





One Hundred Twenty-fourth Commencement

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Celebrating Over Sixty Years of Academic Excellence

December 9, 2022 Columbus State University

Today's Ceremony

elcome to Columbus State University's commencement ceremony. Commencement is a day of special achievement and recognition of our candidates for graduation.

While awaiting the start of the ceremony, you might wish to read the information contained on the following pages: a historical profile of the university, a brief description of the university mace and presidential seal, details about the university's academic units, and an explanation of the academic regalia worn by participants in the ceremony.

The ceremony begins with a series of academic processions for which audience members are asked to stand, as they are able. The processions are headed by the faculty marshal, who escorts the candidates for graduation, followed by the faculty and the presidential party.

According to academic tradition, candidates for graduation proceed to the platform in descending order of the degree to be conferred: doctoral degrees, education specialist degrees, master's degrees, baccalaureate degrees and associate degrees.

When the ceremony is closed following the awarding of all degrees, audience members should again rise, as they are able, for the recessional.

Again, we welcome you to Columbus State University's commencement ceremony and hope you will find to be both meaningful and impressive.

The students whose names appear in today's commencement program have met all of the institutional and departmental requirements, pending final grades, and are therefore eligible to receive their respective degrees.

Columbus State University has been woven into the fabric of the Columbus community for more than 60 years.

s early as the 1940s, local leaders identified that having a Columbus-based college was a priority. They began collecting money, looking for a site, and lobbying the state for a local college. Through their persistence, donations of nearly \$100,000, and the support of two voter-approved bond issues, Columbus College first opened on Sept. 22, 1958, in a temporary location—the Shannon Hosiery Mill on Talbotton Road. Nearly 300 students enrolled under the care of 15 faculty members and six administrators.

Those humble beginnings began a story that spans more than six decades of a deeply rooted relationship between what is now Columbus State University and the Chattahoochee Valley. Columbus College moved to its current Main Campus location in 1963 and became a four-year institution just two years later.

Campus master planning hit its stride in the early 1980s as construction expanded to match the growth in CSU's new collegiate structure and academic offerings. The late 1980s marked additional capital growth on campus, including the school's signature clock tower—completed in 1991 and named after its first president, Dr. Thomas Whitley. In 1996, the college was designated as a university and became Columbus State University.

Despite widespread higher education budget cuts marking the late 2000s, Columbus State University continued to prosper. This included establishing several new graduate programs—including its first doctoral degree—and its inaugural appearance on *U.S. News* & *World Report's* list as one of the top 50 comprehensive public universities in the South. During this time, CSU also strengthened its relationship with Fort Benning, expanded its online degree offerings, added NCAA and club sports, and established the Honors College.

Since 2000, Columbus State has concluded two successful comprehensive fundraising campaigns. The "Investment in People" Campaign, which exceeded its \$67 million goal by nearly 50%, wrapped in 2005. In 2012, CSU's "First Choice" Campaign concluded after exceeding its \$100 million goal by 20% with the support of more than 8,000 alumni and community donors.

CSU experienced additional integration with the Columbus community in 2007 with its new RiverPark Campus near the banks of the Chattahoochee River in historic Uptown. Today, the urban campus includes much of the university's fine, performing and communication arts programs and facilities; is home to the College of the Arts, the College of Education & Health Professions and many of its outreach centers; and offers students learning, living and dining options in addition to those on Main Campus.

In recent years, CSU has broadened its creativity, innovation and efficiency in its academic, operational and outreach efforts. This includes an intentional focus on servant leadership as both an institutional core value and an academic discipline. This innovative spirit has led to new workforce development-focused degree programs and increased standings in many national educational ranking programs.

John M. Fuchko III, Ed.D. Interim President Columbus State University

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r. John M. Fuchko III began his tenure as Columbus State University's interim president on July 1, 2022. His higher education tenure has

spanned more than 15 years—all of which have been within the University System of Georgia and focused on auditing and operational roles. In his most recent role as vice chancellor for organizational effectiveness, he oversaw enterprise risk management, compliance and ethics, athletics oversight, strategic implementation, accreditation, and various other administrative functions. His other duties have included USG's chief audit officer and vice chancellor for internal audit, as well as various audit and compliance positions with the Board of Regents and with the State Department of Audits and Accounts.

Dr. Fuchko also serves as a colonel in the Georgia Army National Guard and commander of the 122nd Tactical Support Detachment. During his two decades of service, he has twice deployed to the Middle East, has commanded four times, and is a graduate of the Command and General Staff Operations Course. His awards include the Bronze Star Medal, Defense Meritorious Service Medal, and Meritorious Service Medal with four oak leaf clusters.

