



Kansas City University

COLLEGE OF BIOSCIENCES

THE PINNING CEREMONY

Doctor of Clinical Psychology



THE HOODING CEREMONY

Master of Arts in Clinical Psychology

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OUR MISSION

Kansas City University is a community of professionals committed to excellence in education, research, patient care and community service while:

Improving the well-being of the communities we serve.

OUR VISION

Changing health care for good.

OUR VALUES

EXCELLENCE

Striving for quality, integrity and innovation

EQUITY

Supporting an inclusive and collaborative environment

EMPATHY

Caring for our students, our colleagues and our community

The Pinning & Hooding Ceremony

PROCESSIONAL

WELCOME

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Dean of the College of Biosciences

REMARKS

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RECOGNITION OF SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENTS

Sarah E. Getch, PhD
*Director of Health Service Psychology
& Assistant Provost for Accreditation*

2025 PSYD SCHOLARSHIP AWARD RECIPIENTS

Core Value Scholarship

Bella Rodriguez

Dean's Scholarship

Scarlett Fox

Kathryn Rene Kypke

Brittany Topps

Empathy Scholarship

Olivia Martin

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Hailey Kiana Sutherland

Bella Rodriguez

Serena Christie Zakharia

Jadyn Alexandria Miller

Carmen Ortiz

Emily Campos

Mariah Hirst

The Pinning Ceremony
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PRESENTATION OF THE PINS & BOOKS

Emily Campos	Hadley Mieras
Samantha Chase	Jadyn Miller
Mackenzie Coons	Isabelle Monroe
Nicolas Doucette	Carmen Ortiz
Scarlett Fox	Chloe Overkamp
Emma Hampton	Juan Owens
Elizabeth Hayes	Elizabeth Rivers
Mariah Hirst	Isabella Rodriguez
Zeenath Khan	Hailey Sutherland
Kathryn Kypke	Brittany Topps
Olivia Martin	Sophie Wilson
Raychel Martin	Kennedy Young
Samantha May	Serena Zakharia

PRESENTATION OF THE CLASS OF 2030

The Hooding Ceremony
for the Master of Arts in Clinical Psychology

PRESENTATION OF CANDIDATES

Leah Barreca, PhD
Assistant Professor of Psychology

Benjamin Barnes	Misty Huckabey
Avery Biga	Abbey Ranson
Zachary Fasig	Karsen Wilkins
Vy Mai	Natalie Hernandez
Emma Monsante	Madison McCormick
Grace Vallis	Rochely Negron
Abbie May	Hailey Hunter
Ariel Bock	Shannon Montague

GRANTING OF DEGREES

PRESENTATION OF THE CLASS OF 2028

RECESSIONAL

