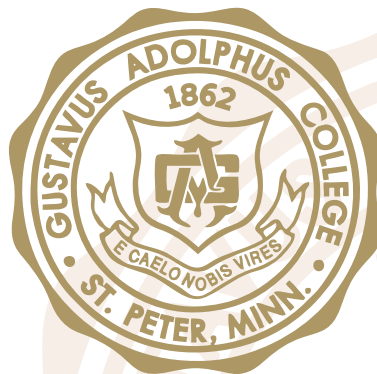


GUSTAVUS ADOLPHUS COLLEGE

one hundred and sixty-third academic year
**COMMENCEMENT
EXERCISES 2025**



SUNDAY, MAY 4 | 2 P.M. | LUND CENTER

THE 163RD ACADEMIC YEAR
COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES 2025

Processional (Please stand as you are able.)

Commencement Student Ensemble
Brady Krusemark '05, MM, conductor

Pomp and Circumstance No. 1

Sir Edward Elgar (1857–1934)

Welcome

Marcia Page '82
Chair, Board of Trustees

Invocation

The Rev. Dr. Grady St. Dennis '92
Executive Chaplain and Associate Vice President for Mission

Introductions

Rebecca M. Bergman
President of the College

Senior Commencement Address

Victor Solano '25
Representing the Class of 2025

Remarks

President Bergman

Presentation of the Class of 2025

Brenda Kelly, PhD
Provost and Dean of the College

Degree Conferral

President Bergman

**Announcement of Candidates
and Presentation of Diplomas**

Provost Kelly,
Charlie Potts '01, EdD
Dean of Students, and the Faculty

Please hold applause until all members of the class have been announced.
Program order following presentation of diplomas continues on page 12.

THE CLASS OF 2025

CANDIDATES FOR THE BACHELOR'S DEGREE

A note on the granting of degrees: Inclusion in this publication should not be construed as official documentation of completion of degree requirements. Certification of the conferral of a degree is by notation of the degree on the transcript noting the date of degree completion.

Noah Akram Abdullahi	Individualized Studies	Addison Beach	Psychological Science
Maria Grace Aberle	Chemistry	Ellen Susan Becken	Exercise Physiology;
Mineya Isabel Afa	Communication Studies		Psychological Science
Merced Aguilar Marin	Spanish; Latin American, Latinx, & Caribbean Studies	Isaac Lewis Becker	Business Management
		Egan Connolly Bedwell	Biochemistry & Molecular Biology; Biology
Emily Renee Ahrens	Nursing	Erin Ruby Beer	Biology
Zoya Akhtar	Psychological Science; Mathematics	Isabel Kathleen Bennett	Computer Science
		Emily Elizabeth Bentz	Nursing
Mumtaaz A. Ali	Psychological Science	Mackenzie Nicole Bergen	Communication Arts/ Literature Teaching
Abigail Nataly Alvarado Morales	Latin American, Latinx, & Caribbean Studies; Psychological Science		Business Management
		Titichhya Bhandari	Statistics
Fletcher Anderson	Music	Brady Robert Sullivan Biehn	
Harriet Anderson	Psychological Science	Adam Ellis Biewen	Statistics
Ryne Anderson	Business Management	Ella Binfet	Public Accounting
Bryn Archambault	Computer Science; History	Kaelan Bisset	Scandinavian Studies
		Rachel Lauren Black	Biology
Abby Louise Arp	Nursing	Kayla Marie Bluhm	Public Accounting
Elisabeth Jean Artley	Political Science; History	Nana Akua Brago	Economics
Christian Wilbur Ash	English; Economics	Boakye Agyemang	
Audrey Marilyn Atkins	Elementary Education	Ella Marie Bobrowski	Nursing
Payton Michelle Ausetth	Statistics	Amelia Rose Boerger	Music Education; Music with Honors; Spanish
Carter Bach	Sociology & Anthropology		Biology
Gabriella Vera Bacigalupo	Biology; Biology/Life Science Teaching	Sara Louise Borchard	Political Science with Honors; Peace, Justice, & Conflict Studies
		Kaylee Marie Bosma	
Marisa Bacon	Psychological Science; English		
Ursula Ione Bader	Psychological Science; Communication Studies	Hannah Elyse Brenke	Biology
		Kelley Dawn Brennan	Health & Physical Education
Samuel Joseph Baker	Management		
Elaina Rae Zhu Ballard	Scandinavian Studies; Psychological Science	Sam Wilson Brenner	Physics
		Claire Rose Brings	Biochemistry & Molecular Biology; Latin Language
Lindsay Marian Bangs	Psychological Science		Psychological Science
Kylie Baranick	Public Accounting	Michael Broad	
Ashley Elizabeth Barker	Chemistry	Tatum Marie Brostrom	Nursing
Charles Edward Barnick	Accounting	Brian Christopher Brown	Biology
Ellie Marie Barringer	Communication Studies	Sophia Nicole Brown	Political Science

