Alma Mater

Oh, Alma Mater here today,
We for thy lasting blessings pray,
We know not where our paths may go,
But, thou’lt uphold us still we know,
Unchanging thou, ‘mid changes vast,
Unswerved from ideas of the past,
Steadfast and true, our watchword e’er shall be—
To thee, our Alma Mater, Loyalty!
Fall Exercises for the 2022 Commencement of Northwestern State University of Louisiana

Wednesday, December 14, 2022 and Thursday, December 15, 2022
Prather Coliseum
Natchitoches, Louisiana

TO OUR GUESTS

The faculty and staff of Northwestern State University welcome you to the one hundred thirty-seventh fall commencement exercises. This is a happy occasion, but yet a dignified occasion. It is a time of recognition of the graduates’ years of study and is important and meaningful to the graduates and their families, staff, and students of Northwestern State University. Guests and participants are requested to maintain a proper decorum during the ceremony by avoiding unnecessary movement about the seating area and by withholding applause until the entire class has been graduated. We heartily welcome you to the commencement exercises of Northwestern State University.
Dear Graduates:

On behalf of the entire Northwestern family of faculty, staff, students, and alumni, it is an honor to extend congratulations to this fall’s exceptional graduating class.

On this day, you become an important part of Northwestern’s rich 138-year history. You join more than 80,000 alumni of Northwestern in all 50 states and around the world who each day enhance the university’s reputation through their success in all fields of endeavor.

I know that each of you has a special story to tell about your college journey. Many of you could be the first in your family to earn a college degree. Perhaps you returned to college after an absence of several years. Whatever your individual situation, it is a day to celebrate with parents, husbands, wives, friends, and others who have always been there when you needed them.

While working toward a degree, you have learned much about yourself. During your studies, you have learned to adapt to change and challenges no one could have seen coming. This ability to embrace change will help you throughout your life.

We are deeply honored that you will forever be a part of this historic university, its rich traditions, and its continuing role as a pathfinder in higher education.

Best wishes for the future. Please stay connected to Northwestern. Return to campus soon and often, and let us know if we may ever assist you in any way.

Sincerely,

Dr. Marcus Jones
President
LAND ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

Together, we acknowledge that the NSU campuses are located on the traditional and contemporary lands of Indigenous nations, including Caddo, Tunica, Biloxi, Ofo, Chahta, Adaes, Apalachee, Apache, Chatot, Pascagoula, Chitimacha, Coushatta, Alabama, and other Indigenous nations, including Native refugees from other nations. Indigenous nations care for and are cared for by the land. The relationships between the original peoples and their lands remain of great historical, spiritual, cultural, and personal importance. We recognize the sovereignty of modern Indigenous nations, and through this land acknowledgment we affirm our commitment to supporting tribal self-determination through education. We give our gratitude to the elders, past and present, who have cared for these lands and join in their commitment to the lands’ stewardship. We thank the Tunica-Biloxi Tribe, which hosts our Marksville campus on their tribal land.

COMMISSIONEE IN THE UNITED STATES ARMY

FALL 2022

Cadet Dylan Hunter Trueblood

FACULTY MARSHALS

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STUDENT USHERS

The students leading the candidates into the auditorium represent the Northwestern State University student organizations of Blue Key National Honor Fraternity and Purple Jackets Club. Both organizations are honorary service groups that are highly selective in nature and provide service to the University in many ways throughout the year. Purple Jackets was originated in 1927; Blue Key was begun at Northwestern State University in 1959. It is a Northwestern tradition for a representative of each of these two organizations to lead each file into the commencement ceremony.

GONFALONS

The gonfalon, a flag that hangs from a crosspiece or frame, originated in the medieval republics of Italy as an ensign of state of office. Gonfalons have been adopted in many universities around the world as college or institutional insignias.

The gonfalons displayed represent the academic areas of Northwestern State University. The colors of the University, purple and white, are joined together in a pattern common to all flags. The top portion is the designated color for each academic area.
PROGRAM

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 14, 2022 • 10:00 A.M.

Music is provided by the Northwestern State University String Quartet
Josias Daniel Ramos Alvarado, Carlos Guillermo Diaz del Valle,
Ronald Zaldana Sanchez, and Santiago Uribe Cardona

PROCIONAL..................................................Pomp and Circumstance—Sir Edward Elgar
arr. Paul Sterrett

INVOCATION ..................................................................................Jonatan Jimenez
Mr. NSU, Senior, College of Arts and Science

THE NATIONAL ANTHEM.................................................. Valentina Herazo Alvarez,
Graduating Senior, College of Arts and Science
Emily Saldivar, Senior, College of Education and Human Development

WELCOME ..................................................................................Dr. Marcus Jones
President, Northwestern State University

During the welcome, Dr. Jones will dedicate the Faculty Marshall Regalia
in honor and memory of Dr. LeRoi Eversull, who served
Northwestern State University as Professor of Geography for 40 years.

