

# NURSING PINNING CEREMONY



**10:00 A.M. Dunham Theater, Friday, May 9, 2025**  
**Linda R. Dunham School of Nursing**

## PROGRAM

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| <b>Processional</b>                              | <b>Graduates, Faculty &amp; Dean's Development Council</b> |
|  | <i>"Dog Days Are Over" by Florence &amp; The Machine</i>   |
| <b>Welcome</b>                                   | <b>Elijah Ramos</b>  |
| <b>Introductions</b>                             | <b>Dr. Carol Lavender</b>                                  |
| <b>Invocation</b>                                | <b>Fatima Conteh</b>                                       |
| <b>Senior Reflections</b>                        | <b>Cole Funston</b>  |
| <b>Recognition of NSA Contributions</b>          | <b>Bethany Trammell</b>                                    |
| <b>Recognition of Dean's Development Council</b> | <b>Bianca Garcia Lelli</b>                                 |
| <b>Special Music</b>                             | <b>Juliana Munoz</b>                                       |
|  | <i>"How Great Thou Art" by Allen Jackson</i>               |
| <b>Sigma Theta Tau</b>                           | <b>Dr. Pat Wills-Bagnato</b>                               |
| <b>History of the Pin</b>                        | <b>Aseel Essoh</b>   |
| <b>Recognition of Graduates*</b>                 | <b>Prof. Angela Willis</b>                                 |
|  | <b>Dr. Pat Wills-Bagnato</b>                               |
| <b>Special Music</b>                             | <b>Giselle Benitez</b>                                     |
|  | <i>"Been So Good" by Elevation Worship</i>                 |
| <b>Nursing Pledge</b>                            | <b>Rylee Light</b>   |
| <b>Benediction</b>                               | <b>Ehinome Ewah</b>  |
| <b>Recessional</b>                               | <b>Graduates</b>   |
|  | <i>"Unwritten" by Natasha Bedingfield</i>                  |

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## RECEPTION TO FOLLOW IN MCNAIR HALL

### NURSING PLEDGE

I solemnly pledge myself before God and in the presence of this assembly, to assist in upholding and promoting the field of nursing as a profession in itself. I will strive to set a high standard of leadership among my peers.

Believing that each person is a holistic being who possesses intrinsic worth and value, I will promote wellness in the spiritual realms. Knowing that the family is closely interrelated with the wellness of the community, I recognize the importance of promoting wellness within the community as a whole.

Education being a continuous process, I will continue to update my knowledge and skills as a nurse. Finally, I will promote cohesion between members of the health care team for the benefit of all who are served.

### May 2025 Graduates

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|-------------------------|----------------------|-------------------|-------------------|
| Abrha, Tamar            | Ezeokeke, Kenechi    | Light, Rylee      | Pena, Maria       |
| Benitez Razo, Stephanie | Funston, Cole        | Lodico, Gabriela  | Pham, Luynh       |
| Benitez, Giselle        | Garcia Lelli, Bianca | Lou, Devyn        | Ramos, Elijah     |
| Bhagat, Amy             | Garcia, Severo       | Mathai, Alise     | Randle, Porsha    |
| Camacho, Stephanie      | Huffman, Samuel      | Moretti, Gianella | Ray, Kendall      |
| Chicas, Enoc            | Jett, Jada S.        | Motahari, Niosha  | Tong, Alex        |
| Conteh, Fatima          | Juarez, Dora E.      | Munoz, Juliana    | Torres, Yadira    |
| Essoh, Aseel            | Keenan, Cristina     | Panos, Rachel     | Trammell, Bethany |
| Ewah, Ehinome           | Keys, Lanaye         | Parras, Megan     | Tupas, Jericho    |

*\*You are invited to stand in the audience as your graduate is introduced and presented with their nursing pin.*

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NO FOOD OR DRINK ALLOWED IN BELIN CHAPEL