

**NC STATE**  
Poole College of  
Management

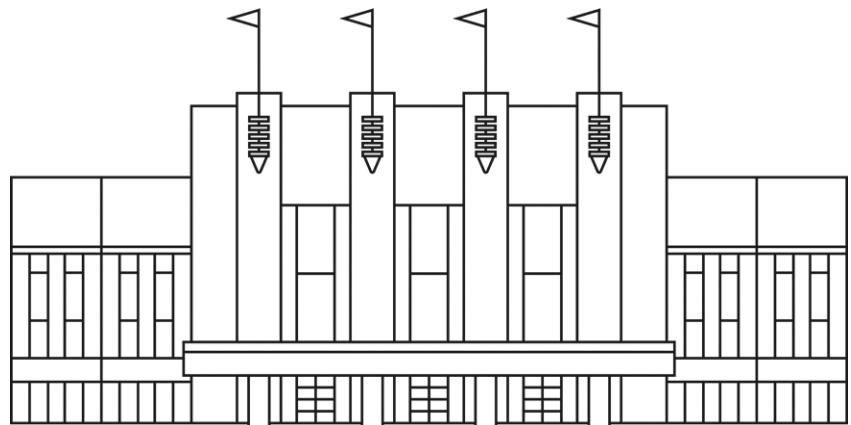
**COMMENCEMENT**

December 11, 2025

Reynolds Coliseum  
Raleigh, NC

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commencement ceremony can be viewed on the livestream at:  
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William Neal Reynolds Coliseum

## Order of Events

### Processional

*Pomp & Circumstance March No. 1* by Sir Edward Elgar

### Opening Remarks

Frank A. Buckless, PhD

Stephen P. Zelnak Jr. Dean

### Address to Fellow Graduates

Benjamin Richard Cole, Class of '25

BS in Business Administration

## RECOGNITION OF GRADUATE DEGREES CONFERRED

### Jenkins Graduate Programs

Vikas Anand, PhD

Associate Dean for Academic Programs

Richard Warr, PhD

Associate Dean for Faculty and Research

### Doctor of Philosophy in Economics

Graduates presented by: Umut Dur, PhD

Graduates hooded by: Denis Pelletier, PhD

### Master of Science in Economics

Graduates presented by: Umut Dur, PhD

Graduates hooded by: Denis Pelletier, PhD

### Master of Economics

Graduates presented by: Umut Dur, PhD

Graduates hooded by: Denis Pelletier, PhD

### Master of Accounting

Graduates presented by: Kathy Krawczyk, PhD

Graduates hooded by: D. Scott Showalter, CPA

### Master of Business Administration

Graduates presented by: Don Warsing, PhD

Graduates hooded by: Vikas Anand, PhD

### Master of Management, Marketing Analytics

Graduates presented by: Rishika Rishika, PhD

Graduates hooded by: Vikas Anand, PhD

### Master of Management, Risk and Analytics

Graduates presented by: Ericka Kranitz, MS

Graduates hooded by: Vikas Anand, PhD

## PRESENTATION OF DIPLOMAS

### Undergraduate Programs

Tedd Szeto, PhD

Assistant Dean for Undergraduate Programs

### Bachelor's degrees in Accounting

Department Head: Roby Sawyers, PhD

Graduates presented by: Eileen Taylor, PhD

### Bachelor's degrees in Business Administration

Interim Department Head: Sebastian Heese, PhD

Graduates presented by: Mark Walker, PhD and Thomas Byrnes, DBA

### Bachelor's degrees in Economics

Department Head: Denis Pelletier, PhD

Graduates presented by: Andy Nowel, ME

### Alumni Induction and Pinning

Brian Clark, MS

Executive Director of Philanthropy

### Alma Mater

By Alvin M. Fountain and Bonnie F. Norris Jr., Class of 1923

Poole Staff and Faculty Ensemble

### Closing Remarks

Frank A. Buckless, PhD

Stephen P. Zelnak Jr. Dean

### Fanfare

### Recessional

## Academic Programs Leadership

### Deans

#### **Frank A. Buckless, PhD**

Stephen P. Zelnak Jr. Dean and Professor of Accounting

#### **Vikas Anand, PhD**

Associate Dean for Academic Programs and Professor of Management, Innovation and Entrepreneurship

#### **Richard Warr, PhD**

Associate Dean for Faculty and Research and Professor of Finance

#### **Nichole Miller, MS**

Assistant Dean for Graduate Programs

#### **Tedd Szeto, PhD**

Assistant Dean for Undergraduate Programs

### Department Heads

#### **Jonathan Bohlmann, PhD**

Department Head of Marketing and Professor of Marketing and Innovation

#### **Sebastian Heese, PhD**

Interim Department Head of Information Technology, Analytics and Operations and Owens Distinguished Professor of Supply Chain Management

