CLASS OF 2025

PINNING AND WHITE COAT CEREMONY

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WELCOME & GREETINGS

Dr. Brian Oxhorn, Dean, College of Nursing

INTRODUCTION OF COLLEGE OF NURSING FACULTY & STAFF

Dr. Brian Oxhorn, Dean, College of Nursing

TRADITION OF THE PINNING CEREMONY AND LIGHTING OF THE CANDLE

Mrs. Marika Kerr

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PRESENTATION OF BSN STUDENTS

Dr. Andrea LeClaire, Associate Dean of Faculty Affairs & Learning Innovation

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LIGHTING OF THE CANDLE

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TRADITION OF THE WHITE COAT CEREMONY

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RECOGNITIONS

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Dr. Andrea LeClaire, Class Officers

Dr. Andrea LeClaire, Spirit of Nursing Award

Dr. Brian Oxhorn, Dean's Award

Dr. Federico Calixtro, Graduate Student Award

Dr. Brian Oxhorn, Closing Remarks



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THE PROFESSION OF NURSING

The profession of nursing is recognized as both an art and a science. The utilization of research-based knowledge, professional judgment and critical thinking skills are the science of nursing. The art of nursing is reflected in the therapeutic nurse-client relationship that incorporates interpersonal components, such as caring and compassion. Together, the art and science of nursing empower the professional nurse to provide high quality holistic nursing care. Roseman University of Health Sciences (Roseman) College of Nursing is dedicated to preparing students to become proficient professionals who will provide the utmost service to the community by maintaining their integrity as professionals through principled actions and ethical decision making. This is accomplished by presenting an innovative curriculum that provides students with the knowledge needed to practice their profession and to become life-long learners.

HISTORY OF THE NURSING PIN

In the 11th century, various military and religious orders of hospitallers who cared for the sick and wounded Crusaders were honored with badges. Later in the 1860s, Florence Nightingale devoted herself to caring for casualties of the Crimean War. In recognition of her service, she was awarded The Cross of St. George. Florence then extended the honor by presenting a medal of excellence to the most deserving student graduates at The Nightingale School of Nursing – London. Today, nursing schools around the world give a Nursing Pin to represent a medal of excellence to their student nurses upon graduation. Each school of nursing pin has its own distinct design which represents the symbols, colors and phrases that illustrate the mission and philosophy of the school.



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ROSEMAN NURSING PIN

The Roseman Nursing Pin is designed in the University colors of burgundy and silver. The shape of the pin symbolizes the unique "Block" curriculum of the Roseman program. Moreover, the four sides of the pin represent the College of Nursing Core Values - Service, Integrity, Innovation and Knowledge. The Lamp of Knowledge on the lower half of the pin signifies the nurse's science-based knowledge and commitment to life-long learning, which are the foundation of professional nursing practice. The lamp's bright flame is reserved for those who, like Florence Nightingale, strive to light the way for others through knowledge and compassion. A glorious sunrise against the Intermountain West is displayed on the upper half of the pin. This image serves to remind Roseman graduates that although they started their nursing career in the Intermountain West, with every new day, they have limitless opportunities to better the life of others all over the world.

TRADITION OF THE WHITE COAT CEREMONY

The White Coat Ceremony is the oldest, and most well-known program of the Gold Foundation. The Arnold P. Gold Foundation established the White Coat Ceremony in 1993. The first White Coat Ceremony took place in 1993 at the Columbia University Vagelos College of Physicians & Surgeons. At the time, Dr. Arnold Gold was a Professor of Clinical Neurology and Professor of Clinical Pediatrics there. He noted that the existing practice of having students take the Hippocratic Oath at the end of their medical training occurred four years too late.

In 2014, recognizing the vital role nurses play in the healthcare team, the Gold Foundation partnered with the American Association of Colleges of Nursing to adopt a White Coat Ceremony for Nursing. More than 360 schools of nursing now participate, and the number continues to grow.

