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Welcome to Samford University

Samford is a leading Christian university offering undergraduate programs grounded in the liberal arts with an array of nationally recognized graduate and professional schools.

Founded in 1841, Samford is the 87th-oldest institution of higher learning in the United States. *The Wall Street Journal* ranks Samford 2nd nationally for student engagement and *U.S. News & World Report* names Samford 86th nationally for best value.

Samford enrolls 5,729 students from 47 states and 30 countries in its 10 academic schools: arts, arts and sciences, business, divinity, education, health professions, law, nursing, pharmacy and public health. Samford fields 17 NCAA Division I teams that compete in the tradition-rich Southern Conference.

Among Samford's 53,915 alumni have included more than 60 members of the U.S. Congress, eight state governors, two U.S. Supreme Court justices, one Secretary of State, four Rhodes Scholars, multiple Emmy and Grammy award-winning artists, two national championship football coaches, and recipients of the Pulitzer and Nobel Peace prize.

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Special Announcements

Samford University has a 178-year history of celebrating academic excellence, and commencement is one of the important events that affirms that excellence. Samford's commencement ceremonies are intended to be a sacred moment for the graduates and their families. This is a once-in-a-lifetime honor for them and the families and friends who are supporting them with their attendance today. Please hold your applause and other expressions of celebration until all diplomas have been presented. Family members are invited to stand in honor as their graduate's name is called. Thank you for honoring and respecting this important Samford tradition.

Please silence alarm watches, cellular phones and other electronic devices.

Congratulations



THANK YOU FOR JOINING US AT SAMFORD UNIVERSITY to celebrate the accomplishments of the Class of 2021. The commencement ceremony is the pinnacle of the academic year. All our work and effort at Samford leads to this moment. We rejoice in the fulfillment of our institutional mission and honor the beginning of a new era in the life of each graduate.

This exercise continues our tradition that stretches to Samford's founding in 1841 as Howard College in Marion, Alabama. Across the past 180 years, Samford has granted thousands of degrees; today these graduates join near 54,000 living alumni serving around the world. We take pride in their hours of study and preparation required to earn their academic degrees. We recognize the sacrifice of the students and their families, the work of the faculty, and the dedication of so many who provide the financial support necessary to build and sustain a great independent university.

All of us at Samford are especially grateful to those who have loved and supported these graduates. We welcome each of you into the fellowship of our extended Samford University family as we celebrate this very special day. Congratulations to the Class of 2021. We have given you our best; we will hold you in our hearts until we meet again.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Andrew Westmoreland". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a prominent loop at the end.

Andrew Westmoreland, *President*



University Mace

There are two maces used at commencement. The oldest mace is from the 1970s, made from wood, and represents the founding of Samford University. It contains a medallion used in past university presidents' inauguration ceremonies.

The new mace—constructed of silver and ebony—comprises eight elements that symbolize Samford's history and tradition as a Christian university. A simple cross resides at the top of the instrument. Beneath the cross, silver bands embrace a Lucite sphere embedding a computer chip containing the entire Bible, linking the high-tech world with the timeless biblical Word. A likeness of columns, reflective of Samford's Georgian Colonial architecture, bears the university motto, "for God, for learning, forever." A decahedron follows bearing the university seal, logo and historical scenes. A globe symbolizes Samford's international mission as an educational institution devoted to world awareness and ministry. Below the globe, a cylinder encases actual soil from Samford's four campuses (two in Marion, Alabama, and two in Birmingham). The cylinder bears the Shema ("Hear O Israel, the Lord is our God, the Lord is One"). Extending to the bottom of the mace is an ebony wood shaft inlaid with silver plates bearing the names of Samford presidents. The mace rests on an acorn base, reflective of Sherman Oak, symbol of the East Lake campus, and of the fact that sturdy, strong lives spring from humble beginnings.

The mace is borne by a faculty representative at the head of all university academic processions as an ensign of authority. To be the mace bearer is an honor extended to faculty who have won teaching awards or who have been recommended for this honor by the dean of their college.

Commencement Honors

Honors at Samford University are awarded on the basis of all academic work taken at Samford University. Students who earn at least 70 credits at Samford and a grade point average (calculated on all work done at Samford University) of 3.500 through 3.749 are graduated cum laude; of 3.750 through 3.899 are graduated magna cum laude; and 3.900 through 4.000 are graduated summa cum laude. Latin honors announced at commencement are not official; they are subject to change once grading is completed.

Upon recommendation of the faculty, a candidate for a J.D. may be awarded the degree cum laude if the student's grade point average at the law school ranks the student in the top fifteen percent of the graduating class. A candidate whose grade point average at the law school ranks the student in the top five percent of the graduating class may be awarded a J.D. magna cum laude. A candidate whose grade point average at the law school ranks the student in the top one percent of the graduating class, but no less than two students, may be awarded a J.D. summa cum laude.

Undergraduates receiving a degree designated "University Fellows" have completed the rigorous university honors program, which requires a two-year interdisciplinary core curriculum, and provides opportunities for international study and academic

enrichment. As a result, this degree recognizes exemplary academic achievement. These students may also qualify for summa cum laude, magna cum laude and cum laude designations.

Academic Dress

The formal academic dress worn today originated in the Middle Ages and is modeled after the gowns used at Cambridge University and Oxford University in England. Until the Civil War, American university students usually wore their gowns to class each day. Now, gowns are typically worn only at commencement.

