

ONE HUNDRED AND NINETY-FIFTH
COMMENCEMENT

Residential Quadrangle
LaGrange College
LaGrange, Georgia
May 9, 2026
8:30 a.m.



LAGRANGE
COLLEGE

LaGrange College

Founded in 1831 by what would become the United Methodist Church, LaGrange College embraces its history with the Wesleyan, liberal arts traditions. Our community's life and work are rooted in the Wesleyan notion of education as not just informative, but also transformative: connecting mind, body, and heart. We carry on John Wesley's passion for making education broadly accessible. We do this by striving to meet each student where they are and by valuing them for who they are.

Through an interdisciplinary, broad-based general education curriculum, rigorous study in the major disciplines, innovative learning opportunities and integrative co-curricular programs, LaGrange College students encounter experiences that challenge and inspire them to develop intellectually, socially, and spiritually.

Understanding the necessity of informed thought directed toward responsible decision making, the academic programs of the college provide opportunities for students to grow in their ability to communicate effectively, to encounter the world with critical insight, and to approach problems and opportunities with creativity.

Aware of the global nature of 21st-century learning and living, the college provides multiple opportunities for students to experience distant cultures and diverse peoples through study-away options, language study, internships, and a wide exposure to collegiate events – all in the context of academic study and action that foster responsible, sustainable stewardship.

Our Mission

We challenge the minds and inspire the souls of our students, preparing them to become successful, responsible citizens who pursue lives of integrity, service, and lifelong learning.

Our Vision

To be an innovative institution, holistically educating our students to connect with and contribute to an ever-changing world.

Our Values

As an institution, we value the inherent worth of every human being, the pursuit of lifelong learning and development, integrity and moral courage, spiritual growth, and service to our community and to our world.

Academic Regalia

The word “academic” applies to activities related to a body of people banded together in scholarly, scientific, and artistic effort. Its name comes from Academus, a hero of the Trojan War, whose name was used to identify a place in Athens where Plato met his students.

The earliest universities, with the exception of El-Azhar in Cairo, began in Italy. The University of Paris was established between 1150 and 1170, with German and English universities coming a little later. Teachers were not brought together as a faculty body in the current sense until the founding of the University of Salerno in the 9th century.

As most professors were members of the clergy and many of the students were preparing for the priesthood, a costume was adopted that was similar to the robes of monks, but with distinguishing marks to indicate that these professors were scholars. Originally, robes were worn for warmth and the caps to keep shaved heads from getting cold. Touches of color were added for distinction and a mortarboard to the caps for ceremony.

In 1895 a basic design was adopted by representatives from leading American colleges and universities to denote a difference between the robes of bachelor’s, master’s, and doctoral degree holders. In 1935 and again in 1960, the American Council of Education amended the earlier code.

The bachelor’s gown is without ornamentation and has long pointed sleeves. A black tassel is worn on the cap. The master’s gown has longer sleeves that are closed at the bottom, but have an opening in the sides of the sleeves for the arm. A black tassel is worn on the cap. The doctoral robe, worn open or closed at the front, has long bell-shaped sleeves, a full-length lapel of velvet, and three velvet bars on the sleeves. A gold tassel is worn on the cap. The presidential robe has the addition of a fourth chevron on each sleeve indicating office and leadership rather than solely academic achievement.

Hoods denote both the field of study and the school from which the highest degree was received. The colors on the lining indicate the school. The field colors seen in the LaGrange College procession are as follows:

Arts, Letters, Humanities.....	White	Music	Pink
Business Administration.....	Drab	Nursing.....	Apricot
Education.....	Light Blue	Philosophy.....	Dark Blue
Fine Arts.....	Brown	Political Science.....	Citron
Foreign Language.....	Double Gold	Science.....	Gold
History.....	White	Sociology.....	Citron
Law	Purple	Speech and Drama.....	Silver Gray
Library Science	Lemon	Theology	Scarlet

Honor Societies Regalia

Some of LaGrange College's graduates are members of academic honorary societies; their cords and stoles denote the particular society and are described below.

