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# Commencement

Ceremony



MAY 14, 2017

ELIZABETHTOWN - FORT KNOX REGIONAL CAMPUS
ELIZABETHTOWN, KENTUCKY

# Western Kentucky University

#### Order of Exercises Sunday, May 14, 2017 3:00 p.m.

#### President Gary A. Ransdell, Presiding

PROCESSIONAL Pomp and Circumstance

March No. 1, Op. 39

Sir Edward Elgar, Composer (Arr. Lindsey)

(Audience please remain seated.)

MUSICAL INTRODUCTION Vational Anthem

John Stafford Smith, Composer

(Arr. Slechta)

Performed by Jacqueline Yunker

WKU Student

Potter College of Arts & Letters

Department of Music

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE Led by Sarah Hoyt, WKU Student

University College

Department of Organizational Leadership

INTRODUCTORY REMARKS

AND WELCOME

Dr. Evelyn A. Ellis, Chancellor

WKU Elizabethrown-Fort Knox

PRESIDENT'S REMARKS Dr. Gary A. Ransdell

WKU Ninth President

STUDENT REFLECTIONS Edward Razo, WKU Student

College of Health and Human Services

Department of Social Work

CONFERRING OF DEGREES Dr. David Lee, WKU Provost and

Vice President for Academic Affairs

MUSICAL SELECTION I. Thimo Calle Insieme

Simone Iannarelli

Performed by Preston Fowler

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PRESENTATION OF CANDIDATES FOR

President Ransdell

DIPLOMAS

Dr. David Lee

Dr. Evelyn A. Ellis

Dr. Scott Lyons, Dean, Graduate School

Dr. Donielle Lovell. Associate Professor.

Sociology

GREETINGS FROM ALUMNI

ASSOCIATION

Brent Ditto, President

WKU Alumni Association

Heartland Chapter

CONGRATULATORY REMARKS

Dr. Evelyn A. Ellis

CLOSING MUSIC

College Heights (Alma Mater) Western Kentucky University Mary Frances Bradley, Composer

Led by Jacqueline Yunker

RECESSIONAL

Forever Young

Bob Dylan, Composer

Performed by Rod Stewart

### Guest Information

Immediately following the ceremony, you are cordially invited to join us for a reception in the commons area just outside the auditorium.

For your enjoyment, a photo station with a WKU backdrop has also been set-up in the commons area so that you may take individual and group photos.

Additional information about degree programs, events, activities, and opportunities to give at WKU Elizabethtown-Fort Knox is available at www.wku.edu/etown-ftknox or by calling 270.706.8870.

Thank you for attending today's event. We look forward to you sharing your photos with us on social media! #WKUEtown

### Student Commencement Participants

Mr. Edward Razo is a student at Western Kentucky University Elizabethtown-Fort Knox (WKU-E) in Elizabethtown, Kentucky, A case manager for the Hardin County Drug Court Program, Mr. Razo received his associate of arts (AA) degree from Elizabethtown Community and Technical College (ECTC) and today will be awarded his Bachelor of Science Degree in Social Work (BSW) from Western Kentucky University. Mr. Razo has maintained a 4.0 grade point average throughout his AA and BSW studies. He is also a member of the Phi Alpha Honor Society. After completing his BSW degree, he will take a short break from school before returning to obtain his Master's Degree in Social Work. In the future, Mr. Razo plans to open a substance abuse recovery center in the Elizabethtown area.

Mrs. Sarah Anne Hovt is originally from Holstein, Nebraska, After graduating from Adams Central High School and receiving an associate of arts degree from McCook Community College, she joined the U.S. Army where she served for four years, including two combat tours. Mrs. Hoyt returned to college when she and her family were living at Fort Benning, Georgia. After a move to Fort Richardson, Alaska, she continued her education. Today, while her husband is stationed in Kentucky, she is proud to finally finish her Bachelor's of Science Degree in Organizational Leadership at WKU Elizabethtown – Fort Knox (WKU-E). In addition to her part-time position with WKU-E at its Fort Knox site, Mrs. Hoyt volunteers her time to the Fort Knox Spouses' and Community Club. She and her husband, Daniel, have two daughters, Isabel and Lillian.

