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# White Coat CEREMONY

10 a.m. | Saturday, September 28, 2024

Live Stream: [pharmacy.tamu.edu/wcc/index.html](https://pharmacy.tamu.edu/wcc/index.html)

Annenberg Presidential Conference Center  
– Frymire Auditorium

The White Coat Ceremony is a meaningful tradition that signifies a student's transition into the clinical years of the pharmacy program. During the ceremony, students enrolled in the first year of the program are donned a white coat, a recognized symbol of clinical service and patient care. Students also recite the Pledge of Professionalism to publicly acknowledge their willingness to meet the professional expectations established by the pharmacy community.

The White Coat Ceremony, as it is known today, first began at the Columbia University College of Physicians and Surgeons and has been adopted by numerous colleges

and schools involved in educating and training students interested in a wide range of health and medical related professions. The Texas A&M Rangel College of Pharmacy held its first White Coat Ceremony in 2007 and the tradition continues today.

We are delighted that you have joined us to celebrate this important milestone in our students' lives. They have worked hard to arrive to this point of their education and continue to work hard to accomplish their goal of earning a Doctor of Pharmacy (PharmD) degree. On behalf of the entire school, we thank you for attending our White Coat Ceremony.



## Dr. Craig D. Cox PharmD, FCCP, BCPS

Professor, Pharmacy Practice & Division Head – Medicine  
Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center

Jerry H. Hodge School of Pharmacy

Craig D. Cox, PharmD is a professor of pharmacy practice, regional dean for the Lubbock campus, and division head for adult medicine at Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center Jerry H. Hodge School of Pharmacy (TTUHSC SOP). He has been on the faculty for 24 years, and for 18 years he served as the Vice Chair of Experiential Programs.

He received his PharmD from Washington State University and completed a critical care residency at TTUHSC SOP in Amarillo. Dr. Cox provides clinical pharmacy services on the adult medicine ward at University Medical Center. He has served as the preceptor for more than 400 students and residents on six-week rotations.

He has also provided numerous presentations focused on experiential education both in the United States and abroad. Dr. Cox has a passion in self-discovery and team development. He led the rollout of EQi-2.0 (emotional intelligence assessment) at his School of Pharmacy, while serving as a consultant for other health profession programs. He has been elected to different national leadership positions with the American Association of Colleges of Pharmacy (AACP).

In 2022 Dr. Cox began a three-year Presidential term with AACP and is currently the Immediate Past President of the Association.

# Program

Introduction ..... Asim Abu-Baker, PharmD, RPh  
*Associate Dean for Clinical and Professional Affairs*

Invocation ..... Kayla Middleton  
*First-year professional student pharmacist  
P1 Class Representative for the Kingsville Campus*

Recognition of the Class of 2028,  
faculty, preceptors and guests..... Mansoor A. Khan, PhD, RPh  
*Acting Dean  
Regents Professor of Pharmaceutical Sciences, and  
Presidential Impact Fellow Texas A&M University  
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Presentation of the speaker ..... Dr. Khan

Keynote speaker..... Dr. Craig D. Cox  
*Professor, Pharmacy Practice & Disivion Head - Medicine  
Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center  
Jerry H. Hodge School of Pharmacy*

Presentation of the Class of 2028..... Dr. Abu-Baker

Donning of the White Coat..... Dr. Delaney Ivy, PharmD  
*Clinical Associate Professor*

Mrs. Lynde Buras  
*Experiential Education Coordinator*

Pledge of Professionalism..... Pamela Bosse '16, Phar.D., BCMTMS  
*CVS Pharmacy Manager*

Closing remarks ..... Dr. Khan

## Pledge of Professionalism

As a student of pharmacy, I believe there is a need to build and reinforce a professional identity founded on integrity, ethical behavior and honor. This development, a vital process in my education, will help to ensure that I am true to the professional relationship I establish between myself and society as I become a member of the pharmacy community. Integrity will be an essential part of my everyday life and I will pursue all academic and professional endeavors with honesty and commitment to service.

To accomplish this goal of professional development, as a student of pharmacy I will:

**DEVELOP** a sense of loyalty and duty to the profession by contributing to the well-being of others and by enthusiastically accepting the responsibility and accountability for membership in the profession.

**FOSTER** professional competency through life-long learning. I will strive for high ideals, teamwork, and unity within the profession in order to provide optimal patient care.

**SUPPORT** my colleagues by actively encouraging personal commitment to the Oath of a Pharmacist and the Code of Ethics for Pharmacists as set forth by the profession.

**DEDICATE** my life and practice to excellence. This will require an ongoing reassessment of personal and professional values.

**MAINTAIN** the highest ideals and professional attributes to insure and facilitate the covenantal relationship required of the pharmaceutical care giver.

The profession of pharmacy is one that demands adherence to a set of ethical principles. These high ideals are necessary to insure the quality of care extended to the patients I serve. As a student of pharmacy, I believe this does not start with graduation; rather it begins with my membership in this professional college community. Therefore, I will strive to uphold this pledge as I advance toward full membership in the profession.

I voluntarily make this pledge of professionalism.