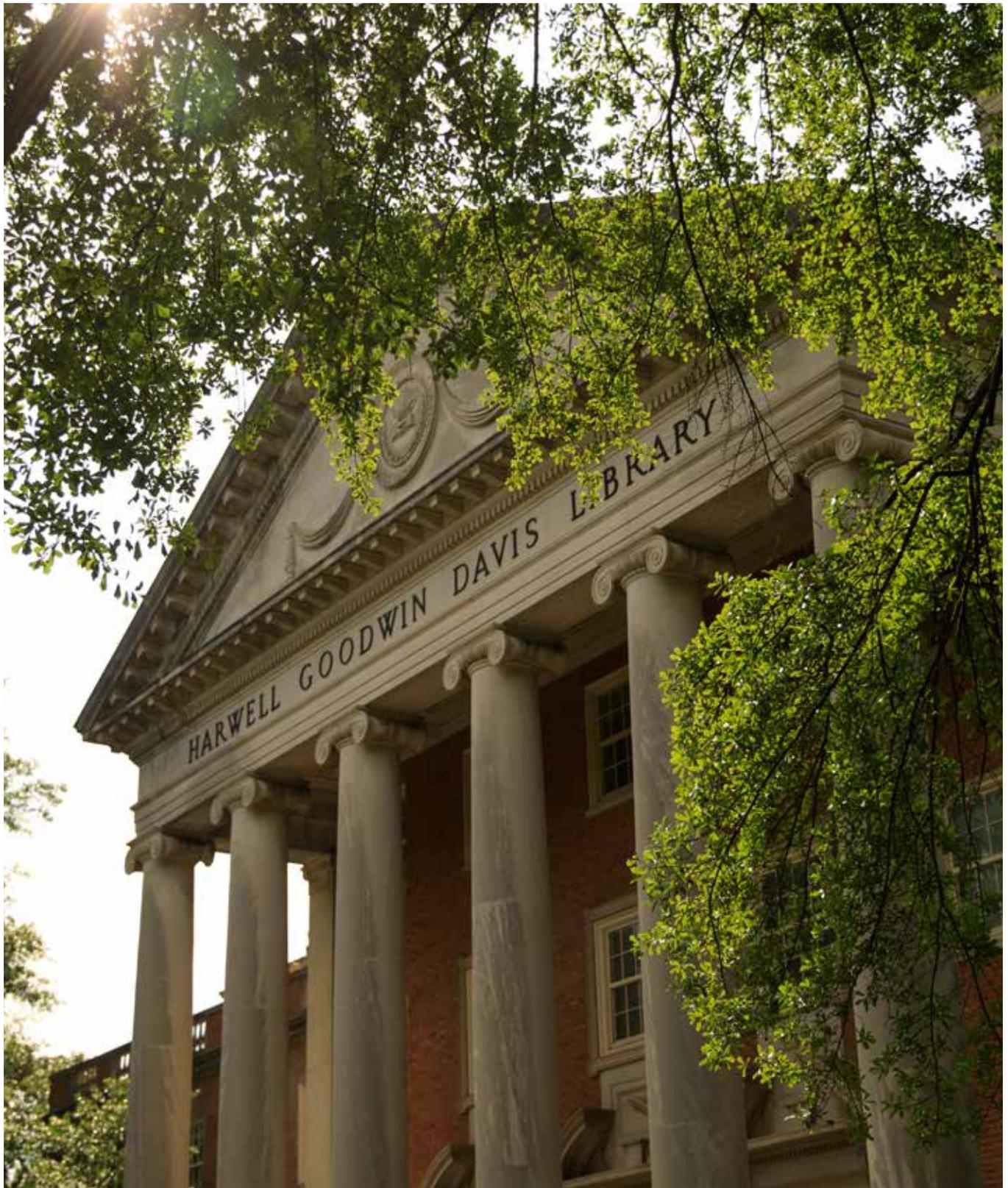
In general, the gown indicates the level of the highest degree held: for bachelor's degrees, the black gown with flowing, pointed sleeves; for master's degrees, the black gown with sleeves slit midway for the arms and the sleeve bottom closed flat with a semicircle cut in the side; for doctoral degrees, the flowing robe with sleeves closed at the wrist, decorated with chevrons of velvet, most often black on black, but occasionally with chevrons of another color indicating the general field of study. Occasionally, the entire robe is of another, university-specific color.

Gonfalons

In May 2016, Samford University introduced new gonfalons, the ceremonial flags that serve as a symbol of each college and school that compose Samford University. The gonfalons, hand-stitched by the New England Flag and Banner Company, are displayed only at university commencement.

The history of gonfalons goes back to the time of ancient Rome. Roman armies used them to identify military units and were symbols of pride. In medieval Europe, gonfalons served important purposes in commerce. Most people could not read, so gonfalons served to advertise businesses. Different colors and symbols on the flags denoted what each business had to offer. In Renaissance Italy, gonfalons were used in religious processions and were often adorned with pictures of the life of Christ or of the saints. Trade guilds and city-states used them much as we use national flags today.

Today, colleges and universities mark occasions of special significance with gonfalons. They are a reminder of both the solemnness and the celebratory nature of commencement.



Speakers

ANDREW WESTMORELAND/ SAMFORD UNIVERSITY



ANDREW WESTMORELAND became Samford University's 18th president on June 1, 2006. As Samford's president, Westmoreland has led the university to embrace a vision to enrich and expand its service to students, and further inspire their desire to meet the needs of the world. To advance this vision, the university is committed to a challenging strategic plan with four priorities: emphasize student success, enhance our community, extend our reach, and ensure financial strength. Forever Samford is a six-year, \$300 million capital campaign that was launched in fall 2016. It is the largest undertaking of its kind in Samford University's 179-year history. Funding from the campaign will help to ensure that Samford continues to prepare and send dedicated, thoughtful and ethical people out into the world.

Prior to assuming the Samford presidency, Westmoreland was president of Ouachita Baptist University in Arkadelphia, Arkansas. Before his selection as Ouachita's president in 1998, he had served on the administrative staff for more than 19 years in various capacities.

Westmoreland holds undergraduate and graduate degrees in political science and a doctorate in higher education administration. A native of

Arkansas, he is married to Dr. Jeanna Westmoreland. They have one daughter, Riley, who is a graduate of Samford and of Vanderbilt University.

His career in higher education spans 40 years, including two college presidencies. In addition to his duties as Samford president, Westmoreland teaches courses in political science as his schedule allows. He serves as a member of many boards for charities and other entities, and he is an author and speaker. He is the past chair of the Board of Trustees for the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools Commission on Colleges, which oversees accreditation for more than 800 colleges and universities from Virginia to Texas. He also served as president of the American Association of Presidents of Independent Colleges and Universities. Currently, he serves as the Executive Director of Samford's Frances Marlin Mann Center for Ethics and Leadership.

The Westmorelands enjoy entertaining and annually host near 10,000 students, employees, alumni, donors and other friends of the university in the president's home, in addition to the thousands whom they greet and host at on-campus events.



Speakers

CASSANDRA ADAMS/CUMBERLAND SCHOOL OF LAW



CASSANDRA W. ADAMS is the former assistant dean for Cumberland's Public Interest Program and directed the Externship Program and the Community Mediation Center. She earned her law degree from the University of Tennessee (Knoxville, Tennessee), a Master of Science in Public Health from Meharry Medical College (Nashville, Tennessee) and a Bachelor of Arts degree from Fisk University (Nashville, Tennessee).

She is an Alabama Law Fellow, a member of the Alabama Association of Attorney Mediators, a graduate of the Alabama State Bar Leadership Class 13, a member of the board of directors for the Birmingham Civil Rights Institute, a past chair of the board of directors for Alabama Appleseed and has served the state and local bar associations in several capacities. In 2016, Dean Adams received the distinguished honor of being named Pro Bono Mediator of the Year by the Alabama State Bar Association. Last year, Governor Kay

Ivey appointed her to Alabama United, an initiative created to hold conversations about the root of the challenges facing African American communities around the state. She was also selected to chair a newly created Presidential Council for Unity and Diversity for the Alabama State Bar and was recognized by the *Birmingham Business Journal* as a 2020 "Woman to Watch." In January 2021, she was selected as one of the "30 Faces of Pro Bono" by the *Alabama Lawyer* magazine.

Dean Adams enjoys the companionship of her husband Eric and their sons Eric Jr. and Ellis. She currently serves as the dean of students at Wake Forest University School of Law, a position she assumed after serving at Samford for 15 years. A couple of mantras Dean Adams loves to share with her students are "Just Be Better" and "Occupy your space with integrity."

