

COMMENCEMENT

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ROSEMAN UNIVERSITY
OF HEALTH SCIENCES



COMMENCEMENT

*Friday, the 12th of May
Two Thousand and Twenty-Three
One O'Clock in the Afternoon*

*Utah Valley University – UCCU Center
800 West University Parkway
Orem, Utah 84097*

The Commencement Ceremony

Prelude.....	The String Quartet <i>Brandenburg Concerto #1 First Movement</i> Johann Sebastian Bach <i>Eine Kleine Nachtmusik First Movement & Andante from Piano Concerto No. 21</i> Both by W. A. Mozart <i>Entrance from the Queen of Sheba & Andante from the Water Music</i> Both by George F. Handel <i>Gavotte from Suite #3</i> Johann Sebastian Bach
Processional.....	The String Quartet <i>Pomp and Circumstance</i> Edward Elgar/Arr. Paul Sterrett
University Marshal.....	Dr. Jason Major Assistant Professor, College of Nursing
National Anthem.....	The String Quartet
Opening Proclamation and Introductions.....	Dr. Renee Coffman President
Introductions.....	Mr. Jeremy Wells Chancellor, South Jordan, Utah Campus
Greetings from the Board of Trustees.....	Mr. Rick Smith Chair, Board of Trustees
Introduction of the Commencement Speaker.....	Mr. Jeremy Wells Chancellor, South Jordan, Utah Campus
Commencement Address.....	The Honorable Dawn R. Ramsey Mayor, City of South Jordan
Presentation of BSN Graduating Class.....	Dr. Brian Oxhorn Dean, College of Nursing
Conferring of BSN Degree.....	Dr. Renee Coffman President
Introduction of BSN Graduates.....	Dr. Suzanne Winslow Associate Dean Academic & Student Affairs, College of Nursing
Administration of Nursing Oath.....	Mr. Victor Venegas Assistant Professor, College of Nursing

Presentation of MBS Graduating Class.....Dr. Jeffery Talbot
Dean, College of Graduate Studies

Conferring of MBS Degree.....Dr. Renee Coffman
President

Introduction of MBS Graduates.....Dr. Kamran Awam
MBS Program Director

Presentation of PharmD Graduating.....Dr. Larry Fannin
Dean, College of Pharmacy

Conferring of PharmD Degree.....Dr. Renee Coffman
President

Introduction of PharmD Graduates.....Dr. Tyler Rose
Associate Professor of Pharmaceutical Sciences, College of Pharmacy

Hoarding of PharmD Graduates.....Dr. Phillip Lawrence
Director of Experiential Education (IPPE) and Associate Professor, College of Pharmacy
Dr. Erin Johanson
Director of Experiential Education (APPE) and Associate Professor, College of Pharmacy

Administration of Pharmacy Oath.....Dr. Dustin Christensen-Grant
Assistant Dean of Admissions and Associate Professor, College of Pharmacy

Acknowledgement of the DMD Graduating Class.....Dr. Frank Licari
Dean, College of Dental Medicine

Introduction of DMD Graduates.....Dr. Duane Winden
Assistant Dean for Academic Affairs and Professor, College of Dental Medicine

Administration of Dental Oath.....Dr. William Carroll
Associate Dean for Academic Affairs and Associate Professor, College of Dental Medicine

Graduate Commentary.....Dr. Sarah Tesfaye
College of Pharmacy, Class of 2023

President's Closing Remarks.....Dr. Renee Coffman
President

Recessional.....The String Quartet
Hornpipe from the Water Music &
La Rejouissance from the Fireworks Music
Both by George F. Handel

Candidates for Bachelor of Science in Nursing

Dr. Brian Oxhorn, Dean

Andrue Acuna
Nevin Mark Ydia Agsalon
Rebecca Ann Alquiza
Sarah Lina Arasoghli
Moroni Akiatan Ayala
Rebecca Elyse Bendel
Mariel Monet Francisco
Benigno
Alyssa Kay Bergen
Benjamin Timothy Berry
Samantha Taylor Bowling
Kylee Jordan Boykin
Ross Vincent Brewer
Eric Brid
Taylor Nicole Brown
Anarose Ngoc Bui
Chelsea Kendra Bule
Olga Vladimirovna Bulgakova
Jaelenn Kailina Bumagat
Michelle Elaine Butler
Carlos Manuel Cabrera
Hanna Pauline Jean Carlisle
Carina Charron
Kevincent Chhay Chen
Nam Cheol Cho
Elizabeth Chouy
Leonard Joseph Ciotta III
Jacklyn Irene Condori
Megan Jean Dal Soglio
Tricia Alferos De Jesus
Lisa Marie Debernardi
Cindy Thao Do
Ashley Lynn Duval
Kayla Michelle Ellis
Jaira Nicole Badeo Esleta
Kathy Garcia
Steven John Granroth
Shu An Guan
Shabnum Hamidi
Monica La Reine Hanson
Ashley TrucNhi Hoang
Christopher Allen Hoffman
Jacob Anthony Hopkins
Melody Hsu
Christina Huang

