

*Southeast Community College*

*Commencement*



# *Spring 2023 Commencement*



*Thursday, May 4, 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*

Mr. Edward Koster, Vice President for Research, Planning and Technology/Milford  
Campus Executive Director

## *National Anthem*

Ms. Olivia Vanderford, Current Student in The Career Academy  
at Southeast Community College

## *Welcome*

Mr. Edward Koster, Vice President for Research, Planning and Technology/Milford  
Campus Executive Director

## *Introduction of Commencement Speaker*

Mr. Cullen Wood, Milford Campus Student Senate President

## *Commencement Address*

Senator Myron Dorn, Nebraska Legislative, District 30

## *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*

### State Senator Myron Dorn

State Senator Myron Dorn has strong roots in Gage County. A graduate of Adams High School and the University of Nebraska-Lincoln animal science program, Dorn has spent his life farming in the Adams and Firth area. Now in his second term representing District 30, he has experienced the challenges facing the agriculture industry.



Dorn was honored by the Center for Rural Affairs with its 2022 George Norris Policymaker Award. The award is given to someone who employs bipartisanship, compromise and consensus to improve policy outcomes for family farms and rural communities. In 2018 he was designated as a Friend of Agriculture by the Nebraska Farm Bureau political action committee.

Prior to his stint in the legislature, Dorn served on the Firth Coop and Dorchester Coop boards. He was a chairman of the Gage County Board of Supervisors from 2010-2018 and was instrumental in helping pass legislation to help Gage County pay its judgment in the Beatrice Six case.

Dorn lives with his wife Julie on the family farm near Adams. They have two children, Kyle and Erin, and two grandchildren.

## *National Anthem*

### Olivia Vanderford

Olivia is a senior at Lincoln High School and attends The Career Academy at Southeast Community College. Olivia enjoys singing and performing. She is a dance captain and section leader for Lincoln High's Show Choir Momentum, is the secretary for the Lincoln High Singers Choir and is involved in theater. Highlights for Olivia have included playing the Fairy Godmother in "Cinderella" and Tanya in "Mamma Mia!" at LHS. Olivia has been president of the Pick-A-Pig 4-H Club and has been showing pigs at the county, state and national levels. This year, she is the secretary for the Nebraska Swine Circuit Junior Board. She also is a member of the LHS National Honor Society. Olivia plans to attend the University of Nebraska-Lincoln this fall and major in Ag Communications and minor in Vocal Music.



# *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 4-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 the perfect 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. As a graduate of SCC, we believe these relationships are life-long, and we encourage you to continue to connect with the College throughout your life journey.

I congratulate you on the 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 adversity as an opportunity for personal growth and passionate resolve.

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Paul Illich". The signature is stylized with a large, flowing "P" and a long, sweeping underline.

# Graduates

## Spring 2023

### **Associate of Arts**

*Presented by Amy Doty*

Timothy Gary Bentzinger, Hickman  
Rachael Elaine Brook, Johnson  
Rosie Moana Campbell,  
Wellington, New Zealand  
Abigail Kay Colgrove, Gretna  
John Robert Cook, Seward  
Brayden Matthew Curtis, Papillion  
Meagan Amanda Davis, Lincoln  
Ross Eman Dobrusky, Lincoln  
Rebecca Rose Dubas, Fullerton  
Tyler John Egger, Lincoln  
Josie Anne Fanning, Eagle  
Tyson David Gerdes, Omaha  
Daniel Kurt Glathar, Lincoln  
Landon Myles Goesser, Omaha  
Leann Elizabeth Hawkins, Tekamah  
Cade Kennedy Henkel, Lincoln  
Ethan Layne Hergert, Gretna  
Linda Elizabeth Humble, Pickrell  
Kerigan Lynn Karr, Campbell  
Daniel Fernando Matamoros, Lincoln  
Emily June Miller, Nelson  
Gavin Bailey Nason, Lincoln  
Felicity Ann Neeley, Lincoln  
Corey Charles Palmer, Omaha  
Jonathan Roger Pecora,  
South Barrington, IL  
Bethany Kay Robinson, Beatrice  
Emma Lee Rose, Frankfort, KS  
Caleb Lee Ruter, Arvada, CO

