## Fort Scott Community College 101st Annual



Saturday, May 14, 2022 9:00 a.m. & 12:00 p.m. Danny and Willa Ellis Family Fine Arts Center 2108 S. Horton • Fort Scott, Kansas

### Nine O'Clock Ceremony

°Processional"Pomp and Circumstance" by Edward Elgar				
°National AnthemFSCC Students & Graduates Evan Ballinger, Drake Garcia, Jacquelyn Hampton, Abagayle Sweat, & Collen Sweat				
Welcome				
Introduction of Honorary Degree RecipientRobert Nelson FSCC Board of Trustee Member				
Honorary Degree RecipientBernita Hill				
Emeritus Staff Recognition				
Emeritus Staff				
Presentation of the Candidates for Associate Degrees and Certificates				
Conferring of Degrees & CertificatesAlysia Johnston				
Presentation of Degrees & CertificatesFSCC Board of Trustee Members Dave Elliott, Kirk Hart, & Robert Nelson				
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Associate in Applied Science Degrees Associate in General Studies Degrees Certificates

 $^{\circ\circ} Recessional$  ........ "The Earle of Oxford's March" by Gordon Jacob

#### Pictures

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## Twelve O'Clock Ceremony

°Processional"Pomp and Circumstance" by Edward Elgar				
°National AnthemFSCC Students & Graduates Evan Ballinger, Drake Garcia, Jacquelyn Hampton, Abagayle Sweat, & Collen Sweat				
Welcome Alysia Johnston FSCC President				
Introduction of Outstanding AlumnusTom Havron Vice President of Student Affairs/Foundation Director				
Outstanding Alumnus				
Introduction of Outstanding Sophomore				
Outstanding Sophomore				
Emeritus Staff Recognition				
Emeritus Staff Debra Cummings & Kathy Malone				
Presentation of the Candidates for Associate DegreesAdam Borth				
Conferring of Degrees				
Presentation of Degrees				
Associate in Arts Degrees Associate in Science Degrees				
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### Daphne Hedrick 2022 Outstanding Sophomore

Daphne Hedrick graduated Cum Laude from Labette County High School in May 2020. At LCHS Daphne was an active participant in band and choir, serving as section leader for both groups. Daphne also served as Vice President of the Future Business Leaders of America and was named to the academic honor roll each year.

As a student in high school and at Fort Scott Community College, Daphne participated in

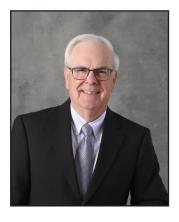
community service by volunteering for multiple food and clothing drives for St. Andrew's Church in Independence, Kansas. As a member of the FSCC Esports team, she has assisted with various campus activities, such as homecoming and hosting gaming events. Most notably, Daphne and her family regularly visit Mexico, and during these visits, they provide clothing, hygiene products, and toys to families in need. Daphne was an active participant in FSCC's TRiO Support Services program.

Her scholastic honors include Phi Theta Kappa Honor Society and Vice President's Honor Roll. Daphne has earned multiple scholarships from Esports, TRiO, Women in Science, P.E.O. Sisterhood, and other academic scholarships. Daphne earned these honors while working multiple jobs, participating in extracurricular activities, and volunteering to serve her community.

When asked about her accomplishments Daphne stated, "My most outstanding accomplishment is being a first-generation college student. Coming from an immigrant family, I feel as though I have been given opportunities to further my education that my mother did not have while living in Mexico."

Regarding her time at FSCC, Daphne explained how many faculty and staff members have, "been crucial to my success." She expressed a high level of appreciation for the TRiO office staff, Susan Benson (Tutor) and other student tutors, Ben Souza (Esports Coach), Susie Arvidson (Instructor and Librarian), and Maria Bahr (English Instructor). Daphne stated, "I have been provided with educational and faculty support that I would have never received if I did not attend FSCC."

After graduation from FSCC, Daphne plans to major in biology and be a member of the Esports team at Cottey College in Nevada, Missouri.



