Member of The Texas A&M University System

PRAIRIE VIEW A&M UNIVERSITY

Commencement Convocation

2020

THE TWENTY-FIFTH FALL COMMENCEMENT

A VIRTUAL EXPERIENCE

SATURDAY, DECEMBER TWELFTH

AT TEN O’CLOCK IN THE MORNING
The history of
Prairie View A&M University

ESTABLISHMENT
1876
Prairie View A&M University, the first state-supported college in Texas for African Americans, was established during the Reconstruction period after the Civil War. This was the historical period when political and economic special interest groups were able to aggressively use the federal government to enact public policy designated to “alter or reshape the cultural milieu of the vanquished Southern state.” The University had its beginning in the Texas Constitution of 1876 which, in separate articles, established an “Agricultural and Mechanical College” and pledged that “Separate schools shall be provided for the white and colored children, and impartial provisions shall be made for both.” As a consequence of these constitutional provisions, the Fifteenth Legislature established “Alta Vista Agricultural and Mechanical College of Texas for Colored Youth” on August 14, 1876.

ENROLLMENT OF THE FIRST STUDENTS
1878
The Board of Directors purchased the Alta Vista Plantation (1,338 acres) from Mrs. Helen Marr Kirby, the widow of the late Col. Jared Ellison Kirby. The College was named “Alta Vista Agricultural and Mechanical College for Colored Youth.” The Board, authorized to appoint a principal to administer the College, selected L.W. Minor of Mississippi. Eight young African American men, the first to enroll in a state-supported college in Texas, began their studies on March 11, 1878.

ERA OF PRINCIPALS AS CHIEF ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICERS
1878 - 1948
Prairie View strengthened and enlarged its curriculum and grew under the leadership of a series of dedicated principals. These men led the College during those difficult decades as Federal Reconstruction ended and the doctrine of “separate but equal” emerged with the Plessy v. Ferguson Supreme Court decision of 1896. The eight principals and their tenures were: L.W. Minor, 1878; E.H. Anderson, 1879-1884; Laurine C. Anderson, 1884-1894; Edward L. Blackshear, 1895-1915; Isaiah M. Terrell, 1915-1918; J.G. Osborne, 1918-1925; Paul (Uncle Paul) Bledsoe (Interim Principal), 1925-1926; Willette Rutherford Banks, 1926-1947; and Edward B. Evans, 1947-1948.

ERA OF PRESIDENTS AS CHIEF ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICERS
1948 to Present

NAMES GIVEN TO THE UNIVERSITY
1876 - 1973
The Fifteenth Legislature (August 14, 1876) established “Alta Vista Agricultural and Mechanical College of Texas for Colored Youth.” The Sixteenth Legislature (April 19, 1879) established “Prairie View State Normal School” in Waller County for the training of colored teachers. The Twentieth Legislature attached the words Agriculture and Mechanical Department of Prairie View Normal School. The Twenty-sixth Legislature (1889) changed the name to “Prairie View State Normal & Industrial College.” The Forty-ninth Legislature (June 1, 1945) changed the name to “Prairie View University.” The Fiftieth Legislature (March 3, 1947) established “The Texas State University of Negroes” (now Texas Southern University) and changed the name of Prairie View University to “Prairie View Agriculture and Mechanical College of Texas.” The Sixty-third Legislature (1973) changed the name to Prairie View A&M University.

Excerpts taken from Prairie View, A Study in Public Conscience
By Dr. George Ruble Woolfolk
Edited by Frank D. Jackson and Jimmizine Taylor
Commencement Program

SATURDAY, TEN O’CLOCK

Presiding: Ruth J. Simmons
President
Prairie View A&M University

ORGAN PRELUDE ................................................................................................................................... John L. Cornelius II
Professor of Music

OFFICIAL CONVOCATION OPENING ........................................................................................................ James M. Palmer
Provost and Senior Vice President for Academic Affairs

PRESENTATION OF THE MACE ........................................................................................................................... Clarissa Gamble Booker ’68
University Marshal

INVOCATION ..................................................................................................................................................... Reverend Charles H. Lewter IV
Dean, Johnson-Phillip All Faiths Chapel

NATIONAL ANTHEM ............................................................................................................................ “The Star-Spangled Banner, ” Francis Scott Key
Jammieca Mott, Assistant Professor of Voice

OPENING REMARKS ....................................................................................................................................... Ruth J. Simmons

GREETINGS FROM THE BOARD OF REGENTS, THE TEXAS A&M UNIVERSITY SYSTEM ................................ Elaine Mendoza
Chairman
Board of Regents

GREETINGS FROM THE TEXAS A&M UNIVERSITY SYSTEM ............................................................................. John Sharp
Chancellor

