



142ND ANNUAL COMMENCEMENT

SIU Arena
Southern Illinois University Carbondale
Saturday, May 12, 2018

9 a.m. | College of Agricultural Sciences
College of Liberal Arts
College of Science
School of Medicine

1:30 p.m. | College of Business
College of Education and Human Services

5:30 p.m. | College of Applied Sciences and Arts
College of Engineering
College of Mass Communication and Media Arts

CEREMONIAL MACE

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

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

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

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

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



Dear Members of the Class of 2018:

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

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

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

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

Sincerely,

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

Carlo Montemagno

Chancellor

ACADEMIC REGALIA

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

GOWNS

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

HOODS

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

CAPS AND TASSELS

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

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

STOLE OF GRATITUDE

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

GONFALONS

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

REFERENCE

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

CORDS

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

MEDALLIONS

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

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HONORED GUESTS

Janice L. Jacobs

Doctorate of Public Service

Janice L. Jacobs has had a distinguished diplomatic career. Jacobs became a Foreign Service Officer in March 1980 and over the course of her career has held positions in Washington D.C. and abroad. Overseas assignments include stints in Nigeria, Ethiopia, France, Mexico, and the Dominican Republic. Jacobs returned to the U.S. in 2002 to begin assignment as Deputy Assistant Secretary for Visa Services in the Bureau of Consular Affairs. In the aftermath of the 9/11 terrorist attacks, Jacobs oversaw the revamping of visa issuance policies. Appointed U.S. Ambassador to Senegal and Guinea-Bissau by President George W. Bush in 2005, Ambassador Jacobs was confirmed by the U.S. Senate in February 2006 and presented her credentials to President Wade in Dakar in April 2006. In 2008, Jacobs was named Assistant Secretary for Consular Affairs under Secretary of State Condoleezza Rice. In this position Jacobs was responsible for the U.S. State Department's second largest bureau with 12,000 employees worldwide who were responsible for protecting U.S. citizens abroad and adjudicating U.S. visas and passports. Although officially retired from the State Department in April 2014, Ambassador Jacobs returned in 2015 in the capacity of Transparency Coordinator, at the request of Secretary of State John Kerry. In this position, she coordinated the State Department's response to Freedom of Information Act requests, including those related to former Secretary of State Hillary Clinton, and sought improvements to the State Department's records management policies and practices.

Ambassador Jacobs is a second-generation Foreign Service officer. Her father, the late Robert Jacobs, worked for the predecessor to the U.S. Agency for International Development, the Point Four Program, and moved his family to Ethiopia and Thailand. The family returned to their Southern Illinois roots during Ambassador Jacobs' high school years at the request of Delyte Morris so that Robert Jacobs (SIU Class of 1935) could become SIU's Dean of International Programs.



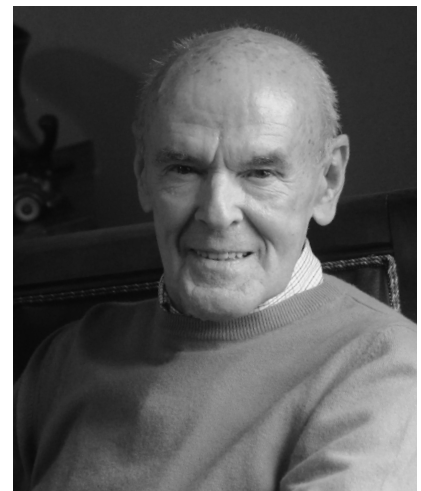
Jacobs was presented an Alumna Achievement Award at the 2010 Inspiring Women Gala. After her 2014 retirement, Jacobs returned to SIU as a visiting lecturer in political science, teaching courses on terrorism/counterterrorism, the Middle East, and immigration reform. During her semester-long tenure, she also served as a consultant to SIU's Center for International Education.

In addition to her bachelor's degree from SIU Carbondale in French, Jacobs earned a master's degree from the National War College.

Richard W. Peck

Doctorate of Literary Arts

Richard Peck is the first children's author to receive a National Humanities Medal (2002) in a White House ceremony. He was among the writers First Lady Laura Bush sent to the first Russian Book Festival (2005) in Moscow. Two of his books have won John Newbery Medal awards. His newest book, a middle grade novel, *The Best Man*, was a Boston Globe/Hornbook Honor Book in 2017. He holds an undergraduate degree from DePauw University in Indiana, and an M.A. in English from SIU in 1959.



HONORED GUESTS

Richard Roundtree

Doctorate of Performing Arts

Richard Roundtree's life and career would change forever in 1971 when Gordon Parks chose him to play private detective John Shaft in the iconic *Shaft* movie franchise. This launched Richard's five-decade long career with a role that to this day is recognized as being a turning point for African American leading men in film.

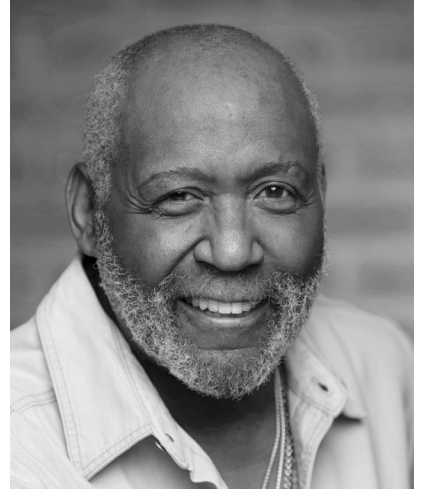
Instantly his name and face became recognizable to movie-goers around the world. Although in the early 1970s quality roles for African-American actors were scarce, Richard was able to assemble an impressive résumé while continuing to make films that challenged the stereotypes of the time with such projects as *Man Friday* and *Charley One-Eye* on the big screen, along with the television films *Roots* and *Fire House*. In addition to making social statements on racial equity, Richard's characters broke ground on sexual equity issues. In the early 90's he recurred on the FOX sitcom *Roc* as a gay man who was getting married to his long-time partner. This was a first for network television.

In the over 100 film and television projects that have followed, Richard has shared the screen with some of Hollywood's most legendary actors including Clint Eastwood, Peter O'Toole, David Niven, Laurence Olivier, in addition to Samuel L. Jackson, Morgan

Freeman, and Brad Pitt.

On television he has been a series regular on several hit shows where he has garnered an *NAACP Image Award nomination for Best Leading Actor in a Series*, and a *Peabody Award*. He recently wrapped his fourth season on BET's #1 show *Being Mary Jane*, in addition to recurring on the FOX show *STAR*. Now coming full circle, he will be reprising his Shaft character in the New Line *Shaft* reboot shooting in 2018.

An advocate in the fight against breast cancer and a 25-year male breast cancer survivor himself, Richard has taken a stand by participating in events that help raise awareness and funds towards finding a cure. Richard attended SIU between 1961 and 1963.



Bob G. Gower, Ph.D.

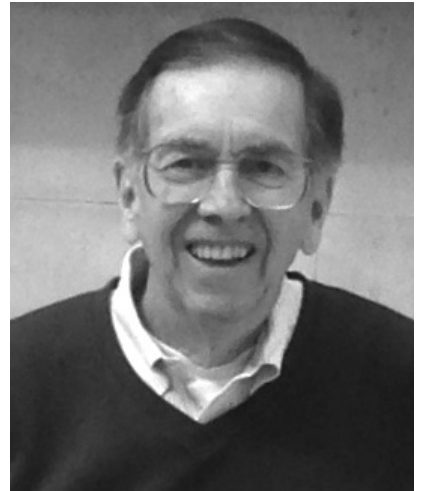
Distinguished Service Award

Bob G. Gower is the former CEO of Lyondell Petrochemical Company, founder of Specified Fuels & Chemicals and co-founder of Carbon Nanotechnologies, Inc. and Ensysce Biosciences, Inc. Bob received his bachelor's and master's degrees from Southern Illinois University in 1958 and 1960, respectively, and his doctorate in organic chemistry from the University of Minnesota in 1963.

Dr. Gower moved through several sales, research and engineering assignments with Sinclair and Atlantic Richfield after the merger of the two companies in 1969. He became Vice President of ARCO Chemical Company in 1977 and Senior Vice President in 1979. In 1984, he was elected Senior Vice President of Atlantic Richfield Company, responsible for strategic planning and advanced research.

Dr. Gower became President of Lyondell Petrochemical Company when it was formed as a division of Atlantic Richfield in 1985. Lyondell was a composite of all the unprofitable chemical and

refining segments within ARCO. Lyondell became profitable within nine months, a transformation that is considered one of the best business turnarounds in the industry. Lyondell was taken public in 1989 in one of the largest initial public offerings to that date. Bob retired from Lyondell in 1997. After leaving Lyondell, Bob's family bought manufacturing assets that produced specialty fuels for use in new automobile environmental certification and lubricant standardized quality testing, Specified Fuels & Chemicals. The company was the



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primary supplier of these fuels in the U. S. This business was sold in 2000.

In 2000, Bob Gower was co-founder, along with Rick Smalley, of Carbon Nanotechnologies, Inc. and served as CEO until the merger with Unidym in 2007. In 2008, Bob formed Ensysce Biosciences, Inc. to focus on single-wall carbon nanotube delivery systems for cancer drugs. In 2015, Ensysce acquired Signature Therapeutics, which had focused on abuse-resistant opioid pain drugs. Signature had a unique prodrug delivery approach where the opioid drug is released and activated only by contact with trypsin.

Ensysce has completed Phase 1 clinical trials for its initial drug,

an opioid prodrug that is inactive until it contacts trypsin in the digestive system and, therefore, will not become active if snorted, smoked or dissolved and injected. Ensysce's second drug candidate prevents overdose even if multiple pills are taken. There are no comparable drugs in the market.

Dr. Gower is active in educational efforts in the Houston area. From 1998 to 2002, he served as President of Communities in Schools of Houston, the most effective program in the country at keeping students in school and is still active on the Board. He was head of the 1991-92 United Way campaign for Houston. He has served on the boards of several companies. Dr. Gower is married to the former Mary Beth Miller. They have three daughters.

Harvey Welch, Jr.

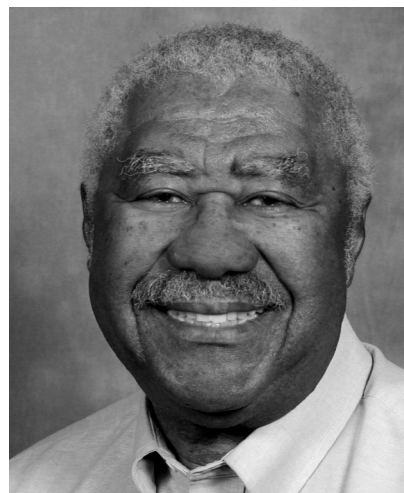
Distinguished Service Award

Harvey Welch, Jr., a native of Centralia, Illinois, attended Southern Illinois University where he played basketball and became the first African American Air Force ROTC graduate. After a 20-year military career involving the education and training of Air Force personnel and earning a master's degree, he retired as a Lieutenant Colonel. Harvey returned to SIU in 1975 as Dean of Student Life. In 1987 he became Vice President for Student Affairs, which involved being responsible for the Student Center, Student Health Service, Financial Aid, University Housing, Recreation Center, Career Services, Disability Support Services, and Student Development and Discipline. He was also the chief student affairs officer at the SIU Edwardsville campus in 1994-1995.

During his lifetime, Harvey has served on boards and been of service to over 30 professional, civic, and religious organizations. Harvey is both a past Carbondale Rotary Club president and Rotary District Governor. He has observed the Rotary motto of Service Above Self in many capacities. Harvey has served as president of the Illinois Guidance Association, Carbondale Park District Board, John A. Logan College Museum Board, and the Carbondale Police and Fire Commission, and as regional Vice

President of the National Association of Student Personnel Administrators. In 2006 he was named Citizen of the Year by the Carbondale Chamber of Commerce.

For the last 20 years Harvey and his wife Trish have sponsored a golf tournament fundraiser for SIU student scholarships. The recipients of these scholarships are selected based on service to the university and/or the community.



DISTINGUISHED FACULTY AND STAFF

SCHOLAR EXCELLENCE AWARD RECIPIENT

Qingfeng Ge, Professor, Department of Chemistry and Biochemistry, College of Science

EARLY CAREER FACULTY EXCELLENCE AWARD RECIPIENT

Trent W. Ford, Assistant Professor, Geography and Environmental Resources, College of Liberal Arts

TENURED & TENURE-TRACK TEACHING EXCELLENCE AWARD RECIPIENT

Dr. John Mellinger, Department of Surgery, School of Medicine

NON-TENURE TRACK TEACHING EXCELLENCE AWARD RECIPIENT

Gail Thomas, Clinical Assistant Professor, SIU School of Law

CIVIL SERVICE STAFF EXCELLENCE AWARD RECIPIENT

Richard Cole, Greenhouse Director, Department of Plant Biology, College of Science

ADMINISTRATIVE PROFESSIONAL STAFF EXCELLENCE AWARD RECIPIENT

Emily Spann, Assistant Director for Involvement, Student Center

FACULTY GRAND MARSHALS

9 a.m. Kathleen Chwalisz, Department of Psychology, College of Liberal Arts

1:30 p.m. Ahmad Fakhoury, Department of Plant, Soil, and Agricultural Systems, College of Agricultural Sciences

5:30 p.m. James Wall, Department of Radio, Television and Digital Media, College of Mass Communication and Media Arts

STUDENT MARSHALS

Agricultural Sciences	Renee Kinzinger
Applied Sciences and Arts	Ashley Hemmen
Business	Marshon Tucker
Education and Human Services	Valerie Potmas
Engineering	Jacob L. Lidy
Liberal Arts	Lavell Strong
Mass Communication and Media Arts.....	Anna Spoerre
School of Medicine	Kara Starkweather
Science	Laura Berger

Scholar Excellence Award Recipient, Qingfeng Ge, will carry the University Charter and the inspirational message below that was written by the late Charles D. Tenney, SIU professor and Distinguished Service Award recipient. The message contained in this document 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.

“THE STAR-SPANGLED BANNER”

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

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

“SOUTHERN ALMA MATER”

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

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

CANDIDATES FOR DEGREES

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

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

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

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

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

Notes

- **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.**
- **August and December graduates are published in the December commencement program.**

ORDER OF EXERCISES - MORNING COMMENCEMENT

Saturday, May 12, 2018 – 9 a.m.

