

Clayton State University



Graduate Hooding Ceremony

May 7, 2010
3:30 P.M.
Spivey Hall
Morrow, Georgia

School of Graduate Study

Clayton State University

Mission

At Clayton State University, the mission of graduate education is to stimulate, encourage and support efforts that build national distinction and that are characterized by innovation and by increasing contribution to the social, cultural, economic, health and technological development needs of Georgia and the nation. The University is committed to excellence, innovation and collaboration in research and in the preparation of professionals for the highest levels of practice.

Goals for Graduate Education

- ◆ To ensure that all graduate students are educated by faculty who are at the forefront of teaching and research in their disciplines.
- ◆ To prepare students for leadership in a global society.
- ◆ To prepare students to communicate and apply knowledge in ways useful to society.
- ◆ To educate students to venture beyond existing boundaries of knowledge.
- ◆ To offer programs which are sensitive and responsive to the cultural diversity of the state and of the nation.
- ◆ To ensure that institutions will cooperate at all levels to ensure the quality of graduate education.
- ◆ To ensure that qualified students will have access to graduate education.
- ◆ To identify pre-college and undergraduate students with high academic potential and encourage them to pursue graduate study.

Role of the Graduate School at Clayton State University

- ◆ Articulate a vision of excellence
- ◆ Provide for quality control in graduate education
- ◆ Maintain equitable standards across disciplines
- ◆ Define what graduate education is and is not
- ◆ Bring an institution-wide perspective to post-baccalaureate education
- ◆ Provide an interdisciplinary perspective
- ◆ Enhance the intellectual community of scholars among graduate students and faculty
- ◆ Serve as an advocate for graduate education
- ◆ Emphasize the importance of adequately training future college and university teachers
- ◆ Develop ways for graduate education to contribute to an enhance undergraduate education
- ◆ Support graduate student services
- ◆ Serve as an advocate for issues and constituencies critical to the success of graduate programs

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Graduate Hooding Ceremony Program

Processional

Mr. Alex Benford
Staff Accompanist

Welcome and Recognition of Guests

Dr. Thomas J. Hynes, Jr.
President

**Remarks and Presentation of
Graduate Students**

Dr. Micheal Crafton
Provost and Vice President for Academic Affairs

Introduction of the Deans

Dr. Thomas McIlwain
Dean, School of Graduate Studies

Introduction of Readers

Dr. Nasser Momayezi
Dean, College of Arts and Sciences

Dr. Diane Prince
Dean, School of Business

Dr. Lisa Eichelberger
Dean, College of Health

Recessional

Mr. Alex Benford
Staff Accompanist

Refreshments in the Lobby

Master of Arts in Liberal Studies

Kimberley LaToria Bugg
Jacqueline Hudson
Marc Wehr Potteiger

Master of Business Administration

Devanaha Turner Baudy
Kashia Lorraine Campbell
Janet D. Daggett
Dawn Marie Deaton
Karlowa Menez Dukes
Daundra Lynn Fletcher
Eric Ryan Hammond
Kristin Lynn Hanie
Matthew Justin Harden
LeTanya Renee Hines
Terry Douglas Horn
Jenice L. Larmond

Allen Eugene Linton
Kyle D. Mack
Glenda Rose McCool
Michael Bernard Moore
Dale E. Myers
Theresa Potts
Sakonja Lynn Ragland
Leslie Joy Simon
Andy McClain Steele
Jose Manuel Vejarano
Nikki Whitley
Denise Wilson

Master of Healthcare Administration

Stacey Denise Harris
Kezzie M. Joseph
Nicole Blair Lubrin
Sha-Ron Rosignon

Master of Science in Nursing

Cheryl Yvonne Christian
Alisa W. Dent
Shanna Ramsey-Haynes
Stephanie Short Thomas

