

SIU



141ST ANNUAL
COMMENCEMENT

DECEMBER 16, 2017

SIU
Southern
Illinois
University
CARBONDALE

THE UNIVERSITY CHARTER

The origins of Southern Illinois University Carbondale date to “An Act to Establish and Maintain the Southern Illinois Normal University” approved by the Illinois General Assembly on March 9, 1869.

The act defined the new university’s purpose as “to qualify teachers for the common schools of this state by imparting instruction in the art of teaching in all branches of study which pertain to a common school education in the elements of the natural sciences including agricultural chemistry, animal and vegetable physiology, in the fundamental laws of the United States and of the State of Illinois in regard to the rights and duties of citizens and such other studies as the board of education may from time to time prescribe.”

It included provisions for appointment of a Board of Trustees. One of the board’s first orders of business under the act would be to “advertise for proposals from localities desiring to secure the location of said Normal University.” The act required the board to “locate the institution at such point, as shall, all things considered, offer the most advantageous conditions. The land shall be selected south of the Railroad, or within six miles north of said road, passing from St. Louis to Terre Haute known as the Alton and Terre Haute railroad, with a view of obtaining a good supply of water and other conveniences for the use of the institution.”

The act defines how buildings would be constructed, as well as procedures for selecting students. It assigned a budget of \$75,000 for construction of buildings and for furnishings.

The University Charter displayed on the stage today was bound by alumna Wendy Hale Davis, a bookbinder, artist and musician in Austin, Texas.

SIU CARBONDALE

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SIU Arena
Southern Illinois University Carbondale
Saturday, December 16, 2017

2 p.m.

CEREMONIAL MACE

The ceremonial mace, a decorated staff carried in the commencement procession, is a symbol within a symbol. It denotes the right of the university administration to confer degrees on its graduates. Its place is at the head of the SIU procession and it is carried by the Faculty Senate President.

The presence of a mace in ceremonial processions dates to the Middle Ages. The earliest maces were practical items, carried by sergeants-at-arms as part of the royal bodyguards' means of protecting the king and as a symbol of his authority. In time, the mace was adapted to civic use and represented leadership. No longer a weapon, the mace became a work of art, decorated with precious metals and often bearing the seal of the city or university it represented.

Universities began incorporating a mace into their ceremonies as early as the 15th century. In the United States, most universities continue the tradition and incorporate a ceremonial mace into commencement exercises.

At SIU, the mace is very much a product of the university as well as representative of it. Professor Richard Smith, blacksmith and faculty member in the School of Art and Design, was commissioned to create a mace to debut in 2013. He turned to professor emeritus Richard Mawdsley, silversmith, to complete the project. He also enlisted the assistance of alumna Erin Dixon; assistant professor Sun Kyoung Kim; graduate student Patrick Quinn; and undergraduate students Timothy Schaeffer and Daniel Widolff – all from the School of Art and Design.

The mace, constructed of Damascus steel and silver, is 42 inches tall and 1¼ inches wide at its widest point. Design elements incorporate architectural references to Old Main – a campus building when SIU was the brand-new Southern Illinois Normal University, a teachers college, in 1874. Though Old Main was destroyed by fire in 1969, it holds a special place in the collective memory of the university.



Dear Members of the Class of 2017:

Congratulations! Commencement is a celebration of your commitment and hard work. It also marks a new beginning as you embark on your next adventure.

Today, you join more than 250,000 proud alumni who got their start at SIU. Like you, they benefitted from outstanding faculty dedicated to helping students learn within and beyond the classroom. Like you, they made personal connections that will last throughout their lives. And like you, they translated success at SIU into success throughout their careers.

As a member of the Saluki family, you are invited to become engaged alumni who help us connect with the next generation of SIU students. Please visit campus often to share your knowledge, catch a game, and let us know how you are doing. You will always be part of SIU.

On this day of achievement, please take a moment to give thanks to family members, friends, faculty and staff who supported you along the way. On behalf of the entire university, I thank you for letting us be a part of your success. We look forward to learning of your many accomplishments as SIU alumni.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Carlo Montemagno". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Carlo Montemagno

Chancellor

ACADEMIC REGALIA

Academic regalia worn by faculty during commencement is based on attire from 12th- and 13th-century universities. Academic dress and accoutrements of this type have been used in the United States since colonial times. To maintain tradition and the conformity of academic symbols, little has changed in the symbolism of pattern and color since the Middle Ages. In 1895 an intercollegiate commission in the United States adopted a standardized code for the use of academic gowns, hoods and caps, which included regulating the cut, style and materials of gowns. In addition, colors, which were to represent the different fields of learning, were prescribed. Over the years, only minor revisions have been made to the code, which is followed by the majority of colleges and universities in America, including Southern Illinois University Carbondale.

GOWNS

The bachelor's gown is a comparatively simple style that falls in straight lines from an elaborate yoke and has pointed sleeves. The master's gown is similar to the bachelor's except for its peculiar arrangement of the long sleeves with square ends that hang below the elbow. The doctor's gown is elaborate, full-cut and flowing, and is distinguished by velvet panels down the front and around the neck, and by three velvet bars on the bell-shaped sleeves.

HOODS

Historically, the academic hood was literally a garment to protect the wearer from foul weather. Today, it is the identifying symbol of the degree, and the length indicates which degree it represents: 3½ feet for the master's and 4 feet for the doctoral degree. Hoods are lined with the official color of the college or university conferring the degree. The color of trimming identifies the major field of learning: maize for Agriculture, orange for Applied Sciences and Arts, brown for Architecture, drab for Business, light blue for Education, orange for Engineering, brown for Fine Arts, purple for Law, white for Liberal Arts, blue for Mass Communication and Media Arts, pink for Music, dark blue for Philosophy, peacock blue for Public Administration, salmon for Public Health, gold for Science and citron for Social Work.

CAPS AND TASSELS

The mortarboard is the cap generally worn with academic regalia. A long tassel is fastened to the middle point on the top of the cap. The tassel is usually the color appropriate to the subject. There is no general rule on the position of the tassel on the mortarboard. However, numerous institutions have adopted a practice of requiring candidates for degrees to wear the tassels on the right front side before degrees are conferred, and to shift them to the left side when the degrees are awarded to them.

Maize	Agricultural Sciences
Orange	Applied Sciences and Arts
Drab	Business
Light Blue	Education and Human Services
Orange	Engineering
White	Liberal Arts
Blue	Mass Communication and Media Arts
Gold	Science
Citron	Social Work
Black	Master's
Gold	Ph.D.
Purple	J.D.

STOLE OF GRATITUDE

Southern Illinois University Carbondale has incorporated the custom of the Stole of Gratitude since the 2012 commencement ceremony. This custom offers an opportunity for graduates to pay thanks to anyone who has helped them attend or excel in college. This stole is worn during the commencement ceremony or at another occasion where a presentation is appropriate. After the ceremony, the new graduate presents the Stole of Gratitude to someone who provided extraordinary help or support.

GONFALONS

Another symbol used in commencement is the gonfalon. The gonfalon is a flag or banner that hangs from a crosspiece or frame. It originated in the medieval states of Italy as an ensign of state or office. The gonfalon is used in the Southern Illinois University Carbondale ceremony to designate the various colleges and schools of the institution. In the ceremony, the gonfalon for each college is carried by the student marshal for that college or school.

REFERENCE

Sullivan, E. (1997). "An Academic Costume Code and An Academic Ceremony Guide." American Universities and Colleges, 15th edition.

CORDS

Black	Moot Court Program
Blue and Silver	Trial Advocacy Team
Blue and White	Journal of Legal Medicine
Gold	University Honors Program
Maroon and White	Intercollegiate Athlete with a 3.5 Overall GPA or higher
Purple and Silver	Law Journal
Red, White and Blue	Veteran or Active Duty Military

MEDALLIONS

Bronze Medallion with Black Ribbon	Cum Laude
Silver Medallion with Black Ribbon	Magna cum Laude
Gold Medallion with Black Ribbon	Summa cum Laude
Gold and White Medallion with Red Ribbon	Lincoln Academy of Illinois Student Laureate
Maroon and Gold Medallion with Maroon Ribbon	University Honors Diploma

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Special Thanks

We wish to acknowledge the extraordinary efforts of many dedicated staff members who have contributed to this special occasion for our students and their families.

KEYNOTE SPEAKER



Richard J. Mark
Ameren Illinois, President

Richard Mark is president of Ameren Illinois Companies, a subsidiary of Ameren Corporation, a Fortune 500 company. He is responsible for electric and gas distribution to more than 1.2 million electric and 816,000 gas customers across three-quarters of the state of Illinois, including complex delivery systems with tens of thousands of miles of transmission and distribution lines.

Before his appointment as president, Richard was senior vice president of Ameren Missouri Customer Operations, overseeing electric and gas distribution to more than 1.2 million customers across central and eastern Missouri, including the greater St. Louis area. Richard also managed customer services operations, community relations, communications, customer satisfaction and corporate giving for Missouri's largest utility.

Richard joined Ameren in 2002 as vice president of customer service. In 2003, he became vice president of governmental policy and consumer affairs. In just two short years, he rose to senior vice president of Ameren Missouri Energy Delivery – becoming the first African-American to hold this position. In 2009, he was promoted to senior vice president of customer operations – an expanded position that encompasses Ameren Missouri's Energy Delivery.

