ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-FOURTH ANNUAL

SPRING COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES

MAY 11, 2019
10:00 A.M.
TUSKEGEE UNIVERSITY
GENERAL DANIEL “CHAPPIE” JAMES CENTER
FOR AEROSPACE SCIENCE AND HEALTH EDUCATION

SPEAKER:
THE HONORABLE LORETTA LYNCH, J.D.
83RD U.S. ATTORNEY GENERAL
this page is blank and does not print
Marked by more than a century of tradition since its founding through the efforts of former slave Lewis Adams and former slave owner George W. Campbell, Tuskegee University today is known for being among the nation’s premier historically black colleges and universities (HBCUs) — and for its openness to all. Its mission remains service to people, not merely education for its own sake. Stressing the need to educate the whole person, that is, the hand and the heart as well as the mind, founding principal Booker T. Washington’s new school was soon acclaimed — first by Alabama and then by the nation — for the soundness and vigor of its educational programs and principles.

Founded as the Tuskegee Normal School for Colored Teachers through the passage of Alabama House Bill 165 on July 4, 1881, Tuskegee University traces its modest beginnings to a one-room shanty located near Butler’s Chapel AME Zion Church. Under Washington’s leadership, however, the Tuskegee Normal and Industrial Institute (as of 1893) soon rose to national prominence. A highly skilled organizer and fundraiser who counseled U.S. presidents, Washington was a strong advocate of black farmers and businesses. Student enrollment was not limited to rural Macon County and the South, but was global in composition. Every student’s educational experience combined vocational classes with coursework toward general diplomas, which included mathematics, English and history. To that end, Washington recruited the best and brightest available within the black community, including famed researcher George Washington Carver and architect Robert R. Taylor.

Tuskegee’s prominence as a black school of higher learning continued after Washington’s passing in 1915. President Robert R. Moton actively solicited for modern buildings and equipment to teach the trades, more comfortable faculty and student housing, and enlarged and improved recreational, health and academic facilities. By 1927, his efforts had helped to elevate Tuskegee’s high school-level academics to full four-year college status with bachelor degrees in agriculture, home economics, mechanical industries and education. In addition, it donated land in 1923 for the Tuskegee Veteran’s Administration Hospital — the first and only one staffed by black professionals. He continued institutional relationships with financiers such as Julius Rosenwald, which in turn created programs for underprivileged portions of society and the education of blacks.

Tuskegee would establish itself as a leader in veterinary medicine education in 1944 when President Frederick D. Patterson founded the Tuskegee Institute (as of 1937) School of Veterinary Medicine. In the same year, he helped co-found the United Negro College Fund, which continues today to advocate on behalf of and provide financial support for a consortium of HBCUs — Tuskegee among them.

During the 1940s, although the rest of the world was embroiled in war, Tuskegee continued to better opportunities for blacks nationwide. The Infantile Paralysis Center, which opened on Jan. 15, 1941, as part of Tuskegee University’s John A. Andrew Memorial Hospital, treated and served African-American patients (especially for polio) from the southeastern states, as well as Alabama patients with other orthopedic conditions. Further acclaim resulted from the university’s Civilian Pilot Training Program (which began in 1939) that eventually led to the formation of the 99th Fighter Squadron of Tuskegee Airmen in June 1941.

The organization of the College of Arts and Sciences, the elimination of several vocational programs, and the development of engineering programs marked the tenure of fourth president, Dr. Luther H. Foster. His tenure also included the turbulent years of the Civil Rights Movement, during which time the university maintained an attitude of open dialogue by allowing a variety of controversial speakers — such as Martin Luther King Jr., Malcolm X, Stokely Carmichael, Julian Bond and Alex Haley — to visit campus. In 1960, Arts and Sciences Dean Charles Gomillion filed a lawsuit leading to the groundbreaking Supreme Court case Gomillion vs. Lightfoot concerning Tuskegee’s black citizens who had been illegally gerrymandered out of their right to vote. Tragically, on Jan. 3, 1966, Tuskegee freshman Samuel Younge Jr. became the first black college student killed as a result of his involvement in the civil rights movement. The university’s significance in our nation’s history has twice been celebrated by the U.S. Department of the Interior’s National Parks Service: first, in 1966, when it became the first HBCU designated as a Registered National Historic Landmark; and again in 1974, when it became the nation’s only HBCU designated as a National Historic Site.

Through fifth president Dr. Benjamin F. Payton’s participation on the Tuskegee Syphilis Study Legacy Committee, the university established the National Center for Bioethics in Research and Health Care as part of the government’s apology for its participation in the “U.S. Public Health Service Study on Syphilis” conducted at Tuskegee from 1932 to 1972. Payton’s commitment to education was further exemplified when, in 1985, Tuskegee attained university status and began offering its first doctoral programs in integrative biosciences, materials science and engineering.

The decade following Payton’s presidency — under the leadership of presidents Gilbert L. Rochon and Brian L. Johnson — marked a greater emphasis on Tuskegee’s research capacity and physical campus through the construction of new education, science and residential halls, as well as improvements to existing facilities. Each also contributed significantly to broader integration of arts and cultural programs in the growing STEAM (science, technology, engineering, arts and mathematics) movement throughout the U.S. On July 1, 2018, Tuskegee University marked a new leadership milestone as Dr. Lily D. McNair began her tenure its eighth — and first female — president in 137 years. With her inauguration on March 15, 2019, the university ushered in “A New Era in Leadership and Excellence” — a challenge to build on the foundation laid by the university’s founders by achieving greater heights in student success, customer service, fiscal strengths and community partnerships. In doing so, McNair envisions a Tuskegee that combines its proud past with the possibilities found in a promising future.
Commencement Programme

2019 Spring Commencement Exercises
Saturday, May Tenth
Two Thousand and Nineteen
Ten o’clock in the Morning

Presiding
Lily D. McNair, Ph.D.
President

THE PROCESSIONAL………..*Theme from “Pomp and Circumstance” (March No. 1)………………….. Edgar Elgar

THE INVOCATION.........................................................................................................................Gregory S. Gray, Ph.D., M.Div.
Dean of the Chapel

(Audience may be seated)

THE GREETINGS ......................................................................................................................... John E. Page, J.D.
Chair, Tuskegee University Board of Trustees

Kieauna W. Strickland
2018-19 President, Student Government Association

Kenyon Beasley
2018-19 Senior Class President

RECOGNITIONS .........................................................................................................................President McNair

ANTHEM............................................................*“Hebileblooyuh” .............................................. James Furman
Tuskegee University Golden Voices Concert Choir
Wayne A. Barr, D.M.A., Director

THE INTRODUCTION OF THE SPEAKER..................................................................................President McNair

THE COMMENCEMENT ADDRESS........................................................................................The Honorable Loretta Lynch, J.D.
83rd U.S. Attorney General

THE SPIRITUAL............................................................*“Ezekiel Saw de Wheel”....................... arr. William L. Dawson
THE CONFERRAL OF THE HONORARY DEGREE ................................................................. President McNair

Doctor of Laws
The Honorable Loretta Lynch, J.D.

THE CONFERRAL OF ACADEMIC DEGREES ................................................................. President McNair

Roberta M. Troy, Ph.D.
Interim Provost

Academic Deans

Doctor of Philosophy
Master of Science
Bachelor of Architecture
Bachelor of Arts
Bachelor of Science

THE RECOGNITION OF COMMISSIONED OFFICERS

United States Army ........................................................................................................... Maj. Melvin Kindle
United States Navy ......................................................................................................... Capt. Willie D. Billingslea
United States Air Force ................................................................................................... Lt. Col. Bryan T. Gray

ADMINISTERING OF GRADUATES’ ALUMNI OATH ..................................................... Burt Rowe
President, Tuskegee National Alumni Association, Inc.

