

Roseman University of Health Sciences College of Nursing

CLASS OF 2024

ABSN June 2023 – 2024
Pinning Ceremony

Tuesday, October 15, 2024
6PM PDT

Sam's Town Hotel and Gambling Hall

Sam's Town Live! Room

5111 Boulder Highway

Las Vegas, NV 89122

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WELCOME

Dr. Brian Oxhorn, *Dean, College of Nursing*

GREETINGS

Dr. Eucharia Nnadi, *Chancellor*

Dr. Renee Coffman, *President*

INTRODUCTION OF COLLEGE OF NURSING FACULTY AND STAFF

Dr. Brian Oxhorn, *Dean, College of Nursing*

TRADITION OF THE PINNING CEREMONY AND LIGHTING OF THE CANDLE

Mrs. Marika Kerr, *Assistant Professor*

CLASS OF 2024 STUDENT SPEAKER

Ms. Thania Carrillo

PRESENTATION OF BSN STUDENTS

Dr. Andrea LeClaire

Associate Dean of Faculty Affairs & Learning Innovation, College of Nursing

PINNING

Dr. Brian Oxhorn, *Dean, College of Nursing*

LIGHTING OF THE CANDLE

Dr. Tamra Carley, *Assistant Professor*

OATH

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RECOGNITIONS

Mrs. Stephanie Mastin, *SNA*

Mrs. Esperanza Obasi, *AAPINA*

Dr. Federico Calixtro, *Honors*

Dr. Barbara Tanner, *MANSNA, CCESNA*

Dr. Andrea LeClaire, *GHSNA*

Dr. Brian Oxhorn, *Class Officers*

Dr. Andrea LeClaire, *Spirit of Nursing*

Dr. Brian Oxhorn, *Dean's Award*



Recipients of the College of Nursing Pin

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ACCELERATED BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN NURSING (ABS N)

Savannah Marie Aguayo ⁺ ^ψ

Edward Angel Alvarez

Kristina Tamar Amirchian ⁺

Kristina Karin Banks-Tamanaha

Jerelyn Pagaragan Batalon ⁺ [§] ^ψ

Nancy Marie Baulsir ⁺

Duncan Gabriel Birkwood ⁺

Thania E. Carrillo Parra ^π ^{*} [§] ^ψ

Jasmine C Chen

Lorpu Louise Cooper [■] [§] ^ψ

Kiana Taylor Kuualoha Cortez

Eddie Maurice Davis

Sheryll Ann Nicolas DeVega ^π ^{*} [■] [§] ^ψ [○]

Daphne Nicole Dimatulac ^π [§] ^ψ

Jody Marie Fassette

Miori Tatiana Freeman ⁺ [■] [§] ^ψ

Karina Garcia [§]

Ruby Leenda Gimeno ⁺ [■] [§] [○]

Claudia Gomez Reveles [§]

Natalie Guzman

Chung Ki Ho

Ximena Alejandra James

Ashley Nicole Johnson

Lori Kim Lam

Bianca Garcia Martinez ⁺

Isabella Marie Maypa ^π ^{*} ⁺ [■] [§] ^ψ [○]

Michaela Imani Odom

Jasmin Ortega

An My Khue Phuong ^π ⁺ [§] ^ψ [○]

Carolina Nicole Ramirez

Gabriela Mendez Rendon

Stephanie Ann Robertson

Jocelyne Veronica Santoyo ⁺ [■] [§] [○]

Stephen Roy Scott ^{*}

Jeffrey Allen Shaul

Scott Dalton Spinner ⁺

Cynthia Tran ^π ⁺ [■] [§] ^ψ [○]

Monica Vasquez ⁺

Kyle Jasper Joven Viray ^π ⁺ ^ψ

Sang Ho Yim

Katrina Cruz Zacarias ^π ⁺ [§] ^ψ

^πDenotes Asian American/Pacific Islander Nurses Association | ^{*}Denotes Cohort Officer

⁺Denotes Critical Care and Emergency Student Nurses Association

[■]Denotes Global Health Student Nurses Association

[§]Denotes Maternal and Neonatal Student Nurses Association ^ψDenotes Nursing Honors Society

[○]Denotes Student Nurses Association

PINNING CEREMONY

THE PROFESSION OF NURSING

The profession of nursing is recognized as both an art and a science. The utilization of research-based knowledge, professional judgment and critical thinking skills are the science of nursing. The art of nursing is reflected in the therapeutic nurse-client relationship that incorporates interpersonal components, such as caring and compassion. Together, the art and science of nursing empower the professional nurse to provide high quality holistic nursing care. Roseman University of Health Sciences (Roseman) College of Nursing is dedicated to preparing students to become proficient professionals who will provide the utmost service to the community by maintaining their integrity as professionals through principled actions and ethical decision making. This is accomplished by presenting an innovative curriculum that provides students with the knowledge needed to practice their profession and to become life-long learners.

HISTORY OF THE NURSING PIN

In the 11th century, various military and religious orders of hospitallers who cared for the sick and wounded Crusaders were honored with badges. Later in the 1860s, Florence Nightingale devoted herself to caring for casualties of the Crimean War. In recognition of her service, she was awarded The Cross of St. George. Florence then extended the honor by presenting a medal of excellence to the most deserving student graduates at The Nightingale School of Nursing – London. Today, nursing schools around the world give a Nursing Pin to represent a medal of excellence to their student nurses upon graduation. Each school of nursing pin has its own distinct design which represents the symbols, colors and phrases that illustrate the mission and philosophy of the school.