Willa Grace Brown English; Art Studio
Jordan Anthony Buche English
Kaitlyn Melissa Buckingham Elementary Education
Hannah Marie Bump Elementary Education
Jenna Grace Bunker Communication Studies
Madeline Lee Burton Elementary Education
Scott K. Bushard Psychological Science
Brendan Carlson Business Management
David Olaf Carlson Chemistry
Katherine Grace Carlson Exercise Physiology; Sport Management
Logan Leeroy Norman Carlson Health & Physical Education Teaching
Matthew Charles Carlson Biochemistry & Molecular Biology
Jonah Marshall Carroll Biology
Lakesha Lashay Carter Nursing
Luke Casey Psychological Science with Honors; Spanish
Mateo Castro Latin American, Latinx, & Caribbean Studies
Kaylee Nicole Cephress Biology
Madeline Rae Chaplin Biochemistry & Molecular Biology
Avery Mae Chatfield Elementary Education
Joshua Christensen Nursing
Audrey Lynn Christiansen Biology
Andrew Wayne Clark Music Education; Music with Honors
Nathan Lantian Cole-Dai Chemistry; Environmental Studies
Erin Riker Coleman Physics with Honors; Mathematics with Honors
Anders Christian Coltvet Public Accounting
Jonathan Edward Baremore Cordano History; Japanese Studies
Javier Cordova Nursing
Jacob Coulimore Exercise Physiology
Kainen Craig Biology
Aidan Edward Criner Sociology & Anthropology
Adison Rebecca Dack Nursing
Greta Ann Dahlen Biochemistry & Molecular Biology; Psychological Science

Harper Lesley Daire Sociology & Anthropology; Spanish
Stanislav Danaev Public Accounting; Computer Science
Sarah Darby Psychological Science
Mary Jane Davenport Physics; Mathematics
Rafael de Camargo Costa Public Accounting; Computer Science
Isabella Joy Delaney Geography; Environmental Studies
Isabella Rose Delwiche Communication Arts/Literature Teaching
Alexandra Cecelia Appel Scandinavian Studies
Densmore
Kalissa Dierks Sociology & Anthropology
Alex G. Dillon Geology with Honors
Tanner Domschot Economics
Ellen Josephine Dow History; Scandinavian Studies
Patrick Finnegan Dowling Communication Studies
Olivia Elizabeth Duraine Accounting
Abby Elliott Exercise Physiology
Benjamin James Elofson Music
Jillian Elton Communication Studies; Business Management
Jacob Ennis Business Management; Environmental Studies
Olivia Ruth Erhardt Music
Samantha Jean Erickson History; Classical Languages
Yeabsira Alemu Esayas Nursing
Maxwell Donald Everett Music; Biology
Allison Rebekah Fajt Business Management
Ava Margaret Farrell Chemistry
Corinne Ellen Fastrup Biology
William Kylar Fenton Computer Science
Filmon Ghebru Computer Science
Fesshatsion
Elizabeth Fischer Biology; Environmental Studies
Michael Kenrick Fitch Business Management
Zander Kierian Public Accounting
FitzSimmons
Kendall Arleen Flesch Environmental Studies
Brooke Amelia Foley Psychological Science

Emma Elise Forsyth	Environmental Studies; Dance	Liam Gulaid	Psychological Science; Communication Studies
Tennessee Joshua Alan Fossen	Financial Economics	Elise O'Neill Gunderson	Biology
Odin Fouchier	Computer Science	Cameron Elizabeth Guy	Nursing
Tayden Fredericks	Social Studies Teaching	Brooke Haddorff	Public Accounting
Brynn Ashley Froelich	Nursing	Sydney Louise Hagen	Mathematics Teaching; Mathematics
Alexys Fuerstenberg	Nursing	Olivia Louise Haines	Elementary Education
Blake Andrew Fuller	Business Management	Gabriella Hamvas	Biology
Maiya Caelan Furlong	Nursing	Rose Han	Environmental Studies; Art Studio
Erica Lynn Gaebe	Spanish	Linnea Grace Hanson	Biology
Elise Andrae Gahart	Sociology & Anthropology; Dance	Mya Jeanne Hanson	English; Art Studio
Samantha Jordan Gardow	Exercise Physiology; Chemistry	Peyton Stewart Hanson	Biology
Marco Antonio Garibay	Business Management; Music	Isaac William Shay Hartman	Public Accounting
Megan Elysha Geraets	Chemistry Teaching; Chemistry	Erik David Haugland	Business Management
Cecilia Ruby Gerlach	Mathematics	William Levi Hawkins	Physics
Emelia Rose Gifford	Psychological Science	Brooke Marie Hayes	Public Accounting
Alison Iris Gilles	Biology	Kyle Heffron	Exercise Physiology
Lydia Eileen Gillis	Environmental Studies; Geography with GIS	Wren Heiman	Theater
Joseph Gimberlin	Business Management	Allison Held	Elementary Education
Ty Glaser	Biology	Abigail Kay Helgersen	Political Science; Psychological Science; Peace, Justice, & Conflict Studies
Ella Lee Godfredson	Exercise Physiology	Sam Hendrickson	Biology; Classical Languages
Brevin Goetz	Nursing	Carter Henning	Chemistry
Gabriel Gohman	Communication Studies; Philosophy	Lucie Marie Henrich	Exercise Physiology; Psychological Science
Lily Eli Goloh	Computer Science	Erika Marie Henrichs	Elementary Education
Jacob David Goman	Exercise Physiology	Nicholas Andrew Hentges	Accounting with Finance
Tony Michael Gonsior	Psychological Science	Kayla Herda	Psychological Science
Andrew Scott Gotziaman	Computer Science	Mary Margaret Hergott	Psychological Science
Allison Sierra Graff	Business Management	Nelson Herrera	Philosophy; Psychological Science
Hannah Gray	Biology	Samuel Michael Hested	Health & Physical Education
Ethan Lyle Greenfield	Financial Economics	Brandon J. Hicks	French; Latin American, Latinx, & Caribbean Studies
Tysen Jacob Grehn	Business Management	Cameron Thomas Hill	Environmental Studies
Lillian Grim	Individualized Studies; English	Nyden Forssman Hill	Financial Economics
Gabrielle M. Gromacki	Business Management; Health & Physical Education		
Andrew James Guetzkow	Business Management		

