

Southeast Community College

Commencement



Fall 2023 Commencement



Thursday, Dec. 14, 2023

*Pinnacle Bank Arena
Lincoln, Nebraska*

The mission of Southeast Community College is to empower and transform the diverse learners and communities of southeast Nebraska through accessible lifelong educational opportunities. The College provides dynamic and responsive pathways to career and technical, academic transfer and continuing education programs that contribute to personal, community and workforce development.

Program

Processional

Presiding

Dr. Bev Cummins, Vice President for Program Development/
Executive Director-Lincoln Campus

National Anthem

Performed by Mr. Jadyn Dodd, Current Student in SENCAP at
at Southeast Community College

Welcome

Dr. Paul Illich, President, Southeast Community College

Introduction of Commencement Speaker

Ms. Cloe Sinn, Vice President, Lincoln Campus Student Senate

Commencement Address

Mr. Nicholas Salestrom, Program Chair for Beatrice English & Humanities programs
and recipient of the 2023 Nebraska Community College Association Outstanding
Faculty Member Award for SCC

Certification of Candidates and Conferring of Degrees

Dr. Joel Michaelis, Vice President for Instruction
Mr. Neal Stenberg, Chairman, SCC Board of Governors

Presentation of Diplomas

Academic Program Faculty

Recessional

Commencement is being streamed on the College's website at
<https://www.southeast.edu/graduation/>

*The flowers in the arena were grown by students enrolled in the
Agriculture/Bioscience Pathway in The Career Academy at SCC.*

Commencement Speaker

Nicholas Salestrom

Nicholas (Nick) Salestrom is a Southeast Community College English instructor who serves as chair of the English and humanities programs on the Beatrice Campus. Since joining the College full-time in 2015, he has taught courses in business communication, college reading and writing, creative writing, English composition, fiction writing, and professional education. Outside of the classroom, Nick has served on SCC's Higher Learning Commission Accreditation Steering Team, the Learning-Technology Team, Beatrice Campus Safety Team, and as a faculty advisor for Beatrice Campus facilities. He developed training courses for new faculty and also piloted synchronous online classes using new technologies in the late 2010s. In 2023, he was selected as the Nebraska Community College Association Outstanding Faculty Member for Southeast Community College. He was born and raised in Nebraska.



National Anthem

Jadyn Dodd

Jadyn is currently enrolled in the Southeast Nebraska Career Academy Partnership (SENCAP) through Pius X High School in Lincoln, where he is a senior. He first started performing as a freshman and is now in his fourth year as a member of AcaFellas, Spectrum Varsity Show Choir and Pius Players. He has been a Spectrum dance captain for two years and is the elected Vice President for Pius Players, focusing on cast affairs. He is a section leader in AcaFellas, the varsity men's a capella group at Pius, and is also part of a barbershop quartet "What Now?" with some of his closest friends. In school, some of his biggest accomplishments have been keeping his 4.0 grade-point average and taking PACE (Physics and Applied Calculus for Engineers), and loves all things Science Technology Engineering and Math (STEM). In his future, Jadyn plans to pursue a Bachelor of Fine Arts in Musical Theatre or go into Architecture.



A Letter from the President

Dr. Paul Illich



Dear Graduate,

Southeast Community College is committed to its mission of providing dynamic and responsive pathways to career and technical, academic transfer, and continuing education programs. SCC seeks to empower and transform the diverse learners and communities of southeast Nebraska. I congratulate you on successfully completing all requirements for graduation. One of our goals at SCC is to promote resiliency among our students by encouraging them to embrace the complexities and challenges associated with learning new and difficult concepts and skills. You have accomplished this goal of resiliency through diligent effort, commitment and personal integrity.

You began your journey at SCC as a student and will leave as an accomplished graduate prepared for employment in the workforce and/or transfer to a four-year college or university. This transformation could not have occurred without the tireless support of friends and family. The dedication and commitment of SCC's faculty and staff also played a key role in the accomplishments we celebrate this evening. Your graduation from SCC is a powerful acknowledgement of their ongoing support.

SCC strives to be a national leader in developing high-contact technical and academic experiences through personal and authentic relationships with engaged and invested faculty, staff, and administrators. We believe these relationships are life-long, and we encourage you to continue to connect with the College throughout your life journey.

Congratulations on your transformational decision to enroll in an SCC program. You have created the foundation for a new future for yourself. I encourage you to continue to make positive transformational decisions and to view success and adversity as an opportunity for learning and personal growth.

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Paul Illich". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large, stylized "Q" at the end.

Graduates

Summer & Fall 2023

Associate of Arts Academic Transfer

Presented by Dr. David Schmitter

Caitlin Christine Acree, Lincoln
Alyson Kay Ahrens, Superior
Brookelynn Janet Bahnsen, Beatrice
Tyler Bishop, Lincoln
Mackenzie Kathleen Casement, Lincoln
Madison Rose Cole, Mitchell
Samuel A. Couture, Lincoln
Brayden Matthew Curtis, Papillion
Ivy Nguyen Dahn, Lincoln
Natalee Jean Davis, Aurora, CO
Drake Ryan Donahoe, Omaha
Caden Scott Eby, Bellevue
Grace Kristine Eggett, Lincoln
Jason Patrick Felici, Omaha
Cheyenne Jade Hayek, Seward
Cade Kennedy Henkel, Lincoln
Christopher William Hill, Bennet
Madisyn Grace Hurley, Lincoln
Mohamed Tariq Ibrahim, Cairo, Egypt
Faith Barbara Rael Keane, Beatrice
Megan Christine King, Lincoln
Anna Jo Klopfenstein, Seward
Madeleine Rose Lewis, Lincoln
Ruth Noemy Mendoza, Lincoln
Logan Paul Niedzielski, Humboldt
Joseph Tyler Palmer, Columbus
Eh The Ger Paw, Mae La Camp, Thailand
Brenda Yulisa Ramirez Garcia, Crete
Nathanael Ray Richardson, Lincoln

