



FALL 2021

Commencement

CONVOCATIONS

December 10 and 11, 2021
Haas Center for the Arts, Mitrani Hall

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UNIVERSITY GOVERNANCE

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Daniel Greenstein, D. Phil., Chancellor, Ex Officio

Bashar W. Hanna, Ph.D., President

Please be informed that all candidates for degrees and all honors designated for degrees earned are determined according to the academic record that includes the student's last semester which becomes official once all grades have been submitted and posted. A student's receipt of degree and the declaration of related honors must be confirmed and validated by the final transcript.

In all cases, the actual awarding of a degree by the university is subject to verification by the registrar. Time limitations associated with commencement make such verification before this ceremony impossible. Therefore these exercises are to be considered as ceremonial only.

The views or opinions expressed by the guest speakers at today's commencement are their own and do not necessarily represent the views or opinions of Bloomsburg University.

Zeigler College of Business — Bachelor of Science in Business Administration,
Bachelor of Science in Education
College of Education — Bachelor of Science, Bachelor of Science in Education
College of Liberal Arts — Bachelor of Arts, Bachelor of Social Work
College of Science and Technology — Bachelor of Arts, Bachelor of Applied Science, Bachelor of Science,
Bachelor of Science in Nursing

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and follow directions from ushers and police.

COMMENCEMENT SPEAKERS

School of Graduate Studies and Zeigler College of Business

Carolyn LaMacchia

Associate Professor of Information Technology, Analytics, and Business Education

Carolyn LaMacchia joined Bloomsburg University's Zeigler College of Business as a faculty member in 2013. Dr. LaMacchia teaches undergraduate information technology and analytics courses and graduate information technology courses.

LaMacchia is chair of the Department of Information Technology, Analytics, and Business Education and program co-coordinator for the M.S. in information technology program. She is the faculty advisor for the student chapter of the international organization Association for Information Systems (AIS).

She is a recipient of the Teaching and Learning Enhancement Center 2020 Outstanding Teaching Award and the Provost Award for Excellence in Research and Scholarly Activity in 2017. Her research interests include data analysis, cybersecurity, blockchain, and curriculum development. In November 2018, she and a co-author were featured in the Wall Street Journal based upon a cybersecurity journal article publication.

Before joining Bloomsburg University, LaMacchia started her career as a technology interface manager for a telecommunications company. She then became a software

application developer for a multi-national chemical company. For most of her career, she was a senior software developer for an international consulting firm serving in multiple roles, including project manager, database administrator, technical architect, manufacturing systems support analyst, and artificial intelligence solution developer.

LaMacchia holds a bachelor's degree from Temple University, a master's degree from Drexel University, and a Ph.D. in computer information systems from Nova Southeastern University.

She and her husband, Carmen, reside in Bloomsburg. They have two grown children, Carmen and Virginia.



College of Education and College of Science and Technology

Todd Hoover

Professor of Teaching and Learning

Todd Hoover is a professor and chairperson of the Department of Teaching and Learning. Over the past fifteen years at Bloomsburg University, he has been actively involved in science education on the local, state, and national levels.

Dr. Hoover is a past president of the Pennsylvania Science Teachers Association, a past board member of the Pennsylvania Association of Environmental Educators, a former board member of the National Social Science Association, a past president of the National Middle Level Science Teachers Association, and has served on the Middle Level Science Teaching committee of the National Science Teaching Association. He is also a presenter and trainer for Project Wild and Growing Up Wild, a reviewer for the elementary science teaching journal *Science and Children*, and a program reviewer for the Pennsylvania Department of Education.

His research has taken various paths over the years, from studying the value of homework in the early childhood setting, to student teacher anxiety, to administrative shortages in rural Pennsylvania schools, to recently published research carried out with Dr. Brandon

Lang (Bloomsburg University, sociology) and Dr. Mohsen Shabahang (former director of General Surgery at Geisinger Health) studying the various learning styles of general surgery residents.

Hoover was also a national columnist for the National Science Teaching Association's journal, *Science Scope*, writing a monthly column titled "Disequilibrium" about the use of discrepant events in the science classroom.

He lives in Harrisburg with his wife, Randee, and is the proud dad of Olivia, BU Fall 2021 graduate in pre-veterinary biology.



COMMENCEMENT SPEAKERS

College of Liberal Arts

Meredith Re' Grimsley

Professor of Art and Art History

Meredith Re' Grimsley received her MFA in 2002 and her BFA in 1999 in Fabric Design from the University of Georgia in Athens, Ga.

She is a professor of fabric design and chairperson of the Department of Art and Art History.

Her work, including wearable art, installation, performance, two-dimensional and three-dimensional forms, has been shown in numerous national and international venues in solo and group exhibitions.

Her solo exhibition, *Worth Her Salt*, premiered at the Gallery at the Greenly Center in fall 2020.

Currently, her work is traveling through Europe in the SAQA Global Exhibition "Light the World," which debuted at the European Patchwork Meeting in Sainte-Marie-Aux-Mines, France. Her work is also traveling throughout the United States and England in the SAQA Global Exhibition "Ebb and Flow" and nationally in the SAQA Exhibition "Beyond the Mirror."

She was recently featured in the SAQA Textile Talk: Conversations with the Artists from Ebb and Flow; and

in two Meet the Artist features for both *Ebb and Flow* and *Beyond the Mirror* Exhibition.

These features can be viewed on the SAQA YouTube channel.

