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DOCTOR OF PHYSICAL THERAPY PROGRAM

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Dr. Sonia Young	Associate Program Director
Dr. Karen Furgal	Director of Clinical Education
Dr. David Bell	Assistant Professor
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DOCTOR OF PHYSICAL THERAPY PROGRAM WHITE COAT CEREMONY

FRIDAY, MAY 4, 2018

6:00 PM

DOCTOR OF PHYSICAL THERAPY

WHITE COAT CEREMONY

MAY 4, 2018

PRELUDE

WELCOME

Dr. Harvey Wallmann

Department Head and Director,
Doctor of Physical Therapy Program

PROCESSIONAL

--- Please **STAND** ---

OPENING REMARKS

Mr. Tom Pennington, PT, CEO

Physicians Rehab Solutions;
Co-Founder of WKU DPT Program

SPEAKER

Mr. Grant Hughes

President, Class of 2019

SIGNIFICANCE OF THE WHITE COAT

Dr. Beth Norris

Associate Professor

PRESENTATION OF WHITE COATS

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PT PROFESSIONAL OATH AND

CLOSING REMARKS

Dr. Karen Furgal

Director of Clinical Education

Adjourn to the 3rd floor.

Reception and tours immediately following the ceremony.

DOCTOR OF PHYSICAL THERAPY

CLASS OF 2019

Adam Acheson

Grant Hughes

Wesley Bratcher

Eric Lebryk

Benjamin Brown

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Daniel Brussell

Kaitlyn Osborne

Erin Colvin

Neal Patel

Matthew Cravens

Ellie Payonk

Min-Hong Ding

Kevan Phillips

Kara England

Kailey Quiambao

Rebecca Garrison

Erin Rowland

Tyler Gibbs

Lucas Short

Kendra Gilmore

George Smith

Ian Greer

Jeff Snyder

Brooke Grimes

Hannah Stone

Alexandria Hanks

Jake Sullivan

Ryan Hopper

Hannah Wade

OATH OF A PHYSICAL THERAPIST

In the presence of my peers, friends, family and professors, and in view of the honored profession I am entering into, I solemnly and willingly state that I dedicate myself to the following:

I will practice physical therapy with compassion for each of my patients and will work to preserve their dignity and promote their health and welfare.

I will value the lives of my patients as I value my own life, through my concern for their significance and with respect for them and the confidential nature of our relationship.

I will practice with humility and maintain the highest level of reverence for the responsibility of the position that I hold.

I recognize my limitations and will continue to consult with my colleagues and the best available evidence based practices for knowledge with which I can better treat my patients and for the inspiration to expand and augment my education.

I will share my knowledge with my colleagues and patients freely, with compassion and patience.

I will work toward the improvement of the quality of life for all of my patients.

I will honor the choices that my patients make with respect to their wishes and needs.

I will do no harm to another human.

I will work to improve the practice of physical therapy so that all who seek it will receive treatment which is proper, ethical, and just.

I will not allow my judgment regarding the practice of my profession to be influenced by race, creed, religion, greed, or unethical behavior.

I will expect the same behavior from my fellow physical therapist.

Thus, with this oath, I freely accept the obligations and rewards which will accompany my practice of physical therapy.