

2025

# COMMENCEMENT

THURSDAY, MAY 8, 2025 • FRIDAY, MAY 9, 2025 • SATURDAY, MAY 10, 2025  
LINDENWOOD UNIVERSITY'S HYLAND ARENA



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# LINDENWOOD UNIVERSITY COMMENCEMENT

Welcome to Lindenwood University and to one of the most important ceremonial occasions of the academic year. Filled with tradition and symbolism, Lindenwood’s commencement ceremony reminds us of the noble purpose of colleges and universities and foreshadows our graduates’ future successes. The academic dress worn by the students, faculty, boards, and platform party is described later in this program. Students wearing blue gowns are members of Lindenwood Student Ambassadors, a select group of students dedicated to the positive promotion of Lindenwood University. Their duty as marshals is to direct the processional and seating of students, faculty, board members, and administrators.

Academic customs originated within the medieval Church. The order of procession follows ecclesiastical custom with the most honored members of the procession at the end. The flag bearers and the graduating students lead the procession. The faculty follows the students in the processional, and the University Board of Trustees and the platform party follow them. The president, preceded by the university marshal, is the last person to enter the Commencement area. Another tradition, the academic mace, symbolizes the president’s authority. President John Roemer, who served Lindenwood from 1914-1940, commissioned the mace proudly displayed at the front of the stage. The mace is a staff of linden wood surmounted by a silver cup, and Lindenwood only brandishes it on special occasions where the faculty and president are conducting a formal proceeding. To complete the rich blend of time and community, the mace is flanked on the platform by the flag of the United States of America and by the Lindenwood University flag.

Honors offer another example of classic symbolism. At commencement, a university typically bestows three types of Latin honors. In order of increasing honor, they are as follows: Cum Laude, “with praise”; Magna Cum Laude, “with great praise”; and Summa Cum Laude, “with highest praise.” Lindenwood offers three additional forms of recognition. University Honors recognizes students who graduate with a cumulative grade point average of at least 3.3 and complete at least eight courses with Honors distinction, Community Service Honors recognizes students who complete 500 honors of qualified community services, and Veteran Honors recognizes graduates who served in the U.S. Armed Forces.

During Lindenwood’s Commencement ceremony, the candidates for degrees are presented to the president by the university’s executive administrative officers. Each student’s name is read, and the president presents the diploma to that student and congratulates the new graduate. The student is also congratulated by the academic dean of their program. Once all the degrees have been conferred, the flag bearers lead the recessional in reverse order of entry with the newest alumni at the end of the procession.

Today is a momentous occasion, and we appreciate your participation in honoring today’s graduates. To ensure all guests and participants have a safe, enjoyable experience, we ask that you respect the protocols we have in place. Please remain in your seats during the ceremony. During the conferring of degrees, please refrain from prolonged cheering until all of the graduates have been presented. Finally, once the ceremony has concluded, please exit the facility to celebrate with your graduate.

Thank you again for joining us for today’s celebration. You are a valued member of the Lindenwood community, and our graduates would not have made it here without you.

# BRIEF HISTORY

Lindenwood University was founded in 1832 by Mary Easton Sibley (1800-1878) and George C. Sibley (1782-1863), making it the third oldest institution of higher learning west of the Mississippi River, and the institution was incorporated by the Missouri Legislature in 1853. The Sibleys deeded the Lindenwood property to the St. Louis Presbytery on February 24, 1853, the start of a formal affiliation with the Presbyterian Church that lasted over a century.

While Lindenwood is fully independent today, the University enjoys a historical relationship with the Presbyterian Church and remains true to its founding values. The first commencement ceremony was held in 1858, and Lindenwood became co-educational in 1969. Evening programs were established in 1972, and graduate studies were instituted in 1975. Lindenwood became a university in 1997, and a doctoral institution in 2007. Lindenwood has continuously been accredited by the Higher Learning Commission since 1921.

The University has experienced dynamic growth over the past three decades. Lindenwood not only evolved into a university, but also grew from a student population of 800 residential students to nearly 2,000 today, a total annual enrollment of more than 10,000, and a St. Charles campus of approximately 250 acres.

The Sibley Crest, as reproduced on the program cover, was adopted as the official seal of Lindenwood sometime before the institution’s centennial anniversary. The griffin represents vigilance and eagerness in pursuit. The crescent moons signify one who has been enlightened and honored by the Sovereign. The two halves of the shield represent loyalty and truth, fortitude, and magnanimity.

# MISSION STATEMENT

## REAL EXPERIENCE. REAL SUCCESS.

Enhancing lives through quality education and professional preparatory experiences.

## OUR CORE VALUES

At Lindenwood, our purpose is to support our students in reaching their educational and professional goals, achieving our mission of providing real experiences that lead to real success.

## WE PUT OUR STUDENTS FIRST.

We have an unwavering commitment to providing the highest quality education, service, and experience by connecting with our students at every interaction in their educational journey and beyond.

## WE THRIVE TOGETHER.

As team members, we foster a community founded on collaboration, authenticity, support, and understanding.

