North Carolina
Central University

ONE HUNDRED NINETEENTH
COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES
GRADUATE AND PROFESSIONAL PROGRAM

FRIDAY, MAY 11, 2012, 3 P.M.
MCDOUGALD – MCLENDON GYMNASIUM

Chancellor Charlie Nelms, Presiding

NCCU Processional II..............................NCCU Brass Ensemble
by Mr. Robert Trowers
Mr. Robert Trowers, Conductor

Opening Statement..............................Dr. Shirley Armstrong
University Marshal

Welcome..................................................Chancellor Nelms

Reflections...........................................The Rev. Michael Page
Director, Campus Ministry

Greetings...............................................Ms. Avon Ruffin
NCCU Board of Trustees

Ms. Sheree Williamson
President, Graduate Student Association

Mr. T. Greg Doucette
President, Student Bar Association

Recognition of Platform Guests,
Retirees and Other Guests...............Chancellor Nelms

The Omnipotence.................................University Choir
by Mr. Franz Schubert
Mr. Richard Banks, Conductor
Ms. Tiffany Agerston, Soloist

Introduction of the Speaker...............Chancellor Nelms

Commencement Address.......................Atty. Warren Ballentine
Motivational Speaker and Radio Talk Show Host

Recognition of Honor Students..............Dr. Debbie Thomas
Provost and Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs
Conferring of Graduate and Professional Degrees

Introductory Remarks.................................................Provost Thomas

Presentation of Candidates for Graduate and Professional Degrees

Introduction of the Deans.................................Dr. Chanta Haywood
Associate Vice Chancellor of Graduate Research and Dean, Graduate Studies

Introduction of the Candidates.......................Dr. Elwood Robinson
Dean, College of Behavioral and Social Sciences

Dr. Carlton Wilson
Dean, College of Liberal Arts

Dr. Abdul Mohammed
Dean, College of Science and Technology

Mr. D. Keith Pigues
Dean, School of Business

Dr. Wynetta Lee
Dean, School of Education

Dr. Irene Owens
Dean, School of Library and Information Sciences

Atty. Raymond Pierce
Dean, School of Law

Induction of Graduates into the
National Alumni Association..................................Ms. Tania Davis
President, National Alumni Association

Charge to the Graduates.............................................Chancellor Nelms

The Alma Mater – *Dear Old N.C.C.*.................................University Choir
(The audience will please stand)

Benediction..............................................................Rev. Page

Closing Statement.....................................................Dr. Armstrong
University Marshal

*Recessional*............................................................NCCU Brass Ensemble
BACCALAUREATE PROGRAM

SATURDAY, MAY 12, 2012, 8 A.M.
O’KELLY-RIDDICK STADIUM

Chancellor Charlie Nelms, Presiding

Pomp and Circumstance.......................................................University Band
by Mr. Edward Elgar Mr. Jorim Reid, Conductor and Arranger

Opening Statement..................................................Dr. Shirley Armstrong
University Marshal

Welcome.................................................................Chancellor Nelms

Reflections.............................................................The Rev. Michael Page
Campus Ministry

Greetings..............................................................Ms. Mary Ann Maxwell
Member, UNC Board of Governors
Dr. Dwight Perry
Chair, NCCU Board of Trustees
Ms. Birshari Cooper
President, Senior Class

Recognition of Platform Guests, Retirees and Other Guests...............Chancellor Nelms

In Dat Great Gittin’ Up Mornin........................................University Choir
by Mr. Jester Hairston Mr. Richard Banks, Conductor
Mr. Derison Duarte, Piano

Introduction of the Speaker..............................Chancellor Nelms

Commencement Address..........................The Rev. Dr. William Barber II
President, North Carolina Chapter of the NAACP

Presentation of Candidate for Honorary Degree........Chancellor Nelms

The Rev. Dr. William Barber II
Doctor of Humane Letters, Honoris Causa

Special Recognitions.................................................Chancellor Nelms

Dr. Debbie Thomas
Provost and Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs

Recognition of Honor Students..................................Provost Thomas

Rhapsody on a Theme for Tolbert:
For Piano and Percussion........................................University Band
by Mr. Jorim Reid Mr. Reid, Conductor
Conferring of Baccalaureate Degrees
   Introductory Remarks........................Provost Thomas

Presentation of Candidates for Baccalaureate Degrees
   College of Behavioral and Social Sciences.....Dean Elwood Robinson
   College of Liberal Arts..............................Dean Carlton Wilson
   College of Science and Technology............Dean Abdul Mohammed
   Department of Nursing.............................Chair Betty Dennis
   School of Business..................................Dean D. Keith Pigues
   School of Education...............................Dean Wynetta Lee

Induction of Graduates into the
National Alumni Association........................Ms. Tania Davis
   President, National Alumni Association

Charge to the Graduates................................Chancellor Nelms

The Alma Mater – Dear Old N.C.C.................University Choir
   (The audience will please stand)

Benediction......................................................Rev. Page

Closing Statement...........................................Dr. Armstrong
   University Marshal

Farewell NCCU..............................................University Band
   by Mr. Reid
   Mr. Reid, Conductor
THE FOUNDER

James E. Shepard was born November 3, 1875, in Raleigh, the son of the Rev. Augustus and Mrs. Harriet Whitted Shepard. He received undergraduate and professional training at Shaw University, from which he graduated in 1894. The following year he married Annie Day Robinson.

