



# Convocation for Conferring Degrees

Faculty of Engineering  
Class of 2026

Tuesday, June 16, 9:00am

# Land Acknowledgement

McMaster University recognizes and acknowledges that we meet today on the traditional territories of the Mississauga and Haudenosaunee nations within the lands protected by the Dish With One Spoon wampum agreement.

## Presiding

### Chancellor

Nicholas Brathwaite, *BA (Hons), BA, MA*

### President and Vice-Chancellor

Dr. Susan Tighe, *PhD, PEng, FCAE, FCSCE, FEIC, C.Dir*

Visit [registrar.mcmaster.ca/convocation-2026](https://registrar.mcmaster.ca/convocation-2026) to learn more about the Honorary Degree recipients, award winners and valedictorians.

## Order of Exercises

The Graduand Procession

The Academic Procession

The Chancellor's Procession

...

Opening Remarks

...

The Conferring of Honorary Degrees

The Convocation Address

...

The Conferring of Degrees In-Course

The Presentation of the Graduates

...

The Valedictory Address

...

Awards of the 2025-2026 Session

President's Address

Closing Remarks

...

The National Anthem

The McMaster University convocation program is a listing of degree candidates who have been approved for Spring convocation by the May 22, 2026 deadline. Publishing names of degree candidates in the ceremony program is not a verification of completion of degree requirements.

# Doctor of Philosophy

## Biomedical Engineering

Lauren Hilary Anderson  
Siyuan Li  
Alyssa Monique Williams

## Computer Science

Chengqi Li

## Mechanical Engineering

Naseem Alsadi  
Eduardo Barbosa Louback

Quade Butler  
Mohammad Ali Daeian  
Javad Hashemi  
Khosrowshahi  
Mohamed Safy  
Mostafa Hassan

Mahmoud Samir Ahmed  
Elsayed Seyam

## Software Engineering

Nicholas Michael Annable  
Daphne Lesley Wheat

# Master of Science

## Computer Science

Oluwafeyisayo Nicole  
Adesanya

Hamza Jamil Ahmad  
Maryam Sadat Emami  
Samkith K Jain

Morteza Mirzaei Khalilabadi  
Baran Shajari  
Fatemeh Taherifard

# Master of Applied Science

## Biomedical Engineering

Taylor Dawn Kramer

## Mechanical Engineering

Ahmed Salaheldin Mohamed  
Abdulmaksoud

Raveen Appuhamy  
Husain Tamim Bamboowala  
Ahijit Banerjee  
Nancy Nyantakyiwaa  
Boamah  
Manar Ibrahim Kamal  
Hassan Emira  
Anna Maria Esposito

Amirabbas Ghorbanpour  
Arani  
Emelyn Maeve Kupinski  
Nikoo Manouchehri Naeini  
Shreenivas Rangarajan

## Software Engineering

Samuel Joseph Crawford

Anthony Fabian  
Arthur Faron  
Aliyah Jimoh  
Azam Mahdipour  
Anthony Abanoub Shenouda  
Kiran Robert Singh

# Master of Engineering

## Computing and Software

Chi Yu Chan  
Chenhao Diao

Sarthak Naitik Kapaliya  
Bo Liang  
Kobikan Linganathan  
Chunjie Lu

Yi Qiao  
Qipeng Wang  
Xiaoran Xie  
Jia Wen Yang

# Bachelor of Engineering & Management

★ Qais Abd El Naser  
Abu-El-Haija  
Qamrosh Ahmad  
Zaid Ashraf Omar  
Al Awamleh  
★ Hussein Al Rafea  
★ Matteo Ammendolia  
★ Taimur Azam

★ Mia Katarina Bekic  
Adrian Imran Brothers  
★ Casey Francine Bulaclac  
★ Nathan Chiem  
★ Nolan John Michael Clark  
★ Braden Thomas Clarke  
★ Mitchel Jeffrey Cox  
★ Cieran Jeffrey Diebolt

Nawaal Fatima  
Thomas Salvatore  
Giovinazzo  
★ Aidan Simon Gromek  
★ Karly Luciana Haak  
★ Sinan Hachimi  
Justin Cheuk Kei Ho  
★ Christopher Joseph Hughes

