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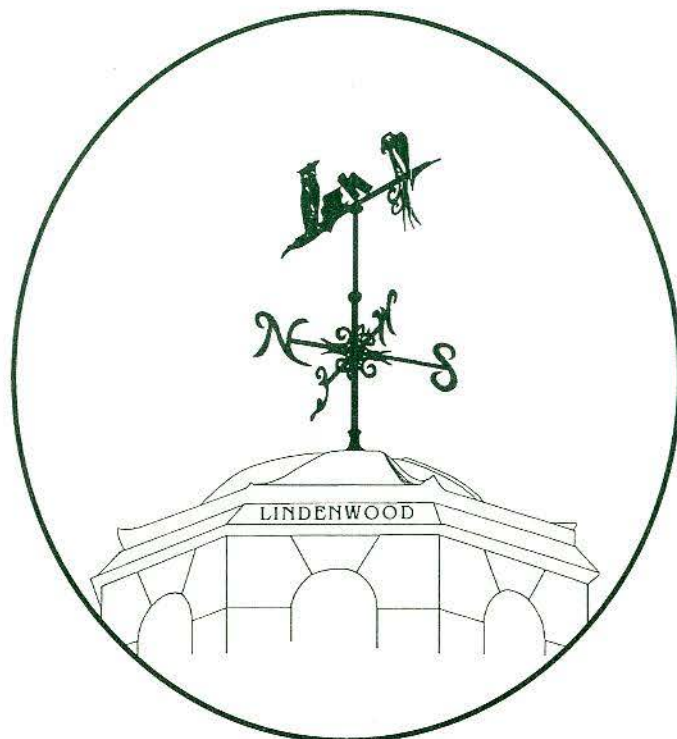
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2001

Commencement

Lindenwood
University

Saturday, May 19, 2001

10 a.m.

Lindenwood University Commencement

Welcome to Lindenwood University!

The annual commencement celebration at Lindenwood University is the most important ceremonial occasion of the academic year. Lindenwood's Commencement ceremony is filled with symbolism and tradition, which remind us of the noble purpose of universities and colleges.

The academic dress worn by the students, faculty and platform party dates back centuries, and is described on the back inside cover of this program. Students wearing blue gowns and gold medallions are members of Linden Scroll, a senior service honorary society. During commencement, their official duty as student marshals is to direct the processional and seating of students, faculty, board members and administrators.

Since academic customs originated within the medieval Church, the order of procession follows ecclesiastical custom, with the most honored members of the procession at the end. The procession is led by bagpipers and highland drummers, followed by the Linden Scroll flag bearers and the graduating students. As the students pass through the faculty line, they are applauded by their professors, who follow the students in the processional. The President, preceded by the Faculty Marshal, follows the other members of the academic community into the Commencement area.

The mace, carried in the academic procession by the Faculty Marshal, symbolizes the authority of the University's President. The mace is a staff of linden wood, surmounted by a silver cup, originally belonging to President Roemer, who served Lindenwood during the years 1914-1940. It is used only on occasions such as this one when the Faculty and President march in formal procession.

The United States and Lindenwood University flags are displayed at the foot of the gazebo platform along with the mace. For centuries, colleges and universities have awarded honorary degrees to worthy recipients for institutional and societal contributions. These degrees, awarded *honoris causa* ("for honorary cause"), represent Lindenwood University's most time-honored way to recognize significant service and achievement.

During Lindenwood's Commencement ceremony, the candidates for baccalaureate degrees are presented first. Each student's name is read by a dean and the President then presents the diploma to that student and congratulates the new graduate. The candidates for master's degrees are presented after the undergraduate students receive their diplomas. Each graduate student is hooded by a dean and then congratulated by the President.

Once all the degrees have been conferred, the bagpipers and highland drummers lead the recessional with the platform party, the faculty and board members, and Lindenwood's newest alumni following.

Lindenwood University hopes that you enjoy and respect our Commencement ceremony. We ask that you stand for the processional and invocation, listen during the awarding of degrees, and stand for the benediction and recessional.