A Georgia native, Dr. Fuchko holds a bachelor's degree in political science from Kennesaw State University, an MBA from Georgia State University, a master of science in strategic intelligence from the National Intelligence University, a doctorate from education at The University of Georgia, and, most recently, a master's degree from the U.S. Army War College.

He is an active leader in his church, Epiphany Catholic Church in Cumming, Georgia. He currently is the vice chair for the Center for Family Resources and chair of the National Guard Association of Georgia's Finance Committee. He has served as president and/or chair of several nonprofits, include the 1,900-member Institute of Internal Auditors Atlanta Chapter.

Dr. Fuchko has been featured in the *Atlanta Business Chronicle* and regularly speaks on internal audit, governance and higher education topics. He is a 2018 graduate of Leadership Atlanta and a recipient of the "40 Under 40" recognition from both *Georgia Trend* and the *Atlanta Business Chronicle*.

He is married to the former Sherie Michelle Lipham of Canton, Georgia, and they are blessed with 12 toddler- to college-aged children.

Commencement Stage Party

John M. Fuchko III

Interim President

Pat McHenry

Interim Provost and Executive Vice President

Craig Burgess

General Counsel

Wanda Ebright

Dean, College of the Arts

Alan Karass

Dean of Libraries

Rocky Kettering

Vice President for University Advancement

Deborah Kidder

Dean, D. Abbott Turner College of Business

Todd Reeser

Director of Athletics

GwenDolyn Hargrove Ruff

Commencement Speaker

Rick Sears

Vice President for Business & Finance

Gina L. Sheeks

Vice President for Student Affairs

Stephanie Speer

University Registrar

Barbara Carlton Swift

Honorary Doctorate Candidate

Cindy Ticknor

Dean, Honors College

Twilya Toombs

President, CSU Alumni Association

Annice Yarber-Allen

Dean, College of Letters & Sciences

Margie Yates

Interim Dean, College of Education & Health Professions
Dean, Research & Graduate Studies

Commencement Marshals

Turner College of Business College of the Arts

Shamim Kahn, Professor and Chair, TSYS School of Computer Science

Assistant Marshals

Jasmine Bordere Associate Professor of Accounting & Finance

Hyeran Choi Assistant Professor of Marketing & Management Fady Mansour Assistant Professor of Accounting & Finance

Rodrigo Obando Associate Professor of Computer Science Youngrak Park Associate Professor of Communication

Victoria Warnet Assistant Professor of Music

College of Letters & Sciences

Stephanie da Silva, Professor of Psychology

Assistant Marshals

Samuel Abegaz Professor of Chemistry

Houbin Fang
Associate Professor of
Mathematics

Monica Frazier Professor and Chair, Department of Biology Kimberly Gill
Associate Professor and Chair,
Politics, Philosophy & Public
Administration
Interim Chair, Criminal
Justice & Sociology

Jaimie Gonzalez Lecturer and Lab Manager, Department of Chemistry

Troy Keller
Professor of
Environmental Science

College of Education & Health Professions

Ellen Martin, Professor of Kinesiology & Health Sciences

Assistant Marshals

Meshack Achore Assistant Professor of Public Health

Patricia Anafi Associate Professor of Public Health and MPH Program Coordinator

Gregory Blalock Associate Professor, Teacher Education, Leadership & Counseling Toni Franklin Associate Professor, Teacher Education, Leadership & Counseling

Marguerite Lawrence Assistant Professor of Nursing

> Christopher LeMieux Assistant Professor of Educational Leadership

Gwen Miller Associate Professor of Nursing

Erica Taylor Associate Dean of Health Professions

Rebecca Toland Assistant Professor of Health Science

GwenDolyn Hargrove Ruff, M.S.A. '88 Commencement Speaker

wenDolyn H. Ruff, SPHR, serves as Columbus Water Works' senior vice president for Administration and Community Outreach. With 40-plus years of human resources and public administration experience in public, private and government sectors, she provides direction and accountability for the successful implementation of long-term administrative



planning related processes, practices, policies and outcomes that help CWW maximize and achieve its community outreach goals. She leads the expansion of programs and activities in support of leadership development and succession planning and conducts research of best business practices as it applies to the water and wastewater industry.

