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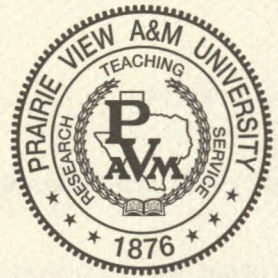
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PRAIRIE VIEW
A&M UNIVERSITY

*Commencement
Convocation*

2013

THE EIGHTEENTH
FALL COMMENCEMENT



PRAIRIE VIEW A&M UNIVERSITY

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THE EIGHTEENTH FALL

Commencement Convocation

WILLIAM "BILLY" J. NICKS, SR. BUILDING
SATURDAY, DECEMBER FOURTEENTH

2013

To our guests

Commencement is a significant and solemn event, recognizing years of study and sacrifice. To make this ceremony more meaningful, we ask all guests and participants to avoid unnecessary conversation and movement during the exercises. We also ask that cellular phones be turned off during the ceremony.

Please withhold your applause during the presentation of degrees until each degree group is acknowledged and the candidates have returned to their seats.

Following the singing of the Alma Mater, there is a Recessional for the platform party and all degree recipients. We ask the audience to remain seated during this period.

For your assistance, an Emergency Medical Services station is available in the William "Billy" J. Nicks, Sr. Building. Please ask an usher for assistance.

Morning Commencement Program

SATURDAY, NINE O'CLOCK

Presiding: Dr. George C. Wright
President
Prairie View A&M University

ORGAN PRELUDE Dr. John L. Cornelius
Associate Professor, Music

THE CONVOCATION PROCESSION Commentator: Dr. E. Joahanne Thomas-Smith
Provost and Senior Vice President for Academic Affairs

ACADEMIC PROCESSIONAL "War March of the Priests" (from Athalia), *Felix Mendelssohn*
Dr. John L. Cornelius, Organist

Dr. Clarissa Booker, Marshall
Faculty
Candidates for Degrees in the Graduate School
Candidates for Degrees in the School of Architecture
Candidates for Degrees in the College of Business
Candidates for Degrees in the Roy G. Perry College of Engineering
President's Party

INVOCATION Reverend Charles H. Lewter, IV
Dean, Johnson-Phillip All Faiths Chapel

NATIONAL ANTHEM "The Star Spangled Banner," *Francis Scott Key*

OPENING REMARKS Dr. George C. Wright

GREETINGS FROM THE BOARD OF REGENTS, THE TEXAS A&M UNIVERSITY SYSTEM Mr. Nicholas Madere
Student Regent

GREETINGS FROM THE TEXAS A&M UNIVERSITY SYSTEM
AND AUTHORIZATION FOR CONFERRAL OF DEGREES Mr. John Sharp
Chancellor

COMMENCEMENT ADDRESS Dr. George C. Wright
President, Prairie View A&M University

MUSIC "I Thank You, Jesus," *arr. Robert L. Morris*
The University Concert Chorale, Dr. A. Jan Taylor, Conductor

PRESENTATION OF THE DEAN OF THE GRADUATE SCHOOL Dr. E. Joahanne Thomas-Smith

PRESENTATION OF CANDIDATES FROM THE GRADUATE SCHOOL Dr. Willie F. Trotty

PRESENTATION OF THE DEANS OF THE UNDERGRADUATE COLLEGES Dr. E. Joahanne Thomas-Smith

PRESENTATION OF CANDIDATES FROM:
The School of Architecture Dean Ikhlas Sabouni, Ph.D.
The College of Business Dean Munir Quddus, Ph.D.
The Roy G. Perry College of Engineering Dean Kendall T. Harris, Ph.D.

THE CONFERRING OF DEGREES Dr. George C. Wright

ALMA MATER "Dear Prairie View," *Sibelius-Fuller*

RECESSIONAL "Pomp and Circumstance No. 4," *Sir Edward Elgar*
(Audience Seated)

Afternoon Commencement Program

SATURDAY, ONE O'CLOCK

Presiding: Dr. George C. Wright
President
Prairie View A&M University

ORGAN PRELUDE Dr. John L. Cornelius
Associate Professor, Music

THE CONVOCATION PROCESSION Commentator: Dr. E. Joahanne Thomas-Smith
Provost and Senior Vice President for Academic Affairs

ACADEMIC PROCESSIONAL "War March of the Priests" (from Athalia), *Felix Mendelssohn*
Dr. John L. Cornelius, Organist

Dr. Clarissa Booker, Marshall
Faculty

Candidates for Degrees in the College of Agriculture and Human Sciences
Candidates for Degrees in the Marvin D. and June Samuel Brailsford College of Arts and Sciences
Candidates for Degrees in the Whitlowe R. Green College of Education
Candidates for Degrees in the College of Juvenile Justice and Psychology
Candidates for Degrees in the College of Nursing
President's Party

INVOCATION Reverend Charles H. Lewter, IV
Dean, Johnson-Phillip All Faiths Chapel

NATIONAL ANTHEM "The Star Spangled Banner," *Francis Scott Key*

OPENING REMARKS Dr. George C. Wright

GREETINGS FROM THE BOARD OF REGENTS, THE TEXAS A&M UNIVERSITY SYSTEM Mr. Nicholas Madere
Student Regent

GREETINGS FROM THE TEXAS A&M UNIVERSITY SYSTEM
AND AUTHORIZATION FOR CONFERRAL OF DEGREES Mr. John Sharp
Chancellor

COMMENCEMENT ADDRESS Dr. George C. Wright
President, Prairie View A&M University

MUSIC "I Can Tell the World," *arr. Moses Hogan*
The University Concert Chorale, Dr. A. Jan Taylor, Conductor

PRESENTATION OF THE DEANS OF THE UNDERGRADUATE COLLEGES Dr. E. Joahanne Thomas-Smith

PRESENTATION OF CANDIDATES FROM:

The College of Agriculture and Human Sciences Dean Alton B. Johnson, Ph.D.
The Marvin D. and June Samuel Brailsford College of Arts and Sciences Dean Danny R. Kelley, D.M.A.
The Whitlowe R. Green College of Education Dean Terence Hicks, Ph.D.
The College of Juvenile Justice and Psychology Dean Tamara L. Brown, Ph.D.
The College of Nursing Dean Betty N. Adams, Ph.D.

THE CONFERRING OF DEGREES Dr. George C. Wright

ALMA MATER "Dear Prairie View," *Sibelius-Fuller*

RECESSIONAL "Pomp and Circumstance No. 4," *Sir Edward Elgar*
(Audience Seated)

Candidates for Degrees¹

COLLEGE OF AGRICULTURE AND HUMAN SCIENCES

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN AGRICULTURE

BLAKEMORE, ERIKA NICOLE	Alto
COLLINS, FELESHA ANN	Sweetwater
FAJKUS, ERICA RENEE	La Grange
HOGAN, HELENIA GWENAE	Hempstead
OMOKARO, OSADEBA O.	Stafford
RENGIFO, LORRAINE	Houston
SCOTT, QUINTIN AVERY	Fresno
STORR, MICKELLE CHIRICE	Lorman, MS
YOUNG, PHYLICIA R.	Houston

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN DIETETICS

Human Nutrition and Food Curriculum

CRANSON, CHERI SAMANTHA	Katy
FOREMAN, NATASHA NICOLE	DeSoto
JACKSON, CARICE EUPHEMA	Hempstead
LADMIRAUT, JALYSA LAQUEN	Houston
PELHAM, DAINA CHRISTIAN	Humble
POLK, CHELSEA BRIANNA	Sugar Land
WATSON, KORAN B.	Grand Prairie

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN HUMAN SCIENCES

Family and Community Services Curriculum

EGANS, SKARLAR DANSHELL	Prairie View
JOHNSON, RAYCHELL D.	Humble
WASHINGTON, JADE D.	Spring

SCHOOL OF ARCHITECTURE

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE *Architecture Curriculum*

ADLER, CASEY CHRISTOPHER	Magnolia
ALLEN, PATRICK TAYLOR	Katy
CALLICUTT, TRAVELL CURTIS	Spring
CHEYNEY, CHRISTINA LAUREN	Houston
GANT, SHANICQUA RASHEA	Bridgeport, CT
JENKINS, ASHLEY ELISSA	Brookshire
JONES, KENDALL BLAINE	Grand Prairie
OCHOA, JORGE	Freeport
SIMMONS, BRITTANY M.	Chicago, IL
TANKOANO, DIASSIBO SAMSON	Houston

Construction Science Curriculum

ABNEY, COURTNEY ALAINE	Cypress
BAILEY, KENDRICK J.	Pearland
CARTER, JEANETTE NICOLE	Houston
CHEYNEY, CHRISTINA LAUREN	Houston
GINIEWICZ, BENJAMIN A.	Temple
MCMILLAN, AMBER CHRISTINE	Houston
PALACIOS, ISAIAS BAUTISTA	Houston
PETTIT, KIARA AMBER	East Bernard
WALKER, JONATHAN E.	Missouri City
WEST, MICHAEL R.	Lancaster



¹As final action cannot always be taken by the time the program is printed, the list of candidates given here is tentative only.
The University reserves the right to withdraw or add names.

