

INDIANA UNIVERSITY SOUTHEAST  
FIFTY-SIXTH  
**COMMENCEMENT**



**MONDAY, MAY 6, 2024**

## ***THE STAR-SPANGLED BANNER***

O! say, can you see by the dawn's early light,  
What so proudly we hailed at the twilight's last gleaming,  
Whose broad stripes and bright stars through the perilous fight,  
O'er the ramparts we watched, were so gallantly streaming?  
And the rockets' red glare, the bombs bursting in air,  
Gave proof through the night that our flag was still there;  
O! say, does that Star-Spangled Banner yet wave,  
O'er the land of the free, and the home of the brave?

## ***HAIL TO OLD I.U.***

Come and join in song together,  
Shout with might and main;  
Our beloved Alma Mater,  
Sound her praise again.

### ***Chorus***

Gloriana, Frangipana,  
E'er to her be true;  
She's the pride of Indiana,  
Hail to old I.U.!

—Joe T. Giles, Class of 1894

# **FIFTY-SIXTH ANNUAL COMMENCEMENT**

## INDIANA UNIVERSITY SOUTHEAST

Monday, May 6, 2024  
10 a.m.

### **PAMELA WHITTEN, President of Indiana University, Presiding**

PRELUDE AND PROCESSIONAL	Indiana University Brass Quintet
<i>THE STAR-SPANGLED BANNER</i>	Led by Laney Mae Warren Class of 2024 School of Arts and Letters
WELCOME AND INTRODUCTORY REMARKS	President Whitten Deborah Ford Chancellor, Indiana University Southeast
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PRESENTATION OF THE CLASS	Chancellor Ford
STUDENT ADDRESS	Keziah Noelle Jones Class of 2024 School of Nursing
INTRODUCTION OF GRADUATES	Seuth Chaleunphonh Dean of Student Life, Indiana University Southeast
CONFERRAL OF DEGREES	President Whitten
CHARGE TO THE CLASS AND CLOSING REMARKS	President Whitten
<i>HAIL TO OLD I.U.</i>	Led by Lauryn Denice Miller Class of 2024 School of Arts and Letters
RECESSIONAL AND POSTLUDE	Indiana University Brass Quintet

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# COMMENCEMENT TRADITIONS

Today we celebrate the fifty-sixth Commencement exercises of Indiana University Southeast, representing the culmination and proud recognition of our graduates' academic achievements. The ceremony is rich in academic tradition and protocol and includes a Commencement address by the president, remarks by other speakers, the conferral of degrees, and the induction of graduates into the IU Alumni Association.

## ACADEMIC ATTIRE

All candidates for degrees and those who hold these degrees, including university officials, faculty, and visiting dignitaries, are attired in traditional caps and gowns.

### Caps

Candidates for degrees wear square caps (called mortarboards) adorned with tassels that reflect the school from which they are graduating. These tassel colors, which are largely standard across the United States, are:

- Arts and Letters—White
- Business—Drab
- Education—Light Blue
- Natural Sciences—Golden Yellow
- Nursing—Apricot
- Social Sciences—White

### Gowns

The gowns for bachelor's and associate degree recipients have closed front and open sleeves. The master's degree gown has extremely long, closed sleeves, from which the arms extend through a slit at the wrist; the end of the sleeve is square, with an arc cut away just above the bottom. Doctoral gowns have velvet panels down the front and voluminous bell-shaped sleeves, on which there are three velvet bars.

### Hoods

Master's degree candidates also wear hoods, which are not head coverings but stoles, edged in velvet and lined in satin, which flows down the wearer's back. The color of the velvet edging reflects the academic discipline; the satin lining reflects the institution granting the degree. Thus, Indiana University hoods are lined in cream and crimson. Doctoral hoods, worn by many faculty members, use the same system of color symbolism but are longer and wider than master's hoods.

