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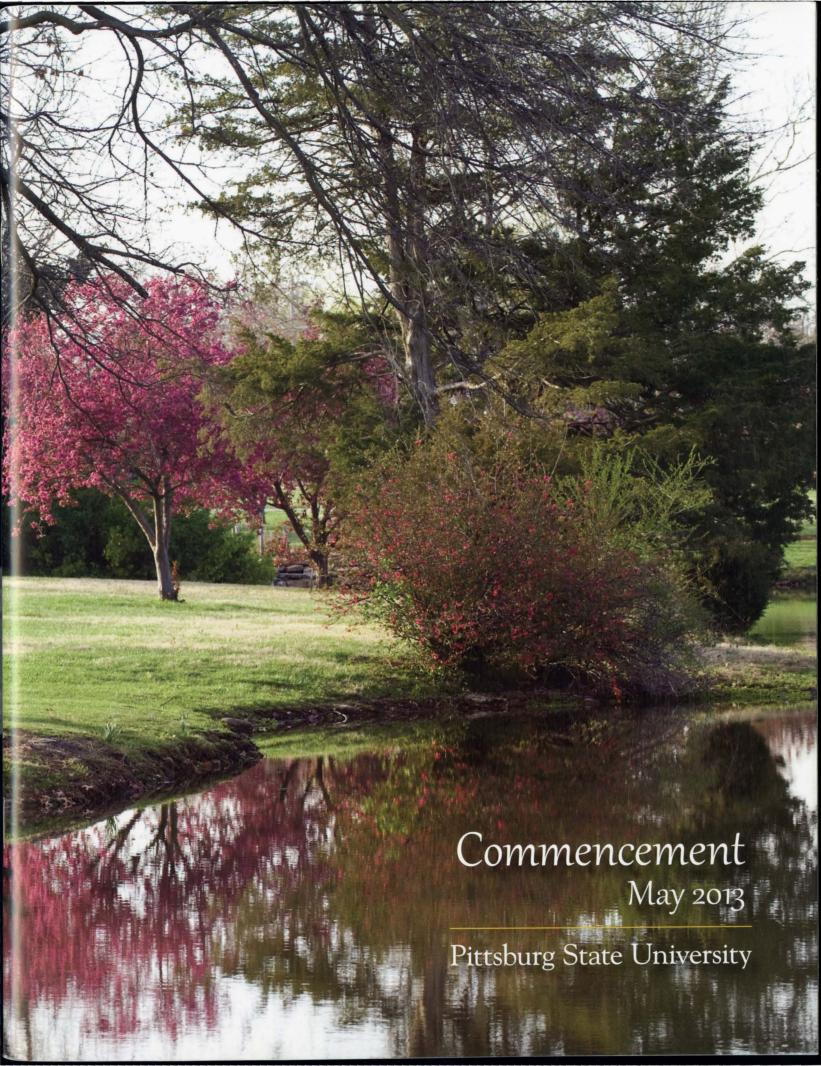
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Pittsburg State University

Commencement May 2013

Pittsburg State University is committed to the comfort and safety of all of our graduates and their guests and to making this a very special and memorable occasion. Please assist us in doing so by turning off your cell phones and pagers. Also, please remain seated throughout the entire ceremony to help ensure that all graduates get the recognition they have earned, whether they are first or last to cross the platform today. Professional photographs will be captured of each graduates accomplishment. Each graduate will be emailed and mailed free proofs. These photographs are available for viewing at www.gradimages.com. Ample time will be available after the ceremony for you to take additional personal photos inside the arena. Thank you for your cooperation.

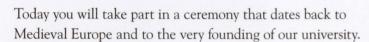
In accordance with the Kansas State Fire Marshal regulations, we request that you take a moment to identify two emergency exits closest to you. We have checked these exits and the other emergency equipment in this building and verify they are available for use in case of an emergency. In the case of an emergency, pay close attention to the announcer for important life safety information.

f Share your commencement memories with your Gorilla family on Facebook by sending your graduation photos to onfacebook@pittstate.edu

President's Message

Congratulations Class of 2013! What an exciting day for you and your family. All of the late nights of study, the countless hours of work in the lab and pages of term papers have led to this... you are now a graduate.

I know you had many options when it came to pursuing your academic dreams and I'm pleased that you chose Pittsburg State University.



It was in 1904 that our institution conferred its first degrees. The graduating class that year was small. Only 10 students walked across the stage, but they likely felt the same emotions you are experiencing today.

Like you, they felt the joy of achievement, the anxiousness that comes with an uncertain future, and the determination to make a difference in the world.

Much has changed since our university first opened its doors, but our focus upon our student success has never wavered.

Today is not an ending; it is simply the beginning of a new chapter. You may no longer be in a classroom, but rest assured, you will continue to be tested. Believe in yourself and the skills you have learned. These will allow you to overcome any obstacle and achieve any goal you set for yourself.

It is difficult to know what the future may hold but I encourage you to always be humble in victory, gracious in defeat and ever proud to be a Gorilla!

Sincerely, Steven A. Scott President



The Academic Procession

The University Marshals

The Members of the Faculty

The Candidates for Degrees

Friday, May 10, 2013, 5:30 p.m....... Graduate School, Kelce College of Business, College of Arts and Sciences (departments of Art, Communication, History, Philosophy & Social Sciences and General Studies)

Saturday, May 11, 2013, 9:00 a.m. Graduate School, College of Technology Saturday, May 11, 2013, 11:00 a.m. Graduate School, College of Education

Half Century Class – 1963 (Friday, 5:30 p.m.)