SIU Arena

Master of Ceremonies

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

Honorary Reader

Susan Patrick Benson, Associate Professor, Department of Theater

Academic Processional

Commencement Band, Chris Morehouse, Conductor

National Anthem

“The Star-Spangled Banner,” John Stafford Smith and Francis Scott Key,
arrangement by Walter Damrosch and John Philip Sousa
Commencement Band, Chris Morehouse, Conductor
Nyghel Byrd, Masters of Music in Opera/Musical Theater and
Choral Conducting

Greetings and Introduction of Platform Party

Carlo Montemagno, Chancellor

Recognition of Families

Carlo Montemagno, Chancellor

Presentation of Honorary Degree

Janice L. Jacobs, Doctorate of Public Service
Richard W. Peck, Doctorate of Literary Arts

Presentation of Distinguished Service Award

Bob Gower, 2018 Recipient

Commencement Remarks

Carlo Montemagno, Chancellor

Presentation of Candidates and Conferring of Doctoral Degrees

Carlo Montemagno, Chancellor
Meera Komarraju, Interim Provost and Vice Chancellor for
Academic Affairs
Julianne Wallace, Interim Associate Dean and Director, Graduate School

Presentation of Candidates and Conferring of Masters Degrees

Carlo Montemagno, Chancellor
Meera Komarraju, Interim Provost and Vice Chancellor for
Academic Affairs
Julianne Wallace, Interim Associate Dean and Director, Graduate School

Presentation of Candidates and Conferring of Baccalaureate Degrees

James Zaczek, Chair of Forestry, College of Agricultural Sciences
Michael Molino, Associate Dean, College of Liberal Arts
Scott Ishman, Interim Dean, College of Science

Tassel Turning

Carlo Montemagno, Chancellor

Welcome from the SIU Alumni Association

Rick C. Wysocki, College of Education and Human Services,
Class of 1983 and 1985

Alma Mater

“Southern Alma Mater,” Grover Clarke Morgan, Composer
Commencement Band, Chris Morehouse, Conductor
Nyghel Byrd, Masters of Music in Opera/Musical Theater and
Choral Conducting

Recessional

Commencement Band, Chris Morehouse, Conductor

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

COLLEGE OF AGRICULTURAL SCIENCES

Doctor of Philosophy

Ali Abdul-Munaim

Plant and Soil Science

Dennis G. Watson, Ph.D.

“Evaluation of Terahertz Technology to Determine Characteristics and Contaminants in Engine Oil”

Gurbir Singh

Forestry

Karl Williard, Ph.D.

“Effect of Cover Crops on Nutrient Dynamics and Soil Properties in Corn-Soybean Rotation in Southern Illinois”

Howard Kent Heavner

Plant and Soil Science

Seburn L. Pense, Ph.D.

“The Shortage of Licensed Secondary Agriculture Instructors in Illinois: An Examination of the Impact on Secondary Agricultural Education Program Quality”

Master of Science

Mallory Tatum DeChant

Rajiv Dhital

Megan Elizabeth Elcombe

Danielle E. Freelove

Jacob J. Hackman

Enoch Olatilewa Jolaoso

Prabesh Joshi

Saad Ullah Khan

Ryan Elizabeth Leeson

Richard Austin Little

Caitlin Anne McMahon

Annie Caroline Padgett

Ellie B. Powell

Heather Michelle Pulley

Jim Thomson

Daniel Timothy VanOverbeke

Curtis J. Wolf

Bachelor of Science

Jennifer Adams

Summer Skylar Antrim

Elizabeth Maxine Ashbaugh *magna cum laude*

Joel Francis Ashburn

Hannah L. Autrey

Ragan Elaine Bailey

Graydon L. Baima

Stephanie A. Barcelona

Allyssa R. Barnes *cum laude*

Macy N. Barnett

Haley M. Baudison

Deveney C. Beauchamp-Gill

Briar M. Beck

Elizabeth R. Besserman

Dalton Lewis Bigham

Chase D. Black

Amber V. Bleem *summa cum laude*

Zachariah T. Bolander *cum laude*

Grace K. Bollinger *cum laude*

Sean W. Brant

Kelsey A. Brommel *cum laude*

Kayla L. Broster *cum laude*

Cassidy N. Bruns *cum laude* *

Ryan M. Brunton *cum laude*

Damien M. Burch

Cody L. Carman

Shane Robert Caron

Clinton A. Chamness

Trevor Chew

Chelsea L. Coetzee

Quin S. Colson *magna cum laude*

Cassie J. Conn *cum laude*

Sara B. Conwell

Bradley Eric Copp

Molly Corcoran

Joseph L. Cushman *cum laude*

Kayla E. Damm *cum laude*

Antonia Lydia DeBlieck

Morgan T. Dennis *cum laude*

Taylor N. Dirks

Angela N. Dobill

Katherine T. Drendel

Andrew R. Dropik

Luke T. Dvorak *cum laude*

Kyle A. Dye

Lindsey Elizabeth Eigsti *summa cum laude* *

Tania Fabian *cum laude*

Robert A. Fiala

Ryan M. Folkers

Amy Gallamore

Noah J. Gallion *summa cum laude* *

Katelyn Donn Garver *cum laude*

Sydney T. Geils

Hannah Temitope Giwa

Michele Nichole Gohr

Taylor Marie Grace

George Gregory

Evan H. Harbert *cum laude*

Zachary Ryan Hart

Samantha L. Hayden

* University Honors program member

Multiple degree candidate

† Posthumous degree

‡ Interdisciplinary degree

cum laude 3.5–3.749

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summa cum laude 3.9–4.0

Alison Lynn Heard	Andrew T. McCormick	Mackenzie Lynn Schulte <i>cum laude</i>
Matthew Douglas Heinking	Maura E. McDonald	Jeremy J. Schumacher
Christian Henry	John C. McFarland	Brittany N. Seidel <i>magna cum laude</i>
Marissa Hayes Hill	Kevin J. McIntyre	Jessica Marie Simmons
Alice G. Ho <i>cum laude</i>	Lindsey Kaleonahenahe McKinzie <i>summa cum laude</i>	Aaron P. Skaer
Clinton W. Hood <i>cum laude</i>	Aricka Melhouse	Sarah Elizabeth Skubic
Ally J. Hotz	Matthew R. Meltzer <i>magna cum laude</i> *	Justin N. Smith
Evan R. Hughey	Anthony Kieffer Mercer	Nicholis B. Smith
Cameron B. Hupp	Megan J. Mettler	Erin M. Smitley
Sean P. Huss	Megan L. Miller	Heidi Sola
Caroline J. James <i>summa cum laude</i> *	Baley L. Milton	Dylan J. Stallman <i>magna cum laude</i>
Jacob Janssen	Ryan J. Moll	Tatyana Eugenia Starks-Harris
Alexis R. Johnson <i>magna cum laude</i> *	Taylor James Mosley <i>cum laude</i>	Jamison John Steege
Blair A. Jones	Jacob E. Munson	Xavier Stewart
Spencer Dalton Jones	Ciara M. Murabito	Christina M. Stockman
Joshua S. Jungler	Mitchell A. Niccolai <i>summa cum laude</i>	Grant Edward Suess <i>summa cum laude</i> #
Rachel Elizabeth Kahn	Ciara B. Nixon	Robert James Summers <i>magna cum laude</i>
Audrey Lynn Karsteter *	Jacob R. Ohl	Alicia Marie Sunderlage <i>cum laude</i>
Julia E. Kartje	Dustin C. Oldham	Mitchell Boone Tarr <i>cum laude</i>
Alex Kasimir	Joshua Vincent Olsen	Samantha R. Taylor
Jaqueline M. Kellerman <i>summa cum laude</i>	Elizabeth A. Parker <i>magna cum laude</i>	Cole Y. Tenhouse <i>cum laude</i>
Renee L. Kinzinger <i>summa cum laude</i> # *	Jaelyn A. Parks	Kyle R. Tex
Alex M. Kippenbrock	Jenna J. Parks	Caleb M. Thompson
Mitchell R. Klicki	Andrew Joseph Parton	Lorraine M. Thompson
Connor L. Klingele <i>cum laude</i>	Elijah L. Pearce	Tyler Alton Thuente
Cadence S. Knoup	Tyler W. Perkins	Conrad Tyrrell <i>cum laude</i>
Karen N. Kortge <i>cum laude</i>	Grant H. Peterson	Megan K. Ulrich
Gregory N. Kreilein	Valerie M. Pfaff <i>summa cum laude</i> *	Alyssa A. Valach
Kassidy Marie Kunce	Megan D. Phillips	Megan E. Valleyfield
Samuel Lee Kurkewich	Travis H. Phillips	Samantha E. Vestal
Kaitlyn Marie Lamaster <i>magna cum laude</i>	Salena R. Pierre	Caleb C. Volkman
Harold A. Landon	Ryan S. Pointer	Sara Marie Vopicka
Kevin Ray Langrehr <i>cum laude</i>	Timothy N. Pradel	Timothy T. Wallace <i>cum laude</i>
Nicholas P. LaPointe <i>cum laude</i>	Christopher L. Priebe	Elizabeth D. Warner
Jeffrey J. Leidner	Claire E. Pytlinski <i>summa cum laude</i>	Sarah Katherine Webster
Cameron Peter Lenzi	Murron C. Qualls	Martin S. Weiler
Christopher E. Lewis	Ashton P. Ragsdale	Macy Lee Wendling <i>summa cum laude</i>
Kayla Renee Lewis	Jordan T. Reynolds	Laine C. Wentzel <i>cum laude</i> *
Alec B. Lhotka	Colin C. Riley	Benjamin C. Westrich <i>summa cum laude</i> *
Jade R. Lorton <i>magna cum laude</i>	Jonathon Michael Robbins	Kendra S. Wiegand
Denver Phillip Luebbers	Alexis Loudean Lee Rodgers	Jared Michael Wiley
Madyson Elise Lyman <i>summa cum laude</i> # *	Joshua A. Rynski	Brittanie S. Williams
Aaron M. Maher	Austin L. Salsman	Tommy Witwer
Jamie A. Mayhew <i>magna cum laude</i>	Emerald M. Sanders	Abigail Anna Wolff
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Doctor of Philosophy

Abdullah Saeed Alasmari

Communication Studies

Bryan K. Crow, Ph.D.

"Saudi Arabian Students' Perceptions of Teacher Care in the United States"

Raed Ali Algowear Almestneer

Economics

Scott Gilbert, Ph.D.

"Economic Diversification: The Case of Saudi Arabia with Reference to Rich Natural Resource Countries"

David Robert Antonini

Philosophy

Sara Beardsworth, Ph.D.

"Hannah Arendt and Political Modernity: The Concept of the Public Space"

Andrew Daniel Barrette

Philosophy

Anthony J. Steinbock, Ph.D.

"The Origin of the Question: The Structure and Emergence of Questioning in Edmund Husserl's Work"

Amrita Bhattacharya

Economics

Sajal Lahiri, Ph.D.

"India's Export Performance 1996-2015: The Role of Product Quality"

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Communication Studies

Suzanne Daughton, Ph.D.

"Social Experiences of Young Adults with an Autism Spectrum Disorder: Toward an Understanding of Communication"

Ellen Catherine Campbell

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George Boulukos, Ph.D.

"Traumatized Wives and the Transatlantic Novel: Unveiling the Cultural Narrative of Nineteenth-Century Marital Suffering"

Robert Carlsen

Communication Studies

Nilanjana R. Bardhan, Ph.D.

"No One Is Illegal: Decolonial Cosmopolitanism, Migrant Subjectivity, and the Communication of Social Change"

Juan Alejandro Chindoy

Philosophy

Kenneth W. Stickers, Ph.D.

"Constituted and Constituting Symbols of the Kamëntšá Culture: Essays on Native Philosophy of Culture"

Jon Edward Gorgosz

History

Jonathan J. Bean, Ph.D.

"A Consequence of Crisis: A Historical Policy Analysis Examining the Relationship between Economic and Military Crises and the Development and Effects of Early Federal Policy in Higher Education during the Twentieth Century, 1934 to 1963"

Jihan Sabah Hamzany

Economics

Kevin Sylwester, Ph.D.

"Corruption and Education in Iraqi Kurdistan"

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Thomas M. Alexander, Ph.D.

"Music and the Aesthetic Unconscious: Dewey's Redemption of the Noncognitive Dimensions of Experience"

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Communication Studies

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"A Rhetorical Investigation of Black Women Community Organizers"

Gregory Sean Hummel

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"A Search For Critical Cosmopolitanism: An Ideological Criticism of Sexual Minorities Uganda's Website"

Jared Kemling

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"Creative Fidelity as a Personalized Symbolic Form of Culture"

Eli Orner Kramer

Philosophy

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"The Principles of Philosophical Community"

Megan Marie Morrison

Psychology

Meera Komarraju, Ph.D.

"Establishing the Psychometric Properties of the Prejudice towards Interracial/Interethnic Couples Scale (PTICS)"

Clara W. Mundia

Environmental Resources & Policy

Guangxing Wang, Ph.D.

"Examining the Factors Influencing the Abundance and Distribution of Sorghum (*Sorghum Bicolor* [L.]): An Analysis of the West Sahel of Sub-Saharan Africa"

Joan Linda Palapala

English

Robert Fox, Ph.D.

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“There Is No Place for African Women: Gender Politics in the Writings of Chimamanda Ngozi Adichie”

Dmitrii Pianov

Economics

Alison Watts, Ph.D.

“Allocation Mechanisms in Partially Linked Secondary Spectrum Markets: A Theory and Experiment”

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History

Jonathan S. Wiesen, Ph.D.

“Exporting America: The U.S. Information Centers and German Reconstruction”

Nana Quaicoe

Economics

Scott Gilbert, Ph.D.

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Robert Russell

Psychology

Matthew Schlesinger, Ph.D.

Reza Habib, Ph.D.

“Examining the Effects of Multimodal Augmented Feedback on Motor Learning”

David Whitfield

Communication Studies

Sandra L. Pensoneau-Conway, Ph.D.

“Conditions for Social Change: Theorizing Critical Communication Pedagogy With/In the Classroom Using a Lens of Relational Safety”

Master of Fine Arts

Andrew Julian Armas

Terry Kyle Baker

Bethany Donn Birdwell

Addison De Lisle

Sarah van Nes Ditmars

David Allen Dudley Jr.

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Ira Kelson Hatfield

Nicholas Estes Ireys

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Brian Lathan

Eunsil Leem

Andrew Eldredge Leeming

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Meghann Plunkett

Daniel Richard Rohr

Katherine Mary Rutecki

Charles Edward Scott

Nibedita Sen

Heather Weatherwax

Jazmyn Azure Wieder

Jonathan Christian Witzky

Brenton Robert Woodward

Jacquelyn Zeng

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Ali Harrab A. Aleissa

Ahmed Rashed Alnuqaydan

Josephine G. Beyke

Ugo Bruzadin Nunes

Elizabeth Diana Jimenez Butler

Thomas Wayne Butler

Zachary Joseph Call

Danielle Elizabeth Chambers

Morgan Brianna Christie

Chelsey Couch

Cornelius J. Crane

Sabankilie Darpak Sougue

Andrea Carolina Espinal Castaneda

Mursal Ghiassi

Sarah Kimberly Gibson

Oksana Grabova

Kevin Hensold-Speir

Ryan Holden

Caleb Wayne Ingram

Matthew Ryan Jamnik

Asha Kirit Joshi

Ryan Samuel Kimball

Ikuo Kosaka

Crystle May Lacroix

Jessica Lynn Leonard

Abigail Mary Lukes

Williams Jose Martinez

Raluca Elena Mita

Alice Eileen Muntz

Karsten Ohliger

Remya Annamma Perinchery

Devin R. Petersen

Adam Pfaff

Chasity Lynn Ratliff

Dalton E. Runyon

Lourdes Silvana Saturno

Catherine Elizabeth Siefert-Pearce

Yohimar Andreina Sivira Gonzalez

Edward L. Smith

Tyrell Rayshawn Spencer

Scarleth Giselle Subillaga Moncada

Malinda Claire Suprise

Lilian Yrasema Surth

Maria Jose Talavera Palacios

Ivan Vargas

Viloshanakumaran Veeramani

Shiqian Wang

Cody L. Zdankiewicz

Yuening Zhao

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Nathan A. Balester
Nyghel Jamal Byrd
Rossana Cauti

