



AMERICAN UNIVERSITY  
ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-SECOND COMMENCEMENT

*December 19, 2021*



Dear American University degree candidates:

Welcome to American University's 142nd Commencement! American University trustees, senior leadership, faculty, staff, and alumni join me in celebrating the hard work and many accomplishments that brought you to this important day in this extraordinary year!

During your time at AU, you learned from influential scholars, pursued internships in our nation's capital, explored important questions, made new discoveries, and engaged in service activities, clubs, organizations, and athletics—all while building cherished memories, making lifelong friends, and being nimble and resilient to the challenges you have faced over the past year.

Your leadership skills and contributions to society are more important now than ever before, and I am confident that your American University education has prepared you to be changemakers in the changing world and to become leaders in your chosen fields. From Mayor Muriel Bowser's work combatting COVID in DC, to Deon Jones's advocacy for social justice, to Dr. Irene Glowinski's tireless pursuit of solutions to our most pressing public health crises, AU alumni make a difference in their communities and the world. Now, we welcome you into the larger AU family of more than 135,000 alumni living in all 50 states and nearly 160 countries. We cannot wait to see how you pursue your purpose, because as we all know, change can't wait.

On behalf of the entire American University community, we wish you all the best as you begin the next chapter of your life's story.

Congratulations!

Sylvia M. Burwell  
President

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## INFORMATION FOR GUESTS

### Safety Regulations

American University welcomes all guests. To comply with local fire safety laws, guests are asked to cooperate with ushers and AU Police officers to keep aisles clear. All bags are subject to search. Large bags (backpacks, briefcases, duffel bags, etc.), large signs, banners, and noisemakers will not be permitted inside Bender Arena.

AU is proud to be a tobacco- and smoke-free campus.

All commencement participants and guests (three and older) are required to wear face coverings at all times while on campus.

### Social Media

For loved ones unable to attend commencement, the ceremony will be live-streamed at [american.edu/commencement](http://american.edu/commencement). We invite students, alumni, friends, and family to tweet during the ceremony (hashtag #2021AUGrad). Photo highlights will be posted at [american.edu/commencement](http://american.edu/commencement).

### Archived Video

Links to archived video of the ceremony will be available following commencement at [american.edu/commencement](http://american.edu/commencement).

### Photography

Guests are asked to refrain from approaching the stage. GradImages will take three photographs of each graduate during the ceremony: two before and after crossing the stage and one with the university president. Proofs will be mailed or emailed to graduates two weeks after the ceremony. For more information, contact GradImages at 800-261-2576 or [gradimages.com](http://gradimages.com).

University photographers will take pictures during the commencement ceremony for possible use on the AU website or in the press, AU marketing materials, or other university publications.

### Restrooms

Public restrooms in Bender Arena are located on the ground floor and mezzanine level.

### Disability Support

Accessible seating is located near the stage. A sign language interpreter and closed captioning will be provided.

### Lost and Found

Retrieve lost items at the Bender Arena concession stand near the main entrance. After the ceremony, items of value will be moved to AU Police. For information, call 202-885-2527.

### Programs

To request extra copies of the commencement program, email [commencement@american.edu](mailto:commencement@american.edu).

### Transportation

**Shuttle Service:** American University provides shuttle service between the Tenleytown-AU Metro station (Red Line) and campus (shuttle stop is located between the McKinley Building and Letts Hall). Shuttles run every 10 minutes. Service to and from the north-side shuttle stop (behind Kogod) will be suspended on commencement day.

**Taxi and Ride-Sharing:** Passenger pickup and drop-off is located between the McKinley Building and Letts Hall.

### Questions

For more information about commencement, visit [american.edu/commencement](http://american.edu/commencement) or email [commencement@american.edu](mailto:commencement@american.edu).

## AMERICAN UNIVERSITY'S COMMENCEMENT TRADITION

American University awarded its first degrees (two doctorates and one master's) in 1916 at a commencement ceremony in the university's amphitheater. Today, over 3,000 students from AU's eight major divisions—arts and sciences, business, communication, education, international service, law, professional studies, and public affairs—participate in commencement ceremonies each year, and more than 4,000 degrees are conferred annually.

