College of Business
Graduate Recognition

Fall 2020
**Academic Regalia Information**

Bachelor’s degree graduates wear a purple cap and gown, a tradition that began in 2007.

Master’s graduates wear a traditional black cap and gown and receive a colored hood. Of all the components of the academic costume, the hood is most symbolic. The hood’s coloring and size represent the level and subject of degree earned, as well as the institution from which it was awarded. The hood has colors on it in two different places. On one side of the hood there are patches of velvet, and on the other side there are large patches of silk. The silk patches are the colors of the institution that gave the degree. The velvet indicates the area of study.

All graduates wear a cap or “mortar board” with tassel. The tassels for graduate degrees may correspond to the trimmings on the hoods.

Stoles and cords represent a variety of honors and associations that a graduate has earned or participated in during their time at ECU.

Faculty typically wear regalia of the institution where they earned their highest degree.

**Degrees with Distinction**

Based on all work attempted at all higher education institutions throughout a students’ academic career and without regard to institutional practices which substitute or “forgive” grades, three levels of distinction are granted to graduating undergraduate students as follows:

*** Summa Cum Laude for a cumulative average of 3.90
** Magna Cum Laude for a cumulative average of 3.60
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Leonardo DaVinci once said, I love those who can smile in trouble. Today, I’m sure all of you are smiling and excited for what’s next in your life. You’ve been part of these unprecedented and troubling times, and today, you graduate from ECU’s College of Business.

I am so proud of all of you.

As you head toward your career and what’s next in your life’s journey, I trust you’ll believe that the College of Business has prepared you for what lies next. Though we don’t know what’s around the corner, I’m confident that the future will be brighter because you chose to get an education that focuses on leadership. You wanted more and wanted to be successful. Now, you want to make a difference.

You will accomplish what your heart desires, and I represent the entire College of Business (and its 30,000 alumni) when I write that we can’t wait to see all of your successes.

Please make sure to keep in touch and stay connected with your graduating class, your professors and instructors, and other Pirates™ that are forging successful paths in their careers.

You are essential to our future, and now, please think about how you can help us with your time, talent, treasure and influence. If you’d like to give back financially, please visit business.ecu.edu/give. If you’d like to offer your time, talent and influence, please visit business.ecu.edu/connect to learn more about the many ways you can stay involved.

Please wear the Pirate™ colors proudly and brag about how you graduated from one of the best colleges of businesses in the southeast.

Again, I want you to celebrate how you got here today and where you will go tomorrow.

On behalf of the College of Business faculty, staff and alumni, I congratulate you and wish you the very best.

With Appreciation,

Paul Schwager, Dean
College of Business
Master of Business Administration (MBA)

Erika Rae Alandt
Salvatore Luca Amato
Michaela Nicole Arndt
Melinda Ann Baca
Peter Martin Balent
Olivia Noelle Bartol
Felisa Lynn Benton
Chandler Bay Besser
Zachary Nelson Birtsch
Lyndsay Nichole Boone
David Moore Bradley
Kyle Joseph Brewer
Leslie Waddell Brown
Sarah Elizabeth Brown
Rachel Butts
Charles Vincent Carcich
Corey Thomas Chandler
Anela Cizmic
David E. Dennis
Michael Smith Clarke
Jessup Mitchell Cooper
Clifford Corbett
Travis James Corbett
Randall Nichole Corcoran
Michael Charles Cusumano
Tomas Edward Debinski
Paul Eugene Dildine II
Abby B. Dolan
Christopher Scott Emory II
Magen Jayne Flanagan
Myra Wilson Garner
Blair Ashley Gilgo

