AUTUMN COMMENCEMENT

DECEMBER 17, 2017
If you’re like me, you’ve got a big head, not to mention a funny robe, full of music—poems and melodies, the tunes we move to, shower and shave by, study, write to. Not just the incidental, but the momentous music keeping time. Our histories are measures of song. Listen to your heart: drums of Africa, sea-spume of blind, far-sighted Homer, Sappho’s honeyed love lyrics. Often, music speaks for us, one note saying a thousand words. Like Rodolfo in Puccini’s La Bohème, Sono un poeta. I am a poet. Che cosa faccio? What do I do? Scrivo. I write. This ceremony is loud music—pomp and circumstance of the life you began freshman year or that first day of graduate school. In my head I press Play, and the CD of Big Days kicks on. I leap and linger over moments too sweet, nearly, for words. I’ll never escape rhymes from the nursery. Up above the world so high, like a diamond in the sky. We knew from the start our universe was aglow with wonder.

Italian, Latin, English songs in nasal accents of Cleveland. Gaudeamus igitur, Juvenes dum sumus. So, let us rejoice, while we are young. Youth is that gift we can’t comprehend while we’re young. This ceremony means you all are less young than you were. Don’t let the heavy knowledge gained from your studies deprive you of the gifts of youth, to be able to rejoice at the drop of a hat, to care for, be moved by others.

Now I hear golden hits of five decades. Big Mama Thornton, and that so-called King (King of what, fried butter sandwiches?) who stole away her hound dog. You ain’t never killed a rabbit, you ain’t no friend of mine. As with those pros and TAs, course after course, you had to produce—kill some rabbits—to earn respect. And at times OSU may have seemed like Heartbreak Hotel, down at the end of Lonely Street, so difficult was it to do your best. Tennessee Ernie Ford, “Sixteen Tons”: St. Peter don’t you call me ‘Cause I can’t go. I owe my soul to the company store.

You have been digging deep in mines of knowledge. We all owe our souls to Ohio State, company store of learning, shared experience—precious ore we have in common forever.

Now I hear Domenico Modugno’s fervent urging to wish, sing, fly, Volare, Wo-o-0. Cantare, Wo-o-o-o. My grandfather was a peasant farmer, a contadino in Calabria in the toe of Italy. He knew it’s the human lot to dream of flying. Lucky, lucky, lucky me, I’m a lucky son-of-a-gun. I work eight hours, I sleep eight hours, That leaves eight hours for fun.

Hey! He sailed in steerage across the Atlantic, came to Cleveland, where he stayed long enough to work 52 years for the B&O Railroad, before lying down to rest in good Ohio soil. So many of us here today came from elsewhere, or ancestors did. From Tennessee, Italy, Africa, Asia, Appalachia—even, President Kirwan, the wilds of Kentucky and Maryland. Women and men with backs supple as birch trunks. The courage it took to pick up stakes and begin again in a new world! Think of the work those older ones did. For you. You all are facing a change right now.

This sheepskin is your passport. You’re bound for emigration to the next song of your life. Ohio State is the ark on which you’ve been sailing. You’ve been the precious cargo.

But, as Noah once said, I can see clearly now the rain is gone. The ark, our university, was filled to overflowing with the diversity of us. Diversity. Networks and talk shows devalue the word.

(continued on inside back cover)
October 4, 2018

Dear Commencement contacts:

Enclosed is an addendum to the Autumn '17 corrected commencement bulletin. This will reflect students added/dropped after the initial public commencement day copies were published as well as any other changes such as Honors changes. Other changes/corrections not originally reflected therein were made known to me and are as follows:

p. 33 Harold F. Baker, Westerville B.A. [honors added to his LAW/Juris Doctor degree]. Magna Cum Laude

Please retain this information for future inquiries. If you have any questions or concerns, you may contact the registrar's office at the address or email given below.

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Michael V. Drake
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Prelude—1:30 to 2 p.m.
The Symphonic Band
Scott A. Jones, Conductor

Welcome
D’Andra I. Mull
Assistant Vice President for Student Life
Dean of Students

Processional

National Anthem
Graduates and guests led by
Elizabeth M. Vasey
Class of 2017

Invocation
Cathy L. Disher
Chaplain
Department of Chaplaincy and Clinical
Pastoral Education
Wexner Medical Center

Commencement Address
Robert J. Portman
United States Senator

Conferring of Honorary Degree
Recipient presented by
Janet B. Reid, Vice Chair
Board of Trustees
Marian Wright Edelman
Doctor of Humane Letters

Conferring of Degrees in Course
Colleges presented by
Bruce A. McPheron
Executive Vice President and Provost

Awarding of Diplomas

Welcome to New Alumni
James E. Smith
Senior Vice President of Alumni Relations
President and CEO
The Ohio State University
Alumni Association

Alma Mater—Carmen Ohio
Graduates and guests led by
Elizabeth M. Vasey
Oh! Come let's sing Ohio's praise,
And songs to Alma Mater raise;
While our hearts rebounding thrill,
With joy which death alone can still.
Summer’s heat or winter’s cold,
The seasons pass, the years will roll;
Time and change will surely show
How firm thy friendship—O-hi-o!

