

FIFTY-THIRD ANNUAL COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES

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## **TRADITIONS AND HONORS**

### **Grand Marshal**

The Grand Marshal is Faculty Senate president, or his/her designate, and represents faculty. This person carries the mace in and out of the ceremony in recognition of the occasion.

### **The University Mace**

The Northern Kentucky University mace represents the light of knowledge and academic excellence and is only used during official academic ceremonies: commencement and university presidential inaugurations. The mace was presented as a gift from the NKU Foundation, Inc. It was designed by Kari Messner ('91) and sculpted by local artist Jack True.

### The Presidential Medallion

The medallion bears the seal of Northern Kentucky University and symbolizes the authority and responsibility of the Office of the President. It is worn at all official functions of the university and will be passed on to each president.

### **Presidential Ambassadors**

Student ushers are Presidential Ambassadors who are selected on their scholastic achievement and their ability to serve the university.

### **International Flags**

The display of international flags on stage represents NKU's diverse student body and international students.

### **University Honors Scholars**

University Honors Scholars ( $\Diamond$ ) complete a curriculum of interdisciplinary seminars, including an independent capstone project under the guidance of a faculty mentor.

### **Bachelor's Degree Honors**

Summa Cum Laude (\*\*\*) 3.9 to 4.0 GPA

Magna Cum Laude (\*\*) 3.75 to 3.899 GPA

Cum Laude (\*) 3.5 to 3.7499 GPA



## **ACADEMIC ATTIRE**

For all academic purposes, including trimmings of doctor's gowns, edgings of hoods and tassels of caps, the colors associated with the colleges and degrees at NKU are as follows:

### **College of Arts and Sciences**

- Master of Arts in English (white)
- Master of Arts in Integrative Studies (white)
- Master of Arts in Public History (white)
- Master of Public Administration (peacock blue)
- Master of Science in Industrial-Organizational Psychology (old gold)

### College of Informatics (copper)

- Master of Arts in Communication
- Master of Science in Business Informatics
- Master of Science in Computer Information Technology
- Master of Science in Computer Science
- Master of Science in Cybersecurity
- Master of Science in Health Informatics

### College of Education (light blue)

- Master of Arts in Education
- Master of Arts in Teaching
- Doctor of Education in Educational Leadership

### Haile College of Business (drab)

- Master of Accountancy
- Master of Business Administration
- Master of Business Leadership and Innovation

### **College of Health and Human Services**

- Master of Arts in School Counseling (light blue)
- Master of Science in Clinical Mental Health Counseling (light blue)
- Master of Social Work (citron)
- Master of Science in Exercise Science (old gold)
- Master of Science in Athletic Training (sage green)
- Master of Science in Health Administration (sage green)
- Master of Science in Health Science (sage green)
- Master of Science in Cardiovascular Perfusion (wine)
- Master of Science in Nursing (apricot)
- Doctor of Nursing Practice (apricot)
- Doctor of Occupational Therapy (slate blue)

Today, all candidates for degrees and those who hold degrees, including college officials, faculty and visiting dignitaries, are attired in traditional cap and gown. The formal color for most caps and gowns is black. However, holders of different degrees wear distinctive tassels on their caps (called mortarboards). Hoods of various hues drape down the back of the gowns.

Recipients of the associate and bachelor's degrees at Northern Kentucky University wear black gowns and black and gold tassels; recipients of the master's and doctoral degrees wear black gowns and tassels that correspond to the color of their discipline; and recipients of the degree of Juris Doctor wear black gowns and purple tassels.

Members of the university governing body are entitled to wear doctoral gowns. The Board of Regents regalia is a gold gown with three black chevrons and trim and an eight-sided tam with gold tassel.

#### **Honors Cords**

Bachelor's degree graduates wear gold and white Honors cords to signify they have achieved at least a 3.5 cumulative grade-point average. Associate degree graduates with at least a 3.5 cumulative grade-point average wear black and white Honors cords.

## **COMMENCEMENT SPEAKERS**



Sandra Oñate Muñoz ('25) 10 a.m. Speaker, College of Arts and Sciences

Sandra G. Oñate Muñoz is graduating magna cum laude with a Master of Public Administration and a certificate in nonprofit management. A proud resident of Cincinnati and originally from Guadalajara, Jalisco, Mexico, Oñate Muñoz has always excelled, graduating high school in the top 20 of her class and earning a Bachelor of Science in biology, specializing in cellular, molecular and genetics, with a minor in chemistry.

Her passion for research led her to NKU, where she began her journey in Dr. Lili Ma's organic chemistry research lab as a freshman, designing and synthesizing bioactive molecules. Oñate Muñoz proudly presented her collaborative work at local, regional and national conferences, showcasing her dedication and hard work.

Her advocacy in the community through education and organizing earned her the 2021 Margaret Fuller Peace Award—a testament to her commitment to making a difference. Beyond her academic pursuits, she continues to empower her community with essential tools for safety and well-being, culminating in her recent recognition as the Outstanding MPA Student.

Currently, Oñate Muñoz serves as a qualified medical interpreter at a level one trauma center, ensuring clear communication between patients, physicians and other medical professionals. With her sights set on graduation, she is determined to dedicate herself to public service in the healthcare sector, championing equitable patient care for all.



JP Ampfer ('25) 3 p.m. Speaker, Haile College of Business

JP Ampfer is graduating with dual bachelor's degree in human resource management and management from the Haile College of Business. Throughout his time at NKU, he has consistently earned a place on the Dean's List or President's Honors List. Beyond his academic achievements, Ampfer has dedicated himself to both professional and personal development, successfully balancing internships, student organizations and leadership roles on campus.

From the start of his college journey, Ampfer was motivated by a strong desire to get involved and quickly found a community that offered numerous leadership opportunities. He took on leadership roles in his fraternity, Sigma Phi Epsilon, served as an orientation leader for NKU Admissions and worked as a resident assistant in University Housing. These experiences helped him build his leadership skills in diverse environments.

Through these activities and others within the Haile College of Business, Ampfer discovered his passion for supporting others and building meaningful connections. By working with the Center for Student Excellence, he secured multiple internships at companies such as SugarCreek Packing Company, CVG International Airport and Bosch. These positions, along with his coursework and campus experiences, have laid a strong foundation for his future.

After graduation, Ampfer will join SugarCreek Packing Company as a benefits coordinator, returning to the team he previously interned with. Throughout his time at NKU, he has witnessed the power of a positive attitude and unwavering determination in the face of challenges and he aims to inspire others to remain steadfast as well.

## HONORARY DEGREE RECIPIENT



Kenneth F. Harper Doctor of Education

Kenneth F. Harper was born in Covington, Kentucky, in 1931 to Kenneth and Elizabeth Harper. He graduated from the Kentucky Military Institute (KMI) in 1948. In 1949, he met Eileen Kathman, the daughter of Edward and Estelle Kathman, and they were married in May 1953. Harper attended the University of Kentucky, where he was a member of Phi Kappa Alpha, until he enlisted in the U.S. Air Force in 1951. He served in Korea through 1952.

From 1953 to 1971, he served as president and general manager of Professional Business Service of Kentucky, a company he ran with his parents. Afterward, he obtained his real estate sales and broker's licenses and established Ken Harper Realty, retiring from business in 2013. He held positions on the boards of First National Bank, U.S. Bankcorp, and the Northern Kentucky Convention and Visitors Bureau, and he was a charter board member of Anthem Blue Cross Blue Shield Insurance.

In 1963, Harper was elected to the Kentucky House of Representatives to represent the 63rd district. During his political career, he was reelected for two additional terms before joining the administration of Governor Louie B. Nunn in 1968. In this role, he served as assistant commissioner of Child Welfare and commissioner of Public Information. Prior to joining the Nunn administration, he worked diligently with his northern Kentucky legislative colleagues to establish Northern Kentucky State College, which later became Northern Kentucky University. Following the death of Secretary of State Elmer Begley in September 1970, Governor Nunn appointed him to complete the term in that office.

