



SPRING  
COMMENCEMENT

MAY 11, 2019





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

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Scholar Excellence Award Recipient, Sukesh Bhaumik, will carry the University Charter and the inspirational message on the next page that 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. We share it with you today:

# 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.



# CEREMONY SCHEDULE

9 a.m.		College of Agricultural Sciences College of Liberal Arts College of Science School of Medicine	5:30 p.m.		College of Applied Sciences and Arts College of Engineering College of Mass Communication and Media Arts
1:30 p.m.		College of Business College of Education and Human Services			

## CANDIDATES FOR DEGREES

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

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

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

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.

## "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?
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## "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

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## SPECIAL THANKS

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

## 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.

# 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

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

## MEDALLION CAPS AND TASSELS

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

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

## CORDS

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

## MEDALLION

Bronze	Black	Cum Laude
Silver	Black	Magna Cum Laude
Gold	Black	Summa Cum Laude
Gold & White	Red	Lincoln Academy of Illinois Student Laureate
Maroon & Gold	Maroon	University Honors Diploma

## GONFALONS

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

## REFERENCE

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# SIU CARBONDALE

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## Dear Members of the Class of 2019:

Congratulations! Commencement is the culmination of years of commitment and hard work, and also the beginning of your next adventure.

You are embarking on a new journey at the same time that SIU is celebrating its 150th Anniversary. Throughout the year, we are celebrating our Saluki **TRADITION**, Saluki **PRIDE** and Saluki **PROMISE** – representing our past, present and future as an institution. But those themes echo throughout your individual accomplishments, as well.



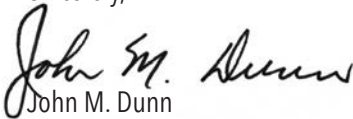
As you celebrate, know that you will benefit from 150 years of strong Saluki TRADITION. That tradition includes outstanding faculty dedicated to helping students learn within and beyond the classroom. It includes a dedication to research and creativity, inclusivity and accessibility. And, it includes a commitment to ensuring that our students succeed.

You are our Saluki PRIDE. SIU has more than 250,000 proud alumni, and today you join their ranks. Like you, they made personal connections that will last throughout their lives. And like you, they translated success at SIU into success throughout their careers.

You are also a critical part of our Saluki PROMISE. You will always be a member of the Saluki family. You are welcome to 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.

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

Sincerely,

  
John M. Dunn  
Chancellor



# DISTINGUISHED FACULTY AND STAFF

## SCHOLAR EXCELLENCE AWARD RECIPIENT

Sukesh R. Bhaumik, *Professor*,  
Department of Biochemistry and Molecular  
Biology, School of Medicine

## TENURED & TENURE TRACK TEACHING EXCELLENCE AWARD RECIPIENT

Ken B. Anderson, *Professor*,  
Department of Geology, College of Science

## EARLY CAREER FACULTY EXCELLENCE AWARD RECIPIENT

Farhan Chowdhury, *Assistant Professor*,  
Department of Mechanical Engineering,  
Cold Energy Processes, College of Engineering

## WOMEN OF DISTINCTION AWARD RECIPIENT

Nilanjana R. Bardhan, *Professor*,  
College of Liberal Arts

## STAFF EXCELLENCE AWARD RECIPIENTS

Jeff McGoy, *Assistant Dean of Students*,  
Office of the Dean of Students

Timothy Lyle Attig, *Research Laboratory  
Shop Supervisor*, College of Engineering

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## FACULTY MARSHALS

### GRAND MARSHAL

Ojusegun A. Ojewuyi, *Faculty Senate President, Professor*, Department of Theater, College of Liberal Arts

### FACULTY MARSHALS

**9 a.m.** Lizette R. Chevalier,  
*Associate Provost for  
Academic Affairs*

Ken B. Anderson, *Professor*,  
Department of  
Geology, College of Science

**1:30 p.m.** Ruth Anne Rehfeldt  
*Professor and Interim Director*,  
Rehabilitation Institute, College  
of Education and Human  
Services

Marc Morris, *Interim Director and  
Associate Professor*, School of  
Accountancy, College of Business

**5:30 p.m.** Farhan Chowdhury,  
*Assistant Professor*, Department  
of Mechanical Engineering, Cold  
Energy Processes, College of  
Engineering

David DiLalla, *Associate Provost  
for Academic Administration*

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## STUDENT MARSHALS

Agricultural Sciences . . . . . Charlotte Metz  
Applied Sciences and Arts . . . . . Sara Reh  
Business . . . . . Kelsey Byars  
Education and Human Services . . . . . Laura Simpson  
Engineering . . . . . Garrett E. Watts

Liberal Arts . . . . . Jeffery Eliassen  
Mass Communication and Media Arts . . . . . Malea Bailey  
School of Medicine . . . . . Abigail Ochs  
Science . . . . . Angel Galeana

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## 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 Reader

Susan Patrick Benson, *Associate Professor*,  
*Department of Theater*

### Commencement Band Director

Chris Morehouse, *Professor*, School of Music

### Commencement Vocalist

Rachel Alessio, *Master of Music in Choral Conducting*

# HONORED GUESTS

## CHARLES NEBLETT

Doctorate of Humane Letters

Charles Delbert Neblett, an artist in residence, activist, organizer and performer, was born February 27, 1941 in Robertson County, Tennessee to his parents, Pleasant and Bernice Neblett, from whom he acquired his multiple talents of gospel singing, jazz, trumpet and drums. In 1955, after seeing the news about the brutal murder of a black teenager, Emmett Till, and the acquittal of his killers, Neblett realized that as an African-American male he had no rights that would be respected in his country of birth. Neblett heard Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. and Rosa Parks speaking against the injustices of legal segregation and decided to fight for civil rights.

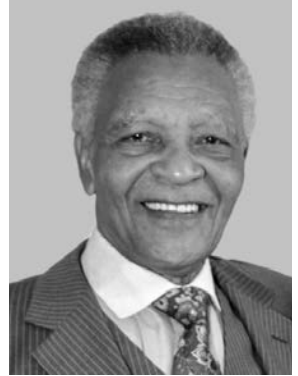


Photo by Joe Alper courtesy of Joe Alper Photo Collection LLC.

During his teen years, Neblett moved to Southern Illinois and graduated from Douglas High School of Mounds, Illinois. Starting in 1959, he attended Southern Illinois University where he majored in music and mathematics. As the first time for Neblett to attend class with white students, he immediately recognized the disparities between racial groups. He organized a group of students to protest the unfairness of the segregated housing, and quickly gained the attention of President

Delyte Morris. Morris listened to the young freshman, and by the end of the semester all housing on campus was officially desegregated. Neblett credits this interaction with President Morris with sparking his belief that he could make a larger societal impact. Soon after, Neblett and others organized sit-ins, marches boycotts, and direct action against segregation in Cairo, Illinois.

In 1961 in southeast Missouri, Neblett joined the staff of the Student Non-violent Coordinating



The SNCC Freedom Singers. Left to right is Rutha Mae Harris, Cordell Reagon, Bettie Mae Fikes, Bernice Johnson Reagon. Charles (Chuck) Neblett is in the center, seated. (Photo provided. Used with permission from Charles Neblett.)

Committee (SNCC) as a field secretary organizing voter registrations in the Delta-Black Belt of Mississippi Georgia, Alabama, Louisiana and other locations, including the 1964 Mississippi Voter Registration Project under Robert (Bob) Moses.

In Albany Georgia, SNCC formed the original a capella Freedom Singers comprised of Cordell Reagon, Rutha Harris, Bernice Johnson and Neblett. They traveled over 100,000 miles across more than 40 states singing songs composed on picket lines, during sit-ins, in jail and during meetings. The Freedom Singers raised money for the movement and used the music as a motivator and organizing tool. Neblett's journey led to 27 arrests and suffering inhumane treatments like improper living conditions and beatings. The Freedom Singers work and talents were recognized by many historic artists, such as Pete Seeger, Bob Dylan, Miles Davis, Harry Belafonte, Joan Baez, Odetta, Mahalia Jackson and Nina Simone, who joined them on



stage to support the movement. Neblett is featured on the Smithsonian recording, "Voices of the Civil Rights Movement: Black American Freedom Songs, 1960-1966."

Neblett participated in the 1963 March on Washington, the 1965 March from Selma to Montgomery, and the 2001 Million Man March. In 1989, he became the first African-American Magistrate of Logan County, Kentucky and was inducted into the Kentucky Civil Rights Hall of Fame. In 2010, he received the Freedom Flame Award in Selma, Alabama. During that year, President and First Lady Obama invited the Freedom Singers to perform at the White House at the

"Celebration of Music for the Civil Rights Movement." Following the performance, Neblett and First Lady Obama conducted a workshop for 200 young people.

He has been married to Marvinna Benton Neblett for over forty-five years, and they have six children, six grandchildren and one great-grandchild. They continue their activism with Community Projects, Inc., a non-profit organization they founded that designs and presents historical and educational oral history through song and testimony to schools, churches, organizations and community groups.

Mr. Neblett will receive his honorary degree in the 9 a.m. commencement ceremony.



# THANU KULACHOL

## Doctorate of Education Leadership

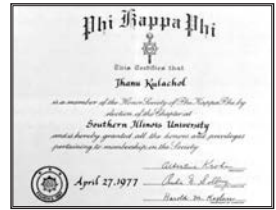
Thanu Kulachol is an international leader in higher education. Named president of Bangkok University in 1988, Thanu spent 19 years building the 4,000-student college into a leading creative university in Thailand with international linkages and nearly 30,000 current students and over 200,000 graduates to date. He received invitations twice to take part in the United Nations Secretary General's Global Colloquium of University Presidents, sharing in the international discussion on higher education issues.

While Thanu was still serving as president in 1996, the Royal Command of His Majesty the King appointed him to the senate

where he worked for four years to strengthen private education in Thailand. The Royal Thai Cabinet also recently appointed him to the Higher Education Commission of Thailand, a 20-member committee dedicated to supervising and regulating all public and private universities in the country.

