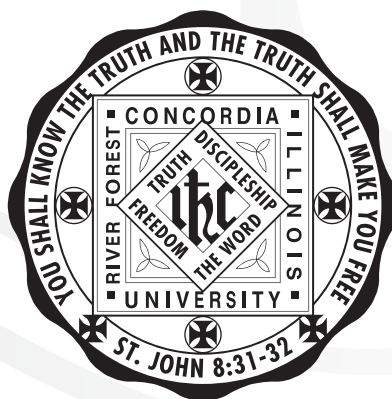




*Spring Commencement
celebrating the*

Concordia University Chicago Class of 2022

Friday & Saturday, May 6-7, 2022



Concordia University Chicago
Class of 2022 Spring Commencement

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This weekend's services are being livestreamed at CUChicago.edu/Live and will be available for on-demand viewing on the website.

Please silence all electronic devices.

In the unlikely event of an emergency, please take a moment to locate the exit nearest to you.

Class of 2022 Doctoral Commencement Ceremony

Friday, May 6 – 4 p.m.

A FESTIVAL PRELUDE

THE PROCESSIONAL

Pomp and Circumstance March #4

Edward Elgar (1857-1934)

The audience shall remain seated during the procession.

The Marshal

The Assistant Marshals

The Candidates for Doctoral Degrees

The Faculty of the University

The Board of Regents of the University

The University Pastor

The Deans of the Colleges

The Doctoral Commencement Speaker

The Provost of the University

The President of the University

THE WELCOME

Dr. Kevin Borchers BA '81, PhD '16

University Marshal

THE INVOCATION

Rev. Dr. Jeffrey Leininger

University Pastor

THE SCRIPTURE READING

Colossians 1:15-20

¹⁵ He is the image of the invisible God, the firstborn of all creation. ¹⁶ For by him all things were created, in heaven and on earth, visible and invisible, whether thrones or dominions or rulers or authorities—all things were created through him and for him. ¹⁷ And he is before all things, and in him all things hold together. ¹⁸ And he is the head of the body, the church. He is the beginning, the firstborn from the dead, that in everything he might be preeminent. ¹⁹ For in him all the fullness of God was pleased to dwell, ²⁰ and through him to reconcile to himself all things, whether on earth or in heaven, making peace by the blood of his cross.

THE COMMENCEMENT ADDRESS

Dr. Samantha Lazich

Assistant Professor of Reading and Literacy

THE HYMN OF PRAISE

Now Thank We All Our God

(see page 10 for music)

THE CONFERRING OF DEGREES

Dr. Erik P. Ankerberg BA '92

University Provost

Dr. Russell P. Dawn

University President

Out of respect for each graduate, please hold your applause until the last graduate has processed across the stage.



2022 GRADUATES

For full list of Doctoral Candidates and their Dissertations, please scan QR Code above to view online.

Doctoral Ceremony

THE DOCTORAL ALUMNI RESPONSE

Dr. Lauren Gross PhD '22
Organizational Leadership

THE ALMA MATER

All Concordia-Chicago alumni are invited to stand to be recognized before the singing of the Alma Mater. (see page 11 for music)

THE CHARGE TO THE GRADUATES

Dr. Russell P. Dawn
University President

THE LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name, Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever and ever. Amen.

THE BENEDICTION

Rev. Dr. Jeffrey Leininger
University Pastor

THE DISMISSAL

Dr. Kevin Borchers BA '81, PhD '16
University Marshal

THE RECESSIONAL

Following recession, light refreshments will be served for graduates and their guests (see map on page 9 for locations).

DOCTORAL COMMENCEMENT CEREMONY SPEAKER

Dr. Samantha Lazich
Assistant Professor of Reading and Literacy



Dr. Samantha Lazich is passionate about literacy for every individual, and has served at Concordia University Chicago since 2016. A member of College of Education's

Division of Teaching & Learning, she is actively involved within the faculty and across the University on a variety of teams and committees.

