

Saturday, May 18, 2024 • 9:30 a.m.

Hagerstown Community College
Athletic, Recreation and Community Center



COMMENCEMENT CEREMONY

	Prelude	Highland Cathedral I by Jeffrey Herbert
*	* Processional Pomp	o and Circumstance by Edward Elgar d by Jeffrey Herbert
*	* National Anthem	, .
	Greetings and Introductions	Or. James S. Klauber dent of the College
	Graduate Remarks	levaeh Horst-Wade HCC Class of 2024
	Faculty Message to the Graduates	Dr. Eric Schwartz ulty Assembly Chair
	Message from the Board of County Commissioners	• ,
	Message from the HCC Foundation BoardHCC Foundation	Laura Herrera on Board President
	Certification of the Graduates	
	Presentation of the Graduates	istine Ohl-Gigliotti Dean of Students
	Award and Conferral of Degrees and Certificates	Dr. James S. Klauber
	Closing Remarks	Dr. James S. Klauber
*	* Recessional	Scotland the Brave Traditional I by Jeffrey Herbert

* Those that are able should please stand.

Please remain seated until after the recessional.



Please scan this QR code to access an electronic version of the Commencement Ceremony program.

THE ACADEMIC COSTUME

The academic procession is one of the oldest traditions of colleges and universities throughout the world. The caps, gowns, and hoods which are seen in the procession of the commencement ceremony are an inheritance from the university scholar of the medieval time of more than six centuries ago.

During the rise of universities, the ordinary dress of the scholar, whether teacher or student, was the dress of a cleric or clerk. This dress, a long gown and sleeveless tunic or, in winter, a long full cloak to which a shoulder length cape was attached, has evolved into the present day academic wardrobe. Since many of the scholars of that time period were members of a monastic order, the attire may also represent a kind of ecclesiastical dress.

The colorful hood, which indicates the discipline and the institution conferring the degree, was originally worn over the head. During the 16th century, caps replaced the hood, and the hood was worn draped over the shoulder. As the caps became larger, they were stiffened with boards and evolved into the present day mortarboard. Today, the doctor's is the largest of the hoods and the associate's is the smallest. The silk lining of various colors in the center of the hood indicates the college or university which conferred the degree.

The tassel has evolved from a tuft on the top of the medieval scholar's skull cap. In current usage, tassels are black or another color indicating the field of learning. A gold bullion tassel denotes a doctoral degree.

Most colleges and universities in the United States have adopted the uniform code for costumes drafted by an intercollegiate commission in 1893. Each of the four academic degrees—associate, bachelor's, master's, and doctoral—has its own distinctive gown and hood. The associate's and bachelor's gown has a longer, more narrow, closed sleeve extending below the knee; the arm fits through a slit at the elbow. The master's gown has longer, closed sleeves with arm slits at the elbow. The doctor's gown has a full, bell-shaped sleeve trimmed with three bars of velvet. The velvet trim on the gown can be black or a color indicating the wearer's general field of learning—for example, green for medicine or purple for law. In addition, some select student groups will wear a stole and/or academic cord with their gown. Like the gown and hood, the stole and cord evolved from the clergy. The stole and cord indicate membership in an honors society, academic organization, or a specific HCC association as follows: Gold Cords and Gold Stoles - Phi Theta Kappa (National Honors Society), and Red, White and Blue Cords - U.S.A. Veteran.

Agriculture/Maize
Arts, Letters, Humanities/White
Business Administration/Drab
Dentistry/Lilac
Economics/Copper
Education/Light Blue
Engineering/Orange
Fine Arts, Architecture/Brown
Forestry/Russet

Home Economics/Maroon Journalism/Crimson Law/Purple Library Science/Lemon Medicine/Green Music/Pink Nursing/Apricot Oratory, Speech/Silver Gray Pharmacy/Olive Philanthropy/Rose
Philosophy/Dark Blue
Physical Education/Sage Green
Public Administration/Peacock Blue
Public Health/Salmon
Science/Golden Yellow
Social Work/Citron
Theology and Divinity/Scarlet
Veterinary Science/Gray

Graduation Honors

The associate degree is awarded with "high honor" to students with 50 percent of their total institutional college-level credit hours completed in their academic program at HCC, and who have earned a minimum cumulative grade-point average of at least 3.80. Students who earn a cumulative grade-point average of at least 3.50 and less than 3.80 and with 50 percent of their total institutional college-level credit hours completed in their academic program at HCC will be awarded the associate degree with "honor."

Graduation Requirements

Annual commencement ceremonies are held each May and are presided over by HCC's President. The commencement ceremony is a traditional academic service and signifies the completion of the degree or certificate being awarded. Students completing a degree or certificate program with 30 or more credits are eligible to participate in the commencement ceremony. Only students who have filed an application for graduation and have met all requirements will be permitted to participate in the ceremony.

