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# COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES

of the 135<sup>th</sup> year at the  
University of Charleston

**SPRING 2023**



# COMMENCEMENT

## CEREMONIES

Saturday, April 29, 2023

Undergraduate | 10 a.m.  
Graduate | 1 p.m.

# Undergraduate Commencement Ceremony

Welcome to the UC 2023 Spring Commencement! To help us maintain our campus health and safety standards, we ask that you remain seated during the ceremony whenever possible.

## Order of Exercises

<b>Processional</b> .....	<b>Pomp and Circumstance, Opus 39</b> by Edward Elga
<b>Invocation</b> .....	<b>Pastor Matt Santen</b> River Ridge Church
<b>National Anthem</b> .....	<b>Lauren Roush</b> Junior Biology Major
<b>Welcome</b> .....	<b>Dr. Martin S. Roth</b> President
<b>Undergraduate Senior of the Year Award</b> .....	<b>Sidra Tahir</b> Bachelor of Science in Biology (Biomedical Sciences Concentration)
<b>Presentation of Honorary Degree</b> .....	<b>Gregory A. Burton</b> Member, UC Board of Trustees Class of '82
<i>Recipient:</i> .....	<b>Patrick C. Graney, III</b> <i>Honorary Doctor of Laws</i>
<b>Commencement Address</b> .....	<b>Patrick C. Graney, III</b>
<b>Presentation of Graduates</b> .....	<b>Dr. Kim Spiezio</b> Provost & Executive Vice President
<b>Conferring of Degrees</b> .....	<b>President Roth</b>
<b>Closing Comments</b> .....	<b>President Roth</b>

### Alma Mater

**Virtual Recognition of Graduates**  
(livestream only)

The audience should remain at their seats until dismissed. We ask that the audience exit the arena in a timely manner. Please feel free to take photos outside on the riverbank lawn after the ceremony with your graduate!



## HONORARY DEGREE RECIPIENT

Commencement Speaker

**Patrick C. Graney, III**

Chairman of the UC Board of Trustees

*Doctor of Laws*

When you received the YMCA Spirit of the Valley Award in 2022, it was said that you are the “embodiment of community service and steadfast leadership in the Mountain State.”

Indeed, you are well known for your commitment to service, serving on several boards – including as Chairman of the University of Charleston Board of Trustees. You also serve on the Executive Committee of the West Virginia Chamber of Commerce and Executive Board of the Buckskin Council. You are a member of the Sacred Heart Parish and serve on the Parish’s Finance Council. You are also a member of the Board of Directors of two public companies, Truist Financial Corporation and Ramaco Resources, Inc.

A West Virginia native, you grew up in Mount Hope, and attended the University of Virginia.

After graduation, you began working in the coal industry and purchased controlling interest in a small petroleum distributorship called Petroleum Products, Inc. Following several years of working in both industries, you returned to school, earning your MBA from the University of Virginia Darden School.

You returned to Petroleum Products and then founded the One Stop store chain, which grew to operate more than 40 stores throughout the state. Petroleum Products became a multi-state business serving the coal, construction, oil and gas drilling businesses, and employing several hundred employees.

From 1985 to 1987, you were Financial Strategist to West Virginia Governor Arch Moore in the Office of Community and Industrial Development. From 2008 to 2013, you served as a Class B Director representing West Virginia on the Board of the Richmond Federal Reserve.

In 2014, you were inducted into the WVU John Chambers College of Business & Economics Business Hall of Fame, which recognizes people with “strong West Virginia ties who have made a significant impact on the business landscape.”

In 2020, you were elected to a second term as Chairman of the Board of Trustees for the University of Charleston after having led the search team for a new president for the University.

You currently reside in Charleston with your wife Jessica and are the proud father of four sons.

For your exemplary contributions to West Virginia and the University of Charleston, it is our privilege and honor to present to you, Patrick C. Graney, III, the honorary Doctor of Laws, *honoris causa*.

# SCHOOL OF ARTS & SCIENCES

Morris Harvey Division

## Bachelor of Arts

### Jared Armstrong

*Cum Laude*  
Gibsonia, PA  
Political Science

### Danielle Lynn Bauer

*Summa Cum Laude*  
Tallahassee, FL  
Elementary Education  
History Minor

### Shamiah D'Asia Bridges

*Cum Laude*  
Picayune, MS  
Elementary Studies and  
Child Development

### Anna Rachell Cardwell

*Magna Cum Laude*  
Hamilton, OH  
Political Science

### Joseph Edward Cuellar

San Antonio, TX  
Integrated  
Communication

### Sierra Brooke Davis

*Magna Cum Laude*  
Springville, UT  
General Studies

### Alexandra Fisher

Pasadena, MD  
Communication

### Taylor Green

*Summa Cum Laude*  
Midlothian, VA  
Integrated  
Communication  
Sport Business Minor