On CUC's Faculty Growth & Development Committee, Dr. Lazich helps to facilitate content to sustain fellow educators. She leads as internship supervisor for doctoral candidates in reading, language and literacy. In addition to teaching, Dr. Lazich serves as CUC's faculty liaison with the Chicagoland Lutheran Educational Foundation (CLEF) partnering to sustain Lutheran schools.

Dr. Lazich serves her profession as conference presenter on literacy coaching and instruction as well as conference program reviewer for the Association of Literacy Educators and Researchers. She contributes to her community as board of trustee member for Saint Sava Academy in Chicago.

She holds a BS in education from Northern Illinois University, and an MEd in language, literacy and specialized instruction and a PhD in curriculum studies from DePaul University.

Class of 2022 Bachelor's Commencement Ceremony

Saturday, May 7 – 10 a.m.

A FESTIVAL PRELUDE

THE WIND SYMPHONY OF
CONCORDIA UNIVERSITY CHICAGO

Conga Del Fuego Nuevo

Arturo Marquez, Trans. Oliver Nickel

Highlights from Riverdance

Bill Whelan, Arr. John de Meij

Dixieland Jamboree

Arr. John Warrington

THE PROCESSIONAL

The Sinfonians

Clifton Williams

The audience shall remain seated during the procession.

The Marshal

The Assistant Marshals

The Candidates for Bachelor's Degree

The Faculty of the University

The Board of Regents of the University

The University Pastor

The Deans of the Colleges

The Bachelor's Commencement Speaker

The Provost of the University

The President of the University

THE WELCOME

Dr. Kevin Borchers BA '81, PhD '16

University Marshal

THE INVOCATION

Rev. Dr. Jeffrey Leininger

University Pastor

THE SCRIPTURE READING

Colossians 1:15-20

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THE COMMENCEMENT ADDRESS

Rev. Micah Glenn BA '11

*Director of Recruitment & Enrollment,
Concordia Seminary St. Louis*

THE HYMN OF PRAISE

Now Thank We All Our God

*Setting by Benjamin Culli BME '97
(see page 10 for music)*

THE CONFERRING OF DEGREES

Dr. Erik P. Ankerberg BA '92

University Provost

Dr. Russell P. Dawn

University President

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2022 GRADUATES

For full list of Bachelor's Candidates, please scan QR Code above to view online.

Bachelor's Ceremony

THE UNDERGRADUATE ALUMNI RESPONSE

Mr. Anthony J. Howard BME '22
Music Education

THE ALMA MATER

All Concordia-Chicago alumni are invited to stand to be recognized before the singing of the Alma Mater. (see page 11 for music)

THE CHARGE TO THE GRADUATES

Dr. Russell P. Dawn
University President

THE LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name, Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever and ever. Amen.

THE BENEDICTION

Rev. Dr. Jeffrey Leininger
University Pastor

THE DISMISSAL

Dr. Kevin Borchers BA '81, PhD '16
University Marshal

THE RECESSIONAL

Sine Nomine
Ralph Vaughan Williams – Earl Rosenberg
Arr. Bruce Houseknecht

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BACHELOR'S COMMENCEMENT CEREMONY SPEAKER

Rev. Micah Glenn BA '11
Director of Recruitment & Enrollment
Concordia Seminary St. Louis



Rev. Micah Glenn's road to ministry was long but enlightening. A chemistry major at Concordia University Chicago, he originally studied to become a pharmacist to save lives with a caring hand and

desperately needed medication. Rev. Glenn then encountered working with patients one day and learning of their passing the next. This experience changed his view of what it means to help others.

After graduation, Rev. Glenn completed his MDiv at Concordia Seminary St. Louis (CSL) and was ordained in the Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod in 2016. Full-time ministry began in his hometown of Ferguson, MO as Executive Director of the Lutheran Hope Center. During tense times, Rev. Glenn facilitated outreach to fulfill the physical and spiritual needs of an often marginalized community.

