

FALL 2021

COMMENCEMENT



*Original Old Main
with student
body, 1870*

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."



Class of 1897

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 currently displayed in Anthony Hall was bound by alumna Wendy Hale Davis, a bookbinder, artist and musician in Austin, Texas.

The inspirational message on the next page is carried, along with the charter, during Commencement exercises. This message was written by the late Charles D. Tenney, SIU professor and Distinguished Service Award recipient. The message is displayed on the south wall of Morris Library's Hall of Presidents and Chancellors, and has a special place in the hearts of our students and alumni.

A photograph of a large, ornate, multi-story building with many windows and a central tower, likely a university building. The image is overlaid with a semi-transparent red filter.

**SOUTHERN ILLINOIS
UNIVERSITY**
ESTABLISHED 1869

TO EXALT BEAUTY
IN GOD,
IN NATURE,
AND IN ART,
TEACHING HOW TO LOVE THE BEST
BUT TO KEEP THE HUMAN TOUCH:

TO ADVANCE LEARNING
IN ALL LINES OF TRUTH
WHEREVER THEY MAY LEAD,
SHOWING HOW TO THINK
RATHER THAN WHAT TO THINK,
ASSISTING THE POWERS
OF THE MIND
IN THEIR SELF-DEVELOPMENT:

**TO FORWARD IDEAS
AND IDEALS**
IN OUR DEMOCRACY,
INSPIRING RESPECT FOR OTHERS
AS FOR OURSELVES,
EVER PROMOTING FREEDOM
WITH RESPONSIBILITY:

**TO BECOME A CENTER OF
ORDER AND LIGHT**
THAT KNOWLEDGE MAY LEAD
TO UNDERSTANDING
AND UNDERSTANDING
TO WISDOM.

"THE STAR-SPANGLED BANNER"

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

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?

"SOUTHERN ALMA MATER"

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

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

SPECIAL THANKS

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

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.



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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.

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.

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.

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.

HOODS, CAPS, AND TASSELS

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: 3 1/2 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, and the color of trimming identifies the major field of learning.

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.

REFERENCE

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

CORDS

Gold	University Honors Program
Maroon & White	Intercollegiate Athlete with a 3.5+ GPA
Red, White, & Blue	Veteran or Active Duty Military

MEDALLION

Bronze with black ribbon	<i>cum laude</i>
Silver with black ribbon	<i>magna cum laude</i>
Gold with black ribbon	<i>summa cum laude</i>
Gold & White with red ribbon	Lincoln Academy of Illinois Student Laureate

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

Graduates with a number behind their name completed their degree through one of our Extended Campus sites around the country. A map with these sites is included on pages 39-40.

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 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.

COLLEGES AND SCHOOLS

(In order of presentation of candidates)

COLLEGE OF AGRICULTURAL, LIFE, AND PHYSICAL SCIENCES

School of Agricultural Sciences
School of Biological Sciences
School of Chemical and Biomolecular Sciences
School of Earth Systems and Sustainability
School of Forestry and Horticulture
School of Physics and Applied Physics

COLLEGE OF BUSINESS AND ANALYTICS

School of Accountancy
School of Analytics, Finance, and Economics
School of Management and Marketing

COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING, COMPUTING, TECHNOLOGY, AND MATHEMATICS

School of Applied Engineering and Technology
School of Civil, Environmental, and Infrastructure Engineering
School of Computing
School of Electrical, Computer, and Biomedical Engineering
School of Mathematical and Statistical Sciences
School of Mechanical, Aerospace, and Materials Engineering

SCHOOL OF LAW

SCHOOL OF MEDICINE

COLLEGE OF ARTS AND MEDIA

School of Architecture
School of Art and Design
School of Journalism
School of Media Arts
School of Music
School of Theater and Dance

COLLEGE OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SCIENCES

School of Automotive
School of Aviation
School of Health Sciences
School of Human Sciences
School of Justice and Public Safety
School of Psychological and Behavioral Sciences

COLLEGE OF LIBERAL ARTS

School of Africana and Multicultural Studies
School of Anthropology, Political Science, and Sociology
School of Communication Studies
School of History and Philosophy
School of Languages and Linguistics
School of Literature, Writing, and Digital Humanities

SCHOOL OF EDUCATION

SIU CARBONDALE

ADMINISTRATION

Austin A. Lane

Chancellor

Meera Komarraju

*Provost and Vice Chancellor for
Academic Affairs*

Paul Frazier

*Vice Chancellor for Diversity,
Equity, and Inclusion*

Gary Kinsel

*Interim Vice Chancellor for
Research*

Jeffery T. Burgin, Jr.

Vice Chancellor for Student Affairs

Jerry Kruse

*Dean and Provost, School of
Medicine*

Wendell Williams

*Associate Chancellor for
Enrollment Management*

Matt Baughman

Chief of Staff

ACADEMIC DEANS

Eric Brevik

*Dean, College of Agricultural, Life
and Physical Sciences*

Segun Ojewuyi

*Interim Dean, College of Arts
and Media*

Terry Clark

*Dean, College of Business
and Analytics*

Xiaoqing (Frank) Liu

*Dean, College of Engineering,
Computing, Technology, and
Mathematics*

Robert Morgan

*Dean, College of Health
and Human Sciences*

Andrew Balkansky

*Interim Dean, College of
Liberal Arts*

M Cecil Smith

Dean, School of Education

Camille M. Davidson

Dean, School of Law

Stephen C. Shih

*Associate Dean and Director,
Graduate School*

John Pollitz

Dean, Library Affairs

SOUTHERN ILLINOIS UNIVERSITY SYSTEM

Daniel F. Mahony

President

Duane Stucky

*Senior Vice President for Financial
and Administrative Affairs*

Gireesh Gupchup

*Vice President for Academic
Innovation, Planning, and
Partnerships*

Sheila Caldwell

*Vice President for Antiracism,
Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion*

BOARD OF TRUSTEES

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Alton, Illinois

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Vice Chair
Edwardsville, Illinois

Edgar Curtis

Springfield, Illinois

Madelyn Walters

Student Trustee, SIU Edwardsville
Elizabeth, Illinois

Roger Tedrick

Secretary
Mt. Vernon, Illinois

Subhash Sharma

Carbondale, Illinois



Dear Members of the Class of 2021:

On behalf of the faculty and staff of SIU Carbondale, I congratulate you on your graduation and wish you the best for continued success. We are proud of you!