Three daughters were born to this union, Marjorie A. Shepard, Annie Day Shepard Smith and Marion Shepard, who died in infancy. The family legacy continues through the two daughters of Mrs. Annie Day Shepard Smith: Mrs. Annie Day Smith Donaldson and Mrs. Carolyn Marie Smith Green, their children, and Mrs. Green’s grandchildren.

In 1910, Dr. Shepard founded the National Religious Training School and Chautauqua on this site. Originally, this institution was conceived as a center for religious training. Later it was named the National Training School and was supported by the philanthropy of Dr. Shepard’s numerous black and white friends in both the North and the South. When the General Assembly of North Carolina gave its support in 1923, the name changed to Durham State Normal School. In 1925, the institution became North Carolina College for Negroes, the first state-supported liberal arts college for black people in the United States. Its first four-year college class was graduated in 1929. In 1947, the name became North Carolina College at Durham. The 1969 General Assembly established the institution as one of the State’s regional universities, and the name was changed to North Carolina Central University. Since 1972, NCCU has been a constituent institution of the University of North Carolina.
Atty. Warren Ballentine is a noted motivational speaker and radio talk show host. He encourages his millions of listeners to harness injustice as a means of bringing about change and solving the problems of the black community and the nation. He encourages his listeners — his “truthfighters” — to push him as he pulls them beyond complaining and into action.

Described by The New York Times as “one of black talk radio’s new stars,” he is the host of “The Warren Ballentine Show,” which engages a broad spectrum of political, legal, education, religious and social issues. One of the highest-rated talk shows in the nation, it airs each weekday in more than 25 markets via Radio One and XM/Sirius.

Among Ballantine’s constant themes is political education. He has campaigned for voter registration, and he led the call to action for the Jena 6 movement, the National Economic Blackout and National Community Reinvestment Day. Guests on his show have included President Barack Obama, Secretary of State Hillary Rodham Clinton and the Rev. Al Sharpton. He also has appeared on CNN and Fox News as a political and legal analyst.

A native of Chicago, Ballantine earned an undergraduate degree from N.C. A&T State University and a law degree from Pettit College of Law at Ohio Northern University. As a prosecutor and a lawyer in private practice, he has engaged a range of cases that included murder, discrimination, sexual assault, police brutality, gang violence and domestic relations.

Ballantine is the author of “The Truth About Black and White: A Practical Guide to Race Relations in the 21st Century.” He also writes a weekly legal column for JET magazine. Among his speaking engagements have been appearances before the National Black Caucus, the American Diabetes Association, the United Negro College Fund, the National Association of Black Journalists and the Morehouse School of Medicine.
The Rev. Dr. William Barber II, president of the North Carolina chapter of the NAACP, graduated cum laude from North Carolina Central University in 1985 with a Bachelor of Arts degree in public administration. He served as student government president his senior year. He later earned a Master of Divinity degree from Duke University and a doctorate from Drew University in New Jersey.

As pastor of Greenleaf Christian Church Disciples of Christ in Goldsboro, Barber leads a 120-year-old congregation with more than 400 members and 30 active ministries. He is chair of the Rebuilding Broken Places Community Development Corporation in Goldsboro, a nonprofit involved with building affordable housing for families and the elderly, and providing job training, affordable child care and inner-city revitalization.

Barber is regarded as one of the state’s most effective grass-roots leaders. Since assuming the presidency of the North Carolina NAACP chapter in 2006, he has been widely credited with injecting a renewed spirit of energy and activism into the venerable organization. He has been a consistent advocate of a broad agenda for social justice, promoting a multicultural, anti-racist, antipoverty agenda before the North Carolina Legislature and keeping issues such as universal healthcare, affordable housing and expanded voter registration on the table. He was an effective leader of the opposition to efforts to dismantle Wake County public schools’ nationally praised socio-economic diversity plan.

He has held adjunct faculty positions at both NCCU and Duke, and is the author of the book “Preaching Through Unexpected Pain.” He also has served as executive director of the North Carolina Human Relations Commission, appointed by Governor James B. Hunt.
Dr. Ira T. Wiggins is an associate professor and director of the Jazz Studies program. Since joining the faculty in 1986, he has been instrumental in making Jazz Studies a program of distinction. As a saxophonist and flutist, he has appeared on 15 albums as soloist or sideman.