Mr. Preston Fowler is a music student currently studying with Dr. Stephen Mattingly at the University of Louisville where he focuses primarily on studying and teaching the guitar. He looks forward to teaching music, performing, and composing guitar music.

Jacqueline Yunker, a graduating senior at WKU Bowling Green (Fall 2017), recently preformed in a production of Puccini's "Suor Angelica" as the main character. She currently studies with Dr. Wayne Pope and hopes to attend graduate school for vocal performance after graduation. Jacqueline resides in Bowling Green, Kentucky, with her husband and their two children.

### Leadership and Governance

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#### REGIONAL CHANCELLORS

WKU enrolls more than 3,000 students at regional campuses. Two of the principal goals for WKU's Regional Campuses are providing access to higher education and enhancing the quality of life in communities they serve.

Evelyn Ellis	WKU Elizabethtown - Fort Knox
Sally Ray	WKU Glasgow
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# History of Western Kentucky University

On March 21, 1906, the Kentucky General Assembly approved legislation to establish two teacher-training institutions, or "normal schools," in the state. A locating commission chose Bowling Green to be the site of one, and the Western Kentucky State Normal School was created.

The new state-supported school took over the building and student body of the privately owned Southern Normal School. The owner of the Southern Normal School, Henry Hardin Cherry, had been actively involved in the campaign to establish teacher training schools and became the first president. Classes began on January 22, 1907.

For the next several decades, the curriculum at the college focused on teacher training and certification; in 1922 the state renamed the institution Western Kentucky State Normal School and Teachers College, and in 1930 the name was shortened to Western Kentucky State Teachers College. Today, it is fondly called WKU.

In the 1960's both the curriculum and the campus underwent major reorganization and expansion. In June 1963, the college merged with the Bowling Green College of Commerce, formerly the Bowling Green Business University. Along with the graduate school, the Bowling Green College of Commerce became a separate college within the administrative structure. In 1965, the WKU Board of Regents approved the formation of three more colleges: the Potter College of Liberal Arts, the College of Education, and the Ogden College of Science and Technology.

On June 16, 1966, Western Kentucky State College became Western Kentucky University. The university's six colleges are now:

- · College of Education and Behavioral Sciences
- · College of Health and Human Services
- · Gordon Ford College of Business
- · Potter College of Arts and Letters
- · Ogden College of Science and Engineering
- · University College

In 1964, WKU began offering classes in Elizabethtown. Graduate classes for teachers and school administrators were held evenings and weekends in local high schools, allowing students' completion of master's degrees without driving to other cities. In the 1970s, WKU began offering classes at Elizabethtown Community College and expanded the number of course offerings. In 1976, WKU entered into an agreement with the Army Continuing Education Center to provide classes at Fort Knox, and continues to provide classes there today. In 2002, the Central Regional Postsecondary Education Center opened on the Elizabethtown Community and Technical College (ECTC) Campus, with WKU as a partner school providing programs in the new facility. Today, in addition to offering classes on-site at ECTC & Fort Knox, WKU-E offers classes at Hardin County Schools Early College & Career Center (EC3) as well as online.

### Heademic Traditions

A time-honored tradition of great dignity, the wearing of academic attire is a survival of the ecclesiastical garb of the late Middle Ages. The academic gown, necessary for a scholar's warmth in unheated stone colleges, and the hood to protect his shaven head, were first adopted in the thirteenth century at the University of Cambridge in England.

Academic costume, oftentimes referred to as academic regalia, came to America in 1754 with the founding of King's College, now Columbia University. Styles became quite varied, as they were in Europe, but in 1895 a group of American college and university representatives met to establish a uniform system of academic apparel for this country. This led to the establishment in 1902 of an "Intercollegiate Code of Academic Costume." The American Council on Education formed a committee in 1932 to review the 1895 code, and it was again reviewed and revised in 1959.