MARVIN D. AND JUNE
SAMUEL BRAILSFORD
COLLEGE OF
ARTS AND SCIENCES

BACHELOR OF ARTS

Communications Curriculum

ARNETT, PATRICK O.	Cypress
BLAIR II, JORDAN RANDLE	Dallas
FLETCHER, RASHEETA ENISE	Pearland
FREEMAN, JACKIE LYNN	Houston
HAYDEN, ERIN MARIAN	Houston
JOHNSON, MITCHELL REECE	Houston
JONES, CARL EVANS	Cypress
JONES, DARELE DE-SEAN	Missouri City
LIGGINS, CIERRA MONIQUE	Houston
LUNA, REGINALD	Sugar Land
MITCHELL, DEVON LE'NAE	Houston
POLK, JOSEPH LEO	Houston
ROSS-HAYNES, MICHAEL ANTHONY	Pearland
TAYLOR, ZACHARY	Houston
THOMAS, JAMEL RASHAD	Navasota
WALKER, BREIGHA MICHELLE	Houston
WILLIAMS, DEAVEN J.	Fort Worth

English Curriculum

GORE, HORACE ELTON	Lake Jackson
JOHNSON, BRITTANY ANN	Houston
JONES, ANITA J.	Fort Worth
MALONE, JASMINE YVONNE	Houston
YARBOROUGH, NIA IMON	Wagoner, OK

History Curriculum

CUNNINGHAM, APRIL M.	Dickinson
SADBERRY, JOHN R.	Waller
WILSON, ANTOINE MICHAEL	Katy

Music Curriculum

JENKINS, JAWAN	Houston
LOWE, DANIELLE S.	La Porte
TERRELL, ANTHONY J.	Houston
WATSON, DANIELLE S.	Dallas

Political Science Curriculum

ALVARADO, JOHNNY ERNEST	Houston
BIVENS, ALICIA MARIE	Bryan
ELLIS, TIFFANY ANN	Houston
GREEN, KAREN	Houston
HARRINGTON, CHRISTIAN CRISTINA	Houston
HARRIS, JAHRED RALFAEL	Houston
HARRIS, PHILIP L.	College Station
HUNTER, STEVEN H.	Harker Heights
HUNTER, JR., TELLY M.	Arlington
JACKSON, BREKEIA DON'AE	Dallas

KAMARA, THERESA Y.	Missouri City
PETE, TRAMAIN DARNELL	Garland
THOMAS, SYDNEY NICOLE	Greenville

Sociology Curriculum

HENSON, ASTIN SCOTT	San Antonio
JONES, JANELLA ANTONETTE	Houston
JONES, JOQUETTA DENAE'	Arlington

BACHELOR OF ARTS IN SOCIAL WORK

ADAMSON, VIN-NIESHA S.	Houston
ADIO, EMMANUEL TEMITOPE	Houston
ALEXANDER, DOMINIQUE DENA'	Houston
BROWN, BRITTNEY BRIDGETTE	Houston
BROWN, DOMEKA LA'SHAY	Katy
EVANS, ESTHER SHAREE	Dallas
IJOMA, VICTOR NTO	Houston
JACKSON, ALESIA SHANEY	Houston
JOHNSON, DANDRIA LYNN	Navasota
JOHNSON, EDWENA MICHELLE	Arlington
MULLINS, SHAMERA DAWNSHA'	DeSoto
ONWUCHEKWA, JENNIFER EZINMA	Grand Prairie
OWENS, JAZZMYN D.	Houston
RANDLE, CIERRA ALEXANDRIA	Killeen
RAY, SHERITA L.	Houston
READY, D'ANNA LOLETHA	Houston
ROGERS, JO'CHARTA MAUI	Conroe
SCOTT, LAQUISHA CECILIA	Houston
VEASEY, BRITTNEY DONNELLE	Houston
VIEYRA, VIANCA ARIANA	Houston
WILLIAMS, ALISA BODA	Bellville
WOODARD, YOLANDA MIMS	Humble

BACHELOR OF MUSIC

Applied Music Curriculum

GENTRY, KRISTOPHER LA'QUINN	Houston
MARTIN, RACHEL DANIELLE	Dallas
RUSSELL, JR., WILLIE G.	Houston



BACHELOR OF SCIENCE

Biology Curriculum

BARNES, CHERRELLE LEAH	Leander
BEASLEY, ASHANTE' JENELL.....	Detroit, MI
ENGE, DEBONIE CARROLL	Dallas
FAJUROKI, JOYCE MOPELOLA	Sugarland
GARY, MADISON ALAINA	Arlington
GILBERT, DONNA KELIAH	Killeen
GLADNEY, ONDREA NICOLE	Louisville, MS
HARRIS, ANTONYA R.	Converse
HAYWARD, EBONEE IRIE	Humble
HICKS, ANTOINE M.....	Killeen
JACKSON, CANDACE M.....	Houston
JOHNSON, CHEVAUN DWIGHT	Prairie View
JONES, SHAMEEKA L.....	Houston
LESTER, DEVESHA DEBORAH.....	St. Thomas, Jamaica
PETERSON, DEFOREST M.....	San Antonio
PETTWAY, PAVIA G.....	Houston
WILLIAMS, BRIANNA ELIZABETH.....	Humble
WRIGHT, AMBER	Sun Valley, CA

Chemistry Curriculum

TORRES, KAREN VANESSA	Houston
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Mathematics Curriculum

ANDERSON, TERREA DURIEL.....	Humble
DUBOIS, JAMES CEDRIC	Houston
SASU, ANNA R.....	Missouri City
SHIELDS, TRACY DONALD	Spring Valley, CA

Physics Curriculum

DUNN, STEVONNISE JANA.....	Dallas
RASCO, TORRANCE	Houston

COLLEGE OF BUSINESS

BACHELOR OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

Accounting Curriculum

HALL, TAMERE R.....	Brazoria
MUNIZ, CATALINO.....	Cypress
RANDALL, STEPHANIE DENISE	Houston
ROBERTSON, DESIREE LANETTE.....	Hempstead
SQUIREWELL, WHITNEY R.	Rosharon
TATE, RYAN VYNCINT.....	Flint, MI
WALKER, DOMINIC JAMAL.....	Lancaster
WARE, CREEANN SHANELLE	Fort Worth
WILLIAMS, ROBERTA CAMILLE.....	Gilbert, AZ
WILLIS, MIKEL RAY.....	Silsbee

Finance Curriculum

CHINEDO, CHIMA CHARNEL-MYER	Houston
HAMPTON, ERROL TRENT	Sugar Land
HOWARD, LANGFORD T.....	Missouri City
LUCAS, ASHLEY DANIELLE.....	Dallas
MCQUEEN, BLAKE ANTHONY	Fort Worth
RAYFORD, JEHRYCA CHEYENNE	Pflugerville