The son of sharecroppers from Lenoir County in eastern North Carolina, Wiggins showed an early love of music but was largely self-taught before he enrolled at NCCU and majored in music education. He returned to NCCU as a faculty member to help build the jazz program. When he began, there were two Jazz Studies majors and a small ensemble of 10 students. Today, the program boasts three big bands, a vocal ensemble, four small combos and a guitar ensemble. He played a vital role in establishing the master’s program in Jazz Performance and Composition in 2005.

One of his early master’s students recalls his experience learning from Wiggins: “He would go over a lesson again and again with the patience of a saint, never once showing boredom or frustration at my lack of ability. He offered instead encouragement and different ways to work on it to get better. To him, the students and the music are his greatest rewards.”

Wiggins has devoted his career to making a difference in the lives of students, opening the world to them and giving them opportunities to work with and learn from some of the world’s top jazz musicians, such as Branford Marsalis, (NCCU Artist-in-Residence). Students in the jazz program have performed and received honors at numerous festivals, including the Montreux (Switzerland) Jazz Festival in 1996 and 1999, the Newport Jazz Festival in 2009 and the New York Jazz Festival at Lincoln Center in 2010. In 2012, the NCCU Jazz Vocal Ensemble was invited to compete in the prestigious Next Generation Jazz Festival in Monterey, Calif.

In addition to his bachelor’s degree from NCCU, Wiggins earned a master’s in music from Virginia Commonwealth University and a Ph.D. in music education from UNC–Greensboro.
Dr. Prince Hycy Bull is an associate professor and coordinator of educational technology in the School of Education. Born in Sierra Leone, West Africa, he earned a B.A. from the University of Sierra Leone. He moved to the United States in 1987 to enroll at NCCU, earning an M.A. in educational leadership and an M. Ed. in special education. He received his Ph.D. from N.C. State in 2003.

While studying at N.C. State, Bull worked full time at NCCU as an adjunct professor, assistant director of educational services and taught instructional technology courses and research methods. In 2008, he joined the School of Education faculty as an associate professor and program coordinator for educational technology.

Bull is a recognized leader in the field of educational technology. “I am a dedicated and passionate instructor,” he says. “As we begin to see the first wave of ‘digital natives’ enroll at NCCU, my role as a professor becomes critical to the university in two major areas — teaching students and conducting faculty training.”

Dr. James Pearce is an associate professor of English, director of the English Department’s graduate program, a poet and a Renaissance scholar. He came to NCCU in 2008, having previously served on the faculty at Meredith College, San Jose State University, the University of California at Berkeley and The Ohio State University. He earned bachelor’s, master’s and doctoral degrees at Stanford University.

As a teacher, Pearce takes a particular interest in the pedagogical value of failure — “not failure that is absolute, but rather temporary failures that can be transmuted through imagination, patience and perseverance into something approaching success.” This transmutation, he says, “is at the heart of the magic we call learning.”

Pearce’s approach to literature and life is deeply personal. It is an approach that has inspired many students to accomplish things they never dreamed were possible.
Dr. La Verne Reid is associate dean of the College of Behavioral and Social Sciences and professor of Public Health Education. A native of Wilson, N.C., she is a fourth-generation educator. She earned a B.S. in public health education and biology at NCCU, a Master of Public Health degree at UNC–Chapel Hill and a Ph.D. from Brandeis University. Before joining the NCCU faculty, she had a successful career as a public health clinician and administrator in North Carolina, New York and Massachusetts.

Recognized statewide and nationally as an expert on health disparities, Dr. Reid is part of a team at NCCU that manages and advises the health disparities portion of the N.C. Health and Wellness Trust Fund.

On the NCCU campus, she is equally noted as someone who listens, advises and mentors well, who teaches effectively, who sets expectations high. In the words of a colleague, “She has a gift and talent for making students feel important and empowered. She wants them to become leaders and encourages them to venture outside their comfort zone.”
A Perspective  North Carolina Central University owes a substantial debt to its medieval predecessors for its commencement ceremony and academic attire. The Middle Ages gave birth to the academic heritage that provided us with a teaching institution, the university; a method of measuring academic progress, degrees; and a structure for an appropriate ceremony recognizing student achievement, commencement. This One Hundred Nineteenth Commencement is being held today for graduates who qualified for their degrees with the completion of Spring Semester, 2012. This colorful ceremony is the formal climax and recognition of the graduates’ years of study and preparation.