Richard currently leads a strategic customer initiative focused on promoting energy efficiency, smart grid technologies and customer-based energy generation.

Before joining Ameren, Richard spent six years as president and chief executive officer of St. Mary's Hospital in East St. Louis, and five years as chief operating officer. For ten years, he was chairman of the East St. Louis District 189 State Financial Oversight Panel, a governor-appointed position.

Richard serves on many boards and organizations including: Tenet Healthcare, American Gas Association Board, Madison Mutual Insurance Board, Leadership Council of Southwestern Illinois, St. Louis Zoo Association, Fontbonne University, St. Louis Police Foundation and the St. Louis Regional Business Council.

He has received three honorary doctorate degrees for his civic and community work, as well as many other awards and honors, including the 2017 Heritage Award from the Illinois Legislative Sportsman Caucus and the Outstanding Corporate Leadership Award from the Illinois Black Chamber of Commerce. *African-American Career World* magazine named him as a Top 10 National Business Leader. The *St. Louis Business Journal* named him the Most Influential Energy Executive of 2010. *Savoy Magazine* has twice included him in its Top 100 Most Influential Blacks in Corporate America. Richard has received the NAACP's Freeman/Seay Commitment to St. Louis Award, and the Inspiring St. Louisan Award, as well as the Pillar of Hope Award for Outstanding Community Leadership. *Black Enterprise Magazine* recognized him as one of the 100 Most Powerful Executives in America, and he has received many other awards and recognition – even a Telly Award.

DISTINGUISHED FACULTY AND STAFF

FACULTY GRAND MARSHAL

Kathleen Chwalisz, Faculty Senate President and College of Liberal Arts

FACULTY MARSHAL AND SCHOLAR EXCELLENCE AWARD

Michael Lydy, College of Science

FACULTY MARSHAL AND EARLY CAREER FACULTY EXCELLENCE AWARD

Jennida Chase, College of Mass Communication and Media Arts

FACULTY MARSHAL

Daniel Silver, College of Liberal Arts, Paralegal Studies

TENURE AND TENURE-TRACK TEACHING EXCELLENCE AWARD

Kathy Pericak-Spector, College of Science

NON-TENURE TRACK TEACHING EXCELLENCE AWARD

Timothy J. Ting, School of Law, College of Liberal Arts

STAFF EXCELLENCE AWARD

Robert Baer, College of Science

Elizabeth Hunter, University Communications

UNIVERSITY WOMEN OF DISTINCTION AWARD

Nanditha Balasubramanian, SIU Foundation

STUDENT MARSHALS

Agricultural Sciences	Elizabeth Lewis
Applied Sciences and Arts.....	Dalton Thompson
Business.....	Grace Boyd
Education and Human Services.....	Vincent Olson
Engineering	Cody Johnson
Liberal Arts.....	Sara Hawk
Mass Communication and Media Arts.....	Matthew Levy
School of Law	Britny Hawk
School of Medicine	Jyoti Kapali
Science.....	Kailey Seaman

“THE STAR-SPANGLED BANNER”

O say can you see,
By the dawn's early light,
What so proudly we hailed
At the twilight's last gleaming?
Whose broad stripes and bright stars,
Through the perilous fight,
O'er the ramparts we watched,
Were so gallantly streaming?
And the rocket's red glare,
The bombs bursting in air,
Gave proof through the night
That our flag was still there.
O say does that star-spangled banner yet wave
O'er the land of the free
And the home of the brave?

Lyrics by Francis Scott Key, 1814
Music by John Stafford Smith, 1780

“SOUTHERN ALMA MATER”

Hail Alma Mater
Southern to thee
Strong thru the years you
stand triumphantly
Beacon to guide us
Over life's sea
Light that can never fail us
Hail, Hail to thee

Lyrics and music by Grover Clarke Morgan
Written as a sophomore while attending
SIU Carbondale in 1934.

CANDIDATES FOR DEGREES

The following lists contain the names of candidates for degrees, the granting of which is contingent upon completion of all requirements for the degree.

- (*) University Honors program member (undergraduate students only)
- (**) Multiple degree candidate
- (†) Posthumous degree

University Academic Honors listed to the right of the name are as follows for undergraduate students:

<i>cum laude</i>	3.5–3.749
<i>magna cum laude</i>	3.75–3.899
<i>summa cum laude</i>	3.9–4.0

The grade point averages above apply firstly to all work taken at Southern Illinois University Carbondale and then, in the case of transfer students, to the total work as an additional, but secondary, qualification.

Note

The list of graduates in this program is not intended to be an official certification of the completion of a degree. The diploma of Southern Illinois University Carbondale or an official transcript, signed by the appropriate officials, is the official record of graduation.

ORDER OF EXERCISES - COMMENCEMENT

Saturday, December 16, 2017 – 2 p.m.
SIU Arena

Master of Ceremonies

Steve Falat, Regional Vice President, Mississippi River Radio
Class of 1987
Department of Radio-Television,
College of Mass Communication and Media Arts

Honorary Reader

Susan Patrick Benson, Associate Professor, Department of Theater

Academic Processional

Commencement Band, Chris Morehouse, Conductor

National Anthem

“The Star-Spangled Banner,” John Stafford Smith and Francis Scott Key,
arrangement by Walter Damrosch and John Philip Sousa
Commencement Band, Chris Morehouse, Conductor
Alexis Nwokoji, BFA Musical Theater, Soloist

Greetings and Introduction of Platform Party

Carlo Montemagno, Chancellor

Recognition of Families

Carlo Montemagno, Chancellor

Commencement Address

Richard J. Mark, President of Ameren Illinois Companies

Presentation of Candidates and Conferring of Doctoral Degrees

Carlo Montemagno, Chancellor
Lizette R. Chevalier, Associate Provost for Academic Programs

Presentation of Candidates and Conferring of Juris Doctor Degrees

Carlo Montemagno, Chancellor
Cindy Buys, Acting Associate Dean, School of Law

Presentation of Candidates and Conferring of Masters Degrees

Carlo Montemagno, Chancellor
Lizette R. Chevalier, Associate Provost for Academic Programs

Presentation of Candidates and Conferring of Baccalaureate Degrees

Mickey A. Latour, Dean, College of Agricultural Sciences
Mike Behrmann, Associate Dean, College of Applied Sciences and Arts
Terry Clark, Dean, College of Business
Matthew W. Keefer, Dean, College of Education and Human Services
John J. Warwick, Dean, College of Engineering
Meera Komaraju, Dean, College of Liberal Arts
Deborah Tudor, Interim Dean, College of Mass Communication
and Media Arts
Scott Ishman, Interim Dean, College of Science

Tassel Turning

Carlo Montemagno, Chancellor

Welcome from the SIU Alumni Association

Holly Kruep, Class of 2001

Alma Mater

“Southern Alma Mater,” Grover Clarke Morgan, Composer
Commencement Band, Chris Morehouse, Conductor
Alexis Nwokoji, BFA Musical Theater, Soloist

Recessional

Commencement Band, Christopher Morehouse, Conductor

**For safety purposes, please remain in your seat until after the recessional is complete.
Guests will not be allowed on the SIU Arena floor during or after the ceremony. Thank you.**

COLLEGE OF AGRICULTURAL SCIENCES

Doctor of Philosophy

FALL 2017

Awf Alsaad

Agricultural Sciences

Wanki Moon, Ph.D.

Matt Rendleman, Ph.D.

"Analyzing the United States Imports of Organic and Non-Organic Coffee and Tea"

