

ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-SIXTH

Commencement

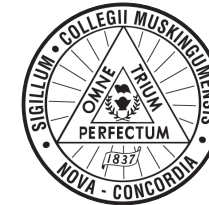


MUSKINGUM UNIVERSITY

The Anne C. Steele Center

Friday, May 7 & Saturday, May 8, 2021

One Hundred and Seventy-Sixth
COMMENCEMENT OF MUSKINGUM UNIVERSITY



The Academic Procession

FACULTY MARSHALS

Dr. Jim Dooley*
Dr. Dinah Meyer

Dr. Colleen Stevenson*
Dr. Andre DeCuir

Dr. Debbie Phillips*
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FACULTY

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Dr. Sandra Schroer
Dr. Paul Szalay
Dr. Jane Varley

CANDIDATES FOR GRADUATION

**Senior Marshal*

This program is not an official list of graduates.

Commencement Exercises

ORDER OF CEREMONY

Prelude Muskingum University Wind Ensemble
Mr. Steven Box, Conductor

***Processional**
Pomp and CircumstanceEdward Elgar, arr. James Ployhar
Muskingum University Wind Ensemble

***Academic Procession**

***Welcome**..... Dr. Susan S. Hasseler
President

***Invocation**Rev. Julia Wright
Chaplain

Remarks President Hasseler

Conferral of Honorary Degree President Hasseler
Dr. Kim Gage Rothermel
Alumnus and Chair of the Board of Trustees

Mr. Darrell I. Hazell, Alumnus
Doctor of Humane Letters

AddressDr. Hazell

Choral Selection
Flight Song Kim André Arnesen
Muskingum University Concert Choir
Dr. Timothy Sarsany, Conductor

Recognition of Retiring Faculty..... President Hasseler

Dr. Deepamali V. Perera
Dr. Linda I. Rogness
Dr. David Tabachnick
Dr. Vivian A. Wagner
Dr. Franz-Joseph Wehage
Mr. Joseph W. Wilson

Presentation of Candidates for Academic DegreesDr. Nancy J. Evangelista
Provost

Conferral of Academic Degrees and Presentation of Diplomas President Hasseler
Chair Rothermel

Charge to Graduating Class From the Student SenateMs. Zoey Stenson
2021 Graduate and Senior Class Representative

Charge to Graduating Class From the FacultyDr. Kekoa Kaluhiokalani
Associate Professor of English

Charge to Graduating Class From the Board of TrusteesChair Rothermel

Charge to Graduating Class From the University President Hasseler

***Alma Mater** Ms. Katlyn Thomas
2021 Graduate

All Hail, Muskingum

All hail, Muskingum, glorious Alma Mater,
Thy loyal children come to do thee honor,
Life more abundant thou to us hast given,
Hail, Alma Mater, hail.

***Benediction** Chaplain Wright

Recessional
Fanfare and RecessionalJames Ployhar
Muskingum University Wind Ensemble

**Those who are able are invited to stand.*

Candidates For Degrees

BACHELOR OF ARTS

Hannah Lee Allen
Special Education, Early Childhood Education
Avon, OH

Breanna Elizabeth Bailey
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Athletic Training
Canton, OH

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Fresno, OH

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Ravenna, OH

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Springfield, OH

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Art
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Graduation Honors

SUMMA CUM LAUDE

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Kevin Grant Bethel	Emily Elizabeth Montgomery
Brandon James Beyke	Maysen Moorehead
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Hannah Lynn Carroll	Macy Alexandra Parks
Blake Allen Cooper	Brianna Pasco
Cassidy Elaine Dobbins	Andrew Glenn Price
Alexis Fry	Min Qu
Madison Gambone	Sadie Elizabeth Rawson
Aaron Matthew Gehlken	Jacob Todd Reed
Logan Gray	Lara Kay Richardson
Julia Ann Griffith	Kilie J. Rock
Paige Hamsher	Karsyn Marie Shaffer
Karlye Hensley	Gabriel Shetler
Megann Rose Hohman	Kamryn Smith
Michael Horgan	Louisa Mae Smith
Emma Horsley	Nerissa Megan Smith
Hannah Jenkins	Ryan Joseph Smith
Sara Maelee Jordan	Carly Spitz
Rachel Kielbasa	Brittany Leigh Stanton
Olivia Ann Lang	Francesca Stefano
Jessica R. Lawrence	Zoey Sylvania Stenson
Rose Lekan	Susan Nicole Thompson
Kylie Leppla	Taya Titchenell
Mingchen Ma	Mikhala West
Sidney Martin	Alanah Marie Williams
Hannah Rachelle Matheney	Abbigail Wood
Macy McAdams	Jennifer Lynn Zacharias

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Jenni Carmichael	William A. Mitchell Jr
Dylan Kent Carpenter	Kathlyene R. Montgomery
Abigail Christina Clark	Kirsten Donn Pierce
Alexia Dowdle	Julie C. Popovich
Brenton Robert Franks	Morgan Dawn Raber
McKenzie Alexis Fuller	Madison Helen Sikorski
Nicholas Fulton	Zhenyu Situ
Ali M. Gilt	Reagan Nicolle Skinner
Vicki A. Harris	Nathan A. Smeltzer
Alli Brooke Hill	Brittany Madison Smith
Teara Lacole Hill	Timothy Smith
Mallory Hoskins	Mace Snider
Sarah A. Irvin	Lexe Starr
Lauren R Johnson-Wear	Abbagail Carrie Starrett
Lauren Elizabeth Kennedy	Matthew Clealon Stewart
Kacie Leppla	Abbie Carlene Tooms
Ehlana Rose Lingenfelter	Zhuoyi Wu

Final graduation honors will be determined after spring grades have been recorded.



