Friday, May 10, 2019

*Bud Walton Arena*
- J. William Fulbright College of Arts & Sciences 3:00 p.m.

Saturday, May 11, 2019

*Bud Walton Arena*
- All University Commencement Ceremony 8:30 a.m.
- Sam M. Walton College of Business 1:00 p.m.
- College of Education and Health Professions 5:30 p.m.

*Faulkner Performing Arts Center*
- Fay Jones School of Architecture and Design 1:00 p.m.

*John Barnhill Arena*
- College of Engineering 12:00 p.m.
- Dale Bumpers College of Agricultural, Food and Life Sciences 3:30 p.m.

Saturday, May 18, 2019

*Fayetteville Town Center*
- School of Law 2:00 p.m.
University of Arkansas

Commencement

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University Wind Symphony
Dr. Chris Knighten, Director of Bands, Conductor

Processional March
University Wind Symphony

National Anthem
Schola Cantorum
Dr. Stephen Caldwell, Conductor
“The Star-Spangled Banner”

Invocation
Schola Cantorum
“If on This Earth” by Stephen Caldwell

Introductions
Dr. Joseph E. Steinmetz
Chancellor

Greetings from the Board of Trustees
Mr. Mark Waldrip
Vice Chair

Greetings from the University of Arkansas System
Mr. Waldrip

Awarding of Honorary Degrees
Mr. Waldrip
Wilhelmenia Christine Hinton-Lee
Alvertis Isbell

Commencement Address
Ms. Wilhelmenia Christine Hinton-Lee

Conferring of the Degrees
Dr. Steinmetz

Alma Mater
Schola Cantorum

Recessional March
University Wind Symphony

The University community wishes to express its appreciation for the assistance of all people who helped make the 2019 University of Arkansas Commencement ceremony a success.
THE ACADEMIC PROCESSION

Chief Marshal and Bearer of the Mace
The Official Party
Faculty of the University
Candidates for Doctoral Degrees

Candidates for Specialist Degrees
Candidates for Master’s Degrees
Candidates for Juris Doctor Degrees
Candidates for Baccalaureate Degrees

Chief Marshal and Bearer of the Mace
Fran W. Hagstrom, Chair of the Campus Faculty
Associate Professor, Rehabilitation, Human Resources and Communication Disorders

Marshals

Adnan Ali Khalaf Alrubaye, Clinical Assistant Professor, Biological Sciences
Richard A. Coffman, Associate Professor, Civil Engineering
Valerie H. Hunt, Associate Professor, Political Science
Molly R. Jensen, Clinical Associate Professor, Marketing
Brinck Kerr, Professor, Political Science
Barbara B. Shadden, University Professor Emerita, Rehabilitation, Human Resources and Communication Disorders
Dale R. Thompson, Associate Professor, Computer Science and Computer Engineering
Michael R. Thomsen, Professor, Agricultural Economics and Agribusiness
Anna Zajicek, Professor, Sociology and Criminology

Banner Carriers

Steven J. Beaupre, Professor, Biological Sciences Fulbright College of Arts and Sciences
Jennifer Kish-Gephart, Associate Professor, Management Walton College of Business
Brian Haggard, Professor, Biological and Agricultural Engineering Honors College
Christopher R. Kelley, Associate Professor, School of Law
Jamie K. Loftin, Assistant Vice Provost, Global Campus
Carl Matthews, Professor, Interior Design Fay Jones School of Architecture and Design
Jay McAllister, Assistant Professor/Engineering Librarian, University Libraries
William F. McComas, Professor, Curriculum and Instruction College of Education and Health Professions
John M. Norwood, Professor, Accounting Graduate School and International Education
Jill Rucker, Assistant Professor, Agricultural Education, Communications and Technology Bumpers College of Agricultural, Food and Life Sciences
Kelly M. Sullivan, Assistant Professor, Industrial Engineering College of Engineering
THE OFFICIAL PARTY

