

The Platform Party enters first; the faculty enter in the following order:

## H. DA, MA 9, 2019

Evening Ceremony | 7:00 pm **COLLEGE OF CRIMINAL JUSTICE** 

Dr. Dennis Longmire, Mace Bearer

Dr. Joan Bytheway, Introduction of Graduates

## F IDA, MA 10, 2019

Morning Ceremony | 9:30 am **COLLEGE OF HEALTH SCIENCES** DEPARTMENTS OF FAMILY AND CONSUMER SCIENCES; POPULATION HEALTH

**COLLEGE OF EDUCATION** 

Dr. Rick Bruhn, Mace Bearer

Dr. G. Kevin Randall, Introduction of Graduates

## F. IDA , MA 10, 2019

Afternoon Ceremony | 2:30 pm **COLLEGE OF HEALTH SCIENCES** DEPARTMENTS OF KINESIOLOGY; NURSING

**COLLEGE OF HUMANITIES AND** SOCIAL SCIENCES

Dr. Rob Adams, Mace Bearer

Dr. Donna Desforges, Introduction of Graduates

## A. DA, MA 11, 2019

Morning Ceremony | 9:30 am COLLEGE OF FINE ARTS AND MASS COMMUNICATION **COLLEGE OF SCIENCE AND ENGINEERING TECHNOLOGY** 

Dr. Max Coleman, Mace Bearer Professor Tom Prior, Introduction of Graduates

## A DA, MA 11, 2019

Afternoon Ceremony | 2:30 pm

**COLLEGE OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION** 

Dr. Roger Abshire, Mace Bearer

Dr. Michael Pass. Introduction of Graduates

#### Presiding | Dr. Richard F. Eglsaer, Provost and Vice President for Academic Affairs

## CE I AL

#### POMP & CIRCUMSTANCE Edward Elgar]

SHSU Brass and Percussion Ensemble

Dr. Wesley Lawrence, Conductor

Dr. Sandy Hinkley, Song Leader

The audience will stand for Posting of the Colors and remain standing respectfully until the ROTC Color Guard has exited the auditorium.

#### POSTING OF THE COLORS

SHSU ROTC Color Guard

#### THE STAR-SPANGLED BANNER

[Text: Francis Scott Key: Music: John Stafford Smith] Dr. Sandy Hinkley, Song Leader

#### INTRODUCTION OF THE SPEAKER

Dr. Dana G. Hoyt,

President, Sam Houston State University

#### COMMENCEMENT ADDRESS

Thursday | Sylvester Turner Friday | Jamey Rootes Saturday | Randy McIlvoy

#### ALMA MATER

[Allen R. Hightower III/Anonymous] Dr. Sandy Hinkley, Song Leader

#### CONFERRING OF DEGREES

Dr. Dana G. Hoyt,

President, Sam Houston State University

#### REMARKS TO THE GRADUATES

Mr. Bryan Brown,

President, Alumni Board of Directors

**AULD LANG SYNE** [Robert Burns] Dr. Sandy Hinkley, Song Leader

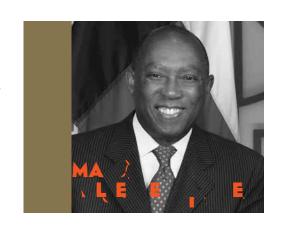
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#### **RONDEAU**

Dr. Sandy Hinkley, Song Leader

Audience seated for Processional and Recessional As a courtesy, please refrain from using noise makers during the graduation ceremony.





Elected in December 2015, Sylvester Turner is serving his first four-year term as Houston's 62nd mayor. Since taking office, Mayor Turner eliminated a \$160 million budget shortfall in record time; led the city's remarkable rebound from Hurricane Harvey; championed historic pension reform; cheered on the 2017 World Series-winning Houston Astros; hosted a successful Super Bowl LI; expanded municipal investments in renewable energy; and led the winning bid to host the World Petroleum Congress in 2020. One of the mayor's signature initiatives is Complete Communities, which aims to improve the quality of life for residents in all neighborhoods.