A 1977 SIU graduate, Thanu earned his Ph.D. in higher education. He also earned degrees from Bangkok University and Fairleigh Dickinson University.

Thanu previously received two additional honorary degrees from Ohio University and Fairleigh Dickinson University, and in 2000, he was the first non-American to receive the SIU Distinguished



Alumni Award. He served as editor of the academic publication "Executive Journal," and editorial review board member of the "Journal of Organizational Dynamics."

Currently, Thanu is on the boards of TPC Power Holding Public Co. and Thai Polycons PCL., and resides in Thailand with his wife, Nongyao Kulachol.

Thanu will receive his honorary degree in the 1:30 p.m. Commencement ceremony.



# MELISSA MCCARTHY

## Doctorate of Performing Arts

A native of Illinois who attended SIU, Melissa McCarthy first made her mark on the comedy stage performing stand-up in New York at The Duplex, The Improv, and Stand-Up New York until moving to Los Angeles. There she spent nine years as a main-stage member of the world renowned improv and sketch comedy troupe The Groundlings.

On television, McCarthy starred as the clumsy culinary genius Sookie St. James in "Gilmore Girls", Dena in the series "Samantha Who?", and in the Emmy award winning role, Molly on the hit CBS comedy "Mike & Molly". She won her second Emmy award for her unforgettable portrayal of Sean Spicer on "Saturday Night Live," which she has hosted multiple times.

In BRIDESMAIDS, McCarthy introduced us to Megan (probably her most meme worthy role to date) – and the world never looked at Brazilian food or Air Marshalls the same. The role earned Melissa her first academy award nomination.

She continued to introduce us to flawed, funny characters in comedies like IDENTITYTHEIF, THE HEAT, HANGOVER III, THIS IS 40, SPY, and GHOSTBUSTERS

She and her husband Ben Falcone started On The Day Productions and together produced, Ben directed and Melissa starred in TAMMY, THE BOSS, and LIFE OF THE PARTY.

She took on a more dramatic role, along side Bill Murray, in ST. VINCENT for which she received a Critics Choice nomination. This



past winter McCarthy starred as Lee Israel in CAN YOU EVER FORGIVE ME? The role earned Melissa her second Academy Award nomination.

Most recently, Melissa wrapped THE KITCHEN alongside Tiffany Haddish and Elisabeth Moss which will hit theaters this Summer as well as SUPER INTELLIGENCE with Falcone at the helm coming out this holiday season!

She will receive her honorary degree in the 5:30 p.m. Commencement ceremony.



# DISTINGUISHED SERVICE AWARDS

## JIM AND VICKI BLAIR



Jim and Vicki Blair, along with their famed Saluki dogs, are a stalwart part of the SIU family. After coming to the area in 1988, the couple fell in love with both the university mascot and the SIU community. Avid dog lovers, the two started raising Saluki dogs over 13 years ago. With their love for all things SIU, they have generously shared their passion at many alumni, student and sporting events on campus. In honor of their years of volunteering and service, the Blairs received the SIU Alumni Association Achievement Award

for Service in October 2018. They currently care for 11 dogs, and fill their time with volunteering, sports, taking care of their dogs and spending time with their two children, a son-in-law and daughter-in-law and three granddaughters. They currently reside in Energy, Illinois, but are usually around to catch all the action at their beloved SIU basketball and football games.

The Blairs will receive their Distinguished Service Award during the 9 a.m. Commencement ceremony.



## RICHARD BLAUDOW

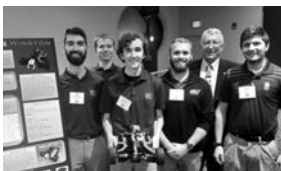
Richard Blaudow is a co-founder of Advanced Technology Services, Inc. (ATS), and is currently Chairman of the Board. He began his career at Caterpillar in 1969 in the Plant Operations Training Program. He later assumed the position of Staff Engineer in Plant Engineering in the East Peoria facility and held positions

of increasing responsibilities. He started and managed the Electronic Repair Department at the East Peoria Caterpillar. In 1984, this department became the startup group of ATS. In November 1996, Blaudow, along with other investors, purchased the remaining outstanding shares of ATS from Caterpillar.



Blaudow received a B.S. degree in Electrical Engineering Technology from Southern Illinois University in 1970. He serves on the Alumni Advisory Board

for Southern Illinois University College of Engineering, the SIU Leadership Development Program Advisory Board, and the Gridiron Capital and TDI Products, Inc. He served for several years on







SIUC's Industrial Advisory Council of the Department of Electrical Engineering and as Chairman of the SIUC Engineering Annex Advisory Committee. In October 1998, Blaudow was named an SIU Distinguished Alumni in recognition of his accomplishments and contributions to SIU. Blaudow is a former member of the World Presidents and Young Presidents Organizations.

Blaudow is a pilot, enjoys offshore fishing, hunting, and



horses. In 2013, he started a new enterprise called Traders Hill Farm, an aquaponics farm where he raises fish and hydroponic vegetables. Blaudow has been married to his wife, Brigitte, for 50 years and has a son, Todd. He

and Brigitte have two grandsons, Jacob and Alex.

Blaudow will receive his Distinguished Service Award in the 5:30 p.m. commencement ceremony.

# 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.

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GROW YOUR PACK!

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# ALUMNI SPEAKERS

## SCOTT MOLLER



Scott Moller is a marketing consultant and entrepreneur. He founded Marketing Werks, a consumer-based marketing firm, and grew it into a \$100+ million-dollar company. The firm developed strategy and execution for experiential marketing campaigns for some of the world's largest brands including Verizon, Walgreens, Hershey's, LEGO, PlayStation and many others. Prior to Marketing Werks, Scott worked in radio and television and as a music promoter. Scott selected Southern Illinois University to pursue his undergraduate degree

in Communications and his MBA degree. He serves on the boards of the Southern Illinois University Alumni Association, Southern Illinois University Foundation, Entrepreneurs Leaders In Philanthropy, Oak Park River Forest Food Pantry, Three Pillars Initiative, and Moller Family Foundation. Scott is a mentor to high school students through his involvement in the Future Philanthropist Program. He's an avid runner, cyclist and traveler, and lives in River Forest with his wife and two children.

## DREW STOKER

Drew Stoker recently retired from The Boeing Company and its Boeing Defense, Space and Security (BDS) business unit following 34 years of service.

Drew was raised in Murphysboro, Illinois and graduated from Southern Illinois University - Carbondale in May 1975 with a B.S. in Finance. Following graduation, he served in the U.S. Navy for eight years as a Naval Aviator flying F-14s. Drew then joined McDonnell Douglas in 1982 which subsequently merged with Boeing in 1997. Throughout his career in finance and contracts, Drew held various positions involved with proposing, negotiating and executing contracts with the U. S. and international governments as well as with domestic and foreign companies for military aircraft

and related logistics support, air and missile defense programs and cybersecurity protection. Drew's career also included a tour as staff executive to the president of McDonnell Douglas. His final position at Boeing was senior manager for BDS Contracts Excellence where he led a team of contracts experts that evaluated U. S. Government/Department of Defense acquisition policies and provided associated contracting guidance to all BDS contracts persons.

Throughout his Navy and Boeing careers, Drew enjoyed extensive international travel which included trips to nearly five dozen countries associated with aircraft carrier deployments and the conduct of McDonnell Douglas/Boeing proposing and negotiating contracts.



He and his wife, Mary, live in St. Louis. Their combined families include three sons, a daughter and several grandchildren. Drew's retirement activities include amateur photography, biking, traveling around the U. S. with his wife and a Samoyed dog named Maverick via their motorhome. He still finds time to provide support to several SIU advisory boards.



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SIU ARENA  
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COLLEGE OF  
AGRICULTURAL  
SCIENCES

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LIBERAL ARTS

SCHOOL OF  
MEDICINE

COLLEGE OF  
SCIENCE

**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 Honorary Degree and  
Distinguished Service Award**

**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 SIU Arena 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 SCIENCES

## Doctor of Philosophy

Samir B. Al-badri

Agricultural Sciences

Dennis G. Watson, Ph.D.

Ruplal Choudhary, Ph.D.

"Extending Saleable Shelf Life  
of Selected Perishable Specialty Crops"

Elizabeth M. Hillard

Agricultural Sciences

John Groninger, Ph.D.

Clayton K. Nielsen, Ph.D.