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Altyнай Karsakpayeva

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Bianca Renee' Jackson

Lindsay Kathryn Knaus
Kara Lynn Lawrence
Hou U. Lou

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Kemar Shaquille Jones

Joseph Cleveland Leonard

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Flor L. Abarca
Brittany N. Adams *magna cum laude* #
Elizabeth J. Alkazoff
Rebecca L. Arnolts *magna cum laude*
Jaeana A. Ashford *cum laude*
Reina B. Ashley
Angelica Alejandra Avila #
Keith Joseph Bachert
Alexaundra Louise Baird *summa cum laude* *
Noor Abood Bamigdad
Nicholas Banning
Jillian D. Barnes
Kayla Patrice Barren
Samuel Robert Beard
Ryan T. Bell
William G. Bennett
Michael Christopher Berg
Rachel S. Berner *summa cum laude*
Sydney Rae Beyer
Andrew Kenneth Xavier Beyke
Mario E. Biama
Deanna J. Birkla
Harlie R. Bivens
Sevon Naylo Bivens
Brett A. Blair
Elizabeth M. Blalock *summa cum laude* *
Sarann A. Boker
Melanie Q. Bolling *magna cum laude*
Rachel A. Bond *summa cum laude* *

Chase E. Boozer
Carmen T. Bouey
Tyler Jacob Bourland
Veronika Leigh Bradley *summa cum laude* *
Victoria N. Brooks
Justin Vail Broom *magna cum laude* # *
Austin D. Brown
Desiree D. Brown *cum laude* #
Briyanna R. Bullock
Margaret Grace Buntenbach
Tabitha B. Burks *summa cum laude*
Javon DaMario Burnett
Jake Robert Burns *summa cum laude*
Matthew G. Byrnes #
Shawn Byrnes #
Taylor L. Byron
Erick W. Camper *magna cum laude* *
Tai M. Carroll
Cody D. Carter
Eamonn Donal Casey
Jacqueline N. Chavez *cum laude*
Joshua Thomas Chavez
Alexia A. Chew *
Barretta Calisa Chullen
Krystal Youn-Shyl Elaine Chung # *
Phoebie Louise Church
Antonio D. Clark
Ta'Shawn Denise Cole
Amelia S. Comper

Bryan Michael Christopher Conard
Adriana Loeza Cooley
Molly E. Copenhaver
Jackson S. Covey *cum laude* *
Jessica S. Craig
Kayla N. Craig
Michael Robert Crane
Tyler E. Crotzer
Taylor J. Damann
Tyler L. D'Ambrose *summa cum laude*
Kasey J. Dann *cum laude* #
Eric Ntow Darko
Eli T. Dasenbrock
Andrew T. Davidson
Nicholas J. Davis *cum laude*
Allexis R. Deaton
Katlyn J. Delaney
Margaret A. Demer *summa cum laude*
Anthony Conor Deuel
Elizabeth A. Deutsch
Antonio Vito Di Cosola
Maria I. Diaz
George T. Dillon
Malaya C. Downey
Alexandra Marie Durham
Tiara Lacle Durham
Courtney M. Ellingham
Isabelle Espinosa *magna cum laude*
James Michael Essenpreis

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Ariana M. Euells	Dakota R. Justice	Sara A. Nazari <i>cum laude</i>
Letitia Crystal Evans	Haani Kamran	Ryan A. Negrón
Alexander Robert Vasile Fazzini <i>magna cum laude</i> *	Kathleen M. Kelly <i>summa cum laude</i> *	Chebriah C. Nelson
Austin J. Fishback	Deann Danielle Kimble	Dawn M. Nelson #
Teresa Lynne Fisher	David Richard Francis Klein <i>magna cum laude</i> *	Hallie E. Newcomb
Alejandro Flores	Nicole J. Knoles	Jared C. Nicholas <i>summa cum laude</i> # *
Audrey Rainier Foland <i>cum laude</i>	Erica Grace Krajewski <i>magna cum laude</i>	Sarah A. Nolan
Phillip A. Frangello <i>summa cum laude</i>	Evan L. Krieg	Phaedra R. Norrell <i>magna cum laude</i>
Kaitlin I. Friend <i>summa cum laude</i> *	Matthew R. Kuns <i>summa cum laude</i> *	Lauren A. Nottmeier <i>cum laude</i>
Courtney M. Fuhrman <i>cum laude</i> *	Christian Anton Kurka	Natalie Anne Nowatney <i>cum laude</i>
Christian A. Galiber	Allana N. Lacy	Bradley Joseph O'Guinn <i>summa cum laude</i>
Patrick L. Gammon	Brittney Michelle Lampkin	Gabriel J. Onofrei
Ayla H. Gehner	James L. Laningham	Sarah J. Orkin <i>summa cum laude</i> *
Lucas B. Giltner	Tad R. Lee	Valeria Osornio
Veronica Godinez	Maria G. Leifheit <i>summa cum laude</i> *	Arshiniee B. Palmer
Sue A. Good	Marnie S. Leonard <i>magna cum laude</i>	Elijah S. Parker
Jaylon Tyrun Graham	Demarr Martell Lewis	Hunter J. Peebles
Marisa Ann Green	Kadie Ann Lind <i>cum laude</i>	Brandon T. Phetsadasack
Christian Osmar Guzman	Carolyn Suzanne Lodes	Michael Keith Phipps *
Grace E. Hall	Sergio A. Lopez	Lani J. Pietrantonio
Nicole T. Hall	Tasha Nicholle Lopez	Andrew D. Pinnow <i>magna cum laude</i>
Sarah E. Hall	Corein Loving	Peter Michael Plesko
Caitlin D. Hallock	Madysen Elise Lyman <i>summa cum laude</i> # *	Logan J. Plummer
Phillip F. Hammer	Kayla M. Malone <i>cum laude</i>	Ashley Nichole Porter
Kari Rana' Hammond	Charles W. Maniatis	Esther Inez Potter
Chrissa Faith Harris	Emily K. Marler <i>summa cum laude</i> *	Andrea Prieto
Sean Hkeem Harris Jr.	Maritza Martinez <i>summa cum laude</i>	Bria M. Pruitt
Megan N. Heflin <i>summa cum laude</i>	Raphael Jose Martinez	Miranda J. Pruitt <i>cum laude</i>
Darcy Elisabeth Hemphill	Dylan M. Mathis	Joseph W. Pudenz
Kyerra Henderson	Allison Marie May <i>magna cum laude</i>	Avery R. Purdom
Ana Maria Hernandez <i>magna cum laude</i> #	Alexis Nate McCain	Tanya Faye Rajayah <i>cum laude</i>
Gerardo Hernandez III	Jacob T. McCleary	Isamaria T. Ramirez
Hunter A. Heusner	Christian Michael Mckinney	Allison E. Ramsay <i>summa cum laude</i> *
Mason A. Higgins <i>magna cum laude</i> *	Hannah L. Merklen	Jasmine Reardon <i>cum laude</i>
Jesse D. Hinds <i>summa cum laude</i>	Timothy L. Merriman *	Taylor Monique Reese
Carlesha D. Hines <i>magna cum laude</i> *	Alyssa S. Meyers <i>summa cum laude</i> *	Jennifer A. Rich
Khaila A. Holman	James W. Milhouse	Jamie L. Rizzo
Briana C. Huerta	Samantha A. Miller	Chloe M. Roach <i>cum laude</i>
Anne E. Hulla	Kaitlynn M. Miner <i>magna cum laude</i>	Raven Avery Robertson
Maribel Hurtado	Aarren A. Minneyfield	Keely Robinson
Isaac Andrew Ingram	Sinclair Alexis Mitchell	Mitchell W. Robinson
Griffin David Jackman	Ellyn Caroline Moffett	Daniel Rodriguez Jr. #
Judith Andrella Jackson	Megan E. Monaco	Charmonique Elaine Rogers
Shyenda A. Jacobs	Jawuan L. Monroe	Breanna L. Roseborough <i>cum laude</i>
Grace E. Jarrell	Miriam Montano <i>cum laude</i>	Brooke Cassandra Ross
Bryan J. Jenks <i>summa cum laude</i> *	Davia M. Montgomery	Sarah Joan Rubin <i>cum laude</i>
Zachary M. Jines	Alexandra Moreno	Erin Rose Ryan
Justin J. Johnson	Christina L. Morris	Jacob A. Ryan <i>magna cum laude</i>
Justin Carnell Jones	Patricia W. Muhammad	Stefany Lynn Saborio
Shane P. Jordan <i>magna cum laude</i> *	Zachary T. Myers <i>summa cum laude</i> *	Jeffrey D. Saddler Jr.

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 Rebekah L. Sanders *summa cum laude* *
 Jesse Santillan
 Christian E. Schlichter *cum laude*
 Janet Farrell Schmidt
 Devon N. Scholz
 LisaMarie D. Scott
 Jacob S. Selsor *summa cum laude* *
 Daylan A. Shores
 Andrew John Smaligo
 Deandre R. Smith
 Jessica A. Smith
 Michael J. Smith
 Amari Aaliyah Spraggins *cum laude*
 Dana N. Stalets *cum laude*
 Hannah E. Stanton *magna cum laude* *
 Zachary David Stearns
 Bryan D. Stirewalt
 Royce D. Suprenant
 Hong Nhung T. Ta *summa cum laude*
 Preston Yung Yan Tan
 Nina M. Thigpen
 Alyssa J. Thomas
 Cali G. Thomas
 Dantrell D. Thomas
 Tracin S. Thurman
 Kelli E. Tilford *summa cum laude* *
 Abigail F. Tochalauski #
 Ryan Vincent Tomlinson
 Antonia C. Tompkins
 Bryce Edward Trader
 Keegan Tripp *magna cum laude* *
 Jasmin Valadez
 Oscar Orlando Valencia Jr.
 Jalen O. Valentine
 Kayla Elizabeth Voegtle
 Molly L. Wagoner *summa cum laude*
 Logan A. Waight
 Mary E. Walden *magna cum laude*
 Ariana Karen Walker
 Peter James Walker
 Emma J. Wallander *magna cum laude* *
 Adrian J. Walton
 Cassidy A. Ward
 Hannah E. Ward *cum laude* *
 Macey Weemer *magna cum laude*
 Cody Taylor Wessel
 Elise N. Wheaton
 Cordazia Colleen Symone Whitaker
 Rylie Olivia Wicoff
 Colleen Lauren Wiczorek
 Harleigh B. Williams *summa cum laude* *
 Jarvell Williams
 Lucas Jordan Williams
 Zachary D. Williams *cum laude*
 Aubrey T. Williamson
 Kyle A. Williamson
 Lyneesya G. Wilson *magna cum laude* *
 Michael Wade Wilson
 Christine Marion Wolfersheim
 Bronson Wood
 Kevin R. Woolums
 Kimberly Ann Woudenberg *magna cum laude*
 Bethani J. Wright
 Lu Yan #
 Vimarie Zayas *cum laude*
 Jinghang Zhang
 Ling Zhang

Bachelor of Fine Arts

Bryce C. Anderson *cum laude*
 Anna A. Babenkova *summa cum laude* *
 Taylor E. Blankenship *summa cum laude*
 Ashley Nicole Booth *summa cum laude* *
 Anthony Q. Bux *cum laude*
 Kelly Jo Carter *magna cum laude*
 Robert E. Caswelch
 Kasey J. Dann *cum laude* #
 Kristin Elizabeth Doty *summa cum laude*
 Chad Michael Ferriell *cum laude* *
 Evan Todd Forthaus
 Jaqueline Jaye Gatewood *magna cum laude*
 Sierra B. Harrell *magna cum laude*
 Avery Harrison
 Jag Nialden Haruna
 Natalie G. Helregel *magna cum laude* *
 James Victor Herman
 Brittany R. Hewerdine *cum laude*
 Lauren Beatrice Hill
 Katarina L. Horwedel *cum laude* *
 Anthony J. Jones Jr.
 Graham Luker *magna cum laude*
 Timothy M. Miller
 Mikaela D. Montgomery *magna cum laude*
 Laura A. Murphy *cum laude*
 Lindsey Marie Perry *cum laude*
 John David Prange
 Keith Rucker
 Hayden C. Schubert *magna cum laude*
 Bailey E. Scott *cum laude*
 Erin J. Shupe
 Adam Luke Spencer *magna cum laude*
 Jillian Peggy Springer
 Claudia B. Suhrbur
 Charles R. Thomas Jr.
 Hannah Elizabeth White
 Abigail S. Wilhelm *magna cum laude*

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Andrea Rochelle Lynn Francis *cum laude*

Avery A. Kerley *cum laude*

Joshua A. Peters

Bachelor of Science

Celine R. Aguilar
Keisha Monique Akins
Elizabeth L. Ambrose
Marissa A. Amposta
Haley J. Andrus
Mark A. Anum
Michael Gene Atkinson
Kylee Diane Beasley
Kimberly J. Beaudion
Cecelia A. Bloome
Mia M. Boatright *magna cum laude*
Thik Bol Bol
Jake L. Boshold
Charles Heyward Boyce
Connor C. Brown
Joyce J. Bryant
Kyle Matthew Campbell
Kassandra Caraballo
Isaiah B. Carrington *cum laude* *
Chanse Chou
David Steven Connors
Howard L. Davis
Deneena A. Dechant
Leslie M. Delgado
Riley Ann Duckworth *summa cum laude* *
Lataiya L. Duncan
Otis James Duncan
Muayad Elamin
Daniel Cyrus Fakroddin
Alex M. Fox

Peter John Fox
Shay Alexandra Frailey *magna cum laude* *
Nellie Fredriksson *summa cum laude*
Briana Alyse Fullilove
William Robert Garver
Jamie M. Griffin
Sara Marie Hawk
Warren Stivaughn Hazel
Jordan Adam Henss *cum laude*
Reed Camille Hoekstra
Rachel Leigh Hooten
Elizabeth Claire Hughes
Nora C. Jacobs
Hannah M. Judge
Makenzie Adams Karl
Tahira Raza Kazmi
Kyle S. Kling
Ellen M. Lechman *summa cum laude* *
Jalisa V. Lee
Lindsay Alise Legere
Vincent Martin
Kevin E. Mazeika
Rebecca Ann McCalla
Clara Maureen McCarty
Emily E. McCuiston *cum laude*
Kolby Danielle Meeks
Zadie R. Miller *cum laude*
Elizabeth Montano Salazar *magna cum laude*
Raya I. Moore
James Benedict Moses III

Max William Murphy
Jonathan T. Nelson *cum laude*
Courtney Ann Nichols *magna cum laude*
Grace Elise Palmer
Elizabeth A. Pearson
Jenisa Mary Peiffer
Alexis M. Pickles
Stephan Rater
Matthew V. Reed
Taylor R. Rich *magna cum laude*
Haley Marie Robertson
Michael E. Rodriguez
Brandon T. Romero
Jeremy A. Schultz
Brian Michael Shepard
Trevon M. Sherrill
Emma J. Smyth
Bailie Stowell
Louie Szykowski
Abigail F. Tochalowski #
Ramona Elane Tucci
Leo Michael Vincent
Holiday M. Wagner *cum laude*
Trenton Lee Wagner
Marisa L. Wiegand *cum laude*
Rachel D. Williams *magna cum laude* *
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COLLEGE OF SCIENCE

Doctor of Philosophy

Saeed Althubiti

Mathematics

Henri Schurz, Ph.D.

“Stochastic Functional Differential Equations with Infinite Memory”

Mohammed Hamdi

Computer Science

Wen-Chi Hou, Ph.D.

“Answering Join Queries Instantly”

Mejdl Sultan Safran

Computer Science

Dunren Che, Ph.D.

“Efficient Learning-Based Recommendation Algorithms for Top-N Tasks and Top-N Workers in Large-Scale Crowdsourcing Systems”

Laxmi Sagwan-Barkdoll

Plant Biology

Aldwin A. Anterola, Ph.D.

