



STEPHEN F. AUSTIN STATE UNIVERSITY
COMMENCEMENT

William R. Johnson Coliseum | Nacogdoches, Texas

COMMENCEMENT PROGRAM

December 9 and 10, 2022

Academic Procession	“Pomp and Circumstance March No.1” <i>by Sir Edward Elgar</i>
Presentation of the Colors	ROTC Honor Guard
Welcome	Dr. Lorenzo Smith <i>Provost and Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs</i>
Recognition of Faculty	Dr. Steve Westbrook <i>Interim President of the University</i>
Introduction of the Commencement Speaker	Dr. Steve Westbrook <i>Interim President of the University</i>
Address to Graduates and Guests	Ms. Emily A. Parker <i>Consulting Counsel, Holland & Knight LLP (formerly Thompson & Knight) and SFA 1970 Alumna</i>
Presentation of Candidates for Doctoral Degrees	Dr. Lorenzo Smith <i>Provost and Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs</i>
Conferring of Doctoral Degrees	Dr. Steve Westbrook <i>Interim President of the University</i>
Presentation of Candidates for Master’s Degrees	Dr. Lorenzo Smith <i>Provost and Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs</i>
Conferring of Master’s Degrees	Dr. Steve Westbrook <i>Interim President of the University</i>
Presentation of Candidates for Bachelor’s Degrees	Dr. Lorenzo Smith <i>Provost and Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs</i>
Conferring of Bachelor’s Degrees	Dr. Steve Westbrook <i>Interim President of the University</i>
Alumni Congratulations	Mr. Craig A. Turnage <i>Executive Director of Alumni Relations</i>
Singing of the Stephen F. Austin State University School Song	Ms. Nita Hudson <i>Lecturer of Music</i>
Academic Recession	“Triumphal March” from “Aida” <i>by Giuseppe Verdi</i>

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Dr. Steve Westbrook, Interim President

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Mr. Mickey P. Diez, Registrar
Ms. Madison Gartman, Student Body President
Ms. Nita Hudson, Lecturer of Music
Ms. Emily A. Parker, Consulting Counsel, Holland & Knight LLP (formerly Thompson & Knight) and SFA 1970 Alumna
Mr. Craig A. Turnage, Executive Director of Alumni Relations
Dr. Christopher McKenna, Faculty Senate Chair, Associate Professor of Business Communication and Legal Studies

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The audience will please be seated for the Academic Procession and Recession.

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**COMMENCEMENT CEREMONY
6 P.M. • DECEMBER 9, 2022**

GRADUATE STUDIES

Dr. Sheryll Jerez, Ph.D., Interim Dean of Research and Graduate Studies

CANDIDATE FOR DOCTORAL DEGREE

DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY

NAME	MAJOR	UNDERGRADUATE STUDIES
Raven Shandrea Mitchell	School Psychology	Northwestern State University

CANDIDATES FOR MASTER'S DEGREES

MASTER OF ARTS

NAME	MAJOR	UNDERGRADUATE STUDIES
Ashia Jenice Anderson	School Psychology	Texas A&M University
Jordan U Baird	School Psychology	Texas A&M University - Commerce
Tanner Benson Boyer	School Psychology	Brigham Young University
Amy Creamer	Professional Counseling	Stephen F. Austin State University
Victoria Michelle Habluetzel	Applied Educational Psychology	Stephen F. Austin State University
Kimberly Karen Hernandez	Professional Counseling	Stephen F. Austin State University
Kristen Key	Professional Counseling	Texas A&M University
Karina Leon-Carrillo	Professional Counseling	St. Mary's University
Taylor Leann Millard	School Psychology	Stephen F. Austin State University
Davina Faye Mitchell	Applied Educational Psychology	Stephen F. Austin State University
Rebecca Elizabeth Porterfield	Professional Counseling	Texas A&M University
Maria Ann Robinson	Professional Counseling	University Mary Hardin - Baylor
Morgan Elizabeth Robledo	School Psychology	Texas A&M University
Latoya Michelle Semple	School Psychology	Brewton-Parker College
Dorothy Jackson Tubbs	Professional Counseling	Stephen F. Austin State University
Jessica Esmeralda Villa	Student Affairs and Higher Education	Stephen F. Austin State University
Shaun Allen Whittinghill	Student Affairs and Higher Education	Austin Peay State University
Carrie Megan Wiley	Professional Counseling	Stephen F. Austin State University

MASTER OF ARTS IN TEACHING

NAME	MAJOR	UNDERGRADUATE STUDIES
David Russell Mikhael Bartley	Teaching	Wayland Baptist University
Tardrean Lavette Holcomb	Teaching	Stephen F. Austin State University