William Huang
Ashley Elizabeth Hubbard
Alex Michael Huerta
Julia Carter Huynh
Benjamin Bradley Hyde
Mary Alexis Enriquez Icasiano
Antonette Casino Inguito
Christopher Patrick Irvine
Kira Megumi Ito-Potts
Shennen Salcedo Javillo
Harman Preet Kaur
Kelley Nicole Keenan
Nicholas Albert Kelly
Elizabeth Victoria Kerusenko
Bernice Therese Klise
Kathryn Krivanec
Elaine Yen La
Jada Faye Law
Merdina Danielle Lazatin
Christopher Robert Lee
Raymond Fuephua Lee
Katherine Li
Cynthia Ly
Samantha Taylor MacDonald
Nicole Marie Maligaya
Hazel Marfori Mariano
Ryan Thomas Mcconnell
Madeline Francesca McGuire
Benjamin Niel Miller
Zinal Mukeshkumar Mistry
William Ronald Mitchell
Ashley Melissa Montero
Mellanie Samantha Morales
Mikala Alexia Morgenroth
Hope Ntxhee Mouanoutoua
Lisa Rae Ng
Annie Nguyen
Michelle Vananh Nguyen
Roy Jerome Nicholas
Jordan D. Ong
Ma Katrina Esquivel
Ongtengco
Chastity Marie Pagdilao
Alyssa Louella Rodrigo Palis
Jennifer Elaine Patrick

Rebecca Lavay Patterson-
Woods
Carly Elizabeth Peterson
Heather Mae Peterson
Ashley Marie Plummer
Sara Louise Rayner
Teresa Reese
Rianna Grace Chua Rentar
Alexie Ubaldo Rico
Giovanni Rivera
Neve Bob Roby
Maricella Sabrina Rodriguez
Abhishek Roychoudhury
Katherine Elizabeth Saldivar
Melissa Angelica Salinas
Sandra Dacanay Salinas
Emma Eleonora Salminen
Angelica Camille Supnet
Samonte
Kathrina Lusung Santos
John Patrick Schwarz
Roselyn Rachna Sharma
Justin Carl Sison
Melissa Katelyn Smith
Michael Robert Stone
Brianna Andrea Sulla
Catherina Tang
Nicole Angeline Thomson
Trung Quoc Tran
Linda Jepngetich Turmet
Ashley Claire Clarin Usita
Rodolfo Roval Nechaldas
Valdepenas III
Rachelle Jennifer
VandenBoomen
Bryan Vang
Gisele Villegas
Nikolet Marie Welch
Luke Michael Wetzel
Christina Carolyn Wong
Panphila T J Wong
Blair Jonathon Zerr, Jr.
David Jay Zordell

Candidates for Master of Science in Biomedical Sciences

Dr. Jeffery Talbot, Dean

Sameer M. Ali
Amritpal Badwal
Gabriel Peter Eisenhuth
Jacob Daniel Gardner

Komal Jayesh Karella
Chandrika Prasad Nama
Shiv Raj Patel
Josephine Ram

Batsheva Schwartz
Andres Gabriel Soto

Candidates for Doctor of Pharmacy

Dr. Larry Fannin, Dean

Harlin Kaur Atwal
Grace Rebecca Balzer
Samantha Bettino
Kianna Boc
Aubrie Lynne Brinson
Emily Alexis Christiansen
Angel Kim Chung
Colton Joseph Critchlow
Alexandra Kay Eberling
Matthew Dee Fowlks
Madison Victoria Frey

Laura Norma Gifford
Kacey Le Green
Makenzie Hart
Belicia Jean Hunt
Vincent James Hutchison
Tayler Robin Hutto
Stephen Mark Jensen
Kalie Michelle Jones
Colby Kaye Jorgensen
Jisun Kim