She shares her life with her husband Jim, sons Arthur and Patrick, and miniature princess poodle Jefferson.

More information about her work is available at www.meredithregrimsley.com.



FRIDAY CONVOCATION

School of Graduate Studies and Zeigler College of Business

Grand Marshal and Mace Bearer: Thomas Klinger, Ph.D.

College Marshals: Michael Huben, MBA, Edward Keller, D.Ed.

ProcessionalPomp and Circumstance, by Elgar/Grundman

The National Anthem Zebediah Sellers

Welcoming RemarksDiana Rogers-Adkinson, Ph.D.
Provost and Senior Vice President, Academic Affairs

President Remarks..... Bashar W. Hanna, Ph.D.
President

Commencement Address.....Carolyn LaMacchia, Ph.D.
Chair and Associate Professor,
Department of Information Technology, Analytics and Business Education

Degree Ceremony

Presentation of Candidates.....Diana Rogers-Adkinson, Ph.D.
Provost and Senior Vice President, Academic Affairs

Introduction of Candidates..... School of Graduate Studies, Heather Feldhaus, Ph.D.
Interim Associate Vice Provost and Dean of Graduate Studies
Reader: Mike Shapeero, Ph.D.

Zeigler College of Business, Todd Shawver, D.B.A., Dean
Reader: Kenneth D. Hall, D.B.A.

Conferral of Degrees Bashar W. Hanna, Ph.D.
President

Closing Ceremony

Student Remarks Cameren Cooper
CGA President

Alumni Welcome Felicia Ellzy
President, Alumni Association

Alma Mater Zebediah Sellers
Music and lyrics appear on the last page

Recessional The Seasons: Autumn (“Baccanale” and “Petit Adagio”)
by Alexander Glazunov

SATURDAY CONVOCATIONS

College of Education and College of Science and Technology (Morning)

Grand Marshal and Mace Bearer: Mehdi Razzaghi, Ph.D.
College Marshals: Brooke Lylo, Ph.D., Lori Metzger, Ph.D., CRNP, RN-BC

College of Liberal Arts (Afternoon)

Grand Marshal and Mace Bearer: Christopher Armstrong, Ph.D.
College Marshals: Deborah Walberg, Ph.D., Mary Jo Larcom, Ph.D.

Processional	Pomp and Circumstance, by Elgar/Grundman
The National Anthem	Kathryn Herald (Morning) Timothy Kirk (Afternoon)
Welcoming Remarks	Diana Rogers-Adkinson, Ph.D. Provost and Senior Vice President, Academic Affairs
President Remarks.....	Bashar W. Hanna, Ph.D. President
Commencement Address.....	Todd Hoover, Ed.D. (Morning) Chair and Professor, Department of Teaching and Learning
	Meredith Re’ Grimsley, M.F.A. (Afternoon) Chair and Professor, Department of Art and Art History

Degree Ceremony

Presentation of Candidates.....	Diana Rogers-Adkinson, Ph.D. Provost and Senior Vice President, Academic Affairs
Introduction of Candidates.....	College of Education, Daryl Fridley, Ph.D., Dean Reader: Carolyn Reid-Brown, Ph.D.
	College of Science and Technology, Latha Ramakrishnan, Ph.D., Dean Reader: Robert Montante, Ph.D.
	College of Liberal Arts, James Brown, Ph.D., Dean Reader: Scott Duncan, Ph.D.
Conferral of Degrees.....	Bashar W. Hanna, Ph.D. President

Closing Ceremony

Student Remarks	Julia Pittre Senior Class President
Alumni Welcome	Felicia Ellzy President, Alumni Association
Alma Mater	Kathryn Herald (Morning) Timothy Kirk (Afternoon) <i>Music and lyrics appear on the last page</i>
Recessional	The Seasons: Autumn (“Baccanale” and “Petit Adagio”), by Alexander Glazunov

SCHOOL OF GRADUATE STUDIES

Master of Business Administration

Iliana Anapolsky
Jeffrey L. Bennett
Eva Joy Crishock
Nakeisha A. Frederick
Noah Benjamin Green
Alexa Marie Hady
Kelsey Denelle Hartzler
Kyle Arthur Keefer
Brian M. Klinefelter
Alexis Morgan Krieger
Alexis Nichol Muench
Amy Lynn Nykun
Molly G. Person
Mary E. Raskob
John F. Reilly Jr.
Juan Rodriguez
Tyler John Tornetta

Master of Education

Business Education/ITM

Zachary Perry Cole
Gareth K. Henderson
Avery Jordan Roberts
Amy Veli

Curriculum and Instruction

Patrick William Ritter
Kendra Elizabeth Wilt

Early Childhood Education PK-4

Katie A. Lex

Educational Leadership

Kaitlyn Marie Berkheimer
Cody Allan Blankenhorn
Whitly Branigan Breakey
Lucas Bricker
Will M. Christensen
Megan Anna Cromis
Amber Saria Fuller
Sarah E. Gorr

Jessica Joseph
Dillon M. Page
Dante Geatano Picarelli
Jason Reed
Shane M. Spotts
Andrea Ruth Zajac

Reading

Felicia Canouse
Stacy A. Hammer
Ariel Marie Harro
Marisa Grace Rhodes
Katy Thompson Verrelli
Danielle Marie Wood

Special Education

Amanda Marie Del Vecchio
Garrett David Dinelli
Jacob D. Prescott
Steven David Smith
Katherine Spagnuolo
Crystal Wilner

