MESSAGE FROM DEAN AND DEPARTMENT CHAIRS

Dear NSM 2022 Titan Graduate,

On behalf of the College of Natural Sciences and Mathematics, it is our honor to congratulate you on your graduation!

Your graduation is a significant milestone in your life. It is an accomplishment that has been achieved through years of hard work, determination and perseverance, and adaptability through extraordinary circumstances. During your time in NSM, you have gained a well-rounded education, developed robust critical and creative thinking skills, made lasting friendships, and grown as a global citizen equipped to undertake new challenges in an ever-changing world.

We are proud of your academic achievement and are confident that you will reach your highest goals and dreams. As you embark on your new adventures, we encourage you to stay connected with our College. We want to celebrate your professional accomplishments and successes, and hope that you will continue to support NSM and the future generations of scientists and mathematicians. Please remember that you will always be a part of our NSM family.

Best of luck in your future endeavors. Congratulations to the Class of 2022!

Sincerely,

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PROGRAM OF EVENTS

PROCESIONAL

GREETINGS/OPENING REMARKS
Dr. Marie Johnson
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STUDENT SPEAKER REMARKS
Tahj Stewart, Biological Science
Ashley Scholder, Geological Sciences

Recognition of Honors
Dr. Sean Walker
Associate Dean

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Fram Virjee
President

Presentation of Degrees
Bachelor of Science in Biological Science
Master of Science in Biological Science
Bachelor of Science in Biochemistry/Chemistry
Bachelor of Arts in Chemistry
Master of Science in Chemistry
Bachelor of Art in Earth Science and Science
Bachelor of Science in Geological Sciences
Master of Science in Geological Sciences
Bachelor of Arts in Mathematics
Master of Arts in Mathematics
Master of Science in Statistics
Bachelor of Science in Physics
Master of Science in Physics
President Confers Degrees

RECESSIONAL

Platform Party and Faculty Recessional

Faculty Congratulatory Handshake lineup

Students’ recessional
GRADUATES

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE
IN BIOLOGICAL SCIENCE

JANUARY 2022
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Suneza Ahmad
Evelyn Alvarez Ixta
Samira Alwhabhi
Cherokee Anderson-Paul
Antony Avena
Azaad Brar
Lucy De Santiago
Lesley Delgadillo
Bruce Dinh
Kathryn Eckholdt
Devin Eckley-Deadrick
Rofyne Fang
Christopher Florez
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Gabriela Guzman
Natalie Hagler
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Brianna Henshaw
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Steven Tran
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Peter Vu
David Walker
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Kristen Castillo
Ashley Ceballos
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