"Swamp Rabbit Responses to Habitat  
Conditions in Bottomland Hardwood  
Forests in Southern Illinois"

## Master of Science

Ahmad A. Aboragah

Alexandra A. Akaakar

Benjamin J. Alexander

Fatmah Alghamdi

Sarah J. Bates

Ashley M. Bergman

Colton P. Carmody

Peyton M. Gehrs

Brooke D. Hagarty

Courtney P. Johnson

Hallie C. Johnson

Connor L. Klingele

Caitlin R. Neander

Christopher M. Sedivy

Kelsey S. Slaughter

Rhett L. Stolte

Robert J. Summers

Curtis J. Wolf

## Bachelor of Science

Hamza Ajeena

Johanna Y. Alvear Acosta

Alessia M. Amici

Joshua C. Bailey

James Baker

Eugene D. Ballance

Adam M. Banach

Lucas A. Behnke *cum laude*

Ashlee A. Bernet

Thomas G. Beverlin

Mason K. Bishop

Mikaela B. Bobo-Smith *cum laude*

Luke Branham

Daniele R. Brookshire

*magna cum laude*

Anson E. Bryant

Chloe A. Buchanan

Dillon W. Bunnage

Jacob A. Bushno

James P. Carmichael

Clinton A. Chamness

Kurtis D. Clapper

Tanner T. Cockrell

Sarah M. Coffey

Danielle M. Cooper

Rowan H. Crozier

Drew M. Deal

Emma N. DeRubertis

Erica Diekemper

Ashlyn N. Dierkes

Claire E. Dietrich *magna cum laude*<sup>◊</sup>

Dakota R. Discepolo

Tierra M. Dixon

Nick Doyle

Jake T. Draviczki *cum laude*<sup>★</sup>

Nakia C. Dukes

Joseph D. Duncan

Spencer P. Dunn

Emily A. Durbin

Kristen M. Dye

Zachary R. Edwards

Emilee Egnew

Dalton R. Eilers

Cole P. Evans

Brandon K. Ferencz

Summer Field

Trenton D. Fisk *cum laude*

Brooklin A. Frisch *magna cum laude*

Corey G. Fruits *magna cum laude*<sup>◊</sup>

Bradley A. Fuller

Erin E. Gill

James M. Gladysz

Isaac N. Goldner *cum laude*

Kendra L. Goss

Mitchell D. Gray

Lucas H. Green

Magdalena Hack

Hannah M. Hagarty

Grace C. Handlos *magna cum laude*<sup>◊</sup>

Taylor N. Hansford

Michel W. Hartmann

Kirsten K. Heil

Cameron L. Helderman

Logan A. Hosick *cum laude*

Mary K. Hubbard *cum laude*

Michael G. Hudson *cum laude*

Ike T. Hutchcraft

Allison M. Jett

Rhea E. Joslin *cum laude*

Kelly I. Kahman *magna cum laude*

Logan K. Kennard

Laura C. King

Kaitlyn J. Kloss

Sydney E. Koehler

Tomas J. Krajewski

Jacob T. Kramer

Anne B. Krippenstapel

Rachel K. Lee *cum laude*

Jarrett E. Lekwa

Patrick Lenzen

Kyle T. Lex

Allyson M. Lintker *cum laude*  
Landon N. Logan  
Alexi J. Matthews  
Taylor R. Matthews  
Kyla N. McDaniel *cum laude*  
Shelby McGarvey  
Amanda L. McGiles  
Aiden E. McMahan  
Serena E. McPhail *magna cum laude*  
Laura K. Mendoza  
Charlotte A. Metz *summa cum laude*◊  
Bryce A. Mitchell  
Jessica M. Modglin  
Sadie B. Monken  
Nicole Moorar  
Mary E. Morgan  
Darby N. Moss  
Nolan H. Moss *magna cum laude*◊  
Melissa D. Mueller  
Jason T. Muller  
Hunter N. Mumaw  
Lauren R. Murray  
Prasad Murukurthy  
Jessica M. Neary *cum laude*  
Abigail G. Nelson *magna cum laude*

Viktoria M. Nolen *cum laude*  
Ian M. Nunez *cum laude*  
Anthony J. Ochs  
David A. Opp  
Bryce D. Pavia  
Alexys A. Pedtke  
Christopher E. Perkins  
Mitchell K. Phipps  
Madison M. Pope *magna cum laude*◊  
Kenneth J. Porter  
William P. Porter  
Andrew J. Probst *cum laude*  
Rebekah M. Quinn  
Gabrielle N. Ramos  
Katelyn M. Rasche *magna cum laude*  
Darrin L. Reinhardt  
*summa cum laude*◊<sup>+</sup>  
Cody M. Riddle  
Adam S. Rolf  
Elizabeth A. Rott  
Derek Sale *summa cum laude*  
Senobia Y. Sanders  
Adam J. Skirmont  
Jera B. Smilanich *cum laude*  
Alexander P. Smith

Joshua M. Smith  
Kelsey R. Smith *magna cum laude*◊  
Miguel G. Sorrell  
Abbie C. Spiwak *summa cum laude*◊  
Andrew P. Steber *cum laude*  
Brandon D. Steiner  
Alexander I. Stevens  
Emma M. Sykes *cum laude*  
Timothy J. Trocke  
Samuel A. Trostle  
Madison L. Turley *summa cum laude*◊  
Sarah K. Vogeler *magna cum laude*  
Trevor Wagner  
Andrew M. Walk *cum laude*  
Breanna R. Waller *magna cum laude*  
Drew D. Walter *cum laude*  
Jesse L. Warden  
Kimberly A. Wardynski  
Jake M. Warren  
Julie M. Wente *summa cum laude*  
Skylar S. Williams  
Vanessa D. Williams  
Alyssa L. Wolf  
Brandon M. Wright  
Gabriel A. Wrye *magna cum laude*

# COLLEGE OF LIBERAL ARTS

## Doctor of Philosophy

Ahmed J. Alansari  
Anthropology  
Jonathan D. Hill, Ph.D.  
"Transnational Identities: Iraqi American  
Migrants Bridging Home and Host Societies"

Michael B. Brewer  
Communication Studies  
Bryan K. Crow, Ph.D.  
"From the Ground, to the Ballot, to the System:  
The (Critical) Interpersonal Reproduction of  
Masculinity Within Homosocial Friendships of  
Male Donald Trump Supporters"

Audreyana C. Rickels  
Psychology  
Michelle Y. Kibby, Ph.D.  
"The Organization of Functional and  
Effective Connectivity of Resting-State Brain  
Networks in Adolescents With and Without  
Neurodevelopmental and/or Internalizing  
Disorders"

Xiaoxuan Ji  
Economics  
Sajal Lahiri, Ph.D.  
"Tax Competition for Foreign Direct Investment:  
A Study of Greenfield Investment and  
Cross-Border Merger and Acquisition"

Lu Li  
Historical Studies  
Natasha Zaretsky, Ph.D.  
"For the Best Interests of Orphans: Gender,  
Race, and Religion in Vietnamese Adoption"

Raquel A. Mendizabal Martell  
Psychology  
Meera Komarraju, Ph.D.  
"The Impact of Diversity Related Corporate  
Social Responsibility Engagement and Person-  
Organization Fit on Organizational Attractiveness  
and Job Choice"

**Aaron D. Miller**

Psychology  
Kathleen Chwalisz, Ph.D.  
Patrick J. Rottinghaus, Ph.D.  
"What is the Meaning of Meaningful Work?  
Expanding the Theoretical Models Using  
Cluster Analysis"

**Guangping Qie**

Environmental Resources & Policy  
Guangxing Wang, Ph.D.  
"Mapping and Uncertainty Analysis of  
Urban Vegetation Carbon Density by  
Combining Spatial Modeling, De-Shadow &  
Spectral Unmixing Analysis"

**Zachary T. Suetta**

English  
Scott McEathron, Ph.D.  
"The Impassioned Self: Anger and  
the Romantic Author"

**Soran A. Tarkhani**

Political Science  
Stephen Bloom, Ph.D.  
"Beyond Outbidding: Social Cleavages, Electoral  
Rules and Intraethnic Party Competition"

**Matthew D. Williams-Wyant**

Philosophy  
Anthony J. Steinbock, Ph.D.  
"Adversity and Cliché: The Generation  
of Novel Sense and Meaning in  
Merleau-Ponty"

**Robert E. Woolridge**

English  
Joseph Shapiro, Ph.D.  
"Confronting Masculinity:  
The Gen X Novel (1984-2000)  
and the Sentimental Man"

**Jennica Young**

Psychology  
Eric A. Jacobs, Ph.D.  
"The Attenuating Effects of a  
Combinational Treatment After  
Experimental TBI on Properties of Anxiety"

**Shucui Zheng**

Economics  
Kevin Sylwester, Ph.D.  
Marc E. Morris, Ph.D., J.D.  
"Earnings Management and  
Patenting Disclosures"

**Master of Fine Arts**

Robert J. Anderson  
Micah D. Bennett  
Michele K. Cournoyer  
Ann C. Dawkins

Isiah D. Fish  
Johnny D. Hammond  
Rebecca L. Howe  
Daniel R. Hoye

Philip C. Ragan  
Justin E. Smith  
Kristen M. Walk  
Jeffrey M. Wolf

**Master of Arts**

Sjanne M. Adams  
Ghanem S. Al Ghuwainem  
Mutleb Y. Alnafisah  
Maryam A. Alnamlah  
Nafila A. Alshahrani  
Olasubomi O. Ayeni  
Khalid A. Azzubaidi  
Arifuddin Balla  
Morgan A. Bates  
Travis M. Bond  
Kristen E. Boog  
Viviauna Brown  
Gunnar C. Butler  
Asdrubal O. Canelo Castillo  
Ho Feng Chueh  
Bruce E. Clark

Maame Esi A. Coleman  
Emily J. Cripps  
Kevin J. Dobbins  
Daniel Ferreira Perez de Castro  
Sean M. Geraghty  
Nicholas J. Grossman  
Jennifer C. Guenther  
Johanna Houkes  
Arber Jashari  
Asha K. Joshi  
Tabitha M. Juneau  
Lakendria M. Kenner  
Clayton J. Killion  
Emily M. Lawson  
Andrii Y. Leonov  
Laura Martinez Ortiz

Conrad L. McLaughlin  
Chinyelu Muonagolu  
Karissa L. Murphy  
Nicholas R. Murphy  
Bradley J. O'Guinn  
Urvi Pradeep Paralkar  
Adam Pfaff  
Wilder R. Pimentel Basurto  
Matthew J. Riordan  
Cristina Sanchez Ferreiro  
Katlyn M. Spears  
Adriana V. Valcarcel De Sousa  
Jamie P. Webb  
Millicent A. Weber  
Ellen R. Wilborg  
Sandra R. Zavala Rivas

## Master of Music

Rachel L. Alessio  
William L. Bewley  
Nyghel J. Byrd  
Alexandra J. Carpenter  
Valeriya E. Kanaeva

Erinn L. Komschlies  
Weston C. Mayer  
Nicholas W. Sanders  
Melanie K. Schuette  
Brianna G. Sitton

