Arkansas State University
Commencement

First National Bank Arena
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“The listing of degree candidates and the announced honor distinctions are tentative and subject to final certification of graduation.”
Arkansas State University

History and Overview

Arkansas State University in Jonesboro is a Carnegie Foundation R2 national doctoral-granting institution serving the upper Mississippi Delta region. It is the only comprehensive public university located in this area. Dedicated to teaching, research and service, the university provides students with the broad educational foundations that help develop critical thinking and analytical skills, decision-making capabilities, and communication skills.

This institution was founded in Jonesboro in 1909 by the Arkansas General Assembly as a regional agricultural training school. It began offering a two-year college program in 1918, then became “First District Agricultural and Mechanical College” in 1925. A four-year degree program was begun in 1930, then A & M College became “Arkansas State College” in 1933. The Arkansas Legislature elevated the college to university status and changed the name to Arkansas State University in 1967. Today, the institution has more than 90,000 alumni. A-State has received notable rankings in the past, including tier I Southern Regional institution of higher education by the editors of U.S. News & World Report in its “America’s Best Colleges,” Best in South by Princeton Review, military-friendly by Military Times, and a top online value by a wide range of internet rating groups. A-State has extended its global reach with the only U.S.-style campus in Queretaro, Mexico, and is host to the first osteopathic medical school in Arkansas, the New York Institute of Technology College of Osteopathic Medicine. More information about A-State is available at its web site, AState.edu.

Degree Programs

Master degree graduate programs were initiated in 1955, and Arkansas State began offering its first doctoral degree, in educational leadership, in the fall of 1992. Additional doctoral programs are now offered in environmental science, heritage studies, molecular biosciences, nursing practice, occupational therapy and physical therapy. Programs at the specialist, master, bachelor and associate degree levels are available through the various colleges which include Agriculture; Griffin Business; Education and Behavioral Science; Engineering and Computer Science; Liberal Arts and Communication; Nursing and Health Professions; and Sciences and Mathematics.

Accreditation

Arkansas State University’s commitment to excellence in higher education is demonstrated by its accreditation by The Higher Learning Commission of the North Central Association, as well as 28 specialized accrediting organizations. In addition, the university holds membership in numerous national organizations that support the highest educational standards.

The ASU System

The ASU System includes campuses at Jonesboro (Craighead County), which offers degree programs through the doctoral level; Beebe (White County), Mountain Home (Baxter County), Newport (Jackson County) and West Memphis (Crittenden County), where associate degree programs are offered; and at Heber Springs, Marked Tree and Searcy. Dr. Charles L. Welch is president of the Arkansas State University System, which was created by Board of Trustees resolution, effective July 1, 2006. Arkansas State University-Beebe became part of ASU in 1955. White River Vo-Tech at Newport became associated with ASU-Beebe in 1992; that campus is now Arkansas State University-Newport. The Mountain Home campus officially became ASU-Mountain Home on July 1, 1995. Delta Technical Institute at Marked Tree merged with ASU in 2001 and is now part of ASU-Newport. ASU-Heber Springs operates as a sister campus of ASU-Beebe. Foothills Technical Institute at Searcy was merged with ASU-Beebe on July 1, 2003, and is now ASU-Searcy, a technical institute of ASU-Beebe. Mid-South Community College in West Memphis became a member of the system in 2015 and changed its name to ASU Mid-South. Joining for 2020 is the College of the Ouachitas in Malvern.

A-State offers bachelor degree programs, master degree programs and upper level courses through degree centers at ASU-Beebe, ASU-Mountain Home, and three other cities—Blytheville, Forrest City and West Memphis—where partnership agreements have been established in cooperation with the local community colleges. The university also operates an instructional site at Little Rock Air Force Base.

Enrollment

Arkansas State University has grown significantly over the past three decades. The Jonesboro campus enrollment in the fall of 1985 was 8,446; in the fall of 2017, it was 14,144. Home to the largest online program in the State of Arkansas, A-State also has the largest graduate enrollment mostly through 100 percent online programs.
Arkansas State University
Mission, Core Values, and Vision

Mission
Arkansas State University educates leaders, enhances intellectual growth, and enriches lives. (ASU = e^t)

Core Values
Arkansas State University values the following as central to our success:

- **Student-Centered:** We are committed to education, inquiry and service in order to meet students’ changing needs. We foster lifelong learning, civic and social responsibility, leadership, and individual and career growth.

- **Learning-Centered:** We nurture intellectual flexibility, knowledge and skills by integrating teaching, research, assessment and learning to promote continuous improvement of our scholarly community.