Your degree is a testament to your vision, dedication and hard work, especially in circumstances like no other. Despite unusual and challenging times, we encouraged you to imagine a better world and your role in it. You dreamed big, and you persevered to earn your degree. Vision, dedication, hard work and perseverance are all characteristics that will serve you well as you go forward. They are the hallmark of all Salukis.

Your time at SIU included the celebration of our 150th anniversary and the launch of our next 150 years. That makes you an important part of both our history and our future, our tradition and promise. Like those who came before, you have benefitted from outstanding faculty and staff committed to helping you learn and succeed. You are also a role model who demonstrates to future Salukis that everything is possible at SIU.

You join more than 250,000 proud SIU alumni who, like you, have made lifelong personal connections. In fact, whenever you wear your SIU gear anywhere in the world, you will find fellow graduates who share your Saluki pride. You'll also find that Salukis help Salukis, even those they may have never met.

We hope you continue to be an active member of the Saluki network. Please visit campus often to connect with the next generation of SIU students, share your knowledge, catch a game and let us know how you are doing. You will always be part of SIU, and that connection will help us build a better future.

If you have not already done so, 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, thank you for letting us be a part of your success. We look forward to learning of your many accomplishments as SIU alumni.

Go Dawgs!

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

Austin A. Lane
Chancellor

COMMENCEMENT DIGNITARIES

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 Readers

Susan Patrick Benson, *Associate Professor*
Department of Theater
Darryl Clark, *Assistant Professor*
Department of Theater

Commencement Band Director

Chris Morehouse, *Professor*
School of Music

Commencement Vocalist

Skye O'Sullivan, *Master of Music*
in Vocal Performance

DISTINGUISHED FACULTY AND STAFF

SCHOLAR EXCELLENCE AWARD RECIPIENT

Daryl G. Kroner, *Professor*
Department of Criminology and Criminal Justice,
College of Health and Human Sciences

TEACHING EXCELLENCE AWARD RECIPIENT

Michael James Lydy, *Professor*
School of Biological Sciences, College of Agricultural,
Life, and Physical Sciences

Kevin R. Smith, *Senior Lecturer*
Chemistry and Biochemistry, College of Agricultural,
Life, and Physical Sciences

Diana Tigerlily, *Professor of Practice*
Department of Women, Gender, and Sexuality
Studies, College of Liberal Arts

EARLY CAREER FACULTY EXCELLENCE AWARD RECIPIENT

Gayan Baduge, *Associate Professor*
School of Electrical, Computer, and Biomedical
Engineering, College of Engineering, Computing,
Technology, and Mathematics

WOMEN OF DISTINCTION AWARD RECIPIENT

Bobbi Knapp, *Associate Professor*
School of Human Sciences, College of Health and
Human Sciences

EMERGING LEADER AWARD RECIPIENT

Sandy Pensoneau-Conway, *Associate Professor*
and Chair, School of Communication Studies; and
Interim Director, Women, Gender, and Sexuality
Studies, College of Liberal Arts

STAFF EXCELLENCE AWARD RECIPIENTS

Lanel Love, *Assistant Dean of Students* and *Director*
of the First Saluki Center

Richard Scott Taylor, *Deputy Director*
University Housing

CONSTITUENCY REPRESENTATIVES GRADUATE COUNCIL

Thomas Shaw, *Chair, Associate Professor*
School of Health Sciences

Junghwa Lee, *Vice Chair, Associate Professor*
School of Music

GRADUATE AND PROFESSIONAL STUDENT COUNCIL

Dianah McGreehan, *President, doctoral student*
School of Communication Studies

UNDERGRADUATE STUDENT GOVERNMENT

Isaiah Overton, *President, senior*
School of Electrical, Computer, and Biomedical
Engineering

MARSHALS

Grand Marshals

Yueh-Ting Lee, *Faculty Senate President, Professor and Program Director, Applied Psychology, College of Health and Human Sciences*

Bethany Rader, *Faculty Senate Vice President, Associate Professor, Microbiology, College of Agricultural, Life, and Physical Sciences*

Faculty Marshals

Lizette Chevalier, *Associate Provost for Academic Programs*

Sandy Pensoneau-Conway
Associate Professor and Chair, Communication Studies, College of Liberal Arts and Emerging Leader Award recipient



SIU GRADUATION SURVEY

You have now joined the ranks of SIU Alumni around the globe!
We would love to hear where your journey is taking you.
Please take a moment to fill out the official SIU graduation survey.

siu.joinhandshake.com/first_destination_surveys/4604

WE WILL MISS YOU!

VISIT US OFTEN AT [CAREERDEVELOPMENT.SIU.EDU](https://careerdevelopment.siu.edu)

DECEMBER 11, 2021
BANTERRA CENTER
11 A.M.

Processional of Graduates, Faculty, and Platform Party

National Anthem

"The Star-Spangled Banner"

John Stafford Smith and Francis Scott Key, arrangement
by Walter Damrosch and John Philip Sousa

Greetings and Introduction of Platform Party

Recognition of Families

Presentation of Candidates and Conferring of Doctoral Degrees

Presentation of Candidates and Conferring of Masters Degrees

Presentation of Candidates and Conferring of Baccalaureate Degrees

Tassel Turning

Welcome from the SIU Alumni Association

Alma Mater

"Southern Alma Mater"

Grover Clarke Morgan, Composer

Recessional

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

◇ University Honors program member

✦ Multiple degree candidate

† Posthumous degree

cum laude 3.5-3.749

magna cum laude 3.75-3.899

summa cum laude 3.9-4.0

COLLEGE OF AGRICULTURAL, LIFE, AND PHYSICAL SCIENCES

Doctor of Philosophy Summer 2021

Narges Asefifeyzabadi

Chemistry

Mohtashim Hassan Shamsi, Ph.D.