After taking a break from elected state office to grow his real estate business, Harper was re-elected to his former House seat, winning successive terms until he retired from politics in 1994. During these terms, he served as chair of the Kentucky House Republican Caucus from 1987 to 1990 and was elected president of the National Republican Legislators Association. In this capacity, he delivered a formal address at the Republican National Convention in 1992. The archive of Harper's political career is housed at the W. Frank Steely Library at Northern Kentucky University.

Harper embodies two important principles in his commitment to service: "Character Makes the Man," the motto of KMI, and "Service Above Self," the standard of Rotary International, of which he has been a member of the Covington, Kentucky, chapter since 1954. Though KMI closed in 1971, he maintains a strong relationship with its alumni and served as co-executive producer of the documentary "Character Makes the Man," which aired on KET in 2013. As a member of the Covington Rotary Club, Harper has served as president and has been on the board for several terms. He was named a Paul Harris Fellow and is the inaugural recipient of the Covington Rotary Foundation Ken Harper Award.

In 1959, he was president of Riverside Good Council School and a charter member of the board and executive committee of Northern Kentucky Comprehensive Care. Harper served as chair of the NKU Foundation from 1997 to 2002 and was also chair and president of the Thomas More College Advisory Board.

Throughout his lifetime of service, Harper has received numerous accolades, including the Kenton County Jaycees Outstanding Young Man Award in 1960, the Kentucky Jaycees John F. Kennedy Award for outstanding contributions to state government in 1966, the Kentucky Educational Television Public Service Award in 2016 and the Kenton County Pioneer Award in 2021.

Harper is quick to acknowledge that his late wife, Eileen, who held leadership roles in various community and political committees and commissions, was an integral partner in all of his achievements. At the heart of his life are his family members: his late wife Eileen, five children, seven grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

## HONORARY DEGREE RECIPIENT



**Oakley Farris** Doctor of Business

Oakley Farris has been a dedicated supporter of Northern Kentucky University, making a significant impact through his philanthropic efforts and commitment to the university and its students. His legacy goes beyond financial contributions, reflecting his passion for education, community development and cultural enrichment.

One of his most notable contributions is the establishment of various campus spaces and programs named in his honor, including the Eva G. & Oakley Farris Leadership Academy, the Eva G. & Oakley Farris Amphitheater and the Eva G. Farris Reading Room in Steely Library. These initiatives aim to empower students and foster collaboration and growth. Each has provided valuable resources to NKU students and faculty, offering venues for academic, social and professional development.

Farris has also created scholarships that have opened doors for many students, particularly first-generation and low-income individuals. Along with his late wife Eva, he founded the Eva G. Farris Informatics Scholarship and the Eva G. Farris Business Endowed Scholarships, which have helped alleviate the financial burdens of higher education for over two decades.

Beyond NKU, Farris has transformed Covington, Kentucky, through his support of revitalization efforts, public art and cultural initiatives. He commissioned five bronze statues to celebrate the city's history and led the creation of the Legacy Floodwall murals, enriching Covington's cultural landscape. He has also supported local institutions, including St. Elizabeth Medical Center and The Carnegie Visual and Performing Arts Center, reflecting his belief in the transformative power of education and the arts.

Farris' life story is a testament to resilience, determination and a deep commitment to others. Born in 1924 in Gray, Kentucky, he served as a machine gunner in World War II before launching a successful real estate career with the Woodford Company. His entrepreneurial success allowed him to contribute significantly to his community and NKU.

Throughout his life, Farris has been guided by a strong sense of purpose and a desire to enhance the lives of others. His partnership with his late wife, Eva, who shared his passion for community development and education, has been a cornerstone of his philanthropic efforts. Together, they established a legacy that continues to benefit generations of students and residents in the region.

In recognition of his contributions, Farris has received numerous awards, including the Lincoln Award from NKU in 2013 and induction into the Kentucky Veterans Hall of Fame in 2017 and the Voices of Giving Award from the Greater Cincinnati Planned Giving Council in 2011. His unwavering commitment to education, community enhancement and NKU continues to define his remarkable legacy.

## **ORDER OF EXERCISES, 10 A.M. CEREMONY**

#### **Academic Processional**

Jacqueline Emerine President, NKU Faculty Senate **Grand Marshal** 

### **National Anthem**

Francis Scott Key

Jathan Briscoe ('26) Gabby Casto ('25) Katie Chambers ('26) Kelly Messer ('25) Students in the School of the Arts

### **Welcome and Opening Remarks**

Diana McGill Provost and Executive Vice President for Academic and Student Affairs

### **Recognition of Faculty and Staff**

Diana McGill

### **Conferring of Honorary Degree**

Cady Short-Thompson President, Northern Kentucky University

Kenneth F. Harper Doctor of Education

### Remarks on Behalf of the Class of 2025

Sandra Oñate Muñoz ('25) College of Arts and Sciences

### Charge to Graduates

Cady Short-Thompson

### **Presentation of the Northern Kentucky University Class of 2025**

Diana McGill

### **Conferring of Degrees**

Cady Short-Thompson

### **Presentation of Candidates for Degrees** in the College of Arts and Sciences

**Bethany Bowling** Dean, College of Arts and Sciences

### **Presentation of Candidates for Degrees** in the College of Informatics

Kevin G. Kirby Dean, College of Informatics

### **Presentation of Candidates for Degrees** in the College of Education

Ginni Fair Dean, College of Education

### **Invitation to the Alumni Association** and Closing Remarks

Jamie Holtzapfel ('03) President, NKU Alumni Board of Directors

#### **Alma Mater**

Original lyrics and melody Charles Wiley rev. Carolyn Hagner/harm. Kurt Sander

Jathan Briscoe ('26) Gabby Casto ('25) Katie Chambers ('26) Kelly Messer ('25) Students in the School of the Arts

### Recessional

## **COLLEGE OF ARTS & SCIENCES**

#### Associate of Arts

Savannah Mackenzie Acosta Adriana Saray Albarran Madison Ann Bentley ++ Railynn Brown + Caitlin Jessica Buck ++ Ethan Christopher Burroughs ++ Addilyn Ann Cary Tristen Michael Chandler ++ Addison Makana Clifton ++ Kellen Douglas Clifton + Jessie Geralyn Cochran ++ Rachel Elizabeth Combs + Jeremiah Alexandria Cook Daniela Selena Coronado Pablo Peyton Renee Cov + Duncan Tyler Crenshaw ++ Allea McKenna Flake ++ Leah Nicole Hammel + Carly Ann Herald ++ Siena Lynn Jackson Ben Joaquin Jasper Briley Young Kelly Samantha Ashley Kenan Ashley Renee Koenig Cole Allan Koenig Kara Isabelle Lambert Joseph Michael Land Kylie Belle Lovins + Joseph Michael Martin Brooke McDuffie Samuel Aiden Miller Maxwell Houston Grant Mullins Bailee Lynn Murphy Allysan Marie Norris-Powell + Aiden Joseph Parlette + Jenna Marie Ray Jessica Marie Renaker Julian Isaac Robles Adalie Kay Ryan Latrice Denae Smith-Foster Melissa Abigail Soto-Temaj Lilyanne Frances St. Clair ++ Ash Jet Still ++ Owen Matthew Stulz Amanda Lee Taylor ++ Jayden M. Tenkotte Hannah Joy Thomas +

Jai'Lynn Maelsha Tomlin

Devan Frank Volkering

Sofia Grace Virzi ++

Kayden Nicole Wehrman Ashelyn Grace Wiseman + Peyton Allen Young Amelia Lynn Zink +

### **Bachelor of Arts**

Simon William Abanto \*\* Claire R. Abdo \*\* Morgan Kestel Ackerman Blue Kay Adams \*\* Isabella Grace Allison \* Evanne J. Anderson Megan Hannah Arn Trisha Dawn Arnett Savannah Paige Arnold \* Logan Daniel Arrasmith \*\* Elizabeth F. Athearn Caroline Augenstein \* Emma Grace Baisden Gracie Rose Baker Aubry Ball \* Celina Barco \* Mackenzie Ann Basl \*\*\* Victoria Elizabeth Baumgartner \* Parker Renee Beal Laura Michelle Beane-Wright Blake Matthew Belcher \* Journey Alexandria Bell \* Ryland Scott Bergman Gavin Matthew Bergman Keller Blair **Brennan Blevins** Macey Blevins \*\* Kelsey Boone Madison Elizabeth Boone Samantha Christine Boothby Gavin Xavier Borchers \* Aaron Boster \*\* Myka Lee Bounds Todd Matthew Bowman Shannon Boyce Kassidy Jo Boyce Jacqueline Bray McKenna Grace Brennen Kelly Elise Brewer \*\*\* Kathleen A. Brock Chloe Faye Burkhart Lucy Kathryn Burns \*\*\* ◊ Jessica Faye Caithamer \*\* Zoey Elizabeth Clair Campbell

