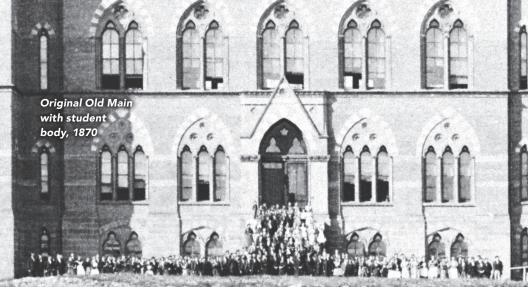
FALL 2024 COMMENCEMENT







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 displayed, 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.

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

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CORDS	
Gold	University Honors Program
Maroon and White	Intercollegiate Athlete with a 3.5+ GPA
Red, White, and Blue	Veteran or Active Duty Military
MEDALLION	
Bronze with black ribbon	cum laude
Silver with black ribbon	magna cum laude
Gold with black ribbon	summa cum laude
Gold and 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:

cum laude 3.5–3.749 magna cum laude 3.75–3.899 summa cum laude 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

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 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 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

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
SCHOOL OF LAW
SCHOOL OF MEDICINE

SIU CARBONDALE

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Vice Chancellor for Research, and Graduate School Dean

Jeffery T. Burgin, Jr.

Vice Chancellor for Student Affairs

Matt Kupec

Vice Chancellor for Development and Alumni Affairs

Wendell Williams

Vice Chancellor for Enrollment Management

ACADEMIC DEANS

Eric Brevik

College of Agricultural, Life and Physical Sciences

Hong Cheng

College of Arts and Media

Marc Morris

College of Business and Analytics

Xiaoging (Frank) Liu

College of Engineering, Computing, Technology, and Mathematics

Robert Morgan

College of Health and Human Sciences

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College of Liberal Arts

Stacy Thompson

School of Education

Angela Upchuch

School of Law

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Dear Members of the Class of 2024:

On behalf of the faculty and staff of Southern Illinois University 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. 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 creation of our strategic plan, Imagine 2030. That makes you an important part of both our recent 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, even when it defies the odds.

You join more than 260,000 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!

Austin A. Lane Chancellor

COMMENCEMENT DIGNITARIES

Master of Ceremonies

Steve Falat, Regional General Manager River Radio Class of 1987 Department of Radio-Television, College of Mass Communication and Media Arts

Honorary Reader

Susan Patrick Steinfeldt, Associate Professor School of Theater and Dance

Commencement Band Director

George Brozak, *Senior Lecturer* School of Music

Commencement Music

Jermaine Pryor, DJ

Commencement Vocalists

Carley Jo Goggans, *Master of Choral Conducting*School of Music

DISTINGUISHED FACULTY AND STAFF

SCHOLAR EXCELLENCE AWARD

Eduardo Gastal, Ph.D., *Professor* School of Agricultural Sciences College of Agricultural, Life, and Physical Sciences

TEACHING EXCELLENCE AWARD RECIPIENT

Kelly Bender, Ph.D., Associate Professor School of Biological Sciences College of Agricultural, Life, and Physical Sciences

Mary Kinsel, Ph.D., Associate Professor School of Chemical and Biomolecular Sciences College of Agricultural, Life, and Physical Sciences

EARLY CAREER FACULTY EXCELLENCE AWARD RECIPIENT

Lahiru Jakody, Ph.D., Assistant Professor
School of Biological Sciences/Fermentation
Science Institute
College of Agricultural, Life, and Physical Sciences

WOMEN OF DISTINCTION AWARD RECIPIENT

Valerie Boyer, Ph.D., Associate Professor School of Health Sciences College of Health and Human Sciences

Camille Davidson, J.D., Former Dean Simmons Law School

EMERGING LEADER AWARD RECIPIENT

Kelli Whittington, Ph.D., Assistant Professor School of Health Sciences College of Health and Human Sciences

STAFF EXCELLENCE AWARD RECIPIENTS

Katherine Elson, *Academic Advisor* College of Agricultural, Life, and Physical Sciences

Tugiyanto, *Information Technology Manager* Information Technology

CONSTITUENCY REPRESENTATIVES GRADUATE COUNCIL

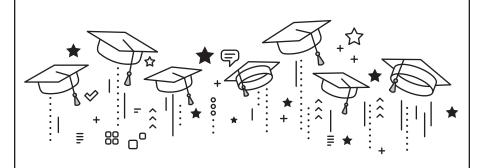
Mark Peterson, *Professor*School of Analytics, Finance and Economics
College of Business

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W. Graham, *President, Master of Fine Arts* College of Liberal Arts

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CONGRATULATIONS

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.



WE WILL MISS YOU!

VISIT US OFTEN AT CAREERDEVELOPMENT.SIU.EDU

DECEMBER 14, 2024 BANTERRA CENTER 10 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 and Associate 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.

COLLEGE OF AGRICULTURAL, LIFE, AND PHYSICAL SCIENCES

Doctor of Philosophy Summer 2024

Omair Adil Chemistry

Mohtashim H. Shamsi, Ph.D.

"New Electrochemical Platforms for the Detection of Neurodegenerative Disease Biomarkers"

Mukesh Bhattarai

Environmental Resources and Policy

Kofi Akamani, Ph.D.

"The Impact of Community Forestry on the General and Specified Resilience of Communities and Households in Nepal"

Michael Egan

Zoology

Michael Eichholz, Ph.D. and Guillaume Bastille-Rousseau, Ph.D.