THE ALMA MATER ......................................................................................................... by Paul Laurence Dunbar/N. Clark Smith
Audience

THE BENEDICTION ..................................................................................................... Dean Gray

THE RECESSIONAL ........................................................................................................ “Trumpet Voluntary” ....................................................... Henry Purcell

Faculty
Graduates
Platform Party
Dr. Lily D. McNair began her tenure as Tuskegee University’s eighth president on July 1, 2018. Her appointment as Tuskegee’s first female president came after nearly seven years of service as provost and senior vice president for academic affairs at Wagner College — a private college of 2,200 students located on New York’s Staten Island.

She previously served as associate provost of research and divisional coordinator for science and mathematics at Spelman College, where she was responsible for cultivating the institution’s research capabilities. This included strengthening its infrastructure of policies and procedures related to faculty involvement in research, and developing a coordinated system to improve the efficient use of its research resources.

President McNair served as associate professor of psychology and associate director of the Clinical Psychology Doctoral Training Program at The University of Georgia, where in 1999 she was the first African-American woman to obtain tenure and promotion in the Department of Psychology. She also has served as professor of psychology on the faculty of The State University of New York at New Paltz, and as a clinical psychologist at Vassar College.

A clinical psychologist by training, President McNair’s research has focused on the development and evaluation of community-based interventions targeting substance use and early sexual behavior in African-American youth. Her work has been funded by the National Institutes of Mental Health, as well as the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention. Preliminary findings of these longitudinal studies are demonstrating the significant impact of positive parenting practices on children’s outcomes across a variety of domains. President McNair also co-edited the first four editions of *Women: Images and Realities*, an introductory and highly popular multicultural women’s studies textbook, which is now in its seventh edition.

Her continuing research interests include examining the role of stress in the alcohol consumption of female college students. This interest, dating back to her dissertation research, marked the beginning of her longstanding interest in gender-related issues in social behavior. She continued this line of research while at The University of Georgia by investigating cognitive factors related to alcohol use and risky sexual behaviors, with particular attention to gender-related influences on decision-making and risk taking. Her work examines two specific areas of sexual risk: sexual behaviors related to the transmission of HIV/AIDS (unsafe sexual practices) and sexual aggression (i.e., acquaintance rape).

President McNair has served as major professor for more than 10 doctoral students in clinical psychology at The University of Georgia, where she was actively involved in both undergraduate and graduate training. She considers her contributions to the education of junior scholars to be among the most rewarding aspect of her career at UGA, where she was actively involved in increasing the numbers of African-American graduate students in the Department of Psychology.

A native of New Jersey, President McNair holds an undergraduate degree in psychology from Princeton University, and master’s and doctoral degrees in psychology from the State University of New York at Stony Brook. She is married to Dr. George W. Roberts, a retired senior administrator at the U.S. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention. Together they have two adult children: Randall Roberts and Marguerite Roberts.
Tuskegee University Board of Trustees

John E. Page, J.D., Chairman
Senior Vice President, Chief Corporate Social Responsibility Officer and Chief Legal Officer
Golden State Foods Corp.
Irvine, California

Norma B. Clayton, First Vice Chair
Retired Vice President, Learning, Training and Development
The Boeing Company
St. Louis, Missouri

Erick W. Harris, J.D. ’09, Second Vice Chair
Associate
Pierce, Couch, Hendrickson, Baysinger and Green
Oklahoma City, Oklahoma

Kevin P. Green, Secretary
Vice Admiral (Ret.)
U. S. Navy
Oak Hill, Virginia

Chereece Warner ’08
Materials and Corrosion Engineer
ExxonMobil Corporation
Houston, Texas

Bernard E. Anderson, Ph.D.
Whitney M. Young Jr.
Professor Emeritus
The Wharton School
University of Pennsylvania
Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

Henry W. Davis III ’81, ’83
Director of Government Affairs
State of Alabama Medicaid Agency
Montgomery, Alabama

Kayla Foy
Student Trustee (Ex Officio)
Tuskegee University

Joseph G. Grasso, J.D.
Counselor at Law
Wiggin and Dana
New York, New York

Sheena Harris, Ph.D.
Faculty Trustee (Ex Officio)
Assistant Professor of History and
Interim Director of Student Engagement
Tuskegee University

Sylvester L. Hester
President and CEO
Global Automotive Alliance
Vance, Alabama

E. Christopher Johnson, J.D.
CEO and Co-founder
The Center for Justice, Rights and Dignity
Coppell, Texas

Byron Jones ’87
Vice President, Finance for Transformation, Integration and Technology
Keurig Dr. Pepper Inc.
Plano, Texas

Eric Mackey, Ed.D.
State Superintendent of Education (Ex Officio)
State of Alabama
Montgomery, Alabama

Irving McConnell, DVM ’74, ’80
CEO
The McConnell Group
Rockville, Maryland

Lily D. McNair, Ph.D.
President (Ex Officio)
Tuskegee University

Karl Minter
Airline Captain
Chairman, Board of Directors
Organization of Black Aerospace Professionals
Westchester, Illinois

Gregory S. Nixon, J.D. ’85
Chief Administrative Officer, Chief Legal Officer and Corporate Secretary
DynCorp International
McLean, Virginia

Jonathan Porter ’95
Vice President, Birmingham Division
Alabama Power Company
Birmingham, Alabama

William D. Ritter
Executive Vice President
Regions Bank
Birmingham, Alabama

H. Jerome Russell Jr.
President
H. J. Russell & Company
Atlanta, Georgia

Arthur J. Tipton, Ph.D.
President and CEO
Southern Research
Birmingham, Alabama

Tamika L. Tremaglio, J.D.
Greater Washington Managing Principal
Deloitte Financial Advisory Services
McLean, Virginia

Pebblin W. Warren ’74
State House Representative
Alabama House District 82
Tuskegee, Alabama

Carla C. Whitlock ’95
First Vice President
SunTrust Bank
Atlanta, Georgia

Barron Witherspoon Sr. ’85
Global Vice President, Industry Affairs and Corporate Race Initiative
Procter & Gamble
Cincinnati, Ohio
One of the most highly accomplished public figures in America today, former
U.S. Attorney General Loretta Lynch has been a leading progressive voice during
her 30-plus-year highly distinguished career. Her remarkable life story and her
deep personal commitment to civil rights shine a bright light — a beacon that
can lead us to a better place.

When appointed by President Barack Obama and sworn in as the 83rd U.S.
attorney general in April 2015, Ms. Lynch became the first female African-
American in the nation’s history to hold the post. As the U.S. attorney general, she
served as America’s chief federal government lawyer, head of the U.S. Department
of Justice, and overseer of all governmental legal affairs. Before this appointment,
she had served as the head of the U.S. Attorney’s Office for the Eastern District of
New York twice — under both President William Clinton and President Obama.

Described by President Obama as “the only lawyer in America who battles mobsters, drug lords and terrorists, and still
has the reputation for being a charming ‘people person’ ” Ms. Lynch has been instrumental in shaping the direction
of the nation on a number of tough issues. She improved the relationship between local law enforcement and the
communities they serve, and she has taken bold stances on criminal justice reform.

Ms. Lynch has spent years in the trenches rising through the ranks as a prosecutor, aggressively fighting terrorism, financial
fraud and cybercrime — all while vigorously defending civil and human rights. While leading the U.S. Attorney’s Office
for the Eastern District of New York, she forged an impressive career prosecuting cases involving narcotics, violent
crimes and public corruption. Her high-profile civil rights cases included the conviction of two uniformed Brooklyn
police officers who brutally assaulted Haitian immigrant Abner Louima.

Her private practice experience includes Hogan & Hartson, where she served as a partner in the firm’s New York office.
While in private practice, Ms. Lynch served as a volunteer legal advisor for the International Criminal Tribunal for
Rwanda — established to prosecute those responsible for human rights violations in the 1994 genocide in that nation. As
special counsel to the Tribunal, she was responsible for investigating allegations of witness tampering and false testimony.