Our distinguished list of honorary university degree recipients includes

- US presidents Franklin D. Roosevelt, Dwight D. Eisenhower, John F. Kennedy, and William J. Clinton
- Nobel laureates Shimon Peres and Elie Wiesel
- international notables King Hussein, Queen Noor, and Alexander Dubček
- national leaders Charlene Barshefsky, Anthony S. Fauci, Eric Holder, Daniel K. Inouye, John Lewis, Richard Lugar, Janet Napolitano, and Donna Shalala
- Supreme Court justices Stephen Breyer, Ruth Bader Ginsburg, and Sandra Day O'Connor
- scholars Stephen J. Gould, John Hope Franklin, Henry Steele Commager, and Alfred Kazin
- journalists Robert Costa, Katie Couric, Walter Cronkite, David Gregory (SIS/BA '92), Charlayne Hunter-Gault, John King, Diane Rehm, Tim Russert, and Maria Elena Salinas
- performing artists Marian Anderson, Michael Kahn, and Mstislav Rostropovich

### Undergraduate Academic Honors

There are two types of graduation honors—Latin and university. These designations appear on the diploma and the transcript, both of which are official documents. (The commencement program is not an official document.) Honors designations are subject to final certification by the university.

Latin honors recognize general excellence based on the student's cumulative grade point average. Designations are *summa cum laude*, *magna cum laude*, and *cum laude*. University honors are based on a combination of Honors program course work and cumulative grade point average.

Undergraduate students with the honors designation have completed at least one-half of the credit hours required for the degree in residence at AU and achieved the requisite grade point average.

### Order of Academic Procession

- color guard (student and alumni flag bearers carry flags of the United States, District of Columbia, American University, and AU Alumni Association)
- university marshal (Faculty Senate chair)
- candidates for degrees
- pipe band
- faculty
- platform party (honorary degree recipient or speaker, student speakers, trustees, president's cabinet, and academic leadership)
- university president

The banners displayed on stage and in the Bender Arena hallway represent AU's schools and colleges.

### The University Mace

A symbol of authority dating back to ancient Rome, the mace originated as a weapon and evolved into a symbol of power. In the university setting, the mace heads the academic procession. The honor of bearing the mace is bestowed on a distinguished senior faculty member—at AU, the chair of the Faculty Senate.

### Academic Regalia

The traditional gowns and hoods used in academic ceremonies reflect their medieval origin. The various colors and styles signify the type of degree and institutional affiliation. AU introduced its distinctive red, white, and blue regalia in 1988.

Undergraduates wear the mortarboard cap with a white tassel, which, in keeping with tradition, is flipped from right to left at the close of the commencement ceremony. Students who expect to graduate with Latin or university honors wear gold cords.

Graduate students wear the mortarboard plus a blue hood lined in red and white with velvet trim to signify their degree or academic field. Master of arts students

wear a white-edged hood—with the exception of education graduates, who are identified by light blue, and international service graduates by peacock blue. Master of science degrees are signified by gold velvet trim, master of business administration by tan, master of fine arts by brown, and master of public administration by peacock blue. Juris doctor and master of laws students wear hoods trimmed with purple and a tam (cap). Doctoral students wear a tam with a silver tassel and carry their hood while processing; they are “hooded” by their faculty advisor during the commencement ceremony.

Color is also used on the doctoral gown and hood to identify academic field, such as copper for economics, crimson for journalism, pink for music, and dark blue for philosophy.

Faculty members wear regalia indicative of their degrees, the discipline of their highest degree, and their alma mater.

### **Graduates and Degree Candidates**

Students listed as August and September 2021 graduates are certified to have completed all degree requirements.

Candidates for December 2021 degrees are listed as of mid-November; the degree candidates in this program are anticipated to successfully complete work undertaken during the fall semester. December 2021 degrees and honors designations are subject to final certification by the university and should not be considered official at the time of this publication. Honors designations reflect all course work counted toward the degree.

## **AMERICAN UNIVERSITY PROFILE**

American University is an independent, coeducational university. It was chartered by an Act of Congress in 1893 as a Methodist Church–related institution. Our cosmopolitan, multicultural campus enrolls more than 14,000 students in undergraduate, master’s, doctoral, and professional degree programs. The university attracts students from all 50 states, the District of Columbia, Puerto Rico and the territories, and more than 130 countries.

The university offers a wide range of undergraduate and graduate programs under its eight major divisions: College of Arts and Sciences, Kogod School of Business, School of Communication, School of Education, School of International Service, School of Public Affairs, Washington College of Law, and Office of Professional Studies.

Our nationally and internationally acclaimed faculty are committed to excellence in scholarship and teaching of our diverse and talented student body. American University’s academic programs are grounded in the arts and sciences and connected to the extraordinary cultural, public affairs, legal, business, international, and communication resources of Washington, DC.

Academic offerings consist of over 80 bachelor’s, approximately 99 master’s, and 11 doctoral degrees, plus the Washington College of Law’s JD, MLS, LL.M., and SJD programs, and a host of certificate and nondegree programs.

