

# **To Our Guests**

**Commencement is a happy and dignified occasion. It is a meaningful time to recognize the graduates and their families, faculty, staff, and students of Louisiana Tech University. Guests and participants are therefore requested to maintain proper decorum throughout the ceremony by avoiding unnecessary movement in the seating area and by withholding applause until designated times as indicated during the program.**

**Following the awarding of degrees, the audience is requested to stand for the benediction and then to be seated until the recessional is completed.**

**We welcome you to the commencement exercises of  
Louisiana Tech University.**

**Louisiana Tech University**  
**Three Hundred and Forty-Second Commencement**  
**Saturday, November 19, 2022**

**Processional “Pomp and Circumstance”**..... **Edward Elgar**  
Professor Shayla Blake, Pianist  
Instructor for Songwriting and Flute, Accompanist

**Marshals:** Mr. Jeffrey Pike, Mr. Reggie Jeter, Dr. Jason Howell,  
Dr. Timothy Reeves, Dr. Heath Tims

**National Anthem “The Star-Spangled Banner”**..... **Francis Scott Key**  
**Music by John Stafford Smith**  
Dr. Brandi Estwick, Vocalist  
Lecturer in Voice

**Invocation** ..... Rev. Thomas Ussery  
Pastor, LifePoint Pentecostal Church

**Greetings** ..... Dr. Leslie K. Guice  
President

**Commencement Address**..... Rosemary “Toni” Wurster Chandler Turner  
Class of 1964

**Presentation of Candidates for Academic Degrees**

College of Applied and Natural Science ..... Dr. Gary Kennedy  
College of Business ..... Dr. Christopher L. Martin  
College of Education ..... Dr. Donald N. Schillinger  
College of Engineering and Science ..... Dr. Hisham E. Hegab  
College of Liberal Arts ..... Dr. Jeremy Mhire  
Graduate School ..... Dr. Terry McConathy

**Conferring of Degrees and Awarding of Diplomas**..... Dr. Guice  
Assisted by Mr. Joshua A. Chovanec, University Registrar  
Announcer: Mr. Douglas R. Postel

*Please withhold your applause until each college has crossed the stage*

**Presentation of Commemorative Medallions**

**Alma Mater**..... **John P. Graham**  
Dr. Estwick  
*Audience standing - Lyrics printed on back cover of this program*

**Benediction**..... Rev. Ussery

**Recessional “A Celebration in G Major”** ..... **Shayla L. Blake**  
Professor Blake

## Commencement Speaker



### **Rosemary “Toni” Wurster Chandler Turner, Class of 1964**

Forever Loyal alumna Rosemary “Toni” Wurster Chandler Turner of Dallas, a longtime community service enthusiast, has been instrumental in creating two endowed scholarships at her alma mater.

Turner was valedictorian of her 1960 senior class at Block High in Jonesville and earned her Bachelor of Science in Medical Technology from Tech in 1964.

She began her professional career as a medical technologist, but an early change in careers led her to 34 years with Delta Airlines as a flight attendant.

While a Tech student, Turner was active in Sigma Kappa Sorority and the Wesley Foundation; she competed in the Miss Louisiana Pageant representing Catahoula Parish; and she danced in the Royal Ballet of the Natchez Pilgrimage.

She has been just as active during her post-college life as both a professional and volunteer, and her support of her alma mater has been unwavering. She and her husband, Dr. William Turner Jr., have established two endowed scholarships in the past four years.

The first, established in 2018, is the Rosemary “Toni” Wurster Chandler Turner Health Science Endowed Scholarship in memory of Oscar and Emeline Wurster, Toni’s grandparents. The Wurster family now includes nearly two dozen former and future Tech students.

The more recent scholarship is the Rosemary “Toni” Wurster Chandler Turner and Dr. William W. Turner, Jr. Endowment, provided to support and grow the School of Biological Sciences and health science programs in the College of Applied and Natural Sciences.

## CANDIDATES FOR DEGREES

The names in this program were candidates for graduation as this program went to press. The names of those awarded degrees "*in absentia*" will not be called but may be noted on the program. The right-pointing triple angle symbol (»») indicates the candidate earned three degrees concurrently. The right-pointing double angle symbol (») indicates the candidate earned two degrees concurrently. The double solid square symbol (■) indicates the candidate earned a double major. Those with the diamond symbol (◆) earned a perfect 4.0 GPA. Baccalaureate degree candidates with the lozenge symbol (◇) next to their name completed the University Honors Program. Those with an asterisk (\*) completed their degree requirements in association with the Barksdale Air Force Base Program.

