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# PFEIFFER UNIVERSITY

## 2022 COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES

Scott W. Bullard, Ph.D., President, Presiding



Prelude

\* Processional

Sir Edward Elgar  
*Pomp and Circumstance*  
Dr. Elizabeth Harrison, Piano

\* Invocation

Rev. Maegan Habich  
*University Chaplain and Director of Church Relations*

Welcome

Scott W. Bullard, Ph.D.  
*President*

Welcome from the Board of Trustees

Rev. Dr. Terry V. Swicegood  
*Member, Board of Trustees*

Musical Selection

Stephen Schwartz  
*For Good (from "Wicked")*  
Kris McConnel '22 and Ellie McHone '24

Introduction of Keynote Speakers

President Bullard

Commencement Keynote Address

Elizabeth A. Fain, Ed.D., OTRL, FAOTA  
*Associate Dean and Director, MS of Occupational Therapy*

F. Elisa Melvin, Ph.D., M.Ed  
*Director and Professor, MS of Health Administration*

Dawn J. Lucas, Ed.D  
*Chair of the Department of Education*

Presentation of Candidates for Baccalaureate Degrees

Conferring of Baccalaureate Degrees

Presentation of Diplomas

Presentation of Candidates for Graduate Degrees

Conferring of Graduate Degrees

Presentation of Diplomas

\* Pfeiffer University Alma Mater

Dr. Richard Brewer

Hail, Alma Mater! All Hail to thee!  
It's Pfeiffer University, in the land of the free.  
Everlasting friendships found will ever remain.  
Our loyalty reigns evermore. All Hail! All Hail!

Hail, Alma Mater! All Hail to thee!  
The ringing chimes and chapel spire for all they inspire.  
Black and gold our colors wave forever on high.  
And Pfeiffer University, All Hail! All Hail!

Benediction

Rev. Habich

Recessional

Johann Sebastian Bach  
*Concerto in G after Meckel*  
Dr. Harrison, Piano

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\* The audience will please rise

*\*\*Live stream the ceremony at [pfeiffer.edu/live](http://pfeiffer.edu/live)\*\**

## 2022 BACCALAUREATE DEGREE CANDIDATES

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Paula Jones Almond  
Charlotte, NC  
B.A. Elementary Education

Brooklyn Alicia Arrowood  
Concord, NC  
B.S. Criminal Justice

Amber Nicole Barnhardt  
Salisbury, NC  
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B.S. Accounting

Alexander James Boltinhouse †  
Raleigh, NC  
B.S. Biology

Derrick Lee Bradsher, Jr.  
Burlington, NC  
B.S. Business Management & Leadership

Makalla Lana'e Burnette  
Mebane, NC  
B.S. Health & Exercise Science

Mattie Nichole Burris  
Misenheimer, NC  
B.A. Counseling & Human Services

Johvany Herrera Cantarero  
Concord, NC  
B.A. Communication

Ernestina Jacquelyn Ziranda Cardenas  
Stony Point, NC  
B.A. Counseling & Human Services

Christina Adrianna Cassidy  
Asheboro, NC  
B.S. Criminal Justice

Zachary Fox Cates  
Winston Salem, NC  
B.A. Sports Management

Matthew Jaret Coble  
Monroe, NC  
B.A. Educational Studies

Mackenzie Grace Collins  
Mount Airy, NC  
B.S. Biology

Kevin Gordillo Cordero  
Salisbury, NC  
B.S. Business Management & Leadership

Allyson Brooke Earnhardt  
Mount Pleasant, NC  
B.S. Accounting

Peyton McKenna Farley  
Cocoa, FL  
B.S. Health & Exercise Science

Michael Scott Glenn  
Orlando, FL  
B.S. Criminal Justice

Mason Gore  
Winston Salem, NC  
B.A. Sports Management

Donnie Ghawan Haith  
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B.S. Business Management & Leadership

Deirdre Lynnette Hardy  
Temple Hills, MD  
B.S. Health Administration

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B.S. Health Administration

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B.S. Business Management & Leadership

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Denton, NC  
B.S. Business Management & Leadership

Madelynn Leigh Hovis  
Lincolnton, NC  
B.A. Educational Studies

Emily Grace Jackson  
Charlotte, NC  
B.A. Elementary Education

Anna Montgomery Johnson  
Montgomery, AL  
B.S. Biology

Treven King  
Land O Lakes, FL  
B.S. Computer Information Systems

Carrie Anne Elizabeth Lassiter  
Troy, NC  
B.A. Educational Studies

William Andrew Loyd  
Concord, NC  
B.S. Business Management &  
Leadership

Kendall Mauldin  
Liberty, NC  
B.A. Elementary Education

Ada Claire McClendon  
Kingwood, TX  
B.S. Health & Exercise Science

Kristen Gloria McConnell  
Fort Mill, SC  
B.A. Music

Virginia Carol McCraw  
King, NC  
B.A. Counseling & Human Services

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Raleigh, NC  
B.S.N. - B.S. in Nursing

Marissa Eve Meadors  
Salisbury, NC  
B.S. Biology

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Latta, SC  
B.A. Counseling & Human Services

