



THE ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY SECOND  
UNDERGRADUATE  
**COMMENCEMENT**

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SATURDAY, APRIL 27, 2024

11 A.M.

# UNDERGRADUATE COMMENCEMENT



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STOFFER FAMILY STADIUM | LEMMONS FAMILY FIELD

## PRELUDE

George Fox University Wind Ensemble  
Dwayne Corbin, *conductor*

## PROCESSIONAL\*

*Fanfare and Processional* ..... Edward Elgar, arr by Dwayne Corbin  
George Fox University Wind Ensemble  
Dwayne Corbin, *conductor*

## WELCOME

Robin E. Baker, *president, George Fox University*

## INVOCATION\*

Jennie Harrop, *associate professor of professional programs; associate dean, Adult Degree Programs*

## SCRIPTURE READING\*

David Martinez, *director, Center for Study Abroad; associate professor of Spanish*  
Colossians 3:12-17

## SPECIAL MUSIC

*The Lord Bless You and Keep You* ..... Peter C. Lutkin  
George Fox University Concert Choir  
Danielle Warner, *conductor*

## ADDRESS: "THE ILLUSION OF SUCCESS"

Mikayla Hansen, *registered nurse, Boston Children's Hospital*

## PRESENTATION OF THE CLASS OF 2024

Mary Peterson, *vice president of academic operations*

## CONFERRING OF DEGREES

Robin E. Baker

\* Audience please stand

PRESENTATION OF DIPLOMAS

Robin E. Baker

*Assisted by Joseph Clair, executive dean of the Cultural Enterprise*

*Dave Cimbora, executive dean of the Wellness Enterprise*

*Melissa Thomas, registrar*

BENEDICTION\*

*Kelly Chang, professor of psychology*

RECESSIONAL/POSTLUDE\*

*“March” from Suite in Eb . . . . . Gustav Holst*

FACULTY MARSHALS

*Melanie Mock, professor of English*

*Gary Tandy, professor of English*

HONOR GUARD

*Ellena Corwin, senior, psychology graduate*

*Karla Martinez Pantoja, junior, business administration major*

COMMENCEMENT SPEAKER: MIKAYLA HANSEN



Mikayla Hansen is a pediatric nurse and graduate of George Fox University’s nursing program. In addition to a bachelor’s degree from George Fox, she earned a master of science in nursing from the University of South Alabama. Mikayla started her career as an acute care nurse at Stanford Children’s Hospital in California, where she worked for three years before relocating to the East Coast. She currently works as a bedside and charge nurse at Boston Children’s Hospital on a step-down ICU that provides comprehensive care to medically and socially complex patients from around the world. Her great passion as a nurse is to provide culturally competent care and minimize language barriers present in healthcare. Outside of work, Mikayla serves as an intern at The Table Boston Church, where she is involved with community building and leading worship.

*As a courtesy to others, we ask that you remain seated and do not use flash photography during the program. For the presentation of diplomas portion only, guests are welcome to take pictures of their graduates in the guest photography area at the edge of the track to the left of the guest seating. Please remain behind the fencing and promptly return to your seat after your pictures are taken.*

\* Audience please stand

## FACULTY RECOGNITION

George Fox University Faculty Achievement Award for Undergraduate Teaching  
Kevin Brewer, *assistant professor of mathematics*

George Fox University Faculty Achievement Award for Graduate Teaching  
Li-Zandre Philbrook, *assistant professor of physical therapy*

George Fox University Faculty Achievement Award for Undergraduate Research and Scholarship  
Nathan Slegers, *professor of mechanical engineering*

George Fox University Faculty Achievement Award for Graduate Research and Scholarship  
Ekaterina Lomperis, *Richard B. Parker Assistant Professor of Theology & Wesleyan Thought*