Master of Science

SUMMER 2017

Ameer Haidar Ali Al-Ahmadi

Ryan A. Bailey

Adam R. Bean

Julia Catherine Brockman

Valerie Espinoza

Kaitlin N. Glassford

Jodie Carol Hancock

Samuel J. Hardwick

Amanda M. Huber

Elizabeth Faye Huseman

Dakota L. Jones

Abby M. Kern

Jenna Christine Lowe

Bradley D. Miller

Brent Steven Pease

Alexis Nicole Rothrock

Aaron Nelson Smith

Jack L. Steichen

Kayla N. Wiedau

Jacob Richard Roy Williams

FALL 2017

Freya M. Block

Sydney Roxanne Bollinger

Hans H. Carmien

Rajiv Dhital

Kory Micheal Garrie

Matthew C. Geiger

Jacob J. Hackman

Enoch Olatilewa Jolaoso

Prabesh Joshi

Mayowa Micheal Tosin Olaoye

Annie Caroline Padgett

Andrew Uden Rutter

Melissa Talbert

Jim Thomson

Amanda M. Weidhuner

Bachelor of Science

SUMMER 2017

Corrine A. Bauter

Emily C. Bishop

Alex Marlyse Brinkmeier *summa cum laude***

Rebekah J. Brooks *cum laude*

Jena Marie Dalzot

MacKenzie Leigh Davis

Matthew M. Donarski

Julius Gavin Doxy

Hailey A. Duvall

John Gale *cum laude*

Cody Alan Goins

Regina C. Goldkuhl

Charles Wendell Gordon

Benjamin August McCasky-Feazel

Whitney J. Murphy

Ryan Jordan Nance-Donaldson

Michael Novak

Matthew W. Paddick

David M. Partridge

Matthew Robert Peterburs

Nicholas M. Petz

Clint Allen Reiman

Whitney Amanda Reynolds

Quinton S. Risley

Elise M. Sawa

Jordan L. Thompson

Kegan C. Todt

Kathy Jo Torgesen *cum laude*

Emily C. VanDeWarker

FALL 2017

Emma J. Anderson *magna cum laude**

Forrest C. Bonin

Elizabeth R. Brinkman*

Michael J. Bucci *cum laude*

Olivia E. Christy

Elisabeth Cochenour

Taylor M. Dashiell

Madison R. Decker *cum laude*

Jacob Adam Deford

Taylor N. Dirks

Morgan K. Dodson

Austin W. Dowdy

Ben Farmer

Daniel L. Gorchels

Sydney Raven Hall

Brooke E. Heine

Theresa J. Heitz *summa cum laude**

Benjamin S. Henrichs *summa cum laude**

Justin P. Houle

Quinton M. Huelsmann

Holden Allen Huisinga

Sean P. Huss

Kyra Nicole Hutchings

Arielle Nicole Polynice Jackson

Megan D. Jackson

Jaci Diane Jenkins *cum laude*

Megan D. Jett

Curtis T. Kaufman

Morgan E. Kitley

Scott D. Lambeth

* University Honors program member

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summa cum laude 3.9–4.0

Tyler Oren James Lewey
 Elizabeth M. Lewis
 Jonathan Maurice Luce
 Levi A. Mahan *summa cum laude**
 Dalton E. Manning
 Sarah K. McDivitt *cum laude*
 Jacob W. Miller
 Jessica L. Morales
 Blake Daniel Mouzin *magna cum laude*
 Brittany A. Murphy
 Kristen Leeann Nall
 Savannah Nicole Pitts *summa cum laude*
 Jamie J. Ragan *cum laude**

Jose Ramirez *magna cum laude*
 Cameron D. Robinson
 John Tyler Schroeder
 Rourke G. Schultz
 Taylor K. Sellett
 Jacqueline D. Shafer**
 Cody A. Smock
 David William Steiger
 Tyler M. Stewart *cum laude*
 Adrian M. Stieglitz
 Nathan Ray Sweitzer
 Matthew Gerald Thompson
 Kirsten L. Ulrich

Elise Christina Wells
 Wilhelm Joseph Wessel
 Joshua C. Whelan
 Amanda Rae Whittington
 Tanner E. Wiest
 Gabrielle Ona Will
 James Windsor Wittkamper
 Selena L. Zepeda
 Lucas A. Zimmerman
 Megan Elizabeth Zuber
 Kenzie Nicole Zwilling

COLLEGE OF APPLIED SCIENCES AND ARTS

Master of Architecture

SUMMER 2017

Ruba Mohd Ali Hasan Bdair
 Jacob Charles Bruning
 Storm A. Clarry
 Jarett A. Dewitt
 Kyle E. Eliakis

Faezeh Ensafi
 Emily C. Hamilton
 Callahan Huffman Jordan
 Kelsey D. Kauffman
 Jacob E. Petty

Yumeng Sun
 Adam R. Tregoning
 Austin William Weitnauer

FALL 2017

Shawn Michael Adamek
 Adan Alejandro Alvarez, Jr.
 Felicia Mae Brand
 Amber Anne Clevenger
 Gerald R. Delgy
 Jacob Taylor Dockery
 Brittany Nichole Doseck
 Cesar Manuel Espinoza
 Anthony Michael Flier
 James Lee Gooden
 Cody James Henderson
 Roger D. Hunt

Dominick Lee Johnson
 Joshua Adam Kasper
 Mohammed E. H. Khan
 Ashley Dawn Knapp
 Quentin James Koopman
 Jenna M. Kues
 David W. Marr
 Richard Chase Master
 Terrel Rodderick Millsap
 James Muehlbauer
 Gary Alan Nehring
 Eladio Nieves, Jr.

Ryan O'Connor-Crowe
 Gaznag Sedeeq Othman
 Corey Pederson
 David Thomas Ray
 Melissa Marion Schulteis
 Charu Sharma
 Taryn Paige Underwood
 Dalton Lee Webb
 Mathew Cameron Williams
 Bryan Scott Wolffis

Master of Science

SUMMER 2017

Tiva Amariel
 Richard Salem Araj
 Kadishe Balazi
 James Philip Bell
 Kayla Nicole Bowling
 Emily Rose Bowman
 Erin R. Fries
 Taylor J. Cicardi
 Dena Matti Dallo
 Casie Marie Dugan

Charles Roy Embrey
 Jamie Wayne Farmer
 Adam Gage
 Rachelle Jacobi
 Erika Margaret Kennedy
 Lindsay Elizabeth Kile
 Anna Lee Knighton
 Amy M. Lake
 Andrea Marie Malm
 Thomas Joseph Mendez

Daniel Eric Niemiec
 Tori L. Nosovitsky
 Betty Ortiz
 Jacquelyn A. Patterson
 Sara D. Pinkley
 Maxwell T. Richardson
 Robert Jake Troisi
 Stephen Edwin Zieminski

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Robert Borden Bland
Svetlana Boetcker
Marisa Ann Buscaglia

Joe Alan Christopherson
Anthony Donovan Keel
Charlotte Michelle Lavender

David Alan Scheurer

*Bachelor of Science***SUMMER 2017**

Selenia L. Adlam
Mallory Jane Ahumada
Hussain Al Omran
Abdulmalik Saleh AlBassam
Stephanie Ann Alberts *magna cum laude*
Jared Alan Albright
Mackenzie R. Alderman *cum laude*
Brianna N. Aldridge *cum laude*
Fawaz Zaid Alfawaz *cum laude*
Mohammed Bridy Algamy
Richard Joseph Alschuler *cum laude*
Ali Omar Alsuhaibani **
Saleh Nasser Alsuhaibani **
Faisal Nasser Althobaity
Callie Nicole Anagnostopoulos
Rebecca S. Armstrong *summa cum laude*
Farhood Baiti
Brandon Michael Barta *cum laude*
Kayley A. Bell *cum laude*
Jason Scott Berkopes
Michael Livingstone Blanc
Dustin John Boyle
Travis Micheal Bradford *cum laude*
Darnetta Latrice Brown
Jacob Scott Brown *cum laude*
Kyle Buchman
Noah Zeke Buehman
Alexandria Burk *magna cum laude*
James Dale Burkett
Richard Joseph Campbell *cum laude*
Andrew Carothers
Luis Alejandro Castanon
Tatiana A. Cody
Sarah A. Coffey
Steven Colon
Danny Steward Contreras
Margaret Mesa Cortez
Shauna V. Crawford *summa cum laude*
Gerald Taylor Curtis
Emma Lee Czamanske
Amber Nicole Deadmond
Kailyn Marie Demith
Filiberto Diaz
Bethany Kathryn Dieckmann *magna cum laude*
Aaron J. Dillingham
Oryanna S. Dube
James P. Duwel *cum laude*

Randy S. Eanos *cum laude* **
Kurt O. Egner
Gavyn L. Ellet
Erik Michael Elliott *magna cum laude*
Tevin L. Falkner
Thomas M. Farley
Ebifamini Fetepigi
Michael J. Fiala
Patrick Steven Fortunato *cum laude*
Tylar Jason Foster
Alejandro Franchini
Derek S. Franklin *cum laude*
Olivia V. Fuller
Zaneta Galaskova *cum laude*
Arnold Garcia
Gabriel Michael Garcia-Olea
Hallie A. Garza
Jonathan Otto Gearhart *cum laude*
Jessica Gerber
Michael Scott Gherardini
Kaylee Jane Gill *cum laude*
Sean Steven Gipe *summa cum laude* **
Lindsey M. Glosser
Taylor Hayes Good
Jasmine Nicole Green
Avona Eloise Greene *cum laude*
Daniel R. Gress *cum laude*
Madisyn L. Grounds *summa cum laude*
Ileen R. Gruchot *magna cum laude*
Blake Clinton Guyer *cum laude*
Justin David Hagen *cum laude*
Michael Anthony Haley *cum laude*
Jessica Blair Hancock
Jonathan Lloyd Hanson
Greysen H. Harlow *summa cum laude* **
Brielle N. Hawkins
Zachary L. Haynes
Makenzie C. Helmink *summa cum laude*
Christopher Hernandez
Jose Hernandez
Jordan Alexandra Holzbog
Stephanie M. Howard *cum laude*
Joseph Michael Huber
Kalee M. Hughes
Richard Daniel Hunt
Derrick P. Husmann
Isaiah Eric Jackson

