



2016
Commencement and
Investiture Ceremony of
President Daniel F. Mahony



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1887.

On the evening of Friday, June 17, public exercises of graduation were held in the Opera House. These consisted chiefly of essays by the Graduating Class, interspersed with singing by the School and music by an orchestra, and followed by presentation of diplomas and addresses by distinguished gentlemen present.

PROGRAMME.

Music.

Prayer.

Song—Happy peasants—Class.

Vocal exercises (with Class)—Miss Agnes R. McMaster.

Essay: The teacher an artist—Miss M. Elizabeth Muller.

Essay: School-room graces—Miss Kittie C. Bollinger.

Music.

Exercise in singing (with children)—Miss Minnie A. Marks.

Essay: Woman's work—Miss Frances R. Butler.

Essay: The backwoods' school—Miss M. Margaret Selby.

Music.

Reading: "Victoria's tears"—Miss Louise D. Senn.

Essay: "Then and now"—Miss Charlotte R. Burckmyer.

Song—Who will to the greenwood hie?

Presentation of Peabody Medals to Graded School Pupils.

Music.

Reading of annual Roll of Honor and annual attendance roll of Graded Schools—By John P. Thomas, Jr., Esq.

Report of Committee on Oral Examinations—Col. Jno. P. Thomas, Chairman.

Music.

Essay: "The Teacher's Ideal" and Valedictory—Miss Sarah Ida Knight.

Address to Class—Rev. N. M. Woods.

Presentation of Diplomas—By Gov. John Peter Richardson.

Benediction.

1887

The First Commencement

*Undergraduate Commencement
and Investiture of
Dr. Daniel F. Mahony
as 11th President*

May 7, 2016
10 a.m. and 3 p.m.
Winthrop Coliseum

"In celebration of our 130th academic year"

A Message from the President



Dear Graduate:

Congratulations on earning a Winthrop University degree! I commend you on this outstanding achievement.

You have mastered the challenges of academic rigor, civic engagement, global awareness, personal responsibility, and career development. You have met the demanding standards of your respective academic program. You have forged relationships with mentors in the classroom and in the community, and you have, undoubtedly, made friends for life. And I hope you have had a little fun along the way.

Through all of those experiences, you also have gained the confidence that comes with giving your best to achieve your dreams. That confidence will serve you well as you rise in your chosen career, pursue advanced studies, enter or re-enter the workforce, or simply explore a new direction for your life. I strongly believe you will stand out

as a leader in your community and your profession as a result of your experiences at this university.

Think of Winthrop as you set your future goals. Hold fast to your intellectual curiosity, your passion for achievement, and your sense of responsibility for self and for others. You honed those attributes as you worked and studied here; and, over time, you will continue to value this important association with your Alma Mater.

We are proud to call you one of our own and hope that you continue to rely on us throughout your life. We also hope you realize the ample opportunities to connect with your fellow alumni and to give back to Winthrop. Make the most of them. We need you as we plan for the university's future.

I am proud to celebrate this day of achievement with you. All who have had the good fortune to be a part of your experience here join me in wishing you the very best. We congratulate you for your determination and accomplishments.

With warm regards,

Daniel F. Mahony, Ph.D.
President

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Order of Exercise • 10 a.m.

Pre-Commencement Concert

Procession*

March Triomphale, *Hector Berlioz*

Pomp and Circumstance, *Edward Elgar*

Winthrop University Commencement Band, Dr. Douglas Presley, *Conductor*

National Anthem*

Audience, *Led by Mr. Jonathan Quinton Busch*

Presentation of Colors, City of Rock Hill Fire Department Honor Guard

Spirit of Celebration*

Dr. Cliff Calloway, *Faculty Marshal*

Welcome from the University and Introductions

Dr. Debra Boyd, *Provost and Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs*

Presidential Investiture

Ms. Kathy Bigham, *Chair of the Board of Trustees*

Address

Dr. Daniel Mahony, *President*

Presentation of Awards

President Mahony

President's Award for Academic Excellence

Outstanding Junior Professor

Distinguished Professor

Academic Degrees

Presentation of Undergraduate Candidates and Conferring of Degrees

Dr. Boyd

Dean David Wohl, *College of Visual and Performing Arts*

Dean Karen Kedrowski, *College of Arts and Sciences*

Welcome from Winthrop University Alumni Association

Dr. David McDonald '01, *President, Winthrop University Alumni Association*

Charge to the Graduates

President Mahony

Alma Mater*

Audience, *Led by Ms. Leianne Nicole Johnson*

**Audience is requested to stand and remain in place.*

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Remarks

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Address

Dr. Melody Tankersley, *Investiture Speaker*

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Academic Degrees and Special Recognition

Recognition of Completion of the Winthrop Think College Program, Dr. Boyd

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Dean Roger Weikle, *College of Business Administration*

Dean Jennie Rakestraw, *Richard W. Riley College of Education*

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Investiture Ceremony

The Investiture Ceremony is among the oldest of traditions in academia. With its origins in English universities, investiture comes from the Latin phrase for “dress in robe.” In the higher education realm, the term has come to mean one who will literally don the university’s insignia and regalia.

The investiture of a president is a ceremony of dignity and a seminal event in the life of a university. Since Winthrop’s founding in 1886, 16 individuals have led the institution. Dr. Daniel F. Mahony will be the eighth to have participated in a formal installation ceremony.

David Bancroft Johnson, Founder
1886-1928, President

James P. Kinard
1928-1934, President

Shelton J. Phelps
1934-1943, President

Mowat G. Fraser
1943-1944, Acting President

Henry R. Sims
1944-1959, President

Charles S. Davis
1959-1973, President

Charles B. Vail
1973-1982, President

Glenn Thomas
1982-1983, Interim President

Philip Lader
1983-1985, President

Marcus Newberry
1986, Interim President

Martha Kime Piper
1986-1988, President

Michael Smith
1988-1989, Acting President

Anthony J. DiGiorgio
1989-2013, President
2013-Present, President Emeritus

Jayne Comstock Williamson
2013-2014, President

Debra Boyd
2014-2015, Acting President



Dr. Daniel F. Mahony



Dr. Daniel F. Mahony became Winthrop University's 11th president on July 1, 2015. Prior to coming to Winthrop, he served for seven years as dean of the College of Education, Health, and Human Services and a professor of sport management at Kent State University in Ohio. This large college included 57 degree programs and approximately 5,400 students. During his time as dean, Dr. Mahony was instrumental in the development of the college's strategic plan and reorganization. Under his leadership, the college's total student enrollment and retention rates increased significantly; new faculty positions were allocated to growing programs; classroom technology upgrades were implemented; funding and support for research was increased; and emphasis on diversity and international initiatives was expanded.

Dr. Mahony also spent 13 years as a faculty member and administrator at the University of Louisville where his positions included sport administration program director, department chair, associate dean, assistant provost, and associate provost. In these roles, he had a variety of responsibilities including strategic planning,

student learning assessment, program review, budget management, and accreditation.

Prior to his faculty and administrative positions, Dr. Mahony worked in both public accounting and intercollegiate athletics. He earned a B.S. in accounting from Virginia Tech, an M.S. in sport management from West Virginia University, and a Ph.D. in sport management from The Ohio State University. He is an active researcher in the areas of sport consumer behavior and intercollegiate athletics and has published more than 60 articles in various refereed journals, several book chapters, and one book.

Originally from Clinton, New Jersey, Dr. Mahony has been married for more than 20 years to wife Laura, with whom he has two children, son Gavin and daughter Elena.

Investiture Speaker

Speaker



Dr. Melody Tankersley

Dr. Melody Tankersley '84, '86 is the senior associate provost and interim dean of graduate studies at Kent State University, located in Kent, Ohio. Kent State is Ohio's second-largest university and one of the nation's largest university systems. Serving more than 43,000 students from across the United States and more than 100 nations, Kent State is made up of a system of eight campuses across the northeast region of Ohio. Undergraduate students select from more than 300 majors and minors, and graduate students choose from more than 150 programs within the 10 colleges that make up Kent State University.

As senior associate provost, Dr. Tankersley provides leadership in all aspects of academics. She is responsible for assisting the provost in planning, directing, evaluating, and developing undergraduate and graduate academic programs, policies, and procedures. Specifically, she ensures the retention of an excellent and diverse faculty and student body and creates and implements academic policies and programs that promote student success. She oversees the implementation of the strategic plan for Academic Affairs and such divisions as Curriculum Services; Office of Accreditation, Assessment and Learning; Office of the University Registrar; Institutional Research; the School of Digital Sciences; and Kent State University Press.

As interim dean of graduate studies, Dr. Tankersley offers administrative and strategic direction to Kent State's Division of Graduate Studies. She also serves as the major advocate and spokesperson for graduate issues across the university, working to enhance graduate education from recruitment and enrollment to policy development and graduation.

Dr. Tankersley has been a faculty member and administrator in the College of Education, Health, and Human Services since 1993. A professor of special education, she earned her doctoral degree from the University of Virginia and a post-doctoral fellowship from the University of Kansas. A native of Pickens, South Carolina, she received both her master's and bachelor's degrees from Winthrop University.

She taught school in Lancaster, South Carolina, after completing her B.S. in special education at Winthrop. Her class of students with emotional and behavioral disorders was the first to be integrated into the high school setting. After completing her M.Ed. in special education at Winthrop, she taught at Alexander Children's Center (now known as Alexander Youth Network), a residential treatment program for children with severe emotional and behavioral disorders in Charlotte, North Carolina.

Her doctoral pursuits were built upon her Winthrop education. She specializes in the prevention and treatment of emotional and behavioral disorders of children and youth. She has published more than 100 professional books, chapters, and journal articles and addressed more than 200 national and international audiences regarding her area of expertise. She has secured more than \$2 million of funding for research and serves as co-editor of the top journal in her discipline, *The Journal of Behavioral Disorders*. Dr. Tankersley's work has been recognized internationally—most recently being awarded the James M. Kauffman Publication Award for a scholarly work that results in knowledge leading to exemplary practice.

Awards

Distinguished Professor Award



Scott Huffmon

Dr. Scott Huffmon is the 2016 Distinguished Professor of the Year. The designation is the highest honor the Winthrop community can bestow upon a faculty member.

Dr. Huffmon joined the Winthrop faculty in 2001 as an assistant professor of political science. He was promoted to associate professor in 2006, received tenure in 2007 and was promoted to professor in 2011. Dr. Huffmon was recognized as Winthrop's Outstanding Junior Professor in 2004.

Dr. Huffmon founded and serves as the director of the Social and Behavioral Research Laboratory since 2002. His direction of the Winthrop Poll, considered the most scientific and consistent measure of the opinions of South Carolinians specifically and Southern voters more generally, has earned him an international, national and regional reputation as the go-to expert on American, Southern and South Carolina politics.

During this presidential election cycle and with South Carolina's unique position as the "First in the South" primary, Winthrop has received significant media attention because of campus visits by 10 presidential candidates and Winthrop Poll findings. Dr. Huffmon's expertise, name recognition, hundreds of media interviews and polling data have catapulted Winthrop into the media spotlight on several occasions.

Outstanding Junior Professor



Kristen Abernathy

Dr. Kristen Abernathy, an assistant professor of mathematics, is the 2016 Outstanding Junior Professor. Her selection indicates a reputation for inspired teaching, research or creative excellence and dedication to the welfare of students.

Dr. Abernathy joined the Winthrop faculty in 2011. In her five years at the university, she has distinguished herself as an excellent teacher, which has been recognized at the regional level with her receiving the Mathematical Association of America (MAA) Southeastern Section's Beginning Teaching Award in 2015.