Recessional

Excerpts from the commencement ceremony will be broadcast on WOSU-TV, Channel 34, on Monday, December 18, at 5:30 p.m.
Livestream coverage and a replay of the ceremony in its entirety can be viewed at commencement.osu.edu/video.html.
As one of Ohio’s preeminent elected officials, U.S. Senator Robert J. Portman has served his home state, and the nation, for nearly three decades. He is a strong proponent for the advancement of civic engagement and public service.

A native of Cincinnati, Ohio, Senator Portman was first elected to Congress in 1993, where he represented Ohio’s 2nd Congressional District for 12 years in the U.S. House of Representatives. During his time in the House, he founded the Coalition for a Drug-Free Greater Cincinnati and authored the Drug Free Communities Act — as well as numerous bills promoting tax and budget reform. Senator Portman left Congress in 2005 to serve in President George W. Bush’s Cabinet, first as the United States Trade Representative and later as Director of the Office of Management and Budget. In 2010, he was elected to represent Ohio in the U.S. Senate — ultimately serving on several of the Senate’s most powerful committees, including Finance; Energy and Natural Resources; Foreign Relations; and Homeland Security and Government Affairs, where he is Chairman of the Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations. During his first term, Senator Portman introduced more than 180 bills, including 150 bipartisan bills, and 50 bills that were signed into law by President Obama. His legislative record includes helping communities combat the opioid epidemic, providing career and technical training for Ohioans, helping combat sex trafficking and fighting for a level playing field for Ohio workers.

In 2016, he was re-elected, winning 84 out of Ohio’s 88 counties on a campaign focused on delivering results for Ohioans. Senator Portman is a member of the board of advisors at the John Glenn College of Public Affairs, where he previously taught four courses. He and his wife, Jane, have three children.

A lifelong advocate for disadvantaged youth, Marian Wright Edelman has been a leading voice for children and families across the United States for more than 40 years. Mrs. Edelman is the founder and president of the Children’s Defense Fund, whose mission to Leave No Child Behind® works to ensure every American child has the opportunity for a successful start in life.

Guided by an unwavering dedication to family and children’s issues, Mrs. Edelman began her career of service in the mid-1960s when, as the first black woman admitted to the Mississippi bar, she served as a lawyer for the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People. She directed the NAACP Legal Defense and Educational Fund Office in Jackson, Mississippi, prior to relocating to Washington, D.C., to serve as counsel for the Poor People’s Campaign that Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. began organizing before his death. In the nation’s capital, she founded the Washington Research Project, a public-interest law firm and the parent body of the Children’s Defense Fund, which Mrs. Edelman officially began in 1973. Under Mrs. Edelman’s leadership, the Children’s Defense Fund has challenged the United States to raise its standards and has successfully influenced the child policy agenda.

Mrs. Edelman is the recipient of numerous honorary degrees and awards, including the Albert Schweitzer Humanitarian Prize, the Heinz Award, a MacArthur Foundation Prize Fellowship, the Robert F. Kennedy Lifetime Achievement Award and the Presidential Medal of Freedom, the nation’s highest civilian award. Mrs. Edelman is a prolific author, penning works such as The Sea Is So Wide and My Boat Is So Small: Charting a Course for the Next Generation and The Measure of Our Success.

Mrs. Edelman is a graduate of Spelman College and Yale Law School. She is married to Peter Edelman, a professor at Georgetown University Law Center. They have three sons and four grandchildren.
Dear Graduates:

Congratulations on earning the diploma soon to be in your hands. Few things are as satisfying as earning an education that is truly yours. This is a milestone achievement — one that gives the green light to begin your next chapter. While you anticipate what is ahead, also consider how much you have gained as an Ohio State student.

During your time on campus, you absorbed a great deal of knowledge, the true currency of today’s society. I hope that you were inspired inside a classroom, through a leadership position or by way of a research endeavor, and that we played a role in helping you discover your passion. As the years roll on, regardless of where life takes you, remember to cherish the friends you made here and the wisdom you gained.