Joseph E. Steinmetz
Chancellor

John C. Goodson
Chair, Board of Trustees

Donald R. Bobbitt
President, University of Arkansas System

Wilhelmenia Christine Hinton-Lee
Commencement Speaker

Alvertis Isbell
Honorary Degree Recipient

Tommy Boyer
Member, Board of Trustees

Stephen A. Broughton, MD
Member, Board of Trustees

Steve Cox
Member, Board of Trustees

Kelly Eichler
Assistant Secretary, Board of Trustees

Ed Fryar, PhD
Member, Board of Trustees

Charles “Cliff” Gibson, Ill
Member, Board of Trustees

Morril Harriman
Secretary, Board of Trustees

Sheffield Nelson
Member, Board of Trustees

Mark Waldrip
Vice Chairman, Board of Trustees

James S. Coleman
Provost and Executive Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs

Stacy L. Leedes
Vice Chancellor for Economic Development

Randy Massanelli
Vice Chancellor for Governmental Relations

Chris A. McCoy
Vice Chancellor for Finance and Administration

Yvette Murphy-Erby
Vice Chancellor for Diversity and Inclusion

Mark E. Power
Vice Chancellor for University Advancement

Charles F. Robinson
Vice Chancellor for Student Affairs

Daniel Sui
Vice Chancellor for Research and Innovation

Hunter R. Yurachek
Vice Chancellor and Director of Athletics

Laura Jacobs
Associate Vice Chancellor and Chief of Staff

Marcia Overby
Associate Vice Chancellor for Administration

Bill Kincaid
Associate General Counsel

Colleen Briney
Vice Provost for Planning

Ro Di Brezzo
Vice Provost for Faculty Development and Enhancement

Don Judges
Vice Provost for Distance Education/Global Campus

Terry Martin
Vice Provost for Academic Affairs

Suzanne McCray
Vice Provost for Enrollment Management and Dean of Admissions

Brandy Cox
Associate Vice Chancellor and Executive Director of Arkansas Alumni Association

Mark J. Cochran
Vice President for Agriculture

Deacue Fields, Ill
Dean, Dale Bumpers College of Agricultural, Food and Life Sciences

Peter B. MacKeith
Dean, Fay Jones School of Architecture and Design

Todd G. Shields
Dean, J. William Fulbright College of Arts and Sciences

Matthew A. Waller
Dean, Sam M. Walton College of Business

Michael T. Miller
Dean, College of Education and Health Professions

John R. English
Dean, College of Engineering

Kim LaScola Needy
Dean, Graduate School and International Education

Lynda L. Coon
Dean, Honors College

Margaret Sova McCabe
Dean, School of Law

Carolyn Henderson Allen
Dean, University Libraries

Melissa Harwood-Rom
Dean of Students

Fran W. Hagstrom
Chief Marshal and Bearer of the Mace

Marc E. Wolfe
Lieutenant Colonel, Air Force Reserve Officer Training Corp

Elias Otoshio
Lieutenant Colonel, Army Reserve Officer Training Corp

Alicia Adkins
Interpreter for Persons with Deafness and Hearing Impairment

Diane Boles
Interpreter for Persons with Deafness and Hearing Impairment

Jason Shifflett
Interpreter for Persons with Deafness and Hearing Impairment

Mary Wenkus
Interpreter for Persons with Deafness and Hearing Impairment
The University Mace and Batons
The mace and batons are symbols of the authority and history of the University and are made from balusters from the original main staircase of Old Main, erected in 1875, the oldest University building now standing. The batons are carried by members of the faculty who are serving as marshals.

Marshals’ Gowns
The gowns worn by the marshals are of the traditional University color, cardinal red.

Honor Stoles
White or cardinal stoles denote students who are candidates for University Honors. Cardinal represents Honors (cum laude) and white represents High Honors (magna cum laude). White stoles with cardinal and white cords represent Highest Honors (summa cum laude).

The University Song
In 1909 a prize of fifty dollars was offered for the best poem relating to the University of Arkansas that should be capable of being set to music and used as a college song. Out of many entries, that of Mr. Brodie Payne, 1906, of Hot Springs won the prize. The words were set to music by Professor H. D. Tovey, Director of the Conservatory of Music and Art at the University.

