



MAY COMMENCEMENT

(as Celebrated December 20, 2020)

ACADEMIC PROCESSIONAL

Ceol Mor, Pipe and Drum Band

INVOCATION

Reverend Alex Roche, Campus Chaplain

WELCOME

David B. Rehm, Ph.D., Vice President of Academic Affairs

REMARKS

2020 Valedictorian(s)

Shelbi Love Jones

Jenna Kay Reed

Emilee Zawatski

REMARKS/CONFERRAL OF DEGREES

Kathleen Owens, Ph.D., President

BENEDICTION

Monsignor John Bendik, Trustee

ACADEMIC RECESSIONAL

Ceol Mor, Pipe and Drum Band

Move to "break out groups" for individual majors. Recognition of each graduate.



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DOCTOR OF OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY

Betsy Cohick, Palmyra, PA Jacqueline Eile Cormier, Maywood, NJ Kelly Jo Mahler, Hershey, PA Colleen Phillips, Allentown, PA Caitlin M. Sorrentino, Middletown, NY

DOCTOR OF PHYSICAL THERAPY

Austin Robert Maynard, Easton, PA

MASTER OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

Richard Lee Ainey, Jr., Jessup, PA Kimberly Albert, Hanover Township, PA Ashley Arcieri, Scranton, PA Britney Nicole Cresswell, Milton, PA Austin Deinarowicz, Mantua, NJ Joseph Gerald Forgach, Cinnaminson, NJ Anthony Joseph Gangemi, Throop, PA Klayton Jon Kelly, Cornwall, NY Jacob Joshua Knoble, Alpha, NJ Nicole Elizabeth Kosisky, Wilkes-Barre, PA Lindsey M. Krieger, Ocean City, MD Ryan Joseph Norton, Tobyhanna, PA Mark Whitfield Rainey, Newark, DE Jessica Rini, Bethpage, NY Erica Rogers, Upper St. Clair, PA James Lee Rogers, Upper St. Clair, PA Adam Wiernusz, Forty Fort, PA

MASTER OF SCIENCE EDUCATION

Sarah Baloga, Wilkes-Barre, PA Courtenay Degnon, Clarks Summit, PA Sarah Christine Gardner, Clarks Summit, PA Kimberly Ann Leary, Luzerne, PA

ORGANIZATIONAL MANAGEMENT

Renee Florence Blakiewicz, South Abington Twp., PA Robert Brandell, Kingston, PA Allia Kathryn Dolan, Drums, PA Alyssa Lynn Elick, Dallas, PA



Stuart Elick, Dallas, PA
Marie Terese Fox, Wyoming, PA
Sophia Leaman, Mount Joy, PA
Cole Long, Howard, PA
Joy Marie Mack, State College, PA
Johann Christian Malkemes, Mountain Top, PA
James McCrone, Dallas, PA
Jaclyn Marie Nat, Forty Fort, PA
Alexis Nunez, White Plains, NY
Jasmine Sanders, Chester, PA
Sara J. Scott, Plymouth, PA
Nick Vallo, Sleepy Hollow, NY
Angelica Mae Zurat, Pine Grove, PA

SPEECH LANGUAGE PATHOLOGY

Jennifer Rose Antoniazzi, Old Bridge, NJ Katie Marie Bowman, Hegins, PA Emily A. Dacko, Lebanon, PA Kiersten Marie Davis, Lebanon, PA Jordyn Ann Donnelly, Newville, PA Victoria M. Guseva-Micklon, Oakhurst, NJ Jessica Ann Hanly, Myrtle Beach, SC Bailey Marie Hartung, Andreas, PA Madison Dianna Hayes, Dublin, PA Taylor Mackenzie Header, Ashland, PA Elizabeth M. Heinmiller, Downingtown, PA Taylor Nicole Hirneisen, Reading, PA Cara Anne Imbalzano, Roaring Brook Twp., PA Zachary Adam Koharski, Coal Township, PA Samantha Lynn Liddle, Dubois, PA Courtney Lynn Miller, Schnecksville, PA Erin Nicole Muldoon, Dallas, PA Victoria Nealon, Hanover Twp., PA Leah M. Persing, Monroe Township, NJ Amanda Lynn Petrosky, Spring Brook Twp., PA Annette Ritzko, Coaldale, PA Kristin Leigh Robinson, Harleysville, PA Lia Gabrielle Ruggerio, Dallas, PA Jordan Lea Seprosky, Archbald, PA



