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Tuesday, May 12, 2020
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COMMENCEMENT PROGRAM

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Processional

Presentation of the Mace/Welcome
Justina M. Sapna
Vice President for Academic Affairs

National Anthem
Dalton Watts
Instructor, Math Department

Invocation
Chaplain Andrew Werner
Delaware National Guard

President's Message
Dr. Mark T. Brainard
College President

Introduction of Commencement Speaker
James Elliott
2020 Graduate

Commencement Address
Lisa Blunt Rochester
U.S. Representative

Campus Director's Message
Dr. Bobbi J. Barends

Presentation of Candidates
Christy A. Moriarty
Dean of Instruction

Conferral of Degrees and Diplomas
Nancy J. Shevock
Chair, Board of Trustees

Closing Remarks
Justina M. Sapna

Benediction
Chaplain Andrew Werner

Recessional
Congresswoman Lisa Blunt Rochester represents Delaware in the U.S. House of Representatives and serves as an assistant whip for House leadership. She also sits on the House Committee on Energy and Commerce. As the committee’s only former statewide health official, she understands health care from a number of different perspectives – as an implementer at the Delaware Department of Health and Social Services, negotiator while serving as state personnel director, and advocate as CEO of the Metropolitan Wilmington Urban League. Rep. Blunt Rochester is focused on reducing the cost of health care and prescription drugs for middle-class families, addressing the disparity in outcomes for communities of color, and tackling our nation’s opioid and addiction epidemic. She serves as a member of the Bipartisan Heroin Task Force, comprised of more than 100 members united with the common goal of tackling opioid addiction.

Rep. Blunt Rochester is a leading voice in Congress on economic and future of work-related issues. As a former secretary of labor and state personnel director, she leverages her professional experience to advocate for legislation that boosts start-up business growth, removes barriers for citizens re-entering society, and addresses college affordability and ballooning student debt.

As a member of the Congressional Progressive Caucus and a strong proponent of reforming our criminal justice system, she introduced first-in-the-nation legislation, the Clean Slate Act, sealing the federal records of former nonviolent offenders who remain crime-free and have earned a second chance. This bill would provide new opportunities for Americans to earn a good-paying job, pursue education and training, and rent or own a home.

With deep roots in the First State, Rep. Blunt Rochester grew up in Wilmington, graduated from Padua Academy, and worked her first job at the McDonald’s on Market Street. She graduated from Fairleigh Dickinson University with a degree in International Relations and put herself through graduate school as a working mom, earning a master’s degree in Urban Affairs and Public Policy from the University of Delaware.

She began her distinguished career in public service as an intern, and later a caseworker, in a congressional office where she helped Delawareans with their Social Security benefits, disability insurance claims, IRS disputes, and housing needs. Rep. Blunt Rochester would go on to serve in the cabinets of two Delaware governors and as CEO of the Metropolitan Wilmington Urban League.

She currently resides in Wilmington near her adult-aged children, Alex and Alyssa, and her daughter-in-law, Ebony.
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Justina M. Sapna, *Grand Marshal*

*It is traditional for a marshal to carry the ceremonial mace as a symbol of the authority of the College to grant degrees.*

*This program reflects potential graduates at the time of printing.*

* Alpha Beta Gamma Business Honor Society  Φ Phi Theta Kappa Honor Society
* Who’s Who Among Students In American Junior/Community College
‡ Tau Upsilon Alpha  Δ Sigma Kappa Delta  Θ Mu Alpha Theta
λ Lambda Epsilon Chi
CANDIDATES FOR THE ASSOCIATE DEGREE

APPLIED AGRICULTURE
Agribusiness Management
Bryanna L. Blake Φ
Brooke Marie Brittingham
Robert William Hawkins
Ashlyn North
Domenick Michael Skinner
Sean J. Thorne
Landscape and Ornamental Horticulture
Katie Marie Benedict
Jonathan Bernard
Nathan Michael Milligan
Mitchell J. Moyer
Emma Joelle Murphy
Diana Rafter Φ
Laura F. Ritchie
Production Agriculture
Gillian Marie Cannon Φ
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Skylar Larimore
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Garett W. Scott
Rosure Robert Smith
Thomas Clark Smith
Zachary Landon Torgerson
John Hunter Townsend
Sommer Tyndall
Joseph Matthew Wactor