Bryson Kade Schultz, Adams
Reese A. Shriner, Lincoln
Catherine Kelly Stanosheck-Spikes, Odell
Bailey Elizabeth Suchy, Seward
Tiffany Rae Talkington, Fairbury
Taylor Ann Walker, Lincoln
Leo Alexander Wenham,
 Allenland, New Zealand
Aden Riley Whipple, Lincoln
Lucas Brooks Williams, Olathe, KS
Lilian Sophia Young, Lincoln

Associate of Science Academic Transfer

Presented by Dr. David Schmitter

Kegan Eric Akins, Lincoln
Hailey Joy Andersen, Lincoln
Harlie Jo Blas, Fairbury
Sarah Budhram, Lincoln
Gianna R.L. Clyne, Lincoln
Samuel A. Couture, Lincoln
Laney Marie Craine, Shubert
Eric Douglas Dey, Lincoln
Zahraa Salim Eedo, Lincoln
Haley Ann Elstun, Lincoln
Valentina Renée Fowler, Lincoln
Shay Barbara Holm, Ord
Katelyn Dawn Jones, Lincoln
Oleg Ketrar, Lincoln
Megan Christine King, Lincoln
Lauren Jaycee Kornman, Hudson, CO
Karen M. Loll, Kearney

Nicolas Cristian Lozano, Lincoln
Michael Malachy McGuire, Lincoln
Monica Mendez Kapor, Lincoln
Gabriella Renteria, Lincoln
Marie Katherine Rief, Lincoln
Alexander Jason Roughton, Lincoln
Maxwell Ernest Taylor, Chehalis, WA
Zayda Shae Taylor, Wymore

Associate of Arts Accounting

Presented by Eric Ayite

Ahmed Abdelrahman Ahmed Ibrahim,
Lincoln
Paulina Juarez-Gonzalez, Crete
Taylor Marie Sliva, Shickley

Associate of Applied Science Adult & Juvenile Services and Corrections

Emily Alayne Brethouwer, Daykin

Associate of Applied Science Agriculture Management & Production

Presented by Travis Pralle

Jayden Jeffrey Bauer, Hildreth
Grace Emilia Borden, Holdrege
Tye J. Bruha, Ord
Colby Michael Doyle, Holton, KS
Alanna Kay Fangmeier, Hebron
Jackson Glenn Fiegener, Dawson
Ashley Marie Goy, Malvern, IA
Coltin James Hansen, Deshler
Zade Mark Hansen, Superior
Austin Michael Harries, Marysville, KS

Alexi Rose Henery, Wilcox
Jaden Donald Jones, Mason City
Jarrett Ryan Koch, Beatrice
Carter David Kroeger, Doniphan
Luke Micheal Krolikowski, Loup City
David LeRoy Kuker, Shubert
Braden Michael Lindauer, Hastings
Luke Henry Lorenz, Springfield
Christopher Jacob Medow, Utica
Kelsey Ann Mersch, Aurora
Kiara Jade Mikkelsen, Superior
Cody William Nagel, Seward
Devin Rodney Nozicka, Broken Bow
Mackenzie Elizabeth Oestmann, Auburn
Austin Christopher Polivka, Bruno
Peyton Leigh Schardt, Table Rock
Josie Jo Shelton, Auburn
Jacey Leigh Smidt, Axtell
Madelaine Nichole Stukenholtz, Auburn
Sarah Marie Turnbull, Vliets, KS
Chloe Renee Voet, Home, KS

Certificate Alcohol and Drug Counseling

Presented by Jennifer Engelhaupt

Stanford D. Bradley, Lincoln
Justyce Danielle Carey, Syracuse
Dawn Jolene Dresden, Lincoln
Carey Ann Stutzman, York
Caleb Matthew Williams, Hickman

Associate of Applied Science Associate Degree Nursing

Presented by Jodi Nelson

Kata Elizabeth Anderson, Dakota City
Savannah Jane Baldassano, Seward

Sakshi Lamichhane Bataju, Lincoln
Sadie Ruth Brower, Omaha
Sarah Lynne Campbell, Wahoo
Meghan Beth Carpenter, Lincoln
Ilse Chavez Dimas, Schuyler
Diane Mary Davis, Farmington, NM
Lila L. Deklavs, Lincoln
Ashley Marie Douglas, Lincoln
Megan Marie Dvorak, Raymond
Chiho Friesen, Lincoln
Courtney Nicole Garner, Lincoln
Tara Michelle Griffiths, Milford
Andrew J. Hargrave, Lincoln
Hannia Lizeth Horta Flores, Lincoln
Sierra Constance Jorgensen, Lincoln
Elizabeth J. Ketteler, Petersburg
Alexandria Rose Malizzi, Lincoln
Andrea Jasmine Martinez, Lincoln
Emily Virginia May, Lincoln
Andrea Kay McMann, Ceresco
Brandon C. Okemba, Lincoln
Sydney Suzann Pacha, Oketo, KS
Christine Thao Phan, Lincoln
Mitchell Jon Scoville, Omaha
Marissa Jo Sich, Adams
Morgan Lynn Smith, Lincoln
Justin Adam Thomas, Lincoln
Bailey Kay Wallingford, York
Macayla Renee Wittman, Selden, KS

**Associate of Applied Science
Auto Collision Repair Technology**

Presented by Cayden Riley

Dawson Henry Dedick, Malcolm
Isaac Carter Walnofer, Ainsworth

**Certificate
Automotive Technology and
Light Repair**

Presented by Shelby Koch

Edwin Adrian Albarran-Morelos, Omaha
Rokia A. Al-Mansouri, Lincoln
Addison J. Baldwin, Lincoln
McKenzie Marie Diers, Syracuse
Grant A. Dietrich, Columbus
Jesse James Foster, Birmingham, AL
Derek Andrew Glasshoff, Shelby
Xavier Rene Gomez, Nebraska City
Miguel Damian Gonzales, Lincoln
Caiden Helzer, Lincoln
Jacob T. Hering, Ashland
Matthew A. Huenink, Lincoln
Brayden Patrick Jennett, Lincoln
Ivan Vyachaslav Kapliyev, Lincoln
Jaxson Ray Kempengar, Omaha
Cory Allen Kilgore, Poplar Bluff, MO
Nathan David Kohlmeier, Lincoln
Jayden Lee Kreifel, Wahoo
Will M. Malone, Lincoln
Tanner J. Moxham, Denton
Finn E. Neiman, Fairmont
Taber Wade Olson, Omaha
Dylan Michael Pelan, Elkhorn
Adamaris A. Peraza, Grand Island
Nickolas G. Pletten, Watertown, SD
Ethan M. Preuss, Lincoln
Robert Dean Price, Minden
Ezra Michael Puchalla, Roca
Jose Brandon Reyes, Lincoln
Dayton T. Richardson, Chadron
Evan L. Roberson, Lincoln
Richard Bogdan Snook, Lincoln