### Jeremiah Kenneth Jones

Stafford, VA  
Political Science

### Charles William Kimenhour

Midlothian, VA  
Political Science

### Allysa Lake

*Magna Cum Laude*  
Allen Park, MI  
Elementary Education/  
Special Education

### Brooke Lucas

*Magna Cum Laude*  
Hurricane, WV  
Elementary Education/  
Special Education

### Kasey Marie Lyons

*Summa Cum Laude*  
Gallipolis Ferry, WV  
Political Science  
Integrated  
Communication Minor

### Zowie Elisapeta Manuma

Las Vegas, NV  
Psychology

### Markyia Dawnye McCormick

Pickerington, OH  
General Studies

### Nicole L. Meadows

*Magna Cum Laude*  
Charleston, WV  
Elementary Education

### Kalea Milliani Miller

*Academic Distinction*  
Charleston, WV  
Psychology  
Health Science Minor

### Hope Alisha Peterson

*Academic Distinction*  
Charleston, WV  
Psychology

### Hannah Kate Plummer

Bel Air, MD  
Psychology  
Criminal Justice Minor

### Donelle Thomas

Miramar, FL  
Multidisciplinary  
Studies  
Communications Minor  
History Minor  
English Minor

### Kellen Daniel Tropeck

New Cumberland, WV  
Political Science  
Criminal Justice Minor

### Virginia Marie Tucker

Anstead, WV  
Psychology

*Bachelor of Arts, continued*

### Kathryn Elizabeth Underwood

*Summa Cum Laude*  
Charleston, WV  
Political Science

### Jake Austin Vorburger

Saint Augustine, FL  
Multidisciplinary  
Studies  
Strength & Conditioning  
Minor  
Psychology Minor  
Sport Business Minor

### Rebekah Woody

*Summa Cum Laude*  
Elkview, WV  
Communication  
Digital Media Design  
Minor

## Bachelor of Science

### Griffin Adkins

*Magna Cum Laude*  
Barboursville, WV  
Biology-Biomedical  
Sciences Concentration

### Hunter McCray Adkins

Danville, WV  
Biology-Biomedical  
Sciences Concentration

### Emelina Alvarez Espinosa

*Cum Laude*  
Metepc  
Mexico  
Psychology  
Biology Minor

### Ross Edward Arroyo

*Magna Cum Laude*  
Leander, TX  
Applied Computer  
Science  
Cybersecurity and  
Information Assurance

### Jemima Adesola Ayilaran

*Summa Cum Laude*  
South Charleston, WV  
Biology-Biomedical  
Sciences Concentration  
Psychology Minor

### Anthony William Bradford

*Magna Cum Laude*  
Vienna, WV  
Biology-Biomedical  
Sciences Concentration

### Giang Bui

Hanoi  
Vietnam  
Digital Media Design  
Communications Minor

### CaDarrein Carter

Webb City, MO  
General Studies

### John P. Charnock Jr.

*Magna Cum Laude*  
Charleston, WV  
Secondary Special  
Education  
History Minor

### Chase Parker Coche

*Magna Cum Laude*  
Poca, WV  
Applied Computer  
Science

### Sheyenne Augustina Delawder

St. Albans, WV  
Psychology

### Janie Mae Dugan

South Charleston, WV  
Biology-Biomedical  
Sciences Concentration  
Psychology Minor