### Steve Armstrong 2022 Outstanding Alumnus

Mr. Armstrong moved to Fort Scott in 1960, and attended the Fort Scott Junior High School and Fort Scott High School (FSHS) respectively. He was active in several sports but focused on basketball. Armstrong graduated from FSHS in the spring of 1965 and received the Balfour Award during the graduation ceremony. He entered FSCC (formerly known as Fort Scott JUCO) as a freshman in the fall of 1965, where he was a member of the Greyhound basketball

team for two years and was selected captain of the team by his teammates for the 1966-1967 season. He graduated valedictorian of his class from FSCC in the spring of 1967, then continued his education and basketball career at Pittsburg State University, being elected captain by his teammates both years at the university. He graduated from PSU Magna Cum Laude in the spring of 1969 with a Bachelor of Science in Education degree. Mr. Armstrong majored in mathematics with a minor in social science, and the PSU Education Department presented him with the Outstanding Student in Education award. He was inducted into Omicron Delta Kappa, a national leadership honor society, and Kappa Mu Epsilon, a mathematics honor society.

Following graduation, Armstrong taught mathematics at the Fort Scott Junior High School for one year. The following year he entered the mathematics graduate program at PSU as a Graduate Assistant in the mathematics department, and graduated in the spring of 1971 with his Master of Science degree in mathematics.

Mr. Armstrong married his high school sweetheart, Janet, in May of 1971. They were blessed with two sons, Chris and Jeff. Both his boys are married and their family now includes two daughters-in-law, two granddaughters, and four grandsons.

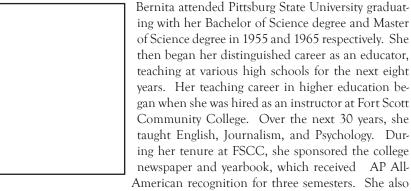
Armstrong was a member of the Fort Scott Kiwanis club and served as president during the 1976 bi-centennial celebration. Throughout the years he joined other club members in meeting various needs of the community. He served as chairperson for the United Way of Bourbon County, in addition to serving on the curriculum review committee charged with making recommendations for a revised math curriculum at the Fort Scott Middle School, the city commission for four years in the early 1990's (including mayor for one year), the planning committee for the Fort Scott Middle School, chaired the committees for the community-wide "Visioning" effort, and was involved in other philanthropic endeavors within the community. He was a member of the first Leadership Kansas class and is a long-time member of the Community Christian Church.

#### Steve Armstrong 2022 Outstanding Alumnus (continued)

Armstrong had two professional careers in his lifetime. His first career opportunity began in 1972 with The Western Insurance Companies located in Fort Scott. He began working in the automobile underwriting department and in 1978 was promoted to a position with the company's management team. At the time, his job responsibilities focused on risk analysis and rate structure, with an emphasis in developing an Actuarial department within the organization. In 1986, following the sale of The Western, he was transferred to Indianapolis, Indiana to the home office of American States Insurance. He was a member of the Corporate Planning department from the summer of 1986 to April 1, 1988, at which time he returned to Fort Scott to begin his second career.

On April 4, 1988 Armstrong began his career at FSCC. Initially hired to be the Director of the Management Information Systems operations at the College, his responsibilities were expanded to include the Director of Admissions. In the summer of 1990, he became a member of the President's administrative team and assumed the duties of Dean of Student Services. This responsibility included several areas across campus including supervising the Director of Admissions, the Registrar, the Financial Aid Director, Academic Advising, Dorm Director, Director of Management Information Services, and the Director of the Migrant Education Program. Mr. Armstrong stated, "It was my pleasure and honor to work with the talented employees in each of these areas to strengthen and increase the impact FSCC had on the lives of students they served." After nearly twenty-five years, he retired on February 1, 2013 to spend more time with his wife and family while taking time to enjoy traveling.

### Bernita Hill 2022 Honorary Degree Recipient



sponsored numerous clubs and activities including, Cheer and Pep Club. After retiring from teaching, Bernita continued her service to FSCC by serving as a Board of Trustee member for 19 years, during which she served as the President three times.

Bernita has always been extremely active and supportive of the Fort Scott Community. She is an Elder at First Presbyterian Church and was a 4-H leader; she continues to volunteer at the Bourbon County Fair whenever possible. Bernita belonged to the Daughters of the American Colonists and Daughters of the Revolution. She also volunteers for many community events, including Good Ol' Days.

Bernita has received numerous awards and accolades including the Jaycees Young Teacher of the Year award. She was an accomplished educator who served as a mentor to other FSCC faculty and was a long-time officer in the FSCC Faculty Association. Bernita and her late husband Bob are major donors to FSCC for many programs and projects including The Ellis Fine Arts Center.