★ Matthew Huynh  
★ Ethan Anthony Albert  
Jenniskens  
Abhishek Saiprasad Kamath  
★ Wai Kei Jacqueline Leung  
★ Zongcheng Li  
Steven Zhen Liu  
Sabab Mahmood

★ Nathan Edward Marttunen  
 ★ Moly Mikhail  
 Serena Seema Mohabir  
 Mathew William Nacev  
 ★ Christopher Cruz Palermo

★ Vedashri Jigar Pandya  
 Vu Anh Pham  
 ★ Shayda Rahmatyan  
 ★ David Alan Rosario Roberts  
 ★ Dhruv Sardana

Ryan Selman  
 Vaisnavi Shanthamoorthy  
 Benjamin Reid Spilak  
 ★ Vince Joseph Ventresca  
 ★ Leo Vugert

Thomas Qisheng Wang  
 ★ Daniel Carl Ancel Young  
 Angela Zeng

## Bachelor of Engineering & Society

★ Omar Hassan Alam  
 ★ Chloe Castellino  
 Emily Jayna Forster

★ Raphael Yitzhak  
 Copeland Fox  
 ★ Kileigh Lillian Harrington

★ Christina Joyce Lidgley  
 ★ Emelia Grace Pringle  
 ★ Avery Michelle Zeiler

## Bachelor of Engineering

Omar Hassan Mostafa  
 Ali Abdelhamid  
 Mohamed Mahmoud  
 Abdelfattah Abdelwahab  
 ★ Dodampe Gamage  
 Liviru Hansana  
 Abeygunawardena  
 ★ Hamza Abou Jaib  
 Rackan Abughazal  
 Sebastian Acevedo Franco  
 Oreoluwa Winifred Adu  
 Tushar Aggarwal  
 Faraaz Ahmed  
 ★ Mahad Syed Ahmed  
 ★ Praise Akintayo Akinloye  
 ★ Omar Al-Asfar  
 ★ Akram Albeer  
 Luna Aljammal  
 Abdulrhman Allam  
 Noel Altali  
 Rayyan Amir  
 Boryana Borisova Angelova  
 ★ Sathurshan Arulmohan  
 Eman Mohib Ashraf  
 ★ Rebecca De Sousa Astill  
 ★ Gayan Athukorala  
 Taaha Mohammad Atif  
 Haseeb Ahmed Ayub  
 ★ André Botelho Alcáçova  
 Azevedo  
 Omar Ahmed Mohsen  
 Tawfik Azmy  
 Marshall James Bahen  
 Manav Bal  
 ★ Vetrivel Balaji  
 Dinesh Balakrishnan  
 ★ Kaelyn Mae Bamford  
 Mihan Bandara  
 Julia Lauren Barnes  
 ★ Luai Bashar

Yara Basiouny  
 Sambhav Bhalla  
 Hemraj Bhatt  
 Filiph Birger  
 ★ Andrew Dmitri Bovbel  
 Teaken River Brazeau  
 ★ Andrew Willem Brink  
 ★ Daniel Buttigieg  
 Judge Cao  
 ★ Junyu Cao  
 ★ William Gregory Capes  
 Gavin Olivier Carroll  
 ★ Zoe Zuyi Carter  
 ★ Nathan Elijah Chak  
 ★ Nirmal Chaudhari  
 ★ Ahren Chen  
 ★ Mian Chen  
 Rosa Chen  
 Ruida Chen  
 Shike Chen  
 Stanley Chen  
 Matthew Cheung  
 Savinay Chhabra  
 Jackson Shane Chung  
 Gwyneth Catherine  
 Marie Cicci  
 Mackenzie Aurora Clark  
 William Sydney Clarke  
 ★ Ryan Douglas Cooper  
 Vaishali Dave  
 Runjhun Deoras  
 ★ Karm Desai  
 ★ Aidan Koen De Shane-Gill  
 ★ Rebecca Lynne Di Filippo  
 Jeffrey Ai-Quoc Doan  
 Ryan Francis Doleweerd  
 ★ Jared Robert Ducharme  
 Jack Robert Durdle  
 Dylan Monish Monish  
 Dwarka