Academic Attire  All participants in the commencement ceremony, except members of the military services, are attired in traditional cap and gown, patterned after the attire of the monks and students in the Middle Ages. Black is the traditional color for all academic gowns. The bachelor’s gown has pointed sleeves; the master’s gown has oblong sleeves with an arc at the bottom; and the doctor’s gown has bell shaped sleeves. The bachelor’s and master’s gowns are untrimmed. The doctor’s gown is faced down the front with velvet and has three velvet chevrons across the sleeves. The facing and chevrons may be black or the distinctive color of the field of study. The hoods recognized for each of the degrees vary in size, shape and length, with the larger and more elaborate designating the doctoral level. The shell of the hood matches the black material of the gown. The lining, which is folded out, bears the official colors of the institution that conferred the degree, maroon and gray for North Carolina Central University. The color of the velvet border on the hood denotes the field of study to which the degree pertains as follows:

- Apricot...............Nursing
- Brown..................Fine Arts
- Crimson...............Journalism
- Dark Blue...............Philosophy
- Golden Yellow..........Science
- Lemon Yellow..........Library Science
- Light Blue...............Education
- Maroon....................Human Sciences
- Pink......................Music
- Purple.....................Law
- Sage Green...............Physical Education
- Salmon Pink...............Public Health
- Scarlet....................Theology
- Yellow-Brown...............Commerce/Business
- White.....................Arts, Letters, Humanities

Mortarboards are the traditional headdress. The tassel, worn on the left side of the cap, may be gold if the holder has a doctor’s degree. Candidates for undergraduate degrees wear the tassel on the right side of the mortarboard.
until after their degrees have been conferred. Candidates receiving honors for academic achievement wear honor cords draped around the collar. The gold cord represents summa cum laude; purple, magna cum laude, and white, cum laude honors. Candidates who served in the United States Armed Forces wear red, white and blue cords.

Graduate and Professional Procession  The procession of candidates departs from the Hoey Administration Building, led by the procession marshal. The group begins the traditional march to McDougald–McLendon Gymnasium where they are joined by faculty members of the platform party. Leading the procession into the Gymnasium are members of the faculty. Following the candidates are members of the Board of Trustees, the deans of the schools and the other members of the university administration. At the beginning and the end of the procession are the University Marshal and the Chancellor, respectively, attired in the distinctive maroon and gray gowns symbolic of their offices.

Baccalaureate Procession  The procession of candidates departs from the Senior Bowl, behind the Hoey Administration Building, led by the procession marshal. The group begins the traditional march to O’Kelly-Riddick Stadium where it is joined by faculty members of the platform party. Leading the procession into the stadium are members of the faculty. Following the candidates are members of the Board of Trustees, the deans of the schools and the other members of the university administration. At the beginning and the end of the procession are the University Marshal and the Chancellor, respectively, attired in the distinctive maroon and gray gowns symbolic of their offices.

Administration  Dr. Charlie Nelms, Chancellor; Dr. Debbie Thomas, Provost and Vice Chancellor of Academic Affairs; Ms. Susan Hester, Vice Chancellor and Chief of Staff; Ms. Lois Deloatch, Vice Chancellor of Institutional Advancement; Mr. Wendell Davis, Vice Chancellor of Finance and Administration; Dr. Hazell Reed, Vice Chancellor for Research and Economic Development; and Dr. Kevin Rome, Vice Chancellor of Student Affairs and Enrollment Management

UNIVERSITY COLORS
Maroon and Gray

UNIVERSITY FLOWER
White Carnation

UNIVERSITY MOTTO
“Truth and Service”
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PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION

R. Abdul-Ghaffar
Amy Askew
Kevona Bethune
John Comer Jr.
Telvin Debnam
Lanika DeGraffenreid
Danielle Douglas
Walter Funderburk III
Eboni Garvin
Brittney Hannah
Bakbakkar Harris
Karen Jasmine
Jacazza Jones
Sharon Jones
Anita Marks
Omega McKinnon
Virginia Mitchell
Robin Parson
Shawn Pratt
John Smith Jr.
Shelton Thomas

MASTER OF SCIENCE

SUMMA CUM LAUDE

Beverly Gore
Megan Parry
Anuradha Punjala

MAGNA CUM LAUDE

Cedric Dargan

CUM LAUDE

Zalyce Morgan

CRIMINAL JUSTICE

Vladimir Allen
Shamecca Caines
Jonathan Glenn
Danielle Hudson
Tralissa Jones
Rashawn Kent
Shara Marshall
James Nelson
Megan Parry
Decembre Pierce
Eric Ray
Angela Reddick
Wesley Rogers
Corey Terry
Chalita Thomas
Humphrey Truitt
Kristopher Ward

FAMILY AND CONSUMER SCIENCE

Sylvia Ames
P. Bannerman-Smith
Vimbainashe Chanakira
Dimira Coston
Alisia Credle
Ashley Davis
Beverly Gore
Rena Guzman
Gwendolyn Howell
Carl Johnson
Marion Lambeth
Donna Little
Taji Mitchiner
Zalyce Morgan
Pamela Pinnix
Anuradha Punjala
Sandrea’ Roberts
JeNai Robinson
Gloria Whitehurst
Katrida Williams
Frances Windsor
Nerissa Withers