### COLLEGE OF APPLIED AND NATURAL SCIENCES

Dr. Gary A. Kennedy, Dean

#### BACHELOR OF SCIENCE

Rita Emerald Addy, Stone Mountain, GA  
Savanah Rose Bailes, Shreveport  
Hanna Clare Bamburg, West Monroe  
Sommer Faith Batterton, Choudrant  
Arthur Lee Baylor, Jr., Ruston  
Thomas Andrew Bergeron, St. Francisville  
Tobie Madison Bimle, Ruston  
Cora Lucille Bonewitz, Baton Rouge  
David Michael Cason, Ruston  
Phillip Isaac Cupples, Oak Grove  
Taylor Copeland Dickson, Stamps, AR  
Elizabeth Jewell Dighton, Ethel  
Hannah Camille Donaldson, Bossier City  
Kelton Reid DuBois, Shreveport  
Anna Claire Duck, Quitman  
Caroline Elizabeth Dupree, Bossier City  
Morgan Danielle Fitzpatrick, Shreveport  
◆ Emily Ann Francis, Shreveport  
Shelby Chantill Franklin, Shreveport  
◇ Ivy Lynn Gagnard, Marksville  
Dannie Alyssa Gates, Zachary  
Abigail Grace Gissendanner, West Monroe  
Lauren Janece Green, Port Allen  
Nicquita Louise Harris, Alexandria  
» Lori Amanda Hawkins,  
College Station, TX  
Brittany Lynn Hetrick, Watson  
DeQuisha Shardanae Hill, Mansfield  
Everett Joe Holder, Gloster  
Garrett Garvis-Lane Holman, Bossier City

Olivia Biannka Holmes, Monroe  
Kennedi Nicole Holtzclaw, Ruston  
Levi Leonard Howard, Pineville  
Ryan Amina Hymes, Shreveport  
Dymand Danielle Johnson, Tallulah  
Christopher Eric Jones, Sterlington  
Destiny Di'nah Lee, Shreveport  
Jackson Wiley Lynn, Belcher  
Renee Anne Maladonado, Orlando, FL  
Ca'Aja Charneil Maxie, Mansfield  
Payton Elizabeth Modica, Bryant, AR  
Gabrielle Elizabeth Owens, West Monroe  
Lauren Kristina Owens, Bossier City  
Kylee Payne, Mangham  
◆◇ Emily Claire Pentz, Deville  
Trystyan Leon Pierre, Lafayette  
Elizabeth Danielle Register, Logansport  
◇ Christianna Nicole Releford, Bastrop  
Emonie Natasha Roussel, Harvey  
Mandy F. Rudd, Quitman  
Gerard Sapena Polo, Ruston  
MacKenzie Leigh Scallan, Alexandria  
» Kiswayla Kozette Scott, Ruston  
◇ Morgan Elizabeth Setliff, Pineville  
Grant Thomas Stephens, Ruston  
Hope Wilhite, Ruston  
Courtney Michelle Wingate, Shreveport  
Tiffany Wyse, Little Rock, AR  
Karen Virginia Young, Missouri City, TX

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Dr. Christopher L. Martin, Dean

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Reece Garrison Aultman, West Monroe  
Katie Allen Bailey, Ruston  
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Thomas Lee Barron, Pineville  
Katelyn Leann Bell, Prairieville  
Thomas Gerard Bollich, Alexandria  
Richard Eugene Boyter, Bossier City

Connor Hopkins Branch, Ruston  
Breck Stockton Brewton, Ruston  
Kenny Chen, West Monroe  
Ivan Colunga, Shreveport  
Alenea Winonah Davis, Many  
Maggie Reann Dinkins, Shreveport  
Lacey Gayle Dupre, Oak Grove  
Rachel Olivia Elliott, Monroe