Academic Regalia
The styles of gowns differentiate degree level. Trim of doctoral gowns indicates nature of degree (black or royal blue — Ph.D.; light blue — Ed.D.). Certain members of the faculty wear distinctive gowns and hoods authorized by their doctoral institutions. The lining of the hood denotes the color(s) of the institution awarding the degree. The official colors of the University of Arkansas are cardinal and white.

The color of the velvet band around the hood designates the academic degree of the wearer. Some examples are listed below:

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The University Seal
The Seal of the University of Arkansas is affixed to each diploma and is stamped in gold on each diploma cover. The central element in the Seal is the front entrance to Old Main, the oldest building on campus.
Chris Hinton-Lee grew up in rural Mississippi, dreaming of becoming an architect. She didn’t have much support for that dream, but if she’s had one guiding principle in her life it’s that “I would not let naysayers tell me what I could not do.”

She attended the University of Arkansas, and in 1975 she became the first African American woman to graduate with a degree in architecture. This was the first of many “firsts” in her life and career.

She moved to Maryland after graduation and became the first African American woman to be licensed as an architect in that state.

She had a successful 37-year career in the Army Corps of Engineers, where she was the first woman and first African American in virtually every leadership position she attained.

Among those positions were chief of architecture, chief of design branch and chief of construction quality assurance; strategic planner for a district commander; and co-chair of the Assistant Secretary of the Army’s task force for Army family housing privatization.

Hinton-Lee later served as project director in the Corps’ Medical Facilities Office, managing the $1.2 billion Department of Defense medical facilities construction program.

She was named chief of engineering and construction at the Transatlantic Center, where she directed a staff of 80 architects and engineers in the design and construction of a multimillion dollar program in the Middle East, Africa and Russia.

In 2003 she was selected to the Army’s Senior Executive Service, making her the first African American female and the first architect to achieve this highest civilian rank, traditionally held by engineers. She was assigned to serve as director of regional business at the Corps’ Lakes and River Division. The following year she was appointed by the Commanding General to be Chief Architect of the entire Corps of Engineers.

Hinton-Lee deployed to Iraq in 2006 to serve as director of reconstruction programs for the Gulf Region Division, where she directed the efforts of 500 personnel in the execution of the $13 billion Iraq Relief and Reconstruction Fund mission to rebuild war-torn Iraq. For her exemplary service there, she was honored with the prestigious Presidential Rank Award.

In 2007, Hinton-Lee joined the Corps’ South Atlantic Division as director of regional business, responsible for designing and building barracks, hospitals, office buildings, commissaries and other facilities at 11 major Army posts and 13 Air Force bases in the Southeast.

She retired in 2012 and has enjoyed nonstop world travel ever since.

Hinton-Lee is a past president and vice president of the Society of American Military Engineers, a member of the American Institute of Architects, the National Organization of Minority Architects, the National Technical Association and a University of Arkansas Charter member of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority.

She is a graduate of the Army Management Staff College.

She holds a National Council of Architectural Registration Boards certification and is a registered architect in the states of Maryland and Georgia and in the District of Columbia.

With former husband, Nick Lee, she has one son, Nicholas Micah Lee.
Born Alvertis Isbell in Brinkley, Arkansas, Al Bell is the former chairman and owner of Stax Records, where he helped chart the direction of American soul music while guiding the careers of iconic performers like Isaac Hayes, the Staple Singers, Johnnie Taylor, Sam and Dave, Booker T and the MGs, the Bar-Kays, Otis Redding, The Emotions, William Bell, Carla Thomas, Rufus Thomas and Albert King.

Bell has written more than 200 songs. Perhaps the best known was written in North Little Rock in 1971. Bell was at his home after attending the funeral of his murdered brother. He remembers he began to hear music, then words – “I know a place/ Ain't nobody crying/ Ain't nobody worried/ Ain't no smilin' faces/Lying to the races.” The song, “I’ll Take You There,” produced by Bell and released by Stax, became a classic and the first national No. 1 hit for the Staple Singers.

Bell used his innovative promotional and marketing talents to help Hollywood reach an uptapped African American audience for movies like the groundbreaking Shaft. His marketing also helped Isaac Hayes win an Oscar for Best Original Song for “Theme from Shaft.” Hayes was the first African American to win an Academy Award in a non-acting category.