ALPHA MU GAMMA

Foreign Language (double gold cords)

BETA BETA BETA

Biology (red and green cords)

CHI SIGMA IOTA

Counseling (blue and gold cords)

DELTA MU DELTA

Business (purple and gold cords)

HONOR COUNCIL

(gold stoles)

KAPPA DELTA PI

Education (purple and green twined cords with purple tassels)

NURSING HONOR SOCIETY

(lavender cords)

OMICRON DELTA KAPPA

Leadership (sky blue, black and white cords)

PHI ALPHA THETA

History (blue and red cords)

PI SIGMA ALPHA

Political Science (red, black and white cords)

PSI CHI

Psychology (blue and white medallions attached to blue ribbons and light blue stoles)

SIGMA TAU DELTA

English (red and black cords)

THETA ALPHA KAPPA

Religious Studies (red cord)

MACE BEARER

Dr. Sharon Livingston

GONFALON BEARER

Delacey Wilkerson '26

2026 CLASS BANNER

Aria Mabry '26

FACULTY MARSHALS

Dr. Jack Slay

Dr. Carol Yin

STUDENT MARSHALS

Dr. William Paschal

Dr. William Yin

JUNIOR HONOR MARSHALS

Hannah Barnett '27

Madison Chauvin '27

Caden Glover '27

Jason Hardin '27



LaGrange College Mace

LaGrange archivist Randy Allen '73 designed and carved the mace for the inauguration of President F. Stuart Gulley in 1997. The mace, carried in the academic procession as a link with tradition, dates back to the Middle Ages, when it was considered a weapon and was designed to be used against enemies wearing suits of armor. When technology changed and suits of armor became obsolete, the mace became known more as a symbol of power and authority. As universities emerged in Europe, the ruling monarchs granted some of their authority to the institutions. To symbolize the authority, the university was allowed to have a mace. Today, colleges and universities use the academic mace to symbolize the authority they have to grant degrees and their charge to maintain high educational standards.

The LaGrange College mace is made of black walnut. The top of the mace is four-faceted with carvings of the United Methodist flame, historic Smith Hall, the rose window of the Chapel, and the College seal. The mace is a symbol for the authority of the Office of the President. It serves to remind LaGrange College of its long-standing relationship with The United Methodist Church, its mission, and its faith in the future. It is carried in the procession by the president of the LaGrange College Faculty Assembly.

LaGrange College Gonfalon

The gonfalon was a banner or ensign used by various Italian republics or in ecclesiastical processions. The LaGrange College gonfalon is carried in the procession by the undergraduate student who has the highest cumulative grade point average in this year's graduating class.

The Platform Party

as seated from left to right

Dr. Sharon Livingston

Professor of Education, President of Faculty Assembly

Rev. Ashley Fitzpatrick Jenkins '08

Chaplain and Director of Spiritual Life and Church Relationships

Bill Plybon

Chair of the Board of Trustees

Dr. Susanna L. Baxter

President

Robert L. Carmichael, Jr.

Charles Christopher Joseph

Bishop Robin Dease

Georgia Episcopal Area of the United Methodist Church

Dr. Maranah Sauter

Interim Vice President for Academic Affairs

Amber Baldrige '07

Registrar

Zentrina Choice '26

Recipient of the 2026 Waights G. Henry, Jr., Leadership Award

Delacey Wilkerson '26

Aria Mabry '26





Commencement Ceremony

*Please stand if you are able

***PROCESSIONAL** John Mohr Mackintosh Pipes and Drums

WELCOME President Susanna L. Baxter

INVOCATION Rev. Ashley Jenkins '08

MUSICAL PRESENTATION The LaGrange College Singers

"Where the Light Begins"

Composer: Susan LaBarr, Lyricist: Jan Richardson

PRESENTATION OF SENIOR GIFT President Baxter
Abby Hefner '26

**INTRODUCTION OF THE 2026
WAIGHTS G. HENRY, JR.,
LEADERSHIP AWARD RECIPIENT** Dr. Maranah Sauter

**WAIGHTS G. HENRY, JR.,
LEADERSHIP ADDRESS** Zentrina Delsalise Choice '26

**PRESENTATION OF THE
DISTINGUISHED SERVICE
ALUMNI AWARD** Dr. Joy Baker Leaks '02
President, Alumni Association

Spencer King '00

**PRESENTATION OF
HONORARY DEGREES** President Baxter

Robert L. Carmichael Jr. H'22
Charles Christopher Joseph

COMMENCEMENT ADDRESS Bishop Robin Dease

CONFERRING OF DEGREES

It is our tradition to read all names, though not all may be in attendance.