Master of Science

Biology

Ty A. Basinger
Martina Irinka Bennick
Mary Ann Bogert
Michael Joseph Facella
Alex Robert Pasculle

Exercise Science

Louis Connor

Information Technology

Elizabeth Ann Fisne
Kirk D. Lehman
Gino D. Mihssen
William Allen Santanna Jr.
Arlee Jean Simendinger
Brian A. Snyder
James Michael Strommer

Instructional Design & Technology

Robert Eric Bell
Angela M. Ciucci
Brianna Victoria Collins
Abby Nicole Fleishauer
Brittany Michelle Heller
Kelly E. Kuhn
Heather Marie Leo
Blythe Mary Libby
Angela Beth Lorah
Zachary Bernard Malett
Charles Joseph Manley III
Jacob Blough McDonnell
Victoria Leigh Roberts

Instructional Technology

Tina Barnes
Sara J. Kwiecien
Christine Anne Royce
Lawrence J. Zapotocky

Special Education

Brianna Lea Olszewski
Abigail Storrs

Master of Science in Nursing

Elisabeth Michal Bossov
Ashley Daniella Cantolina
Margaret Grace Decker
Kristen Nicole Duceman
Melissa Yvonne Hellmann
Ryan Mark Hoffman
Christine Ann Huber
Shayna Leighann Hunsinger
Jennifer Nadine Kepner
Matthew Ryan Latini
Lucas C. Mariano
Kesha Patel
Darren Michael Petrunak
Michelle J. Silva
Monica Christianne Wilson
Casey Wineland

THESES PRESENTED FOR DEGREE

Candidates for Master's Degree

Ty A. Basinger

*Prey Availability For Tree Swallows Tachycineta bicolor In Four Artificial Wetlands: Potentials
For Phenological Mismatch For The Year 2020*

Advisor: Dr. Lauri Green

Department of Biological and Allied Health Sciences

Martina Irinka Bennick

*Assessing The Impacts Of Anthropogenic Acidification On Autotrophic Stream Biofilms Using Pulse
Amplitude Modulation Fluorometry*

Advisor: Dr. Steven Rier

Department of Biological and Allied Health Sciences

Mary Ann Bogert

Factors Influencing Female-bias In Captures Of The Northern Saw-whet Owl (Aegolius acadicus)

Advisor: Dr. Clay Corbin

Department of Biological and Allied Health Sciences

Michael Joseph Facella

Microplastics In Macroinvertebrates Become More Abundant With Increasing Stream Order

Advisor: Dr. Thomas Scott Klinger

Department of Biological and Allied Health Sciences

Alex Robert Pasculle

Pleiotropic Signaling In The Endocannabinoid System: The Role Of The Ggamma3 Subunit

Advisor: Dr. William Schwindinger

Department of Biological and Allied Health Sciences

TOP HONOR GRADUATES

ZEIGLER COLLEGE OF BUSINESS

Jessica Elizabeth Kole

Bachelor of Science in Business Administration
in Accounting
Summa Cum Laude

COLLEGE OF LIBERAL ARTS

Kylee Ellia Spring Younger

Bachelor of Arts in History
Bachelor of Science in Education
in Secondary Education*Citizenship
Summa Cum Laude

COLLEGE OF EDUCATION

Jessica Ann Brenfleck

Bachelor of Science in Education
in Early Childhood (Pk-4)
Summa Cum Laude

COLLEGE OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY

Madison Moody

Bachelor of Arts in Biology – Natural History
Summa Cum Laude

HONOR GRADUATES

Summa Cum Laude (3.95 - 4.0 overall average)

Jessica Ann Brenfleck
Melanie Galan
Jessica Elizabeth Kole
Diana Marie
Melendez Fleming
Madison Moody
Katherine Polhill
Leah M. Uholik
Kylee Ellia Spring Younger

Magna Cum Laude (3.75 – 3.94 overall average)

Riley Janae Barrett
Nicole Marie Billard
Margaret Rose Bisciotti
Jennifer Lynn Boone
Jennifer Leigh Brown
Rachel D. Clouser
Jake Aaron Cloutier
Amanda Jing Conrad
Julia R. Cupitt
Anjli Achyut Dalsania
Taylor Elisabeth Fite
Sarah Jean Harmon
Kristel A. Hernandez
Sarah Johnson
Jonathan Michael Kennedy
Robert Kenney
Peter Michael Konnick Jr.

Zavery Lee Leshner
Abigail J. Martin
Glenn Earl McMullen
Abigail Mae Miller
Ida Njeri
Meredith J. Norris
Isaac Vaughn Osborn
Sheila Patoka
Scott Reeser
Tanner L. Renninger
Cheyenne Schweitzer
Jennie Elizabeth Slimm
Abrielle Reigh Snyder
Joseph J. Thompson Jr.
Edward Anthony Titus
Oliver Benjamin Whitham
Sarah Elizabeth Wildt

Cum Laude (3.5 – 3.74 overall average)