ROSEMAN NURSING PIN

The Roseman Nursing Pin is designed in the University colors of burgundy and silver. The shape of the pin symbolizes the unique “Block” curriculum of the Roseman program. Moreover, the four sides of the pin represent the College of Nursing Core Values - Service, Integrity, Innovation and Knowledge. The Lamp of Knowledge on the lower half of the pin signifies the nurse’s science-based knowledge and commitment to life-long learning, which are the foundation of professional nursing practice. The lamp’s bright flame is reserved for those who, like Florence Nightingale, strive to light the way for others through knowledge and compassion. A glorious sunrise against the Intermountain West is displayed on the upper half of the pin. This image serves to remind Roseman graduates that although they started their nursing career in the Intermountain West, with every new day, they have limitless opportunities to better the life of others all over the world.

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SAVANNAH MARIE AGUAYO

Thank you to my family for the support and motivation throughout this journey and a special thank you to my parents and my partner for everything you did to make this entire process easier for me. I couldn't have done it without any of you.



EDWARD ANGEL ALVAREZ



KRISTINA TAMAR AMIRCHIAN

Without the love, selflessness, and guidance of my Mama, Papa, Lola, and Julian, I would be nowhere. You are the lights of my life and I hope to have made you proud.



KRISTINA KARIN BANKS-TAMANAHA

Thank you, family and friends, for always being supportive. Now let's celebrate the ending of this chapter.



JERELYN PAGARAGAN BATALON

Thank you to my family, boyfriend, and friends for all of your unconditional love and support throughout my nursing school journey! I couldn't have done it without you all, I LOVE YOU!



NANCY MARIE BAULSIR

Thank you to my family and friends for supporting me throughout this journey. I couldn't have done it without you. Special thanks to my husband Keith for believing in me, for his enduring patience, and constant support.



DUNCAN GABRIEL BIRKWOOD

Thank you to all of my incredible family who came from all over the country to support me today, and a special thank you to my girlfriend Nora who has been by my side throughout all the challenges of nursing school.

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THANIA E. CARRILLO PARRA

A student nurse is graduating today, what is her priority?

- A. Cry/ smile
- B. Thank her family and friends
- C. Walk proudly
- D. All answers sound correct!



JASMINE C CHEN

Thank you family and friends for all of your support throughout this journey.



LORPU LOUISE COOPER

I am deeply grateful to this University for shaping my future aspirations. My heartfelt thanks go to my love for your unwavering support and kindness, to my mother for her long-held dreams, and to my son for renewing my purpose and strength. To everyone who has supported me—your encouragement has been invaluable.



KIANA TAYLOR KUUALOHA CORTEZ



EDDIE MAURICE DAVIS

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SHERYLL ANN NICOLAS DEVEGA

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DAPHNE NICOLE DIMATULAC

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JODY MARIE FASSETTE

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MIORI TATIANA FREEMAN

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KARINA GARCIA

Thank you to my parents for all of their sacrifices made so I could be here today. Thank you to my angels in heaven for giving me a purpose in life. I am a proud first generation Mexican-American graduate obtaining a Bachelor's degree in the science of Nursing. SI SE PUEDE!



RUBY LEENDA GIMENO

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NATALIE GUZMAN

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CHUNG KI HO

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XIMENA ALEJANDRA JAMES

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ASHLEY NICOLE JOHNSON

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LORI KIM LAM



BIANCA GARCIA MARTINEZ

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MICHAELA IMANI ODOM

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JASMIN ORTEGA

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AN MY KHUE PHUONG

Thank you to my day ones for always believing and supporting me, you R N good hands!



CAROLINA NICOLE RAMIREZ

Through late night study sessions, tearful moments, and moments of doubt my friends and family have been my guiding light. Their love and encouragement propelled me through every challenge I've faced in nursing school. As I embark on my nursing career, I will carry their love and encouragement with me.



GABRIELA MENDEZ RENDON

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STEPHANIE ANN ROBERTSON

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JOCELYNE VERONICA SANTOYO

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STEPHEN ROY SCOTT

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JEFFREY ALLEN SHAUL

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SCOTT DALTON SPINNER

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CYNTHIA TRAN

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MONICA VASQUEZ

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KYLE JASPER JOVEN VIRAY

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SANG HO YIM



KATRINA CRUZ ZACARIAS

To my nursing friends, thank you from the bottom of my heart for always being there for guidance and support. To my family and partner for giving me the strength and encouragement to push through, I love you. Thank you all for being my pillars of strength on this journey.



NURSING OATH

In full knowledge of the obligations I am undertaking, I promise to practice professional nursing with all my skills and the understanding I possess, without regard to race, creed, color, politics, or social status of those entrusted to my care, sparing no effort to preserve quality of life, alleviate suffering, and to promote health as affirmed by the person.

I will respect at all times the dignity and beliefs of the patients under my care, holding in confidence all personal information entrusted to me, and refraining from any action which may endanger life or health.

I will endeavor to keep my professional knowledge and skills at the highest level, and to give support and cooperation to all members of the healthcare team.

I will do my utmost to honor the International Code of Ethics applied to nursing, and to uphold the integrity of the profession.

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