The Gold Foundation instituted the White Coat Ceremony to emphasize humanism in medicine. Like physicians, the white coat ceremony is an event that many nurse practitioner students take part in to commemorate nursing graduates who are to assume new roles in advanced practice nursing. To symbolize this transition, students are "coated" by their faculty using the iconic white coat often worn by healthcare professionals, symbolizing the nurse's transition to the role as healthcare provider.

In addition to the white coat, students will be given a pin provided by the Gold Foundation that commemorates the White Coat Ceremony. Featured on the pin, is a gold Mobius loop that symbolizes the continuous bond of trust, respect, and communication, when ultimately humanism is to be the very center of patient care.

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AMAL ALIS ABDULLAHI
To my family and friends; your support, prayers,
and love got me through the hardest days,
I hope I have made you proud.



ALFRED LORD AGUDO AGUINALDO My heart is full because of how inspired, encouraged, and supported I was by my family and lifelong friends during this winding journey. I want to express my deepest gratitude for their grace and patience. Mom, Dad, Aaron, Aileen, Joyce, and Pamela, I'm here because of you all.



KAILY MALIA-HAFOKA ATUAIA
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SADE KENTRYCE BAGLEY
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JASLYIN IVETTE BOJORQUEZ

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JOHN DANIEL CASEY

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MEGHAN NICOLE CHAMBERLAIN

Thank you to my husband, Kyle and our two children, Jaxon and Blair. You were my biggest cheerleaders and supported me on my hardest days. I couldn't have done it without you. I love you so much!



ALEXAS BREE COTA

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JOHNATHON ANGELO CROSS

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MICOL AINSLEY TAN CUIZON

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ANA CUNNINGHAM

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HAYLEY ARLENE DAVIS



SHAWN ZE DONG

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JESSICA CAROLINA DONIS

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ELISSA MARIE DRISCOLL

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KELLY CADEN ENCE

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GEORGINA YASMIN DORONILA GADDI

To my family: thank you for your endless support, your steady encouragement, and your unwavering belief in me. I couldn't have made it here without you and I'm so grateful to share this moment with you.



AIMEE ELIZABETH GARCIA

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KYLEE CHRISTYNE GARNER-JAMES

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BRIGITTE NAA KORKOI HAMMOND

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JAYDA HANCOCK

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MICKENZIE NOEL HARKE-HARTLEY

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MEGAN MIE IKEMOTO

Not all goodbyes are sad. For example... goodbye, nursing school! But to everyone who stood by me through it all—family, friends, classmates—thank you. I couldn't have done it without you.♥



HUNTER BELLE JOHNSON



MEGAN RENEE JOHNSON



CASSANDRA DIANA JONES

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REBECCA ANNE MIVSHEK

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JAERINE B MONES

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ROMAR RODRIGUEZ PAPA

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AEVA MICKAYLA PEARSON

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ALYDAH LOVE RAGUINDIN

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DAKOTA ROBERT STANDING WOLF ROSSI

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ADVA SOLOMON

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AZALEA LELANI LEE STAMPS

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SANTE' ANTOINETTE THOMAS

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FATMA O. TOURY

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HALEYDREW TAYTUM LEE VILLAREAL



KAMBRIA KAYLEE WINDHAM

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SUSAN MAIKA XIONG

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NICOLE CHENEY

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MYLA JADE DAIGEAU

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BRADY JOHN MORLOCK

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REBEKAH TAI PLATT

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EDUARDO TRUJILLO

To my wife: I couldn't do this without you; this is for us. To my parents and in-laws, your support is appreciated and valued. To my family present today to celebrate with me, I love and appreciate all of you. Lastly, thank you to my professors and clinical instructors.







HEIDI LEE WELCH



NURSING OATH

In full knowledge of the obligations I am undertaking,
I promise to practice professional nursing with all my skills
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 skills 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.

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