## WE DO WHAT IS RIGHT.

We work hard and hold ourselves accountable for our decisions, actions, and words.

## WE HAVE GRIT.

We relentlessly pursue innovation, adaptability, and continuous learning, even in the presence of challenges.

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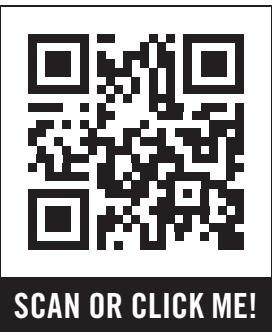
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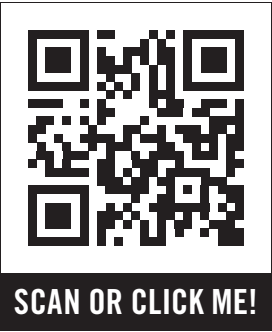
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*SUMMA CUM LAUDE*

CONNOR M. ADAMS  
*CUM LAUDE*

GIOVANNI LUCA AGOSTINI  
*SUMMA CUM LAUDE*

JUAN PABLO AGUIRRE MORENO

KHALID SALEH ALJEDANI

MITCHELL GARRETT ALLARD  
*CUM LAUDE*

LUCAS CHARLES ALLEN

TAKIYA LANISHA AMERSON

OLIVIA THERESA ANTZOULATOS

EDUARDO ANGEL ARACIL-RODRIGUEZ  
*CUM LAUDE*

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AUDREY JOSEPHINE BAKER

SOFIA NICOLE BAKER

BRIAN CHARLES BANULES  
*VETERANS HONORS*

JACQUELYN ROSE BARCZEWSKI

MEGAN ELIZABETH BARNOT

SPENCER DOUGLAS BARR  
*MAGNA CUM LAUDE*

DANIELLE CHRISTINE BAUER

NOAH A. BERGER  
*MAGNA CUM LAUDE*

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*SUMMA CUM LAUDE*

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LEAH BLANCHETTE

MERCEDES NICOLE BOGA

HANNAH ROSE BRANSTETTER  
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BREYLIN MCKINLEY BRIGHT  
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COLETTE ADELE BROWN

ELI MICHAEL BROWN  
*CUM LAUDE*

CASSANDRA MARIE BRYANT

JOMKAMOL BURAKAM

ZACHARY BUSCHSCHULTE  
*CUM LAUDE*

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NAKITA S. CAMPBELL

TRINITY CARRIGAN CAPPS

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KADEN SHAN CHARBONEAU

JACOB MICHAEL CHRISTOPHER

ELISIA SUNSHINE CLEMENS

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CLAYTON JAMES COREY  
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*CUM LAUDE*

ANNA NOELLE DEFABIO

MADILYN SUE DEMENT  
*CUM LAUDE*

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CONNOR JAMES DEVOS

DYLAN ELLIOT DEXTER

BERNARDITA DIAZ DE VIVAR  
*CUM LAUDE*

KRISTEN DICKEY

JACOB DILLER  
*CUM LAUDE*

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KENDALL BROOKE DOBRIN  
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JERMAINE JOMOSNE MENTOOR

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MATTHEW RYAN MITCHELL

SIERRA ROSE MITCHELL

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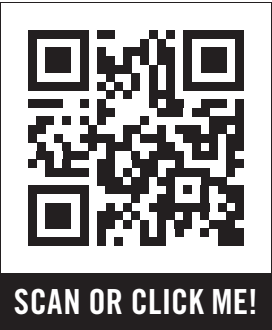
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**GREETINGS AND INTRODUCTIONS** Deborah Noble-Triplett, Lindenwood University Provost  
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The Impact of Trauma in Urban Communities on Educators and How They Prevail

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A Mixed Method designed based research study of teachers’ self-efficacy and the implementation of social emotional learning in the classroom

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A Mixed Methods Study on Teacher Knowledge and Its Influence on Reducing Math Anxiety in Students

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Student Self-Assessment of Learning to Foster Improved Self-Reflection of Learning and Academic Achievement

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A Mixed Methods Design-based Study of Effective Supports Provided by School Administrators to Increase Trust Among Special Education Staff

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Review of Transition Programs for Autistic Students from Pre-k to Elementary School and Elementary School to Middle School in a Midwest Suburban School District

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Faculty and Staff Pay Satisfaction and the Impact on Organizational Commitment and Retention

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Conceptual Understanding, Engagement, and Optimal Learning Moments with Problem-Oriented Project Learning in High School Physics

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Factors that impact the success of African American College Students

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# ACADEMIC DRESS

The caps, gowns, and hoods worn by the faculty and students at this graduation are today’s formal dress of the worldwide academic community. While now worn only on festive occasions such as commencement, such dress was originally the normal garb of academics as they went about their daily business. Originating in Europe more than a thousand years ago, like universities and colleges themselves, academic dress first developed within the church, as all academics were once in at least minor orders. The robes and hoods are stylized versions of these ecclesiastical robes. In Europe, each institution seems to have its own variant of costume, but in the United States, academic costume follows a uniform code drawn up by a special commission in 1895. The code has three main parts, dealing with caps, gowns, and hoods.