Kyle A. Socha, Lincoln
Sam C.P. Stauffer, Lincoln
Keegan Jon Vetrovsky, Pawnee City
Alex Robert Wingert, Red Oak, IA
Tyson A. Wolinski, Aurora
Bode James Wortman, Creighton

Diploma Automotive Technology

Presented by Shelby Koch

Edwin Adrian Albarran-Morelos, Omaha
Addison J. Baldwin, Lincoln
McKenzie Marie Diers, Syracuse
Jesse James Foster, Birmingham, AL
Miguel Damian Gonzales, Lincoln
Caiden Helzer, Lincoln
Jaxson Ray Kempelar, Omaha
Cory Allen Kilgore, Poplar Bluff, MO
Nathan David Kohlmeier, Lincoln
Jayden Lee Kreifel, Wahoo
Will M. Malone, Lincoln
Finn E. Neiman, Fairmont
Ethan M. Preuss, Lincoln
Ezra Michael Puchalla, Roca
Jose Brandon Reyes, Lincoln
Dayton T. Richardson, Chadron
Richard Bogdan Snook, Lincoln
Kyle A. Socha, Lincoln
Keegan Jon Vetrovsky, Pawnee City
Alex Robert Wingert, Red Oak, IA

Associate of Applied Science Automotive Technology

Presented by Shelby Koch

Edwin Adrian Albarran-Morelos, Omaha
Dakota Ryan Boles, Gering

McKenzie Marie Diers, Syracuse
Jesse James Foster, Birmingham, AL
Miguel Damian Gonzales, Lincoln
Ivan Vyacheslav Kapliyev, Lincoln
Cory Allen Kilgore, Poplar Bluff, MO
Dylan Michael Pelan, Elkhorn
Jaron Lee Polivka, Valparaiso
Ezra Michael Puchalla, Roca
Alex Robert Wingert, Red Oak, IA

Diploma Baking and Pastry

Timothy Michael Murtha, Old Bridge, NJ

Associate of Applied Science Baking and Pastry

Presented by Abigail Hoch

Faith Nicole Knoff, Rockwall, TX
Timothy Michael Murtha, Old Bridge, NJ

Certificate Biotechnology

Amil Ahmic, Lincoln
Sydney Nicole Aldrich, Lincoln

Diploma Biotechnology

Aiza Escoza Vitols, Lincoln

Associate of Science Biotechnology

Presented by Tracy Niday

Grace Olivia Arp, Lincoln
Jaden Grace Burmood, Lincoln
Hayley Marie Duckett, Malcolm

Emily Anne Francis, Lincoln
Jonah Robert Morgan, Lincoln
Alexander Jason Roughton, Lincoln

**Certificate
Building Construction Technology,
Construction Process**

Presented by Jason Adams

Steven A. Davis, Lincoln
Cole E. Hottovy, Columbus
Josue D. Leonardo-Monterola,
Grand Island
Jeremy Joseph Matthews, Lincoln
Lucinda Joy Mesteth, Kyle
Brennan G. Tarzian, Lincoln

**Certificate
Building Construction Technology,
Residential Design and Estimating**

Presented by Jason Adams

Steven A. Davis, Lincoln
Cole E. Hottovy, Columbus
Josue D. Leonardo-Monterola,
Grand Island
Jeremy Joseph Matthews, Lincoln
Landan L. McLaughlin, Lincoln
Lucinda Joy Mesteth, Kyle
Brennan G. Tarzian, Lincoln

**Certificate
Event Venue Operations Management**

Lauren Alexis Buresh, Lincoln
Megan Nicole Svehla, Lincoln

**Certificate
Business**

Presented by Eric Ayite

Kassidy N. Andrews, Malcolm
Brooklynn Dawn Bourke, Ashland
Seth Tias Brittenham, Lincoln
Steven Anthony Calkins, Lincoln
Lillian Azaleigh Carver, Lincoln
Clayton James Cronk, Weeping Water
Rodolfo Cuevas, Beatrice
Cody Austin Cyboron, Lincoln
Cecelia Marie Frahm, Elkhorn
Tessa Jade Gilfillan, Falls City
Alex Joseph Greiner, Auburn
Takaylynn Juleen Hergott, Hebron
Rosa Elizabeth Hernandez Espana, Lincoln
Evelyn Ruby Hernandez Moratalla,
Schuyler
Celeste M. Homan, York
Sarah Elizabeth Karsting, Lincoln
Lena E. Khalaf, Lincoln
Bailey Renee Kocian, Seward
Dawn Renee Kohler, Lincoln
Sebastian Lopez Juarez, Crete
Nataliyah Shai Lozano, Lincoln
Reese Renee Madsen, Nebraska City
Katherine Ruth Malina, Hickman
Madison Kendal Masek, Wahoo
Jack Thomas McQuade, Omaha
Lucinda Joy Mesteth, Kyle
Kyra Leann Miller, Lincoln
Kassie Lee Morse, Grand Island
Dylan Michael Pelan, Elkhorn
Stephanie Pina, Grand Island
Alexis Nicole Price, Grand Island

Lauren Carolyn Prosofski, Raymond
Jennifer Adell Puls, Wakefield
David A. Roger Jr., Lincoln
Mikayla Alexis Rudebusch, Seward
Sarah Ellen Rudloff, Omaha
Garrett Dean Schmohr, Lincoln
Khilud Khudidah Shammo, Lincoln
Trista Jolene Sloane, Deshler
Zachary Robert Tafoya, Lincoln
Ryan Michael Thraen, Lincoln
Elizabeth Tammie Wasserburger, Lincoln
Anna Ellen York, Fairbury

