

# Syracuse University Commencement

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**MAY 15, 2022**





Syracuse University

## Order of Exercises

### Syracuse University Wind Ensemble

Bradley P. Ethington  
*Conductor*

### Processional

Degree Candidates, Emeriti Faculty, Faculty,  
Chancellor's Council, Board of Trustees,  
Academic Deans and the Chancellor's Party

### Mace Ceremony

Bea González G'04  
*Mace Bearer*

### Presentation of Colors

Army and Air Force ROTC Cadets

### National Anthem

John Bentley '22  
*College of Visual and Performing Arts*

### Ceremonial Opening

Tadodaho Sidney Hill  
*Haudenosaunee Confederacy*

### Invocation

The Rev. Dr. Brian E. Konkol  
*Dean, Hendricks Chapel*

### Welcome

Gretchen Ritter  
*Vice Chancellor, Provost and Chief Academic Officer*

### Greetings

Kent Syverud  
*Chancellor and President*

### Welcome to Syracuse University Alumni

Ryan McNaughton '96  
*President, Syracuse University Alumni Association*

### Message From University Scholars Class of 2022

Ghael Fobes Mora '22

### Introduction of Commencement Speaker

Kent Syverud  
*Chancellor and President*

### Commencement Speaker

David Muir  
*Anchor, "ABC World News Tonight"  
Co-Anchor, "20/20"*

### Conferring of Honorary Degrees

Kent Syverud  
*Chancellor and President*

#### DOCTOR OF HUMANE LETTERS

Howard G. Phanstiel '70, G'71

#### DOCTOR OF HUMANE LETTERS

Gloria Mmagotsha Somolekae G'94

#### DOCTOR OF SCIENCE

Nina V. Fedoroff '66

#### DOCTOR OF SCIENCE

Thomas L. Magnanti '67

### Recognition of New Emeriti Faculty

Jamie L. Winders  
*Associate Provost for Faculty Affairs*

### Recognition of Class Marshals and University Scholars

Gretchen Ritter  
*Vice Chancellor, Provost and Chief Academic Officer*

### Conferring of Master of Laws and Juris Doctor Degrees

Kent Syverud  
*Chancellor and President*

Candidates presented by Craig M. Boise  
*Dean, College of Law*

### Conferring of Doctoral Degrees

Kent Syverud  
*Chancellor and President*

Candidates presented by Peter A. Venable  
*Associate Provost for Graduate Studies  
and Dean of the Graduate School*

### Conferring of Master's Degrees and Certificates of Advanced Study

Kent Syverud  
*Chancellor and President*

Candidates presented by Peter A. Venable  
*Associate Provost for Graduate Studies  
and Dean of the Graduate School*

### Conferring of Bachelor's and Associate Degrees

Kent Syverud  
*Chancellor and President*

Candidates presented by the Academic Deans  
and Chris Johnson  
*Associate Provost for Academic Affairs*

### Alma Mater

Jada Crawford '22  
*College of Visual and Performing Arts*

### Recessional

Chancellor's Party, Academic Deans, Board of Trustees,  
Chancellor's Council, Faculty and Emeriti Faculty

## Academic Deans

### **SCHOOL OF ARCHITECTURE**

Michael Speaks

### **COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES**

Karin Ruhlandt

### **SCHOOL OF EDUCATION**

Kelly Chandler-Olcott (*Interim Dean*)

### **COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING AND COMPUTER SCIENCE**

J. Cole Smith

### **DAVID B. FALK COLLEGE OF SPORT AND HUMAN DYNAMICS**

Diane Lyden Murphy '67, G'76, G'78, G'83

### **GRADUATE SCHOOL**

Peter A. Variable

### **SCHOOL OF INFORMATION STUDIES**

Rajiv Dewan

### **COLLEGE OF LAW**

Craig M. Boise

### **LIBRARIES**

David Seaman

### **MAXWELL SCHOOL OF CITIZENSHIP AND PUBLIC AFFAIRS**

David M. Van Slyke

### **S.I. NEWHOUSE SCHOOL OF PUBLIC COMMUNICATIONS**

Mark J. Lodato

### **COLLEGE OF PROFESSIONAL STUDIES**

Michael J. Frasciello G'15

### **COLLEGE OF VISUAL AND PERFORMING ARTS**

Michael S. Tick

### **MARTIN J. WHITMAN SCHOOL OF MANAGEMENT**

Eugene W. Anderson

### **University Marshal**

Shiu-Kai Chin '75, G'78, G'86

*Laura J. and L. Douglas Meredith Professor  
for Teaching Excellence, Professor of Electrical  
Engineering and Computer Science, College of  
Engineering and Computer Science*