REMARKS ......................................................................................................................................................... Merlyn X. Pulikkathara ‘01 ’04, Speaker, Faculty Senate
Alanna Gaskin, President, Student Government Association
Kimberley Runnels ’93, President, Prairie View A&M University National Alumni Association

INTRODUCTION OF SPEAKER .......................................................................................................................... Ruth J. Simmons

COMMENCEMENT ADDRESS ............................................................................................................................. Khambrel Marshall
KPRC Journalist, Meteorologist and “Newsmakers” Host

MUSIC ......................................................................................................................................................... “Imagine,” Words and Music by John Lennon
PV Singers
A. Jan Taylor, Director

PRESENTATION OF THE DEANS ....................................................................................................................... James M. Palmer

DEAN’S PRESENTATION OF CANDIDATES:
Graduate Studies ...................................................................................................................................... Dean Dorie J. Gilbert
College of Agriculture and Human Sciences ............................................................................................... Dean Gerard D’Souza
School of Architecture ............................................................................................................................. Dean Ikhlas Sabouni
Marvin D. and June Samuel Brailsford College of Arts and Sciences ......................................................... Dean Dorie J. Gilbert
College of Business ................................................................................................................................. Dean Munir Quddus
Whitlowe R. Green College of Education ................................................................................................ Dean Michael I. McFrazier
Roy G. Perry College of Engineering ........................................................................................................ Dean Pamela H. Obiomon ’93
College of Juvenile Justice and Psychology ............................................................................................... Interim Dean Camille Gibson
College of Nursing .................................................................................................................................. Dean Betty N. Adams

CONFERRAL OF DEGREES ................................................................................................................................. Ruth J. Simmons

ALMA MATER ...................................................................................................................................................... “Dear Prairie View,” Sibelius-Fuller
Laura Patterson, Music Voice Graduate
John L. Cornelius II, Accompanist

BENEDICTION ..................................................................................................................................................... Reverend Charles H. Lewter IV

FALL 2020
PRAIRIE VIEW A&M UNIVERSITY
Commencement Orator

KHAMBREL MARSHALL
KPRC Journalist, Meteorologist and “Newsmakers” Host

Khambrel Marshall is a member of the KPRC 2 Severe Weather Team and delivers the weekend forecasts to help you plan your day. He is also the host of “Houston Newsmakers with Khambrel Marshall,” a weekly program that explores news in Texas’s Southeast region.

Marshall has had a multifaceted career in broadcasting. While studying for his Bachelor of Arts in Journalism and Mass Communication from Arizona State University, he began his television career as a weekend sports anchor in Phoenix. Through the years, he was a sports reporter, sports director, then primary news anchor in Miami before joining KPRC-TV as a weekday anchor in May 1999. He took a newsroom leadership role as Executive Producer for several years before accepting the weekend meteorologist position. The self-proclaimed “weather geek” earned his Broadcast Meteorology Certification from Mississippi State University.

A winner of numerous awards in journalism and community service, Mr. Marshall has won one of broadcasting’s top honors, the Emmy, for a feature series titled “Guardians at Sea,” chronicling the U.S. Coast Guard’s efforts to rescue Cuban and Haitian refugees crossing the Florida Straits.

He has a tireless commitment to volunteer service and has been honored as March of Dimes Texas Communications Volunteer of the Year. He was Chairman of the 2011 March for Babies in Houston, the largest walk in the United States for the March of Dimes. More than 45,000 walkers raised more than $3 million for March of Dimes research during his tenure as chairman. He was co-chair of the Susan G. Komen Race for the Cure for two years and helped raise hundreds of thousands of dollars for breast cancer research.

One of 12 recipients to receive the National Community Service Award from the Westinghouse Corporation, Marshall was named “Outstanding Young Floridian” by the Fort Lauderdale Jaycees for his humanitarian efforts in the wake of Hurricane Andrew. He is a past Chairman of the Executive Committee of Big Brothers Big Sisters of Southeast Texas, and past board member of Collaborative for Children, March of Dimes, Texas Gulf Coast, and Susan G. Komen Houston. He is currently on the Board of Directors of the A.D. Players at the George Theater. He is also Chair of the Board of the YMCA of Greater Houston, the largest childcare provider in the Houston region and fourth-largest YMCA in the United States.