### Honor Cords

Students who have been tentatively selected to receive their degrees with honors are entitled to wear cords pinned to the left shoulder of their gowns during the Commencement ceremony. Cream and crimson cords indicate the highest distinction, cream cords indicate high distinction, and crimson cords indicate distinction. Cords are provided by the university. The appropriate recognition is recorded on the individual's diploma as a permanent testimonial to achievement.

#### *Honor Cords for Veterans and Service Members*

Graduating students who have served or are currently serving in the U.S. Armed Forces wear red, white, and blue cords.

#### *Honor Cords for Honor Societies*

Currently, IU Southeast recognizes 19 honor societies that are active and in good standing. Graduating students who are members of these societies are eligible to wear cords representing their societies.

**Alpha Chi**—national honor society for juniors and seniors. Cord color is gold.

**Alpha Psi Omega**—theater honor society. Cord colors are light blue and amber.

**Association of Graduate Liberal Studies Programs**—national graduate program honor society. Cord colors are double gold.

**Beta Gamma Sigma**—business honor society. Cord colors are light gold and blue.

**Chi Alpha Epsilon**—leadership honor society. Cord colors are blue and white.

**Gamma Theta Upsilon**—national geography honor society. Cord colors are gold, blue, and brown.

**Kappa Delta Pi**—education honor society. Cord colors are purple and green.

**National Society of Leadership and Success**—national leadership honor society. Cord colors are black and platinum.

**Omicron Delta Kappa**—national leadership honor society. Cord colors are black, white, and blue.

**Phi Delta Kappa**—education honor society. Cord colors are red and white.

**Phi Eta Sigma**—national freshman honor society. Cord colors are gold and black.

**Pi Lambda Theta**—education honor society. Cord color is gold.

**Pi Sigma Alpha**—political science honor society. Cord colors are red, black, and white.

**Pinnacle**—honor society for nontraditional students. Members wear the society's pin.

**Psi Chi**—national psychology honor society. Cord colors are blue and gold.

**Sigma Delta Pi**—Hispanic honor society. Cord colors are red and gold, with a badge.

**Sigma Iota Rho**—international studies honor society. Cord color is gold.

**Sigma Theta Tau**—national nursing honor society. Cord colors are orchid and white.

**Tau Sigma**—honor society for transfer students. Cord colors are maroon and gold.

## THE HISTORY OF ACADEMIC ATTIRE

The academic costume of today has a history of nearly eight centuries. Students in the medieval universities of Paris, Bologna, Oxford, and Cambridge organized themselves into guilds; their usual garb, a long gown, was probably necessary for warmth in the unheated buildings. Scholars, who were generally members of church orders, wore these robes along with hoods to protect their shaved heads. Later, they wore skullcaps to protect their heads, and the hood developed into a cape that they could pull over their heads for extra protection in unpleasant weather. As additional universities were founded, their

faculties adapted distinctive forms of the gown and hood for bachelors (apprentices of arts), masters (teachers), and doctors (teachers who had completed postgraduate studies), which were marked mostly by differences among the hoods. These differences were regulated by strict rules; tailors who departed from the authorized design could be punished. Finally, when caps and hats came into fashion in the fifteenth century, the hoods became ornamental, draped over the shoulders and down the back.

The academic hat was adapted from the headgear worn by ordinary people and began as a symbol of the master's degree. It took various forms: some caps were stiff and

some were soft; some were square and some were round with a tuft in the center. The modern tassel is an elaboration of the tuft, and the mortarboard style comes to us from Oxford.

When academic costume came to America in 1754, styles were quite varied. In Europe, they still are, but in the United States, standardized rules for academic regalia were enacted in 1895 with the passage of the Intercollegiate Code (updated in 1932 and 1959). The code, created by an intercollegiate commission, prescribed the cut, style, and materials of the gowns, and the colors that were to represent the different fields of learning.



# GRADUATE AND UNDERGRADUATE DEGREE RECIPIENTS

This Commencement program should be regarded as a preliminary document, pending confirmation of all degrees. It includes lists of graduates whose degrees were conferred in fall 2023 and degree candidates for the 2024 spring and summer terms. Degrees will be conferred after the completion of all requirements is verified.

