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KAYSVILLE

**COMMENCEMENT
CEREMONY**

May 1, 2021

ACADEMIC HERALDRY

The history of academic heraldry reaches back into the early days of the university. A statute of 1321 required that all “Doctors, Licentiates and Bachelors” of the University of Columbia wear gowns. When American colleges and universities decided to adopt some suitable system of academic apparel, it seemed best to agree on one that all might follow. From a conference of various institutions’ board representatives held at Columbia University in 1895 came a code of academic dress for higher learning institutions in the United States, which most adopted.

GOWNS

The academic gown for the bachelor’s degree has pointed sleeves and is designed to be worn closed. Master’s degree gowns have an oblong sleeve, open at the wrist. The sleeve base hangs down in the traditional manner. The rear part of its oblong shape is square cut, and the front part has an arc cut away. It is designed this way so it can be worn open or closed. The gown for the doctoral degree has bell-shaped sleeves and may be worn open or closed.

COLORS

For all academic purposes, including trimming of doctoral gowns, edging of hoods and tassel of caps, the colors associated with the different academic disciplines are as follows:

- Agriculture, *Maize*
- Arts, *Brown*
- Business, *Drab*
- Education and Human Services, *Light Blue*
- Engineering, *Orange*
- Humanities and Social Sciences, *White*
- Natural Resources, *Russet*
- Science, *Gold-Yellow*
- School of Graduate Studies, *Black*
- Associate Degrees, *Black*
- Integrated Studies, *Black*

HOODS

Academic hoods are worn by recipients of advanced degrees. Master’s degree hoods are three-and-one-half feet in length and lined with the official color(s) of the college or university conferring the degree, which at Utah State University are navy blue and white, displayed in the heraldic chevron. The doctoral hood consists of a larger and longer assemblage of institutional color draped over the recipient’s shoulders, falling well down the back. The binding or edging of the hoods is of velvet or velveteen, three inches wide for the Master’s degree and five inches wide for the doctoral degree.

CAPS

Academic caps come in two forms: the traditional mortarboard (from Oxford) or square cap, and a soft cap that resembles an oversized beret (from Cambridge). The mortarboard used by Utah State University is worn with a tassel.

ACADEMIC PROCESSION

The commencement procession is composed of three divisions: (1) color guard, University President, Regents and the Board of Trustees, administrative officers and special guests; (2) the faculty; and (3) candidates for degrees.

UTAH STATE UNIVERSITY KAYSVILLE COMMENCEMENT CEREMONY

WELCOME

Jaron Smith
Director, USU Kaysville Center

“NATIONAL ANTHEM”

USU Chamber Singers
Directed by Dr. Cory Evans
Francis Scott Key, arranged by Kurt Bestor
Soloists: Katherine Van Shaar, Rachel Grob, and Danielle Casos

STUDENT SPEAKERS

Meghan Campbell
Nathan Webb

ADDRESS TO GRADUATES

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Director, USU Kaysville Center

GREETING TO GRADUATES

Jennifer Erickson
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CONFERRING OF DEGREES

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President

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Jaron Smith
Director, USU Kaysville Center

RECESSIONAL



JARON SMITH
DIRECTOR, UTAH STATE UNIVERSITY
KAYSVILLE CENTER

Commencement Speaker

Jaron came to USU Kaysville in July of 2020. He is a true aggie and completed his bachelor's degree in health education and promotion at the Logan campus. After graduation, Jaron participated in several international development programs in Peru, Fiji, and El Salvador. At the completion of those programs, he moved to Salt Lake. He began working for the Registrar at the University of Utah and pursued a Master's degree in educational leadership and policy. He then had the opportunity to support the students at the University of Utah's SJ Quinney College of Law as the Associate Director for Student Services. He couldn't pass up the opportunity to be an Aggie again, and he loves working at USU Kaysville.



MEGHAN CAMPBELL

Student Speaker

Meghan Campbell grew up in Park City, Utah, and currently lives in Mountain Green, Utah, with her three kids. She loves being their mom and adventuring in the Utah mountains and desert. Her other hobbies include writing, skiing, and trail running. Meg ran her first 100-mile ultramarathon a few years ago, during her first semester of graduate school. She describes it as "pretty rough," and it was clear she'd need to wait to pursue that distance until post-graduation. She's excited to attempt her second 100 miler this fall! Meghan has bachelor's degrees in psychology and elementary education and deaf education from Utah State University and has spent most of her professional career as an early childhood educator. She currently teaches kindergarten, and while she's not ready to leave that role quite yet, she also looks forward to working as a school counselor in the future!



NATHAN WEBB

Student Speaker

Nate Webb is originally from Blanding, Utah, and now lives in Tooele, Utah, with his wife Kim and two kids, Adam and Oliver. Nate is a high school counselor at Tooele High School and absolutely loves it. When he isn't at the high school, he is speaking at schools about bullying, resiliency, and the dangers of social media for kids. Helping save kids is his passion, and he feels blessed he's able to do that. Now that he has graduated, he plans to continue to work as a professional school counselor at Tooele High School.

2021 CANDIDATES FOR GRADUATION

Names listed in this program do not constitute graduation.

CERTIFICATE

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Clifton Williamson
Alec Winegar
Maddux Youngman

The quality of performance in academic work enables those indicated to be graduates with distinction:

++High Honors..... grade point average of 3.75 to 4.00
+Honors..... grade point average of 3.50 to 3.74

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***Magna Cum Laude.....grade point average of 3.80 to 3.94*

**Cum Laude.....grade point average of 3.50 to 3.79*

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