

# WHITE COAT *Ceremony*

**JOHNS HOPKINS SCHOOL OF NURSING**

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**THURSDAY, AUGUST 21, 2025**

**3:30 PM**

**Alumni Auditorium S120**

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**WELCOME**

Sarah L. Szanton, PhD, RN, FAAN

*Dean, Johns Hopkins School of Nursing*

*Patricia M. Davidson Professor for Health Equity and Social Justice*

**ADDRESS TO INCOMING CLASS**

Natalia Barolín, BA, BSN, RN

*Senior Health Policy Advisor at the Johns Hopkins School of Nursing*

**CLOAKING CEREMONY & JOHNS HOPKINS  
SCHOOL OF NURSING PLEDGE**

Laura Lucas, DNP, MS, RN

*Director for MSN Programs*

*Assistant Professor at the Johns Hopkins School of Nursing*

**CLOSING REMARKS**



# Johns Hopkins School of Nursing Pledge

As I enter the nursing profession I pledge to:

Use all the knowledge, skills, and understanding that I possess.

Respect wellness as a human right, promote this with individuals, their families and communities while honoring my own wellbeing.

Practice with cultural humility, treat each person with respect, and listen so that I may give voice to the voiceless.

Hold in professional confidence all the personal information entrusted to me.

Honor our history and forebears by building upon the advancement of science, innovation, research, policy and knowledge.

Collaborate across disciplines, cultures and nations.  
Mentor those who come after me so that they can grow, learn and gain confidence.

Be a light of hope for all entrusted to our care.



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