“Catalytic Promiscuity of Two Plant P450 Enzymes: CYP725A4 from *Taxus cuspidata* and CYP71B102 from *Isatis tinctoria*”

Federico Leonardo Sinche Chele

Zoology

Michael J. Lydy, Ph.D.

“Application of the Tenax Technique to Assess Bioaccessibility of Sediment-Associated Polychlorinated Biphenyls”

Elizabeth Tristano

Zoology

James E. Garvey, Ph.D.

“Effects of Invasive Species Introductions on Nutrient Pathways in Aquatic Food Webs”

Yan Wu

Zoology

Da Chen, Ph.D.

Clayton K. Nielsen, Ph.D.

“Exposure of North American Aquatic and Terrestrial Ecosystems to Legacy and Emerging Flame Retardants”

Jiang Zhu

Biological Sciences

Zhihua Du, Ph.D.

“Part I Crystal Structure of a Dimerization Domain of *Drosophila* Caprin. Part II Characterization of Two Cas13b Crispr-Cas Systems from *Porphyromonas gingivalis*”

Master of Science

Fatimah Mohammed Z. Alanazi

Maha Abdullah M. Almaghshi

R. R. Prasada Arani Satyanarayana Vadi

Vishal Balali

Sarah Marie Black

Sophia M. Bonjour

Jasmine R. Bryant

Austin Blair Butler

Karael K. Campbell

Kamaria R. Coleman

Zachary Martin Cravens

Ananya Anjan Dey

Nicholas D. Flowers

Sandeep Kumar Gande

Vincent J. Gillespie

Shayla Lynn Gunn

Molly Susan Hacker

Brock Alan Harris

Eric Heuneman

Stephen Hofer

Ihuoma Igboke

Drew Colin Imhoff

Pranathi Jasti

Shengdong Jiang

Sondus S. Kahil

Snigdha Kanmanthareddy

Joseph Micheal Krienert

Evan Robert Landers

Nagaphanidra Linga

Donghao Liu

Poojitha Machanapally

Mason McCoy

Alyssa Marie Medler

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Charles J. Murphy

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Charan Raj Penchala

Jon Mitchell Petruska

Sai Ravee Teja Puramsetty

Chamila Kumari Ranaweera

Mahesh Ravi

Breagan D. Ricks

Denise Allison Rogers

Indranil Roy

Nicholas R. Seaton

Kia Semons-Booker

Santhosh Prithvi Raj Srigiri

Sai Susheel Sunkara

Purva Thakre

Amberly H. Tobin

David J. Voris

Handong Wang

Rui Xiao

Kailash Kumar Yadav Yelasani

Bachelor of Arts

Mohammed Jafaru Abdulkadir
Andrew C. Allen
Kyle James Althoff
Amanda L. Blount

Devon G. Guinn *cum laude*
Christopher K. Hanusiak
Khye E. Heuerman
Jimmy O. Howell *magna cum laude*

Jin Hae Kim *cum laude* *
Colten J. Leidner
Kevin D. Schwartz
Tyler S. Watson

Bachelor of Science

Abdallah H. Abu-Sara
Ghadeer Ali Alabdullah *summa cum laude*
Camille R. Alvino
Marzouq F. Alyami
Melissa Rose Amos
Lee D. Austen
Cody Alley Bailey *summa cum laude* *
Lane B. Battles *cum laude*
Blake J. Baum *cum laude*
Danielle Bell
Misty L. Benes
Laura Jean Berger *summa cum laude*
Matthew R. Bernickus
Brooklyn P. Bowers
Penny E. Bowser *magna cum laude* *
Izabella Janna Bradford *summa cum laude* *
Christopher L. Brannon
Gregory L. Brinkman *cum laude*
Joel W. Brown *cum laude* *
Megan Catherine Brown *cum laude* *
Amy Clarissa Buhman *magna cum laude* *
Taylor G. Buley
Sylvia C. Cameron *
Thomas J. Campbell
Makala C. Carney
Margaret N. Catt *magna cum laude* *
Jordan R. Caylor *cum laude* *
Won Jun Choi
Krystal Youn-Shyl Elaine Chung # *
Jensen M. Cloe *cum laude*
Paul Coen *cum laude*
Elizabeth Colin *cum laude*
Austin M. Conrod *magna cum laude* *
Dallas D. Cook
Aurora V. Costin *magna cum laude*
Janice M. Cox *magna cum laude*
Celeste A. Cozzarelli *cum laude*
Joseph K. Cralley *cum laude*
Caleb S. Crawford *summa cum laude* *

Jessica Ann Dailey
Michael Davies
Cameron L. Davis
Vincent Davis Jr.
Alexandra Davison
Kyle R. Dawson
Andrew P. Derby *cum laude* *
Utsav Dhungel *cum laude*
Christina Marie Di Mauro
Alexandria Marie Dickson *cum laude*
Louis J. Dotson
Logan M. Druessel *cum laude* *
Jamie M. Ellis
Anthony James Fonteyne
Joshua R. Foster *cum laude*
Danielle M. Fraider
Morgan H. Franklin *
Austyn Kade Frassato *magna cum laude*
Nicole P. Fuller *summa cum laude* *
Christian M. Garcia *magna cum laude* *
Jonathan L. Gesiorski *cum laude*
Sean P. Goff *
Jazmin J. Gonzalez
Ariel S. Gorham *cum laude* *
Chance Green
Maxwell J. Gubbins
Michelle Guzman *cum laude* *
Jami E. Hagemann *summa cum laude* *
Joshua L. Hancock
Muriel L. Hart *cum laude*
Sarah R. Haschemeyer *magna cum laude* *
Kyle W. Helton
Anthony John Henke *cum laude*
Javier Hernandez Jr. *magna cum laude* *
Kirby J. Herrmann *magna cum laude*
Dayne L. Hester *cum laude*
Kaitlyn M. Holtsclaw *summa cum laude* *
Taylor MyRanda Holzmeyer *magna cum laude*
Katie L. Homan

Heather G. Huffman
Jacob M. Ingram
Cassandra R. Jaegers *magna cum laude* *
Amira K. Jahangir
Daniel K. Jensen *cum laude*
Sean W. Johnson
Vivian M. Kadus *
Paige R. Kannall *magna cum laude*
Jesse Ian Kays *cum laude*
Ian R. Keith
Dylan B. Kelly
Hayden A. Kelly *cum laude*
Logan N. Kent
Brian A. Kettell
Kristian K. Kilbride
Yae Ji Kim
Courtney E. Kinnard *summa cum laude*
Ayush Kohli *summa cum laude* *
Ganesh Koripalli
Hanna Kozina *cum laude*
Anurag R. Kurumbail
Donald S. Larsen
Jazmin Alys Leal
Mallory J. Leckrone *magna cum laude* *
Emron M. Lehman
Hannah H. Lepird *cum laude* *
Alyssa E. Levsy
Viyien Lim *cum laude*
Ryan Abbott Luce *magna cum laude*
Gregory A. Lukach *summa cum laude* *
Joshua M. Maier *summa cum laude*
Michelle A. Malysa *
David A. Mandell
Paige Marie McCaleb *summa cum laude* *
Benjamin L. McConnell
Evan A. McDermott *magna cum laude* *
Shane C. McNamee
Samuel James Messina
Kyle Kurt Fredrick Mews

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summa cum laude 3.9–4.0

Timothy P. Mooney	Madyson L. Ratermann	Molly J. Stacks <i>cum laude</i> *
Shelby L. Moore <i>cum laude</i> *	Kelsey M. Reed <i>cum laude</i> *	Kara Nicole Starkweather <i>summa cum laude</i> *
Megan N. Murphy <i>cum laude</i> *	Brandon C. Ribble	Megan Lee Stayton <i>cum laude</i>
Meredith A. Murry *	Joshua P. Richards	Reid A. Tevonian
Jasmine Nava	Jeremiah S. Roberts <i>summa cum laude</i> *	A'Shaun E. Thomas
Dawn M. Nelson #	Liliana Ruiz	Joseph Adam Townsend
Hanna N. Netisingha <i>magna cum laude</i> *	Francesca Sanchez <i>cum laude</i> *	Jacob Elijah Trammel <i>cum laude</i> *
Elayna S. Northrup	Alexis Leann Sarver	Graham E. Turner <i>cum laude</i>
Ashton S. Novick	Caitlin S. Satalic	Yelena Utyuzh
Priya N. Patel <i>magna cum laude</i> *	Haley A. Schmidt <i>magna cum laude</i> *	Victoria Lynn Vaughn
Katie E. Patterson	Colton Blake Schuler	Cassandra J. Walker <i>cum laude</i> *
Samuel J. Patula <i>cum laude</i>	Megan A. Schwartz	William V. Warner
Brianne M. Paulsmeyer	Angela Rosa Scott	Ian Q. Weigle <i>magna cum laude</i>
Hailey B. Penticoff	Haleigh C. Sever <i>magna cum laude</i> *	Breanna J. Wennberg
Justin R. Peterson <i>cum laude</i>	William H. Shamrock	Rachel B. West
Michael A. Pierri	Yaozong Shen	John Patrick Whitten <i>cum laude</i> *
Taylor Lee Potter	Kathryn E. Shields <i>summa cum laude</i> *	Allison Elizabeth Athena Louise Whorton
Sierra C. Proby	Brandt D. Shultz	<i>summa cum laude</i> *
Carl J. Pugh <i>cum laude</i>	Alexis N. Sielschott <i>cum laude</i>	Josef D. Williams
Courtney Nicole Quigg	Michael R. Smith <i>summa cum laude</i>	Samantha N. Wilson
Sophie L. Quigg <i>summa cum laude</i> *	Tanner L. Smith	Gabriel S. Wohlwend
Nicholas J. Ragucci <i>cum laude</i>	Winston Smith	Jasmine N. Wright
Justin D. Ramsey <i>magna cum laude</i>	Peter Jacob Staab	Nicholas Andrew Yuhas

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SCHOOL OF MEDICINE

Doctor of Philosophy

Chelsea M. Griffith

Molecular Cellular and Systemic Physiology

Peter R. Patrylo, Ph.D.

"Altered Expression of Metabolic Proteins Contributes to
Neuropathological Disease"

ORDER OF EXERCISES - AFTERNOON COMMENCEMENT

Saturday, May 12, 2018 – 1:30 p.m.
SIU Arena

Master of Ceremonies

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

Honorary Reader

Susan Patrick Benson, Associate Professor, Department of Theater

Academic Processional

Commencement Band, Chris Morehouse, Conductor

National Anthem

“The Star-Spangled Banner,” John Stafford Smith and Francis Scott Key,
arrangement by Walter Damrosch and John Philip Sousa
Commencement Band, Chris Morehouse, Conductor
Nyghel Byrd, Masters of Music in Opera/Musical Theater and
Choral Conducting

Greetings and Introduction of Platform Party

Carlo Montemagno, Chancellor

Recognition of Families

Carlo Montemagno, Chancellor

Presentation of Distinguished Service Award

Harvey Welch, Jr., 2018 Recipient

Commencement Remarks

Carlo Montemagno, Chancellor

Presentation of Candidates and Conferring of Doctoral Degrees

Carlo Montemagno, Chancellor
Meera Komarraju, Interim Provost and Vice Chancellor for
Academic Affairs
Julianne Wallace, Interim Associate Dean and Director, Graduate School

Presentation of Candidates and Conferring of Masters Degrees

Carlo Montemagno, Chancellor
Meera Komarraju, Interim Provost and Vice Chancellor for
Academic Affairs
Julianne Wallace, Interim Associate Dean and Director, Graduate School

Presentation of Candidates and Conferring of Baccalaureate Degrees

Terry Clark, Dean, College of Business
Matthew W. Keefer, Dean, College of Education and Human Services

Tassel Turning

Carlo Montemagno, Chancellor

Welcome from the SIU Alumni Association

Rick C. Wysocki, College of Education and Human Services,
Class of 1983 and 1985

Alma Mater

“Southern Alma Mater,” Grover Clarke Morgan, Composer
Commencement Band, Chris Morehouse, Conductor
Nyghel Byrd, Masters of Music in Opera/Musical Theater and
Choral Conducting

Recessional

Commencement Band, Chris Morehouse, Conductor

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

COLLEGE OF BUSINESS

Doctor of Philosophy

Sumeet Jhamb

Business Administration

Steven J. Karau, Ph.D.

“Think Entrepreneur – Think Male: Unfolding the Gendered Characterization of Requisite Managerial, Leadership, and Entrepreneurial Traits”

Taeho Yoh

Business Administration

Terry Clark, Ph.D.

Jaehoon Lee, Ph.D.

“The Effect of Cause-Related Marketing for Corporate Transgressions on Consumer Responses”