#### **Karen Jansen, PhD**

Department Head of Management, Innovation and Entrepreneurship and Professor of Leadership and Change

#### **Denis Pelletier, PhD**

Department Head of Economics and Professor of Economics

#### **Roby Sawyers, PhD**

Department Head of Accounting and Forvis Mazars Professor of Accounting

#### **Mark Walker, PhD**

Department Head of Finance and Professor of Finance

## Academic Programs Leadership

### Program Directors

#### **Umut Dur, PhD**

Director of Graduate Economics Programs and Professor of Economics

#### **Ericka Kranitz, MS**

Director of Master of Management, Risk and Analytics Program and Professor of Practice in Accounting

#### **Paul Mulvey, PhD**

Director of Undergraduate Business Administration Program and Alumni Distinguished Professor of Human Resource Management

#### **Andy Nowel, PhD**

Director of Undergraduate Economics Program and Senior Lecturer of Economics

#### **Rishika Rishika, PhD**

Director of Master of Management, Marketing Analytics Program and Associate Professor of Marketing

#### **Scott Showalter, CPA**

Director of Master of Accounting Program and Professor of Practice in Accounting

#### **Eileen Taylor, PhD**

Director of Undergraduate Accounting Program and Professor of Accounting

#### **Don Warsing, PhD**

Director of Master of Business Administration Program and Associate Professor of Operations and Supply Chain Management

## Welcome from the Dean

Dear Graduates:

On behalf of the NC State Poole College of Management faculty and staff, congratulations to you on this achievement! I also congratulate your family members and friends who supported and encouraged you along the way.

Our top priority as a college of management is the success of our students. We aim to attract, educate and prepare you, our talented and diverse student body, to make meaningful contributions in your chosen fields.

I look forward to staying connected with you and learning about your next steps as you apply what you've learned during your time here at NC State.

I am grateful to be part of an exceptional college community that celebrates excellence, innovation, ethical decision-making – and works tirelessly to think beyond traditional boundaries to do the extraordinary. You are an important part of that community and are making it possible for us to continue raising the bar for management education at NC State – thank you!

All of us at the Poole College of Management send our best wishes for a bright future.

  
Frank Buckless  
Stephen P. Zelnak Jr. Dean  
Poole College of Management



## Academic Regalia

The bachelor's degree graduates typically wear a "Wolfpack Red" cap and gown, a tradition that began in 2010.

The master's and doctoral graduates typically wear a traditional black cap and gown and a colored hood. Of all the components of the academic costume, the hood is most symbolic. The hood's coloring and size represent the level and subject of degree earned, as well as the institution from which it was awarded. The hood has colors on it in two different places. On one side of the hood there are patches of velvet, and on the other side there are large patches of silk. The silk patches are the colors of the institution that gave the degree. The velvet indicates the area of study.

Faculty typically wear the regalia of the institution from which they earned their highest degree.

The graduates typically wear a cap or "mortar board" with a tassel. The tassels for the PhD degree are gold, and those for other graduate and professional degrees may correspond to the trimmings on the hoods.

The stoles and cords represent a rich variety of honors and associations in which the graduates have participated during their time at North Carolina State University.

Undergraduate honors are designated by stoles in the following colors:

<b>White</b>	<b>* Cum Laude</b>	<b>GPA of 3.250 through 3.499</b>
<b>Silver</b>	<b>** Magna Cum Laude</b>	<b>GPA of 3.500 through 3.749</b>
<b>Gold</b>	<b>*** Summa Cum Laude</b>	<b>GPA of 3.750 and above</b>

## Address to Fellow Graduates

### **Benjamin Richard Cole, Class of '25** **BS in Business Administration**

Ben Cole has demonstrated strong leadership throughout his time at Poole, serving on the executive boards of the American Marketing Association and 180 Degrees Consulting. He also co-founded the NC State Sales Club and was a four-time competitor with the Pack Global Case Club. Outside of Poole, Cole was a personal trainer at the Wellness and Recreation Center.

He gained industry experience as a Business Analyst intern at Red Hat last summer, an opportunity he learned about through the Poole College of Management Career and Internship Fair. Cole is graduating with a Bachelor of Science in business administration with a concentration in business analytics. After graduation, he plans to pursue a career in technology consulting in Boston or New York City.