Katherine Mae Capps \*\*\* Vincent Edward Cardosi Raegan Christine Carlisle Haley Marie Carnahan Jonoah Janai Carter Taylor Nicole Chaille \* ◊ Tyler Mason Chambers \* Asha Chekanao \*\* Cade Eric Chisman \* Minheui Choi \* Sibelle Riley Chow \*\* Olivia Cieslar \*\* Angelina Christen Cole Payton Elizabeth Combs \*\* ◊ Anthony Comparetto \*\*\* Aaron Alexander Cook \*\* ◊ Alyssa Kaylee Covington \* Stephanie Nichole Crawford Melanie Crespo \*\* ◊ Amanda Lea Crowell \*\*\* Janet Cruz Aguario Aleah Cull \*\* Oliver Kai Davis Kailee Davis Summer Skye Dechristopher Chelsea D. Dishman Samuel Edward Dittenber Emily Dizdarevic \* Arielle Domaschko Lauren Elisabeth Duff Riley Elizabeth Dungan Xavier Ecarma \* Kaden Michael Echeman Sean Michael Edwards Macey Nicole Egloff \* Kinsey Andrew Elliott \* Lauren Ashley Ellis \* Joshua Taylor Embry Elizabeth Grace Enneking \*\* Hailey Esseck Wade Garrett Estes Jake Taylor Evans Darian Rae Eytchison \*\*\* Abigail Grace Figart Hannah Fite Madison Marie Fowler \*\*\* Shannon Marie Frazier Katelyn Elizabeth Frederick Tanner James Freeman \* Genevieve Esther Friesen \*\* Casey Paige Fulton

Ryan Edward Canterbury

Justin Daniel Gabbard \*\* Timothy Maguire Garvey Colin Jefferson Gastright \*\* Juliann Tatiana Gibbs Abbigail Corine Gibson Ella Detmer Goebel \* Liz Rachel Gonzalez Barrios Madison Marie Griffith \* Natalee Joanne Grigson Kurt Gary Grossman Calissta Lacey Gruber Aissa Stacia Gabriela Guerra Rodney Skyler Haddix Ryan Christopher Hall Peyton Hall \* Riley Nicole Hamblin Abigail Paige Hamilton \* Ellie Sophia Hughes Hanks Karter Jay Hann Breanna Hardy Melissa Hehman \* Baylee Ann Helton \*\* Alexis Marin Henize \*\* Matthew Hickman \* Catessa Higby Maxwell Joeseph Hill Ashtyn Hines \*\*\* Brian Hinkle Julia Hoevel Braylen D. Hoffman Andrew Eric Hogarth Abrianna A. Holt \*\*\* Ethan Alexander Hudson Finnegan N. Huff \* ◊ Maria Icard Keeyan Wade Itejere \* McKenna Raynn Jackson Damien Tye Jaggers Noah David Jobert \* Amari Johnson \*\*\* ◊ Jake Allen Johnson Sebadiah Joy Sam Hunter Gail Zayd Kakel Samantha Strata Kasser \* Mia Katherine Keene Brianna Ariel Kelly Olivia Grace Kern Amanda Jean Ketron Leah Grace Ketron \* Madeline H. Ketron Dana Kierzkowski Casey Michelle King ◊ Jonathan Thomas Klayer \*\* Sadie Ann Knipp \* Jeffrey Steven Kohls Connor Wayne Kurki Kalissa J. Lacy \* Caitlin Marie Lane \*\*\* Adam Larkin

Nancy Hong An Le Ryleigh Grace Lett Lexy Rae Lewis \*\* Rachel Gabrielle Little \* Krisalyn A. Littlepage \*\*\* Allison Jane Longnecker Paige Kathryn Lowe Kayla Lucas \*\*\* Diwash Magar Cassidy Martin Skylar Nicole Martin Jaide Elizabeth Massey Aaron Massie Lindsey Marie Mcclay Braden James Mccormick Jacob McDaniel \* Megan Noelle McElhaney Elias McKain Patricia Lynn McKnight Sydney Korin McMain \*\* Allexa Melendrez Lopez Samantha Mell Briana Truth Melvin \*\* Mya Meredith \* Elijah Roland Meyung April Milner Katelynn Morgan Natalia Paz Andrea Munoz ◊ Kaylie Rebecca Myers Shaelynn Kawai'ola Nacua \* Justin Newton Benjamin Noel \* Lacie Paige Ollberding \*\*\* Amina Noor Omar ◊ Alicia O'Neal Toilynn O'Neal Turner Daniella L. Ostorga Jordan Taylor Ottaway \*\*\* Abigail Lee Oxendine Sydney Ozment \*\* Leo-Paul Palacio Morgan Ashley Palmer \* Charles David Patten \*\*\* Kayla Marie Peery Dylan Cole Perez \* Aaron Matthew Perkins \* Paul Daniel Pfeiffer \*\*\* Isaiah Phillips Qhovia Malaysia Phillips \* Colin Paul Pittman James Daniel Porter III \*\*\* ◊ Haley Mae Prim \* Jordana Eastman Pullem Heather Christina Rauch \*\* Elisha Joseph Redman Duncan Neal Redman Emily M. Reed Emmalynne Grace Reeves \*\* ◊ Daniel Augustus Reyes

Mia Ellen Ridgway Trinity Faith Robertson \* Luke William Robinson \*\*\* Brittany Ann Robinson Wendi Gail Rood \* Dominic Ross \*\* Jordyn Elizabeth Rowe \*\* Brennan Dale Rowe Justin Daniel Rush Raele Jaye Ruschman Lilian Darlene Ryle Noah Sackenheim Oksana Marie Schornak Maggie Harris Schroeder \*\*\* Mark Ross Schutzman \*\*\* ◊ Nena Kiran Schwartz \*\*\* Jazzy Scott Kyla K. Searp Theodore Elliot Sells \*\* Tyler Jerome Shaneyfelt \* Justin Silverman \*\*\* Ian Simpson Stephanie Sims \* Jamie Emily Shamieh Singleton \*\* Randall Dalton Sizemore Allison Elizabeth Skaggs \*\*\* Richard Smart \* Christopher Smith Abigail Elizabeth Smith Jadyn Smith Sarah Nicole Smith Tori G. Solar \*\* Tadgh Birmingham Spalding Joseph James Earl Sparks Kailey Spencer Taylor Cai Staggs Nathan Stammer \*\* Annabelle Barton Stansel Emily E. Stephens \*\*\* Tracy Marie Stevens \*\*\* Rebecca Chase Stewart Maria Elizabeth Stone \*\*\* Jacob Ian Stone William Prise Strong \*\* Lauren Tedeschi \* Samuel Thoburn Logan Thomas Matelyn Brielle Thomas \*\* Nathaniel Joseph Thomas Ivy Thomas Lily Marin Thomas \* Joseph Eugene Thompson Logan James Thompson Gladys Ann Katelin Tillman Addison Mae Tissandier Sarai Toledo Vasquez Madison Nicole Tracy \*\* Thien Y. Tran \*\*\* Mac Valentine

Elizabeth Valladares-Valles \*\*\* ◊ Alexis Danielle Vander Yacht \* Marissa Vestal Jenna Marie Vogelpohl \*\* John Gabriel Wagner Madison Alyse Walters \* Nate Edward Walther \*\*\* Emily Louise Ware Meredith Grace Wasson \* Jade Waters Logan Paul Welzel Jaclyn M. Wenhold Sara Natalie Wiedeman \*\* Kvlie Willis Macy M. Wilson Travis Michael Daulton Wilson Ashlynne Kathleen Wind Brittany Lanay Winkler Sarah Wires Ashley Wood Josiah Samuel Wright \* Kariana Wyatt \* Eunice Pentsiwaa Yankson Mollie R. Yauch Abby Ann York \* Saki Zapote Isabelle Zerhusen \*\* Ashley Elizabeth Zurborg