In 1972, Al Bell supervised the Wattstax festival, a day-long concert featuring Stax artists and held in Los Angeles in support of the African American community in Watts. The 1973 documentary film Wattstax was produced by the label’s new corporate film division.

Stax Records was valued by Price Waterhouse at $82 million in 1975, making it one of the largest minority-owned businesses in the United States.

In the 1980s Bell served as president of another large minority-owned business: the Motown Records Group.

In the early 1990s Bell again had his own label, Bellmark. He discovered the music group Tag Team and released “Whoomp! (There It Is),” which sold over 5 million copies worldwide. When Prince asked Bell to put out his single “The Most Beautiful Girl in the World,” after Warner Brothers Records turned it down, Bell released it on Bellmark and gave Prince a major international hit.

Today, Bell is the chairman and chief executive officer of Al Bell Presents LLC, presenting a unique new paradigm of business innovation within the greater music industry.

In 2011, Bell received the highest honor the music industry bestows, the Grammy Trustees Award. He has been inducted into 30 halls of fame, including the Arkansas Black Hall of Fame, the Arkansas Business Hall of Fame, the Arkansas Entertainers Hall of Fame and the Official Rhythm & Blues Music Hall of Fame in Clarksdale, Mississippi.

Bell received the W.C. Handy Lifetime Achievement Award in 2002, the Arthur A. Fletcher Lifetime Achievement Awards from the National Black Chamber of Commerce in 2008, the National Association of Blacks in Higher Education in 2012 and the National Association of Black Accountants in 2012.
GRADUATE SCHOOL

Presented by Kim LaScola Needy, Dean of the Graduate School and International Education

Master of Science in Microelectronics-Photonics - Posthumously
John Andrew Winkleman
November 25, 1967 – March 12, 2019

DOCTOR OF EDUCATION

Patrice Tiffany Leshay Bax
Dissertation: Footprints of Resilience: Tracking the Career Development of African American Male Musicians
Directed by: Professor Carsten Schmidtle

Nandra Morrison Campbell
Dissertation: Leadership Succession and Onboarding processes of: Mid-West United States International Baccalaureate (IB) Primary Years Program (PYP) Schools
Directed by: Professor Ed Bengtson

LeeAnn Danner
Dissertation: Differences in Kaplan Integrated Exam Scores Based on Institutional Factors
Directed by: Professor Kit Kacirek

Michael Farrell Ewton, Jr.
Dissertation: Dominant Leadership Dynamics of School Administrators Leading Non-Instructional Personnel
Directed by: Professor Kevin Brady

Jason Wayne Hough
Dissertation: Assessment and Support for Basic Computer Skills at Community College Hispanic Serving Institutions in California
Directed by: Professor Suzanne McCray

Trenton J. Lindbloom
Dissertation: The Perceived Occupational Benefits of Competing in Technical Collegiate Competitions
Directed by: Professor Kit Kacirek

Jonathan Paul Lopez
Dissertation: Evaluating the Efficacy of Programs for Veteran Students
Directed by: Professor Michael T. Miller

Chris Aaron Lorch
Dissertation: Identifying Predictors of Organizational Commitment Among Community College Faculty Members in Arkansas
Directed by: Professor Kevin Roessger

Kay Best Murphy
Dissertation: Does Grit Matter? - A Correlational Study of the Relationship Between Grit-S Assessment Scores and Student Retention in Undergraduate Online Programs
Directed by: Professor Kit Kacirek

Joshua Ray
Dissertation: Crumbling Foundations: The Case for Prioritizing Self-Care Among Educational Leaders
Directed by: Professor John Pijanowski

Jason Sharp
Dissertation: Community College Students’ Perception of Law Enforcement
Directed by: Professor Kenda Graver

Robert Stagni
Dissertation: A Case Study of Faculty Experiences in a College Union
Directed by: Professor Michael T. Miller

Tanesha Watts
Dissertation: Minority Millennials Expectations of Organizations
Directed by: Professor Vicki Dieffenderfer

DOCTOR OF NURSING PRACTICE

Shealyn Berry
DNP Project: Pulse Check: Identifying Risk of Cardiovascular Disease in the Electronic Health Record
Directed by: Professor Marilou Shreve

