



# 2022 Annual Commencement

*Delaware Technical Community College  
Monday, May 23, 2022*

*Charles L. Terry Jr. Campus*

We are happy to have members of the Classes of 2020 and 2021 join us with their loved ones this evening to celebrate their graduations with a traditional walk across the stage. Their full graduation programs can be found on our graduation web page:  
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# COMMENCEMENT PROGRAM

Cornelia Johnson, *Vice President and Campus Director, Presiding*

## **Processional**

Touch of Brass

## **Presentation of the Mace**

John M. Buckley  
*Dean of Instruction*

## **National Anthem**

Hannah Garey  
*2022 Graduate, Visual Communications*

## **Invocation**

CH (CPT) William A. Guy  
*Chaplain, Delaware National Guard*

## **Welcome and Introductions**

Cornelia Johnson  
*Vice President and Campus Director*

## **President's Message**

Dr. Mark T. Brainard  
*President, Delaware Technical Community College*

## **Introduction of Commencement Speaker**

Kimberly Aigle  
*2022 Graduate, Nursing*

## **Commencement Address**

Lisa Blunt Rochester  
*U.S. Representative*

## **Presentation of Candidates**

John M. Buckley

## **Conferral of Degrees and Diplomas**

*Board of Trustees*

## **Alumni Association Induction**

Carol Young  
*President, Terry Campus Alumni Association*

## **Benediction**

CH (CPT) William A. Guy

## **Recessional**

Touch of Brass

*The audience is requested to remain seated until after the recessional.*

## COMMENCEMENT SPEAKER

### **Lisa Blunt Rochester**

*U.S. Representative*

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 and removes barriers for citizens re-entering society.

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.

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John Slank, *Chief of Public Safety*

Dr. Lisa J. Strusowski, *Director of Communication and Planning*

Kristen Yencer, *Director of Workforce Development and Community Education*

**FACULTY SENATE**

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**STAFF SENATE**

Brittany Trujillo, *President*

**MARSHALS**

John M. Buckley, *Grand Marshal*

Theresa Alward, *Faculty Marshal*

Dustin P. Abshire, *Student 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

Δ Student Leader      λ Lambda Epsilon Chi Legal Honor Society

# CANDIDATES FOR THE ASSOCIATE DEGREE

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## **Office Administration**

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### **Culinary Arts**

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## **EDUCATION**

### **Early Care and Education**

#### **(Birth - Second Grade)**

Mikayla Marie Frantz

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# CANDIDATES FOR THE ASSOCIATE AND BACHELOR'S DEGREES

## ENERGY AND ENGINEERING TECHNOLOGIES

### Architectural Engineering Technology

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### Electromechanical Engineering Technology

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### Bachelor of Science in Nursing

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### **Bachelor of Science in Nursing**

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## **Associate Degree Nursing** *(cont.)*

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### Associate of Science General *(cont.)*

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# CANDIDATES FOR THE ASSOCIATE DEGREE

## **Associate of Science General** *(cont.)*

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## **Veterinary Technology**

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## **INFORMATION TECHNOLOGIES**

### **Computing and Information Science**

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### **Computer Network Engineering Technology**

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Makisha Gray

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Aisha Chaudhry  
Vivian Christian  
Tori Comeaux  
Tameeka Cooper  
Jasmyne Davidson  
Joshua Diaz  
Thomas Dillon  
Saida Elidrissi  
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Jennifer Ewton  
Hannah Garey  
Savannah Greene  
Olivia Hampton  
Abigail Harper  
Makenzie Helsel  
Christopher Herman  
Emily Keith  
Mirabella Klebart  
Nicole Kulhanek  
Dustin LaBau  
Darla Lemper  
Erika Lowry  
Becca MacDonald  
Johanna Lorraine Marcos  
Jacquelynn Martin

Kami Martin  
Katherine Martinez  
Cynthia Mbu-Pierson  
Morgan Miller  
Morgan Molitor  
Branden Moore  
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Kyle Nelson  
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Kirstin Phillips  
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Valerie Quinones  
Lisa Ricketts  
Kathryn Rinaldi  
Ashley Ruffin  
Skyler Ryan  
Paul Samuels  
Kerry Sheline  
Walt Sherlock  
Princesse Sidjie Sidjie  
Jeffrey Sliney  
Luke Smoker  
Gia Succarotte  
Alexa Torres  
Rebecca Triola  
Amanda Twisselmann  
Peter Uhey  
Alanna Wagman  
Courtney Werkheiser  
Jasmine Whitmore  
Breana Wilken  
Dylan Wilson  
Anastasia Winder

## STUDENTS GRADUATING WITH HONORS

### **Summa Cum Laude** *(cont.)*

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Megan Zaruba

### **Magna Cum Laude**

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Ionel Alvarez

Collin Arter

Kristian Ashman

Gina Atencia

Sherice Bailey

Samantha Barauskas

Jasel Bellamy

Lorri Bradley

Caitlyn Brewer

Melanie Brown

Rachael Brown

Grant Bucy

Fatemah Butt

Harmony Caldwell

Nicholas Cathell

Sarah Charles

China Christopher

Angela Clements

Mackenzie Collins

Samantha Collins

Crystal Connors

Denise Crimmins

Kandace Dixon

Rene Eastburn

Dawne Estep

Anjolie Fabricius

James Flood

Ivy Friedlander

Lakeda Fulton

Kymerly Gailey

Joseph Gallagher

Marisela Garibay-Garcia

Amber Graham

Christopher Grettenberger

Mackenzie Heinrichs

Dawn Jackson

David Kamanga

Jaden Keene

Daqira Lancaster-Navarro

Amanda Levanovich

Aaron Martin

Jorge Martinez

Rachel Meeks

Helena Meinhold

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Kymasha Mifflin

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Rachel Ruiz de Castilla

Joshua Rutledge

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Tyler Sell

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## **Magna Cum Laude** *(cont.)*

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Justina Bottomley  
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Serenity Bramble  
Rhawn Brown  
Jasmin Burden  
William Cannon  
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Galya Cooper  
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Matthew Devern  
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Jade Hawk  
Rebecca Hollandsworth  
Jordan Ide  
Francine Ilunga  
Devin Kilgore  
Sean King  
Matthew Kracyla  
Wayne Kyalo  
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Jazmin Negron Torres  
Laysha Orozco  
Kenneth Parker  
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Bailey Quick  
Galen Quillen  
Madison Rauhauser  
Haleigh Reed  
Ethan Rittereiser  
Ashley Runyan  
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Theodore Smith

## STUDENTS GRADUATING WITH HONORS

### **Cum Laude** *(cont.)*

Peggy Snyder

Samantha Speiser

Brianna Stoner

Michele Suberro

Antonio Sudler

Edward Thomas

Elizabeth Thompson

Tanya Thornton

Alexander Vasquez

Angie Vasquez Lopez

Grace Venzke

Dawn Wallace

Gia Weiss

Candis West

Kassidy Williamson

Kira Wood

## 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. Graduates who participated in a study abroad program wear a stole with a flag of the country in which they studied. Officers of the Student Government Association and student clubs and organizations wear blue and green cords. Alpha Beta Gamma business honor society members wear blue and gold cords and Lambda Epsilon Chi legal studies honor society members wear purple and silver cords. 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.

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