RECOGNITION OF HONOR GRADUATES..........................Dr. Greg Handel
Provost and Vice President for Academic Affairs and
Dean of the Graduate School

PRESENTATION OF CANDIDATES FOR DEGREES.....................Dr. Greg Handel

CONFERRING OF DEGREES..................................................Dr. Marcus Jones

PRESENTATION OF DEGREES

Dr. Joel Hicks
Dean of the College of Nursing and School of Allied Health
Bachelor's/Associate Degrees

THE ALMA MATER..........................................................Air: “The Watch on the Rhine”
Valentina Herazo Alvarez, Graduating Senior, College of Arts and Science
Emily Saldivar, Senior, College of Education and Human Development

RECESSIONAL..................................................Eine Kleine Nachtmusik
by Mozart
PROGRAM

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 14, 2022 • 2:00 P.M.

Music is provided by the Northwestern State University String Quartet
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  President, Northwestern State University

PRESENTATION OF POSTHUMOUS DEGREE....................Dr. Marcus Jones
  Raderrius Lamar Colbert
  Bachelor of Science in Hospitality Management and Tourism

RECOGNITION OF HONOR GRADUATES.......................Dr. Greg Handel
  Provost and Vice President for Academic Affairs and
  Dean of the Graduate School

PRESENTATION OF CANDIDATES FOR DEGREES...............Dr. Greg Handel

CONFERRING OF DEGREES....................................Dr. Marcus Jones

PRESENTATION OF DEGREES
  Dr. Greg Handel
  Provost and Vice President for Academic Affairs and
  Dean of the Graduate School
  Graduate Degrees

  Dr. Mary Edith Stacy
  Dean of the College of Business and Technology
  Bachelor’s Degrees

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INVOCATION.................................Morgan Landry
                                         Miss NSU, Senior, College of Arts and Science

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                                                      Graduating Senior, College of Arts and Science
                                                      Emily Saldivar, Senior, College of Education and Human Development

WELCOME .................................................. Dr. Marcus Jones
                                         President, Northwestern State University

PRESENTATION OF POSTHUMOUS DEGREE............ Dr. Marcus Jones
                                          Raeanna Laree Free
                                          Associate of General Studies in General Studies

RECOGNITION OF HONOR GRADUATES................... Dr. Greg Handel
                                             Provost and Vice President for Academic Affairs and
                                             Dean of the Graduate School

PRESENTATION OF CANDIDATES FOR DEGREES.......... Dr. Greg Handel

CONFERRING OF DEGREES................................ Dr. Marcus Jones

PRESENTATION OF DEGREES

Dr. Francene J. Lemoine
Dean of the College of Arts and Sciences
Bachelor’s/Associate Degrees

THE ALMA MATER...........................................Air: “The Watch on the Rhine”
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Ronald Zaldana Sanchez, and Santiago Uribe Cardona

PROCESSIONAL

Pomp and Circumstance—Sir Edward Elgar
arr. Paul Sterrett

INVOCATION

Morgan Landry
Miss NSU, Senior, College of Arts and Science

THE NATIONAL ANTHEM

Valentina Herazo Alvarez,
Graduating Senior, College of Arts and Science
Emily Saldivar,
Senior, College of Education and Human Development

WELCOME

Dr. Marcus Jones
President, Northwestern State University

RECOGNITION OF HONOR GRADUATES

Dr. Greg Handel
Provost and Vice President for Academic Affairs and
Dean of the Graduate School

PRESENTATION OF CANDIDATES FOR DEGREES

Dr. Greg Handel

CONFERRING OF DEGREES

Dr. Marcus Jones

PRESENTATION OF DEGREES

Dr. Kimberly McAlister
Dean of the Gallaspy Family College of Education and Human Development
Bachelor’s Degrees

OATH OF COMMISSIONED OFFICER

LTC Joshua R. Drake
Professor of Military Science

THE ALMA MATER

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Valentina Herazo Alvarez, Graduating Senior, College of Arts and Science
Emily Saldivar, Senior, College of Education and Human Development

RECESSIONAL

Eine Kleine Nachtmusik
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HONOR GRADUATES
SUMMER 2022

SUMMA CUM LAUDE
(G.P.A. 4.00 – 3.90)

Katie Marie McCarl
Paige M. Seiley

Magna Cum Laude
(G.P.A. 3.89 – 3.70)

Kelsey Bader
Jamarcia Q. Broadway
Megan R. Downey
Morgan Taylor Dronet
D’Breona D. Johnson
Madalyn G. Mayer
Melina Messier
Kylie Elizabeth Murphy
Sabrina Marie Neyland
Rebecca K. Racouillat
Kaylee Victoria Sarvis
Natalie Kate Sims
Saige Marie Tassin
Erin Nicole Wilson

CUM LAUDE
(G.P.A. 3.69 – 3.50)