Ms. Lynch received a bachelor’s degree, cum laude, from Harvard College in 1981, and her juris doctorate from Harvard Law School in 1984.

Born in Greensboro, North Carolina, the daughter of a school librarian and a fourth-generation Baptist minister, Ms.
Lynch was also inspired by stories about her grandfather, a sharecropper in the 1930s, who helped members of his
community who had no recourse under the Jim Crow system.
In a tradition passed down from the Middle Ages, academic regalia worn during commencements symbolize the essence of educational pageantry. Academic dress originated during the 12th and 13th centuries with the establishment of European universities. By the second half of the 14th century, England began defining academic dress.

The long gowns and hoods may have been necessary for warmth in medieval buildings. As the statutes evolved, the traditional English costumes were incorporated into American colleges and universities in the 19th century. Rapid growth of those institutions in the United States led to a standardized assignment of colors for the various fields of learning.

Representatives of major institutions formed an intercollegiate commission to establish a suitable academic code of dress. The commission met at Columbia University in 1895 and adopted the Intercollegiate Code, which regulates the cut, style, colors and materials for each part of the academic costume to be used for bachelor’s, master’s and doctoral levels. The code was revised in 1932 by the American Council on Education and again by a committee appointed by ACE in 1959. The code was updated most recently in 1986.

**Gowns**
Materials, trimmings and sleeves of gowns vary by discipline. Black is the recommended color. Gowns for bachelor’s or master’s degrees are untrimmed. The sleeves of the bachelor’s degree gown, which is always worn closed, are pointed. The master’s degree gown has oblong sleeves that are open at the wrist. The doctoral degree gown features velvet facing down the front and three bars of velvet across the bell-shaped sleeves. The velvet trimmings may be black or the color distinctive of the degree’s discipline. Master’s and doctoral gowns may be worn open or closed.

**Hoods**
As the academic costume’s most distinctive feature, hoods must be black and made of the same material as the gown. The hood identifies both the degree level and the institution conferring the degree. The length of the hood worn for the bachelor’s degree must be three feet; for the master’s degree, three and one-half feet; and for the doctoral degree, which may have panels at the sides, four feet. Lined with the official colors of the college or university conferring the degree, only the highest degree is represented on the hood. The color of the velvet edging indicates the subject to which the degree pertains and measures three inches for the master’s degree and five inches for the doctoral degree.

**Cap**
The square black mortarboard is recommended, and the material may be cotton poplin, broadcloth, rayon or silk to match the gown. Doctoral degree caps may be velvet with gold tassels. Tassels, which should be black or the color appropriate to the subject, should be fastened to the middle point of the top of the cap only and lie as it will.
Colors indicating fields of study:
- Agriculture - Maize
- Arts, Letters, Humanities - White
- Business - Light Brown
- Economics - Copper
- Education - Light Blue
- Engineering - Orange
- Fine Arts, including Architecture - Brown
- Law - Purple
- Library Science - Lemon Yellow
- Music - Pink
- Nursing - Apricot
- Oratory - Silver Gray
- Philosophy - Dark Blue
- Physical Education - Sage Green
- Public Health - Salmon Pink
- Science - Golden Yellow
- Social Science - Cream
- Social Work - Citron
- Theology - Scarlet
- Veterinary Medicine - Gray

*Other colors may be seen in the procession.*

---

**Important Terms to Remember**

**alma mater** - A term that may be used when referring to Tuskegee University, the university from which you graduated.

**alumna** - Use this singular term for a female graduate.

**alumnae** - Use this plural term for a group of female graduates.

**alumni** - Use this plural term for former students or graduates, whether referring to a group of males or a group consisting of males and females. This term should never be used in reference to a single individual.

**alumnus** - Use this singular term for a male graduate.

**TNAA** - Acronym for the Tuskegee National Alumni Association, Inc.
ACADEMIC PARTICIPANTS

LILY D. McNAIR, A.B., M.A., Ph.D.
President

ROBERTA M. TROY, B.S., M.S., Ph.D.
Interim Provost

HESHMAT AGLAN, B.S., M.S., Ph.D.
Dean, College of Engineering

CARLA JACKSON BELL, B.A., MFA, Ph.D.
Dean, Robert R. Taylor School of Architecture and Construction Science

CAPTAIN WILLIE D. BILLINGSLEA, B.S., M.S.
Professor of Naval Science

ELAINE M. BROMFIELD, B.S., M.S., M.S., Ph.D.
Registrar

LIEUTENANT COLONEL BRYAN T. GRAY, B.B.A., MBA
Professor of Aerospace Studies

GREGORY S. GRAY, Ph.D., M.DIV.
Dean of the Chapel

CONSTANCE HENDRICKS, BSN, MSN, Ph.D., RN, FAAN
Dean, School of Nursing and Allied Health

WALTER A. HILL, B.A., M.A.T., M.S., Ph.D.
Dean, College of Agriculture, Environment and Nutrition Sciences
and Vice Provost for Academic Affairs

SHAIK JEELANI, Ph.D., P.E., Fellow ASME
Vice President for Research and Dean of the Graduate School

MAJOR MELVIN KINDLE, A.S., B.A., M.S.
Professor of Aerospace Studies

KAI KOONG, B.S., MBA, Ph.D.
Dean, Andrew F. Brimmer College of Business and Information Science

CARLTON E. MORRIS, B.S., M.S., Ph.D.
Dean, School of Education

RUBY L. PERRY, B.S., M.S., DVM, DACVR
Dean, College of Veterinary Medicine and Vice Provost for Undergraduate Education

CHANNAPATNA S. PRAKASH, B.S., M.S., Ph.D.
Dean, College of Arts and Sciences

GRADUATION WITH DISTINCTION

To graduate with the distinction of cum laude, magna cum laude or summa cum laude, a student must have been in residence for at least three semesters, excluding the semester in which he/she qualifies for graduation, and must have completed 45 semester hours at Tuskegee University. In the calculation of residence, two summer sessions are considered equivalent to one semester. Candidates for honors must qualify one semester prior to commencement. In recognition of academic achievement, all honor students wear gold honor stoles or cords.
CANDIDATES FOR THE DEGREE
DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY

College of Engineering
and
College of Veterinary Medicine

Interdisciplinary Pathobiology

Faraj, Rawah Adnan ........................................... Auburn, Alabama
Dissertation: Novel Approach for Recombinant Leptospira
vaccines using E. coli Heat-labile Enterotoxin B submits (LT-B)
with LipL32 and LipL21, outer membrane proteins
Major Professors: Dr. Gopal Reddy, Dr. Waubit Abebe and
Dr. Temesgen Samuel

Integrative Biosciences

Dafalla, Amged Ibrahim.......................... Auburn, Alabama
Dissertation: The Gastrointestinal tract sites of action which
regulates meal size and intermeal interval by Glucagon like
peptide-1(GLP-1)
Major Professors: Dr. Jesse Jaynes and Dr. Ayman Sayegh

Gines, Brandon Rashad............................. Biloxi, Mississippi
Dissertation: Application of NMR-based Microbial
Metabolomics in Food Safety Research
Major Professors: Dr. Teshome Yehualaeshet and Dr. Willard
Collier

Henderson III, Henry Jewel......................Mobile, Alabama
Dissertation: The Investigation of the Role of Neuroligin 4x
in Human Breast Cancer
Major Professors: Dr. Deepa Bedi and Dr. Temesgen Samuel

CANDIDATES FOR THE DEGREE
MASTER OF SCIENCE

College of Agriculture, Environment
and Nutrition Sciences

Animal and Poultry Sciences

Campbell, NiCoya L. .......................... Decatur, Alabama
Non-Thesis
Major Professor: Dr. Chukwueme Okere

Elliott, Chardonay Monique ..................Teaneck, New Jersey
Major Professor: Dr. Sandra Solaiman

