



UNIVERSITY OF OREGON COMMENCEMENT

# NEUROSCIENCE

SUNDAY, JUNE 15, 2025

COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES  
NEUROSCIENCE

# COMMENCEMENT CEREMONY

SUNDAY, JUNE 15, 2025 · 8:00 A.M.  
ERB MEMORIAL UNION BALLROOM

Welcoming Remarks

**Nicole Dudukovic**

Neuroscience Major Director

Student Speaker

**Alejandra Harris Caceres**

Valedictorian

Presentation of Baccalaureate Candidates

Recessional and Adjournment

Reception

Erb Memorial Union Redwood Room

# NEUROSCIENCE PROGRAM HONORS

**Riley Alexander Acker**

“Theta Oscillations in Episodic Memory”

**Madison Acosta**

“Age-Related Changes in Perceived Stress and Brain Volume in Adolescent Girls”

**Jake Durham Bradbury**

“Representations of Individual Memories in Cortical Activity Patterns”

**Toby Brewster**

“Parsing Arrow Automaticity: Global Precedence and Interference in Hierarchical Stimuli”

**Jacob Robert Drum**

“The Temporal Dynamics of Nondual Awakening: A Qualitative Analysis”

**Casey Lennon-Jones**

“Depression-Like Behaviors and Disrupted Neural Synchrony in Anosmic Mice”

**Austin Manning**

“Correcting for Glutathione Concentration Differences between Tissue Type in the Adult Human Brain”

**Cinthia Valeria Muñoz Sánchez**

“Brain Activity during Movement Stopping: Parkinson’s Disease vs. Controls”

**Maddison Tilly Perring**

“Peer Engagement between Preschoolers”

**Brynn Smith**

“Social Interactions as a Pathway for Microbiome Transmission”

**Tapley Sorenson**

“Noradrenergic and Arousal Dynamics during Sleep and DOI-Induced States

**Kyle Stupfel**

“Effect of the Psychedelic Drug DOI on Synaptic Plasticity in the Nematode *C. elegans*”

**Aubrey Welburn**

“Healthcare Accessibility for Autistic and Otherwise Neurodivergent Students”

# DEGREE CANDIDATES

Note: Not an official degree list. Students listed are eligible to participate in the commencement ceremony at the time this program was printed.

## Baccalaureate Candidates

Riley Alexander Acker<sup>3 4 6</sup>

Madison Acosta<sup>2 4 6</sup>

Kikachi Akpakwu

Tanmaya Allamsetti

Ava Arom

Noah Chase Berryman

Madeline Isabella Bingham

William Boggs

Jake Durham Bradbury<sup>3 4 6</sup>

Toby Brewster<sup>6</sup>

Payton Brintnall

Myrka Ayala Congachi

Lainey Ellen Costa<sup>3 4</sup>

Matthias De Kok

Bradley Dibble<sup>3 4</sup>

Laiah Ariana Dizaiy

Daniel Philip Dougherty<sup>2</sup>

Jacob Robert Drum<sup>2 4 6</sup>

Natalie Duetlgen

Emilie Eckhaus

Elli Follett

Evelyn Fox

Cambria Grace Hagfeldt

Amy Harding

Alejandra Harris Caceres<sup>1 4 5</sup>

Annette Hollis Hayes<sup>1 4</sup>

Katelyn Hughes

Claire Lanie Jenkins

Izzi Kahn

Amy Kelly

Casey Lennon-Jones<sup>1 4 6</sup>

Robyn T. Lopez

Sophia Lopez-Hodgdon<sup>4</sup>

Celine Alondra Lopez Padilla

Austin Manning<sup>6</sup>

Leah Mason

Layla McKee

Katerina Nicole Milhausen<sup>4</sup>

Rebecca Miller

Estefan Montero-Agurso

Cinthia Valeria Muñiz Sánchez<sup>3 6</sup>

Rebecca Ellen O'Donnell

Hayden Byron Penn

Maddison Tilly Perring<sup>6</sup>

Jacqueline Mercedes Pilon

Maggie Roberts

Noor Shaikh

Adam Shuaib

Brynn Smith<sup>3 4 6</sup>

Tapley Sorenson<sup>1 4 6</sup>

Alanna Sowles<sup>2</sup>

Grace Stevens

Kyle Stupfel<sup>3 4 6</sup>

Teagan Sutherland

Aubrey Welburn<sup>3 4 6</sup>

Anna Wencel

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<sup>1</sup> summa cum laude <sup>2</sup> magna cum laude <sup>3</sup> cum laude <sup>4</sup> Phi Beta Kappa <sup>5</sup> Oregon Six <sup>6</sup> department honors

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**Christopher P. Long**, Provost and Senior Vice President

**Chris Poulsen**, Tykeson Dean of Arts and Sciences

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We express our respect for all federally recognized tribal nations of Oregon. This includes the Burns Paiute Tribe; the Confederated Tribes of the Coos, Lower Umpqua and Siuslaw Indians; the Confederated Tribes of the Grand Ronde Community of Oregon; the Confederated Tribes of Siletz Indians of Oregon; the Confederated Tribes of the Umatilla Indian Reservation; the Confederated Tribes of Warm Springs; the Coquille Indian Tribe; the Cow Creek Band of Umpqua Tribe of Indians; and the Klamath Tribes. We also express our respect for all other displaced Indigenous peoples who call Oregon home.