## HONORS PROGRAM GRADUATES

Julia Rose Dawn Bedell, Austin Tyler Bradford, Isaac Brown, Emelia Elisabeth Corazza, Carleigh Grace DeLapp, Kathryn Grace Erb, Anya Elizabeth Immel, Elisabeth Christine Jensen, Annika Kelson, Sophia Rene Komarek, Cecilia Rose Kurdelak, Autumn Kaye Lauber, Avery Lund, Brianne S. Moore, Samuel Alexander Nofziger, Lillian Ruth Pinkston, Emma Rodrigues, Prateek Joshua Samson, Jessica Schorie, Zoditu Joy Schwind, Emma Grace Symmank, Honor Emanuelle Tamminga, Alandra Uwizera Thomas, Brayden James Tibbetts, Annika Lan Tuggy, Beth Analeise Wegener

## LEGACY STUDENTS

*Legacy students are those who have at least one parent or grandparent who is considered an alumni of an undergraduate or graduate degree program at George Fox University.*

Raeleigh Cadd, Brigid Daniels, Sandor Eszenyi, Kya Glover, Piper Harrop, Maggie Hartley, Brynne Hewitt, Grace Hurty, Courtney Jones, Annie Jones, Noelle Knipe, Maddy McCollum, James Moore, Elli Nauman, Peter Nordlund, Rachel Oppenlander, Cody Price, Nathan Redman-Brown, Karson Rhoads, Linnaea Rusaw, Logan Russell, Hannah Shelley, Rachel Sherwood, Alandra Thomas, Grace Umfleet, Sarah Whitely, Ellie Wilber, Joshua Williams

## OUTSTANDING STUDENTS FROM EACH MAJOR/AREA

**Animation:** Kennedy Green  
**Art & Design:** KaiLee Jones and Madeline Cognasso  
**Biblical Studies:** Julia Bedell  
**Biochemistry:** Austin Clark  
**Biology:** Brynne Hewitt and Christina Lefler  
**Biomedical Engineering:** Jenessa Teachout  
**Christian Ministries:** Peyton Caballero  
**Cinematic Arts:** Cameron Bennett and Jordan Ryan  
**Civil Engineering:** Elizabeth Eastlick and Scott McBride  
**Cognitive Science:** Grace Meyer  
**Communication Arts:** Emmalee Johnson  
**Computer Science:** Jonah Gent and Harry Zhu  
**Computer Science (Cyber Security):** Daniel Beachy  
**Economics:** Emma Brezler  
**Electrical Engineering:** Nathanael Brucker  
**Elementary Education – Adult Degree:** Jade Worthington and Daniel Rodriguez II  
**Elementary Education – Traditional Degree:** Shelby Franks and Chloe Morlan  
**English:** Lillian Pinkston and Mary Grace Curran  
**Exercise Science:** Courtney VanGiesen and Jared Miller  
**Finance:** Nathan Redman-Brown  
**Financial Planning:** Nicole Lindblom and Aidan Randall  
**Kinesiology:** Carleigh DeLapp and Kiegan Schaan  
**History:** Sierra Reisman  
**Information Systems:** Ryan Silver  
**International Studies:** Samuel Nofziger  
**Management:** Peter Nordlund and Alvin Lai  
**Marketing:** Ellaynah Brown and Makensie Toole  
**Mathematics:** Willa Evans  
**Mechanical Engineering:** Elisabeth Jensen and Lilianna Giesbrecht  
**Music:** Robi Johnson  
**Music Education:** Graham Buyagawan  
**Nursing:** Amelia Barrett, Anna Simpson, Gethsemane Grace Hurty and Amy Holmes  
**Organizational Communication:** Bryce Goetz  
**Philosophy:** Austin Bradford  
**Public Relations:** Rachel Minami  
**Psychology:** Ellena Corwin and Maura Wagner  
**Social Work:** Yolanda Diaz and Addison Coulter  
**Theatre:** Emilia Corazza  
**Honors Program:** Zoditu Schwind and Honor Tamminga  
**Richard Engnell Outstanding Paper:** Emmalee Johnson

# CANDIDATES FOR DEGREES



Bachelor of Arts (BA)

Bachelor of Fine Arts (BFA)

Bachelor of Science (BS)

Bachelor of Science in Nursing (BSN)

