DECEMBER COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES

UNIVERSITY COMMENCEMENT CEREMONY

Greensboro Coliseum Greensboro, North Carolina

Ten O'Clock Friday Morning, December 10 Two Thousand Twenty One

DOCTORAL HOODING CEREMONY

Greensboro Coliseum Greensboro, North Carolina

Three O'Clock
Friday Afternoon, December 10
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THE UNIVERSITY of NORTH CAROLINA at GREENSBORO

A Brief History of

The University of North Carolina at Greensboro

The University of North Carolina at Greensboro was established by legislative enactment on February 18, 1891, and opened its doors on October 5, 1892.

The institution came into being as a direct result of the efforts of Dr. Charles Duncan McIver on behalf of the education of women. To Dr. McIver, more than any other individual, the university owes its foundation. He became its first president and served until his death in 1906.

Since its founding, the institution's name has been changed several times: 1891–1919—State Normal and Industrial College; 1919–1932—North Carolina College for Women; 1932–1963—the Woman's College of the University of North Carolina. In the 1963 General Assembly the name was changed to the University of North Carolina at Greensboro and by the same Act the institution became co-educational. In the fall of 1964 the first class of male students was admitted. In 1972 the General Assembly in special session merged all state-supported institutions of higher education into the University of North Carolina without changing the names of each campus. Thus, the University of North Carolina at Greensboro is a member of the 17-campus university.

From a student body of 223 and a faculty of 15 in 1892, the University of North Carolina at Greensboro has grown to a student body of 19,038 resident students—20% of whom are graduate students—and a total faculty of 1,138.

The University of North Carolina at Greensboro includes the following academic units: College of Arts and Sciences, Joseph M. Bryan School of Business and Economics, School of Education, School of Health and Human Sciences, Interdisciplinary College, Lloyd International Honors College, Joint School of Nanoscience and Nanoengineering, School of Nursing, and College of Visual and Performing Arts. The university offers six bachelor's degrees in 76 fields, master's degrees in a wide variety of concentrations, and doctoral degrees in 28 areas of study.

THE PROCESSIONAL

The procession is led by the Faculty Marshal and Mace Bearer and the academic banner bearers. The Assistant Chief Marshals enter next, leading the platform party, which includes the Chancellor; representatives of the Board of Trustees, the Alumni Association, and The University of North Carolina; the Commencement address speaker; the officers of the university; the bell ringers; the class speaker; the tassel turner, and the Chief Marshal. Graduating candidates enter next, followed by the faculty.

THE MACE

The Mace is a ceremonial insignia of the university in a tradition that dates back to antiquity. Hand-chased in sterling silver, it bears academic motifs depicting the history of the institution and is carried by the Faculty Marshal on official occasions. The Mace of the University of North Carolina at Greensboro was presented by the Class of 1926 to commemorate the fiftieth anniversary of its graduation and the bicentennial of the nation. It was first carried at Commencement in 1978.

THE FACULTY MARSHAL

The Faculty Senate of the University of North Carolina at Greensboro adopted on November 3, 1999 a policy for appointing the Faculty Marshal. The Chancellor appoints the Faculty Marshal from among three nominees recommended by the Faculty Senate leadership (Chair, Chair-Elect, Secretary). The Faculty Marshal is a respected senior member of the faculty who has a consistent and continuous record of excellent teaching, scholarly achievements, and service to the university. Years in rank as Professor and years of employment at UNCG are considered. The term of appointment for a Faculty Marshal is five years. Duties include leading the academic procession during university ceremonies, carrying the university Mace, and membership in the Commencement Committee, which plans Commencement.

THE CHAIN-OF-OFFICE

The Chain-of-Office is worn by the Chancellor of the university on occasions when the Mace is carried. The ceremonial medallion, hand-chased in sterling silver, bears the seal of the university, and indicates that the Chancellor is the temporary embodiment of the authority vested in the institution. The Chain-of-Office of the University of North Carolina at Greensboro was presented by the Class of 1929 on the occasion of the fiftieth anniversary of its graduation and was worn by the Chancellor for the first time at the 1979 Commencement.