Joseph M. Walczyk  
Katelynn M. Yelm  
Aurelius A. Zehnder

## Master of Public Administration

Abigail L. Beckerman  
Roman Bhattarai  
Jeffrey M. Davis

Taylor Delaney  
Wazeel A. Fashina  
Yahaira L. Heller

Samuel R. Hoekstra  
Ahmad M. Khatatbeh  
Dakota Serviss

## Master of Science

Astha Bista  
Tara Gracer  
Briana C. Huerta

Kemar S. Jones  
David J. Leifer  
Deepak R. Parajuli

Weebadde M. Wanigasinghe  
Chi Fai Wong  
Jefferson D. Wright

## Bachelor of Arts

Sarah Abdul Jalil  
John D. Acosta *cum laude*  
David J. Ainsworth  
Taylor M. Aldridge *summa cum laude*  
Eduardo A. Almaraz  
Ibanoe S. Alvarez  
Nicole K. Anetsberger  
Marlena H. Arjo  
Justin A. Asbury  
Kyle S. Aschbrenner  
*magna cum laude*  
Megan N. Asmussen<sup>◊</sup>  
Emma K. Bachman<sup>★</sup>  
Chloe S. Baez *magna cum laude*  
Jake E. Barker<sup>◊</sup>  
Frank A. Barone  
Mikala K. Barrett  
Bartholomew A. Basi  
Davishia N. Bethea  
Jennifer L. Beykirch  
Ann E. Bileck  
Erin J. Boester *cum laude*  
Jordan L. Bonadurer  
*magna cum laude*<sup>◊</sup>  
Christian R. Boswell  
*magna cum laude*  
Alyssa C. Boulanger  
*magna cum laude*<sup>◊★</sup>  
Joshua D. Bowens  
Bethaney S. Brown  
Jessica J. Brown

Sarah A. Brown *summa cum laude*  
Kristen R. Bryant  
Zoey K. Bryant *magna cum laude*<sup>◊★</sup>  
Emily P. Buice *summa cum laude*<sup>◊★</sup>  
Katelin N. Burchett  
Emily K. Burgett *magna cum laude*  
Arielle Burton  
Katelin E. Busby  
Dylan Butler  
Taylor N. Butler<sup>◊★</sup>  
Aaron D. Caldwell  
Wilkoya E. Caldwell  
Kaysha S. Cameron  
Kara A. Carden  
Alexandra R. Casanova  
Tyler D. Castleman *cum laude*  
Bryana M. Cathey  
Brittany G. Cervantes  
Jacquez J. Chambers  
Adrienne D. Chevalier  
*summa cum laude*  
Caleb P. Clover  
Allie E. Cooper  
Candis C. Corley  
Samuel M. Costello  
Michelle N. Csorba  
*magna cum laude*<sup>★</sup>  
Kathleen Czynewski *cum laude*  
Carlie D. Daffron  
Devon R. Davis  
Triston S. Dillard *magna cum laude*

Allison N. Dobey *magna cum laude*<sup>◊</sup>  
Drew G. Donelson  
David L. Downey  
Paige C. Driver<sup>★</sup>  
Reiley B. Duffy<sup>★</sup>  
Bailey J. Durkin *cum laude*  
Heather L. Duzan *summa cum laude*<sup>◊</sup>  
James R. Earles  
Kadeja T. Eastman  
Brad A. Ebers  
Jeffery G. Eliassen *cum laude*  
Vicki L. Ellison  
Dakota T. Evans  
Alexandria D. Figueroa  
Audrey R. Foland *cum laude*  
Lateiah Fouch  
Dalton S. Francis *magna cum laude*  
Noah D. Gammage  
Kyle T. Garrity  
Francois Gatimu  
*summa cum laude*<sup>◊★</sup>  
Cree S. Glanz  
Damaris Gonzalez  
Karlise A. Good  
Liseth Grajeda  
Tatiana V. Green<sup>★</sup>  
Hallie J. Griffin  
Hannah J. Griffin *magna cum laude*  
Taylor J. Griffin  
Zeira Gutierrez  
Mireya Gutierrez-Meza

Corey Hagene  
 Olivia K. Hajnos  
 Drake E. Hall  
 Megan E. Hall *cum laude*✦  
 Elicia M. Hanley  
 Rowen A. Harder *summa cum laude*  
 Malik W. Harper  
 Amanda K. Harrell  
 Jonathan M. Harris *cum laude*  
 Sean H. Harris  
 Jacqueline M. Harsy  
     *magna cum laude*  
 Jordan M. Harsy *cum laude*  
 Mariam N. Hashmi  
 Tiajane Hawkins  
 Maritza I. Hernandez  
 Joshua M. Hewitt  
 William D. Higgs *cum laude*  
 Zachary A. Hill  
 Aaron M. Horn  
 Angelica R. Howard  
 Lawrence J. Hoy  
 Baylee D. Hudgens  
     *summa cum laude*  
 Tirion M. Humphrey  
 Mackenzie A. Hunt *cum laude*  
 Olivia Hutcherson  
 Christian U. Ibarra Garcia  
 Rodger P. Ivy  
 Paola Jaime  
 Asia Johnson  
 Breanna J. Johnson  
 Madeline M. Johnson  
 Trevor D. Johnston *summa cum laude*  
 Sophia Julio  
 Sun Young Jung  
 Nicholas A. Kaczmarek  
 Marena R. Kaminsky *cum laude*  
 Dylan K. Kaspar  
 Samantha C. Keebler  
     *summa cum laude*  
 Dalton M. Keller *cum laude*  
 Kyle J. Kiriluk  
 Braxston D. Koehl  
 Charish L. Kupczak✦  
 Dominic H. Kupihea◊  
 Colton C. Land  
 Alexis D. Lane *cum laude*  
 Olivia K. Lanker *magna cum laude*◊  
 Tyler L. Larsen *magna cum laude*◊  
 Taylor G. Laughlin *cum laude*  
 Joseph C. Lauletta  
 Jaydeshia Lee  
 Blaine A. Leslie  
 Rachel R. Lewis  
 Terrence J. Little  
 Baley J. Livingston  
 William J. Locher  
     *summa cum laude*◊✦  
 Paul A. Lopez-Sangurima  
 Elizabeth A. Lowe *cum laude*  
 Tavarus J. Lucas  
 Kenneth L. Maggit✦  
 Dejanique S. Mallory  
 Brian A. Maloney  
 Jacob C. Marnin *summa cum laude*  
 Samantha A. Marsteller  
 Logan M. Martens  
 Brianna A. Martin  
 Tyler C. Marvin  
 Troy S. Mathews  
 Logan D. Mattingly  
 Demarco J. McCart  
 Robert B. McDonald  
 Claire E. McDowell *magna cum laude*  
 Mary K. McGee *magna cum laude*◊  
 Kaylie J. McGrath *cum laude*  
 Alichia D. McIntosh  
     *magna cum laude*  
 Daina McKinney  
 Joseph P. McLaughlin✦  
 Joshua E. McLernon  
 Douglas E. Meadows  
 Marcela L. Mendez  
 Serenah L. Minasian *cum laude*◊  
 Jawuan L. Monroe  
 Sadye A. Moore  
 Vanessa M. Moran *magna cum laude*  
 Lucas M. Mullins *cum laude*  
 Noah M. Murakami  
 Kate M. Murdock *cum laude*  
 Meaghan C. Murray  
 Robert J. Murray  
 Nicholas Newman  
 Gabrielle M. O'Brien✦  
 Seamus G. O'Connor  
 Olatunde C. Ogunfowora *cum laude*  
 Gabriel J. Onofrei  
 Ives J. Ortez  
 Malvis Y. Ortiz Martinez  
 Amber Ortiz  
 Paige N. Otto  
 Benjamin L. Pankey  
 Alanna C. Paule✦  
 Jessica D. Peck *summa cum laude*✦  
 Bethany I. Peppers  
 Alexandra C. Perry *cum laude*  
 Amelia O. Phillips *cum laude*✦  
 Logan J. Plummer  
 Kevin D. Powell  
 Phelicia F. Puryear  
 Matthew W. Quaid  
 Mikajah A. Questelle  
 John W. Quinn  
 Vincent P. Quinn  
 Romello C. Radford  
 Rachel R. Radtke  
 Lane D. Reazin  
 Alicia L. Reed *cum laude*  
 Kaile Reed  
 Darrin L. Reinhardt  
     *summa cum laude*◊✦  
 Andrea E. Rendleman *cum laude*  
 Megan E. Rensing  
 Madison L. Riden *cum laude*  
 Kala J. Robertson  
 Erin L. Robinson  
 Shae E. Robinson  
 Gabrielle M. Robles  
     *summa cum laude*◊  
 Crystal N. Rodriguez *cum laude*  
 Yesenia Rodriguez✦  
 Marcus D. Root  
 Wyatt Z. Ruehling *cum laude*  
 James T. Rutherford  
 Marie D. Sago  
 Ana K. Salazar  
 Mercedes J. Sellers  
 Ashley A. Shaw  
 Joseph H. Sierle  
     *magna cum laude*◊✦  
 Alexis M. Simpson  
 Mathew D. Smith  
 Quinnyka L. Smith✦  
 Douglas A. Sneddon  
 Liana D. Spokas *cum laude*◊  
 Victoria J. Steinberg *cum laude*◊✦  
 Justin A. Stephens  
 Jacob D. Still  
 Kaylee J. Stillwell *cum laude*✦  
 Andrea T. Storey  
     *summa cum laude*◊✦  
 Tudor P. Taut✦  
 Roderick A. Thompson-Brim  
 Vanessa Torres  
 Loraina R. Trujillo  
     *magna cum laude*◊✦  
 Michael Oliver M. Tugas  
 Emmanuel I. Ubani



Grace E. Vargas *magna cum laude*  
Oneida Vargas *cum laude*<sup>◊</sup>  
Jeremy K. Vercauteren  
Louise C. Vidanes  
Albert J. Wagner  
Kenya A. Walker  
Ashley N. Walp  
Molly A. Wang *cum laude*  
Edward A. Watkins  
Joshua A. Watson  
Dominique L. Watson-Blake  
Sarah J. Werner *summa cum laude*