Lindenwood History

Lindenwood was founded in 1827 by Mary Easton Sibley (1800-78) and Major George C. Sibley (1782-1863). The institution was incorporated by the Missouri Legislature in 1853, making it America's second oldest institution of higher learning west of the Mississippi. The Sibleys deeded the Lindenwood property to the Missouri Synod of the Presbyterian Church, a formal affiliation which lasted over a century. Today, fully independent, Lindenwood enjoys a historical relationship with the Presbyterian Church. The first commencement ceremony was held in 1858. Lindenwood became coeducational in 1969. Evening graduate programs were formed in 1972. The Lindenwood College for Individualized Education was established in 1975. Lindenwood became a university in 1997.

Pictured on the cover: The Butler Library Weather Vane features an owl and parrot moving in the wind with their books. They represent two kinds of learning. The parrot learns deductively and "parrots back" knowledge exactly. The owl learns inductively, formulating new knowledge, and "hoots" it out wisely. Both ways are equally valid and interchangeable as are the positions of the birds in the wind. Perhaps the wind is God's breath, or inspiration, blowing from all directions.

--Jim Feely, Professor Emeritus of English.

Program

President Dennis C. Spellmann, *Presiding Officer*

PRELUDE.....	Phi Mu Alpha Chamber Winds Ensemble Professor Robert M. Carter, <i>Associate Professor of Music, Bassoonist</i>
*PROCESSIONAL.....	Pipes and Drums of Moolah and Ainad University Marshal.....Professor Groff Bittner, <i>Professor of Music</i>
*INVOCATION.....	Professor Michael M. Mason, <i>Lindenwood University Chaplain, Associate Professor of Religion</i>
WELCOME AND INTRODUCTIONS.....	President Spellmann
GREETINGS FROM THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS.....	Chairman Raymond W. Harmon, <i>Lindenwood University Board of Directors</i>
THE COMMENCEMENT ADDRESS.....	Mr. Jerry McElhatton, <i>Introduced by President Spellmann</i> President of Global Technology and Operations, <i>MasterCard International</i>
CONFERRING OF HONORARY DEGREE.....	President Spellmann Presentation of Mr. McElhatton.....Chairman Harmon Presentation of Mr. Hammond.....Dean James D. Evans <i>Dean of Faculty</i>
CONFERRING OF PROFESSOR EMERITUS RANK.....	President Spellmann Recognition of Professor Bittner
THE SENIOR CLASS PRESENTATIONS.....	Ms. Jaemi Tiongson, <i>Class of 2001</i> <i>Introduced by Jeffrey S. Hessenflow, Class of 2001</i> Ms. Mary Ann Zipf, <i>Class of 2001</i> <i>President, Lindenwood University Student Government Association</i>
GREETINGS FROM THE ALUMNI ASSOCIATION.....	Mr. Randy Karraker, <i>Class of 1984</i> <i>Lindenwood University Alumni Association Member</i>
RECOGNITION OF ALUMNI MERIT AWARD WINNERS	
Wendy Brotherlin Dunlap, B.A., <i>Class of 1990 for Professional Accomplishment</i> Sandra Starr Moon, B.A., <i>Class of 1968 for Volunteer Accomplishment</i> Froma Johnson Oberkramer, B.A., <i>Class of 1959 Service to Lindenwood (Posthumously)</i>	
PRESENTATION OF DEGREE CANDIDATES.....	Dean Evans
CONFERRING OF DEGREES.....	President Spellmann
BACHELOR OF ARTS, BACHELOR OF FINE ARTS, BACHELOR OF SCIENCE Dean Marsha Hollander Parker (<i>Class of '71 and '87</i>), <i>Division of Fine and Performing Arts and Communications</i>	
MASTER OF ARTS Dean Jann Weitzel, <i>Division of Humanities</i>	
MASTER OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION Dean Jay Hardman, <i>Division of Management</i>	
MASTER OF FINE ARTS, MASTER OF SCIENCE, MASTER OF SCIENCE IN ADMINISTRATION Dean Marilyn Abbott, <i>Division of Sciences</i>	
*BENEDICTION.....	Professor Mason
*RECESSIONAL.....	Pipes and Drums of Moolah and Ainad

**Audience please stand*

Student marshals are members of LindenScroll, an honorary society
A reception in the center of campus will immediately follow the Commencement ceremony