Animal and Poultry Sciences

Randolph, Que’nyah L. .......................... Huntsville, Alabama
Major Professor: Dr. Deloris Alexander

Smith, Ja R’eika Denise .................. Scotland Neck, North Carolina
Major Professor: Dr. Olga Bolden-Tiller

Environmental Sciences

Alshra’aah, Shaddy Hisham.................. Montgomery, Alabama
Thesis: Continuous Production of Bio-ethanol from Multi-
Feedstocks by Saccharomyces Cerevisiae at Laboratory and
Pilot Scale
Major Professors: Dr. Gamal El Afandi and Dr. Joseph
Essamuah-Quansah

Elum, Daja Renae ............................. Detroit, Michigan
Thesis: Identifying Adaptation Strategies for Mitigating
Climate Change Impacts on Crop Yields
Major Professors: Dr. Gamal El Afandi and Dr. Joseph
Essamuah-Quansah

Plant and Soil Sciences

Koirala B. K., Sonu .............................. Sunsari, Nepal
Thesis: Evaluation of the Performance and Cost-effectiveness
of Selected Biopesticides in the Organic Production of
Selected Vegetables in the Southeastern United States
Major Professor: Dr. Franklin Quarcoo

Honors: Cum Laude*  |  Magna Cum Laude**  |  Summa Cum Laude***
COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES

Biology

Andrews Jr., Christopher Bernard ....................... Griffin, Georgia
Thesis: Investigating the Neuroprotective effects of Interferon-y in Vitro
Major Professor: Dr. Gerald Griffin

Dawson, DeVant’e Duran .................. Birmingham, Alabama
Thesis: Overview of Microplastics and Their Consequences
Major Professor: Dr. Richard Whittington

Hughley IV, Raymond Wesley .................. Waldorf, Maryland
Thesis: The Bioinformatics Exploration of African American Quadruple Negative Breast Cancer Unique Immune Signature
Major Professor: Dr. Clayton Yates

Richards Scott, E’lashae ..................... Lisle, Illinois
Thesis: In Vitro Analysis of Thymic Nurse Cell Function in Lupus Prone NZBWF1 Mice
Major Professor: Dr. Marcia Martinez

Chemistry

Almalki, Musalli ......................... Jazan, Saudi Arabia
Thesis: Biological Evaluation of Novel Peptides Targeting EGFR in Breast Cancer Cells
Major Professors: Dr. Mohamed O. Abdalla and Dr. Albert E. Russell

Almotiri, Halimah Nasir ....................... Buraydah, Saudi Arabia
Thesis: PSMA and LHRH Targeting Iron Oxide Nanoparticles for Treatment and Imaging of Prostate Cancer
Major Professor: Dr. Mohamed O. Abdalla

Alwohaibi, Manal Abdulaziz ......................... Riyadh, Saudi Arabia
Thesis: Extraction and Characterization of Nanocellulose from Different Biomass Sources
Major Professors: Dr. Michael Curry and Dr. Albert Russell

Finley, Demetrius Alexander .................. Detroit, Michigan
Thesis: Investigation of Cellulose-Beads as an Agricultural “NanoCAB”
Major Professor: Dr. Michael Curry

Grimmett, Garfield Michael Ramon .............. Alexandria, Virginia
Thesis: Synthesis, Characterization and Antimicrobial application of Cu-Ni-Co Dendrimer Encapsulated Nanoparticles (DEND)
Major Professor: Dr. Michael Curry

White, Donald H. .................. Richmond, California
Thesis: A Systematic Study of the Modification of CNF’s via Albright-Godlman and Jones Oxidation and its Influences on the Thermal and Biodegradation Properties
Major Professor: Dr. Michael Curry

COLLEGE OF BUSINESS AND INFORMATION SCIENCE

MASTER OF SCIENCE

Information Systems Security Management
Non-Thesis

Algaribi, Bshaer Moslh ..................... Hakkah, Saudi Arabia
Major Professor: Dr. Fan Wu

Algribe, Johara Mosiah ..................... Hakkah, Saudi Arabia
Major Professor: Dr. Fan Wu

Almanea, Fatimah A. .................. Riyadh, Saudi Arabia
Major Professor: Dr. Fan Wu

Alshammari, Abdulaziz ..................... Hail, Saudi Arabia
Major Professor: Dr. Asif Iqbal Baba

Coleman, Jewel Raven ................ Birmingham, Alabama
Major Professor: Dr. Yasmeen Fawajfih

Fadlalla, Dalya Abdelgadir Hassan ........... Auburn, Alabama
Major Professor: Dr. Fan Wu

Kharel, Puja .................. Auburn, Alabama
Major Professor: Dr. Jay Bhuyan

Niroula, Srijana ......................... Auburn, Alabama
Major Professor: Dr. Jay Bhuyan

Omar, Ghadeer .................. Auburn, Alabama
Major Professor: Dr. Fan Wu

COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING

Electrical Engineering
Non-Thesis

Alrashidi, Ahmed ..................... Marietta, Georgia
Major Professor: Dr. Naga S. Korivi

Fattah, Ibrahim Mansour ................ Montgomery, Alabama
Major Professor: Dr. Naga S. Korivi

Materials Science and Engineering

Watson, Delroy Wayne ................ Kingston, Jamaica
Thesis: Effects seawater has on the properties of SC-780 Epoxy Resin Reinforced with Montmorillonite Nanoclay and Graphene Nanoplatelets as Binary Reinforcement under Tensile Fatigue Loading
Major Professor: Dr. Alfred Tcherbi-Narteh
Mechanical Engineering

Dickerson Jr., Kenneth .......................... Tuskegee, Alabama
Thesis: Thermomechanical properties of Force-spun Fiber Nanocomposites
Major Professors: Dr. Alfred Tcherbi-Narteh and Dr. Mahesh Hosur

SCHOOL OF NURSING AND ALLIED HEALTH

Occupational Therapy

Agbonghahie, Eghosa ................................... Kennesaw, Georgia
Black, Ashlyn Tscherel .................................. Mobile, Alabama
Brown, Aaron C. ......................................... Inglewood, California
Burrell, Tayler D’Anza .................................. Ellenwood, Georgia
Carlisle, Eboni Celinda Lynette ......................... Tuskegee, Alabama
Carter, Chatham Monroe .............................. Atlanta, Georgia
Cherry, Tonisha Renee .................................. Auburn, Alabama
Davis, Cimone Cilena ................................ Pike Road, Alabama
Defroe, Johnny Williams-Ray ........................ Los Angeles, California
Gilbert, Lanesha Chrisha’ ............................... Ellenwood, Georgia
Graham, Janae Makai ................................. Long Beach, California
Hall, Jackson G. ......................................... McLean, Virginia
Harris, Charity Elizabeth ............................. Pensacola, Florida
Harrison, Aanise LaNae ................................. Oakland, California
Hawkins, Justin DaVon ................................. Inglewood, California
Holmes, Erin Jenay ...................................... Lithonia, Georgia
Ivory, Cedric Arthur .................................. Tuskegee, Alabama
Jackson, Brandon Benard ............................ Tallahassee, Florida
Ledet, Maxine Ariel ....................................... New Orleans, Louisiana
Lewis, Deja Alexis ....................................... New Orleans, Louisiana
Mack, Imani Barisha ..................................... Los Angeles, California
Morgan, Chasyfi Mon’ik ............................... Montgomery, Alabama
Noel, Tyler Janae ........................................ Harbor City, California
North, Reicia Symone ................................. Carrollton, Georgia
Olverson, Olivia Jenice ................................. Marietta, Georgia
Phillips, Ryne B. ........................................ Salem, Alabama
Riley Jr., Daniel ......................................... Montgomery, Alabama
Rogers, Jazzmen Nicole ............................... Tuskegee, Alabama
Smith, Karen K. ......................................... Newman, Georgia
Span, Kayla Marie ....................................... Fort Lauderdale, Florida
Thomas, Jessica Kayla ................................. Montgomery, Alabama
Walker, Brooke Diane .................................... Harvest, Alabama
Washington, Kameron Kevin ......................... Inglewood, California
Williams, India Symone ............................ Atlanta, Georgia