Mayor Turner's civic leadership has been nationally recognized through his service as a member of the U.S. Conference of Mayors Transportation and Communications Standing Committee, vice chair of the National Climate Action Agenda, member of the C40 and Global Covenant for Mayors for Climate and Energy, and an advisory board member of the African American Mayors Association. He is also the recipient of the Ohtli Award, the Mexican government's highest honor.

Prior to his election as mayor, Turner served for 27 years in the Texas House as the representative for District 139. He worked on the House Appropriations Committee for 21 years and served as Speaker Pro Tem for three terms.

Mayor Turner is a life-long resident of Houston and lives in the Acres Homes community where he grew up with eight siblings. He is a graduate of the University of Houston and earned a law degree from Harvard University. He began his law practice at Fulbright & Jaworski L.L.P., and later founded the Barnes & Turner Law Firm. He is the proud father of a daughter who is continuing the family tradition of public service in the healthcare field.



Jamey Rootes has been the leader with the Houston Texans for nearly two decades and currently serves as president. The Texans have consistently been recognized as one of the most valuable professional sports franchises both in the NFL and globally, as measured by a variety of business publications.

Under his leadership, the Texans have earned many distinctions, including numerous "Crystal Awards" for marketing excellence. J.D. Power & Associates recognized the team for providing the best fan experience in the NFL and even featured the Texans as a service success story in their book Satisfaction. The Texans also received **Sports Business Journal's** PRISM Award, which is given annually to the top major professional sports team based on business excellence criteria.

For his efforts, Rootes was selected as **Houston Business** Journal's Business Person of the Year in 2016, after serving as the chairman of the Greater Houston Partnership, deputy chairman and vice chairman for two public boards for the Super Bowl Host Committee, and elevating Houston's visibility on an international scale. He was instrumental in bringing one of the largest soccer tournaments, Copa America, to Houston as well as landing Monday Night Football in Mexico for the first time in NFL history.

A native of Stone Mountain, Georgia, Rootes graduated Cum Laude from Clemson University's Calhoun Honors College. While attending Clemson, Rootes was a member of the Tigers' soccer team that captured two NCAA titles and he served as Student Body President. While earning a Master of Business Administration with honors at Indiana University, he served as an assistant soccer coach for the Hoosiers. Rootes previously held positions at IBM and Procter & Gamble before entering sports. He lives in West University with his wife and their children.



Randy McIlvoy is a four-time Emmy Award winner for top sportscaster in Texas and has been nominated seven additional times. He joined KPRC 2 in Houston as Sports Director and anchor in 2004.

A native Houstonian, Randy graduated from Bellaire High School and then went on to Sam Houston State University, where he received a Bachelor of Science degree in 1989. His television career began with stops in Port Arthur, Beaumont, and Dallas before arriving at KPRC.

In his current role as Sports Director/Sports Anchor, he appears nightly on KPRC 2 Sports, along with Sports Sunday each Sunday night. Every fall, Randy hosts Houston Texans Gameday with Head Coach Bill O'Brien and serves as host of the popular Friday Football Frenzy. He stays busy with coverage of the Houston Texans, Houston Rockets, and 2017 World Series Champion Houston Astros along with the Dynamo and college teams in the region.

Randy also serves as the voice of the Southland Conference along with play-by-play work on the ESPN family of networks, Fox Sports Net and others.

Randy and his wife have been married 29 years and have two daughters. Together he and his wife founded Logos Prep Academy in Sugar Land in 2006, where she is head of school. In his free time, he is an avid golfer and saltwater fisherman and loves to travel.

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To reflect their achievement, graduates who have earned undergraduate academic excellence receive a gold cord at graduation plus an appropriate notation on their academic transcript. The gold cord indicates one of the following academic achievements: Summa Cum Laude, Magna Cum Laude, Cum Laude, With Academic Distinction, Alpha Chi, and Honors Program.