### Brianna Higgins

*Cum Laude*  
Clendenin, WV  
Data Analytics  
Organizational  
Leadership Minor

### Sean P. Hill

*Summa Cum Laude*  
Danville, WV  
Biology-Biomedical  
Sciences Concentration

### Kaylee Elizabeth Hotchkiss

*Cum Laude*  
Livonia, MI  
Biology-Biomedical  
Sciences Concentration

### Sarah Elizabeth Joyce

Poca, WV  
Psychology

### Ashley Nicole Lester

*Magna Cum Laude*  
Daniels, WV  
General Studies

\*Denotes August 2023 graduates

**Adwoa Esaaba  
MacPratt-Dadzie**  
Columbus, OH  
General Studies

**George Opoku Marfo**  
Haines City, FL  
General Studies  
Health Science Minor

**Alejandro Martinez  
Lucas**  
Albacete  
Spain  
Biology-Biomedical  
Sciences Concentration

**James Bryer  
McPherson**  
Hurricane, WV  
Biology-Biomedical  
Sciences Concentration  
Psychology Minor

**Madeline Rose  
Mitchell**  
Dunbar, WV  
Biology-Biomedical  
Sciences Concentration

**Lydia Rose Neidlinger**  
*Summa Cum Laude*  
Saint Albans, WV  
Chemistry

**Dylan Prasad**  
*Magna Cum Laude*  
Surrey, BC  
Canada  
Psychology

**Katie Lauren Preece**  
*Magna Cum Laude*  
Danville, WV  
Biology

**Badraldeen Rashrash**  
*Cum Laude*  
South Charleston, WV  
Biology-Data Analytics  
Concentration

**Colleen Elizabeth Ryan**  
Commack, NY  
General Studies  
Health Science Minor

**James Shamblin**  
*Magna Cum Laude*  
Eleanor, WV  
Applied Computer  
Science

**Abdulwahab Aladin  
Siddig**  
*Magna Cum Laude*  
Charleston, WV  
Biology-Biomedical  
Sciences Concentration

**Ishmael Sneed**  
San Antonio, TX  
Digital Media Design

**Sidra Tahir**  
*Magna Cum Laude*  
Annapolis, MD  
Biology-Biomedical  
Sciences Concentration  
Psychology Minor

**Mattia Vezzoni**  
Romano Di Lombardia  
Italy  
Data Analytics

# SCHOOL OF BUSINESS & LEADERSHIP

Herbert Jones Division

## Associate of Science

**Alexius Joyce Beavers**  
*Highest Honors*  
Cedar Bluff, VA  
Cybersecurity

## Bachelor of Science

**Cameron James  
Acton\***  
*Academic Distinction*  
Columbus, GA  
Organizational  
Leadership

**Jessie D. Allen\***  
*Academic Distinction*  
Columbus, GA  
Organizational  
Leadership

**William Duane  
Anderson\***  
*Academic Distinction*  
Kennewick, WA  
Organizational  
Leadership

**Jared Armstrong**  
*Cum Laude*  
Gibsonia, PA  
Business Administration-  
Management

**Andrew Scott Babcock**  
*Academic Distinction*  
Abilene, KS  
Organizational  
Leadership

**Aaron K. Bailey\***  
*Academic Distinction*  
Rexford, NY  
Organizational  
Leadership

**Garrett S. Barnes\***  
*Academic Distinction*  
Coronado, CA  
Organizational  
Leadership

**Jonathan M. Bartley\***  
*Academic Distinction*  
San Diego, CA  
Organizational  
Leadership

**Mallory Beach**  
Gahanna, OH  
Business Administration-  
Sport Business

**Corey Alexander  
Bishop**  
Villa Rica, GA  
Organizational  
Leadership

**Evan Paul Bjerke\***  
San Diego, CA  
Organizational  
Leadership

**M. Duane Boeh\***  
*Academic Distinction*  
Savannah, GA  
Organizational  
Leadership

**Brandon Charles  
Boesch**  
*Academic Distinction*  
Quantico, VA  
Organizational  
Leadership

**Michael Bonifer\***  
*Academic Distinction*  
Coronado, CA  
Organizational  
Leadership

**Steven Ali Bouchard**  
*Academic Distinction*  
Hockley, TX  
Organizational  
Leadership

**Timothy D. Boyce II\***  
*Academic Distinction*  
Virginia Beach, VA  
Organizational  
Leadership

**Glen D. Bradbury Jr.\***  
Hubert, NC  
Organizational  
Leadership

**James J. Brenneis**  
Fredericksburg, VA  
Organizational  
Leadership

**Christopher Lee Brewer\***

APO, AE, AP  
Organizational  
Leadership

**Zachary Brown**  
*Magna Cum Laude*  
Charleston, WV

Business Administration-  
Management

**Jared Bruyneel\***

*Academic Distinction*  
Lillington, NC  
Organizational  
Leadership

**Daniel Lee Bryan**

Watertown, NY  
Organizational  
Leadership

**David Richard Buchanan\***

Holly Ridge, NC  
Organizational  
Leadership

**Brittany Rose Burgess**

Glen Rogers, WV  
Organizational  
Leadership

**JC James Burns\***

*Academic Distinction*  
Chula Vista, CA  
Organizational  
Leadership

**Taylor Cabaniss**

Charlotte, NC  
Business Administration-  
Sport Business

**Winfred Keith Cameron\***

*Academic Distinction*  
Suffolk, VA  
Organizational  
Leadership

**Mason Canale\***

*Academic Distinction*  
Dupont, WA  
Organizational  
Leadership

**Celtron T. Cannon**

*Academic Distinction*  
Williamsburg, VA  
Organizational  
Leadership

**Clay J. Cantwell\***

*Academic Distinction*  
Valley Center, CA  
Organizational  
Leadership

**Anthony B. Caputo\***

*Academic Distinction*  
Fort Mitchell, AL  
Organizational  
Leadership

**Moises Olivas Carabajal**

*Academic Distinction*  
Yuma, AZ  
Organizational  
Leadership

**Tyler Card**

McGraw, NY  
Business Administration-  
Sport Analytics

**Jody C. Carpenter**

Edgewood, NM  
Organizational  
Leadership

**David Hanki Chae\***

*Cum Laude*  
Morrisville, NC  
Cybersecurity  
Business Administration  
Minor

**Stephen Wayne Charette Jr.\***

*Academic Distinction*  
Columbus, GA  
Organizational  
Leadership

**Eric Chartier**

*Summa Cum Laude*  
Newmarket, ON  
Canada  
Business Administration-  
Accounting

