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COMMENCEMENT

Monday,
May 13, 2024

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Ceremony to Honor Graduates of 2023-2024
Normandale Community College
May 13, 2024

Processional *Procession of the Nobles, Pomp and Circumstance*

Administrator Honor Guards:
Dr. Colleen Brickle, *Dean of Health Sciences*
Erin Daly, *Dean of Academic Services*
Dr. Jeffrey F. Judge, *Dean of Humanities*
Avani Shah, *Dean of STEM*
Dr. Robert Muster, *Director of Nursing*

2023 Staff Member of Distinction:
Paige Wheeler, *Student Resource Center & Campus Cupboard Coordinator*

Welcome Dr. Joyce C. Ester
President

Greetings Jay Cowles
Board of Trustees
Minnesota State Colleges and Universities
Alvaro Marmolejo Davis
President of Faculty Association

Recognition of Selective Programs, Honor Students and Staff Member of Distinction Award Dara Hagen
Vice President of Student Affairs

Presentation of Distinguished Faculty Award Dr. Kristina Keller
Provost/Vice President of Academic Affairs

Faculty Remarks and Introduction of Student Speaker Dr. Willie Johnson
2023 Recipient of Distinguished Faculty Award

Student Remarks Hope Durenberger
Class of 2024 Graduate

Introduction of Distinguished Alumni Jill Boldenow
Vice President of Administration

Distinguished Alumni Remarks Lali Williams
President, MnDHA and Licensed Dental Hygienist

Presentation of Degree Candidates Dr. Kristina Keller

Conferring of Degrees Dr. Joyce C. Ester

Recessional *Aida's Grand March*



Following the ceremony, please meet your graduate in the lobby.
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Stage announcements by Sarah Pruchnicki