### **Bachelor of Fine Arts**

Carrington Adams Anna Katherine Berry \* ◊ Hunter Lee Broyles \*\*\* Gabrielle Joy Casto \*\*\* Tasha Ann Conzelman \*\* Audrey Mae Dant \*\*\* Kiley Grace Ernst \*\* ◊ Marcia Ellen Fortner \*\*\* Ray Julian Garcia \* Khanh Le Ngoc Ha \*\* Jasmine Humphrey Kristin Marie Kaufman \*\* ◊ Maelee Knauer \*\* Ashley Lewis Flora Gissel Martinez \* Maxine Louise Mason Kelly Barbara Messer \*\*\* Sean Mize Peyton Makoto Oka \*\* Olive Pfalz \* Josephine Renee Phipps \*\* Aslyn Ella Rose Prather Mark Ross Schutzman \*\*\* ◊ Aly Marie Senger \*\* Wyatt Stafford \*\*\* Angelida Louise Stewart ◊ Hez Rheann Sumner \*\*\* Mollie Elizabeth Tagher \*\*\* ◊ Allyson Ruth van Haaren \*

Connie Ann Lynn Viars \*\*\* Hades Whalen \*\*\* ◊ Annie Yuan

### **Bachelor of Music**

Meg Virginia Booker \*\*\* Victoria Ivory Jackson Noah Benjamin Jacobsen \*\*\* ◊ Peyton Michael Wallace

### **Bachelor of Music Education**

Garrett Robert Adams Abigail Cole \*\*\* Lisa Nicole Malsom \*\*\* Emily Reese Pettigrew \*\*\* James Robert Renton ◊ Madeline Rose St. Germain \*\* ◊ Peyton Michael Wallace

**Bachelor of Science** Mohamed Ali Fawzi Alragheb Fredy Omar Alvarez Jack Matthew Archie \*\*\* ◊ Chandler Thomas Ashcraft Joseph Shiloh Ashley Caroline Augenstein \* Kendra Joe Baker \*\* Garrett Lee Beiting Benjamin Lewis Berger Jordan Randolph Bezold Blake Andrew Biddle Savana Blanchet Miranda Lei-Ann Blevins Amber Nicole Board \*\*\* Seth August Bozarth Joi Nicole Bradley Catherine Elizabeth Branch \*\*\* ◊ Kvla Reese Brinkman Brandon Michael Scott Brooks-Patton \*\* Anh Thuc Bui \* Madeline Rae Buroker Jaycie Eryn Bussell \* ◊ Juan Jose Calderon Maxton Zane Cantrell Isabella Grace Carr \*\*\* Ian Oak Castellano \*\*\* Jordan Elizabeth Clark Ashley Lynn Collins \* Natalie Nikole Creech \*\* Morgan Madison Daniels Chloe Mei Ting Dearing \* Conner Steven DeGarmoe Ashley Brianna Denney \*\* Matthew Fisher Dennison

Zoe Elise Epplen \*\*\* David Daniel Erion Lydia Marie Ernst Elizabeth Farwick \*\*\* ◊ Alicia Rose Flores \*\*\* Victoria Katherine Flores \*\* Kaycie Leigh Frasure Spencer Gammons \* Ethan Lawrence Garrett Autumn Rose Garrigus Zach Grau Jason Paul Grothaus \*\* William Andrew Grube ◊ Yimin Guo Curtis William Harmon \*\* Trevor Alan Harms \* Karra Mae Hendrickson Bao Khuyen Ho \* Paige Ann Hodgson \* Rachel Holadav \* Chloe Renee Hopper Justin Michael Hungler Julia Ray Hunt Jeffrey Alan Joering Joshua David Johnson \*\* Abigail Lauren Jones \*\* Katelyn Rose Judd \* Tate McEwan Judge \*\*\* Ashlyn Elizabeth Kendrick ◊ Giovanna Kreischer Alexiana Taylor Kuechler Anabel Jade Lillie Peyton Allen Machcinski Yongkang Mao Sergey Maslov Abigail Masters Blaine William McCarthy Hannah Sue McDaniel MacKenzie Natalie Mechley \*\* Stephanie A. Messmer Derek Christian Mlejnek \* Abilene Rowan Morgan Addison Reid Musk \* Ebenezer Goodman Ashie Nikoi Olivia Goziem Onodu \* Josh Ordu Boluwatife Faith Osifalujo \* ◊ Lily Ann Otto Nirmal Pandit \*\* Olivia Grace Pastin \* Aaron Matthew Perkins \* Duong Ngoc Thuy Pham \*\* Hunter Wade Pike Faith Hope Piraro \* ◊ Shelby A. Pitts Jenna Marie Planeaux \* William Pretty Alyssa Raye Queen

Hajar Elayyadi \*\*

Avery Rohan DeVore \*\*

Madisyn Deena Eads ◊

Son Thai Do \*\*

Amber Mckayla Robertson \*\* Slate P. Robinson Mickhya Michalon Rodgers Alyssa Renee Saylor \* Carissa Rose Schassberger Ethan Thomas Schnee \*\*\* Justin Lee Schnurr \*\*\* Cecilia Anne Schroer Mackenna Bree Schroth Haley Evelyn Renae Seth \* Matthew Thomas Setters \*\* Apurba Kantha Sharma \* Joshua John Shockey ◊ Evan Jeffrey Shriver Abhishek Kumar Singh ◊ Rachael Brooke Smith Lauren Elizabeth Souther Susan Olivia Sterling \*\*\* Brianna Marie Sweeney ◊ Alyssa Jayne Sweeney Samuel Tadese \*\* Khydesia Teasley \* Zachary Andrew Trice ◊ Zach Trinkle \*\*\* Bianca Ilene Turner \*\*\* ◊ Allison Lexi Turner \*\*\* ◊ Michaela Vogel ◊ Xinyao Wan \* Shenghang Wang Kayleigh Weber \* David Thomas Weller Shayla Wheeldon Kendall Jade Wiedemann Gabrielle Reese Williams ◊ Madison Marie Williams Kelly Michele Woeste Riley Isabella Wolsing Jonathan Leonard Works Ivy Young \*\*

### **Graduate Certificate**

Mia Ziegler

Trey Zinsmeister

Robert Larue Bartlett Hannah Bishop Rachel Carman Makenzie Irelyn Finneran Megan Gautraud Cayley Ginn Hannah Heisler Kendall Hyams Lauren Marie Matakovich Christopher Neeld Jacob Newton Juliann Rose Alexis Ross Andrea Carol Sharp

### Master of Arts in English

Megan Gautraud Jacob Newton Alexis Ross Jade Taylor Shelby Vornberger

### **Master of Arts in Public History**

Shannon Browning Alisha Marie Burnett Karly L. Kursell Katrina Joy Kursell Sarah Morford Adelaide Rose Reese Christopher James Riehl Jennifer Deanna Roberts Jamie Francis Thompson

### **Master of Public Administration**

Rachel Carman Christopher H. Courtney Lauren Nicole Elliott Cayley Ginn Sandra Guadalupe Oñate Muñoz Juliann Rose Mark J. Sanders Andrea Carol Sharp Pierce Jacob Turner

### Master of Science in Industrial-**Organizational Psychology**

Hannah Bishop Jenna Brady Makenzie Irelyn Finneran Megan Groeschen Hannah Joy Heisler Kendall Hyams Lauren Marie Matakovich Michael Robert McGimsey Christopher Neeld Lindsey Ellen Totten Eugene Robert Vowels II

## COLLEGE OF INFORMATICS

### **Undergraduate Certificate**

Joshua John Shockey

#### **Bachelor of Arts**

Sara Jennifer Allen \* Ian Thomas Barker Hunter Emmanuel Black Allison Blair Emma Grace Blankenship Caroline G. Bohannon \*\* Kellie Briaht Mariah Brown Eric Joseph Brown \*\* Amirra Alexis Channell Lucy Fay Cluxton \*\*\* Brianna Leigh Collins Trinity Snow Cosby Lydia Nicole Dailey \*\*\* Makayla Lynn Deaton Connor Andrew DeCalonne Amanda Elizabeth DeHamer Henry James Digennaro \*\*