Karissa Larene Saf, Ceresco  
Kayden Jean Schumacher, Leigh  
Jackson Robert Spahn, Lincoln  
Daniel Easton Spongberg, Omaha  
Maxwell Charles Stachura, Raymond  
Megan Nicole Svehla, Lincoln  
Jordan Kay Tracy, Fairbury  
Zachary Richard Walz, Lincoln

### **Associate of Science**

*Presented by Amy Doty*

Amber Rae Allen, Crescent City, CA  
Mustafa Almishal, Lincoln  
Timothy Gary Bentzinger, Hickman  
Layne Michael Bullock, Neligh  
Abbee Dawn Buss, Wymore  
Therese Linda Daketcha, Lincoln  
Crishley Rashell De Leon Herrera, Lincoln  
Cole D. Dubas, Lincoln  
Rebecca Rose Dubas, Fullerton  
Alexandria Renee Ebert, Lincoln  
Josie Anne Fanning, Eagle  
Emily Francis, Lincoln  
Morgan Paige Gardner, Omaha  
Janteice Ariana Holston, Ogden, UT  
Jessie Ann Klein, Sterling  
Bradyn Michael Lauritsen, Lincoln  
Hannah May Macke, Baileyville, KS  
Thi Nhu Quynh Nguyen, Lincoln  
Ashton Rose Niles, Adams  
Hunter John-David Novacek, Seward  
Tatreanna Renae Peterson, Lincoln

Lucinda R. Potter, Lincoln  
Kaleb Austin Reiser, Seward  
Gabriella Renteria, Lincoln  
Taylor Alexis Ronne, Lincoln  
Ryker William Starr, Lincoln  
Joshua David Tucker, Granite Falls, NC  
Jacob Michael Tuma, Lincoln  
Kayla Rose Versaw, Lincoln  
Mason William Weber, Omaha  
Nathaniel Stephen West, Lincoln  
Jaycee Slade Widener, Wellfleet

### **Associate of Arts Accounting**

*Presented by Warren Wilson*

Haley Rae Andreesen, Panama  
Tate Johnston Peterson, Wahoo  
Brittyn Leigh Wentz, Fairbury

### **Associate of Applied Science Agriculture Management & Production**

*Presented by Crystal Fangmeier*

Hayden Edward Baehr, Wilber  
Jayden Jeffrey Bauer, Hildreth  
Karson Keane Berke, Eustis  
Isaac Paul Bruna, Hanover  
Nate Michael Deters, Baileyville, KS  
Colby Michael Doyle, Holton, KS  
Alanna Kay Fangmeier, Hebron  
Coltin James Hansen, Deshler  
Johnathan Joel Kerwood, Fairbury  
Luke Micheal Krolikowski, Loup City  
Ryan James Kummer, Nebraska City  
Luke Henry Lorenz, Springfield  
Christopher Jacob Medow, Utica  
Kelsey Ann Mersch, Aurora

Andrew Jeffrey Miller, Monument, CO  
Cody William Nagel, Seward  
Devin Rodney Nozicka, Broken Bow  
Adam Joseph Razey, Eagle  
Joshua Robert Reed, Holdrege  
Morgan Louis Siebold, Clay Center, KS  
Kambree Amaryllis Singleton, Wymore  
Sarah Marie Turnbull, Vliets, KS  
Chloe Renee Voet, Home, KS