Each semester students from around the world participate in American University’s Washington Semester Program, AU Abroad, and Abroad at AU.

Annually more than 400 students participate in AU’s Accelerator and American Collegiate programs, which offer curricula tailored to international students and provide support, training, and cultural orientation to help students adjust to AU and the United States.

AU will continue to build on these strengths to advance a distinctive, globally oriented university dedicated to academic excellence and preparing students for leadership in a complex international society.

## COMMENCEMENT SPEAKER

### ABIGAIL D. PHILLIP

Doctor of Humane Letters

Abby Phillip is CNN's senior political correspondent and anchor of *Inside Politics Sunday*, an hourlong in-depth conversation on the week's most important political storylines, with a diverse set of analysts and news-making interviews. She joined the network in 2017 to cover the Trump administration and served as White House correspondent through 2019. In January 2020, she moderated CNN's Democratic presidential debate in Iowa. She also anchored special coverage of election night in America surrounding the 2020 election, which lasted several days until CNN was the first news outlet to project Joe Biden as the winner. In January 2021, she anchored the CNN Special Report *Kamala Harris: Making History* about the vice president's barrier-breaking career and the childhood experiences that helped shape her.

Phillip joined CNN from the *Washington Post*, where she served as a national political reporter, covering the White House. Before joining the *Post*, Phillip was a digital reporter for politics at ABC News. She has also covered campaign finance, lobbying, and the Obama administration for POLITICO.

Phillip was named to the *Time* 100 Next list in 2021, and she was the recipient of the National Urban League's Women of Power Award.

Phillip was raised in Bowie, Maryland, and is a graduate of Harvard University with a degree in government. She currently lives in Washington with her husband, daughter, and their pup, Booker T.



## AMERICAN UNIVERSITY ALUMNI ASSOCIATION

The American University Alumni Association (AUAA) engages and sustains a worldwide community of alumni through opportunities for meaningful engagement aimed at increasing pride, volunteer involvement, and philanthropic commitment to American University. AUAA serves the university's more than 135,000 alumni, cultivating lifelong relationships with graduates and offering exclusive benefits and resources. It encourages involvement with AU through volunteer, networking, student engagement and mentoring opportunities and includes alumni alliances and networks focused on identities, industries, interests, and experiences. Learn more at [www.american.edu/alumni](http://www.american.edu/alumni).

## LEGACY ALUMNI NETWORK

The Legacy Alumni Network (LAN) recognizes American University alumni and students who are the children, grandchildren, parents, and grandparents of an AU alumnus or alumna. The LAN helps these important members of the AU community stay in touch with the university and with one another through special events and networking opportunities. With more than 2,000 legacy alumni and students, the network celebrates families for their support of AU across generations. If you have any questions, please contact [legacy@american.edu](mailto:legacy@american.edu).

**Jordan Matthew Friedman**  
School of Public Affairs

**Benjamin Matthew Katz**  
Kogod School of Business

**Erin Belen Elizabeth Moore Patton**  
School of International Service

**Aidan C. Rossman**  
School of Public Affairs



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ARTS & SCIENCES

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KOGOD  
SCHOOL *of* BUSINESS

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SCHOOL *of*  
EDUCATION

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OFFICE *of*  
PROFESSIONAL  
STUDIES

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## ORDER OF EVENTS

College of Arts and Sciences  
Kogod School of Business  
School of Education  
Office of Professional Studies

Sylvia M. Burwell, *University President, Presiding*

STUDENT PROCESSIONAL	Prelude Brass Ensemble
FACULTY AND PLATFORM PARTY PROCESSIONAL	City of Alexandria Pipes and Drums
WELCOME	President Burwell
NATIONAL ANTHEM	Dalia Habiby
INVOCATION	Reverend Bryant Oskvig, <i>University Chaplain</i>
INTRODUCTION OF STUDENT SPEAKERS	Fanta Aw, <i>Vice President, Undergraduate Enrollment, Campus Life, and Inclusive Excellence</i>
STUDENT ADDRESSES	Joseph A. Garcia, <i>Graduate Speaker Kogod School of Business</i>  Yasmine Rojeen Azadi, <i>Undergraduate Speaker Kogod School of Business</i>
CONFERRAL OF HONORARY DEGREE	Peter Starr, <i>Provost and Chief Academic Officer</i>  President Burwell  Abigail D. Phillip
COMMENCEMENT ADDRESS	Abigail D. Phillip, <i>Doctor of Humane Letters, Honoris Causa</i>
PRESIDENT'S CHARGE TO GRADUATES	President Burwell
PRESENTATION OF CANDIDATES FOR DOCTORAL DEGREES	Provost Starr
CONFERRAL OF DOCTORAL DEGREES	President Burwell  Max Paul Friedman, <i>Interim Dean, College of Arts and Sciences</i>
PRESENTATION OF CANDIDATES FOR MASTER'S AND BACHELOR'S DEGREES	Provost Starr
CONFERRAL OF MASTER'S AND BACHELOR'S DEGREES	President Burwell  Max Paul Friedman, <i>Interim Dean, College of Arts and Sciences</i>  Cheryl Holcomb-McCoy, <i>Dean, School of Education</i>  Wendy Boland, <i>Dean of Graduate and Professional Studies</i>  John T. Delaney, <i>Dean, Kogod School of Business</i>
RECESSIONAL	City of Alexandria Pipes and Drums  <i>(Audience will rise and remain standing until the platform party, faculty, and graduates have left the arena.)</i>