Emerson Styron Hadley
Avery Elizabeth Ham
Brittany Dawn Harrelson
Brandon B. Harrison
Dylan Michael Hengsterman-Cash
Cierra Marie Hickerson
Elizabeth Paige Sammons Hill
Caroline Caudill Immel
Stephanie Paige Jackomin
Sonny Lloyd Jones
Sarah Ann Kenney
Molly Anne Kube
Cherrelle Alexandria Lawrence
Jennifer Adele Layton
Alison Carmen Little
Jorge E. Lozada Jr
Jonathan E Mayhew
Samuel Jackson McDonald Jr
Christopher Miller
Hannah Childress Minor
William Jackson Monday
Taylor Buchanan Moye
Justin Lance Nalley
Casie Leigh Narron
Nicholas Stephen Paradysz
Kevin Michael Paramore
Jennifer W. Parsons
Lauren Brooke Pavone
Lazaro J. Perez
Wendy L. Perry
Shawna Cline Peters
Christopher Britt Phelan
Kendra Oriana Phillips
Natalie Kerley Pope
Alvaro Ramirez Jr
Madigan Jeanne Raper
Christopher Redpath
Bradley Dillon Reese
Jonathan Wesley Reeves
Robert Eric Reitzel
Joseph Ray Richart
Ryan Andrew Richon
Tracie Ann Rivet
Julie Anna Robinson
Kyle Francis Ruffalo
Stephen Michael Seiler
Brianna Chanquel Sidberry
William Jerome Simmons Jr.
Kyle Bandy Smith
Joshua Ryan Squires
Jamie Lauren Stacy
Melanie Anne Stiles
Hamilton Joseph Stoffel
Kenneth Robert Stringfield
Hannah Elizabeth Swing
Alexander Barrett Taylor
John L. Trueblood
Stephen Braxton Valentine
Jonathan W Venable
Jami Anne Williams
Sherry Lynn Williams
John Christopher Wishart
Atlanta Louise Woodall
Elizabeth Sarah Naves Zwart
MBA Certificates

**Certificate in Business Analytics**
Erika Rae Alandt
Nathaniel Daniel Barreiro-Talbert
Felisa Lynn Benton
William Lee Brooks
Leslie Waddell Brown
Corey Thomas Chandler
Anela Cizmic
Alicianne Breanne Courtney Everette
Brittany Dawn Harrelson
Sonny Lloyd Jones
Liberte Guechou Kamdem
Renee High Martin
Melissa Martinez
Melinda Mai Huong Nguyen
Lazar J. Perez
Kayla Polny
Jonathan Wesley Reeves
Lance VonAlan Rhodes
Dawn Marie Stanek
Tristan Carmen Tracey
Robin Meredith Williamson

**Certificate in Finance**
Chandler Bay Besser
Zachary Nelson Birtsch
Stephen Aaron McLawhorn
William Jackson Monday
Taylor Buchanan Moye

**Certificate in Health Care Management**
Lyndsay Nichole Boone
Emerson Styron Hadley
Avery Elizabeth Ham

**Certificate in Hospitality Management**
Caroline Caudill Immel
Stephanie Paige Jackomin
Jennifer Adele Layton
Christopher Miller
Lauren Brooke Pavone
Wendy L. Perry
Madigan Jeanne Raper
Alexander Barrett Taylor
Jonathan W Venable

**Certificate in Project Management**
Sarah Elizabeth Brown
Christopher Stanley Edwards
Ryan Joseph Harris
Benjamin Jamaal Howell
Desiree Alliyah Jones
Oleksandr Kameniev
Cassandra Ann Keel
Jonathan E. Mayhew
Samuel Jackson McDonald Jr
David Winche Mitchell
Barry Eugene Norman Jr
Natalie Kerley Pope
Krista Marie Rodbourn
Kyle Bandy Smith
George Bramble Thorne
Gregory Marcell Washington

**Certificate in Information Systems**
Tiffany Frizzell Eagleman
Branson Riley McCoy
Joseph Ray Richart

**Certificate in Marketing**
Salvatore Luca Amato
John Tyler Batson
Samuel J. Boone Jr
Brianna Nicole Brooks
Maisey Drew Cooley
Catherine B. Fitzhenry
McKenzie Elizabeth Godfrey
Catherine Nicole Greder