Doctor of Education	Bachelor of Science in Nursing
Education Specialist	Bachelor of Science
Master of Education	Bachelor of Music
Master of Arts in Teaching	Bachelor of Business Administration
Master of Arts in Clinical Mental Health Counseling	Bachelor of Arts
Master of Science in Clinical Mental Health Counseling	Associate of Arts

Assisting President Baxter in the conferring of degrees:
Bill Plybon, Dr. Sauter, and Amber Baldrige

***THE ALMA MATER**

Traditional
Lyrics: Dolly Jones House 1914
Led by the LC Singers

Hail to thee, our Alma Mater,
Guardian of our days;
For thy spirit never failing
We will sing thy praise.

High aloft we hold thy banner,
Ever loyal true;
And to thee, our Alma Mater,
We our pledge renew.

In thy mighty groves of learning
Wisdom's path we've sought;
High upon thy lofty hilltop
Visions have been wrought.

From our hearts we sing the chorus
Time shall never change.
Hail to thee, our Alma Mater,
Hail to thee, LaGrange.

***BENEDICTION**

Rev. Jenkins

***RECESSIONAL**

John Mohr Mackintosh Pipes and Drums

Bishop Robin Dease

Commencement Speaker

Bishop Robin Dease is resident bishop of the Georgia Episcopal Area of the United Methodist Church, including the North Georgia and South Georgia conferences.

A native of New York, she received her bachelor's degree at Claflin University in Orangeburg, South Carolina, and a Master of Divinity and a Doctor of Ministry in Stewardship at Wesley Theological Seminary in Washington, D.C. In addition, Bishop Dease taught courses as an adjunct professor and then chair of the religion and philosophy department at Claflin University.

She made history in 2023 as the first African American bishop to serve the North Georgia Conference of the United Methodist Church. Previously, Bishop Dease served as pastor and district superintendent in the South Carolina Conference of the United Methodist Church.

In 2024, she became bishop of the new Georgia Episcopal Area of the United Methodist Church. A



year later, she received the Silver Torch Award, a national recognition presented to recipients who have given faithful service to The United Methodist Church at the regional, national or international level.

At LaGrange College, Bishop Dease serves on the Board of Trustees.

Robert L. Carmichael Jr. HA'22

Doctor of Humane Letters

Bobby Carmichael is a retired businessman whose guiding leadership played an instrumental role in the progress of LaGrange College and the broader community.

He earned a bachelor's degree in accounting from Auburn University and a graduate degree from Louisiana State University's School of Banking.

Carmichael held key positions within the City of LaGrange, including executive director of both the Development Authority of LaGrange and the Downtown LaGrange Development Authority, from which he retired from in 2018. Prior to his city roles, he was the president of Commercial Bank and Trust for 22 years, a Certified Public Accountant for seven years and a Captain in the U.S. Army.

At LaGrange College, he first came onto the Board of Trustees in 1994 and served multiple terms as a member, vice chair and chair. Carmichael was an integral part of the college's three most recent presidential search committees. He began his service at the College as a member of Leadership Council. He received the Honorary Alumni Award in 2022.

Carmichael's volunteer work includes serving as chairman in



the following organizations: LaGrange-Troup County Chamber of Commerce, West Georgia Health System, First United Methodist Church Council, United Way, LaGrange Development Authority, Downtown LaGrange Development Authority, LaGrange Rotary Club, West Georgia Tech Foundation, Georgia Bankers Association and Georgia Department of Human Resources. He was also a board member in the Private Colleges and Universities Authority of Georgia. Bobby Carmichael lives in LaGrange with his wife Molly.

Charles Christopher Joseph

Doctor of Humane Letters

Chris Joseph is a retired business owner and city leader deeply invested in the community of LaGrange, Georgia, where generations of his family have operated the Charlie Joseph's restaurant for more than a century.

He graduated with a Bachelor of Science degree in business administration with a concentration in accounting from Auburn University.

Joseph built a 51-year career as a Certified Public Accountant, beginning at Lybrand, Ross, Brother & Montgomery now known as PricewaterhouseCoopers and then went on to co-found Gay & Joseph, CPA. in 1974 in LaGrange. He retired from the industry in 2021.

