


SPRING 2022

COMMENCEMENT





**Original Old Main
with student
body, 1870**

THE UNIVERSITY CHARTER

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

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

It included provisions for appointment of a Board of Trustees. One of the board's first orders of business under the act would be to "advertise for proposals from localities desiring to secure the location of said Normal University." The act required the board to "locate the institution at such point, as shall, all things considered, offer the most advantageous conditions. The land shall be selected south of the Railroad, or within six miles north of said road,

passing from St. Louis to Terre Haute known as the Alton and Terre Haute railroad, with a view of obtaining a good supply of water and other conveniences for the use of the institution."



Class of 1897

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

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

The inspirational message on the next page is 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.

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

**SOUTHERN ILLINOIS
UNIVERSITY**
ESTABLISHED 1869

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

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

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

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

"THE STAR-SPANGLED BANNER"

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

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

"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. This program includes only May 2022 graduates. August and December 2022 graduates will be included in the program for the December Commencement exercises.



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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	<i>cum laude</i>
Silver with black ribbon	<i>magna cum laude</i>
Gold with black ribbon	<i>summa cum laude</i>
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 43-44.

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 MEDICINE

SIU CARBONDALE

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Segun Ojewuyi

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and Media*

Terry Clark

*Dean, College of Business
and Analytics*

Xiaoqing (Frank) Liu

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

Robert Morgan

*Dean, College of Health
and Human Sciences*

Andrew Balkansky

*Interim Dean, College of
Liberal Arts*

M Cecil Smith

Dean, School of Education

Camille M. Davidson

Dean, School of Law

John Pollitz

Dean, Library Affairs

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Graduate School*

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Dear Members of the Class of 2022:

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

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

Your time at SIU included the celebration of our 150th anniversary and the launch of our strategic plan, *Imagine 2030*, as we start our next 150 years. That makes you an important part of both our history and our future, our tradition and promise. Like those who came before, you have benefitted from outstanding faculty and staff committed to helping you learn and succeed. You are also a role model who demonstrates to future Salukis that everything is possible at SIU.

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

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

If you have not already done so, please take a moment to give thanks to family members, friends, faculty and staff who supported you along the way. On behalf of the entire university, thank you for letting us be a part of your success. We look forward to learning of your many accomplishments as SIU alumni.

Go Dawgs!

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

Austin A. Lane
Chancellor

COMMENCEMENT DIGNITARIES

Master of Ceremonies

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

Honorary Reader

Darryl Clark, *Assistant Professor*
Department of Theater

Commencement Band Director

George Brozak, *Senior Lecturer*
School of Music

Commencement Vocalist

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

Julia Cicero, *Bachelor of Fine Arts*
in Musical Theater

DISTINGUISHED FACULTY AND STAFF

TEACHING EXCELLENCE AWARD RECIPIENT

Phil Anton, *Associate Professor*
School of Human Sciences,
College of Health and Human Sciences

Daniel Silver, *Clinical Associate Professor*
School of Justice and Public Safety,
College of Health and Human Sciences

EARLY CAREER FACULTY EXCELLENCE AWARD RECIPIENT

Amir Sadeghpour, *Associate Professor*
School of Agricultural Sciences,
College of Agricultural, Life, and Physical Sciences

WOMEN OF DISTINCTION AWARD RECIPIENT

Cindy Buys, *Professor and Director of International
Law Programs*
School of Law

EMERGING LEADER AWARD RECIPIENT

Cristina Castillo, *Coordinator of the Hispanic/Latino
Resource Center*
Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion

STAFF EXCELLENCE AWARD RECIPIENTS

Tarnisha Green, *Director of the Success in Engineering
through Excellence and Diversity program*
College of Engineering, Computing, Technology,
and Mathematics

Cynthia Heisner, *Office Administrator*
School of Law

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School of Health Sciences

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

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School of Communication Studies

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School of Electrical, Computer, and Biomedical
Engineering

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Joseph Sramek, *Faculty Senate, Associate Professor, History, College of Liberal Arts*

Faculty Marshals

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Marc Morris, *Associate Provost for Academic Affairs*

Phil Anton, *Associate Professor School of Human Sciences, College of Health and Human Sciences and Teaching Excellence Award recipient*

Daniel Silver, *Clinical Associate Professor School of Justice and Public Safety, College of Health and Human Sciences and Teaching Excellence Award recipient*

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College of Agricultural, Life, and Physical Sciences
Undergraduate: Samantha Denae Park
Graduate: Alexa Jacobs

College of Health and Human Sciences
Undergraduate: Madison Fleege
Graduate: Ayse Elma

College of Arts and Media
Undergraduate: Riley F. Herron
Graduate: Claude Ryan Towery

College of Liberal Arts
Undergraduate: Emily N. Buikema
Graduate: Melissa M. Cronin

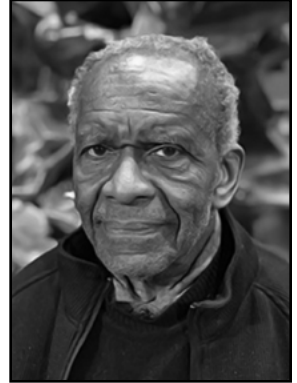
College of Engineering, Computing, Technology, and Mathematics
Undergraduate: Zachary G. Boehl
Graduate: Merrill Edward August Dennison

School of Education
Undergraduate: Abigail C. Bayer
Graduate: Benard Chindia

HONORARY DEGREES

RICHARD HUNT DOCTOR OF PUBLIC ARTS

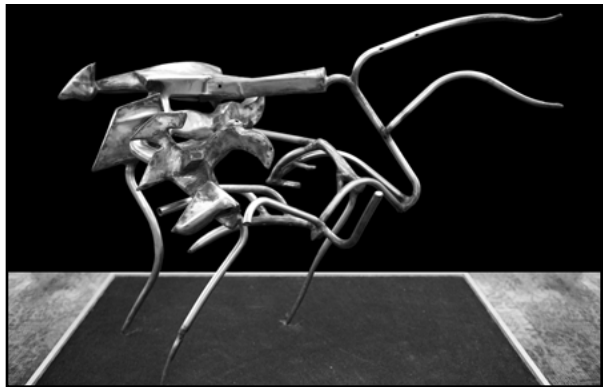
Richard Hunt is perhaps the most important living contemporary sculptor in the United States. He has more than 150 public commissions to his name and recently completed a 13-year project that resulted in a stunning tribute to Ida B. Wells in the Bronzeville neighborhood in Chicago. His welded bronze sculpture, *Swing Low*, hangs over the entrance of the lobby of the National Museum of African American History and Culture in Washington, D.C. On February 28, 2022, the Obama Foundation announced its first commissioned piece of art will be his sculpture, *Book Bird*, which will be placed in the Library Reading Garden outside of the new Chicago Public Library branch on the Obama Presidential Center campus. His work is on display in more than 20 states, more than any other sculptor.