Speakers

ANDREW BRUNSON/BEESON DIVINITY SCHOOL



ANDREW BRUNSON and his wife, Norine, were involved in starting churches, training, aid to refugees and a house of prayer in Turkey for 23 years until being falsely accused of terrorism in October 2016. After this, Andrew was held for two years in Turkish prisons. Due to a worldwide prayer movement and significant political pressure from the US government, he was finally

sentenced and then dramatically released in October 2018. Andrew has a Ph.D. in New Testament from the University of Aberdeen, Scotland. Andrew and Norine's new ministry, WaveStarters, is focused on the Muslim world, persecuted church and preparing believers to stand in difficult times.

ORDER OF COMMENCEMENT

College of Health Sciences

Friday, April 23, 2021, 10 a.m.
Seibert Stadium

MACE BEARER

Gretchen McDaniel, Professor, Associate
Dean, Moffett & Sanders School of
Nursing

PRESIDING

Andrew Westmoreland, President

PRELUDE

PROCESSIONAL

“Pomp and Circumstance”

***INVOCATION**

Lakeland Jackson, Graduate, School of Public
Health

MUSIC

Music presented by Samford’s A Cappella
Choir, led by Philip Copeland, Professor,
School of the Arts

SCRIPTURE READING

Zac Curren, Graduate, McWhorter School of
Pharmacy
Patrick Haltom, Graduate, Moffett & Sanders
School of Nursing

WELCOME

Andrew Westmoreland

INTRODUCTION OF SPEAKER

Michael Crouch, Associate Provost,
College of Health Sciences and Dean
and Professor, McWhorter School of
Pharmacy

ADDRESS

Andrew Westmoreland

PRESENTATION OF DEGREES

J. Michael Hardin, Provost and Vice President
for Academic Affairs

CONFERRING OF DEGREES

Andrew Westmoreland

ANNOUNCEMENT OF GRADUATES

Dana Basinger, Assistant Professor, Assistant
Dean, Howard College of Arts and
Sciences

REMARKS

Michael Crouch

***BENEDICTION**

Nathan Black, Graduate, School of Health
Professions

***RECESSIONAL**

FACULTY MARSHALS

Kelly Atkins, Assistant Professor, School of
Health Professions
Thomas Kopec, Assistant Professor, School
of Health Professions
Lisa Herbinger, Associate Professor,
Associate Director, Moffett & Sanders
School of Nursing
Tonya Shanahan, Assistant Professor, Moffett
& Sanders School of Nursing
Erika Cretton-Scott, Associate Professor,
McWhorter School of Pharmacy
Bernadette D’Souza, Associate Professor,
McWhorter School of Pharmacy
Rachel Casiday, Associate Professor, School
of Public Health
Rachel Hagues, Assistant Professor, School
of Public Health

DEANS

Michael Crouch, McWhorter School of
Pharmacy
Alan Jung, School of Health Professions
Melissa Lumpkin, School of Public Health
Jane Martin, Moffett & Sanders School of
Nursing

*The audience will please stand

School of Health Professions

CANDIDATES FOR MASTER OF ATHLETIC TRAINING

Nathan Black
Anna Nicole Bolton

Zachary Phillips
Hannah Marie Turner

Emily H. Walsh

CANDIDATES FOR MASTER OF SCIENCE

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Caroline Grace Barber
Sidney Nicole Baumert
Erin Elizabeth Eads
Rachel Morgan Frey

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Ansley Noel Maness
Rachel Marie Mathis
Johanna Rose Oscarson

Ashley Marie Priddy
Caroline Maggie Rickman
Elizabeth Larkin Stroud
Briana Noelle Tingle
Emily Lyn Van Dyke

Abigail V. Way
Arielle Q. Wesselmann

CANDIDATES FOR DOCTOR OF PHYSICAL THERAPY

Jacob Dylan Barnett
Incorporating faith into practice: the
concierge way
Patrick Berrell
Wellness of the Mind, Body, and Soul
Brooke Renee Bishop
The Bell Center video tutorials
Kaley Ann Blanton
PhysioFit: Challenge the Norm
John Martens Boerner
Fellowship of Christian Athletes:
Character Coach
James David Bray
Evaluation of Injury Prevention
Interventions and Programs for
Wheelchair Athletes
Allison Justus Brown
Community Resources Brochure for
Children with Disabilities
Parker Ellison Brown
ACL Injury Prevention: A Review of
Evidence and its Use in Collegiate
Athletics
Shanele Cobb
ACE, Bows, and Arrows: Special Abilities

Julia Elizabeth Dailey
Alabama Adaptive Games
Erica Carey Dekle
An Exploration in Vestibular
Rehabilitation
Erica Nicole Disbrow
Alabama Adaptive Games
Sydney Lannae Dixon
Service through Softball
Jesse Lauren Dunn
Fighting the good fight: Parkinson
Disease fight club
Caroline Braswell Durbin
Dance without limits and Restoration
Academy
Hailey Fanning
Rural and Limited access healthcare
Ryan Mathew Grammer
Applications of 3D Printing in Physical
Therapy
Rachel Cathryn Greer
Physical Therapy in Oncology
Cromwell Luke Stull Griffith
Evaluation of Injury Prevention
Interventions and Programs for
Wheelchair Athletes

Alexandra Adderholt Guthrie
Evaluation of Injury Prevention
Interventions and Programs for
Wheelchair Athletes
Taylor M. Haynes
Transverse Myelitis 101: Unraveling the
Rare
Sydney Layne Holley
KIDZ HOP 2020
William Jordan Howell
Defining the role of the physical
therapist in the collegiate athletics
setting
Darby Rae Hutchison
Faith and Physical Therapy in the
Woodlawn Community
Leah Dennis Lee
PhysioFit: Challenge the Norm
Jessie Amanda Ludwig
Volunteering at Children's of Alabama
Tyler Wade Musick
Smile-a-Mile/Asthma Camp/EMR
Software
Tristen Lee Patterson
United Ability

Taylor Craig Payne
DPT Samford Alumni/Current Student
Mixer
Hanna Abigail Phares
Faith and Physical Therapy in the
Woodlawn Community
Blane Sexton
Mindfulness & Meditation in Physical
Therapy
Amber Silvia
Alabama Adaptive Games
Bailey Jo Spivey
Wellness in Perry County
Kyndra Nicole Syms
Caring for the Crown
Anna Smith White
Serving women through pelvic floor
physical therapy

Project titles provided by candidates

Moffett & Sanders School of Nursing

CANDIDATES FOR MASTER OF SCIENCE IN NURSING, NURSE PRACTITIONER

Rebecca Cofield Ashurst
Larry Bryant Barnard Jr.
Courtney Marie Baugher
Skye Brownson
Allison Marie Butler
Sarah Lynn Camardello
Jennifer Sorrell Duncan

Jennifer Lynn Ferrence
Kelley Danielle Fry
Lori Evans Fuller
Sarah Caroline Glombowski
Brooklyn Elizabeth Jackson
Nicole Elizabeth Lewis
Pamela Michelle Lewis