### **Associate of Applied Science Associate Degree Nursing**

*Presented by Kellie Long*

Erin Rae Benson, Lincoln  
Taylor Rebecca Bergstrand, Oroville, CA  
Mackenzie Nicole Brown, Lincoln  
Shelby Lynn Chism, Lincoln  
Heather Haller, Crete  
Juliana Grace Hampton, Cambridge  
Dillon Marcus Harpham, McCook  
Elizabeth Lenore Hatfield, Wahoo  
Lauren Nicole Kastanek, Wahoo  
Tyrell Santos Mallari, Pampanga,  
Philippines  
Karina Martinez Contreras, Tecumseh  
Mikaela Jean Morrison-Brown, Lincoln  
Michele Ray Powers, Superior  
Kelsey Ann Rae, Irving, TX  
Megan Nicole Vega, Hiawatha, KS  
Kayleigh Alyssa Zautke, Waverly

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

*Presented by Craig Shaw*

Cara JoAnn Carranza, York  
Nathan Riley Hakl, Kearney  
Marcus Keith Kastanek, Crete  
Quinten Ross Roberts, Harvard

## **Diploma Automotive Technology**

*Presented by Jace Morris*

River William Kennedy, Pleasanton

## **Associate of Applied Science Automotive Technology**

*Presented by Jace Morris*

Michael S. Bean, Lincoln  
Timothy Allen Buck, Grand Island  
Sergio Cancino, Kona, HI  
Zachary Allen Crockett, Lincoln  
John T. Danaher, Lincoln  
Jose Alfredo Espinoza Villegas, Lincoln  
Julian J. Goertzen-Noriega, Lincoln  
Kyle Thomas Kaus, Wayne  
Omar Madrigal, Columbus  
Gabriel Ryan Martin, Lincoln  
Dat Nguyen, Lincoln  
Jonathan Thomas Nowling, Forest City, MO  
Cullen Matthew Papenhagen, Firth  
Connor Albert Pedersen, Kearney  
Cooper Alan Phillips, Fremont  
Philip John Pickard, Stratton, CO  
Arthur Jack Pille, Oakland  
Treyce Christopher Stutzman, Hickman

## **Certificate Biotechnology**

*Presented by Tracy Niday*

Jaden Grace Burmood, Lincoln  
Destiny Egene Crawford, Horseheads, NY  
Hayley Marie Duckett, Pleasant Dale  
Emily Francis, Lincoln  
Jonah Robert Morgan, Lincoln  
Long Dang Pham, Ho Chi Minh City,  
Vietnam  
Aiza Escoza Vitols, Lincoln

## **Associate of Science Biotechnology**

*Presented by Tracy Niday*

Ashley Nicole Clark, Lincoln

## **Associate of Applied Science Building Construction Technology**

*Presented by Jason Adams*

Trenton Ryan Buescher, Deshler  
Jonathan Garrido Salgado, Lincoln  
Tanner Michael Green, Lincoln  
Oakley Taylor Hodges, Chappell  
Zach Anthony Hogrefe, Gretna  
Christian Robert Lytton, Savannah, MO  
Keaton Thomas Mann, Brandon, FL  
Zane Augustus McMillen, Auburn  
Adam Russell Neemann, Lincoln  
Stewart Joseph Pascoe, Lincoln  
Cody Edward Pearson, Fairbanks, AK  
Drew Thomas Walters, Garland



## **Certificate Business**

*Presented by Warren Wilson*

Melissa Mae Arroyo, Lincoln  
Trenton Ryan Buescher, Deshler  
Angiegianella Gomez, Lincoln  
Ashley Ellen Daisy Hutchins,  
Toronto, Ontario  
Christian Robert Lytton, Savannah, MO  
Garrett Lewis Mitzelfelt,  
Winthrop Harbor, IL  
Adam Russell Neemann, Lincoln  
Carleigh Ann Olson, Wahoo  
Noah Matthew Senden, Omaha  
Wyatt Lee Smith, Wilber  
Shelby Renae Termentozzi, Oshkosh