Bernita continues to reside in Fort Scott and currently writes a column for the Fort Scott Tribune called "The Farmer's Daughter". She has two sons; John Hill with wife Carol Hill and Robb Hill with wife Carolyn Hill, and three grandchildren who, "are as proud of her as she is of them."

#### Certificate - Construction Trades

\*\*\*Bennie R Adarr •
Jeremiah Basnett

\*\*John Burk
Brett Cleland
Wayde Cox-Halliburton
Jason Lynn Cunningham •
Lane Gilbreath
Lucas Gilmore

\*Hunter Allen Holt

Chad Johnson
Hayden T Lowe
\*\*Trinton Marquis
\*\*Cadin O'Malley•

\*\*Noah Purinton

\*\*\*Landon Schneider
Brady Van Vlack

\*\*\*Peyton Wilderman•

#### Certificate - Cosmetology

Kylie Boyd Mason Claibourn Calli Leann Colvin • Luz Andrea Cuevas-Soria Britain Folk Lauren Nicole Giager Saydi Gutierrez Mejia • Madisyn Hall • Breleigh Harris • Paige Nicole Howe Jennifer P Leyva Dustey Nichole Mansell
Christina Kay McCuiston •
Samantha McCulley
Addison Oberley
Johnaley Price
Lucas Jay Runyon
Jordann Lynn Sherman
Jaycie Swisher
Rebecca Shea Thornton
Kenley Marie Widener

#### Certificate – Environmental Water Technology

William Butcher •

\*\*\*Sylvia Davis

Darin Ray Hollrah •

Ethan Kloster •

\*Ann E Rapp •

\*Stevin B Summers Jr •

#### Certificate - Farm & Ranch Management

Matthew Christopher Pike Cable Wareham Jonathan Wolgamott

#### Certificate - Harley-Davidson Motorcycle Service Technology

\*\*\*Eric Jonas Cameron
Lance Aaron Elliott
\*\*\*Robert Grubbs
\*\*\*William Carl Handley

Kyle Kegley

\*\*\*Shelby JoAnn Lynn

\*\*\*Joseph Wayne Ness

\*Dylan William Waggoner

### Certificate - Heating & Air Conditioning

Trentyn Harris Hayden Joseph Pile \*Brayden A Thompson
\*Lucas Webster

#### Certificate - Manicuring

Shpresa I. Balazi Alissa Rosa Button • Valerie Dawson • Kyndra Dixon • Tiana M. Jones

Serena Aracelie Melendez •

Richelle Molina •
Taylor R. Murphy
Alahna E. Recce
Londen L. Recce-Tyson
Jennifer Rowe •
Nicole C. Smith

### Certificate - Masonry

\*\*\*Tyson Bolden \*\*\*Caydon Zachary Brown \*\*\*Brandon Cole Favuzzi Kaleb Franklin Triston Hervey Quintonn Lunsford

#### Certificate - Welding

Kara Alissa Adamson Brenton Beerbower **Jevree Chamberlain** \*Hunter Coleman Justice Compton Javdyn L. Coons \*\*Daniel Ridge Crager \*\*Barbie Lee Dickinson \*\*\* Iadon Doss \*Jackson Thomas Earlywine Jonathon Dwight Earlywine William Lloyd Ethridge Joel Ray Feldman \*\*\*Carson Gardner Austin Garzone Iordan Grav \*\*Caden James Gulager Hunter R Hammonds William Scott Hill Wade Holt Virgil Hull \*Joshua William Ivans \*Jarod Johnson

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#### Associate in Applied Science – Construction Trades

\*\*Nathan Wayne Hines
Brayden Lamb
Hayden T Lowe
Connor Patrick Schneider
Nicholas Siebuhr

#### Associate in Applied Science - Cosmetology

Luz Andrea Cuevas-Soria Courtney Goucher • Rebecca Shea Thornton

#### Associate in Applied Science - Environmental Water Technology

Jacob Cochran • •

\*\*Mark Higgs

Darin Ray Hollrah

Ethan Kloster

\*Ann E Rapp

\*Stevin B Summers Jr •

### Associate in Applied Science -Farm & Ranch Management

Amanda Curfman

\*\*Dannielle Elynn Nagel

\*Lila Annette Wood

### Associate in Applied Science – Harley-Davidson Motorcycle Service Technology

Carl Ball \*Melinda Gath Brandon H Lalli•

Associate in Applied Science – Heating, Air Conditioning, Ventilation & Refrigeration