Brianna Caroline Spilsbury, Pittsburgh, PA
Danielle Jean Stillarty, Wyoming, PA
Patricia Taylor, Williamsport, PA
Teresa Vieira, Old Forge, PA
Marleesa Lila Werteen, Orefield, PA
Chantal Elizabeth Whiteduck, Dickson City, PA

MASTER OF SCIENCE IN NURSING Megan Christine Adams, Philadelphia, PA Kimberley May Bailey, New Freedom, PA Brandilen Burke, Scranton, PA Rita Carey, Shavertown, PA Catherine Chung, Scranton, PA Danielle Cook, New Columbia, PA David Michael D'Achille, Denville, NJ Erica M. Detweiler, White Haven, PA Jennifer Everding, Larksville, PA Brittany Alessandra Field, Dupont, PA Zachary Getz, Mountain Top, PA Alyssa Mary Kasheta, Jermyn, PA Beth Anne Keller, Northumberland, PA Jessica May Lee, Plymouth, PA Chelsea Lynn Lopatka, Duryea, PA London Nicole McKenna, Scranton, PA Thomas Mickowski, Mountain Top, PA Daniel Joseph Satterfield, Bloomsburg, PA Esther Steinhaus, Lakewood, NJ Ashley Welliver, Bloomsburg, PA Kelly Marie Worsnick, Scranton, PA Christine R. Wysocky, Drums, PA

MASTER OF SCIENCE IN OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY

Lyndsey Ann Balzer, Camden, SC Kristen Mary Byrne, Hazlet, NJ Danielle Krista Cawley, Dingmans Ferry, PA Megan Benita Cremins, Fishkill, NY Brenna Lynn Curran, Northampton, PA Katarina Dee Darmofal, West Chester, PA Megan M. Davis, Gap, PA Charlotte Amber Durr, New Milford, CT



Madison Nicole Eberlin, Wyalusing, PA

Jacqueline Brooke Gallik, Honesdale, PA

Jessica Patricia Grab, Sellersville, PA

Emily Rebecca Gralinski, Topton, PA

Meghan Green, Saylorsburg, PA

Julianna Ellen Haar, Norwood, NJ

Rebecca Jean Irwin, Honesdale, PA

Monica Jarog, Kresgeville, PA

Olivia Catherine Johnson, Jamison, PA

Brianna Marie Kominiak, Newton, NJ

Jeremy Michael Kuba, Hellertown, PA Awarded Posthumously

Kristin Elizabeth Kuntzman, Northampton, PA

Carolyn Bridget Maguire, Wallingford, PA

Michaela Marie McQuaig, Mechanicsburg, PA

Stephanie Josephine Monforte, Staten Island, NY

Ashley Jean Morgan, Dalton, PA

Kristen Ann Murphy, Jamison, PA

James Joseph Nesler, Jr., Hazle Twp., PA

Gina Lynn Neyhart, West Long Branch, NJ

Julianna Claire Norris, Edison, NJ

Erin Alexis Onoshko, Cliffwood, NJ

Paige Marie Pachuilo, Sinking Spring, PA

Megan Ann Peace, Old Saybrook, CT

Emily Anne Perry, Bath, PA

Kristen Nicole Pilchik, Freehold, NJ

Isabella Reader, Middleburg, PA

Clare Elizabeth Schoen, Scranton, PA

Martina Marie Sledziewski, White Haven, PA

Jacqueline Elizabeth Strausser, Olyphant, PA

Kelby Ann Truchon, Shickshinny, PA

Lauren Patricia Vermeulen, Montrose, PA

Taylor Marie Webb, Clark, NJ

Kaitlin M. Wheeler, Chesapeake, VA

Morgan Mary Wheeler, Kingston, PA

Theresa Ann Zeares, Bloomsburg, PA



BACHELOR OF ARTS

BIOLOGY

Keana Nicole Albert, Hallstead, PA Cum Laude Alyssa Marie Koneski, Hanover Township, PA

COMMUNICATIONS

Dominic Jeffrey Augustine, Shavertown, PA
Iana Ishell Davis, Pittston, PA
Kenneth Louis Grady, Quakertown, PA