**Michael John Clark\***

Earlsville, VA  
Organizational  
Leadership

**Joseph Marlon Clay\***

*Academic Distinction*  
Oak Grove, KY  
Organizational  
Leadership

**Christopher D. Coray**

*Academic Distinction*  
Fayetteville, NC  
Organizational  
Leadership

**Nathan Hale Cornacchia**

*Academic Distinction*  
Spanaway, WA  
Organizational  
Leadership

**William Cody Crawford\***

Lawton, OK  
Organizational  
Leadership

**Scott Cross**

*Academic Distinction*  
Clarksville, TN  
Organizational  
Leadership

**Javier Cuadra Novel**

Santo Domingo  
Dominican Republic  
Business Administration-  
Financial Planning

**Cory James Cunningham\***

*Academic Distinction*  
Sanford, NC  
Organizational  
Leadership

**McKenzie Taylor Damon**

Durand, IL  
Business Administration-  
Accounting

**Cole Darbyshire**

Wesley Chapel, FL  
Business Administration-  
Business Analytics

**James Milo Davis**

Pinehurst, NC  
Organizational  
Leadership

**Joshua Davis**

*Academic Distinction*  
Holly Ridge, NC  
Organizational  
Leadership

**Laura Derosa\***

*Academic Distinction*  
Parkton, NC  
Organizational  
Leadership

**Luiz A. DeSouza**

Milford, MA  
Organizational  
Leadership

**Charles Franklin Detwiler III\***

*Academic Distinction*  
Fort Mitchell, AL  
Organizational  
Leadership

**Teresa Diaz**

*Academic Distinction*  
Holly Ridge, NC  
Organizational  
Leadership

**Kelby Lamond Diaz-Jackson Sr.**

*Academic Distinction*  
Spring, TX  
Organizational  
Leadership

**Andrew Quan Do**

*Academic Distinction*  
Fort Mitchell, AL  
Organizational  
Leadership

**Terryl Doby**

*Academic Distinction*  
Fort Meade, MD  
Organizational  
Leadership

**Charles Henry Dohrmann\***

*Academic Distinction*  
San Diego, CA  
Organizational  
Leadership

**Allison Paige Dolly\***

*Academic Distinction*  
Elkins, WV  
Cybersecurity  
Business Administration  
Minor

**Michael Scott Durham\***

*Academic Distinction*  
Imperial Beach, CA  
Organizational  
Leadership

**Tyler Eberhart**

*Academic Distinction*  
Springfield, OH  
Business Administration-  
Sport Business