"DNA Interfaces for Electrochemical Detection of Neurodegenerative Repeat Sequences"

Yi-Chen Lee

Agricultural Sciences

Stella K. Kantartzi, Ph.D.

"Evaluation of Soybean Diseases and Pests Using Two Advanced Breeding Populations"

Jake Rauch Crandall

Geosciences

Justin Filiberto, Ph.D.

"Magma-Sediment Interaction on Mars: Detectability and Habitability as Constrained By Terrestrial Analogs"

Jason R. Williams

Geosciences

Sally L. Potter-McIntyre, Ph.D.

"Gaining Insights Into Tourmaline-Bearing Localities with Machine Learning Algorithms"

Namariq Ahmed Dhahir

Agricultural Sciences

Amer AbuGhazaleh, Ph.D.

"Effects of Thermal and Non-Thermal Methods on the Chemical Composition and Bacterial Inactivation of Camel Milk"

Fall 2021

Haitham Abdullteef Alnaqeb

Zoology

F. Agustín Jiménez, Ph.D.

"Systematic Review of the Heligmosomidae (Nematoda: Trichostrongylina) in North America"

Ain Uddin

Chemistry

Kyle N. Plunkett, Ph.D.

"Functionalized Poly(p-Xylylene)s and Cyclopenta-Annulated Polyaromatic Hydrocarbon Materials"

Zuyi Chen Gooley

Zoology

John D. Reeve, Ph.D.

"Honey Bee (*Apis Mellifera*) Exposure to Neonicotinoid Insecticides: Analytical Method Validation, Field Surveys, and Sublethal Effects on their Behavior and Respiration"

Amanda M. Weidhuner

Agricultural Sciences

Amir Sadeghpour, Ph.D. and Karen Jones, Ph.D.

"Long-Term Effects of Tillage Practices on Soil Physical, Chemical, and Biological Health, and Its Economic and Ecologic Implications"

Waseem Akhtar Hussain

Chemistry

Kyle N. Plunkett, Ph.D.

"Routes to Anthradithiophene Polymers, Benzodithiophene Fused Polyaromatic Hydrocarbons and Sequence Selective Growth of Conducting Polymers"

Ruitao Wu

Chemistry

Lichang Wang, Ph.D.

"A Density Functional Theory Study on the Ethanol Oxidation Reaction Over Iridium-Based Catalysts"

Yun Zhu

Molecular Biology, Microbiology, &
Biochemistry
Daotai Nie, Ph.D.
"The Impact of Developmental Regulation on
Aging and Cancer"

Master of Arts Summer 2021

Joshua P. Richards

Master of Science Summer 2021

Bibek Ban

Caleb S. Crawford

Gavin C. Edwards

Gregory D. Erwin

Nicholas Daniel Erwin

Tatiana Ellen Gettelman

Faith V. Hudgens

Connie Jean Kaniewski

Logan N. Kent

Hannah H. Lepird

Andrew Paxton

Supria Sarkar

Nabeel Steven Sweidan

Dilini Madhushani Walakulu

Arachhige

Timothy E. Weber

Brianna M. Winkel

Fall 2021

Ahmed Osman Ahmed Mohamed
Ahmed

Megan A. Alkazoff

Sara Elizabeth Anzalone

Desiree Nakia Baker

Kennan Francis Bruening

Alexander V. Catalano

Lakshika Nivanthi Kumari

Dissanayake Dissanayake

Mudiyanselage

Benjamin R. Elliott

Maria Camila Espinosa Gonzalez

Moses B. Gaither-Ganim

Christina C. Gajewski

Patrick T. Hogan

Heather G. Huffman

Hannah Manninen

Lindsey Kaleonahenahe McKinzie

Chelsea Nicole Morton

Anjala Mullaparambil Babu

Afeez Ayodeji Olisa

Lindsey M. Orphan

Alexandra Ostroverkhova

Steven P. Plesh

Connor W. Schwepe

Avery Shikanai

William Joseph Sipek

Kevin M. Turnbow

Nikki Jane Walker

Poornima Gayangi Wedamulla

Ellen K. Werderitsch

Brett K. Wilson

Professional Science Master's Summer 2021

Stephanie James Bayne

Meesha Lynn Peterson

Fall 2021

Chad M. Harrison

Bachelor of Arts Summer 2021

Danielle Ferraro

Fall 2021

Erin McCandless

Bachelor of Science

Summer 2021

Cecilia Albert-Black
magna cum laude
Timothy R. Andresen *cum laude*
Thomas J. Beckman Jr.
Ian Wilson Bennett *cum laude* ◊
Claire M. Bradfield
Tamira J. Butler
Emmy J. Cunico
Jacklyn Diane Djolic
Kaitlin Marie Faust
Liberty R. Felix
Cristhian Flores Trujillo ◊
Ysabella C. Freeman

Sarah Maria Hagen
summa cum laude ◊
Zachary L. Heldebrandt
Sarah N. Kachinovas
Kennedy M. Laffoon
Madeline Gabriella Lewinski
magna cum laude
Michael E. Lewis
Shanette N. McCleary
summa cum laude
Bridget April Mizener
Willard L. Nash
Tristan N. Patchett

Grant V. Pollmann
Jazmin Randazzo
Savannah Rae Randles
magna cum laude ◊
Elise M. Ratcliff *magna cum laude*
Andrea Maria Rieser
Benjamin Bryon Simpson
Fayth MacKenzie Smith
Sydney Louise Spranger
Derrick A. Taylor
James Wendell Thomas

Fall 2021

Erin M. Aldrich *magna cum laude*
Jesus Aleman
Briana A. Arvelo
Alexandra J. Banks
summa cum laude
Rachel E. Barish
Chelsea M. Black
Riley M. Blandford
Max R. Blessman
Audra J. Boehme
Cassidy L. Brunson *cum laude* *
Brocton M. Bundren
Olivia Grace Burgess *cum laude*
Danielle P. Cadin
summa cum laude
Jacob O. Calhoun
magna cum laude
Katelyn E. Chambliss
summa cum laude
Tyger John Clodfelter
magna cum laude
Victoria J. Comerford
Daniel Patrick Griffin Crosby
Estefania Cruz
Jonet J. Davis
Benjamin Gregory Durham