Lindenwood University Graduates

Undergraduate Degrees

Bachelor of Arts

Aaron Christopher Adams
Michelle Lynn Adams
Joseph Samuel Ahearn
Russell D. Ahlers
Debra A. Albers
Steven P. Albers
Adrienne Denise Allen
Candice Christine Allen
William W. Allen
Cum Laude
Nasser Abdulla AlMansoori
Connie Jean Ambrose
Summa Cum Laude
Gregory George Amsinger
Scott B. Anderson
Paula Elaine Andrews
Cum Laude
Walter William Anhut
Angela M. Apel
David W. Arbogast
Charles Anthony Arington
Christy J. Atherton
Cum Laude
Jennifer Christine Aubuchon
Janeen Aughenbaugh
Kevin Thomas Leonard Austin
Richard Unseld Austin
Jackie Lavonne Autman
Joni Marie Avis
Cum Laude
Nancy J. Babich
Magna Cum Laude
Jeffrey Allen Bacon
Chris Arthur Bailey
Marie Therese Baine
Susan Marie Baker
Tabatha Lee Baker
Tracyan A. Baker
Cathy Ann Banks
Rhoda Delaine Banks
Cum Laude
Susan Christine Barbour
Jennifer Leigh Barkalow
Diana Marie Barnhart
Nicholas Jude Barrale
Jeffrey P. Barry
Marlo Giselle Barsallo George
Anthony John Barylski

Erica Dawn Bass
Cum Laude
Shannon Kiant Bastain
Kristina Marie Bax
Magna Cum Laude
Tysha Elizabeth Beasley
Charles Jeffrey Beaton
Summa Cum Laude
Mary LeAnne Beck
Amber Hayden Becker
Mary Jane Hayden Becker
David Michael Beckering
Summa Cum Laude
John R. Beckerle
Summa Cum Laude
Marie Elizabeth Beckmann
Summa Cum Laude
Yvonne Sherry Bedell
Magna Cum Laude
Constance Lynn Bedsworth
Summa Cum Laude
Rachel Ann Bedsworth
Cum Laude
Ann P. Beers
John Christopher Beeson
Donna Ann Beine
Summa Cum Laude
Jeremy Glennon Benear
Pamela Benoist
Summa Cum Laude
Sunida Beokhaimook
Linda Jean Berger
Cynthia Lee Bergman
Donald J. Berhorst
Magna Cum Laude
Steven B. Bersche
Diane Marie Bertel
Tracie Kristine Bibb
Cristin Lee Biehl
Matthew S. Biehl
Randy M. Birkemeier
Drew A. Black
Rosalyn Quarles Blake
Donnell Phillip Bland Sr.
Leah Nichole Blanton
Jeremy Jacob Bleyenber
Brijette Anne Bloebaum
Molly Catherine Blume
Nicole Lynn Boardman
Summa Cum Laude

Matthew James Boerner
Michelle Lyn Bohning
Jessica Ann Boice
Cum Laude
Thomas John Bolen
Tara Menard Bollinger
Melissa L. Bone
Rebeca Ann Bornstein
Marcia Louise Borrego
Cum Laude
Cynthia Lee Boschert
Summa Cum Laude
Kelly Marie Bothe
Christine Marie Bowman
William Gilbert Bowman
Pamela Nicole Bowser
Timothy R. Boyle
Christy Rene Brackett
Cum Laude
Daniel N. Braik
James Benjamin Brancato
Jason Paul Brandon
Kelly Nicole Brazill
Matthew Adam Bretz
Michelle Anne Breuer
Jill Christine Brocksmith
Linda Elaine Brodribb
Katie Marie Brooks
Kimisha Venessa Brooks
Timothy C. Brooks
Cum Laude
Daniel Patrick Bross
Cum Laude
Marshall J. Broughton
Magna Cum Laude
Christopher L. Brown
Joseph Michael Brown
Pauline Brown
Cum Laude
Cari Ann Brown-McGuire
Cum Laude
Brian M. Brueggeman
Lisa Kay Bruett
Michael David Brunson
Susan Marie Buckley
Cum Laude
David Buckner
Ryan Lee Budde
Marsha L. Buehler

