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CONGRATULATIONS



Congratulations on your accomplishments!

Congratulations, Class of 2022, on completing the requirements for an academic degree from Washington State University. It is an honor to celebrate the achievements that brought you to this significant moment.

I applaud your efforts, as well as those of everyone who helped you reach this pivotal day. In the face of a global pandemic, you remained steadfast in your commitment to your education. You adapted, persisted, and embodied the resiliency that Cougs are known for around the world. Your potential is unlimited.

After today, you will play an important role in the health and wellness of some of society's most vulnerable individuals. It is an honor and a responsibility that will require you to do more, to go beyond what you thought you were capable of in the service of someone else. The communities you will serve will look to you, and I challenge you to be their champion as you go on to address society's most pressing health care needs for a healthier tomorrow.

Thank you for sharing these years with us. As you begin the next step of your journey, remember that you are always a Cougar. The University, your WSU friends and colleagues, and Cougar alums will always be there to support you and cheer you on.

Best wishes and more than ever, Go Cougs!

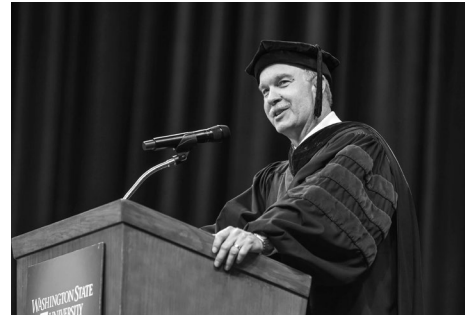


Kirk H. Schulz, PhD

President,

Washington State University

BEST WISHES



Congratulations, you have earned it!

It is a tremendous privilege to share this exciting and well-deserved transition in your life. It is a day for you to recognize your accomplishments and to reflect on what you have learned and how you have changed, remembering how others have believed in you and invested in you.

Our mission is to focus your intellectual, creative, and practical abilities and help you build upon them. We are here to deliberately enable you to grow.

As you step out beyond WSU Health Sciences Spokane, know that as our reputation as a world-class research and health sciences campus continues to rise, it is in part due to your success.

Know you will always have a home and family here at Washington State University. In your future, I hope you will stay connected to the University, to the faculty and staff who have mentored you, and to the friends with whom you have shared this time.

Every year we build on past successes that lay a foundation for new opportunities. I challenge each graduate to take their educational experiences and seize the opportunity to make a difference in the world.

This is your moment, and no one deserves it more. Congratulations, you have earned it.

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Daryll B. DeWald".

Daryll B. DeWald, PhD

*Vice President and Chancellor, Washington State University
Health Sciences Spokane*



MESSAGE FROM THE DEAN

Today, we celebrate the achievements of 139 students across our three programs – Medicine, Nutrition & Exercise Physiology, and Speech & Hearing Sciences. I applaud your hard work, discipline, and commitment that has culminated in this major milestone.

I was fortunate enough to give some of you here the acceptance call welcoming you to the college, and I welcomed you all on your first day of orientation. These are some of my favorite memories as I watched you take your place in the medical world and begin your journeys as students, researchers, clinicians, colleagues.

Your commitment to join the Class of 2022 was more than an agreement to attend the WSU College of Medicine. It was a commitment to being part of a bold, audacious, innovative vision that was still relatively new and untested. A commitment to join us as we built classrooms and curriculum, clinical affiliations and community connections. A commitment to caring for the underserved and vulnerable throughout the state of Washington.

And you were not alone in this commitment. Steadfast in their commitment to seeing Washingtonians living longer, better lives, community members have contributed counsel, resources, and partnership to help us provide first-class health care education. Legislators, donors, and supporters have remained passionate and constant in the belief that you will go on to create a healthier tomorrow.

Our faculty and staff have brought their expertise, innovation, and passion into each classroom and clinic. They have strived to create an innovative educational experience that will prepare each of you to be the health care leaders of the future.

And your loved ones, who have remained committed to the best investment of all: you. They have cheered you on and supported you as you studied and trained, struggled and succeeded.

To each, I say thank you. Thank you for all you have done and continue to do. It is only together that we continue our mission to provide community-based, patient-centered, and connected care to rural and underserved communities in need.