Teri L McCallum
Teresa Joann Moore
Gerard Christian C Nolan
Amber Noel Ott
Ashley Patterson
Leigha Katherine Shepard
Margaret Elizabeth Winfield Smith

Kelli Standekar
Julia Steever
Courtney Lynn Tritt
Savannah Steele Turman
Brittany Urresta
Sarah Catherine Woller

CANDIDATES FOR DOCTOR OF NURSING PRACTICE, ADMINISTRATION

Olusola Olukeni Ajeleti-Olufadeju
Digital Health Interventions in Type
2 Diabetes Patients to Reduce Non-
Traumatic Lower Extremity Amputations
(NLEA)
Nannette Banks Jefferson
Patient Satisfaction in Nurse Response
Time and Communication: A Quality
Improvement Proposal
Hannah Marie Bascomb
Impact of an Evidence-Based Nurse-Led
Fall Prevention Program on Inpatient
Fall Rate
Andrea' Gesna Bowden-Evans
Strategies to Increase Flu Vaccination
Uptake in Adult African Americans
Shannan Lynnette Corbin
Aeromedical Evacuation: Clinical Path to
Proficiency
Melanie Cosker
Impact of Health Literacy on Diabetes
Self-Management Education

Angela Kay Dotson
Aiding Intensive Care Nurses with
Compassion Fatigue During the
Coronavirus Disease 2019 Pandemic
DeAviance Fowlks-Turner
Digital Health Interventions in Type
2 Diabetes Patients to Reduce Non-
Traumatic Lower Extremity Amputations
(NLEA)
Karen Anne George
Impact of an Evidence-Based Nurse-Led
Fall Prevention Program on Inpatient
Fall Rate
Terasa Ann Harpole
Adaptive New Hire Nursing Orientation
Program Impacting Patient Outcomes
and Hospital Revenue
Joy Harrison
New Graduate Nurse Mentorship
Program Impacting Patient Safety in a
Rural Hospital

Alisha Kilpatrick Hilburn
The Effectiveness of Disease Specific
Toolkits in Chronic Care Management
Utilizing Telehealth: A Collaborative
Approach
Ann-Marie Ross Irons
Improving Adherence to Treatment
Plans in Diabetes Patients with
Neuropathic Foot Wounds
Ronnie Ann Knabe
A Decision Tree Simulation for Nursing
Student Peer Support: Coping Strategies
to Referral Options
Hannah Elizabeth Landgrave
Eliminating Gastric Residual Volume
Checks to Enhance Nutrition in Critically
Ill Patients
Ann Chandler Nobles
Impact of Health Literacy on Diabetes
Self-Management Education

Rachel Elizabeth Phelps
Keeping Heart Failure Patients in the
"Loop": Creating a Sustainable Program
Brittany Oglesby Shurden
Adaptive New Hire Nursing Orientation
Program Impacting Patient Outcomes
and Hospital Revenue
Jacquelyn Lyon Smith
Implementing Sustainable Plans in Long
Term Care
Shawna Moorman Smith
Implementation of a Risk Based
Melanoma Screening Tool in the Primary
Care Clinic
Jan Burt Tidwell
Digital Health Interventions in Type
2 Diabetes Patients to Reduce Non-
Traumatic Lower Extremity Amputations
(NLEA)
Wendy Winston-Brister
Improving Nurse-Patient
Communication to Impact Patient
Satisfaction

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Project titles provided by candidates

CANDIDATES FOR DOCTOR OF NURSING PRACTICE, ADVANCED PRACTICE

Francine Reyes Clegg Developing a Mobile Preventive Healthcare Program	Amy Goenner Dowling Telehealth: A Tool to Reduce Missed Follow-up Appointments for Pediatric Patients Diagnosed with Asthma	Meredith Anne McCoy Detecting Depression Among Spousal Caregivers of Patients with Dementia in the Primary Care Setting	Deon Qcuenise Scott Pain in African Americans: Optimizing Pain Management Using a Health Policy Development Study Method
Monique Shantrice Nobles Cornett TAPPED: Teaching Advanced Practice Providers about Erectile Dysfunction	Laura Marie Durchsprung Development of a Program to Manage Stress in the Perioperative Nurse	Ashleigh Elizabeth McIntosh Sex Trafficking Screening Tool in Urgent Care Settings	Kathryn M. Smith Perceptions of Pediatric Obesity in the Rural Community Setting
Shjuan Denise Crockett Pain in African Americans: Optimizing Pain Management Using a Health Policy Development Study Method	Destiny Denee Ibrom Improving the Implementation of the CDC Guidelines of the HPV Immunization	Mary Elizabeth Pounders Improving Adherence to Treatment Plans in Diabetes Patients with Neuropathic Foot Wounds	Mary Shields Stewart Long-Term Care Nursing Assessment Competency In Telemedicine
Stacy Ann Davis Identifying and Addressing Barriers in Type 2 Diabetes: A Three-Step Approach	Manola Annabella McCain Development of Culturally Tailored Prenatal Nutritional Counseling for Hispanic Women	Adrian Rolle Changing Health Outcomes: Interventions for the Cardiovascular Disease Epidemic (CHOICE): A Church-based Program	Erica Daniels Touchstone Nurse-Led Evidence-Based Staff Development Program Impacting Care of Geriatric Inpatients Diagnosed with Dementia
Hannah Lear Diaz Standardized Management of Early Pregnancy Loss in a Midwifery Practice			Emily Donielle Worthy Pain in African Americans: Optimizing Pain Management Using a Health Policy Development Study Method

CANDIDATE FOR DOCTOR OF NURSING PRACTICE, THE EMERGENCY NURSE PRACTITIONER

Angela Rosea Parker Nurse Initiated High-Flow Nasal Cannula to Manage Acute Dyspnea with Hypoxia

CANDIDATES FOR DOCTOR OF NURSING PRACTICE, FAMILY NURSE PRACTITIONER

Mary Lise Babin Cervical Cancer Screening Awareness: A Planned Project at St. Michael's Medical Clinic	Rebecca Rowell Munger Development of a Diagnostic and Sustainable Treatment Protocol for Asthma and COPD for use on Medical Mission Trips to Rural Underserved Areas	Jared Ray Nelson Decreasing Emergency Department Length of Stay: Expediting Urine Collection	Alisha Renee Tuning A Healthy Diet and its Effects on Lowering Fasting Blood Glucose in People with Uncontrolled Type II Diabetes Mellitus
Sheryl Scott Biggs Fall Prevention Protocol in a Geriatric Long-Term Care Setting	Vincent Collin Nealey Effectiveness of a Pre-exam Screening and Education Tool on Patient Adherence with Herpes Zoster Vaccination Recommendations	Amy Wilson Rummage Improving Depression Detection and Intervention Initiation Through the Implementation of Annual Screenings in Adult Primary Care	Andy Christian Victor Smoking Cessation Interventions and Support in Primary Care
Lindsay Marie Crocker Rate of Adherence in Patients with Diabetes when using Smart Phone Applications to Document Blood Glucose Levels		Taylor Adell Russell Improving Comfort Care Through Evidence-Based Practice in the Hospital	Mary Ann Wilmoth Increasing Physical Activity Levels in a Rural Faith-Based Organization Using a Daily Devotional Walking Program