## Jenkins Graduate Programs

### **Doctor of Philosophy in Economics**

#### **Khalid Alwuhaib**

Dissertation: *Assessing Consumer Welfare Impacts of Public Housing Policies, Residential District Cooling, and VRF in Kuwait*  
Under the direction of Dr. Zachary Brown and Dr. Harrison Fell

#### **Austin Hooe**

Dissertation: *Studies on International Sanctions and Foreign Direct Investments*

Under the direction of Dr. Mark Walker and Dr. Ivan Kandilov

#### **Ariel Hsu**

Dissertation: *Essays on Mechanism Design and Social Network Dynamics in Health and Education*

Under the direction of Dr. Melinda Morrill and Dr. Thayer Morrill

#### **Junyeob Kim**

Dissertation: *Commodity Price Cycle*

Under the direction of Dr. Barry Goodwin and Dr. Daisoon Kim

## **Master of Economics in Science**

Henil Patel

## **Master of Economics**

Gustavo Canteros  
Chul Park

## **Master of Accounting**

Lucero Del Carmen Barajas-Gomez  
Allen Joseph Barnett  
Caroline Bruton Beaver  
Mason James Beck  
Ethan Sumrell Bright  
Charlotte Louise Carr  
Katelyn Davis  
Andrew Smith Gray  
Ian Cahoon Hamilton  
Hunter Haskett  
Madison Nicole Helton  
Sabrina Marie Herritt  
Alexander Ke  
Henry Kunz  
Joseph Michael LaMura  
Nancy Lopez  
Joseph Rocco Mathis  
Ashleigh Nicole Matiukas  
Ashlea Adams McKenna  
Nathaniel Garland O'Shields  
Bryan Jose Rodriguez-Sanchez  
Lane Russell  
Mallory Brooke Sikes  
Yesenia Emilie Souders  
Paige Allison Spicer  
Jessica Stavish  
Hung Tran  
Connor Joseph Vestal  
Natalie Blaine Walton  
Matthew Watson  
Madison Alexandra Willis  
Logan James Wilson  
Ailin Xia

## **Master of Business Administration**

Jessica Leigh Alderman  
Jordan Dean Ashley  
Justin Atkinson  
Alexander Sterling Bailey  
Ayaan Banerji\*OSC  
Karyn Bond  
Garrison Ellis Brockway  
Hailey Jane Brown  
Rand McBrayer Chandler Jr.  
Tanushree Chatterji  
Mehreen Zaman Chowdhury  
Travis Michael Clemens  
Ismail Dahel  
Kyle Margaret Draheim, PhD\*BA  
Patricia Edmondson\*BL  
Stephanie Eileen Eiland  
Ivan Garcia\*BL  
Saras Chandrika Grandhi  
George Michael Hanna  
Paul Nicholas Ramos Hart  
Lars Brugger Helmle  
Alexander Mark Herbert  
George Uchenna Ihediwa  
Jonathan Kent Iwig  
Daniel Logan Jacobs\*BL  
Michele Kandza Nee Diandzinga  
Tyrus Timothy Kemp Sr.  
Ryan Donell Lee\*BA, OSC  
Manuel Malik Lewis  
Brian Patrick Livingston  
Erica Mancuso  
Emily Urtz Markuson\*MA  
William Stephen McCall Jr.  
Jonathan Parker McCormac\*BL, FI  
Robert Mitchener  
Derrick Cadell Neely\*BA  
Joseph Boyd Nelson  
Kirby Eugene Pate Jr.\*BL, FI  
Elizabeth Donie Pelt

Corin Deanna Perrin\*BA  
Akanksha Arora Purswani  
Elizabeth Rainbolt  
Madeleine Rhodes  
Emily Robinson\*MA  
Mario Rodriguez Vargas\*MA  
Frederick Cornelius Royal II  
Edward Ignacio Sazo  
Krishnan Sivasubramanian  
Amelia Rose Smith  
Sukumar Ponram Surya  
Tamecka Marie Taylor\*BL, BS  
Brenden James Theroux\*MA  
Ashlynn Thompson\*BL, MA  
Jenessa Ann Van Deen  
Parker Graham Ward\*BA  
Shannon Wicks

### *Summer 2025*

Patrick Lane Baker  
Lauren Castillo  
Sam Seth Damoussi  
Chantal Mariel Fermin Guichardo  
Kayla Messier Jones  
Grant James Kloefkorn  
Madhu Sadhashiv Kothamasu\*BL  
Eric James Manser\*FI  
Celia Fuju Marzinsky\*BL  
Killian Kilpatrick McDonald  
Stella McDonald\*BL  
Bradley McQueen\*BS, MA  
Jeffrey Todd Miller Jr.\*BA  
Jayant Moghe\*MA  
John Patrick Moore  
Jacob Mueller  
Jenna Elizabeth Natale  
Ernesto Orozco Carrillo\*BA  
Amy Lynn Parker  
Arjun Pokhrel\*BA, TEC  
Elizabeth Ashby Reed  
Wesley Tyler Scott

