2014 Graduate Commencement

St. Charles Family Arena • Friday, May 16, 2014 • 7:00 p.m.
Welcome to Lindenwood University and one of the most important ceremonial occasions of the academic year. Lindenwood’s Commencement ceremony is filled with symbolism and tradition that remind us of the noble purpose of colleges and universities. The academic dress worn by the students, faculty, boards, and platform party is described on the back inside cover of this program. Students wearing blue gowns and black and white medallions are members of Linden Scroll. Students wearing blue gowns and gold medallions are members of Lindenwood Student Ambassadors, a select group of students dedicated to the positive promotion of Lindenwood University. Their duty as marshals is to direct the processional and seating of students, faculty, board members, and administrators.

Academic customs originated within the medieval church, and the order of procession follows ecclesiastical custom with the most honored members of the procession at the end. The pipe and drum corps, followed by the Student Ambassador flag bearers and the graduating students, leads the procession. The faculty follows the students in the processional, and members of the Alumni Board, the University Board of Directors, and the platform party follow them. The President, preceded by the University Marshal, is the last person to enter the Commencement area. The mace carried in the academic procession by the University Marshal symbolizes the authority of the President. A staff of linden wood, surmounted by a silver cup, is used. The mace originally belonged to President John Roemer, who served Lindenwood from 1914 to 1940. It is used only on occasions when the faculty and President march in formal procession. The American flag and Lindenwood University flag are displayed at the foot of the platform, along with the mace. For centuries, colleges and universities have awarded honorary degrees to worthy recipients for institutional and societal contributions. These degrees, awarded honoris causa (“for honorary cause”), represent Lindenwood University’s most time-honored way to recognize significant service and achievement.

During Lindenwood’s Commencement ceremony, the candidates for degrees are presented to the President by the chief academic officer. Each student’s name is read by a dean, and the President presents the diploma to that student and congratulates the new graduate. Once all the degrees have been conferred, the pipe and drum corps leads the recessional in reverse order of entry with the newest alumni at the end of the procession.

We hope that you enjoy our Baccalaureate and Graduate Commencement ceremony and that you will respect our protocol for the enjoyment of all concerned. Please remain in your seats during the ceremony. During the conferring of degrees, please refrain from prolonged noisemaking until all of the graduates have been presented. Please stand for the processional and invocation, as well as for the benediction and recessional.
Lindenwood History

Lindenwood was founded in 1827 by Mary Easton Sibley (1800-1878) and George C. Sibley (1782-1863), making it the second oldest institution of higher learning west of the Mississippi River, and the institution was incorporated by the Missouri Legislature in 1853. The Sibleys deeded the Lindenwood property to the St. Louis Presbytery on February 24, 1853, the start of a formal affiliation with the Presbyterian Church, which lasted over a century.

While Lindenwood is fully independent today, the University enjoys a historical relationship with the Presbyterian Church and remains true to its founding values. The first commencement ceremony was held in 1858. Lindenwood became coeducational in 1969; evening programs were established in 1972, and graduate studies were instituted in 1975. Lindenwood became a university in 1997, a regional university in 2003, and a doctoral institution in 2007.

The University has experienced dynamic growth over the past two decades. Not only did Lindenwood College evolve into a university, but it also grew from a student population of 800 residential students to more than 4,000 today with a total student enrollment of more than 16,000 annually and a St. Charles campus of more than 500 acres. Lindenwood is one of the few colleges and universities in the country that remains debt-free.

Lindenwood Mission Statement

Lindenwood University offers values-centered programs leading to the development of the whole person – an educated, responsible citizen of a global community.

Lindenwood is committed to
• providing an integrative liberal arts curriculum;
• offering professional and pre-professional degree programs;
• focusing on the talents, interests, and future of the student;
• supporting academic freedom and the unrestricted search for truth;
• affording cultural enrichment to the surrounding community;
• promoting ethical lifestyles;
• developing adaptive thinking and problem-solving skills;
• furthering lifelong learning.

Lindenwood is an independent, public-serving liberal arts university that has a historical relationship with the Presbyterian Church and is firmly rooted in Judeo-Christian values. These values include belief in an ordered, purposeful universe, the dignity of work, the worth and integrity of the individual, the obligations and privileges of citizenship, and the primacy of the truth.
Participants

James D. Evans ................................................................. Lindenwood University
President

Jim J. Shoemake .............................................................. Lindenwood University
Chairman, Board of Directors

Jann Weitzel ..................................................................... Lindenwood University
Provost and Vice President for Academic Affairs

Ann Canale ...................................................................... University Marshal
Professor of English

Kathy Osborn ................................................................. Executive Director
The Regional Business Council

Timothy Butler ............................................................... Lindenwood University Chaplain
Religion Department

Jason Lively ..................................................................... Lindenwood University
Faculty Council Chairperson

Voices Only..................................................................... Vocal Selection

Recognition

The Class of 2014
Family and Friends

We express our thanks to the members of the Linden Scroll and Lindenwood Student Ambassadors for serving as today’s ushers and marshals.
Program

*PROCESSIONAL..........................................................The Lindenwood Pipe and Drum Corps