Mr. Hunt was born on the south side of Chicago and attended the Junior School of the Art Institute of Chicago, where he began his interest in art. His work began at home and he was the youngest exhibiting artist at the 1962 World's Fair in Seattle. He earned a Bachelor of Arts in Education from the Art Institute of Chicago in 1957. He went on to serve in the United States Army from 1958-1960.

He was appointed by President Lyndon B. Johnson as one of the first artists to serve on the governing board of the National Endowment for the Arts, and he also served on the board of the Smithsonian Institution.

In 1969, Mr. Hunt became a visiting artist at SIU Carbondale, where he had a one-person show in 1970 in the campus' Mitchell Gallery. SIU students were able to be inspired by his work, and he taught both sculpture and



Running Hybrids on display on the third floor of Morris Library

printmaking during his time in Carbondale. He has remained engaged and supportive of SIU Carbondale, helping to facilitate the donation of dozens of important prints and pieces of artwork to the University Museum from a New York City gallery and his own personal collection.

Mr. Hunt is recognized as the foremost African-American abstract sculptor and artist of public sculpture. In 1971, he was one of the first Black artists to be given a solo exhibition at the Museum of Modern Art in New York. Today, his welded bronze work *Starwalk* is on display at the University Museum Sculpture Garden by Faner Hall.

In 2009, Mr. Hunt received the Lifetime Achievement Award from the International Sculpture Center.

Mr. Richard Hunt will receive his honorary Doctor of Public Arts in the 1:30 p.m. ceremony.

DR. CHO-YEE TO

DOCTOR OF EDUCATIONAL LEADERSHIP

SIU Carbondale graduate **Cho-Yee To** is an internationally recognized educator, scholar and pioneer in multidisciplinary inquiry in educational theory. A professor emeritus at the University of Michigan, Professor To has held academic appointments at institutions in the United States and Asia. A Hong Kong native of Chinese ancestry, Dr. To earned a Bachelor of Education degree from United College of Hong Kong/The Chinese University of Hong Kong in 1959 and a Master of Education degree from Washington University in 1963. Dr. To earned his Ph.D. in Education from SIU Carbondale in 1967 with a dissertation entitled "John Dewey's Conception of the Relation of Education to the Democratic Ideal."

Dr. To began his academic career at SIU Carbondale in the Center for Dewey Studies. He joined the University of Michigan faculty in 1967 as an assistant professor and was later promoted to associate professor and full professor. As an internationally recognized educator, Dr. To has served as a visiting professor, research professor and dean of education at the Chinese University of Hong Kong; the Gerald R. Read Professor at Kent State University; the Ruth Wong Lecturer and T.Y. Wu Lecturer at the National University of Singapore; and the Daisaku Ikeda Lecturer of Soka Gakkai International of Tokyo.



Dr. Cho-Yee To with student editors at the University of Michigan.

Washington University recognized Dr. To as a distinguished alumnus in 2016, and he earned the Bronze Bauhinia Star from Hong Kong Special Administrative Region in 2006. He has also received honorary professorships at universities in China, England, Japan, Korea and Malaysia.

Dr. Cho-Yee To will receive his Honorary Doctor of Educational Leadership in the 1:30 p.m. ceremony.

DISTINGUISHED SERVICE AWARDS

CAROLYN TAFT GROSBOLL

After earning undergraduate and law degrees from Southern Illinois University Carbondale, **Carolyn Taft Grosboll** made significant contributions to the administration of justice and the preservation of natural resources in Illinois throughout her public service to the State of Illinois.

By virtue of her appointment by the Justices, Ms. Grosboll served in the constitutional position of Clerk of the Illinois Supreme Court for 11 years until her retirement in December 2021. She had previously worked as legal counsel and then Director of the Illinois Nature Preserves Commission, attorney in the Illinois Secretary of State's office and a drafter of legislation in the Legislation Reference Bureau, thereby serving in all three branches of state government. Prior to her appointment as clerk, Ms. Grosboll was a partner with a Springfield law firm.



As Supreme Court Clerk, Ms. Grosboll played a leading role in modernizing and streamlining operations of the Court. Her efforts transformed the office from paper to digital and included developing the Court's first e-filing process, creating electronic sharing of documents among Court staff and developing a new, more efficient electronic case management system. She developed online methods for law firms to register with the office each year, new attorneys to pay law license fees, attorneys to request and pay for certificates of good standing and state court judges to file their required annual judicial ethics statement. Her innovative efforts improved communication, enhanced case management and expanded public access.

With the advent of the Covid-19 pandemic, Ms. Grosboll quickly adapted Court operations to hold Terms of Court via video conference. She developed a detailed guideline to assist counsel in preparing for virtual oral arguments. The Court and legal counsel were provided specific virtual backgrounds, for use during the arguments, to appear as if they were in the courtroom. Ms. Grosboll also swiftly established protocols for a virtual new attorney admission ceremony in lieu of the traditional in-person ceremonies.



Carolyn Grosboll with justices of the Illinois Supreme Court. From left: David K. Overstreet, P. Scott Neville Jr., Chief Justice Anne M. Burke, Rita B. Garman, Carolyn Grosboll, Mary Jane Theis, Michael J. Burke, Robert L. Carter.

As Director of the Illinois Nature Preserves Commission, Ms. Grosboll spearheaded creation of the Illinois Land and Water Reserves program and oversaw the long-term protection and stewardship of over 91,000 acres of land dedicated as Illinois Nature Preserves and registered as Reserves. These programs permanently protect lands with rare plants, animals, and unique natural features, including tall grass prairies, oak groves, sandstone bluffs, wetlands,

bogs and other threatened natural areas. They are the last remnants of the Illinois wilderness, which provide habitat for many endangered species.

Ms. Grosboll served as president of the Board of Directors of Illinois Audubon Society, the state's oldest conservation organization, president of Sojourn Shelter which provides services to domestic violence victims, and as the first female president of the Illinois Government Bar Association, an organization of attorneys working in local, state and federal agencies. She also served on the executive committee of the National Conference of Appellate Court Clerks.

In all of her endeavors, Ms. Grosboll built a reputation as a smart, innovative, effective and unflinchingly professional contributor to the legal system, the environment and public welfare.

Carolyn Grosboll will receive her Distinguished Service Award in the 9 a.m. ceremony.

THE HONORABLE ROLAND W. BURRIS

Roland W. Burris has had a distinguished career as a politician, holding groundbreaking positions in both state and national government. He began his career in banking, becoming the first African American national bank examiner when hired by the U.S. Treasury's Office of the Comptroller of the Currency for the Chicago region in 1963. He was also the first African American to be elected to an Illinois state office in 1978 when he began his first term as the Illinois State Comptroller. After serving three terms as the State Comptroller he was elected Attorney General in 1989. At that time, the only African American in an elected state office who held a higher position was Virginia Governor Douglas Wilder.