Mark P. Geregach
Jayme E. Goodrum
Kimberly M. Hall *cum laude*
Rebekkah Phoebe Danielle
Hibdon
Kira J. Holtsclaw *cum laude* ◊ ◊
Christian Wesley Hutchison
Brianna K. James
magna cum laude
Zachary A. James
Shelby D. Jent
Breanna Lynn Marie Johnson
Michelle L. Kampert
Daniel F. Lobo †
Jordan M. Loman
Collin Michael McCree
Meranda Scott McCubbins
Dana Nicole McKie
Jacob R. Mcvicker
Jacob R. Menzies
magna cum laude
Jarod Anthony Metz
magna cum laude
Tristin Michael Miller
Mallory Taylor Minear
Raquel Ann Minor *cum laude*

Cassidy P. Morrison
Brody L. Mynatt
Kaitlyn A. Novy *cum laude*
Bohdan Paikoush
Michael A. Palmer
Laura Frances Palya
Lane J. Parker *cum laude*
Ethan J. Piekos
Chase C. Schneider
Jamie A. Sieberns *cum laude*
Destiny Nicolle Sisk
magna cum laude
Olivia L. Stout
Amie Elizabeth Tasche
Madison Nicole Taylor *cum laude*
Matthew J. Tomlinson
Eric Tucker
Jacob J. Turley
Kendra M. Turner
Vladimir D. Valchev ◊
Eeron J. Valdivia *cum laude*
Kylan G. Vestal
Jon Edward Yaklich
Jacob C. Yetter *cum laude*

COLLEGE OF BUSINESS AND ANALYTICS

Doctor of Philosophy

Summer 2021

Omotara Oluwatosin Adeeko

Economics

AKM Mahbub Morshed, Ph.D

"Essays on Efficiency and Total Factor Productivity in Developing Countries"

Nawaraj Sharma Paudel

Economics

Sajal Lahiri, Ph.D.

"United States' Domestic Trade and Domestic Migration During 1993 - 2017 : The Role of Politics, Foreign Import, and Size"

Erfan J. Kareem

Economics

AKM M. Morshed, Ph.D.

"Essays on Household Expenditures in Iraq: Gender Bias in Education Expenditure and the Role of Remittances"

Erickosowo Tiku

Economics

Kevin Sylwester, Ph.D.

"Essays on Ethnic Favoritism Across African Countries and Over Time"

Master of Accountancy

Summer 2021

Yazmyne B. Adams

Matt Weiland Cieczcak

Joshua B. Hill

Nneamaka Ifeoma Ilechukwu

Austin R. Miller

Kevin A. Shreves

Fall 2021

Ahlam Mohammed I.

Alshammy

James Hindrichs

Stacey L. Hindrichs

Travis Lloyd Wood

Yubing Yang

Master of Business Administration

Summer 2021

Amy Jo Etcheson

Todd Charles Piazza

Fall 2021

Max W. Allbritten

Christina Marie Allen

Jaclyn O. Durcholz

Cory Dean Fry

Ayush Giri

Sophie L. McCormick

Nashawn Joseph Turner

Michal Wojno

Master of Public Administration

Summer 2021

Marla Danielle Baker

Fall 2021

Marshall D. Brown

Shantell Nicole Neal

Tairu Zong

Master of Science

Fall 2021

Jack Claude Colquhoun

Bachelor of Arts Summer 2021

Ahmed Masoud Alrashdi

George T. Jennings

Stevan Jeremic *cum laude*

Fall 2021

Lauren A. Caples †

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Brea Henson

Bachelor of Science Summer 2021

Hend K. A. Alfawaz

Micheal Ray Baxley

Dylaan Christyn Bibbs

Shannon Nicole Coffey

Heather L. Floro

Paula R. Hackman

Danielle Marie Hartrup

Shireen Khan

Jennifer Laughlin

Christopher Michael Limberg

Raven N. Lovett

Bethanie M. Pennington

Joel Perry

Troy A. Phillips Jr.

Caitlan Porter

Kamber A. Pyszka

summa cum laude

William Justin Raye

Noah J. Rutherford

Ryan Shane

Jeffrey J. Thomas

Rebeca S. Torres

Abigail G. Van Dam *cum laude*

Samantha Ellen Walker

Eric John Widing

Christine Witek

Courtney A. Wittke

Zi Ye

Fall 2021

Ganiu B. Afolabi

Sarita P. Anderson

Tyler W. Ball *cum laude*

Dayagen Luchavez Beam

Jackson Henry Blanch

Jamie Lyn Brock *cum laude*

Timothy David Cannella

magna cum laude

Lauren A. Caples †

Douglas Carlton *cum laude*

Farah Chaudhary

Erin Michelle Clifton

Anedra N. Collier

Emily E. Cooper

Adam Wallace Daugherty

Rory M. Davis

Gianfranco Dinardo

Kenzee K. Dycus

Jessena Fields

Matteson Cole Fosdick

Bobbie Jo Franklin

Grant M. Garbe *cum laude*

Jacob A. Garrett

summa cum laude

Brittney N. Gibbens

summa cum laude

Kelly R. Green

Justin Lee Grogan

Matthew Wayne Gustafson

Jon Thomas Hall

Halimeh Harb

Kassandra E. Hearn

Daniel J. Huggins

LaRoyale M. Hunley

Keeshanna D. Jackson †

Lauren Melanie Kepley

summa cum laude †

Jesse A. King

Kaylee D. Knierim

magna cum laude

Daniel K. Krupa

Sherelle Lewis

Zackary K. Liddell

Nannan Lin

Sarah L. Marshall

Lezlie Louise McConnell

Olivia Faith McDannel *cum laude*

Maci L. Metten

Allan J. Meyerhoff II

Steven H. Milligan

Anthony Morris

Krystina M. Mueller *cum laude*

Benjamin W. Mullins

Jeffrey R. Myers

Eunice Helen Obeng-Adjekum

Reid Grantham Parsons

Isaiah L. Penn

Cristian A. Perez

Theopolis K. Phipps

magna cum laude

Rachel R. Powless

magna cum laude

Petya Ivaylova Rangelova

Simona Ivaylova Rangelova

Aleksandr Razumov

Austin M. Reinhardt

Michael Anthony Reyes

cum laude

Gretchen N. Rich *cum laude*

Ayanna E. Robinson

Timothy Maurice Robinson

Eric M. Schmidt

Austin R. Schneck

Kellsie L. Schreder

Chastity A. Serrano

Trevor W. Shrum

Connie Siu

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Lloyd Jack Stewart
Ian T. Thomas
Justin Uju