Diploma Bookkeeping

Atley Jo Buhr, Adams
Silverio Emmanuel Torres, Hastings

Diploma Business

Presented by Eric Ayite

Rodolfo Cuevas, Beatrice
Lena E. Khalaf, Lincoln
Jennifer Adell Puls, Wakefield
Mikayla Alexis Rudebusch, Seward
Jessica Santiago Sanchez, Lincoln
Elizabeth Tammie Wasserburger, Lincoln

Associate of Arts Business

Presented by Eric Ayite

Newel Ahmed, Lincoln
Diego Andres Aracena-Jerez, Lincoln
Nolan Kent Bahnsen, Beatrice
Victor Daniel Bedolla, Lincoln

Michaun Noel Bogus, Lincoln
Caleb U. Braunsroth, Wahoo
Tyler Alan Buck, Holdrege
Cara Marie Buettner, Beatrice
Isaac Thomas Carpenter, Lincoln
Myah Lynn Erickson, Lincoln
Karlea Moon Fosket, Grand Island
Erik Michael Hite, Lincoln
Sawyer Jerome Hovelsrud, Lincoln
Hailey Brooke Hunt, Lincoln
Cassie Marie Janzen, Beatrice
Katelyn Dawn Jones, Lincoln
Nicholas David Langan, Albion
Marisol Manzo-Balderas, Lincoln
Jayden McNealy, Humboldt
Y. Dao Nguyen, Lincoln
Stephanie Perez, Lincoln
Joliet Inez Rinaker, Lincoln
Macy Marie Roever, Home, KS
Sarah Rudloff, Omaha
Khilud Khudidah Shammo, Lincoln
Grace Alexandra Versaw, Lincoln
Evan Patrick Wehling, Nebraska City
Riley Michael Wehling, Nebraska City
Angelica Rae Wellman, Elk Creek
Juan Carlos Zapata Lima, Grand Island

Associate of Applied Science Business

Presented by Eric Ayite

Aisha Ali Al-Saedi, Lincoln
Mamadu I. Bah, Lincoln
Amy Lynn Bassen, Lincoln
Maria Luiza Becerra, Crete
Patrick J. Bendig, Lincoln

Mattalyn Mae Boning, Norfolk
Seth Tias Brittenham, Lincoln
Atley Jo Buhr, Adams
Steven Anthony Calkins, Lincoln
Trista Ann Callahan, Bertrand
Rodolfo Cuevas, Beatrice
Koby Joseph Dillon, Lincoln
Austin Allen Earnest, Lincoln
Cecelia Marie Frahm, Omaha
Tessa Jade Gilfillan, Falls City
Dayle Jean Heileman, Lincoln
Robert N. Henry, Lincoln
Mia Elizabeth Herbert, Lincoln
Evelyn Ruby Hernandez Moratalla,
 Schuyler
Lena E. Khalaf, Lincoln
Jessica Linn Knopp, David City
Dawn R. Kohler, Lincoln
Haley J. Lake, Lincoln
Sydney Lynn Leber, Lincoln
Emma Grace Leners, Beatrice
Katherine Ruth Malina, Hickman
Jennifer Theresa McDonald, Topeka, KS
Alena Ann Meyer, La Vista
Stasia Lynn Minard, Gretna
Katherine Natasha Pokorny, Lincoln
Gabrielle D. Porter, Malcolm
Kimhour Ramage, Baken,
 Pursat, Cambodia
Mikayla Alexis Rudebusch, Seward
Heather Marie Schmit, Beatrice
Garrett Dean Schmohr, Lincoln
Trista Jolene Sloane, Deshler
Elizabeth Tammie Wasserburger, Lincoln
Emily Christine Wenzl, Tecumseh

Thomas Barton Whittle, Lincoln
Tai'an A. Williams, Lincoln

**Associate of Arts
Business Communication**

Presented by Eric Ayite

Melissa Rose Etherton, Lincoln
Chloe Elizabeth Royce, Gothenburg
Sabrina Simone Stoner, Martell
Gavin Blake Williams, Norfolk

**Certificate
Computer Information Technology-
General Technician**

Jessica Mai Tran, Lincoln

**Diploma
Computer Information Technology-
Applications Development**

Jessica Mai Tran, Lincoln

**Diploma
Computer Information Technology-
Computer Support**

Davin Lewis Brunswick, McCook

**Associate of Applied Science
Computer Information Technology**

Presented by Norman Stimbert

Dustin Shane Andersen, Tremonton, UT
Jared Alexander Anderson, Lincoln
Hunter Allen Elliott, Waverly
Darin Dean Ellis, York
Jack Christopher Goeden, Lincoln
Kris Eugene Haskin, Lincoln

Cameron Skye Higley, Lincoln
Tony Phouc Le, Lincoln
Leo Alexander Merrill, Lincoln
Kallin H. Messerer, Lincoln
John Matthew Morris, Lincoln
Shawn Lee Moyer, Auburn
Philippe Wa Musau Musau, Lincoln
Jackson Drew Pavey, Raymond
John Alexander Ramirez, Chicago, IL
Isaac Zarraga Rodriguez, Fairmont
Joshua Jacob Root, Lincoln
Anthony Michael Schaeftbauer, Cherry, MN
Jomari Smallfoot, Lincoln
Connor Lee Sullivan, Lincoln
Dylan Hai Tran, Lincoln
Madelon Rose Watanabe, Eagle
Douglas Glen Wigley, Lincoln
Kathleen Edith Yardley Wyant, Lincoln
Ryan Lee Zimmermann, Lincoln

Associate of Applied Science Computer Information Technology- Cybersecurity

Presented by Norman Stimbert

Justin Tyler Beckstead, Lincoln
Seth B. Culp, Glenwood, IA
Dylan Patrick Kuehn, Hartington

Associate of Applied Science Computer Information Technology- Network Management

Presented by Norman Stimbert

Afi JaMa Kenyatta Ahmose, Lincoln
Davin Lewis Brunswick, McCook
Tyler Gerald Hosek, Lincoln
Case Jeffrey Jurgens, Lincoln