PHYSICAL EDUCATION

Tawanna Alston
Catrice Ballard
Cedric Dargan
Gloria Holden
Kevin Wilson

RECREATION ADMINISTRATION

Jeneea Jervay
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JAZZ STUDIES
Daniel Davis                     Aaron Hill                     Ryan McCollum
Titus Gant                       Benjamin Lassiter             Jonah Vincent
Lynn Grissett                    Justin Martin                   Jared Wofford

COLLEGE OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY

MASTER OF SCIENCE

SUMMA CUM LAUDE
Sochima Aliboh                  Arshavir Petrosyan              James Rudd
Clayton Bochnovic               Carl Stearns

MAGNA CUM LAUDE
Baraki Abay                     Sanja Antonijevic              Helen Onabanjo

COMPUTER AND INFORMATION SCIENCES
Baraki Abay                     James Rudd                     Assefa Tesfay

EARTH SCIENCE
Jubril Davies                   S. Knezevic Antonijevic        Carl Stearns
Kingsley Esezobor               Garey Waters

MATHEMATICS
Clayton Bochnovic               Arshavir Petrosyan

PHARMACEUTICAL SCIENCES
Kamal Aferchich                 John Garner                     Helen Onabanjo
DaTonye Agina-Obu               Kimberly Jefferson              Jennai Pettis
Sochima Aliboh                  James Lastrapes                 Adama Secka
Kwadwo Ankrah                   Whitney Thomas
SCHOOL OF BUSINESS

MASTER OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

MAGNA CUM LAUDE

Belinda Behncke-Biney

CUM LAUDE

Stella Kasparova

BUSINESS MANAGEMENT AND ADMINISTRATION

Saffiatou Ann
Marvin Askew Jr.
Germaine Austin
Belinda Behncke-Biney
Tenita Burton
Ryan Chapman

Joshua Coley
Ari Cureton
Luis Rodriguez
Lori Hale
Romona Hale-Coley
Bradley Hicks

Stella Kasparova
Allison Oakley
Matt Fletcher Roberts
Antoinette Stephenson
Amber Tarlton
Justin Wortham

SCHOOL OF EDUCATION

MASTER OF ARTS

SUMMA CUM LAUDE

Kimberly Fearrington
Tammy Hedgepeth
Heather Morgan

Taylor Shannon

MAGNA CUM LAUDE

Catherine Sebring

CUM LAUDE

Alexandra Arrington
Angella Jones

AGENCY COUNSELING

Aidil Collins

CAREER COUNSELING AND PLACEMENT

Alexandra Arrington
Brian Mitchell
Heather Morgan

Victoria Scott

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EDUCATION TECHNOLOGY
Tammy Hedgepeth Angella Jones Latoya Judd

MENTAL HEALTH COUNSELING
Clifton Bobbitt Gregory Pate Tayler Shannon
Tekia Norman Steven Westbrook

SCHOOL COUNSELING
Kimberly Fearrington Marilyn Oliphant Christina Yarborough
Catherine Sebring

MASTER OF ARTS IN TEACHING
SUMMA CUM LAUDE
Ginger Hamrick Jennifer Peterson Jessica Reiniger
Donna Hunt Julie Wilson

CUM LAUDE
Annie Bush
Sonya Thomas

SPECIAL EDUCATION
Teah Shinn
Julie Wilson

SPECIAL EDUCATION, BLIND AND VISUAL DISABILITY
Donna Hunt

SPECIAL EDUCATION, EMOTIONAL DISABILITY
Ginger Hamrick Jennifer Peterson Natashalyn Snipes

SPECIAL EDUCATION, LEARNING DISABILITY
Annie Bush Nia Downing Sonya Thomas
Jessica Reiniger