The Class of 1940 chose to complete the original design of the Chain-of-Office on the occasion of the fiftieth anniversary of its graduation. Each link of the sterling silver neck chain is an individually cast laurel leaf. The medallion clasp, also in sterling silver, bears the Great Seal of the State of North Carolina. The completed Chain-of-Office was worn by the Chancellor for the first time at the 1990 Commencement.

THE UNIVERSITY FLAG

As the university has evolved from the State Normal and Industrial School in 1891 to UNC Greensboro today, so has the University Flag. The flag bears the traditional colors of gold and white, which were first used in the Commencement ceremony of 1894, as well as navy, which was added as the third color in 1987. In 2018, the university completed a brand refresh with updates to its colors including new shades of navy and gold as well as adopting a fourth color, grey. In 2020, a revision of the University Flag was completed to include official university colors. The December 2020 Commencement marks the debut of this new flag. The University Seal, depicting the likeness of Minerva, appears on both sides of the flag.

THE ACADEMIC BANNERS

The Academic Banners represent the constituent parts of the University of North Carolina at Greensboro: the Graduate School, the College of Arts and Sciences, and the six professional schools—the Joseph M. Bryan School of Business and Economics, the School of Education, the School of Health and Human Sciences, the Joint School of Nanoscience and Nanoengineering, the School of Nursing, and the College of Visual and Performing Arts. The designs are unique to this university; the colors have historical association with the respective academic disciplines. The banners are a memorial to Marguerite Norman Felton, teacher of chemistry at the university from 1956 to 1979.

Over the years, several generations of college and school banners have existed. The current banners made their Commencement debut at the May 2010 ceremony.

THE HISTORY OF THE UNIVERSITY BELL

Following the benediction, the University Bell will ring in honor of the Graduates. The University Bell sounded the opening of the State Normal and Industrial College (now UNC Greensboro) on October 5, 1892. For forty years—until electric bells were installed—it marked the significant moments of the day. The University Bell hung from a belfry in the Anniversary Plaza from 1967 until 1987 when it was removed for the purpose of restoration. The Class of 1940, in celebration of the 50th anniversary of its graduation, commissioned the restoration of the University Bell.

University Marshals

The Banner Bearers and escorts for all lines of march during Commencement are provided by the University Marshals, an academic honorary organization composed of full-time undergraduate students with academic averages of 3.65 or greater. These students may be recognized by the gold sashes that they wear during the ceremonies.

Academic Regalia

Academic costumes seem to have originated at the Universities of Oxford and Cambridge over 650 years ago. The colors of the University of North Carolina at Greensboro are gold, white, and blue, with gold and white used in the hood.

"THE STAR-SPANGLED BANNER"

O say, can you see, by the dawn's early light, What so proudly we hail'd at the twilight's last gleaming? Whose broad stripes and bright stars, thro' the perilous fight, O'er the ramparts we watch'd, were so gallantly streaming? And the rockets' red glare, the bombs bursting in air, Gave proof thro' the night that our flag was still there.

O say, does that star-spangled banner yet wave
O'er the land of the free and the home of the brave?

"THE UNIVERSITY SONG" The Alma Mater

We raise our voices, let them swell
In a chorus loud and strong;
The rolling hills send back the sound
Of our triumphant song.
For in one great unbroken band
With loyal hearts and true,
Your sons and daughters stand and sing
University, to you.

COMMENCEMENT CEREMONY

Program

Audience: Please remain seated during the processional.