## **Diploma Business**

Lucas Daniel Schmidt, David City

## **Associate of Arts Business**

*Presented by Warren Wilson*

Edward Vasiliy Brichka, Lincoln  
Terry Lee Bronson, Poulsville, WA  
Bronwyn Pearl Carter Brown, Lincoln  
Chelsea Ann Burk, North Platte  
Jamee Marie Casement, Firth  
Gerardo Chavez Madrid, Wahoo  
Donna Duong, Lincoln  
Josie Anne Fanning, Eagle  
Phillip Ho, Lincoln  
Ryan Charles Hopkins, Lincoln  
Daustin Rylie Manske, Lincoln

Keyana Lynise Marshall, Anchorage, AK  
Jayden James McNealy, Humboldt  
Carlo Manuel Orosco, Miraflores,  
Lima, Peru  
Alayna M. Piening, Pleasant Dale  
Theron Dietrich Polivka, Lincoln  
Macy Marie Roeber, Home, KS  
Tamkin Sarwari, Lincoln  
Karlise Jo Schunk, Lincoln  
Kyra JeanAnn Sorensen, Fairfield  
Jackson Robert Spahn, Lincoln  
Miyu Suwa, Miyake, Japan  
Isaiah Anthony Swanson, Hastings  
Alina Tishkov, Lincoln  
Brice Allen Williamson, Sublette, KS  
Seth Edward Wise, Lincoln  
Dylan Scott Witherby, Lincoln

## **Associate of Applied Science Business**

*Presented by Warren Wilson*

Helen Diane Andelt, Valparaiso  
Keylin Jakelin Arteaga-Aviles, Crete  
Victor M. Balderas, Lincoln  
Ashley Rose Bothern, Pickrell  
Brett Alan Boyce, Plymouth  
Logan Charles Brabec, Wahoo  
Marjorie Gabriela Crespino Orantes, Crete  
Taylor Nicole Davis, Plattsmouth  
Connor James Eckhout, Lincoln  
Jaycie L. Engelman, Beatrice  
Christina Elizabeth Franzen, Lincoln  
Caitlin Elizabeth George, Lincoln  
Jordan Elizabeth Hancock, Yutan  
Maci Ryan Harper, Hutchinson, KS

Morgan Rose Heywood, Garland  
 Chase Matthew Hill, Lincoln  
 Emma Amanda Kavan, North Bend  
 Abraham Kazumba, Lincoln  
 Jessica Linn Knopp, David City  
 Faith Gabriella Koralewski, Grand Island  
 Jordan Tyler Manhold, Scotia  
 Marcos M. Martinez, Grand Island  
 Ammar Murad Mato, Lincoln  
 Jaelynn Constance McCurdy, Lincoln  
 Leslie Myriam Newsom, Maybrook, NY  
 Connor Norman Noren, Hickman  
 Baylee Lyn Paxton, Lincoln  
 Katelynn Nicole Pickett, Blair  
 Jennifer Adell Puls, Wakefield  
 Kimhour Ramage, Bakan, Pursat,  
     Cambodia  
 Eliseo Rios, Uvalde, TX  
 Alexis Nicole Schroeder, Plattsmouth  
 McKenna Rose Schwisow, Wilber  
 Albert Markus Slade Smith, Hastings  
 Charles Joseph Sousek, Ceresco  
 Preston Zachary Thomsen, North Bend  
 Peter D. Thon, Lincoln  
 Devin Lee Trumbley, Lincoln  
 Ashley Lyn Turek, Lincoln  
 Brittyn Leigh Wentz, Fairbury  
 Lena Danielle Zahourek, Crete