Taryn Tao-Hwa Hillerud	Mathematics; Statistics	Cooper George Jorgensen	Computer Science
Thomas Michael Hiniker	Business Management	Lucas Jorgenson	Accounting
Sydne Jalin Hintermeister	Communication Studies; Spanish	Leo Kampen	Computer Science
Marena J. Hinz	Biology	Theodore S. Kaste	Business Management
Tegan Hirman	History; Gender, Women, & Sexuality Studies	Rachel Lee Kawiecki	Exercise Physiology
Noah Paul Hoffman	Physics	Grace Kearney	Mathematics with Honors; Educational Studies
Jenna Marie Hogstad	Biology; Business Management	Alexander Joseph Petersen	Political Science; Philosophy
Benjamin Michael Holden	Psychological Science	Keasler	Computer Science
Kaitlyn Marie Holland	Nursing	Mikyas Kebede	Public Accounting
Tanner Kendall Hopkins	Business Management	Dawson David Kellen	Communication Studies; Spanish
Anna G. Hoppe	Environmental Studies	Morgan Eileen Kelly	Environmental Studies
Lily Kay Horsch	Biology	Emma Delaney Kelsey	Elementary Education
Abby Housker	English; Environmental Studies	Brady Dalton Kienitz	Elementary Education
Darius Howard	Exercise Physiology	Grace Victoria Kinkeade	Biology
Emily Rebecca Howard	Elementary Education	Emma Linnea Kirk	Scandinavian Studies; Art History
Linnea Marie Howie	English	Jacob Klug	Economics
Makenna Marie Huetten	Mathematics; Mathematics Teaching	Julia Knudson	Nursing
Amanda Jo Hukee	History; Sociology & Anthropology	Jorge Eduardo Kelly	Business Management; Spanish
Synnove Elyse Hunnes	Physics	Koenen	English
Ewan Alexander Hupka	Environmental Studies	Clare Summers Koll	Financial Economics; Sports Management
Marit Kersey Isaacson	Geography with GIS; Spanish	Artem Korolev	Music with Honors; Business Management
Olivia Ann Jahnke	Nursing	Chance Mae Korpela	Communication Arts/ Literature Teaching
Andrew Yorick Jensen	Physics; Peace, Justice, & Conflict Studies	Aubrey Ann Kusters	Biology
Alex Eliot Johnson	Statistics	Ava Francesca Kraemer	Economics
Alexander Dennis Johnson	Biochemistry & Molecular Biology	Polly Joyce Kritzeck	Economics; Sociology & Anthropology
Alexandra Elizabeth Johnson	Nursing	Jack Arthur Kubitz	Nursing
Jonah K. Johnson	Religion	Cloe Jo Kuehl	Psychological Science
Landon Johnson	Physics; Mathematics; Statistics	Zechariah Muomaalme Kyoore	Environmental Studies
Tsuko Margaret Johnson	Peace, Justice, & Conflict Studies	Callista LaMott	Environmental Studies
Conner James Graner Jones	Economics	Cole LaPlante	Nursing
Hayden Peter Jones	Computer Science	Luke Ryan Larkoski	Communication Studies
Emily Mirako Jono	Nursing	Nathan Nhat Le	Business Management; Biology
		Ellen Marie Leach	Biology
		Lily Wuyin Leahy	

