

*Graduation Ceremony
&
Honors Convocation*



*University of Florida
College of Medicine
School of Physician Assistant Studies*

Saturday, June 20, 2020

11:00 a.m.

Gainesville, Florida

*Physician Assistant
Class of 2020*

Graduation Ceremony & Honors Convocation

Processional

Welcome *Nina Multak, Ph.D., PA-C*

Remarks *Joseph A. Tyndall, M.D, M.P.H*

Presidential Remarks *Kelsea Lydon*
President, Class of 2020

Introduction of Guest Speaker *Nina Multak, Ph.D., PA-C*

Guest Speaker *Kyle Rarey, Ph.D.*

Student Awards *Shalon R. Buchs, M.H.S., PA-C*

Outstanding Academic Year Student
Outstanding Clinical Year Student
Pi Alpha Inductees
Steven Kraft, MD and Randy Kraft Award

Faculty Awards *Samantha Martin*
Vice President, Class of 2020

Outstanding Academic Year Instructor
Outstanding Clinical Year Instructor

Conferring of MPAS Degrees *Shalon R. Buchs, M.H.S., PA-C*

Closing Remarks *Nina Multak, Ph.D., PA-C*

Recessional

College of Medicine / School of Physician Assistant Studies Faculty

*Joseph A. Tyndall, M.D., M.P.H. Dean
College of Medicine*

*Joseph C. Fantone, M.D. Sr. Associate Dean for Educational Affairs
College of Medicine*

*Nina Multak, Ph.D., PA-C Associate Dean, Director
Professor*

*Jason S. Fromm, M.D. Assistant Professor
Medical Director*

*Frank J. Genuardi, M.D., M.P.H. Associate Dean for Student Affairs
Associate Medical Director*

*Shalon R. Buchs, M.H.S., PA-C Assistant Professor
Associate Director*

*Pamela R. Patton, M.S.P., PA-C Associate Professor
Director of Admissions*

*Petar A. Breitingner, M.P.A.S., PA-C Assistant Professor
Director of Clinical Education*

*Elizabeth A. Brownlee, M.P.A.S., PA-C Assistant Professor
Director of Didactic Education*

Breann Garbas, D.H.Sc, M.P.A.S., PA-C Assistant Professor

Travis Grant, M.S., PA-C Assistant Professor

Melissa K. Turley, Pharm.D, M.P.A.S., PA-C Assistant Professor

Thao Jinwright, M.P.A.S., PA-C Assistant Professor

Emeritus Faculty:

Wayne D. Bottom, M.P.H., PA-C Associate Professor Emeritus

Randolph B. Mahoney, M.P.A.S., PA-C Assistant Professor Emeritus

Ralph W. Rice, D.H.Sc, PA-C Associate Professor, Director Emeritus

School of Physician Assistant Studies Staff

Keri J. Stone, B.A.S. Manager, Academic Support Services
Debbie K. Burger..... Academic Assistant
H. Teresa Cain Academic Assistant
Rhonda R. Douglas Administrative Support Assistant
Kristina Ivanova, M.S. Academic Assistant
Karen T. Kays Admissions Officer
Shannon E. Reis, B.A. Clinical Assistant

2020 Class Officers

Kelsea Lydon President
Samantha Martin Vice President
Alexandra Clayton Secretary
Lovepreet Kaur Treasurer
Kate Shannahan AAPA Representative
Katharine McManus FAPA Representative
Diana Piotrowski MCC Representative
Shannon Allen..... SAC Representative
Mikayla Ruane Alumni Relations Chairperson
Nathan Diehl Football Block Chairperson
Jay Jett Fundraising Chairperson
Devin Kelly Historian
Ryan Navarre Intramural Chairperson
Katherine Cook Service Chairperson
Nathan Ordway Pre-PA Club Liaison
Summer Moon Pre-PA Club Liaison
Priya Bhogaita Social Chairperson
Elizabeth Chandler Smith Webmaster



Clinical preceptors give of their time and effort in the education of healthcare professionals. The School of Physician Assistant Studies and our students would like to take this opportunity to sincerely thank all these dedicated individuals for their commitment and generosity, which demonstrates the highest form of professionalism.

Physician Assistant Class of 2020

*Naghma Ahmed
Shannon Allen
Maria Arango
Logan Armstrong
Bassam Aysheh
Andrew Barton
Priya Bhogaita
Lindsay Bouchard
Bridgette Caquatto
Leon Chen
*+Alexandra Clayton
Karen Clement
+Katherine Cook
Nicolette Crosby
Patrick Delage
Nathan Diehl
Nicole Drollette
Anelle Gonzalez
*+Jessica Griffiths
Bailey Hart
Erin Hector
Andrew Herrington
Raven Houston
Susan Huang
Jay Jett
Lovepreet Kaur
Jarrod Kearney
Devin Kelly
+Christine Lalime
*Anna Lin
Tian Luo
Kelsea Lydon*

** Pi Alpha Inductee. Pi Alpha is the national Physician Assistant honor society organized for the promotion and recognition of both PA students and graduates. Membership signifies the inductees' significant academic achievement and honors them for their leadership, research, community/professional service and other related activities. The society also encourages a high standard of character and conduct among students and graduates.*

Physician Assistant Class of 2020

*Taylor Lyon
Samantha Martin
Katharine McManus
+Caitlin McNally
David Melvin
Kristen Moeller
*+Summer Moon
Joseph Morgan
Cody Myers
Ryan Navarre
Erin O'Neill
Nathan Ordway
*+Ean Phillips
Diana Piotrowski
Colette Rackleff
*Tala Rizkallah
*Mikayla Ruane
Besan Salameh
*Jessica Schramm
*Dana Scott
Kate Shannahan
Elizabeth Chandler Smith
Mia Stokes
Christina Thomas
Matthew Walker
Mckenzie Walsh
Brian Win
Michael Wood
+Anderson Yeh
Clinton Zopf*

+ School of PA Studies Service Learning Award recipient.

The students recognized today have shown their dedication to providing community service by volunteering over 60 hours of direct service to a healthcare related community project.