"Spatial and Behavioral Ecology of White-tailed Deer: Implications for Wildlife Disease Transmission"

Xiangwei Fang

Molecular Biology, Microbiology and Biochemistry Daotai Nie, Ph.D.

"Role of Tmem97/∑2 Receptor in Regulating Androgen Receptor Activities in Prostate Cancer" Abigail M. Pratt

Zoology

Frank E. Anderson, Ph.D.

"Studies on Molecular and Morphological Evolution and Biogeography of Squids"

Saroj Thapa

Environmental Resources and Policy David Gibson, Ph.D. and Ruopu Li, Ph.D.

"Land Cover Change and Its Implications for Ecosystem Services in the Greater Shawnee National Forest"

Di Wu

Environmental Resources and Policy Ruopu Li, Ph.D.

"Improving Hydrologic Connectivity Delineation Based on High-Resolution Dems and Geospatial Artificial Intelligence"

Fall 2024

Md Shahabuddin Alam

Chemistry

Boyd Goodson, Ph.D.

"Novel Materials and Approaches to Enhance NMR/ MRI Sensitivity by Sabre (Signal Amplification by Reversible Exchange) Hyperpolarization"

Jared Bilak Zoology

Justin Boyles, Ph.D.

"Seasonal Habitat Use, Capture Efficiency, Population Dynamics, and Physiology of Mudpuppies (Necturus maculosus) in an Urban Lake" Shu Chen

Environmental Resources & Policy Guangxing Wang, Ph.D.

"A Comprehensive Assessment and Analysis of City Dynamic Evolution and Driving Factors for Detroit"

Mohamed G. Embaby Agricultural Sciences Amer AbuGhazaleh, Ph.D.

"Effect of Bromoform on Enteric Methane, and Rumen Fermentation Characteristics" Abdulbasit Tobi Gafar Chemistry Boyd Goodson, Ph.D.

"Developing Low-Cost, High-Performance Methods and Instrumentation for Hyperpolarization of 129XE and 131XE for Next-Generation Biomedical and Nuclear Physics Applications"

Shalini Guha

Dounya Knizia

Molecular Biology, Microbiology, and Biochemistry Amber Pond, Ph.D. and Judith Davie, Ph.D. "Skeletal Muscle Atrophy Associated Potassium Channel Hergia Affects Global Calcium

Homeostasis in C2C12 Myotubes"

Robinson Karunanithy
Applied Physics
Poopalasingam Sivakumar, Ph.D
"Micro/Nano Particle Labeled Antibody/Aptamer
Based Immunoassays for the Detection
of Ovarian Cancer Using Laser Based
Spectroscopic Techniques"

Agricultural Sciences
Khalid Meksem, Ph.D.
"Improving Soybean Seed Sugar Content and
Deciphering the Sugar Biosynthesis Pathway"

Krishna Pandey Chemistry Kyle Plunkett, Ph.D.

"Hypervalent Iodine Based Macrocycles and Their Supramolecular Interactions with Guests"

Mansi Anil Parasrampuria Molecular Biology, Microbiology, and Biochemistry Keith T. Gagnon, Ph.D.

"Allele-Selective RNA-Focused Therapeutic Approaches for Repeat Expansion Discorders"

Md Mostafijur Rahman Molecular Biology, Microbiology, and Biochemistry Matthew Young, Ph.D.

"Using Human Cell Line Models to Understand the Mechanisms of POLG Mitochondrial Disease and MEHP-Induced Mitochondrial Toxicity"

Duston Wetzel
Applied Physics
Dipanjan Mazumdar, Ph.D.
"Magnetotransport Properties of Polycrystalline Mn
(3-x)Fe xSn (x=1, 2)Thin Films"

Master of Science

Summer 2024

Richard Amoako Max R. Blessman Kylie Bosch Zachary William Carter Shasta Star Wren Corvus Kelly Alice Crandall Jaron B. DeSchamp Michael Isaiah Edidem Thomas Robert Gebhardt Justin Kazuki Higa Wesley Brian Holland Muhammad Iftikhar Katie Jo Knaub Keegan S. McConnell Sierra Victoria Mertz Joseph B. Rector Abigail Leigh Spiers Digvijay Verma

Fall 2024

Shamim Ahmed
Erdem Anil
Ian Wilson Bennett
Raymond Albert Bieri
Scott William Binger Jr.
Amanda Paige Binkley
Bhanoday Boda
James Edison Davidson
Nicholas S. Etter
Adeola Jacob Fagorola
Ingrid J. Felsl

William G. Hagen McKenna Kay Haney Muhammad Abdullah Iqbal Dhulakshi Dhammika Karuna Hewage Mitchell Scott Konieczny Cristina Ghaiyun Basaca La Madeline Gabriella Lewinski Ryan J. Molitor Junior Osei Agyemang Kimberlin Alyssa Perkins

Lucas A. Reilley Aurore Rysha Charles Sanders Praveena Satkunam Spencer W. Schuchman Manuka Malshan Silva Sinharage Erin Rachel Todd Abigail M. Weber Jovahna M. Williams

Professional Science Master's

Kirk Kristoffersen John D. Schubert III.