The Oxford-type cap or mortarboard seems to have evolved from the square biretta of Renaissance clergy. It is always black and may be of any appropriate material except that velvet is reserved for doctors. Many faculty members wear the Cambridge-style cap. The tassel worn with the cap has three variations. It may be black for any degree or it may be the color of the academic area in which the degree was granted. Doctors and governing officials of institutions wear tassels made of gold metallic thread. The tassel is fastened to the middle of the top of the cap and lies as it will thereon. The academic robes are all black, except for certain doctoral robes. The style of robe indicates the highest degree earned by the wearer. Bachelor’s sleeves are pointed, and the robe is plain. Students who have achieved honors display a cord. Students who graduate with University Honors wear a purple double cord; students who graduate with Community Service Honors wear a cardinal red and silver-gray double cord; students who graduate with Veteran Honors wear a red, white, and blue double cord; students who graduate having served as one of the president’s ambassadors wear a black and gold intertwined single cord; students who are the first member of their family to graduate from a college or university wear a golden stole embossed with the First-Generation Collegians emblem; students who graduate Cum Laude (with praise) wear a white double cord; students who graduate Magna Cum Laude (with great praise) wear a gold double cord; and students who graduate Summa Cum Laude (with highest praise) wear a gold and white triple cord. Master’s robe sleeves are oblong and longer. The doctoral robe features velvet bands in the front, and the robe sleeve also has velvet bands and is gathered at the wrist. The doctoral robe itself is cut much more fully than the other two gowns.

The hoods indicate the academic area of degree, the level of the degree, and the college that granted it. The level of the degree is shown by the size and shape of the hood and the width of the velvet trimming. The master’s, the specialist’s, and the doctor’s hoods are three and one-half feet, three and three-quarters feet, and four feet long, respectively. The velvet trimming, in the same respective order, is three, four, and five inches wide. The outer band of the hood indicates, by color, the degree; the bright, silken interior of the hood, by its colors and design, indicates its source. Each university and college has a distinct hood. The Lindenwood University hood is lined with white and yellow silk, representing the university’s original colors.

The colors of the mortarboard tassels worn by today’s degree recipients, as well as the hoods worn by faculty and graduate students, indicate the major fields of study.

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APRICOT	Applied Sciences, Public Health
BROWN	Acting, Dance, Directing, Musical Theatre, Stage Management, Studio Art, Technical Theatre/Design, Theatre
CITRON	Social Work
COPPER	Business Economics
CRIMSON	Journalism
DARK BLUE/SCARLET	Philosophy and Religion
GOLD	Anthropology, Biological Sciences, Cellular and Molecular Biology, Clinical Mental Health Counseling, Chemistry, Counseling, Ecology and Evolutionary Biology, Environmental Biology, Environmental Science, International Relations, Psychology, Sociology
KELLY GREEN	Paramedicine
NUGGET OR DRAB	Accountancy, Accounting, Business Administration, Entrepreneurial Studies, Fashion Business and Entrepreneurship, Finance, General Business, Health Management, Healthcare Administration, Human Resource Management, International Business, Leadership, Management, Marketing, Nonprofit Administration, Project Management, Sport Management, Supply Chain Management
PEACOCK	Political Science, Public Administration
PINK	Music, Music Business and Entrepreneurship, Music Performance, Music Performance-Instrumental, Music Performance-Vocal
PURPLE	Criminal Justice Administration, Criminology and Criminal Justice
SAGE GREEN	Athletic Training, Exercise Science, Fitness and Wellness Management, Health Promotion and Wellness Management, Health Sciences, Physical Education, Recreation, Sport, and Tourism Management; Therapeutic Recreation
SKY BLUE	Behavior Analysis, Early Childhood Education, Early Childhood Special Education, Early Interventions in Autism and Sensory Impairments, Education, Educational Administration, Educational Studies, Educational Technology, Elementary Education, Gifted Education, Higher Education, Higher Education Administration, Instructional Design, Instructional Leadership, Instructional Technology, Leadership, Literacy Specialist K-12, Middle School Education, Music Education, School Administration, Special Education, Special Reading, Teaching
WHITE	Advertising and Public Relations, Advertising and Strategic Communications, Art and Design, Art History and Visual Culture, Cinema and Media Arts, Cinema Arts, Computer Information Systems, Computer Science, Cybersecurity, Cybersecurity Management, Data Science, Digital and Web Design, Digital Cinema Arts, Digital Content Strategy, Digital Marketing, English, English Studies, Fashion Design and Technology, Game Design, History, Information Technology, Information Technology Management, Interdisciplinary Media Arts, Interdisciplinary Studies, Mass Communications, Mathematics, Pre-Art Therapy, Social Media and Digital Content Strategy, Spanish, Writing

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