Ethan Alvia Abbe	Nicholas Murphy Ambrose	** Kayla Marie Billings	Deisy Berenice Cervantes Vivar
* Muse S Abdi	** Amanda Rose Ames	* Haley Birkholz	Christian Denis Ceurvorst
* Najma Omer Abdi	** Jessica Rae Anderl	Karen Louise Bjerke	Φ** Michael James Chabot
Φ** Riyana Bashir Abdi	* Alexis Elizabeth Anderson	* John Bjorlin	* Joseph Spencer Chang
Zahra Siraj Abdi	Carly Lois Anderson	Rosalba Abigail Blanco	** Sylvia Diamond Chann
Sumaya Abdihakin	* Diamond R Anderson	** Jenna Michelle Blohm	Cuihai Chen
** Fadumo Mahamed Abdilahi	* Elizabeth Ann Anderson	Φ* Brittney Lyn Blunt	Madison J Chesky
* Sara M Abdillahi	Elli K Anderson	Φ** Carter Boatman	Φ** Ayden Virak Chhunn
Ahmednur Abdullahi Abdirahman	Φ** Erin Sullivan Anderson	** Lainy Kathryn Boedecker	* Tristan Chin
* Mohamed Abdirisq	** Cady Jane Angell	Cody James Boller	* Diana N Chinokoro
Abdirisak Mohamed Abdullahi	** Olivia Noel Anselment	** Anna Borgenheimer	Malak Ahmad Chouman
* Faiza Muhamad Abdullahi	Edmund Mensah Antwi	Jolinna Vichitta Boutah	** Emmerson Eva Christiansen
Mathar Abdikadir Abdullahi	Diego Gabriel Arellano	* De'Von Aliza Bowens	Mohamed Abdifatah Ciise
* Sumaya Muse Abdullahi	Leslie Elena Cervantes-Arias	* Charisse Boyd	Φ** Vivian Lorene Clark
* Redwan Abdi Abib	Ladan Omar Artan	Austenn Christopher Bracken-Downs	** Gabriel Gene Clayton
* Fatima Y Aboney	* Mya Ashley Aryal	* Madison Camille Bradley	Amber Lynn Coates
* Nimet Kamal Abubaker	Shakhruz Ashurov	* Phillip Eugene Brassfield	* Priscilla Cole
* Cynthia L Acosta	* Eyassu Lijalem Asrat	* Franklin Deiman Brezee	Alexis Vicente Constantino Lopez
** Payton Christine Adam	Φ** Kimberly Atziri Ayala Flores	Φ** Destry James Brink	* Kristina Ann Cooke
* Maryan Osman Adan	** Joyce B Aziz	** Audrey Elizabeth Brokaw	Φ** Ainsley Grace Cooper
** Manazil Omar Aden	Φ** Monika Magdalena Baani	Aakash Robert Brown	Alyssa Rose Cortez
Milgo Saleban Aden	Hannah Lin Bacon	* Aliya Nabil Browne	Φ** Katherine Lynn Costello
Selena Aguilar	Φ** Liam August Bagge	Alyonah Marie Brownrigg	Φ** Hayley J Cox
Hamdiya Ibrahim Ahmat	Emma R Bahe	Φ** Erin Bryan-Jeffries	* Tyler Joseph Cox
Afifa Abdinasir Ahmed	** Olena Bak	Φ* Kailey Aun Brynildson	* Amber Marie Crogan
** Ayub Abdirashid Ahmed	David Baker	Owen Robert Buhler	Owen Cummins
* Salis Mohamed Ahmed	Devan Bradley Ballantine	Amina Dahir Bundid	John Lucian Curran
* Muhammad Ali Ahsan	** Hyo Duck Gwak Ballsrud	** April Elizabeth Bur	** Hannah Elizabeth Curtis
** Mercy Ebnoluwa Akindemowo	** Rawwratram Balraj	* Bronte Ambrose Cole Burt	Φ* Paulina Sheila Dablaka
Faiza Salah Al Shammari	Omar Baltierrez	* Benjamin Andrew Bury	Abdi Abdullahi Dahir
** Jeffrey Alarcon-Mendez	Caden Christopher Barber	** Peter J Busch	Satho Ibrahim Dahir
* Mason Jacob Albee	** Daniel Patrick John Barberio	Φ** Brooke Butcher	* Kirstin Marie Davids
** Jo Ann Joy Patricia Albrecht	** Kimberli Alice Barker	* Amy Lynn Buzay	* Ezra Davidson-Long
** Jazzmyna Amanda Alcenat	** Dellia Barrett	* Noemi Cadena	Edwin Javier Davila
Abdikadir Abdikariim Ali	Hudayfi M Barsug	Alex Guillermo Calero	** Claire August Davis
* Ayan A Ali	* Mackenzie J Bartells	Amal Siyaad Cali	Φ** Jessica M Dawson
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* Mohamed Adan Ali	Φ** Bobby Dale Beasley	* Meghan Rachele Campos	* Shane Dearham
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Φ** Hafsa Abdulmalik Ali-Daar	Saham Osman Belel	** Hanna LeeAnn Carlson	** Ava Emily Decker
** Joshua George Allen	* Maryam Anees Bender	** Zachary Alexander Carney	** Peder DeFor
** Logan Lawrence Allen	Φ** Nicholas A Benson	Φ* Cherry Carpio Welter	* Margaret Sue DeForge
* Lauren Elizabeth Allison	Φ* Nicole Benson	Stanley Kealoha Carter	* Abdirashid Aden Dek
Φ** Maximillion R Almgren-Bersie	** Arina Natalia Berg	Aidan Thomas Carver	** Noelani Ruth Dela Paz
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Φ* Nadia Muawieh Al-Yasin	* Hana Gebar Beyene	* Julieta Cervantes Garcia	* Ahloa Rae DeLong
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* Peri Lin Deshler	Ella Fadden	* Brodie Jay Gohlke	Abdirahman Baabuu Hassan
* Sree Shruti Devu	Adan Onibag Falcon	** Sarah L Golden	Ali Salad Hassan
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* Hallie Grace Dickey	Rayan Feysal Farah	** Adriana Guadalupe Gonzalez Rodriguez	* Peter Roy Hatteberg
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* Macy Ruth Dickman	Sarah Jane Farnham	Elaine Cathryn Gose	* Ahmed M Haybe
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Schadrach Diya Doble	Φ** Sage Alane Filmore	* Elizabeth Erma Gripp	Ethan Michael Hemmesch