Within city government, Joseph served as a councilman for 10 years and mayor for four years. His leadership extended into his previous volunteer roles as LaGrange Chamber of Commerce board president, LaGrange Kiwanis Club president, Highland Country Club president and founder of LaGrange Sports Authority's "I Train in LaGrange" program during the 1996 Atlanta Olympics. Joseph also held membership



positions on the LaGrange City Board of Education, Community Bank & Trust, Leadership Georgia, Georgia Municipal Association, the Governor's Commission on Georgia Growth and the President's Council at LaGrange College. For eight years he served on the College's Leadership Council.

He devotes time to his faith as Finance Council Chair and Eucharistic Minister at St Peter's Catholic Church. Chris Joseph lives in LaGrange with his wife Emily.

Spencer King '00

Distinguished Service Alumni Award

Spencer King '00 graduated with a bachelor's degree in computer science from LaGrange College and has spent more than two decades since giving back to the college that shaped him.

At LaGrange College, King brings a steady and committed presence, serving as a current member of the Alumni Executive Council, past president of the Alumni Association, and an ex-officio member of the Board of Trustees. As a student, he was a member of Pi Kappa Phi Fraternity, the Student Government Association and Hilltoppers.

For twenty-five years, King has worked at the Chick-fil-A Corporate Support Center in Atlanta, where he has built a career in Information Technology, rising to Senior Principal Team Leader in the Infrastructure and Network group. He exudes the same spirit of servant leadership at his work, championing a people-first culture, mentoring his team and delivering results with integrity.



King extends his service into the community of Smyrna, Georgia, where he and his wife, Meg, are raising their three children, Hattie, Philip and Sam. He volunteers as a little league baseball coach and serves as an Elder and children's church teacher at Smyrna Presbyterian Church.

Zentrina Delsalise Choice '26

Waights G. Henry, Jr., Leadership Award

Zentrina Choice is an Elementary Education major with minor in Servant Leadership.

She is president of Black Student Union, a Wilkinson Family Servant Scholar, a Lettie Pate Whitehead Scholar, a volleyball captain and a member of the Student-Athlete Advisory Committee.

Zentrina has volunteered with LaGrange Active Life and Yvette's Little World, a local early learning center. She also participated in community outreach events with Black Student Union, including creating cards for a local nursing home and creating Halloween candy bags for Ethel Kight Elementary School.

As a Supplemental Instruction leader, she hosted collaborative learning sessions and created interactive activities for exams and quiz preparation.

Zentrina's academic and athletic accolades include being named to the Vice President for Academic Affairs List and receiving the Collegiate Conference of the South's All-Sportsmanship Team honor and the Education



Department's Ethyl Ault Service Award.

In the classroom, she has served as a student teacher at Hillcrest Elementary School, where she engaged with students during small group activities, created lesson plans and led whole group lessons.

After graduation, Zentrina plans to teach fifth grade at Riverdale Elementary School this fall.

Class of 2026

DOCTOR OF EDUCATION

Alkina Warner Avery
Karishma Bakshani
Marlena W. Bell
Erin Meredith Blake
Christopher Jerome Bolling
Yashica Moana Crowley Brooks
Leslie Nikole Chadwick
Dekima Daniels
Carrie Lynn DeBilzan
Tara Jeanne Felts Fryer
Chance M. Giddens

Margaret Horne
Kelli J. Jeffries
Sara Skinner Kight
Rebecca Ruth Mitchell
Angela M Monell
Jamie Mosley-Rambo
Rajeswari Narasimhan
Jerilyn Denise Robinson
Margaret Toth Scott
Dacia Logan Sheffield
Jessica Paige Thompson

SPECIALIST IN EDUCATION IN CURRICULUM & INSTRUCTION

Gertrude Rose Alford
Brittany Lashawn Arnold
Amy Dawn Barnes
Florence E. Barnett
Morgan Danielle Cocchi
Chelsea Dione Dickerson
Alexis Shandrea Fuller
Heather Thompson Gould
Wateiria Janaeshaun Hall
Kaila Blakely Hurtado
Christian Jontyle Kendrick
Brandilyn N. Kessler