Hanna Rose Lee	History; Peace, Justice, & Conflict Studies	Jacob Jason Metzger	Biology
Raiey Tekle Legesse	Nursing	Taona Mhwandagara	Business Management
Lukas Lennartson	Theater; Dance	Marlys Elizabeth Michaud	Biology
Simon Bjorklund Leonard	Computer Science	Aiden Calvin Fox Mikla	Physics
Rachel Denise Lester	Biology	Grace Jordan Miller	Communication Arts/ Literature Teaching
Ryan Lester	Biology	Lauren Marie Miller	Exercise Physiology
Oliver Leupold	Financial Economics	Hiyori Miyagi	Business Management
Dane Lewandowski	Geography with GIS	Kyoka Miyake	Political Science; Peace, Justice, & Conflict Studies
Sam Lewis	Computer Science	Calvin Moeller	Psychological Science with Honors
Megan Ruth Lipke	Art Studio; History	Nicholas Mohs-Messerli	Business Management
Kaelyn Alexis LoBalbo	Art Studio; Peace, Justice, & Conflict Studies	Brianna Monahan	Biology
Cameron Longie	Financial Economics	Anne Galvin Monroe	Physics; Mathematics
Lilly Elizabeth Lopez	Psychological Science	Jocelyn Mae Morningstar	Psychological Science; Philosophy
Jake Lucas	Public Accounting	William Nagel	Computer Science
Natasha Ludington	Psychological Science	Jack Blair Nelson	Psychological Science
Corey Lundgren	Computer Science	Joshua Newman	Music Education; Music with Honors
Peighton Lynskey	Exercise Physiology	Marcus Vinh Nguyen	Philosophy; Japanese Studies
Lauren Elizabeth Maas	Exercise Physiology	Audrey Irene Nistler	Financial Economics
Alexander Scott MacLean	Music	Cole Gene Nolte	Music Education; Music with Honors
Paige Katherine Madson	Elementary Education	Delaney Elizabeth Nordos	Biology
Nazid Afnan Mahin	Business Management	Adam Nordquist	Statistics
Aubrey Lynn Mair	Exercise Physiology	Jenna Jo Norgaard	English
Samuel Chase Malecha	Business Management	Samuel Owen Norsted	Biology
Amira Kay Mallet	Psychological Science	Mugisho Ntibonera	Theater
Sydney Mancini	Environmental Studies	Richard Nyankson	Computer Science
Ryan Emmett Manly	Public Accounting	Greta Kristine Nyberg	Political Science
Katherine Elizabeth Markert	Exercise Physiology	Teig McNallan O'Kelly	Communication Studies
Christopher Charles Marlatt	Computer Science	Eric Oberstar	Political Science; Philosophy
Dana C. Marquis	Dance	Jordan Oelkers	Communication Studies
Logan James Salfer	Chemistry	Eli Robert Olson	Biology
Marzinske		Wyatt Olson	Accounting
Herve Matabaro	Business Management	Anna Omdal	Environmental Studies
Julia Lynn Mateski	Biology	Bryan Dean Orcutt	Environmental Studies
Abigail Marie McCready	Biology	Elizabeth Orth	Psychological Science; Communication Studies
Grace Katherine McFarlane	Biochemistry & Molecular Biology	Elizabeth Clare Orton	Communication Studies; Peace, Justice, & Conflict Studies
Emily Grace McKay	Elementary Education		
Jullian Meier	Sociology & Anthropology		
Cosette Marie Melton	Psychological Science;		
Hanily	Art Studio		
Arya Jean Menk	Physics; Music		

Yeboah Peacebridge Osei	Computer Science	Gabriela Grace Rodriguez	Biology; Environmental Studies
Ronard Kwesi Pabi	Physics	Peyton Sussanna Rodriquez	Nursing
Melissa Denise Pardock	Japanese Studies; Political Science	Carson Joseph Roehl	Mathematics
Jaemin Park	Business Management; Psychological Science	Lily Marie J Dianne Roehrick	Communication Arts/Literature Teaching
Elinor Ruth Parry	Psychological Science; Spanish	Tomas Rohrborn	Business Management
Jacob Thomas Partington	Health & Physical Education Teaching	Adyson Jo Roman	Elementary Education
Callie R. Patraw	Mathematics; Mathematics Teaching	Abigail Rose Ronnebaum	Business Management
Will Pelto	Financial Economics	Luke Rooker	Health & Physical Education Teaching
Carson Zachary Pender	Nursing	Avery Rowan	Exercise Physiology
Katherine Rae Petersen	Business Management	Júlia Rowe Camargo	English
Julia Peterson	Music Education; Music with Honors	Breeley M. Ruble	Communication Studies
Quoc Cuong Pham	Computer Science	Markus James Rupnow	Social Studies Teaching
Petr Philippov	Business Management	Jessica Nicole Ruud	Business Management
Amelia Paige Pluth	Chemistry	Kelsi Jo Rygg	Chemistry
Tobias Benjamin Polley	Psychological Science with Honors; Philosophy	Jack Henry Saetveit	Ancient Greek Studies; Music
Kirstin Nicolene Poppen	Physics	Emily An Sagstetter	Biology; Psychological Science
Nicole Elizabeth Post	Biology; Psychological Science	George Sandven	Accounting
Allison M. Power	Biochemistry & Molecular Biology	Caroline Marie Sauer	Elementary Education
Audrey Power Theisen	English; Art History	Addison JoAnne Schloo	Environmental Studies; Biology
Michael Roland Prosch	Biology; Spanish	Megan Mary Schmid	Biology
Sydney Jaye Prowse	Mathematics; Computer Science	Allison Jane Schmidt	Chemistry Teaching; Chemistry
Amelia Ryan Qualey	Chemistry	Breeana Schmidt	Music; History
Solomon Mercer Quayle	Music; Theatre	Joseph Perry Schmidt	Exercise Physiology
Megan Katherine Rands	Business Management	Levi Schmidt	Public Accounting
Tanner Redner	Mathematics	Megan Elizabeth Schmiechen	Psychological Science
Aaron B. Reichard	Nursing	Brady Michael Schmitz	Business Management
Jack Reinardy	Financial Economics	Claire Ellen Schoonmaker	French with Honors; Mathematics
Frija Jude Ann Reinert	Computer Science; Philosophy	Kobi Cassidy Grace Schuck	Business Management
Joseph Sullivan Ricker	Environmental Studies; Psychological Science	Samuel Robertson Schulze	Biology; Environmental Studies
Sunny Rijal	Business Management	Gabriella Nicole Schwakopf	Dance; Geography
Carlos Robles Ortiz	Spanish; Latin American, Latinx, & Caribbean Studies	McKenzie Schwarz	Biology; Environmental Studies