Christian Aaron Evans, Winnfield  
 McKenzie Chalise Franklin, Forest  
 ◇ James Tyler Gentry, Shreveport  
 Michael Ryan Green, Shreveport  
 Hebane Kettia Nka Guehi, Ruston  
 William Harry Hodges, Baton Rouge  
 Kade Austin Hornback, Galliano  
 Hunter William Howard, Alexandria  
 Lake Boulter Juban, Longview, TX  
 Kady Marie Dominique Kanate, Ruston  
 Gilles Hamed Kone, Cedar City, UT  
 ◇ Kayley Elizabeth Kraig, Tyler, TX  
 Alexander Joseph LaBar, Baton Rouge  
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 Jonathan Crews Little, Shreveport  
 Amy Lynne Lockhart, Bossier City  
 Noah J. Loftin, Lake Charles  
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 Christian Lee Griffing, Shreveport  
 Angel Janai Guillory, Opelousas  
 Zaria Hope Hudson, Shreveport  
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Sarah Catherine Foster, Bastrop  
Jessie Lynn Fussell, Shreveport  
Kara Alexia Goff, Ruston  
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Savannah Grace Jones, Butler, GA  
Lauren Brooke Lee, Calhoun  
Brittany Kamil Lewis, Prairieville

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Dwayne T. Stewart, Houston, TX  
Kenneth William Sutton, Ruston  
Harshavardhan Vanka, Ruston  
Noah William Yarborough, Lafayette

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**MASTER OF HEALTH INFORMATICS**  
**College of Applied and Natural Sciences**

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Caitlyn Prine, Monroe, GA

**MASTER OF SCIENCE**  
**College of Applied and Natural Sciences**

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Emily Ann Buzulak, Dallas, TX

Montariel Minor, Baton Rouge  
Dakota Allan Weatherford, Hot Springs, AR

**MASTER OF SCIENCE**  
**College of Education**

William Harrell, Texarkana, TX

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**College of Engineering and Science**

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John Aaron Barham, Magnolia, AR  
Cole Charles Bealer, New Orleans  
Bhargav Reddy Bobba, Ruston  
Himanshu Anup Borse, Nashik, India  
Zachary Paul Brasseaux, Longville  
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Lauren Nicole Fogg, Mandeville  
Omer Tarig Freigoun, Khartoum, Sudan  
Matthew Hunter Fuller, Farmerville  
Allissa Gros, Marrero

Andrew Stephen Haight, Huntsville, AL  
Surya Teja Varma Indukuri,  
Hyderabad, India  
William Thomas Lee, Alexandria  
Nolan James Matthews, Hamburg, AR  
Ralston Lane McGlothlin, Effie  
Charles Vincent Nicolasvu, Ruston  
Cary Randazzo, Ruston  
Jahnavi Ravi, Ruston  
Gayle Magee Red, Richardson, TX  
Ritika Roy, Bangladesh

**DOCTOR OF AUDIOLOGY**  
**College of Liberal Arts**

**Kourtney Sierra Bush, Natchitoches**

BA (2018) Louisiana Tech University  
Dissertation: "Comparison of Averaged and Audiometrically Obtained Inter-octave  
Frequency Thresholds"  
Major Advisor: Dr. Melinda F. Bryan

**DOCTOR OF EDUCATION**  
**College of Education**

**Erica Nicole Ogburn, Flint, MI**

AS (2011) Charles Stewart Mott Community College  
BA (2013) University of Michigan-Flint  
MA (2015) Eastern Michigan University  
Dissertation: "The Socialization Experiences of African American Women in Higher  
Education, Student Affairs"  
Major Advisor: Dr. Bryan McCoy



**DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY**  
**College of Applied and Natural Sciences**

**Andrew Joseph Roser, Kenner**

BS (2013) Louisiana Tech University  
MS (2016) Louisiana Tech University  
Dissertation: "Study of Germination of *Bacillus anthracis* Spores: The Role of Spore-Associated Inosine Hydrolysis and the Persistence of Heat-Activated State"  
Major Advisor: Dr. Rebecca Giorno

**DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY**  
**College of Engineering and Science**

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BS (2017) Louisiana Tech University  
MS (2019) Louisiana Tech University  
Dissertation: "Wireless Self-Powered Vibration Sensor for Fault Detection in Dynamic Machines and Structures"  
Major Advisor: Dr. Hamzeh Khalid Bardaweel