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Nicholas S. Villani
David P. Whitson
Jonathan Michael Wicoff
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Joshua K. Young
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Qifan Zhang

COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING, COMPUTING, TECHNOLOGY, AND MATHEMATICS

Doctor of Philosophy Summer 2021

Swathi Kaluvakuri

Computer Science
Bidyut Gupta, Ph.D.
"Residue Class-Based Common Interest
Network: A Novel Approach in Designing a Low
Diameter, Two-Level Hierarchical, Structured
P2P Network Architecture and Communication
Protocols"

Mehran Mustafa

Electrical & Computer Engineering
Constantine J. Hatziaodoniou, Ph.D.
"Analyzing the Impact of Plug-In Electric
Vehicle's Charging Load on the Grid Based on
Driver's Personal Attitudes Towards PEV Usage
and Charging"

Ali Parizad

Electrical & Computer Engineering
Constantine Hatziaodoniou, Ph.D.
"False Data and Threat Detection Methods for
Power Systems Under Cyber Attacks Based on
Big Data and Deep Learning Algorithms"

Kosman Watte Gedara Dimuthu Hansana Rajapaksha

Mathematics
David J. Olive, Ph.D.
"Wald Type Tests With the Wrong Dispersion
Matrix"

Mohammad Zunaidur Rashid

Electrical & Computer Engineering
Shaikh Ahmed, Ph.D.
"Atomistic Modeling of Coupled Electron-
Phonon Transport in Nanostructures"

Nayereh Riahi

Electrical & Computer Engineering
Arash AK Komaei, Ph.D.
"Design, Optimization, and Feedback Control of
a Planar Noncontact Magnetic Manipulator with
Rotatable Permanent Magnets"

Hadi Safari Katesari

Mathematics
S. Yaser Samadi, Ph.D.
"Bayesian Dynamic Factor Analysis and Copula-
Based Models for Mixed Data"

Kalpa Madhawa Thudewaththage

Mathematics
Jerzy Kocik, Ph.D.
"Classification of Eigenvalues of Octonionic
Hermitian Matrices"

Fall 2021

Abdullah Abdulrahman R. Albuali

Computer Science
Dunren Che, Ph.D.

"A Zero-Trust-Based Identity Management Model for Volunteer Cloud Computing"

Saleh Fahad A. Aljurbua

Mathematics
John McSorley, Ph.D.

"The Existence of Solutions for Fractional Differential Equations of Order $q \in (n - 1, n]$, $n \in \mathbb{N}$, With Antiperiodic Boundary Conditions"

Arash Asadollahi

Engineering Science
Asghar Esmaeeli, Ph.D.

"Direct Numerical Simulation of Boiling at Superheat Limit"

Rohit Jogineedi

Engineering Science
Peter Filip, Ph.D.

"Impact of Cast Iron Microstructure and Surface Treatment on Properties and Friction Performance of Brake Rotors"

Diluka Aravinda Loku Galappaththige

Electrical and Computer Engineering
Gayan A. Baduge, Ph.D.

"Cell-Free and Intelligent Reflective Surfaces Aided Architectures For Wireless Communications"

Iswarya Venkata Ramana Koushik Maddali Vigneswara

Computer Science
Bidyut Gupta, Ph.D.

"Designing a Neoteric Architecture & Communication Protocols for Chinese Remainder Theorem Based Structured Peer-To-Peer Networks with Common Interests"

Adetola Oluwafisayo Oke

Engineering Science
Xin Chen, Ph.D.

"Scheduling and Control of Discrete Event Systems Using Dioid Algebra and Linear Programming Methods with Applications"

Saeed Onsorynezhad

Engineering Science
Fengxia Wang, Ph.D.

"Analytical Study of Impact-Driven Frequency Up-Conversion Piezoelectric Energy Harvester"

Daniel Selvakumar Raja

Engineering Science
Soondo Kweon, Ph.D. and Tsuchin Chu, Ph.D.

"Applicative Elasto-Plastic Self Consistency Model Incorporating Eshelby's Inclusion Theory to Analyze the Deformation in HCP Materials Consisting Multiple Deformation Modes"

Master of Engineering Summer 2021

Fahad Jaber Leslom

Fall 2021

Mildred Mwansa Mambepa

Yimin Wang

Master of Science Summer 2021

Pratima Adhikari
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Prashant Baral
Sudip Baral
Rojer Chitrakar
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Daina McKinney
Sakib Mohammad
Kuldeep Singh Multani
Shukantu Dev Nath
Shawn Allen Newberry
Abhijeet Pattnaik

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Akbal Rain
Suraj Rimal
Pavan Reddy Seri
Rashik Shadman
Alexander Mitchell Sommers
Jiaming Tang
Stephen J. Theiszmann

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Bandar Ali M. Alharthi
Fayed Abdullah Alshammari
Herman Arce
Sapan Basaula
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Zehao Cui
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Menuka Devkota

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Anish Raj Ghimire
Sudip Ghimire
Adam Jay Hartman
Flavio Jaimes
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Jazmine Jayasi
David Joel Johnson
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Sachin Kidambi
Cathleen Gema Lucas
David Charles Mann
Stephen D. McDonald

Upesh Nepal
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Kyle R. Ozier
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Damian Przystal
Arturo Ramirez
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Md Jawad Siddique
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Timothy Wooldridge