Lillian Louise Selberg	Exercise Physiology	Anders Taylor	History
Nabin K. Shahi	Statistics	Parker Anderson Tewes	Environmental Studies
Hunter Lee Sheehan	Business Management	Jackson Michael Thielen	Accounting with Finance
Luke Jeffrey Siegle	Communication Studies;		
	Financial Economics	Grace Ann Thompson	Nursing
Cristina Sirbu	Individualized Studies;	Gabrielle S. Tompkins	Psychological Science;
	Eastern European &		Sociology &
	Eurasian Studies;		Anthropology
	Philosophy	Minh N. Tran	Business Management
Blair Linne Smith	Psychological Science	Rachel Marie Trebesch	Biochemistry & Molecular
Brynn Sawyer Smith	Public Accounting		Biology
Lauren Elizabeth Smith	Psychological Science	Sophia Anne Trenary	Psychological Science;
Tyler David Smith	Public Accounting		Music
Peter Isaac Snyder	Public Accounting; Music	Jac Robert Triemert	Computer Science
Victor Solano	Biochemistry & Molecular	Maria Idalia Trochez	Psychological Science
	Biology	Ama Tuffour	Economics
Marco Antonio Sommer	Management;	Jackson Laddie Turner	Health & Physical
Siviero	Communication Studies		Education; Sport
Karly Lynn Sorensen	Exercise Physiology		Management
Reese Elizabeth Sprow	History	Lydia Marie Turnquist	Sociology & Anthropology
Noah Nash Stageberg	Exercise Physiology	Mayssa Lee Tweet	Nursing
Alexander Keith Staples	Biochemistry & Molecular	Brooklyn Courtney	Business Management
	Biology	Curtis Ullrich	
Emily Ruth Staska	Spanish	Bella Anne Van Den	Psychological Science;
Dane Stensland	Computer Science	Heuvel	Philosophy
Emma Jean Stock	Biology	Alex Vandereide	Nursing
Gavin Christopher	Exercise Physiology	Vincent Anthony	Communication Studies
Stodden		VanHatten	
Zachary James Stordahl	Physics	Raquel Marie Vaughn	English; Gender, Women,
Taylor Bryn Storlien	Classical Languages;		& Sexuality Studies
	English	Mitchel J. Veith	Communication Studies
Tyler Leo Stursa	Nursing	Dylan John Vilt	Business Management;
Jack Ryan Suchy	Business Management		Sport Management
Anna Grace Swanson	Theater	Abigail Satterlee Vizenor	Communication Studies
Jack Logan Swanson	Psychological Science	Tanner Vogel	Accounting
Spencer David Swanson	Management	Lauren D. Waldroff	Elementary Education
Jennifer Allison	Accounting	Zoe Evelyn Walker	Physics; Scandinavian
Swearingen			Studies
Robert Dale Swenson	Computer Science;	Cade Wallin	Nursing
	Philosophy	Kailyn Marie Walukas	Mathematics with Honors
Bryn Swiston	Political Science with	Thomas James Warnke	Computer Science
	Honors; Latin American,	Annika Weber	Communication Studies
	Latinx, & Caribbean Studies	Salem Teklu Weldegebriel	Computer Science
Alaina Syverson	Management	Alexis Wendlandt	Statistics
Mollie Marie Taft	Exercise Physiology	Ryan R. Wersal	Social Studies Teaching

Macey Ann Whitlock	Geology; Peace, Justice, & Conflict Studies
Dana Whitson	Japanese Studies
Kaisa Elisabeth Almén Whittaker	Geology with Honors; Scandinavian Studies
Connor Andrew Wiberg	Exercise Physiology
Maria Kristiana Widen	Biology; Psychological Science
Evan Callaway Wicker	Exercise Physiology
Brooklyn Keller Williamson	Environmental Studies; Philosophy
Hannah Wirth	Biology
Madison Elizabeth Wishart	Exercise Physiology
Mikayla RaNay Witte	Psychological Science
Andrew Wollak	Business Management
Gretta Michelle Wood	Psychological Science; History
Victoria Madelynn Zachman	Exercise Physiology; Religion
Jack Zammit	Computer Science
Madeline Grace Ziegler	Exercise Physiology
Abbye Mae Ziemer	Chemistry; Biochemistry & Molecular Biology
Emma Lynn Ziesemer	Spanish; Latin American, Latinx, & Caribbean Studies
Jaina Katherine Zillinger	Art Studio

Musical Selection

The Remember Song

Traditional

(Sung by Abby McCready '25, *soprano*, Clare Kroll '25, *alto*,
Vincent VanHatten '25, *tenor*, and Joshua Newman '25, *bass*)

Charge to the Class

President Bergman

Presentation of the 2025 Edgar M. Carlson Award for Distinguished Teaching

Martin Lang '95, PhD
Associate Professor of Communication Studies

Closing

Chair Page

Blessing

The Rev. Dr. Grady St. Dennis '92

College Song

Alma Mater (1917)

Lyrics: John Helmer Olson, Class of 1919
Music: August Waldemar Anderson

(Led by Joshua Newman '25)

Gustavus Adolphus, remember thy past!
Let songs of thy triumphs be borne on the blast.
O'er prairie and mountain forever let fame
Carve runes of thy glory, thy deeds, 'round thy name.
Gustavus Adolphus, stand firm in the fight;
Plant proudly thy banner on victory's height!

Thrice hail! Alma Mater! Thy children are true.
We love thee, forever our love we renew.
We stand by thy standard, our phalanx is strong.
Thy battle: our battle, Gustavus, live long!
Gustavus Adolphus, stand firm in the fight;
Plant proudly thy banner on victory's height!