In 2020 Rev. Glenn returned to CSL as Director of Recruitment working with prospective students to discern their ministry vocation. Rev. Glenn has preached about missions at churches around the United States, presented to more than 20,000 individuals at the 2019 LCMS Youth Gathering, and published articles on theology and racism through Lutheran Hour Ministries and on CSL's blog.

Rev. Glenn lives with his wife, Deaconess Dorothy (Naumann) BA '13, and their three children in St. Louis, MO. Together they spend family time discovering new hiking trails and playgrounds, fishing, or playing cards, board and video games.

Class of 2022 Master's Commencement Ceremony

Saturday, May 7 – 3 p.m.

A FESTIVAL PRELUDE

THE PROCESSIONAL

Pomp and Circumstance March #4
Edward Elgar (1857-1934)

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The Marshal

The Assistant Marshals

The Candidates for Master's Degree &
Education Specialist

The Faculty of the University

The Board of Regents of the University

The University Pastor

The Deans of the Colleges

The Master's Commencement Speaker

The Provost of the University

The President of the University

THE WELCOME

Dr. Kevin Borchers BA '81, PhD '16
University Marshal

THE INVOCATION

Rev. Dr. Jeffrey Leininger
University Pastor

THE SCRIPTURE READING

Colossians 1:15-20

¹⁵ He is the image of the invisible God, the firstborn of all creation. ¹⁶ For by him all things were created, in heaven and on earth, visible and invisible, whether thrones or dominions or rulers or authorities—all things were created through him and for him. ¹⁷ And he is before all things, and in him all things hold together. ¹⁸ And he is the head of the body, the church. He is the beginning, the firstborn from the dead, that in everything he might be preeminent. ¹⁹ For in him all the fullness of God was pleased to dwell, ²⁰ and through him to reconcile to himself all things, whether on earth or in heaven, making peace by the blood of his cross.

THE COMMENCEMENT ADDRESS

Dr. Andrea Dinaro
Associate Professor of Special Education

THE HYMN OF PRAISE

Now Thank We All Our God
(see page 10 for music)

THE CONFERRING OF DEGREES

Dr. Erik P. Ankerberg BA '92
University Provost

Dr. Russell P. Dawn
University President

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2022 GRADUATES

For full list of Master's Candidates, please scan QR Code above to view online.

Master's Ceremony

THE MASTER'S ALUMNI RESPONSE

Ms. Michelle Mastri MAT '22
Elementary Education

THE ALMA MATER

All Concordia-Chicago alumni are invited to stand to be recognized before the singing of the Alma Mater. (see page 11 for music)

THE CHARGE TO THE GRADUATES

Dr. Russell P. Dawn
University President

THE LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name, Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever and ever. Amen.

THE BENEDICTION

Rev. Dr. Jeffrey Leininger
University Pastor

THE DISMISSAL

Dr. Kevin Borchers BA '81, PhD '16
University Marshal

THE RECESSIONAL

Rondeau
Jean-Joseph Mouret

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MASTER'S COMMENCEMENT CEREMONY SPEAKER

Dr. Andrea Dinaro
Associate Professor of Special Education



Dr. Andrea Dinaro currently serves as Division Chair for Curriculum, Technology, and Inclusive Education in the College of Education at Concordia University Chicago. She was awarded the

Illinois Alliance of Administrators of Special Education Trailblazer Award (2016) for innovative practices and has led on the board of the Illinois Alliance of Administrators of Special Education since 2019. Additionally, Dr. Dinaro serves on a federal research grant project team for the University of Kansas supporting planning in schools.

Dr. Dinaro's care for others is a statement of her character. Since joining CUC in 2016, she has presented at international, national and state conferences and provided professional development activities at CUC as well as other schools and organizations. Dr. Dinaro actively seeks out and creates opportunities for students. From 2017 through 2019, she mentored 26 domestic and international students to present at conferences, publish journal articles, model lesson plans and write book chapters.