Today is your day to celebrate, but it is also a day of gratitude — a time to thank your instructors, mentors, friends and family who helped you reach this pivotal moment. Whether they are sitting in the stands or congratulating you from afar, they have contributed to your success in many ways. So thank your loved ones for the brown-bag lunches that fueled you, and thank teachers for the resources that guided you. Much of what you have accomplished can be traced back to their support.

Many of you chose to attend Ohio State because you wanted to solve problems, change lives or make our world a better place — perhaps all three. Now, more than ever, our world needs ambitious, lifelong learners. Your unique ideas and diverse experiences will shape our future, and your accomplishments will be a positive force for change in communities around the globe. Congratulations, again, on becoming a Buckeye for life!

Sincerely,

Michael V. Drake, MD
President
On behalf of The Ohio State University Alumni Association, we write to offer our congratulations to the Class of 2017! It is exhilarating when this many Buckeyes gather in one place, and all who are here today share excitement for what you accomplished at Ohio State and what you will achieve in the future.

Commencement is your day: a celebration of your journey and the lessons and experiences that accompanied your time on campus. As you look around, you will see that you did not undertake the journey alone. You drew upon an incredible wealth of knowledge, experience and support from your classmates, loved ones and the university that contributed to your ability to earn the diploma you hold in your hands today.

In the coming years, you will make many more exciting transitions — some may take you around the globe and introduce you to new people and ideas. Along the way, you will enjoy the benefits of an alumni network that connects five generations of Buckeyes who are making a difference in all parts of the world.

As of today, you are a member of the alumni association. We want you always to be passionate about your alma mater and continue to stay actively engaged through social media channels, volunteering, alumni clubs and societies, and beyond. To learn more about the different membership levels and benefits within the alumni association, please visit osu.edu/alumni/membership.

We are honored to welcome the Class of 2017 as our newest members and are committed to providing the services you want from your alumni association. Your success is driving Ohio State’s motto, Education for Citizenship, and we will work to support you throughout your life as you pay forward your time at this university.

Again, congratulations to you, your family, friends and all who have helped you reach this milestone in your life as you receive your diploma from The Ohio State University.

Sincerely,

Kristin Watt
Chair, Board of Directors
The Ohio State University Alumni Association, Inc.

Jim Smith
Senior Vice President of Alumni Relations
President and CEO
The Ohio State University Alumni Association, Inc.
Congratulations, Buckeye!

Now, check out all the ways to stay connected to Ohio State after graduation.

**GUIDE YOUR CAREER**

- 3,200+ active employers working with Alumni Career Connection
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**BOND WITH FELLOW BUCKEYES**

- Join one of 121 regional clubs
- Connect with one of 48 societies supporting your interests
- Attend special events—168 hosted in FY16

**PAY FORWARD**

- More than 150 volunteer projects done by Buckeyes in 2016

**TRAVEL THE WORLD**

- Join one of 30+ trips with Alumni Tours

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D - PhD; Master's; Public Health; Medicine; Nursing
E - Education and Human Ecology
F - Food, Agricultural and Environmental Sciences; Business

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Arena Seating
This program is not an official graduation list.

This printed program lists students who were eligible to graduate for Autumn Semester 2017, as of 5:00 p.m., December 7, 2017, pending the outcome of final examinations and final grades. Therefore, it should not be used to determine a student’s academic or degree status. The University’s official registry for conferment of degrees is the student’s permanent academic record, kept by the Office of the University Registrar, Student Academic Services Building, 281 West Lane Avenue, Columbus, OH 43210-1132.

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Electrical and Computer Engineering

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B.S. (Nanjing University)
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Brandon Charles Dickson, Gahanna
Zhenyu Dong, Shaoxing, China
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Tyler Joseph Donahue, Martins Ferry
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Pat Cosgrove Dunning, Mentor
Jack Edwards, Mason
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Constantine Demetrius Elliott, Mayfield Heights
Nicholas James Evans, Kirtland
Matthew Ryan Falcona, Pittsburgh, PA
Jeffrey Craig Fall, Franklin
Magna Cum Laude

Yawan Fan, Nantong, China
Cum Laude

Yuan Fang, Hangzhou, China
Ashley Nicole Faulkner, Cincinnati
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Austin Tyler Feinberg, North Canton
Ruixuan Feng, Nanning, China
Linnea Lauren Ferris, Doylestown
Jake Anthony Ferzaccia, Buffalo Grove, IL
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Michael Jake Fishman, New Albany
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Taylor Flores, Tampa, FL
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Joel Forwalder, Honolulu, HI
Cum Laude

