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Hello. My name is Dr. Solina Richter and I am the dean of the College of Nursing at the University of Saskatchewan.

Today I would like to send my heartfelt congratulations from everyone at USask Nursing to our Class of 2022 fall nursing graduates; graduates who are joining a proud group of over 10,900 alumni, 84 years strong.

Convocating today are students from a number of our programs including Bachelor of Science in Nursing, Master of Nursing – Thesis, Master of Nursing Primary Health Care Nurse Practitioner, Postgraduate Degree Specialization Certificate Primary Health Care Nurse Practitioner, and Doctor of Philosophy in Nursing.

Whether a graduate is moving from undergraduate student to new health care professional, or if they were previously a registered nurse and chose to expand their nursing knowledge through graduate studies, grads can be confident their program of study has prepared them to embrace the responsibilities of nursing practice.

Convocation is a day to look back on the hard work and personal accomplishments; it is a time to celebrate with classmates, family, and friends. Nursing education is challenging - requiring perseverance, commitment, and passion. Our graduates have done it. They have lots to be proud of!

All convocation ceremonies are significant, but today the College of Nursing makes history. The fall Class of 2022 is the largest class of USask Nurse Practitioner graduates to date.

I have been with the University of Saskatchewan College of Nursing for just over a year now and I am quickly learning that no matter where our students complete their program – whether it's on the main campus in Saskatoon or across the country – their education will allow them to thrive in the nursing profession, no matter where they live or where they practice.

The University of Saskatchewan strives to *Be What the World Needs*. We all know the world needs nurses, now more than ever. These nursing graduates from the University of



Saskatchewan, ARE the future of nursing. They ARE the future of healthcare in our province, our country, and our world. They WILL become the *Nurses the World Needs*.

Congratulations to the College of Nursing Fall 2022 graduates.

Take care.

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