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Your future, our focus

Ms. Lisa M. Watson, Interim Pr ident

Star Spangled Banner

WORDS: Francis Scott Key | MUSIC: John Stafford Smith

Oh, say can you see by the dawn's early light,
What so proudly we hailed at the twilight's last gleaming?
Whose broad stripes and bright stars, thro' the perilous fight,
O'er the ramparts we watched, were so gallantly streaming?
And the rocket's red glare, the bombs bursting in air,
Gave proof through the night that our flag was still there.
O say, does that star-spangled banner yet wave
O'er the land of the free and the home of the brave?

Commencement Exercises

May 8, 2021 10:30 a.m.

* Processional Northwest Graduation Brass Ensemble
"Trumpet Voluntary"
by Jeremiah Clarke, arranged by Walter Barnes

* "The Star Spangled Banner" Northwest Graduation Brass Ensemble
by Francis Scott Key Ms. Samantha Becker, vocalist
arranged by John Stafford Smith

Welcome Dr. Lawrence Todd

was granted emeritus status in 2017. Following formal retirement, Clabaugh is affiliated as a consulting engineer for ESP Associates in Cheyenne. He continues to study, lecture and write articles about evolving technologies.

Class of 2021 Student SpeakerMs. Devon Curtis

Devon Curtis was raised in Meeteetse, Wyoming, but moved to Powell, Wyoming as a junior in high school. She has two siblings, Colton and Gracen Curtis who also attended Northwest College. Curtis Graduated from Powell High School in 2019. While in high school, she participated in volleyball, basketball, track, student council, national honor society, theater, and band. During her time at Northwest, Curtis played for the Trapper volleyball team, serving as a captain and earning the “Trapper award” her freshman year. Curtis also served as a resident assistant for both of her years at NWC, and served as a sophomore representative for student senate. Curtis worked for the student activities department, and dedicated a great deal of time to ensuring the students of Northwest College had a fun and memorable time. Curtis is graduating with a degree in General Studies and will go on to the University of Wyoming to pursue a degree in Kinesiology. She describes her experience at Northwest as a time where she discovered her true self and made memories that will last a lifetime.

Presentation of 2021 All-Wyoming F12.2 (k)-16.8 BT /TT1 1 T-38.6 508.9ue haMCID -51.4 51

Candidat for Graduation 2020–2021

Kelli Aagard	ADN	Associate Degree in Nursing	Powell, WY	+
Bossan Abdyeva	AA	International Studies	Mary, Turkmenistan	+ -
	AA	Spanish –World Languages		
Tyler Adams	CRT	Drafting Technology	Joliet, MT	
Jessica Adkins	AS	General Studies	Bridger, MT	
Benjamin Anderson	AA	Criminal Justice	Powell, WY	
Erika Anderson	AS	General Studies	Powell, WY	-
	CRT	Medical Assistant		
Gracie Andrews	AA	Psychology	Red Lodge, MT	
Andre Arguello	CRT	Welding Technology	Ashland, MT	+
Else Arntzen	AA	Anthropology	Cheyenne, WY	+ -
	AS	Archaeology Technology		
	AA	Art		
Margaret Arzaga	ADN	Associate Degree in Nursing	Powell, WY	
Wubeshaw Asseged	ADN	Associate Degree in Nursing	Ezulwini, Ethiopia	+
Charleen Austin	ADN	Associate Degree in Nursing	Red Lodge, MT	+
Traci Averett	ADN	Associate Degree in Nursing	Lovell, WY	
Justin Bacus	AA	Communication	Montrose, CO	
Emmie Baker	AA	General Studies	Cody, WY	
Cindy Bannister	ADN	Associate Degree in Nursing	Powell, WY	+ -
Dawson Barfuss	AA	Criminal Justice	Bancroft, ID	
Mary Barnes	AS	General Studies	Lovell, WY	
Tylee Bassett	AS	Animal Science	Lovell, WY	+
Cynthia Baumstarck	AA	Psychology	Cody, WY	+ -
Amanda Bayles	AS	Agriculture –Range Management	Powell, WY	+
	AAS	Veterinary Assistant		
Samantha Becker	AA	Music	Powell, WY	+ -
	AAS	Music Technology		
Tim Becker	AAS	Aeronautics	Torrington, WY	+
Samantha Benavides	AA	Social Science	Powell, WY	+ -
Dawson Bender	AAS	Welding Technology	Worden, MT	
Karsen Binstock	AA	Music	Billings, MT	
Paige Bischoff	AS	Pre-Professional Sciences	Lovell, WY	+ -
Amanda Black	AAS	Photographic Communications	Powell, WY	+