Recessional

The Gustie Rouser (1901)

Adapted from the trio section of "The Billboard March"
John N. Klohr (1869–1956)

Participants

Faculty Marshals:

Richard Leitch, Associate Professor of Political Science
Jeff Dahlseid, Assistant Professor of Biochemistry and Molecular Biology

Student Honor Marshals:

Christopher Gutuza '26, Taylor Kothenbeutel '26, Ben Larkin '28,
and Dasha Shyroka '27

Commencement Student Ensemble:

Bassoon: Will Schmidt | Euphonium: Drew Lyford
Clarinet: Caelyn DeSotel, Jaxon Jones, Mikey Sauza | Oboe: Abby Clasemann, Forrest Olson
Flute: Jenna Piepkorn | Flute/Piccolo: Paige Davidson | Trumpet: Noah Lawrence, Hudson Nichols
Horn: Laurel Connett, McKenna Whitney, Roman Willenbring | Trombone: Elizabeth Harshman, Zach Mangan
Saxophone: Will Carrington, Dylan Halom, Aidan Hansen, Chloe Lee
Percussion: Xander Barnd, Brooke Howell, Aidon Huck

ACADEMIC HONORS

Summa Cum Laude (cumulative GPA of 3.900 and above)

Emily Renee Ahrens
Zoya Akhtar
Harriet Anderson
Audrey Marilyn Atkins
Marisa Bacon
Elaina Rae Zhu Ballard
Ellen Susan Becken
Rachel Lauren Black
Amelia Rose Boerger
Sara Louise Borchard
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Tatum Marie Brostrom
Luke Casey
Nathan Lantian Cole-Dai
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Mary Jane Davenport
Rafael de Camargo Costa
Isabella Joy Delaney
Ellen Josephine Dow
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Jillian Elton
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Brooke Amelia Foley
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Hannah Gray
Brooke Haddorff
Sydney Louise Hagen
Gabriella Hamvas

Mya Jeanne Hanson
Wren Heiman
Allison Held
Carter Henning
Lucie Marie Henrich
Erika Marie Henrichs
Nyden Forssman Hill
Taryn Tao-Hwa Hillerud
Jenna Marie Hogstad
Abby Housker
Makenna Marie Huetten
Marit Kersey Isaacson
Olivia Ann Jahnke
Morgan Eileen Kelly
Emma Delaney Kelsey
Clare Summers Koll
Chance Mae Korpela
Callista LaMott
Lily Wuyin Leahy
Hanna Rose Lee
Rachel Denise Lester
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Kaelyn Alexis LoBalbo
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Sydney Mancini
Julia Lynn Mateski
Abigail Marie McCready
Grace Katherine McFarlane
Grace Jordan Miller
Kyoka Miyake
Jocelyn Mae Morningstar
Cole Gene Nolte
Delaney Elizabeth Nordos
Jenna Jo Norgaard
Bryan Dean Orcutt
Elizabeth Clare Orton
Ronard Kwesi Pabi

Jacob Thomas Partington
Julia Peterson
Audrey Power Theisen
Amelia Ryan Qualey
Frija Jude Ann Reinert
Joseph Sullivan Ricker
Gabriela Grace Rodriguez
Markus James Rupnow
Jessica Nicole Ruud
Jack Henry Saetveit
Emily An Sagstetter
Caroline Marie Sauer
Addison JoAnne Schloo
Megan Elizabeth Schmiechen
Brady Michael Schmitz
Claire Ellen Schoonmaker
Cristina Sirbu
Blair Linne Smith
Brynn Sawyer Smith
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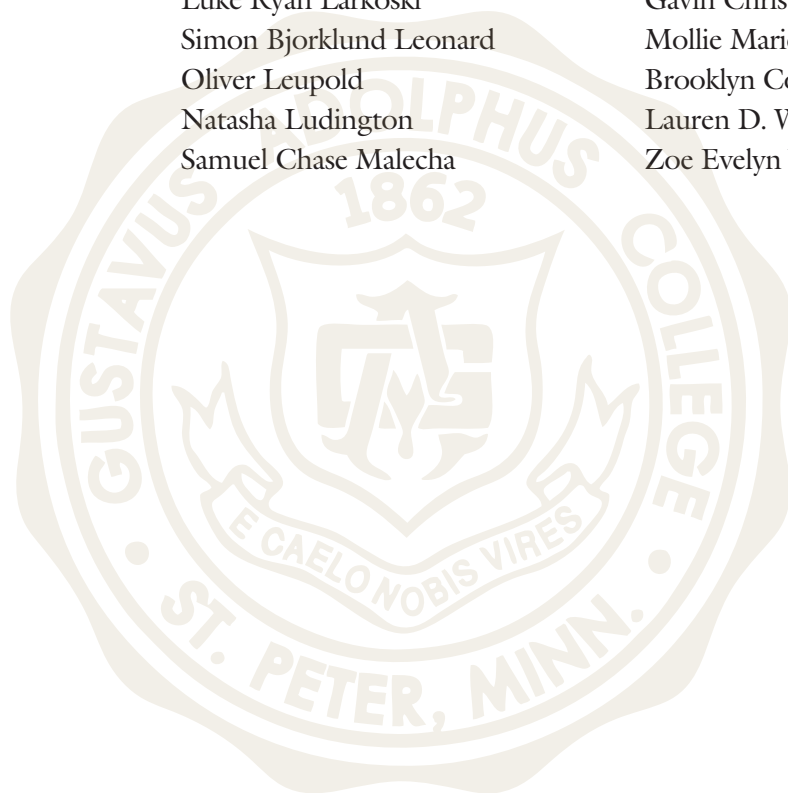
Magna Cum Laude (cumulative GPA of 3.700–3.899)