\*MacKenzie Hensley

### Associate in Applied Science – John Deere Agricultural Technology

Evan Carl Funk Warner Harms \*\*Samuel J Klement Cole Daniel Kliethermes \*Kendall James Krueth Adam Lester Dylan Michael Oehrke Dustin Strawn Jalen Vega Guy Charles Young

#### Associate in Applied Science - Nursing

Christine Alvarez
\*Lane Faith Bohlken
Skyelar Jo Brown
Stephanie Marie Cochran •
Tanya Lynn Davis
Kayla Renea Dees
\*Kaitlyn Dutton •
Elisabeth Eileen Ellis
Kara Lea Goddard
Mark Deen Goddard Jr •
Jessica Harrison

Crystal Ann Mary Henry-Rivas

\*Alexandria M Kolody •

Amber Ladd •

Hartly Merrell •

Britney Anne Neil •

Erin Kay Preston

\*Sara Robb

Autumn R Schellack
Gabriella Shea VanBecelaere •

Kelsie Westervelt

Jasmine Daishelle Winningham

Heidi Lauren Wood

#### Associate in Applied Science – Technical Studies

Britta J. Hawkinson

#### Associate in Arts

Gudisa Adnow Yaria Akers Marissa Renae Allen • Enoch Antwi Keenan Jayjon Anunay Jacob Peter Appleby Riley Badders Alexis Skye Bailey Ashlyn Jade Baldridge Ariyonna Tah'jai Baston Angelica Bernal Synclaire Borum Leilani Brooks-Jackson Tre Buchanan

#### Associate in Arts - (continued)

\*\*Matthew Robert Campbell \*\*Maddison M Cantrell Iin Cao• \*Kaitlynn Casner Clint Kenon Chappell Lucorien Gregory DeBoest Kaden DeMott \*Easton Dent • Kahlil Diarrah Colton Eck Emma Rose Epps Norma Floyd \*\*Cara Marie Folsom • Henok T Gebrekristos Landry Renae George Chanz John Gerleman \*Tyler Gorman Addisyn F Guilfoyle Raveion Harrell Karson William Harris \*\*\*Louis Natsuki Holt Mia Hull Jacqueline Celeste Ivie Myles Jackson • • Lonnell Johnson **Javda Renee Jones** \*\*\*Michael Kmiec \*\*Jerlyn Renee Kustanborter \*\*Kate Lee Landis

Zanoah N Lanham •

Nicholas Lawrence

\*\*\*Evann T Long \*Ethan Lopez \*Alyssa Martin Kyana Shae Lee Maxwell Artemus Kinte McCorkle Ir • Maggie Mae McDonald Jarvis Miles, Jr • • \*\*Derek Victor Drew Miller Marie Catherine Molev Peter Molev • • Isabell Katarina Moss \*Austin Kade Neal \*\*Josiah Elijah Noga \*\*Austin Michael Oswald • \*Mackenzie Ivv Peoples \*\*\*Andrew Ryan Perry Samantha Lee Prothe • • \*Wvatt Ramsdell \*Matthew D Rank • \*Clay Schmitz • John Simpson Jacob Skaggs Ethnie Stubbs Jr Carlee Ann Maree Studyvin \*Reece Thomas • \*\*Kiera Mackenzie Threlfall \*\*Noah Vantrease Oadiir Waid Caleb Watkins Joseph Watskey • Alexander Lee Williams • Gracve Ann Wilmurth Jaidyn Wilson• \*\*Mackenzie Winfield •