Maria Kristine Babb
Rachelle Marie Bohn
Lindsey Rae Breiner
Melonie A. Bushaw
Dakota Lee Carroll
Tyler Patrick Castrilli
Samantha Corcos
Courtney M. Davoli
Megan M. Day
Nicholas DiFrancesco
Tristan D. Dzoch
Lyndsey N. Frost
Cheryl Lynn Gallagher
Lindsey Aubrey Garnel
Cassandra Mae Getz
Lauren Rebecca Gipe
Michele R. Gordner
Rachel Gromel
Mackenzie Leigh Gross
Michael Jared Haluska
Joseph H. Hamati
Austin Paul Horsefield
Kristen Hotaling
Allyson Kathryn Kaufell
Christopher M. Kilcullen
Timothy Michael Kirk
Mitchell J. Lutte

Kayla Brook Lutteroty
Kayla L. Marsh
Michael Andrew McDevitt
Anthony J. McKenney
Demetrius Mullen
Stacey Ann Nester
Joslin Marcelle Notestine
Nathaniel A. O'Neill
Julia Orzolek
Mihir Vipulkumar Patel
Sneha Patel
Lacie Pichler
Daniel Thomas Pruzinsky
Toni Prynn
Allison Lydia Reed
Octavia Elane Reed
Laura Ingalls Rhine
Michael Anthony Riutort
Raul Antonio Rodriguez
Kayleigh Sarah Rompolski
Andrew Paul Roth
Trevor A. Schell
Colton Thomas Schnars
Jared Ryan Schram
Angela M. Seanard
Stephanie L. Shannon
Adam M. Shultz

Luke Smith
Samantha K. Starr
Emily V. Stine
Benjamin R. Sweetra
Amy M. Szwajkowski
Bethany Lynne Taylor
Jarrett Allen Walters
Mason Williamson
Emily Lynn Yordy
Megan L. Yurkiewicz
Aaron T. Zechman
Amber R. Zurewich

ZEIGLER COLLEGE OF BUSINESS

Accounting

Zachariah Mahmoud Elkhyati
Alexander Tyler

Gooden-Molina

- # Mackenzie Leigh Gross
- Matthew J. Grozier
- Darryl Harris
- Kainen Kampe
- Matthew J. Karess
- Jessica Elizabeth Kole
- Zavery Lee Leshner
- Nathaniel A. O'Neill
- Stephanie L. Shannon
- Luke Smith
- Patrick Edward Steltz
- Justin David Yoder

Business Administration

****Finance***

- Ian Cartright Absalom
- Mario Joseph Basciani
- Zachary Harrison Benavage
- David Boardman
- # Rachel D. Clouser
- # Jake Aaron Cloutier
- Patrick James Dorsey
- Michael Daniel Keller
- Daniel Thomas Pruzinsky
- Zachary K. Pyers
- Michael Anthony Riutort
- Michael Edward Stock

Business Administration

****Information & Technology Management***

Cardonald Dorcena
Mihir Vipulkumar Patel

Business Administration *Information Technology & Analytics

- Cristian Ayala
- John Cameron Casey
- Tyler Patrick Castrilli
- Courtney M. Davoli
- # Lyndsey N. Frost
- Jared A. Gaspari
- Robert A. Haraschak
- John Peter Lyback Jr.
- Ida Njeri
- Thomas Alexander Smith
- David Anthony Wilson

Business Administration *Management

- Zachary Brandt
- Melonie A. Bushaw
- John Cameron Casey
- Jason William Cooke Jr.
- Megan M. Day
- Nicholas John Fetterman
- Kyle Frisbie
- # Lyndsey N. Frost
- Maeve Elizabeth Gleason
- Brianne Marie Keane
- Enmanuel Manzueta
- Juwan May-Craddle
- Connor Paul McHugh
- Margaret Delaney Peifer
- Daniel Thomas Pruzinsky
- Joseph Michael Robinson Jr.
- Raul Antonio Rodriguez
- Ocean Alexie Rosado
- Joshua David Souza
- Hakeem R. Strickland
- Taylor Renea Williams
- Richard Yi

Business Administration *Marketing

Ian Cartright Absalom
Mikayla Salome Caruso
Connor Patrick Dowling
Erin Nicole Garrison
Adam Thomas Motovidlak
Alyssa Price
Lauren Elizabeth Weirauch

International Business

Maria C. Bachert
Patrick James Dorsey
Joseph Hart Kabwe
Abigail J. Martin
Dylan Edward Patrick
Xavier Rodriguez

Professional Sales & Marketing

Dakota Lee Carroll
Andrew Paul Roth

Supply Chain Management

Hunter Douglas Jarratt

COLLEGE OF EDUCATION

ASL/English Interpreting

Briana Sanabria

Early Childhood PK-4

Katie Marie Anderson

Victoria Rose Arnold

Rachelle Marie Bohn

Jennifer Lynn Boone

Jessica Ann Brenfleck

Olivia P. Crawford

Melanie Galan

Lauren Rebecca Gipe

Allyson Kathryn Kaufell

Valerie Marie Lewis

Morgan Christine Marker

Octavia Elane Reed

Laura Ingalls Rhine

Christian Rudolph

Jennie Elizabeth Slimm

Abrielle Reigh Snyder

Bethany Lynne Taylor

Julia Trainer

Sarah Elizabeth Wildt

Kayley Corrinne

Wojciechowski

*Secondary Education*English*

Amanda Jing Conrad

Austin Paul Horsefield

Sheila Patoka

Allison Lydia Reed

Kayleigh Sarah Rompolski

Brittany Ann Stephenson

Special Education (PK-8)/ Elementary Education (PK-4)