Mumtaaz A. Ali	Allison Sierra Graff	Eric Oberstar
Fletcher Anderson	Ethan Lyle Greenfield	Jordan Oelkers
Bryn Archambault	Lillian Grim	Jaemin Park
Payton Michelle Auseth	Elise O'Neill Gunderson	Elinor Ruth Parry
Gabriella Vera Bacigalupo	Rose Han	Callie R. Patraw
Ursula Ione Bader	Mary Margaret Hergott	Tobias Benjamin Polley
Lindsay Marian Bangs	Sydne Jalin Hintermeister	Kirstin Nicolene Poppen
Kylie Baranick	Tegan Hirman	Sydney Jaye Prowse
Egan Connolly Bedwell	Benjamin Michael Holden	Tanner Redner
Mackenzie Nicole Bergen	Amanda Jo Hukee	Adyson Jo Roman
Brady Robert Sullivan Biehn	Synnové Elyse Hunnes	Luke Rooker
Adam Ellis Biewen	Alexander Dennis Johnson	Avery Rowan
Ella Marie Bobrowski	Jonah K. Johnson	Kelsi Jo Rygg
Claire Rose Brings	Landon Johnson	Allison Jane Schmidt
Brian Christopher Brown	Emily Mirako Jono	Breana Schmidt
Sophia Nicole Brown	Rachel Lee Kawiecki	Levi Schmidt
Willa Grace Brown	Alexander Joseph Petersen Keasler	Luke Jeffrey Siegle
Hannah Marie Bump	Mikyas Kebede	Lauren Elizabeth Smith
Madeline Lee Burton	Grace Victoria Kinkeade	Peter Isaac Snyder
Matthew Charles Carlson	Aubrey Ann Kusters	Marco Antonio Sommer Siviero
Madeline Rae Chaplin	Ava Francesca Kraemer	Dane Stensland
Joshua Christensen	Jack Arthur Kubitz	Emma Jean Stock
Audrey Lynn Christiansen	Ellen Marie Leach	Robert Dale Swenson
Andrew Wayne Clark	Raiey Tekle Legesse	Anders Taylor
Anders Christian Coltvét	Lukas Lennartson	Parker Anderson Tewes
Jonathan Edward Baremore	Lilly Elizabeth Lopez	Gabrielle S. Tompkins
Cordano	Jake Lucas	Sophia Anne Trenary
Javier Cordova	Paige Katherine Madson	Maria Idalia Trochez
Isabella Rose Delwiche	Ryan Emmett Manly	Bella Anne Van Den Heuvel
Samantha Jean Erickson	Katherine Elizabeth Markert	Raquel Marie Vaughn
Yeabsira Alemu Esayas	Cosette Marie Melton Hanily	Ryan R. Wersal
Allison Rebekah Fajt	Arya Jean Menk	Maria Kristiana Widen
Corinne Ellen Fastrup	Marlys Elizabeth Michaud	Evan Callaway Wicker
William Kylar Fenton	Lauren Marie Miller	Brooklyn Keller Williamson
Elizabeth Fischer	Hiyori Miyagi	Madison Elizabeth Wishart
Alexys Fuerstenberg	Brianna Monahan	Victoria Madelynn Zachman
Erica Lynn Gaebe	Joshua Newman	Madeline Grace Ziegler
Megan Elysha Geraets	Marcus Vinh Nguyen	
Alison Iris Gilles	Richard Nyankson	
Lily Eli Goloh	Greta Kristine Nyberg	

*Academic honors are based upon grades through Fall 2024. Finalized academic honors will be noted on the diploma and official transcript and posted online by June 15, 2025.

Cum Laude (cumulative GPA of 3.500–3.699)

Mineya Isabel Afa	Benjamin James Elofson	Dana C. Marquis
Abby Louise Arp	Maxwell Donald Everett	Herve Matabaro
Elisabeth Jean Artley	Ava Margaret Farrell	Jacob Jason Metzger
Christian Wilbur Ash	Filmon Ghebru Fesshatsion	Calvin Moeller
Carter Bach	Zander Kierian FitzSimmons	William Nagel
Samuel Joseph Baker	Blake Andrew Fuller	Eli Robert Olson
Ashley Elizabeth Barker	Samantha Jordan Gardow	Elizabeth Orth
Ellie Marie Barringer	Ella Lee Godfredson	Yeboah Peacebridge Osei
Isaac Lewis Becker	Gabrielle M. Gromacki	Melissa Denise Pardock
Emily Elizabeth Bentz	Andrew James Guetzkow	Carson Zachary Pender
Kayla Marie Bluhm	Olivia Louise Haines	Nicole Elizabeth Post
Nana Akua Brago Boakye Agyemang	Abigail Kay Helgersen	Megan Katherine Rands
Hannah Elyse Brenke	Noah Paul Hoffman	Aaron B. Reichard
Sam Wilson Brenner	Lily Kay Horsch	Sunny Rijal
Kaitlyn Melissa Buckingham	Grace Kearney	Lily Marie J Dianne Roehrick
David Olaf Carlson	Emma Joanne Kennedy	Abigail Rose Ronnebaum
Katherine Grace Carlson	Brady Dalton Kienitz	Breeley M. Ruble
Logan Leeroy Norman Carlson	Julia Knudson	Samuel Robertson Schulze
Lakesha Lashay Carter	Artem Korolev	Gabriella Nicole Schwakopf
Kaylee Nicole Cepress	Cole LaPlante	Lillian Louise Selberg
Avery Mae Chatfield	Luke Ryan Larkoski	Gavin Christopher Stodden
Kainen Craig	Simon Bjorklund Leonard	Mollie Marie Taft
Greta Ann Dahlen	Oliver Leupold	Brooklyn Courtney Curtis Ullrich
Alex G. Dillon	Natasha Ludington	Lauren D. Waldroff
Abby Elliott	Samuel Chase Malecha	Zoe Evelyn Walker