To our graduates, it has been an honor to spend these last few years with you and I encourage you to remember those who have shared this journey. Never forget that you were among the trailblazers who helped launch and shape a new college of medicine. Thank you for playing a key role in our history. You have helped us become who we are. Whether you are beginning the next phase of your education, training, or stepping into a new career, I know you will go on to do great things.

Congratulations to the Class of 2022 and Go Cougs!



John Tomkowiak, MD, MOL
Founding Dean

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*Professor and Chair, Department of Translational
Medicine and Physiology*

ELSON S. FLOYD COLLEGE OF MEDICINE

Mission

To solve problems in challenging health care environments across the state of Washington.

Vision

Washingtonians living longer, better.

About the College

The Elson S. Floyd College of Medicine is Washington's community-based medical school. Named after Washington State University's late president, Dr. Elson S. Floyd, the college was created to expand medical education and health care access in communities across the state.

The college is also home to the departments of Nutrition and Exercise Physiology, Speech and Hearing Sciences, Biomedical Sciences and Medical Education and Clinical Sciences.

As the state's land-grant university, WSU's mission is rooted in accessibility and service to diverse communities across the state. By training physicians to deliver health care to Washington's underserved communities, the Elson S. Floyd College of Medicine embodies the University's mission—and will improve countless lives.



The Elson S. Floyd Legacy

Elson S. Floyd was the 10th president of Washington State University, serving from May 21, 2007, until his passing on June 20, 2015.

During his tenure, Floyd garnered bipartisan support in the Washington state legislature to approve WSU to start a medical school.

Recognized for his transformative and visionary leadership, Floyd's pursuit to create WSU's own separately accredited, four-year medical school led to the university naming the medical school the Elson S. Floyd College of Medicine.

CELEBRATION PROGRAM

PROCESSIONAL	Glen Duncan, PhD, RCEP <i>Chair and Professor</i>
THE NATIONAL ANTHEM	Anjali Kumar, MD, MPH, FACS, FASCRS <i>Director, Clinical Education – Surgery</i>
	Amy Meredith, PhD <i>Chair and Clinical Professor</i>
WELCOME	John Tomkowiak, MD, MOL <i>Founding Dean</i>
REFLECTIONS OF THE COLLEGE MACE	Dan Hunt, MD, MBA
STUDENT SPEAKERS	Avery Jane Walcher, MS <i>Speech & Hearing Sciences</i>
	Kylie Clark, BS <i>Nutrition & Exercise Physiology</i>
	Arianna Delsman, MD <i>Medicine</i>
COMMENCEMENT SPEAKER	Kiantha Duncan
CONFERRAL OF DEGREES	Kirk Schulz, PhD <i>President</i>
DEGREES AWARDED	<i>Speech & Hearing Sciences</i> <i>Nutrition & Exercise Physiology</i> <i>Medicine</i>
RECITING OF THE CLINICIAN’S OATH	Jennifer Ford, MD
DEAN’S ADDRESS & CLOSING REMARKS	John Tomkowiak, MD, MOL <i>Founding Dean</i>
RECESSIONAL	

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SPEECH AND HEARING SCIENCES

Bachelor of Arts in Speech and Hearing Sciences

Andrew Adams	Claire Schrock
Adrianna Armstead	Carlee Shute
Tatiana Basso	Hanna Smith
Isabella Faccone	Sydney Steffan
Kendall Fink	Emalee Stephens
Paiton Haeberle	Emma Stewart
Kyndra Hans	Dahvae Turner
Maya Ladner	Payton Urich
Joy Longanecker	Jennifer Velasco
Molly Nordquist	Sheridyn Youngblood
Natalie Magdaleno	Madison Winfrey
Jessica Mendoza	Kiara White
Marisa Olsen	Heather Shipway
Marissa Ribeiro	

Master of Science in Speech and Hearing Sciences

Brittany Botejue	Marley McDonald
Katherine Bourus	Katelyn Morris
Arianna Brack	Randi Pedersen
Ssu-Yu Chang	Nicholas Porter
Sierra Chantry	Britta Schaefer
Katherine Dewulf	Riley Scott
Sara Druffel	Bethany Shin
Kaija Elenko	Madison Smith
Kate Fritz	Jordan Sonneborn
Hannah Jones	Kelsey Sphar
Olivia Knutson	Avery Jane Walcher
Kristina Legate	Kasey York
Jennifer Lynn	