All candidates for degrees and those who hold degrees, including university officials, faculty, and visiting dignitaries, are attired in traditional caps and gowns. Recipients of the bachelor's degree wear black gowns and caps, while recipients of master's, specialist and doctoral degrees wear black gowns and caps with hoods of various colors.

Gowns worn for the bachelor's degree have pointed sleeves; the masters' gowns have long closed sleeves with slits at the elbow for the arms; the gowns worn for the doctoral degree have wide, round, open sleeves. Doctoral gowns are faced with panels of velvet down the front and three bars of velvet across each sleeve.

The mortar board is the headpiece most often worn at American universities for formal occasions. It is appropriately worn with the board flat on the top of the head. Degree candidates wear the tassel falling from the right quarter of the board, while graduates wear the tassel on the left. The tassel may be black or the color of the scholarly field of the degree held, with the short gold tassel reserved for those holding doctoral degrees.

### Heademic Traditions

It is the hood, which adds meaning and dimension to the academic costume. Changed little since medieval times, the hood is worn falling from the shoulders down the back of the gown in a display of vivid color. The hood is edged in velvet which by its color denotes the academic discipline in which the wearer's degree was earned, and it is lined in two colors of silk which represent the college or university from which the degree was earned. Hence, the Western Kentucky University hood contains one white chevron on a field of bright red and is edged with the appropriate discipline color.

The following is a partial list of colors adopted by the American Council on Education that represents the various academic disciplines:

Agriculture	Maize
Arts, Letters, and Humanities	
Commerce, Accounting, and Business	Drab
Communications	
Criminology	Golden Yellow
Economics	Copper
Education	Light Blue
Engineering	
Fine Arts	Brown
Journalism	Crimson
Library Services	
Music	
Nursing	
Philosophy	
Physical Education	
Public Administration	
Public Health	Salmon Pink
Science	Golden Yellow
Social Work	
Sociology	
Theology	Scarlet

# Elizabethtown - Fort Knox Faculty

### RESIDENT FULL-TIME

Dr. Donielle Lovell	Sociology
Melia Mattingly	Teacher Education
Dr. Amanda Onion	Teacher Education
Dr. Larry Owens	Social Work
Dr. James Prather	Psychology
George Rasmussen	Management
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Patricia Bertke	
Dr. Daniel Boden	
Jennifer Brinkley	
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Dr. Jeanine Huss	Teacher Education
Pamela Janoski	Teacher Education
Dr. Jeffrey Kash	Political Science
Dr. Alison Langdon	English
Rachel Leer	
Dr. Hope Marchionda	
Dr. John Moore	Teacher Education
Amy Nemon	Geography & Geology
Dr. Lester Pesterfield	
Ryan Pigford	Systems Management
Dr. Nancy Rice	
Melissa Rudloff	
Jerry Rutledge	English
Julia Shadoan	Professional Studies
Dr. Jean Snavely	
Phillip W. Stagner	
Dr. Trini Stickle	
Rico Tyler	
Dr. Shannon Vaughan	
Dr. David Zimmer	
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## Elizabethtown - Fort Knox Faculty

#### RESIDENT ADJUNCT

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Dr. William Becker	Philosophy and Religion
Dr. Susan Berry	Professional Studies
Dr. Dale Buckles	Psychology
	Sociology
	History
	SkvTeach
	Psychology
Joyce Elmore	School of Teacher Education
	Social Work
	Social Work
	Schools of Teacher Education
	School of Teacher Education
	Family & Consumer Science
	Interdisciplinary Studies
	Music
	School of Teacher Education
	Art
	Sociology
	Music
	Kinesiology and Recreation
	School of Teacher Education
	School of Teacher Education
NON-RESIDENT ADJUNCT	
Juanita Cole	Teacher Education
Jason Curry	
Susannah Dickman	Family & Consumer Science
Kevin Dorth	History
Harold Harmon	Professional Studies
Dr. Melinda Joyce	Nursing