Furthermore, his other professional experience includes serving as Director of the Department of General Services under Governor Dan Walker and as Vice President of Continental Illinois National Bank. His private legal practice focused on environmental, consumer affairs and estate law. His volunteer efforts have included serving in leadership roles with Goodwill Industries, the Auditorium Theater of Chicago, the SIU Foundation and the SIU Carbondale College of Liberal Arts Alumni Society Board.



Members of Alpha Phi Alpha fraternity in 1958.

Front row, from left: John Holmes, secretary; J. C. Penn, advisor; Jan F. Peters, president;

Melvin D. Brown, Roland Burris, vice president

Second row, from left: James A. Stephens; Herman Ayers; Howard Branch; Vernon Whitlock;

Melvin C. Markham, representative to IFC and Inter-Greek; Charles Steptoe, dean of pledges

Not pictured: William Lanum, Donald McGee, John Diggs, Harvey Welch, Ed Risby, Robert Crim

In 2008, Mr. Burris established the Burris Financial Emergency Endowment Fund at the SIU Foundation to support students facing financial distress. In January 2009, Mr. Burris was appointed United States Senator from Illinois to fill the seat vacated by President-elect Barack Obama. He was just the sixth African American to serve in that body and was the first and only SIU Carbondale graduate to hold that seat.

Mr. Burris earned numerous honors from SIU including the SIU Alumni Achievement Award. He has been recognized by his hometown of Centralia, Illinois, having been inducted into the Centralia Hall of Fame, having a road named in his honor and having September 11, 2021, designated as Roland Burris Day.

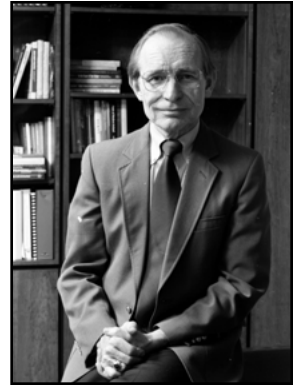
Mr. Burris earned his bachelor's degree in political science from SIU Carbondale in 1959.

The Honorable Roland W. Burris will receive his Distinguished Service Award at the 1:30 p.m. ceremony.

DR. JOHN S. JACKSON III

Dr. John Jackson has devoted more than 50 years of his professional and personal life to serving the campus, first joining the faculty in 1969 as an assistant professor in political science. He rose through the ranks to earn a tenured professor position before becoming an effective higher education administrator.

He has served in various leadership roles in the Graduate School and was Dean of the College of Liberal Arts for more than a decade. He later became Interim Provost and Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs and then served as Interim Chancellor. In 2002, he joined the Paul Simon Public Policy Institute as a visiting instructor, where he has continued his scholarship, research and service for the betterment of the university, region and state.



He has devoted himself to teaching and mentoring young people who have gone on to careers in local, state, national and international levels. His research profile and publications are impressive. Even in retirement he is devoted to making scholarly contributions and works with student researchers to help them realize their own potential to make a mark on the world as they follow their passions.

For many years during his retirement, he also worked with international students on summer programs through the United States State Department, promoting international relations and cultural appreciation while teaching about American democracy. He continuously seeks and promotes opportunities for students to gain real world experience through internships in public policy and government service. Dr. Jackson continues to be a respected voice heard across all of Illinois through television, radio and newspaper interviews where his keen insights into elections, polling data and societal trends helps all Illinoisans better understand our world.

Of special note, as SIU prepared to celebrate its 150th anniversary in 2019, Dr. Jackson was asked to oversee the compilation of a history of the institution and served as editor of the 357-page manuscript that does a beautiful job of telling SIU Carbondale's rich history. The *Southern Illinoisan* provided an excellent review of both the book and of Dr. Jackson's impact on his community in its April 10, 2019, article: "Led by a legendary historian, SIUC looks back at 150 years with birthday book." The article goes on to say that Dr. Jackson wrote the book's first and last chapters and edited the rest, carefully checking every fact, date and photo.

Dr. John S. Jackson III will receive his Distinguished Service Award at the 1:30 p.m. ceremony.



MAY 7, 2022
BANTERRA CENTER
9 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 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 Banterra Center floor during or after the ceremony. Thank you.

◊ University Honors program member

◆ Multiple degree candidate

† Posthumous degree

cum laude 3.5–3.749

magna cum laude 3.75–3.899

summa cum laude 3.9–4.0

COLLEGE OF AGRICULTURAL, LIFE, AND PHYSICAL SCIENCES

Doctor of Philosophy

Christopher L. Barkau

Molecular Biology, Microbiology, and Biochemistry

Keith T. Gagnon, Ph.D.

“Development of Small Oligonucleotides to Control
CRISPR-Cas9 Activity”

Michael Stephen Bosmeny

Molecular Biology, Microbiology, and Biochemistry

Ramesh Gupta, Ph.D.

“Structural and Functional Studies of H. Volcanii Box
C/D Proteins and Roles for Human PUS10
Beyond Pseudouridine Synthesis”

Lee Austin Elliott

Chemistry

Gary R. Kinsel, Ph.D.

“Thermodynamic Studies of Gas Phase Equilibria and
Analyte Gas-Phase Basicities in MALDI-MS”

Richard Flamio

Zoology

Edward J. Heist, Ph.D.

“Development of Genomic Resources for the
Conservation of the Endangered Pallid
Sturgeon (*Scaphirhynchus albus*)”

Lihong Gao

Chemistry

Yuqing Hou, Ph.D.

“Modulation and Secondary Bond Assisted Formation
of Covalent Organic Framework”

Amala Kaja

Molecular Biology, Microbiology, and Biochemistry

Sukesh R. Bhaumik, Ph.D.

“Novel Gene Regulatory Mechanisms with
Implications in Cancer”

Prasanna Dnyaneshwar Patil

Applied Physics

Saikat Talapatra, Ph.D.

“Role of Trap States on Electronic and Optoelectronic
Properties of Two-Dimensional (2D) Selenide-
Based Materials”

Yub Raj Sapkota

Applied Physics

Dipanjan Mazumdar, Ph.D.

“Development of Novel Magnetic and Electronic
Thin Films For Next Generation Spintronic
Applications”

Masaya Takahashi

Applied Physics

Mark M. Byrd, Ph.D.

“Creating, Destroying and Preserving Coherence with
Quantum Channels”

Janice Esmid Valencia Duarte

Plant Biology

Kurt M. Neubig, Ph.D. and Matthew Geisler, Ph.D.

