



Commencement

GRAND VIEW UNIVERSITY

2023

Commencement

APRIL 30, 2023 • 2:00 P.M.

WELLS FARGO ARENA, DES MOINES, IOWA

Academic Processional: <i>Pomp and Circumstance</i>	Edward Elgar The Grand View University Wind Ensemble Scott Davis, <i>Director of Instrumental Activities</i>
*Invocation.....	The Rev. Dr. Russell L. Lackey, <i>Senior Campus Pastor</i>
Welcome.....	Christian M. Murray '98, <i>Chair, Board of Trustees</i> Casey Lee Hill '23, <i>President, Viking Council,</i> <i>Bachelor of Science in Nursing</i>
Introduction of Student Speaker.....	Dr. Rachelle K. Keck, <i>President</i>
Student Speaker.....	Lori Kathryn Stone '23, <i>Bachelor of Arts in Theatre Arts</i>
Introduction of Commencement Speaker.....	Dr. Rachelle K. Keck
Commencement Address.....	Nabi Mohammadi '21
Conferring of Honorary Degree.....	Dr. Rachelle K. Keck, Nabi Mohammadi, and Dr. Carl O. Moses, <i>Provost & Vice President for Academic Affairs</i>
Presentation of Candidates.....	Dr. Carl O. Moses
Conferring of Degrees.....	Dr. Rachelle K. Keck
Alumni Welcome.....	Austin Strawhacker '11, <i>National Alumni Council representative</i>
Closing Remarks.....	Dr. Rachelle K. Keck
* <i>Loyalty Song</i> (see page 16).....	Audience
*Benediction.....	The Rev. Dr. Russell L. Lackey
Recessional: <i>Marche Militaire Francais</i>	Camille Saint-Saens The Grand View University Wind Ensemble

*Please stand.

Need Assistance? Look for Grand View University staff, wearing red, as well as the Wells Fargo staff who can help answer any questions you may have.

Commencement Speaker

AND HONORARY DEGREE RECIPIENT

Nabi Mohammadi '21

Born in rural Afghanistan and the oldest of nine children, Nabi Mohammadi took his father's advice and learned English, with the hope of one day becoming an interpreter



for the U.S. Armed Forces. After passing language and background checks, he was sent to his first Combat Outpost in 2009. His translation skills and work ethic made him an invaluable interpreter and a trusted colleague for several U.S. Army National Guard units, including the Iowa National Guard. His service to the American military put him and his family in danger with the Taliban. Fearing for their safety, Iowa soldiers helped him apply for permission to move to America. After waiting for more than two years, his application was approved and he and his wife moved to Iowa with their baby son in 2013.

Nabi was intent on a better life for his young family and worked two jobs while starting his college education at DMACC and becoming a U.S. citizen in 2019. He transferred to Grand View and graduated in 2021 with a degree in management information systems.

Since moving to the United States, Nabi continues to give back to his Iowa community. He helps newly-arrived Afghan refugees settle in Des Moines, including assisting with getting driving permits and navigating their immigration cases. He has also worked with Des Moines Refugee Support to secure a donation of laptops for newly-immigrated families.

Nabi currently works as an IT Analyst at Principal Financial Group and spends his free time coaching soccer for Johnston Urbandale Soccer Club. He and his wife, Sanam, have three children, Arman 10, Sarah 7 and Omar, 6 months.

Degree Candidates

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*Jacob Budwig
*Alison Christine Burris
Kelvin Leonard Gilkey, Jr.
*Tanya S. Goad

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Kelsey Charley Kochheiser
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Heather Marie Monaghan
Sonia Yanet Navarro
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	*Katherine Bickel.....	Liberal Arts
	Giovanny Bonilla.....	Liberal Arts
	*Paula Borda.....	Graphic Design
§	Emily Debra Box.....	Accounting, Business Administration
	Aaron Brault.....	Game Design and Interactive Analytics
§	Owen Lee Braungardt.....	Kinesiology and Health Promotion
§	Anna Alexandra Breese.....	Human Services, Psychology
	Calvin Bright.....	Criminal Justice
μ	Leilani Bucchi.....	English
	Jennifer R. Bullock.....	Organizational Studies, Paralegal Studies
	Vinicio Andres Burgos Caceres.....	Applied Math
	Katelyn Elizabeth Byrd.....	Criminal Justice
€	Taylor Carey.....	Communication and Media Practice
	Kaitlyn Carney.....	Psychology
	Jamie Carr.....	Business Administration
μ	Elia Carrasco-Lechuga.....	Liberal Arts, Spanish for Careers and Professionals
	Israel Lopez Casarez.....	Kinesiology and Health Promotion
	Danielle Castillo.....	Communication and Media Practice
€	Marymar Ceniseros.....	Management Information Systems
	Josue Chigwira.....	Computer Science
	*Karlmen Chuong.....	Psychology
μ	Jacob Alexander Clay.....	Business Administration
μ	James Douglas Clemons.....	English
€	Alexandra Linn Cleverley.....	Political Science
	Emma Cochran.....	Kinesiology and Health Promotion
	*Andrew Conn.....	Sport Management
§	*Karla Cortez.....	Psychology
€	*Kristen Cox.....	Psychology
§	Anna Nicole Coyle.....	Elementary Education
	Jocilynn Craig.....	Organizational Studies
€	Jacob Elijah Craven.....	Sport Management
	Heather Lynn Crawford.....	Human Services
€	Christopher Eugene Cunningham.....	Physical Education
€	Kevin Curet Perez.....	Criminal Justice
€	Madyln Sue Danner.....	Kinesiology and Health Promotion
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€	*Tai Duong.....	Business Administration
μ	Cheries Annette Dupee.....	Human Services
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	Dennis Elwell.....	Business Administration