Associate of Arts Criminal Justice

Presented by Rita Dondlinger

Rolan Qassim Hadi, Lincoln
Damian Michael Hutchison, Tecumseh
Stephanie Michelle Hutchison, Papillion
Colton James Line, Waverly
Riley Marie Post, Hickman

Associate of Applied Science Criminal Justice

Presented by Rita Dondlinger

Brianna Abbink, Lincoln
Emily Alayne Brethouwer, Daykin
Fawn Dove Cross, Merriman
Eleanor Margaret Hanson, North Platte
Nevaeh Pyrl Honea, Wilber
Krista Renee Knox, Stromsburg
Amber Kelly Lee, Lincoln
Kora Rlyie McArthur, Lincoln
Tyson Thomas McFarland, Lincoln
Sydney Makenna Ray, Douglas
Taylor Rose Willnow, Lincoln

Certificate Culinary/Hospitality

Presented by Abigail Hoch

Eric Rex Boggs, Hershey
Elisa Montanez Connolly,
San Fernando La Union, Philippines
Ruoyu Dong, Lincoln
Jesse Paul Dunning, Lincoln
Logan Edward Hershberger, Milford
Emma Olivia Jones, Auburn
Faith Nicole Knoff, Rockwall, TX

Tessa Joy Lahners, Lincoln
Isidro Angel Lopez-Aguado, Crete
Timothy Michael Murtha, Old Bridge, NJ
Hsa Blut Soe, Cozad

**Diploma
Culinary/Hospitality**

Presented by Abigail Hoch

Daisha Lanae Figueroa, Crete

**Associate of Applied Science
Culinary/Hospitality**

Eric Rex Boggs, Hershey
Hsa Blut Soe, Cozad

**Diploma
Dental Assistant**

Presented by Crystal Stuhr

Morgan Marie Cody, Mead
Emily Grace Crouse, Horton, KS
Tangela Lee Danhauer, Lincoln
Summer Rayne Dunning, Lincoln
Manar Safaa Harub, Lincoln
Reanna Marie Havlat, Lincoln
Emily Herrera, Lincoln
Courtney Anne Hill, Filley
Delaney Renee Homolka, Daykin
Ellie Jan Hula, Raymond
Brooklyn Kennedy Karash, Oxford
Johnna Renee Kostecka, Table Rock
Simone Neve Lindell, Lincoln
Kristin Elizabeth Marshalek, Valparaiso
Alejandra Adame Mendez, Crete
Vanessa Monserrat Mendez Ortiz, Crete
Brooke Ann Meyer, Seward

Kelby Nicole Mumm, Hebron
Destiny Jean Rajaniemi, Crete
Carissa Ann Roth, Columbus
Khalida Mahmud Simoqi, Lincoln
Tara Elizabeth Walters, Sterling
Macy Lynn Warner, Ord
Mollie Elizabeth Whyman, Lincoln

**Associate of Applied Science
Dental Assistant**

Presented by Crystal Stuhr

Summer Rayne Dunning, Lincoln
Alyssa Jordan Hans, Staplehorst
Nadezhda Aleksandrovna Kovaliv, Lincoln

**Certificate
Design & Drafting Technology**

Chase Matthew Jacobson, Holdrege
Foster Delaney Walk, Atlanta, GA

**Certificate
Design & Drafting Technology-
Intro to Design Software**

Presented by David Zachek

Khalid Kamaledin Ali, Lincoln
Jack T. Ball, Lincoln
Grant Michael Sklenar, Lincoln
Foster Delaney Walk, Atlanta, GA

**Associate of Applied Science
Design & Drafting Technology**

Presented by David Zachek

Chase Matthew Jacobson, Holdrege
Osvaldo R. Juarez, Lincoln

**Associate of Applied Science
Diesel-Ag Equipment Service Tech**

Presented by Andrew Schiessl

Dalton Alexzander Birke,
Missouri Valley, IA
Jared Thomas Brown, Central City
Carson Thomas Garcia, McCook
Lance Timothy Meduna, Colon
Tristan Lane Weitzenkamp, Scribner

**Associate of Applied Science
Diesel Technology-Truck**

Presented by Andrew Schiessl

Damon Michael Rasmussen, York

**Certificate
Dietary Manager**

Carl Jacob Hively, Woodbine, IA
Krista L. Jordan-McVay, Nebraska City
Chad E. McCall, Lincoln
Elise Marie Meier, Beaverton, MI
Carolyn Jean Smith, Palmyra

**Certificate
Early Childhood Education**

Duha A. Albakri, Lincoln
Christina J. Murphy, Lincoln

**Certificate
Early Childhood Education-
Infant/Toddler**

Megan Michelle Holmes, Lincoln
Nicole Bree Moreno, Lincoln
Brenda S. Nepper, Grand Island

Say Kay Paw, Lincoln
Melissa J. Rios, Lincoln

**Certificate
Early Childhood Education-Preschool**

Megan Michelle Holmes, Lincoln
Abrianna Helen Lennander, Lincoln
Nicole Bree Moreno, Lincoln
Say Kay Paw, Lincoln
Melissa J. Rios, Lincoln
Sydney Faye Louise Wallace, Lincoln

**Diploma
Early Childhood Education**

Presented by Crystal Kozak

Sara Abdulsaheb, Baghdad, Iraq
Nicole Bree Moreno, Lincoln
Melissa J. Rios, Lincoln

**Associate of Arts
Early Childhood Education**

Presented by Crystal Kozak

Breanna Grace Bender, Lincoln
Amy Amelia Brenner, Armour, SD
Petrona Isabel Garcia, Crete
Megan Michelle Holmes, Lincoln
Margaret Jillian McCarter, Lincoln
Brenda Sue Nepper, Hickman
Sydnee Nicole Stone, Crete
Anahi Marilu Tercero Tercero, Crete
Jaiden Alexis Triggs, Lincoln
Kasey J. True, Nemaha