Public Health
Non-Thesis

Akhter, Samina ........................................... Auburn, Alabama
Major Professor: Dr. Lloyd Webb

Howard, Mylo Ramon ................................. Denton, Texas
Major Professor: Dr. Rueben C. Warren

Veterinary Science

Mahama, Hamid ........................................... Tuskegee, Alabama
Thesis: Surveillance for Tick-borne Pathogens in Alabama
Major Professor: Dr. Gopal Reddy

Quinn-Gorham, Deidre Michelle .................. Notasulga, Alabama
Thesis: Exploring the Effects of Commercial Products on the Environmental Control of Nematode Development
Major Professor: Dr. Dennis L. Anderson

Varella, Adam Wesley ................................. Silver Spring, Maryland
Thesis: Effect of Calcyulin A on the motility and protein phosphorylation of Canine Epididymal Spermatozoon
Major Professor: Dr. Gemechu Wirtu

CANDIDATES FOR THE BACHELOR OF ARCHITECTURE AND BACHELOR OF SCIENCE

The Robert R. Taylor School of Architecture and Construction Science

Architecture

Blevins II, Micah Lovell .............................. Pittsburg, California
Gable, Quinton Lebruce ............................... Mobile, Alabama
Jefferson, Elijah Kariem .............................. Hampton, Georgia
Kennedy, Marc Daniel ................................. Villa Rica, Georgia
Lockhart, Jonteria Deloris ............................. Birmingham, Alabama
McNeal, Ian Jacob* ................................. Detroit, Michigan
Sampson, Myles Boykins* ............................ Pensacola, Florida
Smith, Antonette Deletria* .......................... Auburn, Alabama
Smith, Jason Brian Johnson ........................ Detroit, Michigan

Construction Science and Management

Alshaikh, Abdulkarim A.* ......................... Auburn, Alabama
Douglas, Toren Lee ................................. Birmingham, Alabama
Gilliam, Kassidy S. .................................... Austell, Georgia
Howard, Deandre Jacquell .......................... Columbus, Georgia
Parnell, Marlon Xavier ............................... Homestead, Florida
Reed, Matthew Leland ............................... East Point, Georgia
Sanches, Jose Luis* ................................. Kissimmee, Florida
Scott, Allison Renee ................................. Long Beach, California
Smith, Trinity ........................................... Birmingham, Alabama
Tyler, Ashley Marie* ................................. Indianapolis, Indiana
Woodard, Kenneth Emil ............................ Tuskegee, Alabama

CANDIDATES FOR THE BACHELOR OF ARTS

School of Education

Elementary Education

Watts, Quanesia Teshoun ............................. Glen Burnie, Maryland

Honors: Cum Laude*  |  Magna Cum Laude**  |  Summa Cum Laude***
CANDIDATES FOR THE DEGREE BACHELOR
OF SCIENCE AND ARTS

COLLEGE OF AGRICULTURE, ENVIRONMENT,
AND NUTRITION SCIENCES

Animal, Poultry and Veterinary Sciences

Agnew, Kaliah Shaniece.......................... Sterling Heights, Michigan
Boddie, Kaitlyn Najee' .......................... Huntsville, Alabama
Brathwaite, Morgan Janai*.....................Suwanee, Georgia
Cannon, James F. .............................. Auburn, Alabama
Finley, Aaliyah Michele*........................Detroit, Michigan
Goldberry, Caylen Jeanine .................... San Bernardino, California
Green, Mya Shion** ............................ Atlanta, Georgia
Henderson Jr., Robert James* .................. Atmore, Alabama
Jackson, Erica Brienne ......................... Little Elm, Texas
Jenkins, Lauren Daphne** ...................... Stockbridge, Georgia
Johnson, Aaliyah El'min* ....................... Baton Rouge, Louisiana
Means, Lyra Donielle Marilyn .................. West Shady Side, Maryland
Mitchell, Joylise Ashaunte ..................... Richmond, California
Monroe, Hannah Ambreal ...................... Elkridge, Maryland
Nelson, Jade Alexandria Elize Jeraldina** ....Fairburn, Georgia
Perry, Ashley Shawny ......................... Columbia, South Carolina
Rabb, Mary Anne Grayce ...................... Columbia, South Carolina
Richardson, Javier J.R. ......................... North Side, Anguilla
Silva, Qindasi Imani Kinaya** ................. Baltimore, Maryland
Williams Jr., Richard .......................... Charlotte, North Carolina

Agriculture Business

Bradley, Brandon Myles ......................... Atlanta, Georgia
Miller, Joslyn Louise* ......................... St. Johns, Florida
Rodgers, Kendrick Lamar ...................... Tuskegee, Alabama

Environmental, Natural Resources and Plant Sciences

Commodore, Braxton Everett .................. St. Leonard, Maryland
Sulimani, Kedel Leshade* ...................... Memphis, Tennessee
Williams, Larenja Jacquel ..................... Mobile, Alabama

Food and Nutritional Sciences

Greenwood, Peyton B. * ....................... Berkeley, Illinois
James, Cerina Brianna* ....................... York, Alabama
Jones, Vasia ................................. Atlanta, Georgia
Kabugi, Kinuthia T. .............................. Alexandria, Virginia
Nettles, Kyra Marie ............................. Notasulga, Alabama
Sanders, Sharon Denise** .................... Birmingham, Alabama
Stone, Carmesha LaRose ....................... Clarksdale, Mississippi
Tarrance, Kennedy Deirielle ................. Dayton, Ohio
Williams, Rodjahneque C. .................... Apple Valley, California

COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES

Biology

Ault-Brown, Janie’ Faye ....................... Sacramento, California
Baker, Kayla Shaneece** ..................... Childersburg, Alabama

Barton, Rachel DeNina ......................... Springfield, Illinois
Beverly, Auriele Antoinette .................. Lancaster, California
Bryant, Dyami Isok* .......................... Minneapolis, Minnesota
Byrd, Tyrell Ernest* .......................... Columbus, Ohio
Carmichael, Kiara Janae** .................... Adamiwille, Alabama
Evans, Mario Antonio* ........................ Powder Springs, Georgia
Gipson, Nakiah Mariette** .................... Accokeek, Maryland
Harris, Delanya C. ....................... Inglewood, California
Hornbuckle, Brooklyn Kay** ................. Birmingham, Alabama
Howard, Kayla Alexandria* ................... Albany, Georgia
Huffman, Aarin Miquel* ...................... Birmingham, Alabama
Hunter, Alexzandria Dekeia* .................. Miami, Florida
Jackson, Myahh Saliah ......................... Atlanta, Georgia
Johnson, Kaithlyn E. .......................... Phoenix, Arizona
King, Dominic Yvonne ....................... Tuskegee, Alabama
Lett, Jimelia Nicole ......................... Shorter, Alabama
Mack, Shacoya Shambrenique ................ Union Springs, Alabama
McCravy, Tijuana Shayla ...................... Cincinnati, Ohio
Merritt, Justin D. ............................ Tuskegee, Alabama
Page, Hadiyah Kalithah Cariamu .............. Birmingham, Alabama
Radford, Zahria Alanis* ....................... "Houston, Texas
Reynolds, Kristen Marie** .................... Montgomery, Alabama
Smith, Bria Danielle .......................... Tuscaloosa, Alabama
Spencer, Dezmond M. ......................... Birmingham, Alabama
Strickland, Kieauna Wyriece* ................. Roanoke, Alabama
Thomas, Shanae Tierra** ...................... Miami, Florida
Tolliver, Anetha Melshundra .................. Birmingham, Alabama
Watson, Alexia Emami Shamel* ............... Covingon, Georgia
Weatherspoon, Artajia Danielle ................ Tuskegee, Alabama
Williams, Justin Terrell ...................... Huntsville, Alabama
Williams, Kelsea Soccora* ................... Uniontown, Alabama
Williams, Rodjahneque C. .................... Apple Valley, California
Willis, Dominic Charles Marquis ............. Tuskegee, Alabama
Young, Justin G. ............................. Waynesboro, Georgia