“Outrageous Orchid Organellar Genomes: Structural
Evolution and Composition”

Master of Science

Olayemi M. Adebayo
Megan A. Alkazoff
Abdulaziz Mohammed A.
 Almaghrabi
Ryan A. Archibald
Samuel J. Ayala
Steven Bachleda
Joshua C. Bailey
Desiree Nakia Baker
Max A. Benstine
Taryn Elizabeth Ann Bieri
Aaron Mikkael Bower
Emma E. Eldridge
Luke Alan Ellert-Beck
Ellen Rose Esling
Moses B. Gaither-Ganim
Chase A. Gibbs
Christopher J. Gilbert

Christopher H. Hill
Patrick T. Hogan
Heather G. Huffman
Charles Hughes
Kendall Hyde
Emily N. Inglis
Karan Shailesh Maindan
Hannah Manninen
Catherine Anne Mirtó
Daniel Francis Montgomery
Omar Morales
Hala Mahmoud Nour
Dorinda O'Garro
Afeez Ayodeji Olisa
Lindsey Mae Orphan
Alexandra Ostroverkhova
Gammanage Sathya
 Madhuwanthi Perera

Andrew Peters
Jennifer Nicole Pierce
Dipty Poudel
Luis R. Prado
Preston M. Price
Nana E. Quainoo
Tori Danielle Rhone
Maggie L. Rose
Connor W. Schwepe
Ayana Scott-Elliston
Grant L. Snow
Camille Steenrod
Madhabi Tiwari
Erin Rachel Todd
Kelsey J. Vaughn
Breanna Faye Whitley
Andrew T. Wieland
Rachel L. Wright

Bachelor of Arts

Mason Dulakis
 Summa Cum Laude ◊

Erin McCandless
Tre Whitt

Noah E. Wilson *Cum Laude*

Bachelor of Science

Themis Abarca *Magna Cum Laude*
Blake W. Abt
Nezar Abunnur
 Magna Cum Laude ◊
Isaiah E. Aden *Magna Cum Laude*
Xavier J. Agyakye
Moiz F. Alam *Cum Laude*
Anthony M. Ally-Novak
Annabelle F. Altman
 Magna Cum Laude
Levi H. Anglin
Natalin D. Aumiller
Emmanuel O. Ayeni
Emilee M. Baker
 Magna Cum Laude
Alexandra E. Barnes
Zachary Paul Beckmann
Tyler R. Bennett *Cum Laude*
Ethan M. Bernard
Jack W. Blomme
Allyssa N. Boerngen *Cum Laude*
Beau James Branyan
Jordan M. Brazinski
 Magna Cum Laude

Morgan E. Brown
 Magna Cum Laude ◊
Dalton E. Browning
 Magna Cum Laude
Braxton R. Burgener
 Summa Cum Laude
Francesca C. Burkett
 Summa Cum Laude ◊ ✦
Blaine A. Calloni
 Summa Cum Laude
Sara E. Carman
Christopher K. Carrigan
 Cum Laude
Adrianna Carter
Noela F. Caveró-Egusquiza
Hunter Miles Christenson
Alisha Moran Clark
 Magna Cum Laude
Jaryd D. Clark
Kameron R. Cole
Reagen C. Conklin *Cum Laude*
Alena Sue Cowsert
Estefania Cruz
Katherine E. Czarny *Cum Laude*

Jordan M. Daly
 Magna Cum Laude
Alec M. Damron
 Summa Cum Laude
Natalie G. Daniel
Tiana Chevaun Daniels
Robert Michelle Davis Jr.
Dominique DeJesus
Brendan T. Dinga *Cum Laude*
Sydney J. Dix *Cum Laude* ◊
Blake T. Doll
Isabella N. Dollus
Kaleb R. Doty *Cum Laude*
Khloe R. Drahos
John L. Duax
Emily Victoria Duran
 Magna Cum Laude
Cole T. DuSablón
Noah C. Farmer
 Magna Cum Laude ◊
Devin C. Flach
 Summa Cum Laude
Colton G. Flak
Penny B. Flood
 Summa Cum Laude

Elizabeth Foley
John Garver V
Mark P. Geregach
Jordan J. Gerig
Matthew J. Graessle *Cum Laude*
Christopher Steven Griffin
Chandler R. Hady
Magna Cum Laude
Kathryn A. Hajny
Magna Cum Laude
Leah L. Hall *Cum Laude*
Christopher Andrew Harla
Garrett T. Hartke
Taylor K. Hartke
Summa Cum Laude
Derek S. Hartmann *Cum Laude*
Addie L. Hemrich
Magna Cum Laude
Alyssa M. Honey
Magna Cum Laude
Faith Isabelle Houston
Madelyn J. Houston
Cecily Jester
Bridgette L. Jordan
Reed B. Jostes *Cum Laude*
Cole A. Kallenbach *Cum Laude* ◊
Daisy M. Kaplan
Christian Douglas Kessler
Summa Cum Laude
Jacob William Kirgan *Cum Laude*
Seth A. Kocher *Magna Cum Laude*
Jarrod Kopping
Jadon C. Kuhl
Eleanor C. Kuhlman *Cum Laude* ◊
Marissa J. Lamczyk *Cum Laude*
Dominique E. Lavorini
Sherry N. Law
Chloe E. Leonard
Magna Cum Laude ◊
Elysia Lewis
Summa Cum Laude ◊ ✦
Dylan E. Lopez *Cum Laude* ◊
Robert E. Lugge
Morgan R. Lybarger
Kailyn Marie Mast
Sydney L. Matusik
Summa Cum Laude
Katie Elizabeth McCauley
Kody J. McCleary
Magna Cum Laude

Keegan S. McConnell
Cum Laude ◊
George Phillip Mcgoldrick
Josef P. Mckee
Summa Cum Laude
Jackson H. McPhail *Cum Laude*
Ivan Xavier Melchor
Jessica F. Melloy
Magna Cum Laude
Rachel L. Miller
Summa Cum Laude
Dagan S. Mizeur
Garrett D. Morgenstern
Asma Mubarak
Molly N. Nance
Jackson J. Neely *Cum Laude*
Kyle A. Offerman
Katelyn M. O'Neal
Bradley Joseph Oseland
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Summa Cum Laude
Justine Elizabeth Pankey
Samantha Denae Park
Magna Cum Laude ◊
Michael B. Parks
Anuj S. Pawar *Cum Laude* ◊
Bridget V. Payne
Summa Cum Laude
Bryce A. Peter *Magna Cum Laude*
Anthony F. Petrilla
Summa Cum Laude ◊
Eduardo Picado
Jesse N. Plunk
Benjamin D. Polo
Summa Cum Laude ◊
Madeline Jean Porter *Cum Laude*
Austin R. Potter
Jonnathan Xavier Quizhpi Salas
Cum Laude
Matthew T. Rankin
Ajay E. Rao
Georgie Michal Ren
Jacob T. Rhodes *Cum Laude*
Emilio G. Rivera
Rebecca K. Royer
Summa Cum Laude
Elaine M. Rudolphi
Summa Cum Laude
Elizabeth A. Saery
Magna Cum Laude ◊