Mr. Marshall is a Senior Fellow in the American Leadership Forum: Houston/Gulf Coast Chapter (ALF). The intense ALF one-year program joins and strengthens diverse community leaders to serve the public. He has been married since 1979 to his wife Debbie; they have three daughters and three grandchildren.
Graduate Studies Candidates for Degrees

COLLEGE OF AGRICULTURE AND HUMAN SCIENCES

MASTER OF SCIENCE

Human Sciences

DANCY, DESTINY N. ......................................................... Houston
BS, University of Texas at Austin, 2016
LACKEY, MARIA ANTOINETTE ........................................ Norcross, GA
BS, Prairie View A&M University, 2017
PENNINGTON, ZORA ...................................................... Converse
BS, Prairie View A&M University, 2018
PIERSON, CANDICE D. .............................................. Edmond, OK
BS, Oklahoma State University, 2009
ROQUEMORE, MISTY M. .............................................. Brookshire
BS, Prairie View A&M University, 2006
WILLIAMS, KAMMIE L. .................................................... Houston
BA, Prairie View A&M University, 2009

SCHOOL OF ARCHITECTURE

MASTER OF ARCHITECTURE

CHEEKS, REUBEN BERNARD ........................................ Missouri City
BS, Prairie View A&M University, 2019
HILL, GREGORY MICHAEL .............................................. Spring
BS, Prairie View A&M University, 2019
RUEDA, FRANCISCO ROGEL ........................................ Jersey Village
BS, Prairie View A&M University, 2019
VICENTE, LUISA MARIA ............................................. Luanda, Angola
BA, Prairie View A&M University, 2019
VILLARREAL, MARIBEL SARAI ..................................... Houston
BS, Prairie View A&M University, 2019
WILLIAMS, MEAGHAN ASHLEIGH ................................ Spring
BS, Prairie View A&M University, 2019
WILLIAMS, NICHOLAS EDWARD ..................................... Dallas
BS, Prairie View A&M University, 2018

COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES

MASTER OF SCIENCE

Chemistry

JERRELLS, LATRICE CAPRICE ........................................... Leander
BA, Prairie View A&M University, 2018
KIRVEN, TONIA MICHELE ............................................. Houston
BS, Prairie View A&M University, 2018
KISO, ANA ................................................................. Dallas
BS, Prairie View A&M University, 2018
LOCKHART-GROSS, YOLANDA ROCHELLE ....................... Hockley
BA, Prairie View A&M University, 1998

MAXFIELD, CORY .......................................................... Fort Worth
BBA, Prairie View A&M University, 2011
THOMAS, ASSATA MARION .......................................... Houston
BBA, Prairie View A&M University, 2017
TUCKER, PATRICIA ........................................................ Richmond
BS, San Jose State University, 1995
WALLACE, XANTE ........................................................ Cypress
BS, Prairie View A&M University, 2018

MARVIN D. AND JUNE SAMUELBRAILSFORD
COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES

MASTER OF SCIENCE

Chemistry

JERRELLS, LATRICE CAPRICE ........................................... Leander
BA, Prairie View A&M University, 2018
PLAIR, PORTRAIT COUTRELLE ....................................... Hesperia, CA
BS, Prairie View A&M University, 2015

COLLEGE OF BUSINESS

MASTER OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

CAMBRIC, BRANDI RENEE ............................................ Houston
BBA, Prairie View A&M University, 2018
DELCRUD, LOUIS, IV ..................................................... Alvin
BA, Sam Houston State University, 2012
HARRIS, DARNISHA JACQUELINE ................................ Prairie View
BBA, Prairie View A&M University, 2016
HARRISON, TAYLAR DOMINIQUE ................................... Houston
BBA, Prairie View A&M University, 2014
HINES, CHASITY RAYE ................................................... Houston
BA, University of New Orleans, 2014
JEFFERY, SHERRI D. ....................................................... Hempstead
BS, Prairie View A&M University, 2004
MCLEROY, AARON TYRELL ............................................. Fresno
BS, Prairie View A&M University, 2018
ROSE, CHRISTOPHER L. ................................................... Houston
BS, Prairie View A&M University, 2016

PRAIRIE VIEW A&M University Graduate Studies Candidates for Degrees
Executive MBA

BOGAN, MARSHALL, JR. .............................................. Sugar Land
BS, University of Phoenix, 2013

EDWARDS, WAYNISHA ................................................... Fresno
BS, University of Texas at Austin, 2004

KALYANAKRISHNAN, SETHURAMAN .................... The Woodlands
BS, National Institute of Technology Calicut, 2001

SANTIAGO, IVETTE M. ..................................................... Houston
BS, Texas Southern University, 2018

STANCIL, CLAYTONA BARNES ....................................... Houston
BA, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, 1995

MASTER OF SCIENCE

Accounting

AKANDE, OLUWOLE ADEDAYO ........................................... Ikeja, Nigeria
BS, Foreign College, 2007

BELTON, RACHEL LYNETTE ........................................... Jonesboro, LA
BS, Northwestern State University, 2014

BOGAN, KAREN MICHELLE ............................................. Baytown
BBA, Sam Houston State University, 2009

BRADLEY, MINYON J. ..................................................... Houston
BA, Notre Dame College, 2008

BROWN, TANYNIKA KWANTRA ......................................... Humble
BS, Southern University at New Orleans, 2001