Matthew L. Bugger Sr.
Cum Laude
Omar Ismail Buhidma
Pamela L. Bundy
Cum Laude
Ryan A. Burckhardt
Brian Jack Burgess
Cheri Lynn Burke
Nathaniel Louis Burkemper
Michael Stephen Burkhardt
Summa Cum Laude
Deshon Burks
Petronella Burucs
Dante Buscaglia
Kristine Elizabeth Bushong
Melody D. Butler
Summa Cum Laude
Connie Sue King Caldwell
Summa Cum Laude
Robert Olive Caldwell
Summa Cum Laude
Kelly A. Calvin
Vincent L. Cann
Katie Dyane Cannon
Scott Kenneth Cantine
Ursina Capeder
Angela Rose Capuano
Joaquin Raymundo Cano Careta
Magna Cum Laude
Elizabeth Ann Carlson
David A. Carmi
Summa Cum Laude
Brent Christopher Carmichael
Jeffrey Alan Carroll
Brian J. Carter
Summa Cum Laude
Paul A. Carter
Chris J. Casarez
Kevin Paul Casarez
James Andrew Caskanett
Amanda Kay Cates
John Gerard Chanitz
Cum Laude
David Wayne Chapman
Amber Lee Charnisky
Levi William Chase
Li-Wei Chen
Deborah L. Christensen
Leslie J Cicio
Robin C. Civey
Summa Cum Laude
Karen Ann Clark
Melissa Lynn Clayton
Brian Lee Claytor

Rachel Lorraine Close
Cum Laude
Deborah Ellen Coates
Summa Cum Laude
Michael Paul Cockman
Kenneth Galen Cole
Magna Cum Laude
Lindsey E Cole
Stephanie Dawn Coll
Don Glen Collier III
Brian Matthew Colmo
Teresa Jane Colmo
Kimberly Ann Colnaghi
Kimberly Doris Compton
Cum Laude
Brian Harley Conardy
Jason Paul Conley
Kathleen J. Conley
Cherie Wanzetta Conrad
Victoria E Conroy
Magna Cum Laude
Christy Danielle Cook
Catherine Lynn Cooksey
Regina Marie Cordoba
Summa Cum Laude
Aubrey Elizabeth Costello
Audrey Lee Coumerilh
Cum Laude
Jeffrey John Coval
Shirley Faye Covington
Rachel Renee Crain
Sarah M. Craren
Sharon M. Crary
Summa Cum Laude
Tim M. Creedon
Mary A. Cribbin
Paul A. Cross
Darlene Elaine Cruise
Julie Marie Crum
Kevin Eric Crump
Cum Laude
Laura J. Cuddihee
Tracy Ann Curt
Melissia Dawn Dachroeden
Andrew Robert Dagner
Melissa C. Dains
Stacey Renee Daniel
Tonya Marie Darabcsek
Eric Brian Darst
Nancy M. Davenport
Angela Davidson
Jeffery Allen Davidson
Jerry Michael Davis

Robin Denay Davis
Magna Cum Laude
Tammy N. Davis
ACheralyn Kay Deatherage
Kimberly Denise Decker
Ethan Andrew Dee
Ryan Paul Deming
Elisha Lynn Dempsey
Lynda Lee Denker
Magna Cum Laude
Gregory Mark Depp
Christy Michelle DePriest
Cum Laude
Jennifer Lynn Derryberry
Trent A. DeSpain
Robert Michael DeWitt
Karen Lynn Dickerson
James Joseph Dickman
Jean Marie Diekemper
Cum Laude
Erica Lynn Dillinger
Tracy Lynn DiPrima
Thomas Charles Divis
Cecelia Mary Dodd
Jonathan Arthur Dolan Sr.
Loretta Elizabeth Dotson
Kristy Ann Dougherty
Sandra K. Douglas
Cum Laude
Courtney Clinton Dowell
Scott Christian Drodody
Jami Lee Drury
Cum Laude
Scot Alan Drury
Magna Cum Laude
Kristine Elizabeth DuBois
Cum Laude
Melissa Leigh Duff
Jessica April Dulany
Christopher Michael Dumm
Melissa Anne Dunn
Cum Laude
Janet Yvonne Durrange
Cum Laude
Melissa M. Ebe
Magna Cum Laude
Brandon M. Echele
Debra Ann Edler
Jason D. Ellard
Cum Laude
Gary Edward Ellis
Bradford Leon Ellis Jr
Martha Anne Elmore