Jazmin Avione Black
Alyssa Brianna Bonacci
Brian E. Bullock
Elias Daniel Castro Caballero
April R. Ceffalia
Bailey Nicole DeBona
Hunter Jay Dubois
Layla Jac Easley
Evan Marc Gibson
Zoie Nicole Gillespie
Cavan Leigh Gilley
Shakaviuous Eliza Goff
Alexis Nicole Hanson
Evan Shane Hodge
Sheren Ayman Issa
Jeremiah J. Juneau
Emilie Alexandra Lawson
Kourtney Lyn LeBlanc
Savannah Grace Lee
Shelbie Lynn Martinez
Amelia Mae McLaren
Holly McLoughlin
Evan C. Murphy
Alayna Faith Nailes
Nicole Abarracoso Naral
Amy N. Shamburger
Connor B. Smith
Jessica L. Sowers
Peyton M. Spurgeon
Michaela Steidl
April Virginia Stephens
Sara Rias Sutton
Sarah C. Varnado
HONOR GRADUATES
FALL 2022

SUMMA CUM LAUDE
(G.P.A. 4.00 – 3.90)

Rashiqa Jaber Abdel-Jabbar
Hallee Catherine Airhart
Allison Paige Darty
Emily Catherine Dawson
Christopher Mark Doney
Ashley F. Furrow
Hallie Breanne Kay
Addison Ruth Lasater
Kierra C. Linden
Layken Moore Nash
Jacques H. Ponthier

Bronte Lane Rhoden
Shelby Anne Sandefur
Olivia Laine Slayter
Mya I. Smith
Presley Janelle Stewart
Melanie Jean-Nicole Tobin
Laci Danielle VanWinkle
Laura B. White
Charli J. Williams
Amanda Carol Young

MAGNA CUM LAUDE
(G.P.A. 3.89 – 3.70)

Emily Renee Acevedo
Sarah Kaitlin Aldredge
Faith A. Burke
Ava Claire Tyvaughn Burks
Katlyn Nichole Butler
McKenzie Paige Chaisson
Adelle Brant Chapman
Leah Michelle Charles
Taylor M. Christian
Haley Jo Davis
Andrina Suzette Ferguson
Kaitlyn Codi Foshee
Peyton Erica YuCai Frantom
Mary Christina Gilbert
Shannon Nichole Goody
Gabrielle Lee Granger
Robert Maxwell Griffin
Emily R. Harrington
Maddison Paige Nicole Hebert
Anna Elizabeth Hooper
Isabella Joyce Johnston

Isabelle Victoria Jones
Hannah Gabrielle Karabelen
Leylan S. LeCompte
Tsitsi Marianne Mhembere
Lora Lou Peace
Halston Lee Rachal
Joseph Hunter Rachal
Nerishlyan Gotay Ramos
Magen JaNae Runnels
Rebecca Ann Santos
Carly E. Settle
Bonnie Morgan Singletary
Melissa Soileau
Katelyn N. Stevens
Alexandra Victoria Taylor
Alexis Octavia Taylor
Maeli Z. Usleton
Justine-Téa Winters
Maggie L. Womack
Meghan Raye Woods
CUM LAUDE
(G.P.A. 3.69 – 3.50)

Valentina Herazo Alvarez
Shauna Dene Arrington
Chirstan Eleese Bates
Zachary S. Burleson
Ileysha Melinda Burton
Haley A. Chandler
Madeline Grace Chandler
Katelynn Renee Chenevert
Anne Morgan Cousins
Danielle Marie Cox
KiAmber Eleise Davis
Carolannae Delahoussaye
Donna Marie Dolly
Kailey D. Doucet
Olivia R. Draguicevich
Anita R. Duck
Jami Lyn Duplantis
Corinne Elizabeth Fernandez
Kawliga Presley Forehand
Kathleen B. Gahit
Cristian Camilo Paez Geney
Kelly Lynn George
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Megan Elizabeth LaSalle
Chloe Breanna Leach
Ayden M. Leblanc
Hana Micheely Lewis
Ian Matthew Lovemore
Katelyn Grace Martin
Kirsty L. Maxwell
Angela Hyde McDaniel
Addison Christie-Brei McDermott
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Cierra N. Rachal
Eric Renova
Shelby Madison Shea
Rachel M. Smith
Madeline Marie Sotile
Carsin T. Spurlock
Maritza Nanny Srisawang
Jacob Paul St. Pierre
Zoie A. Swint
Caitlin Christine Thompson
David Wingard Tucker
Morgan Sharmell White
Mykia Nicole Wiggins
Jordan Johnae Winston
Natalie M. Womack
PHI KAPPA PHI

The national Honor Society of Phi Kappa Phi was the first to recognize superior scholarship in all fields of study and to take into membership the highest-ranking students from all branches of learning. Since chapters elect no more than the upper ten percent of a graduating class, membership is a distinction unequaled by any other scholarly group. Faculty and students who are members wear the medallion of the Society. Members from this graduating class are:

Summer 2022

Pamela Ann Holcombe  Amber Charisse Raggio

Fall 2022

Taylor Nicole Camidge  Rebecca Kaye Jones
Donna Marie Dolly  Brittany Danielle Miller
Martha Elizabeth Hopewell  Melissa Soileau
CANDIDATES FOR GRADUATION
GRADUATE DEGREES
SUMMER 2022