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* Mark Vincent Dooley	* Abigail Ruth Fjare	** Michael Paige Grotpeter	* Abraham Luke Henson
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** Amaya J Doree	Carin Folk	** Anthony Guarnera	** Sadie Ann Hergert-Atkinson
Alayna Grace Dorle	Φ** Ian Spencer Foss	Megan Katherine Guetter	Angie Hernandez
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Naima Abdiwali Mohamed	* Phillip L Nguyen	* Triston Jay Perkins	** Elizabeth Rivera Soto
Nasteha Mohamed	Brandy Huu Nguyen	* Olivia Nicole Perse	Thomas Mattew Roan
Nuseima A Mohamed	Tran Nguyen	** Kathleen Rose Peter	E girl Eda Rockson
* Ramla Khaliif Mohamed	** Vy Nguyen	Ryan Skye Peters	* Areisi Marilu Rodriguez
Sagal Azhar Mohamed	Nhimpanha Nhep	Alex John Petersen	Melanie Aradne Rodriguez
* Sadio Mohamud	Φ** Rochelle Marie Nibbe	* Emma Joy Peterson	* Brady Jackson Roegiers
* Zaham Hussein Mohamud	* Mekalah Anne Nicewaner	** Evan James Peterson	Morgan Valentina Roehl
Φ** Daniel John Molhoek	Samuel Alden Nicholson	* Dylan James Petsche	Φ Steven Douglas Rogers
* Delilah Molina	* Nikolas John Niemi	** Dai Thuy Anh Pham	* Micaiah L Roland
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* Daniel Shane Monahan	Mumtas Nasir Noor	Sreynoun Phan	* Nicole Laisha Roman
** Skye Moore	Φ** Lyla Mae Northup	Φ** Kianna Marie Phillips	** Abish Roman Alday
Amy Michelle Morales-Sanchez	Raheli Sajie Nswebe	Peyton Elizabeth Phillips	Rolando Javier Romero
Samantha Kay Moreau	Eli Abuta Nyamburi	Tyler Duane Phongsavat	Whitaker Steven Root
* Clayton Paul Morgel	** Steveniece Tiernie Oakland	** Jany Phratsachack	** Alexa Rosas
** Ella Rose Marie Morin	Melissa A O'Brien	Melanie Charisse Pichardo Terrones	* Cynthia Rosas
* Darwin Enrique Morocho	** Cole William Oelkers	** Hannah Elise Pilati-Warner	* William Albert Rose
Φ Jeremy Paul Morrison	Meganne Frances Ogden	* Malik Martin Plourde	** Joseph Viktor Rova
* Samantha Tabitha Mosallam	Jill Ann Miller O'Hara	** Hans Gideon Poole	Jessica Ann Rovner
Harun Oumer Muhammed	Φ** Ebruphihor B Okan	Brenda Jeaninne Portillo Ravel	** Lola Madelyn Bond Rubens
Farhan Omar Muhumed	Mya Rachael Olivo	* Monica Naily Posligua	David James Rudenko
** Jordan James Mullin	Journey Paige Olson	Φ** Fonda LeeAnn Powell	* Luke Wayne Rudolph
* Mubarak Mume	* Morgan Lynn Olson	* Jennifer Fatima Prado	Manuel Ruiz Pineda
** Sarah Elizabeth Mundstock	Φ** Noah S Olson	Kendall Anne Prchal	Brittney Marie Ruscheinsky Pliego
** Honora Louise Murphy	Olivia Grace Olson	** Karsyn Jaede Priess	Φ** Tenley Mae Rutledge
* Zahara Arab Mursal	* Riley Marie Olson	Theresa M Pueringer	** Anastasiya S Ryazanova
** Aisha Jama Muse	Φ** Samuel Aaron Olson	Christopher Victor Punchard	** Frederick Mathew Rye
Katherine MuTindi Musyoka	Asma Souleiman Omar	Φ** Danielle Nicole Pung	* Yahya M Saeed
* Heneeya A Myrick	* Mushtaq Abshir Omar	Φ** Adalia Margaret Putman	* Adam I Said
Claire Vivian Nahan	* Sumaya Mohammed Omar	Φ** Dhoha Ibrahim Qasem	Weston James Saign
Kyle Patrick Nalley	Hani Omer	Mohamed Sadak Qasim	* Julissa Sarahi Salas Martinez
Φ* Seng Nam	* Rachel Onsongo	Pablo Quintero	Φ* Francisco Javier Salinas Vega
Jenna Caroline Naples	Rachel Abigail Ortega Gamino	Φ** Rayann Jessica Rademacher	Jhiezer B Sanchez
Abrecia Adre Nasset	Bella Magnolia Ortiz	* Mary C Rahme	* Maria Jose Sanchez
Shabana Nassiri	Φ** Ekram Egalle Osman	** Lily Rose Raichert	** Diana Sanchez Juarez
Φ* Matthew Joseph Nauth	Retone Fuad Osman	** Jenna L Rankila	Mariana Lizeth Sanchez Lopez
Φ** Anya Jacki Naylor	** Matthew Jason Ostrander	Jenna Rasmusson	* Joshua Thomas Sand
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Φ** Isack Joel Ndosi	Allison Marie Ott	Christopher Gale Reid	Φ* Jordan B Sandvig
Φ* Audrey Maria Negri	Cooper Anthony Oudekerk	Jason JohnPatrick Reiter	Matthew Allan Sather
** Amy M Nelson	Dominick Zachary Palacios	Daniel Karl Retzlaff	* Brooke Elsie Sauter
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Benjamin Errol Neupauer	Φ** Heaven Wondmu Pawlos	** Garrett Anthony Rikkola	** Joseph Carl Scheck
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* Rebecca Marie New	Kathryn Elizabeth Pearson	* Jacob Lauritz Rimnac	Sydney Marie Schliesing
* Anh Huynh Nguyen	** Charity Ann Pedersen	Melissa Ann Rios	Zachary William Schmidt
Φ** Destiny Nguyen	** Samuel Jarrod Pellicci	Eleydi Yoatzin Rios Hernandez	Michelle Lee Schmitz
Henry J Nguyen	Φ* Maria G Pena Chavez	Taylor Rae Ristow	Riley Titus Schmitz