Deidra Ellen Engelage
Magna Cum Laude
Jamie Lynn Englert
Kenneth Michael Enloe
Sandra G. Erhart
Summa Cum Laude
Lisa Jeanne Everett
Kimberly Elizabeth Eversmeyer
Cum Laude
Todd Joseph Ewald
Jessica Dyan Fairless
Summa Cum Laude
Kathy Marie Fann
Nicole Michelle Farishon
Cum Laude
Gregory Paul Farmer
Gregory James Faron
Terry Lee Farrar
Magna Cum Laude
Rachel Lee Farthing
Laurie Denise Fay
Timothy Gerard Feise
Jay A. Fetsch
Dale Edward Fiala
Cheryl Fichtinger
Magna Cum Laude
Kimberlee L. Fielder
Summa Cum Laude
Joseph Perrin Fields
Karen Ann Fields
Jeff A. Finkelstein
Curtis Ward Finley
Dennis J. Finley
Cum Laude
Joshua James Finley
Megan Michele Fisele
Daniel Joseph Fitzgerald
Brett Joseph Fitzpatrick
Ryan Scott Flahive
Amber Lyn Fleming
Michele Leigh Fletcher
Vanessa Stellone Floerchinger
Magna Cum Laude
Tamara Sue Flores
Jeffrey Thomas Flowerree
Linda Sue Flynn
Kevin Micheal Fodo
Leslie Anne Fogarty
Summa Cum Laude
Dennis L. Folwarczny II
Cynthia Lynn Ford
Summa Cum Laude
Ileana Suyin Forero
Meghan Joy Forsythe

Samantha K Fortman
Stacey Yvette Foster
Amber Kathleen Fraley
Marcus Napoleon Franklin IV
Kathleen Suzanne Freeman
Ryan Michael Froehlich
Amanda Frye
Christina Marie Fuess
Cum Laude
Sharlene Lyn Fuller
Jennifer Lynn Funk
Magna Cum Laude
Nadia Gaeggeler
Isaac Garcia
Sandra Elizabeth Garcia
Cum Laude
Sharon Renee Gardner
Cum Laude
Erin Nicole Garner
Traci Lynn Garner
Nick Gast
Nicole Michelle Gaultney
Daniel William Geerling
Tyson Alexander Geissert
Melissa Jean Gerding-Harrison
Robert William Gianella
Michelle Marie Gianino
Michael Richard Gibbons
Susan Emily Gilbert
Laura Michelle Glacken
Michael Gladney
Angela Renee Grade
Lisa S. Godinez
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Cynthia D. Godfrey
Summa Cum Laude
Clifton Jon Gower
Kerri A. Gosejohan
Craig Aaron Grade
Andree Charline Graham
Summa Cum Laude
Meghan Marie Graham
Rosalind Michelle Graves
Magna Cum Laude
Neil Alan Grayson
Krista Schree Greeves
Lynette Jacincla Greiwe
Christine Marie Griffin
Lee Tyrone Griffith
Janette Suzanne Griffon
Herman B. Grimes III
Kimberly S. Grizzle
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Valarie Kasandra Hart
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Travis Wade Havens
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Kristen S Haynes
Christopher Lee Hazard
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Adam Hecker
Angela Renee Hedges
Cum Laude
Scott Timothy Heintzelman
Dawn Colette Helm
Amber Lynn Hendricks
Dianne Beck Henrikson
Summa Cum Laude
Sallie Jean Henry
Dawn Marie Henseler
Denise Rene Hensley
Cynthia D. Henton-Jones
Sarah Catherine Herholz
Deborah A. Herndon
Sarah Elizabeth Hickey
Holly Ann Hickman
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Aaron James Hicks
Dale R. Hicks
Karen Suzanne Hicks
Jim Higgins
Magna Cum Laude
James Charles Hilf
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Russell Joseph Hill
Timmy W. Hill
Cynthia Michael Hilton
Summa Cum Laude
Marcia Hilton
Jennifer Catherine Hively
Martin R. Hodits
Summa Cum Laude
Brian Thomas Hoeltge
John Charles Hoerchler
Brian Matthew Hoette
H. Michael Erich Hofbauer
Jamie Hoffer
Darwin Eugene Holbrook
Summa Cum Laude
Norma June Holbrook
Summa Cum Laude
Amy Lynn Holiway
Cum Laude
Jill Evalyn Holland
Magna Cum Laude
Brenda S. Hollander
Sherry Lea Hollenbeck
Summa Cum Laude
Judith A. Holler
Karen Lisa Holmes
Summa Cum Laude
Jason Michael Honaker
Rodney Tyrone Hopkins
Mark Allen Horst
Nathanael Hostetler
Summa Cum Laude
Donna Louise Hotchkiss
Angela Rene House
Emmanuel Ray House
Jennifer Marie Howland
Terry Lynn Hoyt
Deng-Yuan Huang
Michael Joesph Huber
Lynn E. Hudson
Darrell Jason Huffman
Phillip Russell Hughen
Steven James Humphrey
Theresa Ellen Humphrey
Thomas Patrick Hurlbert
Valerie Hurn-Coleman
Summa Cum Laude