CANDIDATE FOR DOCTOR OF NURSING PRACTICE, HEALTH SYSTEMS AND ADMINISTRATION

Kelli Jane Bowen Strategies to Improve Appointment No Show Rate at a Rural Healthcare Clinic	Angela Denise Hamby Behavioral interventions to Decrease the Health Disparity among African American Women with Hypertension
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Project titles provided by candidates

CANDIDATE FOR DOCTOR OF NURSING PRACTICE, NURSE ANESTHESIA

James Michael Ammons

Abdominal Insufflation: Ventilatory Strategy

Rosalind Boonarkat Benson

Reducing Postoperative Coughing with Intravenous Lidocaine

Stephanie Bussman

Sugammadex versus Neostigmine for Reversal of Neuromuscular Blockade

Mildred Catherine Franklin

Dexmedetomidine: One Approach for Multimodal Opioid-Sparing Analgesia

Seth Cameron Gary

Ketofol Use for Deep Sedation

John Patrick Haltom

Postoperative Delirium and Treatment with Physostigmine

Jared O'Neal Hargett

Airway and Pulmonary Optimization in the Early Postoperative Period

Presley Restrepo Harrison

Sugammadex in Patients with Myasthenia Gravis

Sabrina Smith Holdaway

Challenging Hierarchies in Healthcare: A Case Study

Camille Marie Karst

Magnesium Sulfate Effectiveness for ERAS Protocols

Kathryn Doehring Knebel

Enhanced Recovery After Surgery (ERAS) for Pancreaticoduodenectomy

Julia Ann Lewakowski

Pectoral Nerve Blocks for Pain

Management of Radical Mastectomy Surgery

Mark Erwin Lewis

Combined Spinal and Regional Anesthesia for Total Knee Arthroplasty

Jennifer Lauren Lindsey

Adverse Event Analysis: Operating Room Distractions and Interruptions

Aleen Joy McGowan

Opioid-Sparing Measures for Laparoscopic-Assisted Segmental Colectomy

Ngoc-Thao Nguyen

Dexamethasone as an Adjunct to Peripheral Nerve Block for Extended Analgesia

Emily Hurst Perry

Sugammadex Compared to Neostigmine for Neuromuscular Blockade Reversal

Arshnoor Aslam Qamaruddin

Dexmedetomidine as an Adjuvant Analgesic to Improve Patient Outcomes

Jessica Magen Ramsey

Dexmedetomidine: Opioid-sparing Measure for Opioid-tolerant Patients

Jessica Hatfield Randall

Modified Pectoral Nerve Block for Unilateral Mastectomy

Monicka Lynn Roden

Transversus Abdominis Plane Block for Enhanced Recovery After Surgery

Laura Starr Wagner

Methods to Achieve One-Lung Ventilation

S. Caleb Webb

The Useful Anesthetic Properties of Ketamine

Charniece Tashee Wilcox

Cerebral Oximetry Monitoring to Decrease the Incidence of Ischemia

Michaela Jo Wilcox

Ketamine as a General Anesthesia Adjunct

McWhorter School of Pharmacy

CANDIDATES FOR DOCTOR OF PHARMACY

Kellie Elizabeth Ball[‡]

Safety and Efficacy of Apixaban Following Bioprosthetic Valve Replacements: A Retrospective Evaluation

Emory Ryan Barber

Design, Synthesis, and Evaluation of Potential Isoflavone-Based Aromatase Inhibitors

Robin Scott Beauchamp

Isolation of Flexirubin-derived Pigment Produced by a Suspected *Chryseobacterium* Bacteria

Dorci Grace Berlin

Efficacy of HYDEXOR TM / CL-108 in Opioid Induced Nausea and Vomiting

Logan Brett Boone

Evaluating Percent Target Attainment Using Area under the Curve versus Trough-based Dosing Methods for Vancomycin in the Obese Population

Alexandria Nicole Boot

What's Trending on Twitter Related to the Newest Approved Agent for HIV Pre-Exposure Prophylaxis (PrEP)

Bridget L. Breland

Safety and Efficacy Evaluation of Intermittent Fasting Diet in Helping Patients with Multiple Sclerosis (MS)

Elizabeth Ann Brooks

Validation of a Medication Appropriateness Index for Evaluating DOAC Prescribing upon Hospital Discharge in Atrial Fibrillation

Caroline Woodall Bruce

Diabetes Education Classes in an Independent Pharmacy Setting

Sara Susanne Burks[‡]

The Effect of Chiropractic Care on Usage of Certain Medications

Jay Patrick Butler

What are the Effects of School's Running Club on a Graduate Student's

Motivation to Continue to Exercise after Extracurricular Activities Have Been Cancelled Due to COVID-19?

Donald Davis Campbell, III

Importance of Narcan for Opioid-related Overdose Reversal in High Risk Populations

Heather Price Christopherson

Current Post-operative Antithrombotic Evidence for TAVI/TAVR Procedure

Evan Lucas Claxon

Evaluating the Use of Albumin in Post-cardiac Surgery Patients

Catherine Paige Click

Evaluation of Commercially Available Cannabidiol Oils on the Metabolism of Commonly Prescribed Opioid Medications

Madison Cox

Contributors to Weight Gain Among Incoming First-year College Students: A Literature Review

Rachel Anne Crane

Irinotecan Prodrug Biomodulation with Various Beta-pentagalloyl Sugar Analogs

Zachary Austin Curren[‡]

Evaluating Effectiveness of the Layered-Learning Practice Model (LLPM) to Conduct Medicare Annual Wellness Visits (AWV) in a Primary Care Clinic

Olivia Nicole Dauphin

Effectiveness of Cannabidiol for the Treatment of Cognitive Deficits in Models of Alzheimer's Disease: A Literature Review

Brianna Julia Deraney

Pharmacy Students' Knowledge on Infant Safe Sleep Guidelines

Kirsten Ashley Doremus

Evaluation of Medication Options for Tobacco Cessation to Determine the Overall Best Treatment Recommendation

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Project titles provided by candidates

