2025 Graduation Recap

Presentation to the Harper College Board of Trustees
June 18, 2025











2025 Harper College Graduation Highlights





Harper College Graduates Profile



- 808 RSVP for the Ceremony
- Over 2,600 graduates
- Over 4,100 degrees/certificates conferred to date
- 29 countries
- 8 states
- 23 communities
- 1,253 first-generation students
- 181 Promise graduate
- 134 Ignite graduates
- 68 apprenticeship graduates



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Graduate Designations









Pictured, L-R: International students: Russia, Hungary, Vietnam; First Generation Students Additionally, Phi Theta Kappa, Other International Students, Apprenticeships, HSE Diploma Graduates, Social Justice, Dental Hygiene, among others.



New for the 2025 Graduation Ceremony



- Illinois High School Diploma Graduates
- Career Skills Institute
- Student seating Upon Entry
- New stage design
- Everwall Interactive Social Media Board
- First Generation Stoles
- Faculty and Staff Line Up: Tunnel of Success!
- Nearly 4,000 families and guests



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CELEBRATE THE GRADUATES

Congratulations! Graduates, family, and friends

- share a celebration message on the big screen.



Scan the QR code or visit harpergrad.everwall.com



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congrats zach!! we are excited to see you graduate and go to U of I! we can recreate the picture from 2010:)

Clara Nesvacil @claranes...

to 17 days ago

Congratulations Zachary!! We are so proud of you!

Carol Nesv © 17 days ago Carol Nesvacil @cnesvacil





Congrats, Lucy!! Happy Graduation Day! Love, Kari #harpergrad

Kari Brigham @congrats_...





Congratulations babygirl. Your arev winner. We Love you so much. 😭 💜 😭 💜 😭 🤎 59 💚 59 💚 59 💚 59 💚 59 59 W 59 W

Rosa Broussard @Rosabr...





Emily Tejeda @emilytejeda



GO ILLINI!!

Carol Nesvacil @cnesvacil

Mi primera hija graduada, estamos muy orgullosos tus papás te amamos

Karla Cantu @karlacantu

congrats!



Way to go overachiever! We are so proud of you!

Mom, Ayden, colin @mo...



Congratulations to you mimi

Jajuan Mc Jajuan Mccoy @jajuanmc...



To Chelcey Broussard from your mom. I am so proud of you. You are smart and kind, not to mention beautiful. Keep being



Rosa Broussard @Rosabr... Rosa Brou

Felicidades Leslie Tecpanecatl gracias por este momento estamos muy orgullosos de ti te



Ernestina @ernestina



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Convocation and Destination Graduation

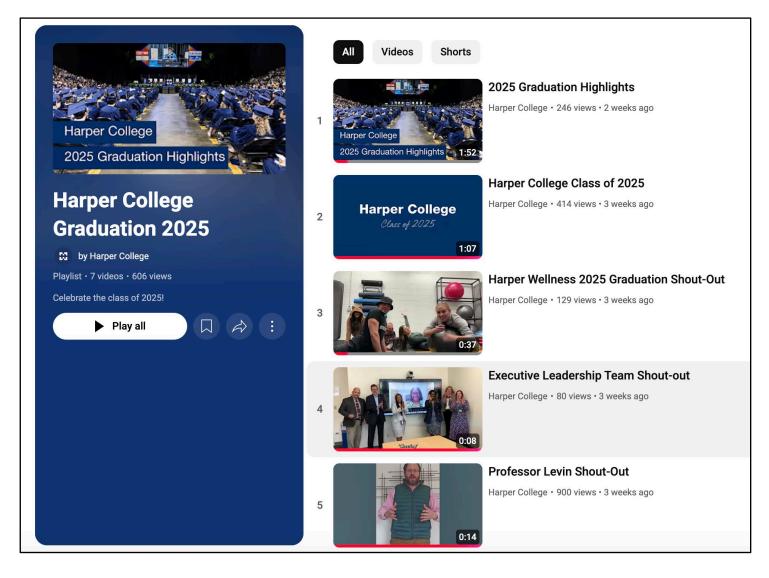
- Convocation, May 6
- Destination Graduation May 7 and 8
 - On-campus graduation experiences
 - Professional headshots
 - Photos with the President
 - Photos with the Harper Hawk
 - Harper Alumni Network and JPRC Grad Gift Table
 - Cap decorating party















University Center and Alumni



- University Center sponsorship at NOW Arena
- Alumni gift: Flashlight





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Thank you to the Graduation Committee and Partners

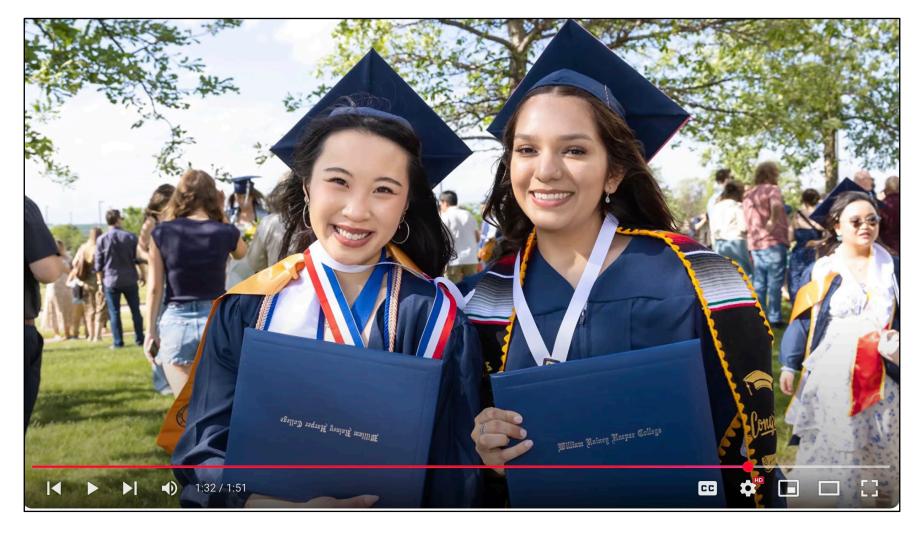
- Mike Barzacchini
- Dennis Baskin
- Monica Busser
- Tony Butler
- Scott Cashman
- Nicci Cisarik De Jesus
- Magda Dolas
- Tom French

- Anna Ghiotti
- Michael Gicla
- Rachel Hemm
- Kathi Hock
- Shannon Hynes
- Joanne Ivory
- Sonia Jawnyj
- Maria Knuth

- Thom Lange
- Derek Leiter
- Gus Manolis
- Christopher Maxwell
- Robert Parzy
- Becky Ramirez-Malagon
- April Reyes
- Nicholas Smith

- Becki Suthers
- Randy Tolke
- Mike Vanlandingham
- Sean Warren-Crouch
- Eric Weibe
- Ruth Williams







2025 Graduation Highlights Video

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Thank you and congratulations to our graduates!