In her role, she also initiates partnerships and community outreach programs on CWW's behalf and collaborates with its leadership team so those partnerships and programs effectively communicate a positive message as an industry leader to stakeholders, the public, and within the utility industry. In addition, she serves as senior advisor to the Human Resources department to support its proactive planning and to ensure its employee and organizational programs remain effective.

After 30 years of combined active duty and reserve duty in the U.S. Army in various senior leadership positions, she retired as a colonel in 2011.

She holds a bachelor's degree in biology from Mercer University, a master of science in administration with a focus on personnel administration from Columbus State University, and a master's of strategic studies from the U.S. Army War College. She is a 2005 graduate of the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill Water and Wastewater Leadership Center and holds the Senior Professional in Human Resources (SPHR) certification from the HR Certification Institute.

As a proud CSU alumna, Ms. Ruff serves her alma mater as a CSU Foundation trustee; a CSU Alumni Association director, and a CSU Black Alumni Council member. In addition, she is a board director, trustee or member of numerous civic and professional organizations at both the local and national levels, including the Lower Chattahoochee Workforce Development Board; The Columbus Museum; The Community Foundation of the Chattahoochee Valley; The Coalition for Sound Growth Steering Committee; the Pastoral Institute; the United Way of the Chattahoochee Valley; MidTown Inc.; Delta Sigma Theta Sorority Inc. (Columbus Alumnae Chapter); the Society for Human Resource Management (SHRM); the American Water Works Association; the Water Environment Federation; the Georgia Association of Water Professionals; and the Institute for Georgia Environmental. She is a 1999 graduate of Leadership Georgia and a 1992 graduate of Leadership Columbus.

Ms. Ruff is the proud mother of three adult children and five grandchildren.

Barbara Carlton Swift Honorary Doctorate of Humane Letters



arbara "Bobsie" C. Swift has been a Columbus State University benefactor for decades. She and her late husband, Clifford J. Swift III, have shown their support in a variety of ways by contributing to capital campaigns, Friends of Art, the Joyce & Henry Schwob School of Music, and the Bo Bartlett Center. Together, they also created an endowed scholarship for students studying string instruments, with priority given to students in the cello studio.

Mrs. Swift is ever-present at university events that feature Columbus State's talented musical and theatrical students. She is credited with collaborating with those in the Schwob School of Music to establish "Salon at Six" — a frequent musical performance designed to feature Schwob students and faculty.

The Swifts' extraordinary support of Columbus State over the years has sustained and strengthened the university, and their most recent gift will allow CSU to continue to excel. As a current member of the Schwob School of Music Board of Advisors, Mrs. Swift has proven herself to be a strong advocate of the school, as well as its faculty and students. To that end, in September 2021, she and Mr. Swift made a \$1 million gift to Columbus State to create the Barbara C. and Clifford J. Swift III Endowed Faculty Chair for the Director of the Schwob School of Music. This endowed chair will assure the school's ability to attract and retain a director of superior ability.

Outside of their charitable support of Columbus State, Mrs. Swift and her late husband have invested their resources, presence, leadership and ideas over the years to ensure the cultural and artistic enrichment of the Columbus area. Through their quiet philanthropy, they have supported Historic Columbus and the Columbus Museum so that future generations would learn from the traditions and history of the area. They have served in various leadership positions at St. Francis Hospital, the Junior League of Columbus, Columbus Bank and Trust, Trinity Episcopal Church, Good Shepherd Episcopal Church and St. Thomas Episcopal Church.

College of the Arts and

D. Abbott Turner College of Business 10:00 a.m.

Order of the Ceremony

Procession of Platform Party and Faculty

Pomp and Circumstance March

Presentation of the Colors

CSU ROTC "Cougar Battalion" Color Guard

The Star-Spangled Banner

Joyce & Henry Schwob School of Music

Welcome

Wanda Ebright, Dean, College of the Arts

Conferring of the Honorary Degree

Interim President John M. Fuchko III Barbara Carlton Swift

Introduction of the Speaker

Deborah Kidder, Dean, D. Abbott Turner College of Business

Commencement Address

GwenDolyn Hargrove Ruff, M.S.A. '88

Presentation of the Graduating Class

Pat McHenry, Interim Provost and Executive Vice President

Conferring of Degrees

Interim President Fuchko

Alumni Association Greeting

Twilya Toombs, M.Ed. '05

CSU Alma Mater

Joyce & Henry Schwob School of Music

Closing

Interim President Fuchko

Guests are asked to remain in place until all the graduates' names have been called. Guests will be directed to exit.