The President, Regent Edwards, Regent Perkins and Members of the Stage Party

Stage Party

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Dr. Steven A. Scott	Mr. Austi
Dr. Mildred Edwards Member, Kansas Board of Regents	KO I ster
Ms. Janie PerkinsMember, Kansas Board of Regents	Dr. Micha
Dr. Brad Hodson	
Dr. Lynette OlsonProvost and Vice President for Academic Affairs	Dr. Susar
Mr. John Patterson	Mr. Philip
Dr. Pawan Kahol	Dr. Rick
Dr. Paul GrimesDean, Kelce College of Business	
Dr. Karl KunkelDean, College of Arts and Sciences	Half (
Dr. Bruce DallmenDean, College of Technology	Charles B Pamela Po
Dr. Howard Smith Dean, College of Education	Charles (C
Ms. Debbie GreveRegistrar	Jerry Cox,
Dr. Peter Chung, Associate Professor, Department of Biology; President, Faculty Senate	Carolyn S G. Louis I Harlan He
Dr. Troy Comeau Associate Professor, Department of Communication; Outstanding Faculty	Judith Au Harry Lee
Dr. Aesha John	William (Bill (Gail) Anthony
Dr. Tatiana Sildus Associate Professor, Department of	Mary Lou David Sev

Teaching and Leadership; Outstanding Faculty

Outstanding Senior Woman

Ms. Jessica Ann Berberich College of Arts and Sciences;

- Mr. Austin T. Osborn College of Arts and Sciences; Outstanding Senior Man
- Dr. Michael Kelley...... Kelce College of Business and College of Arts and Sciences Mace Bearer; Professor/Chairman, History, Philosophy and Social Sciences
- Mr. Philip McNew..... College of Technology Mace Bearer; University Professor, Engineering Technology
- Dr. Rick Lindskog College of Education Mace Bearer; Professor, Psychology and Counseling

Half Century Class - 1963

Barrick, Ada, Oklahoma Porr Beer, Pittsburg, Kansas (Chuck) Bonnici, Wichita, Kansas x, Flagstaff, Arizona Schelin Dixon, Olathe, Kansas Hart, Columbia, Missouri Hess, Pflugerville, Texas usemus Hunt, Frontenac, Kansas ee, LaHarpe, Kansas (Bill) Livingston, Joplin, Missouri 1) Marshall, Norman, Oklahoma Menghini, Frontenac, Kansas ou Fox Murray, Pittsburg, Kansas David Sewell, Tulsa, Oklahoma Vernon Silvers, Rockaway Beach, Missouri Marion (Gene) Thorpe, Universal City, Texas

Commencement Program

KELCE COLLEGE OF BUSINESS

COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES

Departments of Art, Communication, History, Philosophy & Social Sciences and General Studies

Friday, May 10, 2013 · 5:30 p.m.

John Lance Arena, Garfield W. Weede Physical Education Building

Processional
Pomp and Circumstance - Edward Elgar
The National Anthem and Alma MaterKimberly Noel Arzoian, Shawnee, Kansas
Welcome and Introductions Dr. Lynette J. Olson, Provost and Vice President for Academic Affairs
Remarks from the PresidentDr. Steven A. Scott, Ninth President of Pittsburg State University
Remarks from the
Kansas Board of Regents
Recognition of 50th Anniversary Graduates
Remarks by Outstanding Senior
Recognition of
Academic Honors
University Scholastic Honors University Scholastic Honors
Recognition of
Candidates for Degrees
Conferring of Degrees and Closing Remarks
Recessional Stage Party

Commencement Program

COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES

Departments of Biology, Chemistry, English, Family & Consumer Sciences, Mathematics, Modern Languages & Literatures, Music, Nursing and Physics

Friday, May 10, 2013 · 8:00 p.m.

John Lance Arena, Garfield W. Weede Physical Education Building

Processional
Pomp and Circumstance - Edward Elgar
The National Anthem and Alma MaterKimberly Noel Arzoian, Shawnee, Kansas
Welcome and IntroductionsDr. Karl R. Kunkel, Dean, College of Arts and Sciences
Remarks from the PresidentDr. Steven A. Scott, Ninth President of Pittsburg State University
Remarks from the Kansas Board of Regents
Remarks by Outstanding Senior
Recognition of Academic Honors
Recognition of Candidates for DegreesDr. Pawan K. Kahol, Dean of Graduate and Continuing Studies Dr. Karl R. Kunkel, Dean of College of Arts and Sciences
Conferring of Degrees and Closing Remarks
Recessional

Commencement Program

COLLEGE OF TECHNOLOGY

Saturday, May 11, 2013 · 9:00 a.m.

John Lance Arena, Garfield W. Weede Physical Education Building

Processional Pomp and Circumstance - Edward Elgar	
The National Anthem and Alma Mater	
Welcome and Introductions	
Remarks from the President	
Remarks from the Kansas Board of Regents	
Remarks by Outstanding SeniorAustin T. Osborn, Carl Junction, Missouri	
Recognition of Academic Honors	
Recognition of Candidates for Degrees	
Conferring of Degrees and Closing Remarks	
Recessional	

Commencement Program

COLLEGE OF EDUCATION

Saturday, May 11, 2013 · 11:00 a.m.

John Lance Arena, Garfield W. Weede Physical Education Building

Processional Pomp and Circumstance - Edward Elgar
The National Anthem and Alma Mater
Welcome and Introductions
Remarks from the President
Remarks from the Kansas Board of Regents
Remarks by Outstanding Senior
Recognition of Academic Honors
Recognition of
Candidates for Degrees
Conferring of Degrees and Closing Remarks
Recessional

2013 Outstanding Faculty



Tatiana Sildus, Aesha John and Troy Comeau

Whether their drive to teach came from a parent or from a student's eyes, the recipients of the Pittsburg State University 2013 Outstanding Faculty Award each share a strong passion for education.

Troy Comeau, associate professor of communication; Aesha John, assistant professor of social work; and Tatiana Sildus, associate professor of teaching and leadership, received the Outstanding Faculty Award at Apple Day ceremonies on March 7.

Comeau, a member of the PSU faculty since 1998, said he discovered his drive to teach while pursuing his master's degree from PSU in 1997.

"When I started my graduate degree, I had an opportunity to teach as a graduate assistant," he said. "The first time I saw the lights go on in the students' eyes, when I could really tell they were learning something, was the moment I knew I wanted to teach."

John, in her second year at PSU, has long been driven to educate students of all ages.

"I've always taught, for as long as I can remember," she said. "I taught in a grade school in India. I taught at a special school in India. When I moved to the U.S., it seemed like the natural choice to keep teaching. My two years at PSU have made me feel that it was the correct choice for me."

Sildus, a PSU faculty member since 2002, said she was inspired by her mother to choose education as her

"My mother was a high school teacher," she said.