Bachelor of Social Work (BSW)

*summa cum laude – with highest distinction, GPA of 3.90 or higher*

*magna cum laude – with great distinction, GPA of 3.70 or higher*

*cum laude – with distinction, GPA of 3.50 or higher*

Jaron Hymie Kapon Abela  
Nakashima, BS, Psychological  
Science: Experimental  
Psychology

Misty Adams, BA, Healthcare  
Administration, *cum laude*

Strider Ethan Adams, BS,  
Psychological Science:  
Experimental Psychology

Patrick Adkisson, BS,  
Engineering: Mechanical  
Engineering, *cum laude*

Rafael Aguilar Cortez, BS,  
Engineering: Civil Engineering

Cobey Dylan Aldrich, BS,  
Psychological Science:  
Experimental Psychology

Emma Anderson, BS,  
Engineering: Mechanical  
Engineering

William Alexander Anderson,  
BS, Engineering: Biomedical  
Engineering/Mechanical  
Engineering

Abigail Natalie Antonov, BA,  
Business Administration:  
Management/Marketing, *magna  
cum laude*

Traci Jo Archer, BSN, Nursing

Deanne Armstrong, BFA, Interior  
Design

Cole Michael Atiyeh, BSN,  
Nursing, *magna cum laude*

Madeline Mae Bailey, BA,  
Psychology, *magna cum laude*

Matthew Damir Baiza, BS,  
Kinesiology: Exercise Science

Benjamin Davis Baker, BS,  
Engineering: Mechanical  
Engineering

Emma Claire Baker, BA,  
Theology: Christian Ministries,  
Psychology

Abigail Ashley Ballard, BS,  
Kinesiology: Exercise Science,  
*magna cum laude*

Reade Lanier Barber, BS, Biology,  
*cum laude*

Olivia Barner, BS, Computer  
Science: General, *magna cum  
laude*

Sabrina Barragan, BSN, Nursing,  
*magna cum laude*

Amelia Kathleen Barrett, BSN,  
Nursing, *summa cum laude*

Jesse Bartel, BS, Engineering:  
Civil Engineering

Daniel Shenk Beachy, BS,  
Computer Science: Cyber  
Security, *summa cum laude*

Hannah Grace Beardemphl, BS,  
Kinesiology: Exercise Science,  
*summa cum laude*

‘Ilinah Kaleianuenue Akaka  
Beatty, BFA, Interior Design,  
*summa cum laude*

Julia Rose Dawn Bedell, BA,  
Theology: Biblical Studies, *cum  
laude*

Ariana Marie Bennett, BA,  
Communication: Human  
Communication

Cameron Wiseman Bennett, BA,  
Cinematic Arts: Audio Production

Payton McKenna Bergren, BSN,  
Nursing, *cum laude*

Lisette Marguerite Berho, BFA,  
Interior Design, *magna cum laude*

Colin David Bethurum, BS,  
Kinesiology: Exercise Science

Avery T. Betz, BSN, Nursing,  
*magna cum laude*

Caleb Brian Biggers, BA, Business  
Administration: Management

Isabella Joy Biondi, BA,  
Illustration, *summa cum laude*

Katelyn Jane Birtell, BA,  
Psychology, *cum laude*

Chyanna Grace Blackburn, BS,  
Biology, *magna cum laude*

Spencer Curtis Blalock, BSN,  
Nursing, *magna cum laude*

Samantha Grace Boughton, BS,  
Biology

Kacey Bouwman, BSN, Nursing,  
*cum laude*

Lauren Nicole Boyles, BA,  
Psychology

Austin Tyler Bradford, BA,  
Theology: Philosophy, *cum laude*

Lucy Brandt, BSN, Nursing,  
*summa cum laude*

Matthew James Brewer, BS,  
Mathematics, *magna cum laude*

Emma Josephine Brezler, BA,  
Business Administration:  
Economics, *summa cum laude*