College of Letters and Sciences 1:00 p.m. Order of the Ceremony

Procession of Platform Party and Faculty

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Pomp and Circumstance March

Presentation of the Colors

CSU ROTC "Cougar Battalion" Color Guard

The Star-Spangled Banner

Joyce & Henry Schwob School of Music

Welcome

Annice Yarber-Allen, Dean

Introduction of the Speaker

Interim President John M. Fuchko III

Commencement Address

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College of Education and Health Professions 4:00 p.m. Order of the Ceremony

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Procession of Platform Party and Faculty

Pomp and Circumstance March

Presentation of the Colors

CSU ROTC "Cougar Battalion" Color Guard

The Star-Spangled Banner

Joyce & Henry Schwob School of Music

Welcome

Margie Yates, Interim Dean

Introduction of the Speaker

Interim President John M. Fuchko III

Commencement Address

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Music For The Ceremony

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Music for today's ceremony is provided by students from the Joyce & Henry Schwob School of Music in the College of the Arts.

Columbus State University Brass Quintet

Robert Murray: Coach and Musical Director Stephen Burden, Trumpet Anthony Cangemi, Trombone Ryan Dresen, Horn Jordan Johnson, Trombone Christopher Thomas, Trumpet

Processional

Pomp and Circumstance Edward Elgar (1857-1934)

National Anthem: The Star-Spangled Banner

Performed by Keyla Núnez

CSU Alma Mater

Keyla Núňez and CSU Brass Quintet

College of Education and Health Professions Doctorate of Education

Dissertation Titles

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Ginette E. Bartlett

A Qualitative Exploratory Case Study of Middle School Administrators', Counselors', and School-Wide Positive Behavior Interventions and Supports Team Leaders' Perceptions of School-Wide Positive Behavior Interventions and Supports

Chair: Dr. Christopher Garretson

Detrenyona Chester

The Effect of Social Stratification on College Students' Academic Performance and Progress

Chair: Dr. Parul Acharya

Jennifer Angela Hayes

A Case Study Exploring the Motivating Factors and Needs that Influence Older Adult Learners' Decisions to Enroll and Persist in One University System of Georgia eMajor Collaborative Program

Chair: Dr. Jennifer Lovelace

Tracy Crowder Mitchell

A Qualitative Investigation into the Academic Advisors' Perceptions of Best Advisement Practices

Chair: Dr. Jennifer Lovelace

Vicki Thrailkill Pheil

A Case Study of the Retention-Supporting Needs of Beginning Teachers in a West Central Georgia School System

Chair: Dr. Deirdre Greer

Karen A. Phillips

Administrators and Teachers' Perceptions of the Effectiveness of the PBIS Framework in Title I Elementary Schools in a Middle Georgia County

Chair: Dr. Robert Waller

Carrie Cooper Pierce

Relationships between and Student Perceptions of Self-Efficacy, Growth Mindset, and Mathematics Identity of Adolescents in a Rural South Georgia Charter School

Chair: Dr. Basil Conway

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College of Education and Health Professions Doctorate of Education

Dissertation Titles

Michael Phillip Poll

Exploring the Effectiveness of the Grizzly Success Program at Georgia Gwinnett

College: A Quantitative Study
Chair: Dr. Jennifer Lovelace

Valerie Edwards Richardson

The Impact of Transformational Leadership on Postsecondary Student Affairs Division Employee Job Satisfaction, Commitment, and Engagement

Chair: Dr. Parul Acharya **Amy Fenech Sandy**

A Mixed Methods Examination of the Relationship between Workload, Job Satisfactions, and Burnout on Faculty Quitting Intentions at Public, Associate Degree Granting Institutions in Georgia

Chair: Dr. Jennifer Brown

Stephanie RoShawn Lindstrom

Factors that Influence the Use of Culturally Relevant and Responsive Pedagogies for Elementary School Leaders

Chair: Dr. Christopher Garretson

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College of the Arts

Master of Education

Roxanne Gatian CusterTheatre EducationJoe Kevin DewTheatre EducationMegan Marie DickensTheatre EducationSarah Michelle FeketeTheatre EducationDeAnte' Antwuan HallTheatre EducationCharity E. HamiltonTheatre EducationRawlanda Ariel HerculesTheatre EducationKathleen Louise JenkinsTheatre EducationRosellyn Virginia MilesTheatre EducationJohn Joseph SykesTheatre Education
Larren Elizabeth WoodwardTheatre Education
Master of Music
Nickolas Stanley Biggs
Luis Gabriel Antonio Peña Figueroa