Jacob Stewart Fowler, Grove City
Marcelo Javier Frachcia, Roselle Park, NJ
Kayla Marie Frank, Lebanon
Magna Cum Laude

Christian O'Neil Freer, Shaker Heights
Alexandra Mechele Freytag, Newark
Nicholas Joseph Friulant, Chardon
Yuzhou Fu, Daqing, China
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Tavishi Girotra, Celina
Leira Giebe, Federal Way, WA
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Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia
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Zachary Scott Graham, Akron
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Jacob Stephen Phillips, Alexandria
Nicklaus Andrew Phillips, Thornville
Caitlin Elizabeth Pierson, Westerville
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Nicholas Shawn Pomroy, Mount Gilead
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Taylor Matthew Milton Poole, Aurora
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Mikayla Lynn Shaffer, Hebron
Kyle Joseph Shellenger, Westerville
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Delani Elizabeth Reynolds, Columbus
Elizabeth Natasha Reynolds, Mansfield
Elizabeth Ann Rhinehart, Westerville
Clayton Cole Richardson, Mansfield
Dillon Anthony Rickard, Findlay
Richard Blake Rodriguez, Medina
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Zixuan Chen, Guangzhou, China
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Chenyingxin Xu, Changsha, China
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Yuxuan Wang, Changsha, China
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Xi Zeng, Columbus
Collin Patrick Zevchik, Strongsville
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Kady Lynn Gies, Monroeville
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Sabrina Mae Kell, Columbus

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Han Na Kim, Seoul, Korea

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Seung-Jun Ko, Loveland

Jesse Thompson Koch, Bellbrook
Victoria Lee Krebs, Avon
Cum Laude

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Alexia Leonard, Reynoldsburg
Joshua Arch Little, Springboro

Jordan Vince Lucki, Columbus
Cum Laude

Evan Lloyd Martindale, Canton
Ross Thomas McClelland, Hudson
Daniel Patrick Misencik, Westlake
Cum Laude

Kirtus Moon, Crestline

Rachel Dianne Mager, Marlborough, MA

Matthew Frank Macielewicz, Fremont

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Magna Cum Laude

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with Honors Research Distinction in Computer Science and Engineering

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with Honors in Integrated Business and Engineering

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Alexander Joseph Koenig, Pickerington
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Kathryn Anne Weinrich, Worthington
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Katie-Lynn Marie Dheel, Pickerington
Jamie Lynn Heidel, Cincinnati
Megan Elizabeth Levine, Dublin
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John Michael Sarris, Mayfield Heights
Nicholas Edmund Scarpelli, Vandalia
Conner Lorenz Schabel, Auburn
Hao Wang, Columbus
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Mario Joseph Fortin, Columbus
David Michael Hanson, Cincinnati
Westley James Hart, Lewisburg
Henry Hon-Kit Ip, Monterey Park, CA
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Anderson Lowry Payne, St. Paris
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Matthew Scott Evans, Wilmington
Christopher Huang, Columbus
Beth Christine Kermekian, Ashtabula
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Brenda Marie Montersen, Columbus
Brooke Alyson Sharp, Brookville
Cum Laude

Regina Tanuwidjaja, Jakarta, Indonesia
Cum Laude

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McKenna Marie Cimperman, Westerville
Travis Michael Copeland, Columbus
Ashley Lynn Cordle, Logan

Anthony James Davis, Richwood
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Matthew Robert Latimer, Powell
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Noah Gabriel Mallen, Columbus
Matthew John McHugh, West Bend, WI
Darren Joe Polowy, Lorain
Bailey Renee Quier, Logan
Marc Jacob Ring, Woodfield
Brandon Charles Rose, South Vienna
Austin Emery Rosenthal, Powell
Nathan Richard Urbanik, Sylvania
Isaak Andrew Vanhoose, Gahanna
Taylor Nicole Vlasyts, Newbury
Michael Wilkinson, Fairview Park
Cum Laude

Mike Steven Winters, Sylvania
John Bradford Wright, Columbus
Nicholas Paul Zeiler, Columbus

Bachelor of Science in Construction Systems Management
Richard Kobina Amanquano, Columbus
Nicholas Lee Anderson, Upper Arlington
Christian Louis Brickman, Willowick
Tyler Blaze Carper, Galloway
Cameron Anthony Cirino, Solon
Britney Nicole Clemans, Steubenville
Cum Laude