"It's the never-ending nature of learning that appeals to me. I like teaching. I like learning. I learn as much from my students as they can learn from me. In my classroom, everyone is a student and everyone is a teacher."

The Outstanding Faculty Award was established as part of the Apple Day celebration in the early 1980s and has been through several name changes. The Student Government Association coordinates the selection of the winners, who are nominated and selected by PSU students.

This year's recipients said they were humbled and honored by the recognition.

"It's always nice to be honored by the students," Comeau said. "We have such outstanding faculty here at Pittsburg State, and I'm very proud to be among them. This is really a double honor."

John said she was not expecting to receive the award so soon into her career at PSU.

"It was a very pleasant surprise, to say the least," she said. "I don't think I've been here long enough to deserve this award, but I'm going to try very hard to live up to it now that I've received it. It's a true honor

Sildus said the award is especially meaningful since it comes from student selections.

"This makes me feel very special," she said. "There is no higher honor than to be nominated and selected by the students."

University Scholastic Honors

University Scholastic Honors graduates are designated by ribbons and medallions worn around the neck. Red represents summa cum laude; green represents magna cum laude; white represents cum laude.

Three levels of University Scholastic Honors are designated at graduation. Summa cum laude requires a cumulative grade point average of 3.95; magna cum laude requires a cumulative grade point average of 3.90; and cum laude requires a cumulative grade point average of 3.85. University Scholastic Honors as listed in the Commencement Program are based on course work completed through the fall semester. Final determination of University Scholastic Honors graduates will be based on course work completed through graduation.

Summa Cum Laude Magna Cum Laude Travis R. Aikins......Construction Engineering Technology Hannah K. Auman*.... Jessica Ann Berberich English Jessica Ruth Black Biology

...Recreation

.. Exercise Science

. Nursing

. Mathematics

.....Chemistry

...... Nursing

...Early Childhood/

Late Childhood K-6

.... Biology

.. Biology

Technology .. Finance

....English and Spanish

Kenan A. Booe..... Early Childhood/Late Childhood K-6 Kori A. Bower Social Work

Barbara Dias Brandao Cortes Accounting

Amanda J. Eckols......Family and Consumer Sciences

Sierra Noel Foster Biology

Stephen Joseph Gedert..... Mechanical Engineering Technology

Paul L. Hartfield Jr.Computer Information Systems

Lakota L. McCune Management and Finance

Christopher Dan Nusbaum.......Chemistry

Charles E. Steiger III Computer Information Systems

Kelsey Danielle Trotnic... Early Childhood/Late Childhood K-6

Sara M. Verga.....Biology and Chemistry

Oliva J. Wright.....Biology and Chemistry

Monica Elizabeth Wuertz......Construction Engineering

Elyssa Cay Fox.....

Mary Ort

Lindsey Kaye Gordon*

Michelle Gorges

Brook Cherith Kendall....

Kelsey W. Knisley....

Brian Robert Martin

Chelsea J. Manley.....

Andrea E. Petersen

Ryan Thomas Pittsenbarger.....

Caitlin A. Roberts.....

Guy C. Spragg

Qingyang Xie

Caitlin I. Borel Early Childhood/Late Childhood K-6	
Margaret L. CookPsychology	
Chia-Yu Chou	
Lisa A. Elmer	
Brooke M. FayMarketing	
Chelsea E. Fisher	
Sean M. Gilbert History	
Lara M. IsmertMathematics and English	
Mary Ann Kennon	
Bailey P. LegrandPsychology	
Ashton Lorraine McVaySociology	
Nolan D. O'TooleComputer Information Systems	
Zachary J. Smith	
Whitney D. Southard*Exercise Science and Spanish	
Aaron J. Tucker	

.. Recreation

Adion J. Tucker
Cum Laude
Samantha Powell Anderson
Derek J. Base
Stephen Daniel Cuff
Joshua W. DonaldsonVocal Performance
Clark McDonald DouthitJustice Studies
Yu Du Finance
Josiah W. HashmanInstrumental Music
Kurtis Robert HerronBiology
Karen Sue Sullivan Holland Art Education
Bailey KuhlmanBiology and Nursing
Carol Eileen Longman
Cassandra M. Moody Early Childhood/Late Childhood K-6
Kelsey N. Moore
Ernesto Eduardo Estigarribia Mussi*Instrumental Music
Lindsay E. Nance International Studies
Danyell D. PollardChemistry
Kara Gaile Probert Family and Consumer Sciences
Corie Janean Ruth
Courtney L. Torneden Early Childhood/Late Childhood K-6
Andrew J. Voegeli Automotive Technology
Alexia S. WalkerHistory
Ryan M. Woodruff Biology
Kari E. ZepernickPsychology

*Summer 2013 Graduates

Honors College

Honors College students are highly selective academic scholars who complete an enhanced academic program; designated by **red and gold cording** worn around neck.

Travis R. Aikins
Jessica Ann Berberich
Annie Katelyn Brown
Miles Edward Crowley
Joshua W. Donaldson
Amanda J. Eckols
Elyssa Cay Fox
Stephen Joseph Gedert
Sydney Allison Hague

Travis P. Irion
Lara M. Ismert
Lakota L. McCune
Kelsey N. Moore
Samantha L. Olson
Andrea E. Petersen
Whitney D. Southard
Sara M. Verga
Candace M. Wright

Departmental Academic Honors

Departmental Academic Honors graduates are designated by gold cording worn around neck.

Brook Cherith Kendall	Nursing
Kelsey W. Knisley	Biology
Jimmika Johnae Lawson	
	Late Childhood K-6
Marissa René Leach	
Sara Marie Liming	
Samie D. McCullough	
Lakota L. McCune	
Samantha Noelle Meneely	Biology
Cassandra M. Moody	Early Childhood/
	Late Childhood K-6
Kelsey N. Moore	Nursing
DeAnna RaeLynn Morgan	
Lindsay E. Nance	International Studies
Samantha L. Olson	Nursing
Andrea E. Petersen	Biology
Noemi Rodas-Parquet	Nursing
Whitney D. Southard	Spanish
Danielle Renee Stevenson	Biology
Kelsey Danielle Trotnic	Early Childhood/
	Late Childhood K-6
Sara M. Verga	
Ryan M. Woodruff	Biology
Candace M. Wright	
Olivia I. Wright	Biology

Graduate Dean Academic Honors

Graduate Dean Academic Honors graduates are designated by a double gold cord worn around the neck.