Raegan Gibson Fain Effectiveness of Workflow Changes in a Community Pharmacy in Response to COVID-19	Brandi Aleyce Sibley Guidry Validating the RECOVERY Trial Outcomes at an Acute Care Facility for COVID-19 Patients	with High-risk Opioid Patients in a Family Medicine Clinic	Leon Frank Melazzo III Evaluation of Knowledge and Perceptions about Medication Use after Participation in a Training Program
Sally Mashhour Falahat [‡] Identifying Risk Factors for Pseudomonas aeruginosa and Methicillin-resistant Staphylococcus aureus in Adult Patients with Community Acquired Pneumonia	Haley Brianna Hagan Lemborexant's Efficacy and Safety When Used for the Treatment of Insomnia in Older Adults: A Literature Review	Veronica Denise Ivery The Use and Efficacy of Cognitive Behavior Therapy for the Treatment of Resistant Depression: A Literature Review	Holly Melinda Mize [‡] The Repurposing of Non-cancer Drugs as Potential Treatment Options for Lung Cancer: A Literature Review of Drugs in Recent Studies
Kendall Austin Foshee Evaluating the Appropriateness of DOAC Prescribing for Venous Thromboembolism upon Hospital Discharge	Laura Marie Harris How Safe and Effective is the mRNA-1273 Vaccine for the Prevention of SARS-CoV-2 Infection in Adults?	Ashton Pyle Jester Knowledge and Perceptions of Health Literacy in Independent Pharmacists of Southwest Georgia	Mayank B. Modi Effect of Ketoprofen Powder vs. Capsule on Transdermal Penetration Formulated in Poloxamer Lecithin Organogel
Ashley Shadae Foster [‡] Limited Food Security and Its Association with Type 2 Diabetes Mellitus	Hunter Keith Hawthorne Mislabeled Mishaps of Over the Counter CBD products: A Literature Review	Taylor L. Johnson Long-term Efficacy of Botulinum Toxin for the Prevention of Migraine in Chronic Migraine Patients	Megan Lucille Morgan Antibiotic Appropriateness for Urinary Tract Infections at Time of Emergency Department Discharge
Traci Lynn Fuller The Effectiveness of Dornase Alfa in Non-cystic Fibrosis Patients within a Pediatric Cardiovascular Intensive Care Unit	Griffin Allen Hibbett Evaluation of the Relationship between Perceived Stress, Social Support, Physical Activity, and Amount of Sleep among Pharmacy Students at Samford's McWhorter School of Pharmacy	April Marie Jones Evaluating How Pharmacogenomic Testing Can Impact the Care of Pediatric Cystic Fibrosis Patients: A Retrospective Chart Review	Ella Holden Moss [‡] Role of Pharmacists in Blood-borne Pathogen Prevention through Needle/Syringe Services: A Case Study of Community Pharmacists in Alabama
Cody Ryan Gaither Stability of Angiotensin II at Clinically Relevant Concentrations	Seth Owen Hinkle Evaluation of Safety and Effectiveness of Apixaban and Rivaroxaban Dosing Strategies in Patients Transitioning from Parenteral Anticoagulation for Venous Thromboembolism Treatment	Michael Hunter Jones Anxiety and Depression in Pharmacy Students Undergoing Hybrid and Traditional Curricula	Stephanie Nash [‡] Systematic Review on the Effectiveness of Pure Gum Spirit Turpentine Oil in the Treatment of Candida, also Known as Yeast, Pin, and Tapeworm
Timothy Scott Garrett Oliceridine: A Novel Treatment for Acute Postoperative Pain - A Literature Review	Savannah Hodge Feasibility of Creating a Diabetes Self-management Education Program at an Independent Community Pharmacy	Derrick Anthony Lewis [‡] A Pre and Post Survey to Determine Effectiveness of Needle and Syringe Distribution Education for Student Pharmacists	Rodney Nguyen [‡] Evaluation of the Use of QR Codes in Reducing Medication Errors in Outpatient Setting
Jennifer Aimee Gentile Identifying Risk Factors for Pseudomonas aeruginosa and Methicillin-resistant Staphylococcus aureus in Adult Patients with Urinary Tract Infections	Kayla Nicole Holmes Analyzing Stroke Risk Compared to Oxidative Stress in Mood Stabilizers	Katie Alyssa Manderson Assessing Quality of Alzheimer's Disease Patient Care through the Caregivers Lens	Yelitza Nieves Prosper Effectiveness and Safety of the Most Common Herbs Used as Complementary and Alternative Medicine in Hispanic Populations
Moano Gnagna-waka Role of Pharmacists in Multidisciplinary Cancer Treatment Team	Charles Damian Honey Evaluating Percent Target Attainment Utilizing Area Under the Curve (AUC) versus Trough-based Dosing Methods of Vancomycin	Kolton Jewel McCarty Improving Academic Performance: Prescription Strength Stimulant Drugs vs Alternative Methods	Ryan Gregory Oakley [‡] Hospital Dexamethasone Usage and Outcomes in SARS-CoV-2 Patients
Jordan Nicole Graves Subcutaneous Depot Injection of Buprenorphine for the Management of Opioid Use Disorder	Krystin Hope Howard [‡] Evaluating the Quality of EMR Reporting Data in a Family Medicine Clinic	Rebekah LeAnne McCarty The Leading Stressors in Non-traditional Pharmacy Students at One School of Pharmacy	Randall Gavin Odom Sodium Glucose Co-transporter 2 (SGLT2) Inhibitors and Their Role in Heart Failure Patients with or without Diabetes
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Elise Virginia Grove Aminoglycoside Levels in Neonatal Continuous Renal Replacement Therapy: A LENTIL Pilot Study	George Randal Hudson An Analysis of Correlations between Personality Traits and Persistence in Samford University McWhorter School of Pharmacy Students	Krista Lauren McNutt An Analysis of Correlations between Gallup Clifton Strengths and Personality Traits in Doctor of Pharmacy Students at McWhorter School of Pharmacy	Saeun Park Exploring the Relationship between Cognitive Status and the Physical Activity Pattern of Senior Adults
	Lacey Elizabeth Hughes [‡] Assessing Co-prescribing of Naloxone	Alexandria M Mehr Characteristics of Patients with Uncontrolled Hypertension at a FQHC	