She also is an MAA Project NExT (New Experiences in Teaching) fellow, an undergraduate mentor for the National Alliance for Doctoral Studies in the Mathematical Sciences and student activities coordinator for the MAA Southeastern section.

She teaches a wide range of courses from introductory level and general education courses to advanced courses in undergraduate mathematical research. Her colleagues noted that she demonstrates maturity and professionalism in the classroom, and she constantly seeks to find new ways for students to better connect with mathematics. To help recruit students to Winthrop and to showcase the mathematics department, Dr. Abernathy was one of the organizers of the department's successful Sonia Kovalevsky Day, which is an outreach program designed to spark interest in mathematics in middle school girls.

Equally committed to student intellectual development outside of the classroom, Dr. Abernathy has mentored 14 undergraduate research projects, and she encourages students to attend regional and national mathematics conferences.

President's Award for Academic Excellence

This award is the highest academic award Winthrop University presents to a student. It is awarded to the student(s) with the highest grade point average in the graduating class.

Academic Regalia

The academic regalia worn in college and university ceremonies today have their origins in the Middle Ages. Monks and students wore them to keep warm in the medieval castles and halls in which they studied. From these practical beginnings, the traditional caps, gowns, and hoods have come to symbolize scholarly achievement.

Winthrop is authorized to grant the first two of the following three generally recognized degrees—the bachelor’s, master’s, and doctoral. The bachelor’s degree, the baccalaureate, takes its name directly from the medieval practice of “bachelors” wearing a garland of bayberries. Their gowns have a long pleated front, which may be worn either open or closed.

The master’s degree was equivalent to a license to teach and sometimes was followed by the phrase “Licentia Docendi.” The gowns for master’s degree candidates are similar to those of the bachelor’s, but a hood is added, bearing the colors of the institution conferring the degree. The doctor’s degree was originally a title of respect and recognition of great learning. Today, the doctorate indicates advanced study and independent research in a specialized field of learning. The gowns feature a broad, velvet panel down the front and three velvet bars on the full, round sleeves.

Members of the governing body of a college or university are entitled to wear doctoral gowns under the rules of protocol. Winthrop’s Board of Trustees and chief marshal wear robes designed specifically for the university.

Mortarboards or caps worn with baccalaureate and master’s gowns generally have black tassels. The tassel of the doctoral cap is usually made of gold bullion. The caps and gowns worn today by Winthrop students are environmentally friendly. The fabric is made from renewable, managed forests and the zippers from 100% recycled polymer.

Hoods

Hood colors were assigned to academic disciplines and standardized for the first time in the United States in the late 19th century. The colors chosen had traditional meanings and were determined by discipline. Green was selected for medicine because it is the color of healing herbs. Red was the traditional color of the church and was assigned to theology. Golden yellow signifies the wealth of knowledge which research has produced and therefore was given to science. Revisions were made to the code several times in the 20th century by the American Council on Education.

All hoods specify the type of discipline studied and the awarding institution. The following list explains hoods worn by graduate degree candidates at Winthrop University.

College of Visual and Performing Arts

- Master of Arts (M.A.) - White
- Master of Fine Arts (M.F.A.) - Brown
- Master of Music (M.M.) - Pink
- Master of Music Education (M.M.E.) - Pink

College of Arts and Sciences

- Master of Arts (M.A.) - White
- Master of Liberal Arts (M.L.A.) - White
- Master of Science (M.S.) - Gold
- Master of Social Work (M.S.W.) - Citron
- Specialist in School Psychology (S.S.P.) - Gold

College of Business Administration

- Master of Science (M.S.) - Drab
- Master of Business Administration (M.B.A.) - Drab

Richard W. Riley College of Education

- Master of Arts in Teaching (M.A.T.) - Light Blue
- Master of Education (M.Ed.) - Light Blue
- Master of Science (M.S.) - Light Blue

University Marshals and Key to Symbols

University Marshals

University Marshals are faculty nominated by the college deans and appointed by the provost to assist at all academic ceremonies. Student Marshals are invited to serve based on their outstanding academic performance.

University Marshals

Dr. Gary Stone (Chief), Dr. Shelley Hamill (Assistant Chief), Dr. Cliff Calloway, Dr. Kelly Costner, Dr. Steve Dannelly, Mr. Gerry Derksen, Dr. Chlotia Garrison, Mr. Mark Hamilton, Dr. Linda Pickett, Dr. Tom Polaski, Dr. Ginger Williams, Dr. Brad Witzel

Student Marshals

Ms. Jessica Brugh (Chief Marshal), Ms. Lily Carter (Assistant Chief Marshal), Ms. Rachel Broadway, Ms. Victoria Burdette, Mr. Luis Valle Burguete, Mr. Alex Corder, Ms. Madeline Diaz, Ms. Sarah Gulledge, Ms. Hannah Hopfensperger, Ms. Kristen Ashley Johnson, Ms. Genia Kennedy, Ms. Paige Kisker, Mr. Timothy McFall, Ms. Jessica McFarland, Ms. Kristen Melton, Ms. Haley Nash, Mr. Austin Parker, Mr. Davis Plasko, Ms. Hannah Doris Roof, Ms. Shaily Shah, Ms. Candace Silva, Ms. Emily Ruth Sparrow, Ms. Caroline Paige Sudduth, Mr. Michael Szeman

Commencement Readers

10 a.m. - Dr. Kristen Wunderlich, Dr. Jo Koster

3 p.m. - Dr. Melissa Carsten, Dr. Alice McLaine

Latin Honors

* In today's program, this symbol designates graduates who have achieved one of the following levels of academic performance. These students can be identified by their gold cord. The Latin phrases, once used at medieval universities, are still used to honor graduates today:

Summa Cum Laude

"with greatest praise," is awarded for cumulative averages from 3.9 to 4.0.

Magna Cum Laude

"with great praise," is awarded for cumulative averages from 3.75 to 3.89.

Cum Laude

"with praise," is awarded for cumulative averages from 3.5 to 3.74.

Honors Recognition

is awarded for a final average of 3.75 and a minimum of 48 quality hours at Winthrop University.

Honors Program

Honors Program Degree

is awarded for the completion of a service learning project and 23 hours of honors courses including an honors thesis and honors symposia with a cumulative average of at least a 3.30. These students can be identified by their garnet cord.

Honors Program Degree with International Experience

is awarded for the completion of a service learning project, 23 hours of honors courses including an honors thesis and honors symposia with a cumulative average of at least a 3.30 and an extended experience outside the United States in a learning environment. These students can be identified by their garnet cord.

Other cords and pins worn by graduates indicate their membership in academic honor societies and other organizations.

+ This symbol in today's program designates graduates of the Honors Program.

Important Note

The university commencement ceremony is a significant celebration recognizing years of study. As a reflection of the nature of the ceremony, please refrain from loud expressions of pleasure for individual graduates. Such expressions detract from the recognition due the next graduate in line. Photographs may be taken during the ceremony, but photographers are asked to remain in their seats to ensure that aisles and stairways are clear. The audience is requested to stand and remain at their places during both processions. As a courtesy to those around you and to our graduating students, please turn off all cellular devices during the ceremony.

Winthrop University

History



Winthrop University has been an educational leader in South Carolina for more than 125 years. In 1886, David Bancroft Johnson, a dedicated and gifted superintendent of schools, successfully petitioned Boston philanthropist Robert C. Winthrop and the Peabody Fund for seed money to form a school whose mission would be the education of women as teachers. As the “Winthrop Training School,” Johnson’s fledgling institution opened its doors to 21 students in Columbia, S.C., using a borrowed, one-room building. Because of its important role, Winthrop soon received state assistance and moved to its permanent Rock Hill home in 1895.

Over time, Winthrop became one of the premier women’s colleges in the region and expanded its mission to become a comprehensive institution offering degrees in a growing variety of disciplines. Responding to students’ increasing pursuit of higher education, the college reached other important milestones by integrating in 1964 and becoming coeducational in 1974. Winthrop assumed university designation in 1992 and has achieved national recognition in pursuit of its goal to be one of the finest comprehensive universities in the country.

Veritas
cum
Libertate

Motto

Winthrop’s motto, “Veritas cum Libertate,” or “Truth with Liberty,” was chosen by a faculty committee at the request of Winthrop President David Bancroft Johnson in 1899.

Seal and Chain of Office



The committee formed by President Johnson to suggest a school motto also designed the university seal. The illustration includes the motto as well as portions of the State of South Carolina seal. One image is dominated by a tall Palmetto tree, which represents the battle fought on June 28, 1776, between defenders of the unfinished fort on Sullivan’s Island, South Carolina, and the British Fleet. Banded together on the Palmetto with the motto “Quis separabit?” (“Who Will Separate [Us]?”), are 12 spears that represent the first 12 states of the Union. The other image of the seal depicts a woman walking along a shore littered with weapons. The woman, symbolizing Hope, grasps a branch of laurel as the sun rises behind her. Below her image is the word “SPES,” or “Hope.” On May 14, 1900, the faculty voted unanimously to accept the design still in use as the Winthrop seal.

The Chain of Office is symbolic of the authority vested in the office of president by the governing body of the university. Only the university president may wear it, and while wearing it, speaks for the whole body of the institution. Winthrop’s Chain of Office is made of bronze and features the university seal.



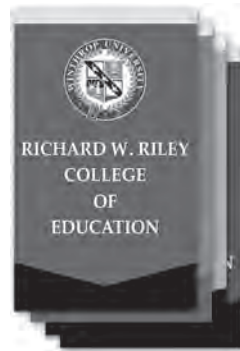
Coat of Arms

The Winthrop University Coat of Arms, adopted in 1980, incorporates a shield and helm, and the University motto, "Veritas cum Libertate," which originally appeared on Winthrop's seal. A diagonal blue line through the shield represents the blue uniforms that were worn at Winthrop until the 1950s. The garnet and gold represent traditional school colors.



The Mace

The first maces were weapon-like staffs used in ancient Rome to honor heroes and nobility. Maces were later used in the courts of England as symbols of authority. Today, maces are associated with the American judicial and legislative systems, as well as with colleges and universities. The Winthrop mace was designed, produced and engraved by Alfred Ward, art and design professor emeritus. It is made of silver with detailing of 22K gold overlay. The stem is crafted from an African hardwood.



Gonfalon

The gonfalon, a flag that hangs from a crosspiece or frame, originated in the medieval republics of Italy as an ensign of state or office. Gonfalons have been adopted in many universities around the world as college or institutional insignias.

The four gonfalons displayed represent the four academic colleges of Winthrop University: the College of Business Administration, the Richard W. Riley College of Education, the College of Visual and Performing Arts, and the College of Arts and Sciences. The garnet, navy and gold are the university's colors. Purple, green and blue complement the school's colors.



Ring

The official Winthrop University ring symbolizes pride and commitment and is a lasting memento of the wearer's Winthrop experience. The ring's design includes the crest portion of the university's seal and is framed at the top by the institution's name and its founding year at the bottom. Inside the ring, Winthrop's motto, "Veritas cum Libertate," is inscribed. It is customary for the ring to be turned with the crest facing outward at the conclusion of the Commencement ceremony.

Undergraduate Candidates for Degrees

College of Visual and Performing Arts • 10 a.m. Ceremony

David Wohl, Dean

The College of Visual and Performing Arts provides high quality arts instruction in a rich artistic environment that inspires students to achieve their academic and artistic goals. The college also provides the broader Winthrop community with a vast array of outstanding performances and art exhibitions annually.

The college was created in 1988 and awards the following undergraduate degrees: Bachelor of Arts in art, art education, art history, dance, dance education, music, theatre (performance, design/technology, musical theatre), and theatre education; Bachelor of Fine Arts in art (ceramics, general studio, jewelry/metals, painting, photography, printmaking and sculpture), visual communication design (graphic design and illustration), and interior design; Bachelor of Music (performance, composition), and Bachelor of Music Education (instrumental and choral). A Master of Arts in art education and arts administration; Master of Fine Arts in art and design; Master of Music (conducting and performance); and Master of Music Education degrees are offered at the graduate level.

