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## Quick Facts

- President Dan Mahony announced that Austin Parker, a Lancaster, South Carolina, resident who earned a bachelor's degree in business administration with an emphasis in accounting, finished with the highest cumulative GPA.
- Parker will return to Winthrop to earn his M.B.A. degree while he begins studying to take the CPA exams.



Austin Parker

ROCK HILL, SOUTH CAROLINA - Winthrop University senior **Austin Parker** received the **President's Award for Academic Excellence** at the Dec. 17 Commencement at Winthrop Coliseum.

President Dan Mahony announced that Parker, a Lancaster, South Carolina, resident who earned a bachelor's degree in business administration with an emphasis in accounting, finished with the highest cumulative GPA.

Parker will return to Winthrop to earn his **M.B.A. degree** while he begins studying to take the CPA exams.

Around 300 students received their bachelor's or master's degrees in the Dec. 17 ceremony.

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