**Vincent Lorenz Echerer\***

*Academic Distinction*  
Saint Pauls, NC  
Organizational  
Leadership

**James Andrew Urquhart Ellis\***

*Academic Distinction*  
San Diego, CA  
Organizational  
Leadership

**Infiniti E. Evans**

Saint Robert, MO  
Organizational  
Leadership

**Stacie A. Everhart**

*Summa Cum Laude*  
Hagerstown, MD  
Organizational  
Leadership

**Frank P. Fallica II\***

*Academic Distinction*  
Virginia Beach, VA  
Organizational  
Leadership

**Mikayla Rhea Ferguson**

*Magna Cum Laude*  
Milton, WV  
Business Administration-  
Accounting

**Joshua Charles Ferron\***

*Academic Distinction*  
Fort Knox, KY  
Organizational  
Leadership

**Logan Filbert**

*Academic Distinction*  
Spanaway, WA  
Organizational  
Leadership

**Tyler Fisher\***  
Holly Ridge, NC  
Organizational  
Leadership

**Claude Cee Foy IV**  
Virginia Beach, VA  
Organizational  
Leadership

**Eva F. Gari**  
*Academic Distinction*  
Southern Pines, SC  
Organizational  
Leadership

**Lacy Jean Gaston\***  
Wellsburg, WV  
Organizational  
Leadership

**Jacob Lee Genalo\***  
Gilbert, AZ  
Organizational  
Leadership

**Shawn D. Gerena\***  
*Academic Distinction*  
APO, AE  
Organizational  
Leadership

**Ryan Steven Geringer**  
*Academic Distinction*  
Camp Lejeune, NC  
Organizational  
Leadership

**Darryl G. Gipson II**  
Enterprise, AL  
Organizational  
Leadership

**Alessandro Giuliano Jr.**  
San Diego, CA  
Organizational  
Leadership

**Ricardo Gonzalez**  
Saipan, MP  
Organizational  
Leadership

**Robert W. Goodman\***  
*Academic Distinction*  
Jacksonville, NC  
Organizational  
Leadership

**William John Gramlich\***  
Santee, CA  
Organizational  
Leadership

**Joseph Gray**  
*Academic Distinction*  
Virginia Beach, VA  
Organizational  
Leadership

**Shaun Lamont Greene**  
San Diego, CA  
Organizational  
Leadership

**Joshua M. Gregerson\***  
*Academic Distinction*  
Burke, VA  
Organizational  
Leadership

**Garrett Wayne Grissom**  
*Academic Distinction*  
Virginia Beach, VA  
Organizational  
Leadership

**Jesse Robert Hagstrom**  
*Academic Distinction*  
Columbus, GA  
Organizational  
Leadership

**Clayton D. Hale\***  
Columbia, TN  
Business Administration-  
Management

**Jacob M. Hanania**  
*Academic Distinction*  
Holly Ridge, NC  
Organizational  
Leadership

**Ryan Scott Harrigan\***  
Virginia Beach, VA  
Organizational  
Leadership

**Richard Paul Efrem Hartman**  
*Academic Distinction*  
Saratoga Springs, NY  
Organizational  
Leadership

**Brandon C. Hatfield\***  
*Academic Distinction*  
Williamson, WV  
Organizational  
Leadership

**Steven L. Hawley\***  
*Academic Distinction*  
Newton, AL  
Organizational  
Leadership

**Shayne Michael Hayes**  
*Academic Distinction*  
Monrovia, IN  
Organizational  
Leadership

**Anthony P. Hefferin III**  
*Academic Distinction*  
Richmond, TX  
Organizational  
Leadership

**Ryan M. Hernandez**  
*Academic Distinction*  
Saint Paul, MN  
Organizational  
Leadership

**Reed Hickson**  
*Academic Distinction*  
Livonia, MI  
Cybersecurity  
Organizational  
Leadership Minor

**Otis L. Hinton Jr.**  
Fredericksburg, VA  
Organizational  
Leadership

**Josiah Christoph Hofheinz**  
*Academic Distinction*  
Columbus, GA  
Organizational  
Leadership

**Jacob Holcomb\***  
*Academic Distinction*  
Columbus, GA  
Organizational  
Leadership

**Joseph John Hughett\***  
Fort Mitchell, AL  
Organizational  
Leadership

**Steven V. Iacchetta\***  
*Academic Distinction*  
Midland, GA  
Organizational  
Leadership

**John Craig Isenberg**  
Niceville, FL  
Organizational  
Leadership

**Liam O'Connor Jackson\***  
*Academic Distinction*  
Chula Vista, CA  
Organizational  
Leadership

**Christopher A. James\***  
*Academic Distinction*  
Crawley, WV  
Organizational  
Leadership

**Morgan Jennings**  
*Cum Laude*  
Sissonville, WV  
Business Administration-  
Management

**David J. Jimenez**  
*Academic Distinction*  
Arlington, TX  
Organizational  
Leadership

**Eric H. Johnson**  
Wellsburg, WV  
Business Administration-  
Management

**Wyatt Richard Johnson**  
*Academic Distinction*  
Savannah, GA  
Organizational  
Leadership

**Zachary Jarod Katzenstein**  
*Cum Laude*  
Thornhill, ON  
Canada  
Business Administration-  
Accounting

**Jeremiah Keene**  
*Academic Distinction*  
Columbus, OH  
Business Administration-  
Management  
Organizational  
Leadership Minor