+ = Honor graduate

- = Phi Theta Kappa member

Tumekie Blackwood

AS Engineering

Kingston, Jamaica + -

AS Mathematics

+

AA = Associate of Arts

AAS = Associate of Applied Science

AS = Associate of Science

CRT = Skills Certificate

ADN = Associate Degree Nursing

Necole Hanks	CRT	K-12 Computer Science Endorsement	Powell, WY	+
Jordan Hansen	AAS	Criminal Justice	Cody, WY	
Aaron Hanson	AA	Music	Thermopolis, WY	+
Waka Harane	AA	General Studies	Tokyo, Japan	+ -
Anne Harder	AA	Elementary Education	Lovell, WY	+ -
Rigg Harrison	AS	General Studies	Cody, WY	+
Galina Hasanova	AA	Art	Mary, Turkmenistan	+ -
	AA	Graphic Design		
Levi Helvey	AS	Secondary Education	Cody, WY	
Ashtyn Heny	AS	General Studies	Powell, WY	+
	AAS	Veterinary Assistant		
Joshua Herman	AA	Criminal Justice	Pine Bluffs, WY	
Cora Heron	ADN	Associate Degree in Nursing	Lovell, WY	
Austin Herrera	AA	General Studies	Soap Lake, WA	-
Bryce Hill	AS	Animal Science	Sterling, CO	
Yuki Hirai	AS	General Studies	Saitama City, Japan	+ -
Sharron	BDCS (ondgs)	Spanish	Spain	

Naomi Sims	AS	Elementary Education	Powell, WY	
	AA	Sociology		
Casey Sinclair	AS	Computer Science	Cody, WY	
Sierra Sinclair	AA	Political Science	Cheyenne, WY	+ -
Alex Smith	AA	Criminal Justice	Powell, WY	+
Brian Smith	AS	Mathematics	Powell, WY	+ -
Mason Smith	AS	Business Administration	Scottsbluff, NE	+
Theodore Smith	AS	Agriculture Education	Cody, WY	+ -
Adela Smutna	AS	General Studies	Hranice, Czech Republic	
Laura Snyder	CRT	Nursing Assistant	Lovell, WY	
Austyn Spurlock	AS	Pre-Physical Therapy	Powell, WY	
Isaac Stanworth	AS	Engineering	Burlington, WY	
Kenlee Stenlund	AS	General Studies	Powell, WY	
Samantha Stevens	AS	Elementary Education	Lovell, WY	-
	AA	General Studies		
Kylie Strauch	AS	Animal Science	Van Tassell, WY	
William Strike	AAS	Drafting Technology	Cody, WY	+
	CRT	Drafting Technology		
Manami Sugiyama	AA	General Studies	Saitama, Japan	+ -
Lauren Swan	AS	Animal Science	Manhattan, MT	
Hirono Tanaka	AA	General Studies	Tokyo, Japan	+ -
Cody Tarr	ADN	Associate Degree in Nursing	Cody, WY	+
Shelby Tarter	AS	Pre-Professional Sciences	Gillette, WY	+
Miles Thomas	AA	Art	Powell, WY	+ -
Hartly Thorington	AS	Elementary Education	Powell, WY	+
Hidaya Thornton	AS	Biology	Aurora, CO	
Larissa Tippetts	AS	Agriculture Business	Lovell, WY	
Heidi Todd	ADN	Associate Degree in Nursing	Cody, WY	+
Grace Trandahl	AA	Criminal Justice	Wright, WY	+
Emily Trotter	AS	Biology	Cody, WY	
Megan Truman	AA	General Studies	Ten Sleep, MT	+
Charles Tucker	AAS	Drafting Technology	Powell, WY	+ -
	CRT	Drafting Technology		
Dominic Twomey	AA	Conservation Law Enforcement	Cowley, WY	
	AS	Natural Resource Biology		
Rita Unruh	CRT	Practical Nursing	Powell, WY	

Jordan Vasquez	AS Computer Science	Lovell, WY +
	AS Mathematics	
Brittany Vaughn	CRT Practical Nursing	Cody, WY
Nathaniel Vaughn	AS Outdoor Education and Recreational Leadership	Shepherd, MT
	CRT Challenge Course Facilitation	
Victoria Vega	AA Art	Powell, WY + -
Georgia Victor	AA Music	Lynwood, WA

*Candidates listed in this program are not guaranteed a degree.
When grades are processed and degree requirements have been
verified, the degree will then be officially awarded.*

e Academic Regalia Code

The tradition of wearing academic dress (caps, hoods, and gowns) dates back to the 1300s, when the universities of Europe designated specific costumes for their students and faculty. These costumes varied according to university, and European institutions still show a wide diversity of academic dress. American academic apparel, however, was standardized in 1895. While this standardization has been reviewed periodically, the basic code of academic costume remains.

The code specifies that gowns used in colleges and universities follow three basic designs — the bachelor's with pointed sleeves and a closed front; the master's with oblong sleeves open at the wrist and a closed or open front; the doctor's with bellshaped sleeves and a closed or open front. All gowns for bachelor's degrees or above are black, although the bands of velvet which adorn the doctor's robe may be the color distinctive of the subject to which the degree pertains. The colors in the hoods are the official colors of the institution from which the degree was conferred.

The color of the velvet edging of the hood (and, optionally, of the tassel on the cap and of the velvet trim on the doctor's gown) is associated with the subject area in which the degree was taken. Examples of these colors follow:

Agriculture	Maize
Arts, Letters, Humanities, Literature	White
Commerce, Accountancy, Business.	Drab
Communication, Journalism	Crimson
Economics	Copper
Education, Counseling, Guidance	Light Blue

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