Anita Nicole Holmes, Dallas, PA

Reece Jeremiah Robert Winckler, Kunkletown, PA

ENGLISH

GOVERNMENT, LAW AND NATIONAL SECURITY

Skyler D. Behrend, Wyalusing, PA Cum Laude

Carlee Renae Capece, Shickshinny, PA

Gardyney Deshommes, Blandon, PA Magna Cum Laude

Brian Peter Dice, Melville, NY

Alexander Calvin Frear, Factoryville, PA

Kenny Charles French, Lake Ariel, PA

Hunter M. Glidewell, Benton, PA Magna Cum Laude

Kelly Gruber, Wapwallopen, PA

Giselle Huertero, Wilkes-Barre, PA

Sean Lyons, Knoxville, TN

William John Moller, Warrington, PA

Kristopher Arthur Rosencrans, Shavertown, PA

Christopher Sabol, Shavertown, PA Cum Laude

William Christopher Sadow, Kintnersville, PA Magna Cum Laude

Ian Onta Silfies, Palmerton, PA Summa Cum Laude

Kyle Smith, Lake Ariel, PA

Valerie Spencer, Wilkes-Barre, PA Cum Laude

Sarah E. Sporko, Carbondale, PA Magna Cum Laude

Carly Ann Tomaine, Jermyn, PA

Creily Y. Torres, Bethlehem, PA

Alexandra Zielinski, Staten Island, NY Summa Cum Laude



HISTORY

Cassandra Ann Lockhart, Exeter, PA Magna Cum Laude Dalton Patrick McCrann, Bernardsville, NJ Allison A. McElheran, Watertown, NY Magna Cum Laude Kyle James Shea, Denville, NJ Sarah E. Sporko, Carbondale, PA Magna Cum Laude

MASS COMMUNICATIONS AND DESIGN

Michael Joseph Diakunczak, Eatontown, NJ Nicole Marie Giammarino, Basking Ridge, NJ Erin M. O'Brien, Williamsburg, VA

MATHEMATICS

Joshua A. Dieter, Allentown, PA *Cum Laude*Lindsay Coleen Kane, Nanticoke, PA *Summa Cum Laude*Emily N. Madigan, Sayre, PA *Magna Cum Laude*Sarah Beth Netchert, Beachwood, NJ
Tyler William Van Horn, Pottstown, PA

MEDICAL AND HEALTH HUMANITIES

Keana Nicole Albert, Hallstead, PA Cum Laude Sidney Robert Kabinoff, Barto, PA Jacquelyn Line, Falls, PA Cum Laude

PHILOSOPHY

Sidney Robert Kabinoff, Barto, PA
Ian Onta Silfies, Palmerton, PA Summa Cum Laude
Nicholas Gerald Szczerba, DuBois, PA Magna Cum Laude

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE ACCOUNTING

Frederick Joseph Agliano, Bechtelsville, PA
Khurshid Alam, Bloomsburg, PA Magna Cum Laude
Whitney Cunningham, Shavertown, PA Cum Laude
John Robert Dietrich, Drifton, PA Magna Cum Laude
Matthew Stephen Foss, Old Forge, PA Summa Cum Laude
Jose Gonzalez, Collegeville, PA
Matthew Scott Jennings, Bridgewater, NJ
William Henry Kerwien, Augusta, NJ Cum Laude
Danny Lin, Eynon, PA
Christopher Lloyd Lynn, Basking Ridge, NJ



Zoe Elizabeth Ostrowsky, Tunkhannock, PA Jessica Christine Peetz, White Haven, PA Jordan Spindler, Pittston, PA Cum Laude

APPLIED BEHAVIORAL SCIENCES

Philip Mercadante, Scranton, PA Cum Laude

BIOCHEMISTRY

Catherine Lauren Falzone, Dallas, PA Kyra Ann Grzymski, Shavertown, PA Cecilia Russo, Benton, PA Magna Cum Laude Alexis Nichole Wyandt, Dallas, PA

BIOLOGY

Amy C. Disher, Montoursville, PA Sara Marie Romanowski, Harding, PA Magna Cum Laude Rachel Rosato, Newfoundland, PA Alexys Victoria Yannes, Elysburg, PA

BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION Michelle Augustine, Beaver Meadows, PA Donovan Michael Berger, Schnecksville, PA Brielle Boyce, East Stroudsburg, PA Kyle Robert Campbell, Enola, PA Jayme Joy DeMedio, Collegeville, PA Magna Cum Laude Matthew Gambino, Montville, NJ Samuel Gillison, Burlington, NJ Michael Robert Golden, Wyoming, PA Paul Michael Hanrahan, Bothell, WA Danielle Kolodzieski, Avoca, PA Summa Cum Laude Sonya Linn Lebo, Trevorton, PA Magna Cum Laude Jamison Marcus Luke, Utica, NY Christopher Lloyd Lynn, Basking Ridge, NJ Thomas Madeo, Blairstown, NJ Lara Patrice May, Shohola, PA Cum Laude Aidan S. McAndrew, Scranton, PA Megan Jean McCauley, Tunkhannock, PA Magna Cum Laude