**Reginald L. Keitt**  
Arlington, VA  
Organizational  
Leadership

**Dohyun Kim**  
Dangjin-Ro  
South Korea  
Business Administration-  
Management

**Austin Connor King\***  
San Diego, CA  
Organizational  
Leadership

**Daniel R. Kirkbride\***  
*Academic Distinction*  
San Diego, CA  
Organizational  
Leadership

**Andrew Robert Klaserner**  
Cincinnati, OH  
Business Administration-  
Sport Business

**Kyle Preston Kristy\***  
*Academic Distinction*  
Fort Mitchell, AL  
Organizational  
Leadership

**Jess Alan Kuhl II**  
*Magna Cum Laude*  
Winfield, WV  
Business Administration-  
Management

**Christopher John Kyle**  
*Academic Distinction*  
Clarksville, TN  
Organizational  
Leadership

**John W. Laseter**  
San Diego, CA  
Organizational  
Leadership

**Vu Minh Le\***  
*Academic Distinction*  
Lacey, WA  
Organizational  
Leadership

**Rodger E. Leach\***  
*Academic Distinction*  
Puyallup, WA  
Organizational  
Leadership

**Joshua Thomas Leonard**  
Savannah, GA  
Organizational  
Leadership

**Christopher Michael Lerum**  
Killeen, TX  
Organizational Leadership

**Anatole Robin Levallois**  
Anctoville-Sur-Boscq France  
Management

**Cory A. Litchfield\***  
*Academic Distinction*  
Kennewick, WA  
Organizational Leadership

**Stephen Bernard Lobin**  
*Academic Distinction*  
Chula Vista, CA  
Organizational Leadership

**Allen J. Longoria**  
*Academic Distinction*  
League City, TX  
Organizational Leadership

**Joshua R. Longoria**  
*Academic Distinction*  
Holly Ridge, NC  
Organizational Leadership

**Leah Loudermilk**  
*Magna Cum Laude*  
Franklin, WV  
Business Administration-Accounting  
Financial Planning

**Ian Kristofer MacGregor**  
*Academic Distinction*  
Japan  
Organizational Leadership

**Owen MacNeil**  
Georgetown, ON  
Canada  
Business Administration-Sport Business

**Giovanny Paolo Magallon\***  
Chula Vista, CA  
Organizational Leadership

**Jonathan James Mahon**  
*Academic Distinction*  
Puyallup, WA  
Organizational Leadership

**Robert A. Malej**  
Chesapeake, VA  
Organizational Leadership

**Grant Malmstrom\***  
*Academic Distinction*  
Virginia Beach, VA  
Organizational Leadership

**Jackson J. Mandella**  
Grafton, WI  
Business Administration-Sport Business

**Michael Patrick Martin**  
Lincolnton, NC  
Organizational Leadership

**Andre J. Martinez**  
*Cum Laude*  
Davie, FL  
Business Administration-Sport Business

**Andres C. Martinez\***  
*Academic Distinction*  
Kennewick, WA  
Organizational Leadership

**Nico Thomas Martire**  
Seymour, CT  
Cybersecurity

**Ephraim Mattos\***  
*Academic Distinction*  
Menomonee Falls, WI  
Organizational Leadership

**Eric Scott Maxwell\***  
*Academic Distinction*  
Sneads Ferry, NC  
Organizational Leadership

**Michael Reilly McCarthy\***  
*Academic Distinction*  
Virginia Beach, VA  
Organizational Leadership

**Thomas R. McKinney\***  
*Academic Distinction*  
Mesa, AZ  
Organizational Leadership

**Haley Elizabeth McKown**  
*Cum Laude*  
Leroy, WV  
Business Administration-Accounting  
Management

**James Edward McMillin\***  
*Academic Distinction*  
Lovell, WY  
Organizational Leadership

**Jeffrey L. McPherson\***  
Colorado Springs, CO  
Organizational Leadership

**Nathaniel Mills\***  
*Academic Distinction*  
San Diego, CA  
Organizational Leadership

**Sammie Mitchell III**  
Moscow, TN  
Business Administration

**Alanna Mobayed\***  
*Cum Laude*  
Charleston, WV  
Cybersecurity  
Organizational Leadership Minor

**Cody Seth Montgomery**  
*Academic Distinction*  
Virginia Beach, VA  
Organizational Leadership

**Christopher W. Moore**  
*Academic Distinction*  
Kailua, HI  
Organizational Leadership

**Robert R. Morris**  
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# Graduate Commencement Ceremony

Welcome to the UC 2023 Spring Commencement! To help us maintain our campus health and safety standards, we ask that you remain seated during the ceremony whenever possible.

## Order of Exercises

<b>Processional</b> .....	<b>Pomp and Circumstance, Opus 39</b> by Edward Elga
<b>Invocation</b> .....	<b>Reverend Rance Berry</b> Light House Worship Center UC Director of Counseling
<b>National Anthem</b> ..... "The Star Spangled Banner"	<b>Lauren Roush</b> Junior Biology Major
<b>Welcome</b> .....	<b>Dr. Martin S. Roth</b> President
<b>Graduate Student of the Year Award</b> .....	<b>Darius Berry</b> Doctor of Pharmacy
<b>Presentation of Honorary Degree</b> .....	<b>Patrick C. Graney, III</b> Chairman, UC Board of Trustees
<b>Recipient:</b> .....	<b>Dr. Tom Takubo</b> <i>Honorary Doctor of Laws</i>
<b>Commencement Address</b> .....	<b>Dr. Tom Takubo</b>
<b>Presentation of Graduates</b> .....	<b>Dr. Kim Spiezio</b> Provost & Executive Vice President
<b>Conferring of Degrees</b> .....	<b>President Roth</b>
<b>Closing Comments</b> .....	<b>President Roth</b>

### Alma Mater

### Virtual Recognition of Graduates *(livestream only)*

The audience should remain at their seats until dismissed. We ask that the audience exit the arena in a timely manner to allow for health and safety cleaning protocols in between commencement ceremonies. Please feel free to take photos outside on the riverbank lawn after the ceremony with your graduate!



## HONORARY DEGREE RECIPIENT

Commencement Speaker

**Tom Takubo, DO, FCCP**  
Executive Vice President of Provider Relations,  
WVU Health System

*Doctor of Laws*

You have dedicated your career to helping others suffering from the same pulmonary diseases and conditions that you watched your father experience due to black lung disease. Today, you are a principal of Pulmonary Associates of Charleston and the executive vice president of provider relations at WVU Health System, the WV Senate Majority Leader, and a leader in the field of health care.

You attended Marshall University and graduated from the West Virginia School of Osteopathic Medicine. You completed your internal medicine residency at WVU's Charleston campus, then joined the faculty at WVU and began the critical care program at CAMC. You then went to East Tennessee State University as a pulmonary and critical care fellow.

When you returned to West Virginia, you and Dr. Kevin Eggleston co-founded Pulmonary Associates, a practice that has grown to include seven physicians, 13 advanced practice providers, and about 80 employees.

Your commitment to improving health care for all West Virginians led to your being elected to the West Virginia Legislature in 2014, where you currently serve as Senate Majority Leader.