Management Curriculum

BEATTY, GEORGE ANTHONY	Fort Worth
COLE, TAUREAN BLAQUE	Brenham
COPE, SYLVIA MARICE.....	Woodville
EDWARDS, DONNA DENISE	Richmond
FEAR, FREDDIE E.....	Jacksonville, FL
FENNELL, MARKALANI D.	San Antonio
GESIAKOWSKI, RYAN LAWRENCE	Albuquerque, NM
JAMES, DEBORAH P.....	Galveston
JONES, REGINALD DONNELL	Lancaster
KEMP, TRAMALE K.....	Houston
LEDET, SIOVHAN OLIVIA.....	Houston
MARTIN, CHAS BRAXTON	Houston
PARHAM, BRANDON LIONEL	Houston
PAYNE, NORMAN EDWARD.....	Brookshire
RAVENBERG, LEAH COTTER	Katy
SUMMERS, MATTHEW RASHAAD.....	Atlanta, GA

Management Information Systems Curriculum

BRIDGES, KOREY PERNELL.....	Houston
CEPHAS, WILLIE BERNARD	Calvert
DURDEN, ALICIA MISHELL.....	Round Rock
FORD, LLOYD C.	Houston
FRANKLIN, SHANNON LYNN.....	Fresno
MANNING, JASMA BRESHA.....	Humble
RHODES, CHRISTINE ARNETHA.....	Austin
ROBERTSON, DESIREE LANETTE.....	Hempstead
TATUM, KARLTON JOVAN.....	Houston
THOMAS, JUSTIN I.	Houston

Marketing Curriculum

BABERS, DONALD R.	Houston
BARCENAS, YAQUELIN.....	Hempstead
BURTON, GAVEN M.....	Houston
DE BATO, ERICA S.	Houston
EDWARDS, DONNA DENISE	Richmond
GARNER, THOMAS HAYDEN.....	Cedar Hill
HARRIS, DENZEL E-ROME	Detroit, MI
HAZEUR, NIA.....	McKinney
HENDERSON, VALERIE DANIELLE	Arlington
LEWIS, JESSICA ALETHA ANN	Rancho Cucamonga, CA
PATTERSON, JUSTIN C.....	Dallas
PHILLIPS, JAMILAH NICOL.....	Hutto
ST. JULIAN, GWENDOLYN A.	Pearland

WHITLOWE R. GREEN COLLEGE OF EDUCATION

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE *Health Curriculum*

BAGSBY, CHARDENAY JACQU'EL	Dallas
BURTON, GIOVANNI MAURTICE	Houston
COOK, ALEXANDRA E.	Dallas
DAVENPORT, DAVELYN GIRTHA	Cedar Hill
EVANS, ROBBIE MARIE GIBSON	Houston
FONTENOT, SHALANDA JANEE	Lake Charles, LA
FORNEY, MERCEDES A.	Missouri City
GAINES, SHAMIA G.	Pearland
GONZALES, MIRACLE REGENEE	Killeen
HARE, AVANTE' M.	Houston
HILL, KEELY SHANICE	Hempstead
HOLMES, NZINGA SADE	Camarillo, CA
JOHNSON, TASHATHA DENISE	Houston
RABON, CHASSIDY ANTIONETTE	Cedar Hill
REED, JASMINE SIMONE	Houston
WILEY, ANTWANETTE YAVERNE	Houston
WILLIAMS, LADONNA MONIQUE	Port Arthur
WILSON, SHARMIN DESHAY	San Antonio

Human Performance Curriculum

BROOKS, MARIAH TANESE	Lavernia
BROWN, JAAZIEL NICOLE	Houston
CLEMMONS, III, LUCIOUS	College Station
EDWARDS, OLAUNDRIA D.	Humble
FRANCIS, CIRBEY M.	Houston
GARCIA, JUSTIN ANTHONY	Bryan
GORDON, TERRILYNN RENEE	Missouri City
HARRIS, DOMINIQ QENTIN	Houston
LEFFALL, JOSHUA TIRON	Dallas
MOMANYI, JOSEPH M.	Houston
PATTERSON, LANGSTON COLBY	Houston
RICKS, TAQUETTE LACOLE	Houston
SIMMONS, JR., JOSEPH MESCHEREL DWAYNE	Conroe
STEVENS, PORSHAY M.	Houston
VALLEY, BRETT THOMAS	Carson City, NV
WAGNER, TARRICK R.	Houston
WHITEHEAD, TIMOTHY W.	Glidden
WILLIAMS, COURTNEY JANAE'	Austin
WOODS, JR., SHAWN DE'ARTRAY	Bay City

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN INTERDISCIPLINARY STUDIES

ALEXANDER, TIMOTHY LYNN	Victoria
AUGUST, SEMETRIA LATRICE	Missouri City
BAILEY, REGINALD JERMAINE	Houston
BOGNEY, DE'ANDRIA LANYSE	Houston
BROWN, ENOCH JAMES	Missouri City
COLE, DARNELL M.	Houston
CRENSHAW, NADIA DANIELLE	Dallas
DUNHAM, DAYESHA LACHELLE	Channelview

ECBY, GABERIEL D.	Baytown
ELLIOTT, JASMINE D.	Irving
GARFIELD-FONTENOT, COURTNEY MICHELLE	Hempstead
GAULT, NICOLETTE S.	Taylor
GIBSON, DEANGELA SYMONE	Houston
GRIMES, LATREVEA L.	Bryan
HUNT, KAYLOR JANNIESE	Pearland
JACKSON, JACOBE J.	Prairie View
JOHNSON, KIYAH BEATRICE	San Lorenzo, CA
JOHNSON, SHALACIA S.	Houston
JONES, JAZMINE M.	DeSoto
JONES, SHAMIEKA LETRICE	Houston
KELLY, SADE RAYNISE	Houston
LEITH, EMILY STEWART	Hockley
MATTHEWS, ANDREA MITCHELL	Tomball
MCCANN, CANDACE C.	Mesquite
MELTON, KIA LAVETTE	Houston
MOORE, BEVERLY NICOLE	Rockdale
MURPHY, FELINA MARIE	Missouri City
POLLITT, ARIADNE SONIA	Pearland
RHODES, WILLIE RAY	Wichita Falls
SHACKELFORD, LAUREN ANNETTE	Sugar Land
WILLIAMS, SHEILA LANAE	Hempstead

ROY G. PERRY COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE *Computer Science Curriculum*

CARR, AUSTIN D.	Spring
JENNINGS, ALEXANDRIA NICOLE	Dallas
MEEKS, DEZSHAUN ANTWOINE	Houston
MILLER, BIANCA LYNEE	Houston
O'NEAL, JOSHUA	San Antonio
POOLE, JARIS JERMAINE	Dallas
SANDERS, IVANA JEANEA	Houston
WEST EDWARDS, TRAVIS	Fort Worth

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN CHEMICAL ENGINEERING

AWOLALA, OLUWAFEMI RICHARD	Houston
COLE, KEVIN RANDALL	Sugar Land
EGUZOUWA, OBIOHA CHETACHI	Stafford
FERROUKHI, BENYOUCEF CHAOUKI	Houston
JERRELLS, LATRICE CAPRICE	Austin
MILLER, CARL A.	Houston
NGUYEN, DANNY	Palacios

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN COMPUTER ENGINEERING TECHNOLOGY

BANKS, JA'KROI A.....	San Antonio
THOMAS, DOMINICK REYNARD	Mesquite
THOMPSON, JENNIFER R.....	Karnack

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN ELECTRICAL ENGINEERING

EKUMATALOR, ZACHEUS O.....	Houston
FUCHS, JORDAN R.....	College Station
JALLOW, TRAVIS D.....	Houston
JONES, JAMES C.....	Arkadelphia
MARTIN, BLAKE JARRETT	Hempstead
NORMAN, BRANDON ANTHONY	Dallas
TUTT, TERRANCE T.....	Houston

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN ELECTRICAL ENGINEERING TECHNOLOGY

WILSON, TIMOTHY J.....	Bryan
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BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN MECHANICAL ENGINEERING