Bilal Abdullah* Meshael Khaled Alassaf Kellev René Alexander Norah Ibrahim Almazrua Stephen W. Artinger, Jr.* Matthew J. Asbill Paula M. Athey Whitney N. Baldridge Kristin Barnes* Joy J. Bauer* Mary Bible* Nicholas Ryan Born* Andrea Ellen Brainard Samantha L. Branson Lindsey Litton Brenton* Rebecca Brown Crayton C. Caldwell Kseniya M. Caldwell Brock Anthony Campbell Katie R. Campbell Seth Macon Carter Franklin A. Chapman Daniel M. Chukwudebe Barbara Ann (Tiberghien-Scott) Circle* Kevin Ray Coker Christy L. Cox Anita R. Cummings Matthew W. DeMoss* Aruma Handi Nishshanka Chandrajith De Silva Cynthia D. Dickens* Jamie Lynne Eggerman* Lindsey Marie Elliott Ernest J. Fields, Jr. Tiffany Dannielle Flatt James C. Fox Tara Diane Fraser

Cassandra Lynn Golden Kenneth Allen Gouvion Darci M. Gulick Todd Christopher Hall* Jill S. Hammes Diane Lee Hansen Nathan A. Harkins Alan Scott Hibdon Jordan J. Hill Amy Marie Hodges Amber Marie Hoffman* Brogan Black Hoover* Brian Lee Hubbard Chelsey L. Humble* Shahid Iqbal Matthew A. Johnson Sarah M. Johnson Kathy I. Johnston* Elizabeth Kathleen Kelly Kyunghoon Kim Craig A. Knavel* Robert Shane Lankford Kimberly B. Lepo* Destinee Lee LeVota Hope Michelle Lickteig Hung-Ying Liu Kyndra Leigh Lunderman-Dhooghe Lisa A. Mahnken Nathan P. Mangold Gary Eugene Mapes II Kathleen McCall Josie Lee McCracken* Kyle Jansen McLaren* Lorraine Tamra Merando* Jeffery D. Meyer Karen Kay Miller* Nathan Andrew Morris*

Nichole Ann Mullins* Chyna Renae Mundy Kaleb John Nickell* Ashley Taylor Odle* John S. Oshel Amy Suzanne Oswald* Cherin L. Palermo Shaun Charles Pate Vanessa J. Peach Patrice Annette Peoples Nichole M. Regan Dayne C. Riley Rebekah Kathryn Rosenblad* Sara Melissa Schwarz* Iamie A. Shaw Katie L. Simecka* Shaune R. Sneed Stanford R. Spurlin Kathryn E. Strawn Cecilia Marian Stump Ellen M. Stump Jason M. Susnik* Anna M. Swank* Courtney C. Swigart Curtis Allan Thom* Kelly S. Ussery Rebekah Sue Varvel Rameez Vora Justin Seth Wehar* Dustin J. Westbay* Jamie Lynn Whittley* Dustin Shane Wiley Jennifer Lynn Brackhan Young Huali Yu

*Summer 2013 Graduates

The Honor Society of Phi Kappa Phi

The prestigious university-wide academic honor society for graduating students. Graduates are designated by medallions with royal blue ribbon worn around the neck.

Meshael Khaled Alassaf Samantha Powell Anderson Stephen W. Artinger, Ir. Matthew J. Asbill Hannah K. Auman Whitney N. Baldridge Joy J. Bauer Kelsea Bedford Jessica Ann Berberich Mary Bible Jessica Ruth Black Kori A. Bower Tonya Christine Box Tanva Marie Brokob Franklin A. Chapman Kristan Renee Chester Daniel M. Chukwudebe Barbara Ann (Tiberghien-Scott) Circle Jean Louise Coltharp Barbara Dias Brandao Cortes

Stephen Daniel Cuff

Anita R. Cummings

Matthew W. DeMoss Aruma Handi Nishshanka Chardrajith De Silva Cynthia D. Dickens Joshua W. Donaldson Clark McDonald Douthit Amanda J. Eckols William M. Ell II Lisa A. Elmer **Jackie Christine Feathers** Chelsea E. Fisher Sierra Noel Foster Elyssa Cay Fox Stephen Joseph Gedert Lesli A. Gilbert Sean M. Gilbert Eduardo A. Gonzalez Gill Michelle Gorges Kenneth Allen Gouvion Darci M. Gulick Todd Christopher Hall Josiah W. Hashman

David Elward Heins

Amber Marie Hoffman Karen Sue Sullivan Holland Brian Lee Hubbard Shahid Iqbal Travis P. Irion Lara M. Ismert Matthew A. Johnson Elizabeth Kathleen Kelly Kyunghoon Kim Kelsev W. Knislev Bailey Kuhlman Bailey P. Legrand Destinee Lee Levota Kathleen McCall Lakota L. McCune Ashton Lorraine McVay Lorraine Tamra Merando Chyna Renae Mundy Ernesto Eduardo Estigarribia

Mussi

Mary Ort

Kaleb John Nickell

Christopher Dan Nusbaum

Nolan D. O'Toole Cherin L. Palermo Vanessa I. Peach Andrea E. Petersen Danyell D. Pollard Vanessa Ann Rhoades Davne C. Rilev Caitlin A. Roberts Corrie Janean Ruth Sara Melissa Schwarz Seth Elver Sewell Shaune R. Sneed Whitney D. Southard Guy C. Spragg Anna M. Swank Courtney L. Torneden Sara M. Verga Alexia S. Walker Jamie Lynn Whittley Olivia I. Wright Oingyang Xie

ACS Student Affiliates Chemistry Honor Society

ACS Student Affiliates aims to foster a professional spirit among the members, to instill a professional pride in chemistry and to foster an awareness of the responsibilities and challenges of the modern chemist through professional and social activities. Graduates are designated by blue and gold cording worn around the neck.