Bachelor of Fine Arts

	*Althea Ketchum Holenko <i>Charleston</i>	Tatiana Earin Rice <i>Aiken</i>
*Dallas Ryan Austin <i>Greenville</i>	Alexis Lorraine Howard <i>Supply, N.C.</i>	*Nia Aloia Ricks <i>Lewisville, N.C.</i>
Dylan Robert Bannister <i>Sandy Springs</i>	Melanie April Jones <i>Simpsonville</i>	Sarah McCall Ruple <i>Lexington</i>
Lindsey Michelle Bargar <i>Spartanburg</i>	Caroline Ashley Kalayjian <i>North Augusta</i>	Ashley Victoria Scarborough <i>Hartsville</i>
Ariana Michelle Brown <i>Rock Hill</i>	Kaitlin Alyssa Larke <i>Greer</i>	Amy Lynn Schoch <i>McBain, Mich.</i>
*Chelsea Meilee Chao <i>Spartanburg</i>	Yaritza Xiomara Luna <i>Walhalla</i>	*Brandy Christine Scholl <i>Greenville</i>
Ah Young Cheong <i>Columbia</i>	Reagan Edward Martin <i>Rock Hill</i>	Passhunate Alexandria Scott <i>Columbia</i>
*Amy Lynn Ciravolo <i>Aiken</i>	Kyahdric Shaquan Moses <i>Florence</i>	Kathryn Francis Shaw <i>Columbia</i>
Connor Lindsay Clinch <i>Greenville</i>	Tung Son Nguyen <i>Hanoi, Vietnam</i>	*Amber Dawn Thompson <i>Clover</i>
Taylor Nichole Farrell <i>Chapin</i>	Abigail Hope O'Daniel <i>Greenville</i>	Katherine Alisse West <i>Greenville</i>
*Emily Rosemary Furr <i>Charleston</i>	Andréa J. Perkins <i>Sumter</i>	Sharon Denise (Elder) Willerding <i>Lexington</i>
Courtney Anna Guy <i>High Point, N.C.</i>	*Tara Lynette Phillips <i>Rock Hill</i>	

Undergraduate Candidates for Degrees

College of Visual and Performing Arts

Bachelor of Music

Kathryn Bernard
Rock Hill

*Hayden Charles Davenport
Fort Mill

*Matthew King Johnston
Lancaster

Aaron Conner Keith
Cheraw

Vanderbilt Alex Singleton
Columbia

Angel Lee Thomason
Sumter

Bachelor of Music Education

*Laura Mallory Berley
Aiken

*Jonathan Quinton Busch
Summerville

*Christian Michael Folk
Swansea

Nicholas Jay Glick
Gray Court

*John Andrew Goodale
Union

Thessalonía "T.J." Graham, Jr.
Loris

*Leianne Nicole Johnson
Gaston

*Emily Meghan Milford
Greenwood

*Lex Henry Nordlinger
Greenville

Necie Lenore Wolfe
Taylors

Bachelor of Arts

*Sara Elaine Bruce
Hilton Head Island

Danielle Sheray Cannon
Columbia

La'Rae Devaughan Carmichael
Florence

Aubree Ja'Nae Carter
Columbia

Patricia Nikole Credit
Fort Mill

*James Mason Diaz
Summerville

*Devon Layne DiFederico
Tampa, Fla.

*Kaila LeeAnn Dockal
York

Connor Davis Fernald
Columbia

*Shambria Brenee Figueroa
Gaffney

*Rodrick Steven Freitas
Jupiter, Fla.

Joseph Austin Fry
Jacksonville, N.C.

Mariah Inez Gibbs
Rock Hill

*Jasmine Bre'sha Gunter
Columbia

Justin Ezekiel Jones
Reidsville, N.C.

Taylor Nikole Kennedy
Lexington

*Lillian Riley Noël Ketcham
Florence

*Tyler Young Lewis
Chester

Jenna Anne Lilly
Myrtle Beach

Nicole Lyndria Love
Blythewood

*Bradie Jane Lowman
Batesburg-Leesville

Dashae Morris Middleton
Saint Helena Island

Mary Louise Mizell
Summerville

Mashario Sharae Morton
Due West

*Bridget Anne O'Connor
Quincy, Mass.

Elizabeth Nicole Oliver
Ruby

*Shivam Vishnuprasad Patel
Rock Hill

+*Jesse Joel Pritchard
Windsor, Canada

Sarah Luisa Rubinstien
Rock Hill

Jennifer Avbasco-Oyene Sainyo
Columbia

Mackinsey K. Shahan
Wilmington, Del.

Undergraduate Candidates for Degrees

College of Visual and Performing Arts

Bachelor of Arts *(continued)*

Michael Justin Squirewell
Winnsboro

*Kathryn Jean Thoma
Greenville

*Erica Ja-kí Truesdale
Van Wyck

Christen Wade
Rock Hill

Samantha Ashley White
Hollywood

Haley Denise Willis
Graniteville



Undergraduate Candidates for Degrees

College of Arts and Sciences • 10 a.m. Ceremony

Karen M. Kedrowski, Dean

The College of Arts and Sciences provides educational opportunities for students to gain knowledge, insights, and skills in order to grow more sensitive to the significance of the human heritage, to participate and contribute knowledgeably and effectively as citizens, and to lead rewarding, productive, and enriched lives in the contemporary world. Providing the liberal arts foundation for all Winthrop University students, the College of Arts and Sciences offers a broad spectrum of general education courses so students may be afforded the central core of knowledge enjoyed by well-educated citizens.

The college was created in 1967 and awards the following undergraduate degrees: Bachelor of Arts in English, environmental studies, history, individualized studies, mass communication, mathematics, modern languages, philosophy and religion, political science, psychology, and sociology; Bachelor of Science in biology, chemistry, environmental sciences, human nutrition, integrated marketing communication and mathematics; and Bachelor of Social Work degree. The College of Arts and Sciences also awards the following graduate degrees: Master of Liberal Arts; Master of Arts in English and history; Master of Social Work; Master of Science in biology, human nutrition, and school psychology; and Specialist degree in school psychology.

Bachelor of Social Work

	Cristina Margarita d'Erizans <i>Rock Hill</i>	Elissa Margaret Phillips <i>Blythewood</i>
*Lexi Denise Barnhill <i>Clover</i>	Robin Renee Daniels-Joyner <i>West Columbia</i>	Elle Maxine Plattenburger <i>Irmo</i>
Ashley Boulware Bizzell <i>Rock Hill</i>	Shanice Nicole Ellis <i>Cottageville</i>	Kimberly Greenwood Pope <i>York</i>
Tracy Elizabeth Marie Blackwell <i>Laurens</i>	Tiavon Shyam Falu <i>West Columbia</i>	+*Emily Nicole Rounds <i>Fountain Inn</i>
Snami Winnie Blamon <i>Monrovia, Liberia</i>	Shannon Louise Gooding <i>Clover</i>	Eva Winifred Schleicher <i>Bluffton</i>
Ellaina Gabrielle Boucino <i>New Britain, Conn.</i>	*Lauren Ashley Goodwin <i>Blythewood</i>	Miranda BreAnne Stevenson <i>Chester</i>
Stephanie Michelle Brewer <i>Moncks Corner</i>	Natalie Lynn Hyland <i>Fort Mill</i>	Monique Swaby <i>Duncan</i>
Jalisa Kelrita Byrd <i>Hartsville</i>	Teena Marie Jackson <i>Summerton</i>	Delilah Arielle Turner-Nix <i>Prosperity</i>
*Brittany Nicole Cannon <i>York</i>	Teresa Lynnett Kikelomo <i>Detroit, Mich.</i>	
Ashley Brianna Collins <i>Rock Hill</i>	Madeline Manfredi <i>Mahopac, N.Y.</i>	
Haley Michelle Cook <i>Fort Mill</i>	Maiesha LaShay McCruel <i>Chester</i>	

Bachelor of Science

Cayla Richelle Adams
Irmo

Adaeze Vivian Aninweze
Enugu, Nigeria

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Bachelor of Science (continued)

Dianna Bardis <i>Union</i>	Chelsea Suzanne Clark <i>Wellford</i>	Katja Adean Hall <i>Washington, D.C.</i>
*John William Barrera <i>Florence</i>	Stephanie Anne Colburn <i>Summerville</i>	Anita Patrese Harris <i>Lancaster</i>
Cameron Jamahl Benton <i>North Charleston</i>	Anne Christelle Clémence Courcelle <i>Montvilliers, France</i>	Shadelle Sade Herring-Goodson <i>Atlanta, Ga.</i>
Bria Tyesh Bethea <i>Columbia</i>	*Megan Marie David <i>Sylvania, Ohio</i>	Brandon Jimmy Hicks <i>Boiling Springs</i>
Molly McCall Bishop <i>Clover</i>	+James Robert Dean <i>Ladson</i>	Shannon Nicole Himes <i>Mount Pleasant</i>
Azure Da'Jailyn Bookman <i>Summerville</i>	Imani Sajae Ervins <i>Ashburn, Va.</i>	+*Kristin Marie Hinson <i>Van Wyck</i>
Maranda Rebecca Boyd <i>Goose Creek</i>	Esseabasi Sunday Etim <i>Columbia</i>	*Lisa Renee Howard <i>Lamar</i>
Brittnay Evelyn Brown <i>Greenville</i>	C. Matthew Farmer <i>Columbia</i>	*Han-Hua Hsu <i>Kaohsiung, Taiwan</i>
Kayla Diane Brown <i>Summerville</i>	Samantha Ricarda Farmer <i>Barrackville, W.Va.</i>	+*Lynnique Monnaé Johnson <i>Clover</i>
+Katlyn Nicole Brumley <i>Greenville</i>	Casey Nicole Finnell <i>Greenville</i>	Bria Geneé Jones <i>Baltimore, Md.</i>
Ingrid Maria Primina Sylvia Busvêtre <i>Rouen, France</i>	James David Ford <i>York</i>	Emily Elizabeth Jones <i>Greenville</i>
*Victoria Miranda Butler <i>Conway</i>	Danielle Victoria Gasparik <i>Sebastian, Fla.</i>	Arnaud Felix Henri Numa Julien <i>Le Vésinet, France</i>
Susan Bridge Carr <i>Hyannis, Mass.</i>	+*Shiannea Nicole Gathers <i>Eutawville</i>	*Nicole Kaminski <i>Cayce</i>
Hannah Elizabeth Cheesborough <i>North Charleston</i>	Laura Kay Gibbs <i>Florence</i>	Dallas Nicole King <i>Concord, N.C.</i>
+*Michael Y. Chen <i>Johnson City, Tenn.</i>	Roger R. Gonzalez <i>Miami, Fla.</i>	Anna-kay Dannyline Knight <i>Florence</i>
*Rebecca Victoria Chopko <i>Rock Hill</i>	Caroline Monroe Gooding <i>Simpsonville</i>	*Brittany Carolyn Langston <i>Clinton</i>
	*Victoria Lee Gray <i>Moncks Corner</i>	Kelly Marie LaRose <i>Blythewood</i>
	*Lauren Ashley Green <i>Conway</i>	*Lauren Amanda Lay <i>Fort Mill</i>

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Bachelor of Science (continued)