Krystle Nelson
Brandon Dean Powell
Flint Lewis Read
Lisa Richards
Joshua Michael Ryan
Taylor Celeste Taylor
Sarah Seleshi Tesfaye
Brooke Taylor Toller
Bao Chau Quynh Truong
Nicholas Andre Zivkovic

Candidates for Doctor of Dental Medicine

Dr. Frank Licari, Dean

Sohrab Aalam
Qirrat Saleem Aamir
Kelly Mopangga Allen
Joshua Lyle Anderson
Jyoti Aryal
Tyler Winfield Ashby
Kevan Peter Benson
Austin John Brunson
Anna Y Cai
Dallin Robert Cardon
Hunana Hafeez Chaudhry
McKay M Christensen
Emily Jinwen Chung
Steven Brooks Coburn
Nathan Brian Coleman
John Colten Cook
Ella Stephanie Salapare Cruz
Edsy Zuleyka Cruz Pérez
Peter Phi Dang
Christopher McKay Edmunds
Joseph Belgica Eusebio
Regan William Evanson
Emily Michelle Finkbinder

Olivia Linn Gangmark
Strickland
Andrew Jeffrey Tucker Geigle
Jonathan Taft Gille
Patrick Corrales Golez
Jared William Gordon
Emily Claire Griffin
Kenneth Howard Guth
Luis Antonio Guzman
Chase David Hardy
Madeline Schlotfeldt Harris
Cameron David Hastings
Peter Seman Hattar
Connor Gray Henderson
Richard Richaud Hernandez
Ashley Lynette Hillock
Ashley Kazmark Hinkle
Taylor Hoffman
Alice Miranda Huang
Spencer Matthew Jacobson
Min Jung Jin
Caroline Jo-Schmell Jones
Scott Richard Jordan

Victoria Grace Justus
Gavin Kallabat
Manpreet Kaur
Paige Elizabeth Kelly
Tanisha Khurana
Bobby Hyung IL Kim
Dallin Brian King
Tracie May Lam
Isabel Frances May-Chee Lau
Laura Ho Le
Yeji Lee
Priscilla Ji-Wah Leung
Justin Lorenzo
Alex Keith Macdonald
Vanessa Mahrou
Angelo Bernardo Maniego
Hani Noaman Matti
Michael Andrew McGregor
Brayden Robert Mollner
Emily Maria Nabut
Shalini Namathirtham
Tyler Harry Neal
Logan Lamont Norene

Milad Owji
Gagan Kaur Panesar
Nishi Pulin Parikh
Mary Francis Ann Parks
Nathan Allen Payne
Marcus Jon Phipps
Erum Rahman
Jessica Elizabeth Raven
Adam Jacob Robbins
Hannah Pearl Robin
Gita Rohanitazangi

Colby Lee Rowberry
Cecilia Serrato
Shaili Sachin Shah
Roanne Shoubaki
Reeya Shrestha
Tyler Edward Stanworth
Nicolas Shane Stapleton
Lance David Starling
Kevin Zachary Stolk
Trent Larry Stucki
Sharon Su

Justin Michael Thomas Tafoya
Brett Taylor
Karissa Michelle Thometz
Courtney Nicole Trudeau
Amy Thuy-Van Truong
William Alexander Tyre
Laith Victor
Ting Wang
Skyler Don Williams
Bridgette Kathleen Young

As final action cannot always be taken for candidates by the time the program is printed, the list of candidates is tentative only. Therefore participation in the commencement ceremony does not necessarily indicate successful completion of a degree program. Roseman University of Health Sciences reserves the right to withdraw or add names.

Nursing Oath

In full knowledge of the obligations I am undertaking, I promise to practice professional nursing with all my skill and the understanding I possess, without regard to race, creed, color, politics, or social status of those entrusted to my care, sparing no effort to preserve quality of life, alleviate suffering, and to promote health, as affirmed by the person.

I will respect at all times the dignity and beliefs of the patients under my care, holding in confidence all personal information entrusted to me, and refraining from any action which may endanger life or health.

I will endeavor to keep my professional knowledge and skill at the highest level, and to give support and cooperation to all members of the healthcare team.

I will do my utmost to honor the International Code of Ethics applied to nursing, and to uphold the integrity of the profession.

Adapted from: <http://www.utt Tyler.edu/nursing/convocation/candlepledge.html>

Oath of a Pharmacist

I promise to devote myself to a lifetime of service to others through the profession of pharmacy. In fulfilling this vow:

I will consider the welfare of humanity and relief of suffering my primary concerns.

I will promote inclusion, embrace diversity, and advocate for justice to advance health equity.