Dr. Lee Maglinger ... Public Health
Daniel Stone ... Marketing
Suzanne Walters ... Social Work

### Elizabethtown - Fort Knox Support Service's Staff

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	Academic Support Specialist
	Librarian
Sandy Patterson	Academic Advisor at Gordon Ford College of Business
	Senior Academic Advisor

### Recognition of Hoademic Hehievement

Undergraduates who graduate with outstanding academic achievement are designated in the program. Determination of a student's honor status is based upon the academic record in existence at the beginning of the semester in which the student will graduate. The final determination of those who actually receive academic recognition is made at the conclusion of the term in which all degree requirements are met.

Degree candidates who are potential honors recipients wear red and white honor cords during the commencement ceremony. Further recognition of those who actually receive honors recognition is indicated on their diplomas and transcripts at the conclusion of the term in which all degree requirements are met.

- \*Cum Laude This honor is awarded to students who have completed their baccalaureate studies with cumulative overall and cumulative WKU grade point averages of 3.40 3.59 and the completion of a minimum of 45 semester hours earned at WKU.
- \*\*Magna Cum Laude This honor is awarded to students who have completed their baccalaureate studies with cumulative overall and cumulative WKU grade point averages of 3.60 3.79 and the completion of a minimum of 45 semester hours earned at WKU.
- \*\*\*Summa Cum Laude This honor is awarded to students who have completed their baccalaureate studies with cumulative overall and cumulative WKU grade point averages of 3.80 4.00 and the completion of a minimum of 45 semester hours earned at WKU.

A number of today's students are graduating with grade point averages between 3.40 and 4.00. The total number of credit hours these students have earned at WKU in order to complete their degrees is fewer than 45. Therefore, by university policy, these students can not be designated as an honor graduates. We are, nonetheless, extremely proud of their academic achievement!

### Graduation Honor Cords

Cords worn by graduates as a part of their graduation regalia signify membership in an organization, special status, or graduation with honors. The colors of some cords that may be worn by some graduates today include, but are not limited to the following:

**Black and Gold** represents Gamma Beta Phi, an honor society and service organization. Students must have at least a 3.0 grade point average (GPA) and be committed to serving their community through projects.

**Gold** signifies members of Phi Alpha; these students are committed to academic excellence, service, and upholding the ethical standards of the social work profession.

**Red, White, and Blue** cords are worn by active duty U.S. military personnel or U.S. military veterans.

**Red and White** signifies students who are graduating with honors, having earned at least a 3.4 cumulative grade point average (GPA) and having completed at least 45 semester credit hours at WKU.

### Candidates for Doctoral Degrees

College of Health & Human Services, Dr. Neale Chumbler, Dean

Jennifer Hughes	Doctor of Nursing Practice
Lindsay Medley	Doctor of Nursing Practice

# Candidates for Graduate Degrees College of Health & Human Services, Dr. Neale Chumbler, Dean

Shannon Cales	
Emily Miracle	
Sky Thompson	
Aimee Wentz	
Maria Backes	
Abbie Ballentine	
Audrey Baricovich	
Olivia Higgins	
Anna Johnson	
Paul Smith	
Jacob Snider	
Joshua Snyder	
William Thompson	
Jessica Clemons	
Kedeisha Dougherty	
Raven Drake	
Amanda Gadsden	
Shameka Hardin	
Brenda Hayes	
Abbigail Ledford	
Valerie Perkins	

#### Gordon Ford College of Business, Dr. Jeff Katz, Dean

Robert French	
Philip Tivitt	
	Master of Business Administration
	Master of Business Administration

# Candidates for Graduate Degrees

### University College, Dr. Dennis George, Dean

Shaun Bailey	Master of Arts in Organizational Leadership
	Master of Arts in Organizational Leadership
Cara Barbara	Master of Arts in Organizational Leadership
	Master of Arts in Organizational Leadership
	Master of Arts in Organizational Leadership
Mark Peters	Master of Arts in Organizational Leadership
Lindsey Schwartz	Master of Arts in Organizational Leadership
Stephanie Sprigler	Master of Arts in Organizational Leadership
	Master of Arts in Organizational Leadership
Jacquelyn Taylor	Master of Arts in Organizational Leadership