MASTER OF EDUCATION

NAME	MAJOR	UNDERGRADUATE STUDIES
Jaime Andres Arizpe	Educational Leadership	Abilene Christian University
Miranda Lillian Leigh Armstrong	Teaching and Learning	Stephen F. Austin State University
Stephanie Beth Beard	Educational Leadership	Stephen F. Austin State University
Brandon Quentin Beavers	Educational Leadership	Stephen F. Austin State University
Juliann Elaine Brooks	Elementary Education	Stephen F. Austin State University

Eliseo Alex Cano, Jr.
Christine Carol Cauthen
Lorena Katherine Chandler
Tamara Shantel Clay
James Paul Clooney IV
Casandra Jean Cortez
Joshua Mark Culpepper
Heather Catherine Douglas
Carrie Diane Douglass
Courtney Danielle Frausto
Jesus Galvan III
Branndon Tristran Goodson
Rebecca Jo Gutowsky
Kathia Maria Harris
Shelby Joyce Henry
Britta Dorothee Hildebrand
Jennifer Inthavan
Constance Caroline June
Austin McArthur Lee
Chivuta Minodora Leonard
Melanie Danielle Lynch
Ma Teresa Ternando Malana
Valerie Upchurch Marriner
Kristina Renee May
Susan Marie Mcelroy
Lorren Di-Anne Munson
Jill Marie Nicklas
Sara Elizabeth Nolan
Breeona Renee Parnell
Kayla Brooke Privett
Alejandra Reyes
Alisha Strife
Ashley Ann Rush
Kate Adele Seifert
Angela Renea Jones Smith
Sarah Elizabeth Swanzy
Ashlee Trevino
Keila Anai Urquia
Meagan Lynn Walker
Landry Steven Watters
Bryan Woodson
Patrick Ryan Yarbrough

Educational Leadership
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Educational Leadership
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Texas State University
Lamar University
Baptist Bible College
Texas Tech University
University of Saint Thomas
University of Texas - Rio Grande Valley
Texas State University
Asbury University
Vanderbilt University
West Texas A&M University
University of Texas - Rio Grande Valley
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MASTER OF SCIENCE

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DISSERTATION

DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY

Raven Shandrea Mitchell, School Psychology

“The Efficacy of an Expressive Writing Intervention to Facilitate Emotion Regulation and the Reduction of Aggressive Behaviors in Junior High School Students”

Directed by Dr. Elaine Turner, Assistant Professor, Human Services and Educational Leadership

THESIS

MASTER OF ARTS

Ashia Jenice Anderson, School Psychology

“Religion and Spirituality as a Coping Mechanism for Racial Microaggressions: A Literature Review”

Directed by Dr. Nina Ellis-Hervey, Associate Professor, Human Services and Educational Leadership

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**COMMENCEMENT CEREMONY
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GRADUATE STUDIES

Dr. Sheryll Jerez, Ph.D., Interim Dean of Research and Graduate Studies

CANDIDATES FOR MASTER'S DEGREES

MASTER OF FINE ARTS

NAME	MAJOR	UNDERGRADUATE STUDIES
Jose Homero Gutierrez	Art	Universidad Autonoma Chihuahua
Timothy Raleigh Johnson	Art	Angelo State University

MASTER OF ARTS

NAME	MAJOR	UNDERGRADUATE STUDIES
Olivia Claire Acosta	English	Sam Houston State University
Courtnei Winter Booker	Mass Communication	University of Texas - San Antonio
Meghan Elizabeth Daniel	Mass Communication	Stephen F. Austin State University
Lauren Renee Friis	Mass Communication	Westmont College
Mallory Ginn LeCroy	Publishing	Baylor University
Madyson Sherry Marilyn Meares	Publishing	Texas State University
Blake Mokate	Mass Communication	Stephen F. Austin State University
Katherine Elizabeth Noble	Publishing	Stephen F. Austin State University
Emily Brooke Smith	History	Lamar University
Hayden Lee Young	National Security	Stephen F. Austin State University

MASTER OF INTERDISCIPLINARY STUDIES

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Alandria Shaunte Phillips	Interdisciplinary Studies	Stephen F. Austin State University
Natalie Nicole Hernandez	Interdisciplinary Studies	Stephen F. Austin State University
Rachel Elizabeth Padelford	Interdisciplinary Studies	Stephen F. Austin State University