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BS (2008) Omar Al Mukhtar University  
MS (2017) University of Detroit Mercy  
Dissertation: "Effectiveness of Clay Nanotube Blended Coating Materials of Thermal Insulation"  
Major Advisor: Dr. Shaurav Alam

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BT (2014) Jawaharlal Nehru Technological University  
MS (2016) Alcorn State University  
MS (2021) Louisiana Tech University  
Dissertation: "Enhanced Adversarial Resilience Classifier for Network Intrusion Detection System (NIDS) by Using Supervised Machine Learning Models"  
Major Advisor: Dr. Pradeep Chowriappa

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BS (2015) Jawaharlal Nehru Technological University  
MS (2021) Louisiana Tech University  
Dissertation: "Fabrication and Testing of Memristor Devices with Spinel Ferrites and Their Applications in Slime Mold and Plants"  
Major Advisor: Dr. Leland Weiss  
Hooded by: Dr. Hisham Hegab

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BS (2012) Shandong Institute of Business and Technology  
MS (2015) University of Shanghai for Science and Technology  
MS (2021) Louisiana Tech University  
Dissertation: "Fundamental Limits and Insights: From Secure Communication to Distributed Computing"  
Major Advisor: Dr. Jinyuan Chen

**Rahul Prakash Sharma, Jaipur, India**

BS (2007) Sathyabama University  
MS (2009) Southampton University  
ME (2013) McMaster University  
Dissertation: "Utilization of Steel Industry Waste for Making Electromagnetic Interference Shielding Geopolymer Composites"  
Major Advisor: Dr. Adarsh Kumar Radadia

<b>BACCALAUREATE DEGREE LATIN ACADEMIC HONORS</b>
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**FALL QUARTER 2022  
summa cum laude**

(cumulative GPA of 3.90 to 4.0 on all hours pursued - a diamond (◆) indicates a perfect 4.0 GPA)

Hanna Clare Bambang  
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◆ Emily Ann Francis  
James Tyler Gentry

Zaria Hope Hudson  
Zoe Faith Hudson  
Hansol Kang  
◆ Emily Claire Pentz

Morgan Elizabeth Setliff  
◆ Jewel Ann Theiler  
Cameron Ethan Van

**magna cum laude**

(cumulative GPA of 3.70 to 3.899 on all hours pursued)

Avery Alana Anderson  
Reece Garrison Aultman  
Katelyn Leann Bell  
Skylar Brenae Blackwell  
Emily Grace Cook  
Rachel Olivia Elliott

Olivia Ferlito  
Anthony Joseph Hicks  
Clark Blue Hillman  
Kennedi Nicole Holtzclaw  
Hailey Nicole Jacobs  
Kayley Elizabeth Kraig

Troyce Austin Parker  
Ethan Oliver Patton  
Elizabeth Danielle Register  
Vincent Thomas Richard  
Madison Nicole Seaford  
Haleigh Madison Thomas

**cum laude**

(cumulative GPA of 3.50 to 3.699 on all hours pursued)

Rosa Renee Andrzejewski  
Todd Christopher  
Authement  
Katie Allen Bailey  
Sommer Faith Batterton  
Hailey Evelyn Bereziuk  
Thomas Andrew Bergeron  
Kenneth Wayne Berry, Jr.  
Thomas Gerard Bollich  
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Hannah Camille Donaldson  
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Hope Elizabeth Lord  
Dillon Michael Matelich  
Hope Nicole Mathis  
Carlee Brooke McCrary  
Annika Meyer  
Taylor Palor Mitchell  
Trinh My Nguyen  
Caleigh Ann Oglesby  
Gabrielle Elizabeth Owens

Lauren Christine Paul  
Kylee Payne  
Christianna Nicole Releford  
John Alan Rettig, Jr.  
Grace Rivet  
Luke Roger  
Farrah Taylor Stanfield  
Rachel Marie Stevenson  
Shiloh Rhianna Taylor  
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Roane Tidwell  
Baylie Jude Trahan  
Max Hayden Westgate  
Caleb James Whitman  
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Williams