Turner College of Business

Master of Business Administration

Bianca Lynn Ashe	Business Administration
Katie Lynn White Durham	Business Administration
Nathan Tyler Hannan	Business Administration
Janescia L. Harvey	Business Administration
Bianca Lohbauer	Business Administration
Oasis Colleen Nichols	Business Administration
Autumn Sinclair Palmer	Business Administration
John Roach Pardue	Business Administration
Alvaro Isaias Regalado Pedrol	Business Administration
Sergio Andrés Rivera Herrera	Business Administration
Tyler James Shocrylas	Business Administration
Clara Isabel Vargas	Business Administration

Master of Science

Marnouche Atkinson	.Organizational Leadership
Tinora Natasha Bass	
Sravani Beemidi	
Andres Berber	.Organizational Leadership
Vamsi Krishna Bhagavathula	
Victoria Lanique Buchanan	
Jill R. Carroll	
Nickolas Dale Causey	
Jae Marie Cooper	
Ky'Ongela Marianne Wanice Feggins	
Chelsi Morgan Gladney	
Anthony Alan Gray Jr	
Jordan Jay Harner	
Charlie Burnett Hurdt	
Pierce Joseph Ippolito	
Yvette Ishimwe	
Mohammad Munzurul Islam	Applied Computer Science
La Verne Sydelle Jacobs	.Organizational Leadership
Kelley Suber Jones	.Organizational Leadership
Joshua Steven Kay	.Organizational Leadership
Michelle Shannon Kuralt	.Cybersecurity Management
Matthew Joseph Lahouchuc	
Allie Mae Manley	.Organizational Leadership
Samuel Adam Marshall	.Organizational Leadership
Camellia Elmira McCoy	
Sean Michael Meade	.Organizational Leadership
Christopher Michael Mescher	Applied Computer Science
Saya Seals Miley	
Nico Jay Moyer	.Organizational Leadership
Jenda S. Pettigrew	.Organizational Leadership
Bashitha Reddy Pullalarevu	
HimaBindu Rangineni	
Hector Manuel Reguero Jr	
Gwendolyn Porter Rivera	.Organizational Leadership

Turner College of Business

Julia Nicole RodriguezOrganizational LeadershipRobert Jason RomanskiApplied Computer ScienceCarolina Alves SantosApplied Computer SciencePatrick Lee ShanahanOrganizational LeadershipCindy Murray SpannOrganizational LeadershipKenecia Lanise StreeterApplied Computer ScienceJo Ann TaylorOrganizational LeadershipSindhu TumatiApplied Computer ScienceJoseph William TurmelOrganizational LeadershipDaniel D. WallaceOrganizational Leadership
Harika Yejju
Carolyn Zidor-Guerrier
Certificate
Andre Darnell Goodman

UNDERGRADUATE DEGREES

College of the Arts

Dengantin Hotaen Bankston Communication	
Cassandra Rose Barnett Communication	
William Donald Bradley III	
Angela McCray Campbell	
Brett Ashley Coleman	
Alizab P. Davis	
Aliyah R. Davis	
Gabrielle Dixon ² Communication	
Julia Claire Genung	
Kaitlyn Reid Glennen Communication	
Gavin Kieth Gourley ³ Music	
Mary Elizabeth Hardy	
Jachadrian Shykeon Hargrove Communication	
Javaris L. Harris	
Nelson Ellis Haskin	
Jinglei L. Horchler ³	
Nicholas Devon Howard	
Cassidi Cheyenne Jackson	
Michelle Renae Jennings Communication	
Jude Skylar Johnson ³	
Kizzy L. Keith Communication	
Angela Bolarin Kushanu	
Laniya Kiaja Lancaster	
Susan Renee Lawton ² Communication	
Mak Varis May ²	
Abigail Lynn McPhillips Communication	
Joshua Stark Mellman ²	
Desiree Danae Melson ²	
Samuel Aron Moreno ³ Communication	
Sarah Naomi Negron-Martinez 3	
Lissete Maite Ortega-Padilla ¹ Communication	
Malcolm Omari Revis Jr	
JaCorie Mandrell Rhaney	
MaxineRose Salas Sanchez ¹	
Kat Shafer-Fries ³	
La Jan Janiah Chaman	
Jaden Jamiah Sharper	
Eva Jane Smith	
Bevlenn Naomi Struve	
Logan S. Swaim ² Communication	
Stephen G. Szucs	
Logan Al-Leigh Wilkins Communication	
Jeremiah Ezekiel Winfield	
Bachelor of Fine Arts	
John Ryan-Harrison Atwell	
Mari Bogucki ² Theatre	
Olivia L. Etemadi ³	
Kathryn R. FleshmanArt	
Nathan Robert Kersey	