Shane Steven Hurst
Kevin J. Hussey
Robert Michael Hussey
Kimberly Lynn Hutson
Amy Kristen Hydar
Cum Laude
Gala Kathryn Iffrig
Todd Willis Immekus
Cum Laude
Tanya Michelle Intravia-Palmer
Karen L. Isaac
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Susan LaVerne Jackson
Debra A Jacoby
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Sarah Lynn Johner
Brandi Patricia Louise Johnson
Brandi Nichole Johnson
Joyce Hilton Johnson
Kimberly Dawn Johnson
Misty Dawn Johnson
Summa Cum Laude
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Valerie Lynn Johnson
Magna Cum Laude
William Ferman Johnson
Laura Bernadette Joiner-Poindexter
Cum Laude
Lisa Kristine Jones
Travis Bradley Jones Sr.
Matthew Carl Jordan
Matthew M. Kahler
Denise Angela Kasden
Jessica Ann Kashmerick
Elizabeth Frances Kean
Julie Marie Keeteman
Jamie Lyn Keeven
Jennifer Lynn Keeven
Cum Laude
Jennifer Elizabeth Kelley
Melissa Vane Kelly
Debra Jean Martin Kemp
Elizabeth Anne Kemple
Cum Laude
Jeffrey S. Kennedy
Michal Darin Kenslow
Jon C. Kercher
Jennifer Anne Kerner
Summa Cum Laude

Victoria A. Ketterer
Cum Laude
Elizabeth Marie Keubler
Elizabeth Mary Kilian
Amanda Kay King
Beth Anne King
Jeffrey L. King
Summa Cum Laude
Jeremy David King
Shawn Thomas King
Tammy Lynn King
Emily Lumina Kircher
Judy L. Klaus
Magna Cum Laude
Jessica Louise Klebba
Nichole Lynn Klein
Summa Cum Laude
Jodi Fai Klimuszka
Louis Kline
Cum Laude
David Patrick Kloeppe
Dean Dwayne Klossner
Summa Cum Laude
Kristina Marie Kloth
Cum Laude
Lindsey Anne Knoten
Amy Louise Kohler
Susie C. Kopp
Magna Cum Laude
Brian Patrick Kos
Cum Laude
Glennon Richard Kourik, Sr.
Karla Michele Kramer
Reggie Craig Kratzer
Jocelyn Kay Kreuger
Summa Cum Laude
Anthony John Kreutz
Jessica Lyn Kreyling
Cum Laude
Joseph Grady Krietemeyer
Valerie Anne Kruse
Paul Michael Krussel
Jeanette Marie Kuriscak
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Christina Lynn Kurtz
Summa Cum Laude
Christopher Thomas Kyle
William Robert Kyle
Summa Cum Laude
Melanie Theresa Lackman
Cum Laude
Stephanie S. LaFata
Nicole Rene` Lakine
Cum Laude