*Lauren Ashley Lintz <i>Florence</i>	Rachel Nicole Morris <i>Indian Land</i>	Jessica Maria Shealor <i>Mount Pleasant</i>
Jordi Lluch Casarramona <i>Mataró, Spain</i>	Brianna Danielle Moss <i>York</i>	Benjamin Travis Shelley <i>Georgetown</i>
+*Jessica Kate Logan <i>Knoxville, Tenn.</i>	*Ariba Naz <i>Fort Mill</i>	Tyler Michael Sherman <i>Boca Raton, Fla.</i>
Alesha Marie Love <i>Elgin</i>	Thao Mai Nguyen <i>Taylors</i>	*Symone M. Smalls <i>Goose Creek</i>
Tamber Jelecia Manigault <i>Huger</i>	Antoine Niezborala <i>Montpellier, France</i>	*Bridgette Southern Smith <i>Hartsville</i>
+*Olivia Maia Manley <i>Rock Hill</i>	+*Kaitlyn Michelle O'Brien <i>Easley</i>	Maya Davitra Smith <i>Beaufort</i>
Achille Herve Marchet <i>Reims, France</i>	Rashell Lynn O'Neal <i>Simpsonville</i>	Yvvey Albertrice Smith <i>Darlington</i>
*Tyler Manning Marthers <i>Cassatt</i>	Owolabi Chukwuemeka Oguntimehin <i>Lagos, Nigeria</i>	+*Kathryn Victoria Steverson <i>Summerville</i>
*Jeanna Rebekah Martin <i>Walhalla</i>	+*Steven James Patrick <i>Knoxville, Tenn.</i>	*Amelia Florence Stockman <i>Greenwood</i>
+Zachary Cheyenne Masters <i>Easley</i>	*Alexandria Imani Pinnix <i>Jacksonville, Fla.</i>	Sarah Ashley Thatcher <i>Aiken</i>
Jenéah Nicole McBride <i>Buffalo, N.Y.</i>	*Courtney Lynn Porfilio <i>Myrtle Beach</i>	Danielle Lee Thibault <i>Lexington</i>
*Brianna Rose Milks <i>Plainville, Mass.</i>	+*Cecilia Anne Ralyea <i>Rock Hill</i>	*Alex Nicole Thomson <i>Blythewood</i>
*Lauren Brittany Miller <i>Summerville</i>	+*Kristin Ava Ramirez <i>Waxhaw, N.C.</i>	+Brooke M. Tracy <i>Grayslake, Ill.</i>
Charles Derick Mills, Jr. <i>Moncks Corner</i>	+*Katherine Michelle Rhoden <i>Aiken</i>	Nicole Langley Turbeville <i>Lake City</i>
Morgan Leigh Mohr <i>Fort Mill</i>	Ashley Rose Ricciardi <i>Peachtree City, Ga.</i>	Morgan Taylor Turnow <i>Curtice, Ohio</i>
Charles Tyree Moore <i>Columbia</i>	Kyle Austin Rine <i>Greensboro, N.C.</i>	Konmeng Vue <i>Rock Hill</i>
Tanece Nicole Moore <i>Aiken</i>	Erica June Robertson <i>Lancaster</i>	O'Jayron Sanchez White <i>Anderson</i>

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(continued)

+*Ashley Shaneé Williams
Columbia

*Brittini Nia-Joyce Woodland
Baltimore, Md.

*Deanna Joy Worley
Easley

Mathilde Céline Marie Xavier
Maisons-Laffitte, France

Amber Briana Young
Graniteville

+*Jessica Marie Zinna
Lexington

Alexandra Helen Barnett
Monroe, N.C.

Mitchell Garrison Barnette
Inman

Mackenzie Rae Beaucage
Fort Mill

Kamry S. Bell
Winnsboro

*Michaela Margaret Bishop
Summerville

Katelyn Renee' Blackwell
Summerville

*Kayla Rae Blanc
Summerville

*Alyssa Renata Bonner
Clover

Dontrell Quaye Brailsford
Dalzell

Tamsyn Alain Doane Brasier
Columbia

Robert Callaway Breakfield
Rock Hill

Fabian Johannes Broich
Rommerskirchen, Germany

Larry Brown, Jr.
Red Springs, N.C.

Lucas Dillon Bryant
Walhalla

Benjamin John Buchanan
Fort Mill

Andrew Morrison Burger
Saint Louis, Mo.

+*Rachel Elizabeth Burns
Columbia

Thomas Eugene Calamia III
Simpsonville

Sara Marisa Campanelli
Montreal, Canada

Clayton Elliott Campbell
Chapin

Bryant Timothy Cannon
Blythewood

Sara Lynn Carlstrom
Walhalla

*Amber Christine Clark
York

Taylor Brooke Coleman
Charleston

Aarin Donte Cooper
Florence

Ayana Mikala Crawford
Lexington

Austin Tyler Cross
Fort Mill

Robin Renee Daniels-Joyner
West Columbia

*Jocelyn Blair Davey
Bonneau

Steven Lee Davidson
Fort Mill

Chassidy Miyana Davis
Irmo

Cara Isabella DiRisio
Columbia

Hannah Kathryn Dockery
Travelers Rest

KiSha DeQendria ShaCole
Donaldson
Anderson

Bachelor of Arts

Christopher Thomas Adams
Clover

Margaret Marie Adams
Ladson

Marquise Jamal Adams
Greenwood

*Courtney Nichole Adkins
Thomson, Ga.

Samuel Adams Alexander
North Augusta

Aaron Keith Allen
North Charleston

Stephen Harrison Ateca
Aiken

Kara Ann Balarezo
Miami, Fla.

Aaron Joseph Ball
Simpsonville

Shakora Vanae Bamberg
Denmark

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College of Arts and Sciences

Bachelor of Arts (continued)

Dillon Demetrius Donolds <i>Florence</i>	+*Leigh Olivia Fransen <i>Pineville, N.C.</i>	*Emily Crystal Hokett <i>Mullins</i>
Michaela Ellen Dunbar <i>Batesburg</i>	Deborah Bertice Frasier <i>Charleston</i>	James Ferrell Raistlin Holland <i>Easley</i>
*Annalise Elaine Eberhard <i>Aiken</i>	Andrew Guy Gates <i>Irmo</i>	Adrienne Miranda Houston <i>Chester</i>
Kyle Wesley Edwards <i>Westminster</i>	Heather Katlyn Gay <i>Lancaster</i>	+*Krysten Ann Hudson <i>Rock Hill</i>
Raymond Eric Edwards-DaRosa <i>Bridgeport, Conn.</i>	*Zharné Channelle Glover <i>Fort Mill</i>	Dylan Reese Hunt <i>Summerville</i>
Danielle Elizabeth Ellis <i>Annapolis, Md.</i>	Cynthia Renee Gordon <i>Boiling Springs</i>	Shelby Lenoir Hyatt <i>Lake Wylie</i>
*Casey Thomas Espich <i>Florence, Ky.</i>	*Amber Elizabeth Grant <i>Chester</i>	Lydia McCullough Johnson <i>Blackstock</i>
Rachael Elizabeth Estes <i>Rock Hill</i>	+*Marissa Carey Grant <i>Rock Hill</i>	Patrick Alexander Kay <i>Smithfield, N.C.</i>
Alexis Marie Evans <i>Charleston</i>	Zachary Brian Grieger <i>Charleston</i>	Megan Elizabeth Kelley <i>Coral Springs, Fla.</i>
*Katelyn Marie Evans <i>Lugoff</i>	Emily Elena Grom <i>Charlotte, N.C.</i>	Dyshay Aliyah Kilpatrick <i>Charlotte, N.C.</i>
Ian Robert Fagan <i>Greenwood</i>	Mary Margaret Guilbault <i>Anderson</i>	*Rachel Nicole King <i>Florence</i>
Joseph Hampton Ferguson <i>Cleveland, Ohio</i>	Rachael Rose Hadden <i>Spartanburg</i>	Samuel Eric Kmiec <i>Middletown, Del.</i>
Tanner Clayton Finney <i>Anderson</i>	*Jacob Timothy Hallex <i>Charleston</i>	+*Cody Terrence Knight <i>Blacksburg</i>
Emily Katharine Fitzgerald <i>Boiling Springs</i>	Joie Renee Harrison <i>Summerville</i>	Paul Joseph Laffredo III <i>Richburg</i>
Kimberly Brianna Foster <i>Columbia</i>	Luceil Best Harrison <i>Mount Pleasant</i>	*Desiree D'Alise LaFreniere <i>Greenville</i>
Kevin LaPatrick Fowler, Jr. <i>Spartanburg</i>	Anna-Marie Hayward <i>Columbia</i>	Caroline Leigh Lankford <i>York</i>
	Laurie Elizabeth Hilburn <i>Greenville</i>	
	Craig David Hodge <i>York</i>	

Undergraduate Candidates for Degrees

College of Arts and Sciences

Bachelor of Arts

(continued)

Ismail Omar Shabazz Lee <i>Columbia</i>	McKenzie Taylor Miller <i>York</i>	*Malyn Victoria Pope <i>Columbia</i>
*Kirstie Elizabeth Lorentz <i>Williamston</i>	Jacob Brian Moan <i>Hartsville</i>	James Zachary Price <i>Cleveland, Ohio</i>
Brandon Christopher Lounsbury <i>Tega Cay</i>	Marguerite Louise Montanye <i>Reisterstown, Md.</i>	*Ashley N. Proctor <i>Clover</i>
Kimberly Joanna Mack <i>Lexington</i>	Michael Hunter Munding <i>Columbia</i>	Brittany Jean Rauch <i>Summerville</i>
Rachael Elaine Malone <i>Greenville</i>	Mackenzie Garrett Munn <i>Florence</i>	Rachel Irene Reed <i>Rock Hill</i>
Laura Justina Mason <i>Sumter</i>	Risa Marie Murray <i>Woodstown, N.J.</i>	Mari Rachel Reeves <i>Lexington</i>
Simone Mercedes Mayers <i>Columbia</i>	Keith Zvikomborero Mushonga <i>Marondera, Zimbabwe</i>	+*Connor Renfro <i>Columbia</i>
*Jordan Alexis McCoy <i>West Columbia</i>	Andrea Templeton Myers <i>Laurens</i>	*Carolyn Nicole Rennix <i>Beaufort</i>
Elizabeth Carolina Delaney McDonald <i>Lancaster</i>	Tanner Joseph Nestle <i>Milwaukee, Wis.</i>	+*Zane Matthew Repp <i>Murrells Inlet</i>
Tiana Rochelle Latrice McGee <i>Columbia</i>	Cameron Eric Norris <i>Taylors</i>	+*Cathyleen Olivia Rice <i>Garnett</i>
*Andrew Paul McIver <i>Blythewood</i>	Charles Michael Owens, Jr. <i>Dillon</i>	William Daniel Richard <i>Conestee</i>
Elizabeth Heaven McKnight <i>Greenville</i>	Tabitha Kamille Owens <i>Columbia</i>	+Corey Leighton Riley <i>Barnwell</i>
Megan Sarah McLean <i>Greer</i>	*Hillary Kaye Palmore <i>Greenwood</i>	Debra Nicole Riley <i>Columbia</i>
Jessica Janai' McMillan <i>Darlington</i>	Michelle Perez <i>Clover</i>	+*Caroline Mary Roark <i>Clemson</i>
Deiondra ShaKayla McMorris <i>Greenville</i>	+*Jesse Howard Perl <i>Myrtle Beach</i>	Brunson Corey Robins <i>Gilbert</i>
*Jakeem Autrel McNeil <i>Johns Island</i>	Sarah Jessica Pickus <i>Murrells Inlet</i>	Mieyah Symon'e Rogers <i>Columbia</i>
*Lauren Michelle Miller <i>Darlington</i>	*Danielle Kristen Platt <i>Florence</i>	+*Emily Nicole Rounds <i>Fountain Inn</i>
	Imani Bertell Poole <i>Darlington</i>	*Abigail Elaine Roush <i>Richmond, Va.</i>