Omar Andra Mitchell
Phillip Bruce Pike, III
Jennifer L Robinson
Carissa Royer-Bryan
Lauren Michelle Rush
Christopher Seldon
Andrew Christopher Smith
Dontauneia Avett Traylor
Janecha N Welch
Christina Williams
Cassie Lynn Yates

MASTER OF EDUCATION

Jewell Cordelia Adams

Whitney Barton

Madison Dekker

Desmond Fogle

Christopher Guthrie

Nakita Rena Hammond

Ukari Shanea Parkmond

Zoe Michelle Wyche

Curriculum & Instruction

Curriculum & Instruction

Curriculum & Instruction

Higher Education Administration

Higher Education Administration

Curriculum & Instruction

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MASTER OF ARTS IN TEACHING

Jaquavion Avery

Derek Baldrige

Demetrius Alexander Beverly

Corinthians Brown

Madison Dennis Buchanan

Brandon Nathaniel Crawford

Grant Maxwell Evans

Jonathan William Fleckenstein

Tabetha Marie Grantham

Christopher Franklin Jones

Milo Baird Law

Tatiana Shari Maldonado

Adele Robinson Rodriguez

Nicholas Wheeless

Darrell Willis

Pedagogy

Pedagogy

Pedagogy

Pedagogy

Pedagogy

Pedagogy

Pedagogy

Pedagogy

Elementary Education

Pedagogy

Pedagogy

Pedagogy

Pedagogy

Pedagogy

Pedagogy

MASTER OF ARTS IN CLINICAL MENTAL HEALTH COUNSELING

Sarah Newman

MASTER OF SCIENCE IN CLINICAL MENTAL HEALTH COUNSELING

Chinelo Aghaji Brown
Destiny Nyla Akkerman
Akilah Alexander
Jennifer Marie Burns
Aubrie Madison Cardwell
Breanna N. Cochran
Mayla Daniel
Briana Forrester-Jack
Giavanna Gardiner
Hannah Luella Marchman
Geetha Naidu
Yvette Njan Essounga
Tiffany Payton
Isamar Pena

Dazia Escel Potts
Naimah Raheem
Tameka Lashay Reed
Kamal Riggins
Megan Elizabeth Searfoss
April Seid
Timothy J. Sparks
Molly Elizabeth Stretch
Hana Rose Swales
Naomi Tatum
Jonyka Ollie'via Tenney
Maggie Lynn White
Maritza Estefania Zurita Orellana

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN NURSING

Jordan Alexa Alexis
Laila Simone Clark Battle
Olivia Anne Braun
Hannah Raine Brown
Summa Cum Laude
Jimmy Cancino
Claire A. Chamberlain
Cum Laude
Landyn Crocker
Olivia Grace Dusterdieck
Kaleb Issac Gonzalez
Carley Hernandez

Isabelle Katherine Herren
Brianna Nicole Hill
Cum Laude
Haley Marie Hurst
Shelby M Knudsen
Maggie Bennette Loibl
Miya Ohanna Mayfield
with Distinction
Katelyn V. Minnihan
Margaret Jolee Tyson
Bobbi Abigail Whitaker

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE

Andreas Honore Anderson
Carson Burgamy

Courtney Marie Cannon
Andrew Anthony Cole
Lauren Nicole Duffell
Magna Cum Laude
Lauren Nicole Duffell
Magna Cum Laude

Lucas Gregory Duke
Tyson Duncan
Cum Laude

Skylar Edwards
Magna Cum Laude

James Parker Gonzalez
Abby Leigh Hefner
Tyler Hudson
Cum Laude

Emerson Grace Johnson
Magna Cum Laude

Trystin Neil Merson
Cum Laude

Jackie Morman
Cum Laude

Marti Musciano-Howard
Madelyn Brooke Orton
Summa Cum Laude

Biology
Exercise Science: Sport
& Human Performance
Biology
Exercise Science: Allied Health
Biochemistry