BUSINESS
Accounting
Alia Azamatovna Abrams Φ η
Bethann Marie Bugieda η
Isabel Barrueta
Erica Colegrove
Megan Elizabeth Eagle η
Robin Ann Edwards Φ η
Donald Elder III
Kyle Finnerty η
Gloria Estephania Gomez Φ η
Daniel Allen Keller Φ η
Matthew Stephan Koontz Φ η
James Edward McIver III
Julia Eleanor Medeiros η
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Kenny Quang Tran Φ η
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Business Administration Transfer
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Arely Hernandez-Mejia η
Jared C. Jensen
Trevor Mitchell Φ η
Ethan Paul Mudge
Kyle James Spillane
Camryn Thompson
Elian Villalobos-Rodriguez η

Entrepreneurship
Lizbeth Figueroa-Rivera
Alyssa Sterling Φ
CANDIDATES FOR THE ASSOCIATE DEGREE

General Business
Kai Dena Anderson
Tanner Collins Bowers
Makayla Brittingham
Adrienne Cody
Benjamin D. CooperΦɽ
Ebonie Michelle Cooperɽ
Brooke Alexis Corderɽ
Jennifer Marie EckrichΦɽ
Edmar Felix Felipe-Lucas
Benjamin Charles Jacobsɽ
Emily Laczkowski
Melissa Lynne Moore
Amber Rae Robertsɽ
Jacob Cleveland Siegelmanɽ
Sarandon Capri Slebodnickɽ
Aislinn Maura Stabnerɽ
Jesse Joseph Taveras

Management
Danielle Carter
Myeisha Everette
Samson Gilles
Fulton Walters Holland IIIɽ
Candida D. Jackson
Trenton JonesΦ
Ashley Malaspina
Riley Meraz
Cody Ryan O'Ferrall
Justin Smithɽ

Marketing
Taylor Littleton
Christina SalvatoΦɽ

Office Administration
Chanelle Lanette Abel
Renee L. Clarkson
Mikerline Derat
Jerosalee Medico
Kaylie Moore

Legal Studies
Cody R. Agresta
David D. AraΦ
Karime C. Balderas-OrtegaΦɽ
Heidi Noel CareyΦ
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Thomas Micheal KoontzΦ
Jason Allen Moran
Anastasiia Stevens
Taylor Marie Tallarico
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Hospitality Management
Dana Marie Fiorio
Ian Greenfield
Maxwell Parker Donald Meegan

EDUCATION

Early Care and Education (Birth - Second Grade)
Kelley Elise Allen
Mary Kate Bender
Katherine R. Betts
Haley Aileen Cannon
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Jamie Lynn Miles
Emma Nicole Snyder
Shamika A. Wesley
CANDIDATES FOR THE ASSOCIATE DEGREE

Early Childhood Development
Anna Richardson Φ ṕ
Paige L. Hales
Dawn Melissa Howard
Marlette Rayshell Lofland Φ
Yvonne White
Elementary Education Option
Emily Lynn Maria Adams
Lorraine Ann Benson
Hailey Betts
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Dakota Clayville
Christina Coffelt
Lauryn Cox Φ
Kaitlyn Davis
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Kara Ely
Riley Margaret Finnegan
Abigail Suzanne Fonda
Gary Frazier
Kailin Olivia Gregory
Carol A. Hargreaves
Chanteena Linette Harmon
Madison Jane Hoffman
Ahmet Karaosman
Shelby Lee Klinedinst
Ashley Page Kuhn
Alyssa Layton Φ
Yolanda Lopez
Scott Alan Magee Φ
Megan Massey
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Titus O. Mims
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Monique Kiana Rideau
Gisselle Rodriguez-Vargas
Lauren Elizabeth Sharp Φ
Sean Patrick Sheehan
Kalee Raye Simpson
Jazmin Thomas
Cynthia Tijerina
Melida Eloisa Tijerino
Michaela Timmons
Maria Isabel Vasquez Portillo
Lillian Robledo
Isana Beatriz Ventura Φ
Jillian Sarah Wharton
Cassidy Brooke White
Starlynn Nicole Wood Φ
Jillian Yi
Middle-Level Mathematics Education
Christopher Shane Dockins
Emily Anne Marie Martini
Natalie Nicole Oldham
Middle-Level Mathematics Education: Social Science Minor
Shannon T. Hopkins
Paraeducator
Paul Edward Copes
Janice Rebecca Short
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ENERGY AND ENGINEERING TECHNOLOGIES