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College of Arts and Sciences

Bachelor of Arts

(continued)

*Joyana Noël Rudd <i>Winston Salem, N.C.</i>	Ashleigh Nicole Stallworth <i>Greenwood</i>	Holly Jade Webb <i>Rock Hill</i>
Jonathan William Saldeen <i>Columbia</i>	Kelsi Danielle Starks <i>Columbia</i>	Bethany Lynn Wells <i>York</i>
Rachel Logan Sample <i>Columbia</i>	Hannah Louise Strong <i>Pawleys Island</i>	Jace Kameron Whitley <i>Locust, N.C.</i>
Jessica Breanne Sampson <i>Florence</i>	Amber Laine Stroud <i>Rock Hill</i>	Jacob Christopher Whitmire <i>Dacusville</i>
Hakeem Hanny Samra <i>Simpsonville</i>	+*Skyler Ashlyn Teal <i>Chesterfield</i>	+*Sara Elizabeth Parnell Wilcox <i>Rock Hill</i>
*Christopher Aaron Sandlin <i>Westminster</i>	+*Sara Grace Tennant <i>Fort Mill</i>	Aalayah Marchette Williams <i>Charleston</i>
Abigail Kay Santulli <i>Lawrenceville, Ga.</i>	Angela-Faith Catherine Thomas <i>Simpsonville</i>	Veronica Marie Williams <i>Rock Hill</i>
Eva Winifred Schleicher <i>Bluffton</i>	Crystal Alexis Thomison <i>Summerville</i>	Sherri Lynn Wilson <i>Rock Hill</i>
*Briana Morgan Schoen <i>Cheraw</i>	Taylor Elizabeth Toves <i>Columbia</i>	*Chrystal Ann Winzenried <i>Myrtle Beach</i>
Taniyah Nychelle' Scott <i>Irvington, N.J.</i>	Linh My Tran <i>Boiling Springs</i>	Gerald Christian Withers <i>Rock Hill</i>
Connie Rook Shen <i>Greenville</i>	*Rachel Dara Trueblood <i>Boiling Springs</i>	Garrett Lynn Woolf <i>Tulia, Texas</i>
Kelsey Brooke Short <i>Lancaster</i>	Marie Rose Tumaniec <i>Fort Mill</i>	Timothy Blake Wooten <i>Winnsboro</i>
Laura Vanessa Simpson <i>Charlotte, N.C.</i>	Callie Marie Tyner <i>Hartsville</i>	McKenzie Elizabeth Workman <i>Clinton</i>
Melissa Mary Snodgrass <i>Tega Cay</i>	Carolyn Velez <i>York</i>	
Marissa Amber-Chàe Southard <i>York</i>	Joseph Edward Vick <i>Myrtle Beach</i>	
David Yates Spearman <i>Greenwood</i>	Tammy Michelle Walls <i>Rock Hill</i>	
	Asa Stanley Walvoort <i>Moneta, Va.</i>	

Undergraduate Candidates for Degrees

College of Business Administration • 3 p.m. Ceremony

Roger D. Weikle, Dean

The College of Business Administration's mission is to prepare students in a learning-oriented environment, through effective teaching, scholarship and service, with the professional and leadership skills necessary for positions in the global marketplace, while fostering life-long learning and service to the external community.

The college was created in 1968 and awards the following undergraduate degrees: Bachelor of Science in business administration with concentrations in accounting, computer information systems, economics, entrepreneurship, finance, financial planning, general business, health care management, human resource management, international business, management, marketing, and sustainable business; Bachelor of Science in computer science; Bachelor of Arts in economics and Bachelor of Science in digital information design. The College of Business Administration offers two Master of Business Administration degrees. The first is a general program with a concentration in international business, finance, human resource management, marketing, or strategic leadership. The second is a M.B.A. Accounting degree.

Bachelor of Science

Emillie April Rose Benka <i>San Jose, Calif.</i>	Jamalica Khadica Cathcart <i>Rock Hill</i>
Oluwatobi Olasubomi Abel <i>Lagos, Nigeria</i>	Charles Michael Catoe II <i>Lancaster</i>
Monica Aguado <i>Madrid, Spain</i>	*Yang Chen <i>Yancheng, China</i>
Mohammad Hussain Alkhuraidah <i>Saihat, Saudi Arabia</i>	Seth Riley Cooke <i>Rock Hill</i>
Marcus William Allen <i>Columbia</i>	Sha'Ron Clayton Cooper <i>Mullins</i>
Mohanad Faisal Alotaibi <i>Riyadh, Saudi Arabia</i>	*Keyatta Zhane' Crowell <i>Columbia</i>
*Alexis Karin Badyna <i>Egg Harbor Township, N.J.</i>	*Manshu Dai <i>Taizhou, China</i>
Carol Thomas Bagwell <i>Rock Hill</i>	Charles Zachary Davis <i>Charlotte, N.C.</i>
Ronnie Robert Baker, Jr. <i>Hartsville</i>	Karlie Elizabeth Davis <i>Rock Hill</i>
Tanner Kevin Baker <i>Rock Hill</i>	Derricka Alaina Deas <i>Summerville</i>
Patrick Joel Barnes <i>Halifax, Canada</i>	Adrienne Khaniya Drake <i>Columbia</i>
Sophia LaNette Barnes <i>Rock Hill</i>	Jeffrey Michael Castaldo <i>York</i>

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Bachelor of Science (continued)

Destiny LaBrady Drummond <i>Greenville</i>	Sale' Mone' Holmes <i>Beaufort</i>	Trayshaun L. Lipscomb <i>Pacolet</i>
+Christian Lucas Eisenstein <i>Summerville</i>	*Zhitian Huang <i>Suzhou, China</i>	Huangning Lu <i>Shanghai, China</i>
Esseabasi Sunday Etim <i>Columbia</i>	William Andrew Jackson, Jr. <i>Beaufort</i>	Qincheng Lu <i>Changzhou, China</i>
*Kevin Eduardo Ferreira da Silva <i>Parma, Italy</i>	Daniel Justin James <i>Fort Mill</i>	Alexander Ensminger Lukens <i>Atlanta, Ga.</i>
Octavia Nicole Fletcher <i>Columbia</i>	Marcus Tyler Jamison <i>York</i>	*Xiaochen Ma <i>Xuzhou, China</i>
Shannon Marie Gallagher <i>Silver Spring, Md.</i>	Dominque Shanice Jenkins <i>Orangeburg</i>	Erial Nicole Maple <i>Columbia</i>
Hollie Michelle Garrett <i>Holly Hill</i>	Shaquille Jaquan Jenkins <i>Bishopville</i>	Zachary Baylen Martof <i>Lake Wylie</i>
Tanesha Katrell-Jenell German <i>Georgetown</i>	Yuqiu Jiang <i>Nantong, China</i>	Breyanah Shantrelle McNeal <i>York</i>
Khadijah Nycole Gillians <i>Moncks Corner</i>	Zhen Jiang <i>Nantong, China</i>	Tammy Ann McTaggart <i>York</i>
+*Anna-Kay Patrice Green- Woolcock <i>Kingston, Jamaica</i>	Shengjia Kan <i>Nantong, China</i>	*Michelle Maria Mendez <i>Rock Hill</i>
Billy Don Greene III <i>Beaufort</i>	Mohammed Jamal Kashkari <i>Jeddah, Saudi Arabia</i>	Christopher James Miller <i>Raleigh, N.C.</i>
*Martin Ethan Hanner <i>Saint Matthews</i>	*Kyle Eoin Kennedy <i>Dublin, Ireland</i>	Dana Elaine Moore <i>Bennettsville</i>
Michael Howard Hanners <i>Greenville</i>	Steven Khalil <i>Greenville</i>	Claudette Chappell Moseley <i>Sumter</i>
Jessica Jeanquelle Harris <i>Charlotte, N.C.</i>	Lauren Ludell Leaks <i>Hopkins</i>	Courtney Sha'Rica Mungo <i>Rembert</i>
Michael Oscar Harris, Jr. <i>Knoxville, Tenn.</i>	LeeQuan Montré Lee <i>Union</i>	Brittany Lashawn Neely <i>Rock Hill</i>
Ramazan Abdulla Heyni <i>Saruchawa, Iraq</i>	Symone Janay Lee <i>Charleston</i>	Meheret Yohannes Negash <i>Irmo</i>
	*Qiuqi Li <i>Changshu, China</i>	Jacob Tyler Noah <i>Great Falls</i>
	Kevin William Lifsey <i>Rock Hill</i>	

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College of Business Administration

Bachelor of Science (continued)

Schaquilla M. Nunn
Fayetteville, Ga.

*James Donovan O'Brien
Chagrin Falls, Ohio

Kent N. Obieze
Rock Hill

Micheal Chidera Oguntimehin
Lagos, Nigeria

Charlee Breana Payne
Columbia

Latavia Nekiell Pearson
Manning

Cody Nathaniel Poole
Enoree

James Daniel Prioleau
Columbia

Joseph Henry Quiminer
Rock Hill

Halimat Tofiq Rahman
Erbil, Iraq

*Holly E. Rankin
Rock Hill

Jacob Thomas Ratier
Barrington, R.I.

Peter Resch, Jr.
Fort Mill

Katilyn Re Faye Reynolds
Clover

Amanda Erin Rhoten
Greenville

Scott Evan Richardson
Prosperity

Jann Margaret Robinson
Clover

Kelsey Annette Rodgers
Kannapolis, N.C.

Kimberly Nicole Ryder
Fort Mill

Nathanael Thomas Schmidt
Annapolis, Md.

Avery Mario Scott, Jr.
Jacksonville, Fla.

Christian Blane Sease
Mount Pleasant

*Brandon Lee Sewell
Greenville

*Laura Grace Simpson
Greenville

Janae Simone Smalls
Saint Stephen

Andrew Bennett Smith
Gilbert

Erika Nichole Smith
Florence

Justin Patrick Smith
Lexington

*Megan Marie Smith
Cebu City, Philippines

*Yuzhi Song
Nantong, China

Travis John Steinacher
Beaufort

Jacob Bailey Sullivan, Jr.
Simpsonville

Yuxiang Sun
Zhang Jia Gang, China

Christopher Alan Taylor
Long Island, N.Y.

Tanisha Monique Terrell
Columbia

James Gregg Thomasson II
York

Frederick Adam Thompson
Blacksburg

*Kathleen Paige Thompson
Clover

Lakevion Rakeal Thompson
Laurens

William Arthur Timmerman, Jr.
Valparaiso, Ind.

Corey Christian Tinkler
Rock Hill

Robert Ellis Vereen
Greer

*Andrea Vestmann
Reykjavik, Iceland

Mark Thomas Vickery
Anderson

Zonchance Vue
Rock Hill

David Matthew Walker
Orange Park, Fla.

*Yixin Wang
Huaian, China

Lantz Cleveland Weaver
Camden

*Noah William Weber
Fort Mill

Adam Michael Wenger
Greenville

Christopher White, Jr.
Cayce

Ian Richard Wright
Columbia

Undergraduate Candidates for Degrees

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Bachelor of Science *(continued)*

Xiaoxiong Wuzhang
Nantong, China

Joshua Brian Yannotti
Rock Hill

*Yao Yao
Huaian, China

Miosha Alisé York
Columbia

*Lin Zhang
Nanjing, China

*Ruiqi Zhang
Suzhou, China

*Qingyan Zhu
Wuxi, China

*Biying Zhuge
Suzhou, China

+*Anna Rebecca Eckenrode
Aiken

*Krista Alexandra Frowein
Leonardtown, Md.