UNIVERSITY MARSHAL.........................................................Ann Canale
  Professor of English

GREETINGS ........................................................................Jann Weitzel
  Provost and Vice President for Academic Affairs

*INVOCATION...............................................................Timothy Butler
  University Chaplain

*STAR SPANGLED BANNER ........................................Voices Only
  Directed by Professor Pamela Grooms

WELCOME AND INTRODUCTIONS ................................James D. Evans
  President

GREETINGS FROM THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS..................Jim J. Shoemake
  Chairman, Lindenwood University Board of Directors

VOCAL SELECTION “Oh Lindenwood”......................................Voices Only
  Marsha Parker, Pamela Grooms, Joe Alsobrook, Shane Williams

THE ADDRESS “Can You Make a Difference and Make a Living?”..................................................Kathy Osborn
  Executive Director, The Regional Business Council

CONFERRAL OF HONORARY DEGREE ................................President Evans
  Presentation of Kathy Osborn ................................................Jann Weitzel

CONFERRAL OF EMERITA/EMERITUS STATUS....................President Evans
  Presentation of Mr. Daniel Kemper .....................................Jason Lively
  Faculty Council Chairperson

PRESENTATION OF DEGREE CANDIDATES..........................Jann Weitzel

CONFERRAL OF GRADUATE DEGREES ...............................President Evans

  DOCTOR OF EDUCATION, SPECIALIST IN EDUCATION, MASTER OF ARTS, MASTER OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION, MASTER OF FINE ARTS,
  MASTER OF PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION, MASTER OF SCIENCE

  Dean Cynthia Bice, School of Education
  Dean Carla Mueller, School of Human Services
  Dean Roger Ellis, School of Business and Entrepreneurship
  Dean Peggy Ellis, School of Nursing and Allied Health Sciences
  Dr. Cynthia Schroeder, School of Sport, Recreation, and Exercise Science
  Dean Joe Alsobrook, School of Fine and Performing Arts
  Dean Ricardo Delgado, School of Sciences

*BENEDICTION...................................................................Timothy Butler

*RECESSIONAL..................................................................Lindenwood Pipe and Drum Corps

*Audience please stand
Lindenwood University Graduates
Graduate Degrees

Doctor of Education

Vicki R Adams
Joseph Anders Alsobrook
La Donna J Barnett
John R Beckerle
Jerry Michael Bladick
Katherine Ora Chambers
Steven James Curry
Wanda Renee Davis
Andrea Petker Frazier
Stephen H Freund
Toni Gale Sallia
Edward Robert Gettemeier
Yvonne Gibbs
Robyn Beth Gordon
Teresa Denise Green
John Martin Israel
George Allen Lauritson
Yvette S Lawary
Darcy Lee Lilley
Veteran Honors
Bridgett Niedringhaus
Aaron Michael Randolph
Paula Suzanne Roberts
Christie Lynn Rodgers
Mary Margaret Ruettgers
Stephanie Small
Benjamin Harold Yocom

Lisa Marie Carr
LaTricia Diane Clark
Karen Elizabeth Crawford
Lynn R Daniel
Suzanne Marie DeSpain
Terrence Tyrone Dominick
Brock Meier Dover
Jennifer Ann Ezell-Hayes
Karla S Ferguson
Jamie Leigh Flaherty
GeGiMara J Fluelen-Ra-El
Pamela Denise Fountain
Sierra Lynn Fultz
Laticia Wynn Garbarini
Tara A Goerss
Adrienne Leigh Govero
Mary Elvin Gray
Brittany Resha Green
Ann-Marie Gunn
Corey Alan Hahn
Adam Wesley Hall
Samantha Lee Hamilton
Carolyn Ann Harman
Michael Kenneth Hazelton
Angela Marie Heaton
Teresa Michelle Helton
Tiffani Marie Hendrix
Michele Dawn Hercules
Precious Hicks Poole
Mary Annette Hill
Jewel Irons Jenkins
Matthew Darel-Corse James
Tiffany Marie Johnson
Melanie Mare Jones
Daniel James Kania, Jr.
James Michael Kern
Robert William Kern
Robert E Lescher
Mary Jo Linneman
Emily Ann Lovercheck
Ismaida Shuaibu Maigyara
Christopher L McNeil
Benita Marie Mercer
Elizabeth Anne Miller
Michelle Maria Miller
Tracy Lynn Mobley

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Holly Faye Avis
James Edward Barbee, Jr.
Kelly Kay Barber
Robert Bernard Bass
Judith Billups
David William Black
Ross C Bullington
Yolanda J Campbell

Susan Lynn Montgomery
Robert Lee Mossman
Keith Alexander Moyer, Jr.
Veteran Honors
Michelle O Mueller
George Washington Mumphard
Quanshanda Tenille Nicholson
Raynard Lydell Nicholson
Audrea Precious Angileen O'Bannon
Yolander Marie Pittman
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Amy Yvonne Spears
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Stacy Ann Stewart
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Angela Doyel Syron
Sharon LaDonna Thigpen-Traylor
Chris R Thompson
Tina Lynne Turner
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Samantha D Wanko
Ryan P Warnol
Lacy Jo White
Holly Ann-Marie Wilberding
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Geraldine Jointer Williams
Kristin April Williams
Veteran Honors
Kristina Irene Williams
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Gregory Allen Wilson, Sr.
Kelly L Wright
Master of Arts