BUCKLEY, CIARA LANETTE ............................................. Mesquite
BBA, Sam Houston State University, 2018

FOSTER, PORSHA DANIELLE ........................................ Hazlehurst, MS
BA, Tougaloo College, 2019

MILLAGE, ARHMANI AVYAUN ........................................ Little Elm
BBA, Texas Southern University, 2019

SHETTY, RAKSHA .............................................................. Bangalore, India
BS, Teresian College, 2002

TOUSSANT, KELLI DENISE ............................................. Houston
BBA, Prairie View &M University, 2016

WILSON, IVY CHARRISSE ............................................. Houston
BS, University of Phoenix, 2019

WU, SUYAN ................................................................. College Station
BS, Foreign College, 2009

WHITLOWE R. GREEN
COLLEGE OF EDUCATION

DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY

Educational Leadership

CHARLTON, DONNA J. ................................................... Providence, RI
BA, Dillard University, 1986
MAT, Centenary College, 1999
Dissertation: Casualties of the Flood: A Study of the Psycho-Social Impact of Natural Disasters on School Membership, School Climate and Resettlement among Vicariously Displaced Students
Advisor: Dr. Lisa K. Thompson

CRAWFORD, JUAN ZANE ................................................ Cypress
BS, Wayland Baptist University, 1993
MBA, Our Lady of the Lake University, 1998
Dissertation: The Relationship Between Sources of Revenue and Student Retention Rates at Public Historically Black Colleges and Universities
Advisor: Dr. Arthur L. Petterway

MCLEMORE, SABRINA RENA ........................................ Tomball
BS, Sam Houston State University, 2000
MA, Prairie View &M University, 2003
Dissertation: Educational Leaders’ Perspectives of Working With LGBTQ Youth In Secondary Schools: A Phenomenological Study of Preparedness, Self-Evaluation, and Reflection of Professional Experiences
Advisor: Dr. Pamela Barber-Freeman

SMITH, TOMMIE LEE ....................................................... Baytown
BA, Hampton University, 1999
MA, Hofstra University, 2004
Advisor: Dr. Fred Bonner

MASTER OF ARTS

Counseling

CAESAR, SHERYL C. ...................................................... Cypress
BA, Graceland University, 1991

CARODINE, RANDI N. .................................................. Missouri City
BS, University of Houston, 2009

JILES, JANIGUA ................................................................. Houston
BA, Prairie View &M University, 1994

MASTER OF EDUCATION

Curriculum and Instruction

BAGLEY, CHIARA L. ............................................................. Fort Worth
BSIS, Prairie View &M University, 2012

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Educational Administration

COSTON, GENA J. ............................................................. Houston
BA, San Diego State University, 2008

DEESE, ERION JAMES ........................................................ Tomball
BA, Sam Houston State University, 2010

DUDLEY, JACOLAHN DESHAWN .................................... Arlington
BA, Prairie View A&M University, 2017

GREENLEAF, ARVIS S. .................................................... Sugarland
BS, Houston Baptist University, 2012

KIMBLE, TANISHA ............................................................ Houston
BA, Our Lady of the Lake University, 2016

LEE, CHRISTOPHER JORGE ............................................ Beaumont
BA, Lamar University, 2015

WALKER, ASIA MARIE ....................................................... Garland
BS, Prairie View A&M University, 2017

WALLACE, TAYLOR MON'E .............................................. Houston
BS, Prairie View A&M University, 2015

Physical Education

GREEN, CHARLES ........................................................... Arlington
BBA, Prairie View A&M University, 1975

Special Education

WILSON, DESIREE N. .......................................................... Conroe
BS, Prairie View A&M University, 2018

MASTER OF SCIENCE

Educational Administration

COLEMAN, AMBER NICHELE ........................................... Pearland
BA, Bennett College, 2013

EDMOND, NATASHA SHANTA ........................................ Houston
BS, Paul Quinn College, 2003

MEANS, SHAWNTAE W. ................................................ Houston
BA, University of Houston - Downtown, 2007

MILLER, CHASTITY ALIS ............................................. Spring
BS, Prairie View A&M University, 2016

PICKENS, LAURA ASHLEY ............................................. Missouri City
BA, Texas Southern University, 2009

ROY G. PERRY
COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING

MASTER OF SCIENCE

Computer Information Systems

ADELAJA, KOLADE OLAWALE ........................................ Ikeja, Nigeria
BS, Obafemi Awolowo University, 2015

AYANBANJO, OPEYEMI EMMANUEL ............................ Lekki, Nigeria
BSED, Foreign College, 2013

BUADU, NANA MINTAH ............................................. Houston
BS, Texas Southern University, 2014

IMORU, IYANUOLWA DAMILARE ......................... Ile-Ife, Nigeria
BS, Obafemi Awolowo University, 2015