### Potter College of Arts & Letters, Dr. Larry Snyder, Jr., Dean

Caleb Ernst	
Susan Nash	
Brittany Arnel	
Nicole Todd	
Brandon White	

### College of Education & Behavioral Sciences, Dr. Sam Evans, Dean

Beverly Lewis	
John Quinene	
Nicole Tschappat Master of Ed	ducation in Elementary Education for Teacher Leaders
	ducation in Elementary Education for Teacher Leaders
	Master of Science in Instructional Design
	Master of Science in Instructional Design
Adrian Layne	Master of Science in Library Media Education
Genny McCubbin	
Laura Willcut	Master of Science in Library Media Education
Brittanie Cannon	Master of Arts in Education in Literacy Education
Thomas EdwardsMaster of	Arts in Middle Grades Education for Teacher Leaders
Elissa BelakMaste	er of Arts in Secondary Education for Teacher Leaders
Timothy MinorMaste	er of Arts in Secondary Education for Teacher LeadersMaster of Arts in Education in Special Education

# Candidates for Undergraduate Degrees

Nicole Davis	Bachelor of Science in Family & Consumer Science Education
Lisette Dalton**	Bachelor of Science in Health Information Management
Lindsey Blair	
Payton Guthrie	Bachelor of Science in Health Sciences
Samantha Newcomb	Bachelor of Science in Health Sciences
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	Bachelor of Science in Nursing
	Bachelor of Science in Nursing
	Bachelor of Science in Nursing
Jessica Riley	Bachelor of Science in Nursing
	Bachelor of Science in Social Work
David Cruz	Bachelor of Science in Social Work
Erica Foster	Bachelor of Science in Social Work
Brittany Gasaway**	Bachelor of Science in Social Work
Ashley Harris	Bachelor of Science in Social Work
Tremesha James	Bachelor of Science in Social Work
Tracy Jones	Bachelor of Science in Social Work
Jamie Katt	Bachelor of Science in Social Work
Richard Langley	Bachelor of Science in Social Work
Brianna Logsdon*	Bachelor of Science in Social Work
Sydney Mckeever	Bachelor of Science in Social Work
William Milliner	Bachelor of Science in Social Work
Sarah Mortensen**	Bachelor of Science in Social Work
Maria Ray***	
Edward Razo***	Bachelor of Science in Social Work
Robin Reynolds*	Bachelor of Science in Social Work
Janelle Williams	Bachelor of Science in Social Work
Tammie Wood	Bachelor of Science in Social Work
Kendra Young	Bachelor of Science in Social Work
Gordon Ford College	of Business, Dr. Jeff Katz, Dean
	Bachelor of Science in Management
Fahad Alhaqbani	Bachelor of Science in Management
Amber Betner	Bachelor of Science in Management

Engie Abdelmoaty	Bachelor of Science in Management
Fahad Alhaqbani	Bachelor of Science in Management
Amber Betner	
Mary Clark	
David Dahl	Bachelor of Science in Management
Anna Elder	Bachelor of Science in Management
Hannah Hardin	Bachelor of Science in Management
Jason Hepler	
Jessica Hinkle	Bachelor of Science in Management
Rhonda Mitchell	Bachelor of Science in Management
Ashlee OBrien**	Bachelor of Science in Management
Aaron Pyles	
Angelia Sutton	Bachelor of Science in Management