Magna Cum Laude

Grant Alexander Neilely, Baltimore
Kyle Thomas Nemerget, Youngstown
Jarret Joel O’Neill, Rockford
Keeley Suzanne Overmyer, Burgoon
Cum Laude

Ellen Peterman, Akron
Levi Plocher, Salem
Alison Elaine Price, Powell
Katie Louise Racer, Malta
Ashley Hope Rector, Columbus
Magna Cum Laude

Joe Charles Reile, Upper Sandusky
Cum Laude

Frank Hugh Rogers, Jr., Richmond
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Benjamin Jennings Shaw, Clyde
Magna Cum Laude

Courtney Ann Sheely, Marysville
Nicholas James Shirley, New York
Magna Cum Laude

Katherine Lynn Shoup, Orrville
Aliya Clark Siddiqi, Cincinnati
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Ryan Douglas Skaggs, Canton
Ambria Michelle Small, Alexandria
Jessica Rose Solvey, Louisville
Cum Laude

Brooke Elizabeth Steiber, Norwalk
Magna Cum Laude

Courtney Elizabeth Toops, Versailles
Taylor Nicole Troyer, Sugar Creek
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Conner Robert Unrast, Maria Stein
Drew Allan Van Winkle, Somerset
Michael Vassel, Concord Township
Benjamin Michael Versoza, Cincinnati
Wenjun Wang, Shanghai, China
Ashley Marie Wassertman, Helena
Elizabeth Hope Weglarz, Fairport, NY
Austin Jay Wippel, Orient
Mallorie Mabel Wippel, Orient
Allison Joan Wise, Westlake
Taylor Oliver Wolfe, Delray Beach, FL
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Corey Richard Yeauger, Johnstown
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John Andrew Zagar, Aurora Township
Cum Laude

Daniel Alan Zellers, Hartville
Summa Cum Laude

Mckenzie Michelle Zimmerman, Tiffin

Bachelor of Science in Agricultural, and Environmental Sciences
Dean: Cathann A. Kress

Cum Laude with Honors in Engineering

Tze Ning Wong, Miri, Malaysia
Cum Laude

Nathaniel Joseph Wood, Shaker Heights
Magna Cum Laude

with Honors in Research Distinction in Mechanical Engineering

Joshua Daniel Zamarripa, Columbus
Yihao Zhang, Shenyang, China

Bachelor of Science in Welding Engineering
Tyler James Boveyington, Chesterland
Anthony Joseph DiCocco, Dublin
Magna Cum Laude

Nathan David Ferris, Worthington
Mario Joseph Fortin, Columbus
David Michael Hanson, Cincinnati
Westley James Hart, Lewisburg
Henry Hon-Kit Ip, Monterey Park, CA
Luke Fitzgerald Johnson, Dublin
Timothy Charles Kaiser, Jr., Plain City
Colin Michael Kenney, Cincinnati
Aaron Kang San Kim, Ellicott City, MD
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Bachelor of Science in Food Science
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Jonathan Tyler Dillon, Franklin
Matthew Scott Evans, Wilmington
Christopher Huang, Columbus
Beth Christine Kermekian, Ashtabula
Magna Cum Laude

Brenda Marie Montersen, Columbus
Brooke Alyson Sharp, Brookville
Cum Laude

Regina Tanuwidjaja, Jakarta, Indonesia
Cum Laude

Wendi Zhou, Guangzhou, China
Stephen Zu, Columbus

Bachelor of Science in Nutrition
Sarah Elizabeth Eddy, New Concord

Dairy Certificate
Rachel Ann Larimer, Blue Rock

School of Environment and Natural Resources
Bachelor of Science in Environment and Natural Resources
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Agricultural Technical Institute - Wooster

Assocate in Applied Science
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Daniel R. Kettering, Ashland
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Cody Jacob Perry, Whitehouse
Tristan Aylsworth Ramsayer, Wooster
Derrick John Schimoeller, Kalida
Ryan Jeffrey Siefker, Ottawa
Magna Cum Laude
Kaitlyn Rose Stillion, Lore City
Derek Lee Stoller, Sterling
Brian Noah Stought, Johnstown
Eric Steven Tanner, Alliance
Summa Cum Laude
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Associate of Science
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Magna Cum Laude
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Sarah Helen Kolacz, Chardon
Katie Marie McGrath, Medina
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Magna Cum Laude
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Kendrick Duane Schwendeman, Waterford

Certificate in Sports/Commercial Turf Equipment
Jacob Alexander Waits, Amherst

Michael E. Moritz College of Law
Dean: Alan C. Michaels

Juris Doctor
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B.A. (Wellesley College)
Davod Dayani, Maineville
B.S. (California State University, Dominguez Hills)
Zainab F. Ezzedine, Columbus
B.A. (University of Michigan--Dearborn)
Chad J. Smith, Carroll
B.A.