- **Excellence:** We pursue excellence within the campus community through opportunities for achievement in teaching, research, scholarship, creative activity and service.

- **Diversity:** We embrace diversity in all of its dimensions realizing that mutual respect for individuality and the inclusion of all are vital for both personal and institutional success.

- **Service:** We support and recognize service at all levels of the university. We strive to contribute to the benefit of the university, the Delta, the state, the nation and the world.

- **Integrity:** We hold high standards of character and integrity as the foundations upon which the University is built.

Vision
Arkansas State University aspires to be an academic leader recognized for innovation and quality in teaching and learning, international standing in strategic research areas, and commitment to outreach and service to the Delta and beyond.
PLATFORM PARTY

BOARD OF TRUSTEES

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Jonesboro, Arkansas

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Little Rock, Arkansas

Dr. Tim Langford
Little Rock, Arkansas

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Dr. Charles L. Welch

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Chancellor

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Vice Chancellor for Intercollegiate Athletics

Dr. Martha Spack
Dean of Students

ACADEMIC DEANS

Dr. Tim Burcham, Dean
College of Agriculture

Dr. Jim Washam, Interim Dean
Neil Griffin College of Business

Dr. Mary Jane Bradley, Dean
College of Education and Behavioral Science

Dr. Tim Burcham, Interim Dean
College of Engineering and Computer Science

Dr. Carl Cates, Dean
College of Liberal Arts and Communication

Dr. Susan Hanrahan, Dean
College of Nursing and Health Professions

Dr. Anne Grippo, Interim Dean
College of Sciences and Mathematics

OTHER CEREMONY PARTICIPANTS

Dr. Loretta McGregor
President, Arkansas State Faculty Association
Mace Bearer

Mr. Marc Williams
Faculty Award—Excellence in Teaching (10:00 a.m.)

Dr. Nonie Wiggins
President, A-State Alumni Association

Dr. Karen Wheeler
Senior Associate Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs

Mr. Jon Mark Horton, Graduating Senior
Distinguished Service Award Recipient (10:00 a.m.)

Dr. Jill Simons
Assistant Vice Chancellor for Retention & Completion

Mr. Thomas Hamaker, Graduating Senior
R.E. Lee Wilson Award Recipient (2:30 p.m.)

Ms. Daisy Dippel
Interpreter (10:00 a.m. & 2:30 p.m.)

Mr. Matthew Carey
Procession Line Announcer (2:30 p.m.)

Mr. Emily Jenkins
Procession Line Announcer (10:00 a.m.)

Dr. Zahid Hossain
Faculty Award—Excellence in Academic Advising (2:30 p.m.)
UNIVERSITY COMMENCEMENT MARSHALS

Dr. Gil Fowler  
College of Liberal Arts and Communication  
*Grand Marshal*

MARSHALS FOR STUDENT PROCESSION  
*Doctoral Degrees*

Dr. Gil Fowler  
College of Liberal Arts and Communication

*Specialist, Master, Baccalaureate and Associate Degrees*

Dr. Bert Greenwalt  
Dr. Donald Kennedy  
College of Agriculture

Dr. David Kern  
Dr. Patricia Robertson  
Neil Griffin College of Business

Dr. Dixie Keyes  
Dr. Amy Pearce  
College of Education and Behavioral Science

Dr. Yeonsang Hwang  
Dr. Donghoon Kim  
College of Engineering and Computer Science

Dr. Ruth Owens  
Mr. Scott Anderson  
College of Liberal Arts and Communication

Dr. Christina Akbari  
Dr. Karen Blue  
College of Nursing and Health Professions

Dr. Jeongho Ahn  
Dr. John Artim  
College of Sciences and Mathematics

Ms. Nikesha Nesbitt  
Ms. Toccara Carter  
Undergraduate Studies

MARSHALS FOR FACULTY PROCESSION

Dr. Jeffrey Jenness  
College of Engineering and Computer Science

Dr. Sharon James  
Neil Griffin College of Business

Dr. Amanda Wheeler  
College of Education and Behavioral Science

Dr. Sandra Hawkins  
College of Education and Behavioral Science

Dr. Marcus Tribbett  
College of Liberal Arts and Communication

Mr. Joseph Richmond  
College of Nursing and Health Professions

Dr. Cheryl Knight  
College of Nursing and Health Professions

Dr. Suzanne Melescue  
College of Sciences and Mathematics
THE PROGRAM

PRE-CEREMONY CONCERT .........................The Arkansas State University Commencement Band
                                Dr. Timothy Oliver, Conductor
                                Dr. Lauren Schack Clark, Pianist