Joleen Brickley, BSN, Nursing,  
*summa cum laude*

Luellarainn Alice Briles, BSN,  
Nursing, *magna cum laude*

Ellaynah Brown, BA, Business  
Administration: Marketing,  
*summa cum laude*

Isaac Brown, BA,  
Interdisciplinary Studies:  
English/History/Philosophy, *cum laude*

Natalie Rebecca Brown, BA,  
Psychology

Wyatt William Brown, BA,  
Theology: Christian Ministries

Nathanael Royal Brucker,  
BS, Engineering: Electrical  
Engineering

Nolan Charles Bryant, BSN,  
Nursing, *magna cum laude*

David Duy Bui, BS, Biology:  
General Biology, Biochemistry,  
*cum laude*

Grace Elaine Burns, BS,  
Psychology, *magna cum laude*

Graham Keller Buyagawan,  
BA, Music: Performance, Music  
Education, *magna cum laude*

Sawyer Keller Buyagawan, BA,  
Theatre: Acting/Directing, *magna cum laude*

Grace Bydlon, BA, English:  
Writing, *cum laude*

Peyton Elizabeth Caballero, BA,  
Theology: Christian Ministries,  
*cum laude*

Austin Canchola, BS,  
Engineering: Civil Engineering,  
*cum laude*

Nicole Darina Canedo Valencia,  
BSN, Nursing, *magna cum laude*

Erin Angela Carlson, BA,  
Management and Organizational  
Leadership

Marina Carroll, BS, Kinesiology:  
Exercise Science, *magna cum laude*

Carson Forrest Casey, BA,  
Business Administration:  
Management, *magna cum laude*

Natalie Nicole Casey, BA,  
English: Writing, *magna cum laude*

Aireen Sta. Cruz Celestino, BS,  
Kinesiology: Exercise Science

Laila Sta. Cruz Celestino, BA,  
Psychology

Mia Cha, BS, Elementary  
Education, *cum laude*

Katrina Charbonnier, BSN,  
Nursing, *magna cum laude*

Henry Morrison Clancy, BA,  
History, *cum laude*

Teagan Danielle Clancy, BS,  
Engineering: Civil Engineering

Austin Takeo Clark, BS,  
Biochemistry, *magna cum laude*

Maverick Diego Clements, BS,  
Computer Science: General

Madeline Elizabeth Cognasso,  
BFA, Interior Design, *summa cum laude*

Sierra Malia Coke, BSN, Nursing,  
*summa cum laude*

Elizabeth Anne Cook, BA,  
Business Administration:  
Management, *magna cum laude*

Shaylee Penberthy Cooper, BSN,  
Nursing, *cum laude*

Emelia Elisabeth Corazza, BA,  
Theatre: Acting/Directing,  
English: Writing, *summa cum laude*

Ellena Wynn Corwin, BA,  
Psychology, *summa cum laude*

Madilyn Costello, BS,  
Engineering: Electrical  
Engineering

Addison Mae Coulter, BSW,  
Social Work, *magna cum laude*

Narissa Rose Covert, BSN,  
Nursing, *magna cum laude*

Katelyn Marie Crawford, BSN,  
Nursing, *magna cum laude*

Hannah Grace Crother, BSN,  
Nursing, *magna cum laude*

Mary Grace Christian Curran,  
BA, English: Writing, *summa cum laude*

Irene Marie Cyr, BSN, Nursing,  
*summa cum laude*

Pamela Ann Dalton, BA, Business  
Administration: Management

Brigid Kathleen Daniels, BSN,  
Nursing, *summa cum laude*

Tyler Solomon Davis, BA, Graphic  
Design

Benjamin Donald De Troye, BA,  
English: Literature

Taylor Ann DeKoning, BS,  
Kinesiology: Exercise Science,  
*magna cum laude*

Mia Grace DeKraker, BA,  
Business Administration

Daniel Alejandro Del Cid  
Consuegra, BS, Biology: Cell and  
Molecular Biology

Carleigh Grace DeLapp, BS,  
Kinesiology: Exercise Science,  
*summa cum laude*

Selena DeLeon, BSN, Nursing,  
*cum laude*

Jeanelle Delos Reyes, BSN,  
Nursing

Scott Michael Demaree, BS,  
Engineering: Mechanical  
Engineering, *summa cum laude*