Julia R. Cupitt

MaKayla RaeAnn Hess

Nicolette Taylor Ray

Jared Ryan Schram

Samantha K. Starr

Emily Lynn Yordy

Early Childhood (PK-4)/Deaf Hard of Hearing

Emma Nicole Chaluisan

Middle Level 4-8

Kayla Brook Lutteroty

Edward Anthony Titus

*Secondary Education*Biology*

Catherine Gail Loch

Secondary Education

**Citizenship*

Mitchell J. Lutte

Kylee Ellia Spring Younger

COLLEGE OF LIBERAL ARTS

Anthropology

Julia Orzolek

Art Studio

Allicyn N. Bajkowski
Joshua Baranowski
Brianna Lee Marie Figueroa
Karissa Schoonover

Communication Studies

Emily Grace D'Agostini
Jalen M. Denson
Meghan Elizabeth Dolan
Ian Mark Duffy-Guy
Lindsey Aubrey Garnel
Joseph H. Hamati
Samirah Leyana McGill
Christopher Albert Monaco
Dana L. Sheply
Datoine David Smith
Brittany Ann Stephenson
Jared Keith Strauss
Olivia Christine Urquhart
Jordyn Marie Vaughn

Criminal Justice

Tyler Z. Andrews
Maria Kristine Babb
Albaro Antonio Castro
Kaitlyn Marie Currid
Rachel Lorraine Degler
Trevor S. Dennison Jr.
Nicholas DiFrancesco
Matthew Steven Dohn
Gabrielle Leigh Erb
Angel Miguel Figueroa
Vazquez
Andrew P. Fritz
Tyler Jon Gliem
Ronald Alexander Hatfield
Brandon Thomas Kashuba
Allora Danann Koch
Nicholas J. Lessig
Abigail Mae Miller
Joshua Antonio Montalvo
Jaqera Rhakya Morris
Jacob Dean Palfreyman
Sneha Patel
Erin Elizabeth Pawlik
Raevin S. Rosenbaum
Nicholas Hunter Rosenberger
John Matthew Sauerzopf
Taiyauna Sharee Thomas
Skylar Corryn Truchon
Hannah Willshaw

Economics

Robert Johnson Effange
Benjamin R. Sweetra

English

Amanda Jing Conrad
Samantha Corcos
Christopher James Dewhurst
Elizabeth Fegley
Austin Paul Horsefield
Sheila Patoka
Allison Lydia Reed
Kayleigh Sarah Rompolski
Brittany Ann Stephenson
Reagan E. Venturi

History

Victoria L. Duck
Tristan D. Dzoch
Uriah Edwards
Karl Dalton Gengler
Mitchell J. Lutte
Anthony J. McKenney
Zachary Hunter Tomcavage
Mason Williamson
Kylee Ellia Spring Younger

Interdisciplinary Studies

Kelyn Elijah Brown
Allison Chaballa
Deziray Lynn Hechler
Ashley M. Montijo
Adreyan Morgan
Chad Harris Romanowski
Samantha Flori Sadusky
Sara A. Serrenti
Jarrett Allen Walters
Jordyn Nicole Zinman

Languages & Cultures

Nicholas Christopher Ciucci
Trevor Kevin Hazell
Brooke Mikela Kremer
Abigail J. Martin
Abigail Elizabeth Prichett

Mass Communications

Nathan Bostdorf
Joseph James Dellavecchio
Stephen Patrick Eberhardt
Sarah Michelle Erie
Sarah Johnson
Christopher M. Kilcullen
Mirlie Angelica Larose
Meadow Leigh Milligan
Karl Antonio Pierre-Pierre
Abigail Elizabeth Prichett
Emily V. Stine
Nyfease West

COLLEGE OF LIBERAL ARTS

Music

Christopher M. Kilcullen
Timothy Michael Kirk
Katherine Polhill

Philosophy

Greggory Matthew Colon
Kirstin J. Crawford
Adam M. Shultz

Political Science

Dyllan Michael
Angelo Ogurkis

Psychology

Mackenzie Paige Bruder
Ally Elizabeth Burdick
Timeshah La'elle Clark
Olivia Grace Demott
Essence D. Gardner
Haille Ernie Hoefflein
Rachael H. Jones
Blohwettee T. Kofa Jr.
Sherry Ann Kojeszewski
Mallory Rose Leitzel
Abigail Mae Miller
Natalia Lorraine Montalvo
Joslin Marcele Notestine
Allison Kathleen Olewnik
Brianna Marie Raabe
Ryann Ashley Ratcliffe
Brianna Sailor
Adam M. Shultz
Sarah Elizabeth Slaughterhaupt
Alizay Marie Speight
Brianna Aracely Zapata

Social Work

Kiara Lee Badillo
Dominique S. Booker
Allison Carlson
Sarah Allison Corse Campion
Colleen Culbertson
Lydia Catherine Fink
Sammie Gable
Cheryl Lynn Gallagher
Cassandra Mae Getz
Shareah Markysha Goldwire
Kathryn Maire Heckert
Nicole Marie McCallister
Emily Nicole McClain
Catherine Nora Michvech
Devin Patrick Murphy
Morgan Diane Murphy
Ludian Rios-Leon
Stephanie M. Roque
Dominique Schell
Meghan D. Smith
Christi Nicole Taylor
Annika Trolle

Sociology

Nicholas Christopher Ciucci
Kaitlyn Marie Currid
Allora Danann Koch
Meredith J. Norris
Sneha Patel
Tyshaun Eugene Pollard
Jaimy E. Turner