Ammerland ........................................................................................................Jacob de Haan
As Summer Was Just Beginning..............................................................Larry Daehn
Declaration Overture ....................................................................................Claude T. Smith
Flourish for Wind Band........................................................................Ralph Vaughan Williams
Overture for Winds.........................................................................................Charles Carter
Three Ayres from Gloucester .......................................................................Hugh Stuart
Toccata for Band .........................................................................................Frank Erickson

ACADEMIC PROCESSION

*Processional:  Pomp and Circumstance......................................................Edward Elgar

Order of Procession

Mace Bearer
Chancellor and Platform Party

Marshals
Graduating Classes

Marshals
Faculty of the University

OUR NATIONAL ANTHEM

*The Star-Spangled Banner.................................................................Francis Scott Key
                                Mr. Quaine Hogan (10:00 a.m.)
                                Vocalist

                                Mr. Trevor Asher, Ms. Margaret Atkinson, Mr. Dylan Kyle, Mr. Zach Lynn,
                                Ms. Sarah Martin, Mr. David Norris, Ms. Ally Summers, Ms. Laura Syc (2:30 p.m.)
                                Vocalists

                                Dr. Lauren Schack Clark
                                Pianist

WELCOME AND INTRODUCTIONS ......................................................Dr. Kelly Damphousse
                                Chancellor of the University

REMARKS ON BEHALF OF THE FACULTY ASSOCIATION...........Mr. Marc Williams (10:00 a.m.)
                                Faculty Award—Excellence in Eaching
                                Dr. Zahid Hossain (2:30 p.m.)
                                Faculty Award—Excellence in Academic Advising

REMARKS ON BEHALF OF THE GRADUATING CLASS.............Mr. Jon Mark Horton (10:00 a.m.)
                                Graduating Senior and Distinguished Service Award Recipient
                                Mr. Thomas Hamaker (2:30 p.m.)
                                Graduating Senior and R. E. Lee Wilson Award Recipient

*Please stand for the processional and the anthem.
PRESENTATION OF DEGREE CANDIDATES .................................................. Dr. Lynita Cooksey
Provost and Vice Chancellor

CONFERRAL OF DEGREES ........................................................................ Dr. Kelly Damphousse

INDUCTION INTO ASU ALUMNI ASSOCIATION .................................... Dr. Nonie Wiggins
President, A-State Alumni Association

*THE A-STATE ALMA MATER .............................................................. Mr. Quaine Hogan (10:00 a.m.)
Vocalist
Mr. Trevor Asher, Ms. Margaret Atkinson, Mr. Dylan Kyle, Mr. Zach Lynn,
Ms. Sarah Martin, Mr. David Norris, Ms. Ally Summers, Ms. Laura Syc (2:30 p.m.)
Vocalists
Dr. Lauren Schack Clark
Pianist

Our Alma Mater A.S.U.
Your hallowed halls shall ring
With praise by daughter and noble son
Who proudly stand and sing.
Mem’ries of your stirring glory
And of youthful friends we knew
The red and black shall ever wave
on high for A.S.U.

ACADEMIC RECESSION

**Recessional ................................. The Arkansas State University Commencement Band
Dr. Timothy Oliver, Conductor
Dr. Lauren Schack Clark, Pianist

Brighton Beach .................................................. William Latham
Emblem of Unity .................................................. J.J. Richards
March and Procession of Bacchus ............................... Leo Delibes
Military Escort .................................................. Harold Bennett

*Please stand for the Alma Mater.
**Please be seated for the recession.
CONGRATULATIONS, GRADUATE!

On behalf of the members of the Alumni Association, congratulations on your graduation from Arkansas State University! Graduation signals the end of one era and the beginning of another as we welcome you to the family of more than 80,000 A-State alumni worldwide. It is our sincere hope that you continue your association with the university through active membership in the Alumni Association.

You and the members of your class are important to the Alumni Association and the alma mater we serve. Much that you have enjoyed here at Arkansas State has been made possible by the generous support of graduates who have preceded you. As alumni, we are proud of the time, energy and resources we have shared to help provide a quality institution for the current and future students at Arkansas State.

We invite you to continue this tradition by participating in Alumni Association activities such as homecoming, class reunions, recruiting events in your area and other alumni happenings. The Cooper Alumni Center will be your permanent home on the A-State campus. I invite you to stop by and see this wonderful place.

Most of all stay connected! Visit our website AStateAlumni.org; join us on Facebook, Instagram and download our mobile app to keep us informed of your accomplishments, current email, and mailing address. We want to share in your pride and continue to keep you advised of University and Alumni Association events of interest. The friendships and associations you have built while at Arkansas State University will continue to grow through your participation in these activities.