Undergraduate Academic Honors

SUMMA CUM LAUDE

GPA 3.90–4.00

Andrew Adams
Kyndra Hans
Marissa Ribeiro
Emalee Stephens
Sheridyn Youngblood

MAGNA CUM LAUDE

GPA 3.70–3.89

Kendall Fink
Maya Ladner
Joy Longnecker
Natalie Magdaleno
Carlee Shute
Sydney Steffan
Dahvae Turner

CUM LAUDE

GPA 3.50–3.69

Adrianna Armstead
Tatiana Basso
Isabella Faccone
Jessica Mendoza
Marisa Olsen
Claire Schrock
Heather Shipway
Payton Urich
Madison Winfrey

NUTRITION AND EXERCISE PHYSIOLOGY

Bachelor of Science in Nutrition and Exercise Physiology

Brittany Carrigan

Kylie Clark

Alondra Guerrero

Joyce Haiar

Bennie Jordan

Lena Keller

Samantha Leitzke

Anne Mansfield

Adeline (Addy) Playstead

Parker Schumacher

Natalie Stark

Rachel Zirkle

Master of Science Coordinated Program in Dietetics

Catherine Carbeck

Machaela Copenhaver

Sara Davis

Savanah Feldpausch

Portia Kunz

Jeanine Leach

Ardeth McAuley

Callie McBride

Aarika Merrill

Carolyn Negley

Mackenzie O'Connell

Melissa Poe

Nicholas Soirez

Kaitlyn Somers

Bryan Stahlberg

Kari Thompson

Bridget Wagner

Zoe Woltjer

Darya Youssefi

Undergraduate Academic Honors

SUMMA CUM LAUDE

GPA 3.90–4.00

Joyce Haiar

Lena Keller

Anne Mansfield

Natalie Stark

MAGNA CUM LAUDE

GPA 3.70–3.89

Brittany Carrigan

Bennie Jordan

CUM LAUDE

GPA 3.50–3.69

Kylie Clark

MEDICINE

Doctor of Medicine

Marcos Arreola

Residency: *Internal Medicine*
University of Washington
Seattle, Washington

Brittany Bear

Residency: *Obstetrics-Gynecology*
Swedish Medical Center
Seattle, Washington

Rajan Bhardwaj

Residency: *Internal Medicine*
Virginia Mason Medical Center
Seattle, Washington

Philip Bohlmann

Residency: *General Surgery*
Oregon Health & Science
University
Portland, Oregon

Jessica Brar

Residency: *Internal Medicine*
Brown University/Rhode Island
Hospital
Providence, Rhode Island

Tamir Bresler

Residency: *General Surgery*
Los Robles Health System
Thousand Oaks, California

Marleny Carmona

Residency: *Family Medicine*
AltaMed Health Services
South Gate, California

Jonathan Cheng

Residency: *Internal Medicine*
Elson S. Floyd College of
Medicine
Everett, Washington

Scott Davis

Residency: *Emergency Medicine*
University of Florida -
Jacksonville
Jacksonville, Florida

Arianna Delsman

Residency: *Obstetrics-Gynecology*
University of Minnesota
Minneapolis, Minnesota

Alice Dong

Residency: *Psychiatry*
San Mateo Behavioral Health &
Recovery Services
San Mateo, California

Alexandra Drury

Residency: *Pediatrics*
Valley Childrens Healthcare
Madera, California

Giselle Fernandes

Residency: *Pediatrics*
Kaiser Permanente - Oakland
Oakland, California

Sarah Fielding

Residency: *Family Medicine*
Kadlec Regional Medical Center
Richland, Washington

Carson Fuller

Residency: *Surgery - Preliminary*
University of Washington
Seattle, Washington

Maxwell Gruber

Research Year

Amber Huang

Residency: *General Surgery*
Swedish Medical Center
Seattle, Washington

Erin Johnson

Residency: *Obstetrics-Gynecology*
Barnes-Jewish Hospital
St. Louis, Missouri

Erin Kaya

Residency: *Radiation Oncology*
Providence Sacred Heart &
Oregon Health & Science
University
Portland, Oregon

