



73rd

COMMENCEMENT
EXERCISES

Stevenson University

Monday, May 18, 2026

7:00 p.m.

*Greenspring Campus Gymnasium
Stevenson, Maryland*

Conferring *of* Degrees



The history of our founding inspired the Stevenson University seal. The majestic oak tree in the center links symbolically to the University's first structure, the "Seven Oaks" mansion. The graceful touch of a laurel wreath signifies excellence and achievement. In ancient times, the person who received the laurel wreath was recognized for honor, justice, and truth. The words "For Learning, For Living" are an English translation of the University's original Latin motto, *Pro Discendo, Pro Vivendo*. The year 1947 is the University's founding date, exemplifying the start of the treasured educational mission of the institution.



A Community Centered on *Student Success*

Order *of* Exercises

Academic Procession*

Master of Ceremonies

Meredith C. Durmowicz, Ph.D.
*Executive Vice President for
Academic Affairs and Provost*

Greetings from the Board of Trustees

T. Scott Pugatch
Chair, Board of Trustees

President's Remarks

Elliot Hirshman, Ph.D.
President

Presentation of Awards

Meredith C. Durmowicz, Ph.D.

Faculty Reflection

Marie McGrath, Ph.D.
*Professor and Graduate Program Director,
Clinical Psychology*

Student Reflection

Oluwateniola Agbontunumen '26

Presentation of Candidates for Degrees

Meredith C. Durmowicz, Ph.D.

Conferral of Degrees

Elliot Hirshman, Ph.D.

Alma Mater*

Madison Bell '26

Recessional*

Guests, please meet your graduates
in the upper quad after the ceremony.

*Audience, please stand

Academic Affairs

CLINICAL PSYCHOLOGY **Doctor of Psychology**

Lashauna Vantresa Bellamy

Jensen Alexis Flannery

Carmen Danielle Peak

Amber Ann Shaut

Margaret Elizabeth Watson

Master of Arts

Oluwateniola Favour Agbontunumen

Logan E. Beal

Ashley Marie Boehm

Stephanie Cole

Diana Euceda

Kayla Brianna Green

Caroline Wallis Hanson

Kayla Dawn Headley

Emma Elisabeth Krall

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Paige Alexa Rosenfeld

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Erica Nicole Wright

Zachary M. Wright

Brown School of Business and Leadership

BUSINESS AND TECHNOLOGY MANAGEMENT **Master of Science**

Alethia C. Lucky

CYBERSECURITY AND DIGITAL FORENSICS **Master of Science**

Kobie Chase Barna

Nasir Tyrie Covington

Emmanuel Ioannis Fragkiadakis

Larry Randolph Johnson III

Kidduse Kebede

Ascanti Kingsberry

Ogechi Delores Njoku

Mario Ortiz

Davant Justice Perkins

Deryn Andrew Perkins

Charles Oliver Price

Jonathan Kaleb Purcell

DIGITAL TRANSFORMATION AND INNOVATION **Master of Science**

Grace-Frances A. Afful

Vidasia Monique Bonds

Andrew Thomas Crenshaw

Megan Cronhardt

Matthew Paul Doane

Madison Rose Herring

Ari Daniel Lonstein

Brian Patrick McCartin

Jaden Blair Robinson

HEALTHCARE MANAGEMENT
Master of Science

Allyson Joan Boss
Mackenzie Marie Click
Larry N. Gardner III
Ethan Thomas O'Brien

Grace An O'Brien
Gracie Solstice Payne
Suzanne Lynn-Beth Pilone
Ebony Shaunte Smith
Ariella Rose Stepleman
Imani Andaye' Walker

**School of Design, Arts,
and Communication**

COMMUNICATION
Master of Science

Sarah Keyaira Anderson
Daniel Ryan Anisimov
Donald Joseph Ellis
Katherine Reilly Friedman
Emma Best Gladstein

Kevin Thomas Kouchoukos
Rhiannon Angelina Moylan
Nicholas Randall Mulvey
Bernelle Titre
Kara Corinne Yarusso

COMMUNICATION STUDIES
Master of Science

Tracey Lynn Belak

School of Education

**COMMUNITY-BASED
EDUCATION AND LEADERSHIP**
Master of Arts

Jordan S. Banks
Kayla Nicole Boykin
Francesca Grace Cappello
Dylan Thomas Fredericks
Cassidy Sonya Glover
Travis V. Jennings
Nayimb Manuel Joyner
Katie Lynne May
John James McWilliams

Dominic James Norris
Lucille Piggott-Prawl
Thomas David Shahady
Haley Elizabeth Sly
Tiffany Nicole Snead-Rose

**EARLY CHILDHOOD
EDUCATION**
Master of Arts in Teaching

Camelia Lynn Beard
Makenzie Marie Boggs
Esther A. Buahen
Savannah Joyce Burnett
Bailey Dean
Courtney Devito
Bethany Jean Gingerich
Kiara R. Jones
Markita V. Kelly
Madison Nicole Kendall
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Britney Sheree Long
Angel D. Madison

Brandi M. Makoutz

Angela Martino

Neelam Niaz

Chloe Over

Valerie Nichole Purdie

Caitlin Marie Roberts

Courtney Alexandra Woolford

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Master of Arts in Teaching

Deborah N. Austin

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Amara A. Brown

Bryan Alexander Filipkowski

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INTEGRATIVE LEARNING
Master of Education

Alicia R. Jones

Chimezie Gabriel Umunna

School of Humanities
and Social Sciences

FORENSIC ACCOUNTING
Master of Science

Anita Y. Anderson

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Raegen Elizabeth Willard

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FORENSIC INVESTIGATION
Master of Science

Cassidy Jane Bernashe

Abigail Faith Blackiston

Sirnearra B. Brown

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Tyler I. Dempsey

Kevin Douglas Holmes

Connor M. Kirchner

Kathleen M. Kline

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Shannon T. Pinnick-Jones

FORENSIC STUDIES
Master of Science

Adrienne C. Bishop

Bobbi Olivia Caldwell

Brandy Natasha Hamilton

Tiana M. Jeffers

Alyssa Lynn Kinney

Caleb Edward Matthews

Ashli Rae Meginnis

Ta'Nasia V. Richardson

Sandra R. Berman
School of Nursing and
Health Professions

NURSING
Master of Science

Merle Joves Amparo

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Kimberly Ann Taylor

Rebecca Marie Willinger

Jamie N. Wolfe

Beverly K. Fine School
of the Sciences

FORENSIC SCIENCE
Master of Forensic Science

Andrea Nicole Barrera

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CRIME SCENE INVESTIGATION
Master of Science

Lauryn Maria-Elizabeth Adams

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Stevenson University
Alma Mater

Join together, sing the praise for spirit that endures,
Pledge our honor, faithfully serving—Stevenson, we are yours.
From a vision, strong and steadfast, glory and pride we bring,
Grateful for the light that guides us, Stevenson's name we sing.

Music by Robert Suggs, D.M.A.

Lyrics by Chip Rouse, M.Ed., M.A.

June 2008

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