Kaitlynn Dillion Dax Reece Dryden Wesley Jay Emmert \*\*\* Logan Patrick Enxel Kiley Grace Ernst \*\* ◊ Nathaniel Ferguson \*\* David James Fischer

Anthony Stephen Elmer Gentry \*\*\*

Sophia Glaser \*\*\* ◊ Alex Gonzalez-Perez \* Billy David Gordon III William Carter Gregg Summer Leanna Guttridge Lucas

Khanh Le Ngoc Ha \*\*

Carlyann Marie Hall Jordan Trent Hatfield \*\* Sarah Machelle Helton \* Brian Kole Hester \*\*\* Diana Frances Marie Hodge

Lillian Charlotte Hoerr \*

Mara Holifield \* Misti Rain Hopper

Torie Houston

Jameson Lee Howard \* Macy Alexandra Huron \*\*

Austin Christopher Jameison \*\*\*

Miles Alexander Johnson

Katrina Jones Joshua Braden Kalb Ojashwi K C \* Ariana Kecskes

Autumn Mary Claire Kellerman

Jillian Marie Kohls \* Mary Alice Kruse \* Blake Antony Lehmann Harlem Lennox

Jennifer D. Long \*\*\*

Kylie Inara Lael McCulloch ◊ Jack William McMillen

Connor Reas McNabb \*\*\* Kelly Barbara Messer \*\*\*

Jamie Miller

Michael Robert Moore \*

Alaina Moore \* ◊ Lily Kate Moore

Kyle Neace

Paul John Nikolai

Joshua Aaron Northcutt

Lubombo Odette

Haley Mae Prim \* Jordan Reece Ramsey

Cameron S. Riley \*\*

Eric James Ritter \*

Eva Roa Martinez

Madison Tyler Rodgers Ashlynn Nichole Roe \*

Emma Grace Rogers \*

Garrett Michael Scott

Emily Dawn Sisk \*\*\*

Sarah Margaret Smith \*\*

Miles Mcclellan Sower \*\*

Danielle Coette Sullivan \*

Tri Thanh Vo

Gabriel Richard Vogelpohl Alexus Summer Williams Aedom Anteneh Worku \*\*

Ella Marie Wulfeck

Lilly Yordy

### **Bachelor of Science**

Khaleel Jamal Abujarad Shreya Acharya Milo Adams \* Ankur Adhikari \* Salem Nasser Alajmi Kaleab Tesfaye Alemu \*\*\* Noel Caden Allen Hamad Musallam Almansoori William Brooks Arthur Manogya Aryal \* ◊

Nahom Rezene Beyene \*\*

Suman Bhandari \*

Bryce Fredrick Bien \*

Justin Kyle Bolling \*\*\*

Tristan Tyler Brock

Amaya Tiana Bryant \*

Matthew James Buckingham

Pragyan Budhathoki \*\*

Ricky Lee Carrier

Geoffrey Philip Clare \*

Christopher Michael Clark \*

Michael Dwight Clark

Benjamin Brian Coburn \*\*\*

Savannah Collett

Colevy Allen Collins \*\*\*

Emily Elizabeth Combs \*

Will Harrison Cuthbert \*\*

Ashton John Davey \*\*\* ◊

Zane Ross DeVore \*\*

Khang Nguyen Do \*\*

Alanna Danielle Evans \*\*

John Ewing

William Michael Farthing \*\*

Ethan Galloway

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Brennan Hook \*

Emma Nicole Hopkins

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Gina Johnson \*

Abigail Lauren Jones \*\*

Matthew Kaiser

Ashok K C \*\*

Shiva Khatri Khatri \*

Cassidy Hope Klave \*\*

Cheyenne Korda \*\*

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**Dexter Christian Walters** Jackson Lawerence Wise \*\*\* Raymond Anthony Wright II Abhishek Yadav Aayush Kumar Yadav Bryan Lee Yelton

### **Graduate Certificate**

Madison Baker Sarah Elizabeth Stevens Byrd Kerry Renee Covert Heather Gard Jaci Jones

### Master of Arts in Communication

Madison Baker Sarah Elizabeth Stevens Byrd Heather Gard Miles Parroco Vanessa Wieland Steele

### Master of Science in **Business Informatics**

Cameron Bates Abby Nicole Cook Ashley JoAnn Fischer Jacob Puentes Jeffrey Gene Renner Maria Michele Zampino-Clarke

### Master of Science in Cybersecurity

Tolu I Akinrinola Mikheil Akopovi Lashagiorgi Alavidze Muruts Hlawe Araya George Basiladze Vazha Bichiashvili Tasha Marie Blanton Nana Bolkvadze Irine Burduli Tamar Burjanadze Antonio Butler Joni Choniadze Valery Dzamukashvili Zurab Dzindzibadze Giorgi Eliava Avtandil Gaboshvili Khatia Gaprindashvili Levan Gelashvili Giorgi Ghibradze Jay Robert Gieske Lasha Gogilava **Gregory Gomes** Medethon Sunday Junaid Rusudan Kakhishvili Ana Kakhishvili

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### Master of Science in **Health Informatics**

Amber Zee

Andrew Garry Bowyer Tony El Jabbour Deega Ibrahim Roble Ameera Sagr Mark Sketch Trang Thi Thuy Son Krisshawnda L. Stallworth Lensa Fiseha Temesgen Lesby Zavala

Eunice Tuffour \*

Gaurab Bahadur Upreti \*

Jacob David Wainscott \*\*

## **COLLEGE OF EDUCATION**

### **Bachelor of Arts**

Hannah Christine Collette Adkins Grace Elizabeth Anderson Hannah M. Andino-Gautier \* Grant Steven Barnhill \*\*\* Olivia Grace Blake ◊ Jo Compton \* Brianna Connelly \*\* Sydney Frances Coop \*\* Jillian Dysert Hope Lian Evans \*\* Abigail Nicole Foltz \*\*\* Bethany Anne Griffin \* Emma Grace Gugel \* Lauren Marie Hetteberg \*\* Alyssa Marie Hiatt \* Ashley Nicole Holbrook \* Madison Marie Howell Lauren Grace Kent \*\*\* Olivia Jane Lawson Sarah Jane Lewis \*\*\* Ashlyn Renae Marksberry Hayley Marguerite Martin \* Sydney Lynn Melton \*\* ◊ Lelana Moore Charles David Patten \*\*\* Camille Grace Pauley Alexis Mackenzie Peterson \*\*\* Amber Renee Phelps \*\* Elizabeth Anne Quinn \*\*\* Madison Elizabeth Redlinger \*\* Alyssa Redman \* Sarah Joyce Releford Ava Joan Rosenstiel \*\*\* Lorena Sanchez Kylie Grace Scherder

Layla Camille Scott \* Cassie Elizabeth Shotwell \*\* Amber Renee Smith \*\* Hannah Smith \*\* Meagan Smith \*\* Elli Johanna Steffen \*\*\* Amanda Marie Stoneback Kassidy Sue Taylor \* Danielle Rose Terbovich \*\* Clara Miller Welch \* Madisyn Rochelle Welch \* Victoria Anne Wohlfarth \*

### **SHEP Program**

The goal of the Supported Higher Education Project (SHEP) at NKU is to provide college access to students of all abilities, creating an inclusive campus. The students who graduate from this program earn College to Career Certificates for their meaningful contributions to the campus community. Joe Gerstle Nate Palermo

#### Master of Arts in Education

Robyn Kay Ballinger Allison Conley Christian Ann Davis Robin Nicole Donlin Shana Rae Donskey Kayla Marie Dozier Katie Sue Elkus Jerrilee Dean Grubbs Emma Hotopp Madison Kathleen May Stephen James Norbury Miranda Rian Raper Courtney Elizabeth Revell Anne Nicole Tassi Abigail Taylor Teegarden Marti Lou Tungate Kandice Marie Williams

### Master of Arts in Teaching

Ariana Evalise Berrios Camryn Brown Alivia Marie Elsbernd Claire E. Lusk Stephen Terkula