**Associate of Applied Science
Early Childhood Education**

Presented by Crystal Kozak

Jenna Kristine Addison, Lincoln
Ashleigh Marie Baker, Milford
Miranda Lynn Dillon, Lincoln
Erin K. Flynn Dettmann, Shubert
Jill Elizabeth Johnson, Lincoln
Nicole Bree Moreno, Lincoln
Say Kay Paw, Lincoln

**Associate of Applied Science
Electrical & Electromechanical
Technology**

Presented by Dan Schweitzer

Kaden Todd Cole, Curtis
Wut-Nuer Jenin Gatnoor, Milford
Markell Allen Jackson, Lincoln
Erik Ornelas, Crete
Kaleb John Vetrovsky, Pawnee City

**Associate of Applied Science
Electrical & Electromechanical
Technology, Automation & Robotics**

Presented by Dan Schweitzer

Nicole Leeann Biehl, Lincoln
Clayton James Cronk, Weeping Water
Tinh Huu Doan, Crete
Elijah Gade Hestermann, Lincoln
Coy Vinton Johnson, Anselmo
Trey Douglas Jurgens, Lincoln

**Certificate
Electrical & Electromechanical
Technology, Electrical Technician**

Presented by Dan Schweitzer

Zendrick Lafronze O'Neal, Lincoln
Kaleb John Vetrovsky, Pawnee City

**Associate of Applied Science
Electrical & Electromechanical
Technology, Electrical Technician**

Presented by Dan Schweitzer

Austin Michael Clegg, Grand Island
Spencer Brooks Linam, Lincoln
Carter William Luedtke, Columbus
Zendrick Lafronze O'Neal, Lincoln
Karter James Welch, Cornlea

**Certificate
Electrical & Electromechanical
Technology, Electromechanical
Industrial Maintenance Technician**

Presented by Dan Schweitzer

Casey Jon Carlin, McCook
Zendrick Lafronze O'Neal, Lincoln
Mike James Sullivan, Lincoln

**Associate of Applied Science
Electrical & Electromechanical
Technology, Electromechanical
Industrial Maintenance Technician**

Presented by Dan Schweitzer

Casey Jon Carlin, McCook
Elijah Gade Hestermann, Lincoln
Nigel Donovan Holmes, Kearney
Zachary Joseph Alba Maroon, Omaha
Zendrick Lafronze O'Neal, Lincoln
Michael James Sullivan, Lincoln
Isaac Jakob Wood, Lincoln

**Certificate
Electrical Construction**

Michael S. Andel, David City
Ryan Lee Dixon, Brownville
Dawson L. Dlouhy, Garland
Trevor Erickson Godina, Ogallala
Spencer Brooks Linam, Lincoln
Karson Keikiakela Meuret, Elkhorn, WI

**Certificate
Electrician Construction-IBEW**

James S. Janda, Lincoln
Tyler James Ross, Seward

**Associate of Applied Science
Electronic Systems Technology**

Presented by Patty Zachek

Steven R. Bergmeier, Lincoln
Asante D'wan Hairl-Mclaughlin, Lincoln
Michael Joseph Krejci, Louisville
Colton Samuel Matlock, Lincoln
Brooklyn Luna Vogt, Lincoln

**Certificate
Energy Generation Operations**

Presented by Shane Klinginsmith

Joseph Anton Heil, Nebraska City
Nicolas Joshua Jackson, Wheaton, IL
Josie Sue Loos, Lincoln
Andrea Medina, Columbus
Simon Navid Ortega, Lincoln
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**Diploma
Energy Generation Operations**

Presented by Shane Klinginsmith

Joseph Anton Heil, Nebraska City

**Associate of Applied Science
Energy Generation Operations**

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Colton Laine Kelle, Beatrice
Josie Sue Loos, Lincoln
Andrea Medina, Columbus
Simon Navid Ortega, Lincoln
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Gavyn Dakota Tyler Thomas, Auburn

**Associate of Applied Science
General Motors Automotive Service
Educational Program**

Presented by Chris Bandt

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Weeping Water
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**Certificate
Geographic Information
Systems Technician**

Presented by Norman Stimbert

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Luke James Steward-Streng, Portland, OR
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**Certificate
Global Studies**

Presented by Nicole Trevena Flores

Michaun Noel Bogus, Lincoln
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**Certificate
Healthcare Services**

Presented by Jill Sand

Mona Saeed Amoun, Sudan
Taleia Lynnmarie Cervantes, Fairbury
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Colt Alexander Dittbrenner, Beatrice
Andrea Duran, Burbank, CA
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Viviana D. Garcia, Lincoln
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Whitney Mae Jolliffe, Malcolm
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**Associate of Science
Health Sciences**

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Stacy Marlene Berg, Scottsbluff
Jueletta Jean Davis, Longview, WA
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Diploma Heating, Ventilation, Air Conditioning & Refrigeration Technology

John Thomas Bitterman, Sutton
Dylan Michael Busch, Alliance
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Brandon Alan Duensing, Lincoln
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Aidan J. Friedly, Pawnee City
Nicolas W. Halleen, Lincoln
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Associate of Applied Science Horticulture & Turfgrass Management

Presented by Travis Pralle

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Toller Thomas Hofer, Fremont
Andrew Wayne Inngs, Durban, South Africa
Jocelyn Delaney Lambert, Auburn
Caden Paul Lierz, Sabetha, KS
Thatcher Wilson Patterson, Cambridge
Cole Robert Troutd, Lawrence

Associate of Applied Science Human Services

Presented by Jennifer Engelhaupt

Alyssa Sharee Barton, Lincoln
Stanford D. Bradley, Lincoln
Joanna Marie Daigle, Milford

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Someia Gafar, Lincoln
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Madelyn Marie Hoyt, Lincoln
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Sarah Nicole Oertli, Lincoln
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Emma Grace Went, Lincoln
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Associate of Applied Science John Deere Tech

Presented by Spencer Frazier

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Jacob James Diessner, Spalding
Logan Thyne David Farr, McCook
Miles William Friday, Hutchinson, KS
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Associate of Applied Science Livestock Management & Production

Presented by Travis Pralle

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Rowan Michael Melby, Treynor, IA
Sophia Lynn Pihlgren, Battle Creek
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Associate of Applied Science Long Term Care Administration

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Associate of Applied Science Manufacturing Engineering Technology