Master of Laws
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B.A. (University of Westminster)
M.Laws (University of Essex)
JuanCarlos Eisaiku Vargas Alvarez, Venezuela
B.Laws (Universidad Santa Maria)
M.Laws (Universidad Complutense)
Yafei Zhan, China
B.Laws (Southwest University of Political Science and Law)

College of Nursing
Dean: Bernadette M. Melnyk

Bachelor of Science in Nursing
Laine Elizabeth Amendolare, Canfield
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Jessica Ann Appleby, Ashland
Kristin Nicole Bailey, Cridersville
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Diana Lynn Cribbe, LaFayette
Ashley Nicole Crossgrove, Ottoville
Tamara Ann Delaney, Toledo
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B.Laws (Southwest University of Political Science and Law)

School of Health and Rehabilitation Sciences

Bachelor of Science in Health and Rehabilitation Sciences
Nicole Lynn Alberta, Chillicothe
Cum Laude
Drew Bartholomew Anthony, Wapakoneta
Zakary Arthur Ardo, Strongsville
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Magna Cum Laude
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Emily Cristina McGee, Westlake
Erika Lynn Myers, Milan, MI
Allison Marie O'Hara, Chardon
Benjamin Gale Olevto, Westerville
Kimberly A. Pence, Canal Winchester
Magna Cum Laude
Michael Phipps III, Puerto Rico
Magna Cum Laude
Kyle Jacob Reed, Marion
Marissa Lynette Schaefer, Hilliard
Brenna Schliager, West Chester
Jorge Sergio Seoane III, Hollywood, FL
Alina Sharafudinova, Uzbekistan
Sounath spins Anajon Sphommarath, Laos, Park, IL
Anna Claire Vance, Galena
Jacqueline Elizabeth Voskuhl, Xenia
Taylor Nicole Walton, Norwalk
Magna Cum Laude
Tina Zabos, Cleveland

Dean: K. Craig Kent

College of Medicine
Chiara Maria Banez, Strongsville  
Bachelor of Arts

Dean: Trevor L. Brown
College of Public Affairs

Jalyn McKenzie Todd, Zanesville
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Stefan Mclane Kutney, Marysville
Jasmine A. Johnson, Ellicott City, Maryland
Kristen Wai Yan Hong, Hudson

**Bachelor of Science in Pharmaceutical Sciences**

Carly Marie Abraham, Steubenville
Saife Hasan Akhter, Dublin
Steven T. Demczuk, Medina
Cynthia Ding, Solon

Fatema Elsayed Elmasry, Upper Arlington

**Bachelor of Science with Distinction in Pharmaceutical Sciences**

Elijah Malik Goins, Concord, NC
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Kristen Wai Yan Hong, Hudson

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**College of Public Health**

Dean: William J. Martin II

Alexander James Bender, Vermilion
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Kelsie Rose Campbell, North Royalton
Trent Edward Carpenter, Columbus

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Christine Marie Cockley, Mansfield
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Brandon Michael Hofacker, Fairlawn

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Stephanie Lydia Page, Painesville
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Brianna Michele Shepherd, Wellston

Jared George Tardiff, Franklin Park, NJ
Allison Taylor Werner, Westerville

**Bachelor of Science**

Alexandra Marie Bauer, Columbus
Meghan Kathleen Collyer, Noblesville, IN

Connor Williams, Solon

**Bachelor of Science with Distinction in Public Health**

Jared George Tardiff, Franklin Park, NJ

**College of Pharmacy**

Dean: Henry J. Mann

Doctor of Pharmacy

John Rhee, Columbus
B.S., M.A.

Veronica Grace Sunderland, Cincinnati
B.S. (University of Cincinnati - Main Campus)

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**Bachelor of Pharmacy**

Dean: Henry J. Mann
College of Pharmacy

Michelle Amanda Yanni, Columbus
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Tina Maria Welch, Columbus
Tessa Kathryn Webb, Medina

**College of Social Work**

Dean: Thomas K. Gregoire

Bachelor of Science in Social Work

Donna Lynn Bell, Caledonia
Emily Rachel Gitlin, Cleveland
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Kristina Jean Hoyt, Worthington

Bethany Marie Koch, Elida
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Casey Ilene Mumma, Granville
Elizabeth Catherine Nelson, Cambridge
Caroline M. Sherer, Columbus

Cheyenne Amber Storsin, Coshocton

Nick James Wright, Columbus

**Candidates to be Commissioned in the Armed Forces**

United States Army

Second Lieutenant
United States Army National Guard

**Candidates to be Commissioned in the Armed Forces**

**United States Navy**

Ensign
United States Navy

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Michael James Ditzler
Richard Forest Kozar
David Mackenzie Williams

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United States Air Force

Second Lieutenant
United States Air Force

Infantry

Parker Victor Mooney

United State Air Force

Second Lieutenant
United States Air Force Reserve

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**denotes Distinguished Air Force Graduate
*denotes Distinguished Military Graduate

*Joel Berry Waits, Jr.