Master of Accountancy

Hind Ali S. Alattas

Lorenzo D. Barber

Anu Bayarsaikhan

Oyu Bayarsaikhan

Xinyu Bi

Rehab Saleh N. Bin Saif

Janiece Leshey Blake

Niya Cheng

Steve Collins

Brooke A. Cusumano

Corrin Evans

Chunhua Fei

Billy C. Fields

John C. Galik

Brock K. Grueter

Andrew Scott Huggins

Sawsan S. Kahil

Taylor L. Kuhns

Fei Liu

Stephen Robert Lopez

Kayla L. Lovins

Moira Colleen MacLennan

Tre D. Mathis-House

Jennifer Miller

Jing Mo

Samantha Morales

Allison M. Mueller

Cassidy R. Neal

Juan C. Ramirez

Amanda N. Ranchino

Kristina M. Scally

Lucas M. Taylor

Master of Business Administration

Jemila O. Adetunji

Holly Ann Albano

Andres Alberto Anello

Tosha Jane Baker

Samuel Wakefield Bates

Elizabeth Nicole Bauer

Brian Blegen

Phillip David Boothe

Jacob L. Bramel

Micah Timothy Carr

Jennifer Mary Carroll

Chase Patrick Coslett

Charis R. Creighton

Alexey Diaz

Todd A. Diskey

Danuta I. Dynda

Katlynn Ilea Farmer

Jason Michael Fiduccia

Thomas Anton Gerth

Kelsey R. Gonzalez

Caleb Douglas Grounds

Jason Lee Helt

Brian Neil Hillman

Xiaoxi Huang

Christian Boris Iroume

Stephen M. Klapproth

Zachary Daniel Kloster

Dirk R. Kuehler

Radia Lakhssassi

John Morris Lenz

Amy Elizabeth Lewis

Amy Michelle Lowe

Brian R. Lybarger

David Michael McCowen

Jenny E. McKinney

Treavor Cole McKinnon

Peter Alexander Mitry

Jennifer Jo Montague

Vanessa Ann Morris

Reese Alen Norton

Shawn M. Pambianco

Adam Christopher Parsons

Reema Pravinbhai Patel

Thomas A. Reichert

Michael Sadzak

Crystal Ann Tucker Sankey

Aaron C. Savka

Jennifer Sendeski Palhares

Kyle Tobey Smithpeters

William Edwin Staley III

Patrisha Ann Stalnaker

Kaleigh Stevens

Michael K. Sullivan

Liyuan Wang

Sara Nicole Whitmer

Justin Martin Woulf

Daniel Yeager

Tao Zhu

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Bachelor of Science

Ricky D. Adams	Braden Drake	Katherine Patricia Kovic <i>summa cum laude</i>
Nolan R. Adrian	Samuel Peter Gow Drever IV <i>summa cum laude</i>	Michelle Linnea Krysiak
Timothy J. Ahillen	Shannon Keira Effron <i>cum laude</i>	Austin Tyler Land
Meshari Saleh Alamir	Jacob M. Ellin <i>magna cum laude</i>	Joyce M. Lewis
Ali Hasan Alamir	Blake Elmore	Whitney Janeice Lewis
Fahad Abdulrahman M. Alghannam	Kirstynn A. Etienne	Gaoyi Li <i>cum laude</i>
Hussain Habeeb Almutawa	Cody J. Ferland <i>cum laude</i>	Hongqiao Li
Ahmed Mohammed Alsadiq	Janel T. Flanigan	Junxuan Li <i>cum laude</i>
Hunter L. Anderson	Lisa M. Fletcher	Yeyao Li
Amanda Jo Arena	Cody Ryan Forsythe	Yuhang Liu
William N. Armstrong V	Lael Fraedrich	Alexander H. Lu
Amy M. Atchisson	Michael C. Glaub <i>cum laude</i>	Jianing Luan
Alex T. Attebury	Aaron M. Goeckner <i>magna cum laude</i>	Caitlyn Nicole Lyman <i>magna cum laude</i> *
Kelsie A. Babisz <i>magna cum laude</i> *	Zachary E. Graden	Amy Elizabeth Maassen
Yanika Dajanae Barfield	Daniel Alejandro Guzman Zavala	Victor E. Mahnke
Adonis L. Barker	Jacob Halter	Susan Louise Mariman
Todd A. Barnhart	Alex W. Hansen	Harry Francis Martin
David Clarence Beane II	Ishmael Wayne Harris	Samantha Raneec Mcgriff
Andrew Bergman	Cody R. Hauser	Trent K. Mckay <i>cum laude</i>
Jiate Bie	Ming He	Elise Ann McKnight
Jacob E. Bohnhoff <i>magna cum laude</i>	Gage N. Hector	Katherine A. Mechler <i>cum laude</i>
Patrick G. Boyd	Lindsey R. Helm <i>cum laude</i>	Miranda L. Meyer
Jenna Braden	Jack M. Heminghous	Tori A. Millender
Jakob Hudson Brecher	Jeffrey Thomas Henriksen	Grant Stephen Mills <i>cum laude</i>
Kyle Woodrow Bundgard	Zachary B. Hill	Christopher Morales
Sally J. Burke	Payton Jane Hilton	Timothy Sean Morecraft
Matthew G. Byrnes #	Dalton J. Hoch	Anton Morris
Shawn Byrnes #	Emily Homer	David K. Moyer
Jiayi Cai <i>cum laude</i>	Grace A. Horman <i>summa cum laude</i>	Camille L. Myers <i>magna cum laude</i> *
Joshua C. Carpenter	John A. Houston <i>magna cum laude</i>	Jared C. Nicholas <i>summa cum laude</i> # *
Colton Joe Carter <i>cum laude</i>	Meiling Huang	Nicholas A. Nickolettos
Desiree N. Casey <i>cum laude</i>	Xinran Huang	Guiming Niu <i>cum laude</i>
Xiaoling Chen	Evan P. Jefferson <i>cum laude</i>	Colin Michael Nolan
Chloeressa C. Coleman	Yueming Jiang	Christopher K. Nowak
Christopher Philip Cook	Yuman Jiang	Carlos Yair Nunez
Katelynn N. Cook	Xue Jin	Sarah J. O'Malley
Danielle L. Coughlin	Dillon C. Johnson	Jennifer L. Parker <i>magna cum laude</i>
Mark A. Craig	Jason M. Kaney	Logan M. Parson
Alex J. Crawford <i>cum laude</i>	Gabrielle M. Kasparie <i>magna cum laude</i> *	Chelsea M. Payton
Cody W. Crosley	Erica B. Kelly <i>cum laude</i>	Asia Pearson
Drew Curtis	Ethan N. Kennedy <i>cum laude</i>	Shavon M. Pettis
Steven D. Darden Jr. <i>summa cum laude</i>	Alicia Nicole King	Melissa K. Phelps
Andrew DeHaan <i>cum laude</i>	Renee L. Kinzinger <i>summa cum laude</i> # *	Lukas L. Poplevicius
Ariana I. DeHoet	William James Kirsch III	Yingxu Qi <i>cum laude</i>
Susan Ann Disselhorst	Tereza Klocova <i>magna cum laude</i>	Chunying Quan <i>cum laude</i>
Xiaolu Dong	Christopher G. Knafelc	Jacob A. Rahn <i>cum laude</i>
Yunfei Dong <i>magna cum laude</i>	Christian Karol Koltas	Dennis Ramsook

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Jordan W. Ramsour
 Jerry Ransom
 Rachael K. Reid *cum laude*
 Zaine Reiss
 Gedi Ren
 Alexis Brooke Renner
 Cody S. Rew
 Landon William Rhodes
 Madeline B. Richards
 Rianne L. Robeson
 Daniel Rodriguez Jr. #
 Tiffany A. Santana
 Mary E. Saulsbery *summa cum laude* *
 Skylar G. Schafer
 William J. Schefelbein *cum laude*
 Jiamin Shan *magna cum laude*
 Ryan Patrick Sheedy
 Mark A. Sheldon II
 Yang Shen *cum laude*
 Urooj Singapuri
 Timothy John Slater
 Abby J. Smith
 Allison Elizabeth Smith *magna cum laude*
 Caleb Isaiah Smith

Michael James Smith
 Hanxu Su *magna cum laude*
 Grant Edward Suess *summa cum laude* #
 Riley E. Sulaver
 Tianjun Sun *cum laude*
 Roman Aundres Tatum
 Montana S. Taylor #
 Zachary David Taylor
 Jaren James Teal
 Noah James Thompson
 Tiffany Thorne
 Roderick V. Throgmorton *cum laude*
 Tengjun Tian
 Spencer E. Tribout
 Shawna L. Trunnell *magna cum laude*
 Marshon A. Tucker
 Humphrey A. Uti *cum laude*
 Kylie M. VanDyke
 Philip C. VanWassenhove *cum laude*
 Maegan O. Vinson
 Katherine Grace Wall *cum laude*
 Hou Wang
 Siyue Wang
 Alexandria Lynn Wease

Austin Gene Weiher
 Meghan C. Weinstein
 Scott M. Wiest
 Logan C. Will
 Marquan D. Williams
 Jamond D. Wilson
 Derrian Jene' Wood *summa cum laude*
 Samantha C. Workman
 Alexa Michelle Wyant
 Mengdi Xu
 Lu Yan #
 Troy Yeager
 Jinyuan Yuan
 Zihao Yue
 Cody James Zamora
 Leslie Ivonne Zarate Pescina
 Jeremy Franklin Zeoli *cum laude*
 Chao Zhang
 Jingwen Zhao
 Tong Zhao
 Amy Zumbahlen

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COLLEGE OF EDUCATION AND HUMAN SERVICES

Doctor of Philosophy

Sameer Ahmed

Workforce Education and Development
Seburn Pense, Ph.D.

"A Quantitative Inquiry into the Relationship between Learning Styles, Psychological Types and Standardized Achievement Examination Performance of Nurse Aide Students"

Khaled Mohammed Al Amer

Curriculum and Instruction
Peter J. Fadde, Ph.D.

"Comparing the Effects of Pre-Recorded Lecture and Live Online Lecture on Learning and Sense of Community"

Abdulrahman Alruwaili

Curriculum and Instruction
D. John McIntyre, Ph.D.

"The Perceptions of Islamic Studies Teachers about Incorporating Cultural Diversity in the Curriculum"

Ola Nader AL-Sheyab

Workforce Education and Development
Barbara E. Hagler, Ph.D.

"The Relationship between Retention, Employee Engagement, Job Satisfaction, and Intrinsic Motivation among Nurses"

Jordan Belisle

Rehabilitation
Mark R. Dixon, Ph.D.

"A Theory of Relational Density"

Lynn Dettman

Workforce Education and Development
Barbara E. Hagler, Ph.D.

"Nursing Turnover, Is It All About Pay? A Qualitative Analysis of Nursing Turnover in Rural Healthcare"

Christy L. Hamilton

Educational Administration
Patrick Dilley, Ph.D.

"Culturally Sensitive Health Care: An Exploration of Medical Providers Identified as LGBTQ-Friendly at Midwestern, Non-Urban University Health Centers"

Eunmi Joung

Curriculum and Instruction
Jerry P. Becker, Ph.D.

"A Study of Preservice Teachers' Mental Computation Attitudes, Knowledge, and Flexibility in Thinking for Teaching Mathematics"

Yuanlu Niu

Workforce Education and Development
Cynthia H. Sims, Ph.D.

"How Facial Attractiveness of Chinese Female Applicants Affects the Decisions Regarding a Hypothetical Employment Evaluation"

Kaamel M. Nuhu

Health Education
Wendi K. Middleton, Ph.D.

"Determinants of Health-Seeking Behavior in Ghana"

Dana C. Paliliunas

Rehabilitation
Mark R. Dixon, Ph.D.

"An Investigation of Values as Hierarchical Relational Networks: Transformation of Consequential Stimulus Functions and Motivative Augmentals"

Nahal Salimi

Rehabilitation Counseling
William V. Crimando, Ph.D.

"Multidimensional Attitudes towards Disability among International Students at a Midwestern University in the United States"

Jodi Lynn Schoen

Workforce Education and Development
Barbara E. Hagler, Ph.D.

"Congruency of Learning Styles and Teaching Styles on Performance Outcomes of Certified Nurse Aide Students"

Kristin N. Shelby

Educational Administration
Patrick Dilley, Ph.D.

"Experiences of Gay and Lesbian Students at a Rural Midwestern Community College"

April Teske

Curriculum and Instruction
Grant Miller, Ph.D.

"A Mixed Methods Study Exploring the Relationship between Clinical Evaluations and edTPA"

Master of Arts in Teaching

Heather Joy Webb

Master of Public Health

Megan Austin
Adejoke Oyinloye Bakare
Alexandra C. Barger
Dominique Desaree Byrd
Rashod R. Coleman

Rae Leonor Gumayan
Richard Paul Hartke
Brittany Heyen
Caleb Matthew Lusk
Tatiana A. Sherrill

Katlynn Suzanne Slightom
Magan Jacole Snowden
Andrianna A. Stephens
Nicole M. Tabor
Taslina Zaman

Master of Science

Amani Mohammed Al-Holail
Nicole M. Applegate
Yesenia Arreguin
Sarah C. Ashe
Kathryn N. Baltzell
Monique Barnett
Bailey J. Battaglia
Regina A. Bielfeldt
Victoria Marie Booth
Emily Joye Byrne
Karen L. Caldwell
Lisa Jo Carlock
Alysse Ann Mary Cepeda
Andrea Harley Chalmers
Kelly J. Collins
Brandy Lee Davis
Macyn Dalainey Dunk
Lindsey Renee Ellenberger
Kevin Erdner
Kimberly Nora Forst
Rachel M. Gallenbach

Sebastian Garcia Zambrano
Marvina J. Halton
Tiffinee Ann Hamlin
Shanice Dawn Harvey
Jariah Monet Henderson
Jessica Marie Hinman
Elena N. Houston
Victoria Diane Hutchinson
Samantha Ann Incaprera
Emily Elizabeth Jenkins
Johnathon T. Koski
Sara K. Kroeger
Melissa Beth Kucyk
Chelsea D. Kujawa
Molly Ann Lamb
Lauren Michele Lang
George David Lowery #
Kaitlyn LeeAnn Maston
Courtney M. Mclaughlin
Malee Bella-Ann Miller
Rachel Cortney Minkel

Miranda Morton
Gabrielle E. Moss
Kristin L. Myers
Christy Rochele Ogden
Luke A. Oliver
Kelly L. Peterson
Katie E. Price
Allyson Renee' Reynolds
Mina Rohail
Kathryn Emily Smolak
Nora Kathryn Spittler
Archie D. Thompson Jr.
Megan Mackenzie Tolan
Mikaela B. Trexler
Maria Guadalupe Ucan
Brent D. Vanham
Xiangjing Wang
Richard Christopher Wawrzonkowski
Dara Jumoke Weaver-Holmes
Jamie Lee Weinberg
Jennifer J. Woods

Master of Science in Education

Nuha Ahmed Alhusayni
Assia Nakia Baker
Carrie LeighAnn Bryant
Salvador Chavez
Courtney Julia Copp
Patricia Lynn Davis
Branden Cameron Eshrati
Jordan Fisher
Sean Patrick Gloss
Raysean Yohimbe Golden
Katrina Day Hancock
Michael Darryl Hill Jr.
Kayla Sobotta Hoye
Ryan Daniel Hoye
Kelsey Huelsmann
Chasity O. Jones
Alexis R. Kindred
Patricia Krejcek

Sydney Natasha Lawrence
Christina J. Lee
Robert J. Lewis
George David Lowery #
Angela Lea Mausey
Mary Lydia McDaniel
Tyler Dale McGrew
Rashaud Kiwan Media
Secily Renee Moss
Edna A. Murrieta
Jenevieve Marya Nelson
Andrew R. Novara
Christian Roberto Ortega-Valenzuela
Kailin A. Potter
DeJon Markee Purnell
Brittany Lynette Richmond
Jasmine Lashawn Robinson
Joelle Leigh Rollins-Kent

Jocelyn C. Rothschild Frey
Nathan D. Schuck
Brianna L. Scott
Amanda C. Shine
Veronica Claire Singson Tantoco
Leslie Boyd Stark
Isaiah Tanner
Brian A. Thompson
Christian I. Thompson
Angel Lynnese Thompson-Jackson
David Torres
Maria Nnedimma Christiana Umeokwoibe
Kurt Van Kuiken
Jordan Daniel Wade
Curtis C. Wideman
Deziree Leyba Williams
Gabrielle M. Williams
Weichen Zhao

Master of Social Work

Veronica Archer
Sierra R. Baldwin
Natassia Terryn Beere
Andrew Wade Belton
Noelle Tanesha Blake
Suzanne Lea Blankenship
Beth Ann Brown
Micah D. Broy
Conner Edward Butler
Emily A. DeMattei
Leslie Ann Dowdy
Flor D. Eldridge
Nicholas J. Foy
Agatha do Prado Franca
Breshonti L. Galloway
Kimberly Ann Garcia
Kristen M. Ginn
Magdalena Michele Gonzalez
Jessica A. Grigsby
Darren Jerome Guest

Gena Haile
Natasha K. Hammonds
William E. Havrilla
Christopher Mark D. Higdon
Brittiney N. Higgins
Laryssa M. Hiller
Thomas C. Iheme
Heather L. Jackson-Brown
Amanda K. Johnson
Brenna L. Johnston
Katrina L. Jones
Destini Alma Ketchens
Lovella L. Lassay
Vanessa Elaine Lawrence
Kevin Thomas Marciniak
Tera Nicole Midgett
Heather M. Milligan
Emily Renee Neace
Richard D. Overturf
Delaney E. Parker

Philmaja Gianni Ross
Sara Elizabeth Sauerhage
Isiah Schumer
Sultan Ali M. Shubair
Crystal Shulda
Lauryn N. Staley
Allyson N. Stephens
Angela L. Thomas
Jessa M. Thomas
Callie A. Travelstead
David Paul Vaccaro
Takeia Z. Van
Morgan E. Vielweber
Morgan White
Julie A. Williams
Matthew Budd Wilson-Leigh
Meredith R. Woods
Ashley Nicole Zanders