Hampton Barnes Smith  
Tatianna Thompson\*BA  
Estefania Villan Quiroz\*BL  
Justin Alan Vollmer  
Annalee Claire Witte

## **Master of Management, Marketing Analytics**

Kevin Antczak  
Nyla Blanding\*BA  
Tyreek Bryant\*BA  
Siddharth Sharma Ekkad  
Robert Charles Flores  
Erik John Kutina\*BA  
John Michael Malach\*BA  
Con Andrew Phillips Jr.\*BA  
Rosa Josslyn Sierra Flores\*MA  
Justine Wan  
Emma Grace Watts\*BA

### *Summer 2025*

Riley Berrier Jones  
Juan Carlos Cabanillas Jr.

## **Master of Management, Risk and Analytics**

Mark Fang\*BA  
Thurston Mayne Hill\*BA  
Zachary Kraszeski\*BA  
Matthew McCabe\*BAI  
Tamara Nelson\*BA  
Caleb Edward Price\*BA  
Nhung Hong Le Truong\*BA

### *Summer 2025*

Courtney Christine Boldt\*BA  
Mindy Carmel Cine\*BA  
Michael Dalrymple  
Misty Roland  
Philip Southwell\*BA

Students with the designated initials indicate graduate certificates earned. Business Analytics (BA), Business Artificial Intelligence (BAI), Business Leadership (BL), Business Sustainability (BS), Finance (FI), Marketing (MA), Operations and Supply Chain Management (OSC), and Technology, Entrepreneurship and Commercialization (TEC)

## Jenkins Graduate Programs Honor Societies and Recognitions

### McLauchlan Leadership Fellows

Patricia Edmondson  
Manuel Malik Lewis  
Erica Mancuso  
Edward Ignacio Sazo  
Tamecka Marie Taylor

### Graduate Student Advisory Board

Jonathan Parker McCormac  
Emily Robinson

### Beta Gamma Sigma<sup>+</sup>

Jessica Leigh Alderman  
Madison Nicole Helton  
Lars Brugger Helmle  
Akanksha Arora Purswani  
Natalie Blaine Walton  
Logan James Wilson  
Ailin Xia

### Summer 20205

Tamara Nelson

## Poole College of Management Undergraduate Programs

### Bachelor of Science in Accounting

Gillian Elizabeth Allen\*\*\*  
Francesca Amoni\*\*  
Luke Jackson Arrowood  
Dallas Tate Baker\*\*\*  
Jonathan Bryce Baker\*  
Katherine Margaret Beatty\*\*\*  
Thomas Walker Bethune\*  
Reagan E. Bradham\*\*\*  
Simon Braidwood Burgin\*  
Lazaro Cabrera  
Alejandro Noel Camarillo  
Jai Carl Chadha\*\*  
Jordan Alexis Cramer\*\*  
Adrienne Leigh Dennis\*\*  
Luke Dillon\*  
Denisa Daiana Donzella\*  
Noah John Fetzer\*\*\*  
Jack Hartman Flanagan  
Jeremy Christian Glauber\*\*\*  
Katie Lauren Harris\*\*  
Grace Anora Harrison\*\*\*  
Parker D. Henson\*\*  
Jacob Maxwell Hines  
Matthew Ryan Iocco\*\*  
Jeslin Jacob  
Mohamed Mamoon Kadora\*\*\*  
Virginia Glen Keim  
Emaan Ali Khan\*\*  
Connor Anthony Kirkman\*  
Joseph Korhonen\*\*\*  
Anyah Donna Luna\*\*\*  
Britton Mathews\*  
Julian Amir McMullen  
Vivian McVay\*  
Aidan Payne\*\*\*  
Alexa Leigh Plate\*\*

Marly Adalina Randleman\*\*\*  
Holden Wilson Rossi\*\*\*  
Almas Shakeel\*\*  
Shelby Bree Smith\*\*\*  
Samuel Spigarelli\*\*\*  
Arthur Alexander Valenzuela\*\*\*  
Ashlyn Mae Vincent\*\*\*  
Luke Thomas Washburn\*  
Meihui Wu\*\*\*  
Gen Hua Oscar Xu\*  
Scott Charles Zuber\*\*\*

### Summer 2025

Alan William Baldwin IV  
Elizabeth Renae Barbee  
Bowman Lee Brueck\*\*\*  
Hudson Blake Deese  
Jacob Alexander Green  
Troy Wade Greene\*\*\*  
Amber Elizabeth Lee\*  
Tyler James Mirador\*  
Jillian Morgan\*\*  
Marcos David Murillo  
Caleb Householder Richmond\*  
Lillian Morgan Taylor\*  
Jordyn Wood\*\*\*

### Bachelor of Science in Business Administration

*Business Analytics*  
Mokhtar Farhan Alarhabi\*\*\*  
Benjamin Richard Cole  
Ivelys Garcia Sanabria  
Tyler William Mills\*\*\*  
Maxwell Camden Parsons\*\*  
Sharanya Ravi Kumar\*\*\*  
Tasfia Tasneem

<sup>+</sup>Students who were inducted during their Poole College of Management graduate studies.