BONILLA, JAVIER ARNULFO.....	Richmond
BURNEY, CLARENCE EUGENE	Houston
BUSBY, JAMILA RE'SHUN	Houston
COLLETTE, SAMUEL A.....	The Woodlands
CRAIGHEAD, GEORGE ARTHUR.....	Magnolia
JOHNSON, JEREMY DAVONN.....	Houston
JONES, NATHAN HENRY	The Woodlands
LAND, CEDRIC AARON	Houston
MCGLORY, CORY KEITH	Houston
MOTON, DANIEL	Spring
NGUYEN, KHOA DANG	Houston
RENO, MATTHEW RYAN.....	Magnolia

COLLEGE OF JUVENILE JUSTICE AND PSYCHOLOGY

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE *Psychology Curriculum*

AGUILAR, YOSSELYN	Houston
BENARD, SYMONE ANGELIQUE.....	Beaumont
CLARK, TANGELA LA'CHELLE	Anahuac
COLE, JAIMEE THERESA	Houston
DAWN, AUCHANA R.....	DeSoto
GERMAIN, MARIE ALEXANDRA	Houston
GREER, CRASHANE M.....	DeSoto
GUILLORY, AISHA JHURI	Houston

JACKSON, CHAKOYA RE'AUN.....	Houston
JONES, JACQUELINE LENA	Dallas
KEY, DALIESHA RACQUELLE	Houston
MATCHETT, RALPHEAL N.....	Houston
MAYON, DESIREE YVONNE.....	Katy
MONROE, SHANTAVIA NICOLE.....	Pflugerville
ORJI, CHIKAODILI STEPHANIE	Richmond
REYES, RAEVIN NICOLE	Corpus Christi
ROBERTS, WHITNEY	Houston
ROSE, DOMINIQUE DENA	Houston
STEGALL, VICTORIA NICOLE	Forrest City, AR

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN CRIMINAL JUSTICE

BRANCH, DEVIN JERMAL	Oakland, CA
BROWN-RAMIREZ, YVONNE RENEE	Brenham
CARMON, DERRICK JAMES.....	Richmond
ECHEBELEM, CHIMEZIE N.....	Dallas
FERGUSON, TIMOTHY JAMES.....	Cypress
GRAVES, TANEISHA KAYE.....	Hempstead
HILL, NELSON.....	Cypress
JACKSON, ADRIAN R.....	Houston
JOHNSON, DELVIN BERNARD.....	Houston
JOHNSON, LAREISHA NICHOLE	Humble
JONES, BRANDON MARTEL	Missouri City
LAFOND, JESSICA R.....	Stafford
LAWAL, AMUDALAT OMOLOLA	Sugarland
LEON, AMANDA ROSE.....	Arlington
LEWIS, DESIRAY MONIQUE	Pearland
LIPKINS, ALLEN CHRISTOPHER	Lake Jackson
MADDOX, VANNESSA MARIE	Houston
MANNING, COLBY L.....	Dallas
MARINE, SHARICE NICOLE	Garland
MATHIS, SHEREE LANELL.....	Ledbetter
MBACHU, OGOONAYA N.....	Houston
MCINTYRE, ANDRE'A N.....	Houston
MEDAS, TAMEKA ALICIA	Dallas
MILLS, ALEXANDRIA JAMESIA	Houston
MONTGOMERY, CHRISTOPHER JULES	Winnetka, CA
MOORE, ERICA MICHELLE	Somerville
PATTERSON, BRAD DALE.....	Fresno
PRIMES, ROBERT	Houston
RICHARDS, JOEL D.....	Houston
SAMPSON, ROSE LUSHON.....	Cooper
SMITH, DEAUNDREA DENYSE	Katy
TAPSCOTT, CHRISTIAN R.....	Hempstead
TREAUDO, KENNETH S.....	Missouri City
WALTON, MINGO HANSEL.....	Missouri City
WIGGINS, KENNETH J.....	Missouri City
WILCOX, KOREY D.....	Fort Worth
WINFIELD, BRITTANY N.....	Cypress

Criminal Justice- Juvenile Justice Curriculum

AZIZ, RASHIDA S.....	Houston
BROWN, BRITINY.....	Cypress
CALDWELL, KEIRRA LA'SHAYE.....	Chicago, IL
RICHARDSON, CATHERINE LYNETTE.....	Fort Worth
SMITH, AYRIAL A.....	Dallas

COLLEGE OF NURSING

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN NURSING

ABADONI, JOY	Houston
ABUBAKAR, MOHAMMED OLADIMEJI.....	Houston
ADAGBON, PRECIOUS I.	Mesquite
ADEMOLA, KEHINDE ADEBOLA	Richmond
AFOLABI, EBENEZER O.	Houston
AGUILAR, TONYAH BARRON.....	Katy
AISUENI, ISOKEN MICHELLE	Houston
AKUKALIA, UCHENNA JOSEPHINE.....	Houston
ARBILO, ASHLEY MICHELLE	Houston
ATUEYI, IZUCHUKWU EZEAMURUNAMMA	Houston
BANKS, THERESE NICOLE.....	Fort Worth
BIAS, ANGEL ANTOINETTE	Houston
BOOKER, JANELL MARIE	Keller
CASEY, VICTORIA AKOTH	Humble
CHAIRES, ZENAIDA	Houston
CHANG, SHUAI	Houston
CHERUIYOT, BEATRICE	Houston
CHINWEOKWU, VERONICA I.	Sugar Land
COPELAND, LAUREN ELIZABETH	Hitchcock
COTTON, KENDRESE DANETTE	Nacogdoches
DAM, PHONG TUAN	Houston
DOGGETT, LISHARA JEAN'EE.....	Missouri City
EGWIM, CHIMA E.	Austin
ELEGBEJI, KAFAYAT	San Antonio
ESIGBONE, DESTANY NICOLE.....	Houston
ESSIEN, IME	Wylie
ESTUPINAN, EDREI ELISA	Houston
EZENABOR, BENJAMIN CHIKE.....	Pearland
FARMER, KIZZIE DHNEE'.....	Houston
FELTON, TREVA TRANELL	Houston
FIELDS, FELICIA TYRELL	Houston
GADISON, TERRI J.	Houston
GARCIA, LESVI MARIBEL.....	Houston
GILLESPIE, TALORIA JANE A	Fresno
GONZALEZ, JAZMINE LINDA	Lewisville
GUAJARDO, ESLY ALICIA	Galena Park
HARRIS, LATOYA T.	Rosenberg
HAWKINS, KATHERINE ELAINE	Spring
JOSEPH, SHONA	Sugar Land
LAM, WING YEE	Sugar Land
MAPP, CANDACE M.	Suisun City, CA
MARES, KARINA D.....	Houston
MARTIN, JUDITH.....	Houston
MARTINEZ, JOANNA	Houston
MASON, KEYNA S.	Newton
MAZI, CHUKS	Houston
MCNEIL, CHANTEL RENEE	Houston
MEDINA, CESAR EMMANUEL.....	Houston
MILLER, BROOKE NICKOLE.....	McKinney
MOSS, KENDALISIA KENYAHDA ANN.....	Houston
NAGHAVI, MELIKA	Houston
NDI, AGATHA KANGETE.....	Houston
NDUKU, FRANK O.	Houston
NDUMIA, KENNETH KINGORI.....	Richmond

NGUYEN, CHRISTINE DAN THANH	Sugar Land
NGUYEN, DIANA LY	Katy
NGUYEN, KHANH THY	Houston
NNAJI, ADA I.	Houston
NORRIS, BRITTANY E.....	Round Rock
NYABANDO, PETER EVANS NYAMEINO	Houston
OGBODU, OLIVIA NNEKA.....	Humble
OMBURO, PERES ATIENO.....	Houston
OWENS, CHRISTINA MARIE	Stafford
PARKER, ASHANTE	Houston
RAY, SUHANI NALIN.....	Sugar Land
RIVAS, MALLORIE CHRISTINE.....	Houston
ROBERTS, MABUNATU	Cypress
RODELA, LESLIE ANN	Cypress
ROMAN, BLANCA I.....	Houston
SANTESSON, PRISCILLA A.	Missouri City
SUELLO, JAIMIE A.	Katy
THOMAS, TAYLOR ELLYSSA	Fort Worth
TURNER, LAUREN C.....	Missouri City
VILLALOBOS, CLAUDIA MARINA.....	Hockley
WEST, JESSICA	Waco
WILKERSON, DIANE M.....	Houston
WILLIAMS, LARA L.....	Cibolo