I will apply my knowledge, experience, and skills to the best of my ability to assure optimal outcomes for all patients.

I will respect and protect all personal and health information entrusted to me.

I will accept the responsibility to improve my professional knowledge, expertise, and self-awareness.

I will hold myself and my colleagues to the highest principles of our profession's moral, ethical and legal conduct.

I will embrace and advocate changes that improve patient care.

I will utilize my knowledge, skills, experiences, and values to prepare the next generation of pharmacists.

I take these vows voluntarily with the full realization of the responsibility with which I am entrusted by the public.

Dentists' Pledge

I, as a member of the dental profession, will keep this pledge and these stipulations.

I understand and accept that my primary responsibility is to my patients, and I shall dedicate myself to render to the best of my ability, the highest standard of oral health care, and to maintain a relationship of respect and confidence.

Therefore, let all come to me safe in the knowledge that their total health and well-being are my first considerations.

I shall accept the responsibility that, as a professional, my competence rests on continuing the attainment of knowledge and skill in the arts and sciences of dentistry.

I acknowledge my obligation to support and sustain the honor and integrity of the profession, and to conduct myself in all endeavors such that I shall merit the respect of patients, colleagues, and my community.

I further commit myself to the betterment of my community for the benefit of all society.

I shall faithfully observe the principles of ethics and code of professional conduct set forth by the profession.

All this I pledge with pride in my commitment to the profession and the public which it serves.

About Our Keynote Speaker

Mayor Dawn R. Ramsey is honored to be serving her second term as Mayor of the City of South Jordan, having taken office on January 2, 2018. During her service she has strived to maintain the City's high quality of life far into the future by keeping a determined focus on public safety, economic development, housing, transportation infrastructure, education, preservation of open space, overall management of rapid growth, access to opportunity, and representation at every level. The City of South Jordan continues achieving extraordinary progress and success thanks to her service and collaboration on more than 30 boards and committees across the state, holding top leadership positions on many of them.

Mayor Ramsey's passion for the City of South Jordan stems from her years of service in the community for several nonprofits, with over 25 years of experience managing and leading large organizations. During her service on the Utah PTA Board of Directors and as Region Director over all schools in the Jordan School District, she spent thousands of hours with parents, teachers, administrators, legislators, and state organizations advocating for the health, safety, and educational opportunities of every child across the state. While serving as the President of the Jordan Education Foundation, a board she still serves on, she worked to engage the community and local business leaders to help bridge the gap in education funding to provide resources that enhance educational experiences, strengthen students, and fuel success in the Jordan School District.

Mayor Ramsey was born and raised in the Salt Lake Valley, graduating from Cyprus High School and attending Salt Lake Community College and the University of Utah. She officially graduates from Brigham Young University in May 2023 with a degree in Family Science with an emphasis in Political Science and Civic Engagement Leadership. Mayor Ramsey is a master at public relations and collaboration. Her experience in the public and private sectors, commitment to family and community, and love for the City of South Jordan, coupled with her vision, leadership, and dedication to working with all stakeholders to plan for continued growth has prepared her well for her role as Mayor of the City of South Jordan.

Mayor Ramsey is a sixth generation Utahn and proud of her pioneer heritage. She is most proud of her role as wife, mother, and grandmother. Her husband, Dan, works as an IT executive and together their greatest joys are their six children, two sons-in-law, daughter-in-law and two grandchildren. The Ramsey's have lived in South Jordan for almost two decades and are a community service-minded family, with each member spending countless hours volunteering time and talents to various civic, non-profit, school, and church organizations and events.

Historical Overview of Roseman University of Health Sciences

Roseman University of Health Sciences began as the Nevada College of Pharmacy, an idea from one man, Dr. Harry Rosenberg. Dr. Rosenberg's idea was that pharmacy education should be and could be better, more effective, and capable of producing highly competent graduates, who would be sought-after by employers regardless of the job market. His belief in this idea was so strong that he moved from California in August 1999, and with \$15,000, one-third of which was his own, rented a 900 square foot office in the Painter's Union Building on Whitney Mesa Avenue in Henderson to begin the planning and development of what was to become one of the most innovative, creative, and cost-effective Colleges of Pharmacy in the nation.