Bachelor of Arts

Camryn E. Conley

Fall 2024

Morgan A. Collar Alisha N. Mchaney

Mathew J. Powell

Bachelor of Science Summer 2024

Comfort Adeyeye
Diane Elizabeth Browning
summa cum laude
James Burrell cum laude
Marianna Paige Clore
Rachelle Ann Cullen-Reavill
Garrett M. Dixon cum laude
Bianka Cuyler Franks cum laude

Lucas S. Hanna cum laude Meredith Wade Hunt Michael Kanady Izaiah N. Lees Sophia Cannova Maring magna cum laude Sarah B. Padgett cum laude Zachary Poffinbarger Israel Ruiz Rashelle M. Runge Shania Leanne Severs Joshua Virella *cum laude* Kathryn P. Waughtel Joseph David Wheeler Melique V. Williams

Fall 2024 Sophia Helena Aaflag cum laude Avigail A. Amezquita-Anaya magna cum laude ◊ Philip Anglin magna cum laude Jennifer Lynn Ashley Joel Aaron Beckman magna cum laude Joshua C. Bellows summa cum laude Sophia R. Biehl cum laude Dee Lynn Boeing summa cum laude Abigail Renee Bolen summa cum laude Joshua L. Carson Matthew J. Carson Makayla June Cook Ian M. Crawford Zachary L. Current Alyssa A. Darnell cum laude Kendall Nicole Davis Kia J. Davis Tatem J. Davis Zachary C. Day * Thayne Harrison Arnett Dean Andrea M. DeYong Georgia Elizabeth Dillenburg ◊ Paige S. Faley Skyler L. Ferree Estrella Flores cum laude Hunter C. Flynt cum laude Matthew Jonathan Fox

Jacob T Freund

Samuel Gregory Hanson Darryll Patrick Harlan II Michael P. Harper Brandon Harris Patrick E. Harris Nick Hettel cum laude Hannah L. Hockerman cum laude Michael Taylor Hooley Jacob Tyler Hosier Gwynne M. Ingersoll Jordan A. James Sidney E. Jones cum laude Grant M. Kelly summa cum laude ◊ Caleb S. Kemper Emily Ray Knop-Duvall cum laude Kirk Kristoffersen Allison R. Lampe Tyler R. Laroche Riley E. Lehde Ethan T. Lincheck Jolie E. Linhart Hayden J. Locke cum laude lan B. Loque summa cum laude Tyler J. LoPresti magna cum laude lan C. Marshall magna cum laude Kaitlyn A. May summa cum laude Megan F. Meriwether magna cum laude Katherine E. Moline Kiley M. Neal Carly J. Ohnesorge summa cum laude

Teagan M. Osborn magna cum laude Benjamin R. Parks magna cum laude Helen M. Parks cum laude * Grace K. Pearson magna cum laude Christina N. Petersen Dominic M. Pointer Jayclynn A. Presutti Margaret D. Pugh *◊ Aidan Justice Quinn cum laude Jasmine Marie Quinones Madison Hope Reichel Aidan J. Reiter Agnieszka M. Sawrasewicz cum laude * Morgan C. Schmitt magna cum laude ◊ Amelia L. Shemonic Drew Marcus Shevlin cum laude Hannah Noelle Sims Isaac P. Smith Drew J. Snider cum laude Ian Junge Stuemke cum laude Maddison Nicole Truitt magna cum laude Gabriel S. Turner summa cum laude Andrew William White Jada Louise Williams Alyssa Wu Zhan cum laude

COLLEGE OF ARTS AND MEDIA

Doctor of Philosophy Fall 2024

Menglu Lyu Mass Communication & Media Arts Dong Han, Ph.D.

"Leveling Up: The Rise of China's Gaming Industry in the Reconfiguration of Transnational Capitalism" Zachary Sapienza Mass Communication & Media Arts Walter Metz. Ph.D.

"Transmission Rituals and Ritual Transmissions: A Reclamation of James Carey's Dichotomy"

Master of Fine Arts

Alydia Marie Downs Kendra J. Keefer Kesiena Obue

Master of Architecture Summer 2024

Alec C. Barrett Betul Rabia Demirci Kaitlynn R. Snelling
Brooke N. Bishop Caylee N. Fauke Jacob Michael Vezensky
Nick D. Cleveland Richard Preston

Fall 2024

Ashmal A Ali Katherine Mary Hepting Joseph Blake Pryor Abraham Allen III Benjamin P. Hofstetter Michael George Radjenovic Kaitlyn Marie Janes Sabrina Saleh Alyssa M. Andreuccetti Ernesto Anton Hoda Joudi Haghighi Summer A. Schleeper Brooklyn T. Bacon Anisha Kunwar Kinnen L. Scott Carlos Raul Lemus Ryan P. Buckel Cody A. Springer Connor C. Burke Christopher James Mannella Kathryn Eleanore Spurgeon Madona Gamal Marzouk Leon Jamal Swaby Francisco S. Carrera Jennifer A. Chaparro Megan L. Wahlquist Kamil Mateia Matthew Dean Chong Caitlyn A. Mclain Courtney J. Williamson Cansen Dahlgren Timothy Aaron Mehta Kirsten R. Wilson Noah Curtis Ferriman Sarah Jane Nickerson Meghan Wilson Crystal Marie Flores Kingsley Owoyemi Ogundele Shahrooz Zayandehroodi Elmos Byrd Glay Jr. Sydney N. Coons

Master of Music

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Chantel Torice Harpole

Catherine Adele Begin Paolo Chiavaroli Chanmi Jeong

Alexander K. Peterson

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Maria Del Mar Anasco Mina Luke Daniel Fleisher Ashly S. Thomas