CUM LAUDE

Conferred at graduation to those with a cumulative minimum grade point average of 3.4.

Colton Adair	Nick Manocchio
Khristina Audean Apalategui	Sarah Adrienne McAninch
Sydney Bash	Jacob Milner
Nicholas Bilyeu	Garrett R. Mitchel
Nehemiah Bowie	Allison Mudgett
Kaylee Marie Brand	Shiori Murakami
Mary Heather Brooks	Gavin T. Newton
Shyla Burke	Christina Jay Osborn
Lessie Eileen Louise Cable	Shelby Layne Peadon
Samantha Dawn Callahan	Matthew Pollock
Joshua A. Carroll	Trevor Renz
Victoria Clohecy	Kasey Ann Rininger
Jessica A. Cottle	Marissa M. Schafer
David Arlyne Esselburn Jr	Alina Lee Schroeder
Tiffany Nicole Fisher	Jamie Secrest
John Conrad Franz	Courtney L. Smith
Makenna Greaves	Michaela Snider
Kayla Katherine Hall	Shane Franklin Sterner
Robert L. Hartman Jr.	Allison Lynn Turner
Emma Heigley	Chukwuemeka Obinna Uchegbu
Jennifer Johnston	Bailey Elizabeth Waitkus
Holly Ann Jones	Lauren A. Wills
Ryohei Kawaura	Hongze Yi
Gary Lee Kinney Jr	Regan Alexis Yontz
Emma Catherine Lewis	Teng Zhao
Amanda Helen Logan	

ACADEMIC REGALIA

The wearing of academic regalia is a tradition of very long standing. The practice dates back to the earliest European universities, perhaps originating as much from the practical concern for warmth in notoriously chilly facilities as from the desire to recognize and celebrate the teacher and holder of an advanced degree. The level of the degree can be distinguished by the style of the gown and the cut of the hood. Gowns are usually black. In American usage, the colors of the trim on the gown and hood indicate school and discipline: white for Arts and Letters, dark blue for Philosophy, golden yellow for Science, light blue for Education, scarlet for Theology, sage green for Physical Education, copper for Economics, and pink for Music.

HONOR CORDS

Honor cords identify graduates who have achieved special recognition for academic excellence. Graduates wear honor cords to signify their initiation into one of Muskingum University's honor societies and/or their achievement of President's List, Dean's List, or Academic Merit honors.

HONOR STOLES

The Muskingum University Honor Stoles, worn in black with magenta accents, identify graduates, listed in this program on a previous page, who have achieved four Distinguished Scholar Awards for academic excellence. These awards are limited solely to those students ranking in the highest five percent of their class each year for four years, based upon cumulative grade point average.



ABOUT MUSKINGUM UNIVERSITY

Founded in 1837 in New Concord, Ohio, Muskingum University emphasizes entrepreneurial and experiential learning opportunities on its campus, in the community, and around the world.

Muskingum offers more than 60 undergraduate majors which prepare students for the professional workforce and advanced studies; four master's degree programs; a post-master's degree; the Muskingum Adult Program featuring online and evening courses; and workforce development partnerships for continuing education.

Muskingum's excellence is measured most significantly by its alumni, who have served as corporate CEOs, media figures, scientists, educators, health professionals, civic leaders, neighbors, and friends. For more information, visit muskingum.edu.



Commencement Speaker

DARRELL I. HAZELL



Darrell Hazell, a member of the Muskingum Class of 1986, has had significant impact as a coach, mentor, educator, and student advocate.

Mr. Hazell led a distinguished coaching career for more than three decades, serving at the collegiate and professional levels. He retired after the 2018 season as the Wide Receivers Coach for the National Football League's Minnesota Vikings.

He served as an NCAA Division I Head Football Coach for Purdue University and Kent State University, where he was named the Mid-American Conference Coach of the Year by his peers.

Prior to becoming a collegiate head coach, he held assistant coaching positions at The Ohio State University, the United States Military Academy at West Point (Army), West Virginia University, Rutgers University, Western Michigan University, the University of Pennsylvania, Eastern Illinois University, and Oberlin College.

He is known for guiding and encouraging his players on the football field and beyond, in their study habits, campus life conduct, and community impact. He has had a lasting impact on countless students, athletes, and colleagues.

Mr. Hazell earned his Muskingum Bachelor of Arts degree in Business and Speech Communication and was an active member of WMCO and the Fellowship of Christian Athletes.

He was inducted into the Muskingum University Athletics Hall of Fame in 1993, in recognition of his achievements as a varsity student-athlete on both the football and track teams. He held University records for the most receptions (132) and receiving yards (1,966) until 2013, earned multiple football all-Ohio Athletic Conference honors, served as the football team's captain, and won multi-year letters in track.

Mr. Hazell has served Muskingum as a member of the University's Board of Trustees since 2019. He and his wife Annemarie Hazell are the parents of a son, Kyle Hazell. The Hazells reside in Maineville, Ohio.