Bachelor of Science

David Acevedo
Brenton D. Adams Jr.
Brittany N. Adams *magna cum laude* #
Demeri A. Adams *summa cum laude* *
Brandi N. Aken *magna cum laude*
Dhovie Monato Apoyan *cum laude*
Brittany Nicole Atha *cum laude*
Ronald Dean Austin *cum laude*
Tiffany L. Austin *summa cum laude*
Angelica Alejandra Avila #
Samantha L. Babcock
Karlee M. Bachmann
Jessica E. Bacon *cum laude*
Antoine D. Bailey
Rickia Latrice Ballentine
Brianna S. Bankhead *cum laude*
Jennifer Rae Banovic *cum laude*
Shane E. Barrington *cum laude*
Abigail M. Barrow *magna cum laude*
Marcus P. Bartley *cum laude*
Alexis P. Bartolucci *magna cum laude*
Matthew S. Basler
Marrisa Brooke Battaglia *cum laude*
Kevin Belsky *magna cum laude*
Shelbi M. Bencie
Bryce W. Benefield
Cody G. Bernardoni
Cole Randall Berry
Stephanie Ann Bethel
John Jeffrey Betscher
Lillie M. Betts
Jacquelin S. Biggs *summa cum laude*
Courtney Renae Bingel
Logan D. Blackfan
Leslie Ryan Blackley
Andrew Russell Blake
Ericka E. Bland-Hughes
Melissa Mashae Blockett
Dahmone Chantice Bluford
Rachel L. Boehmert *summa cum laude*
Sara E. Boone
Adam Q. Borges
Kaitlin J. Borrmann *summa cum laude* *
Kailey T. Bourke
Nicholas A. Bowen
Matthew Ryan Braun
Alva Eugene Brown

Darius Santorie Brown *cum laude*
Desiree D. Brown *cum laude* #
Tiara M. Brown
Luke Thomas Bullard
Marilyn G. Burleson
Tracey Sophia Burris
Davvan Latrae Butler
Kyla Renae Byrn
Bailie A. Caldwell *magna cum laude*
Carly D. Callahan *summa cum laude*
Andrew Michael Camaione
Joseph A. Camerlin *magna cum laude*
Jessica L. Campobello
Sean M. Carley *cum laude*
Christina Marie Carter
Douglas Samuel Carter Jr.
Noe Casas
Brenna C. Casey *cum laude*
Alexa Lynn Castore
Rachel A. Cavaletto
Anthony Michael Chelf *magna cum laude*
Sarah E. Childers
Alicia Childress
Keith Allen Choate *magna cum laude*
Tiara S. Clark
Angela Dawn Coe *magna cum laude*
Levi A. Coffey
Darryl Comer
Brandon P. Cook *summa cum laude*
Francisco Javier Cordero
Samuel A. Corso *magna cum laude* *
Jacob Grant Cowan
Amy E. Coyle
Claire M. Darnell *cum laude*
Kayla Irene Daugherity
Veronica Ann Davila
Makayla Elaine Davis
Michael Anthony Dayton *magna cum laude*
Teairra Breanna Deacon
Aaron M. Denton
Olivia J. Detling-Nusser
Nathan M. Dodd
David Lowell Dolan
Savanna R. Dover
Amy J. Drust
Alex E. Duda
Scott R. Duncan

Elisabeth G. Elliott
Donald Ellis *magna cum laude*
Natalie J. Erickson
Juan Amable Ferre
Stephen Christopher Fimbel
Savannah Fisher *cum laude*
Barbara Ann Fitzgerald
Diamond I. Flournoy
Kyli S. Foster *cum laude*
Brooke N. Franciscovich
Sheniko Cerone Frett
Herman Jeffrey Froelich
Bradley M. Fryman
John Bradley Gandy Jr. *cum laude*
John H. Gardner
Elmo Johnson Garland III
Grant L. Garner
Jessica Lynn Garrison
Michael Edward Gasque *magna cum laude*
Jordan R. Gaston *magna cum laude*
Steven Tyler Gatchell *summa cum laude*
Erica D. Gibson *cum laude*
Kylie R. Giebelhausen *magna cum laude*
Jeffrey James Gies *cum laude*
Chandra Autumn Gilliam *summa cum laude* *
Virginia Gleason
Brittany N. Goldsberry *summa cum laude*
Yana Golovkina
Josue Gonzalez
Gabrielle Elizabeth Gordon
David W. Gott
Lily M. Graber
Brianna D. Green *summa cum laude*
Nicholas Ryan Green
Austin K. Gregory
Seth Thomas Gurrola
Eric D. Gustafson
Amanda Hope Hagen
Kylan C. Hallam *magna cum laude*
Bryn C. Handley *summa cum laude*
Dinnus W. Harding III
Claire E. Hardwick
Marlan Harris
Wendy D. Harris
Neil Christopher Hartigan
Jasmine C. Hawkins
Michelle Marie Hays *magna cum laude*

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Ana Maria Hernandez *magna cum laude* #
Darryl Ledger Herrmann *cum laude*
Brianna C. Hester
Robert Theodore Hewitt
Stephen D. Hiatt-Leonard
Kenneth J. Hiemer
James Hilbert
Alex Victoria Hiller
Morgan M. Holycross
Marcella Elaine Horlback
Morgan Breanna Hotaling *summa cum laude*
Antonio Maurice Hudson *magna cum laude*
Lonnell Hudson *cum laude*
Mary Kristina Huff
Monica H. Hutchison
Marcus Lowell Hyman *cum laude*
Diana Ibarra
Devyn M. Imhoff
Andrew Stuart Ingraham
Ashley Rose Ingram
Matthew Joseph Jackson
Craig C. James
Darrell DeJuan James
Marrrian A. James
Catherine A. Jewers *cum laude*
Leah J. Johns
Sydney Elizabeth Jones *magna cum laude*
Vernita Jones
Zachary Taylor Joyce *magna cum laude*
Lehi Antonio Juarezmedina *cum laude*
Charles Daniel Kahl
Justyna Kaluzny *magna cum laude*
Paige E. Kelly
Paige A. Keneipp *cum laude*
Fatima Z. Khan
Massa Kiatamba
Jalonda Kimbrough
Paul Thomas Klaas *summa cum laude*
Joseph William Klinger
Jessica Anne Klomps *cum laude*
Erin Nicole Koester *summa cum laude*
Connor J. Kopach
Mallory A. Korbar *summa cum laude*
Tyler Carol Lambert
Sarah Jean Laur
William Charles Lemke *cum laude*
Chloe Chanell Lenoir
Donnell Leonard Lewis
Jonas Richard Lewis
Tavae D. Lewis
Michelle L. Liacone
Brent Allen Light
Carissa R. Lindner *cum laude*
Gage T. Lodge
Charles P. Lofland Jr.
Edgar Lopez
Jacqueline Lopez
Kathryn A. Lorenz *magna cum laude*
Casey Macabulos
Thomas Robert MacDonald *cum laude*
Amanda E. Malawy *cum laude* *
Trebtor R. Mann *magna cum laude*
Kezia F. Martin *magna cum laude*
Candelario Ruiz Martinez Jr.
Connie Marie Martinez
Amy Renee May
Deborah Anne May *magna cum laude*
Cesar Maya
Alicia Florence Mayen *summa cum laude* *
Braden Michael Mayer *magna cum laude*
Azucena Mayorga
Katelin M. Maze
Alexis McCabe
Evonne Christina McCoach
Adriana V. Medina *magna cum laude* *
Diana Melchor
Lindsay D. Meverden *cum laude*
Charles Weldon Meyers Jr.
Kyle William Miller
Mary Anne Miller
Renee L. Mixon
Meagan Alexandra Monaghan *summa cum laude*
Marissa Michelle Moss
Lori Ann McCallum Moyer
Emily Nagy
Ryan Christopher Neal
Marcie L. Niekamp *cum laude*
Isaiah S. Nowotarski
Grace O'Callaghan
Chelsea R. Ochs
Ryan T. O'Donnell
Toheeb A. Ogunseye
Richard Oradimeji Oriji
Josie L. Overturf *cum laude*
Rebecca Owusu-Ntow
Emerito Tomines Pacleb
Mehalis Papazoglou
Thomas A. Pelikan
Mariah N. Peloso
Alejandra Pena *cum laude*
Joyce Yarily Perez
Brendan T. Petty #
Kennedy Carroll Phelps *magna cum laude*
Shane H. Phillips *summa cum laude*
Whitney R. Pierce *cum laude*
Theresa Rebecca Pierson
Cory James Pinkney *cum laude*
Victoria L. Pittman *summa cum laude*
Donisha M. Plair
Valerie Potmas *summa cum laude*
Kelly Ray Preston *cum laude*
Erica L. Pulley *magna cum laude*
Laconda Lynn Pullin
William K. Raby *summa cum laude*
Sarah Raganyi *cum laude*
Jasmine J. Remmer *cum laude*
Tierney M. Rhone
Wondra Riase
Jonathan J. Rice
Sydney Leigh Richards
Jose Esguerra Rivera
April Lee Robinson
Joseph Robledo *cum laude*
Joshua Roderick *cum laude*
Darren Rudolph Rodgers
Cody Lee Rodriguez
Jerry Rodriguez
Brady Paul Roundtree *magna cum laude*
Alexandrea M. Rucker *cum laude*
Chaz Michael Ruffino
Katelyn Beth Ruppel *cum laude*
Alexander Lee Salter
Scott Andrew Salzman
Jeno Adrian Sanchez *cum laude*
Chad Edison Saner
Lexi J. Sarles
Aimee N. Schaaf
Katerina Schmidt *summa cum laude* *
Scott Russell Schoeller
Lindsay Maria Schoppmann
Nicholas Scott Schutte
DeVondre Antonio Seymour
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 Nicholas Dean Sinkiewicz
 James Frank Smith Jr.
 Kyren Smith
 Madison R. Smith
 Bailey E. Smithpeters *cum laude*
 Tyler J. Smithpeters
 Caitlin Noel Smothers
 Darby L. Smothers *magna cum laude*
 TeeTee Soul II
 Rachel M. Starke
 Natalie L. Stefchek
 Desirae Nicole Stern *cum laude*
 Sarah N. Stipp *magna cum laude*
 Samantha J. Stolzenbach
 Kelsey M. Stosberg
 Samantha Stout
 Samuel Siegrist Straub
 Latoya J. Strong
 Jose Antonio Sumabat Jr. *cum laude*
 Octavia U. Swango
 English S. Swopes
 Gabriella M. Szmanda
 Emilee A. Tabin *cum laude*

Olivia F. Tamayo
 Gennifer J. Taylor *cum laude*
 Montana S. Taylor #
 David Josiah Teal
 Molly A. Thomas
 Frances Aimee Thompson
 Mystique L. Thompson
 Brittany Lynn Thornton
 Dezhane' A. Timmons
 Briley Z. Tolley *magna cum laude*
 Jacob R. Towers *cum laude*
 David Carles Tuders *summa cum laude*
 Brittany N. Turner
 Shakira S. Turner
 Elise Lorene Unger
 Haley Layne Utley
 Adam J. Vagner
 Travis Vas
 Audrey Rose Vaughn *cum laude*
 Jefferson Vea
 Wilbert McCampbell Wafford
 Bryce J. Wagner *cum laude*
 Kelcie T. Wahaib
 Kelsie M. Walker *cum laude*

Aikey J. Walton
 Noeshia Lashawn Washington
 Jeremiah O. Wells
 Steven A. Whitaker *cum laude*
 Aaliyah Kenisha White
 Melanie L. Whittington *cum laude*
 Tyler Joseph Wibbenmeyer
 Brittany Sierra Willett
 Amira Khadija Williams
 Kacie M. Williams *magna cum laude*
 Huyen C. Williams †
 Makeshia Jamila Williams
 Katerina Winters
 Nicholas L. Wittke
 Alexander T. Wojcik *cum laude*
 Talia Pena Woods
 Allyson M. Worlds
 Andrew C. Worthey
 Lauren Wright
 Chandler P. Yoder
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ORDER OF EXERCISES - EVENING COMMENCEMENT

Saturday, May 12, 2018 – 5:30 p.m.
SIU Arena

Master of Ceremonies

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

Honorary Reader

Susan Patrick Benson, Associate Professor, Department of Theater

Academic Processional

Commencement Band, Chris Morehouse, Conductor

National Anthem

“The Star-Spangled Banner,” John Stafford Smith and Francis Scott Key,
arrangement by Walter Damrosch and John Philip Sousa
Commencement Band, Chris Morehouse, Conductor
Nygghel Byrd, Master of Music Opera/Musical Theater and Choral
Conducting, School of Music Soloist

Greetings and Introduction of Platform Party

Carlo Montemagno, Chancellor

Recognition of Families

Carlo Montemagno, Chancellor

Presentation of Honorary Degree

Richard Roundtree, Doctorate of Performing Arts

Commencement Remarks

Carlo Montemagno, Chancellor

Presentation of Candidates and Conferring of Doctoral Degrees

Carlo Montemagno, Chancellor
Meera Komarraju, Interim Provost and Vice Chancellor for
Academic Affairs
Julianne Wallace, Interim Associate Dean and Director, Graduate School

Presentation of Candidates and Conferring of Masters Degrees

Carlo Montemagno, Chancellor
Meera Komarraju, Interim Provost and Vice Chancellor for
Academic Affairs
Julianne Wallace, Interim Associate Dean and Director, Graduate School

Presentation of Candidates and Conferring of Baccalaureate and Associate Degrees

Andy Wang, Dean, College of Applied Sciences and Arts
John J. Warwick, Dean, College of Engineering
Deborah Tudor, Interim Dean, College of Mass Communication
and Media Arts

Tassel Turning

Carlo Montemagno, Chancellor

Welcome from the SIU Alumni Association

Gary Heflin, College of Business, Class of 1989

Alma Mater

“Southern Alma Mater,” Grover Clarke Morgan, Composer
Commencement Band, Chris Morehouse, Conductor
Nygghel Byrd, Master of Music Opera/Musical Theater and Choral
Conducting, School of Music Soloist

Recessional

Commencement Band, Chris Morehouse, Conductor

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

COLLEGE OF APPLIED SCIENCES AND ARTS

Master of Architecture

Shawn Michael Adamek
Felicia Mae Brand
Jonathan M. Clark
Van Dwinells

Dominick Lee Johnson
Richard Chase Master
Nicholas Andrew Schubach
Charu Sharma

John George Svast III
Erica Enright Twomey

Master of Health Administration

Beth Ann Casteel
Nathaniel Scott Corron
Amy Queenester Dentmon

Alicia Susanne Hein
Erika Danielle Kitowski
Andy Mathison

Joanna Mondragon
Shanee C. Thurston-Chase
Kiara Lynn Wyatt

Master of Science

David Robert Adler
Marisa Ann Buscaglia

Timothy Adam King
Bernard Redmond Lyons

Kyle Matthew Matousek
Martin Walsh

Bachelor of Science

Alexander Eugene Abel
Nancy Rebecca Abohosh
Jorge Acosta
Mark A. Acosta *magna cum laude* #
Kelly A. Adams *summa cum laude*
Nikisha Adams *cum laude*
Scott A. Adcock
Edward Wiafe Adjei
Stiljan Agolli *magna cum laude*
Adam Alaraj *magna cum laude*
Abdullah Saad A. Alasmari
Michael J. Allen
Mohammed Ali Alqahtani
Ahmed Mohammed Alsamdani *summa cum laude*
Mohammad Asal R. Alshammari
Eric Andress *summa cum laude*
Dylan Eli Antoff
Ashantewa L. Aprilheart
Andy F. Arnold *cum laude*
Nicholas A. Arteaga
Marissa A. Asbury
Ti Arrah M. Atkins
Nehseem Jawdat Attar
Brianna M. Atteo *cum laude*
Mark Bachleda *cum laude*