OGBON, ELICIA OGHENENWEDDE ............................ Huntsville
BSC, Sam Houston State University, 2017

COLLEGE OF JUVENILE JUSTICE

AND PSYCHOLOGY

MASTER OF SCIENCE

Clinical Adolescent Psychology

BOXLEY, BRIDGETT RENAE .......................................... Houston
BA, SUNY College at Potsdam, 2014

ENCARNACION, LESLIE ........................................ Baton Rouge, LA
BS, Southern University, 2012

ONYEKPE, IFEANYI J. .................................................... Houston
BS, Foreign College, 2011

UMACHI, MICHELLE OLE ........................................ Missouri City
BA, Texas State University, 2015

Computer Science

AGUNSOYE, GBENGA STEPHEN ............................... Ikeja, Nigeria
BSC, Obafemi Awolowo University, 2016

AHMED, SHEIKH TAREQ ....................................... Dhaka, Bangladesh
BS, Foreign College, 2017

DEBI, HAPPY-RANI ........................................ Mirzahat Bhujpur, Bangladesh
BS, Foreign College, 2013

GOPIREDDY, HARSHAVARDHAN REDDY .................. Jammalamadugu, India
BS, Jawaharlal Nehru Technological University, 2016

NWANYANWU, UCHENNA INNOCENT ....................... Lago, Nigeria
BS, Federal University of Technology, 2006

RAMAKRISHNAN, SWAYTHA ........................................ College Station
BS, Foreign College, 2011

MASTER OF SCIENCE

IN ELECTRICAL ENGINEERING

ALHAJWADI, ASAAD ABDULATEEF ...................................... Houston
BS, Southern Technical University, 2004

FINA, DONALD ................................................................. Houston
BS, University of Yaounde, 2011

ITUA, OMONGHOMION EHI ........................................ Eleme, Nigeria
BS, Foreign College, 2014

KATARI HARIBABU, PRANAY KRISHNA .................... Chittoor, India
BE, Jawaharlal Technological University, 2018

OGBECHIE, UGOH ............................................................ Houston
BS, University of Nigeria, Nsukka, 1991
LAWRENCE, TIMOTHY IKENNA ................................. Houston  
BS, Prairie View A&M University, 2016  

MCFIELD, ARIEL ALISHA ................................. Pine Bluff, AR  
BA, University of Central Arkansas, 2013  

**MASTER OF SCIENCE**  
**JUVENILE JUSTICE**  

HINTON, DANEISHA DE’CHELLE ............................. Manor  
BS, Prairie View A&M University, 2019  

JONES, MONTOYA NASHAY ................................. Houston  
BA, University of Arkansas at Little Rock, 2016  

LEVERETT, MICHAELA EUNICE ....................... Houston  
BS, Prairie View A&M University, 2017  

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**COLLEGE OF NURSING**  

**MASTER OF SCIENCE**  
**IN NURSING**  
**Nurse Administration**  

HARDIN, TAMIKA JUSTINE ....................... Houston  
BS, East Carolina University, 2009  

WILLIAMS, TIFFANY D'TOYA ........................... Spring  
BS, Prairie View A&M University, 2004  

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Candidates for Undergraduate Degrees

COLLEGE OF AGRICULTURE AND HUMAN SCIENCES

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN AGRICULTURE

CLARK, TREMAINE JERUAN ............................................. Cedar Hill
EISA, ZULFA M. ............................................................... Houston
ERICKSON, JENNIFER A .............................................. Pinehurst
EVANS, EARLENA C. ....................................................... Houston
JEFFERSON, GERARD JAVIER ....................................... Houston
JONES, AARON ANDRE ................................................ Houston
JONES, JORDAN .............................................................. Lexington, KY
NEWSOME, CIERRA NECHELE ........................................ Evans, GA
OGILVIE, JARVIS LYNN, II ........................................... Houston
SPENCER, ALEX KINTE ................................................ Houston
SUMNER, ARMENIA ...................................................... Houston
YORK, TORRIE NIKOL ..................................................... Houston
YOUNG, LARNETRA C .................................................... Houston

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN DIETETICS

Human Nutrition and Food Curriculum

DAVIS, BREANNA I .................................................... Cedar Hill
JENNINGS, MIA JACOLE ................................................ Houston