Bryce Jordan Mondorff, Hanover, PA

Kortney Ann McEwen, Mohrsville, PA Magna Cum Laude

Kennedy Anastassia Rinish, Pittston, PA Cum Laude

Ian Anthony McCole, Frackville, PA

Rochelle-Jade Scott, Dallas, PA
Tammy Sugamele, Bloomsburg, PA
Antonio Whyte, Bristol, PA *Cum Laude*Daniel Zieno, Norwich, NY

CHEMISTRY

Richard Phillips Averill, Harrisburg, PA Cum Laude

COMPUTER SCIENCE

Emily N. Madigan, Sayre, PA Magna Cum Laude Ulysses Jose Ramos, Scranton, PA Anthony Albert Serino, Shavertown, PA Cum Laude Alexandra Margriet Van Nederveen, Springfield, VA

DIAGNOSTIC MEDICAL SONOGRAPHY

Makenzie Belisle, Wilkes-Barre, PA Maria Debold, Warwick, NY Abigail Koch, Swoyersville, PA Gabriella Nicole Pane, Sugarloaf, PA Morgan Taylor Puzio, Saylorsburg, PA Victoria Leigh Schmidt, Bethlehem, PA

EARLY CHILDHOOD AND SPECIAL EDUCATION

Lauren Marion Balogh, Drums, PA Magna Cum Laude
Ashley Nicole Birchard, Montrose, PA Magna Cum Laude
Rebecca Nicole Kaschak, West Hazleton, PA Summa Cum Laude
Katelyn Maffei, Danville, PA Summa Cum Laude
Jessica Lauren McDonough, Union, NJ Magna Cum Laude
Madison Mokychic, Monroe Township, PA Magna Cum Laude
Brooke A. Moyle, Stewartsville, NJ Summa Cum Laude
Deanna Noonan, Baldwin, NY Magna Cum Laude
Nina Lyn Owen, Harding, PA Magna Cum Laude
Devin Oyola, Ewing, NJ
Amanda Catherine Rackliff, North Granby, CT Magna Cum Laude
Julia Raegan Ramirez, Dallas, PA Summa Cum Laude
Chloe Shae Ruckle, Plymouth, PA Summa Cum Laude
Megan Amelia Spess, Shavertown, PA Magna Cum Laude

HEALTH CARE MANAGEMENT

Douglas Michael Campbell, Benton, PA
Theresa M. Krumbine, Sunbury, PA Magna Cum Laude