# Candidates for Undergraduate Degrees

### University College, Dr. Dennis George, Dean

Tiffiny Brown	Bachelor of Interdisciplinary Studies
Rebecca Cecil	Bachelor of Interdisciplinary Studies
Stephanie Crosier	Bachelor of Interdisciplinary Studies
Aleshia Farmer*	Bachelor of Interdisciplinary Studies
Jada Grav***	Bachelor of Interdisciplinary Studies
Shannon Hall	Bachelor of Interdisciplinary Studies
Lillian Harned	Bachelor of Interdisciplinary Studies
Tessa Howey	Bachelor of Interdisciplinary Studies
Jennifer Huff	Bachelor of Interdisciplinary Studies
Judy Keith*	Bachelor of Interdisciplinary Studies
Bo Kim*	Bachelor of Interdisciplinary Studies
Elizabeth Kinslow	Bachelor of Interdisciplinary Studies
	Bachelor of Interdisciplinary Studies
Michael McDavid	Bachelor of Interdisciplinary Studies
Yurika Miller	Bachelor of Interdisciplinary Studies
William Minor	Bachelor of Interdisciplinary Studies
Matthew Nystedt	Bachelor of Interdisciplinary Studies
Jeana Pavlak	Bachelor of Interdisciplinary Studies
Patty Seymour	Bachelor of Interdisciplinary Studies
Latoya Shelby	Bachelor of Interdisciplinary Studies
William Sidebottom	Bachelor of Interdisciplinary Studies
Mark Slaughter	Bachelor of Interdisciplinary Studies
Nathaniel Stewart	Bachelor of Interdisciplinary Studies
Allison Woodson	Bachelor of Interdisciplinary Studies
Jerome Baker	Bachelor of Science in Organizational Leadership
Joyce Cain	Bachelor of Science in Organizational Leadership
Sarah Hoyt	Bachelor of Science in Organizational Leadership
Cheyenne Lewis	Bachelor of Science in Organizational Leadership
Ami Wagner **	Bachelor of Arts in Paralegal Studies
Damon Barnes	Bachelor of Science in Systems Management
Loretta Busse	Bachelor of Science in Systems Management
William Butler*	Bachelor of Science in Systems Management
Autumn Carpenter	Bachelor of Science in Systems Management
Shelly Cordero	Bachelor of Science in Systems Management
Karen Hauschild	Bachelor of Science in Systems Management
Phillis Moser	Bachelor of Science in Systems Management
Farante Parker	Bachelor of Science in Systems Management
David Smith**	Bachelor of Science in Systems Management

# Candidates for Undergraduate Degrees

### Potter College of Arts & Letters, Dr. Larry Snyder, Jr., Dean

Jasmine Burns	Bachelor of Arts in Criminology
	Bachelor of Arts in Criminology
Jessica Wash	Bachelor of Arts in Criminology
Megan Brown*	Bachelor of Arts in Sociology
LeighAnne Franklin***	Bachelor of Arts in Sociology
Amy Goodman	Bachelor of Arts in Sociology
Veronica Kavas	Bachelor of Arts in Sociology
Jade Kreuser	Bachelor of Arts in Sociology
Carlita Labruyere	Bachelor of Arts in Sociology

### Ogden College of Science & Engineering, Dr. Cheryl Stevens, Dean

Adrianne Buckles***	Bachelor of Science in Biology
	Bachelor of Science in Computer Information Technology
	Bachelor of Science in Computer Information Technology
	Bachelor of Science in Computer Information Technology
	Bachelor of Science in Computer Information Technology
	Bachelor of Science in Computer Information Technology
	Bachelor of Science in Computer Information Technology
	Bachelor of Science in Computer Information Technology
	Bachelor of Science in Computer Information Technology
Donald Dunn	
Barry Hayes	
Katrina Sherwood	
Kayla Helms	Bachelor of Science in Middle Grades Education
Michael Firsich	Bachelor of Science in Technology Management
Kevin Lee	Bachelor of Science in Technology Management
	Bachelor of Science in Technology Management
	Bachelor of Science in Technology Management