Nichole K. Jacobs
Olivia N. Johnson *cum laude*
Daniel Joseph Lee Johnston *magna cum laude*
Benny B. Jones
Stephanie N. Jones *magna cum laude*
Shannon N. Kamp
Theodore M. Keenan *cum laude* **
Jeffrey S. Keller *cum laude*
Alec W. Kilb
Allison B. Knight *cum laude*
Nicole Ashlee Kowalski
Jack A. Krause
Tiffany Elaine Kuebler
Scott D. Kurczewski
Nathan Samuel La Russo
Azarra Elizabeth Lee
David J. Lins
Torrie Liverman *cum laude*
Samuel Loo
Alison A. Loos *magna cum laude*
Steven Thomas Maksud
Frederick Zoberbier Manucat
Branden James Martin *magna cum laude*
Adrian Esteban Martinez
Shannon Colleen McCowen *cum laude*
Andrew McCullough
Brock Allen McGee
Katilyn Elizabeth Mcintyre *magna cum laude*
Katherine M. McLellan
Casey William McLennand *cum laude* **
Philip Edward Mengeling **
Daniel Louis Michot *cum laude*
Perry Joshua Miller *magna cum laude*
Jawatta Lashay Morgan
Gina Marie Moroff
Courtney E. Morsch *cum laude*
Dana Domenico Muligano
James Richard Mullen
Joseph Patrick Murphy
Vanessa B. Nega
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 Alexander P. Roberts *cum laude*
 Stephanie Roberts *magna cum laude*
 Damarco Dane Robinson *cum laude*
 Chase Allen Rogers
 Mikayla Leigh Rolinitis
 Jennifer M. Roof
 Jacel K. Ross
 Amy E. Rzepczynski *magna cum laude*
 Mary A. Samion *cum laude*
 Michael Schaffer
 Michael David Schell *magna cum laude*
 Ryan Todd Schoolcraft
 Elizabeth R. Schulte
 Craig A. Schwandner **
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Dakota Serviss
 Travis Silvey *cum laude*
 Lindsay M. Smaga
 Shanell A. Smith
 Brandon G. Spiller *cum laude*
 Tameka Janelle Staggs
 Brandon P. Stanfel
 Alicia R. Stanhouse *cum laude*
 Taylor A. Stelter *cum laude*
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 Sara Corrine Streuter
 Elizabeth Ashley Suggs
 Hilary R. Surmeier *cum laude*
 William R. Taylor
 DeRontae D. Taylor-Craig
 Parker Owen Terry *cum laude*
 Gretchen C. Teyema

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 Blake A. Thornton
 Najee S. Todd
 Robert William Toporek
 Jose Tovar *cum laude* **
 Brandon M. Truckenmiller *magna cum laude*
 Timeko Chanea Vaughn-Woodard
 Emily Paige Vicari
 Katlyn Vogt
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 Chad W. Welch
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 Sydney N. Williams
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 Victoria Bryttnie Adeboyejo
 Gaudencia Aguirre
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 Jerome Epstein Allison
 Ziyad Nasser M. Alotaibi
 Muhannad Salem M. Alruwaili
 Jaime Alvarez
 Austin John Alzapiedi **
 Jared F. Anderson **
 Dustin Richard Antoff
 Mark A. Anum
 Raul Santiago Arambula
 Amanda Nichole Arndt
 Nicholas Alcides Arteaga
 Michael Colt Babiak *cum laude*
 Steven Ray Bainbridge *summa cum laude*
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 Eli Joshua Barber
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 Christina Michelle Barnes
 Eric Baron
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 Alexander H. Bergman *magna cum laude* **
 David Bialas
 Claire Birch *cum laude*
 Xavier A. Blake *magna cum laude* **
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 Bryan Bohne
 Erika N. Bolton
 Robert E. Brevard

Kenneth Lee Brewer
 Jordan D. Brown
 Richard Mario Brown
 Tyler Brown
 Matthew W. Bruin
 Justin J. Bruno *cum laude*
 Brandon Albert Carlson
 Brandon Carswell
 Robert J. Casica, Jr. *summa cum laude*
 Nicholas P. Catalano
 Fidel Chavez, Jr. *cum laude*
 Bryan Lee Chisenhall *cum laude*
 Christopher Thomas Cleary *cum laude*
 Emily Suzann Cox
 Michael R. Crouse
 Nicanor De La Torre, Jr. *cum laude*
 Darin Michael Debrecht
 John Francis Driscoll *magna cum laude*
 Craig Dziedzic
 Joshua B. Ellis
 Tosin F. Emiola
 Andrew Gibson Estabrook
 Miguel Estrada *magna cum laude*
 Daniel Matthew Etienne
 Patrick Gene Fink
 Zachary Ryan Fowler
 Kirsten R. Froehlich *cum laude*
 Joseph W. Furgerson
 Jacob Joseph Gaylord
 Alli Giblin *
 Serjio Gonzales
 Andrew S. Goode
 John N. Gooden
 Jashacla C. Greer
 Colin P. Grever
 Jesus Antonio Gutierrez *cum laude*

Benjamin Charles Handler *cum laude*
 Andrew L. Hartley *summa cum laude*
 Mitchell Hauser
 Michael Hefler
 Teng K. Her *cum laude*
 Jessica Hernandez
 Jonathan William Hernandez
 Cassandra Michelle Hoyt
 Enoch Hwang *cum laude*
 Naya Kristin Jackson
 Landy Jean-Baptiste
 Shane Connor Jespersen *cum laude*
 Alicia Dawn Johnston *cum laude*
 Steve Kanoy II *summa cum laude*
 Louis M. Kaplan *cum laude*
 Aamir Mohammed Khan *cum laude*
 Charlton Lee Kilpatrick III
 Christian J. Klem *magna cum laude*
 Leonard Kipkirui Koskei
 Amy J. Kuhl
 Tony Kuhlig
 Janmichael Lacea *summa cum laude*
 Carla W. Lacombe
 Hannah E. Lamb
 Louis A. Larocco
 Michael Charles Laureto
 Bruce Derek Lawrence
 Jessica Lee
 Jeffrey James Lembcke *cum laude*
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 Caruso James Lockett
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 Kevin Edward McGowan
 Malorie Paige McIntosh
 Matthew Melvin
 Matthew Hamilton Merdian
 Anna Christine Miller *cum laude*
 Robert Mitsos
 Jemini T. Modi
 Robert William Moquin
 Edgaras Narbutas
 Ryan Javon Neal
 Ashley Marie Nelson *cum laude*
 Connor Joseph Norrenberns *cum laude*
 Taelor W. O'Bannon
 Christian Achi Okereke *magna cum laude*
 Erin Elizabeth Olivier
 Corey Randolph Parker
 Samuel Joseph Parry *magna cum laude*
 Divyasha N. Patel
 Christopher M. Patrick
 Trenton G. Pearce
 Carrie Jeannine Pequignot
 Arturo Perez *cum laude*

Samuel E. Peyton
 Rachel A. Piacentini *magna cum laude* **
 David Henry Pickett *magna cum laude* **
 Christopher Polinsky
 David B. Proffitt *cum laude*
 William Joseph Gale Quinn IV *cum laude*
 Ronald William Radcliffe II
 Whitney Leigh Rekart
 Juan Reyes
 Philip Sean Ringel
 Brian Donald Roeh
 Vincent Nicholas Romano
 Michael Rooney
 Yatrell M. Roundtree
 Molly J. Rusteberg
 Polly A. Saddler
 Francisco Sanantonio Vazquez
 Bethany Scaletta
 Connor E. Schlottman *summa cum laude* **
 Alexa Marie Schnetzler *cum laude*
 Christian S. Scott *cum laude*
 Elion Seitllari
 Amanda N. Shewmaker
 Timothy Christian Sims *cum laude*
 Schuyler Cassidy Skipper
 Ashlee Knicole Smith
 Christopher Charles Smith
 Katherine Ann Stanfa
 Daniel A. Stevens

Robert Daniel Strange III
 Jabari L. Taylor
 Austin Christian Teer
 Devin J. Tegtman
 Bennett Edward Thelo *cum laude*
 Tyler Austin Thevenot *
 Austin S. Thompson
 Dalton P. Thompson *summa cum laude* ***
 Chad Alan Tinsley
 Lewis Alexander Torres
 Sara J. Tredway *summa cum laude* *
 Logan Robert Truckenmiller *magna cum laude*
 Adam P. Turley
 Mack L. Umbe
 Samuel Vega
 Juan C. Villagomez, Jr. *cum laude*
 Kabree Arnae Wallace
 Kelsey V. Wallace *magna cum laude*
 Xinqian Wang *cum laude*
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 Michael Dennis Wessel
 Garry L. White
 Eric Thomas Wilcox
 Douglas Raul Williams
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 Saleh Nasser Alsuhaibani **
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 Damon C. Deopere
 Kara H. Drewenski
 Randy S. Eanos *cum laude* **
 Samantha A. Earl *cum laude*
 Natalie M. Elliott *cum laude*
 Sean Steven Gipe *summa cum laude* **
 Greysen H. Harlow *summa cum laude* **
 Paige E. Hughey

Mikaela Rose Johnson
 Abigail S. Jones *cum laude*
 Jared Jones *magna cum laude*
 Michael Kane
 Theodore M. Keenan *cum laude* **
 Samantha R. McGrath
 Casey William McLennand *cum laude* **
 Mariah Nicole Meece *summa cum laude*
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 Carly J. Reeves
 Omar Rojas *cum laude*
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 Bryant Gregory Shute
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 Jose Tovar *cum laude* **
 Jena N. Tressler *magna cum laude*
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Doctor of Philosophy

SUMMER 2017

Zhengkai Liu

Business Administration

Wanli Zhao, Ph.D.

“Two Essays in Corporate Finance”

FALL 2017

Carol Yvonne Heitman-Lucy

Business Administration

John P. Pearson, Ph.D.

“The Impact of Innovation on Family Business Successorship and Transgenerational Entrepreneurship”

Young Soo Shim

Business Administration

Royce D. Burnett, Ph.D.

“Investigating the Determinants and Endogenous Influences of Environmental Reputation”

Dexter Rowe Gruber

Business Administration

John Goodale, Ph.D.

“Contract v. Trust: An Examination of Trust Formation in Contracting Dyads”

Luke Voegel

Business Administration

John M. Pearson, Ph.D.