## **Associate of Arts Business Communications**

Kyle Robert Mosher, Lincoln  
 Shama Banu Shaik, Lincoln

## **Associate of Applied Science Computer Information Technology**

*Presented by Kim Waswick*

Ethan Christian Armstrong, Lincoln  
 Evan M. Ballagh, Lincoln  
 Johnathan H. Blessen, Crete  
 Collyn William Brummett, Dorchester  
 Trevor John Burianek, Malcolm  
 Nolan Michael Collins, Lincoln  
 Bethany Catherine Emswiler, David City  
 Jacob Erven-Smalley, Omaha  
 Andrew K. Essman, Lincoln  
 Kristopher Irwin Glanz, Lincoln  
 Isai Arturo Gonzalez Garcia,  
     Valera, Trujillo, Venezuela  
 Noah Michael Hammons, Weeping Water  
 Travis Lawrence Hodgson, Elwood  
 Zachary Graham Hyde, Lincoln  
 Samantha Jean Lamborn, Lincoln  
 Heather Marie Liebhart, Grand Island  
 Alec Xavier Manzano, North Platte  
 Joshua Willy McCue, Lincoln  
 Vanessa Patricia McCue, Lincoln  
 Phillip Edward Mendoza III, Lincoln  
 Caden Michael Moore, Eagle  
 Zane Spencer Morgan, Lincoln  
 Tommy Nguyen, Lincoln  
 Dilshad H. Rasho, Lincoln  
 Trevin Burkhart Rook, Lincoln  
 Kilik Jade Smith, Palmyra  
 Jeremiah Cole Taylor, Milford  
 Spencer Michael Thompson,  
     Grand Haven, MI  
 Daniel George Topping, Lincoln

## **Associate of Arts Criminal Justice**

*Presented by Rita Dondlinger*

Matthew Shane Damman, Pickrell  
Jaimasyn Caprie Hunter, Grand Island  
Noor Abdul-Hassan Karkash, Lincoln  
Gwyer Robert Leach, Cedar Creek

## **Associate of Applied Science Criminal Justice**

*Presented by Rita Dondlinger*

Tessa Lee Bloomquist, Greenwood  
Kayden M. Bogart, Marysville, KS  
Alexander John Hovland, Lincoln  
Marcos Lopez, Crete  
Vanessa Elizabeth Lorenzo Aguilar, Crete  
Makaila Mae Murphy, Lincoln  
Thi Thuc Doan Nguyen, Lincoln  
Syra H. Standley, Lincoln  
Briana June Sulentic, Greenwood  
Olivia White, Beatrice

## **Associate of Applied Science Culinary/Hospitality**

*Presented by Abigail Hoch*

Natalie Noelle Barrett, Lincoln  
Karlee Sue Geisinger, Selden, KS  
Ryan Lynn Glantz, Lincoln  
Kiera Elaine Marie Lococo, Lincoln  
Cassie Leigh Niemann, Lincoln  
Carleigh Ann Olson, Wahoo  
Cadie Jo Schlisner, Lincoln

## **Associate of Applied Science Deere Constructions & Forestry Equipment Tech**

*Presented by Keith Tempel*

Brandon David Busch, Tripoli, IA  
Noah Riley Cohrs, Dakota Dunes, SD  
Parker Wayne Jennings, Cameron, MO  
John Joseph Luerman, Hoisington, KS  
Zachary Owen Mathias, Troy, OH  
Garrett Lewis Mitzelfelt,  
Winthrop Harbor, IL  
Justin Michael Sliva, Columbus  
Wesley Dean Stockton, Cassville, MO  
Aaron James Vise, Eaton, CO  
Weston Clayton White, Stewartsville, MO  
Westin Eli Wilson, Gainesville, MO

## **Associate of Applied Science Dental Assisting**

Kaia Star McIntyre, Fremont

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

*Presented by Paul Buell*

Austin Robert Adam, Wilsonville  
Nabeh Natic Alderoubi, Lincoln  
Joshua Robert Atkinson, Lincoln  
Ali Osman Babiker, Fort Wayne, IN  
Derek Daniel Bell, Wahoo  
Evan Thomas Divis, Wahoo  
Anthony Alan Eckert, Creighton  
Cameron Mitchel Gill, Falls City  
Philip James Johnson, Lincoln  
Elijah Lee Jorgensen, Wahoo  
Samuel John Kolterman, Wahoo

Luis Adrián Ortiz-Juarez, Crete  
Nathaniel John Parson, Lincoln  
Colby James Skarka, Grand Island  
Clairissa Ilene Wilson, Raymond  
Christina Marie Wolfgramm,  
Berdsd, Russia