> Derek J. Base Nicholas J. Hicks Rachel M. Jerome Brian Robert Martin

Megan Renee Nance Christopher Dan Nusbaum Danyell D. Pollard Katelyn Shaw

Courtney Lynn Snyder Sara M. Verga Olivia J. Wright

Alpha Mu Gamma Honor Society

The aims of Alpha Mu Gamma are to (1) recognize achievement in foreign language study, (2) nurture an interest in the study of foreign languages, literatures and civilizations, (3) stimulate a desire for linguistic attainment, and (4) foster sympathetic understanding of other peoples through the medium of languages. Graduates are designated by gold cording with half-blue, half-gold tassels worn around neck.

Zachary T. Dent Michelle Gorges

Whitney D. Southard

Alpha Phi Sigma

Alpha Phi Sigma recognizes academic excellence of undergraduate and graduate students of criminal justice. The goals of Alpha Phi Sigma are to honor and promote academic excellence, community service, educational leadership and unity. Graduates are designed by gold and blue honor stole, honor cord and medallion with gold and blue ribbon.

Clark McDonald Douthit

Christopher A. Garrett

Whitney Ienea Nickelson

Alpha Psi Omega Honor Society

Alpha Psi Omega is a national theatre honor society that recognizes student artists who demonstrate commitment to the theatre discipline through their involvement across the full spectrum of production work. Graduates wear light blue and gold cording.

> Jessica Ann Berberich Lara M. Ismert

Jeanine J. Kunshek Jordan E. Lepoglow

Beta Alpha Psi Honor Society

An honorary organization for Financial Information students and professionals with the primary objective being to encourage and give recognition to scholastic and professional excellence in the business information field. Graduates wear black and red double cording.

> Melanie J. Allen Barbara Dias Brandao Cortes

Lisa A. Elmer Ashley N. Mestepey Nolan D. O'Toole

Travis R. Price Yizhi Wang Ashley K. Wilbert

Beta Gamma Sigma Honor Society

An international honor society that encourages and honors outstanding academic achievement in the study of business. Graduates wear blue and gold cording.

Kathryn Blythe Barbara Dias Brandao Cortes Shelby D. Davey William M. Ell II Lisa A. Elmer

Brooke M. Fav Paul L. Hartfield, Jr. Alexander D. Horvath Matthew A. Johnson Kyunghoon Kim Lakota L. McCune

Nolan D. O'Toole Tyler E. Parrigon Kylee A. Priddle Laura K. Slocum Charles E. Smith Charles E. Steiger III Ramond L. Wilson Qingyang Xie Michael Phillip Ysusi Huali Yu

Chi Sigma Iota Honor Society

Chi Sigma Iota is the Counseling Academic and Professional Honor Society International. Members of the Society have distinguished themselves through scholarship and professional excellence which is exemplary. Graduates wear blue and white cording.

> Ili Bakhtiar **Jackie Christine Feathers** Jennifer Lynn Fensky

Gregory Andrew Fliess Kathy S. Glover DeAira R. Juhl

Crimson Club

Crimson Club students are selected by the Office of the President to participate in a unique service and leadership development experience focused on interaction with the various stakeholders of Pittsburg State University.

> Brittany Nichole Atherton Brandon J. Boyd Christian I. Cruz Hillary D. Dickey Sierra Noel Foster

Meron Tafesse Garedew Laura Iessica Greaves Makyla B. Henderson Lara M. Ismert Jeanine J. Kunshek

Austin T. Osborn Whitney D. Southard Sydney L. Ward Olivia I. Wright Monica Elizabeth Wuertz

Gamma Epsilon Tau Honor Society

A national co-ed collegiate printing fraternity which allows students of printing and publishing to meet and interact in both a professional and social atmosphere. Requirements for invitation and membership is a 3.25 GPA and to maintain a minimum 3.0 GPA. Graduates are designated by black and red cording worn around the neck.

> Jacub L. Bruning Amanda Dawn Couch

Dustin J. Riebel Angela Renee Slater

Gamma Upsilon Chapter of Sigma Theta Tau International Honor Society of Nursing

The Honor Society supports the learning, knowledge, and professional development of nurses committed to making a difference in health worldwide. Graduates are designated by lavender cording worn around neck.

Peter J. Bates Krystal Marie Beecher Tonya Christine Box Tanya Marie Brokob Chelsea Io Buck Kristan Renee Chester Alexandria Karin Cole **Iessica** Criser Tereasa G. DeMeritt Julie Lynn Huffman Driskel

Chelsea E. Fisher Lesli A. Gilbert LaDale L. Grant Romy L. Hafner Lauren Kaylee Hiatt Yaso Manel Jayawardhana Brook Cherith Kendall Erica Lauren Kramer Bailey Kuhlman Marissa René Leach

Raven Michelle Doria Mack Erin M. Masterson Brooke Marie McGovern Crystal M. Middleton Kelsev N. Moore Candice L. Morris Kylee L. Needham Kelci Newkirk Samantha L. Olson Mary Ort

Adam D. Potter Louvinia J. Rhodes Kevvin Roach Noemi Rodas-Parquet Corrie Janean Ruth Seth Elver Sewell Christa Torrisi Lindsey Kathleen Turner

Kappa Delta Pi Honor Society

International honor society in education for undergraduate and graduate students. Graduates are designated by violet and jade cording worn around the neck.

> Elizabeth Yvonne Biron Brandon I. Boyd Natalie Yvonne Carroll Jean Louise Coltharp Danielle Jane Frey

DeAnna RaeLynn Morgan Nathan Andrew Morris Ryan Thomas Pittsenbarger Heather Lanell Burgess Roblyer Pamela Lin Thompson

Kappa Mu Epsilon Honor Society

Kappa Mu Epsilon is a national mathematics honor society founded in 1931 to promote the interest of mathematics among undergraduate students. Graduates wear pink and silver cording.

Calin Scott Archer Hannah K. Auman Megan E. Bertone Aaron Bradley Burns Bethany Ella Burns Jeremy Chapman

Jean Louise Coltharp

Jeremy Donahue Aisha Mae Ford Danielle Jane Frey Nicholas J. Hicks Lara M. Ismert Dan MacClymont Ionathan R. McPherson Christopher Dan Nusbaum John S. Oshel Vanessa J. Peach Dennis I. Rosser Edwin A. Stremel Timothy Wayne Walker

Omicron Delta Epsilon Honor Society

An honor society established in 1963 for men and women with outstanding achievement in economics. Members of ODE are invested with a blue and gold cord upon initiation.