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## **Entrepreneurship**

Jacob William Andrichuk\*\*  
Joseph P Boyle\*  
Eva Grace Earnest\*\*\*  
Zachary James Ferguson  
AnnaGrey Miller Heustess\*  
Jacob Maxwell Hines  
Narrah Azureskye Kearney\*  
Christopher Garland Mitchell\*  
Angelina J. Potynsky  
Aaron Russell Talton  
Travis Royce Villee

## **Summer 2025**

Judith Callie-Ann Basnett  
Luke Andrew Bennett  
Matthew William Daves  
Zakariya S. El-attafi  
Mateo Jose Espinoza  
Tegus Renming Fu  
Ashley Fay Grossman\*  
Ava Kierstan Holland  
Loveon Nevaeh Palmer  
Hunter James Van Dam\*

## **Finance**

Hailey Grace Adams\*\*\*  
Taylor Denise Bell\*  
Elizabeth Anne Breeze  
William Gabriel Brisard\*\*\*  
Vincent L. Broich\*\*  
Ryan John Buckler  
Jacob Randall Cauble\*\*  
Austin Jennings Davis  
Adja Nogaye Diouf  
Linh Thi Phuong Doan\*\*  
Rohan Bhanu Dodd\*\*  
James Louis Eckhart\*\*  
Lucas Jeffrey Eriksen\*\*  
Jack Joseph Farrell  
Christopher Gerhold  
Devon A. Hayes\*\*\*

Trevor Sean Hilburn\*  
Madeline Reid Holdren\*\*  
Savannah Rose Holmes\*\*\*  
Gabriel Dionne Huntsman\*  
Craig Jablonski\*  
Mohamad Ahmad Jaroush\*  
Mia Alisa LaVigne\*  
William Addison Lawrence\*\*  
Sutton Christian McAlister  
Louis Edward Meadows  
Mira A. Mkary  
Owen Kingsley Moore\*\*\*  
Joseph Paul Murray  
Kaveh Nasirifar  
Christopher Shane Northcutt\*\*\*  
Romin J. Parikh  
Sriya Himansu Patel\*  
Evan Scott Perry  
Ryan A. Polk\*\*  
Sadie SuQing Potter\*  
Jackson Edward Pyne\*  
Hunter Quinlan\*\*  
Catherine Hart Revels  
Denisse Romero-Avila  
Aidan William Same  
Christian Ives Sawyer  
Alessandro Marcel Sorg  
Taylor Austin Stolen\*\*  
Michael Peter Stratemeier\*\*  
Harsh Surti\*\*\*  
Andrew James Svonovec\*  
Manushri Nilkanth Swami  
Sotirios John Tassios\*  
Macy Birch Teer  
Maleah Maureen Thompson\*\*\*  
Huy Gia Truong\*  
Arthur Alexander Valenzuela\*\*\*  
Vanessa Vargas-Pagan  
Stacie LaGene Varner  
Jacob Vickery  
Adam James Visco  
Jarrett Owen Walker\*\*

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Braden Maddux Walls  
Jarrett Reid Ward  
Ryan Oliver Warren\*\*  
Kylie E. Weeks\*\*  
Grant Ashton Wells\*\*\*  
Kaylee Kristina Williams\*  
Mark Van Wilson, Jr.\*  
Harrison Robert Wolff\*  
Anita Zhang  
May Oo Zin

## **Summer 2025**

Kush Prashant Agarwal  
Anveeth Goud Ampally  
Tate Lynn Austin  
Ronik Sai Bommireddy  
Jackson Douglas Burroughs\*\*\*  
Carmella Grace Campbell  
Luke Cox  
Christian Joseph DiLorenzo\*  
Austin Lee Favreau  
Luke Avery Fisher  
Akhil Gurram\*\*\*  
Lindsay Harrison  
Ian Kai Hyatt  
Demmy Nicolas Iancu  
Carson James Kelly  
Kayla Lelio  
Yikai Li\*  
Liam P. Luedtke\*  
Cade Courtney McLaughlin  
Owen Arendell Mickle\*\*  
Elizabeth Grey Moore  
Aditya Vittal Natarajan  
Cameron Reed Owsley  
Hunter Michael Rouleau  
Henry James Settle  
Preston Gray Smith  
Katherine Grace Stepanian  
Andrew Brett Stephens\*\*  
Thomas James Vatter  
Holly Nicole Wrenn

