



UNIVERSITY OF
CHARLESTON

CAPITO DEPARTMENT OF NURSING

Bert Bradford School of Health Sciences
Capito Department of Nursing

NURSING

Pinning Ceremony

BSN PROGRAM

Friday, April 25, 2025 | 5:00 p.m.

Pinning Ceremony Spring 2025

Graduating Class of 2025

Processional*..... Daniel Bellamy
Pianist

Slide Show..... Class of 2025

Invocation..... Isaac Isabell

Welcome..... Melissa Layne, MSN, RN
Associate Professor, Undergraduate Program Director Capito Department of Nursing

Awards..... Pam Smith, MSN, RN, FNP-BC, APRN
Assistant Professor, BSN Program Coordinator

History of the Nursing Pin..... Sandra Bowles, EdD, MSN, RN, CNE
Dean Emeritus, Bradford Division of Health Sciences

Pinning of Graduates..... Nursing Faculty

Nightingale Pledge..... Laura Adams, MSN, APRN-BC, ANP, WHNP
Assistant Professor

Presentation of Class..... Melissa Layne, MSN, RN
Associate Professor, Undergraduate Program Director Capito Department of Nursing

Benediction..... Zackary Tolley

Recessional*..... Daniel Bellamy
Pianist

*Special thank you to the Gideon's
Join us for refreshments after the ceremony.*

**Please Stand*

Brett Ash
Haleigh Adkins
Justin Adkins
Heather Allen
Nathan Avitia
Taylor Bennett
Gabriella Bianchi
Reagan Boykin
Hannah Calvert
Caylee Carmichael
Hannah Cash
Wei-Chih Chiu
Amber Cook
Kaitlin Cook
Danielle DeBenedictis
Savannah Fields
Allyssa Greaver
Lisa Hicks
Isaac Isabell
Beth Kidd

Sara Kirk
Shawna Kleinfelter
Abigail Lemon
Braley Murphy
Olivia Pelfrey
Charlie Pfof
Erich Pfof
Chasity Roach
Gabriella Roach
Megan Robinson
David Schweinefuss
Michael Schweinefuss
Kiah Smith
Natalia Teran
Zackary Tolley
Sarah Waldron
Jordan Walker
Deonte William
Angel Wiseman
Bonnie Wright

FACULTY & STAFF:

Dr. Mindy Smith,
DEL, MBA, MA, BSRT (R)(M), RDMS
Dean, Bert Bradford School of Health Sciences

Melissa Layne, MSN, RN
Undergraduate Nursing Program Director

Laura Adams, MSN, APRN-BC, ANP, WHNP
Assistant Professor

Tiffany Cornett, MSN, FNP-C
Assistant Professor
RN-BSN Program Coordinator

Patricia Lewis, APRN, FNP-C, MSN, MSATE
Assistant Professor

Tara Miller, MSN, RN, APRN-CNP
Assistant Professor

Cori Pettry, MSN, RN
Assistant Professor

Savannah Slaughter, BSN, RN
Instructor Professor

Ryan Skidmore, MSN, RN, FNP-C
Instructor

Pamela Smith, MSN, RN, APRN-BC, FNP
Assistant Professor
BSN Program Coordinator

Deborah Tonelli, MSN, RN, EdD
Assistant Professor

Erin Weaver, MSN, RN
Assistant Professor

Adam Patnoe
Simulation Coordinator

Jessica Pistner, BS
Administrative Assistant

— NURSE'S PLEDGE —

With full knowledge of the responsibilities that I am undertaking, I solemnly pledge myself to the service of humanity and will endeavor to practice my profession with consciousness and dignity. I will maintain by all the means in my power to honor the noble traditions of my profession.

The total health of my patients will be my first concern. I will hold in confidence all personal matters coming to my knowledge. I will not permit considerations of religion, nationality, race or social standing to intervene between my duty and my patient. I will endeavor to keep my professional knowledge and skills at the highest level and give my support and cooperation to all members of the healthcare team.

With full awareness of my qualifications and limitations, I will do my utmost to maximize the potential of the nursing profession and to uphold and advance its standards. I will maintain the utmost respect for humanity. I make these promises solemnly, freely, and upon my honor.

— COMMENCEMENT —

Saturday, April 26, 2025 | 10 a.m.

Russell & Martha Wehrle Innovation Center, University of Charleston