Natasha Clayton
DNP Project: Outpatient Antimicrobial Stewardship: A Translation of Evidence into Practice Project
Directed by: Professor Cara Osborne

Louis Ernest D’Onofrio, Jr.
DNP Project: Reducing Re-Hospitalizations of Patients with Heart Failure at a Skilled Nursing Facility
Directed by: Professor Martha Butler

Haley Duff
DNP Project: Improving Diabetic Foot Exams and Education in a Primary Care Clinic
Directed by: Professor Thomas Kippenbrock

Janet Gail Freeman
DNP Project: Improving HBPC Utilization
Directed by: Professor Martha Butler

Amanda Jane Fruen
DNP Project: Improving Home Medication Safety by Addressing Medication Reconciliation, Adherence, and Disposal
Directed by: Professor Susan K. Patton

Alicia Gates
DNP Project: Identification of Depression in Post-Stroke Patients
Directed by: Professor Anna Jarrett

Wendy Joanne Hart
DNP Project: Improving Self-Care in Patients with Heart Failure with Implementation of a Heart Failure Clinic
Directed by: Professor Anna Jarrett

Amanda Marie Johnson
DNP Project: Educational Program for the Management of Low Back Pain
Directed by: Professor Jan Emory

Alexandra Malone
Directed by: Professor Angela Stewart

Jennifer Mattone
DNP Project: Implementing an Early Progressive Mobility Protocol in The Intensive Care Unit
Directed by: Professor Angela Stewart

Dankenya Jeavellte Bey McDavis
DNP Project: Improving Prediabetes Screening in Primary Care
Directed by: Professor Cara Osborne

Jennifer Miles
DNP Project: Inpatient Diabetes Education to Improve Disease Knowledge
Directed by: Professor Angela Stewart

Paula Stephens
Directed by: Professor Angela Stewart

Allen Thomas
DNP Project: Clinical Pathway for Treating Chronic Knee Pain After Total Knee Arthroplasty
Directed by: Professor Thomas Kippenbrock

Nene Fortune Ugohckwu
DNP Project: Hypertension Control Through Educational Initiative
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DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY

ANIMAL SCIENCE
Jose Diaz
Dissertation: Management of Pastures to Improve Digestion, Behavior, and Animal Performance
Directed by: Professor Ken Coffey

Bryan Kutz
Dissertation: Title Not Available
Directed by: Professor Hayden Brown

Michael Eldon Nihsen
Dissertation: Title Not Available
Directed by: Professor Charles Rosenkrans

Valens Niyigena
Dissertation: Effect of Diet Manipulation on Reducing Greenhouse Gases Emissions in Ruminants
Directed by: Professor Ken Coffey

Xiaofan Wang
Dissertation: Culture-Dependent and Independent Gut Microbiome Dynamics: From Birth to Market and Probiotics isolation
Directed by: Professor Charles Maxwell

Caleb Weiss
Dissertation: Technologies to Increase Animal Performance in Beef Production Systems
Directed by: Professor Paul Beck

ANTHROPOLOGY
Alissa Michelle Bandy
Dissertation: Death on the Horizon: Osteoethnography of the People of Akhobot
Directed by: Professor Jerome C. Rose

Shawnna Morton Cain
Dissertation: Are We Not Traditional Anymore?: Native Voice, Representation and Perspectives of Traditional Cherokee Art at the turn of the 21st Century
Directed by: Professor Justin Nolan

Pritam Chowdhury
Dissertation: Caddo Ritual Structures and Practices at the Ferguson Ceremonial Center
Directed by: Professor George Sabo III

Heidi Suzanne Davis
Dissertation: Work-related Pathology at Tell el-Amarna: The Physical Cost of Building a New Capital City in the New Kingdom, Egypt
Directed by: Professor Jerome C. Rose

Erika Lynne Morey
Dissertation: Dental Pathology at Tell el-Amarna: Dietary and Environmental Determinants of Dental Decay in the Egyptian New Kingdom
Directed by: Professor Jerome C. Rose