Degrees conferred Cum Laude, Magna Cum Laude, and Summa Cum Laude reflect an outstanding grade point average with a minimum of 32 semester hours earned in residence (resident classroom instruction). The distinction and corresponding grade point averages are: Cum Laude 3.50 - 3.66; Magna Cum Laude 3.67 - 3.85; Summa Cum Laude 3.86 - 4.00.

The Department Academic Distinction Program is an individualized learning experience that provides qualified students with a comprehensive introduction to meaningful research under the guidance of a designated faculty advisor.

Alpha Chi, a national honor society organized to recognize and promote scholastic excellence, is open to all university seniors who accepted membership and have achieved a 3.6 or higher grade point average on all college-level course work.

Participation in the Honors College is based on a competitive selection process and provides outstanding academic opportunities and distinct undergraduate college experiences. Upon successful completion of the requirements of the Honors College — 24 semester hours of Honors courses and two special seminars — the student's academic transcript will indicate graduation "With Honors" and the student may wear an Honors medallion with academic regalia. To be designated as having graduated "With Highest Honors," the student must also successfully complete a special senior project involving original research and/or an effort of creative expression.

NOTE: Semester credit hours earned in correspondence courses are not considered "resident classroom instruction" hours and are not used in determining the minimum semester credit hour requirement for academic honors: Cum Laude, Magna Cum Laude, Summa Cum Laude, Dean's List, and President's Honor Roll. However, the semester credit hours and grade points earned for correspondence courses are included in the calculation of the overall grade point average.

Sam Houston State University is proud to recognize graduating Veterans and military members with a specially designed veterans stole. The orange stole features camouflage tips bearing the SH logo on the right and the American flag with

Veteran designation on the left. On behalf of the entire Sam Houston State University community, President Dana G. Hoyt and the SHSU Administrative Officers extend their deepest gratitude and congratulations to these distinguished graduates.

Commencement is a significant and solemn event, the recognition of years of study. To make it more meaningful to all guests, participants are requested to avoid all unnecessary conversation and movement during the exercises.

Only the official photographer is allowed on the floor by the stage

Candidates will cross the stage as listed in the program.

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Congratulations to you and yours on this important accomplishment. The faculty, staff, and thousands of fellow College of Criminal Justice alumni are enormously proud you have achieved this personal milestone. We understand how hard you had to work to get here and the significance of your degree for you and your future. Your future is brighter and we are both proud and pleased.

We are also hopeful, not only for your future, but also for our own. Because you have developed skills in critical thinking, an orientation toward life-long learning, and a commitment to service, we know that our communities and society will benefit from your contributions as you go out into the world. If you are among the vast majority of our graduates who will continue in the field of criminal justice, we know that your education and values will be applied in ways that make our communities safer and improve the quality of our lives. SHSU's College of Criminal Justice confers more degrees in the field in this state than any other institution—by far. You and your fellow Bearkats will shape the future of criminal justice in Texas and beyond like no one else.

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On behalf of the College of Education, it is my pleasure to congratulate you on your graduation. You have achieved a great milestone, and we applaud you for this accomplishment. We recognize the hard work, commitment, and discipline that you have put forward in order to reach this point. We also want to thank the parents, friends, and other special people in your life who contributed to this accomplishment.

As you pursue your career in the field of education, know that you have chosen one of the most important, impactful professions our country has to offer. We commend you on this choice and know that you will have a positive influence on the future of our nation, our communities, and our children. As an educator you will face a variety of challenges. You will also possess limitless opportunities to truly touch the future and to make a difference. Our hope for you as you graduate from the College of Education is that you always dare greatly, that you move forward after your graduation celebrations today and begin a career marked by caring, service, and integrity.

We challenge you to embrace this responsibility and use the tools and skills you have developed at Sam Houston State University to give of yourself in the greatest way possible. Be the type of educator that, when the next generation of students is asked who made a lasting difference in their lives, the person they think of is you. The opportunity is yours, and we know you are ready. Enjoy the journey!

Dr. Stacey L. Edmonson, Dean

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