**Certificate in Supply Chain Management**
Wael S. Attum
Amy Lynn Button
Devin Hughes Daniels
David E. Dennis
Alison Carmen Little
Christopher Redpath
Joshua Ryan Squires
Bachelor of Science in Business Administration (BSBA) with a Concentration in Accounting

Jesse Thomas Bailey**
Philip London Bowling**
Toni Britt
Tamar Faith Cameron
Matthew Thomas Cates
Ebenee Shanae Daniels
Christopher Robert Gell
Karsyn Lise Guffey***
Haley Marie Hagwood***
Brecklee Cortlandt Johnson**
Lucy Amber Laws
Andrew Chinedu Obimma
Hana Khalid Shaikh

Tyler Wayne Smith
Briana Michelle Spruill
Cindy Thi Tran**
Jace Baxter Ward
KellyAnn Cuthbertson Young

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Master of Science in Accounting (MSA)

Sterling Rackley Atkinson
Taylor Jaye Chappell
Thomas Herman Dehnel
Nicholas Thomas Di Filippo
Victoria Lee Ebeling
Samuel Bryan Fuquay
Raleigh Guthrie
Morgan Rose Halo
Tyler Rockwell Hinnant
Harold Luke Holloman
Michael Tanner Horne
Nathan Handley Jernigan
Wilson Lee Jolly
Madison Sawyer Laney
John David Morton
Paul Thomas Pradetto

Taylor Garrett Ray
Kali Stallings Ruffin
Samantha Nicole Schisler
Victoria Brooke Teachey
William Philip Unger III
Gerrit Van Staaldwynen
Bachelor of Science in Business Administration (BSBA) with a Concentration in Finance

Christopher Samuel Akers
Brianna Nicole Allen
Patrick Ryan Anderson
Hamza Benlerneb
Mark Hunter Brinkley II
Toni Britt
Darren Blake Sebastian Brown
Cashlin Jane Copley
Ethan Joseph Curran
Jonathan Nathanael Diarra
Steven Douglas Edmundson

Robert Micah Everhart
Joseph M. Feiden
Ernest Cornelious Flythe Jr
Link Harrison Glover
Demetria Nicole Goode
Brandon Mitchell Henderson
Jonathan David Jeffries
Thomas Smith Jenkins
Brecklee Cortlandt Johnson
Vongpasit James Keopaseut
Lucas Alexander Livingston

Ryan Ashley Moran
Harrison Kiarie Njoroge
Shay Nolan*
Ugonna Eziudo Onuoha
Brendan Liell Schult
Eric James Siegel
Anthony Mark Sparrow Jr
Joshua Scott Villani***
Nishad Sudhir Waghmare
Henry Leland Watson

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Bachelor of Science in Business Administration (BSBA) with a Concentration in Risk Management and Insurance

Barbara Ohenewah Akeseh
Autumn Nicole Burke
Jordan LeeAnn Carter
Nelson Teague Covington Jr
Jeb Von Crissman
Ryan Dildy

Richard J. Feller
Aidan Miles Fowler**
Duke Britton Harrell
Milan Johnson
Joseph Missael Madrigal
Connor Kelly Matthews

Ryan Michael Philipson
Luke Cotterill Savage
Zachary Gene Taylor
William Robert Turner*
Christopher James Wolfe

Bachelor of Science in Business Administration (BSBA) with a Concentration in Finance & Risk Management and Insurance

Greyson Ross Hitchner
Ahmed Jahaz Aldajani  
DeAnna Kaye Barbour  
Katherine Barthel  
Daniel Paul Batchelor  
Alec Walton Bumgarner  
Nicholas Benton Cumbee**  
Russell Walter Davis  
Haley LiAnn Downs  
Rachel Nicole Gornak  
Toketa Renea Greenfield**  
Marie Antonia Harris  
Ashley Woodlief Hinkle  
Kendyl Elizabeth Hobart  
Sarah Elizabeth Kezialh  
Megan Elizabeth Lenzmeier  
Emily Oldham Magee  
Jenna Marie Maisel  
Philip Bruening McClement  
Lauren Bailey Preslar  
Heather Lynn Setzler  
August Gleason Seward  
Katherine Elizabeth Walker*  
Scott William Wallace  
Laura Michelle Weber**  
Tracy Lynne Wiseman