Theatre Arts

Reagan E. Venturi

COLLEGE OF SCIENCE & TECHNOLOGY

Biology

Michael Allen Carney Sr.
Xiane Goda
Nicole Jordan Harper
Olivia C. Hoover
Catherine Gail Loch
Madison Moody
Lenora Renee Pierce
Davina P. Situmeang
Mackenzie Lynne Yohn

Chemistry

Emily Marianne Alker
Nicholas Joseph Walker

Computer Science

Andrew R. Bower
Michael John Boyd
Scott Thomas Harchar
Drew Gregory Wagner
Noah Michael Young

Digital Forensics

Sean E. Burke
Toni Prynn

Digital Forensics & Cybersecurity

Hosam Mohamad Abdul-al
Brandon Robert Bennett
Keron Andre Butcher
Matthew Charles Butchko
Trevor S. Dennison Jr.
Aaron David Dressler
Michael Fosse
Ameer Tariq Gonzalez
Michael Jared Haluszka
Cade Lawton
Alexa Shanik Mendez Mota
Isaac Vaughn Osborn
Sai Srikar Pala
Andrew John Prynn
Kamrin Roberts
Mark Dale Williams Jr.

Electronics Engineering Technology

Rachel Anne Clyde
Kelsey Elizabeth Jones
Guillermo Martin
de Oliva Carranza
Hunter Matalavage
Dylan James Mellinger
David George Murphy
Paul K. Penner
Cody Spencer Silfies
Aaron T. Zechman

Environmental, Geographical, & Geological Science

Emily Marianne Alker
Griffin Michael Aucker
Nicole Marie Billard
Kerrie Elizabeth Collins
Delaney L. Glinkin
Cian John Kellett
Robert Kenney
Morgan Hope Lancenese
Michael Andrew McDevitt
Lacie Pichler
Trevor A. Schell
Joseph J. Thompson Jr.
Leah M. Uholik

Exercise Science

Riley Janae Barrett
Gavin M. Barton
Janel Imani Bruno
Caitlin Nicole Elphick
Brooke Mikela Kremer
Michael Jose Mendez
Alex Reiff
Oliver Benjamin Whitham
Emily Jean Willcox

Health Sciences

Zachary George Beamer
Taylor Rae Berger
Alyssa Mary Broadt
Alyssa Marie Cianciulli
Emily Rose Demko
Yvonne Marie Henderson
Alicia B. Hunter
Hope Karen Kinney
Brianna Marie Peacock
Heatherlyn Tahlor Rosario
Heath Aaron Sakusky
Colton Thomas Schnars
Alyssa Mae Schoeneberger
Lindsay Dawn Stine
Danielle Kiley Supon
Amy M. Szwajkowski
Erin Rose Walsh
Jordan Marie Williams
Megan L. Yurkiewicz

Mathematics

Kirstin J. Crawford
Samantha Hannon

Medical Imaging

Margaret Rose Bisciotti
Sydnee E. Ferguson
Taylor Elisabeth Fite
Lauren Marie Lancello
Alyssa Marie Rizzo
Brooke C. Schaffer
Amber R. Zurewich

COLLEGE OF SCIENCE & TECHNOLOGY

Nursing

Anjli Achyut Dalsania
Rachel Gromel
Kristen Hotaling
Stacey Ann Nester
Brenda M. Noonan
Marianne Peipher
Nathan Lee Sanders
Katelyn Janelle Santana
Angela M. Seanard
Carly Rae Winn

Physics

Peter Michael Konnick Jr.

Radiation Science

Jacob Michael Kocan

Speech Pathology & Audiology

Ellie M. Shepps

Technical Leadership

Lindsey Rae Breiner
Jennifer Leigh Brown
James Cole Carpenter
Deanna Marie Dieterly
Michele R. Gordner
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THE UNIVERSITY

Handwritten words on six sheets of lined paper established the Bloomsburg Literary Institute in 1856. Recorded in a Columbia County deed book, the Act to Incorporate the Bloomsburg Literary Institute established “a company for the provision of education, both in the ordinary and higher branches of English, literature and science, and in the ancient and modern languages.”

The newly formed institute grew from an academy that operated with varied success in Bloomsburg since 1839.

The rules of the corporation outlined how the institution's first trustees would be selected and their terms of service and how new trustees would be elected. It listed the trustees' specific duties, which included the issuance of stock at \$20 per share, the purchase or sale of real estate, and the employment or discharge of teachers. The trustees also would be called upon to adjudicate conflicts between teachers and parents or guardians “and in general exercise such oversight as may tend to the greatest efficiency and usefulness of the school.”

One of the most visible symbols of the university's past is Carver Hall. The building, named in memory of Henry Carver, principal at the time, was erected in 1867. Today, it is considered the university's landmark.

Largely through the efforts of J.P. Wickersham, superintendent of public instruction, Bloomsburg Literary Institute became Bloomsburg Literary Institute and State Normal School in 1869. The school continued under this name and structure until 1916 when it was purchased by the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and named Bloomsburg State Normal School.

The emphasis at the Normal School changed during the early 1920s from secondary and college preparatory courses for special teachers to full-time teacher education. This new thrust in the curriculum led to the adoption, in May 1927, of the designation Bloomsburg State Teachers College. The institution was authorized to grant a bachelor of science in education, a degree which prepared students for teaching careers in elementary and secondary schools.

