2020 Convocation
SEPTEMBER 16, 2020 | 6:30 PM

SOUTHERN COLLEGE OF OPTOMETRY
WELCOME .............................................................. George Miller  
Vice President  
for Institutional Advancement

OPENING REMARKS .............................................. Dr. Lewis Reich  
President

STUDENT AWARDS .............................................. Dr. Taylor Keys ’12  
Chair  
Faculty Awards Committee

FACULTY AND STAFF PROMOTIONS AND RECOGNITION  
Dr. J. Bart Campbell ’87  
Vice President  
for Academic Affairs

FACULTY OF THE YEAR RECOGNITION 2019-2020 .... Erin Mozingo  
BSK President  
Class of 2022  
Marie Huegel  
President  
Class of 2021  
Lauren Goettemoeller  
President  
Class of 2022  
Anna Britt  
President  
Class of 2023

DRS. CHARLENE AND FRED BURNETT OUTSTANDING FACULTY AWARD ......................................................... Dr. J. Bart Campbell ’87  
Vice President  
for Academic Affairs

WELCOME TO THE CLASS OF 2024  
Joseph Hauser  
Vice President  
for Student Services

CLOSING REMARKS ................................................... Dr. Lewis Reich  
President
Military Services Scholarships

U.S. ARMY
Karli Boober '23

U.S. NAVY
Bert Ketchum '21

Basic Science and Clinical Science

Each year, SCO Faculty members recognize students who have excelled academically and who have demonstrated outstanding clinical skills.

1ST YEAR CLINICAL SCIENCE AWARDS (Plaque)
Lane Brown '23
Gabrielle Crockett '23
Seth Jones '23
Mary Beth Jones '23
Yu "Jamie" Kao '23
Will Kreuser '23
Kendra Raths '23
Kerrie Sestak '23
Ashley Shannon '23
Caroline Sutton '23

1ST YEAR BASIC SCIENCE AWARDS (Plaque)
Christopher Frampton '23
Ethan Gerstein '23
Laurel Heskett '23
Seth Jones '23
Will Kreuser '23
Tanner LaFont '23
Molly McNally '23
Adam Reichert '23
Ashley Shannon '23
Caroline Sutton '23

2ND YEAR CLINICAL SCIENCE AWARDS (Plaque)
Andrew Barrows '22
Shane Benally '22
Jessica Crum '22
Andrew Dahl '22
Serene Darwish '22
Abigail Klick '22
Jessica Kongeff '22
Holly Pederson '22
Christopher Pope '22
Macy Sparks '22

2ND YEAR BASIC SCIENCE AWARDS (Plaque)
Stephanie Carrero '22
Alexandra Cloud '22
Andrew Dahl '22
Nathan DeClue '22
Katina Harrell '22
Ann McLean '22
Holly Pederson '22
Rachel Steele '22
Lindsay Thornton '22
Alexandra Turner '22

3RD YEAR CLINICAL SKILLS AWARDS (Plaque and $1,000)
Given in memory of former faculty member, Dr. Robert L. Henry.
Logan Bone '21
Samantha Davis '21
Hannah Fann '21
Ishan Gandhi '21
Anna Girsky '21
Samantha Harris '21
Meade Kendrick '21
Anna Katherine Lansdell '21
Alexis Williams Smith '21
Kelsey Whitcomb '21
Valerie Williams '21

Class Scholarships

The following Endowed Class Scholarships recognize outstanding leadership and professionalism by members of the Classes of 2021, 2022 and 2023.

CLASSES OF ’54, ’56, ’59 SCHOLARSHIP ($1,000)
Tessa Lau '22

CLASSES OF ’60, ’61, ’63 SCHOLARSHIP ($1,000)
Anna Britt '23

CLASSES OF ’64, ’65, ’66 SCHOLARSHIP ($1,000)
Gabby Magee '22

CLASSES OF ’68, ’69 SCHOLARSHIP ($1,000)
Marie Huegel '21
Lauren Watson '21

CLASSES OF ’70, ’71, ’74 SCHOLARSHIP ($1,000)
Caitlyn Stakeley '21
Autumn Killop '21