Graduate Faculty

Shakil Akhtar, Professor of Information Technology
Dennis Attick, Assistant Professor of Teacher Education
Augustine Ayuk, Assistant Professor of Political Science
Christian Barrientos, Assistant Professor of Mathematics
Virginia Bonner, Associate Professor of Film and Media Studies
Nathan Borchelt, Coordinator, Master of Arts for Teaching in Mathematics
Jere A. Boudell, Associate Professor of Biology
Maria L. Bullen, Associate Professor of Accounting
Wendy Burns-Ardolino, Director, Master of Arts in Liberal Studies
Scott Butterfield, Associate Professor of Accounting
Brigitte F. Byrd, Assistant Professor of English
Ruth R. Caillouet, Coordinator, Master of Arts for Teaching in English
John G. Campbell, Associate Dean, College of Arts and Sciences
Kathleen A. Cannella, Associate Professor of Nursing
Jacob M. Chacko, Professor of Marketing
Jennell Charles, Associate Professor of Nursing
Jeffrey Chastaine, Associate Dean of the College of Information and Mathematical Sciences
A. Randall Clark, Associate Professor of Journalism
Susan C. Copeland, Associate Professor of English
Joseph Andrew Corrado, Assistant Professor of Political Science
Ali Dadpay, Assistant Professor of Economics
Michael Dalmat, Assistant Professor of Health Care Management
Michael Dancs, Associate Professor of Mathematics
Deborah F. Deckner, Assistant Professor of Psychology
Catherine Deering, Professor of Psychology
Michael H. Deis, Professor of Management
Phillip DePoy, Assistant Professor of Theater and Director of the Theatre Program
Susan I. Duley, Head of the Department of Dental Hygiene
Thomas Eaves, Associate Provost
Lisa Wright Eichelberger, Dean of the College of Health
Nikki M. Finlay, Associate Professor of Economics
Peter G. Fitzpatrick, Professor of Health Care Management
Gregory Flail, Assistant Professor of English
David Furman, Assistant Professor of Business
Michelle A. Furlong, Head of the Department of Natural Sciences
Ronald Fuqua, Assistant Professor of Health Care Management
Anthony Giovannitti, Professor of Mathematics
Brian M. Goldman, Assistant Professor of Psychology
Barbara Goodman, Head of the Department of English
Alexander Hall, Assistant Professor of Philosophy
Gwendolyn Harold, Professor of English
Craig Hill, Associate Professor of Supply Chain Management
Mary Nix Hollowell, Associate Professor of Education
Weihsu Hong, Associate Professor of Mathematics
E. Joe Johnson, Associate Professor of Foreign Languages
Louis F. Jourdan, Jr., Associate Professor of Management
James S. Keebler, Professor of Logistics and Supply Chain
Reza Kheirandish, Assistant Professor of Economics
Gregory S. Kordecki, Associate Professor of Accounting
Elliot Krop, Assistant Professor of Mathematics
Mary R. Lamb, Assistant Professor of English
Betty Glenn Lane, Associate Professor of Nursing
Chen-Miao Lin, Associate Professor of Finance
Cheri Long, Associate Professor of Information Technology

Graduate Faculty

David A. Ludley, Professor of English and Art History
Samuel Maddox, Assistant Professor of Psychology
Sean Mattie, Assistant Professor of Political Science
Marko Maunula, Assistant Professor of History
Gary L. May, Associate Professor of Management
Donna W. McCarty, Head of the Department of Psychology
Thomas McIlwain, Coordinator, Master of Healthcare Administration and Dean, School of Graduate Studies
Gregory V. McNamara, Associate Professor of English
David Messer, Assistant Professor in Curriculum and Instruction
Antoinette R. Miller, Associate Professor of Psychology
Shayla L. Mitchell, Assistant Professor of Education
A Rafik Mohamed, Head of the Department of Social Sciences
Nasser Momayezi, Dean of the College of Arts and Sciences
Carla Monroe, Head of Department of Teacher Education
George E. Nakos, Professor of Marketing
C.R. Narayanaswamy, Professor of Finance and Economics
Eugene Ngezem, Assistant Professor of English
Sue Ellen Odom, Associate Dean of the College of Health
Judith Ogden, Assistant Professor of Business Law and Taxation
Louis Orchard, Assistant Professor of Accounting
Lillian Parker, Assistant Professor of Nursing
John Emory Parkerson, Jr., Assistant Professor in Business
Melanie Poudevigne, Associate Professor of Health and Fitness Management
Kathryn J. Pratt-Russell, Associate Professor of English
Diane J. Prince, Associate Dean of School of Business
Junfeng Qu, Assistant Professor of Information Technology
John Quinn, Assistant Professor of Health Care Administration
Howard Charles Ralph, Jr., Assistant Professor of Management
Lila F. Roberts, Dean, College of Information and Mathematical Sciences
Mari Ann Roberts, Assistant Professor of Education
Charlene Romer, Associate Professor of Nursing
R.B. Rosenburg, Head, Department of Humanities
Susan J. Sanner, Associate Professor of Nursing
LaJuan E. Simpson, Associate Professor of English
Steven A. Spence, Associate Professor of English and Media Studies
Julia Spinolo, Assistant Professor and Director of University Health Services
Michael Scott Stegall, Associate Professor of Health Care Management
Felicia Stewart, Associate Professor of Communication
Lynn Stover, Associate Professor of Nursing
Adam Tate, Associate Professor of History
Margaret A. Thompson, Associate Professor of Management
Michael V. Tidwell, Coordinator, Master of Business Administration
Patricia Todebush, Associate Professor of Chemistry
Susan Tusing, Head, Department of Visual and Performing Arts
J. Celeste Walley-Jean, Assistant Professor Psychology
Christopher J. Ward, Associate Professor of History
Eunice Warren, Associate Professor of Nursing
Sanford B. Weinberg, Associate Professor of Health Care Management
Anita H. Whiting, Associate Professor of Business
Katherine M. Willock, Director, Master of Science in Nursing