Dr. Dinaro holds a BS in education and an EdD in special education from Illinois State University. Additionally, she earned an MS in disability and human development from the University of Illinois at Chicago and an MS in leadership and administration from Benedictine University. Prior to CUC, Dr. Dinaro served as a teacher and administrator at A.E.R.O. Special Education Cooperative and as a guest lecturer in special education at Illinois State University.

Guest Guidelines

COVID-19 PROTOCOLS

For the safety of our graduates and guests, we kindly ask that you adhere to the following COVID-19 protocols effective at time of publication:

- Kindly avoid congregating and gathering in groups. Physical distancing of six feet is suggested between individuals who are not in the same household.
- Outside food and beverage is not allowed in Geiseman Gymnasium.
- Immediately following each ceremony, we kindly ask that graduates and their guests promptly clear the Gymnasium in order to begin preparation for the next ceremony.


Please see event signage and Ushers for information regarding updates to these protocols.

PROCESSION GUIDELINES

- **Please silence all electronic devices.** Noise makers are also not permitted for the safety of all guests.
- For the safety of all Commencement guests, we ask that you please remain in your seat until the faculty and graduates have processed out of the gymnasium at the end of the ceremony.
- Unauthorized guest presence is not permitted near the stage. Ushers will respectfully ask those not permitted in the area to return to their seats.
- Guest photography is only allowed from seating area. Please do not stand in the aisles. Flash and tripod photography is also not allowed in the gymnasium.
- Photographers from Grad Images will take pictures of each graduate receiving greetings. Photos will be posted online and access codes will be emailed to the individual graduates. For more information, please call 800-247-3435 or visit GradImages.com.
- Balloons and signs are not permitted inside the gymnasium. An usher will provide guests a ticket to check items before storing in a safe location until after the ceremony.
- Baby strollers and walkers must be parked in designated area when not in use to prevent blocking of aisles.

Campus Map



-  **Shuttle Stop**
-  **Suggested Meeting & Photo Areas**
-  **Refreshments for Graduates & Guests**
-  **Additional Parking Options**
-  **NO PARKING**
-  Automatic External Defibrillators AED
-  AED, March-November only in this location
-  AED, Geiseman Lower Level and First Floor

In Case of Rain, Refreshments Served in Krentz Center & Koehneke Community Center

Now Thank We All Our God



Now thank we all our God, With hearts and hands and voices,
Oh, may this bounteous God Through all our life be near us,
All praise and thanks to God The Father now be given,



Who wondrous things has done, In whom this world rejoices;
With ever joyful hearts And blessed peace to cheer us
The Son, and Him who reigns With them in highest heaven,



Who from our mothers' arms Has blest us on our way
And keep us in His grace And guide us when perplexed
The one eternal God, Whom earth and heav'n adore;



With countless gifts of love And still is ours to-day.
And free us from all ills In this world and the next!
For thus it was, is now, And shall be evermore.





The Alma Mater

Paul Manz BS '41



Hail to thee, our Al-ma Ma-ter! Hail to thee, Ma-roon and Gold!



Here we stand, thy sons and daugh-ters, Think-ing back to days of old:



Days of joy and hap-py meet-ings, Days of friend-ship and of love.



As we stand be-fore thy Pil-lars, Hail! Con-cor-dia! Hail!

Ceremony Participants

SPEAKERS

Doctoral Ceremony Speaker

Dr. Samantha Lazich
*Assistant Professor of Reading
and Literacy*

Master's Ceremony Speaker

Dr. Andrea Dinaro
*Associate Professor of
Special Education*

Bachelor's Ceremony Speaker

Rev. Micah Glenn BA '11
*Director of Recruitment & Enrollment,
Concordia Seminary St. Louis*