**MARSHALS**

John Heywood  
*Past Chair, Faculty Senate  
University Marshal*

Garret Martin  
*Faculty Trustee  
Chair, Faculty Senate  
Faculty Marshal*

Wendy Boland  
*Doctoral Students*

Walter G. Park  
*College of Arts and Sciences*

Casey Evans  
*Kogod School of Business*

Olatokunbo Fashola  
*School of Education*

Robert Stokes  
*Office of Professional Studies*

**FLAG BEARERS**

Arden Danielle Lesoravage  
*College of Arts and Sciences  
United States Flag Bearer*

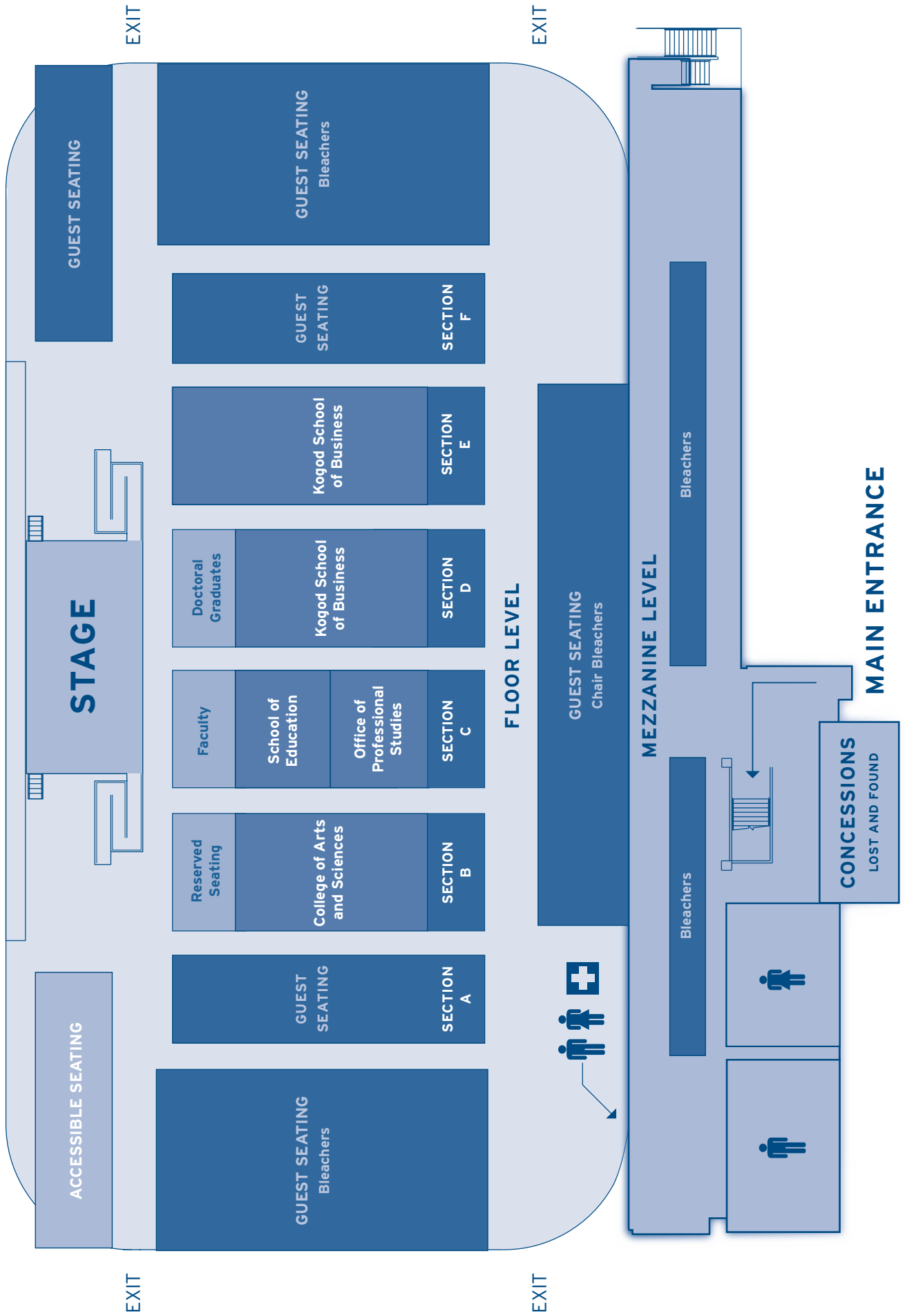
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*College of Arts and Sciences  
District of Columbia Flag Bearer*