Megan Lee Abramczyk
Melissa Christine Adkins
Jamie Lynn Aholt
Victoria Lynn Akers
Amber Alyssa Allen
Lauren Elizabeth Allen
Tracy Katherine Allen
Stacey L Anderson
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Kristy W Armer
Lindsay K Ash
Carrie M Aydt
Leigh Anne Bagley
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Linda F Bethany
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Kacey Loren Booth
Amy Marie Bopp
Misty Borgsmiller
William Stephen Boucher
Timothy Michael Bowdern
Jacquette Monique Boykin
Andrew Christian Bradbury
Sarah E Brady
Kathleen Michelle Brandt
Laura D Brandt
Anne Elizabeth Breid
Elizabeth Rodgers Brennan
Matthew Adam Bretz
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Bryan Matthew Cauley
Roshonda Renee’ Chamberlain
Dantwan Lamar Chillers
Katherine Lynn Crites
Alan Michael Cook
Derwin R Crosby
Sara Jayne Crum
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Reginald Victor Cunningham II
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Allyson Marie Fitzgerald
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Rodney Damon Jackson
Tamara Verree Jackson
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The Lindenwood Pipe and Drum Corps was founded in 2013 to enhance the procession of our graduates through tradition that dates back thousands of years. The corps’ uniforms were designed by Dr. Chajuana Trawick (Assistant Professor of Fashion Design) and include the official Lindenwood tartan. A full-color rendition of the Sibley Crest, the tartan reflects the strong tradition, heritage, and values of Lindenwood University. Founding members include Joseph Alsobrook, Ryan Curtis, Patrick Harris, Ben Holtmeyer, Jason Hood, Kevin Hennessey, and Ryan Maclin.
Academic Dress

The caps, gowns, and hoods worn by the faculty and students at this graduation are today’s formal dress of the worldwide academic community. While now worn only on festive occasions such as commencement, such dress was originally the normal garb of academics as they went about their daily business. Originating in Europe more than a thousand years ago, like universities and colleges themselves, academic dress first developed within the church, and all academics were once at least in minor orders within the church. The robes and hoods are stylized versions of these monastic robes. In Europe, each institution seems to have its own variant of costume, but in America, academic costume follows a uniform code drawn up by a special commission in 1895. The code has three main parts, dealing with caps, gowns, and hoods.

The Oxford type cap or mortarboard seems to have evolved from the square biretta of Renaissance clergy. It is always black and may be of any appropriate material except that velvet is reserved for doctors. Many faculty members wear the Cambridge style cap. The tassel worn with the cap has three variations. It may be black for any degree or it may be the color of the academic area in which the degree was granted. Doctors and governing officials of institutions wear tassels made of gold metallic thread. The tassel is worn on the left side of the cap.

The academic robes are all black, except for certain doctoral robes. The style of robe indicates the highest degree earned by the wearer. Bachelor’s sleeves are pointed, and the robe is plain. Undergraduate students who have achieved honors display a cord. Students who graduate with University Honors wear a purple double cord; students who graduate with Community Service Honors wear a cardinal red and silver grey double cord; students who graduate with Veteran Honors wear a red, white, and blue double cord; students who graduate Cum Laude (with praise) wear a white double cord; students who graduate Magna Cum Laude (with great praise) wear a gold double cord; and students who graduate Summa Cum Laude (with highest praise or distinction) wear a gold and white triple cord. Master’s robe sleeves are oblong and longer. The doctoral robe features velvet bands in the front, and the robe sleeve also has velvet bands and is gathered at the wrist. The doctoral robe itself is cut much fuller than the other two gowns.

The hoods indicate the academic area of degree, the level of the degree, and the school that granted it. The level of the degree is shown by the size of the hood, the width of the velvet trimming, and in the case of the doctor, the shape. The master’s, the specialist’s and the doctor’s hoods are three and one-half feet, three and three-quarters feet, and four feet long, respectively. The velvet trimming in the same order is three, four, and five inches wide. The outer band of the hood indicates, by color, the degree; the bright, silken interior of the hood, by its colors and design, indicates its source. Each university and college has a distinct hood. The Lindenwood University hood is lined with white and yellow silk, representing the University’s original colors.

The colors of the mortarboard tassels worn by today’s degree recipients, as well as the hoods worn by faculty and graduate students, indicate the major fields of study.

- APRICOT: Nursing
- CITRON: Social Work
- COPPER: Economics, Business Economics
- CRIMSON: Journalism
- DARK BLUE: Philosophy
- PEACOCK: Political Science, Public Administration, Public Management
- PINK: Music, Music-Instrumental, Music Performance, Music-Vocal/Choral
- PURPLE: Criminal Justice, Criminal Justice Administration
- SAGE GREEN: Exercise Science, Human Performance, Physical Education, Recreation Administration, Recreation Leadership
- SCARLET: Christian Ministry Studies, Religion
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