Mitra Panahipour
Dissertation: Dynamics of Land Use, Environment, and Social Organization in the Sasanian Landscape of Eastern Iraq—Western Iran
Directed by: Professor Benjamin Vining

BIOLOGY
Nawaf Alishammari
Dissertation: The Effect of Prescribed Burning on Wood Decay Fungi in the Forests of Northwest Arkansas
Directed by: Professor Steven Stephenson

Laura Allesa Berryman
Dissertation: It’s a Small World: Meiofauna Responses in Ozark Gravel Bed Streams
Directed by: Professor Art Brown

Jacquelyn Guzy
Dissertation: Amphibian and Reptile Community Responses to Forest and Riparian Disturbance
Directed by: Professor John D. Willson

Isadora Lima Coelho
Dissertation: Microhabitat Distribution of Myxomycetes in the Amazon Tropical Forest of Brazil
Directed by: Professor Steven Stephenson

Sittie Aisha Bustamante Macabago
Dissertation: Myxomycetes of the Philippine Islands: Independent Studies on Taxonomic and Molecular Diversity, Species Distribution Modeling, and Regional Boundaries
Directed by: Professor Steven Stephenson

Julie Anne Starling
Dissertation: Gutsy Moves of an Agastic Fish: The Dynamic Functions of Fundulus heteroclitus Intestine
Directed by: Professor Christian Tipsmark

Karen Lynn Willard
Dissertation: An Ecological Study of Central Appalachian Wetlands with Emphasis on Assessing Patterns of Biodiversity Across Ecosystems
Directed by: Professor Steven Stephenson

BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION
Mirzokhidjon Abdurakhmonov
Directed by: Professor Jason Ridge

Saifur Rahman Bhuiyan
Dissertation: Engagement of Information Systems Professionals in Open Source Development
Directed by: Professor Pankaj Setia

Adam B. Booker
Dissertation: Speculation and Social Media: An Examination of Social Media as a Platform for Picking Stocks
Directed by: Professor Vernon Richardson

Kevin Butler
Dissertation: The Strategic Disclosure of Currency Headwinds and Tailwinds
Directed by: Professor Cory Cassell

Yanji Duan
Dissertation: Exploring the Effects of Supply Chain Transparency: Supplier Monitoring Disclosures and Brand Equity
Directed by: Professors John A. Aloysius and Christian Hofer

Dinesh Hasija
Dissertation: New Sheriff in Town: Antecedents and Consequences of Effective Lead Independent Directors
Directed by: Professor Alan Elistrand

Liu Hong
Dissertation: Essays on Corporate Finance and Intermediate Risk Sharing
Directed by: Professor Pu Liu

Patrick Lee Hopkins
Dissertation: The Effect of Tax Indemnification on the Association Between Unrecognized Tax Benefit Reserves and Future Tax Cash Outflows
Directed by: Professor T.J. Atwood

Brandon McAlexander
Dissertation: Fields and Consumer Groups: The Layered and Overlapping Roles of Culture
Directed by: Professor Jeff Murray

Jeffrey Mullins
Dissertation: Getting Serious about Games: A Study of Work and Play through Information Systems
Directed by: Professor Rajiv Sabherwal

Tatiana Salikhova
Dissertation: Essays on Networks and Corporate Finance
Directed by: Professor Tomas Jandik

Jacqueline Tilton
Dissertation: Social Capital and Social Networks: How Sociocultural Class Differences Affect Organizational Social Networks
Directed by: Professors Jennifer Kish-Gephart and Jon Johnson

CELL AND MOLECULAR BIOLOGY
Musaab Habeeb Ali Al-Ameer
Dissertation: Title Not Available
Directed by: Professor Suresh Kumar Thallapuranam

Adil Sabir Al-Ogali
Dissertation: Preparation and Evaluation of Single-Stranded DNA Aptamers-Based Immunological Adjuvant in Broiler Chickens
Directed by: Professor Billy M. Hargis

Kelsey Dawn Brown
Dissertation: Investigating Modes of Entry of a Novel Antifungal Peptide in Yeast
Directed by: Professor David McNabb

Mercedez Furri
Dissertation: Title Not Available
Directed by: Professor Suresh Kumar Thallapuranam