Megan B. Saltgaver
Summa Cum Laude ◊
Addison S. Sanders
Magna Cum Laude ◊
Waheed A. Sawar *Cum Laude* ◊
Bradley Schaefer
Kayla Schiera
Euan R. Schmid
Summa Cum Laude
Madison Marie Schmidt
Chase C. Schneider
Andrew C. Schuepbach
Nicholas Schultz
Carlynn Annessa Scott
Maurnice Ann Scott
Jack W. Seisser
Alban Sinani
Brooke Ellen Sinn ◊
Mackenzie Nicole Snyder
Cum Laude
Allison G. Stacks
Savanna J. Staley
Magna Cum Laude ◊
Blake D. Steckel
Jay R. Stierwalt
Grant J. Stockrahm *Cum Laude*
Ashnton Taylor Szymceck
Hannah E. Tebbe
Summa Cum Laude
Caitlin S. Tippy
Summa Cum Laude
Bryce R. Trojczak *Cum Laude*
Jacob J. Turley
Arnold E. Ukagwu
Zachary S. Verzino
Chase Michael Lawrence Vieweg
Lincoln W. Weber
Summa Cum Laude ◊
Jake A. Wente
Allie R. Whittington
Magna Cum Laude ◊
Logan C. Willoughby
Jacee S. Woodward
Kaelynn Noel Worley *Cum Laude*
Madison B. Worthington
Summa Cum Laude
Zhaoxi Yuan
Zachary L. Zappa
Summa Cum Laude ◊
Nina Moralde Zavala *Cum Laude*
Carson R. Zindars

COLLEGE OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SCIENCES

Doctor of Philosophy

Phillip Michael Galli

Criminology & Criminal Justice

Breanne R. Pleggenkuhle, Ph.D.

“Outside and In: Social Support’s Relationship with Support While Incarcerated”

Sebastian Garcia Zambrano

Psychology

Eric Jacobs, Ph.D.

“Development of a Behavioral Assessment of Perspective Taking in Adults”

Stephanie Christine Jerstad

Criminology & Criminal Justice

Breanne R. Pleggenkuhle, Ph.D.

“Care for the Aging: Long-Term Care Facilities Willingness to Accept Persons Convicted of Sexual Offending”

Simone Dhanielle Roby

Psychology

Tawanda M. Greer-Medley, Ph.D.

and Kathleen Chwalisz, Ph.D.

“Narratives of Agency: LGBTQ+ African American Students Thriving at a Predominantly White Institution”

Fatoumata Saidou Hangadoumbo

Health Education

Justin T. McDaniel, Ph.D.

“Prevalence of Disability Among Veterans and Nonveterans Aged 65 Years and Older in the United States: Differences By Area-Level Rurality and Poverty”

Master of Arts

Rasheed Babatunde Ibrahim

Lucia Manriquez Leon

Jordanne Cimone Miller

Rachel J. Rearden

Babatunde Abdul-Qurdril Soyeye

Luanne Jo Brown Woolf

Master of Health Administration

Aliah C. Asad

Neel Bose

Kevin Keith Derrickson

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Tamera Ne'lana Pratt

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Coya Sarae Richardson

Morgan Leigh Williford

Master of Health Informatics

Arjana Bhattarai

Manisha Bhattarai

Holly Anne Grider

Azideen T. Hajissa

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Fernando Ray Trujillo

Master of Public Health

Luanna R. Flagg

Olivia P. Hood

Celena M. Slowick

Master of Science

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Matthew W. Krug
Jaydeshia Lee
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Drew J. Lucas
Erin Malinowski
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Jon O'Dowd⁹
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Paige E. Piller
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Allison R. Pitman
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Cady Lucille Sanborn
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Anthony M. Soler⁹
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Madison M. Virden
Scott L. Zimmerman

Master of Science in Education

Jordan K. Alford
Ramanjot Bains
Jajuan S. Blankenship
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Alex E. Duda
Vincent T. Falzone
Laura Jane Heron

Keyantta J. Houston
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Brandon Lee
Peter Lewis Molloy
Kailey Ann Reynolds
Charmonique Elaine Rogers
Madeline Rushing

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Andrew R. Savignac
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Nia Ellyse Ward
Imani Alonte Welch

Master of Social Work

Tia Marie Arthur
Eric Banks
Jerrie Renee Baxley-Brown
Tiffany Elaine Blasdel
Alexis C. Brooks
Elena R. Cornelius
Carolyn Crosswhite
Lexi Dryier
Jordan B. Eberhart
Madison Lynn Edwards
Rachel A. Ewing
Courtney R. Ford
Lisa K. Frederick
Mercy Ehirim Gadzekpo
Jerricha Alexis Griffin
Meg M. Haggard
Micaela Heine
Kelsey L. Hobbs

Skylar A. Houseman-Eddings
Krysta Ann Howell
Brenna L. Howerton
Karly L. Jones
Jordan A. Keepes
River J. Ketcherside
Laverne L. Little-Davis
Stephanie M. Martinez
Raelyn M. Melton
Samantha R. Mertes
Zack Cole Mifflin
Brock Jason Navarro
Chesli Jordon Nigra
Paige Noelle Otto
Marcellous Pollards
Sydney J. Ray
Cody J. Roberts
Krystal Rodriguez

Kyara C. Rogers
Crystal Anne Schroeder
Ian Smith
Jaelee Rashea Stevens
Hunter McKane Tasky
Audrea Mae Tellor
Tesla Fay Travelstead
Jack Phillip Trexler Jr.
Priscilla Vega
Kassandra A. Vicente
Brookelyn N. Wahl
Chelsey N. Wilkins
Garrie Wilson Jr.
Rachel L. Wilson
Sophia L. Winters
Nur Istianah Binti Zaid

Bachelor of Arts

Grace A. Abry *Cum Laude*
Yancy G. Alvarenga *Cum Laude* ◊
Manisa J. Amison
Kindra A. Baltzell
Lashanda A. Bascombe
Quinn Li WuXing Bennett
Cum Laude ◊
Trevon Bingham
Ashley N. Binkley
Sterling Elizabeth Blonigen
Cum Laude ◊
Tianna D. Boyland
Summa Cum Laude
Ethan M. Bruns
Summa Cum Laude
Forget Campbell
Amber K. Canby
Lauryn Castro
Benjamin R. Chapman
Aysha Lily Chen
Adrianna Raindrop Chorney
Magna Cum Laude
Brittanie M. Coffie
Gillian C. Collie *Cum Laude*
Kayla A. Cooper
Magna Cum Laude ◊
Erica M. Cramm
Natalie M. Curley
Summa Cum Laude
Aleceya S. Davis *Cum Laude*
Sophia Rae De Hoyos
Conor Patrick Dixon-Ely
Cum Laude
Kaitlyn A. Dodson
Summa Cum Laude ◊
Shannon F. Doyle *Cum Laude*
LaTanya M. Dunlap *Cum Laude*
Tanner A. Dunn
Magna Cum Laude
Emily S. Echevarria
Summa Cum Laude ◊
Shawniqua T. Echols