Angela Ilene Lamb
Cum Laude
Daniel Patrick Lamb
Joshua Chapman Lange
Marilee A. Laughlin
Magna Cum Laude
Lisa Ann Lavender
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Erick Kristopher Lawing
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Chad Edward Layton
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Timothy Patrick Layton
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John Aaron LeClerc
Laura Francis Lee
Misty Jean Leger
Amy J. Lehnhoff
Tracy Lynn Leitsch
Michele Lynn Lemee
Bryan Robert Lester
Joanna Mae Levinski
Cum Laude
Joseph Anthony Licavoli
Heather Marie Lichtenberg
Darwin Stanley Little
Kim Patricia Little
Benjamin John Logan
Nicole A. Longmore
Cum Laude
Brandin Charles-Everett Lowry
Eun-Jeong Lucas
Cum Laude
Shannon Michelle Lueders
Cindy A. Lumia
Cum Laude
Franklin Cotter Lumley
Kevin Paul Mabie
Bridget Ann Madigan
Patrick Benjamin Main
Patricia E. Maksimovich
Cum Laude
Andrew Allen Mallery
Summa Cum Laude
Mario Damon Malone
Nathan Stanley Arthur Mang
Patricia Ruth Maniaci
Pete Nicholas Maniaci
Marc Garold Manning

Michael Thomas Manning
Magna Cum Laude
Erica Katherine Marking-Camuto
Summa Cum Laude
Megan Rae Markus
Kirsten Marie Marsh
Sally Fay Martin
Lisa M. Martinez
Jacoby Carter Mason
Oliver Ryan Matheny
Robin C. Matheny
Ms. Patricia L. Mathias
Angela Lucille Mattingly
David Benjamin Max
Scott Patrick Mayhood
Adam Damian McCarthy
Sherry Christine McCoy
Summa Cum Laude
Brian Joseph McAllister
Paul Joseph McBride
Rebecca Lee McCarrison
Christina L. McCulloch
Hannah Suzanne McGeehen
Joe Ronnie McKinney
Ryan Wesley McLain
Robyn Louise McLaughlin
Cum Laude
Toni G. McMullin
Summa Cum Laude
Sabrina A. McNamee
Cum Laude
Armon Lee McWell
Steven Mason Medford
Paul Irwin Merriman
Magna Cum Laude
Heather Jean Miano
Kimberly S. Micke
Kraig Timothy Mikitin
Cum Laude
Amy Ann Miller
Bethany Pundmann Miller
Magna Cum Laude
Robert Douglas Miller
Sally Ann Miller
Amy Elizabeth Mills
Eric Shawn Minor
Sarah Elizabeth Miesner
William Franklin Mitchell
David Matthew Moellering
Summa Cum Laude
Patricia A. Monaco
Brian Gale Monroe
Terry Rey Montgomery
Ryan Zachary Moon

Heather Elaine Moore
Brian D. Moran
Summa Cum Laude
Crystal Sky Morgan
Emilie Alison Morris
Dana Marie Morrow
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Katie Lynn Mosby
Patrick B. Moseley
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Douglas A Muresan
Kelly M. Murphy
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William Patrick Murphy
Heidi Nichole Murray
Tiffany Lynn Musgrave
Letitia A. Myers
Gregory Ashaunti Myles II
Judd Raymond Naeger
Thomas Anthony Narrow III
Cum Laude
Sheila Renee Neal-Brown
Cum Laude
Shawn W. Nelson
Pamela S. Neu
Summa Cum Laude
Denise E. Nickles
Cum Laude
Daniel James Niehoff
David Jacob Nieland
Randall L. Noland
Paula Renee Norris
Melvie D. Nunn
Domingo Manuel de Obaldia
Magna Cum Laude
Patricia Jean O'Connor
Cum Laude
Michael Richard Oehmke
Cum Laude
Jeaninne L. Olive
Summa Cum Laude
Robert Wayne O'Neal
Mary R. Orban
ilene De Icaza Ordas
Douglas Eugene Orr
Summa Cum Laude
Bree Christine Owens
Jeffery Owens
Brian Lucas Padgett