Graduate School Candidates for Degrees¹

COLLEGE OF AGRICULTURE AND HUMAN SCIENCES

MASTER OF SCIENCE *Animal Science*

KREIDIE, SAM Sealy
BS, University of Houston - Downtown, 1999

Human Sciences

BLAIR, CHRISTINA LYNETTE Houston
BS, Prairie View A&M University, 2010

DAVIS, YAKISHA TAMARA Prairie View
BS, Prairie View A&M University, 2011

DELAHOSSAYE, NATALIE C. Pearland
BS, Prairie View A&M University, 2009

JOHNSON, EBONY Q. Prairie View
BA, Prairie View A&M University, 2006

JOHNSON, RICHARD GLEN Livingston
BSAG, Prairie View A&M University, 2010

MARVIN D. AND JUNE SAMUEL BRAILSFORD COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES

MASTER OF ARTS *Sociology*

BRIGHAM, BRYNN K. Conroe
BA, Prairie View A&M University, 2004

WALKER, TERENCE DEON Houston
BA, Prairie View A&M University, 2011

MASTER OF SCIENCE *Mathematics*

BROWN-PALMER, MARCIA ANTOINETTE Prairie View
BS, Prairie View A&M University, 2009

PEDRAZA, SANTOS Y. Hockley
BS, Prairie View A&M University, 2010

TRAORE, KASSOUM Houston
BS, University of Bamako, Mali, 2008

SCHOOL OF ARCHITECTURE

MASTER OF ARCHITECTURE

GATES, JR., RICKEY LYNN Houston
BS, Prairie View A&M University, 2012

HANNA, LAWSON JULIAN Humble
BS, Prairie View A&M University, 2012

OGLETREE, AARON PAUL San Antonio
BARC, Prairie View A&M University, 2012

SHEPHERD, RICKY LEE Houston
BARC, Prairie View A&M University, 2012

MASTER OF COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT

JACKSON, JONATHAN SEBRON Dallas
BA, Prairie View A&M University, 2012

MARTIN, TAJONIQUE R. New Orleans, LA
BS, Prairie View A&M University, 2011

WIGGINS, JASMINE JAVON Houston
BS, Prairie View A&M University, 2012



¹As final action cannot always be taken by the time the program is printed, the list of candidates given here is tentative only.
The University reserves the right to withdraw or add names.

COLLEGE OF BUSINESS

MASTER OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

AKINSANYA, OLATUNDUN I.	Houston
BBA, Texas Southern University, 2002	
BINGLEY, GREGORY L.	Houston
BBA, University of Houston - Downtown, 2006	
BYRD, ANTAUIS JAMES Houston	
BBA, Prairie View A&M University, 2008	
FULLER-TAYLOR, JENNIFER DOREEN Houston	
BBA, West Indies College, 1989	
HOLLANDS, PAULA JANICE DeSoto	
BBA, Sam Houston State University, 2006	
KUBECZKA, SARAH BESS Brenham	
BBA, Prairie View A&M University, 2012	
LOVE, VENARD B. Katy	
BS, Prairie View A&M University, 2002	
NWAJEI, ANTHONY Missouri City	
BBA, University of Houston - Downtown, 2011	
OBASOGIE, EGHOSA NAOMI Katy	
BS, University of Missouri - Kansas City, 2009	
PORTER, TIASHA Humble	
BS, University of Phoenix, 2005	
RANDLE, SHRONICA MONIQUE Houston	
BS, Stephen F. Austin State University, 2008	
RUSS, VANN CHRISTOPHER Tampa, FL	
BS, University of South Florida, 2008	

MASTER OF SCIENCE

Accounting

DAVIS, YOLANDA CLAIRE DEVORE Humble	
BS, Southern University at New Orleans, 2007	
FRANK, JALEESA S. Houston	
BBA, University of Houston, 2012	
JIA, RUIXIN Shenyang City Liaoning, China	
BA, Liaoning Normal University, China, 2000	
JONES, TYSHARYL DEVON Houston	
BBA, Prairie View A&M University, 2011	
MICHELIN, PAMELA E. Westmoreland, Jamaica	
BBA, Prairie View A&M University, 2009	
PASTER, ASHLEY Houston	
BBA, Prairie View A&M University, 2009	
THOMAS, DONDTRAY Humble	
BA, Harding University, 2006	



WHITLOWE R. GREEN COLLEGE OF EDUCATION

DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY

Educational Leadership

BREAUX, MARY MAGDALENE Houston	
BS, Sam Houston State University, 1994	
MA, Webster University, 1997	
Dissertation: An Investigation of School Stakeholders' Reporting of Emotional Abuse of Children in Public Schools	
Advisor: Dr. Lisa Hobson	
PALMER, DAVID MATTHEW Prairie View	
BS, Prairie View A&M University, 2007	
MED, Prairie View A&M University, 2008	
Dissertation: Teachers' Perception of Instructional Leadership on the Performance of Jamaican High School Students on the Mathematics Test of the Caribbean Secondary Examination Certificate	
Advisor: Dr. Douglas Hermond	
STURGIS, KIMBERLIN K. Houston	
BS, Alcorn State University, 1995	
MED, Prairie View A&M University, 2005	
Dissertation: The Influence of Leaders' Knowledge and Skill on School Performance	
Advisor: Dr. Tyrone Tanner	

MASTER OF ARTS

Counseling

AKINKUOTU, ADEBIMBOLA FOLASADE Houston	
BA, Prairie View A&M University, 2010	
ANGELETTI, TAWAINA KENNEDY Spring	
BS, Southern University at New Orleans, 2000	
BAKER, LATASHA MONIQUE Houston	
BS, University of Houston - Downtown, 2009	
BARNABY, LAKISHA ANN Spring	
BS, Prairie View A&M University, 2007	
BROWN, ADRIENNE NICOLE Missouri City	
BS, Prairie View A&M University, 2008	
CALDWELL, TONI JUVON Houston	
BS, Prairie View A&M University, 2008	
CAMPBELL, CRYSTAL NICOLE Beaumont	
BBA, Lamar University, 2008	
CISNEROS, RICHARD A. Prairie View	
BS, Prairie View A&M University, 2010	
COLE, MILTON W. Houston	
BS, Prairie View A&M University, 2004	
COLE-CLARK, KESHAWNA K. Missouri City	
BA, Texas Southern University, 2004	
COLEMAN, TAKEYA L. Houston	
BS, University of Houston - Downtown, 2009	
COLLINS, DALILA MONIQUE Humble	
BA, University of Houston, 2005	
COPELAND, CHAVON D. Houston	
BS, Prairie View A&M University, 2011	
EARLS, TOYAH K. Houston	
BA, Southern University at New Orleans, 2010	