MASTER OF EDUCATION
SUMMA CUM LAUDE
Jonet Artis Tyler Johnson Amanda Werbil

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Massumeh Abdal-Sabur
Jeremy Adams
Oluwatoyin Adefila
Dene’ Alexander
Latavia Alexander
Lauren Allen
Rosetta Allen
Shalonda Arnold
Henrietta Asiedu
Germaine Austin
Kareem Ayad
Jaron Barbee
Christopher Barnes
Todd Beaman
Deirdre Beasley
Amir Berhannu
Rachel Bloom
Jerry Boies
Venus Boston
Elise Bouchard
Corry Brannen
Bric Bratcher
Daniel Britt
Michael Brooker
Robert Brooks
Henrietta Brown
Shelley Brown
Patrick Buffkin
Matthew Burkert
Lyle Burnham
Quintin Byrd
Jocelyn Calvin
Crystal Carey
Cameo Carter
Joshua Coley
Priscilla Cooper
Charles Cooper III
Jabari Craddock
Amy Crowe
Jamie Davis
Kendra Davis
Andrew Dempster Jr.
Thomas Doucette
Thomas Dykers
Ashley Eatmon
Chidera Ejim
Toya Ervin
Matthew Flammia
James Fleischer Jr.
Kara Fletcher
Jordan Ford
Raquel Foriest
Wendell Fortson II
Natasha Freeman
Leah Gaines
Olie Gnagn
Misty Greene
Victoria Grimes
Shauna Guyton
Lori Hale
Nicholos Hales
Kara Hames
Sherri Hamlett
Cherie Harris
Christopher Horne
Nyiesha Hudson
John Hunter III
Garfield Hylton
India Jackson
Melenia Jackson
Edward James
Marlin Jenkins
Stanley Jenkins
Jaamal Jennings
Michelle Jerome
Melani Johnson
William Johnston
Jacinta Jones
Jowanda Jones
Jeb Kelly
Rachel King
Bahiya Lawrence
Pedra Lee
Leah Leone
Lindsay Levine
Marquisa Lewis
Roger Locklear
LaToya Love
Jillian Mack
Christina Marshall
Reginald Mathis
Amy McClain
Shawndria McCoy
Andre McDavid
Latrice McDowell
Jeremy Mendenhall
Santana Miller
Megan Mitchell
Obieze Mmeje
David Mofford
Erica Nesmith
Travis Norton
Michael Oswald
Stephen Outten
Landon Pannell
Ashleigh Parker
Fern Paterson
Danita Pearsall
Hathaway Pendergrass
Jennifer Perez
Jamie Phillips
Barry Porter Jr.
Brittany Prescott
Nekia Pridgen
James Purnell V
Kimberly Ramseur
Shayla Richberg
Keith Roberson
Kasey Robinson
Sharika Robinson
Rodlena Sales
Jonathan Seigle
Brent Smith
Patricia Smith
Stephanie Smith
Endia Sowers
De’Shea Spurgeon
Shantia Stanley
Antoinette Stephenson
James Stevens
Andrew Stevenson
Kyla Stone
Andrew Stormer
Laura Swartz
Anthony Thomas
Raquel Thomas
E. Thompson
Preston Tyndall
Patryk Utulu
Erica Vample
Ayiesha Vinson-Dobson
Juliane Wagner
Shilanka Ware
Carolyn Watts
Donna Webber
Cory Wells
Morgan White
Eric Williams
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Amanda Wright

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BACCALAUREATE CANDIDATES
As of the Printing of the Program

COLLEGE OF BEHAVIORAL AND SOCIAL SCIENCES

BACHELOR OF ARTS

SUMMA CUM LAUDE
Jabari Blackmon
Benjamin Boakye
Alejandro Espitia
Eonswaye Feely
Sierra Jones
Mukaddes Kazgan
Anita Keith-Foust
Ada Ndukwe
Paig Robinson
Kimberly Wilson

MAGNA CUM LAUDE
Aaron Boone
Rachel Costin
Acia Amore
Eric Garrett
Brianna Hargrove
Tomeka Hayes
Lavonza Holliman
Brian Kennedy II
Kyrea McCluney
Clifton Morgan III
Cletis Sawyer Jr.
Syreetta Taybron
Kandice Wright

CUM LAUDE
Andrea Barrow
Tasha Burris
Victoria Dolberry
Cithrah Henderson
Brandon Hicks
Uyikhosa Idahor
Cameron Ijames
Diana Jackson
Ashley Lawrence
LaPorsha Leake
Christopher Lunsford
Wenisha Massey
Zakiya McCormick
Christina Reid
Evangeline Robinson
Mohit Sahoo
Ramona Scarlett
Shawn Swinnie
Vata’shia Thompson
Mitchell Wallace
Cherice Washington
Yolanda Waters

POLITICAL SCIENCE
William Barnes
Jabari Blackmon
Benjamin Boakye
Aaron Boone
Jasmin Brooks
Percy Brown IV
Jamal Cuthbertson
Alejandro Espitia
Kentoura Gilmore
Brianna Hargrove
Cithrah Henderson
Brandon Hicks
Tiffany Hood
Mackie Kayeh
Anita Keith-Foust
Brian Kennedy II
LaPorsha Leake
Perry Maxie
Andrea McIver
Stephen McLaughlin Jr.
Clifton Morgan III
Evangeline Robinson
Mohit Sahoo
Emanuelle Santos
Courtney Stevenson
Shawn Swinnie
Syreetta Taybron
Mitchell Wallace
Cherice Washington
Kandice Watkins
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CUM LAUDE

Sharvonta Alston  KiAna Kirk  Kristen Schooler
Alma Alston-Dixon  Mijon Knight  Andrea K. Searls
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CRIMINAL JUSTICE