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Portable restrooms are located behind the seating area outside of Knobview Hall. Knobview Hall is also open, and restrooms are located on the first and second floors. Please seek assistance from an event usher if you have any trouble locating a restroom.

### PHOTOGRAPHY

Please remain seated during the Commencement ceremony and avoid using flash photography. GradImages, the official photographer for our Commencement ceremony, will take professional photographs of each graduate and capture the moment when they receive a diploma cover on stage. Proofs will be sent to the graduate's home and email addresses for purchase within three to five days after graduation.

### FIRST AID

If first aid is needed, please seek an event volunteer (red shirt) or visit the ambulance located on the top level of the seating area.

### GOWN RETURN

Please return your gown (and hood if you're a graduate student) in the postage-paid packaging provided by Herff Jones. Graduates who fail to return their gowns may be subject to a \$600 fine and a hold on their university account. Graduates may keep their cap and tassel, as well as the undergraduate stole of gratitude (if applicable).

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As a service to our graduates and their guests, the IU Southeast Bookstore will have a small booth on site, offering alumni and school spirit gift items, licensed diploma frames, clothing, and souvenirs. For your convenience, shipping will be available for a nominal fee.

Please take time to stop by the booth to begin your journey as a proud Indiana University graduate! If you need help locating the booth, please ask an usher for directions.

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## INDIANA UNIVERSITY SOUTHEAST

This year, Indiana University Southeast marked its 83rd year of operation and its 51st year at its scenic, 180-acre New Albany location. Originally founded in Jeffersonville in 1941 as the Falls City Area Center—an extension of IU Bloomington—the campus operated out of Room 33 at Jeffersonville High School and IU classes were offered in classrooms at various area high schools. By 1968, the name IU Southeast was adopted, and in 1973, classes opened at IU Southeast's present campus on Grant Line Road in New Albany.

Today, as one of Indiana University's regional campuses, IU Southeast is home to six schools: Arts and Letters, Business, Education, Natural Sciences, Nursing, and Social Sciences. With more than 100 degree programs and concentrations and approximately 50 minor options, IU Southeast offers a comprehensive array of undergraduate and graduate programs aimed at providing students with the skills and knowledge necessary for growth and success. IU Southeast is also one of the largest universities in the greater Louisville metropolitan region.

The campus holds extraordinary achievements in academic programs. The M.B.A. program

in the School of Business has been ranked as high as ninth for the best part-time M.B.A. program in the nation by *BusinessWeek* magazine. Additionally, IU Southeast students in the School of Nursing consistently score above the national average on their national licensing exams, and students from the School of Arts and Letters are nationally recognized in fields that include fine arts and advertising.

More than 370 full-time faculty and staff members provide quality education and personal attention. IU Southeast faculty members are recognized university-wide, nationally, and internationally for their teaching excellence, research, and creative accomplishments.

Classes at IU Southeast are designed to foster student-faculty relationships, facilitate individualized learning experiences, and promote lifelong learning for the citizens of southern Indiana and the greater Louisville metropolitan region. A reciprocity agreement offers in-state tuition for Kentucky residents in Bullitt, Henry, Jefferson, Meade, Oldham, Shelby, Spencer, and Trimble counties, and approximately 21 percent of IU Southeast students are from Kentucky.

In addition, IU Southeast continues to focus on preparing students for in-demand jobs and leadership in the region. Recently added programs include the Master of Arts in Clinical Mental Health Counseling, Master of Science in Management, Master of Science in Criminal Justice and Public Safety, Master of Science in Nursing, and post-baccalaureate transition to teaching programs in early childhood and special education.

Nearly 400 students live on campus in IU Southeast's five lodges, which opened in 2008. The lodges are the premier campus housing in the region, featuring apartment-style suites with full kitchens, furnished living rooms, and private bathrooms.

More than 39,000 students have earned IU Southeast degrees since the campus awarded its first degrees in 1968. IU Southeast alumni live in all 50 states and in many foreign countries.

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