Jordyn L. Pavelitz, Mountain Top, PA Cum Laude

Brooke Stavitzski, Hunlock Creek, PA Cum Laude

Nicholas Gerald Szczerba, DuBois, PA Magna Cum Laude

Alexandria Tiffany, Carbondale, PA

Brittany Zapotosky, Avoca, PA

HEALTH SCIENCE

Shelby S. Abraham, Nanuet, NY Magna Cum Laude

Kristina Lynne Auteri, Stirling, NJ

Gianna Marie Bach, Garnet Valley, PA Summa Cum Laude

Tanaya Badsa, Edison, NJ Cum Laude

Taylor Elizabeth Baloga, Dupont, PA Magna Cum Laude

Aaron Patrick Barry, Towanda, PA

Jordan Barth, Norristown, PA Cum Laude

Victoria E. Beane, Reading, PA Magna Cum Laude

Aidan Messmer Bergan, West Chester, PA

Kiera Elizabeth Berrin, Babylon, NY Magna Cum Laude

Kayli Elizabeth Boyes, Philadelphia, PA

Keri Nicole Bremigen, Hughesville, PA Cum Laude

Sydney Karin Buskirk, Nazareth, PA Cum Laude

Christina Nicole Celona, Mountainside, NJ Summa Cum Laude

Matthew Joseph Cowan, Brooklyn, PA

Alexis Nicole D'Amico, Riverside, NJ Cum Laude

Ciara A. DeLong, Blandon, PA Magna Cum Laude

Ashley Brooke Dunteman, Mesa, AZ

Patrick Duane Gardner, Endwell, NY

Heather L. Getten, Weatherly, PA Magna Cum Laude

Stephanie Amber Giardina, Marlboro, NJ

Brianna Dawn Sonia Gold, Danville, PA

Kelsey Elizabeth Hadsall, Massapequa Park, NY Magna Cum Laude

Anna Mary Hershey, Mifflintown, PA Summa Cum Laude

Randi Lynn Huffman, Laceyville, PA

Grace Eleanor Hughes, Wilkes-Barre, PA

Abigail Jacob, Katy, TX

Shelbi Love Jones, Blakeslee, PA Summa Cum Laude

Krishonna N. Jordan, Keyport, NJ

Ariana Rose Kampfe, Blairstown, NJ Magna Cum Laude

Robert Hogan Kennedy, Delran, NJ

Megan E. Kieltyka, Scotch Plains, NJ Summa Cum Laude

Kyleigh Brooke Knell, Port Deposit, MD Summa Cum Laude



Linnea Kristina Kolanda, Binghamton, NY Magna Cum Laude

Brittney T. Lahr, Northumberland, PA Cum Laude

Jessica Ann Lane, Elverson, PA

Mariah Grace Laubach, Berwick, PA Cum Laude

Casey Joan Lello, Hudson, PA Summa Cum Laude

David Christian Lutchko, Scranton, PA

Shestan Lynam, Henderson, NV

Jacqueline Marchese, Staten Island, NY Summa Cum Laude

Deanna Christina Mattioli, Doylestown, PA Summa Cum Laude

Tiffany Mayhue, Bear Creek, PA

Madeline Rose McCaffery, Simpson, PA Cum Laude

Rachel Nichole Miroslaw, Tunkhannock, PA Cum Laude

Samantha Elizabeth Muffley, Lehighton, PA

Grace Emily Murray, New Hampton, NY Cum Laude

Callie O'Donovan, Pittston Twp., PA Cum Laude

Sinead O'Sullivan, Pearl River, NY Summa Cum Laude

Samantha M. Olcott, Monroe Township, NJ Magna Cum Laude

Jeanna Orfanos, Floral Park, NY Cum Laude

Gabrielle Maria Padilla, Staten Island, NY Cum Laude

Nicole Patricia Pambianchi, Easton, PA

Peyton Amanda Porch, West Milford, NJ Magna Cum Laude

Reilly Elizabeth Power, Jamison, PA Magna Cum Laude

Nicole M. Pychewicz, Edison, NJ Cum Laude

Kaitlin Rau, Livingston Manor, NY Cum Laude

Jenna Kay Reed, Fleetwood, PA Summa Cum Laude

Syrena Lorraine Riley, Swoyersville, PA

Kristen Ritter, Hauppague, NY

Alexa L. Santoro, Callicoon, NY

Alexandria Sasso, Middletown, NY Cum Laude

Kaitlyn Sautner, Riverdale, NJ Summa Cum Laude

Noah W. Schweiger, Barton, NY Magna Cum Laude

Nicole Elizabeth Shade, Elizabethville, PA Magna Cum Laude

Erika Nicole Slowicki, Sewell, NJ Summa Cum Laude

Alyssa Marie Smalls, Hudson, PA Magna Cum Laude

Kyra E. Spencer, Broomall, PA

Lydia Ann Stassel, Danville, PA

Kelly Anne Stuessy, Cherry Hill, NJ Summa Cum Laude

Emily Patricia Sutter, Newburgh, NY Cum Laude

Hannah Elizabeth Techman, Morgantown, PA Magna Cum Laude



Randi Lee Teed, Friendsville, PA

Kyle Patrick Thomas, Mountain Top, PA

Aislinn Toolan, Simpson, PA

Michela R. Torbik, Wilkes-Barre, PA Magna Cum Laude

Carmelina Tringali, Hawley, PA Magna Cum Laude

Anne Catherine Wallikas, Endwell, NY Magna Cum Laude

Joshua David Wilbur, Montrose, PA Magna Cum Laude

Alexandra Nicole Willey, Stewartsville, NJ Cum Laude

Nicole Jacqueline Winter, Monroe, NY Cum Laude

Anne Miriam Yanik, Dallas, PA Cum Laude

Emilee Zawatski, Dallas, PA Summa Cum Laude

INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY

Peter Decker, Dallas, PA Magna Cum Laude
Allison Jewel Lamoreaux, Dallas, PA Magna Cum Laude
Emma Romaine O'Callaghan, Peapack, NJ Summa Cum Laude
Arden Julius Soriano, Wilkes-Barre, PA Cum Laude
Jacob Viti, Sugar Notch, PA