Ashlyn Paige Eddings
Magna Cum Laude
Tina Marie Edwards
Antekia Nicole Ellis
Rachel M. Evrard
Jordan L. Farny
Michaela Fisher
Tashayana T. Flanagan
Raisa I. Fountain *Cum Laude*
Lauren N. Frost
Magna Cum Laude
Bianca N. Gangale
Karlie J. Glisson
Summa Cum Laude
Kendell Y. Godina
Magna Cum Laude
Ciarrah J. Gordon *Cum Laude*
Trinity AshLee Gore
Magna Cum Laude
Harley A. Graham
Mallory L. Harrity
Hannah Nicole Hartleroad
Genna Grace Heitz
Billie J. Hendricks
Aedrea L. Hogan
Magna Cum Laude
Mary K. Holland
Ann Hunt
Kierra D. Hybarger
Meghan Marie Jacobsen
Fernando Jaramillo
Jessica L. Kautz
Rebecca Lynn Kieffer
Summa Cum Laude
Susan M. Kiemschies
Whitney D. Kuhlmann
Danielle Nicole LaPradd
Summa Cum Laude
Taylor C. Lee
Brodie Matthew Lenon
Blake Jarret Lott
Devin L. Manuel

Tabitha N. Martin
Summa Cum Laude
Gage M. McPhail
Trevor C. Mikos
Obadiah David Mims
Faith A. Mooney
Magna Cum Laude ◊
Gregory D. Morris
Savanna M. Neuman
Holly M. Oldham ✦
Landon Owens *Cum Laude*
Tehya R. Payne
Caitlynn M. Phillips
Malik A. Pugh *Cum Laude*
Abigail H Ramsey
Summa Cum Laude ◊
Cayla R. Richard
Magna Cum Laude
Ashley N. Riner
Isabella R. Ryan
Emma M. Schriener *Cum Laude*
Maggie Elizabeth Scobee
Barilynn Shelby
Summa Cum Laude
Kathleen MacKenzie Smith
Taylor Nicola Smith-Whitehead
Oyinlade Rasheedat Sowunmi
Morgan Denielle Squyres
Khristion Tyler Stemm *Cum Laude*
Nicholas A. Stepanov
Jamie J. Stephens
Summa Cum Laude
Bryan Cartez Tucker
Chelsey N. Varela
Summa Cum Laude
Antonio E. Vasquez
Kamryn D. Wade
Summa Cum Laude
Jaria Monay Williams
John M. Williams
Marah E. Willmore
Summa Cum Laude ◊
Aedan Wright
Summa Cum Laude ◊

Bachelor of Science

- Cody Adams
Javier Aguirre Jr.
Magna Cum Laude
Salwa M. Ahmed *Cum Laude*
Omolara Oluwakemi Akingbola
Cum Laude
Declan Nathaniel Alexander
Brenden Ray Allen
Hanna J. Allen *Magna Cum Laude*
Jessica Alvarez *Cum Laude*
Tyler J. Anthony *Cum Laude*
Richard M. Armentano⁹
Nickolas Wayne Armstrong
Madison A. Arnold
Bryan K. Asamoah
Daisy Atempa
Jessica Lynn Atkinson
Benjamin M. Austermuehle
Moises Alonso Avelar¹²
Mikaelah N. Avery
Logan Andrew Baggett
Simon P. Barbel *Cum Laude*
Dylan James Barnett
Cassidy K. Battista
Gagandeep Bedi
Hailey M. Bellian
Valeria Beltran
Summa Cum Laude
Alexandra R. Beumer
Summa Cum Laude
Hannah N. Binnion
Matthew G. Blalock
Summa Cum Laude ◊
Meadow E. Boden
Summa Cum Laude ✦
Kyle A. Borgman
Samantha R. Boring
Jacara F. Brisco
Bryleigh K. Buchanan *Cum Laude*
Ashlyn Taylor Burk *Cum Laude*
Jordan C. Burnham *Cum Laude*
Donna L. Burroughs
Chance Fredrick Bush
Sarah Ann Marie Cada
Summa Cum Laude ✦
Michael Joseph Callender²⁹
Kyle Jeremy Campbell
Sarah Nicole Campbell
Elizabeth Caraker
William Carpenter *Cum Laude* ✦
Lauren Carter
Hannah M. Casillas
Juliza Paulina Cervantes
Cum Laude
Kyle B. Chambers
Mariza Charicata
James Andrew Chirichello
Matthew J. Christiansen
Cailey M. Clark *Cum Laude*
Arley J. Coleman
Magna Cum Laude
Lindsey Taylor Collins *Cum Laude*
Abdon Contreras-Sanchez
Magna Cum Laude
Kenton D. Crawford
Madison L. Cunningham
Cum Laude
Natalie Curtis *Magna Cum Laude*
Paige M. Daly *Cum Laude*
Sean M. Daly
Amanda Lee Davis
Molly K. Dearmond
Kayla Jane DeHerrera¹²
Sekou Dembele
Christopher J. Dennison
Abigail F. Desmet
Magna Cum Laude
Nathan G. Diazleal
Magna Cum Laude ✦
Mackenzie M. Dicharia
Patrick J. Dolce
Sapphire Marie Durham
Gregory Dziubek
Magna Cum Laude
Arnold J. Eckart Jr.
Summa Cum Laude
Elizabeth G. Edmondson
Cum Laude
Danyelle R. Eilers
Breanna Monae Eke
Daniel Lawrence Ellison⁹
Jera L. Engel
Joseph A. Ermel ✦ †
Abigail Renee Evans²
Jeffrey David Feo² *Cum Laude*
Michael A. Fiorina²
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Jeffery Foster
Catherine A. Franch
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Sydney Nicole Furman
Michael Frank Gabriele Jr.²⁹
Javier Galvez Jr.
Matilda V. Gamble
Summa Cum Laude
Andrea Gant
Tichina D. Gardner
Presley M. Gauch
Jomy George
Kaelee J. Germain
Magna Cum Laude ✦
Alessandro B. Gianni²⁹
Erdal Gledovic
Xavier Alexander Gliesman
Isaiah J. Gonzales
Jon Michael Gonzalez¹⁰
Lucas M. Goodsell
Lydia Grace Goodson *Cum Laude*
Christopher Steven Grande⁹
Kristen Arielle Gross *Cum Laude*
Chloe E. Grover
Magna Cum Laude
Daniel Gruzewski *Cum Laude* ✦
Ryan William Guluzza
Majesty C. Gunn *Cum Laude*
Evan M. Gustus
Jacob Andrew Gyori
Daniel T. Haefke
Anthony Michael Hall
Noah M. Hallaron
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Kyle M. Hanes² *Magna Cum Laude*
Jakob Andrew Hanson
Tiffany C. Haritos
Benjamin B. Harvey
Bayasgalant Hayanhirvaa
Cum Laude
Allena M. Healy
Summa Cum Laude ◊
Christian S. Hedges
Jeffrey Hennessy⁹
Logan Michael Henry
Adrian Rene Hernandez¹²
Dallas Heseltine