We look forward to serving you and working with you in your new role as alumni of Arkansas State University.

Sincerely,

Dr. Nonie Wiggins, '83, '09, '11
President
A-State Alumni Association

Everything we do strengthens ASU!
Dear Arkansas State University Graduates,

On behalf of the State of Arkansas, congratulations on your graduation from Arkansas State University. As Governor, I commend your tremendous achievement and join with your friends and family to celebrate your years of hard work and dedication to higher learning.

I am pleased to congratulate each and every member of this graduating class and look forward to the value you will bring to Arkansas and to the nation. Each of you can take pride in being part of an institution that is dedicated to standards of excellence and high achievement.

I hope you will continue to pursue learning opportunities throughout your life and continually expand your horizons. You will soon be presented with new experiences and challenges that will shape your mind and your character. Always remember to stand by your beliefs and seek accurate information regardless of where life takes you in the coming years. Work hard, strive to achieve your full potential and realize the possibilities are endless in your bright future ahead.

Again, congratulations on your graduation from Arkansas State University, and best wishes for a memorable event and continued success.

Sincerely,

Asa Hutchinson

Asa Hutchinson
CANDIDATES FOR DOCTORAL DEGREES

Doctor of Education

Joeanna Lynn Cooper
M.S.E., Arkansas State University
B.S.E., Arkansas State University
DISSERTATION ADVISOR: Dr. Joe Nichols
DISSERTATION TITLE: Analysis of the Perceptions of Principals, Teachers, and Parents Regarding the Implementation of the Arkansas Dyslexia Law
DISSERTATION DEPARTMENT: Educational Leadership

Julie Dianne Dockery
S.C.C.T., Arkansas State University
M.A., The University of Memphis
B.A., The University of Memphis
DISSERTATION ADVISOR: Dr. Joe Nichols
DISSERTATION TITLE: An Analysis of African American and White College Students’ Interactions with Instructors at the First and Second Year Level
DISSERTATION DEPARTMENT: Educational Leadership

Laura Alison Kuizin*
S.C.C.T., Arkansas State University
M.A., University of San Francisco
B.A., California State University, Sacramento
DISSERTATION ADVISOR: Dr. Steve Bounds
DISSERTATION TITLE: Analysis of Factors that Influence Pre-Med Undergraduate Selection of Osteopathic or Allopathic Medical School
DISSERTATION DEPARTMENT: Educational Leadership

Stacey Bell Sloas
M.S.E., Arkansas State University
B.S., Arkansas State University
B.S.E., Arkansas State University
DISSERTATION ADVISOR: Dr. Amany Saleh
DISSERTATION TITLE: The Impact of Peer-Led Diabetes Education: A Quasi Pre Post Experimental Study
DISSERTATION DEPARTMENT: Educational Leadership

Jerrod Michael Ward
S.C.C.T., Arkansas State University
M.E., Texas A&M University
B.S., University of Houston-Downtown
DISSERTATION ADVISOR: Dr. Joe Nichols
DISSERTATION TITLE: Factors That Impact Blue-Collar Worker Higher Education Entrance and Completion: A Grounded Theory
DISSERTATION DEPARTMENT: Educational Leadership

Lori Ann Winn
S.C.C.T., Arkansas State University
M.A., Arkansas State University
B.S., Arkansas State University
DISSERTATION ADVISOR: Dr. Joe Nichols
DISSERTATION TITLE: Model Characteristics of Voluntary Separation Retirement Incentive Programs: Perspectives of Higher Education Human Resource Administrators in Arkansas
DISSERTATION DEPARTMENT: Educational Leadership

*Graduated December 2018
Doctor of Philosophy

Lucia Margarita Acosta Gamboa
M.S.A., Arkansas State University
B.Ag., University of Costa Rica
Dissertation Advisor: Dr. Argelia Lorence
Dissertation Title: Assessing the Contribution of Multiple Ascorbate Pathways to Abiotic Stress Tolerance Using Phenomic Approaches
Dissertation Department: Molecular Biosciences

Lana Elkins
M.S., Arkansas State University
B.S., Arkansas State University
Dissertation Advisor: Dr. Maureen Dolan
Dissertation Title: Recombinant Production of Catfish Interleukin-22 as a Natural Immune Stimulant for Improving Aquaculture Fish Health
Dissertation Department: Molecular Biosciences
Master of Science in Agriculture
Lucas Anderson  
Payton McKale Archer  
Alex Stepan Cliff  
Nathan Paul Johnston  
Deanna Joy Owen  
Naina Narayan Rao  
Neha Verma  
Damon B. Watlington  
Hunter Kyle Wood

