



*Tabor College*  
*One hundred twelfth Commencement*

*Saturday, May 21, 2022*



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*One Hundred Twelfth Commencement*

\* Processional

\* Invocation . . . . . Mbala (Henri) Ngolo  
*Class Representative, Tabor College MEI Program*

Welcome . . . . . Dr. David Janzen  
*President*

Graduate Address. . . . . Amy Ongstad  
*Class Representative, Tabor College MEd Program*

Scripture Reading – Ephesians 2:4-10 (NIV) . . . . . Dwight Rahming  
*Class Representative, Tabor College MBA Program*

Commencement Address . . . . . Alistair Robertson, Class of 1984  
*Pediatric Oncology Social Worker*  
“A Life’s Journey of the Weird and of God’s Grace”

Significance of Regalia . . . . . Dr. Rick Bartlett  
*Director of Theological Education & Associate Professor of Ministry*

Presentation of Graduating Class . . . . . Dr. Frank Johnson  
*Executive Vice President of Academic Affairs and Compliance*

Hooding Ceremony . . . . . Dr. Rick Bartlett  
*Director of Theological Education & Associate Professor of Ministry*  
Mark Posson  
*Director of Nontraditional and Business Programs, Assistant Professor of Business*  
Dr. David Stevens  
*Director of Education Program, Assistant Professor of Education*

Presentation of Diplomas . . . . . Dr. David Janzen  
*President*

\* Benediction . . . . . Mark Posson  
*Director of Nontraditional and Business Programs, Assistant Professor of Business*

\* Recessional

\* Audience is invited to stand.



## *Master of Business Administration*

- \* Riley Edward Ballou-Lyngstad, Edwardsville, KS
- \* Parker Slade Findley, Blanchard, OK
- Shannon Christian Johnson, Nassau, Bahamas
- \* Hannah Suzanne Jones, Las Vegas, NV
- Joshua P. Jones, Wichita, KS
- Camila Yumi Kamiya Garcia, Cerejeiras, Brazil
- \* Jeremy Krehbiel, McPherson, KS
- \* Dwight M. Rahming Jr., Nassau, Bahamas
- \* Damian Ratzlaff, Hillsboro, KS
- \* Steve Roukema, Chilliwack, British Columbia, Canada
- \*\* Jodie Lynn Ruiz Esparza, Newton, KS
- Samuel Mariano Silva, Independence, OR
- \* Danny Michael Smith III, Derby, KS

## *Master of Education*

- \*\* Emily Ballard, Harper, KS
- \* Kelsey Ballou-Lyngstad, Edwardsville, KS
- \*\* Karen Martens Bartlett, Wichita, KS
- \*\* Abigail Bishop, Casper, WY
- \*\* Olivia Claire Brubacher, Hesston, KS
- \* Hope Bunker, Wichita, KS
- \* Beth Corley, Casper, WY
- \* Jennifer Decker, Olathe, KS
- \*\* Jamie Lynn Driggers, Hillsboro, KS

- \*\* Olivia Jade Duerksen, Goessel, KS
- \*\* Jessica Ensley, Marion, KS
- \*\* Jennifer Lynne Flood, Derby, KS
- \*\* Mallory Lynn Gaskell, Wichita, KS
  - \* Rebecca Grant, Tulsa, OK
- \*\* Jonette Ann Kemling, Grant, NE
- \*\* Kayla Sue Kinser, Kingman, KS
- \*\* Eric Edwin Kruckenberg, Lindsborg, KS
- \*\* Christine Lynn Lightner, Garden City, KS
- \*\* Thea A. Lippoldt, Wichita, KS
- \*\* Tena Luanne Loewen, Hillsboro, KS
  - \* Jera McGraw, Ingalls, KS
  - Armando Meza-Casillas, Salem, OR
- \*\* Karla Elizabeth Monroy, Las Vegas, NV
  - \* Alison Brooke Nikkel, Centennial, CO
- \*\* Amy Beth Ongstad, Harvey, ND
- \*\* Dolly Kim Regier, Madrid, NE
  - \* Melissa Reves, McPherson, KS
- \*\* Tassanee Lydia Sanchez, Abbotsford, British Columbia, Canada
  - \* Kacie Ray Schmidt, Newton, KS
- \*\* Melody Rose Valencia, Peralta, NM
  - \* Lisa D. Wesner, Marion, KS
  - \* Kayla Christine Wilgers, Wichita, KS

## *Master in Ministry Entrepreneurship and Innovation*

- \* Melissa Renee Dickey, Boise, ID
- \* Kelly M. Heath, Jackson, MI
- \* Madison Grace Kemling, Raytown, MO
  
- Mbala Henri Ngolo, Dayton, OH

- \*\* High Honors, 4.00
- \* Honors 3.80-3.99

Leading the graduates are student representatives, Caleb Kliewer and Bethany Yutz

Please note that participation in today's commencement ceremony does not necessarily indicate degree completion. Upon degree completion, students will receive an official Tabor College diploma and the degree will be posted on the academic transcript. Names of graduates and honors earned are accurate as of noon May 12, 2022. We regret that later changes may not be reflected in the commencement program.

### Academic Regalia

The procession of faculty in academic dress, a higher education tradition, draws its meaning from the medieval universities. The system of academic dress worn in the United States originated at Columbia University in 1895.

The three types of black gowns symbolize the bachelor's degree, the master's degree, and the doctor's degree. The master's gown is distinguished by the slit sleeve which allows part of the arm to be exposed. The doctoral gown is faced with velvet and three velvet bars trim each sleeve.

The color of the satin lining of the hood represents the institution which granted the highest degree. Hoods are bound in velvet of the discipline color of the degree: Arts, Letters, Humanities-white; Commerce, Accountancy, Business-drab; Education-light blue; Fine Arts-brown; Library Science-lemon; Music-pink; Nursing-apricot; Philosophy-dark blue; Physical Education-sage green; Public Health-salmon pink; Science-golden yellow; Theology-scarlet.