Jordi Lluch Casarromona
Mataró, Spain

*Eduardo Guimaraes Minuci
Franca, Brazil

*Abigail Elaine Roush
Richmond, Va.

Bachelor of Arts

Jo-Marie Crews
Fort Mill



The Little Chapel served as Winthrop's first classroom when David Bancroft Johnson founded the school in 1886.

Undergraduate Candidates for Degrees

Richard W. Riley College of Education • 3 p.m. Ceremony

Jennie F. Rakestraw, Dean

The Richard W. Riley College of Education is dedicated to the highest ideals of teaching, scholarship and service for the purpose of preparing professionals who are committed to the betterment of society through a lifelong quest for excellence in leadership, stewardship, collaboration and innovation. Through the Jim and Sue Rex Institute for Educational Renewal and Partnerships, the College of Education maintains a strong school Partnership Network to support P-12 school renewal and a clinical approach to educator preparation.

Winthrop was founded in 1886 as a teacher preparatory school. The College of Education began in 1968 and was renamed the Richard W. Riley College of Education in 2000. The college offers the following undergraduate degrees: Bachelor of Science in athletic training, early childhood education, elementary education, exercise science, family and consumer sciences, middle level education, physical education, special education, and sport management. A Master of Arts in Teaching; Master of Science in sport and fitness administration; Master of Education in counseling and development, curriculum and instruction, educational leadership, middle level education, literacy, and special education are offered at the graduate level.

Winthrop Think College Completion

Barbara Krystyna Oley
Fort Mill

Sara Lynn Oxenfeld
Fort Mill

Kevin Daniel Rauppiss
Rock Hill

Bachelor of Science

Katie Lynn Acton
Lexington

Stephanie Rose Adams
Fort Lawn

Angela Renee Adamson
Camden

*Katelyn Nash Aiken
Chapin

*Charleen Jo Beth Allen
Lancaster

Katie Roseann Arevalo
Rock Hill

Tyler Macklin Asbill
Lexington

Kayla Grace Bakker
Tega Cay

Robert Harrison Barber
Mount Pleasant

Mary Kaitlin Barbero
Fairfax Station, Va.

Jaleesa Sade Bethea
Lake View

Molly Loray Blum
Simpsonville

Madison Hazel Boatwright
West Columbia

Clayton Andrew Boone
Lancaster

*Dylan Mackenzie Brennand-McClemont
Fonthill, Canada

James Jeffrey Brewer
Rock Hill

Kimberlee Latrice Brooks
Sumter

+*Dori Elizabeth Brown
Irmo

*David Wayne Bryant
Charlotte, N.C.

Noah Scot Bucy
Fort Mill

*Brittany Lauren Bullard
Camden

*Jakayla C. Campbell
Charleston

*Ashley Renée Causey
Canal Point, Fla.

Daniel Xavier Charles
Blythewood

Kaylie Marie Claire
Mauldin

Ryan Scott Clemence
Albany, Ga.

Caroline Nicole Cody
Rock Hill

Dylan James Colletti
Hebron, Conn.

Undergraduate Candidates for Degrees

Richard W. Riley College of Education

Bachelor of Science *(continued)*

Katherine Emilie Conover <i>North Charleston</i>	Jesse Nicole Filyaw-Hiu <i>Carlisle, Pa.</i>	Kevin Terrell Kennedy <i>Winnsboro</i>
Madison Leigh Cooley <i>Pickens</i>	*Paige Reneé Finney <i>Irmo</i>	Raniqua Angelica King <i>Lexington</i>
Eboni Brooke Copeland <i>Irmo</i>	*Jessica Morgan Ford <i>Summerville</i>	Travis Allan Knotts <i>York</i>
Katelyn Teresa Corley <i>Lugoff</i>	Amber Hénri Gadsden <i>North Charleston</i>	Hayley Marie Krause <i>Forest Hill, Md.</i>
Colby Aaron Coulter <i>Mount Juliet, Tenn.</i>	*Kaylin Genna Gragg <i>Irmo</i>	Alexis Nicole Kroah <i>Massillon, Ohio</i>
Emily Layne Craft <i>Moore</i>	Caitlyn Sloan Greene <i>Rock Hill</i>	Jessica Maria Law <i>Fort Mill</i>
Haley Patricia Craft <i>Greenville</i>	Brett Benjamin Hagan <i>Fort Mill</i>	Quintessia Angalik Lightner <i>Rock Hill</i>
Zanaiya La'trice Craig <i>Chester</i>	Emily Elizabeth Hart <i>Columbia</i>	Joseph Maxwell Long <i>York</i>
*George Logan Daughtry <i>Fort Mill</i>	Whitney Alexis Helton <i>Florence</i>	*Adam K. Luke <i>Summerville</i>
+*Christine Patrice Davenport <i>Fort Mill</i>	*Melanie Alyssa Hicks <i>Rock Hill</i>	*Jessica Nettles Luke <i>Summerville</i>
Amy Carol Davis <i>Mount Pleasant</i>	*Heather Marie Hobbs <i>Irmo</i>	Jocelyn Reneé Mack <i>Charleston</i>
Lauren Elizabeth Dooley <i>Columbia</i>	Bradlee Scott Holeman <i>Fort Mill</i>	Nikita S. Maigur <i>Scranton, Pa.</i>
Annie Elizabeth Dover <i>Blacksburg</i>	*Jacqueline Nicole Homyk <i>Beaufort</i>	Lauren Rebecca Mangum <i>Charleston</i>
*Courtney Ederer-Shelton <i>Greenville</i>	Mary Hannah Howie <i>Indian Land</i>	Marvonne Antonesa Marston <i>Ladson</i>
*Hjördis Eiríksdóttir <i>Gardabaer, Iceland</i>	Jarvais Javon Jackson <i>Sumter</i>	Autumn Rose Mathis <i>Pickens</i>
Elizabeth Clare Farrell <i>West Point, N.Y.</i>	Brandon Kyle Jacobs <i>Chester</i>	*Kathryn Charlotte McCann <i>Orangeburg</i>
Kaylen Marie Fickes <i>Rock Hill</i>	Walker Evan Johnson <i>Tega Cay</i>	*Logan Jeanne McCarthy <i>Annapolis, Md.</i>
	*Caitlin Marie Kennedy <i>Summerville</i>	

Undergraduate Candidates for Degrees

Richard W. Riley College of Education

Bachelor of Science (continued)

	Sydney Diann Phillips <i>Kershaw</i>	Laura Elizabeth Smith <i>Rock Hill</i>
Lesleigh Nicole McDaniel <i>Columbia</i>	*Alicia Kathleen Poore <i>Blythewood</i>	Brittney Nichole Spears <i>Greenville</i>
*Kathryn Roland McGee <i>Greenwood</i>	Erica Deanne Portman <i>Kershaw</i>	*Regan Elizabeth Stegall <i>Rock Hill</i>
Brandon Thomas McKellar <i>Ninety Six</i>	Aniysa Raiford <i>Columbia</i>	Nathalie Joi Stewart <i>Cayce</i>
*Hannah Elizabeth McMillan <i>Dillon</i>	Liana Elizabeth Ramirez <i>Rock Hill</i>	Anna Elisabeth Stillinger <i>Edgefield</i>
Brittany Jasmine McTier <i>Columbia</i>	William Frank Reeves <i>Rock Hill</i>	Savannah Lee Sweatman <i>Mount Pleasant</i>
Britton Michelle Middleton <i>Seneca</i>	Lacey Michelle Rippy <i>Blacksburg</i>	Sabrina May Swick <i>Wedgefield</i>
*Alexis Taylor Miller <i>Beaufort</i>	*Erin Casey Roberts <i>Kershaw</i>	Blake Justin Taylor <i>Columbia</i>
Autumn Marie Morris <i>Rock Hill</i>	Sherry Diane Roof <i>Lancaster</i>	Brandon Nicolas Taylor <i>Camden</i>
*Justine Erendira Mummert <i>Fort Mill</i>	Steven Keith Ross, Jr. <i>West Columbia</i>	Octavius Jerel Thompson <i>Rock Hill</i>
*Nadia Ziad Naja <i>Haymarket, Va.</i>	Alexis Jean Rowland <i>Hanahan</i>	Ashley Breanne Tillman <i>Lancaster</i>
Beverly Jade Nobles <i>Conway</i>	Alexander Thomas Ruppert <i>Bluffton</i>	*Kimberly Nicole Tisdell <i>Simpsonville</i>
*Matthew Kyle O'Brien <i>Easley</i>	Sarah Elizabeth Sarvis <i>Loris</i>	Kaitlyn Elizabeth Tompkins <i>Rock Hill</i>
Coryn Noel Owens <i>Greer</i>	Katherine Charlene Schaade <i>North Augusta</i>	Ashley Carol Trimnal <i>Rock Hill</i>
Audrey Elizabeth Parra <i>Fort Mill</i>	Hannah Wells Simmons <i>Rock Hill</i>	*Kristin Rebecca Turner <i>Edgefield</i>
*Faith Marie Patterson <i>Summerville</i>	*Sandra Allison Sims <i>Walhalla</i>	Erin Pendergraph Tweed <i>Fort Mill</i>
*Tyler Alexander Pennypacker <i>Westminster, Md.</i>	*Sheryl Marshandra Small <i>Winnsboro</i>	*Haylee Morgan Utter <i>Roebuck</i>
*Rahsaan Niri Perry, Jr. <i>Columbia</i>	Rebekah Mishal Smart <i>Union</i>	Zoe Amber Walsh <i>Greenville</i>

Undergraduate Candidates for Degrees

Richard W. Riley College of Education

Bachelor of Science *(continued)*

*Lauren Olivia Watson
Lancaster

*Sarah Noel Webb
York

Kalie Nicole Wehunt
Lexington

+*Karey Renee Wengert
Easley

Jennifer LeAnn West
Aiken

*Elizabeth Marie Whitaker
Pickens

Albert Thomas Williams
Rock Hill

Brenae Denyel Williams
Columbia

Chelsea Leigh Williams
Hartsville

Hannah Elizabeth Williams
Summerville

Candice Leigh Young
Columbia

Haley Brock Zuehlke
North Augusta



Every effort has been made to list correctly the candidates for degrees. Please note, however, that the listings are prepared for program purposes and do not constitute official records.

Honor Societies



Phi Kappa Phi

Founded in 1897 at the University of Maine, Phi Kappa Phi is the nation's oldest, largest and most selective all-discipline honor society. In order to be a member, juniors must have completed at least 72 credit hours and rank scholastically in the top 7.5 percent and seniors must rank in the top 10 percent. Since its founding, more than 1,000,000 scholars have been inducted into Phi Kappa Phi's 285 chapters in the United States, Puerto Rico and the Philippines.



Beta Gamma Sigma

Beta Gamma Sigma is the highest recognition a business student anywhere in the world can receive in an undergraduate or master's program at a school accredited by the American Assembly of Collegiate Schools of Business. To be eligible for membership, a student must rank in the upper 7 percent of the junior class or upper 10 percent of the senior class. Founded in 1907 at the University of Wisconsin, there are more than 495,000 initiates from 389 chapters.



Kappa Delta Pi

Kappa Delta Pi is an international honor society in education, which is dedicated to scholarship and excellence in the field. Founded in 1911 at the University of Illinois, Kappa Delta Pi has more than 60,000 members in 550 chapters throughout the world. In order to become a member, a student must be in final-term sophomore standing with a grade point ratio of 3.25 and at least 12 semester hours in education courses.



Omicron Delta Kappa

The Omicron Delta Kappa society is the national leadership honor society for college students, faculty, staff, administrators and alumni that recognizes and encourages superior scholarship, leadership and exemplary character. Founded December 3, 1914, at Washington and Lee University, Lexington, Virginia, by 15 student and faculty leaders, Omicron Delta Kappa has more than 218,000 members.