Under the administration of Francis B. Haas (1927-1939), great progress was made in the

teacher education program, including the addition of a new degree program in business education. Haas left Bloomsburg to accept an appointment as superintendent of public instruction for Pennsylvania, the same post he held from 1925 to 1927 prior to coming to Bloomsburg. Harvey A. Andruss, then dean of instruction and former director of the business education department, served as acting president from 1939 until January 1941, when the school's trustees unanimously elected him president, a position he held until his retirement in 1969.

During World War II, the United States Navy V-12 Officer Training Program was conducted on the campus, a service now commemorated by the naming of Navy Hall. In 1957, the Division of Special Education was instituted. Major expansions in facilities, faculty, and student body followed. Enrollment rose from 1,743 in 1960 to 8,924 in fall 2018.

In 1960, the school's name was changed to Bloomsburg State College. Authorization was received shortly thereafter to grant a bachelor of arts for liberal arts programs in the humanities, social sciences, and natural sciences and mathematics. Graduate study leading to a master of education also was inaugurated. In 1968, approval was received for a master of arts; in 1970, for a master of science; in 1976, for a master of business administration; and in 1982, for a master of science in nursing. In 2003 a doctoral program in clinical audiology was approved; and in 2014, a doctor of nursing practice program was added.

Today, Bloomsburg University is a comprehensive institution offering curricula in the liberal arts, business, science and technology, nursing, allied health sciences, and teacher education. Degree programs are offered at the bachelor's and master's levels, in addition to doctoral programs in audiology and nursing. The institution's current title, Bloomsburg University of Pennsylvania, was officially adopted when commonwealth legislation established the fourteen-member State System of Higher Education on July 1, 1983. James H. McCormick, Bloomsburg's president at the time, became the system's interim chancellor and later its first permanent chancellor.

In July 2017, Bashar W. Hanna was named the university's nineteenth president.

ACADEMIC REGALIA

The traditional academic regalia worn at commencement exercises is a record of the academic achievement of that individual. Its use originated at English and European universities during the twelfth and thirteenth centuries.

The long gown evolved from the monk's habit. The hood evolved from the cowl that the monks wore over their heads. Today's mortarboard can be traced to the skull caps worn by the churchmen.

The colorful hoods designate the degree of the wearer, the subject in which the degree is held, and the institution that awarded the degree. The color of the velvet band on each hood and robe represent a scholar's field of learning, while the official colors of the school awarding the degree always are shown in the lining of the hood and, sometimes, by the distinctive color of the gown. Bloomsburg University colors are maroon and gold.

As institutions of higher learning were established in America, beginning with Harvard College in 1636, the universities followed the English precedent in which each developed its own version of academic dress. As has been the case with the British universities, there was virtually no conformity from one institution to another and sometimes not even within institutions. College and university administrators, sensing a need for uniformity,

convened in 1895 to develop a uniform code of academic regalia. Still in use by most American institutions, the code has been reviewed and revised only twice.

The colors for academic fields established by the American Council on Education include:

Agriculture	Maize
Arts, Letters, Humanities	White
Commerce, Accountancy, Business.....	Drab
Dentistry.....	Lilac
Economics.....	Copper
Education	Light Blue
Engineering.....	Orange
Fine Arts, including Architecture.....	Brown
Forestry	Russet
Journalism	Crimson
Law	Purple
Library Science	Lemon
Medicine.....	Green
Music	Pink
Nursing.....	Apricot
Oratory (Speech)	Silver Gray
Pharmacy	Olive Green
Philosophy	Dark Blue
Physical Education	Sage Green
Public Administration, including Foreign Service	Peacock Blue
Public Health.....	Salmon Pink
Science	Golden Yellow
Social Work.....	Citron
Theology.....	Scarlet
Veterinary Science	Gray

HONORARY DOCTORATES

Beginning in 1983, the Council of Trustees of Bloomsburg University granted approval to award honorary degrees by the university. The policy provides that recipients of honorary degrees will be people who have made noteworthy contributions to Bloomsburg University, the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, to society, or to a particular academic discipline and have demonstrated meritorious achievement or scholarship in the arts and humanities, the social sciences, science and technology, education, the health professions, commerce and trade, or industry.

It further provided that such degrees will be awarded only to those women and men whose lives and works exemplify excellence, service, and integrity. It also is expected that the honorary degree recipient, through deeds and performance, will be an exemplary model for graduates of this and other institutions of higher learning.

Bloomsburg University of Pennsylvania has awarded honorary degrees to:

Howard F. Fenstemaker, Doctor of Pedagogy
John Heinz, Doctor of Laws
Frank C. Laubach, Doctor of Humane Letters
Grace M. Hopper, Doctor of Science
Roger Tory Peterson, Doctor of Letters
Edwin M. Barton, Doctor of Letters
Louise B. Mitrani, Doctor of Humane Letters
Thomas C. Royer, Doctor of Humane Letters
Hugh O'Brian, Doctor of Humane Letters
Henry Hood, Doctor of Humane Letters
Curtis R. English, Doctor of Pedagogy
Ann M. Verville, Doctor of Commercial Science
The Most Reverend Desmond M. Tutu,
Doctor of Humane Letters
Rick Santorum, Doctor of Laws
Ervin S. Duggan, Doctor of Humane Letters
Pat Mitchell, Doctor of Letters
Susan McDowell, Doctor of Humane Letters
Steph Pettit, Doctor of Humane Letters

UNIVERSITY MEDALLION

The university medallion is made of cast bronze and is worn by the president of the university during academic convocations as a symbol of the leadership responsibilities vested in that office.