Olivia B. Hess
 Madison K. Hewitt
 Seth R. Higgins
 Joseph R. Hileman
 Dhruv Sureshbhai Hirpara
 Kimberly Rose Hobbs *Cum Laude*
 Amanda K. Holbrook
 Christopher Gaylord Holbrook
 Marissa Holmes *Cum Laude*
 Andrew Hong
 Conner S. Houghtby
 Alexander James Howard ✦
 Munsif Hussain *Cum Laude* ✦
 Matthew Ryan Hyde
 Jacob Michael Indelicato
 Marissa M. Ivory
 Kenneth Lee James Jr.²⁹
 Cum Laude
 Leonor M. Jean-Gilles
 Joshua C. Jeffries ✦
 Timothy J. Johns
 Magna Cum Laude ✦
 Alexis R. Jones *Cum Laude*
 Dakota A. Jones
 Destinee Lashae Jones
 Hannah S. Jones
 Summa Cum Laude
 Tristen N. Jones
 Magna Cum Laude
 Zowie Elaine Jones
 Summa Cum Laude
 Stacey Lynn Jung *Cum Laude*
 Angelina R. Kapp
 Magna Cum Laude ✦ ✦
 Kameron Seth Kareiva⁹
 Ravneet Kaur
 Awa Keita
 Emily H. Kern *Cum Laude*
 Ryan Paul Keske *Cum Laude*
 Thidachanh V. Kethdy *Cum Laude*
 Briannon K. Kettler *Cum Laude*
 John C. Keys
 Zachary Earl Killion I *Cum Laude*
 Dylan Matthew Klockenga
 Camille E. Klopfleisch
 Bryce E. Kollman *Cum Laude*
 Jacek F. Kulak
 Samantha M. Kunke *Cum Laude*
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 Magna Cum Laude ✦ ✦
 Ilana M. Lanzetta *Cum Laude* ✦

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 Alejandra Isabella Moore
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 Amber-Rose M. Moore
 Cum Laude
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 A'veun Amarah Moore-Jones
 Eric Stephen Morris ✦
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 Da'Quan Christopher Mosley
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 Ahmad R. Neal
 Caitlin Sinead Neil
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 Madison Taylor Newton
 Cum Laude ✦
 Tyler Curtis Nilson
 Timothy John Nimmo
 Morgan Rihy Null
 Magna Cum Laude ✦
 Michael Thomas Ochsenbauer
 Cum Laude
 David O'Halloran ✦
 Holly M. Oldham ✦
 Tamilore P. Oluyemi
 Julian David Ortiz *Cum Laude*
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 Jonathan Padilla
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 Elliott Pritchett ✦
 Robert Joseph Pulford
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 Matthew M. Redman ✦
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 Michael U. Rojas
 Sandra Roldan *Cum Laude*
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 Sara A. Roman
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 Robert Michael Rose
 Mallory A. Rupe
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 Cassie Sanders
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Sasha Leigh Schaive *Cum Laude*
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 Joshua Stephen Simmons
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 Deven L. Speed
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 Molly Katherine Stroh
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 Na'Asia Tellis
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 Trevor N. Thompson
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 Kevin M. Turner
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 Ricky Joe Waldron II
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 Tyler Walker
 Daniel L. Walsh
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 Maggie C. Weir *Cum Laude*
 Zachary M. Welsh
Magna Cum Laude
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Cum Laude
 Kolby Edwin Williams
 Sharleah M. Williams ✦
 Alex Wilson
 Jacob J. Wohldmann ✦
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 Louis Wortel⁹ *Cum Laude*
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 Jedidiah Young
 Matthew T. Zahour
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Summa Cum Laude ✦

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Kailee Henderson

Grace R. Heneghan

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Alexander James Howard ✦

Munsif Hussain *Cum Laude* ✦

Joshua C. Jeffries ✦

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Eric Stephen Morris ✦

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Kevin J. Vazquez ✦

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MAY 7, 2021
BANTERRA CENTER
1:30 P.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 Honorary Degrees and Distinguished Service Awards

Presentation of Candidates and Conferring of Doctoral Degrees

Presentation of Candidates and Conferring of Masters Degrees

Presentation of Candidates and Conferring of Baccalaureate Degrees

Tassel Turning

Welcome from the SIU Alumni Association

Alma Mater

"Southern Alma Mater"

Grover Clarke Morgan, Composer

Recessional

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

◊ University Honors program member

◆ Multiple degree candidate

† Posthumous degree

cum laude 3.5–3.749

magna cum laude 3.75–3.899

summa cum laude 3.9–4.0

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Master of Fine Arts

Zachary Alley

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Anthony Paul Deal

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Bryce Aaron Morgan Ehmann

Joshua Aaron Emery

Tyler J. Horn

Steven Clark Hughart II

Padyn Shawn Humble

Eriko Kobayashi

Courtney Erin Lester

Sarah Elizabeth McCourt

Sadhbh Mowlds

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Cody C. Tracy

Master of Architecture

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Swetha Kuna

Cherise Elaine Meadows

Timothy Aaron Mehta

Richard Preston

Nicholas Andrew Schubach

Victor Rafael Sierra

Devin J. Tegtman

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Master of Music

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Richard C. Hayes III

Ji Yeon Kim

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Master of Science

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Aaron T. Grimm

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Kenechukwu Charles Ifezue

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Atticus R. Jennings

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Jeremy R. Osinga

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Prem S. Rana *Cum Laude* ◊ ♦

Idalys D. Rios

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Shahad Hussain S. Alshammari
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Saem Lee
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Michalah M. Troutt *Cum Laude*

Bachelor of Science

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Sierra Alexandra Burkhart
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Jalisa R. Dixon
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COLLEGE OF BUSINESS AND ANALYTICS

Doctor of Philosophy

Korede Odunayo Ajogbeje

Economics

Kevin Sylwester, Ph.D.

“Essays on Development in Nigeria”

Tahia Alam

Business Administration

Min Z. Carter, Ph.D.

“Investigating Why and When COVID-19 Triggered

Psychological Distress Relates to Work

Behaviors: Conservation of Resource and

Scarcity Theory Perspectives”

Prerana Rai

Business Administration

Ye Dai, Ph.D. and Peter M. Mykytyn, Ph.D.

“Entrepreneurial Intention: Role of Personal Values and Materialism”

Ling Zhang

Economics

Sajal Lahiri, Ph.D.

“Determinants of Happiness in the U.S.A: An Empirical Study with Longitudinal Data”

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Shengkai Ren

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Berenis De Anda Pavelchik

Darla Ann Peterman

Stephanie Leandra Pirrello

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COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING, COMPUTING, TECHNOLOGY, AND MATHEMATICS

Doctor of Philosophy

Sandeep Goud Burra

Engineering Science

Prabir Koley, Ph.D.