Brian Huyng Chan Kim

Residency: *General Surgery*
Virginia Mason Medical Center
Seattle, Washington

Lindsay Livingstone

Residency: *Internal Medicine*
University of Wisconsin
Hospital & Clinics
Madison, Wisconsin

Cassidy MacArthur

Residency: *Physical Medicine &
Rehabilitation*
Providence Sacred Heart Medical
Center
Spokane, Washington

Kavya Magham

Residency: *Medicine/Emergency
Medicine*
University of Illinois - Chicago
Chicago, Illinois

Steven Mahnke

Residency: *Emergency Medicine*
Mayo Clinic
Rochester, Minnesota

Taylor-Rhea McGuire-Skeen

Residency: *Obstetrics-Gynecology*
Sparrow Hospital
Lansing, Michigan

Sean Morton

Residency: *General Surgery*
Bassett Medical Center
Cooperstown, New York

Randy Nguyen

Residency: *Surgery - Preliminary*
University at Buffalo
Buffalo, New York

Anndres Olson

Residency: *Emergency Medicine*
Kaiser Permanente - San Diego
San Diego, California

Erin O'Rorke

Residency: *Plastic Surgery*
Loma Linda University
Loma Linda, California

Matthias Park

Residency: *Emergency Medicine*
Kern Medical Center
Bakersfield, California

Catherine Pravisay-Malmstadt

Residency: *Anesthesiology*
Virginia Mason Medical Center
Seattle, Washington

Joshua Rayburn

Residency: *Emergency Medicine*
Creighton University - Arizona
Phoenix, Arizona

Carly Riehl

Residency: *Family Medicine*
Providence Sacred Heart Medical
Center
Spokane, Washington

Nicholas Rintala

Residency: *Internal Medicine - Preliminary*
Elson S. Floyd College of
Medicine
Everett, Washington

Syed Saif

Residency: *Psychiatry*
Samaritan Health Services
Corvallis, Oregon

Troy Sanders

Residency: *Surgery - Preliminary*
Virginia Mason Medical Center
Seattle, Washington

Abharika Sapru

Residency: *Internal Medicine*
Oregon Health & Science
University
Portland, Oregon

Kathryne Staudinger

Residency: *Obstetrics-Gynecology*
Albert Einstein Medical Center
Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

Owen Strom

Residency: *Family Medicine*
Trios Health
Kennewick, Washington

Julia Swanson

Residency: *Family Medicine*
Valley Medical Center
Renton, Washington

Vicki Tang

Residency: *Internal Medicine*
University of Washington
Seattle, Washington

Zachary Taylor

Residency: *Internal Medicine*
Providence Health
Portland, Oregon

Andrew Terrell

Residency: *Emergency Medicine*
Oregon Health & Science
University
Portland, Oregon

Nina Thach

Residency: *Family Medicine*
MultiCare Good Samaritan
Hospital
Puyallup, Washington

Nihal Thapa

Residency: *Radiology-Diagnostic*
University of Washington &
Loyola University
Maywood, Illinois

Elizabeth Thomas

Residency: *Internal Medicine*
Virginia Mason Medical Center
Seattle, Washington

Emily Thorn

Residency: *Family Medicine*
Swedish Medical Center

Alexandre Vesselle

Residency: *Orthopaedic Surgery*
Case Western University
Cleveland, Ohio

Kendall Vignaroli

Residency: *General Surgery*
Arrowhead Regional Medical
Center
Colton, California

Ravneet Waraich

Residency: *Internal Medicine*
Oregon Health & Science
University
Portland, Oregon

Stella Whang

Residency: *Internal Medicine*
UC Irvine Medical Center
Orange, California

Genevieve White

Residency: *Family Medicine*
Kaiser Permanente Washington
- Burien
Burien, Washington

Brooke Willborg

Residency: *Plastic Surgery*
Mayo Clinic
Rochester, Minnesota

Taylor Wintler

Residency: *Pediatrics*
University of Washington
Seattle, Washington

Whitney Wood

Residency: *Family Medicine*
Providence Hospital
Anchorage, Alaska

Tanner Wright

Residency: *Surgery - Preliminary*
University of Tennessee
Knoxville, Tennessee

CLINICIAN'S OATH

AS A MEMBER OF THE MEDICAL PROFESSION:

I SOLEMNLY PLEDGE to dedicate my life to the service of humanity;