## **Information Technology**

Kaylana G. Adair  
Omar Muayad Jihad Al Shaikhli  
Keaton Richard Aschenbrenner  
Christopher Paul Barber\*  
Liam Boyer Daugherty  
William C. Dobson\*\*  
Dylan Alexander Enseling\*\*  
Ethan Wade Fincannon  
Cameron Fonrose\*\*\*  
Samuel Kidan Haile  
Javier Daniel Gallegos Hernandez  
Trisha H. Gandhi\*\*  
William A. Gaskins  
Richard Jaxon Gerrell  
Joanna L. John\*  
Elizabeth Carroll Latham\*\*\*  
Allyson Stephapnie Lerke  
Lucas Cole Lisac  
Alec Joshua Lowenberger  
Sarah Mahmoud\*\*  
Sarah Mehraby  
Nathaniel Douglas Meshaw\*  
Ibrahim Mohamed  
Arjun Hamon Patel  
Kishan Dharmesh Patel\*\*\*  
Robert Alexander Patel  
Vraj Patel\*\*  
Meghana Rekha\*\*\*  
Yussif Abdelrahman Sakr\*\*\*  
Mohamed Abdullah Saleh\*\*\*  
Dalton Rein Shotwell  
Stephanie Ngoc Tran  
Ramin James Veisgeh  
McKenzie E. Walker  
Chloe Jenna Williams\*  
Carson Wade Worthington\*  
Meihui Wu\*\*\*  
Elise Nari Yun\*\*

## Summer 2025

Batoul Khaled Al-zoubi  
Basem Barakat  
Evans Mwangi Chege\*  
Damien A. Flores  
Abhyudita Gadia  
Aneri Dilip Gandecha\*\*  
Cameron Sirron Houpe  
Ali Hussain  
Tia Kachalia  
Henry Pierce Lewis  
Kaylin J. McCurry\*\*\*  
David Yang Nguyen  
Peyton Roger Payne\*\*  
Aya Muhmoud Samara\*  
Mohammad Zaid Sayeed\*

## Marketing

Wendy Summer Alsagani  
Madelyn Shae Andrews\*\*  
Sarah Anne Broders\*\*\*  
Xinyuan Cai\*\*\*  
Olivia Grace Cappelli  
Olivia Noelle Carr\*\*  
Ella Grace Carraway  
Liannette Soledad Chavez  
Jessica Giovanna Colaianni  
Lauren A. Cuddy\*\*  
Koleman Sheldon Denton  
Denisa Daiana Donzella\*  
Addelyn Wesley Eaker  
Parker White Edwards\*  
Jackson Robert Engle  
Madison Pearl Fairman\*\*\*  
Aaron Charles Faison  
Chase Caroline Fleisher  
Stephpanie Marie Garcia  
Elizabeth Lynne Goins\*  
Catherine M. Goodall\*\*\*  
Rachel Michelle Goss\*\*\*  
Julie Alexandra Greer\*\*\*

Connor Michael Grove\*\*  
Tessa Jane Hall  
Doha Hijab\*\*  
Jaeden Oliver Daniel Hill  
Caden Jon Holbrooks\*\*\*  
Meredith Yuyan Jacobs\*\*  
Syeda Manayal Kazmi\*\*  
Zaire M. Kenney  
Nathan Christopher Kiger  
Kyungho Kim  
Kenan Michael King  
Alyssa Rose Knight  
Danielle Marie Kur\*\*  
Emma Grace Ruth Lemons  
Elle Laurel Nichols\*\*\*  
Chelsea Nunez Piedra  
Caleb Kristopher Oakley  
Julia Rose Orthner\*  
Sydney Elizabeth Parasiliti\*\*  
Gia Han Phan\*\*  
Addyson Freeman Pier\*\*  
Madeline Sebahar  
Katelyn Nicole Starling  
Aiden Cole Stiffler\*  
Lauren Ann Stypulkowski\*\*  
Ella Olivia Van Tiem\*  
Jaxson Alberto Villa\*  
Lagan Marie Walker  
Cate Abarquez Watson  
Matthew David White\*\*  
Laniya M. Young\*  
Julie Carol Zhou