MARVIN D. AND JUNE SAMUEL BRAILSFORD

COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES

BACHELOR OF ARTS

Communication Curriculum

AMARO, JUSTIN ............................................................... Dallas
BURKS, LAURA ELIZABETH .............................................. Houston
CALVILLO CONEJO, VIRIDIANA NICOLE ............................ Houston
COLE, DAVIA CIERRA .................................................. Glenn Heights
COLLINS, ISIS IMANI OHUI ............................................ Sugar Land
EDMONDSON, JAKAYLA DENISE ...................................... Missouri City
FRANCIS, AYSIA SEMAY ................................................ Houston
JENNINGS, JEJUAN CONRAD, JR ..................................... Pearlland
JOHNSON, D'ANITA RONALDE ................................. Cedar Hill
KEELING, DAVID SPENCER, II .................................... Fairfield, OH
MONROE, CLIFTON VON, III ........................................... Hutto
OKUNDAYE, AMEN MORENIKE ...................................... Houston
REDDIX, BRITTNEY B. .................................................. Houston
RIGSBY, SESILY NICOLE ............................................... Huntsville
ROBERTS, BRITTNI NICHOLLE ................................. Houston
ROGERS, AYANNA NICOLE ............................................ Humble
ROSS, ARMONI RESHON ................................................ Irving
SMITH, MICAH T ............................................................ Bryan
TREVINO, ISAIAH ADRIAN ............................................ Hebronville
WINTERS, JOURNEI CIERRA .......................................... Denver, CO

Construction Science Curriculum

ALLS, RAY ANTHONY, II .............................................. San Antonio
ARD, QUIANNA DEMETRIE ........................................... Fort Worth
CAMBRIDGE, NATHAN ................................................ Houston

Digital Media Arts

CORMIER, TERRENCE JAMAL ........................................ Katy
HUNTER, GREGORY LYNN, JR ........................................ Channelview
ROBINSON, JAKEDRICK R ............................................ Houston
### English Curriculum

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### History Curriculum

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### Political Science Curriculum

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### Sociology Curriculum

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FRANCIS, CRYSTAL MARIE .......................................... Missouri City
HARRIS, VICTORIA .................................................... Manvel
HAYWARD, WILLIE ABSALOM .................................. Houston
HELDEN, DELGIN ....................................................... Stafford
HELDEN, DERIN .......................................................... Stafford
HIGHTOWER, JADA TAMIA ........................................ Houston
JONES, EBOBI VONIA .................................................. Carrollton
JOUBERT, ASIA MONET ............................................. Houston
KARGE, ELIZABETH MAE ............................................. Waller
LEE, ARIANA ELISE ..................................................... Naperville, IL
LEWIS, TAHJEIRA ANAIH ............................................. Fresno
LEWIS, TEARRA ............................................................ Manvel
MCKINNEY, KAITLIN AUBRE ...................................... Houston
MCQUEEN, PAULPHIELLE D. ........................................ Seattle, WA
MELCHOR, MYRANDA .................................................. Houston
MOORE, RAVEN ......................................................... Houston
NGOKA, MARY NDUKAEGO ........................................ Richmond
NGUYEN, ANH ............................................................. Houston
ODINMA, NKECHIANYERE CHRISTINE ....................... Houston
ODUGBESAN, KEHINDE OLUWAKEMI ............................ Houston
OJIKUTU, OLUWATOYIN BUKOLA ............................... Richmond
OKONKWO, CHIDIMO O. ............................................. Richmond
OMALIKO, VALERIE CHIOMA ....................................... Houston
OSBOURNE, BRITANYA R. ........................................... Houston
OWOADE, SANDRA M. .................................................. Houston
PATTERSON, TAMIA NACHE ........................................ Manor
PURNELL, BRITANY A. .................................................. Spring
ROBINSON, DESTINY SHADOW ................................... Houston
SALMAN, TAWAKALT A. ............................................... Houston
SHIELDS, KE'ASIA M. .................................................... Katy
SIMS, MATTISON MARSHAE ...................................... Houston
STEVENVSON, LAKEISHA DAYN .................................. Houston
TAYLOR, KINSSELLA CHINASA .................................... Houston
THOMAS, MYRA L. ..................................................... Missouri City
UWADUA, GRACE ETINOSA .......................................... Houston

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As final action cannot always be taken by the time the program is printed, the list of candidates given here is tentative only. The University reserves the right to withdraw or add names.
GRADUATING WITH ACADEMIC HONORS†

Honors recognition at graduation is based on consistent high scholarship and cumulative grade point averages earned. To be eligible for graduation with honors, a student must not have received any failing grades (transfer or residence) and must complete the last 60 semester hours in residence at Prairie View A&M University. A student may graduate with honors in one of the three categories, Summa Cum Laude, Magna Cum Laude, or Cum Laude as outlined in the university catalog:

SUMMA CUM LAUDE

Cumulative Grade Point Average of 3.90-4.00

GAKUMBA, ARNOLD BILALA
JENKINS, KIA S.

PATRICK, TAMERA L.
SMITH, MICAH T.