“Resilient Modulus of Stabilized Subgrade Soil
Using Commercial Products and Industrial
By-products”

Mulubrhan Ghebregziabher Haile

Mathematics

David Olive, Ph.D.

“Inference for Time Series after Variable Selection”

Indranil Roy

Computer Science

Bidyut Gupta, Ph.D. and Koushik Sinha, Ph.D.

“Design of Communication Architecture, and Protocols
For Mobile, Static and Overlay Networks”

Puneet Savanur

Electrical and Computer Engineering

Spyros Tragoudas, Ph.D.

“Techniques to Address Manufacturing Defects in Deep
Sub-micron”

Vishal Reddy Singireddy

Engineering Science

Peter Filip, Ph.D.

“Development of New Friction Material For Vehicles
With Regenerative Braking Systems”

Chunjie Xia

Engineering Science

Jia Liu, Ph.D.

“Per- and Polyfluoroalkyl Substances (PFAs)
Degradation By Nanoscale Zero-Valent Iron
Under Light For Water Reuse”

Master of Engineering

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Sapan Basaula

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Franck Chikuru

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Zehao Cui

Andrew Brian Cullen

Shraddha Dahal

Alan Devkota

Sameera Digavalli

Nour El Hoda Farhat

Anish Raj Ghimire

Sean Green

Chandler Duane Hardin

Rifat Hasan

Joel Mondo Kisekini

Md Shahriar Mahbub

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Shashank Reddy Nalladimmu

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Yuen Dzing Sum

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Bachelor of Science

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 Rene Arturo Anderson³
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 Thomas Lake Atchison
 Ethan D. Avery
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 Tara Berry
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 Callum Alexander Buchanan
 Hope A. Budny Clymer
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 Darrell D. Ethridge
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 Daniel Garcia Eustaquio
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 Samuel W. Hackman
 Casey S. Hamilton
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 Tyler A. Henry *Cum Laude*
 Javier Herrera Jr.
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 Jacob Alan Howard
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 Cum Laude
 Don P. Jensen Jr.
 John E. Jones †
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 William B. Keller
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 Kyle S. Kregler
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 McKenzie M. Krich
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 Omar N. Lahaliyed
 Ryan Angel Lampon
 Elle E. Lanier *Summa Cum Laude*
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 Michael K. Miller *Cum Laude*
 Aron G. Mlodkowski *Cum Laude*
 Calvin B. Moore
 Daniel R. Muller
 Magna Cum Laude ◊
 Jacob P. Myer
 Johnathan F. Natho
 Joey L. Navarro
 Philip N. Nelson
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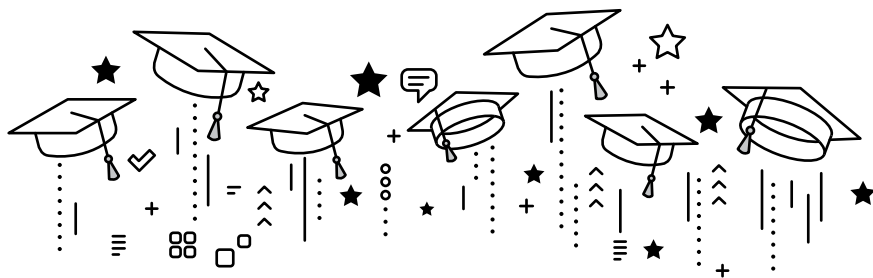
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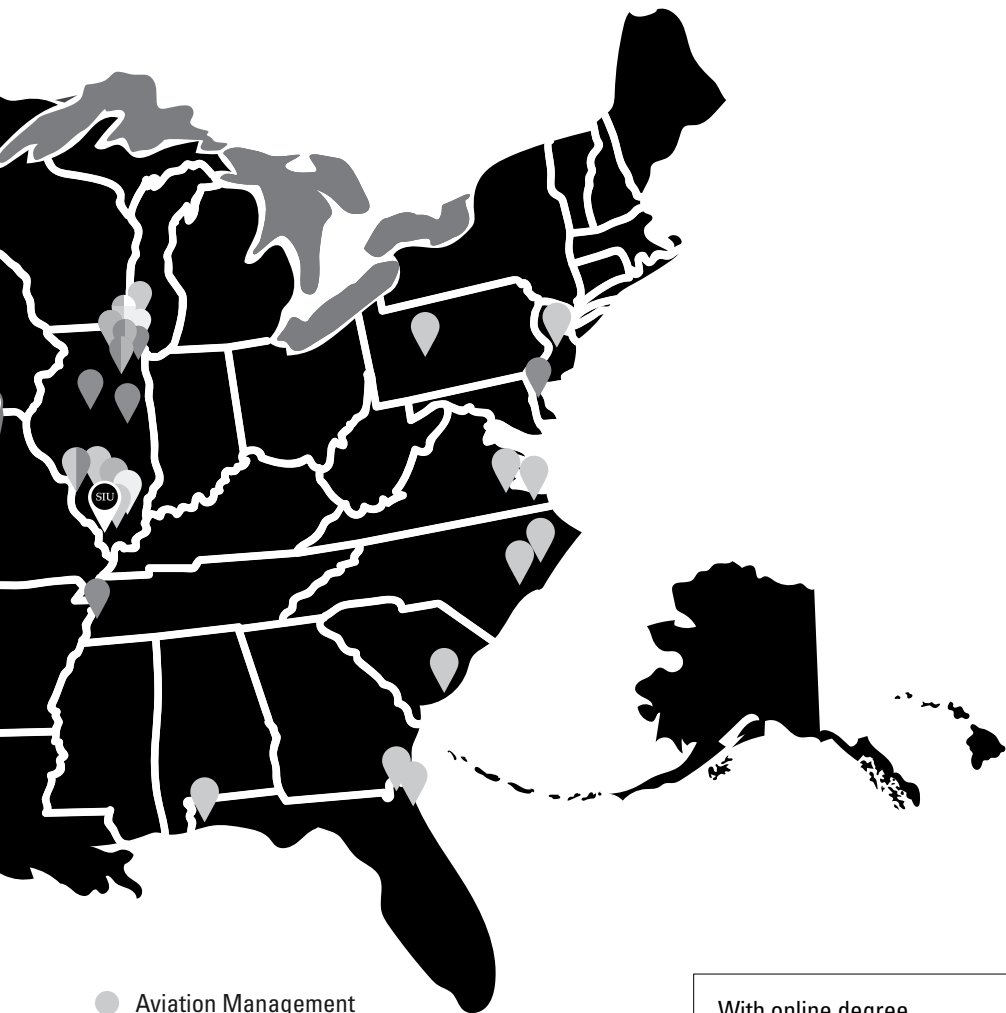
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