Samarr R. Bagby
Kyle L. Bandish
Toni Lynn Barbee
Dale Barclay
Shelby C. Barker *summa cum laude*
Juan Mendo Barra
Tyler J. Barrett
James Alexander Bautista *summa cum laude*
Aaron Michael Beatty *cum laude*
Dilan Wade Berchtold *cum laude*
Taylor Alan Bevis
Amber Rose Billings
Thomas J. Birch
Morgan K. Bishop
Jacqueline J. Blackburn *summa cum laude* *
Krystina Camille Blue
Mark Andrew Blume
Katherine N. Boedecker *summa cum laude*
Michael E. Bontkowski
Osvaldo Botello
Rachel M. Bowne *summa cum laude* #
Darius L. Boyd
Alison J. Brettnacher *
Julianne Rae Bridges *cum laude*
Kevin M. Brow

Matthew W. Bruin
Drew Levi Buerck *cum laude* #
Danielle M. Bumba
Keyoina S. Burkes
Alana Renee Cade
Lance Michael Calicutt
Anna Marie Brua Carbonel *summa cum laude*
Janel Latris Carter
Kehelsea L. Carter
Kyle A. Carter *cum laude*
Caitlyn M. Cathcart *magna cum laude*
Michael Everett Catrell
Michael Edward Caulfield
Christian Oliver Cebrero Ortiz
George E. Chaddick
Sinjun Chalcraft
Chia-Hwa Chang
Ninos Chimon
Mercedes Del Rosario Choque
Ryan Cichowicz
Brittany D. Clemmons
Katie Rose Coffey *cum laude*
Vince P. Coha
Ryann K. Cohan
Cassidy Cole

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Kennedy J. Cole *cum laude*
 Betty C. Contreras
 Ryan T. Corcoran
 Samantha N. Corder
 Francisco Adalberto Cordova
 Dollia Violet Cortez *cum laude*
 Michelle Cortez
 Jacob E. Cotriss *cum laude*
 Austin L. Crane
 Kellia Cunningham
 LaDeja L. Dean
 Savannah L. Deckert *magna cum laude*
 Jacob M. Deckinga *magna cum laude*
 Christopher Dollente dela Pena
 Jacklynn Demings
 Mitchell J. Dergance
 August Maurice DeVry
 Jesus Diaz Jr.
 Carl E. Dibert
 Nina F. Dimarco *cum laude*
 Re'mah MaryAnne Jessie Dinc
 Justin M. Donoho
 Daniel Brady Dotson *cum laude*
 Jose Duarte
 James Kenneth Duncan
 Mitchell J. Dust
 Eva Lee Dynes
 Ashley Lynne Edelen *magna cum laude*
 Benjamin D. Edwards
 Zachary A. Eldredge
 Dana Elizabeth Ellis-Barnes
 Tosin F. Emiola
 Adam David Engman
 Cole J. Evans *magna cum laude* #
 Gregory A. Evans *cum laude*
 Elizabeth C. Fahey *magna cum laude*
 Matthew Wright Fawcett
 Martin Leandro Fernandez
 Jon-Michael Fishero
 Robert William Fleming
 Cara Tee Fleurizard
 Zachary B. Fordon *magna cum laude*
 Jack B. Fossler
 Jadea P. Foster
 Johanna M. Fox *summa cum laude*
 Tyler Roderick Frye *cum laude*
 Rodjzae M. Funches-Heard
 Kathleen Julia Furgala
 Delaney Q. Gallagher *cum laude*
 Jeffrey A. Gammill
 Robert Dale Ganz
 Anthony Michael Garavaglia
 Robert Kent Garrison
 Courtney G. Gascoigne
 Joshua A. Gavel
 Mackenzie D. Gellerman
 Stinnett Gettinger
 Beauregard D. Gibbs
 Donald Bruce Gibson
 Tanna C. Gillespie *magna cum laude*
 Maria Vitoria V. Giorgio Beirao
 Christopher Robert Gobeli
 Danielle M. Graham
 Jordan N. Grathler
 Nicholas Sean Graves
 Jashaela C. Greer
 Kyle C. Gregory #
 Miles T. Greif *cum laude*
 Brooke V. Griffin
 James Gross *magna cum laude*
 Sonia P. Guerrero-Colon
 Louis P. Gumma
 Rogelio Guzman
 Natalia Anna Hajduk *magna cum laude* *
 Emmalie G. Hall Skank *summa cum laude*
 Caleb M. Hall
 Christopher L. Hall
 Zechariah Hall *summa cum laude*
 Timothy J. Hameister *cum laude*
 Matthew J. Harbert
 Royce W. Harris
 Andrea Hart
 Ben W. Hatler
 Lauren A. Heal *cum laude*
 Jonathan Dewayne Hearn
 Ashley Marie Hemmen *summa cum laude*
 Emily R. Hennenfent *cum laude*
 Christopher P. Herbst
 Marco Antonio Hernandez
 Olivia M. Hickey *magna cum laude* *
 Nicholas George Higgin *cum laude* #
 Tamura M. Hill
 Kiyee M. Hoffmann
 Patrick Michael Hogge
 Torre T. Hopson #
 Katelyn M. Horan
 Blake Edward Howard
 Morgan Paige Howell
 Larissa P. Hudson *magna cum laude*
 Ashtyn R. Hunt *cum laude*
 Anthony S. Iaquinta *magna cum laude*
 John Alama Idah
 James Robert Inglis *magna cum laude*
 John Patrick Isaacs *cum laude*
 Robert H. Izzo
 Alicia Jacklin
 Michael George Janda *cum laude* #
 Abigail Bridget Janssen *cum laude*
 Elizabeth H. Jean Pierre
 Larryon D. Johnson
 Tara Nichole Johnson *magna cum laude*
 Noah M. Jones
 Steve Kanoy II *summa cum laude*
 Aspasia Kavafis
 Alex W. Kawalec
 Evangellos G. Kazamias *cum laude*
 Rachel S. Keeble
 Erica Katie Kelley
 Nicholas Kelso
 Taha Khan
 Matthew M. Kilarski
 Megan R. Kilgore
 Lauren M. Kleinschmidt *magna cum laude*
 Drew J. Kleyweg *summa cum laude*
 Marisa Jean Koester *magna cum laude*
 Matthew J. Krygeris *summa cum laude*
 Carla W. Lacombe
 Evan Lauer
 Bryce Allen Layne
 John Iakopo Leasiolagi *cum laude*
 Caila G. Lee *cum laude*
 Matthew James Lee
 Stephen J. Lee *cum laude* #
 Matthew M. Lemon *magna cum laude*
 Matthew Carl Lesones
 Spencer Ley
 Jared S. Lindgren
 Keith R. Ling
 Demetra A. Lisigakis
 Tamara Marie Little
 Kayla R. Longacre
 Julia A. Lord *magna cum laude* *
 Tingquan Lou
 Alan G. Lovekamp *cum laude* *
 Ryan R. Loy
 Roberto Carlos Luna
 Luke J. Mackey *cum laude*
 Ahmed Fuad Madani *cum laude*
 Kevin Patrick Maher *cum laude* #
 Cory Richard Majdecki

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 Jacob T. Malik
 Lisa Jean Mallon
 Nicole M. Manno *magna cum laude*
 Emily A. Marks
 Kevin S. Martin
 Casey Maxwell Mathias
 Kimberly Chereace Matthews
 Timothy Gene May
 Breana C. McCabe
 Jazmine Lydia McGee
 Sean Thomas McIntyre
 Robert R. Mcknight
 Patrick McLaughlin *cum laude*
 Curtis A. McRoy
 Daniel J. Meador
 Mark Jerome Melchior
 Kelly Elizabeth Meloy *cum laude*
 Matthew J. Michael
 Quintin D. Miller
 Randall James Milota
 Jonathan Eric Mixon
 Scott Andrew Mohr *summa cum laude*
 Katlyn N. Montague *magna cum laude* *
 Darrien L. Moore
 Jared A. Moore #
 Matthew J. Morefield
 Kyle Anthony Morgan
 Shaun Allen Morgan †
 Andrew W. Mosbarger
 Norbert Shawn Mroczkowski
 Shane Walter Mueller *cum laude*
 Jessica L. Mulligan *magna cum laude*
 Troy G. Musillami
 Dustin C. Nance
 Peter J. Newell *cum laude*
 Tyler L. Nicholson
 John Charles Nolen
 Andrew Duane Norrenberns *summa cum laude*
 Richard David Nowak
 Ariana D. Nykaza *cum laude*
 Mark W. O'Brien
 Clare E. O'Connor *magna cum laude*
 Devin O'Dell *cum laude*
 Kaitlyn Lorraine Oetjen
 Nathan Lee Ogle
 Ryan James Orlando *cum laude*
 Cesar Ortega
 Nathan M. Palfalvi *magna cum laude*
 Alexander James Panther
 Alexandra Maria Parise
 Abbie Nicole Parsons *cum laude*
 Kajal K. Patel
 Summer N. Pauley *cum laude*
 Bryan D. Pearse #
 Jenna Rose Pecora
 Patrick L. Perillo *magna cum laude* #
 Brandon James Peterleus *magna cum laude*
 Brendan T. Petty #
 Raymond J. Pfaff
 Jacob Bryan Pfeiffer
 Nicholas E. Pilkington *magna cum laude*
 Christopher John Pink
 Tyra Lynn Poindexter
 Walt J. Pressly
 Amelia J. Price
 Sarah J. Pritchard *cum laude*
 Rachel R. Probst
 Joseph Anthony Ragnanese III *magna cum laude*
 Nora Raykova *magna cum laude*
 Victoria Bailey Rae Redpath *magna cum laude*
 Tristen James Reid *cum laude*
 Carl J. Reina Jr.
 Abigail Michele Resczenski
 Kalyn Reynolds *cum laude*
 Samuel T. Rhoda *cum laude*
 India Latrice Riggins
 Michael James Riley
 Ryan Daniel Riley #
 Hannah E. Ritz *cum laude*
 Jose Luis Rivera *cum laude*
 Timothy Justin Rivera
 Hannah E. Rodgers
 Tara M. Rodgers *magna cum laude*
 Diana Rodriguez
 Douglas M. Rogers
 Julian Rojas
 Joni Kay Ross
 Alex J. Rubino *cum laude*
 Courtney Louise Rudloff
 Blake Joshua Rurik
 Sarah Russell
 Anna Delene Rutledge
 Nicholas C. Ryker *cum laude*
 Abdulla Said
 Erik Samano
 Stephanie N. Sass *summa cum laude*
 Briannae N. Saunders
 Kyle D. Savant
 Alvin Thanusay Sayasavanh
 Dakota A. Sayger
 Daniel W. Scheumann
 Rachel Nicole Schloder *cum laude*
 Travis Timothy Schofield
 Christian S. Scott *cum laude*
 Nicholas J. Seldal
 Sam Sherif
 Arthur Sifuentes
 Allison Sisk
 Schuyler Cassidy Skipper
 Christopher Charles Smith
 Stephanie Jean Spiller
 Roshanda R. Spillers
 Eric Roger Stacy *magna cum laude*
 Steven Michael Stapleton *summa cum laude*
 Whitney K. Steichen
 Benjamin Nelson Stein *magna cum laude*
 Nicholas A. Stella *cum laude* #
 Maria G. Stevenson
 Jared B. Storey
 Steven Robert Storm
 Robert Daniel Strange III
 Kandis J. Sullivan
 Taylor L. Sullivan
 Thomas Jeffrey Swehla
 Chelsea Darlene Tabor
 Aaron M. Tagala *cum laude*
 Samuel T. Tatham
 Harrison T. Taylor *magna cum laude*
 Trenton L. Taylor
 Austin Christian Teer #
 Mussie Gebramariam Tekie
 Jacqueline Denise Thomas
 Allison M. Thompson
 Carl Thorpe Jr. *magna cum laude*
 Kala N. Toliver
 Richard E. Trapp
 Katie Lynn Troxel *cum laude*
 Eric Truax *cum laude*
 Carlita C. Tucker *magna cum laude*
 David Michael Ungar
 Viviana Victoria Valenciana
 Luke S. Valentine *cum laude*
 Grace Caroline Van Pelt *cum laude*
 Benjamin P. Vaninger

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Randy Lee Vasquez
 Kevin C. Vazquez
 Ryan Vidal
 Nicholas H. Vize
 Brennon L. Vogt *cum laude*
 Ashley N. Walker *magna cum laude*
 Teri Ward *magna cum laude*
 Quinshawnta Lalisa Washington
 Kylie Christine Watson
 Andrew Wawrzyniak *magna cum laude*
 Michael P. Weidner
 Brian James Weldy

Montel L. Wells *cum laude* *
 Jacob J. Wendlandt *cum laude* #
 Kindra A. Wendling *magna cum laude* #
 Nicole Felisha West *cum laude*
 Madison M. Wetzler *summa cum laude*
 Tahkyra Monae Whitaker
 Charles Anthony White
 Mitch E. Whitley *magna cum laude* #
 Mary E. Wilhelm *cum laude*
 Taylor Carex Wilkins *magna cum laude*
 Tommie T. Williams
 Andrew R. Willman

Albert Wilson
 Scott G. Wilson
 Chase Andrew Witmer #
 Mark Andrew Wolinski
 Ben Ka Yin Wong
 Dylan M. Woods
 Natalie M. Woods
 Kristen F. Wylie *summa cum laude*
 Keith Daniel Young
 Courtney G. Zanger *cum laude*
 Ryan D. Zell

Associate in Applied Science

Mark A. Acosta *magna cum laude* #
 Mohammed Khalid S. Alajaji *cum laude*
 Paige K. Beuligmann *magna cum laude*
 Madeline R. Boldt
 Rachel M. Bowne *summa cum laude* #
 Chase B. Bridges *cum laude*
 Drew Levi Buerck *cum laude* #
 Marcus Cartlidge
 Rachel L. Clendenin
 Amanda B. Conaway *magna cum laude*
 Jacob Ian Contreras
 Wade Thomas Cook
 Jodi Josephine Costenaro *cum laude*
 Ashton L. Culver
 Lizbeth De Los Reyes
 Cole J. Evans *magna cum laude* #
 Janelle R. Gebben *cum laude*
 Kyle C. Gregory #
 Dylan J. Hart *summa cum laude*

Stacey Denise Herrera
 Nicholas George Higgin *cum laude* #
 Torre T. Hopson #
 Rebecca Jackson
 Michael George Janda *cum laude* #
 George T. Kuhlman
 Claire R. Lathrop *cum laude*
 Stephen J. Lee *cum laude* #
 Abigail L. Lewis
 Madilyn S. Maguire *magna cum laude*
 Kevin Patrick Maher *cum laude* #
 Justin P. Miguel
 Jared A. Moore #
 Dalton James Murphy *cum laude*
 Bailey E. Nixon
 Megan E. O'Neill *cum laude*
 Athena M. Palmer
 Bryan D. Pearse #
 Samantha M. Perez *magna cum laude*

Patrick L. Perillo *magna cum laude* #
 Ryan Daniel Riley #
 Kaitlin T. Rose
 Emily N. Shoaf *summa cum laude* *
 Cierra N. Smith
 Sonia O. Soto
 Nicholas A. Stella *cum laude* #
 Randi M. Stone *cum laude*
 Emily L. Taylor
 Austin Christian Teer #
 Mariah M. Wallace
 Jacob J. Wendlandt *cum laude* #
 Kindra A. Wendling *magna cum laude* #
 Mitch E. Whitley *magna cum laude* #
 Meghan Leigh Willenborg *magna cum laude*
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COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING

Doctor of Philosophy

Habeeb F. Abbas

Civil Engineering

Jale Tezcan, Ph.D.