MEDICAL IMAGING

Alyssa Brielle Acker, Palmerton, PA Alexis Marie Baddick, Tamaqua, PA Sarah Jean Bifano, Waymart, PA Magna Cum Laude Emilee Alyssa Bixler, Dauphin, PA Cum Laude Katelyn Bytheway, Kingston, PA Samantha Leigh Coleman, Mechanicsburg, PA Cum Laude Jennifer Lee Curtin, Lebanon, PA Summa Cum Laude Madison M. Fleischman, West Valley, NY Kaela Ruth Gettle, Myerstown, PA Mikayla Catherine Girard, Williamstown, PA Laura Beth Heinzlmeir, Exeter, PA Dempsey Rae Hollenbeck, Kingsley, PA Lynn Ashley Kistler, New Ringgold, PA Sarah Ann Leitzel, Lykens, PA Cum Laude Joshua Tyler Orlandini, Dallas, PA Cum Laude Kassidy Elizabeth Potter, Luzerne, PA Giana Carmella Tondora, Pittston Township, PA Megan Marie Troutman, Ashland, PA



PROFESSIONAL STUDIES

Thomas Bachman, Dallas, PA Breanna Lynn Dietrich, Drifton, PA Jonathan Edwards, Shickshinny, PA Angelo Clifford Guariglia, Pittston, PA Zachary John Mulhern, Exeter, PA

PSYCHOLOGY

Kaden Abreu, Meriden, CT
Jordan Thelma Barr, Annville, PA
Tyler Anthony Colonno, Point Pleasant, NJ
Lauren Janelle Fritzsch, Slate Hill, NY Cum Laude
Brianna Dawn Sonia Gold, Danville, PA
Mia Diana Leto, Fairview, NJ Cum Laude
David Christian Lutchko, Scranton, PA
Kristen Ritter, Hauppague, NY
Jillian Carmen Santoro, Macungie, PA
Sabrina Ann Scotto-Diluzio, Harding, PA
Michael D. Shaw, Sayre, PA
Elizabeth Claire Stumpf, Flanders, NJ
Emilie Elizabeth Wanko, West Pittston, PA
Jassmine Ruth Watson, Carney's Point, NJ
Kelsey Weston, Hanover Twp., PA

SPORT MANAGEMENT

Henry Thomas Augenstein, Duryea, PA
Zachary R. Brennan, Kingston, PA
Danielle Alyssa Clifford, Westtown, NY Magna Cum Laude
Michael John Conway, Forty Fort, PA
Matthew Aaron Dinnocenti, Spring City, PA Magna Cum Laude
Joseph C. Frank, Cornwall, NY
Mitchell Thomas Frantz, York, PA Magna Cum Laude
Nikolai J. Kepple, Jonestown, PA
Michael Patrick Love, Thornwood, NY
Nicole Ann Wren, Trucksville, PA



STATISTICS

Sarah G. Bender, Raritan, NJ *Cum Laude*Danielle Alyssa Clifford, Westtown, NY *Magna Cum Laude*Heather Diane Harvey, Dallas, PA *Cum Laude*Lindsay Coleen Kane, Nanticoke, PA *Summa Cum Laude*Sarah Beth Netchert, Beachwood, NJ

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN NURSING

Alyssa Bajkowski, Mountain Top, PA
Lia Marie Barbacci, Dallas, PA
Ashley Barnes, Dauphin, PA
Kristen Marie Capelli, Harvey's Lake, PA
Emma Therese Cigna, Carbondale, PA
Christian D. Contessa, Staten Island, NY
Robert Steven Curlee, Wyalusing, PA
Sarah Renee Deyo, Scranton, PA

Melanie C. Dowling, Hewitt, NJ

Elizabeth Ann Gurzynski, Shickshinny, PA Magna Cum Laude

Eric Joseph Gurzynski, Shickshinny, PA

Wendy Guzenski, Wyoming, PA

Stephanie Herr, Northumberland, PA

Dylon Reid Hess, Benton, PA

Kylie M. Hibbett, Oxford, NJ Summa Cum Laude

Holly Hochreiter, Wilkes-Barre, PA

Alexis Marie Hockenberry, Trucksville, PA

Nicholas Patrick Hromek, Pittston, PA Cum Laude

Manpreet Kaur, Bloomsburg, PA

Jesse W. Keats, Hanover Township, PA

Carrie Ann Kinney, Hunlock Creek, PA Magna Cum Laude

Taylor Martin Karen Lane, Sayre, PA Magna Cum Laude

Miranda Joan Lee, Tunkhannock, PA

Lindsay Jean McKim, Newton, NJ

Haley Ann Melan, Tunkhannock, PA

Miranda Michelle Moser, Mount Carmel, PA Summa Cum Laude

Jacob Patrick Nagle, Forest City, PA

Lauren Kallai Novy, Danbury, CT

Shaelyn Janet O'Leary, Clarksburg, NJ



Kaila Nicole Quinlivan, Hauppauge, NY Cum Laude
Rose M. Randazza, Wilkes-Barre, PA
Madelyn Mae Roerig, Washington, NJ
Amy M. Roth, Mullica Hill, NJ
Maggie Flora Schray, Nazareth, PA
Faith Catherine Sinclair, Saco, ME Cum Laude
Lauren Angelina Smith, Vestal, NY
Gavin James Sudano, Skillman, NJ Cum Laude
Erin Taborelli, Stroudsburg, PA Magna Cum Laude
Danielle Nichole Tait, Treadwell, NY
Rachael Ann Waligun, Shavertown, PA
Krystal Nicole Whitenight, Berwick, PA
Alexis K. Williard, Selinsgrove, PA