College of the Arts

Marshall Ransfield ¹	
Nicole Sue Lin Rocheteau ²	
Madison Kay Sloan ²	
Jessica Alexandra Speice ²	
Haley Nicole Thompson ²	
De'Sean Tucker	
Benjamin Franklin Weldon IV ³ Art	
Fern Marie Whitmire 1Art	
Bachelor of Music	
Luis Miguel De León Castillo	
Landon Edward Gaddis ¹	
Derek M. Hornberger ¹	
Rachel Marie Massey ³	
Hunter Quinlivan Mullen ³	
Sean Michael Powers ²	
Brandon Joel Tharp ² Music Éducation	
Bachelor of Science in Education	
Gina Marie Sutton ¹	
Jayla Arion Timmons ³	
Associate of Arts	
Charity Clark	
Bradley Erin Lloyd	
Jewel Elizabeth Patterson	
Audrey Noelle Pavik	
Nexus	
Brett Ashley Coleman	
Jinglei L. Horchler	
Melody M. Morris	
Catherine Negron ⁵	
Certificate	
Brett Ashley Coleman	
Joshua Nelson Hand Film Production	

UNDERGRADUATE DEGREES

Turner College of Business

Bachelor of Business Administration

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Valentina Abrile ³	
Lizbet Arana Adams	
Richard Nicholas Adams	
Tamara Desiree Allen ²	
Evan Elijah Amon	
Hannah Worth Anderson 1	
Craig Alexander Justin Apiag	
Justin I. Baker	. Management Information Systems
Antonia Marie Bearden	Finance
Kyla Glezerae Micu Bellinski	Finance
Tyler Jamohn Boynton-Richardson	
William Donald Bradley III	General Business
Dylan Keith Brendel	
Brandice Kierra Brown	
Cameron Alexis Brundidge ²	General Business
Chloe Ann Butler	
Colton W. Butterfield	
Aubrie Nichole Carroll	General Business
Adan Esiquio Clark ²	. Management Information Systems
Stedman Cordero Clay	General Business
Grant Jacob Conaway	
Kelleigh Aine Cram	General Business
Jasmine Isabel Cruz	General Business
Katie Frances Cummings 1	
William O. Daffin ³	General Business
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Candidates who have attained high scholastic achievement as evidenced by cumulative grade point averages are recognized at graduation by being designated as honor graduates. Academic honors announced at graduation are based on grade point averages calculated the semester prior to the graduation term. Honors reflected on the diploma and transcript will be determined by GPA calculation at the conclusion of the final semester.

Baccalaureate Degree

¹ Summa Cum Laude	3.8 - 4.0
² Magna Cum Laude	3.6 - 3.79
³ Cum Laude	3.4 - 3.59
Graduates in the baccalaureate degree program are be evidence of their achievement through medallions that significant the medallions and corresponding honor designations are:	0 0

Gold	Summa Cum Laude
Silver	Magna Cum Laude
<i>Bronze</i>	Cum Laude

Associate Degree

4	High Honors	.3.8 - 4.0
5	Honors	3.5 - 3.79

Honors College

Graduates wearing shoulder cords with the Honors College Seal have completed a rigorous curriculum that emphasizes interdisciplinary perspectives and undergraduate research. Each graduate has successfully defended a senior thesis reviewed by Honors faculty; studied abroad or completed a significant service project; and earned a bachelor's degree with the honors designation of cum laude, magna cum laude, or summa cum laude.

The Honors College graduates are:

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Servant Leadership

Blue and white cords indicate participation in the CSU's Servant Leadership Program. Students who participate in the program engage in academic study, experiential learning, self-awareness, modeling and mentoring centered on the philosophy of servant leadership.

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1999

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2006

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2007

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2008

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2009

Billy G. Turner

George C. Woodruff Fr.

2010

Ethel "Sally" Williams Foley James W. "Billy" Key

2011

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Vision

Columbus State University will be a model of empowerment through transformational learning experiences that prepare students to serve the world as creative problem-solvers and high-impact leaders.

Mission

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We empower people to contribute to the advancement of our local and global communities through an emphasis on excellence in teaching and research, lifelong learning, cultural enrichment, public-private partnerships, and service to others.