CLASS OF 1977 SCHOLARSHIP ($4,000)
Casey Krug '21

CLASS OF 1978 SCHOLARSHIP ($1,000)
Samantha Harris '21

CLASS OF 1979 SCHOLARSHIP ($1,000)
Lindsay Thornton '22

CLASS OF 1982 SCHOLARSHIP ($1,000)
Jackie Malish '23

CLASS OF 1983 SCHOLARSHIP ($1,000)
Lindsay Thornton '22

CLASS OF 1984 SCHOLARSHIP ($2,000)
Jackie Malish '23

CLASS OF 1985 SCHOLARSHIP ($1,000)
Lindsay Thornton '22

CLASS OF 1986 SCHOLARSHIP ($1,000)
Lindsay Thornton '22

CLASS OF 1987 SCHOLARSHIP ($1,000)
Lindsay Thornton '22

CLASS OF 1988 SCHOLARSHIP ($1,000)
Lindsay Thornton '22

CLASS OF 1989 SCHOLARSHIP ($1,000)
Lindsay Thornton '22

CLASS OF 1990 SCHOLARSHIP ($1,000)
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CLASS OF 1991 SCHOLARSHIP ($1,000)
Lindsay Thornton '22

CLASS OF 1992 SCHOLARSHIP ($1,000)
Lindsay Thornton '22

CLASS OF 1993 SCHOLARSHIP ($1,000)
Lindsay Thornton '22

CLASS OF 1994 SCHOLARSHIP ($1,000)
Lindsay Thornton '22

CLASS OF 1995 SCHOLARSHIP ($1,000)
Lindsay Thornton '22

CLASS OF 1996 SCHOLARSHIP ($1,000)
Lindsay Thornton '22

CLASS OF 1997 JIMMY SHERIDAN MEMORIAL AWARD ($2,000)
Nathan Jackson '21

CLASS OF 2000 SCHOLARSHIP ($1,000)
Morgan Mathis '23

CLASS OF 2001 SCOTT WHITAKER MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP ($2,000)
Morgan Mathis '23

Student Awards and Recognition
Alumni and Friends

SCO alumni and friends generously support and recognize academic accomplishments and leadership within the student body. As such, the following endowed scholarships and awards have been established in support of SCO students.

**ALUMNI COUNCIL ENDOWED SCHOLARSHIP** ($1,000)
Kelsey Whitcomb '21

**CHUCK AND CAROLE ALDRIDGE ENDOWED AWARD** ($1,000)
Casey Krug '21

**DR. ALLAN AND MRS. SUSAN BARKER ENDOWED SCHOLARSHIP** ($2,000)
Riley Laster '21
Monica Bhuta '21
Anita Nguyen '21

**DRS. BERGER & MOSCOW FAMILY ENDOWED SCHOLARSHIP** ($1,000)
Nathan Keyes '22

**CHARLES A. CALLAWAY ENDOWED SCHOLARSHIP** ($1,000)
Ye Ji Kim '21
Neda Norouzi '21
Stephanie Carrero '22

**DR. FREDDY WILFRED CHANG ENDOWED SCHOLARSHIP** ($1,000)
Brittany Darnley '21

**JERRY L. CLAY ENDOWED AWARD** ($1,000)
Sophia Johnson '21

**DR. STAN DICKERSON LEADERSHIP AWARD** ($1,000)
Marie Huegel '21

**DR. FRED FARIAS ENDOWED SCHOLARSHIP** ($1,000)
Pooja Allou '21

**DR. JOHN A. GAZAWAY ENDOWED SCHOLARSHIP** ($2,000)
Jake Haberman '21

**DR. CHARLES L. HAINES HUMAN PHYSIOLOGY ENDOWED AWARD** ($1,000)
Laurel Heskett '23

**DR. RICHARD L. HOPPING ENDOWED ETHICS AWARD** ($2,000)
Chisom Chukwumerije '21

**DR. LES MANNING ENDOWED SCHOLARSHIP** ($1,000)
Seth Jones '23

**WILLIAM D. MCAFEE, OD ’51 ENDOWED AWARD** ($1,000)
Aaliyah Cole ‘22

**MAULDIN FAMILY MEMORIAL ENDOWED SCHOLARSHIP** ($1,000)
Jacquelyn Brown ‘21

**WAYNE W. PYEATT ENDOWED SCHOLARSHIP** ($2,000)
Braden Sorensen '22

**PEGGY REMKE MEMORIAL ENDOWED SCHOLARSHIP** ($2,000)
Brooke Spivey '21

**ROSEMERE FAMILY ENDOWED SCHOLARSHIP** ($2,000)
Samantha Harris ‘21
Morgan Mathis ‘23
Samantha Lee ‘21
Alexandra Cloud ‘22