The medallion, designed and sculpted by E. Richard Bonham of Lewisburg, is circular and includes the name of the university enclosing the shield and other principal elements of the Great Seal of Pennsylvania.

The graceful, unbroken lines of the circle represent the unending process of education. A ship, a plow and sheaves of wheat, symbolizing nourishment and strength derived from both sea and land, appear on the shield, the traditional instrument of protection.

The eagle atop the shield is the symbol of liberty. A stalk of maize and an olive branch curve upward on either side of the shield, representing prosperity and peace, and under the crossed stems is the date of the university's founding, 1839. Replicas of the medallion have been given to individuals who have performed exemplary service to the university:

Marco Mitrani, Louise Mitrani, Richard Benefield, Helen and John Lanning, Eda Bessie Edwards, Daniel Bauman, James Magee, Ted Stuban, Anthony Lanzone, Walter F. Vorbleski, Robert "Doc" Warren, Jack Mertz, Barbara B. Hudock, and Terry and JoAnn Zeigler.

UNIVERSITY MACE

Bloomsburg University's mace made its first appearance at a commencement ceremony in August of 1963. The history of the ceremonial academic mace can be traced back to the fourteenth century when it developed as a composite of two ancient objects, the royal scepter and the battle mace.

Kings used the scepter as a symbol of their power and authority, while warriors wielded the mace as a weapon to prove their strength and superiority on the battlefield.

European universities combined these two symbols into an academic mace or ceremonial staff that demonstrated the authority and right of academic

institutions to grant degrees to candidates who had earned that privilege. Colleges and universities in the United States gradually adopted this tradition, and in early 1963, the Dean of Students at Bloomsburg State College, J. Alfred McCauslin, proposed the school adopt one as well. A design for the mace was submitted to Ensko & Co. of New York that March. Maces were traditionally topped with an ornament representing the institution's history, and in Bloomsburg's case the symbol chosen was the keystone, the symbol of Pennsylvania.

Academic maces are usually carried by a marshal who precedes the institution's president in the ceremonial procession.

THE ALUMNI ASSOCIATION

The Bloomsburg University Alumni Association congratulates today's graduates, the newest members of the association. You are joining the association at an exciting time as we celebrate the 150th anniversary of its founding!

The Alumni Association was formed in 1871 by members of the classes of 1870 and 1871. These graduates wanted to remain connected to their alma mater and preserve and celebrate relationships with classmates, faculty, and staff. Thanks to their vision, 150 years later the association provides programs and services to nearly 76,000 alumni. Through events and programs, the alumni association fosters relationships that engage alumni in the university's strategic priorities and philanthropic goals.

While your time as a student at Bloomsburg University has concluded, never forget your alma mater and plan to come back to BU, virtually and in person, often. As the newest members of the BU Alumni Association, we invite you to become

actively engaged alumni and consider supporting future generations of Huskies. Stay connected by visiting www.bloomu.edu/alumni to subscribe to receive communications from the association, through monthly alumni e-newsletters, invitations to alumni events and exclusive networking opportunities, and access to career and professional development resources through BU's online career management system, Handshake. The alumni webpage also provides information about regional alumni networks and volunteer opportunities to stay engaged with BU.

The alumni association, led by 15 volunteer members of the board of directors representing a wide range of class years, geographic locations, and interests, is here for you. Please reach out any time to share your ideas, provide input, or ask for support. You can visit the Alumni Association on the third floor of the Greenly Center, 50 East Main St. in downtown Bloomsburg or contact us at 1-800-526-0254 or alum@bloomu.edu. GO HUSKIES!

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For transcripts please visit: www.bloomu.edu/registrar-transcript-request

BLOOMSBURG UNIVERSITY ALMA MATER

Traditional Tune — “Annie Lisle”

Voice

The musical score is written on a single staff in G major (one sharp) and 4/4 time. It consists of four lines of music, each with a measure number above it. The lyrics are written below the staff, aligned with the notes. The first line starts with a treble clef and a key signature of one sharp (F#). The melody is simple and folk-like, with a mix of quarter, eighth, and half notes. The lyrics are: 'Far a-bove the ri-ver winding midst the mountains grand - ,'. The second line continues: 'Stands our school so dear to stu - dents far through-out the land - ,'. The third line: 'Blooms-burg, Blooms-burg, Al - ma Ma - ter, up on Coll-ege Hill - ,'. The fourth line: 'Years to come shall find us e - ver true to Blooms-burg still - !'. The score ends with a double bar line.

2 4

Far a-bove the ri-ver winding midst the mountains grand - ,

6 8

Stands our school so dear to stu - dents far through-out the land - ,

10 12

Blooms-burg, Blooms-burg, Al - ma Ma - ter, up on Coll-ege Hill - ,

14 16

Years to come shall find us e - ver true to Blooms-burg still - !

Computer transcription by Professor Emeritus of Music, Dr. Stephen C. Wallace, December 2000.

Celebrate the Day

Photo backdrops have been set up in McCormick Center near room 1303
for graduates and their supporters to utilize for photos.

Graduates and supporters are also welcome to take photos at campus landmarks
such as Carver Hall, the Husky statue, and the fountain.

While celebrating, please mask up and observe social distancing.



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