Architectural Engineering Technology
Jonathan Matthew Gerdes Φ
Kathryn Elizabeth Koontz Φ
Oliva Alexandria Kowalchick
Thomas Frederick Litchfield
Richard Chandler Parrett
Yesdani Allan Perez-Velasquez

Civil Engineering Technology
Felix Orta Jr.
Dylan Michael Taylor

Design Engineering (Mechanical) Technology
Joshua Ryan Brown
Nathaniel Lynn Burns
Jared Durham
Navesh Girdhari
Bradford Nathaniel Jones
Colt Chandler Kollock
Jacob Owens Wilson

Electronics Engineering Technology
Cuauhtemoc Moreno Espinoza
Luis Antonio Moreno
Marty Koji Sakurai
Timothy Rex Snider Jr.
Miles Weber

Refrigeration, Heating and Air Conditioning
Rafat Mardawi
Daniel B. Miller
Kenneth Sean Reilly

Bryan William Rogers
Nolan John Rutherford
Charles Edward Short
Gregory Thomas Smith

Surveying & Geomatics Engineering Technology
Whitney Nicole Bonnett

HEALTH AND SCIENCE

Bachelor of Science in Nursing
Patricia Ayers
Christine Elizabeth Davis
Susan Hensler
Eric Robert Lehr
Chelsey Elaine Lowder
Danielle Marie McWilliams
Kristen Hamstead Mears
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Heather Alyse Morton
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Associate Degree in Nursing
Brooke Adkins
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Amanda Lee Dean
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Dallas Taylor DiGuglielmo Φ
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Samantha Anna-Leigh Franklin
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Courtney Nicole Gray
Samantha Gumpman
Ivana Lynn Hamilton
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Emily Joy Johnson
Alisha B. Justice
Ashley Michelle Kiesel
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Alicia Nicole Lindinger
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Brittany Renee DeShields
Megan Dobson
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Gunnar M. Folke
Tysheria Denise Friend
Nathan Alexander Gentsch Φ
Sarah Givens
Shannon Henderson
Olivia Spring Caroline Jester
Ava Elizabeth Kashner
Elisha Raven Marks
Rachel Amanda Marta
John Joseph McDermott
Cassidy M. McGurk Φ
Shannon McNama-Lawson
Gladys Ivette Mercado
Priscilla Morales
Rachel Nack
Hong Khanh Pham
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Noe Ramirez-Cruz
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Chantielle Monique Sellers
Elaine Kimbrough Sestito Φ
Rebecca Sarah Paige Suter Powell
Karen Taloute
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Jaira West
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**Chemistry**
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**Diagnostic Medical Sonography**
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Andrew Mark Westgate

Radiologic Technology
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Colleen Mills Bryner
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Brett Austin Snyder
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Logan K. Williams Φ ɽ
Carson T. Williamson

Criminal Justice
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Dylan Michael Allen
Justin Kyle Bennett
Collin McKenzie Brady
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Jacob Charles Connor
Edwin Donaldo Contreras-Garcia
Erin Elizabeth Cooney
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Rhonda Megan Wilkins

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Savannah Bauman
Teresa A. Bolden Φ
Cecelia Bruno-Collins
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Bri’an Dez’monae Burbage
Tiffany Shayneen Byrd r
Joshua Simon Byrne
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Hayes Reynolds Criswell
Dennis Charles Daniels Jr. Φ
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Tiffany Evans
Toni Le Finney

Kristen Nicole Gordy
Brianne Arlene Gray Φ
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Casey Lemp
Elisa Carolina Lopez De la Cruz
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Samantha Jean Parker
Jaqualin Perkins
Terry Michelle Plank Φ
Makayla Annette Rembold Φ
Casey Lynn Reynolds
Savannah May Rust Φ
Ronald Sainphard
Gary Lyle Shepard
Bre Fitch
Shayla Dorsene Taylor r
Destiny Ray Thomson
Natasha L. Thorpe
Andrea Sue Timmons Φ
Tatyana Lashay Tolson
Sydney Alexis West Φ
Kierra Monea Williams
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Law Enforcement Option
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Michael Thomas Mahetta
Angelica Anabel Perez-Mendez Φ
Uriel Pedro Romero
Richard Williams