**W. DAVID SULLINS ENDOWED SCHOLARSHIP FOR LEADERSHIP** ($1,000)
Trevor Smith ‘21
Matthew Eidom ‘23

**KANSAS ALUMNI ENDOWED SCHOLARSHIP** ($1,000)
Ann McLean ‘22

State and Professional Associations

**AUXILIARY TO THE ARKANSAS OPTOMETRIC ASSOCIATION** ($1,000)
Walker Jarrett '21

**KENTUCKY OPTOMETRIC ASSOCIATION SCHOLARSHIPS** ($1,000)
Lindsey McCallon '21
Daniel Bloemer '21

**MISSISSIPPI OPTOMETRIC ASSOCIATION, HONORING DR. WILLIAM E. COCHRAN** ($1,000)
Anna Katherine Lansdell '21

**DR. MILTON WEBB OPTOMETRIC LEADERSHIP AND SERVICE SCHOLARSHIP** ($1,000)
Andrew Murphy '23

Corporate Partners and Ophthalmic Industry

**COOPER VISION/ASCO STUDENT RELIEF PROGRAM** ($1,000)
Nathaniel Jensen '21
Jacqueline Dang '23

**OCULAR INSTRUMENTS AWARD** (Product Certificate)
Adam Reichert '23
Brittany Darnley '21
Holly Pederson '22

**REVIEW OF OPTOMETRY AND THE RICK BAY FOUNDATION FOR EXCELLENCE IN EYECARE EDUCATION AWARD** ($500)
Hannah Fann '21

**J. PAT CUMMINGS SCHOLARSHIP** ($1,000)
Sonali Das ’22

**VISION SERVICE PLAN SCHOLARSHIPS** ($2,250)
Jonathan Eid '21
Alex Waters '21

**WAL-MART PROJECT FORESIGHT** ($2,000)
Allison Wirt '22
## Faculty and Staff Recognition

### 2019-20 Faculty of the Year

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### Burnett Faculty Recognition Award

Dr. John Mark Jackson, '99

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The College acknowledges and appreciates the years of service* from the following Faculty and Staff:

#### 30+ FACULTY
- Dr. John Bart Campbell '87
- Dr. Glen Steele '69

#### 20-29 FACULTY
- Dr. Jason Duncan '96
- Dr. Daniel Fuller
- Dr. Michael Gerstner '97
- Dr. Aaron Kerr '98
- Dr. Cheryl Mengelt
- Dr. Beth Sparrow '98
- Dr. Lisa Wade '84

#### 10-19 FACULTY
- Dr. Patricia Cisank
- Dr. William Edmondson
- Dr. Lindsay Elkins '07
- Dr. Scott Ensor '01

#### 5-9 FACULTY
- Dr. Glenn Goldring '78
- Dr. Cynthia Heard
- Dr. John Mark Jackson '99
- Dr. Jennifer Jones '06
- Dr. Carrie Lebowitz '06
- Dr. Christopher Liyevens
- Dr. Janette Pepper
- Dr. Lewis Reich
- Dr. Jennifer Sanderson
- Dr. Richard Savoy
- Dr. Marc Taul
- Dr. James Venable '89
- Dr. Patricia Walker

#### 30+ STAFF
- Gail Killingsworth
- Gary Snuffin

#### 20-29 STAFF
- Joseph Hauser
- Denise Henson
- Debra Mooradian
- Sandra Morgan
- Joyce Smith
- Mark Sowell
- Sandra Stephens
- Dean Swick
- Janine Tenorio
- Lisa Tracy
- Penny Walker
- Carolyn Warren

#### 10-19 STAFF
- Trey Adams
- Randy Bradford
- Debrita Branch
- Kim Branscomb
- Bill Brookshire
- Tony Deener
- David Dix
- Susan Doyle
- Sunny Ewing
- Beth Fisher
- Pateaka Franklin
- Cecily Freeman

