

KENAI PENINSULA COLLEGE
certificates conferred

US COAST GUARD CERTIFIED
MASTER 100 TON/OUVP

Joshua Bradshaw	Wyatt Hubbell	Mili Lundgren	Alexander Stuart
Austin Ceccarelli	Brandon Jackson	Gavin Mitchell	Shoshana Wilhite
Zach Fairbanks	Kaela Jiron	Clayton Nelson	Charlie Winston
Phillip Fraley	Allison Kintner	Aaron Paul	Shannon Zanone
Maggie Goedeke	Cheyenne Lambert	Alexandra Ravelo	Mallory Zharoff
Phillip Gonzales	William Love	Brian Saunders	
Sabrina Grotesend	Ian Lowe	Seth Stickrod	

OCCUPATIONAL ENDORSEMENT CERTIFICATE
CONSERVATION ECOLOGY

Catherine J. Barrie	Julia G. Illar
Kayla N. Doucette	Ana M. Noel

OCCUPATIONAL ENDORSEMENT CERTIFICATE
MARINE MAMMAL BIOLOGY

Alexander D. Alasin	Julia G. Illar	Erin M. Reilly
Adina Allen	Lindsey G. Kammuller	Diondre M. Ryan
Abigail D. Flowers	Ana M. Noel	Mikayla A. Zylich
Thomas S. Hall	Alexis S. Paugh	

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2022

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KPC has been the leader in post-secondary education on the Kenai Peninsula for 58 years. As part of the University of Alaska Anchorage system, the Kenai River and Kachemak Bay campuses and the Resurrection Bay extension site strive to meet the educational needs of communities across the Peninsula.

Kenai Peninsula College sincerely thanks Peninsula communities and all students who have attended over the years for helping make KPC a college of first choice.

Degrees are issued three times per year, at the end of each semester, with the commencement ceremony scheduled once a year (spring) as directed by the UA Board of Regents. All degrees and certificates are granted by the authority of the University of Alaska Board of Regents.

COLLEGE COUNCIL

Martin Fallon	Joe Kashi	Trena Richardson, <i>vice chair</i>
Kris Holderied	James McHale	Sonja Redmond
James Hornaday	Walter Partridge	Spring Sibayan
Jessie Huett	Richard Peck	Hal Smalley, <i>chair</i>
Brent Johnson		

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Kenai Peninsula College
UNIVERSITY of ALASKA ANCHORAGE

Fifty-second annual
2022
COMMENCEMENT



SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Commencement

Land Acknowledgement

Dr. Adam Dunstan
Assistant Professor of Anthropology

KPC Director Remarks

Dr. Cheryl K. Siemers

UA President Remarks

Pat Pitney

KBC Valedictorian

Rosemary B. Kauffman

UAA Chancellor

Sean Parnell

Keynote Speaker

Clare Swan
Kenaitze Indian Tribe Elder

KRC Valedictorian

Sophia G. Nelson

Conferring of Degrees

Lisa Parker, *Regent*

Awards & Accomplishments

Kachemak Bay Campus

Director's Choice Award

Faculty Choice Award

Staff Choice Award

Awards & Accomplishments cont.

Kenai River Campus

*Faculty Choice Award,
Arts & Science*

*Faculty Choice Award,
Business & Industry*

Staff Choice Award

KRC Student Union Awards

Most Outstanding Staff

Most Outstanding Adjunct Faculty

Most Outstanding Faculty

Lifelong Learner

Most Inspirational Student

Statement of Congratulations

Dr. Reid Brewer
Kachemak Bay Campus Director

Scott Downing
Interim Assistant Director for Academic Affairs

Graduates honored throughout ceremony.