Alpha Lambda Delta

Alpha Lambda Delta is a national society that honors academic excellence during a student's first year at college. Founded in 1924 at the University of Illinois, Alpha Lambda Delta has more than 230 chapters across the United States and has initiated more than 650,000 students. Students must have been registered for a full course of study leading to a bachelor's degree and must have received a cumulative grade point average of 3.5 or higher during their first semester of college.



Book and Key

Membership in the Book and Key Society is open to seniors majoring in a liberal arts discipline. The Winthrop chapter was founded in 1936 and has admission criteria similar to those of the Phi Beta Society, including a grade point ratio at least 3.5 and satisfactory course work in mathematics and foreign language.

Graduating Members of Honor Societies

Phi Kappa Phi

Scholarship

Katelyn Nash Aiken
Leigh Olivia Fransén
Lauren Ashley Goodwin
Amber Elizabeth Grant
Emily Crystal Hokett
Krysten Ann Hudson
Andrew Paul McIver
Lex Henry Nordlinger
Steven James Patrick
Katherine Michelle Rhoden
Malyn Victoria Pope
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Amelia Florence Stockman
Skyler Ashlyn Teal
Sara Grace Tennant
Karey Renee Wengert
Deanna Joy Worley

Beta Gamma Sigma

Business Administration

Marcus Tyler Jamison

Kappa Delta Pi

Education

Charleen Jo Beth Allen
Brittany Lauren Bullard
Kaylie Marie Claire
Kaila LeeAnn Dockal
Emily Elizabeth Hart
Nikita S. Maigur
Kathryn Roland McGee
Hannah Elizabeth McMillan
Alexis Taylor Miller
Sydney Diann Phillips
Erin Casey Roberts
Savannah Lee Sweatman
Lauren Olivia Watson
Necie Lenore Wolfe

Omicron Delta Kappa

Scholarship and Leadership

John William Barrera
Kamry S. Bell
Ebony Brooke Copeland
Mariah Inez Gibbs
Amber Elizabeth Grant
Martin Ethan Hanner

Laurie Elizabeth Hilburn
Tyler Young Lewis
Olivia Maia Manley
Hannah Elizabeth McMillan
Ashley Shanee' Williams
Necie Lenore Wolfe
Brittini Nia-Joyce Woodland

Alpha Lambda Delta

Scholarship

Courtney Nichole Adkins
Charleen Jo Beth Allen
Lexi Denise Barnhill
John William Barrera
Kimberlee Latrice Brooks
Sara Marisa Campanelli
Michael Y. Chen
Rebecca Victoria Chopko
Amy Lynn Ciravolo
Ebony Brooke Copeland
Jo-Marie Crews
Keyatta Zhane' Crowell
Christine Patrice Davenport
Katelyn Marie Evans
Jessica Morgan Ford
Shiannea Nicole Gathers
Lauren Ashley Goodwin
Emily Crystal Hokett
Jessica Kate Logan
Joseph Maxwell Long
Alesha Marie Love
Jeanna Rebekah Martin
Keith Zvikomborero Mushonga
Lex Henry Nordlinger
Steven James Patrick
Charlee Breana Payne
Rahsaan Niri Perry, Jr.
Sarah Jessica Pickus
Danielle Kristen Platt
Cecilia Anne Ralyea
Emily Nicole Rounds
Joyana Noel Rudd
Briana Morgan Schoen
Kathryn Victoria Steverson
Amelia Florence Stockman
Angela-Faith Catherine Thomas
Carolyn Velez
Konmeng Vue
David Matthew Walker

Book and Key

Scholarship

Courtney Nichole Adkins
John William Barrera

Kayla Rae Blanc
Lucas Dillon Bryant
Rachel Elizabeth Burns
Michael Y. Chen
Rebecca Victoria Chopko
Amber Christine Clark
Jocelyn Blair Davey
Megan Marie David
Annalise Elaine Eberhard
Casey Thomas Espich
Ian Robert Fagan
Shiannea Nicole Gathers
Marissa Carey Grant
Lauren Ashley Green
Mary Margaret Guilbault
Laurie Elizabeth Hilburn
Emily Crystal Hokett
Krysten Ann Hudson
Lynniqne Monnae Johnson
Nicole Kaminski
Rachel Nicole King
Lauren Amanda Lay
Lauren Ashley Lintz
Jordi Lluch Casarramona
Jessica Kate Logan
Kirstie Elizabeth Lorentz
Olivia Maia Manley
Andrew Paul McIver
Brianna Rose Milks
Lauren Brittany Miller
Ariba Naz
Steven James Patrick
Malyn Victoria Pope
Cecilia Anne Ralyea
Connor Renfroe
Zane Matthew Repp
Caroline Mary Roark
Emily Nicole Rounds
Abigail Elaine Roush
Joyana Noel Rudd
Briana Morgan Schoen
Symone M. Smalls
Kathryn Victoria Steverson
Amelia Florence Stockman
Skyler Ashlyn Teal
Sara Grace Tennant
Angela-Faith Catherine Thomas
Alex Nicole Thomson
Linh My Tran
Sara Elizabeth Parnell Wilcox
Ashley Shanee' Williams
Chrystal Ann Winzenried
Deanna Joy Worley
Jessica Marie Zinna

Go Gold for Life

Winthrop's Go Gold for Life campaign provides students the opportunity to make a lasting impact on their alma mater. Each year the Student Alumni Council educates the student body on the importance of supporting Winthrop with annual giving. Funds raised through the campaign support the Winthrop Fund or are earmarked for any campus fund. Gifts to the Winthrop Fund support the most urgent needs and provide scholarships, faculty awards and support for the Alumni Association.

Go Gold for Life is a tradition that begins as a student that we hope will continue as you become Winthrop alumni. Your gifts will ensure that Winthrop continues to provide a top-notch education and excellent student experience for many generations to come. Thank you for your support!

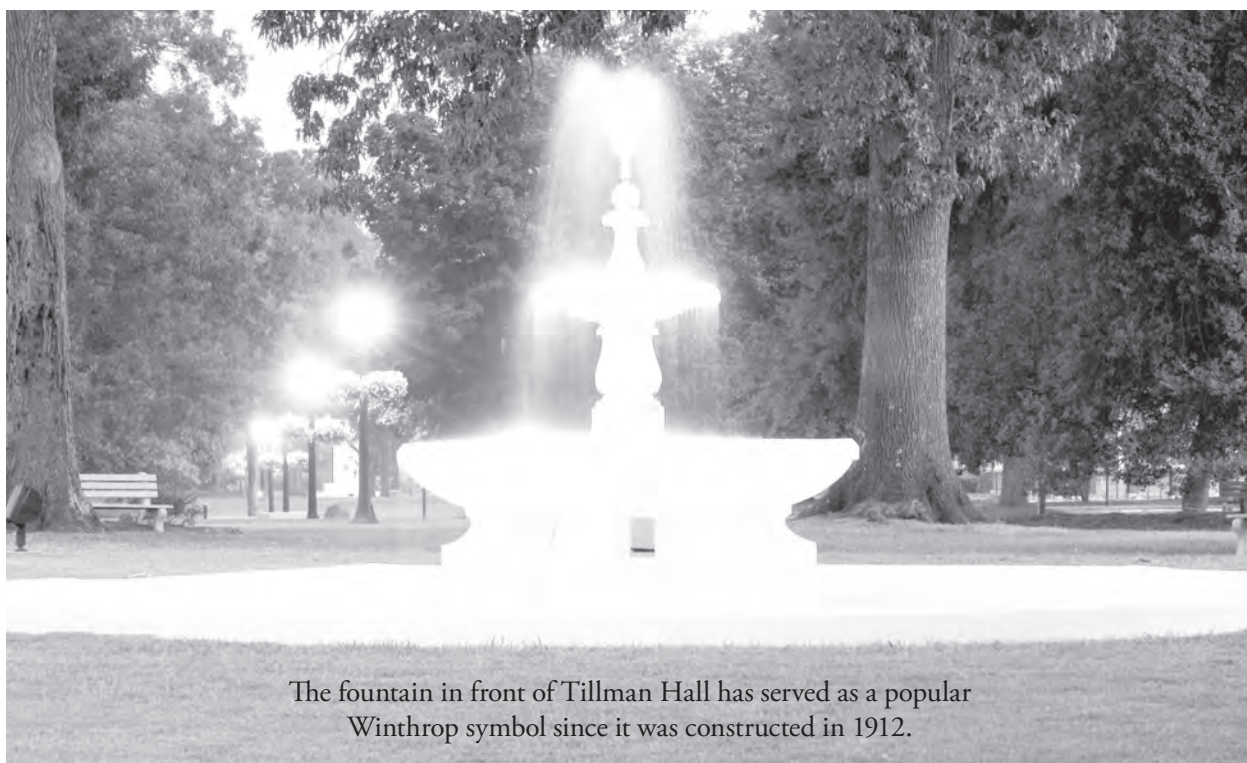
If you haven't had the opportunity to make your Go Gold for Life class gift, please visit winthrop.edu/give to participate!

Go Gold for Life Pledges and Gifts

Ronnie Baker
Brett Best
Alyssa Blevins
Ryan Brooks
Raven Brown
Sha'Ron Cooper
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Tyree Mathis
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Holley Nash
Ashley Nix
Alexander Nowlin
Kaylee Oliver
Mallin Olson
LaVerne Page

Sumukh Pathak
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Laura Simpson
Jamal Tate
Xavier Thomas
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Candice Young



The fountain in front of Tillman Hall has served as a popular Winthrop symbol since it was constructed in 1912.

Alumni Association

Dr. David D. McDonald '01



As President of the Winthrop Alumni Association, it is my honor to be among the first to congratulate you as both a Winthrop graduate and a new member of our Alumni Association. I know that you take great pride in the accomplishment you have earned today—a Winthrop University degree.

I know that you have worked hard to achieve this incredible goal and with the degree you have earned, you will go far. Use the knowledge, skills, and experiences at Winthrop to have an impact on your lifelong learning opportunities. Continue to dedicate yourself to acquiring knowledge and opportunity.

As you leave Winthrop as a student, your role changes as you become a representative of our university in your professional life, in the communities you serve, and in all that you achieve. Your dedication, achievement, and concern for our world are excellent measures of the knowledge you have obtained during your time here. Please dedicate yourself to continuing the mission of our university into the world and continue to bring honor and distinction to yourselves and to our beloved Winthrop University.

I am thrilled to welcome you as a new member of our Alumni Association. Ours is an organization that is diverse, supportive, and interested in the success of all alumni. I encourage you to be an active member, support Winthrop, and help continue the Winthrop experience for others.

As you transition to a new part of your life, I encourage you to continue to share your Winthrop experience through all of the events your life will bring, encourage others to support Winthrop, and continue to enjoy success. Continue to be a proud Eagle bold and strong!

Sincerely,



Dr. David D. McDonald '01
President, Winthrop University Alumni Association

For more information about the Alumni Association, call 803/323-2145 or visit www.winthropalumni.com.

Career Services for Alumni

The Center for Career and Civic Engagement offers continuing support to alumni. Making career decisions is a life-long process. The staff offers professional assistance with the entire job search process including resume preparation, interviewing skills, networking techniques and coaching. Alumni considering a career change, or interested in post graduate experience, should contact Career and Civic Engagement for assistance.

Career and Civic Engagement and the Alumni Association invite you to join the Alumni Professional Network, which is a group of alumni who have graciously volunteered to share their expertise and insight about their careers with students and alumni. Involvement in the Alumni Professional Network can include providing career advice to individual students, participating on career panels, referring students to other contacts in your industry, and/or providing an opportunity for student employment.

