



# Touro University Nevada

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### **Touro University Nevada celebrates largest spring commencement in campus history**

**LAS VEGAS – May 9, 2010** – More than 300 graduates will cross the stage at the Touro University Nevada spring commencement ceremony on Sunday, May 15 at the Rio All-Suites Hotel & Casino. The ceremony will begin at 3 p.m.

The institution's largest spring commencement to date includes graduates in Osteopathic Medicine, Medical Health Sciences, Education, Occupational Therapy and Nursing.

“With needs in health care and education continuing to increase, the Southern Nevada community and other communities across the country will welcome the addition of Touro graduates in the workforce. We are very pleased to celebrate the accomplishments of all of these students and wish them success in their chosen career,” said Senior Provost and CEO Michael Harter, Ph.D. “It is exciting to see an increasing number of students graduate from our programs.”

Touro University Nevada enrolls more than 1,700 students in physician assistant studies, nursing, occupational therapy, education, medical health sciences, physical therapy and osteopathic medicine.

#### **About Touro University Nevada**

Touro University Nevada (TUN) is a private, non-profit institution that was established to help address critical needs in health care and education and as a resource for community service in the state of Nevada. TUN opened its doors in 2004 with 78 medical students. Today, its home to more than 1,700 students, in a wide variety of degree programs in osteopathic medicine, physician assistant studies, education, nursing, occupational therapy and physical therapy. The university's Henderson campus includes a full-service patient health clinic and multi-disciplinary Center for Autism and Developmental Disabilities. For more information on TUN, please visit [www.tun.touro.edu](http://www.tun.touro.edu) or call 702- 777-8687.

#### **About Touro College**

Touro is a system of Jewish-sponsored non-profit institutions of higher and professional education. Touro College was established in 1971 primarily to enrich the Jewish heritage, and to serve the larger American community. Approximately 18,000 students are currently enrolled in its various schools and divisions. Touro College has branch campuses, locations and instructional sites in the New York area, as well as branch campuses and programs in Berlin, Paris, Jerusalem, Moscow, and Florida. Touro University California and its Nevada branch campus, as well as Touro College Los Angeles, are separately accredited institutions governed in common by the same Board of Trustees as Touro College. For further information on Touro College, please visit [www.touro.edu/media](http://www.touro.edu/media).

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