Bachelor of Science
Miqdas I. Bancie  
Robert Brenton Brockel  
Stephanie Kay Bryant  
Tyler Ray Crutcher  
Derrick D. Holobaugh  
Shane C. Lively  
Jeffrey L. Rounsaville

Bachelor of Science in Agriculture
Parr Harrison Abbott  
Ross Wells Adams  
Ashley Marie Aycock  
Matthew Alan Barnett  
Jacob B. Bigger  
Slater Michael Blackford  
Jacob Dylan Cagle  
Zachary Christopher Camp  
Kaylee Rae Carr  
Tyler M. Courson  
Colton C. Creekmore  
Alexis S. Crull
  Cum Laude/Honors Program
Miles W. Cunningham  
Charles Hunter Davis  
Samantha Jo Davis  
Victoria Grace Davis  
Joshua Ryan Dutton  
Chase Allen Flippo  
Landon E. Frizzell  
Haydn C. Fuller  
Rachel Elaine Gaffney  
Daniel Hayden Green  
Hunter Wayne Grimes  
Logan Shane Hale  
Samantha Jo Davis  
Hannah Michelle Kolke  
Taylor Anne Landreth  
Jack Edward Martin  
Jenna Rae Martin  
Cum Laude
Curtis Drake McKinney  
Taylor Samuel Osment  
Samuel Edward King
  Magna Cum Laude/Honors Program
Hannah Michelle Kolke  
Taylor Anne Landreth  
Jack Edward Martin  
Jenna Rae Martin  
Cum Laude
Hannah Michelle Kolke  
Taylor Anne Landreth  
Jack Edward Martin

Names of honor students, and their honors designations, appear in boldface italics.
Bachelor of Science in Agriculture (continued)

Jose Enrique Rodriguez
John Phillip Ruch
Kyle Stewart Runsick
Katelyn Brooke Sharp
Daniel T. Shelton
Daniel Dewayne Shults
Samantha Joann Smart
Taylor M. Stevens
Braden A. Stewart
James Lee Stricklin II
Landon Emerson Stricklin
Davin H. Swaite
Lucas Tenison
Jammy Layne Turner
Griffin Lyn Varner
*Cum Laude*
Sydney Claire Vaught

NEIL GRIFFIN COLLEGE OF BUSINESS

CANDIDATES FOR MASTER DEGREES

Master of Accountancy
Khaled Abdulaziz Almuqael
Morgan Mae Hall
Connor L. Shannon

Master of Business Administration
Kathryn Lynn Arnold
Tiffany L. Brazle
Regan Dawn Carpenter
Kristine Monique Hochschwender
Samuel Hurst
Barbera Lee
Tanner Miles McElrath
Samuel Tanner McKnight
Trang Kieu Nguyen
Viet Hoang Nguyen
Darren William Niedermeyer
Daniel O’Hare
Joel Patton
Brandon Michael Roe
Khanh Duy Ta
Matthew Paul Thomas
Allison Grace Victory
Leslie Michelle Wheeler
Olene Yang

CANDIDATES FOR BACCALAUREATE DEGREES

Names of honor students, and their honors designations, appear in boldface italics.

Bachelor of Arts
Valentin Balande
Bailey Elizabeth Doggett
Jordan A. Womack

Bachelor of Science
Nicholas Peter Abreus
Saud Adel S Abualsaud
Logan Bryce Adcock
Mohamed Abdulmunem M Al Abbas
Bachelor of Science (continued)