### **Associate of Applied Science Diesel Technology – Truck**

*Presented by Karl Eickhoff*

Nolan Daniel Benes, Valparaiso  
David Ethan Everett, Lincoln  
Michael Leon Fester, Moorhead, IA  
Alex Z. Fitzpatrick-Gutierrez, Lincoln  
Wyatt Allen Hansen, Fairmont  
Kaden Keith Hevelone, Ogallala  
Hayden Jacob Hiatt, Saint Joseph, MO  
Aden Patrick Hofeling, Lincoln  
Erik Thomas Hultquist, Omaha  
Christian Hunter Lambeth,  
Lees Summit, MO  
Gavin Thomas Nielsen, Nickerson  
Noah Matthew Senden, Omaha  
Robbie James Wilson, Waverly

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

*Presented by Dillan Ronne*

Jared Lane Bailey, Beaver Crossing  
Ryan Thomas Cheleen, Chappell  
Ethan Quinn Hegwood, Ashland  
Joseph Michael Herron, Rock Port, MO  
Benjamin Leonard Olsufka, Marquette  
Noah James Regnier, Raymond  
Hayden Craig Rohs, Wichita, KS

Dawson Michael Sabatka, Wahoo  
Tristen Allen Schulte, Grand Island  
Jessica Claire Sedlacek, Wahoo  
Gavin Louis Soden, Ceresco  
Jeht A. Stateler, Hoskins

### **Certificate Dietary Manager**

*Presented by Abigail Hoch*

Danielle Lee Broughton, Lincoln  
Maletta Ann Canfield, Grand Island  
Jeremy Angelo Clutter, Sesser, IL  
Kimberly Dawn Davis, Lincoln  
Angela Dawn Ingham, Omaha  
Courtney Marie Schiaffo-Jackson,  
Hay Springs

### **Diploma Early Childhood Education**

*Presented by Crystal Kozak*

Bakhshan M. Abdulla, Kurdistan, Iraq  
Kayla Glen Schmittler, Ogallala

### **Associate of Arts Early Childhood Education**

*Presented by Crystal Kozak*

Lilly Madeline Fisher, Woodbury, MN  
Arastania Marie Jorgenson, Lincoln  
Izzabelle Marie Kerr, Weeping Water  
Morgan Ray Lankford, Utica  
Emma Lenore Lindsey, St. Paul

## **Associate of Applied Science Early Childhood Education**

*Presented by Crystal Kozak*

Connie Rae Amen, Plattsmouth  
Hser Tha Blay, Lincoln  
Ashley N. Jones, Clarksdale, MS  
Amber Nicole Push, Holdrege

## **Associate of Applied Science Electrician Construction – IBEW Option**

Marshall Sinclair Joy, Humboldt  
Andy J. White, Central City

## **Certificate Electrical Construction**

Justin R. Evasco, Lincoln

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

*Presented by Jordan Liekhus*

Madeline Sophie Badura, Omaha  
Steven Allen Bennett, Lincoln  
Jackson Riley Blaser, Lincoln  
Joshua Robert Christensen, Lincoln  
Kaden Todd Cole, Curtis  
Josh Louis Czarnick, Genoa  
Jan Donald Constantino Errazo,  
Manila, Philippines  
Aidyn Dean Garretson, Cozad  
Brady Lloyd Graves, Clay Center, KS  
Weston James Graham, Silver Creek  
Aaron Joseph Hanlin, Pierce  
Steven Charles Harwood, Beatrice  
Brandon Matthew Hiller, Roca