Master of Science

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Daniel M. Killins

Fall 2024

Nicolas J. Galindo Stellah Nakiranda Maryamsadat Nasrazadani

Bachelor of Arts

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magna cum laude

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Lucas Dillow Jordan Naombi Nicole Greer Madelyn J. Smothers
Xavier Amin Dunlap Sophia R. Henney Jordan Blythe Vakselis
Owen S. Ericson William P. Horton Peter William Warfield

Lino Reymond Escontrias David Andrew Payne Kenneth J. Young

Bachelor of Fine Arts

Summer 2024

Clayton L. Curry Eric Thomas Eisenbeis

Fall 2024

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Kirsten A. Flick Sidney Marie McCandrew Alyxx Albert Thompson
Leanna M. Geier Athena M. Mills Yarauseth Pimentel Zavala

Kalie Isabel Henderson Helen M. Parks *cum laude* * *magna cum laude*

Robin L. Holcomb Karisma E. Rodriguez *cum laude*

Bachelor of Music

Saem Lee Connor G. Vine cum laude

Bachelor of Science

Summer 2024

Rayaan Akoud Isaac D. Grounds Emily G. Sinnett
Arleth Arredondo Omar Eduardo Gutierrez Hunter William Weer I

Fall 2024

Amber Holderfield

Christopher D. Allen-Muhammad Cameryn L. Lee Moriah Morgan Snyder Simeon U. Hardley Sr. Jamilah Lewis Dauenhauer Ethan Riley Holder Aya K. Omer *cum laude* Brandyn C. Wilcoxen

summa cum laude ◊

COLLEGE OF BUSINESS AND ANALYTICS

Doctor of Philosophy

Summer 2024

Saad Ashraf

Business Administration

Ye Dai, Ph.D.

"Investigating the Antecedents and Consequences of Workplace Gaslighting: Interdependence Theory and Affective Events Theory

Perspectives"

Olaniyi Stephen Ige

Economics

Zsolt Becsi, Ph.D.

"Essays in Macroeconomics"

Lyndrison Lincoln

Economics

Kevin Sylwester, Ph.D.

"Essays on the Effects of Resource Wealth and U.S. Influence on Employment, Education and

Export Structure"

Nasim Nouhzadehmalekshah Business Administration

Terry Clark, Ph.D.

"Left or Right: Disentangling the Relationship Between Political Ideology and Service

Quality Expectations"

Diogo Seixas

Business Administration

Steven Karau, Ph.D.

"Individual Differences in Perceptions of

Organizational Career Culture:

A Fit Theory Perspective"

Stephen Troveh

Economics

Scott Gilbert, Ph.D.

"Essays on Mobile Money Adoption and

Homeownership Dynamics: Consumption Pattern, Monetary Policy, and Risky Asset

Choice"

Bhaskar Upadhyaya Subedi

Business Administration

Nwamaka Anaza, Ph.D.

"The Power of Labels: How Certification Labels

Affect Consumers' Purchase Intentions and Willingness to Pay Higher Prices for Plant-

Based Non-Food Products"

Hongnai Zhang

Business Administration

Terry Clark, Ph.D.

"Bridging the Gap: Examining the Role of Physical Store Presence in Boosting Consumers' Online

Purchase Intentions in Hybrid Retail"

Master of Accountancy

Summer 2024

Michelle Lynn Adolphson Jonathan Atencio

Priscilla Jemima Blav

Elizabeth Afi Dogbatsey

Emmanuel Opoku Effah

Ananna Ghosh

Enoch Kwabena Twerefour Kissi

Sumikshya Lama

Ericka Samantha Mendieta

Tumbaco

Emelia Pitsir Bidit Shakya

Logan D. Wimberly

Fall 2024

Leticia Assumeng Adasi Miles Andrew Colwell Sr.

Gideon Mawuli Kwaku Gomez

Gozah

Md Ishtiak Hossain Kavin Kumar Nadarajah Jarmekia C. Walker Matthew H. Warren

Master of Arts

Fall 2024

Anthony J. Baglino Miranda Elizabeth Kight

Master of Business Administration Fall 2024

Jaelin Kali Benefield Trenton Graham Brown Devin I. Cowan

Courtney J. Flowers

Master of Science

Summer 2024

Dante C. Cleveland Abdul Mahidud Khan Samiha Binte Tariq

Weikang Zhang

Fall 2024

Patrick Kyle Aquino Sujung Cho Erron Q. Johnson Jackson Kight Thabang B. Makau David Daniel Miller Tanzila Sultana Sarah R. Wolters

Bachelor of Arts

Summer 2024

David A. Jones summa cum laude Dmauriea R. Rogers

Fall 2024

Jonathan Gavin DSouza cum laude

Dylan R. Harkins summa cum laude Alexander J. Kroner Aryan Deven Lokagariwar Emma C. Walker

Bachelor of Science Summer 2024

Kamel M Abou-Jabal
Cole Joseph Christman
Charles T. De Zanek
summa cum laude
Bennett A. Eltoft
Sean P. Garrity
Karolina Golasinska
Kenna Jean Hadley
Cameron Kistner
Nicholas Evan Kuczek

Olivia A. Leach Gracie A. Maynor summa cum laude Taylor Lynn Neeper Spencer W. Nowak Shaakira Richmond Jared S. Rothschild Christopher A. Rouse II Allyson Sewester Benjamin K. Souders Nicole M. Szidik Ryan Thomas Toussaint Abigail Rose Turner summa cum laude Jacob M. Waldman Justin Ryan Wingerter magna cum laude Michele M. Zolecki