Doctoral Alumni Speaker

Dr. Lauren Gross PhD '22
Organizational Leadership

Master's Alumni Speaker

Ms. Michelle Mastri MAT '22
Elementary Education

Bachelor's Alumni Speaker

Mr. Anthony J. Howard BME '22
Music Education

CHAPLAIN

Rev. Dr. Jeffrey Leininger
University Pastor

MARSHALS

University Marshal

Dr. Kevin Borchers BA '81, PhD '16

Assistant Marshals

Dr. Debra Arfsten
Dr. Mary Goetting
Dr. Paul Sims
Prof. Jared Stiek MA '15
Prof. Amy Stradtmann
Dr. Anne Thies
Dr. Mary Zaharis PhD '14

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College of Business

Dr. Ashley Allen Brown EdD '22
Ms. Samantha Seggerson MBA '22
Mr. Jalen Meeks BA '22

College of Education

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Ms. Mikayla Perino BS '22

College of Health, Science & Technology

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Mr. Kapil Reddy Kuchekulla MS '22
Ms. Ashley Kennedy BA, BS '22

College of Theology, Arts & Humanities

Ms. Emma Heinz BA '22

MUSICIANS

Bachelor's Ceremony Musicians

The Concordia University
Chicago Wind Symphony
*Dr. Richard Fischer, Conductor,
The Fred and Jane Wittlinger
Endowed Chair for Music Performance*

Doctoral & Master's Ceremony Musicians

Mr. Matt Lee, Trumpet
Mr. Greg Fudala, Trumpet
Ms. Renee Vogen, French Horn
Mr. Corey Sansolo, Trombone
Mr. Sean Whitaker, Tuba
Members of the Concordia
University Chicago Kapelle
Dr. Charles Brown, Conductor

NAME ANNOUNCERS

Dr. Charles Brown
Undergraduate Ceremony
Dr. Erin Real
Master's Ceremony
Dr. Jonathan Stahlke
Doctoral Ceremony

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Central Area Interpreter
Referral Service

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Mr. Ryan Skryd

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MA '10, MBA '12
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MCM '05
Music Department

Ceremony participants subject to change.

Academic Traditions

THE ACADEMIC PROCESSION

The Mace: Led by the University Marshal, today's academic procession traces its origin to universities of medieval Europe. The traditional mace formerly served a useful purpose as an instrument to disperse crowds of small boys and dogs that cluttered the line of march and to maintain order in unruly gatherings.

The mace evolved over time into a symbol of rulership associated with the pride of a nation's origin. Later it was adopted by universities as a symbol of the power of the academic pursuit of truth and wisdom. Carried during academic processions, the mace brings authority to ceremonial occasions symbolizing the unity of the collegiate community. The mace carried today by the University Marshal is a cross sculpted of cherry wood to represent the University's mission with the seal at its center to symbolize Christ at the core of Concordia-Chicago.

The Gonfalons: Once used to identify households, neighborhoods or districts in medieval times, these flags have held significant use in religious ceremonies throughout history. Today they bear the names and colors of the primary disciplines of each of the University's four colleges. The Student Marshals carrying the Gonfalons are selected by their Deans as a declaration of honor and pride for their representation of the standards, principles and ideals of their Colleges.

THE ACADEMIC REGALIA

The Gown: The flowing gown comes from the 12th century. While originally it may have been worn as protection against the cold of unheated buildings, today it has become symbolic of the democracy of scholarship, for it covers any dress of rank or social standing. Typically black for all degrees, the gown has pointed sleeves for bachelor's degrees, long closed sleeves with a slit at the arm or wrist for master's degrees, and full-bell, double sleeves for doctoral degrees. Bachelor's and master's degree gowns have

no trimming. The gown for the doctoral degree is faced down the front with velvet and has three bars of velvet across the sleeves, in the color distinctive of the faculty, institution or discipline to which the degree pertains. Some gowns for doctoral degrees are in a color distinctive to the degree-granting institution.

The Cap: When Roman law freed the slave, he won the privilege of wearing a cap. The academic cap is a sign of freedom of scholarship and the responsibility and dignity with which scholarship endows the wearer. Old poetry records the cap of scholarship as square to symbolize the book. Doctoral caps may be four, six or eight-sided and are most often made of velvet. The color of the tassel for bachelor's degrees denotes the discipline. The tassel for the master's degree is black; the tassel for those holding a doctoral degree may be gold or the color corresponding to the hood.