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Master of Science (MS) in Sustainable Tourism

Sara Lilley Phelps
Bachelor of Science in Business Administration (BSBA) with a Concentration in Management

Mary N. Abolos-Joyner
Carlos Alfonso
Jennifer Baldelemor Agustin*
Madison Shearin Allen
Mary McKenzie Allgood
Abby Miranda Alvarez
Chase Cameron Armstrong
Gavin Turner Barbour
Eric Barker
Mustabshirah Bibi***
Andrew Bothwell
Na'Shir Demond Bowden
Daniel Lee Boyle
Blaize Madison Brabble
Connor Richard Bregant
Jennifer A. Brighton
Devin Elizabeth Brown*
Joel Cameron Bryant
Alec Michael Burleson***
Shawn Lamont Bynum Jr
Wade Lawrence Cairnes
Ren Prenza Cameron
Thaddeus Sean Carey
Ethan Lane Chappell
Morgan Elizabeth Cherry
Micah James Cobb**
Dustin Alan Combs
Courtney Lynn Cornatzer
Katy Gower Cumbo
Turner Austin Cunningham
Heather Lauren Daniels
Wendy Melissa Darling-Maznick
Nicholas Paul Daughtry
Antoine Donshea Davis Jr
Kenneth Andrew Dean
Jessica Temple Dickens*
Alexander Kurt Dickerson
Danielle Nicole Dillard
Gregory Scott Dillard
Luke Elkins
Joseph M. Feiden
Phillip Daylan Thomas Finch
Anna Fletcher
Tyler Alexander Flowers
Stephen Cameron Foss
Jaison Briant Fournet
Lillie Kristen Gardner
Philip James Gilbert
Peggy Lynn Gillen***
Vivian Mercedes Gomez
Brandon E. Hall
Jacob Austin Harrison
Wagd Nagi Hauter
Sarah Elizabeth Heston
Christian David Hicks**
Kristopher Charles Hood
Neely Renee Hukill
Tracy L. Jarman
Kimberly Marie Johnson**
Sydney P. Johnson**
Hampton Davis Jones
Jeffrey Jerome Jones**
John Burton Kemp Sr
Rhett Francis Krieger
Trevor S. Kyro
Ayden Colleen Larabee
Emily Whitleen Leslie
John Paul Lucas
Michael A. Maksymiak
Madison Rose Mari
Marissa Ann McCourt
Daniel Keith McCoy**
Tara Daniela Melendez
Rachael Moody***
Michelle Estelle Moore
Samantha Kim Morgan
Grayson Thomas Murphy
Christina Nguyen
Adam Arthur Nona
Emma Catherine O'Brien***
Kelsey Tanner Owens**
Stevie Grace Padgett
James William Pittman III
Daniel Taylor Prince
Damien Jaques Privette
Megan Padricia Prude*
Damion Lamont Reid
David Wade Robinson
Alisha Danielle Ruberio
Kelsey Leigh Sanders**
Shawn Jacob Saunders
Saul Sanchez Segura
Katlyn Ashley Selph*
Shawanda Harris Shepard
Amber Rose Simmons
Taylor L. Slaughter**
Jackson Cameron Smith
Evan Pearson Spears
Brianna Nicole Stafford
Susan Melinda Stokes
Seth Edwin Streuli
Mikayla Ann Strong
Kyle Robert Sullivan
Kaitlin Christine Taylor
Zachary Gene Taylor
Sarah Elizabeth Thomas
Mackenzie Shaye Thompson
Adaobi Hilda Uwakwe
Mallory Layne Vanover
Ina Addair Varner
Ryan Andrew Whalen
Carson James Whitaker
David Austin Williams
Katherine Ruth Williams
Chasity Warbritton Willis
David Erick Wilson
Kelly Ann Cuthbertson Young
Jose Antonio Zuniga