*well done,
class of 2022!*

HONORS KEY & HONOR SOCIETY MEMBER

* Cum Laude – 3.5-3.79

** Magna Cum Laude – 3.8-3.99

*** Summa Cum Laude – 4.0

† Alpha Delta Nu

‡ Phi Theta Kappa

KENAI PENINSULA COLLEGE

Degrees conferred

Associate of Arts

General Program

Biodun W. Ajakaye

Kolby J. Bayless

Hope A. Breff

Taylor A. Carlson

Thomas R. Daly

Megan L. Fenton

Megan C. Harden**

Jason M. Hunter**

Rosemary B. Kauffman**

Anne M. Larson

Morgan L. McKenzie

Adeline R. Nelson***

Sophia G. Nelson***

Casey C. Tait*

Benjamin A. Taylor

Brittany M. Weston

Associate of Applied Science

Industrial Process Instrumentation

Braden E. Lemm

Tallon G. Littlewood

Joseph B. Fiebelkorn**

Paramedical Technology

Brandon W. Edwards**

Process Technology

William P. Barnes

Alexander L. Beitter*

Stephen A. Chester

Anna E. Cizek*

Devin C. Every

Soren B. Fisher

Process Technology continued

Danielle P. Hills

Ryan W. Jackson

Jordan C. Kernan*

Stephen J. Koller*

McKinley J. Larson

Jesse Pankowski***

Erik B. Peterson***

Blake Rodgers

Christopher M. Sawatzki

Johan A. Shuey

Craig R. Simpson

Nicholas Tuttle*

Joseph B. Fiebelkorn**

OTHER UNIVERSITY OF ALASKA

Degrees conferred

Associate of Applied Science (UAA)

Nursing

Nina Aviles†

Debra J. Baxter

Penelope K. Litzen**

Delia Mayoral-Medina

Danielle A. Meyers

Justine L. Payment**

Sandra J. Simons

Angelica M. Sulley

Ashley Switzer

Jessica Taylor

Katie L. Turner*

Human Services

Sujinan "Primrose" Srisakpet

Christopher L. Trefon

Associate of Arts (UAA)

General Program

Elena O. Robbins

Alyssum J. Veldstra*

Bachelor of Science (UAA)

Psychology

Savannah Paladino*

Bachelor of Arts (UAA)

Psychology/Political Science

Chloe E. Pleznac**

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STATE OF ALASKA & NATIONAL WELDING CERTIFICATIONS

Structural Aluminum, GMAW

Ashlyn Kartchner

Randall L. Garcia

Dave Vining

Structural Steel, SMAW

Evan M. Appelhans

Dakota N. Bittick

Jonathan D. Lindsay

Jerrod O. Oberts

Structural Steel, FCAW

Ashlyn Kartchner

Randall L. Garcia

Dave Vining

Pipe, SMAW

Ashlyn Kartchner

Randall L. Garcia

WELDING TECHNOLOGY

Ashlyn Kartchner

Wilfredo A. Ruiz

PETROLEUM TECHNOLOGY

Steven L. Burger

Danielle Hills

CERTIFIED NURSING ASSISTANTS

Among the certificants and course compleators are the following:

Stefanie Bailey

Kristina Basargin

Andilynn Bilderback

Angelina Brandt

Emma Brown

Laura Bruce

Tatihana DeHoyos

Julianna Dicawicz

Skyler Dryer

Maurice Escolta

Libby Fabich

Kayla Hinds

Marianna Jakits

Ljiljana Jovanovic

Krystyana Kalugin

Sharmaine Kewan

Jordan Lugo

Hailey Mahaffey

Kat Mansur

Austen Mcqueen

Sushmita Pariyar

Pamela Parker

Logan Satathite

Carly Sturman

Oceana Willis

Emylee Wilson

Aricona Woodard

GED GRADUATES

Among the graduates are the following:

Chance Archila

Simone Basargin

Ashley M. Brueggert

Maurice J. Escolta

Taylor L. Huskey

Ekaterina Martushev

Marina Martushev

Levi Moore

Rainbow O'Phelan

Abbey N. Roberts

India Swain

Hanna R. Tibbetts

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