Fall 2024

Aubrey Anna Attocchi Tabitha Bevan summa cum laude Colin Christopher Bohanek Eric T. Britton Luke N. Brown McKensey M. Bunch Tiffany Ann Damery Sabrina H. Davis cum laude Dean C. Dearing Dalton Descourouez cum laude Maria Diaz-Torres Drake D. Dury cum laude McKena Justeen Fox Jordan Owen Guthrie Austin James Hamrick Sydney S. Hart

Joshua R. Higgins
magna cum laude
Sean Lawerence Keating
Grace Marie Kerwin
Yevhen Khrypunov
Logan R. Kolle
Elijah Daniel Krawczykowski
William Tyler LaDage
Xiwen Li magna cum laude
Keegan M. Lynch
Savian Mitchell
Keri Lu Moore cum laude
Benjamin Morgan II
magna cum laude ◊
Autumn O'Brien

summa cum laude

Kevin Andrew OBrien
Dillon T. Pangburn
Taylor Lynn Pence
Keaton Pestka
Andrea Reyes Villagomez
Keith Robinson
Amber Sauls
Kate E. Staley summa cum laude
Dalton M. Stimac
Daniel Glenn Tofte
Wambugu G. Wambugu
Edward T. West-Pelak
London Jamarria White
Mathis F. Wint
Xinye Yao

COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING, COMPUTING, TECHNOLOGY, AND MATHEMATICS

Doctor of Philosophy Summer 2024

Abdulaziz Alshammari Mathematics David Olive, Ph.D.

"Testing with the One Component Partial Least Squares and the Marginal Maximum Likelihood Estimators"

Goksu Avdan Engineering Science

Sinan Onal, Ph.D. and Chao Lu, Ph.D.

"Developing a User-Independent Deep Learning-Based Biomechanical Gait Analysis System Using Full Body Kinematics and Electromyography"

Shanika Dilini Chandrasena Mathematics Henri Schurz, Ph.D.

"Stochastic SEIR(S) Model with Nonrandom Total Population"

Taniya Dilini Chandrasena Mathematics Henri Schurz, Ph.D. "Stochastic SEIR(S) Model with Random Total Population"

Fall 2024

Mona M. Almutairi Mathematics David Olive, Ph.D. and Mathew Gluck, Ph.D. "Infinitely Many Solutions of a Critical Nonlinear Choquard Equation on Rⁿ"

Anthony Sloan
Mathematics
Michael Sullivan, Ph.D.
"Simple Smale Flows on S3 Using Embedded
Templates with Twisted Bands"

Dulaj Gunasinghe Electrical and Computer Engineering Gayan Aruma Baduge, Ph.D.

"Design, Analysis, and Optimization of Reconfigurable Intelligent Surfaces for Wireless Communications"

Siyu Guo Engineering Science Albert Luo, Ph.D.

"Convective Fluid Flow Dynamics and Chaos"

Wilson Emilio Rativa Parada Engineering Science Sabrina Nilufar, Ph.D.

"High-Performance Aluminum Composites: Structural, Mechanical, and Damping Behavior of Aluminum Enhanced by Carbon Nanoparticles"

Arpan Roy Engineering Science Farhan Chowdhury, Ph.D.

"E-Cadherin is a Pivotal Regulator of Pluripotency and Initiator of Primitive State Transition in Mouse Embryonic STEM Cells"

Minxiao Wang Electrical and Computer Engineering Ning Weng, Ph.D.

"On the Generalization and Robustness of ML-Based Network Intrusion Detection Systems"

Donggyeom Yu Electrical and Computer Engineering Chilman Bae, Ph.D.

"Modulation of Piezo Mechanosensors: Exploring the Effects of Proteinogenic Sulfur-Containing Amino Acids and Propofol"

Master of Engineering

Sarowar Alam Dalton L. Fox Corbin G. Guthman

Master of Science

Summer 2024

Sandeep Acharya Mandip Banjara Upama Bhusal Raman Budhathoki Sanjan Bussu

Suryapunith Chithaluri Joshua Ayobami Fayemi Jordan M. Fricks Kasun Gimhana Pathirana

Halagoda Vidana Pathiranage Muhammad Zia Hameed Lakni Aloka Weerakoon Hettige

Bipin KC

Sadiksha Katwal

Manjith Srinivas Koganti

Anjan Parajuli Olajuwon O. Sally James Sasu Ryan A. Steele Seth C. Thomason

Anurag Srivastav Yendamuri

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Sai Rohan Achanta Amin Asadollahi Veerendra Reddy Ayaluri Gabriel Lawrence Barth Sabal Bhandari Mani Ram Krishna Chamarthi Bharath Kumar Chintada Frank Roy Davis IV

Terence Carnell Dunbar Priyanka Engu

Priyanka Engu Dina Famouri Lauren B. Favell Sai Nikitha Gummadi Charan Gurram Jake Horio Nimisha Kaleri Bishal Lamichhane

Mason D. McFarland Pravallika Nalisetty Manoj Kumar Pallapothula

Nishanth Sagar Panthangi Venkata Gnana Prakash Paruchuri Meghana Reddy Pedolla Georgios Petridis