Leslie Ulysse Anselme  
*Office of Professional Studies  
American University Flag Bearer*

Adam Katz, WCL/JD '86  
*Alumni Flag Bearer*

# COMMENCEMENT FLOOR PLAN

Sunday, December 19, 2021 | 9:00 a.m.



# COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES

## Degrees Awarded, August 2021

### DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY

**Trinity R. H. Alexander**

Clinical Psychology

*Internalized Racism and Gendered Colorism among African Americans: A Study of Intra-Group Bias, Perceived Discrimination, and Psychological Well-Being*

**Kathryn Celestia Asalone**

Behavior, Cognition and Neuroscience

*Analysis of the Mysterious Germline Restricted Chromosome in Zebra Finch*

**Curtis Matthew Harris**

History

*Hardwood Revolution: The NBA's Growth and Player Revolt, 1950-1976*

**Julie Hawks**

History

*Mobilizing America: Traveling Publicity Campaigns and America's Social Imaginaries*

**Chang He**

Economics

*Three Essays on Gender, Time Use and Female Labor Force Participation*

**Emine Elçin Köten**

Economics

*Three Essays on Internet Platform Usage and Trade*

**Amanda Kaufmann**

Clinical Psychology

*Does Changing Outcome Expectancies and Behavioral Reinforcers Affect Smoking-Related Outcomes among Young Adults?*

**Whitney Nicole Mhoon-Mock**

Clinical Psychology

*A Values-Based Intervention to Improve College Student Performance and Retention*

**Gustavo A. Rojas-Matute**

Economics

*Heterogeneity in Expectations, Official Information and Price-Setting Behavior*

**Naomi Francine Stahl**

Clinical Psychology

*Evaluation of Treatment Components of a Smoking Cessation Program for Veterans with Serious Mental Illness*