Darinee Sue DeNeui, BS,  
Engineering: Civil Engineering,  
*cum laude*

Ken Aso Denham, BS,  
Engineering: Mechanical  
Engineering

Cori Ann DeWinter, BA,  
Healthcare Administration

Yolanda Diaz, BSW, Social Work,  
*cum laude*

Kevin A. Do, BS, Biochemistry

Dillan Matthew Dobbins,  
BA, Business Administration:  
Economics

Rylee Doerfler, BSN, Nursing

Brooke Donaca, BA, Psychology  
& Mental Health Studies

Chase Drake, BA, Music: Music:  
Liberal Arts

Katherine Marisa Duran, BSN,  
Nursing, *magna cum laude*

Elizabeth Blanche Eastlick, BS, Engineering: Civil Engineering, *summa cum laude*

Emma M. Eastman, BS, Mathematics, *magna cum laude*

Mason Andrew Eastman, BA, Business Administration: Economics

Michael Edward Echtle, BS, Engineering: Civil Engineering

Nadia Erika Eibach, BA, Marketing

Bleu Alexander Ellis, BA, Accounting, *cum laude*

Kathryn Grace Erb, BA, Music: Music Industry, *summa cum laude*

Ana Rachelle Espinoza Granados, BS, Biology: General Biology

Katelyn Denise Esther, BSN, Nursing, *magna cum laude*

Sandor David Eszenyi, BS, Biology: Ecology and Field Biology

Willa Evans, BS, Mathematics, *summa cum laude*

Grace Evia Del Puerto, BA, Psychology, *cum laude*

Xiang Fang, BA, Business Administration: Marketing

Madelyn Rachel Farnham, BA, English: Writing

Ruvin Anthony Fernando, BSN, Nursing, *cum laude*

Milan Leuma Fisher, BA, Psychology

Kylie Ann Fisk, BSN, Nursing, *cum laude*

Garrett Tyler Fissell, BA, Management and Organizational Leadership, *summa cum laude*

Jessica Rae Fitzgerald, BA, Cinematic Arts: Animation

Giselle Flint, BS, Biology: Systems and Structural Biology, *cum laude*

Ashley Foster, BA, Marketing

Shelby Austin Franks, BS, Elementary Education, *magna cum laude*

Genevieve Clare Frith, BSN, Nursing, *cum laude*

Hunter Fujimori, BS, Kinesiology: Exercise Science, *magna cum laude*

GINNA SUJEY GALLARDO, BS, Kinesiology: Exercise Science

Alison Priscila Gamboa, BS, Biology: General Biology

Austin Gappa, BS, Engineering: Mechanical Engineering

Jose Garcia Garfias, BA, Management and Organizational Leadership, *summa cum laude*

Sitate Tesfaye Gelgelu, BSN, Nursing, *cum laude*

Jonah A. Gent, BS, Computer Science: General, Mathematics and Data Analytics, *summa cum laude*

Olivia Johanna Geyling, BSN, Nursing, *magna cum laude*

James Austin Ghitea, BS, Biology, *cum laude*

Jessica Ghitea, BS, Biology, *cum laude*

Jason Levi Gibson, BS, Engineering: Biomedical Engineering

Lilianna Giesbrecht, BS, Engineering: Mechanical Engineering, *summa cum laude*

Jose Godinez, BSN, Nursing, *magna cum laude*

Bryce Joseph Goetz, BA, Communication: Organizational Communication, Management, *magna cum laude*

Maxton Landre Gould, Sr., BFA, Interior Design

Gavin Todd Grass, BA, Business Administration: Marketing, *magna cum laude*

Kennedy Ann Green, BA, Cinematic Arts: Animation, *magna cum laude*

Mason Hunter Gronewald, BA, Business Administration: Economics/Management, *magna cum laude*