Asmi Rana Sanjana Sakinala Christymol Santhosh Mark Sidhom Saeed Sidhom

Aayushma Singh Sukeerthi Sri Ram Sai Yashaswi Tummala

Maxwell Aaron Williquette Abhiram Yendluri

Bachelor of Arts Fall 2024

Santiago Carmona *cum laude* Faith A. Eeten *magna cum laude* Tyler C. Hartwick Timothy E. Lewis Agnieszka M. Sawrasewicz cum laude *

Bachelor of Science Summer 2024

Jonathan Amundson summa cum laude Jose A. Anaya-Solorio Jr. magna cum laude Jesse Garan Bain Cody James Bratton Trevor A. Bruce

Hayden C. Eilerman

Christopher David Geralds Derek Nathaniel Harden Jr. John Mason cum laude Dalton M. Owen Zane Padgett Joel William Parchman summa cum laude Christian Anthony Ruhr Alexis Xavier Santiago-Laboy David Bradley Sprehe magna cum laude Steven Douglas Warmbier cum laude Brock M. Wileman

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Ashlyn N. Henrie summa cum laude ◊ Kyleigh N. Hermetz cum laude Danielle Taitano Herrera Jacob A. Hoppenstedt magna cum laude Alison L. Howell Jacob A. Jablonski Steve Jaurequi Codi Z. Jones cum laude Meredith Marie Jones Ronald Blake Jones Joel Sakala Kawaya Jaden Alexander Lee Lake cum laude Severiano A. Lampley Javier Landa-Miranda Jason Michael Lawhorn Angel Raul Leon Avery E. Leveque cum laude Tim Ly Mason S. Maro Timothy L. Marshall cum laude Kelly Rene Mason Dustin G. Miller Marielena Morales19

Jonathan S. Nalley magna cum laude Thong Nguyen summa cum laude Juan Aleiandro Nunez¹⁹ Garrett Michael Oliver Jokym A. Pebenito³ Robert Petersen magna cum laude Patrycja Kinga Pezan cum laude Brian M. Rayburn Gage Rickman Noe David Sixtos Jimenez Lucas Tischler cum laude Lorenzo A. Tiu summa cum laude⁵ Manny Vendrell cum laude Amari N. Walker Aaron Scott Whitworth cum laude Jason M. Williams Noah Patrick Williams William Wise John Wolf Amelia K. Wright Joshua Daniel Yaksich Jason Alexander Yakush cum laude Samuel J. Zettler

COLLEGE OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SCIENCES

Doctor of Philosophy

Summer 2024

Morgan Battle Psychology

Reza Habib, Ph.D. and Eric Lee, Ph.D.

"A Preliminary Investigation of Defusion and Self As Context ACT Processes in Persons with Traumatic Experience"

Steven Gear

Rehabilitation

Thomas Upton, Ph.D.

"Telehealth Accessibility for Rehabilitation Services in Older Adults During the COVID-19 Pandemic"

Matthew Gunn

Psychology

Reza Habib, Ph.D. and David Gilbert, Ph.D.

"Brain Resting-State Salience and Executive Network Connectivity Predictors of Smoking Progression, Nicotine-Enhanced Reward Sensitivity, and Depression"

Satveer Kler

Psychology

Ankita Sahu, Ph.D. and Reza Habib, Ph.D.

"A Constructivist Grounded Theory Exploration of Intergenerational Trauma Among LGBTQ+ BIPOC Individuals" Monica Kruse

Psychology

Karla Fehr, Ph.D. and Reza Habib, Ph.D.

"Help-Seeking for Children's Behavioral Health Concerns"

Emily C. Pali

Psychology

Lisabeth DiLalla, Ph.D.

"Parental Negative Talk, Child Negative Affect, and Parent Personality in the Development of Aggression in Preschoolers"

Rebecca Seward

Psychology

Ryan Redner, Ph.D.

"Component Analysis and Training of the Step it UP! Game to Staff Working with Adults with Disabilities in a Residential and Vocational Facility"

Fall 2024

John Bresett

Education (Health Education)

Justin McDaniel, Ph.D.

"Using the Transtheoretical Model to Understand MOUD Participants' Goals in Rural Illinois"

Caleb Fogle

Psychology

Reza Habib, Ph.D.

"Exploring Subclinical Delusional Ideation Within the Psychological Flexibility Model" Aimee Kathleen

Education (Counselor Education)

Debra Pender, Ph.D. and Deborah Bruns, Ph.D.

"Role of Social Support in the Adjustment of Students from India and Nepal during the Process of Acculturation"

Jungsun Lee

Education (Counselor Education)

Debra Pender, Ph.D.

"Gratitude and Well-Being of University Students in the United States and South Korea" Riley Marshall Psychology Reza Habib, Ph.D.

"Influences of Temperament, Parents, and Friends on Prosocial Behaviors and Conduct Problems in Middle Childhood: A Behavioral Genetic Analysis"

Michelle McDaniel Population Health Juliane Wallace, Ph.D.

"Behavioral Economics for Understanding Physical Activity in Pregnancy"

Ann Miranda Nelson
Psychology
Yueh-Ting Lee, Ph.D. and Reza Habib, Ph.D.
"Morality and Healthcare: An SEM Investigation
of Adult Attitudes Towards Transgender
Adolescents' Hormone Replacement Therapy
Choices"

Marty Price Psychology Eric Jacobs, Ph.D.

"Using a Hypothetical Purchase Task to Inform the Selection of Terminal Reinforcers in a Token Economy"

Sophie Shonka Psychology Michael Hylin, Ph.D.