★ Omar Karim El Aref  
 ★ Karim Elbasiouni  
 Omar Alaaeldin Elsamadony  
 Mahmoud Ahmed El Shafei  
 Tabish Faisal  
 Jeremy Fakhoury  
 ★ Khalid Walid Fathy  
 Ahmed Farag  
 ★ Carter George Fenton  
 ★ Alex Lloyd Fraser  
 ★ Blake Keenan Freer  
 Aidan Edward Froggatt  
 ★ Jack Geoffrey Fujita  
 ★ Caitlin Louisa Fuller  
 ★ Mohammed Fuzail  
 Kieran Gandhi  
 Aananya Garg  
 ★ Dylan Michael Garner  
 Mathieu Cawsey Gaudet  
 Rupayan Ghosh  
 Rameen Gilani  
 ★ Aidan Cole Goodyer  
 Ravneet Kaur Gosal  
 ★ Emili Gouvitch  
 Salomé Grajales  
 Noel Chungath Gregory  
 Ajay Singh Grewal  
 Jamie Ha  
 ★ Fatemeh Hamidzadeh  
 ★ Dalia Hamour  
 Harnoor Kaur Harnoor Kaur  
 ★ Ghena Hatoum  
 ★ Jad Haytaoglu  
 ★ Marcos Hernandez-Rivero  
 ★ Beshoy Adel Fahmy Hezky  
 ★ Dexter Maverick Holst  
 Weichen Hou  
 Jared Hunter  
 ★ Felix Hurst  
 Mitchell Peter Hynes

Alexander Ilinykh  
 Emily Ing  
 Toby Jaren Isidro  
 Abyan Arib Jaigirdar  
 Luciano Theodore Jakubczyk  
 Ivana Jeftic  
 ★ Mohammad Reza Jodeiri  
 Hadi Kahwaji  
 ★ Kabir Kakar  
 Sylvia Soliman Asaad Kamel  
 Liam Edward Kamerman  
 Ty Orin Kenzie  
 ★ Abdul Rahim Khan  
 ★ Mohammad Asher Khan  
 Muhammad Kumail Khan  
 ★ Muhammad Umar Khan  
 Safwan Ahmad Khan  
 ★ Burhanuddin Sajid  
 Kharodawala  
 Suhyun Kim  
 Petar Klisuric  
 Sabrina Gabrielle Kocot  
 ★ Nicholas Edward Koenig  
 ★ Djordje Kokot  
 ★ Matthew Dean Krajcar  
 ★ Aswin Kuganesan  
 ★ Nishanth V Kulkarni  
 Nivetha Kuruparan  
 ★ Helena Lee  
 ★ Jung Woo Lee  
 Lucia Lee  
 Jason Tyler Lefneski  
 Yunkai Li  
 Zheng Bang Liang  
 Clarissa Saviera Lie  
 Konrad Lisowski  
 Hanyu Liu  
 Jianqing Liu  
 Yicheng Liu  
 ★ Yu Liu