#### Associate in General Studies

Jacob Peter Appleby Riley Badders

Sammi Bailev•

Sarah Iris Bates

Alyssa Bough • •

Javin Burrell

Caleb Michael Clay •

Krystian Kamille Conway

Casi Noel Edgerton

Ja'Carria Ferrell

Tranisha R Garrett

Aaron Guerrero •

William Louis Hemsley

Samara Hernandez•

Leanna Jo Huddle

Kaley Alexandra Ishman

Bakari Nate Jackson • •

\*\*Kate Lee Landis

William Rolland Lewis

Mystikal Mcghee

\*\*Peyton Dean Messenger

\*Kenady Poyner

\*Wyatt Ramsdell

Samantha Rogers

Brandon Lee Sigmon •

Mindy Lynn Smith •

Iada Sneed

\*Mya Lynn Stewart •

\*\*\*Colleen Angeleigh Sweat

\*Ethan Titmus

Jhalen Patrick Turner

Hannah Marie Waddle•

Evan Williams

Isaiah Wilson V•

#### Associate in Science

Michael Clayton Abernathy III

\*Elizabeth Nicole Adamson

Jacob Peter Appleby

Kaitlynn R Atterbury

\*Claudia Ayerite •

Riley Badders

Brittley Bailey

Danny L Blanchard •

Madison Bowersock

Hunter Thomas Brennon •

\*Mia Lorene Bryant

Kevin Carter

\*\*Jack Alan Clark

\*Jeffrey Joseph Clarke

\*\*Kyleigh Hope Davis

Iacob B DeLaTorre

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\*\*Meghan Foster

Caleb Franklin •

Marcus Freeman Jr •

Allie Jo Fry

Caleb Garcia

\*Drake Garcia

\*Kailah De'Nai Gilmore

Shalon Graham

#### Associate in Science (continued)

\*Sierra Lynn Graham Dylan Graham \*\*Jacquelyn Shea Hampton Bailey IoLynn Harrison \*Daphne Marie Hedrick \*Cassidy Hegeman Blynn James Eugene Hill IV Ryan Keith Hillman Doriye' Jackson Jada Jelks-Browning \*Jennifer Jennings Katrina Louise Sue Johnson David Adam Jones Haven J Kelly \*\*\*Robert Charles Kemmerer \*Reagan Kennon \*\*Kate Lee Landis \*\*Ryan Thomas Lauts Addison Dean Lyons Connor Matthew Mason • \*\*Morgan Mayers • Cheryl McCulley \*\*Marcy Ann McDonald Peyton Matthew Medeiros \*Corbyn Meyers Ashlee Morev • Bailee Morgan \*\*Annabelle Paulette Morris \*\*Iosiah Elijah Noga

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#### Honors

\*\*\* Summa Cum Laude - 4.00 GPA

\*\* Magna Cum Laude - 3.75 - 3.99 GPA

\* Cum Laude - 3.50 - 3.74 GPA

- Graduated December 2021
- • Graduated Summer 2021

Graduates wearing gold stoles as part of their academic regalia are active members of Phi Theta Kappa – The National Honor Society.

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Vice President – Kyleigh Davis
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Secretary – Cara Folsom

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Agriculture	-
Allied Health	
Biology	•
Biology	
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Chemistry	
Construction Trades	•
Construction Trades (Masonry)	
Cosmetology	
Cosmetology	Fawn Lallemand
Cosmetology	Kelly Sims
Criminal Justice	Vanessa Poyner
English	Maria Bahr
English	Troy McCloughan
English	Kimberly Boyer
Harley-Davidson/EMT	Danny Fleming
Harley-Davidson	
History	
HVAC	
John Deere	
John Deere	Dale Griffiths
Mathematics	•
Mathematics	•
Music	. Denissa Rivas de Munguia
Nursing	
Nursing	Jennifer Jackman
Nursing	Darcus Kottwitz
Nursing	Sara Holder
Physical Science	Elie Riachi
Psychology	Deborah Allen
Social Science	Gerald Hart
Speech	
Theatre	Allen Twitchell
Welding	Kabria Davies
Welding	
Welding	Davis Oehme

Retirees...... Debra Cummings, Kathy Malone, & Darlene Wood

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Fort Scott Community College
is an institution of higher learning with a
long history of culture and diversity that
provides affordable academic,
technical, and occupational programs to
meet student needs while fostering
a mutually supportive relationship between
the college and its communities.

FSCC values and appreciates all who support our students from every aspect of our institution. A special thank you to the FSCC faculty and staff for their contributions to making this day a reality for our graduates.

Special thanks to: FSCC staff and students for assisting with the commencement.

In accordance with Kansas State Fire Marshal regulations, we request that you take a moment to identify the two emergency exits closest to you. We have checked these exits and the other emergency equipment in this building and verify they are available for use in case of emergency. In case of an emergency, pay close attention to the announcer or your usher for important life safety information.