ASSOCIATE DEGREE

Summer 2023

Akhad Alimov Alexis I. Bartlett Benjamin M. Bernatz Marlah Paige Bidle

- **Dominic Bolton** Karly Mae Bookheimer Alexandra E. Booth Bryson E. Brawner Morgan Lynn Browning Binita Chhetri Yaizeth Sthephany Chugden Gary W. Cline Spencer Ionathan Day Elena Caterina Della Mea Mia Gail Therese W. Demape Kayla L. Donnelly
- ♦ ♦ Michele Victoria Foutch **Emily Fuller** Kenedy B. Gardenhour Alexandra Paige Gibson

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- Melissa Olivia Gleeson Alberti Sarah Jean Griffith
- ♦ ♦ David Grimes Brittney Marie Grossnickle
- ♦ ♦ Rebecca Marie Hays Diego Alberto Hilares Leon Hailey Madison Huff Usman D. Hussain
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- Amber D. Kent Adrian Tay Khamphouy Breanna Lynn Kipe Susan Rebecca Lahr
- Emma G.-N. Lucas
- Hannah Mae Luhn Aaron Angelo Lutz Amber Mack lared Martinez-Sandoval Alexander I. McCauley Senora Mercer Austin T. Moffitt Brooke D. Neff Favor Okpali Nicholas Wayne Osborne Pari Patel Kevin Pickelman

- Ashlyn Grace Puffenberger Katelyn Mae Reeder Paige Madison Rice
- Brianna H. Rose lessica K. Sidler Emily Jane Slocum Candie L. Stefanko
- ♦ ♦ Keiana L. Stern Morgan Elizabeth Stoner Joanna Marie Swerczek Brianna M. Uphold Matthew Bryce Van Oenen Paauw Chloe Victoria Weaver
- Emerson R. Weedon Madison Elise Wetzel
- ♦ ♦ Ava Marie Willett Nicholas A. Wooster

Fall 2023

Wyatt P. Abe

- ♦ ♦ Kennedy K. Agbley Shimon Y. Aguayo Nathan J. Anderson Asia Anthony
- ♦ ♦ Logan Arch Antivi Sylvia Atchade Lindsey A. Bair Ion Edward Barger Kerstin Leila Beckham Norah B. Bidle Anna K. Blevins Ryan Bolger Tina Louise-Ramey Borchevski Angel Elizabeth Boyce Mathew D. Brady Hannah L. Brandes Shareem Kimberly Bright
- ♦ ♦ Ayden John Brunner-King
- ♦ ♦ Alexis R. Bugg Caitlin N. Butler Pamela Buzard
- Roadsney M. Ceballos Lopez Kareen T. Christie Robert Reese Cochran Tyrese Collazo
- Maureen E. Combs Stacey L. Cool
- Calissa A. Criswell Luis Eduardo Cuevas Joseph Daniel Curry Alyssa M. Dampf Kiana Jasmin Del Cid

- Abigail Rose Dillow Kaleb Dillow
- Kyle Pleas Preston Ellison Trista Ann Fahnestock Sydney L. Farrow Hayden John Gibson Alanna N. Gladhill Chloe E. Glattes Vanessa P. Gratkowski Keidra Greene
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- Song C. Lopez-Krist Madison Loving
- Angelique Elia Mason
- ♦ ♦ Christina A. Mauzy
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- Robert D. McBride Carlee Marie McNeal
- William H. Morrison Abdul M. Ndiaye
- Isabella Bianca Paraiso Michael Pare Hannah JoAnn Pillow Scott Eugene Powell
- ♦ ♦ Emma Madeline Price Morgan J. Rainville Autumn Sunshine Reynolds Cali Ricker Caira Vitug Rife
- Jose Jeremias Rivas Rivera Matthew Scott Robson Sydra Storm Royer

- Christopher C. Salazar Gordon Serpis
- Shawn Michael Sheppard
- Kayda D. Shives Ayanna Eliza Maitland-Small Arrick J. Smith Hailey C. Smith Laura A. Sobus Nicole M. Soriano Ayanna E. Small Rebecca Spring **Emily Stamper** Amanda Midgley Swope Christina Ann Taylor Annibelle Taylor Paule Andree Tientcheu Tchamgoue
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- Kim Ngan L. Tran
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- Jordan Watkins Jade A. Weedon Amber Marie Weyant
- Denise White Abigail N. Whittington
- **Bridget Williams**
- Eithne Kerri Jean Young

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- Makaala Ambush
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- ♦ ♦ Maha Arshad Stephen D. Arvay
- ♦ ♦ Summer Giles Auth Caleb Michael Baer Lauren A. Bair Deanna Elyse Ball
- ♦ ♦ Katelyn Joy Bard

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 Kathryn Mae Bere
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 Tionna C. Blake
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- Alicia Divens
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- Joseph Noubouossie
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- Alexandra Donald
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THE COLLEGE MACE



Original Mace Circa 1970

The college mace is a symbol that represents the authority of the institution to award academic credentials and serves as a reminder to those entrusted to serve under its sovereignty. The academic mace symbolizes the authority invested in the Office of the President by the school's governing body. At HCC, the mace is traditionally carried by the faculty member with the most years of service during graduation and academic honors ceremonies.

In the governmental realm, the mace has its roots in the Roman Empire. A mace is still used by the United Kingdom's House of Commons and United States House of Representatives. The history of the academic mace dates from the earliest days of the cathedral schools of Bologna, Paris, and Oxford. In those medieval times, a verger, who carried a long staff called a verge, led the religious processions through the crowd gathered inside the cathedral so the procession could make its way to the high altar. For academic institutions, the mace has become a symbol of authority and autonomy from outside entities.

The mace was designed by the College and created by a local craftsman from cherry and Osage orange woods. The Osage orange was harvested from one of the "hedge apple" trees located along the walkway between the Behavioral Sciences and Humanities Building and the Student Center on the HCC campus. The head of the mace holds a gold-plated bronze casting of the HCC seal.

The current mace replaces a mace that was created for Hagerstown Junior College, circa 1970, by two former students who served in Vietnam. When not in use, both maces reside in display cases near the President's Office in the Administration and Student Affairs Building.



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