The Hood: The hood is trimmed with one or more chevrons of a secondary color on the background of the primary color of the college. The color of the facing of the hood denotes the discipline represented by the degree; the color of the lining designates the university or college from which the degree was granted.

The colors associated with the different disciplines awarded at Concordia University Chicago are as follows:

Business / <i>Drab</i>	Philosophy, Political
Communication / <i>Crimson</i>	Science / <i>Dark Blue</i>
Education / <i>Light Blue</i>	Physical Education, Sports
Fine Arts / <i>Brown</i>	Leadership / <i>Sage Green</i>
Law / <i>Purple</i>	Psychology / <i>Gold</i>
Letters, Humanities / <i>White</i>	Science / <i>Golden Yellow</i>
Music / <i>Pink</i>	Social Work, Sociology / <i>Citron</i>
	Theology / <i>Scarlet</i>

About Concordia University Chicago

Concordia University Chicago, a university of the Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod (LCMS), traces its beginnings to 1864, when Addison Teachers Seminary was dedicated and classes were begun in a three-story building in Addison, IL. Designed to educate men to become Lutheran school teachers, the seminary was chartered by Zion Lutheran Church in Addison (now in Bensenville, IL). Shortly after the turn of the previous century, the expanding seminary had outgrown its Addison campus, and on October 12, 1913 a new facility named Concordia Teachers College in the University's present River Forest location was dedicated before crowds of more than 30,000 people.

In 1938, Concordia became a coeducational institution and, in 1957, Concordia's first graduate program in education was established. By the early 1970s, the single-purpose institution expanded its

mission of educating teachers and graduates for church professions by adding a liberal arts program.

To reflect its broadened range of programs, the institution's name was changed from Concordia Teachers College to Concordia College in 1979. As more graduate programs and liberal arts majors continued to be added, the college changed its name in 1990 to Concordia University. In 2006, the University officially became known as Concordia University Chicago, reinforcing the University's presence and programs in the greater Chicagoland area and providing recognition regionally, nationally and globally.

True to its heritage, Concordia-Chicago continues to be a leader in educating teachers both for the Church and for the world. Concordia-Chicago is among those private colleges in Illinois that graduate the largest number of educators annually. The University's





College of Business, College of Education, College of Health, Science & Technology, and College of Theology, Arts & Humanities offer concentrations in a wide variety of fields at the bachelor's, master's and doctoral levels. Professional learners also benefit from various accelerated degree offerings relevant to today's employment landscape.

For more than a decade, combined graduate and undergraduate enrollment has exceeded 5,000 students. The University now enrolls more than 1,000 doctoral students and more than 300 international students.

Since 2010, Concordia University Chicago has been named as a College of Distinction and a Christian College of Distinction in recognition of outstanding student engagement, teaching and academic excellence in undergraduate education. The University is now recognized as a Hispanic Serving Institution.

In addition, a number of faculty members have been named Fulbright Scholars and taken part in the related international exchange. The prestigious Golden Apple Foundation has recognized more than 30 College of Education students as part of its scholars program, and 22 alumni have received Golden Apple Teacher Awards for their exemplary work in the classroom.

In 2019, Dr. Russell Dawn was installed as the institution's 12th president. Today, he leads the University under the primary tenets of truth, freedom and vocation. To date, more than 43,000 graduates form the long line of maroon and gold alumni. With deep roots in the LCMS, vocation, faith and service remain the foundation of a Concordia University Chicago education today.

Concordia University Chicago University Administration

UNIVERSITY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

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President

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Arts & Humanities*

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Our Mission

Steadfast in Jesus Christ as revealed in the Holy Scriptures, Concordia University Chicago promotes academic rigor in its liberal arts and professional programs; grounds students in objective truth, integrity, and excellence; and practices faithfulness to the Confessional teachings of the Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod, as it forms students for vocations in church, family, and the world.



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