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€	Matthew Evans.....	Organizational Studies
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	Logan Zane Zosulis Finowski.....	Business Administration
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	Beatrice Yvonne Fitten	Music
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μ	Savana Fuller	Physical Education
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μ	Kristin M. Garcia.....	Kinesiology and Health Promotion
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§	Iliyah Moore	Human Services, Psychology
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μ	Mike Tan Nguyen.....	Computer Science
	Trang T. Nguyen.....	Accounting
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	Andrew Reager Nusbaum	Sport Management
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	Macklin Shanahan	Business Analytics
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€	Erik Robert Snook.....	Sport Management
€	Alex Johan Song	Accounting, Business Administration
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	Mataya Lynn St. Aubin	Human Services, Psychology
	Zachary Stacy	Business Administration
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§	Lori Kathryn Stone.....	Theatre Arts
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	Dalton Swaino.....	Psychology
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€	Spencer L. Thomas.....	Elementary Education
μ	Jarrod Thomas	Theology
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μ	Phat Nguyen Tran	Business Analytics
€	Trinh Tran.....	Business Administration
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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Adelynn Ahartz € Brooke Boardman € Nicole Burdick € Erika KayeAnn Canada – Criminal Justice § Megan Chapman § Rebecca Christiansen – Psychology § Courtney Elizabeth Dolash € Brooke Flater § Judith Gonzalez-Ballesteros – Spanish for Careers and Professionals 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> § Callie Jo Henrichs Kristina M. Ingwers € Karima Koko μ Kaitlyn Lind § Lezly M. Marquez Destynie Pacheco § Katelyn Rose Thompson μ Amina Mohamed Warsame
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LATIN HONORS

Cum Laude (3.50–3.69 cumulative GPA)

Magna Cum Laude (3.70–3.89 cumulative GPA)

Summa Cum Laude (3.90–4.00 cumulative GPA)

Undergraduate Latin honors are officially awarded at the completion of all course work and appear on the graduate's diploma. All Latin honors denoted in this Commencement program are based upon the student's grade point average at the time of review and do not signify that any specific honor will be earned. Students must earn at least 45 graded semester hours at Grand View University and be earning their first bachelor's degree to be eligible.

This commencement program does not constitute an official list of confirmed graduates at Grand View University. Participation in the Commencement ceremony does not signify that degrees have been awarded unless all academic requirements have been met.

PROCESSIONAL FLAGS

Flags in the processional represent the countries of international and Native American students who are graduating today.

Brazil – Gabriel Ott De Medeiros, Ygor Ferreira Brito, Matheus Silva – *Green field with large yellow diamond in the center bearing a blue celestial globe with 27 white pointed stars*

Ecuador – Vinicio Andres Burgos Caceres – *Three horizontal bands of yellow, blue and red with the coat of arms in the center*

England – Thomas Auchterlonie – *White field with centered red cross*

Nigeria – Idris Abubakar Barau – *Three vertical bands of green, white and green*

United Republic of Tanzania – Gideon Paulo Peter Kime – *Triangles of green and blue separated by a black diagonal stripe with yellow narrow borders*

Peoria Tribe of Oklahoma – Matthew Evans – *Red background with large arrowhead pointing downward bearing four crossing arrows and five white-and-black eagle feathers*

Other flags on display that represent the countries of our current international and the tribes of our Native American students, plus the **Iowa** and **United States** flags: **Argentina, Australia, Canada, Chile, Choctaw Nation of Oklahoma, Denmark, Dominican Republic, France, Gambia, Germany, Hong Kong, India, Israel, Italy, Kenya, Mexico, Republic Of Moldova, Netherlands, Peru, Poland, Serbia, South Africa, Spain, Sweden, United Kingdom, Vietnam**