Biology

Biology
Exercise Science: Allied Health

Exercise Science: Allied Health

Psychological Science
Accountancy
Exercise Science: Allied Health

Biochemistry

Accountancy

Mathematics

Biology
Accountancy

Meredith Julia Orton

Magna Cum Laude

Martin Prlender

Magna Cum Laude

Aiden Psalmonds

Brodie Walker Scott

Cum Laude

Chase Allan Shelton

Magna Cum Laude

Amrita Singh

Cum Laude

Bryce Stephens

Morgan Mills White

Cum Laude

Charles Whitlow

Magna Cum Laude

Delacey Raine Wilkerson

Summa Cum Laude

Mathematics

Accountancy

Accountancy

Accountancy

Biology

Exercise Science: Allied Health

Exercise Science: Allied Health

Biology

Exercise Science:

Sport & Human Performance

Biochemistry

BACHELOR OF MUSIC

Trenton Dillard

Cum Laude

Music Production &

Audio Engineering

BACHELOR OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

Ford Barnes <i>Cum Laude</i>	Marketing & Entrepreneurship
Matthew Bradley Bilbo	Sports Management
Sean Christian Carter	Marketing & Entrepreneurship
Tyler Nicholas Cunningham	Marketing & Entrepreneurship
Evan Lucas Graham <i>Magna Cum Laude</i>	Sports Management
Jaylan Maricus Harris	Sports Management
Trenton Harrison	Marketing & Entrepreneurship
Jace Herrell <i>Summa Cum Laude</i>	Marketing & Entrepreneurship
Jace Herrell <i>Summa Cum Laude</i>	Sports Management
Bryant Hubbert	Sports Management
Colin Henry Jones	Sports Management
Brandon Matson <i>Magna Cum Laude</i>	Sports Management
Jackson Forester McElvy <i>Cum Laude</i>	Sports Management
Megan Elaine Miles	Marketing & Entrepreneurship
Megan Elaine Miles	Sports Management
Kyle Moore <i>Cum Laude</i>	Marketing & Entrepreneurship
Kyle Moore <i>Cum Laude</i>	Sports Management
Wyatt McVay Moore <i>Cum Laude</i>	Marketing & Entrepreneurship
Wyatt McVay Moore <i>Cum Laude</i>	Sports Management
Carmine Mitchell Musciano-Howard	Marketing & Entrepreneurship
Dominic Elijah Michael Parks	Marketing & Entrepreneurship
Eduardo Peralta	Marketing & Entrepreneurship
Eduardo Peralta	Sports Management
Martin Prlender <i>Magna Cum Laude</i>	Marketing & Entrepreneurship
Aiden Psalmonds	Marketing & Entrepreneurship
Ethan Richerzhagen	Marketing & Entrepreneurship
Tatianna Monique Rome	Marketing & Entrepreneurship
Edward Michael Strydom	Marketing & Entrepreneurship
Robel Teshome	Marketing & Entrepreneurship
Kirstin Vaughn	Marketing & Entrepreneurship

BACHELOR OF ARTS

Dylan McCollom Bailey <i>Cum Laude</i>	History
Natalie Elizabeth Baldwin <i>Summa Cum Laude</i>	Elementary Education
Carlissa A Best	Art & Design
Madison Rae Bilbo <i>Cum Laude</i>	Elementary Education
Daniel Curtis Bonner <i>Cum Laude</i>	Political Science
Denise Brake <i>Cum Laude</i>	Psychological Science
Shelby Katelyn Carnes	Elementary Education
Caitlynn Denise Carpenter	General Studies
Aubrey Carter	Sociology
Jacob Cash <i>Posthumously Awarded</i>	Psychological Science
Alexis Ann Childers	Elementary Education
Zentrina Delsalise Choice <i>Summa Cum Laude</i>	Elementary Education
Devin Lorell Dowell	Elementary Education
Allison Elizabeth Duncan <i>Cum Laude</i>	Elementary Education
Hannah Edwards	Art & Design
Christien James Eldridge	Psychological Science
Hammond Lee Folsom	History
Elizabeth Gesselman	Psychological Science
Tyler Wesley Ginn	Film & Media Arts
James Parker Gonzalez	Mathematics
Katie Marie Gonzalez Marulanda	Political Science
Sarena R. Hall <i>Summa Cum Laude</i>	Writing & Publication Studies
Caden Hare	Psychological Science
Aubrey Helton	Musical Theatre
Clark Oliver Howell	History
Lawrence Darnell Johnson Chambers	Theatre Arts
Morgan Alise Jones	Sociology
Sedrick Jones	Film & Media Arts
Katie Louise Keating <i>Summa Cum Laude</i>	Writing & Publication Studies
Kaia Nicole King	Psychological Science
Kaia Nicole King	Sociology
Gabriel Lopez	General Studies
Aria Layne Mabry	Musical Theatre