William Matthew Pagano
Toby Phillip Paimore
Christopher Lynn Palazzolo
Bradley Douglas Palmer
Cum Laude
Rebecca Sue Papish
Gregory Wayne Paris
Michelle Lynn Patrico
Harrison Pattman
Cum Laude
Polly Ann Patzius
Joshua M. Pearce
Nichole Susanne Perhat
Joshua Roy Perkins
Cum Laude
Jessica Lynn Perry
Jill Anne Perry
Cum Laude
Michael S. Petefish
Douglas Glen Peters
Cum Laude
Natalie M. Peyton
Sharon Lee Pezold
Summa Cum Laude
Darrion L. Phelps
Kevin Neil Phillips
Amber Dawn Pilkington
Cum Laude
Raul F. Pinzon
Jamie M. Pitt
Karla Patricia Plata
Elizabeth A. Podorski
Magna Cum Laude
Sarah Ann Politowski
Jill Elizabeth Politte
Marilyn Dominguez Ponce
Gordon Robert Pongratz II
Joy Antoinette Pope
Nicholas Andrew Pope
Tonya LeVette Porter
Mark Steven Potratz
Eric A. Pouvaranukoah
Sarah Elizabeth Powell
Jennifer Lynn Powers
Rebecca Jean Probst
Daniel Michael Prost
Mary Christine Prost
Judith A. Provasnik
Jamie Leah Radin
Jessica Lyn Rau
Erica K. Ray
Jennifer Marie Read
Magna Cum Laude
Amy Elizabeth Reckamp

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Academic Dress

The caps, gowns, and hoods worn by the faculty and students at this graduation are today's formal dress of the worldwide academic community. While now worn only on such festive occasions as commencement, such dress was originally the normal garb of academics as they went about their daily business. Originating in Europe more than a thousand years ago, like universities and colleges themselves, academic dress first developed within the Church and all academics were once at least in minor orders within the Church. The robes and hoods are stylized versions of these monastic robes. In Europe, each institution seems to have its own variant of costume, but in America academic costume follows a uniform code drawn up by a special commission in 1895. The code has three main parts, dealing with caps, gowns and hoods.

The Oxford type cap or mortarboard seems to have evolved from the square biretta of Renaissance clergy. It is always black and may be of any appropriate material except that velvet is reserved for doctors. Many faculty members wear the Cambridge style cap. The tassel worn with the cap has three variations. It may be black for any degree or it may be the color of the academic area in which the degree was granted. Doctors and governing officials of institutions wear tassels made of gold metallic thread. The tassel is worn on the left side of the cap.

The academic robes are all black, except for certain doctoral robes. The style of robe indicates the highest degree earned by the wearer. Bachelor sleeves are pointed, and the robe is plain. Undergraduate students who have achieved honors display a cord or braid over their robes. Students who graduate *cum laude* (with praise) wear a white cord; students who graduate *magna cum laude* (with great praise) wear a gold cord; and students who graduate *summa cum laude* (with highest praise or distinction) wear a gold braid over the left shoulder. Master's robe sleeves are oblong and longer. The doctoral robe features velvet bands in the front and the robe sleeve also has velvet bands and is gathered at the wrist. The doctoral robe itself is cut much fuller than the other two gowns. An increasing number of doctorate-granting universities today fashion their own doctoral robes, using institutional colors.

The hoods indicate both the academic area of degree, the level of the degree, and the school which granted it. The level of the degree is shown by the size of the hood, the width of the velvet trimming, and in the case of the doctor, the shape. The master's and the doctor's hoods are three and one-half feet and four feet long respectively. The velvet trimming in the same order is three and five inches. The outer band of the hood indicates, by color, the degree; the bright, silken interior of the hood, by its colors and design, indicates its source. Each university and college has a distinct hood. The Lindenwood University hood is lined with white and yellow silk, representing the university's colors.

The colors of the mortarboard tassels worn by today's degree recipients, as well as the hoods worn by faculty and graduate students, indicate the major fields of study.

BROWN	Performing Arts, Theatre
DARK BLUE	Philosophy
GOLD	Biology, Chemistry, Gerontology, International Studies
	Medical Technology, Psychology, Counseling, Sociology, Social Work
NUGGET or DRAB	Accounting, Business, Finance, Health Management, Valuation Science, Human Resource Management, Human Service Agency Management, Management Information Systems, Marketing, Retail Merchandising
	Music
PINK	Political Science, Public Management
PEACOCK	Criminal Justice
PURPLE	Religion
SCARLET	Education, Physical Education, Athletic Training
SKY BLUE	Art History, Studio Art, Computer Science, English, Writing, History, Corporate Communications, Mass Communications, History, Fashion Design, General Studies, Mathematics, Modern Languages
WHITE	

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