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General Information

Animals

Pets, with the exception of service animals as defined by ADA as a guide dog, signal dog, or other animal trained to provide assistance to an individual with a disability, are not allowed in the Coliseum.

Ceremony Time

For the morning ceremony, the academic procession into the arena begins at 10 a.m., and the ceremony will end at approximately 11:45 a.m. For the afternoon ceremony, the academic procession into the arena begins at 3 p.m., and the ceremony will end at approximately 4:30.

Elevator

It is located at section 130 of the upper concourse and in the lobby of the lower concourse. The elevator is reserved for guests with disabilities on Commencement day.

Emergency Evacuation

Please identify the nearest exit. In an emergency, you will be instructed on exiting to ensure an orderly evacuation.

First Aid

EMS personnel are located in the lower lobby of the arena.

Online Program and Ceremony Viewing

A PDF version of this program may be found at www.winthrop.edu/commencement. The ceremonies will be available to view online next week from a link at www.winthrop.edu.

People with Disabilities

The elevator is located at section 130 of the upper concourse and in the lobby of the lower concourse. Accessible seating is available on the upper concourse and on the floor of the arena. Seating for wheelchair users is also located around the upper concourse. A sign language interpreter will be on stage for the deaf and hard-of-hearing. Guests needing assistive listening devices may pick them up at the Coliseum immediately prior to the ceremony. Devices should be returned at the end of the ceremony.

Phones

Please be considerate of others and turn off cell phones and other electronic devices during the ceremony.

Photographs and Videos

Individual graduate photographs are coordinated by Lifetouch Special Events Photography, www.events.lifetouch.com/winthrop. Questions can be addressed to specialevents@lifetouch.com or by calling 1-800-505-9496. The company will contact students after graduation regarding the sale of the photos. Guests may take their own photos and videos of the ceremony but must not block the aisles or the view of other guests. Only authorized photographers/videographers will be permitted on the arena floor during the ceremony.

Restrooms

Restrooms are located on the upper concourse at the following sections.

Men: 109 and 124

Women: 101, 106 and 121

Safety Regulations

In compliance with safety regulations, procession routes and aisles must be kept clear at all times. Please do not place strollers, camera tripods, electronic chargers, umbrellas or any other personal items in the aisles as they pose an evacuation egress hazard. Guests are asked to cooperate with university marshals and campus police officers in keeping these designated areas open.

Seating

Seating is on a first come, first serve basis. Reserving seats is not allowed.

Smoking Policy

The Winthrop Coliseum is a smoke-free facility.

Water Fountains

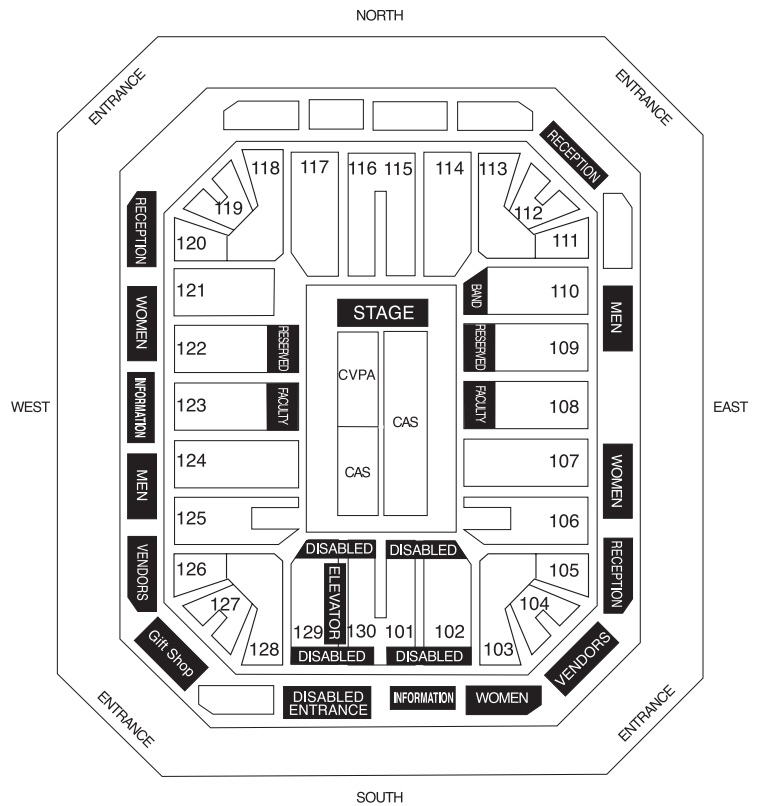
Water fountains are located on the upper concourse at Sections 104, 111, 119 and 126.

Coliseum Floor Plan

Undergraduate Arena Seating for 10 a.m. Ceremony

CVPA
College of Visual and
Performing Arts

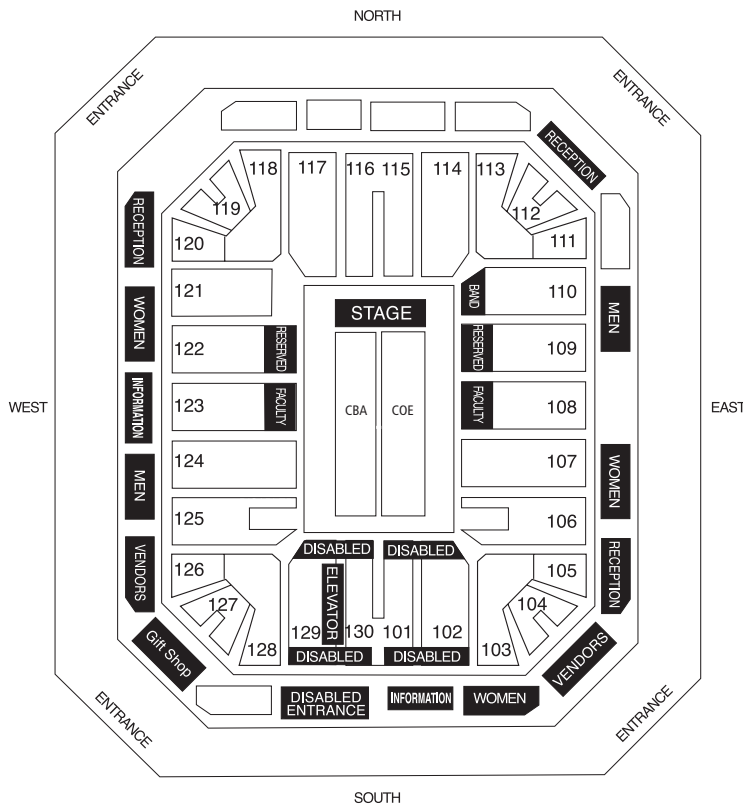
CAS
College of Arts and Sciences



Undergraduate Arena Seating for 3 p.m. Ceremony

CBA
College of Business
Administration

COE
Richard W. Riley
College of Education



Student seating is dependent upon the number of graduates in attendance and the distribution across the colleges. Exact seating is not known until the day of the ceremony.

Winthrop University Alma Mater

Words: Donna Durst '83 & Lisa Breland '87 Music: Donna Durst



1.The cha - pel holds our - his - to - ry, each
2.The friends we've made, the - mem - o - ries will



new - day Till - man rings, - your - halls are rich - with
last - a life - time long, - we - soar to reach - the



mem - o - ries to which we'll al - ways - cling. A
goals we've set as Ea - gles bold and - strong. May



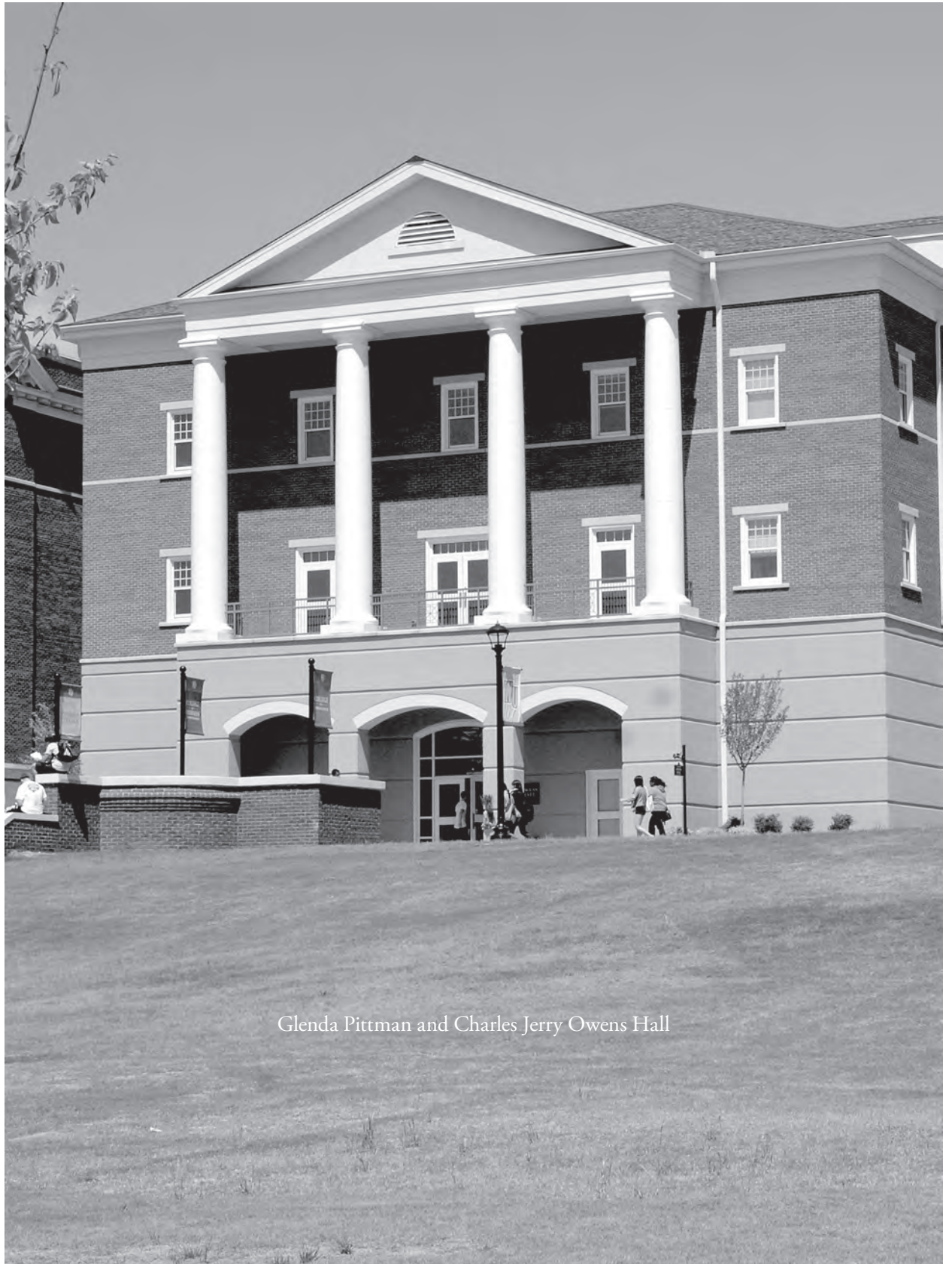
part of each one here re - mains as a part of you we
oth - ers see our loy - al - ty, ev - er hon - ored you will



claim, - Al - ma Ma - ter may - your name - be - grand,
be, - Al - ma Ma - ter may - your name - be - grand,



Win - throp ev - er - stand.
Win - throp ev - er - stand.



Glenda Pittman and Charles Jerry Owens Hall

The background of the entire page is a repeating pattern of graduation caps (mortarboards) with tassels, rendered in a dark blue color. The caps are arranged in a staggered grid.

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