ENGLISH, KIMBERLY NICHOLE Kingwood
BS, Florida State University, 2002

EPPS, BRANDI K. Cedar Hill
BS, University of Houston, 2008

ERWIN, CATINA L. Houston
BBA, Colorado Technical University, 2006

FANCE, KENYA N. Houston
BS, Prairie View A&M University, 2002

GAMBLE, CHANNING NIKOL Houston
BA, Albany State University, 2010

GREEN, ALEEZA T. Prairie View
BS, Prairie View A&M University, 2009

GREENHOUSE, JULIUS J. Houston
BSAG, Southern University and A&M College, 2011

HALL, LAUREN Houston
BS, Sam Houston State University, 2008

HARRIS, KIMBERLY ANISSA Bryan
BA, Sam Houston State University, 2007

HARRIS, KRISTIN ALEXANDRA Houston
BS, Prairie View A&M University, 2005

HAYES, LOVIE D. Houston
BS, Texas Southern University, 2007

HAYNES, JAMES R. Dallas
BS, Alcorn State University, 2008

HENDRICKS, TANISHA P. Houston
BA, Texas Southern University, 2003

HORN, MATTHEW A. Dallas
BS, Prairie View A&M University, 2006

JACKSON, SHETOCQUIA D. Houston
BS, Prairie View A&M University, 2009

JACOB, SR., JOHN MCLAREN LOUIS Houston
BS, Sullivan University, 2004

JONES, CLIFTON JERVON Houston
BS, Alcorn State University, 2011

JONES, PAMELA Houston
BA, Texas Southern University, 2011

KERLICK, COURTNEY BETH Cypress
BS, University of Utah, 2000

KING, SHARON RENE' Fort Worth
BS, Texas Wesleyan University, 2007

KING, TAMELA SHANTE' Houston
BS, University of Houston - Downtown, 2004

LADAY, CHARLES HILLARY-ARTHUR Houston
BASW, University of Texas at Arlington, 2002

LANE, TOMEKIA R. DeSoto
BA, Louisiana Tech University, 1994

LOFTON, LASHAMIA Houston
BS, Texas State University, 2005

MCWASHINGTON, CHARKENDRA M. Houston
BS, Prairie View A&M University, 2006

MOHAMMADI, PANTEA Houston
BS, University of Houston - Downtown, 2011

MORGAN, EMILY ANN Bellville
BA, St. Edwards University, 2010

MURPHY, LISA SHEA Houston
BS, University of Phoenix, 2010

ORTEGA, MARIA ZAVALA Bryan
BA, Texas A&M University, 2003

PARKERSON, SHANTIKA T. Beaumont
BS, Prairie View A&M University, 2010

PHILLIPS, DESIREE' Houston
BS, Prairie View A&M University, 2011

RICKS, TAMITRA JOHNSON Houston
BBA, Prairie View A&M University, 2002

SAMPY, RUTH Houston
BA, Texas Southern University, 2010

SEYMOUR, ANGELA COURTNEY Houston
BASW, South Carolina State University, 2004

SHERMAN, JASON B. Houston
BA, Prairie View A&M University, 2010

SMITH, CHRISTIAN L. Richmond
BS, Prairie View A&M University, 2009

TERRELL, MARGARET E. Houston
BA, Texas Southern University, 2011

THOMAS, WANDA M. Missouri City
BS, Texas Southern University, 1980

THOMPSON, SHERRY CHARI Austin
BA, Prairie View A&M University, 2011

THRONBURG, ADRIAN CAROLE Spring
BS, Texas A&M University, 1995

WASHINGTON, SHAVARA DASHIELL Houston
BBA, Sam Houston State University, 2004

WATSON, STACIE BROOKE College Station
BS, Texas A&M University, 1998

WHITE, DARRICK CORY Houston
BS, Prairie View A&M University, 2004

WILLIAMS, CRYSTAL ANAI Port Arthur
BA, Lamar University, 2009

WILSON, AVERY J. Fort Worth
BA, Texas Southern University, 2009

WILSON, GAIL JACKSON Houston
BS, LeTourneau University, 2006

WILSON, KERSHAL TRAMECA Spring
BS, McNeese State University, 2006

WYNN, CHARLOTTE Y. Houston
BS, University of Houston, 2009

MASTER OF EDUCATION *Curriculum and Instruction*

GARNER, CRIS L. Houston
BS, Prairie View A&M University, 2010

THOMAS, ROGER JAMES Huffman
BBA, Biola University, 1963

Curriculum and Instruction - Reading Education

SHOFNER, KRISTIAN DANIELLE Brenham
BS, Prairie View A&M University, 2011

Educational Administration

ALEXANDER, CANDICE NICOLE Houston
BS, Prairie View A&M University, 2010

BILLS, LATOYA CHANTE' Dallas
BS, Texas Woman's University, 1999

EASTERLY, MARCIA DYAN DeSoto
BS, Paul Quinn College, 2008

EWOH, AARON CHIDIEBERE Houston
BA, Prairie View A&M University, 2007

HIGGINBOTTOM, DONALD KERRY Cypress
BA, Westminster College, 1979

ISAAC, DEMETRIS DEWAYNE Quincy
BA, Florida A&M University, 2011

MCKENSIE, REGINA DESHAUN Houston
BS, University of Houston, 2007

MILLER, WILL L. Houston
BSIS, University of Houston - Downtown, 2007

RAY, STEPHANIE M. Spring
BS, University of Houston, 2007

TURNER, JACQUILINE.....Sugar Land
BS, Prairie View A&M University, 2009

TURNER, LLOYD L..... Houston
BS, Prairie View A&M University, 2009

WILLIAMS, MASHALA MONIQUE..... Huntsville
BS, Prairie View A&M University, 2009

Special Education

BECERRA, AMBER ROSE..... Sealy
BSED, Dickinson State University, 2000

Health and Physical Education-Health

JONES, ROBERT M. Bellville
BS, Southern Arkansas University, 2011

RICHARDSON, CLARENCE JOHN..... Lafayette, CO
BS, University of Colorado Boulder, 2007

Health and Physical Education- Physical Education

EVANS, PHILIP ALAN Phoenix, AZ
BS, Grand Canyon University, 2011

MASTER OF SCIENCE

Health and Physical Education- Health

MILLER, MARTYRON W..... Houston
BS, Prairie View A&M University, 2011

WALKER, ALEXANDRA ROSE..... Hockley
BS, Prairie View A&M University, 2012

MASTER OF SCIENCE IN EDUCATION

Educational Administration

JORDAN, MICHAEL STERLING..... Houston
BS, Prairie View A&M University, 2012



ROY G. PERRY COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING

DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY

Electrical Engineering

OLABIYI, OLUWATOBI O.....Houston
BSEE, Obafemi Awolowo University, 2006

MS, Prairie View A&M University, 2011

Dissertation: Unified Analytical Frameworks for the Design and Optimization of Cognitive and Cooperative Wireless Networks

Advisor: Dr. Annamalai Annamalai

ZHANG, JIANHouston
BS, Beijing Teachers College, 2002

MS, Prairie View A&M University, 2009

Dissertation: Digital Networked Control of Non-Smooth Systems

Advisor: Dr. Warsame Ali

MASTER OF SCIENCE

Computer Information Systems

ABOYI, PETER.....Richardson
BS, Federal University of Technology, 2005

BOSTON, KENDRIA SHERRIS Houston
BBA, Prairie View A&M University, 2011

GARCIA, KAREN Y. Cypress
BS, Prairie View A&M University, 1986

Computer Science

LIU, YUAN Chengdu, China
BS, University of Electronic Science and Technology, 2006

PATEL, KOMALBEN KIRTIKUMARHouston
BS, North Gujarat University, 2009

RAHMAN, MAHMUDURCypress
BS, University of Dhaka, 1990

SANDERS, LEANDRE JEROD..... Fort Worth
BS, Prairie View A&M University, 2010

MASTER OF SCIENCE IN ELECTRICAL ENGINEERING

ADEBO, PHILIP OLAWALE.....Houston
BS, The Federal Polytechnic, 2000

AYUB, MOHAMMAD SOHAIB..... Faisalabad, Pakistan
BS, Texas A&M University, 2010

BAMGBOYE, BOLARINWA.....Houston
BS, Foreign College, 1999

COULIBALY, BOUBACAR.....Houston
BA, University of Bamako, 2006

ODUOLA, WASIU OPEYEMI..... Lagos, Nigeria
BSEE, Obafemi Awolowo University, 2008

OLALUWE, ABIODUN EMMANUEL..... Isolo-Lagos, Nigeria
BS, Obafemi Awolowo University, 2008