Angela Groz, BSN, Nursing, *cum laude*

Schuyler Brianna Shepherd Ham, BA, Cinematic Arts: Animation, *magna cum laude*

Brian K. Hamlin, BSN, Nursing, *magna cum laude*

Aliya Kamalei Harmon, BFA, Interior Design, *magna cum laude*

Katelyn F. Harms-Loomis, BS, Kinesiology: Exercise Science, *magna cum laude*

Avery Lynn Harpham, BA, Business Administration: Marketing

Piper E. Harrop, BA, Psychology, *cum laude*

Margaret Anne Hartley, BSN, Nursing, *magna cum laude*

Joshua Hauenstein, BS, Kinesiology: Exercise Science

Alexandra Nicole Hauptmann, BSN, Nursing

Tyra Joy Hayashi, BFA, Interior Design, *magna cum laude*

Grant Russell Heeringa, BS, Engineering: Civil Engineering, *cum laude*

Bryn Nicole Heikes, BA, Marketing, *summa cum laude*

James Edward Helmen, BA, Healthcare Administration

Cassidy Mae Hendren, BFA, Interior Design

Madeline Elizabeth Herbert, BSW, Social Work, *magna cum laude*

Hannah Lily Hernandez, BA, Psychology

Brynne Hewitt, BS, Biology: General Biology, *summa cum laude*

Ryanne Katherine Hill, BSN, Nursing, *magna cum laude*

Kalena Yukiko Hiranaga, BA, Business Administration: Management

Ethan Riley Hogan, BA, History

Kristin Holmberg, BSN, Nursing, *magna cum laude*

Amy Elizabeth Holmes, BSN, Nursing, *magna cum laude*

Melissa Hooten, BA, Graphic Design, *summa cum laude*

Marvin A. Hozi, BS, Computer Science: General

Katherine Laurel Hudjohn, BSN, Nursing, *cum laude*



Belinda Ann Hudson, BSN,  
Nursing, *magna cum laude*

Kylie Hull, BS, Kinesiology:  
Exercise Science

Gethsemane Grace Hurty, BSN,  
Nursing, *summa cum laude*

Madeleine Jane Huwe, BSN,  
Nursing, *summa cum laude*

Tra-Giang Nguyen Huynh, BA,  
Graphic Design

Anya Elizabeth Immel, BS,  
Psychology, *magna cum laude*

Henry W. Inglesby, BA, Biology,  
*cum laude*

Jasmine Izucar-Rangel, BSN,  
Nursing, *cum laude*

Cy Delaney Jackson, BSN,  
Nursing, *magna cum laude*

Camille Alysse Jakeway, BA,  
Psychology, *magna cum laude*

Fiona Elizabeth James, BA,  
Interdisciplinary Studies:  
Business Administration/History

Chase Januik, BA, Business  
Administration: Management,  
*magna cum laude*

Elisabeth Christine Jensen,  
BS, Engineering: Mechanical  
Engineering, *summa cum laude*

Emmalee Juanez Johnson,  
BA, Communication: Human  
Communication; BA, Spanish,  
*summa cum laude*