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Stephen Joseph Parker In Vitro Metabolic Interactions between Commercial CBD Oils and Anti-seizure/ Anticonvulsant Medications	Year Two (PGY2) Emergency Medicine Pharmacy Residency Programs	Selected	Payton Renea Whiten [‡] Prescription Monitoring Programs and Opioid Prescribing Rates
Tiana Michelle Pisoni Improving Bulimia Nervosa Treatment: Genetic Testing and the Development of Alternative Therapies	April Machae Rudolph Efficacy of the Topical Corticosteroids Budesonide versus Fluticasone Propionate for Eosinophilic Esophagitis	Lucas Todd Stocks How Pharmacy Technician Education Affects the Work Environment	Brian K Whitworth Reassessing the Data after 15 Years with the 2005 AAPCC Beta Blocker Consensus Guidelines
Ally Elizabeth Ponder [‡] Prescribing of Direct Oral Anticoagulation Therapy in a Primary Care Clinic	Sabrina Jean Sagers Does Shorter Course Antibiotic Therapy Provide Similar Patient Outcomes as Longer Course Therapy in the Treatment of Gram-negative Bacteremia?	Maria Dawn Strickland Benzimidazoles and Cancer Therapy	Macy Renee' Wigginton Design and Validation of a Key to Assess the Appropriateness of DOACs for DVT Prophylaxis in Total Hip and Knee Arthroplasty at Hospital Discharge
Johnie Joel Prentice Emerging Treatments in Parkinson's Disease	Matthew Blake Sartin Alzheimer's Disease Knowledge Disparities among Pharmacists	Bradley Clay Sudduth Efficacy of Ozanimod in Relapsing Multiple Sclerosis	Brady Lee Williams Thoughts of Independent Community Pharmacists in Alabama's DeKalb and Marshall Counties about Implementing Clinical Services
Alivia Darty Price Characterization of Commercial Cannabidiol Oil Products and the In-vitro Biomodulation of Citalopram and Escitalopram	Michaela Cheyenne Saunders The Association between Regulatory Metabolic Cofactors in Children and Body Mass Index in Adulthood - An AMERICO Follow-up Study	Katlynn Abigail Sullivan Assessing Statin Prescribing Habits of Providers at a Family Medicine Clinic for the Prevention of Secondary Stroke	Lauren Wall Williamson [‡] How Does Tacrolimus Medication-level Variability Index Affect Development of Donor-Specific Antibodies and Risk of Allograft Rejection in Pediatric Renal Transplant Recipients?
Kayla Marie Price Comparing Opioid Agonist Therapy for Treatment of Addiction	Garrett Cole Scaff Evaluation of Medical Cannabis as Alternative or Adjunctive Therapy to Prescription Opioids	William Howell Swann Assessing the Knowledge of Community Pharmacists on Direct and Indirect Remuneration Fees	Jasmine Dominique Willis The Role of Traditional Chinese Medicine in Managing Systemic Lupus Erythematosus
Ali Aslam Rajpari HIV Pre-Exposure Prophylaxis: Overview and Update for Community Pharmacists	Tabitha Michelle Seaman Enhancing Clinical Outcomes of Isotretinoin by Combinational Treatments	Mason Lee Sykes Pumpkin Seed Extract: Therapeutic Benefits in Treatment of Benign Prostatic Hyperplasia	Jon Kenyon Wilson [‡] Accuracy of Abstracts for Original Research Manuscripts Published in Informatics-based Journals
Lindsey Brooke Ricchetti Surveying Creatinine Clearance Calculation Methods in Various Hospital Settings across the State of Alabama	Dylan Keith Shadinger Role of Bempedoic Acid in the Treatment of Hyperlipidemia	Allie Pyron Taylor A Content Analysis of Twitter on Hydroxychloroquine's Safety and Efficacy in COVID-19	Cameron Anthony Wlaschin Evaluation of CGRP in the Treatment and Prevention of Migraine Headache
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Avery Carson Roberson Analysis of Continuous Albuterol Use for Status Asthmaticus in a Pediatric Intensive Care Unit	Megan Michelle Simpson Clonidine Exposure Outcomes and Prevalence Due to Therapeutic Error in Children 6 to 12 years between 2015 to 2019 Based on Alabama Poison Information Center Data	Raymond Cruz Tidwell Literature Review of Prazosin Dosing Methods for Its Potential Benefits in Nightmares Related to Post-traumatic Stress Disorder	Adriane Lynn York Assessing the Need for Naloxone Education within Pharmacy Staff in the State of Alabama
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Kaci Lynn Rodriguez Comparison of Vascepa to Fenofibrate in Decreasing Cardiovascular Outcomes in High Risk Patients	Kristina Megan Smith Ivacaftor-Lexacaftor-Tezacaftor and Tacrolimus Combination in Cystic Fibrosis and Organ Transplantation: A Patient Case and Literature Review	Damion Justin Totherow A Paradigm Shift: A Review of the Safety and Efficacy of Sacubitril-Valsartan in Patients with Heart failure	Reem W. Youusif Vaping: A Literary Review on the Newest Alternative to Smoking
Madison Brooke Ross Biosimilar Cost versus Reimbursement in Oncology Practice	Morgan Renee Smith Congruence of Postgraduate Year Two (PGY2) Specialization with Initial Job	Jillian Marie Walters [‡] Optimization and Evaluation of Gender and Species Specific Cancer Vaccine Adjuvants	Crystal Dean Zills Nabilone and Agitation in Alzheimer's Disease Patients: A Systematic Literature Review
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		Brandon Tyler Watson Riluzole for Adjunctive Treatment of Obsessive-Compulsive Disorder	

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Beeson Divinity School

Friday, April 30, 2021, 11 a.m.
Andrew Gerow Hodges Chapel

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PRELUDE

Processional on "Westminster Abbey" by
Robert Wetzler
Dianne Norton, Organist Emerita, Dawson
Memorial Baptist Church

***PROCESSIONAL**

Hymn No. 529, "For All the Saints" SINE
NOMINE; led by Joseph Hopkins, Dean,
School of the Arts

***INVOCATION**

Douglas Sweeney, Dean, Beeson Divinity
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***THE APOSTLES' CREED**

Led by Douglas Sweeney

I believe in God, the Father Almighty, Maker
of heaven and earth;
and in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord,
who was conceived by the Holy Ghost,
born of the Virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, dead, and buried.
He descended into hell;
the third day He rose again from the dead.
He ascended into heaven,
and sitteth on the right hand of God, the
Father Almighty.
From thence He shall come to judge the quick
and the dead.
I believe in the Holy Ghost,
the holy catholic Church,
the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,

and the life everlasting. Amen.

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THE READING OF HOLY SCRIPTURE

Hebrews 10:32-39, J. Michael Hardin

***HYMN NO. 358**

"Love Divine, All Loves Excelling" BEECHER;
led by Joseph Hopkins

SERMON

"Preparing to Stand in Difficult Times"
Andrew Brunson, Cofounder, WaveStarters
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BLESSING OF STUDENTS

Beeson Divinity School Faculty
Music for meditation and prayer provided by
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***HYMN NO. 287**

"Lift High the Cross" CRUCIFER; led by
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"Finale" from Organ Symphony No. 1 by Louis
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"Pomp and Circumstance"