OMOTERE, OLUWASEYI OLUJIMI Lagos, Nigeria
BSEE, Obafemi Awolowo University, 2006

OSMAN, OSMAN MAANIHouston
 BS, Foreign College, 1983
 STEWARD, NICHOLAS DEFRANTZ..... Panama City Beach, FL
 BS, Tuskegee University, 2009
 TEMBELY, MAHAMADOU.....Houston
 BS, University of Bamako, Mali, 2004

MASTER OF SCIENCE IN ENGINEERING

ABDUL, ABID Sugar Land
 BS, Jawaharla Nehru Technological University, 2002
 ADJAPONG, NANAHouston
 BS, Texas A&M University - Kingsville, 2011
 BATAINEH, FUAD AHMADHouston
 BS, Prairie View A&M University, 2007
 BOOKER, CORDELL EDWINHouston
 BS, Xavier University of Louisiana, 2009
 BOUTTE, ALVIN J. Liberty
 BS, Prairie View A&M University, 2001
 DILWORTH, EUDEL S..... St. Ann, Jamaica
 BS, Prairie View A&M University, 2000
 GRANT, DAMION EARL Prairie View
 BS, Prairie View A&M University, 2011
 IJOMA, PATRICK O.Houston
 BS, University of Houston, 2005
 JOHNSON, REGINALD DERRICK.....Houston
 BS, Prairie View A&M University, 2009
 LAKHANI, MARZOOQ R.....Houston
 BS, Prairie View A&M University, 2010
 MALIK, GHUFRAN MOHAMMAD.....Spring
 MS, Prairie View A&M University, 2011
 ODILEKE, CHRISTIAN UGOCHUKWUHouston
 BS, University of Nigeria, 2006
 O'LEARY, KASEY CONRADKaty
 BS, Prairie View A&M University, 2008

COLLEGE OF JUVENILE JUSTICE AND PSYCHOLOGY

DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY *Clinical Adolescent Psychology*

BAILEY, LAURAHouston
 BA, Prairie View A&M University, 1999
 MS, Prairie View A&M University, 2001
 Dissertation: Adolescent Obesity and Its Relationship to Risky
 Sexual Behavior and Suicidality
 Advisors: Dr. Tamara L. Brown and Dr. Joe Dickson

MASTER OF SCIENCE IN JUVENILE FORENSIC PSYCHOLOGY

BOOKMAN, CONSTANCE NICOLE.....Houston
 BS, Lamar University, 2009

MASTER OF SCIENCE IN JUVENILE JUSTICE

NIXON, KESHA LEE Beaumont
 BS, Lamar University, 2002
 SMITH, SHAVONYA SHANICE Chatham, VA
 BS, Ferrum College, 2011

COLLEGE OF NURSING

MASTER OF SCIENCE IN NURSING *Nurse Administration*

HODGE-GARRETT, SARA MICA'LHouston
 BS, Prairie View A&M University, 2009
 WILLIAMS, ASHLEY R.Houston
 BSN, Texas Tech University, 2010
 WILLIAMS, RAMONA C.Houston
 BS, University of Texas at El Paso, 2010

Nurse Education

BARTON, REBECCA R. Montgomery
 BSN, Prairie View A&M University, 2012
 HOPKINS, JENNIFER MICHELLE..... Fresno
 BSN, Stephen F. Austin State University, 2007



GRADUATING WITH ACADEMIC HONORS[†]

Honor recognition at graduation is based on consistent high scholarship and cumulative grade point averages earned. To be eligible for graduation with honors, a student must have received no failing grades (transfer or residence) and must complete the last 60 semester hours in residence at Prairie View A&M University. A student may graduate with honors in one of the three categories:

SUMMA CUM LAUDE

Cumulative Grade Point Average of 3.90-4.0

WALKER, BREIGHA MICHELLE YARBOROUGH, NIA IMON

MAGNA CUM LAUDE

Cumulative Grade Point Average of 3.70-3.89

ABNEY, COURTNEY ALAINE	LEITH, EMILY STEWART
BOGNEY, DE'ANDRIA LANYSE	STORR, MICKELLE CHIRICE
BONILLA, JAVIER ARNULFO	WILSON, TIMOTHY J.

CUM LAUDE

Cumulative Grade Point Average of 3.50-3.69

ADLER, CASEY CHRISTOPHER	LEON, AMANDA ROSE
BOOKER, JANELL MARIE	LESTER, DEVESHA DEBORAH
CHANG, SHUAI	MILLER, BROOKE NICKOLE
COTTON, KENDRESE DANETTE	MOSS, KENDALISIA
CRANSON, CHERI SAMANTHA	KENYAHDA ANN
GARCIA, JUSTIN ANTHONY	THOMAS, TAYLOR ELLYSSA
HILL, KEELY SHANICE	WATSON, KORAN B.
JOHNSON, CHEVAUN DWIGHT	WEST, JESSICA
JOHNSON, DANDRIA LYNN	

COMMISSIONS IN THE NAVY AND MARINE CORPS OF THE UNITED STATES

STEVONNISE DUNN Japan
Ensign, USS ANTIETAM

THERESE BANKS Pensacola, FL
Ensign, Navy Hospital

RAEVIN REYES Norfolk, VA
Ensign, USS CARTER HALL

COMMISSIONS IN THE ARMY OF THE UNITED STATES

UCHENNA J. AKUKALIA Houston
Second Lieutenant, Army Nurse Corps, United States Army

RETIRING FACULTY AND STAFF

MR. FRANKIE CRADDOCK 11 Years of Service
Program Assistant, Roy G. Perry College of Engineering

MR. LAVAUGN THOMAS, JR. 21 Years of Service
Program Aide, College of Agriculture and Human Sciences

MS. DORIS WILDER 34 Years of Service
Poultry Lab Helper, College of Agriculture and Human Sciences

DR. SEAB SMITH 42 Years of Service
Associate Professor, Marvin D. and June Samuel Brailsford College
of Arts and Sciences

MR. KEVIN LEE 18 Years of Service
Technical Equipment Specialist, Roy G. Perry College of Engineering

MS. ROSE LOEWE 25 Years of Service
Financial Associate, Office of Financial Administration

[†]The golden-colored cord represents undergraduate candidates
graduating with academic honors.

PRAIRIE VIEW A&M UNIVERSITY

COMMENCEMENT PROCESSION

An appropriate costume is a necessary part of Commencement. The costume includes a cap, a gown, and a hood. Each part of the costume has special significance. The most common headpiece (or cap) for the ceremony is the black square, flat-topped, or "mortar board" type with gold or black tassel. It is called a "mortar board" because it is shaped like the board of the mason which holds mortar. Recently, we are seeing large velvet Tam-O-Shanter style of headpieces replacing the mortar board. Some of the velvet tams are brilliantly colored such as orange or bright blue.

The tassel on the doctor's cap is usually gold, and permanently fastened on the left side. The master's cap has a black tassel worn on the left. The bachelor's cap has a black tassel worn on the right prior to graduation then moved to the left during the ceremony.

The hood can be the most colorful part of the entire costume. The colors inside the hood are those of the college or university which is awarding the degree. The colors of the outside rim of the hood symbolizes one of the following departments of learning:

Agriculture.....	Maize	Medicine	Green
Architecture	Lavender	Music	Pink
Arts, Letters, Humanities.....	White	Nursing	Apricot
Commerce, Accountancy, Business	Drab	Oratory (Speech)	Silver Gray
Dentistry.....	Lilac	Pharmacy	Olive Green
Economics	Copper	Philosophy	Dark Blue
Education	Light Blue	Physical Education	Sage Green
Engineering.....	Orange	Public Administration, including	
Fine Arts	Brown	Foreign Service.....	Peacock Blue
Forestry.....	Russett	Public Health	Salmon Pink
Geography.....	Blue and Green	Science	Golden Yellow
Home Economics.....	Golden Yellow	Social Work.....	Citron
Journalism.....	Crimson	Technology.....	Golden Yellow
Industrial Education.....	Light Blue	Theology	Scarlet
Law	Purple	Veterinary Science.....	Gray
Library Science.....	Lemon		

The gown is usually black. The traditional doctor's gown has velvet panels down the front and three velvet bars on the regular sleeves. The master's gown has no velvet, but does have unusually long sleeves. The bachelor's gown is similar to the master's gown but has regular long sleeves which tend to be pointed.