MAGNA CUM LAUDE

Cumulative Grade Point Average of 3.70-3.89

ASIEDUWAA, DIANA
BURTON, TAJAUN M.
CALVILLO CONEJO, VIRIDIANA NICOLE
CARRANZA, RENEE I.
CLAYTON-MITCHELL, BRITNY LE'I'GH
ESPARZA, CRYSTAL MARIE
HAYS, SHAWN L.
HAYWARD, WILLIE ABSALOM
JOHNSON, D'ANTAE RONALE
JOSUE, MARY JEAN SORIANO

LOCKETT, LERAH
MANN, TIARA R.
MCLARTY, CHANDELYNN ALLEXXUS
MEDELLIN, ADOLFO
MOSS, SHADENE ELIZABETH
NJINJOH, NADIA PEPLAH
PHOENIX, SCHANNON EVETTE
SMITH, KEIOSHA LA COLE
WALLE, BEKALU ENGEDAYEHU
WATSON, ARIEAL SHYNEICE
WOODBERRY, ALIYAH TAMICKA

CUM LAUDE

Cumulative Grade Point Average of 3.50-3.69

AGYEI, KWABENA S.
BABLES, MYA A.
BROWN, JADE S.
CLIFTON, CASTASHA JAMARNIQUA
CROCKETT, REJA E.
DAVIS, OLIVER DENZIL
EISA, ZULFA M.
ENGLISH, LAKENDRIC K.
HARRIS, RAGIANA ALEXANDRIA
HERNANDEZ, VANESSA
KEELING, DAVID SPENCER, II
KIRVEN, KAYLA ROSE
LEWIS, SHA'TERIAN L.
MOULTON, GREGORY SELFORD

NICHOLSON, SHALYN MARQUEL
OKONKWO, CHIDIMMA O.
OLISON, DOMINIQUE RENELLE
PATTERSON, TAMIA NACHE
REMO, ALEXIS JONVIA
RIVET, KENNEDI A.
ROSS, ARMONI RESHON
SIMS, MATTISON MARSHAE
STEARN, JORDAN ALEXANDER
THOMAS, MARNECIA D'ANDREA
WILSON, KORI JALLYN
WINTERS, JOURNEI CIERRA
YOUMOU, HAIVANY MARLENE

†The golden-colored cord represents undergraduate candidates graduating with academic honors.
COMMISSIONS IN THE ARMY OF THE UNITED STATES

KPECHE, SAM V., JR.  ......................................................................................................................................................................... San Antonio
Second Lieutenant, Infantry, Active Duty, Kinesiology Major

UNDERWOOD, DARRYL J.  ............................................................................................................................................................ Corona, CA
Second Lieutenant, Military Intelligence Corps, United States Army Reserves, Political Science Major

COMMISSIONS IN THE NAVY OF THE UNITED STATES

HICKMAN, ZAIRE F.  ........................................................................................................................................................................... Wilmer
Ensign, United States Navy, Psychology Major

RETIRING FACULTY AND STAFF

STEPHANIE HAYNES ......................................................................................................................................................................... 24 years
Procurement & Disbursement Services

DANIEL MEI .......................................................... 16 years
Mechanical Engineering

ROD MIRELES ...................................................... 27 years
Financial Management Services

DAVID NARMAH .................................................. 17 years
Grounds Maintenance

WILMA “KAY” PEAVY ........................................ 19 years
Business Affairs

RALPH PERRI ........................................................ 27 years
Office of Academic Affairs
An appropriate costume is a necessary part of Commencement. The costume includes a cap, a gown, and a hood. Each part of the costume has special significance. The most common headpiece (or cap) for the ceremony is the black square, flattop, or “mortarboard” type with a gold or black tassel. It is called a “mortarboard” because it is shaped like the board of the mason which holds mortar. Recently, we are seeing large velvet Tam-O-Shanter style of headpieces replacing the mortarboard. Some of the velvet tams are brilliantly colored such as orange or bright blue.

The hood can be the most colorful part of the entire costume. The colors inside the hood are those of the college or university awarding the degree. The academic discipline is represented by the color(s) on the outside rim of the hood according to the table below:

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<td>Agriculture</td>
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<td>Architecture</td>
<td>Lavender</td>
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<td>Arts, Letters, Humanities</td>
<td>White</td>
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<td>Commerce, Accountancy, Business</td>
<td>Drab</td>
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<td>Criminal Justice</td>
<td>Midnight Blue</td>
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<td>Economics</td>
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The tassel on the doctor’s cap is usually gold and is permanently fastened on the left side. The master’s cap has a black tassel worn on the left. The bachelor’s cap has a black tassel worn on the right prior to graduation then moved to the left during the ceremony.

The gown is usually black. The traditional doctor’s gown has velvet panels down the front and three velvet bars on the regular sleeves. The master’s gown has no velvet, but does have unusually long sleeves. The bachelor’s gown is similar to the master’s gown but has regular long sleeves which tend to be pointed.