Fadeel Abaas A Aloqili
Faisal Ahmad S Alsabilah
Muhammad Hassan Alukili
Garrett James Barham
Andrew James Barker
Brooke Marlene Barnes
Dylan Boast
Lindsey Boggs
Roshawntae Shaynelle Boone
Amanda Kaye Burchett
Cade Wilson Campbell
Summa Cum Laude
Jonathan Tyler Cauble
Aaron Wes-Lee Champion
Grant Daves Childers
Kyle Porter Clogston
Matthew Brian Cole
Ethan Hunter Collie
Zachary Tyler Corbitt
Magna Cum Laude/University Honors
Theresa Craig
Landen Blake Crancer
Lisa Ann Crisco
Darius De'jon Crite
Jordan E. Davault
Brittany Nicole Davis
Cum Laude
Zane Steven Davis
Maximilian Cameron de Kunify
Kailen Tyler Dixon
Mallory Grace Donaldson
Magna Cum Laude/University Honors
Jacqueline Marie Duran
Cum Laude
Jessica Rosa Duran
Magna Cum Laude
Alicia Danielle Dyer
Cum Laude
Rebecca Ann Eldien
Cum Laude
Caitlyn Brianna Ellis
Miranda Brooke Erickson
Derek C. Fisher
Marcus Jordan Fisher
Kendall L. Fleming
Josie Erin Fletcher
Magna Cum Laude
Rex David Fletcher
Jonas Race Ford
Tyler Blaine Foust
Cum Laude
Sydney Maryam Franks
Ross Anthony Fulgham
Jennifer Renee Fuller
Cum Laude
Oliver Rainey Gibbs
Cum Laude/University Honors
Umut Ufuk Gokmen
Patrick A. Hale
Thomas J. Hamaker
Summa Cum Laude/University Honors
Heather Layne Harkey
Kendall Leanne Harris
Madison Michelle Hawkins
Lindsey Nicole Hawthorne
Karagon M. Henard
Anthony Morgan Hendrickson
Cum Laude
Melinda S. Howard
Kristen Elizabeth Huckabay
Cum Laude
Zachary Wayne Hunter
Cum Laude
Michael S. Jackson
Kayli Laen Jones
Randall Parker Jones Jr.
Cum Laude
Trenton Mark Jones
Tyler Austen Jones
Caleb Joseph Keating
Lydia Nicole Keller
Cum Laude/Honors Program
Gramm Lopaka Kelly
Cum Laude
Lane Kennedy
Sammie Davis Lewis
Xiaotan Liu
Jacqueline Lee Lockhart
Cum Laude
Grant Allen Long
Elizabeth P. Looney
Raymond Kyle Lovelace
Colby Shaye Lynch
Magna Cum Laude
Neil W. Maestri
Emily Marie Mallet
Cum Laude/Honors Program
Cailyn Victoria Mann
Ashley N. Martin
Madison A. Martin
Mitchell Whitman McCarty
Jordan Suave McDonald
Branden C. McMaster
Victoria Elizabeth Meister
Kiehl Logan Miers
Joshua Caleb Mondy
Justin Hale Moore
Abigail M. Moseley
Juan Jose Ochoa
Miyu Omuro
Zoe M. Parsons
Magna Cum Laude
Ashley Nicole Pigg
Kelsey J. Pitts
Tanner Derryk Pope
Bachelor of Science (continued)

Thomas C. Ragland  
*Summa Cum Laude*

Conrad Davis Ray  
*Cum Laude*

Joshua Cameron Reynolds  
James Michael Riles  
*Cum Laude*

Aracelly Maria Jimenez Rios  
*Magna Cum Laude*

Stephanie A. Romero  
Nicole Ann Salva  
*Cum Laude*

Kenneth W. Sanders  
Uriel C. Esparza Saucedo  
*Cum Laude*

Nicholas Edison Schafer  
*Magna Cum Laude/University Honors*

Jared William Scheuler  
*Cum Laude*

Curtis A. Shepherd  
William B. Shipman  
Tristan A. Skaggs  
Katie Elizabeth Skinner  
Dylan Wade Smith  
Kiera Racquel Smith  
Caleb Eugene Spann  
Cameron Joel Spivey  
*Magna Cum Laude*

Tiaan Steenkamp  
Lee Evan Sullivan  
*Magna Cum Laude*

Logan Alec Surdam  
Joshua Wayne Thompson  
Tristan Tyler Tippitt  
Drew C. Tipton  
Shuangshuang Tong  
LaQuinta Shavonie Gilbert-Tynes  
Natalie M. Ungerank  
Seth Thomas Vickery  
Miranda Raveen Walker  
Matthew Dylan Walton  
Rachel Elizabeth Washam  
Joel Wendin  
Jordan Seth Whitlock  
Caitlin M. Whitmire  
Heath A. Wilcox  
Cesley Williams  
*Cum Laude*

Ryan Christopher Wiseman  
Abhimanyu Yadav

Shuangsui Yang  
*Cum Laude*

Jeong Kwon Yun  
Yiting Zhang  
*Magna Cum Laude*

CANDIDATES FOR ASSOCIATE DEGREES

Associate of Science

Khadiim Ahmed Alabdrabalnabi  
Paul Fraser Clark III

COLLEGE OF EDUCATION AND BEHAVIORAL SCIENCE

CANDIDATES FOR DOCTORAL DEGREES

Doctor of Education

Joeanna Lynn Cooper  
Julie Dianne Dockery  
Stacey Bell Slosas  
Jerrod Michael Ward  
Lori Ann Winn