You have brought your knowledge and experience as a physician to help shape and direct health care legislation saying, "it is crucial for health care professionals to be involved in the decisions that affect all our health outcomes and access."

In addition to your roles in the state Senate, your practice, and at WVU Health System, you volunteer through West Virginia Health Right, providing care to underserved West Virginians, and served as medical director for the Remote Area Medical Volunteer Corps clinic, after the severe flooding in the southern part of the state in 2016.

"There is simply so much need that a physician could almost work indefinite hours," you once said. "It is important to take time for my family and for myself. My medical career has opened other doors, such as the honor of serving in the state Senate but finding the time for both is oftentimes the most daunting task."

Of all your notable accomplishments, you have said your greatest life success is your three children, and you are happy to raise them in West Virginia, saying that "West Virginia is home."

For your devotion and commitment to your home and the health of all West Virginians, as well as your outstanding work in helping move the Mountain State forward, it is our privilege to present to you, Tom Takubo, DO, FCCP, the honorary Doctor of Laws, *honoris causa*.

# SCHOOL OF HEALTH SCIENCES

Graduate Programs

## Master of Physician Assistant Studies

**Rachel Elizabeth Boyce**  
Virginia Beach, VA

**Nicole Alyson Burks**  
South Charleston, WV

**Jade Luciana Carbonelli**  
Charleston, WV

**Hannah Clark**  
Charleston, WV

**Sierra Elsman**  
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**Madison J. Flicker**  
Colorado Springs, CO

**Brooke Garey**  
Macedonia, OH

**Kayla A. Harmon**  
Parkersburg, WV

**Ashley Hilton**  
Arlington, VA

**Kelly Min Hong**  
Ann Arbor, MI

**Brooklyn Nicole Jones**  
Glen Morgan, WV

**Clinton Liang**  
Charleston, WV

**Bernadette J. Luby**  
Charleston, WV

**Kaleigh Annmarie Maxey**  
Peterstown, WV

**Jeffrey Miller**  
Dunbar, WV

**Katharine Nicole Morford**  
Decatur, GA

**Cecile Adrienne Msays**  
Ridgefield, CT

**Alyssa Sue Pantle**  
Katy, TX

**Haley Elizabeth Patterson**  
Charleston, WV

**Katie Lauren Preece**  
Danville, WV

**Victoria Jean Rollin**  
Pittsburgh, PA

**Maren Mae Schultz**  
Stoughton, WI

**Celena Marie Sympson**  
Windsor, NY

**Alexandra Troia**  
Bruce Township, MI

**Eric Michael Udermann**  
Charleston, WV

**Grace Elizabeth Warde**  
Salem, OR

**Madison Sally Yaeger**  
Minneapolis, MN

**Katherine Anne Yakuboff**  
Roanoke, VA

**Brett Zavadil**  
St. Louis, MO

# SCHOOL OF BUSINESS & LEADERSHIP

Graduate Programs

## Master of Business Administration

**Petir Alexander Abdal**  
Charleston, WV  
Healthcare  
Management  
Concentration

**Alejandro Abellana Lopez**  
*Honors*  
Lorca  
Spain  
Business Analytics  
Concentration

**Sumaiya Akter**  
*Honors*  
Narayanganj  
Bangladesh  
Business Analytics  
Concentration

**David Joseph Anderson\***  
*Honors*  
Saint Albans, WV  
Management  
Concentration

**Jordan Bailey**  
*Honors*  
Springfield, OH  
Business Analytics  
Concentration

**Evrosina Ossama Bolok**  
North Royalton, OH  
Healthcare  
Management  
Concentration

**Carmelita Sheryl Brown-Duke**  
Philadelphia, PA  
Healthcare  
Management  
Concentration

**Hunter Burns Lopez**  
*Honors*  
Carriere, MS  
Management  
Concentration

**Anthony Carfagna**  
*Honors*  
Charleston, WV  
Healthcare  
Management  
Concentration

**George Chalil**  
Cleveland, OH  
Healthcare  
Management  
Concentration

**Timothy Alan Dean Jr. \***  
*Honors*  
Woodstock, VA  
Management  
Concentration

**Kristoffer Edou Doura\***  
Miami, FL  
Management  
Concentration

**Alicia Fanni**  
West Islip, NY  
Business Analytics  
Concentration

**Brandon Casey Garnes\***  
Red House, WV  
Management  
Concentration

**Horia-Matei Grovu**  
*Honors*  
Charleston, WV  
Management  
Concentration

**David F. Gunnoe\***  
*Honors*  
South Charleston, WV  
Business Analytics  
Concentration

**Jermaine Olanrewaju Johnson**  
Sugar Land, TX  
Healthcare  
Management  
Concentration

**Dyllan Chance Lewis**  
Renick, WV  
Healthcare  
Management  
Concentration

**Amanda Acelie Lizaire\***  
West Palm Beach, FL  
Management  
Concentration

**Emmanuella Onyekwere-Eke\***  
*Honors*  
Charleston, WV  
Business Analytics  
Concentration

\*Denotes August 2023 graduates

**Kristyn Lee Rooke**  
Charleston, WV  
Healthcare  
Management  
Concentration

**Ethan Wells Soderna**  
Honors  
Chicago, IL  
Management  
Concentration

**Maryheather Walsh**  
Chicago, IL  
Healthcare  
Management  
Concentration

**Meghan N. Wheeler**  
Honors  
Hinton, WV  
Management  
Concentration

**David Wick Perez\***  
Honors  
Clarksville, TN  
Management  
Concentration

**Glenn Kevin Daniels\***  
Honors  
Chesapeake, VA  
Strategic Leadership  
Strategy As Practice  
Concentration

**James Franklin Davis Jr.**  
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Cybersecurity  
Cyber Security Strategy

**Ian Martins de Oliveira**  
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Strategic Leadership  
Crisis Leadership  
Concentration

**Aaron Christian Dowdy**  
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Strategy As Practice  