**David Vincent Perry

Transportation Corps

David Vincent Perry

United States Army Reserve

Chemical Corps

Rachel Laura Preston

Signal Corps

Jeffrey Anthony Zivkovic

Second Lieutenant
United States Army National Guard

Infantry

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United State Air Force

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John Joseph Schaub III

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Graduates with Honors

Criteria for graduating with honors are listed below. Grade-point averages (GPA) are based on the student’s penultimate semester.

**Summa Cum Laude** designates those who earned a 3.9 GPA or better.

**Magna Cum Laude** designates those who earned a 3.7 GPA or better.

**Cum Laude** designates those who earned a 3.5 GPA or better.

**With Honors in Business/Accounting** requires successful completion of a prescribed honors program of study and graduation with a 3.5 GPA or better.

**With Honors in Education and Human Ecology** requires successful completion of an honors experience contract and graduation with a 3.4 GPA or better.

**With Honors in Engineering** requires successful completion of an honors experience contract and graduation with a 3.4 GPA or better.

**With Honors in Public Affairs** requires successful completion of an honors experience contract and graduation with a 3.4 GPA or better.

**With Honors in the Arts and Sciences** requires successful completion of the Arts and Sciences Honors Contract and graduation with a 3.4 GPA or better.

**With Distinction** requires successful completion of an undergraduate thesis and a 3.4 GPA or better.
## Summary of Degrees and Certificates

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The colorful ceremonies of The Ohio State University commencements derive from practices originating in the Middle Ages. When European universities were taking form in the 12th and 13th centuries, the scholars were usually clerics, and consequently they adopted costumes similar to those of their monastic orders. Cold halls and drafty buildings called for caps and floor-length capes with attached hoods, and the sobering influence of the church probably influenced the staid character of the caps and gowns.

As the control of the universities gradually passed from the church, some aspects of the costumes took on brighter hues. Old prints and engravings, however, reveal a strong similarity between the regalia worn in early universities and that of the present day.

In light of our nation’s English heritage, academic costume has been in use in the United States since colonial times. To establish a standard of uniformity in regard to the practice, an intercollegiate commission was formed to prepare a code for caps, gowns and hoods that has since been adopted by all academic institutions.

Originally round, the shape of the cap is now the familiar mortarboard square—a shape which, according to ballad folklore, resembles a scholar’s book. Legend also has it that the privilege of wearing a cap was the initial right of a freed Roman slave; the academic cap, therefore, has become a sign of the freedom of scholarship. The flowing gown has become symbolic of the democracy of scholarship, for it covers any dress that might indicate rank or social status. The hood, reserved at The Ohio State University for those receiving doctoral and master’s degrees, not only indicates the type of degree, but also is lined with the official colors of the university.

### The Gown

**Bachelor:** The bachelor gown is black, full cut with long pointed sleeves.

**Master:** The master gown is black, long or short sleeves, with an arc-shaped panel extended for each sleeve.

**Doctor:** The Ohio State University Doctor of Philosophy gown is scarlet with gray velvet panels on the front and three velvet bars on each sleeve. Other doctor gowns are black with velvet panels and bars, the color of which is distinctive of the field of study.

### Honors Emblem

The Ohio State University honors emblem is a scarlet and gray tasseled braid worn over the gown. Students eligible for this curricular honor are those graduating summa cum laude, magna cum laude, cum laude, with distinction and with honors.

### The Hood

**Bachelor:** Three feet long with a two-inch-wide velvet edging.*

**Master:** Three and one-half feet long with a three-inch-wide velvet edging.

**Doctor:** Four feet in length with a five-inch-wide velvet edging and panel at the sides.

The lining of all hoods, which is folded out, bears the official colors of the institution granting the degree. The color of the velvet indicates the field of study.

* Not usually worn by candidates for a degree.