BACHELOR OF SOCIAL WORK

Katelyn Marie Campbell, Sunbury, PA Cum Laude Marina Lynn Contorno, Greenfield Township, PA Erin Elizabeth Flanagan, Harding, PA Cum Laude Sarah Louise Kwiatkowski, Factoryville, PA Alyssa N. Leggieri, Schwenksville, PA Lindsay Marie Lord, Frackville, PA Cum Laude Kaleb Portzline, Trevorton, PA Magna Cum Laude Kristine Ann Reynolds, South Abington Twp., PA Tyler Frederick Soos, Colonia, NJ



Undergraduate students are awarded baccalaureate degrees with distinction for exceptional academic achievement. A student must have completed at least 60 credits at Misericordia University to qualify for academic honors.

Distinction	Grade Point Average at Graduation
Summa Cum Laude	3.90 and above
Magna Cum Laude	3.70 - 3.89
Cum Laude	3.50 - 3.69

The class valedictorian is the full-time matriculated student with the highest cumulative undergraduate average who has completed all course work at Misericordia University with the exception of the 12 credits allowed through off campus requests or advanced placement credits. The Spring 2020 Valedictorians are:

Shelbi Love Jones	Emilee Zawatski
Ienna Kav Reed	

Students who have completed the University Honors curriculum while achieving a grade point average of 3.25 or better are awarded University Honors. Students awarded include:

Keana Nicole Albert	Ariana Rose Kampfe
Tanaya Badsa	Samantha M. Olcott
Danielle Alyssa Clifford	Reilly Elizabeth Power
Juliana Nicole Cofrancesco	Jenna Kay Reed
Hunter M. Glidewell	Nicole Jacqueline Winter

COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES

The *Dr. Tatjana Petrychenko Award*, founded by the Misericordia University Biological Society in recognition of outstanding achievement in Biology, is presented to:

Sara Marie Romanowski

The American Chemical Society Outstanding Graduating Chemistry or Biochemistry Major Award, given by the Susquehanna Valley Section of the American Chemical Society and awarded to the graduating student, selected by the Chemistry/Biochemistry faculty, who has shown excellence in scholarship and academics, is presented to:

Richard Phillips Averill

The *Award for Excellence in English* is presented to:

Juliana Nicole Cofrancesco

Alex Skopic



The *Donald and Mary Ann Hopkins Award for Excellence in Theater Arts*, presented to a graduating senior who has balanced academic excellence while exemplifying passion for theater arts both on and off stage, is presented to:

Michaela Marie McQuaig Madison Mokychic

The Award for Excellence in Government, Law, and National Security is presented to:

Alexandra Zielinski

The Award for Leadership and Service in Government, Law, and National Security is presented to:

Gardyney Deshommes

The Bishop Hafey 4th Degree Knights of Columbus Award for Outstanding Achievement in History is awarded to:

Cassandra Ann Lockhart

The *Professor Donald Fries Award for Excellence in History* is awarded to: Allison A. McElheran Sarah E. Sporko

The Award for Excellence in Medical and Health Humanities is presented to:

Keana Nicole Albert

Kristi Marie Pearage

The *Dr. Joseph Tomasovic Memorial Award*, given to the graduating mathematics student who best represents that department's academic standards and displays exceptional commitment to the Department and to the University, is awarded to:

Lindsay Coleen Kane

The *Living Philosophy Aspen Award*, is given to a graduating philosophy major who has, like a single aspen tree seedling, grown and reached out to create a forest of living and enduring ideas, changing the landscape forever, and creating footpaths for future generations to walk, is presented to:

Sidney Robert Kabinoff

The Psych*ology Student Achievement Award* for academic excellence is presented to:

Mia Diana Leto

The *Outstanding Contribution to Psychology Award*, given for exemplary service and leadership, is presented to:

Kylie M. Hibbett

COLLEGE OF BUSINESS

The *Pennsylvania Institute of Certified Public Accountants Award* for excellence in Accounting Studies, given to a graduating traditional student majoring in Accounting, is awarded to:

Matthew Stephen Foss

Rebecca Wiseley



The Business Administration Faculty Award for academic excellence, given to a graduating traditional student majoring in Business Administration, Accounting, Healthcare Management, Information Technology or Sport Management who has demonstrated excellence in academic studies while at Misericordia University, is presented to:

Megan Jean McCauley

Veronica R. Venit

The Mary Ann Thompson Memorial Student Achievement Award, presented to a graduating traditional Business Administration, Accounting, Healthcare Management, Information Technology or Sport Management major for outstanding community service and academic accomplishment as selected by the Business Administration Department faculty, is awarded to:

Danielle Alyssa Clifford

Jayme Joy DeMedio

The Mass Communications and Design Department Award for Excellence, given to a graduating Mass Communications and Design major for outstanding professional development, academic achievement, and contribution to the University community, is presented to:

Iana Ishell Davis

COLLEGE OF HEALTH SCIENCES AND EDUCATION

The Medical Imaging Department Award for Academic Excellence is awarded to: Jennifer Lee Curtin Alycia Nicole Zidek

The Jane DeMaio Clinical Excellence in the study of Medical Imaging Award is presented to:

Nicole Ashley Calomino

The Sister Mary Kateri Dorwart Award for Excellence and Leadership in Nursing is awarded to:

Kylie M. Hibbett

The *Clinical Excellence Award*, given to a student whose GPA is greater than 3.0 and who is judged by the faculty to administer superior nursing skills in clinical practice, is presented to:

Kaila Nicole Quinlivan

The *Daisy in Training Award*, presented to a student who meets the criteria of the Daisy Foundation for providing compassionate care to patients, is awarded to:

Faith Catherine Sinclair

The *Kaplan Secure Predictor*, presented to a student who has attained the highest score on the comprehensive NCLEX review examination, is awarded to:

Kylie M. Hibbett



The MSN Clinical Excellence Award, presented annually to a graduating MSN student in good academic standing who demonstrated clinical excellence, is awarded to:

Kelly Marie Worsnick

The MSN Evidence Based Practice Award, presented to a graduating MSN student in good academic standing who demonstrates excellence in evidence based practice change through the MSN capstone, is awarded to:

Alyssa Mary Kasheta

The *Excellence in Fieldwork Award*, presented to an Occupational Therapy student who consistently has above average performance in fieldwork, displays outstanding interpersonal skills, and contributes to fieldwork sites by applying and integrating classroom learning, is presented to:

Morgan Mary Wheeler

The Occupational Therapy Curricular Award, presented to a graduating Occupational Therapy student who has demonstrated exemplary academic performance and leadership potential in the profession, is presented to:

Julianna Ellen Haar

The *Dr. Stephen L. Heater Leadership Award*, given to a graduating Occupational Therapy student who exemplifies the qualities of leadership modeled by Dr. Stephen Heater, including creativity, dynamic vision, and exceptional conceptual skills, is presented to:

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The *Alpha Delta Mu Award* for academic excellence in Social Work is awarded to:

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The *Dr. Patricia Lewis Award*, given to a graduating social work student who best exemplifies the Sisters of Mercy values of mercy, service, justice, and hospitality and whose ethical conduct and comportment as a beginning social work practitioner merits recognition beyond the awarding of the BSW degree, is presented to:

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The *Dr. James Calderone Award*, presented to a graduating Social Work student who has shown outstanding personal and professional growth, is awarded to:

Alyssa N. Leggieri

The *Speech-Language Pathology Academic Excellence Award*, granted to the student who has demonstrated academic excellence superior to the graduating class, is presented to:

Chantal Elizabeth Whiteduck



The *Speech-Language Pathology Clinical Excellence Award*, granted to the student who has demonstrated exemplary skills in clinical practicum, is presented to:

Erin Nicole Muldoon

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The Speech-Language Pathology Outstanding Achievement Award, granted to the student who is an exemplary leader in the field of Speech-Language Pathology, is presented to:

Brianna Caroline Spilsbury

The *Speech-Language Pathology Outstanding Service Award*, granted to the student who provides volunteer service to the department above and beyond academic and clinical responsibilities, and who exceeds any other student's service, is presented to:

Elizabeth M. Heinmiller

The Speech-Language Pathology Research Excellence Award, given to the student who takes initiative to participate in all aspects of the research process for multiple research projects including independent research, and whose exemplary scholarship has led to presentations and/or publications, is presented to:

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Shall ever be our guide.

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