THE HEALTH AND WELL-BEING OF MY PATIENT will be my first consideration;

I WILL RESPECT the autonomy and dignity of my patient;

I WILL MAINTAIN the utmost respect for human life;

I WILL NOT PERMIT considerations of age, disease or disability, creed, ethnic origin, gender, nationality, political affiliation, race, sexual orientation, social standing or any other factor to intervene between my duty and my patient;

I WILL RESPECT the secrets that are confided in me, even after the patient has died;

I WILL PRACTICE my profession with conscience and dignity and in accordance with good medical practice;

I WILL FOSTER the honor and noble traditions of the medical profession;

I WILL GIVE to my teachers, colleagues, and students the respect and gratitude that is their due;

I WILL SHARE my medical knowledge for the benefit of the patient and the advancement of healthcare;

I WILL ATTEND TO my own health, well-being, and abilities in order to provide care of the highest standard;

I WILL NOT USE my medical knowledge to violate human rights and civil liberties, even under threat;

I MAKE THESE PROMISES solemnly, freely, and upon my honor.

*Adopted by the 2nd General Assembly of the World Medical Association, Geneva, Switzerland, September 1948
and amended by the 22nd World Medical Assembly, Sydney, Australia, August 1968
and the 35th World Medical Assembly, Venice, Italy, October 1983
and the 46th WMA General Assembly, Stockholm, Sweden, September 1994
and editorially revised by the 170th WMA Council Session, Divonne-les-Bains, France, May 2005
and the 173rd WMA Council Session, Divonne-les-Bains, France, May 2006
and amended by the 68th WMA General Assembly, Chicago, United States, October 2017*

THANK YOU

To Our Graduates

Thank you for joining the Cougar family. It has been a privilege to take this journey with you over the past several years. You are forever part of the Washington State University family. And wherever you go next, part of WSU Elson S. Floyd College of Medicine goes with you.

Go Cougs!

To Our Attendees

Thank you for supporting your students on their journeys! Washington State University is honored that you have joined us in honoring the graduating class of 2022. We are proud of the newest additions to our Cougar alumni family and are honored that you have chosen to celebrate their achievements with us today.

To Washington

Thank you for supporting Washington's community-based medical school as we built it from the ground up. This vision could only come to fruition through the critical support of advocates across the state of Washington and the shared commitment to enhancing health care in underserved communities.

To Our Standardized Patients

Thank you for helping create opportunities for physician-patient relationships for our future doctors.

Alexa Tomkowiak	Dina Banning	Lyn (Jacquelyn) Mills	Rosanna Gray
Alice Mysliwiec	Don Coerver	Mari-Pat (Marion) Corrigan	Sarajoy Vanboven
Andrew Hudson	Dylan Tobert-O'connell	Mary Stockinger	Terry (Terrence) Russell
Arena Aufdencamp	Liz (Elizabeth) Russell	Mary Wilkins-Hunt	Terry Johnson
Bethany Rennaker	Janet Niederstadt	Mary Ann Clute	Tim Jaeger
Bill (William) Sims	Janie (Jane) Slater	Mikayla Daniels	Tina (Christina) Dobrowski
Calvin (Benjamin) Brown	John Johnston	Mimi (Margaretta) Ross	Tonya Townsend
Cassandra Carpenter	Julie Berghammer	Nancy Chaney	Warren Rust
Chauncy Cullitan	Julie Bossen	Paul D'ariento	Kurt Jensen
Christine Welch	Kaeden Fisher	Phyllis Silver	Karie O'brien
Christopher Toyne	Kathy (Katherine) Bray	Rebecca Bigelow	Denisa Kerr
Darlene Arnold	Katie (Kathryn) Alderson	Rhonda Edgar	Cheryl Guyett
Dawn Beamish	Kristi Sciuchetti	Robin Arnold	David Fisher
Dennis Mcguire	Lilli Glock		

Names in this program include only those students who have applied for a May 2022 or August 2022 graduation date. Names are not necessarily representative of those attending the spring commencement ceremony.

Appearance of a name in this program is presumptive evidence of graduation and graduation honors, but it must not in any manner be regarded as conclusive. The diploma of the University, signed and sealed by its proper officers, remains the official testimony of the degree awarded.