### **Education Specialist**

Eric Matthew Campbell Melissa G. Craft Lisa Joan Darner Sarah Beth Hammond Tavia Shalonda Hundley Kendall Dewayne Lacey Laura E. McDonald Savannah Leigh Montano Yenixsi T. Morales Valentin April Clark Myres Melissa Renee Napier Sarah Nash Joy Patrick Shayna Rhiann Richter Christine Joan Scott Christina Marie Dillon Shepherd Jennifer Marlene Woolf Andria Joy Nichelle Wynn

### **Doctor of Education**

Amanda Bell

Courageous Learning: A Curriculum for Teaching Social-Emotional Skills, Empowering Students with Extensive Support Needs Melissa Jones, PhD; Lisa Mauthe, EdD; Deborah Amend, PhD

Amy Danzo

Institutional Obstacles to Advising Undergraduate Students Toward Credit-for-Prior Learning at a Four-Year Regional, Public University: A Survey of Advisors Melissa Jones, PhD; Melissa Moon, PhD; Mathew Bergman, PhD Carolyn Noe Spoonies: A Serious Game About Chronic Illness Melissa Jones, PhD; Lisa Mauthe, EdD; Jason Cox, PhD

## **ORDER OF EXERCISES, 3 P.M. CEREMONY**

### **Academic Processional**

Jacqueline Emerine President, NKU Faculty Senate Grand Marshal

### **National Anthem**

Francis Scott Key

Jathan Briscoe ('26) Gabby Casto ('25) Katie Chambers ('26) Kelly Messer ('25) Students in the School of the Arts

### Welcome and Opening Remarks

Diana McGill Provost and Executive Vice President for Academic and Student Affairs

### **Recognition of Faculty and Staff**

Diana McGill

### **Conferring of Honorary Degree**

Cady Short-Thompson President, Northern Kentucky University

Oakley Farris **Doctor of Business** 

### Remarks on Behalf of the Class of 2025

JP Ampfer ('25) Haile College of Business

### Charge to Graduates

Cady Short-Thompson

### **Presentation of the Northern Kentucky University Class of 2025**

Diana McGill

### **Conferring of Degrees**

Cady Short-Thompson

### **Presentation of Candidates for Degrees** in the Haile College of Business

Hassan HassabElnaby Dean, Haile College of Business

### **Presentation of Candidates for Degrees** in the College of Health and Human Services

Gannon Tagher Dean, College of Health and Human Services

### Invitation to the Alumni Association and Closing Remarks

Alyse Hoffer ('08, '11) Vice President, NKU Alumni Board of Directors

#### Alma Mater

Original lyrics and melody Charles Wiley rev. Carolyn Hagner/harm. Kurt Sander

Jathan Briscoe ('26) Gabby Casto ('25) Katie Chambers ('26) Kelly Messer ('25) Students in the School of the Arts

#### Recessional

## HAILE COLLEGE OF BUSINESS

### **Bachelor of Science**

Fawwaaz Ademola Abdulazeez \* Bitanya Shewangizaw Adane \*\*\* Jason Scott Albers \* JoVahn Deshawn Allen Kawthar Ghazi Almohsen John Paul Ampfer \*\* Evelyn Crystal Aragon Hernandez

Jude Dawoud Asad \*

Abigail Elaine Ashbaugh Colton Ball

Josephine Marguerite Barnett-Inman \* **Eulise Barney** 

Gracie Anne Baun \*\*\* Kelsey Dalena Dee Bentley Tyler Benjamin Berting

Justin Robert Bertke \* Agnibha Bhattacharya \*\*

Garrett Bisson Chloe Saitip Boa \*\*\* Kelsey Boone

Brayden Lee Bornhorn Savannah Nichole Briedis Christian Jordan Brown Cristopher D. Brown Jackson Brown Zachary Lee Brown Colton David Bruegge

Mackenzie Leigh Bryant

**Brett Bush** Yana Byrd

Carina Angelica Calderon \*

Carmen Calhoun Michael Eric Campbell \*

Chingwen Leia Chan \*

Jason Chen <sup>\*</sup> Olivia Ann Cole Jeffery Collins \*

Alexander Andrew Cook Aleaha Haven Cook \*\* Danielle Renee' Cosby Jalyn Nicole Cottrell Brandon William Crist Cole Anthony Dant Mai Hoang Cuc Dao \*

Norman Darnell Amanda Elizabeth DeHamer Anthony Reed DiTullio \*

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Gage Bryan Dollenmeyer

McAuley Caldwell Duckworth

Brooke A. Eckert David Eggie

Logan Terrance Elmore

Parker Falvey Holly Farwell

Paige Jordan Ferguson Nicholas Alan Ferguson Kara Nichole Ferry \* Abigail L. Fessler

Matthew James Fischer \*\* Benjamin Paul Flach **Brodrick Clayton Flaherty** 

Gabriel Flores \*

Jackson Perree Fraser \*\*\* Benjamin Edward Gallus Nicholas Jay Goodwin

Justin Graner \*

Frances Cecile Granlund \*\*

Amelia Hale Brady Hall \*\* Kenneth Hall Zachary Ellis Hall \* Ryan Edward Hallinan Christina Brooke Hamilton Griffin Arther Hammond Adam Matthew Hanson \*\* Jacob Mansfield Haskins \*\* Paula Paige Hauke \*\*\* Addison Rose Hayden Jasmine Nicole Heeger Mattie Heishman \*\* Austin Michael Helmer Noah Timothy Helmes

Griffin Aaron Henderson \*\* Tate Mathison Hermann

Mariajose Hernandez Coronado \*\*

Logan Timothy Hinkle Biak Tha Hnen

Sarah Elizabeth Holden Thomas M. Holtz

Evelyn Huff \*\* Bryen Coy Hunt Garett Homer Jack Thomas Jefferey Jehn Cody Ray Johnson \*

Caleb Jones

Mackenzie Renee Jump Vincent Van Den Berg Knott \*\* Simon Matthias Knuewe \*\* Charlotte Ann Koehler

Uriah Mackenzee Kordish \*\*\* Lacey Nicole Kremer

Jack Michael Kuhlman Parker Abrev Kyle

Thomas Martin Lane Taylor Olivia Lang

Caleb Lanyi \* Abigail Leach \*\*\* Ashley Lynn Joyner \*\*\*

Sarah Cady Lingren \*\*\* ◊

Justin Ray Little \* Devon Wade Little \*\*\* Evan James Lohmiller Bradyn Kenneth Lee Lyons

Tyler Michael Malay Corey Gene Mariko Jacob Nicholas Marsh Kasey Alanah Martin **Emily Lynn Martin** Thomas Noah Martin

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Sean Christopher Meyer \*\* Alex Kennedy Miles \* McKenna Lynn Mineer Tyler Lewis Mitts

Mason Morgan Mletzko \* Andrew Douglas Molter \*\* Kayla Renee Morgan

**Bailey Moses** 

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Derek Martin Olding Allyssa Michelle Osborn \*\*\* Aayusha Pandit \*\* Logan Lee Park \*

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Bennett Curtis Pederson Ryan Loflin Pehrson

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Sophia Lynn Reed

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Bailey Megan Rice \*\*\*

Carson Michael Roark Ashtyn Hope Robbins

Luis Aleiandro Roio \*\*\* ◊

Christina Roy

Hope Katelynn Russell \*\*

Ashley Jane Sanders \*

Anastasia Jane Schneider \*\*\*

Blair Elizabeth Schott

Jonathan Hunter Schultz

Kyle David Schwab \*\*

Kyle Matthew Scruggs

Nicholas Terry Seibert \*

Eva Semenova \*\*\*

Lilly Alexandra Senger \*\*

Apurba Kantha Sharma \*

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Beverly Onice Silva

Hunter Spahn

Jessica Elizabeth Spradlin \*\*\*

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Emma Katherine Strunk \*

Nina Darin Sturm \*

Rafe McKinnon Sweeney

Leah Nicole Swetnam

Emmanuel Tochukwu Tabugbo \*\*

Sulav Thapa \*

Michael Reagan Tirey \*\*

Michela Elizabeth Turner

Marin Rose Tuzzolo \*\*\*

Diana Vana

Nathaniel Valentine Vara \*\*

Karen Renee Velosky

Stephen Michael Verst \*\*\*

Sam Edward Vinson

Alyssia Karina Vivero

Maliyah Bri-Ann Wagner

Haylee Elizabeth Waid \*

Brandon C. Wells

Larry Charles West

John Wharton \*\*

Andrew White

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David Brian Wilson Jessica Marie Wilzbach