Kaitlyn Johnson, BA, Graphic  
Design, *summa cum laude*

Robi Lei Johnson, BA, Music:  
Music Industry/Music: Liberal  
Arts, *cum laude*

David Johnston, BS, Engineering:  
Mechanical Engineering

Addyson Marie Armstrong Jones,  
BSN, Nursing, *cum laude*

Bryce Robert Jones, BSN,  
Nursing, *cum laude*

Courtney Lynn Jones, BSN,  
Nursing, *magna cum laude*

Isabelle Jones, BA, Business  
Administration: Management,  
*magna cum laude*

KaiLee Grace Jones, BA, Graphic  
Design, *summa cum laude*

Stephanie Juarez Trujillo, BSN,  
Nursing, *magna cum laude*

Gracen L. Kaufman, BA, History:  
Politics

Noah Alfred Keener, BA,  
Theology: Christian Ministries

Sierra Marie Keller, BSN, Nursing,  
*magna cum laude*

Annika Kelson, BSN, Nursing,  
*magna cum laude*

Sean Edward Kennedy,  
BS, Engineering: Electrical  
Engineering

Skylar Rae Kersten, BSN,  
Nursing, *magna cum laude*

Cody Keylock, BA, Business  
Administration: Marketing

Kennedy Alene Kibby, BSW,  
Social Work, *magna cum laude*

Mirim Kim, BSN, Nursing, *cum  
laude*

Mauhia An Hui Kimata, BS,  
Biology: General Biology, *magna  
cum laude*

Louis Tobias Klauder, II., BS,  
Computer Science: General,  
*magna cum laude*

Alexandra Danielle Knight, BSN,  
Nursing

Noelle Knipe, BA, Management,  
Marketing, *summa cum laude*

Madeline Grace Koch, BA,  
Illustration, *magna cum laude*

Nathaniel Meyer Koenig, BS,  
Engineering: Civil Engineering

Sophia Rene Komarek, BA,  
Theatre: Acting/Directing,  
English: Writing, *magna cum laude*

Cecilia Rose Kurdelak, BS,  
Computer Science: General,  
*magna cum laude*

Jenna Marie Lacey, BSN, Nursing

Alvin Fann Lai, BA, Business  
Administration: Management/  
Marketing, *summa cum laude*

April Leann LaPlante, BFA,  
Interior Design, *magna cum laude*

Autumn Kaye Lauber, BA,  
Psychology

Sonny Le, BSN, Nursing

David Leal Cook, BA, Marketing,  
*cum laude*

Anaiya I. Lee, BS, Psychological  
Science: Experimental  
Psychology, *cum laude*

Mackenna Siobhan Leedy,  
BS, Psychological Science:  
Experimental Psychology, *magna  
cum laude*

Christina Mary Lefler, BS,  
Biology: Systems and Structural  
Biology, *summa cum laude*

Mackenzie Lyn Lewis, BS,  
Biology: General Biology

Solomon Lewis, BS, Engineering:  
Mechanical Engineering

Ashley Kayte Lewton, BSN,  
Nursing

Michael Liang, BSN, Nursing

Sarah McKenzie Lightley, BA,  
Psychology, *magna cum laude*

Kobe John Kaimikupono Lilio,  
BA, Business Administration:  
Management

Bergen Arthur Lilleskare, BS,  
Computer Science: General; BA,  
English: Writing, *cum laude*

Nicole Lindblom, BS, Financial  
Services: Financial Planning,  
*magna cum laude*

Gracen Adel Livingston, BA,  
Graphic Design, *cum laude*

Jesse Samuel Long, BA,  
Marketing

Dominic Warner Guan Jie Low,  
BS, Computer Science: General

Avery Lund, BS, Biology: Cell and  
Molecular Biology

Saturnino Macias, III, BS,  
Engineering: Civil Engineering

Breanna Janae` Maciel, BS,  
Biology: General Biology, *magna  
cum laude*

Payton Just-Us Madarieta,  
BA, Studio Arts and Arts  
Administration, *magna cum laude*