MASTER OF MUSIC

NAME	MAJOR	UNDERGRADUATE STUDIES
Mindalena Elise Adams	Music	Austin College
Kristy Thornley Cawthon	Music	University of South Florida
Daniel Lee Cooper	Music	Roberts Wesleyan College
Donna Michelle Dear	Music	Mississippi State University
Wenxin Fan	Music	Chongqing Normal University
Patricia Michelle Kelley	Music	Stephen F. Austin State University
Adah Lorraine Ketner	Music	Texas A&M University - Commerce
Justin Lee Ketner	Music	Texas A&M University - Commerce
David James Klock	Music	Univ of Northern Colorado
Samuel G Labordus	Music	Texas A&M University - Commerce
Alison Marie Lebeda	Music	University of Illinois - Urbana Champaign
Fabiana Gioia Mosca	Music	Stephen F. Austin State University

MASTER OF PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION

NAME	MAJOR	UNDERGRADUATE STUDIES
David Artemio Jackson	Public Administration	Stephen F. Austin State University
Dakota Robert Stone	Public Administration	Stephen F. Austin State University
John Blake Wyne	Public Administration	Texas A&M University

MASTER OF SCIENCE

NAME	MAJOR	UNDERGRADUATE STUDIES
Wyatt Lawrence Bagwell	Forestry	Tarleton State University
Emma Victoria Beck	Resource Communication	Towson State University
Frances Franklin	Resource Communication	University of Texas
Chelsea De'Na Johnson	Agriculture	East Texas Baptist University
Morgan Elise Langlinais	Environmental Science	Stephen F. Austin State University
Alexandria Ranay Silva	Agriculture	Stephen F. Austin State University

THESES

MASTER OF ARTS

Olivia Claire Acosta, English

“Cry Wolf”

Directed by Dr. Elizabeth Tasker Davis, Professor, English

Emily Brooke Smith, History

“From the Kitchen to the Professional: East Texas Women’s Fight for Equality”

Directed by Dr. Paul Sandul, Professor, History

MASTER OF FINE ARTS

Jose Homero Gutierrez, Art

“A Fragile [In] Tension”

Directed by Piero Fenci, Professor, Art

Timothy Raleigh Johnson, Art

“My Journey Through Cinematic Camera Movement”

Directed by William E. Arscott, Regents Professor, Art

MASTER OF MUSIC

Daniel Lee Cooper, Music

“Escape Beneath an Original Game Score Inspired by an Analysis of Garry Schyman’s Music”

Directed by Dr. Stephen Lias, Professor, Music

David James Klock, Music

“Now, Then, Then”: An Original Composition and Examination of the Influence of Bluegrass, Blues, and Rock in Western Concert Music”

Directed by Dr. Stephen Lias, Professor, Music

MASTER OF SCIENCE

Wyatt Lawrence Bagwell, Forestry

“Effects of Prescribed Fire Regime on White-Tailed Deer (*Odocoileus virginianus*) Browse, Forage and Nutrient Availability in the Piney Woods Ecoregion of Texas”

Directed by Dr. Brian Oswald, Joe C. Denman Distinguished Professor, Forestry

Morgan Elise Langlinais, Environmental Science

“Distribution and Soil Characteristics Associated with the Neches River Rose-Mallow (*Hibiscus dasucalyx*)

Directed by Dr. Kenneth Farrish, Hiram and Gloria Arnold Distinguished Professor, Forestry

Alexandria Ranay Silva, Agriculture

“A Qualitative Investigation of Agriculture Majors Without a Strong Agricultural Background”

Directed by Dr. Candis Carraway, Assistant Professor, Agriculture

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MICKEY ELLIOTT COLLEGE OF FINE ARTS

Dr. Gary T. Wurtz, Ph.D., Dean

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Jervon Royce Bennett
Elizabeth Anne Bobbitt
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Ashley Marie Coleman**
#Joy Danielle Crissmon**
Courtney Suzanne Davis
Triston Dale Dodson
Caleb Lee-Trey Gaddis

Karan Jagdishgir Gosai
Alexis Nicole Hargy
Savannah Marie Heim**
#Regina Suzanne Horton***
Herlinda P. Huerta**
Koi Johnson*
Brendon James Joshlin
Matthew Tyler Kilgore
Erin Lynn Kimball***
Benjamin Harrison McElroy*
Christina Ann Noto*

Salvador Nunez
Tanzil Patel
Gabriella Milagros Rincon**
Sarah Elizabeth Ross
Brendan Robert Ryan**
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Travis Christopher Angle
Jessica Lauren Mae Baskin***
Abhi Dharmesh Bhakta**
Michael Edward Boyd III*
Ajani Antonio Brown***
Katharine Jules Bulpitt**

Sara Kathleen Clark***
Gabrielle Elizabeth Cotton*
Hannah Faith Dallas***
Triston Thomas Haq*
Kiersten Renee Hart
Jurnee Kaleookalani Deliso May Jackson***