Concentration

**Eliza Easton**  
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Concentration

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Strategy As Practice  
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Business Leadership  
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Concentration

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Concentration

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Strategy As Practice  
Concentration

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Strategy As Practice  
Concentration

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Strategy As Practice  
Concentration

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Concentration

**Jordan R. Bennett**  
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Norman, OK  
Strategic Leadership  
Strategy As Practice  
Concentration

**Thomas Albert Berthiaume**  
Honors  
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Strategic Leadership  
Strategy As Practice  
Concentration

**Levi Blain**  
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Poulsbo, WA  
Cybersecurity  
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Strategy As Practice  
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Honors  
Kissimmee, FL  
Strategic Leadership  
Crisis Leadership  
Concentration

**Erin Ashely Carmody\***  
Sewickley, PA  
Business and Data  
Analytics

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Honors  
Chula Vista, CA  
Cybersecurity  
Cyber Security Strategy

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Concentration

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Concentration

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**Stevie Hernandez\***

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Oman

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Smyrna, GA

**Dr. Richard M. Borden**  
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**Dr. Dianne Williamson Bunch**  
*Honors*  
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**Dr. Anna Capozzi**  
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Italy

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**Dr. Kevin Bernard Weston**  
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# SCHOOL OF PHARMACY

## Doctor of Pharmacy

**Dr. Petir Alexander Abdal**  
*Cum Laude*  
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**Dr. Alejandra Albino Ramirez**  
Dorado, PR

**Dr. Ali Rasheed A. Aldar**  
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**Dr. Darius Jamil Berry**  
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Cumberland, MD

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**Dr. Bryce Bittinger**  
Fairmont, WV

**Dr. Hannah Joy Blackburn**  
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**Dr. Evrosina Ossama Bolok**  
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**Dr. Carmelita Sheryl Brown-Duke**  
Philadelphia, PA

**Dr. Colin Andrew Burke**  
Rogersville, TN

**Dr. Anthony Carfagna**  
*Magna Cum Laude*  
Charleston, WV

**Dr. Nicholas Andrew Cavender**  
Dunbar, WV

**Dr. George Chalil**  
*Cum Laude*  
Cleveland, OH

**Dr. Ahmad Chraim**  
Charleston, WV

**Dr. Lauren Elizabeth Coccari**  
*Cum Laude*  
Charleston, WV

**Dr. Trey Faber**  
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**Dr. Michael Gerges**  
Vaughan, ON

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Pearland, TX

**Dr. Jermaine Olanrewaju Johnson**  
Sugar Land, TX

**Dr. Wesley Jones**  
Princeton, WV

**Dr. Zourayz Kamran**  
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Ripley, WV

**Dr. Dyllan Chance Lewis**  
Renick, WV

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**Dr. Ashley Brooke Luster**  
Kingsport, TN

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Santa Isabel, PR

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Charleston, WV

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Liberty Township, OH

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**Dr. Arnaud Duclos Yotat**  
Forestville, MD

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### Honors Key:

#### Associate Degree

3.90 to 4.00 = With Highest Honors  
3.75 to 3.89 = With High Honors  
3.50 to 3.74 = With Honors

#### Bachelor Degree

3.90 to 4.00 = Summa Cum Laude  
3.75 to 3.89 = Magna Cum Laude  
3.50 to 3.74 = Cum Laude

#### Academic Distinction

Undergraduate students who are permitted to apply 60 or more transfer credits toward a bachelor's degree or 30 or more transfer credits toward an associate degree are eligible to graduate with Academic Distinction if they maintain a cumulative, institutional G.P.A. of 3.90 or better while in residence at the University of Charleston.

#### Honors for Graduate Degrees

Each graduate program determines the title and expectations for honors.

*NOTE: Honors and Academic Distinction are based on all completed work at the University. Honors and Academic Distinction listed in the program are based on the most recent graded session. Honors and Academic Distinction will be noted on the diploma and official transcript of the graduate after the completion of all graduation requirements that affect GPA.*

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