#### 5-9 STAFF
- Cynthia Garner
- Stacy Griffin
- Melissa Hansbro
- Jim Hollifield
- William Hopper
- Mona Howard
- Mark Irving
- Erin Jaffe
- Harald Lashlee
- Mike Lawson
- Erle Mathens
- Carla O'Brian
- Michael Robertson
- Tyra Robinson
- Michelle Sellers
- Jerry Sullivan
- Michelle Taylor
- Stuart Turner
- Kristie Watson
- David West
- Felicia White

#### 30+ STAFF
- Brooke Caldwell
- Yokela Doyle
- Jan Frazier-Scott
- Ramon Gomez
- Kim Griffin-Pugh
- Bailey Gurley
- Emily Hall
- Caldon Handy
- Don Henson
- Jessica Hill
- Leslie Holland
- Clay Jones
- Ronald Jones
- Candis Lee
- Casey Leister
- Bernice McCall
- Michael McKeever
- Mack Mitchell
- Pam Mass
- William Mass
- Jasmine Murphy
- Donnie Pike
- Chequita Rice
- Sir Trena Savage
- Melinda Smith
- Philip Tribble
- Monique Trotter
- Frank Valentino
- Thomas Vanelli
- Jason Williams

*Based on calendar years of service.
Introducing The Class of 2024

Addy Adkisson
Alexis Anderson
Derek Anderson
Peter Anderton
Madison Bailey
Sabina Banit
Joseph Bateman
Trenton Bateman
Michael Bifano
Andrea Black
Kristen Black
Jacob Blackman
Grace Blankenship
Mark Brezinka
Austin Brian
Philip Brock
Lindsey Buckholz
Kimberly Cao
Catherine Chu
Noble Chun
Julia Clancy
Richard Clark
Kayton Coffee
Cameron Cramer
Kelsey Daberkow
Raeghan DeCuir
Connor Deen
Kara Detsch
Katie Doan
Lauren Dole
Emily Dunham
Chamé Ellis
Emily Faccin
Nancy Fisher
Benjamin Friedman
Linda Gallaher
Jenna Getman
Grace Gillispie
Mallory Gilmer
Brandon Goble
Natalia Gorski
Zach Graves
Tanner Harsin
Allee Haynes
Morgan Heimes
Patrick Huettemann
Zachary James
Madelyn Jordan
Bailey Kargo
Joshua Kavanagh
Minyoung Kim
Jenna Kokkat
Donnie Kooence
Emily Kyle
Creighton Ladd
Kellianne Lambert
Duyen Le
Clara Lee
Tanisha Perlmutter
David Lee
Ashley Lemonds
Macy Lewis
Ashley Lexmonds
Ashley Lexmonds
Maxwell Prosser
Macy Lewis
Samantha Rau
Nithya Vemula
Aiden McEnaney
Emily Meredith
Katelyn Miller
Richard Milner
Olivia Mitchell
Matthew Moe
Emily Moore
Kaitlyn Moore
Kaitlin Moseberth
Racheal Moua
Andrew Murphy
Turner Musgrove
Todd Myers
Christy Nguyen
Dao Joanna Nguyen
Laura Niederbrach
Anna Osborn
Dillon Pankey
Emma Panning
Shivam Patel
Vinunda Patel
Jessica Pearson
Brooke Penn
Katelyn Perez
Tanisha Perlmutter
Ashley Peterson
Tori Pierce
Maxwell Prosser
Weronika Przepiora
Mary Lou Puglese
Payton Ranck
Samantha Rau
Jessica Rischling
Emma Robertson
Amanda Rohrs
Collin Rouncsavall
Jessica Scheid
Jamie Schmauder
Madison Schnell
Patrick Schultz
Conner Selecman
Emily Seuferer
Ahmed Siddiqui
Maura Slade
Alexandra Smith
Sydney Smith
Amanda Soukup
Hannah Starr
Ryan Stewart
Kate Stubbs
Landon Sturdivant
Andrew Sweeter
Karen Talens
Mason Taylor
Matthew Theirli
Tracie Thibault
Samantha Thompson
Cindy Tran
Elie Trejo
Alexander Vaughn
Nithya Vemula
Kaitlyn Walter
Katelyn Whaley
Paige Willett
Shae Wilson
Marcus Wise
Mallory Wright
Cory Zwahlen