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Bachelor of Science in Business Administration (BSBA) with a Concentration in Marketing

Adam M Adulewicz
Joseph Robert Baratta
Dean Paul Blackwood
Timothy Tucker Brinson Jr
Taylor Layne Broughton
Chandler Keith Clayton
Molly Reynolds Cox
Griffin Patrick Cryan
Troy Michael Darling
Julia Darlene Davis
Brandon Phillip Edwards
Mason James Evans
Ashtyn Dare Felthousen
Peyton Boswell Fitzsimmons
Jaren Latrell Foreman
Sarah Renee Hamblin*
Andrew John Hriniak
Jennifer Martinez Ibarra
Taylor Michael Jones
Sarah Michael Jonkheer
Elise D King
Dustin Raumel Leak
Jenna Leigh Lyon
Joshua Lee Marlow
Conner James McCloskey
Grayson Thomas Murphy
Catherine Nie-Phan**
Taylor Kealoha Kimiko
Nishimoto
Jarret Joseph Page-Neeley
Holland Camille Poteat
Audrey Lynn Pratt**
Leonard Neil Quillen
Yevgeniya Mykhilivna Rad**
Matthew Joseph Ryan
Michael M Samilton
Desrean Alexandria Smith**
Amanda Danielle Snyder
Christina Marie Stephens
Anniston Cooper Thompson
Lauren Taylor Tuck
Evan Christopher Umstead
Grier Elizabeth Vacek**
Bernard Leotis Vereen Jr
Chung Hug Vue**
Breanna Faith Whitley

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Bachelor of Science in Business Administration (BSBA) with a Concentration in Marketing and Professional Selling Certificate

Jacob Michael Bradley
Michael Tyler Howell
Justin Tyler Leshko
Mollyann Elizabeth Mabe
Brandon Worth Madison
John Michael Miller
Cameron A. Place
Bailey Elizabeth Stamper***

Bachelor of Science in Business Administration (BSBA) with a Concentration in Operations and Supply Chain Management

Neal Michael Bingham
Allyson Royce Boos**
Deon Davis
Aleena George
Paul Elias Gonzalez**
Kyle Christopher Gordon
Ryan Max Howard
Heather Lee Icenhour
Steven Michael Lawrenz**
James Louis Press
Austin Wayne Ritchie
Timothy Paul Rotondi**
Nicholas Thomas Sander
Gabriella Grace Spangler
Lee Mikal Trotter
Tierra Antonia Wilson

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Bachelor of Science in Business Administration (BSBA) with a Concentration in Marketing & Operations and Supply Chain Management

Amber Marie Alexander

Bachelor of Science in Business Administration (BSBA) with a Concentration in Marketing & Operations and Supply Chain Management and Professional Selling Certificate

Anthony Salvatore Fraraccio    Johanna Torres**    Lilly Samantha Rakes**

Bachelor of Science in Business Administration (BSBA) with a Concentration in Management Information Systems

Kayleigh Brooke Austin         Cameron Baysden Jones      James Alexander Pearson**
Hamza Benlerneb               Morgan Cary LaBounty**     Tucker Wyatt Pitts
Matthew David Berger           Jeffrey Scott Lau**       Cameron A. Place
Alec Mitchell Brafford         Keegan Alan Luce**       Jacob William Puluso
Brinkli Michelle Burleson*     Elizabeth Marie Majette*** Jesse Thomas Putnam II
Devin Charles Burns            Sarah Catherine Manley    Anna Marie Rawlings
Sean Tyger Lincoln Darcy**    Conner James McCloskey    Madelyn Kay Rose
Alexander Diaz                Daniel Keith McCoy***      Noah N. Schlaupitz
Savannah Leigh Eckert         William Reid Neuhoff      Nicholas Andrew Stafford
Patrick Fish                  Ugonna Eziudo Onuoha  Matthew Phillip Strand
La'Trease Olivia Golden        David Gerald Owens       Mina Vue Vang
Jeffrey Michael Howard**      Zoe Mikaila Peace

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