

Commencement

SPRING SEMESTER 2020



PENN STATE GREATER ALLEGHENY

May 9, 2020





National Anthem

by Francis Scott Key

O say, can you see, by the dawn's early light,
What so proudly we hailed at the twilight's last gleaming;
Whose broad stripes and bright stars, thro' the perilous fight,
O'er the ramparts we watched, were so gallantly streaming?
And the rockets' red glare, the bombs bursting in air
Gave proof thro' the night that our flag was still there.
O say, does that Star-Spangled Banner yet wave
O'er the land of the free and the home of the brave!

Alma Mater

by Fred Lewis Pattee

For the glory of old State,
For her founders, strong and great,
For the future that we wait,
Raise the song, raise the song,

Sing our love and loyalty,
Sing our hopes that, bright and free,
Rest, O Mother dear, with thee.
All with thee, all with thee.

When we stood at childhood's gate,
Shapeless in the hands of fate,
Thou didst mold us, dear old State,
Dear old State, dear old State.

May no act of ours bring shame
To one heart that loves thy name,
May our lives but swell thy fame,
Dear old State, dear old State!

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Message from Jacqueline Edmondson
Chancellor and Chief Academic Officer of Penn State
Greater Allegheny

To the Penn State Greater Allegheny Graduating Class of Spring 2020:

I wish to extend my sincere congratulations to each and every one of you, and to all your loved ones who supported you as you pursued your college education. You have worked hard and you have now earned a Penn State degree, something that will forever change your life. You completed your classes these last few weeks under conditions no one could have imagined, but I had every confidence you would be successful. You will use all you learned these past few years to meet with great success in the future. I know you will always challenge yourself to be greater, even in the most difficult times.

You are now a member of a vast Penn State alumni network that spans the world and will always keep you connected to our University no matter where you may live or work.

I look forward to the time when we can be together on our campus to celebrate your accomplishments. You are now, and always will be, an important member of the Penn State Greater Allegheny community.

Congratulations again!

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NATIONAL ANTHEM

Amina Faye '20, Musical Theatre, College of Arts and Architecture

PRESIDING

Eric J. Barron, B.S., M.S., Ph.D.

President of The Pennsylvania State University

SPECIAL REMARKS

President Barron

REMARKS AND INTRODUCTIONS

Nicholas P. Jones, B.E., M.S., Ph.D.

Executive Vice President and Provost of the University

AUTHORIZATION TO CONFER DEGREES

Mark H. Dambly, B.S.

Chair, Board of Trustees

RECOGNITION OF MERITORIOUS ACHIEVEMENT

Penn State Students

CONFERRAL OF DEGREES

Presiding: Provost Jones

Conferring: President Barron

INDUCTION INTO ALUMNI ASSOCIATION

Randolph B. Houston, Jr., B.A., J.D.

President, Penn State Alumni Association

SPECIAL THANKS

Penn State Students

PENN STATE ALMA MATER

Penn State Students

Penn State Blue Band

BACHELOR OF ARTS DEGREE CANDIDATES*

Communications

Monica Burke
Katie Summer Chuahong
Dylan Finocchi
Jean-Luc James Foster
Jer'Cara Magwood-Jones**

English

Erika Kristine Lundin
Shannon Reid

Letters, Arts and Sciences

Robert Joseph Strickling

Psychology

Lexus Adrianna Griffin
Michael R. Iannace
Angela Kij
Genesis Paige Krause
Jiyi Zheng

ABOUT HONORS

Honors are based on a student's cumulative GPA at the end of the Fall 2019 academic semester.

- ◆ ◆ Summa Cum Laude
- ◆ Cum Laude

PLEASE NOTE

The information in this document was produced April 7, 2020, as an unofficial list of students who indicated intent to graduate for the spring semester. Students who indicated their intent to graduate after that date are not listed.

** Summer 2020 Candidates

*Subject to completion of all degree requirements, degrees will be conferred as indicated upon the individuals listed herein and upon such others as may meet the requirements.

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE DEGREE CANDIDATES*

Administration of Justice

K'Vaught'e Jason DeVaughn
Sydney Rae Fritchman
Lilli Justa

Michael Anthony Kemple
Michael John Vogel, Jr.

Biobehavioral Health

Ronni Michelle Corbett
Keyarra Mohammed

Courtney VanHorn
Andre Williams

Business

Nicola's Armando Blacutt
Darwin Christian
Nina Rose Crystol-Santiago
Noah Dudek
Chloe Elisabeth Fine**
George Edward Graybill
Jessica Nicole Gronlund**
Colby Terrell Hall
Khushi Nimesh Kantawala

Lev Leychkis
Luke Edward Robinson
Nicholas Schiller
Raeann Emily Sleith ♦
Emily Jo Spisak
Clifton Stumme**
Megan Vanessa Trunk**
Latoya L. Tyree

Information Sciences and Technology

Marc A. Bailey ♦♦
Zachary Craven
Dario Marina

Leela Ram Nepal
Makis K. Rivera
Manuel Rosario

Project and Supply Chain Management

Danial Jalali
John M. Mesco
Delaney Rose O'Toole

Psychology

Megan Brady
Raeann Emily Sleith ♦



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New graduates receive a **complimentary one-year membership** in the Penn State Alumni Association.

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