Core Values

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Excellence	Commitment to	best practices in	teaching and learning,
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scholarship and creative activity, student engagement, cultural

enrichment and campus environment.

Engagement Active civil participation by students, faculty and staff in the

university experience.

Creativity The pursuit of distinction through inquiry and innovation,

challenging convention and focusing on solutions.

Servant Leadership Effective, ethical leadership through empowerment and

service.

Inclusion Fostering and promoting a campus that embraces diverse

people, ideas, views, and practices.

Sustainability Commitment to behaviors that recognize and respect our

environmental context.

The History Of Academic Pageantry The Academic Regalia

In its essential features, the academic regalia worn at American college exercises had its beginning in the Middle Ages. The oldest universities of Northern Europe grew out of church schools, and both faculty and students were regarded as a part of the clergy. As their regular costume, they wore the clerical garb that was borrowed largely from the monastic dress of their day.

The academic gown and hood were apparently first regularly adopted by Cambridge University in 1284 and by Oxford University a little later. The custom was transplanted to this country in colonial times by King's College in New York (now Columbia University).

In 1875, American universities and colleges decided to standardize their academic styles and developed the intercollegiate code of academic costume, which follows the Cambridge tradition. The distinctive caps, gowns and hoods worn at present-day college and university functions denote the institution that granted the degree, the field of learning in which the degree was earned, and the level of the degree – bachelor, master, or doctorate.

The gown is usually of black material (serge or worsted for bachelors, the same or silk for master's, and silk for doctors). Bachelor's gowns have pointed sleeves; master's gowns have long, pouch-like sleeves that reputedly were once used to carry books, sandwiches, etc. Doctor's gowns are faced with panels of velvet down the front and three bars of velvet across each sleeve.

The cap is a square mortar-board in most American universities, and a round soft, flat velvet hat in British, Canadian, and some European universities. It bears a tassel, which may be colored according to the scholarly field of the wearer. Only the doctor's caps may be of velvet.

The hood, worn around the neck so as to hang down the back, is the principal emblem of the nature and source of the degree held. The colors in the hood lining are the colors of the college conferring the degree. The color of the border indicates the scholarly field of the college conferring the degree and the scholarly field of the wearer. Hoods may be worn only after the degree has been granted. Certain standard colors represent the disciplines.

The regalia of the president of Columbus State University, Dr. John Fuchko, III, represent the university colors of red, white and blue.

The color facing the hood, like the facing on the doctoral gown, indicates:

lilacdentistry
brownarchitecture, fine arts
pink music
orangeengineering
light brown business
lemon yellow library science
light blue education
peacock blue international affairs
apricot nursing

The University Mace And Presidential Medallion

The word "mace" is derived from the Latin word *mateola*, meaning mallet or staff. In the Middle Ages, these staffs, with a ball of steel or brass at one end, were used as weapons against armored warriors. As the weapons of war became more sophisticated, the mace evolved from an instrument of battle to a symbol of authority and power.

Universities in Europe adopted the mace as a symbol of authority and unity. This tradition has continued to the present day, and many institutions of higher learning use the mace in a ceremonial capacity.

The Columbus State University mace is constructed of rosewood, Bastogne walnut, and sterling silver. Commissioned by the Columbus State University Foundation, the university mace and the presidential medallion were first used in the inauguration of Frank D. Brown as the third president. Originally designed and constructed by Jamie Howard, professor of art at CSU, the mace and medallion are two symbols of the office of the president. The medallion, augmented in 2012 with a chain and bronze border reflective of the university seal, is worn by the president at commencement and other ceremonial occasions. The silver part of the medallion bears a representation of the tree of knowledge.

CSU Colors

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The official colors of Columbus State University are red, white and blue.

CSU Mascot

The Columbus State University mascot is the cougar.

CSU Motto

The motto of Columbus State University is *Primus Inter Pares*, Latin for "First Among Equals.

The Academic Procession

The academic procession is a descendant of European religious processions, which began to include teaching faculties in the Middle Ages, when universities were closely associated with the medieval church. The order used in today's procession evolved in this country as the importance of ceremony developed in American institutions of higher learning.

Leading the procession is the mace-bearer. In medieval times, the mace bearer literally used the mace to maintain order at official occasions. Today, the mace is symbolic of the authority of the president's office. The mace-bearers in today's ceremony are the college faculty marshals. They will escort the stage party consisting of the president, vice presidents, deans, commencement speakers and others. They will then lead the members of Columbus State University's faculty to their seats.