“Antecedents of Entrepreneurial Intention: Examining the Impact of Gender Identity, Grit, the Dark Triad, and Barriers to Entrepreneurship”

Master of Accountancy

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Kayla Arlene Pruitt

Ashley E. Tobin

Hang Zhou

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Ahlam Mohammed M. Aladwani

Eman Ali A. Alrashid

Danny Li

Ming Li

Patrick Richard Lugowski

Sara F. Miller

Jason Dickson Odibi

Leighla Rhomana Philpott

Zhong Jun Shao

Master of Business Administration

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Anouk Helene Marie Jose Carole Ehret

Chia Ling Hsu

Ying Chi Huang

You Chuan Huang

Joy Annola Madison

Anne Sixtine Triboulois

Alice Marie Marine Tual

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Christina Spring Fisher

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Yingshi Zhao

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Guangyong Ai *cum laude*

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Devin Loren Burton

Yazmin Celaya

Irene Chua

Joao Da Silva Cerqueira *cum laude*

Kelsey A. Ferland

Alex C. Gebke *cum laude*

Elissa Caroline Goodson *summa cum laude*
 Daniel T. Griffin
 Sultan K. Haji
 Ryan Robert Hebert
 Mary Kate Herman *cum laude*
 Mark R. Homann
 Monique L. House
 Rangfu Hu
 Racheal Lee Huckelberry
 Franklin Benjamin Ivanov
 Michael J. Johnson
 Andrea E. Lane
 Matthew F. LaRocca *magna cum laude*
 Brenda L. Littrell

Kyle Darnell Logan
 Ryan Thomas Magana
 Daniel E. Martinez
 Keegan Kristofer McGee
 Noelle B. McIntyre
 Colten Edward Meador
 Bevin Rae Mick
 Blake A. Morrison
 Bradley Robert Mortensen
 Tricia Ann Parham
 James Aubrey Parmly
 Lucas Matthew Pitcher
 James Plant
 Daniel Quisenberry *summa cum laude*

Bailee Alan Ricketts
 Nick L. Schumacher
 Brendan Lee Seebach
 Nicholas John Singsank
 Jessica Leigh Smith
 Abhineet Sood
 Ashley N. Turner
 Yifan Wang
 Kenneth J. Watkins, Jr.
 Kyle Matthew Wiktor
 Emily R. Williams
 Nicole Wilson *summa cum laude*
 Kyle Young
 Xun Yuan

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 Rosmiyath A. Alaofari
 Daniel R. Alcorn
 Kendra Jo Alexander
 Saqer Abdulalah O. Alhathal
 Khalid Abdulaziz Alshuaibi
 Garret Basich
 Brian Reed Bay
 Rebekah Beard
 Brenden D. Beasley
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 Jasmine Monique Berry
 Mark P. Boies
 Grace E. Boyd
 Allison M. Bragg
 Nicholas Ian Brennan
 Haley I. Broaddus
 Jauzlynn P. Brown
 Ryan Burrow
 Salomon A. Cazares, Jr.
 Julia Anne Clum
 Hina C. Dave *cum laude*
 Hannah E. De Luca
 Elizabeth A. Dean *summa cum laude*
 Mark E. Dimler
 Jaclyn O. Durcholz
 Tyrone Q. Echols
 Samantha Georgia England
 Jacob M. Fecht
 Arthur D. Frackiel
 William Ryan Gibson *cum laude*
 Mark D. Giesey
 Charles Stephen Giet
 Max Goewert
 Andrew J. Greene

Peter Daniel Grignon
 Laurel M. Hall
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 Camille Elise Hammers
 Atif Syed Hasan
 Barry L. Hilliard
 Michael Lee Hobbs
 Thomas A. Holden
 Alan Roy Holmgren
 Raheem J. Hudson
 Casey Nicole Ingram
 Valincia M. Jackson
 Cortney Stephone Jumper *cum laude*
 Lameka T. Kennedy
 Kaitlyn M. Kern
 Anthony J. Kimble
 Matthew T. Lewis
 Po Jui Lien
 Haoran Liu *cum laude*
 Courtney N. Lucas *summa cum laude* *
 Joseph A. Marks *summa cum laude*
 Makenzie L. Martin
 Megan N. Martin *cum laude*
 Lisa Jane McDonald *cum laude*
 Mikayla S. Melvin
 Cheyenne M. Meredith
 Jaimie Metcalf
 Matthew T. Mugnaini
 Abigail L. Myers *magna cum laude*
 Chase V. Neal *cum laude*
 Mai Sao Nguyen
 Cassie Marie Opel
 Mathew C. Owen
 Kevin Michael Padilla
 Samantha L. Patterson

Jose Pena
 Sarah Margaret Pommer
 Gedi Ren *cum laude*
 Michael D. Rennolds
 Cody S. Rew
 Katelin J. Richie
 Alexandra R. Roeding *
 Kevin H. Ruby
 Claude Ismael Saint-Cyr
 Tiffany A. Santana
 Eduardo Saucedo
 Skylar G. Schafer
 Christopher S. Schwartz
 Justina M. Seeberger *cum laude*
 Kelly J. Shimp
 Jason W. Silver
 Urooj Singapuri
 Tiana M. Slaney *magna cum laude* *
 David Smith
 Kenneth O. Soyemi
 Erica Dawn Stiff
 Teresa De Jesus Tapia *cum laude*
 Zachary David Taylor
 Goda S. Thomas
 Tengjun Tian *cum laude*
 Mark J. Tiger, Jr. *cum laude*
 Molly B. Turner
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 Vanessa L. Vineyard
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Curriculum and Instruction

John McIntyre, Ph.D.

“Teachers’ Knowledge, Perceptions, and Practice of Inquiry within an Inclusive Classroom”

Meng-I Chang

Quantitative Methods

Yanyan Sheng, Ph.D.

“A Comparison of Two MCMC Algorithms for Estimating the 2PL IRT Models”

Yancy Luz Cruz-Virella

Rehabilitation Counseling

William Crimando, Ph.D.

“The Relationship among Academic Advisement, Satisfaction and Productivity of International Doctoral Students in Rehabilitation Counseling Education in the United States”

Philip Harrison

Educational Administration

Saran Donahoo, Ph.D.

“The Significance of the Response to Intervention Model on Elementary Reading Performance in Missouri”

James R. Morton, Jr.

Counselor Education

Debra Pender, Ph.D.

“Supervisors’ Experience of Resistance during Online Group Supervision: A Phenomenological Case Study Bootstrapping Analogs of the One Way Manova Test”

Amy Piontek

Health Education

Aaron Diehr, Ph.D.

Roberta Ogletree, Ph.D.

“Factors Associated With Health Education Specialists’ Attitudes towards Providing End-of-Life Education”

Xiang Shen

Curriculum and Instruction

Grant Miller, Ph.D.

Lavern Byfield, Ph.D.

“An Investigation of English Learners’ Willingness to Communicate in a Linguistically Diverse Setting”

Rania Hassan Talafhah

Curriculum and Instruction

Christina C. McIntyre, Ph.D.

“Social Networking Sites and English Language Learning: Jordanian EFL Learners’ Practices and Experiences”

Edwin Ubeda

Curriculum and Instruction

Crystal Shelby-Caffey, Ph.D.

“Social Constructivism and Education Identity Beyond Assimilation Vestiges: A Teacher’s Latina Identity in a Middle School English as a Second Language Classroom”

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Health Education

Juliane P. Wallace, Ph.D.

"Urinary Incontinence and Women's Quality of Life in Oman"

Stephen C. Foggatt

Curriculum and Instruction

John McIntyre, Ph.D.

"The Pernicious Prophecy of Diminished Academic Expectations"

Saber Alzahrani

Curriculum and Instruction

John McIntyre, Ph.D.

"Saudi Mathematics Teachers' Understanding and Practices of Formative Assessment in Elementary Schools"

Mehrete Girmay

Health Education

Sosanya M. Jones, Ph.D.

Juliane P. Wallace, Ph.D.

"Understanding the Adjustment Needs of International Graduate Students at Southern Illinois University Carbondale"

Jason Mark Curry

Workforce Education and Development

Seburn Pense, Ph.D.