Chemistry

Fair, Morgan Nicole* ......................... Aiken, South Carolina
Frasier, Antonea Jahme Kianna* ............. Oakland, California
Harris, Delayna ............................... Inglewood, California
Momplaisir, Nathalie Lancy** .................. Miami, Florida
Stanley, Jade Elisa** .......................... Birmingham, Alabama
Walton, Querntoria Ja’Nae** .................. Columbus, Georgia
Williams-Walton, Cheyenne .................. Sacramento, California

Communication

Forbes, Kyra Jewel ............................. Los Angeles, California
Hall, Margaret Elizabeth ...................... Atlanta, Georgia
Jenkins, Tiffany J. ............................ Atlanta, Georgia
Lewis, Tone’ S. ** ........................... Groove Hill, Alabama
Mardis, Robin Williams ....................... Tuskegee Institute, Alabama
Peavy, Courtney Bresh* ....................... Houston, Texas
Ross, Jazz Lashaun* ......................... Decatur, Georgia
Stafford-Banks, Kyrah Chineze* ............. Groove Hill, Alabama
Williams, Trency Monee** ................... Carson, California
Wilson, Brianna Nicole ....................... Dothan, Alabama

Honors: Cum Laude* | Magna Cum Laude** | Summa Cum Laude***
English
Broomes, Alexius Kassandra ...................................... Salem, Alabama
Brown, Alexus Patrice*** ........................................... Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania
Caver, Stacey Renee.................................................. Los Angeles, California
Givens, Hillary Nicole* ............................................. Dallas, Texas
Harris, Raven S. ....................................................... Tuskegee, Alabama
Howard II, Barry W.* ............................................. Madison, Mississippi
Kelly, Alexis Nikole*** ............................................. St. Louis, Missouri
Moody, Anaya Jane’ .................................................. Valley, Alabama
Peavy, Courtney Breshe* ........................................... Houston, Texas
Stinson, Michal Alexis* ............................................ Montgomery, Alabama

History
Huff, Kevin Amad .......................................................... Tampa, Florida

Mathematics
Frasier, Antonea Jhaime Kianna* ................................. Oakland, California
Murray, Jedidah V.D.* .............................................. Miami Gardens, Florida
Tyner, Lakyah Mishea*** ............................................. Detroit, Michigan
Whalen, Quest LeighAnna*** ....................................... Clinton, Mississippi

Political Science
Clark, Brianna Clarice*** ........................................... San Jose, California
Gilchrist III, John Frank* ......................................... Montgomery, Alabama
Goodman, Jasmine Michelle** ..................................... Dothan, Alabama
Graham, Amaris Amani* ........................................... West Palm Beach, Florida
Hall, RaShawn Malik .................................................... Albany, Georgia
Masin III, Barry C. ..................................................... Chicago, Illinois
Richardson, Arvon ..................................................... Chicago, Illinois
Sheard, Meea Milan Christ .......................................... Oakland, California
Upshaw, Kassidy Kieara ............................................... Helena, Alabama
Woods, Diamond Cere* ............................................ Birmingham, Alabama
Wright, Brenna Denia* .............................................. Altadena, California

Psychology
Boyd, Savannah Auri’ ............................................... Tuskegee, Alabama
Bryant, Darrian Simone** .......................................... Denver, Colorado
Campbell, Taylor Ashley* .......................................... Palmdale, California
Carter, Tayari LaVan .................................................... Hayward, California
Crawford, Gabriel Aleah .............................................. Chicago, Illinois
Davis, Ericka Ann ................................................... Chicago, Illinois
Davis, Kayla Jonaes ..................................................... Pensacola, Florida
Dempsey, Ashley Odella* .......................................... Roswell, Georgia
Dixon, Danielle Nicole* .............................................. Atlanta, Georgia
Fisher, Arika Delshay .................................................. San Jose, California
Haile, Priness Delnetta* ............................................ Columbia, South Carolina
Henderson, Kandice Amari ........................................ Los Angeles, California
Hicks, Jordan A. ....................................................... Carson, California
Howard, Jasmine Marie ............................................ Madison, Alabama
King, Shian .............................................................. San Francisco, California
Loyd, Dazja Joicce* .................................................. Millbrook, Alabama

Merriweather, Taylor Lorenza................................. Johnston, South Carolina
Miller, Alexis Ji’Mera TonShae .................. Birmingham, Alabama
Reynolds, Nadirah Yasmin ............................... Philadelphia, Pennsylvania
Rhodes, Cenece M. .................................................... Fort Worth, Texas
Smith, Jayla Janel .................................................... Richmond, California
Vinson, Jumesia Monique ......................................... Selma, Alabama
White, Angela R.** ................................................... Newark, Delaware
Wilson, Branden M. ................................................... Carson, California
Wray, Adriann Jamia* ............................................... Little Rock, Arkansas

Sociology
Jackson, Christina Louise* ......................................... Childersburg, Alabama
Jean-Pierre, Fredricka Dora** ......................... Miami Gardens, Florida
Price, Deborah Lynee ............................................... Houston, Texas
Washington, Caleb Louise*** ................................. Demopolis, Alabama

Social Work
Allen, Rolanda Angel ................................................... Detroit, Michigan
Davis, Y’Kirshia Ishan Rykiei** ................................. Montgomery, Alabama
Govan, Stacey Breanna Agwen ................................. Oakland, California
Gray, Rachel Erin* ................................................... Glenwood, Illinois
Jackson, Unique Zishay-Quatrice ...................... Pittsburg, California
Nolan, Jaleah Pashaney* ......................................... Inglewood, California

Andrew F. Brimmer
College of Business and Information Science

Accounting
Ancar, Bianca Cherie* ............................................. New Orleans, Louisiana
Buobaid, Yasser Essa .............................................. Auburn, Alabama
Calvin, Kendall Cornell ............................................ Adamsville, Alabama
Carter, Triquanna Shyne* ......................................... Atlanta, Georgia
Foy, Kayla Yvette** ................................................... Birmingham, Alabama
Gray, Ryan Benjamin ............................................... Glenwood, Illinois
Jones, Shayla Danielle*** ....................................... Phenix City, Alabama
Massey, Thomas Andrew ......................................... Snellville, Georgia
Mertillien, Wethned** ............................................... Auburn, Alabama
Payton, Patresia Dominique*** ......................... Fayetteville, North Carolina
Royes, Alicia N.** ................................................... Miami, Florida
Slayton, Rachel Tiffany Moneé ................................. Chicago, Illinois
Stewart, Taryn Gabrielle DeLane** .................... Birmingham, Alabama
Vincent, Andarius Jamon ......................................... Birmingham, Alabama

Business Administration
Alabalkari, Bader Barjas* ......................................... Riyadh, Saudi Arabia
Bowman, Ariel Tiana** ........................................... Montgomery, Alabama
Calhoun, Curtis J.* ................................................... Tuskegee, Alabama
Coleman, Collette Dominique Jessica ............. Florissant, Missouri
Cuff, Cedric ......................................................... Huntsville, Alabama
Flagg, Travis ........................................................ Queens, New York
Frazier, Tjon Alanzo Giron ................................. Los Angeles, California
Harrison, Joshua T. ................................................. Walnut Grove, California
Hill, Darnell ........................................................ Miami, Florida
Holmes, Kimber Symone** ..................................... Shiloh, Georgia
Honore', Teronika Nicole ........................................... Mableton, Georgia
Massenburg, Stephen Andrew ............................... Oxon Hill, Maryland