### Candidates for Undergraduate Degrees

#### College of Education & Behavioral Sciences, Dr. Sam Evans, Dean

Iesha Eaton	. Bachelor of Science in Elementary Education
Michaela Grey	Bachelor of Science in Elementary Education
Krystal Kennedy	. Bachelor of Science in Elementary Education
	Bachelor of Science in Elementary Education
Matthew Murray	Bachelor of Science in Elementary Education
Sarah Pinchot	Bachelor of Science in Elementary Education
Vickie Sallee***	Bachelor of Science in Elementary Education
Lisette Santos	Bachelor of Science in Elementary Education
	Bachelor of Science in Elementary Education
Amber Smith***	Bachelor of Science in Elementary Education
Katrina Sturgill Thompson	Bachelor of Science in Elementary Education
Sara K. White	Bachelor of Science in Elementary Education
	ence in Interdisciplinary Early Child Education
	r of Science in Middle Level Education SS/LA
Elizabeth GrantBachelo	r of Science in Middle Level Education SS/LA
Hayley OliverBachelo	r of Science in Middle Level Education SS/LA
Mallory Proctor Bachelo	r of Science in Middle Level Education SS/LA
Rachel Witten *** Bachelo	r of Science in Middle Level Education SS/LA
	Bachelor of Arts in Psychology
Avery Buckles***	Bachelor of Arts in Psychology
Leslee Clan ***	Bachelor of Arts in Psychology
	Bachelor of Arts in Psychology
Jennifer Garrigus	Bachelor of Arts in Psychology
Kristen Hornberger	Bachelor of Arts in Psychology
Hannah Johnson	Bachelor of Arts in Psychology
Shayla MacLeod***	Bachelor of Arts in Psychology
	Bachelor of Arts in Psychology
Caitlyn Wilkerson	Bachelor of Arts in Psychology

### Mma Mater

WKU's alma mater, *College Heights* was originally written by 16-year old schoolgirl Mary Frances Bradley as a poem to be entered in a contest on the campus in 1924. Miss Bradley combined her poignant words with a beautiful melody composed by her father, Ben J. Bradley, an accomplished songwriter and musician from nearby Franklin, Kentucky.

On March 12, 1925, *College Heights* was first performed at chapel assembly in Van Meter Auditorium by Miss Bradley and, thus, an alma mater was born. The music was subsequently published and then copyrighted by WKU in 1930. On the music is the notation that the song is dedicated to WKU's first president, Dr. Henry Hardin Cherry.

College Heights

College Heights, on hilltop fair,
With beauty all thine own,
Lovely jewel far more rare
Than graces any throne!
College Heights, we hail thee;
We shall never fail thee
Falter never, live forever,
Hail! Hail! Hail!

College Heights with living soul
And purpose strong and true,
Service ever is thy goal
Thy spirit ever new.
College Heights, we hail thee;
We shall never fail thee
Falter never, live forever,
Hail! Hail! Hail!

College Heights thy noble life,
Shall e'er our pattern be,
Teaching us through joy and strife
To love humanity.
College Heights we hail thee,
We shall never fail thee,
Falter never, live forever,
Hail! Hail! Hail!

### Sincere Appreciation

WKU Elizabethtown – Fort Knox wants to take this time to thank each and every one of our constituents for supporting our campus during this academic year, especially the following friends:

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Central Texas College

Chick-fil-A

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Fort Knox Federal Credit Union

Fort Knox Spouses & Community Club

Hardin Memorial Hospital

McDonalds

Swope Family of Dealerships

The News Enterprise

U.S. Army Garrison Fort Knox

Bluegrass Community & Technical College

**Breckenridge County Schools** 

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Elizabethtown Noon Rotary Club

Fort Knox Education Center

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**Grayson County Schools** 

Larue County Schools

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Zonta Club of Elizabethtown

#### Mission of WKU Elizabethtown-Fort Knox

WKU Elizabethtown-Fort Knox provides unique educational opportunities that enhance individuals' personal growth by removing barriers to success. These experiences prepare students of all backgrounds to become critically-thinking, socially responsible, citizen leaders ready to impact local and global communities by fostering intergenerational charge that contributes to a skilled, vibrant workforce thereby improving quality of life for the region.



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