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Karen Christine Schultz	** Madison Ann Stier	Thomas Trinh	** Lilyana Marie Wilhelmy
* Brandon Nicholas Schwab	* Donald F Stille	Bonso Daniel Tufa	Adam John Wilkerson
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* Delaney J Scurr	Φ* Joseph Howard Stotts	* Kelsea Lynn Tyson	Φ** Graham Randall Wilson
** Elias Mohammed Seid	* Allysa Rae Stoupa	Siri Mae Underdahl	** Jack Travis Wilson
* Aleksey Andrey Semenov	* Mackenzie Catherine Stricker	* Kimberly Uraga Garcia	Larissa Ann Wilson
* Elian Senica	* Mahad Rehan Subhan	** Danielle Raye Ussatis	Φ** Talia Nichole Winkley
Toleen Ayman Shahin	Giovanna Bussoni Suenaga	* Beverly Melissa Valdez	Trent A Witz
** David Shannon	* Emily Jane Simanek Sullivan	* Briceida Valdez Zaragoza	Emily Nicole Woody
Blaine D Shanstrom	Tammy J Sutherland	Ashton Ryan Van Bergen	Φ** JianFei Wu
Sydney L Sheehan	John Taylor Swanberg	** Chue Vang	Lauren Kate Wulf
Φ** Najma Ahmed Sheikhomar	Φ** Claire Margaret Swanson	Si-feng Ethan Vang	** Jachia Cyan Wurm
Φ** Nicole Lorraine Sherman	Ahnna Joelle Swedenborg	Vin Chai Vang	Katelyn Cua Xiong
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* Liudmila Shpak	* Corey Steven Tall	* Pamela Brigitte Vega-Rubio	** Kevin Yan
Φ Bisharo Hussein Shukri	Φ** Richard Tamayo Montoya	Φ* Jaqueline Velez Gonzalez	Φ** Rayan Yasin
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Michael Charles Siegel	Φ* Marni Rae Tarman	** Naidelyn Michelt Villanueva Lopez	** YooLee Yi
* Maddex London Siewert-Bishop	** Christopher Stephen Tarr	Quetzali A Villasenor-Lira	Φ* Hannah Nicole Yoshitani
* Carlos J Silva Delgado	Φ** Daniel Tarrios	* Lydia W Vincent	μ Connor Robert Youngquist
Φ** Jacy Dakota Simmons	Korall Eve Tartaglia	** Brian H Vo	Samira M Yusuf
Φ** Vivian June Simons	Olivia Noel Tate	* Benjamin Forest Vogel	* Alyssa Mckenzie Zahn
Ben Warren Simser	** Ava Nicole Taylor	** Janet Von Gillern	Arman Zakeri Fardi
** Sukalyan Sinha Roy	Φ* Morgan Alexander Teats	** Gavin Kieffer Wagner	Arman Zargarian
Φ Joseph Walker Skinner	Natalie Jean Tell	** Natalie Wagner	Yolanda Myrtie Zarzar
Wyatt Calder Sklaney	* Abel Tirunch Temesgen	Payton Leigh Wagner	* Andrea Grace Zavada
Abigail Ann Smith	Φ** Blake Robert Thomas	* Bebelia Wal	Karla Morcerrat Zavala Rodriguez
Celeste Smith	** Grace Marie Thomas	Megan Anastasia Walkup	Robel Tewordos Zena
Lucy Rita Ann Snider	** Makayla Marie Margaret Thomas	* Zion Rebecca Walls	Matthew James Zielinski
Φ** Victoria P Soderholm Aliaga	William Avery Thompson	Ellie Christine Ward	
** Anita Sok	** Hannah Marie Thornton	* Catherine Ann Warner	
Thidapovkunthea Sokhon	** Alycia Capri Thramer	Asha Abdulnasir Warsame	
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Keilyn Mishel Sotomayor Piedra	* Son Thai To	Jessica Gwyn Watson	
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* Weston Spicer	** Kelly Elizabeth Torbenson	** Taylor Lyn Watts	
* Jessica Lee Spies	Devon Michael Torres	Sophie Marie Wawracz	
Jonathon Alexander Spolar	Jonaldy Ronaldo Torres Hernandez	** Berlin Beverly Webster	
** Leah Elizabeth Spranger	* Ivonne Lizeth Tovar-Huertas	** Nathaniel Brian Weekley	
* Gavin Nathaniel Stacey	Danny Duy Tran	Kay D Weems	
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Φ** Mason Elizabeth Cleo Stanke	** Nguyen Quang Truong Tran	* Trinity Mae Welsh	
Ava Starita	Φ** Viet Anh Huy Tran	Φ Kelley Ann Welu	
Madison Grace Steffens	* Rokia Traore	* Zachary Isaiah Whittington	
** Ion Stejar	* Treshaun L Travis	Φ** Reyna Kathlyn Wick	