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Kayla Handsome  Clonzie Nealy  Lasha’ White
Kenetta Hardnett  Kaz Offenburg  Nyree Williams
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EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION

Megan Culver  Jodi Hardy  Laura Wunsch
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FAMILY AND CONSUMER SCIENCES

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Natasha Beverly  Shaneese Little  Ramona Scarlett
Monique Funches  Christopher Mack  Kristen Schooler
Pamula Jackson  LaSaundra Maynor  KarNesha Snuggs
Jamesetta Jahamaliah  Jeremy Powe  Whitney Thomas

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She’leah Battle  Martinely Hernandez  Martisa Raynor
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Broc Dickerson  Jerome Johnson  Anthony Williams

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- Melissa Jones

**MAGNA CUM LAUDE**
- Valerie Haywood

**CUM LAUDE**
- Stephanie Douglass
  - Alecia Frederick
  - Inobeme Polk
- Brianna McCloud

### SOCIAL WORK

- Jannike Anderson
- Tomesia Barnes
- Taneah Bryant
- Stephanie Douglass
- Alecia Frederick
- Valerie Haywood
- Brittany Holman
- Ashley Ingram
- Melissa Jones
- Takela Keech
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## COLLEGE OF LIBERAL ARTS

### BACHELOR OF ARTS

**SUMMA CUM LAUDE**
- Candy Anderson
- Carolyn Casey
- Raven Massey
- Raja Rahim
- Jeremy Rigsbee
- Marisha Washington
- Matthew West

**MAGNA CUM LAUDE**
- Deirdre Brooks
- Chioke Brown
- Rosa Cheatham
- Bishari Cooper
- Carla Green
- Ariel Griffin
- Brianna Hargrove
- Brian Kennedy II
- Kevin Morton
- Reginald Nettles
- Rosalina Ramirez
- Jason Russell
- Shanika Smith-White
- James Stainback III

**CUM LAUDE**
- Katrina Adams
- Zevandah Barnes
- Jerome Brown Jr.
- Johneta DeVoe
- Keith DuBose
- Regina Glover
- Craig Harris
- Tamika Heard
- Cithrah Henderson
- Gina Savage

### ART

- Shateece Davis
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### BACHELOR OF MUSIC

**CUM LAUDE**
- Jasmine Best
- Jabril Graves

### JAZZ
- Jasmine Best
- Jabril Graves
- Lance Scott Jr.

### COLLEGE OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY

### BACHELOR OF SCIENCE

**SUMMA CUM LAUDE**
- Naomi Boulware
- Charlotte Crone
- Isaac Ounda
- Tierra Poteat
- Tasha-Gaye Richards
- Ethan Smith
- Courun Williams

**MAGNA CUM LAUDE**
- Jay Banks
- Karimah Bennett
- Corderro Cruz
- Kala Nwachukwu
- Melony Ochieng
- Najah Salleh
- Martez Yancey

**CUM LAUDE**
- Vincent Anthony
- Aurora Baker
- Michelle Bridgers
- Ashley Bynum
- William Hopkins Jr.
- Cheonica Hunt
- Julie Moore
- Bryan Oliver
- Charles Turner

**BIOLOGY**
- Vincent Anthony
- Aurora Baker
- Alpha Conteh
- Doja Cooper
- Charlotte Crone
- Gloria Dorsette
- Arkisha Hayes
- Michael Kamara
- Brandi Lyons
- Julie Moore
- Kala Nwachukwu
- Bryan Oliver
- Temilola Olofinnuyi
- Charles Turner
- Tylrik Whitley
- Courun Williams
- Desiree Wright

**CHEMISTRY**
- Ashley Bynum
- Anthony Clark
- Tonya Lane
- Julie Moore
- Melony Ochieng
- Najah Salleh

**COMPUTER SCIENCE**
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MATHEMATICS
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Michelle Bridgers  Corderro Cruz  Ethan Smith

PHARMACEUTICAL SCIENCES
Kendra Davis  Cheonica Hunt  Isaac Ounda
William Hopkins Jr.  Guy Idoura  Martez Yancey
Melony Ochieng

NURSING

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN NURSING

MAGNA CUM LAUDE
Cassie Johns  Michelle Mitchell  Shequana Webb
Deborah Kopytowski  Christian Raygon  Candace Wilson
Nykiya Lee  Jennifer Roark  Raya Wilson
Amber Waddell

CUM LAUDE
Lena Alston  Dominique Everett  Gabriel Ramirez
Franklyn Amadi  Hannah Huff  Stacy Robertson
Kwadwo Ankrah  Jeannie Jenkins  Corabeth Smith
Shana Blount  Farrah Latorrue  Shannon Thomas
Sharon Chavis  Ron’nisha McCormick  Natalie Turkaly
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Katrina Wright

SCHOOL OF BUSINESS

BACHELOR OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

SUMMA CUM LAUDE

Etienne Farquharson
Jerry Rogers
Joseph Simmons III

BACHELOR OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

MAGNA CUM LAUDE

Sita Awasthi
Jasmine Glaspie
Rashawn Linton
Lishelle Bunn
Blaire Houston
Maritsann Sinclair
Daquan Daniels
Adrian Johnson
Teryl White Jr.