HONOR SOCIETY REGALIA

Alpha Chi – Medallion with green and blue ribbon

Alpha Psi Omega – Blue and amber cords

Alpha Sigma Lambda – Burgundy and gold cords

Honors Program (formerly Logos) – Silver cords

Phi Alpha – Double knotted blue and gold cords

Phi Eta Sigma – Gold and black cords

Psi Chi – Blue and silver cords

Psychology Club Officers – Purple, teal, and green cords

Sigma Tau Delta – Red and black cords

Sigma Theta Tau – Purple cords

Tau Upsilon Alpha – Royal blue, white, and gold cords

Theta Alpha Kappa – TAK pin and red cords

Viking Leadership Credential – Red, white, and black cords

FACULTY ACADEMIC REGALIA

The tradition of academic dress dates back to the beginning of the university system in medieval Europe during the 11th and 12th centuries. Its main features include the gown, the cap and the hood. Originally the gown's main purpose was as a piece of clothing providing protection from cold weather. Over time its primary use became symbolic, signifying the democracy of scholarship. The dark gown covers any dress representative of rank or social standing. The cap has its roots in ancient Roman culture and the traditions of medieval religious dress. It signifies the freedom of scholarship and the dignity and responsibility accorded to a scholar. The cap's tassel is symbolic of the wearer's area of study. The hood, like the gown, was originally a piece of clothing used as protection from the cold. Today its colors and design are symbolic of the college or university where a degree was earned, the level of degree earned, and the scholar's discipline.

Colors associated with academic disciplines include:

Apricot – Nursing

Gold – Mathematics, Psychology,
Computer Science, Biology,
Chemistry, Physics

Brown – Fine Arts (Visual and
Dramatic)

Light Blue – Education

Citron – Social Work

Purple – Law

Crimson – Communication Arts

Scarlet – Theology

Drab (Light Brown) –
Business Administration

White – History, English,
Sociology, Modern Languages,
Speech, Humanities

Sage Green – Athletic Training

Salmon – Clinical Mental Health
Counseling

Dark Blue – Philosophy

CEREMONIAL MACE

Maces became part of academic ceremonies to represent the authority of an academic institution to confer a degree. Grand View's mace is carried by the faculty marshal during academic ceremonies. The mace is dedicated to Dr. Ronald L. Taylor, provost and vice president for academic affairs at Grand View from 1990-2008. It is made possible with a gift from Robert M. Speed and Erna Jensen, retired Grand View faculty.

The symbolism in the mace represents Grand View University. Starting at the bottom, the small ball in the tail piece represents the origin of the university in 1896 and the entry point for all students into university life. The shaft of the mace represents the student body which is surrounded by four flutes representing Academic Life, Student Life, Work Life, and Faith Life. The five elements of the vision of Grand View University in providing a rigorous education, affording this opportunity to all qualified students, preserving the virtues of education, blending the strengths of in-class experience with appropriate technologies, and building community ties are represented by the five rings surrounding the shaft, two near the bottom and three near the top. Developing mind, body and spirit, an enduring theme of the university, is represented by the three rings which tie together the shaft of the mace, representing the student body, and the upper part of the mace, representing the faculty and staff. The large round upper portion of the mace, representing the faculty and staff, holds two metallic medallions bearing the university seal. The finial at the top points to the future, both for the students and the university. Having fulfilled its mission of challenging students, creating a community of learners, offering a supportive environment, and affirming Christian faith and ethics, represented by the ring under the finial, Grand View University confidently sends its students out into the world.

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The Grand View Loyalty Song

Matthew Pries

Kathryn Pohlmann Duffy

1
You shine for all, light to the world. Here our fu - tures are un - furled.

This system contains the first four measures of the song. The music is in 4/4 time with a key signature of one sharp (F#). The melody is in the treble clef, and the accompaniment is in the bass clef. The lyrics are: "You shine for all, light to the world. Here our fu - tures are un - furled."

5
Her - i - tage that is so grand, Like a rock on which we stand.

This system contains measures 5 through 8. The lyrics are: "Her - i - tage that is so grand, Like a rock on which we stand."

9
Grow - ing spi - rit, bod - y, mind, Called to serve all hu - man - kind, We

This system contains measures 9 through 12. The lyrics are: "Grow - ing spi - rit, bod - y, mind, Called to serve all hu - man - kind, We"

13
leave e - quipped, em - pow - ered, too. We pledge our hearts to Grand View.

This system contains measures 13 through 16. The lyrics are: "leave e - quipped, em - pow - ered, too. We pledge our hearts to Grand View."

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