Colton Adam Taylor James Lewis-Lamb
#CaitLyne Marie Martin***
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Robbie Eugene Belk
Davis Osborne Carr***
Dalia Castelan
Osvaldo Jesus Castillo**
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Levi D. Grant***
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“Turning Ligands on their Side: A Computational Investigation into the Binding of N₂O and N₂ in Transition Metal Complexes”

Directed by Dr. J. Brannon Gary, Assistant Professor, Chemistry

Alissa Leigh Jacobs, Mathematical Sciences

“An Investigation of the Gamma Hurdle Model for a Single Population Mean”

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Jacklyn Victoria Thompson, Biology

“Sequencing and Functional Characterization of *Latrodectus geometricus defensin*, Lg-defensin”

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COMMENCEMENT NOTES

The gowns caps, and hoods worn at university functions date back to the early days of the oldest universities in the Middle Ages. Monks and students wore them to keep warm in the damp and drafty 12th-century halls of learning. This traditional academic dress has been gradually revised to the modern form seen today.

All gowns have a semi-stiff yoke, long pleated front and intricate shirring across the shoulders and back. The bachelor's gown is worn closed and has long pointed sleeves. The master's gown may be worn either open or closed and has long square sleeves closed at the end, the forearm coming through a slit near the elbow. The doctor's gown also may be worn either open or closed but is distinguished by broad velvet panels down the front and by three velvet bars on the full bell-shaped sleeves. This velvet trimming may be either black or the color distinctive of the field of learning.

The black cap and tassel are worn by holders of all three degrees; however, the doctor's cap may be of velvet and the tassel of gold.

The hood (usually not worn by holders of the bachelor's degree) is a black shell, silk-lined in the color or colors of the institution conferring the degree. Stephen F. Austin State University colors are shown by a purple lining crossed with a white chevron. The velvet border of the hood is of the color signifying the field of study, or subject, not the college that awards the degree. Thus a degree conferred as Master of Science in Agriculture is maize, representing agriculture, rather than golden yellow, representing science.

Colors signifying various fields of learning as represented on our candidates are as follows:

Accounting, Business Administration	Drab	Counseling, Early Childhood Education, Ed.D., Educational Leadership, Elementary Education, School Psychology, Secondary Education, Student Affairs and Higher Education	Light Blue
Agriculture	Maize	Forestry, Resource Interpretation	Russet
Athletic Training, Kinesiology, Special Education, Speech-Language Pathology	Sage Green	Human Sciences, Psychology	Gold
Biology, Biotechnology, Chemistry, Environmental Science, Geology, Mathematical Sciences, Natural Science, Physics, Statistic	Science Gold	Music	Pink
Communication, Mass Communication	Crimson	Ph.D.	Dark Blue
		Public Administration	Peacock Blue
		Social Work	Citron

The universities represented by colors lining the hoods worn by our faculty are too numerous to be listed here; however, feel free to ask individual faculty members which institution their color represents.

THE UNIVERSITY MACE

The mace is a symbol of authority dating from the early Middle Ages in Europe. The earliest representation of the mace is shown in the Bayeux Tapestry in the late 11th century. It was the only protective weapon which ecclesiasts like the Bishop of Bayeux were permitted to carry. As used in royal processions, the mace came to symbolize the king's authority more than a defensive weapon. By the reign of Elizabeth I, the mace had become purely ceremonial and the objects themselves more decorative. The sergeants at arms and marshals in legislative bodies and universities all carried maces as visible tokens of authority. Maces in use in the United States date from 1756. The chair of the Faculty Senate, who carries the mace in graduation ceremonies, represents the authority of the faculty to protect and certify the degrees being granted by the university. The shaft of the mace is crowned by a head on which are mounted four representations of the university seal.

The mace is being carried by the Faculty Senate chair, or another designated member of the Faculty Senate.

THE CANDIDATES FOR HONORS

A student receiving a baccalaureate degree with academic honors has completed a course of study with at least 42 semester hours of SFA residence coursework excluding pass/fail hours and in the final 30 advanced-GPA hours (3000- and 4000-level courses) has a GPA as follows:

SUMMA CUM LAUDE	3.900 to 4.000
MAGNA CUM LAUDE	3.700 to 3.899
CUM LAUDE	3.500 to 3.699

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Oh future bright 'neath the

Purple and White

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'Mid Texas pines we have

Found peaceful shrines

Where ev'ry month is May.

Long live our Alma Mater,

Honor to thee for aye.

As years unfold, happy

Mem'ries we'll hold,

All hail to SFA.