### **Associate University Marshal**

James K. Duah-Agyeman G'99

*Director, Office of Multicultural Affairs*

## Academic Heraldry

Academic caps, gowns and hoods date back to the Middle Ages, when monks and students wore them as a shield against the dampness and drafts in 12th-century castles and monasteries.

Bachelor's gowns have a semi-stiff yoke; long, pleated front; and intricate shirring across the shoulders and back. The gown—which may be worn open or closed—is distinguished by its long, pointed sleeves.

Master's gowns are worn open. The very long sleeves are square and closed at the end, with the forearm coming through a slit near the elbow.

Doctoral gowns carry broad, velvet panels down the front and three velvet bars on full, round, open sleeves. This trimming may be black or a color representing a specific discipline. Doctoral caps may be velvet and the tassels gold.

Bachelor's degree candidates wear tassels on right and transfer them to left when degrees are awarded during the ceremony.

## Marshals of the Class of 2022

Ava Colabello Breitbeck  
Morgan Caitlin Storino

## School and College Marshals

### SCHOOL OF ARCHITECTURE

Erik August Bakken  
Jasmine Elizabeth Greytok

### COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES

Ashley Clemens  
Morgan William Eaton  
Denise Magny

### SCHOOL OF EDUCATION

Torian Tianna Clarke  
Shayla Walsh

### COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING AND COMPUTER SCIENCE

Alexander Timothy Metcalf  
Oduduabasi James Isaiah

### DAVID B. FALK COLLEGE OF SPORT AND HUMAN DYNAMICS

Mackenzie Mangos  
Julia Rizzo

### GRADUATE SCHOOL

Ying Zhang

### SCHOOL OF INFORMATION STUDIES

Michael McCallister  
Danielle Nyarko Nimako

### COLLEGE OF LAW

Mazaher Kaila

### MAXWELL SCHOOL OF CITIZENSHIP AND PUBLIC AFFAIRS

Varsha Srinivasan

### S.I. NEWHOUSE SCHOOL OF PUBLIC COMMUNICATIONS

Morgan Tucker  
Chelsea Brooke Stern

### COLLEGE OF PROFESSIONAL STUDIES

Nicholas P. Fedrizzi

### COLLEGE OF VISUAL AND PERFORMING ARTS

Emily Mae Graham  
Coreynne Merretta Henry

### MARTIN J. WHITMAN SCHOOL OF MANAGEMENT

Bailey Loughnane  
Tiffany Yang

## Syracuse University Scholars

### SCHOOL OF ARCHITECTURE

Erik August Bakken  
Julia Chou

### COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES

Gretchen Coleman  
Ifeyinwa Clare Ojukwu  
Cassandra Rodriguez  
Thomas J. Shaw

### SCHOOL OF EDUCATION

Sydney Jordan Ringel

### COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING AND COMPUTER SCIENCE

Lindy Melegari  
Alexander Timothy Metcalf

### S.I. NEWHOUSE SCHOOL OF PUBLIC COMMUNICATIONS

Ghael Fobes Mora

### COLLEGE OF VISUAL AND PERFORMING ARTS

Cameron Joy Gray

### MARTIN J. WHITMAN SCHOOL OF MANAGEMENT

Salvatore Pepe

# Alma Mater

WHERE THE VALE OF ONONDAGA  
MEETS THE EASTERN SKY  
PROUDLY STANDS OUR ALMA MATER  
ON HER HILLTOP HIGH.  
FLAG WE LOVE! ORANGE! FLOAT FOR AYE,  
OLD SYRACUSE, O'ER THEE.  
LOYAL BE THY SONS AND DAUGHTERS  
TO THY MEMORY.

—Junius W. Stevens, Class of 1895