CANDIDATES FOR SPECIALIST DEGREES

Specialist in Education

Krystal Clevenger Adcock  
Kennia Monique Anderson
Specialist in Education (continued)

Clay M. Ashcraft
Kendra Maria Asher
Glenda Ann Ayers
Parise Postale Bailey
Garrett W. Barnes
Bridgett Morris Barwick
Dominique Wesley Battles
Lexy Eileen Baxter
Renée Cheryl Bialke
Angela Harris Bowman
Joel Christopher Braden
Hannah M. Brady
John Michael Bridges
Emily Rae Brown
Joel Thomas Brown
India Day Brunenkant
Dawn Buchanan
Rachel Michelle Butler
Amanda Pegram Bynum
James P. Carlson
Nicole L. Carpenter
Christina Paige Carter
Peter L. Claas
Jacob Scott Clanton
Casey Lane Cole
Renee Rankine-Colman
Amanda Dawn Cook
Jamie Lynn Custer
Jerrial M. Dawson
Gregory Bryson Dillard
Melissa A. Ellison
John Michael Elms
Christina Marie Martini-Ferrell
Katelyn Dianne Fetner
Michael Ferrel Finch
Mika Emerson Finney
Brittani Nicole Firick
Jeremy Alan Fitzgerald
Katelyn Foran
Haley Alexandra French
Teresa Kay Fuller
Dora A. Gaddis
Jason Alexander George
Jessica Ann Gerstenmaier
Katrina Ann McGlass
Kevin Gonzalez
Jennifer Kay Goss
Alana Moseley Graham
Jazmine Kiannah Hall
Marleah Ashton Hannaford
Mary Heather Harden
India Danielle Perkins-Harris
Keith Edward Harris
James Zeno Harrison
Erin Kimberly Hartley
Ashley Harvey
Toby Ben Haugen
Michael Palmer Hitch
Michael Gary Holdiness
Tania Nicole Howard
Allana Nicole Hughley
Melanie Roshun Hurst
Alan Lee Hutchcraft
Kathleen Meghan Irvin
Joseph John Jackson
Jari Francis Jacobs
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Elementary Education

Kennedy Haden
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College of Liberal Arts and Communication
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Criminology & Sociology

Katherine Huss
English

Tomomi Hashimoto
Sociology

Tanisha Tak
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Madison Shelton
Social Work

College of Sciences and Mathematics
Madalyn Weiner
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and Chemistry

Madeline Malloy
Biological Sciences/Pre-Professional Services
Fulbright Scholar

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  Davia Fuller
  English Education
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College of Liberal Arts and Communication
Department of Theatre
Mr. Marc Williams

Excellence in Professional Service
College of Liberal Arts and Communication
Department of History
Dr. Cherisse Jones-Branch

Excellence in Scholarship
College of Engineering and Computer Science
Department of Computer Science
Dr. Xiuzhen Huang

Excellence in Academic Advising
College of Sciences and Mathematics
Department of Civil Engineering
Dr. Zahid Hossain
The present-day academic costume probably originated at Oxford and Cambridge universities and is a survival of the ecclesiastical garb of the late middle ages. As the universities passed from ecclesiastical control, the academic gown used brighter colors to distinguish it from the totally drab clerical robe. Although colonial American universities used academic gowns based upon the British system, people continued to associate them with the clergy.

Late in the nineteenth century, a student movement centering in New England instigated the establishment of a “senior badge” to improve commencement week exercises and revive the traditions of university life. In the 1890’s, American universities and colleges established a uniform code for caps, gowns, and hoods for the various degrees, thereby standardizing academic styles in this country. The gown, the cap, and the hood are the characteristic elements of academic apparel.

The gown is usually of black material. However, some doctors’ gowns are of the school color. Bachelors’ gowns have pointed sleeves; masters’ have long, closed sleeves, with slits from which the arms protrude; the doctors’ have wide, round, open sleeves. Doctors’ gowns are faced with panels of velvet down the front and three bars of velvet across each sleeve.

The cap, the square mortar-board in American universities, but a round, soft, flat velvet hat in British, Canadian, and some European universities, bears a tassel which may be black for all ranks and degrees, or may be of gold thread for doctors and the color of the degree for bachelors and masters.

The hood, worn around the neck to hang down the back, is the principal emblem of the nature and source of the degree held. It is edged with velvet of the color of the degree, while its lining of silk bears the colors of the institution which granted the degree. Hoods may be worn only after the degree has been granted.