Academic Honors

For the purposes of this ceremony, honors are determined by all college-level Normandale Community College coursework completed through January 1, 2024. Final honors will be determined by all college-level coursework completed at Normandale at the time of graduation.

* Honors	3.00 through 3.49 grade point average (gold tassel)
** High Honors	3.50 through 4.00 grade point average (gold tassel and honors medallion)
Φ Phi Theta Kappa	International scholastic honor society for two-year colleges (gold stole)
μ Mu Alpha Theta	National High School and Two-Year College Mathematics Honor Society (sky blue and gold cords)

Other Recognition

United States military veterans are identified by a dark blue stole and service members are identified by a red, white and blue cord.

A Little Bit of History...

Academic Tradition: The beginnings of academic tradition in the United States date from the second Tuesday in the month of August 1642, when the first American commencement was held at Harvard University. Yale University bestowed the first doctor of philosophy degree in 1861. These first commencements, as a reminder of how much tradition has changed, featured degree candidates who demonstrated their learning with debates and orations, usually in Latin or Greek.

Costume History: Medieval and early renaissance universities of Europe are the source of academic costume. The caps and gowns now worn for commencement are variations of the elaborate billowing robes and intricate hats originally used to combat the chill in the drafty and unheated halls of 12th and 13th century institutions. Throughout the ages, the design of academic costume evolved not with fashion but with architecture; the individuality of each institution was represented by color, fabric, and accessories. Furs, lace, gold trim appliqués, and hoods indicated not only college, but also what rank and degree had been attained.

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