Jonathan Daniel Loh	Ysabel Alexa Pecayo	★ Kalp Hiral Shah	Temituoyo Sylvester
Xiaotian Lou	★ Hayden Frederick Perrin	Yousef Zuhair Shahin	Ugborogho
Alden Gregory Mark Luscher	★ Nathan Alexander Perry	Rami Shahroui	Shaan Singh Uppal
★ Mohammad Mahdi Mahboob	★ Joseph Anthony Petrusek	Jay Yogeshkumar Sharma	Branavi Vaikuntharajan
★ Rawan Mahdi	Luis Eduardo Jacques	Manan Sharma	★ Jordan Lucas Van Dam
★ Jainil Dipakkumar Majmudar	Pinto Cabrera	Shivom Sharma	★ Zacharia Ariyan Velshi
Amanj Mamende	★ Andrew Tempus Piotrowski	★ Maha Shawkat	★ Ali Mahmood Virk
Gurjaap Kaur Mangat	★ Evan James Placenis	Ahmad Noor Shayan	★ Alexandros Vlachos
★ John Thomas William Mann	Gourob Kumar Podder	★ Omar Shehada	★ Owen Alexander Wagner
★ Owen Jacob Marshall	★ Timothy George Pokanai	Ann Shi	★ Benjamin McIntyre Waldie
★ Melanie Catherine Martin	Prerna Satish Prabhu	★ Yanqing Shi	★ Jack Alexander Walmsley
Emma Rita Martino	★ Stefan Py	★ Zihe Shi	★ Bo Wen Wang
★ Jessica Patricia	Alvin Qian	★ Grady Bruce Zentaro Shin	★ Qianyue Wang
Makani McGuire	★ Johnny Bohao Qu	Zifan Si	Zhicheng Wang
★ Andrew James McLaren	Md Farhan Faiyajur Rahman	Aiko Theodora Sianto	Nicholas Andrew White
Aaron Presley Meli	Kavith Januda Ranchagoda	Yevgeniy Sigayev	Grayson Melburn Wood
★ Colin Edward Metcalfe	Desmond Rasie	★ Himanshu Vikram Singh	★ Changhao Wu
★ Amanbeer Singh Minhas	★ Virochaan Ravichandran	Shanthoes Sivanathan	Runzhe Wu
★ Carson Dennis Morehen	Gowri	★ Madeline Jane Smith	Yifan Wu
★ Graham Elliott Morrison	★ Hamzah Waris Rawasia	★ Kyen So	★ Tianjiao Xiao
★ Hussain Olawale Muhammed	★ Jacob David Read	Eric Reid Solak	★ Fiona Jingfei Xie
Hamza Mujtaba	★ Olivia Bruna Reich	William Shen Song	★ Tianyi Yang
★ Maheen Nadeem	Juan David Reyes	Armin Sound	★ Heng Hui Yao
★ Vivi Nguyen	Markus Viktor Rogina	William David Starr	★ Clara Elisabeth Yaromich
Claire Audrey Nielsen	★ Mankaran Singh Roprai	★ Iva Stefanovic	Alexander Yoon
Jaxen Jone Nilsson	★ Jasan Christopher Rubes	★ Brandon Jonah Stepak	Sarah Youssef
Awurama Konadu Nyarko	Ahmed Jamal Ibrahim Sahi	Cavan Frederick Stewart	★ Mazen Amr Youssef
Ammar Obead	Abigail Salari	★ Thomas James Stickland	Abdelrazik
★ Brent Joel Overbeeke	Jude Salloum	Rayyan Suhail	★ Kelvin Chang Yu
Kaan Ozkan	Muhammad Saad Salman	★ Ethan James Sutor	Baoning Zhang
William Kuanlun Pai	★ Mikayel Sargsyan	Ruodong Sun	Ji Zhang
★ Mithun Paramathasan	★ Thuvarakaa Sathiyamether	Mehdi Ali Rizvi Syed	Tianyao Zhang
★ Anish Paramsothy	Joseph Carmelo Saturnino	★ Congling Tang	Chengze Zhao
Rick Pranay Parikh	Celine Sebastian	★ Yuge Tang	★ Kevin Zhu
Ayush Vijaykumar Patel	Pierre Sedarous	Adam Mahmoud Tawfik	Sarim Umair Zia
★ Mihir Patel	Fiza Sehar	★ Andrew Michael Thompson	Yuyang Zou
Yash Rajankumar Patel	Sydney Sumithra Senaratna	Coby Huy Tran	
Swesan Pathmanathan	★ Bhavyakumar	★ Nicholas Charles Trimble	
★ Ethan Philip Patterson	Vipulbhai Shah	★ Rachel Yuet Tung Tsang	

## Bachelor of Applied Science

★ Selim Hussein Mohsen	★ Akshita Vilas Bakshi	★ Ben Dong	★ Stella Shuting Gu
Hussein Abdelrazek	Madhav Bezawada	★ Xianpi Duan	★ Soutrik Guhathakurta
★ Mayowa Oluwaseun	★ Christian Canlas	★ Xianzhao Duan	Chenrui Hao
Adesanya	★ Romeo Chalil	★ Michael Fedotov	★ Asher Haroon
★ Arian Ahmadinejad	★ Dhruv Chand	Ahmed Jubaer Ferdous	★ Karamvir Singh Hira
★ Sohaib Ahmed	★ Alex Chen	★ Felix Jia Qian Fong	★ Quang Tung Ho
★ Ahmad Tareq Al Labadi	★ Zhuo Chen	★ Greg Forster	★ Chiyu Huang
★ Matthew Anderson	★ William MacGregor Clubine	Jack David Kenneth	★ Haoxuan Huang
★ Jayesh Anil	★ Tania Almeida Da Silva	Davidson Fountain	Xin Huang
★ Gregory Kyle Archer	★ Rachele Vivian De Man	★ Jiehao Fu	Mary Rose Ibrahim
★ Craig Valmore Lorne Ardiel	Rachel Madhumita Dennis	★ Giovanna Rosa Gerada	Dai Ishida
★ Jacob Alexander Armstrong	Divij Dhiraaj	★ Andrew Louis Goetz	Owen Patrick Jackson
Tahir Asif	★ Jacob Ryan DiCarlo	★ Elliot Alexandre Gorman	Ishaan Jamwal
★ Taaliah Gul Ayub	★ Louis Doan	★ Divye Goswami	★ Virendra Jethra
Sarvin Azadi	Sammy Samuel Dods	★ Josef Michael Graf	★ Haley Grace Johnson