## Summer 2025

Allison Lee Ames  
Tegan Colby Chalker\*\*  
Jarvis Jai Cleal  
Kennedy Elizabeth Cox\*  
William Hutcheson Crute\*  
Luke Andrew Fitzgerald  
Angelica Melissa Gonzalez

Mei Wen Ingle  
Payton Janeshak  
Yuchen Jin  
Erik Timothy Lewis\*  
Eglantine Xuan-lang, Hanae Marland  
Ryan J. McClune  
Lauren Daiana Olivares Leon Jr.  
Adrian Luis Quesada  
Leia Alyssa Richards\*  
Yousif Nasim Saleh\*\*\*  
Chloe Elizabeth-Ann Simmons\*\*  
Jada Amber Strickland  
Christopher George Tyson  
Caleb Bryant Wester  
Zhourui Zhu

## Operations and Supply Chain Management

Luc Gregory Benjamin\*\*  
John Hamilton Biesecker, Sr.  
Jada Terese Brooks  
Ruth Alexandra Buchanan  
Joshua Robert Burns\*\*\*  
Charles Stephen Carver  
Lily Helena Chamberlain\*\*  
Daniel Miguel Dryden\*  
William Lucas Fogelman  
Luis Garcia\*\*\*  
Elmer Alexander Garcia-Guerrero  
Mollie Caroline Hensley\*  
Philip Joseph Klim\*\*\*  
Ayden Walker Krenzel\*\*\*  
Daniel Ethan Laseria\*  
Aidan Valmiki Loganadan  
Noah Todd Orthner\*  
Nicholas Parsons\*  
Mauro Gonzalo Ponce-Romero\*\*  
Juliana Powell  
Noah David Readyhough  
Jaxon David Trexler\*\*

Elyas Kara Umar\*\*\*  
Skanda Vasuki  
Ethan Pierce Wiggins

## Summer 2025

William Alexander Coles\*  
Colin Thomas Laemont\*  
Brandon Justin Nguyen  
Andrew Joseph Ryder

## People Management

Matthew Nicholas Bruhnsen\*\*  
Madison Elizabeth Bryant\*\*\*  
Vanessa S. Buck  
Matthew A. Ciosek  
Ellen M. McLaughlin  
Abby Elizabeth Minshew  
Sarah Kate Odeh  
Henry McGinn Smith\*\*\*

## Summer 2025

Abigail Elizabeth Maze\*\*

## Bachelor of Arts in Economics

Ryan John Buckler  
Parker Ellis Hughes  
Manuel Arturo Marquinez Jr.  
Yessica Santibanez-Mendoza  
Sahmoi Stout  
Mason Charles Sweeney\*\*  
Andre Vasquez  
Abigail Nicole Wigginton\*\*\*

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Andy Jinho Choi  
Connor Russell Dickinson  
Mahlet Birhanu Woldegebriel\*\*\*

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Jude Kanta Cardenas  
Kaia Elizabeth Crisp  
George Tucker Hennessy\*\*\*  
Palmer Adrian Johnson\*  
Michael Tanner Montgomery  
Myles K. Morgan  
Sayed Hamed Qanee\*\*  
Matthew Shaw Stanaland

*Summer 2025*

Gabriel Edward Cantrell  
Joseph JunHyung Lee  
Brandon Monarca

**North Carolina State University  
Special Undergraduate Recognitions**

**University Honors Program**

Gillian Elizabeth Allen  
Jacob William Andrichuk  
William Gabriel Brisard  
Rohan Bhanu Doddha  
Anyah Donna Luna

**Business Analytics Honors Program**

Mohamed Mamoon Kadura  
Philip Joseph Klim  
Sharanya Ravi Kumar  
Tyler William Mills  
Scott Charles Zuber

## **Undergraduate Programs National and International Academic Honor Societies**

### **Alexander Hamilton Scholars**

Jacob William Andrichuk  
Daniel Miguel Dryden  
Narrah Azureskye Kearney

### **Beta Alpha Psi**

Gillian Elizabeth Allen  
Luke Jackson Arrowood  
Jai Carl Chadha  
Jordan Alexis Cramer  
Denisa Daiana Donzella  
Katie Lauren Harris  
Grace Anora Harrison  
Parker D. Henson  
Matthew Ryan Iocco  
Shelby Bree Smith  
Ashlyn Mae Vincent

### **Beta Gamma Sigma**

Hailey Grace Adams  
Catherine M. Goodall  
Rachel Michelle Goss  
Julie Alexandra Greer  
Mohamed Mamoon Kadura  
Anyah Donna Luna  
Yussif Abdelrahman Sakr  
Samuel Spigarelli  
Ashlyn Mae Vincent  
Grant Ashton Wells

### **Omicron Delta Epsilon**

Abigail Nicole Wigginton

## **The Poole College of Management Story**

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At the Poole College of Management, we instill an entrepreneurial mindset in all our students, so that each of them will bring creative and innovative thinking to bear on business problems. We build analytical skills into every program, so graduates leave here ready to lead — whether in a two-person tech startup or a Fortune 500 boardroom. We're also deeply rooted in NC State's history as a university that excels at science, technology, engineering and math. The result: a dynamic research and learning environment for our students and our partners in business and industry.