DOCTOR OF NURSING PRACTICE
MAJOR: NURSING PRACTICE

Keli Sheree Barrios, Doctor of Nursing Practice, Nursing Practice
Scholarly Project: Improving Providers’ Rates of Screening and Documentation of Culturally Sensitive Health Care Among Obstetric and Gynecologic Providers in a Rural Women’s Health Clinic

*Karen Anne Buck, Doctor of Nursing Practice, Nursing Practice
Scholarly Project: Standardizing Obstetric Triage Acuity Assignments

*Heather Marie Daniels, Doctor of Nursing Practice, Nursing Practice
Scholarly Project: Improving Well-Child Visits in Pediatric Primary Care Through Implementation of a Text Message Reminder System

Tiffany Nicole George, Doctor of Nursing Practice, Nursing Practice
Scholarly Project: Improving Primary Care Providers’ Screening Practices

*Heather Stephenson Hayter, Doctor of Nursing Practice, Nursing Practice
Scholarly Project: Incorporating an Evidence-Based Anxiety Screening Tool and Referral Process into a Collegiate Setting

Pamela Ann Holcombe, Doctor of Nursing Practice, Nursing Practice
Scholarly Project: Development, Implementation, and Evaluation of a Military Medic/Paramedic to RN Concentration within an ASN Degree Program at a State University

*Andrea F. Jones, Doctor of Nursing Practice, Nursing Practice
Scholarly Project: A Quality Improvement Project to Improve Experienced Nurse Educator Leadership Using a Structured Mentorship Program

Lisa Ann Tyson Lehmann, Doctor of Nursing Practice, Nursing Practice
Scholarly Project: Implementation of Clinical Guideline Protocols in the Emergency Department to Improve Care for Sexual Assault Patients

*Rashauna Guillory Moody, Doctor of Nursing Practice, Nursing Practice
Scholarly Project: Implementation of a Primary Health Screening Program in a Rural Clinic: A Quality Improvement Project

Jennifer Rebecca Thornton, Doctor of Nursing Practice, Nursing Practice
Scholarly Project: Implementing Code Lavender in a Rural Acute Care Hospital: A Quality Improvement Project

*Denotes 4.0 in Degree Program
Robin Roush Wood, Doctor of Nursing Practice, Nursing Practice

**Scholarly Project:** Implementation of a Relaxation Room to Increase Resilience in Critical Care Nurses

MASTER’S DEGREES
SUMMER 2022

*Joseph Dees Ardillo*, Master of Education, Special Education

Pauline Jenell Burnsed, Master of Arts in Teaching, Middle School Education Grades 4-8

*Brooke Kennedy Campbell*, Master of Arts in Teaching, Middle School Education Grades 4-8

Donna Roberta Cassels, Master of Arts, Art

**Creative Research Project:** Emotion and Expression in Art: A Look into Expressive Painting

Madison Dugas, Master of Arts in Teaching, Secondary Education Grades 6-12

Savannah Lane Bearden Dunn, Master of Education, Special Education

*Jennifer Wilson Evans*, Master of Science, Radiologic Sciences

*Rebecca Anne Frank*, Master of Science, Radiologic Sciences

*Jillian Andrea Gibson*, Master of Arts, Art

**Creative Research Project:** Expressive Atmosphere Through Texture and Color A Study of Expressive Atmospheres in Abstract Landscapes Through the Use of Texture and Color

*Jessica Dawn Grossman*, Master of Arts, English

*Patricia Connella Gunter*, Master of Arts in Teaching, Middle School Education Grades 4-8

Reagan Hanley Isman, Master of Arts in Teaching, Middle School Education Grades 4-8

Emily Kathleen O’Glee, Master of Arts in Teaching, Middle School Education Grades 4-8

*Arielle Salagan Pompilius*, Master of Arts, English

**Thesis:** You Make Yourself Sound Ignorant: Code-Switching, Identity, and the Dialect of Power

Amber Charisses Raggio, Master of Arts in Teaching, Middle School Education Grades 4-8

*Robin Dana Raznick*, Master of Arts, Art

**Creative Research Project:** Nature’s Architecture: Representation as an Avenue to Abstraction A Study of Art and Ecology Soil, Rock, Root

*Denotes 4.0 in Degree Program*
*Mary Grace Frances Renfro, Master of Science, Radiologic Sciences
*Alessandra Simari, Master of Science, Radiologic Sciences
Thomas Harris St. Amant, Master of Education, Curriculum and Instruction
Whitney D. Stewart, Master of Arts in Teaching, Middle School Education
Grades 4-8
*Jennifer Leigh Stone, Master of Arts, English
Alyssa L. Sumbler, Master of Arts in Teaching, Middle School Education
Grades 4-8
*Brianna Antoinette Taylor, Master of Science, Radiologic Sciences
*Corinne Nicole Webster, Master of Arts, Art
  Creative Research Project: Kindred Connections: Mysticism, Folklore
  and History Through the Contemporary Gaze
*Vonnetta N. Wedderburn, Master of Arts, Art
  Creative Research Project: The Art of Play in Abstract and Mixed
  Media Art
Shante Monee Williams, Master of Arts in Teaching, Middle School Education
Grades 4-8