Tinu Joseph  
★ Neel Joshi  
Paarth Kadakia  
★ Madhav Kalia  
Aaryan Kandwal  
★ Himasha Devmini  
Karunathilake  
★ Rayan Kasam  
Simarpreet Kaur  
Mustakim Kazi  
★ Raymond Xingjian Ke  
★ Marwa Khafagy  
Nika Khajehpour  
Arin Khandelwal  
★ Roland Tj Kim  
Selina Juwon Kim  
★ Krish  
Nisheet Kumar  
★ Kevin Lao  
★ Timothy Raymond Leung  
★ Zicheng Li  
★ Lok Man Norman Liang  
★ Ke Yu Lin  
★ Tony Lin  
★ Aizaz Ahmed Lodhi  
★ Elite Lu  
★ Zikai Lu

Samir Matani  
Martin Matlok  
Aidan Daniel McLean  
Oliver Albert Metz-Strauss  
Jwalit Bhavinkumar Miniwala  
★ Mahdi Mohammad  
Victor Moucattash  
★ Asadullah Muhammad  
Faizan Muhammad  
★ Carter Hachiro Naganobu  
★ Ishpreet Singh Nagi  
★ Leiah Soriya Nay  
★ Ha Nguyen  
James Kevin Nickoli  
★ Kenneth Vincenzo Ong  
★ Thomas Jeffrey Overall  
Hetanshu Jayeshkumar  
Pandya  
Malhar Ashwinbhai Patel  
★ Om Rajeshkumar Patel  
★ Vraj Pareshkumar Patel  
Sparsh Poddar  
Nicholas Alexander Poulidis  
★ Roshaan Quyum  
★ Saagar Racharla  
Prit Raj  
★ Umar Rajguru

★ Hammad Ur Rehman  
★ Sasha Melville Robinson  
★ Vinoth Robinson  
Moein Roghani Mamaghani  
Khushii Saini  
★ Abhishek Saju  
★ Eduardo Joaquin  
Hari Salvacion  
★ Jeremy Nathan Sampl  
★ Aadi Amitbhai Sanghani  
★ Ankush Sarkar  
★ Viransh Sumesh Shah  
★ Hebah Paravanvilakum  
Shamnad  
★ Gaurav Sharma  
★ Abdul-Hadi Siddiqui  
Zain Siddiqui  
★ André Silva Ramos  
Bezerra de Menezes  
★ Gulkaran Singh  
Harkirat Singh  
Harkunwar Singh  
★ Tanvir Singh  
★ Malko-Bani Somo  
★ Nicole Victoria Sorokin  
★ Prakadeesh Subramanian  
★ Jingyao Sun

★ Wentao Sun  
★ Aryan Satish Suvarna  
Syed Haneef Taher  
Archit Tandon  
★ Rafik Ayman Ramzy Tawfik  
★ Insiyah Yusuf Ujjainwala  
Anirudh Verma  
★ Alyssa Wang  
★ Xiao Yuan Wang  
★ Peter Wardell  
★ Abdullahi Weheliye  
★ Piotr Wiatr  
Duzhi Wu  
Yuanchen Xu  
★ Zhecheng Xu  
★ Shiyi Yang  
Zhanxu Ye  
Jeehyun Yoon  
★ Geon Youn  
★ Nicholas Zajkeskovic  
Bozhi Zhang  
★ Hongyi Zhang  
★ Zhiting Zhang  
Xingjian Zheng  
★ Xing Zhong  
★ Olivia Muqiao Zhou