Madeline A. Wieter  
Miles W. Wilcox  
Cody G. Wilkinson  
Alexia M. Williams  
Derek M. Williams  
Morgan L. Williams *cum laude*<sup>◊</sup><sup>◆</sup>  
Lauren N. Wilson  
Kayle A. Wing  
Abigail E. Wojcik  
*magna cum laude*<sup>◊</sup><sup>◆</sup>

Abigail R. Wolf *summa cum laude*  
Bailey W. Wolfe<sup>◆</sup>  
Rachel N. Wolfe  
Alec R. Wood  
Shay R. Wood<sup>◊</sup>  
Samantha J. Woodall<sup>◆</sup>  
Mark E. Young *magna cum laude*  
Kai J. Youngsteadt  
Nur Istianah Binti Zaid *cum laude*  
Thomas T. Zemen

## Bachelor of Fine Arts

Michelle N. Csorba  
*magna cum laude*<sup>◆</sup>  
Xindi Gao *magna cum laude*  
Breanna M. Hamilton  
Ian D. Herndon  
Emily A. Kottwitz *cum laude*<sup>◊</sup>

Michaela J. Kroner  
Abbey M. La Tour *cum laude*<sup>◊</sup><sup>◆</sup>  
Andrew R. Lampley *cum laude*  
Sloan V. Marion  
Lindsey R. Phillips  
Brett C. Pinkerton *cum laude*

Madison K. Pruitt *cum laude*  
Thomas J. Rensing  
Jacob P. Smiley  
Mathew A. Votoupal  
Asia M. Ward *magna cum laude*  
Zachary Weddle

## Bachelor of Music

Allen D. Dillow  
Taylor M. Dunning *cum laude*  
Caleb B. Gomes *summa cum laude*<sup>◊</sup>

Jacob T. Gorecki  
Matthew J. Grammer  
*summa cum laude*<sup>◊</sup><sup>◆</sup>

Deanna R. Leach *summa cum laude*  
Cameron B. Taylor  
Michael L. Wallace

## Bachelor of Science

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Tom M. Bauer  
Kristina M. Bechtold  
Katelyn M. Bishop  
Alyssa C. Boulanger  
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Mitchell Brady  
Laura M. Brown  
Patience Brown  
Emily P. Buice *summa cum laude*<sup>◊</sup><sup>◆</sup>  
Mikayla R. Bunch  
Ryan J. Burrough  
Madison Case *cum laude*  
Taylor L. Cross  
Jessica Dooley  
Reiley B. Duffy<sup>◆</sup>  
Ernest T. Dye  
Brendan N. Egdorf  
Jeffrey T. Faulkner  
Francois Gatimu  
*summa cum laude*<sup>◊</sup><sup>◆</sup>  
Samantha R. Goot *cum laude*  
Ariel G. Gralewski  
Jaela D. Hamilton

Katrina Hamilton  
Amber D. Henderson  
Grace Hites  
Floyd Howard *cum laude*  
Van K. Ikner  
Sarah M. Israel  
Kari A. Johnston<sup>◊</sup><sup>◆</sup>  
Connie J. Kaniewski  
*magna cum laude*<sup>◊</sup>  
Justin D. Kay *magna cum laude*  
Braden A. Kitowski  
Melanie A. Kuhn  
Charish L. Kupczak<sup>◆</sup>  
Aaron Lee  
Ciara R. Londrigan  
Lance Lucas  
Alexander Lyon  
Kenneth L. Maggit<sup>◆</sup>  
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Jeff D. Miller  
Melissa S. Milstead  
Jasmine Moutry  
Nicholas D. Olsen  
Kathryn E. Parrish  
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Kavion M. Pippen

Mia Porter  
Dakotah S. Quertermous  
Julya Quintanilla Rodriguez  
William A. Rahuba  
Johnathan A. Reed  
Amanda N. Riston  
Saige M. Rowe  
Jonathan D. Sargent  
Lucas Sauerburger  
Jordan B. Spicer *cum laude*  
Joshua L. Starks  
Komiea M. Stevenson  
Natereace D. Strong  
Mykhal J. Suide  
Anna Thurby  
Micaylee Uhls  
Sam W. Vastis  
Abigail D. Walquist  
Leah Wayne  
Aaron J. Weishaar  
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Goldyn M. White  
Jack White  
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## Doctor of Philosophy

**Abdulrahman M. Alahmadi**

Computer Science  
Dunren Che, Ph.D.

"Innovative Generic Job Scheduling Frameworks for Cloud Computing Environments"

**Aiysha N. Althobaiti**

Molecular Biology, Microbiology & Biochemistry  
Judith K. Davie, Ph.D.

"Understanding the Mechanism by Which TBX3 Promotes Myogenesis"

**Allison M. Asher**

Zoology  
Edward J. Heist, Ph.D.

"Conservation Genetics of Paddlefish: Genetic Effective Population Size and Rangewide Genetic Structure"

**Ja E. Claywell**

Molecular Biology, Microbiology & Biochemistry  
Derek J. Fisher, Ph.D.

"Characterization and Study of the Physiological Role of CTL0511, a Chlamydial Protein Phosphatase Type 2C"

**Daniel J. Dilley**

Applied Physics  
Mark S. Byrd, Ph.D.  
Eric Chitambar, Ph.D.

"Analyzing Asymmetric Nonlocality Experiments with Relaxed Conditions"

**Li Fan**

Chemistry  
Ian I. Suni, Ph.D.  
"Electrodeposition of Sulfide-Containing Thin Films, and their Application to Electrochemical Systems"

**Aaron C. Gooley**

Zoology  
Eric M. Schauber, Ph.D.  
Clayton K. Nielsen, Ph.D.  
"Recovery of the Eastern Woodrat in Southern Illinois: Distribution, Demographics, and Noninvasive Monitoring"

**Ramina M. Khoshaba**

Molecular Biology, Microbiology & Biochemistry  
Deliang J. Cao, M.D., Ph.D.

"Promoting Role of AKR1B10 in HER2+ Breast Cancer at Early Stage"

**Hillary R. Marler**

Zoology  
Clayton K. Nielsen, Ph.D.

"Bioaccumulation, Trophic Magnification, and Maternal Transfer of Legacy and Alternative Flame Retardants in Sharks of the Northwestern Atlantic Ocean"

**Madhavi L. Pali**

Chemistry  
Ian I. Suni, Ph.D.

"Detection of Small Molecule Analytes With Biosensors Based on Electrochemical Impedance Spectroscopy"

**Sudip Pandey**

Applied Physics  
Naushad Ali, Ph.D.

"Exploring the Structural, Electronic, and Magnetoresponse Properties of Novel Magnetic Materials in Bulk, Ribbons, and Thin Films"

**Rasanji C. Rathnayake**

Mathematics  
David J. Olive, Ph.D.

"Inference for Some GLMs and Survival Regression Models After Variable Selection"

**Drew A. Scott**

Plant Biology  
Sara G. Baer, Ph.D.

"Environmental Heterogeneity Effects on Diversity and Nitrous Oxide Emissions from Soil in Restored Prairie"

**Yuhong Wu**

Chemistry  
Zhihua Du, Ph.D.

"Structural Studies of Human Caprin Protein"

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Student body 1902

Alexander Mills Lane, the first male African-American student enrolled in 1876. He became an educator, a physician, and an Illinois state legislator.



Commencement c. 1905



Professor George Hazen French teaching a chemistry class.



1869 -

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Class of 1911





*Graduates on stage at Shryock Auditorium during graduation. The building was completed in 1918 and opened on April 4 with former U.S. President William Howard Taft giving a lecture. The building was named after SIU's fifth president, Henry Shryock.*



*French Club social gathering on campus.*



*The Southern Illinois Normal University women's basketball team of 1906.*



*A woman peers through a telescope in daylight during an Astronomy Class.*



*The exterior of Anthony Hall, including the women who lived there 1914. It opened in 1913 and was the first building to serve as a dormitory on campus.*



*The Southern Illinois Normal University orchestra. Professor R. V. Black was the director at this time. c. 1905*



*1909 Southern Illinois Normal University baseball team.*

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ALWAYS, ALL WAYS A SALUKI





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Rahul Reddy Chilumula  
Bradley M. Delfeld  
Keegan L. Depriest  
Jacob R. Dyson  
Ehitare Emuze  
Kasey E. Fralick  
Wilson X. Guillory  
Sriharsha Gurram  
Eric Heuneman

Adam C. Horton  
Yvette D. Johnson  
Kendra A. Kennedy  
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Alexander D. Loubere  
Jamil A. Mashni  
Murali Mekala  
Destiny R. Miller  
Jeremiah S. Miller  
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Michael P. Page  
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Rhiannon M. Pyle  
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Dodamgodage Gihanee M.  
Senadheera  
Alexander M. Sommers  
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Umesh Timalsina  
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Phillip C. Williams  
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Jie Yang  
Hancheng Zhang

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Kylee N. Arnold  
Lillian O. Asherman  
Shelby B. Baggett  
Curtis S. Baird  
Brittany L. Barrion  
Adam H. Barron *cum laude*  
Christian P. Bartell  
Marcus H. Bean  
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Najiyah M. Benzabeh  
Barry L. Bethay  
Mark R. Beussink *cum laude*  
Jazmyn D. Bills

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Margaret E. Byrne *cum laude*◊  
Donovan A. Cantrell  
*summa cum laude*◊  
Shelby C. Carpenter *cum laude*  
Patrick R. Carter  
Colin J. Clark-Dinovo  
Kayla J. Cline *cum laude*  
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Axel B. Corey

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Hannah M. Durbin  
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*magna cum laude*  
Olivia S. Farmer *cum laude*  
Sylvia L. Faurot◊  
Anna M. Feliciano  
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*magna cum laude*

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Jared S. Gorrell

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Alexandra M. Hachmeister

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Tristan W. Hector ♦

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Abigail R. Hill *summa cum laude* ♦

