PRIZES AND AWARDS

The Frederick J. Boehlke Award

Awarded to a history major by the department for a significant and unique contribution.

Jamie Allison Bressmer

Gilbert L. Guffin

Freedoms Foundation Award

A prize given to a graduating senior for the best paper in some area of American history, particularly as it concerns basic freedoms.

Robert Emerson Leamer

Heroic Endeavor Awards

Awards made to graduating students who have overcome extreme physical limitations, unusual family obligations, or other non-academic personal problems to secure their diplomas.

Rosanny Leondra Adorno

Víctor Efrén Guillén Febres

Albert Christopher Urbina

Jack Geiger Memorial Award

Awarded to the graduating senior majoring in business administration or economics who was very active in the business student organizations.

Amanda Eileen Kelly

Janice Stead Memorial Award

Presented at Commencement each year to students selected by the faculty for the student's contribution to the Christian life program of the University.

James W. Conroy, III

Mariella Rosa DiStefano

Minnie Manning Psychology Award

Awarded to juniors or seniors majoring in psychology, on the basis of a high degree of interest as shown by a paper submitted to the Psychology Department.

Ashley Angela Peart

Mrs. W. Byron Brown Christian Service Award

Awarded to a student going into full-time Christian service.

El-Fatih Tobansi Chase

Kendra Elizabeth Kemp

Office of Faith and Practice Award

Awarded to a junior or senior student, nominated by the Office of Faith and Practice, who has shown the greatest aptitude in applying Christian principles to practical life.

Jaclyn Favaroso

Jacob Allen Kurtz

Pennsylvania Institute of Certified Public Accountants Award

An award for excellence in accounting.

Christopher Michael Durning

Phi Sigma Iota Language Honorary Award

Awarded to the graduating senior with the highest academic average in a language program.

Christiana Ginel Taylor

PRIZES AND AWARDS

Sociology Award

Awarded to the graduating senior who, in the opinion of the faculty and students of the sociology department, demonstrated high competence in the field of sociology.

Suzanne Marie Staherski Zúñiga

Student Body Award

Awarded by vote of the student body to the outstanding graduating senior in ability, activity, and scholarship.

El-Fatih Tobansi Chase

Mariella Rosa DiStefano

Kelsey Brogan Fiander-Carr

Nicole Ashleigh Thea Weenink

Terry Weathersby

Memorial Scholarship Award

Awarded to a psychology major during the senior year who demonstrates a strong commitment to the field, both as a student and as an emerging professional, and demonstrates Godly character and a strong record of service to others, as well as exemplary integrity and humility.

Ali Raye Balmer

Thomas Henry Fraser Award in Life Sciences

Awarded to a high-achieving graduating senior in pre-med, biology, or biochemistry.

Mariella Rosa DiStefano

Thyra Ferre Bjorn Creative Writing Award

Awarded to a senior judged to have the greatest potential writing ability.

Nicole Markert

University Achievement Awards

Two awards made to graduating seniors who, in the judgement of the faculty, have shown initiative, industry, and enterprise in their University careers.

Bernadette Mary McGirr

Samantha Christine Thomason

University Alumni Awards

Two awards presented to the graduating seniors who have made the most significant advance during their university careers.

Colin Sean Burden

Nicole Ashleigh Thea Weenink

Youth Ministry Award

Awarded to graduating seniors by the department for excellence in the study of youth ministries.

Anna Katerina van Deventer

SCHOLASTIC ACHIEVEMENT

In order to recognize the superior scholastic achievement of a student during his/her academic course, the University awards bachelor’s degrees with honors. Transfer students are eligible for these honors if they have completed at least 60 semester hours of Eastern University credit.

- Summa cum laude:* cumulative grade-point average of 3.90 or better
- Magna cum laude:* cumulative grade-point average of 3.75 to 3.899
- Cum laude:* cumulative grade-point average of 3.50 to 3.749
- With Distinction:* the designation for graduating students with cumulative grade-point averages of 3.8 or better and 39-59 credits earned at Eastern University.