"Younger is Better but Only for Males: Social Behavioral Development Following Juvenile Traumatic Brain Injury to the Prefrontal Cortex"

Master of Arts Summer 2024

Hayden C. AllenKatya Madakar GbarukZulkar NineMcKenna Shea BennettDowla M. KuzmickusNegin Zamani

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Alyssa M. Cooley Yayoi Kimura Muhammad Ali Shahidy
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Cole R. Kelly Maxwell Robert Seigel Connor S. Watkinson

Master of Health Administration Summer 2024

Jolene C. Bair Allen V. Halterman Craig L. McPherson
Thomas Brenton Burks Brian James Howdeshell Darrian Nicole Reagan
Trevella O. Ester Kyle R. Leverton Nicole E. Wright
Ugochukwu Gabriel Ezigbo Quentin Michael Lewis
Maille G. Francis Shelby E. Lynch

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Master of Health Informatics

Summer 2024

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Master of Science

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Dakota L. Bowen
Megan Mitchell Brinson
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Cody R. Cleveland
Kennedy M. Cloe
Alexandra Rose Collman

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Karl Christopher Deere⁷
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Sara Marie Engh Stein
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Misty-Dawn Folds
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Katherine Valerie Garrett
Jon Michael Gonzalez
Jenay L. Harrington
Anthony Harris⁷
Victoria C. Hudson
Rockette Persephone Jaros
Coleton Allen Jeralds

Katelyn M. Kendziora
Jeremy M. Kensler⁷
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Dandcee Kittivanichkulkrai
Matthew T. Kovich
Robert Kukla⁷
Matthew Joseph Ladd⁷
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Madalynn Grace McFadden
Adam Joseph Meloan⁷
Peter William Merlin
Carrie Mitchell
Joseph Mordell⁷

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Master of Science in Education **Summer 2024**

Tien Jung Lee

Fall 2024

Joshua W. Hardy

Master of Social Work

Latrae C. Feaster George David Lowery

Bachelor of Arts Summer 2024

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Christopher A. Bailey cum laude Joseph J. Bastien Tori Marie Beaty cum laude Heather L. Caldwell Abigail F. Davis Macailah E. Dawson Kortney J. Diefenbach cum laude Haylee N. Fagerstrom magna cum laude Raymond J. Flores Jr. Alexia Gaile Louryn Genders Alisha Gerald-Launius Armani J. Gibson Ariana Rose Grund Maria I. Hammond Joseph Michael Harvey Emaria L. Henderson Ashley Giselle Hernandez

Christopher Lee Hines

Cameron T. Hosey Cassandra Ann Jeralds Atlantis Hayses King King-Green Cristina I. Maldonado Cody Marks Ainsley R. Martin magna cum laude Chantel M. Massev Matthew T. Mills Bailey G. Montroy Kaleena J. Morguecho Maegan Noel Mulholland Carlos Clay Piner Maritza Rosalia Pinon *◊ launia M. Pointer Matthew Ian Prentice Alex Logan Prince Jerry O. Pulliam Sophia B. Rogers

Mindy Marie Schmidt ◊ John D. Schubert III * Ignacia Segura Diamond Tate Ricktoria Jasmine Thomas Andrea Sue Thompson Brockton L. Tonkinson Jazmin Vazquez Christopher Douglas Walson Asya I. Weatherall Amanda Jeane Weber cum laude Erin L. Wheatley Kortney A. Wilcox summa cum laude Tony P. Williams Jr. Lorelai Wilson Joel G. Yarno

Eric E. Sanders

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Drew Louis Denmeade Kelsev M. Deters magna cum laude Plamedie Lumba Digema Alvshia Brooke Donaldson Noah Brennon Donaldson Allison Nicole Donavon cum laude Shea N. Dzurisin cum laude Alisia Rose Feland Quintin Fitzgerald Fells Madison A. Fleege summa cum laude Phillip M. Fraczak * Frank C. Friend Amanda Garrett Alex Steven Giger Raegen R. Gosha cum laude Cole S. Greaves cum laude * Lucianna M. Gross summa cum laude Kaitlyn M. Hall * Jaden McKinzi Helsema Andrew W. Hart summa cum laude * Jill R. Heflin Steven M. Hernandez Monvea Obre Hicks Summer M. Hobson Bradley Maurice Holt Sr. Avery C. Howard cum laude Marissa R. Hubler summa cum laude Ashley M. Jackson summa cum laude Gabrielle E. Jamruk summa cum laude Shane P. Jarvie Ashley M. Johnson summa cum laude Cody M. Johnson Kendall D. Johnson summa cum laude Trisha Maria Jones summa cum laude Charles L. Kendal Allan J. Kerber Hamed Raied H Khallaf

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cum laude *

Andrew S. Schultz summa cum laude Jaelynn S. Scowden magna cum laude James E. Shields cum laude Anthony Nicholas Signore Katelyn Marie Smith summa cum laude

Emma Bridget Spotak Christopher D. Stanesa Marcin Staniszewski cum laude Natalie L. Stefchek Christopher Carl Sternberg Christopher Donald Surber Colton Dakota Thurman Robin R. Tomaszewski

D'Shawn Volbrecht Leah E. Wayman summa cum laude Rvlee S. Westlund Jessica C. White Katelyn Yurkovich summa cum laude Juling Zefo