It was a bold move. There hadn't been a new college of pharmacy started in over 50 years that was not part of an already existing institution. Many doubted that it would even be possible, and with good reason. To assist in this endeavor, however, Dr. Rosenberg enlisted the support of the Nevada pharmacy community, contacting leaders in pharmacy organizations, chain pharmacy managers, hospital pharmacy directors, pharmacists leading home health companies, and the Nevada State Board of Pharmacy. These individuals volunteered to become the nucleus of what would evolve to become the Nevada College of Pharmacy Board of Trustees, and they are still valued members of the Board today.

A curriculum was developed that emphasized a student-centered, active learning environment where students were participating in experiential education from the very beginning of the program. Rather than semesters or quarters, the curriculum was organized into blocks that allowed students to take one course at a time. Students would be in class from 8:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. Monday through Friday, allowing them ample time to concentrate and focus on achieving the desired outcomes. It would also provide opportunities for students to be active participants in the learning process by facilitating the incorporation of a variety of learning activities other than the traditional lecture format. Moreover, the early pharmacy practice experiences were designed to enhance and support the didactic curriculum by allowing students to actually see, feel, and understand what was presented in the classroom in an actual pharmacy setting. Additionally, by restructuring the curriculum in the block format, Dr. Rosenberg realized that the curriculum could be accomplished in three years, rather than the traditional four, making the College of Pharmacy one of the most affordable private Colleges of Pharmacy in the nation. This became the model for all future degree programs.

The inaugural class of the Nevada College of Pharmacy was recruited in the fall of 2000 and those 38 students graduated in November 2003. A new facility with 30,000 square feet located on the corner of Eastern Avenue and Russell Road was rented in January 2002 to accommodate the rapidly growing College community. The Nevada College of Pharmacy called this space "home" until November 2003, when it moved into its permanent location, a 100,000 square foot building at 11 Sunset Way in Henderson. Ironically, this facility is only one block away from the College's original 900 square foot space in the Painter's Union Building. The College of Pharmacy (COP) extended its Pharm.D. program to South Jordan, Utah in fall of 2006. It is housed in a 119,000 square foot facility in the River Park Complex. Today, the College has over 1,000 students enrolled. The College of Pharmacy is providing continuing education programs for Nevada and Utah pharmacists and is actively involved in the pharmacy community. The College of Pharmacy is accredited by Accreditation Council for Pharmacy Education.

In 2004, the Board of Trustees approved changing the name of the institution to the University of Southern Nevada (USN) to reflect the intent to expand degree offerings. That year also saw the development of the Master of Business Administration (MBA) program. The inaugural MBA class started

in fall 2005 and graduated in June 2006. The MBA program has been accredited by International Assembly for Collegiate Business Education (IACBE). In FY 2018-2019, the University initiated a Task Force review of the MBA program, considering many factors, including current pathways, its relevance to today's joint-program Roseman students, challenges in delivering the curriculum, declining enrollment and completion trends, and macro trends in the higher education landscape. In the end, the University decided to discontinue the MBA program and started working on a teach out to end June 2022.

The Bachelor of Science in Nursing (BSN) program was implemented in 2006 in the Nevada campus. The College of Nursing (CON) started classes in April 2006 and graduated its inaugural class in October 2007. It has full approval from the Nevada State Board of Nursing, and is accredited by the Commission on Collegiate Nursing Education (CCNE). The College of Nursing admitted its first class in the Accelerated BSN (ABSBN) program in Nevada in October 2010. The BSN program admitted its first class in the Utah campus in January 2010 and ABSN in 2015. The program in Utah has full approval from the Utah State Board of Nursing and is accredited by CCNE. In 2020, the College of Nursing launched its Master of Science in Nursing – Family Nurse Practitioner program (MSN-FNP), admitting its first class in January.

The College of Dental Medicine (CODM) was approved by the University's Board of Trustees in August 2007. In January 2009, the Commission on Dental Accreditation granted accreditation to the CODM's Advanced Education in Orthodontics and Dentofacial Orthopedics (AEODO)/MBA Residency Program. On February 2, 2009 the CODM matriculated nine Residents into the inaugural Class of 2011. In October 2009, the University announced plans to expand the College of Dental Medicine to the South Jordan, Utah campus to offer a Doctor of Dental Medicine (DMD) degree. The College admitted the first class in fall 2011. An additional 125,000 square foot facility for the program was constructed adjacent to the campus at River Park and opened in December 2012. This program has been granted Accreditation from the Commission on Dental Accreditation.

In January 2011, the University's Board of Trustees voted unanimously to change the name of the institution to Roseman University of Health Sciences. The new name reflects the university's desire to change to a non-geographic branding as it continues its expansion. More importantly, it better reflects the university's mission as "a leader in transforming health care education." The name became effective on July 1, 2011.