**PROCESSIONAL
FACULTY MARSHAL AND MACE BEARERSLaurie Kennedy-Malone Professor, School of Nursing
Michael Hemphill, Assistant Professor, Department of Kinesiology
*"The Star-Spangled Banner"
Greetings from the Faculty
and Introduction of the ChancellorSarah Daynes Chair, Faculty Senate, and Professor, Department of Sociology
WELCOME
Greetings from The University of North CarolinaTerry Hutchens
Greetings from
THE STUDENT GOVERNMENT ASSOCIATIONHazael Mengesha President, Student Government Association
Greetings from
THE UNCG ALUMNI LEADERSHIP BOARDJennifer Mee Morris, '86 President, UNCG Alumni Leadership Board
Greetings from the Class of 2021Elizabeth Labadens Speaker for the December Class
Introduction of the Commencement SpeakerFranklin D. Gilliam, Jr.
Address
Authorization for the Conferring of DegreesBetsy S. Oakley Chair, UNCG Board of Trustees

^{*} Audience Standing

^{**} Audience Seated

COMMENCEMENT CEREMONY

Program

Conferring of Degrees	Franklin D. Gilliam, Jr.
Presentation of Honorary Degree Candidate	Sarah Daynes
Ben Folds, Doctor of Letters	
Presentation of Graduate Degree Candidates	Gregory C. Bell erim Dean of the Graduate School
Presentation of Undergraduate Degree CandidatesProve	Debbie Storrs ost and Executive Vice Chancellor
Baccalaureate Degrees	Deans
for the College of Arts and Sciences	s
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Special Recognitions	
Concluding Remarks	Franklin D. Gilliam, Jr.
*"The University Song"Laura Weill Cone and W.A. White Audience Participation with The Commencement Brass and Soloist Lyrics may be found on page 5.	
*RINGING OF THE UNIVERSITY BELLCherry Cand Leigh A	Callahan, from the Class of 1971 Ann Curry, for the Class of 2021
**RECESSIONAL	The Commencement Brass Justin Worley, Conductor
Audience: Please remain seated until faculty and graduate	es have exited the arena.
Also Assisting in Today's Ceremony:	
Interpreters for the Deaf and Hard of HearingSt Graduating Interpreters for the National Anthem and the Ala Brianna Bricker, Abigail Copen, Caitlin Starr Foltz, Amber Freddie Swinney	ma MaterRebecca Barnes,
Readers	Annie Jeng, Robert Wells

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Honorary Degrees

BEN FOLDS DOCTOR OF LETTERS

Ben Folds is widely regarded as one of the major music influencers of our generation.

He's created an enormous body of genre-bending music that includes pop albums with Ben Folds Five, multiple solo albums, and numerous collaborative records. His last album was a blend of pop songs and his Concerto for Piano and Orchestra that soared to #1 on both the Billboard classical and classical crossover charts.

For over a decade, he has performed with some of the world's greatest symphony orchestras, and currently serves as the first ever Artistic Advisor to the National Symphony Orchestra at the Kennedy Center.

In addition to solo rock and orchestral touring, in the Fall of 2019, Folds released his first book "A Dream About Lightning Bugs," which debuted as a New York Times Best Seller, and is described as a collection of interrelated essays, anecdotes and lessons about art, life, and music.

Folds, who was on tour in Australia when the pandemic hit in early 2020, has been curating and hosting his new podcast series—Lightning Bugs: Conversations with Ben Folds, doing some live shows in Australia, as well as live and taped virtual streams, and is preparing to work on a TV series and return to the US for solo piano and orchestral tour dates this Fall.

An avid photographer, Folds is also a member of the prestigious Sony Artisans of Imagery, has worked as an assignment photo editor for National Geographic, and was featured in a mini-documentary by the Kennedy Center's Digital Project on his photographic work.

An outspoken champion for arts education and music therapy funding in our nation's public schools, has served for over five years as an active member of the distinguished Artist Committee of Americans For The Arts (AFTA), and serves on the Board of AFTA's Arts Action Fund.

He also served as Chairman of the Arts Action Fund's ArtsVote2020 national initiative that encouraged voter engagement in the 2020 US elections, and continually advocates for improving public policies for the arts and arts education.