"The Development and Content Validation of the Organizational Support for Critical Thinking Inventory (OSCTI)"

Diane Muzio

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"Clinical Supervision of Externs in Speech-Language Pathology"

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Lauren Marie Litchet
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Jared Austin McDaniel
Christian Roberto Ortega-Valenzuela

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Gregory Lawrence Santen, Jr.
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Cody Allen Smothers
German Ernesto Suncin
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Kurt Van Kuiken
Grant Evan Wiseman
Heber Antonio Zelaya

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Benjamin Wyatt Domian
Randall Lamar Evans
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Sumitha India Fisher
Katina Foots
Doran Douglas Glass *cum laude*
Olga Yvonne Goffney
Dalton J. Golightly
Jordan Tyler Grace
Sara Christine Groves *magna cum laude*
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Stewart Ryan Hay
Christopher Michael Helms

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Kokou Josue Hoenou
Nikia Lacle Hollenkamp Rudd
Alexander Theodore Holmes
Robin Delaine Howard *cum laude*
George Anthony Huff
Renita Michelle Inmon
Joshua Michael Jahnke *cum laude*
Eric T. Johnson *cum laude*
Keeva A. Knox
Ariel Lynn Knuckey
Michelle Anita Lewis
Catherine Muriel Linamen
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Juliette Marie Makara
Devon Jule Manney *cum laude*
Charles Wesley Mapa, Jr.
Erika Martin
Carolann Louise McAfee *magna cum laude*
David John McCoy *cum laude*
George J. Melonas *magna cum laude*
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Yocelyn Moreno
Gregory D. Nagel
Julie Nolen
Cary William Page *cum laude*
Yesenia Pedroza
Roshanda Peppers
Carl P. Perdue *cum laude*
Nicholas Ben James Picoc

Kendric Quamaine Randolph
Steven D. Riedinger
John Roberts
Jorge Harry Rodriguez-Tower
Justin Thomas Rother
Maria M. Ruiz
Jimmy H. Scarbrough
Reid T. Sealby
Loretta Marie Seeber *magna cum laude*
Alejandro R. Serrato *cum laude*
Rosie Serrato *cum laude*
Ronald Garde Smith
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Samuel D. Stearns
Iain R. Stewart *summa cum laude*
Jamal Sumpter
Martin Kent Swan
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Margarett Jasmese Tyler
Patrick James Vandenberg *cum laude*
Robert James Venable
Bimbrie Ann Weber
Jason Ramond Wheat
Brian Robert Wier *magna cum laude*
Anthony James Williams
Joan D. Williams
Jamie Yoskiko Wolfe *magna cum laude*
Robert Ray Working, Jr. *cum laude*
Adrian Ricardo Zetina

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Annette Elaine Anderson
Shelby Anderson
Nina Giovanna Angiulo
Cassandra N. Arnold
Jeffrey S. Ayers
Deonte Travell Bankston
Logan T. Barta
Douglas Darwood Bateman

David Howard Barber Bell
William Omar Belloso *cum laude*
Christopher Bessette
Cheryl Marie Blanding
Allison S. Bollero *summa cum laude*
Emily Jean Borah
Adam Q. Borges
Alaina M. Boudreau *summa cum laude**
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Ashley N. Broshears
Katelyn P. Brown
Kevin Brown *magna cum laude*
Crystal Caliaham

Courtney L. Case *cum laude*
Karen Vilorio Cate
Andrew Morland Charles
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Koleton E. Cochran *summa cum laude**
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David Edward Coleman *cum laude*
Lucinda Marie Collins
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Caroline M. Fletcher *cum laude*
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Tachina Laflora Grace
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Dane R. Kemezy
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Melissa Nicole Laird
Erika K. Lane *cum laude*
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Jonas Richard Lewis, Jr.
Matthew Lijewski
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Kallie Link *cum laude*
Jeffrey Edward Lund *cum laude*
Alexander Maldonado
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Arishna C. Marshall *magna cum laude*
Jeanelle Mason *magna cum laude*
Titania T. Mason
Cesar Maya
Angelique Marie McClain
Evonne Christina McCoach
Michaela Suzanne McCormic
Charles David McEachern
Alvin Odai Mills
Kimberly Brooke Mixen *cum laude* *
Aaliyah Nicole Moore
Jonathon Leon Moore
Thomas Eugene Morgan
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Marcella Ruth-Anne Motsinger *cum laude*
Dyllin T. Mucha
Lionel Kenneth Murphy
Ryan C. Neal
Krystal Danielle Norman
Sarai Ocampo
Vincent Olson *cum laude*
Carlie A. O'Neill
Daniel Davidson Onstott
Richard Oradimeji Oriji
Cassandra M. Ortiz
Aidan L. Osborne *summa cum laude* *
Robert Scott Paine *summa cum laude*
Ana Cristina Pariso *cum laude*
Taylor Noelle Parker *cum laude*
Marcus Duane Parks
Steven Matthew Parr *cum laude*
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Crystal D. Phillips
Theresa Rebecca Pierson
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Teresa L. Richardson
Yasmin E. Rodriguez
Victoria M. Rogalla
Katherine Margaret Rosenberg
James Ross
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Amy E. Rubel *magna cum laude*
Johnathan Arthur Rumage *summa cum laude*
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Kevin Nickalos Russo
Cynthia Ann Saenz
Benjamin Ventura Salvania
Hunter D. Sample *cum laude*
Paul Raymond Sanchez *cum laude*
Ashlee M. Sanders *cum laude*
Brian Schaab
Maxel Richard Schell
Michael Patrick Shannon *cum laude*
Kalena Sharp
Jovonnie K. Sherman
Rachel Lauren Simonsen *magna cum laude*
Kinsey M. Sloan
Da'Jah Jo'Nelle Smart
Drew Robert Smith
Rochelle LaJeanne Smith *cum laude*
Jacob Eugene Stanley
Maria Katherine Steele
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Taurean Stover
Anna Nicole Sunderlage *magna cum laude*
Sydney Breanne Swalls *magna cum laude*
Haeden James Sweetin
Gabriella M. Szmanda
Jazzmine L. Thomas
Sonia Thornton
Adam Martin Tietze *cum laude*
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Felipe De Jesus Valtierra
Celina Kay Van Hyfte
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LaQuita Shavonne Wallace
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Doctor of Philosophy

SUMMER 2017

Hayder Abed Hussein Al-Hraishawi

Electrical and Computer Engineering

Gayan Baduge, Ph.D.

“Design and Analysis of Cognitive Massive MIMO Networks With Underlay Spectrum Sharing”

Cheng-Liang Hsieh

Electrical and Computer Engineering

Ning Weng, Ph.D.

“Design and Implementation of Scalable High-Performance Network Functions”

Sheheeda Mariam Manakkadu

Electrical and Computer Engineering

Mohammad Sayeh, Ph.D.

“Power-Aware Performance Optimization on Multicore Architectures”

Adam Wayne Sims

Engineering Science

Kanchan Mondal, Ph.D.

“A Novel Mediated OxycCombustion System: Subsystem Evaluation and Integration”

Pengfei Sun

Electrical and Computer Engineering

Jun Qin, Ph.D.

“Conditional Neural Networks for Speech and Language Processing”

Chung-Ying Tsai

Engineering Science

Kanchan Mondal, Ph.D.

“Novel Nanomaterials for Energy Related Applications”

Wei Wu

Electrical and Computer Engineering

Andy G. Lozowski, Ph.D.

“Micro-Circuit Diode for Ultra-Low-Power Energy Harvesting”

FALL 2017

Kevin Nathaniel Bowlyn

Electrical and Computer Engineering

Nazeih Botros, Ph.D.

Mohammad Sayeh, Ph.D.

“Implementation of a Novel Integrated Distributed Arithmetic and Complex Binary Number System in Fast Fourier Transform Algorithm”

Emad Mohamed Elhaji

Electrical and Computer Engineering

Constantine J. Hatziadoniu, Ph.D.

“Interarea Oscillation Damping Using H-Infinity Control for the Permanent Magnet Wind Generator”

Ruimin Feng

Engineering Science

Satya Harpalani, Ph.D.

“Laboratory-Scale Investigation of Permeability and Flow Modeling For Highly Stressed Coalbed Methane Reservoirs Using Pulse Decay Method”

Yunyi Jiang

Engineering Science

J. Kent Hsiao, Ph.D.

“Footing Fixity of Bridge Pier with End-Bearing Pile Foundation”

Raghava Katreepalli

Electrical and Computer Engineering

Themistoklis Haniotakis, Ph.D.

“Efficient VLSI Implementation of Arithmetic Units and Logic Circuits”

Sankalpanand Motakpalli

Electrical and Computer Engineering

Harini Ramaprasad, Ph.D.

“Aperiodic Job Handling in Cache-Based Real-Time Systems”

Arjun Shekar Sadahalli

Electrical and Computer Engineering

Farzad Pourboghra, Ph.D.

Mohammad Sayeh, Ph.D.

“Adaptive Control Design for Quadrotor”

Siavash Zamiran

Engineering Science

Abdolreza Osouli, Ph.D.

Prabir Kolay, Ph.D.

“Numerical Analysis on Seismic Response of Cantilever Retaining Wall Systems and Fragility Analysis on Motion Response”

Ji Zhang

Engineering Science

Yanna Liang, Ph.D.

