UGA-Griffin graduates 17 students in fall ceremony

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The University of Georgia Griffin Campus held its Fall 2014 Graduation Celebration on Thursday at the Stuckey Auditorium, as a total of 17 students graduated that day. The event later concluded with the traditional brick ceremony at the Naemi Chapman Woodrow Agricultural Pavilion.

As students received bachelor’s degrees in education, business administration, family and consumer sciences as well as master’s degrees in education and education specialties, UGA Vice President for Instruction Laura Jolly commended them for the milestone they achieved.

“We are so proud of what you’ve done,” said Jolly, urging the graduates to stay connected with the university as they move on.

The ceremony featured a student speaker — Dominique Jones, a master’s candidate in mathematics education, who shared with the audience the struggles with math for most of her life in school.

“I was very much afraid of math,” she said, adding that she was able to “fly under the radar” during elementary school and, while improving over time, never had confidence in the subject.

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