*Denotes 4.0 in Degree Program
BACHELOR OF ARTS

Cassandra Elizabeth Bailey*  Criminal Justice
Brylee Annette Brown        Communication
Kathryn L. Chaddrick Crawford History
Felix Anthony DeJean V       History
Frances M. Espinoza          Liberal Arts
Madeleine G. Hensley*        Communication
Jakirya Monea Hunter         Criminal Justice
Evan C. Murphy*              Communication
Candice Audrey Parramore*    Criminal Justice
Carolina Portus-Woods*       Liberal Arts
Darius D. Ramsour*           Criminal Justice
Trey A. Williams             Communication
La’Kiya Ambranique Woods     Criminal Justice
William J. Woodworth         Liberal Arts

BACHELOR OF FINE ARTS

Mary Elizabeth Breithaupt*   Fine and Graphic Arts

BACHELOR OF GENERAL STUDIES
MAJOR: GENERAL STUDIES

Karissa Paige Beemer         Bennie L. Robinson II
Matthew R. Brown*            Jameion LaThea St. Cyr
Kellen B. Haymon*            John Jamey Touchet
Gage A. Leach                Nakita Shaveta Turner
Julia Nicole Malmay          Randy Oliver Williams
Joshua Blake Riggs            Etienne Renee Wright*

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE

Haleigh A. Gates*            Biology
Eli Walker Maffioli          Electronics Engineering Technology
German A. Abundiz Pedroza*   Electronics Engineering Technology
Phallon Felicia Robinson     Biology

*Honors Roll for the Associate Degree or Bachelor’s Degree program
☆☆Double major in the same college  ★★Double degree in the same college
COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES
ASSOCIATE DEGREE CANDIDATES
SUMMER 2022

ASSOCIATE DEGREE
MAJOR: VETERINARY TECHNOLOGY

Haleigh A. Gates*
Phallon Felicia Robinson

ASSOCIATE OF GENERAL STUDIES
MAJOR: GENERAL STUDIES

Ella Lindsey Abney*
Caleb Sebastian Adams*
Jalaya Janae Adams
George Edward Alden V
Sha’Breya Monique Renee Allen
David Christopher Anders
Ashton Jude Andrepont*
Zachary Ryan Antee
Micah C. Armstrong*
Leah Bazzelle*
Brianna Rose Billiot*
Nicole Jessica Blumberg*
Jessica Ebone Born
Heather Danielle Boudreaux
Titus Luke Boudreaux*
Eric Anthony Bradford
Emma Grace Braley*
Joshua Montgomery Brew
Jashayla Che’brielle Bright*
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Tameria Keishun Brisker
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LeAndra L. Brown*
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Molly Alexandra Brown*
Victoria Alexis Brueck*
Skye Anna Buentello*
Alex D. Calhoun*
Derrick Cayden Carson*
Dani Jeaux Carver*

Britney N. Turner

Dustin Wyatt Chandler
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Brady James Covington*
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Ha-Ya Glory Destiny Davis*
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Destinee Hope Erwin
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Janiece LaChal Gilliam
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Brooklyn Taraea Hall*
Easton James Hein*

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John Christopher Henry  
Madilyn Rose Hill*  
Abigail Grace Huddleston*  
Julia L.K. Huilui  
Alex Ray Humphries  
Erin Elizabeth Istre*  
Jordan Makayla Jenkins*  
Mekayla Deney Jenkins*  
Olivia Jane Johnson*  
Shamorris Kieamber Jones  
Tailor Raquel Jones  
Joshua Tyler Juneau*  
Alexandria Kurtz*  
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Isabella Aimi Le*  
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Brittany Nichole Lewis*  
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Kamica Shuntell Antoinette Logan  
Erik López*  
Kaylyn Leigh Malone*  
Pamela Mayhorn  
Isabella Grace McCall  
Rachael Alexis McCrory*  
Reuben Jake Mc Donald*  
Robyn Lynn McDougall*  
Meredith Claire Mertens*  
Adrianna Therese Metrejean  
Sean M. Michot*  
Rebecca Francis Mills  
Janelle Addy Moore*  
Kalía Shaunya Lyniqe Moore  
Natalie Ann Moseley*  
Lydia Dianne Moser*  
Tiana Monique Myers*  
Cayla Gabrielle Nagy*  
Skylar Elizabeth Ortego*  
Maria Ebelia Palacios-Acuna*  
Michell Alessandra Parker*  
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Kaitlin Bailey Rachal  
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Shelbi Renee Rosenberg*  
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Janey Lélah Saik*  
Re’Len Oraonna Sanders  
Trenton L. Scott*  
Mikayla Jeana’e Sepulvado  
Paegan Achale Shaheen*  
Arionna Jané Shelton*  
Chelsea Anna Starkey*  
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Shenekwia Shaunte’ Thompson  
Jaymee S. Thrasher  
Whitney Denise Tipton  
Brandon Scott Turner*  
Catina Faraye Turner  
Macie Turner*  
Skyla Le’Chae Vercher  
Ilea Robin Watson*  
Audrey Weng*  
Jordan Alyne West*  
Josephine Marie White  
Makayla Leann White*  
Alexis Sierra Whitehead*  
Lindsay Elise Wilkerson*  
Trevor Lamark Williams, Jr.  
Alyrica Shadarria Winder  
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Mackenzie L. Panther Psychology
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CANDIDATES FOR GRADUATION
GRADUATE DEGREES
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DOCTOR OF EDUCATION
MAJOR: ADULT LEARNING AND DEVELOPMENT