Nathan Michael Holder, Omaha  
Cole Garrett Holman, Friend  
Dawson Owen Robert Hoover, Wilber  
Joseph Anthony Hunter, Olathe, KS  
Coy Vinton Johnson, Anselmo  
William MacLennan Jones, Manley  
Caleb Matthew Kohl, Albion  
Kaden Joseph Lang, DuBois  
Jake Nicholas Lindstedt, Cozad  
Nicholas Lee Maas, Wilber  
James Robert Matteen, Auburn  
Dakota Lee Merica, Lincoln  
Corey James Merritt, Fort Collins, CO  
Kallen Douglas Meyer, Eagle  
Yakov Alexander Nastin, Belova, Russia  
Evan M. Oltmans, Beatrice  
Erik Ornelas, Crete  
Wyatt Arlan Regier, York  
Evan Thomas Ruskamp, Rising City  
Joshua Edward Russell, Brownville  
Cale Ralph Schardt, Deshler  
Logan Thomas Sladek, Crete  
Wyatt Lee Smith, Wilber  
Trenton Daniel Stauffer, Milford  
Tucker James Stutzman, Ohioa  
Brett David Swanson, Omaha  
Parker Scott Tholstrup, Clay Center, KS  
Garrett Joel Thomsen, Blair  
Isaac Joe Yeackley, Milford

## **Associate of Applied Science Electronic Systems Technology**

*Presented by Mike Aalberg*

Cory James Belik, Lincoln  
Tyler William Chaney, Nebraska City

## **Associate of Applied Science Energy Generation Operations**

*Presented by Doug Burks*

Marcus Allen Cisneros, Lincoln  
Christian Paul Dressel, York  
Daniel Christopher Frary, Auburn  
Steffen Cai Hanley, Cook  
Jackson David Leonard, Dunbar  
Hayden E. Nobbman, Lincoln  
Alex Tyler Ritzdorf, Columbus

## **Associate of Applied Science Ford Automotive Student Service Educational Training**

*Presented by Mark Berggren*

Chandler Ian Anderson, Columbus  
Andrew Alan Basilico, Omaha  
Patrick James Cillessen, Littleton, CO  
Aubrey Lee Clement, Gering  
Shawn Antony Dughman, Omaha  
Austin Joseph Hunt, Bennington  
Benjamin Caleb Kelley, Grand Island  
Wrett Tyeler Killion, Ainsworth  
Troy Donald Langford, Papillion  
Ernesto Luna-Perez, Omaha  
Virgil Sylvester March, Hopkinton, IA  
Jose Mario Mendoza, Grand Island  
Ronald Dionicio Morales Avelar, Omaha  
Marcus Daniel Osterhaus, Firth  
Trevor Nicholas Prickett, Mitchell, SD  
Cole Henry Short, Omaha

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

*Presented by Dustin Smith*

Jordan John Willis Beardsley,  
Weeping Water  
Austin Clay Eldridge, Eatonville, WA  
Joseph John Fredricks, Omaha  
Dylan Michael Henry, Salina, KS

## **Certificate Geographic Information Systems Technician**

Rhiannon Elizabeth Carlile, Omaha  
Andrew Jason Gaghagen, Lincoln  
Harrison Shade Hall, Lincoln  
Jody Lee Johnson, Lincoln  
Kimberly Lynn Jenks Kinney,  
Wake Forest, NC  
Dawn Renay Waldrop, Lincoln

## **Certificate Global Studies**

*Presented by Janet Scott*

John Robert Cook, Seward  
Carlo Manuel Orosco, Miraflores,  
Lima, Peru  
Holly Marie Smith, Waverly  
Miyu Suwa, Miyake, Japan

## **Associate of Applied Science Graphic Design Media Arts**

*Presented by Nicholas Burroughs*

Samuel Dod Johnson,  
Colorado Springs, CO  
Kailey Joy Keith, Lincoln  
Megan Marie Marrs, Colon  
Emily Karen Murray, Lincoln  
Naila Muslic, Lincoln  
Rachel Nichole Needham, Cook  
Linh Ha Vy Nguyen, Dong Nai, Vietnam  
Tatyana Mikhailovna Shindollar,  
Apsheron, Krasnodar, Russia  
Madison Marie Sinclair, Lincoln  
Chelsea Marie Whelan, Lincoln