Bachelor of Arts Summer 2021

Geoffery Davis Powell

Fall 2021

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Casey Evitts
Raymond Edward Juarez

Michael Wayteck

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Safiyah Rashed Alotaibi
cum laude
Kenneth A. Butler *cum laude*
Lane Frances Cox
magna cum laude
Frank Roy Davis IV
Tyler Dean Dickson³
magna cum laude
Laura Lynn Erwin *cum laude*
Adam Clark Faulkner

Azher Gandhi²⁹
Laura Renee Graham²³
Vivek Biru Gupta *cum laude*
Shannon Michael Iffert²⁶
Omari Abdalla Johnson
Christopher Glen Jones³
Audra M. Kasdorf
Joel W. Konitzer
Clayton James LaMothe⁵
Jason Wade Lehde
Raquan R. Lindsey

Aisha Malovski ⁹ *cum laude*
Evan A. Martin *cum laude*
Tyson S. Osborne³
Ethan L. Peterson
Antuan M. Pitts-McCoy
Aaron Shroba⁹ *cum laude*
William J. Wagner
Shaohui Wang
summa cum laude

Fall 2021

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Ibrahim Mesfer B. Al Dughaysh
Abdulla Youssif Al Musleh
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Yousef Ismail Y. Alansari
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Ahmed Sulaiman S. Almarhabi
cum laude
Jonathan George Antuna
Percy Lee Bachus
Nicholas Alexander Banuelos
Shane William Battles
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Grant Lee Berger ◆
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Kevin Comer
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Dyllan A. Conway
Benjamin R. Couri
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Christian G. DeYong
James Lee Divan *cum laude*
Bradly James Domke²⁹
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Caleb P. Dushman
Rebecca D. Eagleton
summa cum laude
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Brock M. Evraets
Noah T. Farmer *cum laude*
Sofia Marie Arenasa Flores
Dalton L. Fox
Gerry A. Geoppo Jr.
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Logan K. Grace
Samuel W. Hackman
Luke R. Hartman *cum laude*
Brandon M. Haulotte
Jacob C. Hill *cum laude*
Kira J. Holtsclaw *cum laude* ◆ ◆
Alexis Robyn Hope
Joseph Robert Horn *cum laude*
Zachary J. Hughey
summa cum laude ◆
Marc L. Jolley²³ *cum laude*
John E. Jones †
Michael C. Jones
Gage Nicholas Kapraun
Joel Sakala Kaway
Nia Antoinette Keith
Leonard Peter Kyulule⁵
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Anh Anthony Minh Le
Craig Lundstrom
Elijah B. Manier
magna cum laude
Alex R. Manuel
Robert Marciniak
magna cum laude
Simon Markus
Samuel Mendez II
Daniel T. Menzel
Ryan Alan Michalski *cum laude*
Aaron J. Mohrenweiser
Keith A. Moore⁵
Jason Keith Mothershed
Kyle William Munter⁵
Alejandro Gabriel Narvaez-Colon
Juwan Neals

Michael Seth Neeble
Cameron L. O'Brien
Alexander J. Pearse
Jonathon D. Phillips
summa cum laude
Mayson Wells Pine
David Plewacki
Michael Pumo *summa cum laude*
Dava Kay Ramsey *cum laude*
Jason B. Raska⁵
Morgan C. Rich
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Nicholas Keith Rochford
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Rosendo Samano
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Aidan William Tierney²²
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Nathan J. Vogel *cum laude*
Dannaka White
Keanan L. Williams
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Makenna R. Yergler
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Christopher J. Zimmermann

SCHOOL OF LAW

Juris Doctor Summer 2021

Gordon L. Brown

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Fall 2021

Caitlin D. Burklow

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Erica N. Radford

Selena R. Eckhoff

Danielle E. Kapanowski

Melissa A. Szymanski

SCHOOL OF MEDICINE

Doctor of Philosophy

Fall 2021

Jesse A. Britz

Pharmacology and Neuroscience

Shelley Tischkau, Ph.D.

"Chronic Circadian Disruption in an A β PP/
PS1 and APPNL-F/NL-F Model of Alzheimer's
Disease"

Master of Science in Physician Assistant Studies

Summer 2021

Courtney E. Adler

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Hailey M. Porter

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Processional of Graduates, Faculty, and Platform Party

National Anthem

"The Star-Spangled Banner"

John Stafford Smith and Francis Scott Key, arrangement
by Walter Damrosch and John Philip Sousa

Greetings and Introduction of Platform Party

Recognition of Families

Presentation of Candidates and Conferring of Doctoral Degrees

Presentation of Candidates and Conferring of Masters Degrees

Presentation of Candidates and Conferring of Baccalaureate Degrees

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"Southern Alma Mater"

Grover Clarke Morgan, Composer

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 - ✦ Multiple degree candidate
 - † Posthumous degree

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magna cum laude 3.75-3.899
summa cum laude 3.9-4.0

COLLEGE OF ARTS AND MEDIA

Doctor of Philosophy Summer 2021

Ololade Afolabi

Mass Communication & Media Arts

Dong Han, Ph.D.

"Transnational Media Flow and Identity: Al Jazeera as an Alternative Site in the Global Media Production of Subaltern Women."

Fall 2021

Steven Salvatore Giannino

Mass Communication and Media Arts

Walter Metz, Ph.D. and Joseph Brown, Ph.D.

