

The University of Texas at
Arlington

College of Nursing and Health Innovation

Spring 2024

HOODING CEREMONY

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A MESSAGE FROM THE DEAN

It is with great pleasure I congratulate you on your accomplishment today. Graduate education is one of the most challenging and rigorous academic pursuits a student can undertake, and I am proud that each of you have risen above every challenge along the way to earn your degree. Your faculty have witnessed your incredible insight and professional growth, and I could not be prouder of this graduating class. Your contributions to the nursing, kinesiology and public health fields will make a lasting impact in our local community and far beyond North Texas as you share your knowledge and expertise.

As we honor you today with this hooding ceremony, I encourage you to continue your pursuit of education, to never stop learning, and to always be curious. I am confident you will head back into your careers or onto new ones and make a significant positive impact. Please stay in touch with UTA and let us learn about and share your many future achievements.

I wish you great and continued success as you venture forward with this new degree.

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Elizabeth J. Merwin". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large, decorative initial 'E'.

Elizabeth Merwin, PhD, RN, FAAN
Dean, College of Nursing and Health Innovation

Program

INTRODUCTION & WELCOME

Dr. Margarita Trevino

DEAN'S REMARKS

Dr. Elizabeth Merwin

KEYNOTE FACULTY SPEAKER

Dr. Ann Eckhardt

ENUNCIATOR

Dr. Jacqueline Michael

CEREMONY OF HOODING

Dr. Tammy Eades

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Dr. Kellie Kahveci

Dr. Laura Kunkel

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Dr. Matthew Brothers

Dr. Daniel (Danny) O'Neill

Dr. Kira Short

Dr. Katherine Sandlin

Dr. Aaron Langford

Dr. Erin Carlson

CLOSING REMARKS

Dr. Margarita Trevino

*Congratulations to the
College of Nursing and
Health Innovation's
Masters of Science in Nursing,
Masters of Public Health,
and Post Masters
Certificate graduates.*

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"Let us never consider
ourselves finished,
nurses. We must be
learning all our lives."

Florence Nightingale