### MASTER OF ARTS

**Andrew Muhab Anbar-Shaheen**

Sociology

**Deirdre M. Belson**

Economics

**Ashley C. Brill**

Economics

**Michael Anthony D'Angelo**

Economics

**Mohamed Tassilmir Diaby**

Economics

**Meghan Dieckmann**

Public Anthropology

**Katherine Elizabeth Hatcher**

Art History

**Nicholas D. Illuzzi**

Economics

**Helen Louise Jackson**

Arts Management

**Wenjun Jiang**

International Economics

**Erin S. McCoy**

Psychology

**Alexandra McDougale**

Public Anthropology

**Jiaqi Meng**

International Economics

**Carl Moore**

Audio Technology

**Matthew Mulvihill**

Audio Technology

**Rachel Elizabeth Nelson**

Psychology

**Michael F. Quiroz**

Public Anthropology

**Ryan C. Russell**

Economics

**Jessica M. Tackes**

Art History

**Brady Tuttle**

Literature, Culture, and Technology

**Yafoor Waizi**

Economics

### MASTER OF SCIENCE

**Alisa Maria Boucher**

Nutrition Education

**Sara M. Brown**

Nutrition Education

**Deborah S. Carnahan**

Nutrition Education

**Anna Socorro Garcia**

Nutrition Education

**Chia-Ling Kao**

Health Promotion Management

**Fengrui Liu**

Data Science

**Wei-Chen Lu**

Data Science

**Karen Marinaro**

Nutrition Education

**Andrew Patrick Miller**

Health Promotion Management

**Claire Nelson**

Nutrition Education

**Nathaniel G. Niemann**

Data Science

**Jazmin Ozuna Chavez**

Nutrition Education

**Trevor K. Richardson**

Data Science

**Anastasia A. Simakina**

Nutrition Education

**Yuanhan Xu**

Statistics

### BACHELOR OF ARTS

**Theresa Claire Barnhill**

Environmental Studies

**Clément Hugo Raphael Beauvarlet**

Anthropology

**Roger M. Blease**

Anthropology

**Sarah J. Earnhart**

Foreign Language and Communication

Media

**Ryan John Huber**

Philosophy

**Kalin S. Lamme**  
Literature

**Dharma Langham**  
Psychology

**Denise Nyasha Moyo**  
Psychology

**Valentina Porto**  
Economics

**Nikki Randhawa**  
Asian Studies

**Zoe E. Sasser**  
Public Health

**Ayla E. Taffel**  
Performing Arts: Theatre

**Dakoury Vincent Godo-Solo**  
Environmental Science  
*American University Scholar*

## BACHELOR OF SCIENCE

**Xiaoqian Li**  
Statistics

**Alyssa Liang**  
Public Health

**Aarthi Mani**  
Public Health

**Shrija Moharar**  
Computer Science

**Egzona Rexhepi**  
Computer Science  
Applied Mathematics

**Kellam A. Schmudde**  
Neuroscience

**Su Xu**  
Statistics

**Zihan Zhang**  
Mathematics

## Degree Candidates, December 2021

### DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY

**Young Il Choi**  
Economics  
*Uncertainty, Credit Risk, and Corporate Investment*

**Rebecca Brenner Graham**  
History  
*When Mail Arrived on Sundays, 1810-1912*

**Ivan Grek**  
History  
*Illiberal Civil Society in Russia, 1985-2002*

**Bridget A. Klein**  
Anthropology  
*Aging Deaf Lesbians: A Study of Stigmatization, Marginalization, Resistance and Resilience from 1945 to 2020*

**Candace Armstrong Koman**  
Clinical Psychology  
*Expanding a Cultural Resilience Model to Understand Predictors of Quality of Life Outcomes for Black Women*

**Divya Laxmi Nigam**  
Behavior, Cognition and Neuroscience  
*Clinical Implementation of the Motion Diamond Stimulus*

**Aarti Reddy**  
Economics  
*Overlapping Dimensions of Informality in Urban India*

**Laura C. Rice**  
Behavior, Cognition and Neuroscience  
*The Cerebellar Contribution to Social Prediction and Learning in Autism*

**Joshua P. Schea**  
Anthropology  
*What Are You Doing for Others? A Community-Centered Response to Neoliberal Education from a Religious Non-Profit Organization*