ACADEMIC REGALIA

The medieval scholar wore a clerical robe so all would know his station in society. The clerical robe was appropriate since all students were expected to become part of the clergy. Distinctions have always been made among the academic grades. Thus, the robe of the doctor is more elaborate than that of the master and the master is different than the undergraduate.

Academic regalia may consist of three parts—the gown, the hood and the cap. There is considerable variation in European universities. In 1893, a system was adopted in the United States so that one could tell at a glance the university where the degree was earned, the field of study in which the degree was earned, and the level of the earned degree.

Most robes are black; although, occasionally a university may adopt a robe of another color such as Harvard in adopting the crimson as its own. Doctoral robes are longer, fuller and more richly trimmed with bands of velvet down the front and on the sleeves. These can be black or symbolize a field of study. The master’s gown has sleeves usually cut above the elbow and the bachelor’s gown is a simple pleated robe.

The cap of most American universities is usually the stiff, square black traditional mortar board with a black tassel. The doctoral cap may have a gold tassel with the tassel worn on the left. Many European universities favor the soft beret-type cap. A few American institutions use this cap as well.

The hood is the most interesting and colorful part of the regalia. The largest hood is the doctor’s. The colors of the hood’s lining, arranged in chevrons, symbolize the colors of the college or university which granted the degree. Thus, Eastern University of St. Davids, PA has chevrons of maroon and white. The velvet trim, visible at the neck, indicates the field of study in which the degree was earned. Some frequently seen hood colors and the fields of study from Eastern University are as follows:

White	Arts	Blue.	Education
Gold	Science	Dark Blue.	Philosophy
Apricot.	Nursing	Pink	Music
Citron.	Social Work	Red	Theology
Drab (Tan).	Business Administration		

ACADEMIC REGALIA

The cords, stoles, pins, and medals not only add color to the regalia but designate significant accomplishments.

- HONOR SOCIETIES – ACADEMIC CORDS
- Alpha Kappa Delta** – International Honor Society of Sociology *deep sky blue*
- Delta Mu Delta** – International Honor Society in Business, *yellow & purple*
- Iota Tau Alpha** – Athletic Training Honor Society, *red, yellow, & blue*
- Kappa Delta Pi** – International Honor Society in Education, *purple & green*
- Lambda Pi Eta** – National Communication Association Honor Society, *gold*
- Phi Alpha Theta** – National History Honor Society, *red & white*
- Phi Sigma Iota** – Foreign Language Honor Society, *purple & white or purple & gold*
- Pi Sigma Alpha** – American Political Science Association, *red, black, & white*
- Psi Chi** – National Honor Society in Psychology, *yellow & purple or silver & navy*
- Sigma Delta Pi** – National Collegiate Hispanic Honor Society, *blue & gray*
- Sigma Theta Tau International** – International Honor Society of Nursing, *purple & white*
- Sigma Zeta** – National Science & Mathematics Honor Society, *blue & silver*

STOLES, PINS, CORDS, AND MEDALS

- Leadership Fellows Program** – Pin
- Legacy Student** – Pin
- Multicultural Awareness Student Ambassador** – Kente Stole
- Philanthropy Cord, Senior Gift Contributor** – *maroon & white*
- Templeton Honors College** – Medal on Ribbon
- Varsity Student-Athletics Cord** – *maroon, white, & black*
- Wilson Goode Scholars Program** – Kente Stole

COVID PROTOCOL

- ALL**
- Masks must be worn fully covering the mouth and nose at all times.
- No eating inside the venue.
- Bottled water is allowed, but please keep your mask on whenever you are not actively drinking.

- GUESTS**
- Please remain in your seats for the duration of the event. Each student will be provided a professional high resolution digital picture of them receiving their diploma from President Matthews. Additional pictures may be purchased from Legacy Photographics, check your Grad's email for details.

- GRADS**
- Please keep your mask on and maintain spacings as you head to and cross the stage.
- Take the Diploma cover with your left hand and wave to your loved ones with your right.
- You may take your mask off for your second picture off stage.