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*Academic Honors Regalia*  
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- Blue and gold honor cords worn by graduating business students recognize membership in the **Beta Gamma Sigma** International Honor Society. This society recognizes outstanding academic achievement in collegiate business and management programs accredited by the Association to Advance Collegiate Schools of Business (AACSB - International). Selection for membership requires the student to be in the top 10% of the undergraduate business class.
- Light-blue honor cords with light-blue tassels worn by graduating seniors signify a **Senior Honors Scholar**. The student successfully completed 9 semester hours of Senior Honors courses, including a Senior Thesis, while maintaining a cumulative GPA of 3.3, reviewed annually.
- White and royal blue honor cords with white and royal blue tassels worn by graduating seniors signify an **Honors Scholar**. The student successfully completed 21 semester hours of Honors Program courses while maintaining a cumulative GPA of 3.3, reviewed annually.
- Medallions on blue ribbons worn by graduates signify membership in **Phi Kappa Phi**, National Honor Society. Membership includes all academic disciplines and is limited to the top 5% of the junior class and the top 10% of the senior class.
- Medallions worn by graduates signify membership in **Mortar Board** and indicate distinction for academic achievement as well as outstanding community and university service during their senior year.
- Gold satin stoles with blue embroidery worn by graduating seniors signify membership in the **Golden Key** National Honor Society. Membership is open to all academic disciplines and is limited to the top 15% of the junior and senior classes.
- Red and blue honor cords with multicolored tassels worn by graduates signify membership in **Phi Alpha Theta** History Honor Society. Membership is interdisciplinary and offered to those students who successfully completed 12 or more semester hours of history with a minimum 3.1 GPA, and maintained a minimum 3.00 cumulative GPA.
- White satin stoles embroidered with the orange Bent symbol worn by graduating engineering students recognize membership in **Tau Beta Pi** Engineering Honor Society. Selection for this honor is based on the student's engineering GPA being within the top one-eighth of all junior engineering students and within the top one-fifth in the senior year.
- Purple and gold honor cords with purple and gold tassels worn by graduating seniors signify membership in the **Phi Sigma Pi** Honor Fraternity. Membership is open to sophomores, juniors, and seniors from all academic disciplines and requires a minimum cumulative GPA of 3.0, reviewed annually.
- Black and gold honor cords worn by graduating seniors signify membership in the **Gamma Beta Phi** National Society, recognizing academic achievement, leadership, and community service. Membership is interdisciplinary and requires scholastic ranking within the top 20% of the senior class.
- Red and purple honor cords worn by graduates signify membership in **Alpha Epsilon Delta** National Pre-Medical Honor Society. Membership is open to all pre-health profession students who successfully complete five academic terms with a minimum 3.3 cumulative GPA, reviewed annually.
- Gold honor cords with blue and gold tassels worn by graduating seniors signify membership in the **Psi Chi** National Psychology Honor Society. Membership is open to all psychology students who successfully complete a minimum of 9 semester hours of psychology courses with a minimum 3.0 GPA, rank in the top 35% of their class in general scholarship, and maintain a 3.0 cumulative GPA.
- White pointed collars embroidered with the Bent symbol and the Greek letters XE, worn by selected engineering degree candidates, identify members of **Chi Epsilon** National Civil Engineering Honor Society. Membership is limited to civil engineering majors achieving a cumulative GPA placing them in the top 25% of the junior civil engineering class, and the top 33% of the senior civil engineering class.
- Bright red and gold honor cords worn by graduating business students identify members of **Beta Alpha Psi** National Honors Fraternity for Financial Information Professionals. Membership in the local Alpha Chi Chapter is limited to accounting majors achieving a cumulative GPA of 3.0 or a 3.25 GPA in the most recently completed 30 semester hours; Finance and Computer Information Systems majors with minors in Accounting require a cumulative GPA of 3.25.
- Cream and burgundy cords worn by selected degree candidates identify members of **Kappa Omicron Nu** National Honor Society for Human Ecology majors. Membership is open to students enrolled in the Human Ecology disciplines with at least a 3.0 cumulative GPA and ranked in the top 25 % of their class.
- White satin stoles worn by graduating engineers identify members of **Alpha Pi Mu** Industrial Engineering Honor Society. Members achieved a cumulative GPA placing them in the upper one-fifth of their junior class and upper one-third of their senior class.

- Blue satin stoles with the scholastic aviation symbol and the Greek letters ΗΜΣ, worn by aviation degree candidates, signify members of **Eta Mu Sigma**, the National Collegiate Aviation Honor Society. Membership is restricted to Professional Aviation and Aviation Management majors who achieved a 3.5 cumulative GPA as a junior or a 3.3 cumulative GPA as a senior.