**Computer Science**

Alexander, Sarah Louise* ..................................... Augusta, Georgia
Cason, Dyemeisha Sherice* .................................... Bellevue, Florida
Lassenberry, Dajah Naria-Lynore* ....................... Saint Charles, Missouri
Smith, Amber Shanice*** .................................... Tuskegee, Alabama
Tyner, LaKyah Misha** ....................................... Detroit, Michigan
Tyner, Mikayla Demetria ........................................... Detroit, Michigan
Woods, Lauren Brianna** ..................................... Pinson, Alabama

**Computer Science and Information Systems**

Morrison, TaLaya Marie ....................................... Bowersville, Georgia

**Computer Science and Information Technology**

Ellis, Kody Jones** ............................................. Camp Hill, Alabama
Watson, Angelique Faith Aba* .............................. Houston, Texas

**Economics**

Smiley, Carla Janae*** ........................................ Roswell, Georgia

**Finance**

Alotaibi, Talal Awwadh M.** ................................. Riyadh, Saudi Arabia
Bell, Ebonee Tazhac ............................................. Humble, Texas
Burrell Jr., Terran J. ............................................ Houston, Texas
Clayborn, Sydney Denise Imani ............................. Chicago, Illinois
Cuff, Cedric D. ................................................ Huntsville, Alabama
Daniels, Devin E. ................................................ Powder Spring, Georgia
Lee, Markus D. .................................................... Detroit, Michigan
Outlaw, Shange Sulemani*** ................................. Hernando, Mississippi
Royes, Alicia N.*** ........................................... Miami, Florida
Ryce, Briann Carol* ........................................... Huntsville, Alabama
Smiley, Carla Janae*** ........................................ Roswell, Georgia

**Hospitality Management**

Beasley, Kenyon Prinston ...................................... Alpharetta, Georgia
Graves, Khadijah Claudia ....................................... Tampa, Florida
Lewis, Robbie Denise* ......................................... Chicago, Illinois

**Sales and Marketing**

Aboki, Gabrielle I’wanakkee*** .............................. Montgomery, Alabama
Bets, Giit Jannethe ............................................. Chicago, Illinois
Butler, Aquileon Di’Jon Mikel* ......................... Los Angeles, California
Calhoun, Curtis J.** ........................................... Tuskegee, Alabama
Cole, Jordan Malik* .............................................. Richmond, California
Deshields, Ka’Tayanna* ...................................... Atlanta, Georgia
Dixson, Johanna Erin Candace** ..................... East Point, Georgia
Harry, Jordan Soibomate ...................................... Tuskegee, Alabama
Jackson, Cortlyn Gynome ...................................... Dallas, Texas
Johnson, Morgan V’Era ........................................ Cincinnati, Ohio
Massenburg, Stephen Andrew .............................. Oxon Hill, Maryland
Miller, Jordan Alice* ........................................... St. Johns, Florida

Mitchell, Alexis Nicole* ........................................ Atlanta, Georgia
Ryce, Briann Carol* ........................................... Huntsville, Alabama
Wilson, Melody Nicole* ...................................... Birmingham, Alabama

**Supply Chain Management**

Bowman, Ariel Tiana** ........................................ Montgomery, Alabama
Brookins, Autumn G. .......................................... Long Beach, California
Flakes, Braya Jeweliet* ...................................... Columbus, Georgia
Henderson, Austin T.** ...................................... Ellenwood, Georgia
Howard, Kristina Gabrielle .................................... Madison, Mississippi
Jackson, Mario V. ................................................ Gadsden, Alabama
McCain, Ashley Nicole* ..................................... Birmingham, Alabama
Parks, Brittany Marie Vairee*** ............................ Tuskegee, Alabama
Ryan, Uriel Alexander ......................................... Ellenwood, Georgia
Stewart, Taryn Gabrielle DeLane*** ...................... Birmingham, Alabama
Woods, TaKyshia Quenteria ................................... Montgomery, Alabama

**College of Engineering**

**Aerospace Science Engineering**

Clark, Uthman Idrees Ali** ..................................... Shorter, Alabama
Collier, Amira Rae .............................................. Chicago, Illinois
Fitzhugh, Joshua A. ........................................... Oxon Hill, Maryland
Gaiters, Bakari D.** .......................................... East Point, Georgia
Johnson, Prince C. ............................................. Cincinnati, Ohio
Singleton II, Tyran Dudley ..................................... Barrett Station, Texas
Thompson, Julian A. ............................................ Fayetteville, North Carolina

**Chemical Engineering**

Alduwayri, Abdulrahman S. ................................. Auburn, Alabama
Alhelal, Moath .................................................... Riyadh, Saudi Arabia
Crocker, Taylor Faith .......................................... Stone Mountain, Georgia
Dandy, Aamina Cadeara*** ................................. Chattanooga, Tennessee
Debrow, Parris J.* .............................................. Birmingham, Alabama
Dorsey, Marcus Alexander*** ............................ Mobile, Alabama
Frazier, Kayla Dianna ........................................... Riceboro, Georgia
Grant, Dezmen T. ................................................ St. Louis, Missouri
Lewis, Marleigh Je’Nae ...................................... San Diego, California
Luster, Kyndal Victoria ...................................... Pleasant Grove, Alabama
Mason, Alexandria Aleese*** .............................. Tuskegee, Alabama
Myers, Jaylin D. ................................................ Atlanta, Georgia
Washington, Nyzera Alasha Lori ............................ Reynoldsburg, Ohio
Williams, Zhane Jasmine ..................................... Chicago, Illinois

**Electrical Engineering**

Allen, Jabari Mufasa Elijah X. ............................ Oklahoma City, Oklahoma
Austin, Camray Jerome* .................................... Chatom, Alabama
Bell, Justin Maurice** ........................................ Montgomery, Alabama
Berry, A'Shawnti Tidiana* .................................. Tuskegee, Alabama
Brown, Alvis Sonora* ......................................... Madison, Alabama
Carter, Asia Leanna*** ........................................ Hephzibah, Georgia
Debro II, John Mark* ........................................ Huntsville, Alabama
Douglas, Teray Samuel ....................................... Accokeek, Maryland
Dowuona-Hammond, Frederick N.* .................... Burtons ville, Maryland
Jackson, Princeton J. .......................................... Livingston, Alabama
Mechanical Engineering