Eric Stephen Wingerberg \*

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Chenille Wright \*

Jeffrey John Wright \*

Kendra N. Young

### **Master of Accountancy**

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Collins Bakia

Stephanie Geeslin

Holly Suzanne Hannis

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Prudence Alexander Medici

Allie Marie Moore

Maritza Ozepy

Timothy Poe

**Emily Price** 

Indira Saud

Olivia Kaylan Stewart

Susan Ann Sydenstricker

Emma Reily Thomas

Tyler Edward Wilson

Omer Arif Zia

### **Master of Business** Administration

Aila Amina Abdul Majeed

Aaron David Alvey

Priyadharshini Anand

Joel Lackwin Arul Alexander

Ajma Gousi Aruljothi

Sarumathi Arunachalam

Rebecca Baker

Zeinabou Bal

Priyadharshini Baladhandayuthapani

Varunkumar Balakumar

Krishna Premi Balasubramanian

Frin Baldosser

Shamir Ballard

David Darrell Barham

Matthew Nicholas Barigazzi

Juan Barrientos

Shobhana Baskar

Erica Leslie Behrend

Dillon Jacob Berkey

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**Brandon Bistor** 

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Marissa Dawn Breitenstein

Harris Brighten

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Elizabeth Christine Burchett

Cory Burkhart

Hattie Byrd

Joseph Franklin Campbell III

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Lalithram Chandrasekar

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Krystal Craig

Virginia Cropper

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Joseph Davis

Megan Deeter

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Meredith Duncan

Agalya Elango Kelly Anne Elliott

Adetokunbo Mojeed Fale

Justin Randolph Fausnaugh

Kristen Elizabeth Fehr

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Labradford Gatewood

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Annette Marie Graff Jessica Grant

Alicia Mary Graves

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Maya Halcomb

Dakota Ira Hale

Katelyn Marie Harlow

Gregory Allen Harris

Jared Scott Hatton Megan Rose Haussler

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Austin James Heller

Samuel Anthony Henning

Carrie Sue Hertenstein Zachary Tyler Hess

Angela Kristen Hodge Elise Kathryn Holdsworth

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Christian L. Kalb Nithish Kumar Kalimuthu

Nolan Clay Johnson

Senthil Rajan Kalirajanadar Sivakumaran

Meenakshi Kalyanasundaram Ragunandhanan Kanakarajan

Mohamed Rifaath Kandanchirakkal Riaz

Dhanasree Karthikeyan

Vishnu Vardhan Karur Soundararajan

Jason Nicholas Keneman Reshma Kesavan Niya King-Watson

Steven Kinser Omba Joel Kipuke Joseph James Kirkman

Kelly Ann Koch

Poojashri Kumaraswamy Duraiswamy

Marcus Aaron Lacour Rebecca Lynn Lally

Jeannine Abukhater Lambert Rishi Latha Paramasiyam Anthony Thang Le

Laura Christy Leon Machado

Luke Lester Kadvn Lillv

Carrie Renee Lunsford Nitiesh Mahendran Jasmine Maitre Brian Douglas Mann Adithyan Manoharan Shyamala Sony Mariappan Kaley Marie Marroquin Joseph J. Mashni

Samantha Nicole Mason Vannessa Chonte Maxwell Gabrielle Renee Mays Christopher Leigh Mcnabb Joseph Charles Mcnay

Hanna Mcvey Jayla Love Means Josh Miller Abinaya Mohan Haridha Mohan Esther Rose Moher Kacia Lauren Mongeau Ryan Donald Morris Madhumitha Murali

Sneka Murugadass

Vawnika Muthamilselvarasan Matthew Gregory Nachazel

Ashley Briana Neal

Tharun Kumar Nedunchezhian

Hannah O'Conner Best Okosun

Mansi Patel

Raghuram Palanisamy Nirmaladevi Harinath Sibi Palanisamy Rajeswari

Daniel James Pappas Rithish Paramasivam Arul

**Douglas Patterson** Cassandra Penrod Revanth Balaji Periyasamy Lilly Ann Pocasangre-Diaz Ajay Kumar Ponnuraj Gomuki Ponthiyagarajan Jessica Brooke Prahl Saiyuktha Raghu

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Eleyna Gabrielle Rudolph Hope Kathryn Ann Sahr

Abinayaa Sangampalayam Palanisamy

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Parker Silliman

John Douglas Sitzler

Anandakrishnan Selvam Morgan Maggielene Shelton Robert Stephen Siegrist

Ramanan Siyakumar Cvdni Sloan Angela C. Smith Dorian Jerome Smith Alexandra Francke Sohn Sathyaa Soundarrajan Julian Thomas Stanley Joshua Foster Stevens Christopher John Sullivan

Keerthika Sundar Rajinder Kaur Tamber

**Tavion Taylor** 

Theodore A. Thacker

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Justin Thompson

Benjamin Reece Thorpe Rachel Nicole Townsend Marissa Claire Trachsel

Tiffany Trahan

Wellington Hayden Tremayne

Jasmine Jermaine Turk Ana Laura Turner Tremavne Turner Marsid Tusha

Stefan Anto Urbanek

Mohanasre Vadugapalayam Varatharaj Sanjai Kumar Velandipalayam Palaniswamy

Srivatsa Sudhir Vengadessan Venkatpathy Akash Venkitachalam

Ajay Noel Victor Kelly Villanueva Perez Paige Visagie Emily Marie Wade Rose Marie Walden Holly M. Watson Chris Wheeldon Brandi Whitaker Sheri Lynn White **Gregory Williams** 

Jonathan Wilson Tanner Wright Julia Zalmanoff Makenzie Zeidler Samuel Zimmerman

## COLLEGE OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

#### **Bachelor of Arts**

Madison Beatrice Beatty \*\* Annie Patricia Heck \*\* Kaitlyn Brenna Irwin \*\* Cody Wayne Moore

### **Bachelor of Science**

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Cassidy Grace Jacobs \*\*\*

Robin Marie Johnson \*

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### **Bachelor of Science in Nursing**

Brady Michael Anderson \*\*\*
Tracy Ansere
Krishna Augsback \*\*
Denise Ravyn Bailey \*
Sylvia Ann Baker
Brooklyn Bates \*\*

Rachel Marie Begley \* Hannah Alexis Bennett \* Jocelyn Kristen Bier \*\* Ashlev Renee Black Andrea Blackwell \* Morgan T. Boberg \* Jonah Bobsin \*\* Brooke Elizabeth Bodurek \*\* Madison Shea Bratcher \*\*\* Jessica Ann Bruen Michelle Nicole Burgess \*\*\* Tyler Burnett \* Brennen Ray Byrd \* **Emily Cain** Debra Ryann Cammack \*\* Emma Rose Campbell \*7 Alleaha Marie Cline \*\*\* Nicholas Nicholas Collins \*\* Amanda Jo Cundiff \*\* Terri Curtsinger \*\*\* Jolie Ann Daniels Kourtney Dieckmann Lauren Doyle Rachel Faith Dulaney \* Austin Duncan \* Maria Gabrielle Ehlman \*\*\* ◊ Emily Ellen Fassiotto 7 Ellie Marie Fecher \*\* Bobby Jacob Fields \* Arthur Fillinger \*\* Elizabeth Anne Finkbine \*\* Emma Leigh Fluhr \*\* Cailin Nicole Furr \* Molly Gabzdyl \* Ashley Nicole Gilker \*\* Kiersten N. Goddard Avery Elizabeth Griffin \*\* William Robinson Griffith \* Bradley Neil Hall II Olivia Marie Harrison \*\* Kaitlyn Ann Hartman Valerie Hartman \*\* Tanya Lila Hinson Aubrie Faith Hogan Barbara Hollins \*\*\* Sarai Gayle Holstein \*\*\* Michael Hounshell \*\* Savanah Brooke Hudson \*\* Sharon Elizabeth Hudson \*\*\* Brooke Elizabeth Jenkins \*