In 2013, the University completed a merger with the Nevada Cancer Institute Foundation, securing the 184,000 square foot Engelstad Cancer Research Building to bolster its medical research programs. In April 2014, the University purchased the adjacent 143,000 square foot Flagship Building of the former Nevada Cancer Institute. Combined, the two buildings make up what is now Roseman University's Summerlin campus, home to the University's College of Medicine, which was approved for development by the Board of Trustees in December 2013. The College of Medicine is pursuing accreditation with the Liaison Committee on Medical Education, the accrediting body for medical schools in the U.S. and Canada.

In June 2018, Roseman University and Cure 4 The Kids Foundation formally agreed to a partnership to create a one-of-a-kind collaboration in the State of Nevada with Cure 4 The Kids becoming an independent division of Roseman University of Health Sciences and moved its administrative and clinical operations to the Summerlin campus.

In 2021, after two years of planning, Roseman University established a College of Graduate Studies. Its initial program offerings include a Master of Science in Biomedical Sciences and a Master of Science in Pharmaceutical Sciences.

Roseman University of Health Sciences is accredited by the Northwest Commission on Colleges and Universities (NWCCU). As Roseman continues to grow, it will remain true to the ideas and ideals of its founder, Dr. Harry Rosenberg. For more information please visit our website at www.roseman.edu.

Academic Regalia (Costume)

The black caps and gowns worn by the students and faculty in the academic procession are of ancient origin. They have been the traditional costume of the scholar since medieval times and probably represent an adaptation of the ecclesiastical dress since many of the scholars of the period were members of the monastic orders. American academic costume had its origins in the 12th-13th century European universities when gowns distinguished doctors, masters and bachelors from other segments of the population.

In 1895, an intercollegiate commission adopted a uniform code for academic dress, which has since been adopted by the majority of colleges and universities in the United States. Each of the three academic degrees-bachelor, master, doctor-has its own distinctive gown and hood.

THE GOWN - The academic gown today symbolizes the democracy of scholarship because it covers any dress of rank or social standing underneath. The gown is usually black. The bachelor's gown is distinguished by its long point sleeve. The master's gown has a long, oblong sleeve, extending below the knee. In contrast, the doctor's gown has a full bell-shaped sleeve with three bars of velvet. The opening of this gown is faced with wide velvet bands. The velvet trim may be black or of a color indicating the general field of learning of the wearer, for example, olive green for pharmacy, apricot for nursing, drab for business and lilac for dentistry.

THE CAP - The academic cap is usually black and the material matches the gown. Mortar boards are generally recommended. The color of the tassel denotes the discipline.

THE HOOD - The most colorful and distinctive item of the academic costume is the hood which passes around the neck and extends down the back. The doctor's hood is the largest of the hoods and the bachelor's is the smallest. The bachelor's hood is often omitted. The color of velvet edging indicates the field of learning. The hood is lined with the official color of the college/university. The color of the facing denotes the discipline represented by the degree. Colors associated with different degrees are: Arts, white; Business, drab; Dentistry, lilac; Economics, copper; Education, light blue; Engineering, orange; Fine Arts, brown; Hospital Administration, salmon; Journalism, crimson; Law, purple; Medicine, green; Music, pink; Nursing, apricot; Pharmacy, olive green; Philosophy, dark blue; Public Administration, peacock blue; Science, golden yellow; Social Service, citron; and Theology, scarlet.

PERMISSIBLE EXCEPTIONS - Only members of the governing body of a college or university, whatever their degrees, are entitled to wear doctor's gowns (with black velvet), but their hoods may be only those of degrees actually held by the wearers or those especially prescribed for them by the institution. The chief marshal may wear a specially designed costume approved by the institution.

Adopted from: American University and Colleges, American Council on Education, 1997.

The Mace

The mace is identified with the Office of the President and is carried in academic processions at commencement and convocation ceremonies. Historical maces date back to the 13th century when they were first carried as ceremonial symbols of royal authority at events attended by English Kings. The Marshal has the honor of serving as the macebearer at these events.

The President's Medallion

The President's medallion is in the form of the University Seal and is made of solid sterling silver and held by a ribbon representing the University colors of burgundy and silver. The medallion represents the authority of the President as the highest dignitary in the institution.

Acknowledgements

Roseman University of Health Sciences pays tribute to the parents, spouses, significant others and friends of the members of the Class of 2023 for their support, dedication and sacrifice.