Brittany Nicole Owens  
Richlands, NC  
B.S. Criminal Justice  
B.A. Psychology

Cameron Reid Phillips  
Rockwell, NC  
B.S. Business Management & Leadership

Summer Ann Pulliam  
Richfield, NC  
B.A. Counseling & Human Services

Darius Antoine Rhodes  
Hartsville, SC  
B.A. Sports Management

Nicholas Steven Richmond  
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B.S. Health & Exercise Science

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B.A. Sports Management

Afrikah Madallia Inay Salaam  
Salisbury, NC  
B.A. Counseling & Human Services  
B.A. Psychology

Katlin Marie Solochier  
Concord, NC  
B.S. Biology

Samuel Charles Stewart  
Belhaven, NC  
B.A. Psychology  
B.A. Counseling & Human Services

Elizabeth Elaine Stribling  
Charlotte, NC  
B.A. History

Taylor Rose Trexler  
Rockwell, NC  
B.S. Health Administration

Jessica Madelin Vazquez  
High Point, NC  
B.S. Biology

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Rockwell, NC  
B.S.N. - B.S. in Nursing

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Charlotte, NC  
B.S. Business Management & Leadership

Jacob Lee Williamson  
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B.A. Sports Management

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B.S. Biology  
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## **FACULTY MARSHAL**

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DR. MARK MCCALLUM

## **STUDENT MARSHALS**

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Courtney Renee Queen - Chief Marshal  
Danielle Marie Balducci  
Hailee NiCole Cagle  
Kendra Nicole Davis  
Dante' Jerckivon Irby  
Paige Rae Jackson  
Ellie Elizabeth McHone  
Jack Lee Rummage

## **COLOR GUARD**

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Anna Cheek - Crucifer  
Taylor Brigman  
Kennise Brown  
Mattie Hinson  
Mila Rutter



*Gold cord denotes honor graduate.  
Medallion denotes student leaders.*

*Note: Due to this program's publication deadline, the list of degree candidates reflects information available prior to the end of the Fall 2022 semester.*

## 2022 GRADUATE DEGREE CANDIDATES

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Master of Science in Leadership

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Master of Science in Occupational Therapy

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Master of Science in Occupational Therapy

Greg Louis Bielec  
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Master of Business Administration

Ashton Grace Byrd  
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Master of Science in Occupational Therapy

A'leshia Mone' Campbell  
Tampa, FL  
Master of Health Administration

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Master of Health Administration

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Staten Island, NJ  
Master of Science in Occupational Therapy

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Cary, NC  
Master of Science in Leadership

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Master of Science in Financial Fraud  
Investigations

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Master of Arts in Marriage & Family  
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Master of Business Administration

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Master of Business Administration

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Master of Arts in Marriage & Family  
Therapy

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Investigations

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Master of Health Administration &  
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Master of Science in Occupational Therapy



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Master of Health Administration

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Master of Science in Occupational Therapy

Gene Daniel LaFleche  
Clover, SC  
Master of Health Administration

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Charlotte, NC  
Master of Business Administration

Christina Ge Hae Lee  
Greensboro, NC  
Master of Science in Occupational Therapy

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Master of Health Administration

Rebecca Summer Lucas  
High Point, NC  
Master of Health Administration

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Science in Leadership

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Master of Science in Occupational Therapy

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Master of Arts in Marriage & Family  
Therapy

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Master of Business Administration

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Master of Business Administration

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Master of Science in Occupational Therapy

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Master of Health Administration

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Master of Science in Occupational Therapy

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Mint Hill, NC  
Master of Science in Occupational Therapy

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Staley, NC  
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Master of Science in Occupational Therapy

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Master of Health Administration &  
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Master of Health Administration

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Master of Science in Occupational Therapy

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Master of Health Administration &  
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Matthews, NC  
Master of Business Administration

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Irmo, SC  
Master of Science in Occupational Therapy

Tracy Lynn Wilson  
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Master of Health Administration

MarTisha La'Kerra Wright  
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Master of Arts in Marriage & Family  
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Isaac Da-Wei Yeh  
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Master of Science in Occupational Therapy

## ACADEMIC REGALIA

The formal academic dress worn today originated more than 600 years ago. The apparel has changed little in appearance but has taken on a significant role in identifying the degree and alma mater of its wearer.

Gowns for those with bachelor's degrees have pointed sleeves; those with master's degrees wear oblong sleeves and holders of doctoral degrees wear bell-shaped sleeves. Doctoral gowns have velvet facing on the front and three velvet stripes on each side. Hoods indicate the colors of the institution from which the degree was received and the color of the hood's border represents the academic discipline in which the degree was earned. Some of the more common ones are listed below:

Arts & Letters, Humanities.....	White
Business/Accounting.....	Olive Brown
Economics.....	Copper
Education.....	Light Blue
Engineering.....	Orange
Fine Arts & Architecture.....	Brown
Health Administration.....	Salmon
Communications/Journalism.....	Crimson
Law.....	Purple
Medicine.....	Green
Music.....	Pink
Nursing.....	Apricot
Occupational Therapy.....	Slate Blue
Physician Assistant.....	Kelly Green
Physical Education.....	Sage Green
Public Health.....	Salmon Pink
Science.....	Golden Yellow
Theology.....	Scarlet

The standard academic cap is appropriately known as a mortarboard. Faculty members holding master's or doctoral degrees may opt for a velvet tam.