Magna Cum Laude

Makenzi Rose Maltezo

Cum Laude

Makenzi Rose Maltezo

Cum Laude

Amanda Nicole Mclendon

Ryan Melia

Ryan Melia

Jackie Morman

Cum Laude

Mikayla Elizabeth Mosher

Marti Musciano-Howard

William M. Perry

Jenna Lyn Pittman

Summa Cum Laude

Jenna Lyn Pittman

Summa Cum Laude

Isabella Marie Rapoza

Cum Laude

Noah Reeves

Noah Reeves

Elijah Langston Rogers

Autumn Grace Romine

Magna Cum Laude

Ben Caden Turrell

Elizabeth Upperman

Kennedi Lane Vowell

Summa Cum Laude

Savion Keyshawn Ware

Molly Marie Weatherford

Magna Cum Laude

Lucas M. Webb

Jenna Elizabeth Yeary

Summa Cum Laude

Political Science

Sociology

Elementary Education

History

Political Science

Writing & Publication Studies

Education Studies

Psychological Science

Writing & Publication Studies

Political Science

Writing & Publication Studies

General Studies

Art & Design

Writing & Publication Studies

Political Science

History

General Studies

Education Studies

Elementary Education

Art & Design

Elementary Education

Psychological Science

Psychological Science

ASSOCIATE OF ARTS IN INTERDISCIPLINARY STUDIES

Alexandria Mariah Berk

Ryan E. DiFrank

Landon Murphy Eaker

Charlee Raine Hunt

Sarah Reese Moat

Jamie Reynolds

Marquis Trevone Rice

Posthumously Awarded

Hayley Alexis Trammell

Sawyer Alan Williams

Cum Laude

Computer Science

Exercise Science

Theatre

Art & Design

Biology

Business

Business

Business

Academic Honors

Latin honors at graduation are based on the student's grade point average. These honors are awarded only to those students who have completed at least 60 semester hours at LaGrange College.

cum laude 3.50 – 3.74
magna cum laude 3.75 – 3.89
summa cum laude 3.90 – 4.00

Students may graduate with "distinction" if they have completed 42-59 semester hours in residence at LaGrange College with a cumulative grade point average of at least 3.5. Honors listed in the program are based on students' earned GPAs at the end of Fall Semester and may have changed with Spring grades.

The LaGrange College Legacy Medallion

Graduates who are legacies, those who have a grandparent, parent, sibling, spouse, or child who is an alumnus of LaGrange College, wear a pewter medallion. The medallion features Smith Hall with its four columns, affectionately known as Matthew, Mark, Luke and John. The date of the College's founding, 1831, reflects the heritage of the institution. The College's mission, "Challenging the mind. Inspiring the soul," adorns the reverse side.

Video of Today's Ceremony

View today's ceremony on the LaGrange College YouTube channel. Visit www.youtube.com/lagrangecollege.

Ushers

Carla Esposito '25
Rosie Boylan M'23
Dee Hare '23
Patti Hoxsie

Elissa Lawson '15
Jeremy Mack
Iyanla Mosley
Journey Oden '24

Honor Your Graduate



Participate in a LC tradition by making a gift to the LaGrange College Fund in honor of your senior's graduation. The opportunities that are a part of every student's experience are made possible through the support of families like you. Please join the LaGrange family legacy of making a gift to honor your graduate—and help ensure that this same experience continues for future students.

A Note About This Program

The list of names was required by the printer several days prior to Commencement to allow production of this program. The status of some candidates may have changed since that time. Some may not have completed all requirements for their degrees. The listing of a name in this program in no way implies an obligation on the part of LaGrange College to award a certificate or degree. For official purposes, a final correct list of graduates is retained by the Office of the Registrar.

Special thanks are extended to members of the Commencement Committee; ushers; faculty and junior marshals; Karen Eley, Events Coordinator and Andrew Lowery, Facilities Director for National Management Resources Corporation at LaGrange College; and John Holloman, Food Service Director for ARAMARK at LaGrange College.





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