Nicholas I. Hill

Marrissa G. Hiner

Kaitlyn A. Hutson

Kaylin R. Janicke

Helen I. Janis *cum laude* ♦

Nathan A. Jean *summa cum laude*

Carolyn D. Katzman  
*summa cum laude* ♦

Allison N. Kellerman  
*magna cum laude*

Kaleb M. Kelly

Paul V. Kevorkian *magna cum laude* ♦

William J. Kim

Yae Ji Kim

Randall D. Kopsielski

Alexander J. Krasula *cum laude*

Marisa J. Kuhn *cum laude* ♦

Thorin A. Lane

Nicholas J. Langheld *cum laude* ♦

John C. Lawless

Trevor D. Lawson ♦

Afton P. Lawver *cum laude*

Michael D. Lay *magna cum laude*

Emrah E. Lesko *magna cum laude*

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Erin M. McLaughlin ♦

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*summa cum laude* ♦

Michael A. Mueller  
*summa cum laude*

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Alejandro G. Narvaez-Colon  
*cum laude* ♦

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*magna cum laude* ♦

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Jessica A. Pellegrino

Jocelyne Perez

Shadashalin W. Pierce  
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Brian J. Rowan *cum laude*

Candice Sandefur *magna cum laude*

Sadie M. Sawyer *magna cum laude*

Nathan A. Schuchardt

Alex Schwander

Suzanne M. Scott *cum laude*

Gage L. Shepard *magna cum laude* ♦

Justin M. Sieling  
*summa cum laude* ♦

Octavio J. Silva

Austin N. Sinn *summa cum laude*

Bryan L. Smith

Shauri J. Smith *cum laude*

Jalyn D. Snapp

Braden S. Starks *cum laude*

Brianna R. Stengel  
*summa cum laude* ♦

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Tori N. Stierwalt

Kaylee J. Stillwell *cum laude* ♦

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Roza Svancr

Josie A. Taylor ♦

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Taryn R. Weatherly *summa cum laude*

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Zhi Kang Wong *magna cum laude*

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Grant J. Woodside

Fan Wu

Jacob M. Young

Nathan J. Zerwig *summa cum laude* ♦

## SCHOOL OF MEDICINE

Yufang Yin

Pharmacology & Neuroscience

Randolph C. Elble, Ph.D.

"The Role of CLCA2 in Anoikis Resistance

of HNSCC – Potential Biomarker for

Prediction of Sensitivity to EGFR Inhibitors"



**MAY 11, 2019**  
SIU ARENA  
1:30 P.M.

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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 Honorary Degree**

**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**

- 
- ◇ 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

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## Master of Accountancy

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Ming He  
Xuan He  
Grace A. Horman  
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Cortney S. Jumper  
Chen Li

Shelby K. Luebke  
Yang Shen  
Ahmed S. Shuaib  
Teresa D. Tapia  
Shawna L. Trunnell  
Tiara Wiggins

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Craig Conrad  
Derek S. Craig  
Adam M. Cummings  
Joshua A. Delage  
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Eli A. Epplin  
Trina R. Hargrove

Craig Hays  
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Robert G. Marlow  
Donald E. Marrow  
Andrea J. Miller  
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David E. Mohler  
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Amanda M. Newgent  
Mayowa M. Olaoye  
Till L. Pallmann  
Bailey J. Pals  
Diogo Alberto Seixas  
Cammie L. Shakir

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Ali Y. Srour  
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Trevor J. Thompson  
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Dengwei Yuan  
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Robert C. Alstat  
Brooke Backus  
Donovan P. Barger *magna cum laude*  
Logan R. Barrett  
Victor E. Bass  
Daniel M. Bello  
Katarzyna Bhandari  
Junmin Bie *cum laude*  
Connor M. Bird  
Mitchell R. Bland  
Nicholas M. Bowen  
Jessica T. Brewitt  
Chelsea D. Burch *cum laude*

Luis A. Castillo  
Chase R. Cheatham  
Lange Chen *cum laude*  
Zachary A. Cheverette  
Benjamin M. Childers *cum laude*  
Eunji Choi  
Olivia T. Christian  
*summa cum laude*★  
Caitlyn M. Claussen  
*magna cum laude*  
Kendall J. Cole *summa cum laude*  
Michael K. Connor  
Elijah G. Cook  
Thomas B. Dahlen *cum laude*  
Quan Dang  
Griffin S. Day *cum laude*  
Mary A. DeBock  
Jessica N. Deitch

Tyler D. Demma  
Tristan J. Detore  
Cade T. Dibadj  
Stephen J. Dickman  
Amanda S. Docherty  
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Laura B. Ericksen  
Marisa J. Ferguson  
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Devan A. Franklin  
Rachel C. Gaines  
Katherine A. Gallick  
*magna cum laude*◊  
Leanne M. Gammill  
Luke H. Gannon  
Wendi Gao *cum laude*  
Timothy J. Geiger *cum laude*

Judith R. George *cum laude*  
Eric R. Giers  
Shay K. Grant  
Fengtian Gu *cum laude*  
Jie Guo  
Sharon C. Hagene  
Thomas B. Hamm  
Drake T. Harrington  
Rachel C. Hauer *summa cum laude*  
Lucas K. Hill  
Jacob D. Hopkins  
Mitchell D. Horman  
Jiaqi Hou  
Jingye Huan  
Benjamin C. Hubbs  
Cebastien R. Hyppolite  
Lindsey S. Ingram  
Zeela O. James Arulchelvam  
Christianna M. Jaros  
Jazmine D. Jefferson  
Holden J. Johnson *cum laude*  
Andrew J. Jordan  
Emily K. Kerrens *cum laude*  
Micah C. Kimble  
Lache I. Knight  
Lazar A. Kuzmanov  
Shang Lei  
Changhaoyue Li  
Jiaran Li  
Xinying Li  
Lisa M. Lindhorst  
Qingni Liu  
Ziye Liu  
Alec E. Logan  
Alyssa N. Lohmann  
*summa cum laude*<sup>◊</sup>  
Jalena M. Looze  
Tianjin Luo  
Zexi Lyu  
Jiaqi Ma  
Natalie D. Mahoy  
Drew A. Martin  
John M. McCune  
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Leah H. McKelvey  
Wei Mi  
Katherine E. Miceli  
Casey Milliken  
Marki Millsap  
McKenzie S. Mohring  
*summa cum laude*  
Jenilee N. Molitor  
Angela E. Mosley  
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Kelsie A. Mullen  
Randal P. Myers  
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Eng Keat Ng  
Jillian M. Nowell  
Lila J. Palasz *magna cum laude*  
Emily D. Palmer  
Abbie Pape  
Shavan Patel *magna cum laude*  
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Jewel E. Plumhoff *magna cum laude*  
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William L. Travis  
Clinton J. Trentman  
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Taylor J. Tweedy  
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Morgan R. Vershay  
Maria Vintila  
John W. Walsh  
Chi Wang  
Guilin Wang  
Ryan M. Watkins *cum laude*  
Michael V. Watson  
Sabina N. Waz *cum laude*  
Wendell E. Weaver  
Zichen Wei  
Peyton N. Wilhoit  
Morgan L. Williams *cum laude*<sup>◊♦</sup>  
Clayton Wingo  
Abigail E. Wojcik  
*magna cum laude*<sup>◊♦</sup>  
Rashad R. Woods-Faison  
Chad Worley  
Ashley N. Wright  
Chenyang Wu  
Fenjing Xue  
Yumeng Yan  
Yuwei Yan  
Juliette A. Zach *magna cum laude*  
Shiming Zhang  
Xinyue Zhang  
Xuanyu Zhang  
Yunyi Zhang  
Zixin Zhang  
Xiao Zhou *cum laude*

# COLLEGE OF EDUCATION AND HUMAN SERVICES

## Doctor of Philosophy

**Mashael A. Alnefaie**

Curriculum & Instruction

Ed Pultorak, Ph.D.

Lavern Byfield, Ph.D.

"International Students in the U.S.:  
Beliefs About ESL/EFL Contexts and  
the Effect On Fluency"

**Amani A. Bin Jwair**

Curriculum & Instruction

Peter J. Fadde, Ph.D.

"Using Reflection Wrappers as a Self-Regulated  
Learning Tool to Improve Saudi Arabian  
Pre-Service Teachers' Metacognition"

**Cara C. Doerr**

Educational Administration

Patrick Dilley, Ph.D.

"The Gender Wage Gap of Civil Service  
Employees at Illinois Public Four-Year Universities"

**Heaven L. Hollender**

Rehabilitation

Keith B. Wilson, Ph.D.

"Vocational Rehabilitation Service Patterns  
on Employment Outcomes for People  
Who Have a Brain Injury"

**Guillermo A. Hurtado Reyes**

Curriculum & Instruction

Christina C. McIntyre, Ph.D.

"Perceptions of Teacher Supervision by  
Professors and their Supervisors in Teaching  
English as a Foreign Language in Nicaragua"

**Fathima M. Jaffari**

Quantitative Methods

Jennifer Koran, Ph.D.

"Model-Free Measurement of Case  
Influence in Structural Equation Modeling"

**Itithaz A. Jama**

Curriculum & Instruction

Grant R. Miller, Ph.D.

"Investigating Saudi EFL Instructors'  
Perceptions and Practices Implementing  
TESOL Strategies"

**Ramesh Neupane**

Educational Administration

Saran Donahoo, Ph.D.

"A Quantitative Study Examining the  
Relationship Between Learning Preferences  
and Standardized Multiple Choice Achievement  
Test Performance of Nurse Aide Students"

**Christine A. Watt**

Rehabilitation

Keith B. Wilson, Ph.D.

"Deciding Who Goes Home Following  
Inpatient Rehabilitation: A Comparative  
Analysis of Allied Healthcare Professionals  
in Southern Illinois"

**Nicholas R. Weshinsky**

Educational Administration

Patrick Dilley, Ph.D.