Originally, the hood had three uses: as a head covering, as a shoulder cape, and as a bag in which alms could be collected. When large wigs were in vogue in Britain, the cape part of the hood was split in front and a narrow neckband inserted. The entire cape and hood was allowed to fall back as it is today, and it was never restored to the original style.

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Black and scarlet tassels are correct for all degrees, but gold metallic tassels may be worn by holders of doctoral degrees or by presidents of universities and colleges. The tassel should be worn draped over the left front quarter of the cap.
THE MEDALLION

Medallions were used as adornments in biblical days and also served as symbols of authority. The Arkansas State University chancellor’s medallion bears the seal of the university. The Arkansas State University president’s medallion bears the seal of the ASU System. The Alumni Association president’s medallion bears a 1924 emblem marking the establishment of the Alumni Association. The medallions are worn at all official academic ceremonies.

THE MACE

Originally a weapon of the Middle Ages, the mace gradually became ceremonial in character. A mace was carried by church officials, guards of kings, and other high officials. Today it is used symbolically in academic ceremonies.

The current mace, introduced in 2015, is the result of a collaborative effort involving students, alumni, faculty and staff. From concept and design to production and assembly, the mace utilizes state-of-the-art technology and equipment to symbolically represent Arkansas State University.

The mace is composed of two parts: the head and the staff. The head is comprised of the Memorial Arch, a globe and two university seals. When dedicated in 1927, the Memorial Arch served as the entrance to A&M College. Now, the oldest structure on campus, the arch is an established icon that symbolizes the opportunities to advance in life through the educational experience offered by Arkansas State. The international impact of the university, her students, faculty and staff is symbolized by a globe suspended in the arch. Seals are attached to the sides of the globe to represent the tradition, authority and integrity of the university.

The staff is made of wenge, a dark-colored, highly durable wood symbolic of the rich experiences students receive when pursuing an education at A-State. The shape of the staff is patterned after the pillars of the Memorial Arch, giving it a distinct look.

The mace rests on a base symbolic of the Memorial Arch. Once the gateway to the institution, the Memorial Arch continues to occupy a prominent position in the heart of the Arkansas State University campus.

THE SEAL

The official seal of Arkansas State University has been designed for the purpose of authentication, and to both represent and build upon the impact of an education at Arkansas State.

The current design of the Arkansas State University seal was adopted by the Board of Trustees in 2013. The new design incorporates current concepts and goals of the university.

The seal has three distinct characteristics:
1) The Memorial Arch symbolizes a portal or entrance to new life, balance in form and university tradition. It was given as a gift by the Class of 1927.
2) The inset date of 1909 is the date the institution was established.
3) The laurel wreath signifies the high achievement of its attendees.

These three features represent qualities of tradition, authority and integrity of the university.

GRADUATION WITH ACADEMIC DISTINCTION/HONORS

Arkansas State University recognizes the academic achievement of graduating baccalaureate-degree students in the following ways:
1. Students graduating summa cum laude (4.00 grade point average) will wear a gold cord.
2. Students graduating magna cum laude (3.80-3.99 grade point average) will wear a red cord.
3. Students graduating cum laude (3.60-3.79 grade point average) will wear a white cord.
4. Students who complete the Honors Program or the University Honors program shall be designated as graduating “In Honors” or “In University Honors.” The Honors Medal, developed in 2006, is a means of recognizing undergraduate students who graduate from The Honors College at Arkansas State University. The medal’s design is taken from “The Scholar” character, which is an architectural relief on Wilson Hall, the university’s oldest building. There are two separate medals, gold and silver. Students who graduate “In Honors” are awarded the silver medal. Students who complete an honors thesis and graduate “In University Honors” are awarded the gold medal. Students graduating “In University Honors” or “In Honors” will wear blue cords.
Gone from earth so swiftly,
So like a flower in bloom,
Our classmates, loved and loving,
And called away so soon.

In fond memory …

Taylor Martin  
2000 - 2019

Ivan Puello  
1997 - 2019

Hannah Reynolds  
1999 - 2019

Alexandria Snyder  
1997 - 2019

Jeffrey Steward  
1996 - 2019

Corey Taylor  
1993 - 2018
GRADUATING STUDENT SEATING (10:00 a.m.)
(By College)

1. Doctoral
2. Education and Behavioral Science
3. Nursing and Health Professions
GRADUATING STUDENT SEATING (2:30 p.m.)
(By College)

5. Liberal Arts and Communication 1. Doctoral
6. Sciences and Mathematics 2. Agriculture

4. Engineering and Computer Science
Arkansas State University educates leaders, enhances intellectual growth, and enriches lives.