

# AWARDS AND PINNING CEREMONY

Distance Accelerated Bachelor of Science in Nursing

Nell Hodgson Woodruff School of Nursing

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# Recognition of Awards

## AWARD OF EXCELLENCE

The Award of Excellence is given to a student with a good academic record who achieves significant, distinctive outcomes with a consistent commitment to high quality.

## DISTINGUISHED CLINICAL PATIENT CARE CERTIFICATE

This Clinical Patient Care Certificate is given to a student who provides exemplary direct patient care, demonstrates a commitment to personal leadership development, excellence in clinical practice, and serves as an inspirational clinical role model.

## EXCELLENCE IN SOCIAL RESPONSIBILITY

The Excellence in Social Responsibility Award is given to a student who treats all with respect and dignity and engages others to positively influence health and social justice.

## SILVER BOWL AWARD

The Nell Hodgson Woodruff Award for Excellence in Nursing, traditionally known as the Silver Bowl Award, is given to a student with a good academic record and who embodies the school's values: Excellence, Collaboration, Innovation, Leadership, and Social Responsibility.

### DABSN GRADUATES

Darcy Allen-Bloom  
Marnie Bailey  
Hyun Bak  
Charlotte Beebe  
Jasmine Carter  
Samantha Cleveland  
Jennifer Crook  
Jessica Dallas  
Tristan Dean Derloshon  
Shelby Everett  
Erin Hardy  
Mary Denise Imperial  
Andrew Khayrullin

Angelica Maria Mason-Martinez  
Hailey Rae Mayo  
Brittany Minor  
Carolyn Regenhardt  
Natalia Smith  
Dominique Taylor  
Lindsay Tevebaugh  
Hannah Catherine Webster

# History of the Nursing Pin

The nursing pin is an important symbol of service earned by graduates of nursing programs nationwide. Each nursing school has its own distinctive pin and symbolism. The tradition at Emory dates back more than 100 years to when the School of Nursing—then called The Wesley Memorial Hospital Training School for Nurses—was located in downtown Atlanta at the corner of Auburn Avenue and Courtland Street. The first pins were awarded in 1907 to graduates of this program. The gold pin, inspired by the Maltese

Cross worn by the knights of the Crusades, included a dark red cross, surrounded by delicate gold filigree, holding a white enamel banner over the cross with the letters WMH.

In 1967 Emory's board of trustees honored Mrs. Woodruff and her lifelong love for the nursing profession, by naming the school the Nell Hodgson Woodruff School of Nursing and the initials on the banner of the pin became "NHWSN."

Today, the pin still represents Emory nurses' commitment to their profession and to serving the needs of society. It identifies graduates as Emory nurses and symbolizes their connection to every Emory nurse who has come before them and all who will follow in the future. Emory nurses around the world wear their pins with pride, professionalism, and dedication.

# Emory Alma Mater

It graces every Commencement ceremony. It closes every Legacy Brunch. It rings from the bell tower on Cox Hall every day at noon. Emory's Alma Mater was written by J. Marvin Rast (1918C 1929T), a campus leader from Louisville, Georgia, who sang in the Glee Club and was elected to membership in the DVS Senior Society. The original version, since revised, was first performed at Emory's Commencement in 1918. As with hundreds of alma maters for high schools, colleges, and universities, it is sung to the tune, "Annie Lisle."

In the heart of dear old Emory  
Where the sun doth shine,  
That is where our hearts are turning  
'Round old Emory's shrine.

We will ever sing thy praises,  
Sons and daughters true.  
Hail we now our Alma Mater,  
Hail the gold and blue!

Tho' the years around us gather,  
Crowned with love and cheer,  
Still the memory of old Emory  
Grows to us more dear.

We will ever sing thy praises,  
Sons and daughters true.  
Hail we now our alma mater,  
Hail the gold and blue!