Barbara Dias Brandao Cortes Haley Diane Dwyer Ieremy N. Graves

Shawnee M. Lorenz Hunter Lee Offutt Chelsea L. Richardson Sara Jean Shaffer

Yeimi Kyung Hwan Lee Sin Laura K. Slocum Ashley V. Stout

Omicron Delta Kappa

A national honor society for leadership, scholarship and service. Graduates are designed by tricolor white, light blue and black cording worn around the neck.

Sierra Noel Foster

Lesli A. Gilbert

Laura M. Ismert

Rachel M. Jerome

Kelsey W. Knisley

Lakota L. McCune

Matthew A. Johnson

Kafui Alomenu Calin Scott Archer Mitchell A. Ayers Krystal Marie Beecher Jessica Ann Berberich Jessica Ruth Black Caitlin I. Borel Aaron Bradley Burns Natalie Yvonne Carroll Kaela Lopez Chavero

Barbara Ann (Tiberghien-Scott) Circle Jean Louise Coltharp Amanda Dawn Couch Jeremy Donahue Joshua W. Donaldson Amanda J. Eckols Lisa A. Elmer Ashley G. Fann Rachel Mary Kimrick Fisher

DeAnna RaeLynn Morgan Nolan D. O'Toole Vanessa I. Peach Sydney Allison Hague Andrea E. Petersen Caitlin A. Roberts Whitney D. Southard Courtney Lynn Snyder Brook Cherith Kendall Edwin A. Stremel Rvan M. Woodruff Julie Elizabeth Martin

Phi Alpha Honor Society

The purpose of Phi Alpha Honor Society is to provide a closer bond among students of social work and promote humanitarian goals and ideals. Phi Alpha fosters high standards of education for social workers and invites into membership those who have attained excellence in scholarship and achievement in social work. Graduates are designated by medallions with blue and yellow ribbon worn around neck.

> Elisabeth Diane Arnold Kori A. Bower Iulie Ann Lienard Samie D. McCullough

Natalie D. Rhoton Glenda G. Roach Amanda Tompkins

Phi Alpha Theta Honor Society

History honorary for upper division undergraduate and graduate students. Graduates are designated by scarlet and gray cording worn around neck.

Jordan M. Adams Sean M. Gilbert Jason M. Susnik Alexia S. Walker

Phi Upsilon Omicron Honor Society

Family & Consumer Sciences Honor Society.

Gradates are designated by purple, yellow and white cords and a cream colored stole.

Adrian N. Blount Lauren K. Brentlinger Megan Elizabeth Dean Amanda J. Eckols Leah Jolosky Eryn Montonye Kare Gaile Probert Denise A. Vinardi Sarah Elizabeth Winters

Pi Kappa Lambda Honor Society

This Society is established to provide an organization dedicated to the furtherance of music in education and education in music in colleges, universities, and other institutions of higher learning which offer music degree programs in one or more fields. Graduates are designated by **gold and white cording** worn around the neck.

Cassandra Lynn Golden Josiah W. Hashman Ernesto Eduardo Estigarribia Mussi

Pi Sigma Alpha Honor Society

Pi Sigma Alpha, the National Political Science Honor Society, is the only honor society for college students of political science and government in the United States. Pi Sigma Alpha is a member of the Association of College Honor Societies (ACHS) and is designated as a "Specialized, Upper-Division" society by ACHS.

Tyler James Henderson

Pinnacle Honor Society

A national honor society for non-traditional students. Selection based on scholastic achievement and community and campus activities.

Julie Ellen Fecke Todd M. Gardner Brandie S. Jacquinet Andrea Dawn Lindsay-Gaikowski Evelyn Chantelle Millner Mary E. Mowdy Heather Lanell Burgess Roblyer Pamela Lin Thompson Tina M. Valenzuela

Presidential Emerging Leaders Program

A four-year leadership program of select students, started at Pittsburg State University in 1998, developing the next generation of leaders through leadership experiences, service, and community involvement.

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Psi Chi Honor Society

Psi Chi is the International Honor Society in Psychology with the purpose encouraging, stimulating, and maintaining excellence in scholarship, and advancing the science of psychology.

Graduating students wear either gold or platinum with blue.

Melissa Marte Andrews Ili Bakhtiar Margaret L. Cook Fred McCoy Gammon, Jr. Matthew D. Harrell Heidi M. Kuehn Glenda G. Roach David W. Shrum Jordyn R. Triboulet

Sigma Lambda Chi Honor Society

The fundamental purpose of Sigma Lambda Chi is to provide recognition to outstanding students in construction curricula. The society offers students the opportunity to be recognized locally and internationally for their academic accomplishments as a construction major. Graduates are designated by green and gold intertwined cording worn around the neck.

Brett T. Cruse Matthew A. Johnson Kevin Dominic Sword Monica Elizabeth Wuertz

Sigma Tau Delta International English Honor Society

The society's central purpose is to confer distinction upon students of the English language and literature. Graduates are designated by **black and red cording** with tassels.

Peggy S. Walters

Student Government

These students have dedicated one or more years of service to the Student Government for the students of Pittsburg State University.

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A national honor society for transfer students.

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Ambassadors are a select group of individuals who volunteer their time to assist in sharing the outstanding educational opportunities available at Pittsburg State University with prospective students and their families.

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Veterans Recognition

Pittsburg State University recognizes the following men and women who have served their country in the United States Military. Graduates will wear tricolor red, white, and blue cording around the neck.