The Poole College of Management was founded in 1992 as NC State's first College of Management. The college is fully accredited by the AACSB. The strength and relevance of the college's programs have led to three landmark gifts: Jenkins Graduate Programs 2007 (Benjamin P. Jenkins III); Poole College of Management 2010 (Lonnie C. Poole Jr.); Zelnak Dean's Chair 2014 (Stephen P. Zelnak Jr.).

### **Essential Facts and Figures**

- 100+ full-time faculty members engaged in purposeful research that generates knowledge and drives economic development
- 4,400+ total undergraduate and graduate students
- 35,000+ alumni
- Bachelor's degrees in accounting, business administration, economics
- Master's degrees in accounting, business administration, economics, management
- Doctoral degree in economics
- 15+ focus areas, ranging from business analytics and supply chain management to entrepreneurship and marketing
- Hundreds of mutually beneficial relationships with corporate partners
- Major initiatives fostering research, learning and corporate engagement: Business Analytics and AI Initiative, Business Sustainability Collaborative, Enterprise Risk Management Initiative, Entrepreneurship Clinic, Supply Chain Resource Cooperative
- Executive education through online and face-to-face learning and development programs



## Mission and Values

### Mission

The Poole College of Management develops innovative leaders, creates world-class research and engages with our community to make our world a better place to live and work.

### Vision

The Poole College of Management will be the preeminent Think and Do business school, recognized for its teaching, research and service.

### We Value

- › Excellence in all that we do
- › The success of our students and alumni
- › The impact of our research and scholarship
- › A culture that champions respect, belonging and well-being
- › Ethical awareness, decisions and behaviors
- › Innovative approaches to problem-solving
- › Positive contributions to our society and the world

### Ranked Among the Best

- › **No. 1** in North Carolina, **No. 10** among U.S. public universities and **No. 22** among all national universities for undergraduate business analytics programs — *US News & World Report*, 2025
- › **No. 3** best online master of accounting program in the U.S. — *University HQ*, 2025
- › **No. 4** in the Southeast for undergraduate entrepreneurship (university-wide) — *The Princeton Review*, 2024
- › **No. 11** online MBA program in the U.S. — *The Princeton Review*, 2025
- › **No. 16** full-time MBA program in entrepreneurship — *Bloomberg*, 2025-26
- › **No. 18** online MBA globally and **No. 10** for employability worldwide — *QS World University Rankings*, 2026

## Poole College Alumni

Dedicated alumni are vital to the future success and growth of the Poole College of Management. We look to our alumni to help us achieve our mission of providing transformative opportunities for our students and faculty. Poole College alumni provide support through their time, talent, network, and financial resources. From funding to hiring, alumni play a vital role in shaping the future of Poole College.

Today, the class of 2025 entered this ceremony as students and will exit as Poole College alumni.

### Poole College Alumni Commitment

As a graduate of Poole College, I commit to embodying the values of our community.

I will honor my education and experiences by striving to create impact through my career and my community.

With pride and purpose, I will carry the Poole Pack forward.

Please share your accomplishments with us as you grow in your life and career. Visit [poole.ncsu.edu/alumni](http://poole.ncsu.edu/alumni) to keep in touch. You can also stay connected through social media: @NCStatePoole

### Congratulations and GO PACK!

## **North Carolina State University Alma Mater**

*Words by Alvin M. Fountain, Class of 1923  
Music by Bonnie F. Norris Jr., Class of 1923*

Where the Southern winds softly blow  
O'er the fields of Caroline,

There stands ever cherished, N.C. State,  
as thy honored shrine.

So lift your voices! Loudly sing,  
From hill to oceanside!

Our hearts ever hold you, N.C. State –  
In the folds  
Of our love and pride.

## **Congratulations, Graduates!**

All December 2025 graduates are considered candidates for graduation until final graduation clearance is completed on January 12, 2026. Diplomas and diploma covers will be mailed to graduates by the NC State Office of Registration and Records during the last week of January 2026.

In accordance with The Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act of 1974, names of students with a full privacy block have been withheld from this publication. This program is prepared for informational purposes only. The appearance of an individual's name does not constitute the university's acknowledgment, certification, or representation that the individual has fulfilled the requirements for a degree.

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