“Biogasification of Coal to Methane for Ex Situ and In Situ Applications”

Master of Engineering

SUMMER 2017

Beya Kazadi

Master of Science

SUMMER 2017

Kshitij Amar
Hazhir Athari
Manahari Bhandari

Anuradha Dave
Faraz Farbakhsh
William J. Jack

Charles Kevin Koehling
Tasnim Shireen

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Asia Abdelrahman Mohammed Ahmed
Abobaker
Ishtiaq Ahmed
Talal Onaizan Q. Alshammari
Azadeh Amiri
Dhruva Chandra Reddy Atigadda
Mounika Boyapally
Sandeep Reddy Chavva
Kai Tse Cheng
Harshith Kumar Chincholi
Pravallika Chintalapuri
Janaki Ram Chittineni
Bhanu Mahesh Dasari
Venkata Vishnu Varma Gadhiraju
Harshitha Girish
Tejaswi Gottumukkala

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Rajesh Guru
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Rohit Jogineedi
Gilles Arnaud Layo Arif D. Kandissounon
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Jayasimha Sai Koduri
Raj Vamshi Kola
Garrett M. Litteken
Nikhil Mittapally
James Christopher Morrow
Shirin Movaghgharnezhad
Rashad Suhail Nageeb
Venkat Sai Kiran Nethi

Rushud Mohammed Omar
Krishna Panakanti
Daryl Paul Premkumar
Srinivasa Reddy Punyala
Anusha Reddy Reddy Reddy
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Kushwanth Raja Sangam
Naga Pavan Suri
Taylor Linnae Swanson
Aliahmed Syed
Aashritha Teegala
Zacharia Oommen Tharakan
Sudhir Kumar Tripathi
Raj Varun Turaga
Nikhil Vemulapally
Peter J. Zamiska

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Rami Abdullah Aldawoodi
Hussain Saleh Aldogman
Nasser Masfer Almari
Salman Awadh S. Alotaibi
Marco Joseph Andresen
Jonathan David Baquet
Steven J. Bradshaw, Jr. *magna cum laude*
Michal Bruch
Marc Lendle Castro
Marlon Donell Cobbins
Blake D. Damery
Daniel Scott Davis

Craig DeBerry, Jr.
Christopher James DiVita
Wayne Daniel Donahoe
Theresa L. Fugo *cum laude*
Louis Marcel Gaiter *cum laude*
Marvin Omar Guevara
Joseph Hedden
Charles E. Holden
Titus Anthony Holman
Christina Lee Kier
Daryl Kuissi
Cameron Alexander Martin
Alan M. Messegee *cum laude*

Jeffrey N. Miller
Muhammad Addin Bin Mohd Najeeb
Hjalte Jack Nerdrum
Zachary M. O'Bryant
James Powell
Tiffany Simmons
Ryan Skarb
Michael Wargacki
Zachary Dean Watkins
Angela Renee Werner
Jared Clark Whitley
Will Victory Williams

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Abdul Azim Bin Abdul Nasser
 Fred Sena Agbemape
 Khadar Abdullah Akhdhur
 Balqees Ali Alabdullah *magna cum laude*
 Musaed L. A. Alanqoudi
 Fahad Ahmed A. Alansari
 Mohammad Abdullah Alhamood
 Azzam Ali Alhashim
 Bandar Jurays T. Alhazmi
 Marwan Abdullah Aljarboa
 Mark W. Allen
 Mohammad Saeed Alqahtani
 Khalid Jaber M. Alsallum
 Torki Zafer Alsubai
 Mohammed Saud AlSubaie
 Ali Mohammed M. Alyami
 Mana Ahmed M. Alyami
 Ryan C. Ball
 Patrick M. Banks
 Hasi Bao
 Aaron K. Bartels
 Cody Lee Bauer
 Cassandra Ann Behmlander
 James E. Blake, Jr.
 William Lenard Boyd
 Tyler W. Brinkman
 Gary Leroy Bundy
 Brady K. Bunton
 Michael Robert Carey *cum laude*
 Evan Lee Cervi
 Kelsey D. Charron
 Rojer Chitrakar *cum laude*
 Christopher M. Clark
 Kristopher M. Coleman
 Christopher Kenneth Comer *summa cum laude*
 Phillip Ross Copeland
 Matthew J. Crawford

Thomas L. Crider
 Matthew William Domijan
 Matthew T. Doyle
 William R. East
 William C. Edmonds
 Matthew James Fouty *magna cum laude*
 Jack G. Girote
 Nicolas E. Gonzalez
 Pawel Jerzy Gorka *magna cum laude*
 Timothy Wayne Green
 Kody L. Greenwood
 Garrett Gutstadt
 Steven Michael Habel
 Thomas Hadwiger
 Bridgette Lynn Hankins *cum laude*
 Adolfo Hernandez
 Dustin Ryan Hofmann
 Connor D. Husman
 Jeffrey Scott Hutson
 Cody Joseph Hysom
 Yordan Ivanov
 James Cody Jackson
 Sarah Nicole Jennings
 Cody S. Johnson *summa cum laude*
 Joshua D. Jordan
 Sai Durga Prasad Surya Vineeth Kanteti
 Michael P. Kieseewetter
 Veronica Layne Kleber
 Ngong Ruben Kok
 David R. Kopera II
 Shivam Kundan
 Joseph P. Leo
 Samuel Davey Lomax, Jr.
 Justin Allan Loveless
 Mark William Malone
 Nicholas J. Marasovich
 Dennis Ruloph Martin

Scott J. Martin
 Roger L. Mast
 Piotr Matel
 Michael Gene Matthews II
 Denzel Rashad Maxwell
 Ryan Joe Michalec
 Colton Miskell
 Ace C. Nadal
 Ken Nakazawa
 Isaac Chijindu Okoroji Onoh
 Jodi Lynn Osborne
 Christopher Allen Palmisano *cum laude*
 Matthew M. Pawula
 Stephen Lee Peters
 Jeffrey D. Peterson
 Nasser Qurbanzada
 Jeffrey D. Reed
 Joel J. Rice
 Marquise Rodgers
 Matthew Ryne Rosecrans
 Monika Justyna Rusiecki
 Michael Cory Scheirer
 Matthew B. Schmidlin *cum laude**
 Carson J. Schumacher
 Paul L. Schumacher *summa cum laude**
 James E. Sherman
 George L. Smallwood
 Joseph Russell Smiley *cum laude*
 Rodney Stewart
 Christian Myles Colclasure Taylor
 David Vargas
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Doctor of Philosophy

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Psychology

Kathleen Chwalisz, Ph.D.

“An Exploration of Skin Tone Related Beliefs and Attitudes among Asian Indian Women in Urban India”

Chad S. Briggs

Psychology

Meera Komarraju, Ph.D.

“The Prevalence of Religious Service Attendance in America: A Review and Meta-Analysis”

Alana Curewitz

Psychology

Michelle Y. Kibby, Ph.D.

“A Dimensional Approach to Assessing Aspects of Attention among Children with and Without Symptoms of Attention-Deficit/Hyperactivity Disorder and/or Anxiety”

Diep Thi Ngoc Duong

Political Science

Stephen Bloom, Ph.D.

“An Assessment of Citizen Participation in Decentralized Service Delivery: The Case of Vietnam”

Sarah Mailander Dyer

Psychology

Michelle Y. Kibby, Ph.D.

“Inhibitory Control and Its Relation to Personality/Temperament, Executive Function, and the Brain”

Nicole Louise Gilson

Psychology

Meera Komarraju, Ph.D.

“Examining the Effects of Mindfulness on the Relationships between Citizenship Pressure, Job Stress, and Turnover Intentions within Healthcare: A Moderated Mediation Model”

Angela Louise Glunz

Communication Studies

Suzanne M. Daughton, Ph.D.

“My Journey Out Of...: How Women Narrate Their Religious Departures”

Jennifer M. Hewerdine

English

Lisa J. McClure, Ph.D.

“An Ethos of Space: Writing Center Administration as a Site of Collaboration”

Ingrid Hogge

Psychology

Yu-Wei Wang, Ph.D.

Reza Habib, Ph.D.

“Male Rape Myths: Measurement and Relation to the Gender Role Strain Paradigm”

Taurean D. Hutchinson

Economics

Sajal Lahiri, Ph.D.

“Determinants of Sports Performance: Case Studies on Olympics & Major League Soccer”

AKM Saiful Islam

Sociology

Darren Sherkat, Ph.D.

“Interest Groups in Response to the Obamacare: The Changing Organizational Field of Health Care Policy in the United State”

Samuel Louis Kramer

Psychology

Sarah J. Kertz, Ph.D.

“Attention Training and Mindfulness as Interventions for Rumination: Associations with Cognitive Control”

Samuel W. Larson

Psychology

Michelle Y. Kibby, Ph.D.

“The Assessment of Malingering by Proxy in the Diagnosis of Attention-Deficit/Hyperactivity Disorder (ADHD) with the Conners 3”

Katherine M. Niman

Sociology

Jean-Pierre Reed, Ph.D.

“Online Social Networking: The Changing Self, Impression Management and Social Control”

Courtney Payne

Psychology

Jane L. Swanson, Ph.D.

Craig Gingrich-Philbrook, Ph.D.

“At the margins of intersecting identities: What does it mean to be a Black queer woman?”

Zachary Pilot

Psychology

Usha Lakshmanan, Ph.D.