Akinloye-Brown, Kai*.................................................. Birmingham, Alabama
Aldawlah, Mohammed Abdulla*......................Al-oyoun, Saudi Arabia
Battles, Reginald Carl ................................................. Athens, Alabama
Bienemy Jr., Derrick ............................................. New Orleans, Louisiana
Breda-Nixon, Josiah Alexander* ..................... Los Angeles, California
Brown, Eric Christopher ............................................. Kennesaw, Georgia
Buckner, Tiara ..................................................... Matteson, Illinois
Common, Zachary ..................................................... Montgomery, Alabama
Cooper, Janelle Ashley**........................................ Hamden, Connecticut
Cox-Bey, Tyran* ...................................................... Monee, Illinois
Cuaycong, Precious Caluya*** ...................... South Pasadena, California
Davis, James Thomas ............................................ Jackson, Mississippi
Davis, Jason P. .............................................. Birmingham, Alabama
Doritch, Kayla Janette ............................................ Fairhope, Alabama
Eddy, Christian E. ............................................. Ruston, Louisiana
Foster, Christian* ..................................................... Montgomery, Alabama
Green, Ryan Kristopher ............................................. Atlanta, Georgia
Hendrix, Queondra Cheyenne*** .................. Chicago Heights, Illinois
Hutchins, Shyla RaShaun*** ....................... Alexander City, Alabama
Ingram, Michael Joseph ........................................ Tuskegee, Alabama
Johnson, Geron ...................................................... Atlanta, Georgia
Jones, Brycened E. ............................................ Orlando, Florida
Leach, Eugene Gregory ....................................... Spanish Fort, Alabama
Levett, Jalon De’Al* ............................................. Montgomery, Alabama
Lewis, Elijah Khalil .............................................. Baltimore, Maryland
Louder, Dejohn T.* ................................................. Montgomery, Alabama
Marshall, Christian Alexander** ................... New Orleans, Louisiana
Odum, Autumn Letrice........................................ Norcross, Georgia
Oliver, Devante Marquis** .................................... Montgomery, Alabama
Pam, Damiene Q. .............................................. Huntsville, Alabama
Pollard, Joseph Ezekiel** .................................. Makawao, Hawaii
Powell, Shaw ........................................................... Riverdale, Georgia
Randall, Christophe’ Olivier ....................... Covington, Georgia
Riggins, Cedric L.* ................................................. Birmingham, Alabama
Roberts, Nicholas Seth** ....................................... Wrens, Georgia
Robinson, Charles Morris ........................................ Montgomery, Alabama
Scott, Erin-Nicole O. ............................................. Pooler, Georgia
Shamlee, Deion Anthony .......................................... Lithonia, Georgia
Stephens, Shannon Arshon .................................. South Holland, Illinois
Tibbs, Brianna ...................................................... Huntsville, Alabama
Triche, Kayla Monique* ..................................... Fayetteville, Georgia
Waite, Angelica Arshea ........................................ Lithonia, Georgia
Whitten Jr., Andrew D. .......................................... Somerset, New Jersey
Wilkerson, Vannrel James** ......................... Birmingham, Alabama
Williams, Andre Anthony ...................................... Lauderhill, Florida
Williams, Taylor Jane* ........................................ Tuskegee, Alabama
Woodside, Elgin Johnell** .................................... Harvey, Louisiana
Young, DeQuan Artez .............................................. Birmingham, Alabama

Nursing

Allen, Rolanda Angel ............................................. Detroit, Michigan
Barlow, Cynterra Chinelle ....................................... McDonough, Georgia
Beacham, Christina Bree** .............................. Gardenia, California
Echols, Amani Nia ................................................ Chicago, Illinois
Fanning, Natasia Sacorria .................................. Washington-Wilkes, Georgia
Lee, Courtney Elyse* ........................................ Columbia, South Carolina
Miller, Vonika Lynelle .......................................... Las Vegas, Nevada
Rudolph, Roneshia Michelle** ....................... Tyler, Alabama
Sylvester, Brooke Lauren ........................................ New Orleans, Louisiana

School of Nursing and Allied Health

Health Science

Andrews, Aleyah M.* ............................................ Cincinnati, Ohio
Arnwine, Elaine Marie ........................................ Moreno Valley, California
Barabin, Elaine Marie ........................................... Fort Leonard Wood, Missouri
Cheatham, Javarrius ............................................... Greenville, Alabama
Kizee, Nadai Shardai* ...................................... Atlanta, Georgia
Lewis, James Oscar .............................................. Birmingham, Alabama
Moore, Jamaika Venise ........................................ Birmingham, Alabama
Pierce, Terra Leigh** ........................................... Montgomery, Alabama
Saulsberry, De’Jane Aricea-Alece ......................... Compton, California
Williams, Jamaica Ta’Zhay ..................................... Millbrook, Alabama
CANDIDATES FOR COMMISSIONING

May 11, 2019

UNITED STATES ARMY

SECOND LIEUTENANTS
ACTIVE DUTY

Alexander, Sarah Louise* .................................. Augusta, Georgia
Ordnance Corps
United States Army National Guard

Barton, Rachel DeNina..................................... Springfield, Illinois
Branch Unassigned
United States Army National Guard

Broomes, Alexius Kassandra .........................Salem, Alabama
Adjutant General Corps
United States Army National Guard

Douglas, Torey Samuel..............................Accokeek, Maryland
Military Intelligence
United States Army, Active Duty
Fort Riley, Kansas

Huffman, Aarin Miquel*.............................. Birmingham, Alabama
Medical Service Corps
United States Army National Guard

Monroe, Hannah Ambreal ............................. Elkridge, Maryland
Educational Delay
College of Veterinary Medicine
Tuskegee University

Thomas, Roslyn Tahellen^.........................Phenix City, Alabama
Chemical Corps
United States Army, Active Duty
Fort Stewart, Georgia

UNITED STATES NAVY AND MARINE CORPS

ENSIGNS AND SECOND LIEUTENANTS
ACTIVE DUTY

Evans, Mario Antonia*.............................. Powder Springs, Georgia
Surface Warfare (USS Barry; DDG-52 Destroyer)
Yokosuka, Japan

Shamlee, Deion Anthony ......................... Lithonia, Georgia
Naval Aviation (Pilot), Naval Air Station
Pensacola, Florida

UNITED STATES AIR FORCE

SECOND LIEUTENANTS
ACTIVE DUTY

Allen, Rolanda Angel................................. Belleville, Michigan
Nurse Corps, Medical Surgical Nursing
San Antonito Military Medical Center
San Antonio, Texas

Arnwine, Elaine Marie............................... Moreno Valley, California
Force Support Officer
Travis Air Force Base
Fairfield, California

Bryant, Dyami Isoke ................................. Minneapolis, Minnesota
Aircraft Maintenance Officer
Joint Base Lewis-McChord
Tacoma, Washington

Davis, Kayla Jonae................................. Pensacola, Florida
Intelligence Officer
Goodfellow Air Force Base
San Angelo, Texas

Richardson, Arron LaVelle Ernest............... Chicago, Illinois
Intelligence Officer
Goodfellow Air Force Base
San Angelo, Texas
ALUMNI OATH

We, the graduates of Tuskegee University, are conscious of our obligations to be both faithful followers and dependable leaders. Joining the thousands of Tuskegee Alumni, we commit ourselves to be worthy sons and daughters of our Alma Mater; to realize in ourselves high standards of integrity and competence; to fulfill in ourselves her tradition of unselfish service to mankind; to give liberally of our time, talents and financial support to assure her continued viability; and in the near and distant future, we will meet life’s challenges with courage and dignity.

About the Tuskegee National Alumni Association

Founded in 1905, the Tuskegee National Alumni Association has a diverse and rich history of bringing Tuskegee University alumni together to support the institution, its students and each other. TNAA provides its members with access to a vast network of professionals and offers alumni endless opportunities to connect, build relationships, and participate in and continue to learn from the incredible Tuskegee community.

Membership in the association is available to all alumni and former students of Tuskegee University, as well as their relatives and spouses, and current and former members of the university faculty and staff. Membership levels allow individuals to join regionally located clubs, one of TNAA’s seven affiliated professional alumni organizations, or as members-at-large.

Our Mission

To enrich the lives of alumni and involve them in Tuskegee’s future.

For more information, visit tuskegee-nationalalumni.org
“The Tuskegee Song”

Tuskegee, thou pride of the swift growing South
   We pay thee our homage today
For the worth of thy teaching, the joy of thy care;
   And the good we have known ’neath thy sway.
Oh, long-striving mother of diligent sons
And of daughters whose strength is their pride,
   We will love thee forever and ever shall walk
   Thro’ the oncoming years at thy side.

Thy Hand we have held up the difficult steeps,
   When painful and slow was the pace,
And onward and upward we’ve labored with thee
   For the glory of God and our race.
The fields smile to greet us, the forests are glad,
   The ring of the anvil and hoe
Have a music as thrilling and sweet as a harp
Which thou taught us to hear and to know.

Oh, mother Tuskegee, thou shinest today
   As a gem in the fairest of lands;
Thou gavest the Heav’n-blessed power to see
   The worth of our minds and our hands.
We thank thee, we bless thee, we pray for thee years
   Imploring with grateful accord,
Full fruit for thy striving, time longer to strive,
   Sweet love and true labor’s reward.

   by Paul Laurence Dunbar