CUM LAUDE

Moosa Anwer
Shanell Frazer
Taurean McCrea
Tiffany Baskerville
Julian Gray
Ross Plummer
Carla Carter
Lateisha Harris
Chelsea Reaves
D’vario Daughtry
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Niraj Dev
Tiara Kincaid
Lakeshia Wilson
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Blaire Houston  
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Derrick Mallison  
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J’Leighsa Moore  
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William Osoro  
Terrence Pearson  
Ross Plummer  
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Kyle Westbro  
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Joseph Williams  
Zachary Williams  
Lakeshia Wilson

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE

SUMMA CUM LAUDE

Michelle Arnold

MAGNA CUM LAUDE

Gadeer Alzabit  
Wendy Burton  
Joachim Gomes  
Shanna McLean  
Carolyn Robinson  
Morgan Stone

CUM LAUDE

Shelia Farmer  
Shanell Frazer  
Derrick Hall  
DeMarcus Hill  
Altarius Moody

COMPUTER INFORMATION SYSTEMS

Adetola Abisuga  
Gadeer Alzabit  
Jacqueline Bowden  
Ashley Brown  
Shelia Farmer  
Shanell Frazer  
Crishonna Freeman  
DeMarcus Hill  
Devon Jackson  
Quentin Johnson  
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Ayodeji Oyenekan  
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Wendy Burton          Shirrell Jones       Jarrell Randson
Amanda Dees           Margaret Mamhende    Carolyn Robinson
Sharma DeVane         Shanna McLean       Morgan Stone
Joachim Gomes         Bianca Meeks        Nia Tukufu

SCHOOL OF EDUCATION

BACHELOR OF ARTS

SUMMA CUM LAUDE
Bianca Brodie         Justus McGee         Johnicia Simmons
Jessica Crosby        Alana Shekelle       Amanda Tripp

MAGNA CUM LAUDE
Roshandra Bizzell     Carly McGee          Tremaine Simmons
Dietrich Esdorn       Charnice Person      Candace Taylor
Morgan Huggins

CUM LAUDE
Anita Cates           Alicia Freeman       Crystal Boyd

ELEMENTARY EDUCATION
Roshandra Bizzell     Alicia Freeman       Alana Shekelle
Bianca Brodie         Morgan Huggins       Johnicia Simmons
Paige Byrd            Angela Koop          Tremaine Simmons
Anita Cates           Carly McGee          Candace Taylor
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MIDDLE GRADES EDUCATION
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Room 1111
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DEPARTMENTS OF ART AND MUSIC
Edwards Music Building
Recital Hall
Saturday

DEPARTMENTS OF ENGLISH AND MASS COMMUNICATION AND MODERN FOREIGN LANGUAGES
Farrison-Newton Communications Building
Room 347
Saturday

DEPARTMENT OF HISTORY
Edmonds Classroom Building
Room 201 B
Saturday

DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SCIENCES
Dent Human Sciences Building
Lawn
Saturday

DEPARTMENT OF NURSING
Nursing Building
Saturday

DEPARTMENT OF PHARMACEUTICAL SCIENCE
BRITE Building
Saturday

DEPARTMENT OF PHYSICAL EDUCATION AND RECREATION
LeRoy T. Walker Physical Education Complex
Lobby
Saturday

DEPARTMENT OF POLITICAL SCIENCE
Edmonds Classroom Building
Room 105
Saturday
RECEPTIONS

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DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH EDUCATION
Miller-Morgan Building
Auditorium
Saturday

DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL WORK
Albert N. Whiting Criminal Justice Building
Auditorium
Saturday

DEPARTMENT OF SOCIOLOGY
Edmonds Classroom Building
Room 305 and 306
Saturday

DEPARTMENT OF THEATRE
Farrison-Newton Communication Building
Room 108
Saturday

SCHOOL OF BUSINESS
C. T. Willis Commerce Building
Room G – 32
Friday and Saturday

SCHOOL OF EDUCATION
H. M. Michaux Jr. School of Education Building
Area near the auditorium and Room 1011
Friday and Saturday

SCHOOL OF LIBRARY AND INFORMATION SCIENCES
B. N. Duke Auditorium
Friday
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I pledge as a citizen to exemplify the high ideals thus implied, seeking truth always, rendering positive service to community, state, and nation, and so to live as ever to bring honor and respect to my alma mater.