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US Army ROTC Commissioning Ceremony

May 10, 2013, 10 a.m. • Pittsburg State University Veterans Memorial Amphitheater

To Be Commissioned Second Lieutenants

Jacub L. Bruning* Ethan Lee Clouse Stephen Daniel Cuff Sean M. Gilbert Aaron J. Glowacki Paul L. Hartfield, Jr. Colton J. Linville Adam L. McDonald* Rhyan Ashleigh Lynn Tridle

*Summer 2013 Commissioning

Department of Nursing Pinning Ceremony

Thursday, May 9, 2013 • 7:00 p.m. • Memorial Auditorium, 503 N. Pine Street, Pittsburg

Master of Ceremonies	
Department WelcomeDr. Mary Carol G	G. Pomatto, University Professor & Chair, Nursing Department
Administrative Greetings	Dr. Karl Kunkel, Dean, College of Arts and Sciences
Awarding of MSN Nursing Pins	Dr. Cheryl Giefer, University Professor, Nursing Department
Awarding of BSN Nursing Pins	
Awarding of Alumni Membership Cards	
BSN Student Farewell	
MSN Student Farewell	Mr. Seth Elver Swewll, MSN Student Representative
Closing Remarks	Ms. Krystal Marie Beecher, President, BSN Class

2013 Graduating Class

Graduating BSN Students

Gina Marie Abati Calin Scott Archer Brittany Nichole Atherton Krystal Marie Beecher Kourtney Kristine Bell Abby J. Bernhardt Bethany S. Bia Tonya Christine Box Chelsea Jo Buck Kaela Lopez Chavero Kristan Renee Chester Alexandria Karin Cole **Jessica Criser** Geri Lynn Davis Randolph Stephen Davis, Jr. Ashley G. Fann Chelsea E. Fisher Alexis L. Forsythe Katrina L. Fox Anna M. Frasco Amanda Rachelle Friesz Susie A. Gallea Devin Jo Gigstad Lesli A. Gilbert Prabhjot Kaur Gill Marilyn Miles Goetschius Rhaina Elizabeth Gray Sarah Nichole Hack Jason F. Heflin Lauren Kaylee Hiatt Brook Cherith Kendall Mary Ann Kennon Kaylee E. Kinsch Carly Ann Koch Erica Lauren Kramer Lauren Kuefler

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Trisha L. Wills

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Amy Butler
Benjamin Joseph Cochran
Tereasa G. DeMeritt
Kimberly Jo Dent
Julie Lynn Huffman Driskel
LaDale L. Grant
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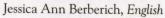
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Outstanding Senior Awards

Nominated by faculty and administrators. Selected by a student committee.

Outstanding Seniors for 2013







Austin T. Osborn, Biology

Honorable Mention

Mitchell A. Ayers, Biology Krystal Marie Beecher, Nursing Kristan Renee Chester, Nursing Megan Elizabeth Dean, Family and Consumer Sciences Education Danielle J. Geier, Communication Sydney Allison Hague, Graphic Communications Lara M. Ismert, Mathematics and English Jeanine J. Kunshek, Psychology and Spanish Lakota L. McCune, Management and Finance Julie Florine Penner, Music Ryan Thomas Pittsenbarger, Early Childhood/Late Childhood K-6 Shelley J. Schlagel, Family and Consumer Sciences and Construction Management Whitney D. Southard, Exercise Science and Spanish Edwin A. Stremel, Automotive Technology Cassandra A. Temaat, Family and Consumer Sciences Education Sydney L. Ward, Communication Jenna Louise Wendt, Physical Education Ryan M. Woodruff, Biology

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Specialist in Education

- NICHOLAS RYAN BORN*, Girard; B.S., Pittsburg State University; M.S., Pittsburg State University; School Psychology
- SARAA. CHAPMAN*, Fort Scott; B.G.S., Wichita State University; M.E., Wichita State University; School Psychology
- CHRISTY L. COX, Oologah, Oklahoma; B.S., Pittsburg State University; M.S., Pittsburg State University; School Psychology
- GARY EUGENE MAPES II, Pittsburg; B.S., Pittsburg State University; M.S., Pittsburg State University; School Psychology
- COURTNEY C. SWIGART, Frontenac; B.A., Pittsburg State University; M.S., Pittsburg State University; School Psychology

Master of Arts

- KELLEY RENE' ALEXANDER, Olathe; B.A., MidAmerica Nazarene University; *Teaching (Secondary)*
- SAMANTHA L. BRANSON, Osawatomie; B.S., Kansas State University; B.G.S., University of Kansas; *Teaching (Secondary)*
- REBECCA BROWN, Olathe; B.S., Kansas State University; Teaching (Secondary)
- ERIN LEIGH COOLEY*, Fort Scott; B.S.E., Pittsburg State University; English (Literature)
- ANITA R. CUMMINGS, Burlington; B.S., Kansas State University; Teaching (Special Education)
- KENNETH B. DOLL, Lenexa; B.S.E., Emporia State University; *History* BRADLEY A. DUNKIN, Dunkirk; B.A., Pittsburg State University; *Teaching (Secondary)*
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- ZACHARY LEVI PEREZ, Parsons; B.B.A., Pittsburg State University; Communication

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- PEGGY S. WALTERS, Pittsburg; B.A., Missouri Southern State University; English (Literature)
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 Management)
- MELISSA BLESSINGTON, Auburn, Iowa; B.A., Grand View College; Health, Human Performance and Recreation (Human Performance and Wellness)
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- KEVIN RAY COKER, Pleasanton; B.S.E., Pittsburg State University;

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- MATTHEW W. DEMOSS*, Girard; B.S.E., Pittsburg State University; Special Education Teaching (K-12 Adaptive Functional)
- ARUMA HANDI NISHSHANKA CHANDRAJITH DE SILVA, Kandy, Sri Lanka; B.S., University of Peradeniya; *Physics*
- CYNTHIA D. DICKENS*, Neodesha; B.S., Kansas State University; Special Education Teaching (K-12 Adaptive Functional)
- JENNIFER RUTH DUNCAN, Coffeyville; B.S.E., Pittsburg State University; Special Education Teaching (Pre K-12 Adaptive)
- SARA CALOVICH DZIADOSZ*, Shawnee; B.G.S., University of Kansas; Special Education Teaching (K-12 Adaptive Functional)

- BRITTINY D. EARLS, Harper; B.S.E., Pittsburg State University;