"'Grow Your Beard. Wear A Tie':  
Autoethnographic Explorations  
of Masculinities and Teaching"

**Ting Zhou**

Curriculum & Instruction

Christian S. Loh, Ph.D.

"The Effects of Fully vs. Partially Guided  
Learning on Declarative and Procedural  
Knowledge with a Disaster Preparedness  
Serious Game"

## Master of Public Health

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Symone V. Jordan

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Allison L. Guiliano

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Danielle E. Hilkey  
Lauren E. Hoekstra  
Nikia L. Hollenkamp Rudd  
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Quam D. Odukoya

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Latoya J. Strong  
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Olivia F. Tamayo  
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Teron L. Aldredge  
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Bailey K. Anderson  
*magna cum laude*  
Morgan K. Ashford  
*magna cum laude*  
Katie M. Atchison *magna cum laude*  
Sarah M. Auvil *cum laude*  
Russell I. Avocato  
Madison R. Baker-Wilmes  
*cum laude*  
Hailey M. Barber *cum laude*  
Shaya M. Barnett  
Robert L. Barton  
Ryan J. Bayer  
Samantha K. Bean  
Alexa L. Beavers *summa cum laude*  
Josie O. Belanger *cum laude*  
Marissa M. Benecke  
Matthew E. Bigelow  
Falisha M. Biggerstaff  
*summa cum laude*  
Elizabeth A. Bishop *cum laude*

Spencer W. Blake *magna cum laude*  
Christopher P. Bobb  
*summa cum laude*  
Simone V. Bolack  
Andrew J. Bone *cum laude*  
Ralph M. Booth  
Eyrika L. Brandenburg  
George D. Brandon  
Elizabeth J. Brazzale  
Shanese N. Broadnax *cum laude*  
Don J. Brokaw *cum laude*  
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*magna cum laude*  
Adrienne P. Brown  
Bryiona D. Brown *magna cum laude*  
Christopher W. Brown  
Javon M. Brown  
Lisa Y. Brown  
Patrick D. Brown *cum laude*  
Tylor E. Brown  
James A. Buchko  
Nicholas Burdick *magna cum laude*  
Alecia M. Burgess  
Jarvaus L. Burks  
Charles Burrell  
Lameyesha Burton

Ke'Asia M. Byrd  
Deanna R. Cameron  
Brian T. Campbell *summa cum laude*  
Lucia B. Campbell *cum laude*  
Kristen L. Caraker  
Berit L. Carlson  
Joshua A. Carrington *cum laude*  
Alycia J. Carson *magna cum laude*  
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Cassandra N. Caswell  
Brenna L. Chamerlik  
Bryan A. Chapman  
Aaron M. Chickini *magna cum laude*  
Rebecca J. Clark *magna cum laude*  
Jason A. Clough *cum laude*  
Daryl M. Coleman  
Chrissy L. Confer *cum laude*  
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Robert Constantin  
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Michael N. Corbin  
Clarence E. Council  
Catalina B. Cretsinger  
*summa cum laude*<sup>o</sup>  
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Shaylah B. Curry



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 Angelique N. Davis  
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 Kathleen E. DeKriek *cum laude*  
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 Nathan C. Dyer  
 Hali S. Edgington-Sisco  
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 Vanessa Ellerby  
 Natalie M. Elliott *cum laude*  
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 Daniel J. Emrie  
 Jonathan Enos *cum laude*  
 Savannah M. Estes *cum laude*  
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 Filip E. Ferguson  
 Jason J. Foral  
 Scott V. Fowler  
 Aaron R. Frazier  
 Robin S. Freeman  
 Gunnar M. Galloway *cum laude*  
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 William D. Garcia  
 Nicholas J. Gibson  
 Malvin W. Gipson  
 Alyssa L. Gleason  
 Gabriel Gonzalez  
 Jessica Gonzalez *cum laude*  
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 Tatiana V. Green ✦  
 Mark M. Greneaux  
 Toneka S. Grigsby-Green  
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 Dylan S. Hamel *cum laude*  
 Justin E. Hansen *summa cum laude*  
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 Cydni C. Harris  
 Malik O. Harris  
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Hunter S. Hart  
 Michael J. Hatfield *cum laude*  
 Noren Hernandez *magna cum laude*  
 Nolan P. Hillard  
 Linwood Hinton *cum laude*  
 Jordyn L. Hoesman *cum laude*  
 Elizabeth Holenda  
 Lily M. Holland  
 Alontae L. Holliday  
 Albert L. Holloway  
 Ashanti M. Holmes-Weems  
 Bailey E. Hopkins  
 Carlie K. Horner *cum laude*  
 Danielle L. Howard  
 Payton R. Hufnagel  
*magna cum laude* ◊  
 Rebecca F. Hult  
 Kathryn C. Hunziker *cum laude*  
 Iman K. Ibrahim *cum laude*  
 Mikal V. Ikner  
 Karli M. Illum  
 Heather Jett  
 Ruben Jimenez  
 Kelly L. Johns *cum laude*  
 Randy E. Johnson  
 Daniel C. Jones *cum laude*  
 Shetwuan M. Jones  
 William E. Jones  
 Danielle E. Kapanowski  
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 Kristin M. Kellerman  
 Madison T. Kimbrell *cum laude*  
 Katia N. King  
 Jordan Kobylanski  
 Matthew R. Krawczyk  
 Makenzie D. Kunz *cum laude*  
 Anoja N. Kuruppu  
 Brooke E. Lacey *magna cum laude*  
 Katherine Y. Lamb  
 Kady M. Lampley *summa cum laude*  
 Tayvonne D. Landry  
 Daniel Lasater  
 Melina M. Launay *magna cum laude*  
 Antwon L. Leach  
 Joseph K. Lehosky  
 Nathan W. Lieber  
 Annie E. Lietz *summa cum laude*

Shane M. Lobzun  
 Brantley E. Lowe *cum laude*  
 Alyah H. Lucas  
 James Ly  
 Woodrow Lyell  
 Kevin M. MacDonald  
 Joseline J. Marquez  
 Boris M. Marroquin  
 Krystal A. Marshall  
 Nichole L. Martie *magna cum laude*  
 Laterriea Martin  
 Alberto D. Martinez  
 Amanda M. Mason *cum laude*  
 Janell Mays *cum laude*  
 Chloe R. McCluskey  
 Timothy McEntire  
 Aubrey L. McKenzie  
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 Lonnie McKinnie  
 Taylor McNeail  
 Molly K. McNeill *cum laude*  
 Robert J. McTearnen  
 Adriana V. Medina  
*magna cum laude*  
 Lee Medlin  
 Talyssa M. Melgoza  
 Katie C. Metcalf  
 Morgan A. Metz  
 Isabelle R. Mikesch  
 George E. Mills  
 Martin Mireles *magna cum laude*  
 Jessica Mitchell  
 Shelby L. Mitchell  
 Audrey M. Mlakar  
 Cameron Modisette *cum laude*  
 Maggie R. Moffitt  
 Mario A. Montemayor  
*magna cum laude*  
 Jake C. Montgomery  
 Rusheca L. Moore  
 Brian Morehouse  
 Renosha L. Mullins  
 Andrea J. Murdock  
 Moses J. Neal *cum laude*  
 Emerick J. Neitzer  
 Aisha L. Nelson  
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Amanda Palacios  
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John A. Pansino  
Aimee M. Pargin *magna cum laude*  
Cortney L. Paris  
Kunal D. Patel  
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Jessica R. Penna  
Bethany M. Phelps  
Carrie K. Polak  
Noelle M. Pollock *cum laude*  
Norma L. Prenta *magna cum laude*  
Ashley E. Pruet  
Samuel Puckett  
Bailee L. Pulley *magna cum laude*  
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Mackenzie N. Ray  
Loren M. Reece *magna cum laude*  
Luis A. Repreza  
Joshua C. Rice *magna cum laude*  
Jordan E. Ries *magna cum laude* ◊  
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Ashley N. Robinson  
Marlon W. Robinson  
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Laequah Z. Rollins  
David P. Rose *cum laude*  
Austin J. Rueth  
Grant S. Ruffing  
Ruben Ruiz  
Stefanie L. Rymza  
Christonia R. Saddler  
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Olivia N. Salafatinos-Barger

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Edward C. Saucerman *cum laude*  
Severene C. Savage  
Stephanie J. Sawicki *cum laude*  
Sydney J. Schneider *cum laude*  
Gary L. Scott  
Shacon S. Scott  
Timothy G. Sellman  
Tammie M. Shuart *cum laude*  
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Laura E. Simpson *summa cum laude* ◊  
Skylyn D. Simpson  
*summa cum laude*  
Allison N. Sledge *cum laude*  
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Brian A. Smith  
Justice J. Smith  
Kyra M. Smith  
Nelda Smith  
Kayla A. Snider *cum laude*  
Audrey A. Snyder  
Alyssa V. Sokolowski  
Jonathan D. Song  
*summa cum laude*  
Emma K. Sonnenberg  
*summa cum laude*  
Michelle Soto  
Michael T. Staten *summa cum laude*  
Fallon L. Stearns  
Nolan R. Stojentin  
Andrea T. Storey  
*summa cum laude* ◊ ✦  
Mollie D. Strain *summa cum laude*  
Blayne Street  
Tiaja R. Strickland  
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Sicely A. Strumpher  
Megan Swirsley  
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Soriah J. Taylor  
Annick L. Tchiekoue Kuete  
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Noel L. Tindall  
Shauna J. Tomblinson  
Regaina L. Travelstead  
Justin Trujillo  
Abbey L. Turner  
Crystal N. Turner  
Christina Urban  
Stephanie L. Uzzle  
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Brianna N. VanHeirseele  
Lauren N. Vegeais  
Manuel A. Velgara  
James Vinson *cum laude*  
Lynsea R. Volbrecht  
Grayson B. Volz  
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Nathan C. Ward  
Reed M. Watson  
Justin D. Weakland  
Faith L. Weathers  
Samantha C. Whitmire  
Brooke N. Whittington *cum laude*  
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Amira K. Williams  
David P. Williams  
Terrance R. Williams  
Alexis D. Williams-Cavanaugh  
Briona D. Willie  
April L. Wilson  
Taylor P. Wilson  
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COLLEGE OF  
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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 Honorary Degree and  
Distinguished Service Award**