Franz Zcheska Mariño Magada,  
BA, Graphic Design

Maclairyn Lynette Magruder, BS,  
Kinesiology: Exercise Science

Linda Linh Mai, BSN, Nursing

Emily Maksinchuk, BSN, Nursing,  
*magna cum laude*

Fernanda Maldonado-Gongora, BS, Biology	Anna Elise Medina, BA, Music: Performance, Music Education	Emmanuel Mapenzi Mwaala, BS, Project Management
Lainy Shae Malimban, BSN, Nursing, <i>cum laude</i>	Noah Mitchell Meffert, BA, Communication: Organizational Communication, <i>magna cum laude</i>	Victoria Nago, BS, Engineering: Civil Engineering, <i>summa cum laude</i>
Keely Payton Malloy, BSN, Nursing, <i>summa cum laude</i>	Dylan Giovanni Mehl, BA, Business Administration: Management, <i>summa cum laude</i>	Jaelyn Grace Nanez, BA, Interdisciplinary Studies: Psychology/Social Work/Sociology
Megumi Micah Mandish, BA, English: Writing, <i>magna cum laude</i>	Emma Rosemarie Mendoza, BSW, Social Work, <i>magna cum laude</i>	Eryka I. M. Napoleon, BA, Management, <i>summa cum laude</i>
Noah Robert Miner Mannion, BS, Engineering: Mechanical Engineering	Erin Noel Meredith, BA, Psychology	Elliana Grace Nauman, BA, Studio Arts and Arts Administration, <i>magna cum laude</i>
Charlie Marks, BA, Business Administration: Finance	Beth Jian Qi Merritt, BSW, Social Work, <i>summa cum laude</i>	Arie Nguyen, BSN, Nursing
Jaron Marks, BS, Kinesiology: Physical Activity and Health Promotion	Grace E. Meyer, BS, Psychological Science: Neuroscience, <i>magna cum laude</i>	Chau Nguyen, BS, Elementary Education, <i>cum laude</i>
Lydia Grace Marlowe, BSN, Nursing, <i>summa cum laude</i>	Mitchell T. Milburn, BA, Cinema and Media Communication: Film and Video Production	Jamie Nguyen, BSN, Nursing
Julia Martin, BS, Engineering: Computer Engineering; BS, Computer Science: General	Jared Alden Miller, BS, Kinesiology: Exercise Science, <i>summa cum laude</i>	Samuel Alexander Nofziger, BA, International Studies, <i>summa cum laude</i>
Daisy Grace Mathisen, BA, Music: Preteaching, <i>cum laude</i>	Kayla N. Miller, BS, Engineering: Mechanical Engineering, <i>magna cum laude</i>	Peter Mark Nordlund, BS, Financial Services: Financial Planning, Business Administration: Management, <i>summa cum laude</i>
Jordan Mackenzie Maxwell, BSN, Nursing, <i>cum laude</i>	Alex Christian Mills, BS, Computer Science: Cyber Security, <i>summa cum laude</i>	Aisha Amani Oakes, BA, Cinematic Arts: Animation
Blake Mazurowski, BS, Engineering: Mechanical Engineering, <i>magna cum laude</i>	Rachel Minami, BA, Communication: Public Relations, <i>magna cum laude</i>	Anthony Ochoa, BSN, Nursing
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Security, *cum laude*

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Management, *cum laude*

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Writing, *magna cum laude*

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Finance, *magna cum laude*

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Psychology, *magna cum laude*

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Nursing, *magna cum laude*

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Nursing

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Psychological Science:  
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Psychology

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Communication: Organizational  
Communication, *summa cum  
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Communication

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General Biology, *cum laude*

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Administration: Finance, *cum  
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Chemistry

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Engineering, *magna cum laude*

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Engineering

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Computer Science: Cyber  
Security

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Creative Writing

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Planning

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Exercise Science

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## ACADEMIC REGALIA

Academic regalia generally consist of cap, gown, and hood worn on formal occasions at institutions of higher learning. It originated in the medieval period when the vast majority of scholars were of the clergy. The gown evolved from what most likely was the clergy's robe. The gown was originally black, but color was introduced as institutions left ecclesiastical control. The bachelor's gown is worn closed and is distinguished by its pointed sleeves. A master's gown is designed to be worn closed with long, crescent-shaped sleeves. The doctor's garb may be worn open or closed with velvet panels down the front and three bars on the round, bell-shaped sleeves.

The most distinguishing feature of the academic attire is the hood. The hood originated as the skull cap worn by the clergy to protect their heads from the elements. The hood served a three-fold purpose: head covering, shoulder cap, and bag for alms. The size and shape of the hood designates not only the college degree of the wearer but also the university he or she attended. The master's hood is three and one-half feet in length, while the doctor's hood is rounded and measures four feet in length. Hoods are lined with the official colors of the institution conferring the degree. The official colors of George Fox University are old gold and navy blue. The binding around the hood is velvet with the color indicative of the major field of study.

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