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- JENNIFER LYNN FENSKY*, Miami, Oklahoma; B.S., Pittsburg State University; Counseling (Clinical Mental Health)
- ERNEST J. FIELDS, JR., Raymore, Missouri; B.S., University of Missouri; M.A.T., University of Central Missouri; *Educational Leadership*
- KENDA ANN FISCHER, Pittsburg; B.S., Pittsburg State University; Psychology (General)
- TIFFANY DANNIELLE FLATT, Liberty; B.A., University of Northern Iowa; Educational Leadership
- GREGORY ANDREW FLIESS*, Pittsburg; B.A., Pittsburg State University; Counseling (Clinical Mental Health)
- AISHA MAE FORD, Kansas City; B.S.E., Pittsburg State University;
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- KENNETH ALLEN GOUVION, Pittsburg; B.S., Pittsburg State University; Biology
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- DARCI M. GULICK, Iola; B.S.E., Emporia State University; Educational Technology (Technology Integration Specialist)
- CRAIG WILLIAM GULLETT*, Joplin, Missouri; B.S., Missouri Southern State University; Health, Human Performance and Recreation (Sport and Leisure Service Management)
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- SHAHID IQBAL, Charsadda/Peshawar, Pakistan; B.S., University of Peshawar; M.S., Kohat University; *Physics*
- KATHY I. JOHNSTON*, Topeka; B.I.S., Washburn University; Educational Leadership
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The Mace and Medallion

Two symbolic badges of authority, traditional in many European universities and at some of the oldest schools in the nation, are being used in the commencement ceremonies. The honor of carrying the University Mace at



commencement is given to a faculty member with extensive service to the university.

The Presidential Medallion is worn by the President of Pittsburg State University.

In the Middle Ages, maces were used as weapons for breaking the armor of enemies on the field of battle. The use of maces as symbols for academic institutions originated in England in the 1500s.

The university mace features four individual medallions surrounded by brass, with a mahogany staff sectioned by brass accents. The four medallions featured on the head piece represent historic seals used by the university during its first century of existence.

The current university seal is cast in bronze and featured on a solid mahogany disc which rests on top of the ceremonial mace.

The Presidential Medallion proudly displays the names of every president who has provided leadership and vision for our university. Again, the history of Pittsburg State University is on display with the inclusion of historical university seals on the chain of office.

The past is symbolically connected to present by the chain of office which connects to a bronze banner displaying the name of the current president. An antique bronze medallion showcasing the official seal of the University anchors the chain of office.

The History of Academic Regalia

The robes, hats and hoods worn by faculty members and graduates have historical origins and significance. During the Middle Ages, scholars at the earliest English and European universities wore wool or fur garments to stay warm in drafty stone buildings that were poorly heated. Most wore cloaks that included a hood that could be pulled up to keep their heads warm. The current academic gowns and hoods were adapted from both secular and clerical garments of the time.

The style of academic dress most frequently worn in the United States dates back to colonial times. The sleeves of the robes vary, depending on the degree held by the wearer. The head covering most commonly used in the United States is the square, tasseled "mortarboard." The

hood is the most distinctive feature of American academic dress. Hoods are lined with the colors of the institution that awards the degree, and may be faced with the color designating the degree awarded.

As you observe the hoods worn by candidates for graduate degrees, note that the colors of Pittsburg State University are embodied in the lining of the hood (crimson and gold), and the velvet trim indicates the degree (e.g., gold for Master of Science). The colors of the hoods of faculty and guests are those of the institution conferring the degree.

The Pittsburg State University Seal

The Pittsburg State University Seal, redesigned in 1994, reflects the mission of instruction, research and service and also symbolizes the history, traditions, and future of the University.



The first circle from the outside represents the University's future. The second circle identifies the University's name; the wheat sheafs symbolize the State of Kansas. The third circle includes the initials and dates for the previous names of the institution and identifies the mission of Pittsburg State University. The fourth circle contains an etching of the front entrance to Russ Hall with its four columns, the symbolic image of the University.

Change and progress give evidence of the dynamic development of Pittsburg State University from the founding of the State Manual Training Normal School in 1903 to the recognition in 1923 of the transformation of SMTN to Kansas State Teachers College, a comprehensive college educating teachers for the nation's elementary and secondary schools. From the very beginning, some graduates pursued careers in professional areas allied to their teaching degree. In 1959, KSTC became Kansas State College at Pittsburg, which recognized the expanded mission to educate students in the arts and sciences and in business, education, and technical fields for various professions and careers. In 1977, KSCP became Pittsburg State University to mark the transition from a college to a university with a range of undergraduate majors, graduate programs, and four organized schools in arts and sciences, business, education, and technology. The University embraced a common bond with all universities to pursue instruction, research and service.

One constant in the ten decades of Pittsburg State University is Russ Hall. Constructed in 1907 and opened in January 1908, it became the landmark first building that anchored SMTN as a permanent presence in higher education in Pittsburg, the State of Kansas, and the Nation. The doors to Russ Hall have admitted thousands of students during the University's history. Russ Hall forever stands as a tribute to the bold vision of the founders.

The National Anthem

Oh, say, can you see, by the dawn's early light,
What so proudly we hailed at the twilight's last gleaming?
Whose broad stripes and bright stars, thro' the perilous fight
O'er the ramparts we watched, were so gallantly streaming.
And the rockets red glare, the bombs bursting in air,
Gave proof through the night that our flag was still there.
Oh, say, does that star-spangled banner yet wave
O'er the land of the free and the home of the brave?

Pittsburg State University Alma Mater

On the plains of Southeast Kansas, 'Neath an ever cloudless sky,
Far away from surging ocean,
And the storm-bird's plaintive cry;
With her prairies rolling Westward,
Where the buffalo once were great,
With her ensign proudly waving,
Stands our own Pittsburg State.

Refrain

Let us greet the Gold and Crimson With a strong and cordial cheer, Let our hearts be ever loyal To our Alma Mater dear.

Pittsburg State University Brass Quintet

Carol Deats, Horn, Music Faculty, Pittsburg State University
Todd Hastings, Trumpet, Music Faculty, Pittsburg State University
Robert Kehle, Trombone, Music Faculty, Pittsburg State University
A. Douglas Whitten, Tuba, Music Faculty, Pittsburg State University
Dalton Nathaniel Williams, Trumpet, Graduating Senior, Pittsburg State University

Announcer
Chris Kelly, Associate Vice President, University Marketing and Communication

Assisted by
Paige Cortes, Intensive English Program Faculty (Friday)
Christine Mekkaoui, Director, Intensive English Program (Saturday)