**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**

- 
- ◇ 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

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Jaya Pratik Kotadia  
Richard C. Master  
Nivedhitha Rajendran

Nicholas A. Schubach  
Kajal S. Shrimal  
Erica E. Twomey  
Aaron W. Uhe

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Crystal T. Brewer

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Destenii P. Thomas-Anderson

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Joanna Mondragon  
Maryam Nabihah

Alisa Nash

Alexus S. Travis

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Raymond M. Derosette  
Samantha K. Edgington  
Rene J. Hernandez  
Alexander Johnson<sup>★</sup>

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Juan J. Martinez  
Teri E. Myers  
Brittany L. Pena  
Nicholas M. Petz

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Robert B. Shea  
Chad A. Tinsley  
Angelo Tsokolas  
Kara N. Vandawater  
Tabitha A. Woods

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Aaron B. Aguilera  
Aren Akins<sup>★</sup>  
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Robert G. Alamo  
Abdulmalik K. Alassaf  
Fahad E. Aldhafaeri  
Abraham Allen  
Hind M. Almaghlooth *cum laude*  
Rawan S. Almghamsi  
Khalid M. Alsubaie  
Pedro T. Alvarado  
Abdulaziz H. Alyami  
Robert A. Anderson  
Kevin A. Arauz  
Connor L. Ashlock  
Jennifer L. Ashmore  
Jacinda L. Austin *summa cum laude*  
Wiyao G. Awesso

Brendon R. Bangert  
*magna cum laude*<sup>◇</sup>  
Taylor A. Barker *cum laude*  
Leland S. Barney  
Nacaise K. Basford  
Matthew J. Baumann *cum laude*  
Brooke A. Bearden *magna cum laude*  
Lauren R. Beaven *cum laude*  
Megan J. Beckman  
Ethan L. Bentley *summa cum laude*<sup>◇</sup>  
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Luke T. Bettis  
Bradley A. Bocox  
Ryan E. Bogs  
Thomas J. Booth *magna cum laude*  
Zachary T. Bormida  
Martyna Borucinska  
Christian A. Bottia *cum laude*  
Joseph I. Boudreau  
Talaisha A. Bowers  
Kody A. Boyd

Deanne L. Brand *cum laude*  
Katherine M. Brewer  
*magna cum laude*<sup>◇</sup>  
Jasmine L. Brison  
Kelsie M. Brown  
Terrian P. Brownlow  
Timothy K. Brueggemann  
Shawn A. Burkett *magna cum laude*  
Imamu A. Burton  
Alice B. Cai *cum laude*  
Christopher F. Calderon<sup>★</sup>  
Michael T. Calloni  
Rolando Camarillo  
Jasmine N. Cannon  
Joshua C. Cargille  
*summa cum laude*<sup>◇</sup><sup>★</sup>  
Alexis R. Carson  
Cohen M. Carter  
Richard W. Cassidy *cum laude*  
Arnela Causevic  
Brad Cebulski

Yikai Chao  
 Chongwen Chen  
     *magna cum laude*◊<sup>+</sup>  
 Olivia T. Christian  
     *summa cum laude*★  
 Ryan Cichowicz  
 Michael Clark *cum laude*  
 David Clarke★  
 David E. Clausen  
 Angel R. Cochran *summa cum laude*  
 Cody D. Cockrum  
 Sean M. Collings  
 Abbie L. Collins *magna cum laude*  
 Courtney R. Collins  
 Eric Conley *cum laude*  
 Kirsten Coons  
 Stephen T. Crider  
 Sheldon G. Daiber  
 Rayne D'Alessandro  
 Madonna Q. Darden  
 Lucas S. Davis  
 Andrew C. De Zaneke  
     *magna cum laude*★  
 Wiktorja D. Debicki  
     *magna cum laude*  
 Daniel M. DeGuire  
 Mario G. Del Boccio *cum laude*★  
 August M. DeVry  
 Traci L. Divine  
 Jessica Dominguez  
 Katherine Eatmon  
 Reid J. Ebner  
 Peter S. Ecton  
 Mazen F. Edrees  
 Sahar El Hussein  
 Emily A. Emery  
 Michael P. Erman  
 Brent D. Erwin  
 Gabrielle M. Escudero  
     *magna cum laude*★  
 Eric Esquivel  
 Kyeisha K. Esters  
 Natalie A. Evans  
 Joseph A. Fabbri  
 John A. Fair *cum laude*  
 Ben W. Fairbanks *summa cum laude*  
 Seth D. Faloos *magna cum laude*★  
 Alexander N. Fenili  
 Elijah L. Fennell  
 Thomas A. Ferretti  
 Anthony Fike  
 William P. Flickema *cum laude*  
 Michael S. Forbis *cum laude*  
 Madison D. Forby *magna cum laude*  
 Nicholas Forsberg *cum laude*  
 Alexis Franco  
 Jesse L. Frawley *magna cum laude*  
 Malcolm J. Frazier  
 Hunter D. Frick  
 Thomas J. Gagliano  
 Gillian M. Gapski  
 Brandon Garcia  
 Ivan Garduno  
 Maxwell J. Gastel  
 Levi M. Gatewood◊  
 Tracy R. Gholson  
 Veronica M. Gilmore  
 Justin T. Gniadek *summa cum laude*  
 Thomas D. Goddard  
 David A. Graben  
 Olivia R. Graceffa  
 Amanda M. Graf  
 Vanessa O. Greer  
 Jessica D. Gregory  
 Aaron C. Grimes  
 Nicholas Guetterman  
 Emma R. Gullickson *cum laude*  
 Megan E. Hall *cum laude*★  
 Seamus R. Hall  
 Rozellyn Hampton  
 Cody W. Hargis★  
 Samantha J. Harlan  
 Joshua E. Harris  
 Omi W. Hart *cum laude*  
 Margaret L. Hartill *summa cum laude*  
 Taylor J. Haskenhoff *cum laude*  
 Maeson W. Hebert  
 Timothy W. Hefler *magna cum laude*  
 Zachary R. Heintzelman  
 Matthew L. Henby  
 Sarah E. Hepper *cum laude*  
 Francisco I. Hernandez  
 Shaun A. Herring  
 Derek Heuerman  
 Amie A. Hibbler *cum laude*  
 Antonius J. Hill  
 Daryl Z. Hill  
 Jeffrey C. Hodges *cum laude*  
 Maria C. Hoffman  
 Chaseton M. Holdman  
 Ryan Q. Hoppe *magna cum laude*  
 Jacey L. House  
 Justine K. Hryhorczuk  
 Nathaniel B. Huffman  
 Benjamin L. Hughes  
 Angel Huitron *magna cum laude*  
 Mattson L. Hurter  
 Mackenzie L. Icenogle  
 Josh C. Isenburg★  
 Karlie J. Isenhower-Hooper  
 Cole A. Iwema  
 Levi K. James  
 Colton P. Jensen  
 Andrew H. Jeong  
 Daniel Jezierny  
 Alexander Johnson★  
 Erin T. Johnson  
 Jacqueline R. Johnson  
     *summa cum laude*  
 Jordan Johnson  
 Kevin C. Johnson  
 Meagan E. Johnston  
 Brianna E. Jones  
 Dken J. Jones  
 Brandon G. Kaczmarek  
 Abdulla S. Kahil  
 Wyatt D. Kahley  
 Colton R. Karas  
 Anthony K. Keeler  
 Katherine J. Keenan  
 Kaston H. Keith *cum laude*  
 Dillon P. Keppel  
 Jackson W. Kestner  
     *summa cum laude*  
 Nathaniel B. Kirker  
 Trenton F. Kixmiller  
     *summa cum laude*  
 Cody M. Kleiser *magna cum laude*★  
 Ellie E. Knox *magna cum laude*  
 Travis D. Koeppen  
 William D. Kohlstedt  
 Jonathan M. Kolinek *cum laude*  
 Mateusz Kolosa  
 Jacob M. Komperda *cum laude*  
 Erik Kramer *cum laude*  
 Gary Krienitz  
 Kyle E. Kruckeberg  
 George T. Kuhlman  
 Nick Kuntzi  
 Alexander T. Lam *cum laude*  
 Kayce A. Landewee *cum laude*  
 Corey Layton *cum laude*  
 Fatima Leal  
 Keith W. Lecouris◊<sup>+</sup>  
 Matthew K. Lee  
 Nathan A. Lee  
 Tamera L. Leek  
 Sophie A. LeGore  
 Brooklyn K. Lehn

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 Chiyu Long  
 Faith A. Lorenz  
 Jeremy A. Love  
 Keith Lowe  
 Yumeng Lu *magna cum laude*  
 Jessica M. Lundy  
     *magna cum laude* ✦  
 Camren T. Luster  
 Brittany Luthy  
 Joshua Maciejewski  
 David R. Mahl  
 Joshua J. Malý  
 Deja M. Mannie  
 Richard E. Marko *magna cum laude*  
 Daniel P. Marks  
 Andre Martinez  
 Olivia G. Martinez *magna cum laude* ◊  
 Thomas J. Martinez  
 Carolyn R. Martino  
     *summa cum laude*  
 Christopher M. Maslouski  
 Hans C. Masten *magna cum laude*  
 William D. Masters  
 Nusura N. Matovu  
 Blake J. Maue  
 Jamie A. Maughan *cum laude*  
 Kolin R. Mayborne *magna cum laude*  
 McKenzie G. Mazeika  
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 Michael McCarthy  
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