“Theory of Mind, Empathy, and Identity Processing Style: Examining Interrelationships and Advantages of Acting Experience”

Monica E. Summers
Matthew Giblin, Ph.D.
Criminology and Criminal Justice
“Speak Softly and Carry a Big Stick: The Effects of Women
Correctional Officers on Prison Violence”

FALL 2017

Jordan Marie Constance
Psychology
Lisabeth F. DiLalla, Ph.D.
“Social Information Processing In Adolescents with
Neurodevelopmental Disabilities”

Ryan Patrick Coppens
Psychology
David G. Gilbert, Ph.D.
Reza Habib, Ph.D.
“APOE4 Genotype as a Moderator of Brain Responses to Target
Stimuli Prior and Subsequent to Smoking Abstinence”

Krishna Prasad Dhakal
Environmental Resources & Policy
Lizette R. Chevalier, Ph.D.
“Climate Change Impact on Urban Stormwater System and Use of
Green Infrastructure for Adaptation: An Investigation on Technology,
Policy, and Governance”

Katherine Fishman
Psychology
Kathleen Chwalisz, Ph.D.
“Women’s Awareness of Sexual Violence in Emerging Adulthood: A
Qualitative Inquiry”

Robert Edward Graham
Psychology
Usha Lakshmanan, Ph.D.
“Music to Our Eyes: Assessing the Role of Experience for
Multisensory Integration in Music Perception”

Lindsay Patrice Greer
Communication Studies
Craig Gingrich-Philbrook, Ph.D.
Rebecca Walker, Ph.D.
“Summoning the Spirit of Obsolescence in Media and Performance:
A Posthuman Sèance”

Mulugeta A. Jemberie
Economics
Kevin Sylwester, Ph.D.
“Estimating the Causes and Consequences of Gender Wage
Discrimination in Ethiopia”

Robert William Velez
Political Science
Tobin Grant, Ph.D.
“When Church Becomes State: Clergy as Political Candidate”

Maliha Nazir
Economics
Kevin Sylwester, Ph.D.
“Essays on Domestic Factors Driving Attitudes towards Immigrants
and Emigration”

Olivia Gessella Perez-Langley
Communication Studies
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“From Text to Textile: An Autoethnographic Exploration of the
Guatemalan Huipil”

Gauri Anilkumar Pitale
Anthropology
Robert Corruccini, Ph.D.
David Sutton, Ph.D.
“Anna He Purnabramha: Deorukhe Women’s Agency in the Making
of Bodies, Cuisines, and Culture in Maharashtra, India”

Nishanth V. Sanjithkumar
Sociology
Christopher Mullins, Ph.D.
“War Crime Victimization Experiences of Sri Lankan Tamil Makal:
A Qualitative Analysis”

Kevin Curtis Taylor
Philosophy
Thomas Alexander, Ph.D.
“Ecology of A Kōan: Hakuin’s Zen as A Moral Model for
Environmental Engagement”

Rachel M. Wolters
Historical Studies
Gray Whaley, Ph.D.
“‘We Heard Canada Was a Free Country’: African American
Migration in the Great Plains, 1890-1911”

Master of Fine Arts

SUMMER 2017

Jennifer Claire Egan

Bobbi Jo Masters

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SUMMER 2017

Oluwaseyi Ololade Amosu
Ankit Singh Basnet
Debadatta Chakraborty
Emma Brittany Diaz
Milos Djeric
Elizabeth A. Fines
Ana Karen Flores Trujillo

Andrew Goforth
Erica Lynn Gurnell
LeeAnn Elizabeth Jones
Jeremy MacLaren Kelly
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Caleb Royal McKinley-Portee
Hannah Jane Schmidt

Kelsey Yvonne Schmidt
Maria Elizabeth Stacy
Robert James Van De Motter
Tyler A. Whitaker
Yvet Youssef

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Ali Harrab A. Aleissa
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Jordan Gabriel Duke
Miranda Danielle Gibson
Asha Kirit Joshi
Abby Jane Spalding Kelty

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Ikuo Kosaka
Luis Jancarlos Montoya Mejia
Maranda Rose Quillen
Yelsin Auxiliadora Ramirez Cruz
Dalton E Runyon

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Emilio Ernesto Sanchez Mendoza
Binbin Shen
Brittany Sue Sievers
Aidan Christie Smith

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Jeffrey Yih Jie Chow

Andrew Robin Bates Hudson

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Marcus Ramalho Jesus

Valeriya E. Kanaeva

Alessandra Odazaki Aly Rodriguez

Master of Public Administration

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Carlton Laurent Lawson

Kenea L. Lee

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Muhammad Amirul Bin Abdul Malek
Christopher Randall Brown
Derick Chick Wye Kynn

Kayce J. Gibbs
Veronica Mushili Nkunde
Seth Marshal Russell

Hellena Louise Shorty

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JiangBo HuangFu

Julia Kay Ryherd

Dylan Sellers

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Michael Theodore Burck
Mercedes Lissette Gomez Jacobo

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Todd Michael Adams
Kaylan Ella Baines
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Elijah R. Broome *cum laude*
Shantrice L. Burnett
Ciara S. Collins
Tariq Lamar Collins
Anthony Leander Davis
Dorothee Karseen Devy
Helen Ahnen Feest *magna cum laude*
Kevin T. Goeke *magna cum laude*
Jahiah Torah Gordon *magna cum laude*
Kimani K. Harvey

Brittney Nicole Heatherly
Madeline A. Hodson
Brittnei V. Jackson
Dequana Deshae Jones
Michal Kianicka *cum laude*
Matthew T. Lampley
Kyra Marie Lee *cum laude*
Justin S. Loescher
Erin K. Martin
John Francis McGuinnis III
Scout Mitchell
Gabriel Montiel
Alexander George Nagy
Lydia Margaret O'Leary *summa cum laude*

Robert Edward Olson
Lauren R. Patterson
Ethan H. Reiker
Gerardo Gabriel Rodriguez
Zachary Leo Shaw
Sara C. Simpson
Sheldon Anthony Stokes
Andrew Samuel Taylor
Jonah P. Toennies *magna cum laude*
Naomi D. Tolbert *cum laude*
Nicolas Esteban Vazquez
Zane M. Wallace
Patricia Y. Webb
Dimitri M. Williams

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Osamah A. E. S. Alattar *magna cum laude*
Elias J. Allen
Ross A. Anderson
David Andrew Arendt *magna cum laude*
Travis LaCari Betts
Anna Birkeland *summa cum laude*
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Christian Michael Brand
Khiry Brown
Daniel Joseph Bruce
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Tereon D. Chambers
Ta'Shawn Denise Cole
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Nicholas D. Conklin *cum laude*
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Shaun Lucas Corley
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Jordyn Alyn Daniels
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Olivia Marie Durham
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Lara Lyn Feltz
Coleman B. Fitch *magna cum laude*
Tony Deshon Fitzpatrick
Angela Nicole French
Briana Alyse Fullilove
Ryan L. Ginther *cum laude*
Marvin L. Gladney
Alicein Wonderland Godlewski *cum laude*
Larisa Goran
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Celeste L. Green
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Kassidy Jo Kagy
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Allyssa R. Kolenda *summa cum laude* *
Ethan D. Lee
Shanice L. Lenoir
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Miriam Luna *magna cum laude*
Jackee Rayshauna Marshall
Jasmin Martinez
Rebecca Mcadams
Hertis C. McClanahan
Johnathon Levi McElroy
Margaret Elizabeth McGowan *summa cum laude* *
Patrick O. McRay

Hillary N. Merrill
Patricia C. Mixon *cum laude*
Stephen B. Muetze
Kyle Richard Murray
Saul Navarrete
Ricardo Rene Noe-Ulloa *cum laude*
Travis O'Nan
Kristen O'Neill
Lisa B. Ortiz
Travis D. Parkhill
Olivia D. Partlow *cum laude* *
Whitney M. Phillips
Wilder Ranulfo Pimentel Basurto
Ashley Nichole Porter
Kenwanna M. Randolph
Devin T. Reeves
Bryce S. Reno Gibson
Lauren K. Russell
Megan E. Ryan *summa cum laude*
David J. Saavedra
Nathalie Sanchez
Kathryn Anne Schall *cum laude*
Frannie Xianna Sloss
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Victoria K. Smith
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Dylan T. Winters
Hayley N. Wissmiller *cum laude*

Christine Marion Wolfersheim
Malik D. Wright-Hamilton
Shelby Evon Yanez *magna cum laude*
Madison Young
Rebecca A. Zilkowski *cum laude**

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Madison J. Coleman *summa cum laude*
Samantha Leigh Eubanks
Danielle Renee Hahn *cum laude*

Jag Nialden Haruna
Stephan L. Marsh †
Hannah Pack *cum laude*
Nicholas J. Pellman
Teresa Rani Riley *magna cum laude*
Kevin Runyan

Danielle Marquetta Shorty
Johanna Tesfaye
Camille Ticheur *magna cum laude*
Hannah Elizabeth White
Anna Marie Wonnell

Bachelor of Science

SUMMER 2017

Tiffany C. Akinmuko
Deondre Lashawn Barnett, Jr.
Danielle Bronson
Rachael Catherine Clark *cum laude*
Devon M. Clifford
Kyla Camille Conner

Cora L. Edmonds
Alyssa Gaddis
Ashanna Lesean Hodge
Jordan Jacobson
Mako Kosugi
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Amber C. Mcdonald
Shanelle Tennia Phipps
Renee Raney
Kimberly M. Slabosz

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“TRIB3 as an Integrator of Metabolic Stresses: Role in Lung Cancer Progression”

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“Dynamics of Nucleosome Remodeling By ATP-Dependent Chromatin Remodelers”

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 “An Experimental Study of the Effects of Substrate Porosity, Morphology, and Flexibility on the Equilibrium Thermodynamics and Kinetics of Adsorption for Atomic and Molecular Adsorbates”

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“Neuronal Nicotinic Receptor Dynamics in Medial Geniculate Body Neurons of Young and Aged Fischer Brown Norway Rats”

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“Oral Administration of Epigallocatechin-3-Gallate (EGCG) Is a Potential Therapeutic for Cisplatin-Induced Hearing Loss”

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Buffy S. Ellsworth, Ph.D.

“Deletion of the FOXO1 Gene in Mouse Pituitary Gland and the Effects on Somatotrope Differentiation and Function”

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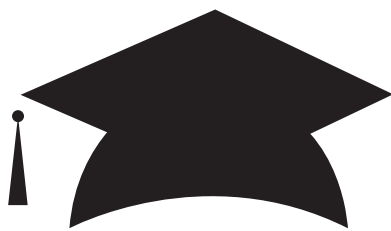
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