## **Associate of Applied Science Health Sciences**

*Presented by Jill Sand*

Jennifer Lynn Agee, Lincoln  
Taylor Marie Anderson, Virginia  
Stephanie Paige Beiriger,  
Commerce City, CO  
Therese Linda Daketcha, Lincoln  
Adriana Francis Esquivel, Grand Island  
Krystal Caroline Hall, Ceresco  
Delaney S. Hartz, Lincoln  
Cassidy McKinzie Hogan, Cortland  
Ronahe Badr Khudhur, Lincoln  
Jordan Ann Koehler, Johnson  
Thea Elizabeth Kohmetscher, Lincoln  
Martha Elisa Martinez, Lincoln  
Mai Thuy Linh Nguyen, Vung Tau, Vietnam  
Thi Nhu Quynh Nguyen, Lincoln

Nyanlei Nhial Nhial, Lincoln  
Hunter John-David Novacek, Seward  
Nayara Almeida Pereira, Sao Paulo, Brazil  
Macy Marie Roever, Home, KS  
Hailey Anne Schaaf, Beatrice  
Jade Noell Walker, Gering  
Katia Ruth Yarmolyuk, Lincoln  
Gillian Jo Zidek, Blue Rapids, KS

## **Certificate Healthcare Services**

*Presented by Jill Sand*

Hannah Mahaley Anderson, Lincoln

## **Associate of Applied Science Heating, Ventilation, Air Conditioning & Refrigeration Technology**

*Presented by Mike Roth*

Nolan Michael Albracht, David City  
Spencer Edward Barkdoll, Lincoln  
Drew Thomas Bogard, Amherst  
Gavin Alune Boutdy, Lincoln  
Diego DeArcos, Schuyler  
Eric Yovany Delgado, Los Angeles, CA  
Casey Max Faulkenberry, Broken Bow  
Connor Dawson Freitag, Beatrice  
Hunter Allen Gress, Clarks  
Karsten Heeren, Hastings  
Capital Ku, Lincoln  
Samuel Dean Maly, Weston  
Aaron Gabriel Meyer, Beatrice  
Diego Noyola, Lincoln  
Conley James Ostrander, Crete  
Andrew Michael Peterson, McCook

Caden Brian Searcey, Virginia  
Hayden Edward Strizek, Lincoln  
Gregory Michael Tvrđy, Cozad  
Reece M. Yant, Seward

## **Associate of Applied Science Horticulture & Turfgrass Management**

*Presented by Crystal Fangmeier*

Dylan Ryan Blackstone, Superior  
Hutch Gordon Finke, Deshler  
Laura Kathleen Giebel, Hebron  
Toller Thomas Hofer, Fremont  
Jocelyn Delaney Lambert, Auburn  
Carson Lewis Licht, Beatrice  
Caden Paul Lierz, Sabetha, KS  
Thatcher Wilson Patterson, Cambridge  
Caleb Robert Revis, Beatrice  
Cole Robert Troutdt, Lawrence

## **Certificate Alcohol and Drug Counseling**

*Presented by Mary Feis-Christy*

Skye Alexis Kowalski, Lincoln  
Derek J. Outson, Lincoln

## **Associate of Applied Science Human Services**

*Presented by Mary Feis-Christy*

Diana Itto Achol, Lincoln  
Joshua James Cotner, Lincoln  
Skye Alexis Kowalski, Lincoln  
Kendell Shirelle Lynnae Pigford, Lincoln  
Jennifer Melissa Rojas, Lincoln  
Maggie Lynn Stamper, Lincoln  
Fanny Mikaela Wiman Hultgrien, Milford

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## **Associate of Applied Science Land Surveying/GIS/Civil Engineering Technology**

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## **Associate of Applied Science Law Enforcement & Homeland Security**

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## **Certificate Long Term Care Administration**

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## **Diploma Medical Assisting**

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## **Associate of Applied Science Powersports Technology**

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## **Certificate Precision Agriculture**

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## **Diploma Welding Technology**

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## **Associate of Applied Science Welding Technology**

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# *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 60 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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