### Cap and Tassel

Candidates for degrees at The Ohio State University wear the black mortarboard with a tassel whose color is distinctive of the degree being received. The tassel colors are as follows:

- **Graduate School (PhD)**: Gray
- **College of Arts and Sciences**: Black
- **College of Business**: Drab
- **College of Dentistry**: Lilac
- **College of Education and Human Ecology**: Orange
- **Knowlton School of Architecture**: Blue-Violet
- **College of Food, Agricultural and Environmental Sciences**: Maize
- **School of Environment and Natural Resources**: Blue-Green
- **Moritz College of Law**: Purple
- **College of Medicine**: Green
- **School of Health and Rehabilitation Sciences**: Green
- **College of Nursing**: Apricot
- **College of Optometry**: Seafoam Green
- **College of Pharmacy**: Olive Green
- **John Glenn College of Public Affairs**: Peacock Blue
- **College of Public Health**: Salmon
- **College of Social Work**: Citron
- **College of Veterinary Medicine**: Gray

The gold tassel is worn frequently by those holding the doctoral degree and by college and university administrative officers.
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Photographs may be taken from the stands at any time during the ceremony. However, only press photographers are permitted on the arena floor. Guests are asked to be courteous and respectful of all those wishing to take photographs.

Complimentary Programs

A limited number of programs are available on a first-come, first-served basis. Requests should be sent to the Office of Commencement and Special Events, 1060 Blankenship Hall, 901 Woody Hayes Drive, Columbus, OH 43210-4016.
I say, rather, the richness of us, precious difference, the grand multiplicity of selves that balance this globe and enable it to spin true. Grandson of peasant immigrants, I was given the opportunity to earn a doctorate in English literature from Ohio State—because my family labored long nights around the kitchen table trying to learn this arduous English. I sat where you’re sitting twenty-six years ago. Bob Dylan and Smokey Robinson got me through. Yes, it took a prophet and Miracles! My son earned an OSU Ph.D. in history. Now you, graduates, are being honored—by degrees. We’ve all come together around the kitchen table of Ohio State. Ohio, Round on the ends and high in the middle. For the years to come we’ll sing together, Beautiful Ohio, in dreams again I see, Visions of what used to be. These psalms, sacred thoughts of our tribes, 78’s and 33’s, tapes, CD’s—they take up space in shelves of our skulls, our hearts. They remind us we want a song beyond the run-of-the-mill thrill, the moment throbbing with pleasure or bathed in the blues. We ache for something grander than pure selfishness. Songs sung for one alone are not true music. Arias shared are music of the spheres, ways of saying to another something from the soul. Of course the Buckeye Battle Cry is there. Drive, drive on down the field, Men (and women!) of the Scarlet and Gray. Well, you drove on down the field, and you drove up and down the streets, around and around crowded lots, looking for a place to park, and you searched our dark, ancient library for a decent place to study. My wife, Mary’s, father marched in the first “Script Ohio,” in 1936. He’s here today with us, blowing his horn, I can’t help but feel, as is the sweet mother I lost last year, the one who gave me the stars. Today’s music makes us think of the debts we owe, and never can repay. So many of us would not be here were it not for the lullabies and songs of dear parents, their parents, theirs. Some are here today in the flesh. Many are not. We mourn them with cadences of our hearts. Think how many people sang before us, gave us a name, a voice, taught us the right words. We must cherish them by remembering every song. When we sing to others, we honor our fathers and mothers, thank them for this day of profound scarlet and gray pomp and circumstance. O, come let’s sing Ohio’s praise, And songs to Alma Mater raise. Alma mater. Ohio State is our sweet, nurturing mother. We came of age here, with her help. Well, Mother, we love you, but, like, it’s time we moved out, got a place of our own. You’re standing there, Mom, gray hair, eyes scarlet from crying. We won’t forget you. Now, even though this ceremony means we’re being weaned, taken off the nipple, let’s take care to cherish her all our days. Let’s remember the words to the songs she taught us, and pass them on. We’ll remember always, Graduation Day. Summer’s heat, and winter’s cold, The seasons pass, the years will roll, Time and change will surely show How firm thy friendship, O-hi-O. We call that little number Carmen Ohio. Carmen means song in Latin. You’ve worked hard; she is your reward; today is your reward. You’re filled to overflowing with the notes, the poems we’ve written together. You know the score. Continue to work hard for yourselves, and one another. Find the ones who need you to sing to, for them, in the world. Graduates, this joyful litany, this hymn our ancestors collaborated on with us, the calling of your name today is music to our ears. Sing that name proudly all your days, as if your life depended on it. It does, you know. It has been an honor for me to speak—and sing—to you today. Thank you, graduates, and, again, Congratulations.
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