Some gowns may be in the color of the department granting the degree, such as "Education Blue." Others may be "Yale Blue" or "Harvard Crimson" for the graduates of these universities.

THE MACE

The mace is an ancient symbol of authority which is carried by the marshal ahead of the academic procession. The mace for Prairie View A&M University is four feet long and contains four bronze figures atop a Honduras mahogany base which tapers to fit into its stand(m). The four figures are symbolic of the four undergraduate academic years. Within the hollow area beneath the figures, and shared equally, is a flame which denotes knowledge and excellence. The base which serves as a grip and is carried by a faculty member, symbolizes the entire faculty; the stand which supports the mace characterizes the administration. The visual impact of the mace as a whole is "torch-like." The eight tassels represent the academic organization of the University.

THE MEDALLION

The President's Medallion, the official symbol of the Office of the President at Prairie View A&M University, was created especially to commemorate the lineage of the Presidency by the late Mr. Frank Hayden, nationally famous sculptor and Professor of Fine Arts at Southern University, Baton Rouge, Louisiana. The first medallion was presented to Dr. Percy A. Pierre, fourth president of Prairie View A&M University, on March 21, 1985.

The medallion is designed to be worn with academic regalia at all official University programs. Abstract figures, representing the academic disciplines in an attitude of celebration, encircle the outer rim. The inner circle symbolizes the pursuit of excellence throughout four years of teaching and learning. The weave of the chain is the facsimile of that used by the ancient Greeks.

A replica will be presented to each subsequent President during his inauguration. The medallion will ultimately reflect the history of the presidency, revealing names and dates of inauguration.

COMMENCEMENT ORATOR

DR. GEORGE C. WRIGHT
President
Prairie View A&M University

Dr. George C. Wright is the seventh President of Prairie View A&M University, the second oldest public institution of higher education in Texas. For more than a decade, he has led the 137-year old HBCU into an era of change, from the campus landscape to a focus on preparing students to compete in a global marketplace.

A noted African-American scholar and author, Wright's higher education career began at the University of Kentucky where he served as an assistant professor. In 1993, he moved to Duke University, becoming the vice provost for university programs and director of the Afro-American studies program. At Duke, he also held the William R. Kenan, Jr., Chair in American History. He served as an assistant professor, associate professor, professor and was the holder of the Mastin Gentry White Professorship of Southern History. His career took him to the University of Texas at Austin where he was vice provost for undergraduate education at the University of Texas at Austin. Before taking the helm at PVAMU, Wright served as executive vice-president for academic affairs and provost at the University of Texas at Arlington. Prior to assuming that post, he was provost and vice president for academic affairs.

Wright has been the recipient of numerous fellowships, grants and awards, including the Jean Holloway Award for Teaching Excellence and the Lillian and Tom B. Rhodes Centennial Teaching Fellow at the University of Texas at Austin. He is the recipient of the 2010 Thurgood Marshall College Fund Educational Leadership Award for his contributions to the education arena.

A native of Lexington, Kentucky, Wright received his bachelor and Master of Arts degrees in history from the University of Kentucky and his doctorate in history from Duke University. In 2004, Dr. Wright was awarded an honorary Doctorate of Letters from the University of Kentucky.

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Representative Cecil Bell, Jr. is a sixth generation Texan whose family has been in the State of Texas since 1852.

Bell sits on the House Committee on Appropriations; the Appropriations Subcommittee on Articles VI, VII, & VIII, which oversees natural resources, business and economic development, and regulatory agencies; and the Committee on Economic & Small Business Development.

During his first term in the Texas House of Representatives, Rep. Bell successfully carried 16 pieces of legislation, including improving dual credit access to career and technology courses and provided liability protection to volunteers during times of man-made or natural disaster. During his time in the House, Bell has been a champion of Prairie View A&M University, ensuring the continuation of ADI funding for PVAMU and clarifying the General Appropriations Act to allow PVAMU access to its appropriated amount. Of particular interest, he also secured Prairie View A&M University's eligibility to participate in the state's research development fund and ensured the continuation of the student athletic fee, which was student-supported last year and helps pay for student scholarships.

Bell serves as the Chief Executive Officer of six active enterprises, the largest of which is Tejas Underground Utilities. He also owns cow/calf ranching operations located in Leon and Freestone Counties. He is a charter member of the local rotary and supports his local FFA, youth clubs, area churches and community organizations. He and his wife, Jo Ann, have two sons.

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A Message from the Governor:

I am pleased and honored to extend greetings to everyone attending the Prairie View A&M University 2013 Fall Commencement Convocation.

Today, as you celebrate your achievements and the honor you have earned as graduates of this fine institution, Texas celebrates with you. You have demonstrated excellence and can take great pride in your accomplishments.

The diploma you receive today is not the goal you have worked diligently to attain. It is only a symbol of the education that has prepared you for a career, a productive life and an active membership in a society that needs your talents and energy.

You are the inheritors of not only the freedom and prosperity of this great state and nation, but also the responsibilities that accompany them. I urge you to rise to the challenge by building upon the foundation laid by the men and women who have come before you.

I am sure the milestone you celebrate today is only one of many achievements you can look forward to. I encourage you to recognize the support system that helped you reach this place — the families, friends, teachers and professors — and to take the time to thank and honor them. The success you know today is the work of many, and those relationships will guide you as you continue on your way.

First Lady Anita Perry joins me in sending best wishes for your continued success.



Sincerely,

Rick Perry

*Rick Perry
Governor*



THE TEXAS A&M UNIVERSITY SYSTEM
Office of the Chancellor

December 4, 2013

Dear Prairie View A&M Graduate:

It is an honor to congratulate you on your accomplishment today. You are the essence of Panther pride and spirit.

I recognize that your achievement today is not easy an easy one. It requires a firm commitment and numerous sacrifices. You have tackled those challenges and represented PVAMU and the entire A&M System with distinction.

Again, congratulations. The future is yours.

Sincerely,

John Sharp
Chancellor



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Dear Graduates:

Congratulations on your graduation from Prairie View A&M University! You have reached a major milestone in both your personal and professional development. You are now one of those many productive people produced by Prairie View.

The world awaits your talent and expertise. Set your goals high. You can get there from here. Pursue your goals with passion and perseverance no matter the sweat or sacrifice. Always remember, the heights by great men and women reached and kept were not attained through sudden flight. They, while their companions slept, were toiling upward in the night. Life is about choices, chances and consequences. Make good choices! Don't take unmerited chances! Everything you do will have either intended or unintended consequences! Rely on your parental training and the nurturing you received at Prairie View to pave your path to progress and success.

You join an elite lifetime group of Prairie View Alumni. Wear this badge of honor with pride. Your Alumni Association is advancing an agenda to provide programs and services to continually assist you in your personal and professional development. Stay in touch with your Alma Mater through our Alumni Chapters. Help us grow and develop the organization as we attempt to advocate for all PV Alumni. Look back and give back in any way you can to help others striving to reach the milestone you have just achieved.

On behalf of the elected NAA Officers, staff and all PVAMU Alumni, I wish you every continued success in all future endeavors. Remember: We are what we are because of who we are! We are who in part because of PVU.

With Much Panther Pride!

Carl L. Young
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DEAR PRAIRIE VIEW

Dear Prairie View, our song to thee we raise,
In gratitude we sing our Hymn of praise,
For mem'ries dear, for friends and recollections,
For lessons learned while here we've lived with thee.
For these we pledge our hearts full of devotion,
To serve thee now, and through eternity.

As days go by, our hearts will not grow cold,
We'll love thy purple royal and thy gold,
We'll through our lives exemplify thy teachings,
We'll always strive a blessing to be.
Thy children we our love and pride confessing,
We'll love thee now, and through eternity.

Words by O. Anderson Fuller
Music from "Finlandia" by *Sibelius*