Abagail Keipert

Andrea Dee Lema \*\* Melisa Levy \* Maria Anna Little \*\* Hannah Renee Ludwig \* Shannon Nicole Maloney Julio Shea Martinez \*\* Courtney Brooke McCabe Jimmie Leigh McIlvain \*\*\* Erin Nicole Mclimore \*\*\* Camille McMurtry \*\*\* Calum Bissell McNulty \*\* Jacqueline Nichole Meece Mattie Mae Menker Shawna Darlene Noe \*\*\* Stacey N. O'Connor Sara Owens Benjamin Joseph Parsons \* Jennifer Maria Petro Kali Breann Poe \*\*\* Abbey Poe Anna Shaylin Pryse \*\* Sandra Gail Ramey \* Jared David Ray \*\*\* Laura Rose May Rekapally \*\*\* Allison Reynolds \*\*\* Madison Adele Roybal \* Chloe Marie Saler Kayla Nicole Samuels \*\* Ellie Kristine Saulino \*\*\* Tessa Elizabeth Saylor Alivia Rose Schmiade Rylee Paige Schreck Angela Nicole Shelton \*\*\* Aishat Shotomiwa Tanya Marie Shoyat \*\*\* Camryn Christian Mackenzie Smith \* Jordan Spears \*\* Jordan Kay Strong \*\* Molly Ruth Switzer \*\* Taylor Thies \* Abigail Renee VanSickle Heather May Waldron \*\* Kameryn Michelle Watson Christopher Thomas Webb \*\*\* Dmitriy Wienstroer \*\* Victoria May Wiesenhahn \* Emalea Jo Williams

### **Bachelor of Social Work**

Jov Banks Violeta Beltran \*\* Charlotte Ruth Brennen \* Lesley Andrade Brissett \* Kylee Monique Bruch \*\*\* Lexie Olivia Burns ◊ Mia Mackenzie Clark Natalie Dixon

James Winkler \*\*\*

Kelly Marie Witt \*

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### **Graduate Certificate**

Susan Diane Brackney Stavroula Perdikogiannis Chastain Matthew Todd Daniel Matthew Dicenzi Kelsey Jordan Frain Whitney Graves Watonda Hayes Chique Henderson Leah Hughes Dena Alline Khalil Melissa Morgan Klidas Loren Jason Louk Sinikweyinkosi P. Mabandla Joseph Moto Mercy Moto Emmanuel Nkengeh Aneshia Nunley Christina Okazawa Abigail Pollachek Sarah Seim Lloyd Tanner Winkler

### **Master of Science in Clinical** Mental Health Counseling

Maria Ann Bruce Justin Kina Natasha Ann Kloeker Maria De Los Angeles Rojas Correa

### **Master of Science in Social Work**

Jacquelynn Danielle Amend Kelsey Amerson Madison Crystal Storm Asrat Adriannah Baker Taylor Dawn Elizabeth Bates Izabella Josephine Beck Kaila Briggins Tabetha Brown Christina Carey Luna Rita Cherry Abby Lee Collier Jami Corinne Dalton Ethel Ellis Rosemarie Fugate Jacob Gerwert Kelli Bene' Grav

Jessica Green

Erika Haines Ron Haley Adam Lee Hensley Charles Jackson Holden Elisabeth Renae Hopperton Holly Denise Huffman Tiffany Lynn Hutson Josie Breann Hyden Timothy Johnson Jaime Kennedy Richard Bryan Lloyd Victoria Lynn Lockwood Kara Long Madison Abigail Lily Maynard Tracy Louise McClanahan Boiko Mcintosh Kimumekia McNeal Mara Meersman Ashley Dawn Neltner Molly Danielle O'Bryan Samantha Rose Pangallo Tina Lee Patrick Ashtyn Maxinne Reineke Jenna Jewel Riley Kendell Louise Sander Jordan Schowalter Kirstyn Mishelle Smith Jada Sparks Angela Tinsley Olivia Verdecchia Kara Sierra Brandt Wagner Brieh Walker Hannah Renee Wells Raven Seymone Williams Karlyn Lee Yocum Mark Anthony Young

### Master of Science in **Exercise Science**

Abagail Marie Gabrielson Timothy Ryan Hadden

### Master of Science in **Athletic Training**

Brooklyn Marie Adair Destiny De'Asia Easley Tyler Dennis MacDonald Dylan Scott Schoulties Kaitlynn Marie Usleaman Brent William Robert Webb

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Diabetes Self-Management among Persons Experiencing Homelessness in a Shelter Environment Ellee Humphrey, DNP, RN, NE-BC; Mary Tornabene, MS, APRN, FNP-BC

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Improving Blood Pressure Readings on Home-Bound Patients by Educating them on Medication Compliance and Lifestyle Changes

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Through their Eyes- Simulation Initiative to Enhance Patient Experience Brittany Sorrell, DNP, RN; Rachelle Lancaster, PhD, RN; Mary Beth Brend, MSN, RN, NE-BC

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Code Sepsis in the Intensive Care Unit: A Pilot Project Brittany Sorrell, DNP, RN; Donna Parsons, DNP, RN, NE-BC; Kelsey Webster, MSN, RN

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#### Kaitlin Tipton

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## UNIVERSITY AWARDS



**President's Award** Manogya Aryal

The President's Award is given to a senior student who has greatly contributed to the development of a strong sense of community at Northern Kentucky University through special efforts to break down barriers of discrimination, increase international awareness, further interaction between traditional and nontraditional students, promote diversity, or improve handicap access and awareness. This award is sponsored by the Office of the Dean of Students.



**Regents Award Lucy Burns** 

The Regents Award is given to a senior student who has demonstrated professionalism and leadership within the university community and who has an emphasis on continuation of studies at the graduate level. The student may show evidence of the intent to pursue further educational opportunities. This award is sponsored by the Northern Kentucky University Board of Regents.



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**University Service Award** Lydia Self

The University Service Award is given to a senior student who has provided outstanding service to the university through involvement in student organizations, involvement in civic organizations or agencies, and academic achievement. While a minimum grade-point average of 3.00 is required, the individual's academic record should be given equal weight with student involvement in both university and community activities. This award is sponsored by the Northern Kentucky University Alumni Association.



**Excelsior Award Brandon Brooks-Patton** 

The Excelsior Award is presented to an outstanding senior student who has overcome great obstacles in the pursuit of academic achievement. These obstacles may be physical, emotional, financial, age-related, etc. This award is sponsored by the Office of Student Affairs.



**Faculty Senate Award** Kendra Baker

The Faculty Senate Award is given to a senior student who has demonstrated exceptional skills and productivity in an independent study project. An independent study project is defined as a faculty supervised research or scholarly work which has as its goal the publication, presentation and/or exhibition of results. The project should be conducted outside of a formal classroom and last at least one semester, preferably longer. This award is sponsored by the Faculty Senate.



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The NKU Foundation Student Leadership Award is given to a student leader who has provided outstanding service to the University through student government or another significant student leadership role. Although a specific grade-point average is not required, the individual should be strong academically, as their academic record will be considered. Sponsored by the NKU Foundation, this award was created to honor Cliff Borland, John Brooking and Henry "Bud" Pogue for their leadership roles in creating the Foundation and for their many years of service to the Foundation and the university.



Paul J. Sipes Award Sarah Lingren

The Paul J. Sipes Award is presented to an outstanding senior student who displays the personal qualities of honesty, character and industry and who has actively participated in community affairs. The person will also be strong academically and, although a specific grade-point average is not required, the individual's academic record should be given equal weight along with the listed personal qualities and community involvement. This award is sponsored by the Northern Kentucky University Alumni Association.

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## **ALMA MATER**

Northern, let your vision lead us, hearts of women, men and youth.

Help us seek the higher virtues, guide us to the greater truth.

Northern, Northern, alma mater, may our lives enrich your name.

And in time leave us, your children, better far than when we came.

Original lyrics and melody by Charles Wiley Revised by Carolyn Hagner Harmonization by Kurt Sander

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