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Diploma Medical Assisting

Presented by Oksana Letyayev

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Sandy Paola Herrarte Juarez, Lexington
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Brooklyn Elizabeth Manning, Firth
Martha Elisa Martinez, Lincoln
Josie Samantha Osler, Elsie
Yen Hoang Pham, Lincoln
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Associate of Applied Science Medical Laboratory Technology

Presented by Leah Stamps

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Martha Rachel Dykstra, Farragut, IA
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Associate of Applied Science Nondestructive Testing Technology

Presented by Bill Wiley

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Brent Hooper, Orlando, FL

Brian James Maloy, Fair Lawn, NJ

Karen Ortiz, Passaic, NJ

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Associate of Applied Science Powersports Technology

Presented by Shelby Koch

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Diploma Practical Nursing

Presented by Jamie Siems

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Brooklen Paige Bear, Fairbury
Camryn Maxine Beebe, Adams
Lera Suanu Bere, Lincoln
Lexie Taylor Buckminster, Falls City
Hannah Nicole Carroll, Wahoo
Katrina Leigh Collins, Omaha
Danielle Jean Cooper, Fairmont
Candi Sue DeLong, Wathena, KS
Blake Michael Dougherty, Falls City
Tarae Taylor Dowd, Lincoln
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Cameroon, Africa
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Abigail Rose Hudson, Ceresco
Alysa Michele Kapke, Lincoln
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Sage Marie Klimm, Garland
Amber Leann Lambrecht, Sabetha, KS
Hannah Nicole Lauenroth, Palmyra
Amanda Catherine Lulow, Alliance
Ryleah Mykel Maynard, Kearney
Kenna Lee McClarnen, Falls City
Monica Mendez Kapor, Lincoln
Shannon Lee Meyn, Beatrice
Oliver K. Muhoza, Lincoln
Taylor Marie Mundt, Lincoln

Danielle Michelle Neugebauer, Friend
Jolin Duy Nguyen, Lincoln
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Ewougo, Cameroon, Africa
Kaitlin Serena June O'Donnell, Seward
Susan Poulino Ochilo Okeng,
South Sudan, Africa
Olivia Eleanor Pham, Lincoln
Holley Nicole Pribyl, Crete
Krystina Leigh Ralston, Friend
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Vulinda Lynn Sanders, Marks, MS
Katlyn Marie Scheele, Frankfort, KS
Christina Kay Schoening, Crescent, IA
Desarae Ann Skidmore, Omaha
Charvez Tremain Smith, Omaha
Dorothy Dushawn Stafford, Lincoln
Madalyn Jade Stout, Lincoln
Gwendolyn Ruth Stroup, Sterling
Benjamin Richmond M Toe,
Monrovia, Liberia, West Africa
Megan Frances Vos, Gretna

Certificate Precision Agriculture

Presented by Travis Pralle

Austin Michael Harries, Marysville, KS
Jarrett Ryan Koch, Beatrice
Austin Christopher Lorenz, Crete

Diploma Precision Machining and Automation Technology

Presented by John Bockoven

Jack Alexander Beam, Bennington
Eli D. Crowe, Laramie, WY

Jaydon Josiah Elge, Aurora
Ledon M. Hatcliff, Lincoln
Corben James Johnson, Lincoln
Tad Austin Proskocil, Ord
Cooper J. Regier, Henderson
Logan Ronald Stelling, Osmond
Christian Matthias Waage, St. Joseph, MO
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**Associate of Applied Science
Precision Machining and
Automation Technology**

Presented by John Bockoven

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Bryce Vincent Budz, Ashland
Jaydon Josiah Elge, Aurora
Jayden Mark Germer, Seward
Ledon M. Hatcliff, Lincoln
Christian Matthias Waage, St. Joseph, MO

**Certificate
Professional Truck Driver Training**

Presented by Robert Stokes

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Faublas Gaston, Lincoln
Tadesse Debela Guda, Lincoln
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Reece Pedersen, Goehner
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**Associate of Applied Science
Radiologic Technology**

Presented by Mike DeWitt

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Melissa Marie Davis, Norfolk
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Emma Rose Feeken, Crete
Grace Ann Fief, Clay Center, KS
Hailey Ann Fisher, Johnson
Trisha Patrik Fox, Stuart
Haley Elizabeth Greek, Albion
Tracey Darlene Hamilton, Alliance
Taylor Michelle Larsen, LaVista
Anna-Rose McQuay LaVante, Chappell
Diona Janette Martyn, Brookings, OR
Audrey Lorraine Mohr, Butte
Rylie Jo Olson, Columbus
Caelea Rachele Ostergard, North Platte
Rocio Perez, Hastings
Rachel Anne Schneider, Snyder
Cloe Dawn Sinn, Hanover, KS
Raelyn Rose Sonnenfeld, Hickman
Aubrey Jae Steinwart, Elwood
Conner Lucas Taylor, Omaha
Shelby Judith Timmerman, Wausa
Ashton Nicole Troyer, Lincoln

Associate of Applied Science Respiratory Care

Presented by Todd Klopfenstein

Alexander Preston Abel, Council Bluffs, IA
Raul Abdías Andrades, Hastings
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Kaylee May Binder, Waverly
Lindsey Joy Booth, Nebraska City
Clarissa Ancheta Broussard, Reno, NV
Shima Ali Ibrahim Daoud, Lincoln
Desarae Denaé Gomez, Las Cruces, NM
Mary Elizabeth Hill, Hamilton, OH
Jackson Ray Jones, Hickman
Michael Isacc Kujath, Wymore
Lynnzy Dee Larsen, Waverly

Jasmin Marie Martinez, Grand Island
Baylee Makenna Simpson, Beatrice
Shelby Lynn Stedfield, Reno, NV
Jacob Dillon Watton, Lincoln

Certificate Surgical First Assist

Kathleen Louise DeLowrey, Lincoln
Rebecca Rosalind Hrouda, Hickman
Jason Anthony Hudgens, Lincoln
Jennifer Dale McLaughlin, Lincoln
Lisa Renae Toelle, Firth
Maximillian H. Tompsett, Omaha
Stacey Marie Vande Zande, Watertown, SD
Yekaterina Veniaminovna Verbitskiy,
Minnetonka, MN