TRANSPORTATION
Automotive Technology
Cristo Jesus Aguilar
Waldess Gaston

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ENERGY AND ENGINEERING TECHNOLOGIES
Refrigeration, Heating and Air Conditioning Studies
Wood Jerry Agenor
Jake Allen Brewington
Tyler Eugene Brooks
Abid Castillo
Jason William Cook
Zachary Domercant
Noah Matthew Donohoe
Edwin Wilmer Escobar
Kyle Edward Firle
German Josue Garcia Gonzalez
Rafat Mardawi
Ivan Lee Soto
James Robert Marshall Tucker
Trevor Jonathon Whaley
Charles Yurtin

Surveying and Geomatics Engineering Technology
Whitney Bonnett

HEALTH AND SCIENCE
Practical Nursing Studies
Clara May Viros Abella
Madison J. Apgar
Ashley Victoria Boney
Spencer E. Brittingham
Diamond Brown
Tory Lynne Carmine
Patricia Joy Clagg
Samuel Joseph Crawford
Michaela Morgan Fox
Jamie Lynn Heinz
Cortney Eboni Hilliard
Shavonne Hines
Kadeisha Custis Holland
Tashia Lynnette Hughes
Desirae Jessica John
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Practical Nursing Studies (cont.)
Aaliyah Jurnee Johnson
Brent Alan Jones
Jalissa Delema Jones
Rachel Maria Joyner
Chella Nicole Lacroix
Brian Michael Long
Randi Lee Marcucio
Whitney Nicole Oney
Brienna Wynne Pavlik
Laura Sue Peretiatko
Stephanie M. Perez Vazquez
Lucinda Alexa Torres
Quinterra Renee Whaley
Lauren Michelle Wilson

TRANSPORTATION

Automotive Technician Studies
Shane Collins
Timothy J. Collins
Morgan McGee DeWitt
Vincenza M. DiPoalo
John Matthew Garbrick
Rebecca Taylor Garcia
Michael Joseph Greenstreet
Roy William Legates
Shane Michael Minard
Douglas Mackenzie Pearson
Alexander Scott Riggin
Ivan Gabriel Rios
Steven Layton Smoot
Robert Michael Wille

Commercial Transportation
Murielle Gabriel
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Tootaram Singh