"The Revolution Is Not Happening on The Lifetime Network: A Conjunctural Analysis of Articulations of Black Womanhood on Lifetime's Reality Television Programs in the #SayHerName Era"

Master of Fine Arts

Summer 2021

Gabriel Luke Chaille

Fall 2021

Dena Hassani Ardekani

Michael S. Page

Emma D. Paterakis

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Octavio Daniel Rodriguez Juarez

Master of Architecture

Summer 2021

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Takudzwa L. Zhou

Fall 2021

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Nicholas B. Blasey

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Maria G. Garcia

Sarka Harrington

Chamouil S. Iwas

Michelle L. Jackson

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Noah Carlisle Onkst

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Maria Lorena Padron

Alexander A. Pape

Ryan Michael Reu

Semaj A. Rodgers

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Giulianna Speranza Silva

Shery Soliman

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Danah K. Alsabt

William Gary Kohler

Master of Music Summer 2021

Mark A. Fretheim

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Richard C. Hayes III

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Bachelor of Arts Summer 2021

Mallory Blair Andre

summa cum laude

Daniel J. Connolly *cum laude*

Jason L. Faulk

Madeleine Ferry

Justin Carl Gordon

Noah Gould

Katya Saldana *magna cum laude*

Brian E. Wrobel

Fall 2021

James Benjamin Allen

Anthony Kornell Baker

Kevin Elliott Barrett

Joe D. Basham II

Christopher Bishop

magna cum laude

Tomas Daniel Cortez

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Jordan M. Lammert

Olatokunbo Olanrewaju

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Allison M. Shore

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Andrew L. Thannen

Hannah Toniny

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Noah C. Zarn

Robert Zengeler

Yingyuan Zhang

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Bachelor of Fine Arts Summer 2021

Farah Sami Asad

Megan Rose Lisota

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Fall 2021

Nora A. Apolar

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Allyson Riley Kasper

Ariyon M. Madry

Jack I. Miller

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Evan D. Wahlen

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magna cum laude

Bachelor of Music Fall 2021

Saem Lee

Bachelor of Science

Summer 2021

Courtney Dashawn Alexander
Nicholas Thomas Burke

Kara Ann Marie Shaw

Erik J. White

Fall 2021

Kallie E. Cox
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Daniel J. Farrell
Jacob E. Jurinek †

Emily Kaye
Sofia D. Marold
Oreoluwa Danielle Ojewuyi ✦
Alyssa Donna Reese

Inamur Rehman
Arionne C. Stamps

COLLEGE OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SCIENCES

Doctor of Philosophy

Summer 2021

Monica Becerra

Psychology
Kathleen Chwalisz, Ph.D.
"Safe and Brave Spaces: What Comprises a Fruitful Multicultural Supervision Learning Environment?"

Danielle Elizabeth Chambers

Psychology
Karla K. Fehr, Ph.D.
"Brief Intervention to Address Behavioral Disordered Sleep: Examining Factors Related to Intervention Efficacy"

Morgan Brienne Christie

Psychology
Tawanda M. Greer-Medley, Ph.D.
"Examining the Associations Between Racial Identity and Racial Attitudes for White Americans Using Cluster Analysis"

Maame Esi Arkofoa Coleman

Psychology
Kathleen Chwalisz-Rigney, Ph.D.
"A Grounded Theory Analysis of Black African International Students' Racial Identity Development"

Chelsey Couch

Psychology
Kathleen Chwalisz, Ph.D.
"Identity Integration Among Transgender Christians"

Karl Fannar Gunnarsson

Rehabilitation
Ryan Redner, Ph.D.
"Rates of Delay Discounting in a Brain-Injured Sample: Investigating Stability Across Time, Correlations to Socially Significant Problem Behavior, and the Effectiveness of an Intervention Package"

Eva Katherine Harris

Psychology
Sarah J. Kertz, Ph.D.
"Examining an Integrated Model of Suicide Risk Among Rural and Nonrural Sexual Minorities"

Matthew Ryan Jamnik

Psychology
Lisabeth F. DiLalla, Ph.D.
"A Behavior Genetic Study of Activity Levels and Internalizing Problems Across Childhood"

Keith Patrick Klein
Psychology
Sarah J. Kertz, Ph.D.
"Predictors of Latent-Class Trajectories of
Symptom Change During Intensive Treatment
of Obsessive-Compulsive Disorder"

Erika Danielle Kline
Psychology
Kathleen Schmidt, Ph.D.
"Managing Negative Behavior in a Diverse
Workplace"

Remy Annamma Perinchery
Psychology
Kathleen Chwalisz, Ph.D.
"Faculty Perspectives on Diversity and
Inclusion Training in Higher Education"

Fall 2021

Tahany Mohanna H. Alhamad
Rehabilitation
Jane L. Nichols, Ph.D.
"Measuring Attitudes of Saudi Students in the
U.S. Toward People with Disabilities"

Kwadwo Owusu Britwum
Psychology
Eric Jacobs, Ph.D.
"An Evaluation of Acoustic Feedback and
Human Performance"

Myunghyun Choi
Criminology & Criminal Justice
Matthew J. Giblin, Ph.D.
"Examining the Impact of Police
Organizational Characteristics on Satisfaction
with the Police: Do Satisfied Police Satisfy the
Public?"

Emily Rose Galeza
Psychology
Reza Habib, Ph.D. and Liana Peter-Hagene,
Ph.D.
"The Effect of Moral Outrage Source on
Cognitive, Emotional, and Behavioral
Components of Moral Outrage"

Devin R. Petersen
Psychology
Sarah Kertz, Ph.D.
"Anxiety Sensitivity, Distress Intolerance,
Experiential Avoidance and Obsessive-
Compulsive Disorder Treatment Outcome"

Jennifer Ramasami
Psychology
Karla K. Fehr, Ph.D.
"How Do the Students Become the
Supervisors? Student Training Experiences in
Supervision and Supervisor Self-Efficacy in
Clinical Psychology"

Ryan Samuel Kimball
Psychology
Chad E. Drake, Ph.D.
"Psychological Flexibility and Conflict in
Clinical Supervision: A Mixed-Methods
Analysis"

Kyle Evan Rowsey †
Rehabilitation
D. Shane Koch, Rh.D.
"A Psychometric and Effectiveness Examination
of the Peak Equivalence Module"

Maria Elizabeth Stacy
Psychology
Michelle Y. Kibby, Ph.D.
"Convergent and Ecological Validity of the
Woodcock Johnson Passage Comprehension
Test and the Wechsler Individual Achievement
Test- Reading Comprehension Subtest"

Wenqian Zhou
Psychology
Yueh-Ting Lee, Ph.D.
"Work Meaningfulness: Examining S-ABC
Needs-Supplies Fit and Work as Jobs, Careers
And Callings"

Master of Arts Summer 2021

Kortney T. Maedge
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Fall 2021

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Master of Health Administration Summer 2021