University Gonfalons

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The Columbus State University gonfalons, which are the distinctive college banners hanging from crosspieces on poles, were created as part of the university's 50th anniversary celebration.

Gonfaloni was originally the name given to local neighborhood meetings in medieval Florence. Each 'neighborhood' had its own flag and coat of arms, and the word gonfalon eventually became associated with the flag.

Universities and colleges around the world have adopted gonfalons to increase the ceremonial nature of commencement exercises. The top portion of each college's gonfalon is the designated color for each unit; white is the background color for each of the college's symbols, as well as one of the university's colors.

Honor Societies

Alpha Phi Sigma is the national honor society that recognizes scholastic excellence in the field of criminal justice sciences. Candidates who are members of this honor society can be identified through gold and blue cords, stoles, or medallions as a part of their academic regalia.

Alpha Psi Omega is the national honor society formed to recognize and promote excellence in the study and practice of theatre arts. Candidates who are members of this honor society can be identified through the blue and gold cords as a part of their academic regalia.

Beta Beta Beta is an honor and professional society for students of the biological sciences. Candidates who are members of this honor society can be identified through green and red cords and/or a medallion on a green ribbon as a part of their academic regalia.

Beta Gamma Sigma is the international honor society that recognizes scholastic excellence in collegiate schools of business accredited by AACSB International. Candidates who are members of this honor society can be identified through royal blue and gold cords, stoles, or medallions as a part of their academic regalia.

Chi Sigma Iota is the international honor society for counseling students, counselor educators and professionals. Candidates who are members of this honor society can be identified through white and blue honor cords or stoles as a part of their academic regalia.

Eta Sigma Gamma is the national honorary for the health education profession. Candidates who are members of this honor society can be identified through green and gold cords as a part of their academic regalia.

Kappa Delta Pi is the national honor society in education. Candidates who are members of this honor society can be identified through purple and green cords or medallions as a part of their academic regalia.

Lambda Pi Eta is the honor society of the National Communication Association. Candidates who are members of this honor society can be identified through the red and white honors double cords worn as a part of their academic regalia.

Phi Alpha Theta is the international honor society in history. Candidates who are members of this honor society can be identified through red satin sashes as a part of their academic regalia.

Honor Societies

Phi Beta Delta is an honor society that recognizes international study, service and research. Candidates who are members of this honor society can be identified through a bronze medallion worn on a yellow and blue ribbon as a part of their academic regalia.

Phi Kappa Phi is the national scholastic honor society organized to promote excellence in all academic disciplines. Candidates who are members of this honor society can be identified through blue and gold cords or a medallion on a blue ribbon as a part of their academic regalia.

Pi Alpha Alpha is the national honor society formed to recognize and promote excellence in the study and practice of public administration. Candidates who are members of this honor society can be identified through blue and gold cords or medallions as a part of their academic regalia.

Pi Kappa Lambda is the national music honor society. Comprised of faculty and students elected by their peers, the society is dedicated to excellence in musical and academic endeavors. Candidates who are members of this honor society can be identified through gold cords as a part of their academic regalia.

Pi Sigma Alpha is the national honor society for undergraduate and graduate students of political science. Candidates who are members of this honor society can be identified through red, white, and black cords as a part of their academic regalia.

Psi Chi is the national honor society in psychology. Candidates who are members of this honor society can be identified through gold double cords with blue and gold tassels as a part of their academic regalia.

Sigma Delta Pi is the national honor society formed to recognize and promote excellence in the study and practice of Spanish. Candidates who are members of this honor society can be identified through gold cords as a part of their academic regalia.

Sigma Tau Delta is the International English Honor Society. Candidates who are members of this honor society can be identified through black and red cords as a part of their academic regalia.

Sigma Theta Tau is the international honor society of nursing. Candidates who are members of this honor society can be identified through purple cords as a part of their academic regalia.

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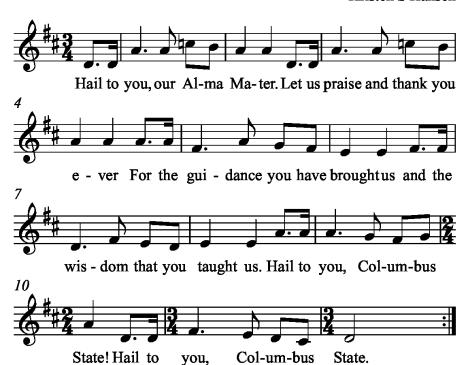
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