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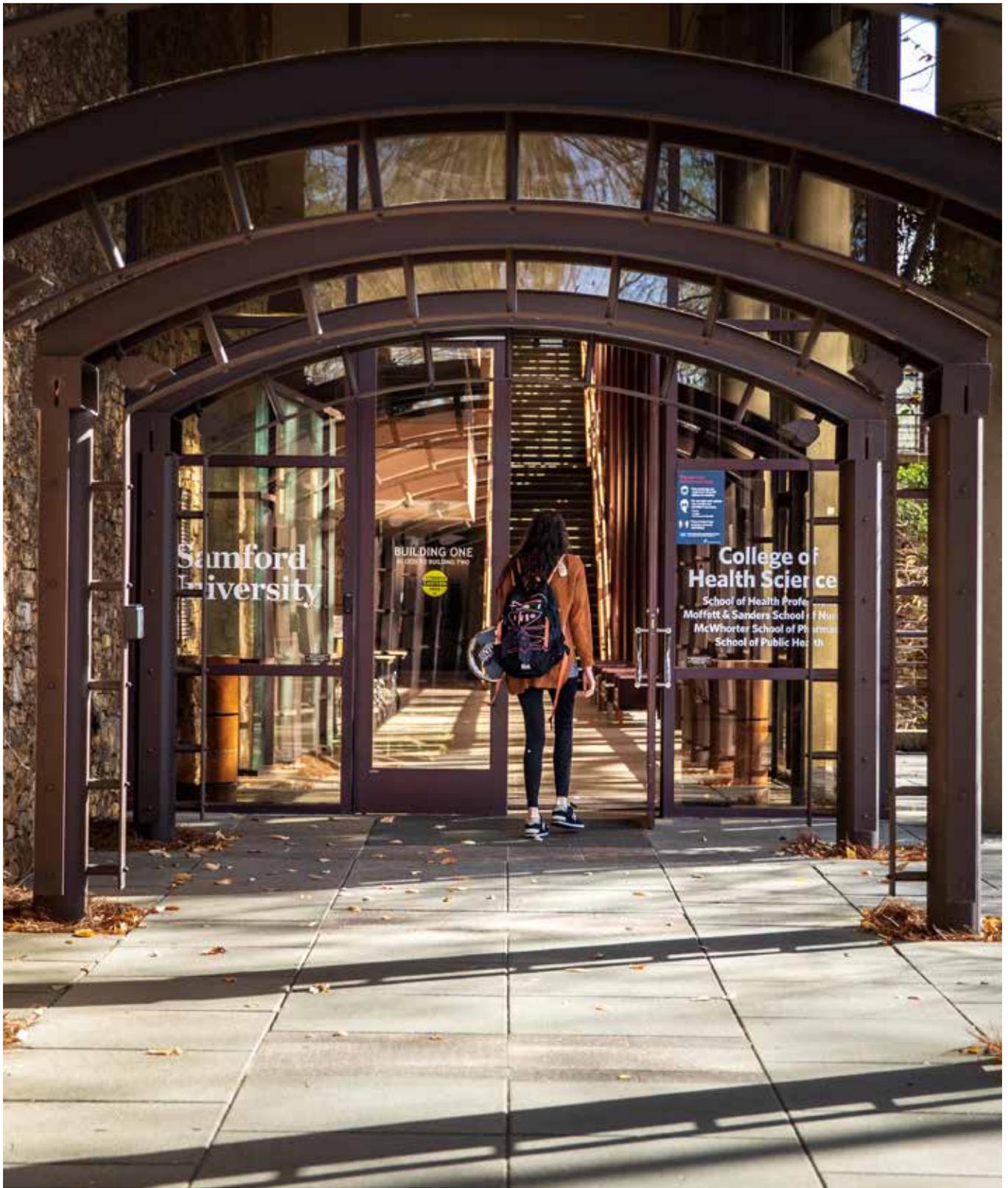
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"Fantasia in G (Pièce d'Orgue)," BWV 572,
Johann Sebastian Bach, Fred Teardo,
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"Pomp and Circumstance March" in D Major,
Op. 39, No.1, Edward Elgar

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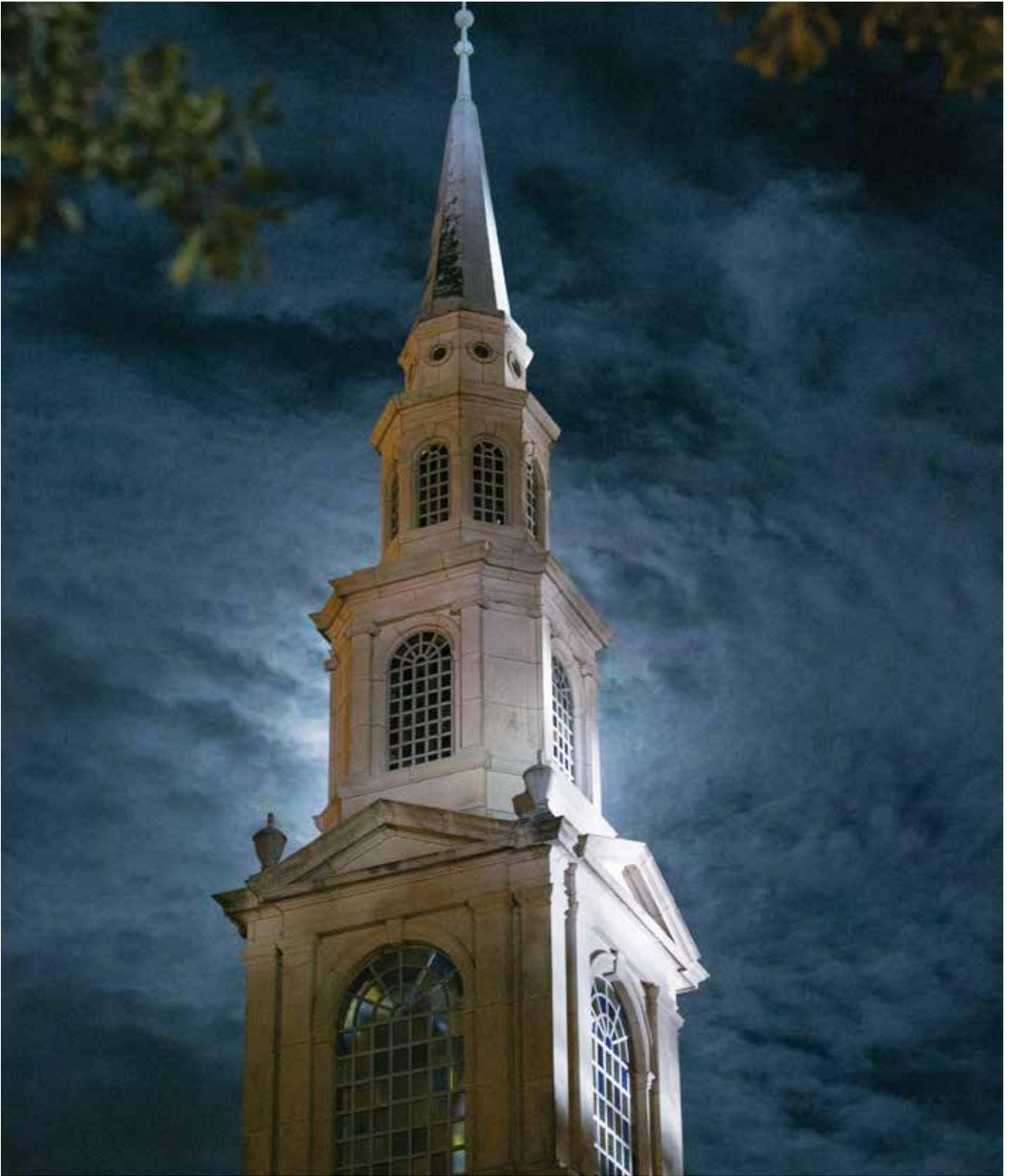
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Bolding Studio
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- 11a. Lower Leslie S. Wright Fine Arts Center
Parking Lot
12. F. Page Seibert Stadium
- 12a. Leo E. Bashinsky Press Tower
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- 15a. Barbara Drummond Thorne Hall
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b. Mountain View g. Alpha Delta Pi
c. Sigma Nu h. Zeta Tau Alpha
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e. Phi Mu
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