### MASTER OF ARTS

**Anthony Anaya**  
Economics

**Kimberly Baggelaar**  
Public Anthropology

**Shikha Bhurtel**  
Economics

**Megan Leigh Boyd**  
Psychology

**Gabriel Bullard**  
Literature, Culture and Technology

**Sarah Elizabeth Canfield**  
History

**Elizabeth Janeway Carey**  
Public Anthropology

**Ya Chu Chuang**  
Economics

**Alison F. Coyne**  
Psychology

**Joseph Craig**  
Economics

**Seyni Da**  
Economics

**Mohamed Samir Mansour Hussein Awad Faragalla**  
International Economics

**Gregory Taylor Ferguson**  
Economics

**Feven Fisseha**  
Psychology

**Joseph A. Foss**  
Economics

**Rochelle Fraser**  
History

**Shaira Nausheen Haq**  
Economics

**Tamia Hayes**  
Psychology

**David Herman**  
Psychology

**Carla Anai Herrera Ramos**  
Economics

**Ruijuan Hu**  
Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages

**Ryan L. Jacobs**  
Audio Technology

**Emily Lauren Ledford**  
Public Anthropology

**Kathryn Ann Morgan**  
History

**Tri Q. Nguyen**  
Economics

**Frances Ariel Pepper**  
Art History

**Margarita Salazar**  
Economics

**Maxim Serezhin**  
Economics

**Laura Jin Sislen**  
Public Anthropology

**David Smith Jr.**  
Economics

**Katrina Smith**  
Economics

**Jiaying Wang**  
Economics

**Cleveland St. Patrick Wedderburn**  
Audio Technology

**Erin Paterson Wynne**  
Arts Management

**Jinshuo Zhang**  
International Economics

**Linmengyu Zhao**  
Teaching English to Speakers  
of Other Languages

**Cheng Zhou**  
Teaching English to Speakers  
of Other Languages

## MASTER OF FINE ARTS

**Loren Fossum**  
Creative Writing

**Emily Yoona Kim**  
Creative Writing

**Kristin McGrath**  
Studio Art