Master's Degrees

Master of Arts

Russell Lane Adams
Sarah Anderson Allen
Amanda Lee Archambeau
Boaz Avraham-Katz
Catherine Elizabeth Bergman
Alexis Nicole Branch
Catherine R. Butterfield
Kristen Lee Catoe
Mario James Elliott
Ykeshia Kyana Lynea Ferguson
Tyler Frame
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Anna Marie Goodall

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¹ Mariah Alyssa Youmans

¹ Melissa Karen Henninger

¹ Laurence James Hite

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Crystal Ann MacKinnon

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- ¹Sadie Jordan Daniels
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- Tequila Rashawn Jones
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International Honors

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DISCIPLINARY HONORS

Stacy Bateman

Social Work

"Ableism in Higher Education: Examining Implicit Bias, Policies and Procedures, and Lack of Accommodation within Collegiate Institutions" Project Adviser: Daniel Rhodes

Nicollette Boykins

Sociology

Conspiracy Theories: From Interest to Insanity Project Adviser: Todd Madigan

Ethan Brain

Studio Art
Escaping Momentum
Project Adviser: Christopher Cassidy

Mia Hoskins

Anthropology
Small Farmer COVID-19 Response in the
Piedmont
Project Adviser: Susan Andreatta

Allison Johnson

Art Education
"Art, Health, and Community"
Project Adviser: Sunny Spillane

Noel Kiss

Arts Administration
"Integrated Arts Music Program Plan for YMCA
Ballantyne Arts Center"
Project Adviser: Hannah Grannemann

Thomasine Lewis

Consumer, Apparel, and Retail Studies "Mending & Upcycling Clothing: Discovering Emotional Value Through Sustainability" Project Adviser: Haeun Bang

Brandon Mitchell

Information Science
"Information Technologies and The Product of
Universities: An Analysis and Critique of Formal
Education and Information Revolutions in the
Digital Era"

Project Adviser: Lisa O'Connor

John Pecor

Entrepreneurship "Feasibility Analysis: Budo Tribe Martial Arts" Project Adviser: Steve Cramer

Jeremy Schlanger

Philosophy "Transcendental Unification of Temporal

Consciousness"

Project Adviser: Adam Rosenfeld

David Stevens

History

"The Creation of Orthodoxy: How Marxism-Leninism Split the Russian Intelligentsia, 1917–1922"

Project Adviser: Thomas F. Jackson

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Psychology

"Shared or separate syntax? Limitations of the bilingual sentence superiority effect in Spanish-English speakers"

Project Adviser: Robert Wiley

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Dissertation: Three Essays on Socially Engineered Attacks: The Case of Online Romantic Scams

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Dissertation: An Inquiry Into the Alignment Between the Theoretical Assumptions of Self-determination Theory and the Cultural Assumptions of Saudi Arabian Educators

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Dissertation: The Impact of Prior Evening Exercise on Endocrine Awakening Responses

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Dissertation: What Their Place Meant: a Critical Poetic Inquiry into the Sociocultural Experiences of High-achieving Black Women WHo Participated in K-12 Out-of-School Time (OST) Academic Enrichment Programs

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Doctoral Degrees

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Dissertation: Camp No and Soldier-Writers: Disidentification and Ethical Remapping in Post-9/11 Narratives of Dissent

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Dissertation: RNA Viruses: The Strategies They Employ to Interfere with Host Cell Protein Expression and to Synthesize Viral Proteins, and a New Way to Identify Their RNA in Biological Samples

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Dissertation: Creating a Pacing Resource Linked to New Mathematics Standards: Collective Sensemaking by Multiple Stakeholder Groups

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Dissertation: "Whoa! It has a lot of benefits" The Early Care and Education Perceptions and Preferences of Refugee Mothers

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Dissertation: We Wear the Mask: The Lived Experiences of Black Undergraduate Music Education Students in Predominantly White Schools of Music (PWSOM)

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Dissertation: Hypoxia and Panchromatic Photosensitizers for Photodynamic Therapy and Photochemotherapy

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Dissertation: Using Institutional Ethnography to Understand How the Ruling Text Organizes Nursing Performance Related to Cather-Associated Urinary Tract Infection in the Intensive Care Unit

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Dissertation: Late Auditory Evoked Potentials and P300 in Young Female Adults Who Perceive Temporary Tinnitus After A Brief Period of Silence

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