*Tanya Kay Boman*, Doctor of Education, Adult Learning and Development
*Dissertation*: A Quantitative Analysis: Earning Wisconsin Technical College Credentials in High School Matters for Continuing Education

*Andraniki Champagnie*, Doctor of Education, Adult Learning and Development
*Dissertation*: What’s in Your Way? The Perceived Barriers to Retaining Nontraditional Black Women Students in a Community College During the COVID-19 Pandemic

Tiffany Jane Howard, Doctor of Education, Adult Learning and Development
*Dissertation*: Noncredit and Credit Alignment: An Investigation of the Louisiana Community and Technical College System’s Noncredit Divisions

Jessica Suzanne Lemoine, Doctor of Education, Adult Learning and Development
*Dissertation*: The ACT and Retention at Northwestern State University of Louisiana

*Mwaka Obol*, Doctor of Education, Adult Learning and Development
*Dissertation*: Training and Professional Development and Other Factors in Higher Education: Understanding What Motivates Employees in a Large Corporate Organization

DOCTOR OF NURSING PRACTICE
MAJOR: NURSING PRACTICE

Joel Jimes, Doctor of Nursing Practice, Nursing Practice
*Scholarly Project*: An Evidence-Based Quality Improvement Project to Increase Patient Satisfaction Scores Over Twelve Weeks

Ungelica Rose Moses, Doctor of Nursing Practice, Nursing Practice
*Scholarly Project*: Implementation of the Re-Engineered Discharge Toolkit Post-Discharge Telephone Follow-Up for Gynecologic Surgery Patients

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SPECIALIST IN EDUCATION DEGREE

*Brandi Nicole Earnest Rivers, Educational Specialist, Educational Leadership and Instruction
Field Study: The Overall Quality of Teacher Support Structures as Perceived by Educators in Two Tap School Settings

Chelsea Lasha Sanders, Educational Specialist, Educational Leadership and Instruction
Field Study: The Importance of Extracurricular Activities in Education

MASTER’S DEGREES
FALL 2022

Jordan Lynn Andrews, Master of Science, Health and Human Performance

*Timothy L. Arbour, Master of Education, Educational Leadership
Kenneth T. Baillie, Master of Science, Homeland Security

*Kelsy Cheyenne Baker, Master of Science, Homeland Security

*Amy Sherri Barton, Master of Arts in Teaching, Elementary Education Grades 1-5
Kayla N. Bellard, Master of Arts, Counseling
Rachel Marie Bensinger-Holt, Master of Education, Early Childhood Education
Jonathan D. Bergeron, Master of Science, Health and Human Performance

Tierra Rayne Blair, Master of Science, Psychology, Clinical
Thesis: Just Keep Swiping: How Do Attachment Styles and Rejection Sensitivity Affect Our Motives to Use Dating Apps?

Jonathan R. Brown, Master of Arts, Student Affairs in Higher Education
Katherine Bailey Bryant, Master of Education, Curriculum and Instruction
Christopher James Bush, Master of Education, Educational Leadership

*Taylor Nicole Camidge, Master of Arts, Counseling
Jamie Rae Christian, Master of Science, Health and Human Performance
Lakesha Marie Colar, Master of Arts in Teaching, Elementary Education Grades 1-5
Mavis L. Collinsworth, Master of Arts, Counseling
Khalil Elijah Nelson Corbett-Canada, Master of Arts, Counseling
Amber Craig, Master of Education, Early Childhood Education

*Helene Rachel DeVita, Master of Arts in Teaching, Elementary Education and Special Education Mild/Moderate Grades 1-5

*Jennifer Martin Draper, Master of Education, Curriculum and Instruction

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Jolie A. Dubriel, Master of Arts, English

Margaret Ellett, Master of Education, Curriculum and Instruction

*Jake Lee English, Master of Music, Music
   **Performance Document:** Italian Heritage of American Euphonium in the Twentieth Century: Analysis, Background Information, and Performance Suggestions for Works by Bimboni, Boccalari, & Falcone

Addison Andrew Fernandez, Master of Arts in Teaching, Secondary Education Grades 6-12

*Elizabeth Flores, Master of Arts, Counseling

Matthew Raymond Fountain, Master of Arts in Teaching, Secondary Education Grades 6-12

*Leejanna Noel Frederick, Master of Arts, Adult Learning and Development
   **Thesis:** The Effects of Financial Aid on Academic Performance for Students in a Community College

*Maria O. Garrett, Master of Arts, Art
   **Creative Research Project:** Surface A Study of Texture and Surface Design