“Analysis and Modeling of Nonstationary Ground Motion Coherency”

Nezar Yehya Abou Qamar

Electrical and Computer Engineering

Constantine J. Hatziaodoniu, Ph.D.

“Suppression of Harmonic Torque and Harmonic Current in Permanent Magnet Synchronous Motor”

Azadeh Akhavan Bloorchian

Civil Engineering

Jianpeng (Jim) Zhou, Ph.D.

Lizette R. Chevalier, Ph.D.

“Effect of Major Factors on Bioswale Performance and Hydrologic Processes for the Control of Stormwater Runoff from Highways”

Mishrari Metab Almalki

Electrical and Computer Engineering

Constantine J. Hatziaodoniu, Ph.D.

“Classification of High Impedance Faults, Incipient Faults and Circuit Breaker Restrikes during Capacitor Bank De-Energization in Radial Distribution Feeders”

Akwasi Assenso Antwi

Engineering Science

Jen K. Hsiao, Ph.D.

“Location and Configuration of Reduced Beam Section Connection Effects on Strength, Stiffness and Ductility of Moment Steel Frames”

Sena G. Hounsinou

Electrical and Computer Engineering

Haibo Wang, Ph.D.

“Leading Digit Computation Circuits”

Jasim M. Mahdi

Engineering Science

Emmanuel C. Nsofor, Ph.D.

“Enhancement of Phase Change Material (Pcm) Thermal Energy Storage in Triplex-Tube Systems”

Seyed Nima Mozaffari Mojaveri

Electrical and Computer Engineering

Spyros Tragoudas, Ph.D.

“Design and Test of Digital Circuits and Systems Using CMOS and Emerging Resistive Devices”

Abdussamad Muntahi

Electrical and Computer Engineering

Shaikh S. Ahmed, Ph.D.

“Nanoscale Effects in Junctionless Field Effect Transistors”

Hari Prasad Naram

Electrical and Computer Engineering

Lalit Gupta, Ph.D.

“Classification of Dense Masses in Mammograms”

Aalia Rakhshi

Mechanical Engineering

Tomasz Wiltowski, Ph.D.

“A Computational Study of Devolatilization and Kinetics in Entrained Flow Coal Gasification”

Aishwarya Vasu

Electrical and Computer Engineering

Dimitrios Kagaris, Ph.D.

Harini Ramaprasad, Ph.D.

“Architecture-Aware Mapping and Scheduling of Mixed-Criticality Applications on Multi-Core Platforms”

Yijing Zhang Watkins

Electrical and Computer Engineering

Mohammad Sayeh, Ph.D.

“Image Compression and Channel Error Correction using Neurally-Inspired Network Models”

Quan Zhang

Mechanical Engineering

Tomasz Wiltowski, Ph.D.

“The Use of Gaseous Metal Oxide as an Oxygen Carrier in Coal Chemical Looping Combustion”

Master of Engineering

Cade A. Neilson

Master of Science

Bal Krishna Adhikari
 Mohammed Abdulaziz S. Alhumaidi
 Nasser Sami Alotaibi
 Ahmed Falah H. Alshammari
 Humaira Aman
 Ramesh Aryal
 Timothy Lyle Attig
 Wayne Eugene Ayd
 Akshay Kumar Baloju
 Kathryn Teresa Bogart
 Bhargava Bommineni
 Corbin G. Carlton
 Yamini Chebrolu
 Joshua Dewaine Clay
 Daniel Thomas Cleary
 Chase Cooley
 Tarun Kumar Donga
 Ibnul Jaif Farabi
 Kodie D. Ferketich
 David Christopher Haase
 Matthew William Halloran
 Marshall J. Hamilton
 Jordan R. Hardwick
 Addison S. Jobe
 Robert James Johnson
 Gilles Arnaud Layo Arif D. Kandissounon

Nathan Kaufmann
 Ipsika Kayarkar
 Nikhil Sagar Kondala
 Joshua Charles Larson
 Nahyun Sun Lee
 Edward D. Lewis
 Weichieng Eric Lim
 Weiran Liu
 Bindu Macha
 Fatemeh Mohammadi Shakiba
 Preetham Reddy Molluru
 Rajesh Nanavat
 Jamie Nichols
 Varsha Niroula
 Narayan Nyaupane
 Gilbert Ofori
 Paul Oluwakayode Okunade
 Bahar Oladazimi Ghadikolaei
 Mijanur Rahaman Palash
 Krishna Panakanti
 Ranjan Parajuli
 Sai Sudheer Parvathaneni
 Raja Ram Ganesh Pasagadugula
 Sai Saketh Nandan Perala
 Mayur Harish Phafat
 Daryl Paul Premkumar

Tarun Kumar Sadineni
 Chandra Teja Kumar Reddy Sagili
 Amit Kumar Sah
 Keerthana Samala
 Kushwanth Raja Sangam
 Sawyer D. Schrader
 Suddarsun Shivakumar
 Rajan Shrestha
 Hari Silwal
 Steven E. Smith
 Zachary-Taylor Christopher Smith
 Michael Pete Steder
 Nitin Tammineedi
 Santosh Timilsina
 Sudhir Kumar Tripathi
 Noppadol Tuksakulvith
 Raj Varun Turaga
 Damianos Veskoukis
 Venkat Ramana Reddy Vootukuri
 Brent L. Waldschmidt
 JinHyung Woo
 Bradley P. Wrage
 Peter J. Zamiska
 Zeying Zhu

Bachelor of Science

Franklin H. Adams
 Mohammed Jamal Alabdulwahab
 Mohammad Ali Alahmadi
 Abdullah KH R. M. S. Alajmi
 Othman Ahmed Alaskri
 Faisal Fahad Aldleh
 Nasser Fayeze A. Alfahdah *cum laude*
 Yasir Hassan A. Alharthi
 Fahad Ali M. Almansour
 Yousef Abdullah Almayoof
 Mohammed Saud Alotaibi
 Loai Ali Alrefai
 Abdullah Mohammad Alrowaili
 Abdulkarim Theyab D. Alshammari
 Sattam Ayed Alshammari
 Ahmed Alshareif
 Torki Zafer Alsubai
 Abdulelah Fareed Alsunbul *cum laude*

Faisal Raed A. Alsuwailem
 Mohammed Hussain Alyami
 Salem Mohammed Alyami
 Seth Anderson
 Aaron Lee Armentrout
 Connor E. Atkisson
 Becky Ann Bailey
 Austin S. Bechtel *cum laude*
 Filip Kazimierz Bednarz *cum laude*
 James Michael Begando
 Jacob M. Bell
 Jeffrey Wayne Benson
 Nicholas W. Berty *cum laude*
 Wesley M. Bildilli
 Zachery R. Bilskie *cum laude*
 Forrest W. Blakley
 Jovani Blas Vertiz
 Amy Michelle Borrer

Jose E. Botello
 Michael T. Brunner *magna cum laude*
 Gary Leroy Bundy
 Richard Troy Buschbom
 Kendall R. Candler
 Nigel Kalomo Cardriche
 Justin L. Carman
 Andrew W. Carmin
 Stephenie Ann Carmin
 Robert Clark *cum laude*
 Fulton Lee Cobbs
 Aaron Michael Compton
 James Edward Cooper
 Delynn L. Copeland
 Scott J. Costello
 Cory R. Daenzer
 Brian Joseph Damm
 Hannah K. Dhom *summa cum laude*

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Jonathan D. Dickerson
 Cristina Duarte
 Patrick Dudczyk
 Adam Lawrence Eberlin *cum laude*
 Dauntae Lamar Edwards
 Warren S. Eldridge *cum laude*
 Kevin R. Farnum
 Courtney D. Friend
 Charles R. Gaberik
 Justin David Garber *summa cum laude*
 Cameron Garcia-Cooley
 Evan M. Gebhardt *summa cum laude*
 Daniel Frank Geraghty
 Martin Giles
 Alexander M. Goldstein
 Matthew Allen Goodyear
 Seth M. Griffin
 Christian M. Harshbarger
 Zahra Hassan
 Ricky Hendrix *summa cum laude*
 Jeremy D. Hepp *cum laude*
 Sarah Ann Hickey *cum laude*
 Matthew Christopher Hobbs
 Tyler J. Hoffman
 Wesley W. Hogan
 Benjamin A. Hornsey *summa cum laude*
 Tristan W. Hudgens *cum laude*
 Johnathan W. Hutchinson
 Nathan A. Ingold
 Wyatt J. Isom
 Yordan Ivanov
 Kevin I. Jenkins *
 Sean Gram Jepsen
 Devon T. Johnson
 Michael Antonio Jones
 Ronnie A. Jouravel Jr.
 Alexander J. Keene

Brendan P. Keller
 Nicholas Martin Keller
 James M. Key III
 Ashley Marie Krupka
 Richard Moore Landeros
 Brian Laurore
 Michael T. Lawrence
 Joshua M. LeClair
 Eric Letcher
 Jacob L. Lidy *summa cum laude*
 Jeremy Linson
 Jacob Norman Long *cum laude*
 Eric T. Lunde
 Rebecca A. Mackowiak *cum laude*
 Neha Macwan
 Mariah A. Manis *magna cum laude*
 Matt J. Marshall
 Alyssa N. Matlock *cum laude* *
 Michael Gene Matthews II
 Ryan J. Mayberry *cum laude*
 Miles D. McAtee
 Aaron David McDaniel
 Maxwell N. Meyer
 Michael A. Molchin
 Ethan L. Montgomery
 Joshua T. Mueller *summa cum laude* *
 Ace C. Nadal
 Jacob D. Nelson
 Jacob W. Ninness
 Patrick T. O'Sullivan
 Cindy Park
 Shameet H. Patel
 Stephen B. Pavnica
 Andrew P. Payne
 Kevin M. Pfister *magna cum laude*
 Ross Briscoe Predmore
 Antonio N. Pugh

Jonathan I. Ramirez
 Dillon James Ruholl *cum laude* *
 Richard G. Saucedo
 Joseph J. Seguine-Hall
 Anthony J. Shell Jr.
 Eric Allen Shine *cum laude*
 Jenisha D. Sims
 Nicholas Grant Sjoberg
 Robert A. Smeathers
 Tina Smith *magna cum laude*
 Michelle M. Smithenry *summa cum laude*
 Ryan R. Steele
 Del Bradley Stein
 Rodney Stewart
 Eric William Straight
 Mitchell Robert Swatek *cum laude* *
 Olivia R. Taitt *cum laude*
 Andrew Michael Tillman
 Davis J. Vargo
 Michael R. Vollmer *magna cum laude*
 Kyle J. Wagner *magna cum laude*
 Nicholas J. Wagner
 Levi R. Weiler
 Andrew T. Will *cum laude*
 Dionte D. Williams
 Taylor M. Williams *cum laude*
 Justin Todd Willits
 Bradley K. Wilson
 Drake H. Wiseman
 Erik Michael Woelfle *magna cum laude*
 Michael R. Wolfe
 Michael Andrew Wolverton *cum laude*
 Alexander E. Young
 Peter Zapotoczný
 Baosen Zhou

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COLLEGE OF MASS COMMUNICATION AND MEDIA ARTS

Doctor of Philosophy

Simone D. Becque

Mass Communication and Media Arts

Walter C. Metz, Ph.D.

“Second Story Television: Multi-Camera Sitcom Spaces, Objects, and the Suburban Spatial Imaginary”

Lola A. Burnham

Mass Communication and Media Arts

William H. Freivogel, Ph.D.

“Tinkering with Student Speech in the Age of Social Media”

Master of Fine Arts

Connor P. Falson

Lindsay A. Washington

Master of Arts

Shan Wang

Master of Science

Blake D. Bussie

Hannah Renee Erickson

Robert G. Hisgen

Khara Diane Lukancic

Sydne N. Rensing

Jemima Chingnenka Suwa

Bachelor of Arts

Aeschylus A. Augustin

Brandon Ronnell Azim

David K. Ballard *summa cum laude*

Tiela Banks

Mahogany A. Barlow

Maggie J. Batson *cum laude* *

Nicholas J. Birsa

Emily L. Bouchoc

Malik D. Braxton

Reginald Jimmie Brewer Jr.

Justin Vail Broom *magna cum laude* # *

Jasmine Markeshia Brown

Joseph E. Burrow *cum laude* *

Tierra M. Carpenter

James D. Chapman

Jack Mackenzie Childers *magna cum laude* *

Nicholas M. Cluxton

Skylar G. Collins

Joseph W. Dalo *magna cum laude*

Kassy Lynn Dammerman

Collin Gene Dorsey *summa cum laude*

Daniel James Drier

Devin Jensen Charles Flickinger

Jeffrey I. Haney

Sarah G. Knauf *cum laude* *

Brittany Jordan Kyles

Katherine N. Lance

Matthew Thomas Lauer

Kaylynn R. Lavender

Jhamilah D. Levy

Garrett K. Lindgren *cum laude*

Tara L. Lowry *summa cum laude* *

Lucas N. Luper

Tiffany Marie McLaughlin

Malcolm Charles Molette

Jacqueline Morales

Vanessa Shante Morales

Michael A. Morones

Christopher D. Mowka

Joshua Michael David Myers

Laura E. Neibergall *magna cum laude* *

Martha Patricia Osornio-Ruiz

Michael S. Page

Charles John Penhaligen

Benjamin R. Petty *cum laude* *

Daniel P. Robbins *magna cum laude* *

Kymberli C. C. Roberson

Caitlyn E. Rogers

Kerkyra K. Sacketos

Lucas R. Schroeder

Jessica N. Seats

Madison A. Self *cum laude* *

Tessa R. Shevlin

Jorge A. Sida-Valdez

Reece L. Smoot

Jeremy R. Sneed *cum laude*

Carrington H. Spires

Cayla A. Stokes

Kristen L. Strakalaitis

Nicholas Joseph Tantillo

Liane M. Tatigian *cum laude*

Jordan A. Taylor

Zackery I. Turner

John-Michael R. Veach

Justin Vessel

Jack R. Vicik *cum laude*

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Daniel Joseph Vincent *magna cum laude*
Louis W. Washkowiak
Isaac Benjamin White
Noah C. White

Spencer T. White *cum laude*
Jessica M. Wilson
Matthew D. Wilson
Caleb Allen Windings

Joseph G. Winslow
Melissa L. Wortel *cum laude*

Bachelor of Science

Simone Blackmon
Rhea A. Bradfield
Nia D. Brown
Athena M. Chrysanthou *magna cum laude* *
Mabely Dominguez
Alexandra Marie Ferris
Cheyenne T. Glagola
Joslyn Hudson
Eric N. Kleinmuntz
Brandon Juwuan Kyles
Samantha B. Lisberg

Adam William Maes
Jacquelyn Mathieu
Paula R. Mettler *cum laude*
Christie Ann Mitchell *cum laude*
Joshua David Morman
Gregory Dalton Morris
Caleb J. Motsinger
Ashley Renee Parham
Deandra M. Pierce
Gabriella Marcela Scibetta
Todd G. Seibert

Anna Leigh Sporre *magna cum laude* *
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Matthew Neil Wells
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