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Powerplant Maintenance
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Adam R. Boving
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Gervais Ivon Yepmo Tchouanmo
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**Summa Cum Laude**
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- Karime C. Balderas-Ortega
- Bryanna L. Blake
- Teresa A. Bolden
- McKenna Rose Browning
- Gillian Marie Cannon
- Heidi Noel Carey
- Erica Colegrove
- Benjamin D. Cooper
- Hannah Marie Corbett
- Rebecca Elizabeth Daisey Justice
- Christine Elizabeth Davis
- Kaitlyn Davis
- Morgan McGee DeWitt
- Jessica Christine DiCicco
- Brandon Wade Dudrow
- Megan Elizabeth Eagle
- Alexandrea Christiana Edmonds
- Oksana Garrett
- Ian Greenfield
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- Mya Nita Henry
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- Ralph W. Holm Jr.
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- Candida D. Jackson
- Bradford Nathaniel Jones
- Scott Daniel Kalesse
- Daniel Allen Keller
- Matthew Stephan Koontz
- Dylan Joseph Lane
- Laura Yonette Lawrence
- Roy William Legates
- Eric Robert Lehr
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- Camrynn Ann McTeer
- Danielle Marie McWilliams
- Kristen Hamstead Mears
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- Maria A. Morgan
- Kaylie Moore
- Jason Allen Moran
- Lauren Mullins
- Emma Joelle Murphy
- Lindsay Marie O'Hara
- Natalie Nicole Oldham
- Diana Rafter
- Autumn Rain Reed
- Haley Marie Robbins
- Amber Rae Roberts
- Gisselle Rodriguez-Vargas
- Savannah May Rust
- Elaine Kimbrough Sestito
- Phoebe Rose Shank
- Lauren Elizabeth Sharp
- William Fuller Smart IV
- Emma Nicole Snyder
- Alyssa Sterling
- Anastasiia Stevens
- Caitlin Marie Stolish
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- Steven Hal Twilley Jr.
- Cassidy Brooke White
- Brandon Whitford
- Jacob Owens Wilson
- Starlynn Nicole Wood
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Crystal Lynne McCabe
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Ashley Nicole Armes
Lucas Allen Baker
Jennifer Maria Bartsch-Hilt
Mary Kate Bender
Kelsey Michelle Bonk
Whitney Nicole Bonnett
Casey Boucher
Leah M. Brasure
Diamond Brown
Joshua Ryan Brown
Daniel Cabanas
Ocean A. Carlisle
Alexandra Lynn Carreno
Jessica Voshell Cataldi
Jacob Charles Connor
Erin Elizabeth Cooney
Brooke Alexis Corder
Khateryn Rocio Cordova
Cora Cosgrove
Lauryn Cox
Dennis Charles Daniels Jr.
Amanda J. Davanzo
Kira Elizabeth Foos
Sara Elizabeth Davis
Jared Durham
Jennifer Marie Eckrich
Robin Ann Edwards
Donald Elder III
Allison Paige Farrelly
Lizbeth Figueroa-Rivera
Riley Margaret Finnegan
Alan Keith Fogleman
John Matthew Garbrick
Rebecca Taylor Garcia
Jonathan Matthew Gerdes
Samson Gilles
Gloria Estephania Gomez
Shamia Goslee
Brianne Arlene Gray
Michael Joseph Greenstreet
Molly June Guittare
Jonathan Hastings
Arely Hernandez-Mejia
Trenton Jones
Jaime Lyn Joynes
Kathryn Elizabeth Koontz
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THE MACE

Once a familiar weapon in medieval combat, the mace came to represent rulership, associated with the pride of a nation and its origins. Later, universities and colleges adopted the mace as a symbol of the academic quest for truth and wisdom. It is carried in academic processions not only to bring authority to the ceremonial occasion, but to symbolize the unity and aspirations of the college community.

ACADEMIC REGALIA

The use of the academic regalia costume, which seems to have originated in the English universities of Oxford and Cambridge, has been traditional in university life since the medieval times. In England and other European countries, academic attire generally is distinctive with each university so that very colorful ensembles of diverse styles are commonly used abroad.

Unlike European academic apparel, the academic costume of American universities follows a regular pattern, the styles and colors having been established by an intercollegiate agreement in 1895. Cap, hood, and gown are prescribed in style. Color variations indicate differences in the field of knowledge presented and conferring institutions.

The mortarboard cap is identical for holders of associate, bachelor’s, and master’s degrees. For holders of the doctorate, the cap may be made of velvet and the tassel may be gold. Candidates for degrees wear the tassel on the right side of the cap, changing it to the left side after the degrees have been conferred.

The hood is the most distinctive feature of academic attire. Used originally as a cowl, as a shoulder cape, and as a container in which to collect alms, it is now worn at the back, suspended near the shoulder. The hood for the master’s degree is three and a half feet long with a three-inch border. The doctor’s hood is four feet long and the border is five inches wide. The inner lining of the hood is in the official color or colors of the institution conferring the degree, while the color of the border indicates the field of learning in which the degree is earned.

Faculty members who wear a medallion are recipients of the Excellence in Teaching Award in recognition of excellence in instruction and outstanding contributions to the College.

Members of the graduating class are wearing academic regalia made up in colors of the College rather than in traditional black. The hoods worn by graduates receiving bachelor’s degrees are black with apricot trim to represent the field of nursing.

Those who are graduating Summa Cum Laude (Highest Honors) wear a gold cord. Those who graduate Magna Cum Laude (High Honors) wear a silver cord, and those who graduate Cum Laude (Honors) wear a white cord. Phi Theta Kappa Honor Society graduates, who wear gold stoles, are recognized for outstanding scholarship, leadership, and service. Veterans and service members wear a red, white, and blue military service cord in recognition for their service to our country. Graduates who participated in a study abroad program wear a stole with a flag of the country in which they studied.