Associate of Applied Science Surgical Technology

Presented by Casey Glassburner

Shaima Alias Abraham, Sinjar, Iraq
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Librada Maria Baez, North Platte
Carmen Jean Britt, Columbus
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Sergio Leobardo Chavez, Fremont
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Certificate Welding Technology

Presented by Matt Fuller

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Christopher James Grell, Ashland
Kadin Lee Haake, Lincoln
Sean David Hepler, Kwajalein,
Marshall Islands
Jeston Christopher Junker, Murdock
Rylan Joesph Kastens, Elmwood
Brayden Alan Kieborz, Valentine
Kaden Frederick Koch, Plymouth
Jace Lee Licklitter, Davey
Jackson Karl Linke, Lincoln
Nathaniel Jesse Long, Savannah, GA
Luke James McBride, Lincoln
Joshua Lea Muehling, DeWitt
Kyle Barton Nickels, Murray
Robert J. Park, Friend
Dalton Jason Peterie, Lincoln
Logan Robert Petersen, Malcolm

Hayden Matthew Pfeiffer, Eagle
Thaddeus Stephen Radke, Elba
Mason Brian Jerry Schmidt, Plymouth
Marcus Dupree Thomas, North Platte
Jackson Edward Watters, Lincoln
Sara Marie Wells, Lincoln
Logan Joseph Yingling, Ashland

Diploma Welding Technology

Presented by Matt Fuller

Samuel Patrick Butler, Omaha
Julio Cesar Chavez, Omaha
Kolbe Robert Classen, Humphrey

Associate of Applied Science Welding Technology

Presented by Matt Fuller

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Brett Patrick Fischer, Lincoln
Rylan Andrew Sanders, Lincoln
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The following SCC organizations are recognizing their students with additions to regalia as indicated below:

Cords

Silver & Blue High Distinction
Silver Distinction
Red, White, & Blue Current Military or Veteran
Purple..... College Republicans & Young Democrats
Red..... Trio

Stoles

Gold Phi Theta Kappa (PTK)
White Walter Scott Foundation
Light Blue..... Athlete

Medallions

Student Senate

The Academic Processional and Regalia

The academic processional that officially preludes the Commencement ceremonies on college and university campuses is one of the oldest and most colorful customs that link 21st century education with its early origins.

To signal the achievements of their students, American institutions of higher learning conduct a formal ceremony to award the appropriate degrees earned at the conclusion of prescribed study. The action of taking the degree — associate's, baccalaureate, master's or doctorate, as well as the designation of the day itself — is Commencement.

As cited in *Academic Heraldry in America* (Sheard, 1962), the academic regalia worn at Commencement is of medieval origin. Since the 11th century, when the rise of universities began, "learned clerks" robed themselves in gowns, caps and hoods, thus marking a difference between "town and gown." By this apparel they were recognized as belonging to the teaching guild, which was the Guild of the Master of Arts. In this organization, the bachelor was the apprentice of the master. This relationship was the forerunner of today's academic structure.

In the United States, professors continue to wear the gown and hood of the university from which they received their highest degree. The gown, in origin, may have been simply a type of overcoat to protect the teacher from the cold in unheated buildings; the cut or style seems to be derived from ecclesiastical attire. It has usually been black; however, in recent years some institutions have adopted a school color for their gowns. The gowns of bachelors and masters are usually without trimmings of any sort, whereas those of doctors are faced down the front with velvet and adorned with three velvet bars on the sleeves. The cap or "mortarboard" may have come from the squarish cap worn by the masons of the Middle Ages, or perhaps was suggested by the shape of the books that occupied so much of the scholar's time. Attached to a button atop the "mortarboard" is a tassel; bachelor's and master's tassels are black or color appropriate to the subject; doctors' tassels are black or golden. The tassel is worn on the left side by individuals receiving or have received a degree.

The hood, a triangular fold of cloth worn over the back of the gown, is faced with colors which denote the field of study represented by the wearer's degree; the colors of the lining are those of the college or university that granted the degree. The length of the hood is correspondingly longer with each higher degree. The wide velvet borders extending down the front of the doctoral gown, the velvet bars on the sleeves and the borders of most hoods, are colored according to the scholarly field of the wearer.

Regalia Colors

The colors worn by Faculty & Staff, including trimmings of doctors' gowns, edging of hoods and tassels of caps, are represented by the colors associated with the different disciplines as follows:

Agriculture	Maize
Arts, Letters, Humanities	White
Commerce, Accountancy, Business.....	Drab
Dentistry	Lilac
Economics	Copper
Education	Light Blue
Engineering.....	Orange
Fine Arts, including Architecture	Brown
Forestry	Russet
Journalism.....	Crimson
Law	Purple
Library Science	Lemon
Medicine	Green
Music.....	Pink
Nursing.....	Apricot
Oratory (Speech).....	Silver Gray
Pharmacy.....	Olive Green
Philosophy	Dark Blue
Physical Education	Sage Green
Public Admin, including Foreign Service	Peacock Blue
Public Health.....	Salmon Pink
Science.....	Golden Yellow
Social Work.....	Citron
Theology	Scarlet
Veterinary Science.....	Gray



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The College has campuses in Beatrice, Lincoln and Milford, as well as Learning Centers in Falls City, Hebron, Nebraska City, Plattsmouth, Wahoo, and York. SCC serves nearly 10,000 credit students through 80 Programs of Study, including transfer and career/technical. Most can be completed in two years or less. The College also serves nearly 20,000 non-credit students enrolled in Continuing Education classes on the campuses and in communities throughout southeast Nebraska. Ninety-three percent of the students who graduated in 2022 found employment or continued their education.

SCC began operating in Lincoln in 1973 in various locations throughout the city. In 1979, the first building on the current Lincoln Campus at 8800 O St. was built. SCC obtained the Beatrice Campus, where the college's 10 intercollegiate athletic programs reside, in the early 1970s. The Milford Campus, which originated in 1941 as Nebraska Technical College, also became part of SCC in the early 1970s.

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