Kaitlyn Richards Hamm, Master of Science, Health and Human Performance

Latoya Ellise Hayes, Master of Arts in Teaching, Middle School Education Grades 4-8

Jessica Frazier Helaire, Master of Science, Homeland Security

*Mary Etta Hernandez, Master of Arts in Teaching, Middle School Education Grades 4-8

*Marlee Alexandra Hilton, Master of Arts, Counseling

*Michelle Ann Hoke, Master of Education, Curriculum and Instruction

*Martha Elizabeth Hopewell, Master of Education, Early Childhood Education

Tonika Nicole Johnson, Master of Arts, Counseling

Julia Katherine Jones, Master of Arts in Teaching, Middle School Education Grades 4-8

*Rebecca Kaye Jones, Master of Education, Early Childhood Education

*Sidney M. Jones, Master of Arts, Counseling

*Mesfin Kirub, Master of Arts, Adult Learning and Development
   **Thesis:** Motivating Adult English Learners Using Small Groups or Cooperative Learning Techniques in Virtual Classes: An Action Research Report

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*Elizabeth Euridice Ktorides, Master of Arts, English


*Sarah Bourg LaBauve, Master of Education, Curriculum and Instruction

*Monique Elise LeBlanc-Bowers, Master of Arts, Counseling

Ra-Chelle Danielle Lewis, Master of Arts, Student Affairs in Higher Education

Keisha Renee Marceaux, Master of Arts in Teaching, Elementary Education and Special Education Mild/Moderate Grades 1-5

Natasha Nicole Marshall, Master of Arts, Adult Learning and Development

Thesis: Access and Participation in Adult Literacy and Training Programs

Alexis S. Mason, Master of Science, Health and Human Performance

Kayla Keonia Mayfield, Master of Science, Radiologic Sciences

Renwick Khiron McPherson, Master of Arts, Adult Learning and Development

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*Christina Elizabeth Pagoulato, Master of Arts, Adult Learning and Development


*Jillian Marie Palmer, Master of Science, Health and Human Performance

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*Riley Katherine Petro, Master of Science, Radiologic Sciences

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*Jasmine C. Roberson, Master of Education, Special Education

*Jennifer Clair Rodrigue, Master of Education, Curriculum and Instruction

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Sarah Mae Rutledge, Master of Education, Curriculum and Instruction

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*Lindsey Ann Weeks, Master of Education, Special Education

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Dominique Ciera Williams, Master of Science, Radiologic Sciences

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*Hannah Gabrielle Karabelen*, Bachelor of Arts, Liberal Arts

**Thesis:** Modeling Docking Properties of Molnupiravir for Better Application in COVID-19 Treatment: An Example of Advantages and Challenges Students Face with Computational Chemistry

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Christopher G. Johnson, Jr.  Electronics Engineering Technology
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Savannah Faith Kirl*  Biology
Ashleigh Elizabeth Klein*  Biology
Anthony Tyrel Lalone*  Biology
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Ayden M. Leblanc*  Biology
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Carly E. Settle*  Biology
Kariah Chanel Sisk-Shaheed  Biology
Tishina Marie Thomas  Biology
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Tadarrius Turner
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Caleb A. Byon  Computer Information Systems
Ameliah Risa Carpenter*  Hospitality Management and Tourism
Cameron Lawrence Cherry  Hospitality Management and Tourism
Raderrius Lamar Colbert  Hospitality Management and Tourism
Katie M. Cole  Accounting
Tiffany Latreece Cooley-Rhoe  Accounting
Jami Lyn Duplantis*  Accounting
Haeven B. Durbin  Business Administration
Faith Janell Durousseau  Accounting
Kelleigh D. Edwards*  Business Administration
Derek Scott Fields*  Accounting and Business Administration
Tai Alexander Fletcher  Hospitality Management and Tourism
Moses Ray Gonzalez  Computer Information Systems
Brittnee Elaine Granade*  Computer Information Systems
Samara Guidry*  Business Administration
Maddison Paige Nicole Hebert*  Business Administration
Ashley Sofia Icaza  Business Administration
Clent Carver Jones, Jr.*  Computer Information Systems
Arteria Anntoinette Lathan  Accounting
Savannah D. Leach  Business Administration
Brea Renee Leslie  Accounting
Kierra C. Linden*  Business Administration and Hospitality Management and Tourism

Jennifer Michaela Loftin  Hospitality Management and Tourism
Raelynn Guccione Marceaux  Accounting
Jonah Enos Mckay*  Accounting
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Kylie Madison Morgan  Business Administration
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Lora Lou Peace*  Business Administration
Klein Christian Pearce  Business Administration