- White satin stoles with a multicolored crest and the Greek letters ΙΙΤΣ, worn by graduating engineers, identify members of **Pi Tau Sigma** Honorary Mechanical Engineering Fraternity. Membership is limited to mechanical engineering majors achieving a cumulative GPA placing them in the top 25% of the junior mechanical engineering class and the top 35% of the senior mechanical engineering class.

- White satin stoles with a maroon crest and the gold Greek letters ΩΧΕ, worn by graduating engineers, identify members of **Omega Chi Epsilon** National Honor Society for Chemical Engineering. Membership is limited to chemical engineering majors achieving a cumulative GPA of 3.25 or the top 25% of the junior chemical engineering class, and 3.00 or the top 33% of the senior chemical engineering class.

- Navy blue and gold honor cords worn by graduating liberal arts seniors and graduate students identify membership in the Cast of **Alpha Psi Omega** National Honorary Theatre Society. This society recognizes outstanding academic and on- and off-stage performance achievements in areas of dramatic production. The student achieved a 3.2 cumulative GPA and an accumulated over 100 job rating system points based on work in various productions at Louisiana Tech University.

- Spanish gold and red cords worn by graduates identify members of Alpha Omega chapter of **Sigma Delta Pi** National Collegiate Hispanic Honor Society. Eligibility for membership is restricted to those students who have demonstrated a genuine interest in Hispanic people, their civilization, and thought through the achievement of a minimum GPA of 3.0 in 21 or more semester hours of Spanish, with at least one course in Spanish literature or culture at the junior or senior level, and rank in the upper 35% of the senior class.

- Violet, gold, and lavender cords worn by graduating seniors and graduate students signify membership in the **Pi Mu Epsilon** National Mathematics Honor Society. Membership is open to students of all disciplines with completion of three or more college mathematics courses including calculus (with a mathematics GPA of 4.0 and top 25% general class ranking) or two years of college mathematics including calculus (with a mathematics GPA of 3.5 and top 33% general class ranking). Graduate students will have met the same criteria as undergraduate candidates with a 3.0 GPA on mathematics work completed during the last school year prior to membership.

- Gold cords with blue and red tassels worn by graduating engineers identify members of **Eta Kappa Nu** National Electrical Engineering Honor Society. Membership is limited to electrical engineering juniors ranked in the top 25%, and seniors ranked in the top third of the EE class. Along with outstanding scholastic achievement, students must have demonstrated exemplary character and involvement in campus activities.

- Green and ivory cords worn by degree candidates identify members of **Sigma Pi Sigma** National Honor Society for Physics. Membership is open to all students ranked in the top third of his/her class in general scholarship, with a minimum 3.2 GPA for all physics courses attempted, of which at least three or more are applicable to the undergraduate degree in physics.

- Green and white satin stoles with a green embroidered conifer tree and the gold Greek letters ΞΣΠ, worn by graduating Foresters, identify the Alpha Phi chapter members of **Xi Sigma Pi** National Forestry Honor Society. Membership is by invitation to junior and senior forestry majors achieving a cumulative GPA that places them in the top 25% of their class and who exhibit strong moral character, honesty, hard work, and faithfulness.

- An honor cord of deep blue with a hint of red worn by degree candidates identifies members of **Pi Delta Phi** French Honor Society. The society's goal is to promote French and to recognize scholarship in the various disciplines and future teachers of America. Membership is open to French majors, French Education majors, and French minors with a 3.0 average in French and a minimum 2.8 GPA.

- Maroon and black honor cords worn by degree candidates identify Rho Gamma chapter members of **Sigma Tau Delta** International English Honor Society. Members are English majors or minors who have completed a minimum of 12 hours in English language or literature beyond the level of freshman composition, with a minimum 3.0 GPA in all English coursework, and a minimum 3.0 cumulative GPA in all coursework.

- Black and gold honor cords worn by degree candidates in Kinesiology signify membership in **Phi Epsilon Kappa** Fraternity, Eta Eta Chapter. Membership is open by invitation to undergraduate and graduate candidates in Kinesiology and requires a minimum 3.0 cumulative GPA.