Saad Saud S. Abduljabbar
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Jacob Joseph Schafer
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Courtney Ann Zanol

Fall 2021

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Jamie Lynn Cameron
Raven Chardey Cole
Taylor Goodhue
Holly Anne Grider
Abigail Michele Kern

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Isaiah B. Proffit

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Heather Renee Thomas
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Master of Health Informatics Summer 2021

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Puja Jha

Fall 2021

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Dorothy L. Simien
Charles Christopher Simkins

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Kyle Edward Triplett

Master of Public Health Fall 2021

Julie R. Robertson

Master of Science Summer 2021

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Hannah Marie Boswell
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Thanh Thao Thuy Dang
Jake T. Draviczki
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Kireina M. Gray
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Destiny R. Holder
Nicholas S. Hollinshead
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Breanna Jana Johnson
Rhea E. Joslin
Devin K. Koepke
Erin M. Konopacke
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Hanh Phuong Nguyen
Khoi Minh Nguyen
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Laura Jane Olson
Brian Jeffrey Ondrako

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Breanna C. Peyton
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Sophia Sidiropoulos
Amelia Celeste Symons
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Cierra J. Woods
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Amanda Diane Zylinski

Fall 2021

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Kayla Renee Burge
James Patrick Carmichael
Carleigh Rains Cook-Spain ²⁹
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Molly Marie Norris
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Master of Science in Education Summer 2021

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Lily Hawa Szafranski
Nia Ellyse Ward

Master of Social Work Summer 2021

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Joslyn Hudson

Sumitha India McCauley

Fall 2021

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Bachelor of Arts Summer 2021

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Hilda Michelle Garcia
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 Abanoub Faris
 Shaun Felix-Tuuu
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 Composition Scholarship, Pedagogy, and
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 Higher Education Influences Protest Onset and
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"Intersectional Model of Workplace Inequality in the Federal Government"

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"Political Economy of Civil-Military Relations – The Role of Property Rights to Ensure Civilian Supremacy over the Military"

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"Game (Over) Life: Autoethnographic Performance of Video Games and Play"

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"A Study of the Policies and Teacher Training in Regard to Homework of Middle Level Schools in the Shawnee Region of the Illinois Principals Association"

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"The Impact of Social Support on the Physical Activity and Eating Habits of International College Students"

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"How African American College Men Experienced Their First Year at a Predominantly White, Mid-Western, Regional, Public University in the U.S."

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Seburn Pense, Ph.D.

"Exploring the Role of Organizational Context in Interprofessional Collaboration: A Mixed Methods Study"

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"Exploring Elementary Science Teachers' Perceptions for Incorporating Students' Critical Thinking Skills in Lesson Plans"

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Master of Science in Education

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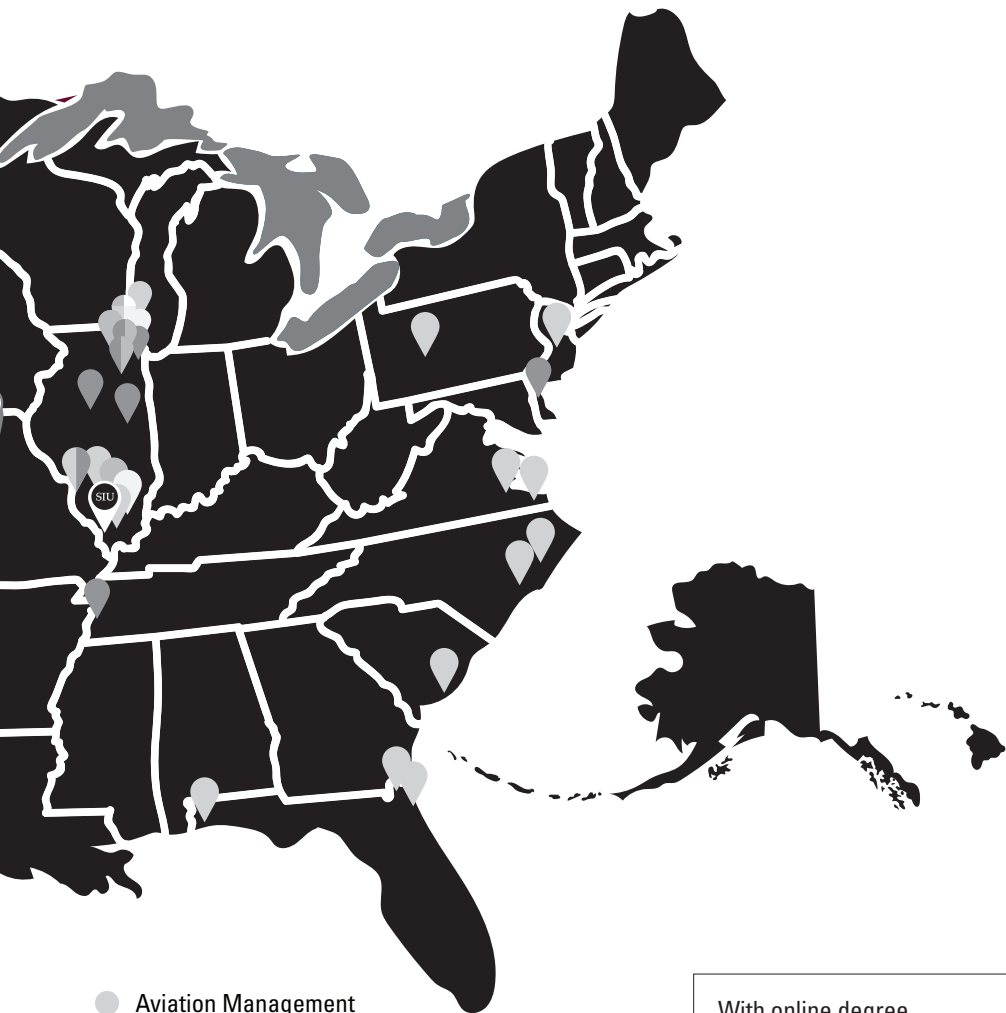
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