**Jessica K. Williams-Sullivan**  
Creative Writing

## MASTER OF SCIENCE

**Raghad Mohammed F. Alayoubi**  
Health Promotion Management

**Bandr AlSwyan**  
Computer Science

**Muhamad Ilham Azhar**  
Environmental Science

**Madeline Beasley**  
Neuroscience

**Ka Zoua Berry**  
Nutrition Education

**Yu-Jui Chang**  
Data Science

**Yunting Chiu**  
Data Science

**Chun En Chu**  
Data Science

**Rongtao Ding**  
Data Science

**Skieea Graham**  
Nutrition Education

**Yu “Arunana” Guo**  
Data Science

**Casey Erin Harkins**  
Health Promotion Management

**Julia C. Himelick**  
Nutrition Education

**Colin Hogan**  
Environmental Science

**Lisa Joseph**  
Health Promotion Management

**Zoe Kobrin**  
Nutrition Education

**Jodi Lynne Kuhn**  
Nutrition Education

**Jiazeng Li**  
Data Science

**Shan Lin**  
Data Science

**Nicholas Ryan Lindner**  
Nutrition Education

**Hanzhou Liu**  
Data Science

**Meilen Grice Louth**  
Environmental Science

**Hsueh-Jen Lu**  
Statistics

**Amani John Maberu**  
Data Science

**Yashar Mansouri**  
Data Science

**Laura E. Mauroschat**  
Nutrition Education

**Serena Elizabeth McCarthy**  
Biotechnology

**Mingfan Meng**  
Data Science

**Mingfan Meng**  
Environmental Science

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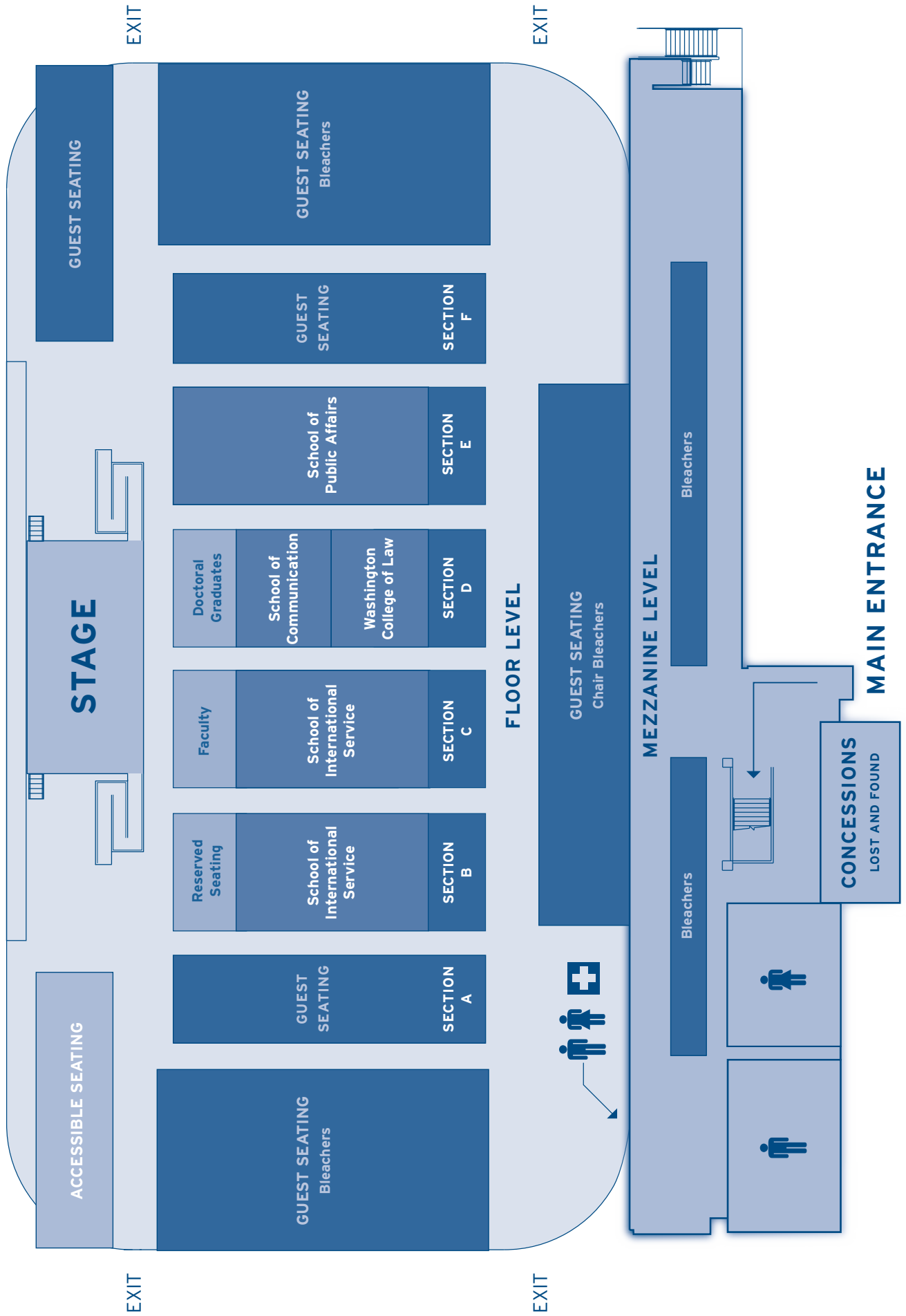
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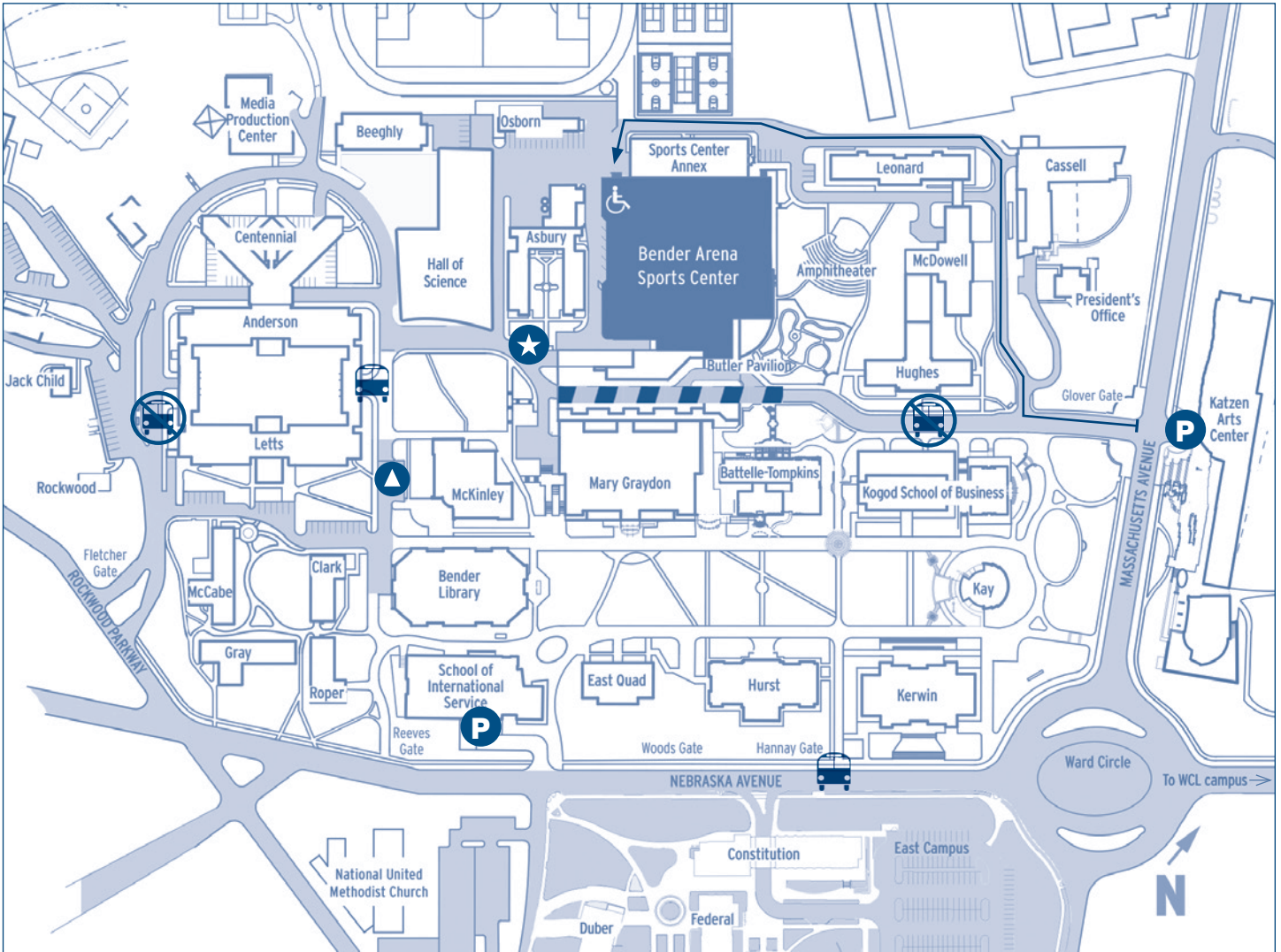
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Parking for faculty, staff, and individuals with disability plate or placard (Sports Center garage)



Accessible pick-up



Route to accessible pick-up location





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