GUSTAVUS COMMENCEMENT TRADITIONS

Gustavus Adolphus College granted its first bachelor's degrees in 1890, and graduating classes at the College have worn the traditional caps and gowns at Commencement exercises since 1903.

In addition to hoods signifying their bachelor of arts degrees, Gustavus graduates may wear other devices representing various academic, service, and leadership honors and memberships. For instance, horizontally striped kente cloth stoles recognize leadership in **diversity initiatives and community building**; **veterans of military service and ROTC cadets** wear red, white, and blue honor cords; and **international** graduates wear sashes on which the flags of their home countries are depicted.

Election to membership in many **academic honor societies** is indicated by variously colored honor cords worn over the shoulders or other devices as described below, although some active local chapters at Gustavus have not adopted this practice. (Service, leadership, and other non-academic honor cords or devices are not identified in the Commencement program for lack of space.)

Phi Beta Kappa – membership key pins on gown lapels and light pink and pale blue honor cords

Alpha Alpha Alpha First Generation College Student Honor Society – navy blue and silver honor cords

Alpha Kappa Delta International Honor Society in Sociology – teal honor cords

American Chemical Society Chemistry Major – blue and gold cords

Beta Beta Beta National Biology Honors Society – red and green honor cords

Gamma Theta Upsilon, the International Geographical Honor Society – light blue, gold, and brown honor cords

Eta Sigma Phi National Classics Honor Society – purple and saffron honor cords

Theta Alpha Kappa Religion Honor Society – crimson honor cords

Iota Tau Alpha Athletic Training Honor Society – gold, blue, and red honor cords

Kappa Delta Pi International Honor Society in Education – purple and jade green honor cords

Lambda Alpha National Collegiate Honors Society for Anthropology – white stoles with the Society's emblem shown in blue and gold

Lambda Pi Eta National Honor Society in Communication Studies – membership pins on gown lapels and red and white honor cords

Pi Kappa Delta National Honor Society in Forensics – red and white honor cords

Pi Kappa Lambda National Honor Society in Music – gold and white honor cords

Pi Sigma Alpha National Honor Society in Political Science – medallions hung from the neck on red ribbons

Sigma Delta Pi National Honor Society in Spanish – red and yellow gold honor cords

Sigma Theta Tau International Honor Society of Nursing – fuchsia and orchid honor cords

Sigma Pi Sigma National Physics Honor Society – green and ivory honor cords

Sigma Tau Delta National English Honor Society – cardinal and black honor cords

Psi Chi National Honor Society in Psychology – silver and blue honor cords

Dobro Slovo National Slavic Honor Society – membership pins on gown lapels

Graduates in Latin American, Latinx, and Caribbean Studies (LALACS) – red, yellow, and blue honor cords

Social Media

Share your congratulations and Commencement photos on Facebook and Instagram (@Gustavus Adolphus College) using **#GoGusties** and tag Gustavus Adolphus College.

Photography

Guests at Commencement are welcome to take personal photos and videos. As a courtesy to the graduates and all in attendance, we ask that you remain outside of the roped-off ceremonial area during Commencement exercises. Please also be courteous to others watching and taking pictures to ensure sight lines are not obstructed.

Grad Images is the official photographer for the Commencement exercises. Photographs of your graduate will be available online for viewing on their website (gradimages.com).

Live Stream

The Commencement ceremony will be streamed live and archived at gustavus.edu/commencement.

Departmental Receptions

Following Commencement exercises, all graduates and guests are invited to a reception in the Lund Center Forum. See the departmental list below and the map on the following pages for the appropriate divisional area.

Education

- Departments of Education; Health & Exercise Science; and Nursing
- Library

Fine Arts

- Departments of Art & Art History; Communication Studies; Music; and Theatre & Dance
- Arts Entrepreneurship program

Humanities

- Departments of English; Greek, Latin, and Classical Studies; History; Modern Languages, Literatures, & Cultures; Philosophy; Religion; and Scandinavian Studies
- Africa/African Diaspora Studies; Film & Media Studies; Gender, Women, & Sexuality Studies; Japanese Studies; Latin American, Latinx, & Caribbean Studies; Peace, Justice, and Conflict Studies; and Russian & Eastern European Studies programs

Natural Sciences and Mathematics

- Departments of Biology; Chemistry; Environment, Geography, & Earth Science; Mathematics, Computer Science, & Statistics; Physics; and Biochemistry & Molecular Biology

Social Sciences

- Departments of Business & Economics; Political Science; Psychological Science; and Sociology & Anthropology