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Majed Yaser A Alharbi * Nawaf Mohammed A Alharbi cum laude Michael John Allen magna cum laude * Abdulrahman Salah Almarshad Ali Abdulrahman S Almehemed * Braulio Alvarez cum laude Omar Alzoobi Tyler Scott Anderson Elisa Apenbrinck cum laude Devin Arendt Raleigh Anthony Arriaga Nathan J. Bandy Trevor C. Beere Jonathan Jagger Bertsch cum laude Sydney R. Billington Michael Black magna cum laude Taras Bobola Gabriel Boozel³ magna cum laude Nicholas F. Borja magna cum laude * Devin M. Branstner Autumn Michelle Browne summa cum laude Justin James Buckley Alex G. Bullers Andrew M. Burkinshaw * Taliyah J'adore Bush II James B. Byrd Kevin S. Byrd Joshua Cambria Yadira Campuzano cum laude Dakota Azul Carrisalez * Sharon O. Celestine Mikayla Leann Chamness

magna cum laude

Jack Chapman³ Ethan Clav Cheek

Michael Paul Claborn

Quinn James Conaghan Gaetano Console * Alesha R. Cornett Cobee J. Craig cum laude Jacqueline M. Crain magna cum laude Matthew E. Cuthbert Douglas A. Dankenbring cum laude Brandon C. Davidson Zachariah R. Dilley Brian Dinicola Natalie Noelle Distlehorst Shontavia Arnesia Donald Teguita T. Douglas Andrew P. Edwards Kevin R. Eid Brian W. Elie cum laude Mina Kamal Eskander Andrew Louis Evans Jacob L. Felton Jr. Donna L. Fielder cum laude Francisco Flores Max Foye cum laude Aidan James Franklin Ravshawn H. Franklin Hunter Alan Fritz³ Todd Michael Fullhart Jr. cum laude * Jakub Piotr Gach Cheyenne J. Gaillard Marc James Galante³ summa cum laude Fli Garcia Cayden G. Gerlinger magna cum laude Grady Joseph Germann cum laude * Luca D. Giaveri

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Vu Quang Le cum laude

Keith J. Glass cum laude *

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Alexandrea Pranaitis Tenisha Pyron Scott L. Rayborn Israel Razo Peyton Michael Reeves Troy Alan Reynolds magna cum laude * Casey Aaron Rich cum laude * Shavell Tonian Rilev Shanri'era Sharees Robateau Matthew Rothamer Bradley David Ruben Cianan T. Sabo summa cum laude Terron Edward Sands Zachary A. Santen Lucas P. Schauster Gerard David Schleicher summa cum laude Paul V. Schrader Ryan C. Scott Shandon B. Scott-Rivers Conner C. Settles Jerri Leigh Shepard Darryl D. Skinner Michael Small Christopher Shane Smith Latasha Shanay Smith Jared M. Springer magna cum laude **Brady James Stevens** magna cum laude * Victor Mathew Stoddard

Lukas Styczen * Siyong Sung Madison J. Swearingen Tymoteusz Jan Szylak cum laude Michael Tharp Peyton James Thevenot Makayla Johanna Thomas Mary R. Thurman Noah Tyler Trunzo Christopher D. Ulm Ethan W. Untch Sr. Anna Kay VanLuvender Juan Vizoso Sved A Wahhab Ian M Waller * Justin Robert Walls³ Jack M. Walnoha³ Adam Waluszko magna cum laude Felicia Yvetta Warr Patrick M. Welch Olivia J. Wiersma cum laude * Christian Wilkinson Hayden Scott Windsor Grant Michael Witterman³ Aaron K. Wofford Jr. Jalynn V. Wood magna cum laude Shelby Wright Patrick Zanik Xin Zhao Ella Renee Ziglear¹⁹

Bachelor of Science in Nursing Summer 2024

Mitra Raj Baral cum laude
Victoria Barczak
Rushma Baskota cum laude
Sarah L. Billington
Jamari Brown
Taylor Liane Bushman
Addisyn M. Calloni
Wendy Ann Cox
Bahareh Darakhshan Nia
Christian P. Deleon cum laude
Amy Queenester Dentmon
Dustin Andrew Doan

Maritza Rosalia Pinon *◊

Johnathon Pomerlee

Connor A. Eaton
Victor Manuel Frankel
magna cum laude
Catlin M. Freehill
Katie Jane Gale cum laude
Kyleigh H. Guinzy cum laude
Kaitlyn M. Hall *
Sarah Beth Helleny
Kennedy Ronaiya Johnson
Tashonn D. Johnson *
Eyrika Lynn Johnston
Lauren T. Jones cum laude
Alli L. Kallenbach cum laude

Meredith Anne Lee

Julie M. Martin magna cum laude
Shelby G. McKown
Halee B. Melvin
Trinity A. Moore
Jade M. Price
Madeline B. Reynolds
magna cum laude
Tinley C. Risinger
Amber R. Sanchez
magna cum laude
Leviathan Sonder cum laude
Megan T. Stephens
Nisha Thakuri summa cum laude
Rafiat Oluwatobiloha Williams

Alec W. Blades

Drewanna J. Penick

Associate in Applied Science **Summer 2024**

Sidney Jeanne Alexander
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Khalid Hilal H Alharbi *
Cordel M. Alsbury *
Marcellis D. Barretto cum laude
Tyler N. Bittle cum laude
Brandon M. Bretz cum laude
Jacob C. Chapman
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