Some gowns may be in the color of the college granting the degree, such as “Education Blue.” Others may be “Yale Blue” or “Harvard Crimson” for the graduates of those universities. Customized stoles honor those students who have served the nation in the Armed Forces.
**Academic Symbols**

**THE MACE**

The mace is an ancient symbol of authority which is carried by the marshal ahead of the academic procession. The mace for Prairie View A&M University is four feet long and contains four bronze figures atop a Honduras mahogany base which tapers to fit into its stand. The four figures are symbolic of the four undergraduate academic years. In the hollow area beneath the figures is a flame that is equally shared. The base symbolizes the entire faculty. It serves as a grip and is carried by the university marshal. The stand, which supports the mace, characterizes the administration. The visual impact of the mace as a whole is “torch-like.” The eight tassels represent the academic organization of the University.

**THE TEXAS A&M UNIVERSITY SYSTEM PRESIDENTIAL MEDALLION**

The Texas A&M University System’s Presidential Medallion features the seal of Prairie View A&M University and signifies the trust placed in the institution’s new leader by The Texas A&M University System Board of Regents and the Office of the Chancellor. Infused with tradition and honor, the medallion is a symbol of the responsibility to inspire, mentor and serve the students of Prairie View A&M. The System’s chancellor presents the medallion to the new president at his or her inauguration.

**THE PVAMU PRESIDENTIAL MEDALLION**

The President’s Medallion, the official symbol of the Office of the President at Prairie View A&M University, was created especially to commemorate the lineage of the presidency by the late Mr. Frank Hayden, nationally famous sculptor and Professor of Fine Arts at Southern University, Baton Rouge, Louisiana. The first medallion was presented to Dr. Percy A. Pierre, fourth president of Prairie View A&M University on March 21, 1985.

The medallion is designed to be worn with academic regalia at all official University programs. Abstract figures, representing the academic disciplines in an attitude of celebration, encircle the outer rim. The inner circle symbolizes the pursuit of excellence throughout four years of teaching and learning. The weave of the chain is the facsimile of that used by the ancient Greeks.

A replica will be presented to each subsequent President during his or her inauguration. The medallion will ultimately reflect the history of the presidency, revealing names and dates of inauguration.
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Vice President for Development
A Message from the Governor:

I am pleased and honored to extend greetings to everyone attending the Prairie View A&M University 2020 Fall Commencement Convocation.

Today, as you celebrate your achievements and the honor you have earned as graduates of this fine institution, Texas celebrates with you. You have demonstrated excellence in your academic pursuits and should take great pride in your accomplishments.

The diploma you receive today is not only the goal you have worked diligently to attain, but also a symbol of the education that has prepared you for further academic study, a career, a productive life, and an active membership in a constantly changing society that needs your talents and energy.

You inherit the freedom and prosperity of this great state and nation as well as the responsibilities that accompany them. I encourage you to rise and meet the challenges ahead of you by building upon the foundation laid by the men and women who have come before you.

I am sure this milestone you celebrate today is merely one of many achievements you can look forward to. I encourage you to recognize the different support systems that helped you reach this place—family, friends, teachers, and professors—and to take the time to thank and honor them. The success you know today is the work of many, and those relationships will guide you as you continue on your way.

First Lady Cecilia Abbott joins me in sending best wishes for your continued success.

Sincerely,

Greg Abbott
Governor
December 12, 2020

Dear Prairie View A&M Graduate:

Congratulations! You have managed to graduate from Prairie View A&M University during the most difficult, tumultuous year of our lifetimes. If COVID-19 can’t impede your progress toward your goals, I can’t imagine anything in the future will stop you.

I commend you for your personal accomplishments and tenacity. You are the embodiment of Panther Pride and Spirit. Your success is the result of your firm commitment and many sacrifices. The Regents of the Texas A&M University System and I are proud of you.

Your accomplishment, however, is also the legacy of the struggles of those who came before you, paving the way for your success today. May you never forget their sacrifices and live a life that honors them. May your success inspire the next generation.

Again, congratulations. The future is yours. I hope you will remain an active member of the Prairie View A&M University Community.

Sincerely,

John Sharp
Chancellor
UNIVERSITY MARSHAL
CLARISSA GAMBLE BOOKER ’68

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ACKNOWLEDGMENTS

Blank Canvas Graphic Design
Floral Events
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ALMA MATER
DEAR PRAIRIE VIEW

Dear Prairie View, our song to thee we raise,
In gratitude we sing our hymn of praise,
For mem'ries dear, for friends and recollections,
For lessons learned while here we've lived with thee.
For these we pledge our hearts full of devotion,
To serve thee now, and through eternity.

As days go by, our hearts will not grow cold,
We'll love thy purple royal and thy gold,
We'll through our lives exemplify thy teachings,
We'll always strive a blessing to be.
Thy children we our love and pride confessing,
We'll love thee now, and through eternity.

Words by O. Anderson Fuller
Music from "Finlandia" by Sibelius