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Andy Pierre-Antoine          Business Administration
Kylah Iman Porter            Business Administration
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Jacob Andrew Robertson*      Computer Information Systems
Tianna M. Rock               Business Administration
Gracy E. Rowell*             Hospitality Management and Tourism
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Shelby Anne Sandefur*        Business Administration
Melissa Soileau*             Computer Information Systems
Presley Janelle Stewart*     Business Administration
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Evan Myles Stuckey           Accounting
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BACHELOR OF MUSIC EDUCATION
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Carolannae Delahoussaye*
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Jarrett Mathew Gibson
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Toni Graves
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Psychology
Child and Family Studies
Psychology
Addiction Studies
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Health and Exercise Science
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Elementary Education Grades 1-5
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Elizabeth Journet  
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As of 2020, all of Northwestern State University’s baccalaureate programs have implemented Learning for Life, the University’s Quality Enhancement Plan. Learning for Life is dedicated to ensuring all baccalaureate programs conclude with meaningful capstone experiences that prepare graduates for careers and graduate study. Congratulations to all of Northwestern’s graduates who took part in Learning for Life this semester.
THE PRESIDENT’S CHAIN, REGALIA, and the MACE

The President’s Chain holds the seal of the University, which is cast in bronze. Around the black satin ribbon holding the seal are engraved platelets bearing the name of a former president of Northwestern and the years he served. Chains of similar design have been worn for centuries during ceremonies at universities. This chain is unique in recognizing the leaders who have served Northwestern while most others are original works of art.

The President’s Chain was presented to the University by The Honor Society of Phi Kappa Phi to commemorate the University’s commitment to academic excellence for 125 years.

The President’s Regalia was designed by the Student Government Association on behalf of the student body and symbolizes the mutual trust, respect, and collaboration between the students and the University administration.

Academic regalia dates back to the Medieval universities of Europe and is based on clerical robes worn at that time. The President’s Regalia is comprised of a purple robe and hood with velvet panels and bars with white piping in the University’s colors. The front panels are emblazoned with the seal of the University, and the four bars on the sleeves are exclusive to the regalia of the President.

The Mace is crafted from dark walnut and silver-plated solid bronze. It bears the seal of the University and features details of oak and pine. The Mace is topped by a silver fleur-de-lis finial, symbolizing the French heritage of the area and is encircled by the original Latin motto of the school, “Educatio Adulescentis Est Civitiatis Salus (The Education of the Youth is the Salvation of the State).”

The Mace originated as a weapon in the Middle Ages. Archers and other unmounted warriors used it as a hand arm. Sergeants at arms, who were guards of kings and other high officials, also carried maces. Gradually the mace gained a ceremonial character and became a symbol to denote authority.

The commencement ceremonial occasions begin with the entrance of the University Mace, carried by the Mace Bearer, President of the University's Faculty Senate. The ceremonial Mace symbolizes the dignity and authority of the University.

Mace Bearer
Dr. John T. Dunn
COMMENCEMENT COMMENTARY

The practice of wearing academic attire extends back to Medieval times and the Renaissance when teachers and students in European universities wore caps, gowns, and hoods. The long sleeves of the gowns and the deep hoods were used to carry books and refreshments. Each European university developed its own style of dress and strict rules for its design. In the United States, most institutions have agreed on a uniform design and color code.

Although the wearing of academic regalia in this country is now limited to formal occasions, the attire may be considered the mark of the professional scholar and teacher. The style and color serve as symbols of academic achievement.

Holders of the associate, bachelor's, master's, and specialist's degrees wear purple gowns; the pattern and trimming differ for each degree. Originally, the bachelor's gowns were made of serge or worsted and the master's gowns were made of serge, worsted, or silk; but now synthetic fabrics are also used. The master's and specialist's gowns are distinguished by their long pointed sleeves with a slit for the arm at either the elbow or wrist.

The doctor's gown is made of silk and may be in a color other than black. It has rounded, open sleeves, and the trimming includes velvet facing down the front and three bars of velvet on the sleeves. The velvet may be black or the color appropriate to the faculty or subject to which the degree pertains.

Holders of all degrees wear caps, popularly known as mortarboards, to which a long tassel, the color of which indicates the academic discipline of the degree, is fastened and hangs over the left side of the cap. Doctors and presidents of institutions may wear tassels of gold thread.

At Northwestern State University, students earning bachelor's, master's and specialist's degrees wear purple and white tassels and students earning associate degrees wear purple tassels. The hoods of the candidates for advanced Northwestern State University degrees are lined with the colors of the University, purple and white. The colors of the edging of hoods are representative of the degree:

- Arts, Letters, and Humanities..........White
- Business.................................Drab
- Education...............................Baby Blue
- Music......................................Pink
- Nursing.................................Apricot
- Science ..................................Golden Yellow

Commencement is the most important event of the academic year on a university campus. On that occasion, the faculty traditionally recognizes the graduating class by marching in procession attired in the regalia appropriate to their degrees and the institutions where they were earned. Position in the faculty columns is determined by academic rank; persons of higher rank process first.

The column is led by two marshals wearing regalia in the colors of Northwestern State University. The marshals are chosen by their faculty colleagues on the basis of distinguished service and achievement.

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Alma Mater

Oh, Alma Mater here today,
We for thy lasting blessings pray,
We know not where our paths may go,
But, thou’l uphold us still we know,
Unchanging thou, ‘mid changes vast,
Unswerved from ideas of the past,
Steadfast and true, our watchword e’er shall be—
To thee, our Alma Mater, Loyalty!