LaFredi Janae Howard
Dissertation: The Functional and Structural Analysis of Dormiphilus Robo2 in Axon Guidance
Directed by: Professor Timothy Evans

Zhijian Hu
Dissertation: Targeting Sec61a by Iromoexasin F Leads to Highly Cytopathic Effect
Directed by: Professor Wei Shi

Alia Parveen
Dissertation: Chasing the Genetics of Ascites in Broilers Using Whole Genome Re-sequencing
Directed by: Professor Douglas Rhoads

Kevin Roberts
Dissertation: Engineering of Extracellular Matrix Scaffolds for Muscle Regeneration
Directed by: Professor Jamie Hestekin

Sura Faris Salih Zaki
Dissertation: Pathogenesis of Staphylococcus agnetis that Cause Bacterial Chondronecrosis with Osteomyelitis in Broiler Chickens
Directed by: Professor Douglas Rhoads

CHEMISTRY
Fahmida Afrotee
Dissertation: Title Not Available
Directed by: Professor Not Available

Benjamin Jones
Dissertation: Title Not Available
Directed by: Professor Ingrid Fritsch

Matthew McKay
Dissertation: Title Not Available
Directed by: Professor Not Available

Dharma Theja Nannapaneni
Dissertation: Asymmetric Synthesis towards Antacidsin B & Novel Azole Based Rearrangements
Directed by: Professor Matt McIntosh

Jessica B. Pickens
Dissertation: Probing of Carbohydrate-Protein Interactions Using Galactono-amidine Inhibitors
Directed by: Professor Susanne Stieglar

COMMUNITY HEALTH PROMOTION
Virginia M. Hardgraves
Dissertation: Title Not Available
Directed by: Professor Leah Henry

COMPARATIVE LITERATURE AND CULTURAL STUDIES
Hamed Mahmoud Al-Alatam
Dissertation: The Jordanian Novel in Postmodern Context
Directed by: Professor Keith Booker

Samaher Aldhames
Dissertation: Representations of Domestic Workers in Modern Arabic Fiction
Directed by: Professor Mohja Kahf

Raquel Castro Salas
Dissertation: Female Experience of Trauma and Memory in Postconflict Literature of Central America and Peru
Directed by: Professor Luis Fernando Restrepo

Charlyn Marie Ingwerson
Dissertation: Maternal Criticism: Reading Two Middle Eastern Women Writers as Nonviolent Peace Activism
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Dissertation: Archive and Repertoire of the Esala Perahera Performance in Sri Lanka
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Jeremy D. Miller
Dissertation: Screening Our Fathers: Representations of Native American Masculinity in American Film
Directed by: Professor Sean Teuton

Tri Murniati
Dissertation: Sastri Buruh Migran: Crossing Borders and Proposing a New Concept of the Indonesian Domestic Worker
Directed by: Professor Yajaira M. Padilla

COUNSELOR EDUCATION

Jihene Ayadi
Dissertation: The Effect of a Training Clinic on the Self-Efficacy of Counselors in Training
Directed by: Professor Kristin Higgins

Julie Christine Hill
Dissertation: Career Transitions Caused by Chronic Illness: A Career Construction Perspective
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Cameron Houin
Dissertation: Master’s-Level Counseling Students’ Experience of Expressive Arts Techniques in a CACREP Multicultural Counseling Course
Directed by: Professor Kristi Perryman

West Loveland
Dissertation: The Effects of Hand Holding on Cancer Patients Level of Anxiety: A Single-Case Study
Directed by: Professor David Christian

Danny L. McCarty
Dissertation: Tattoos: Lives in the Making
Directed by: Professor David Christian

Alexandra Meyers
Dissertation: A Phenomenological Study of the Lived Experiences of Counseling Students in a Co-Facilitated Experiential Group
Directed by: Professor Kristin Higgins

Kendra Shoget
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ECONOMICS

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Dissertation: Diversity and Health: Examining Ethnolinguistic Fractionalization on Food Consumption
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EDUCATION POLICY

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Dissertation: Expanding Outcomes in Educational Program Evaluation: Student Outcomes, Systemic Effects, and Policy Implications
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Dissertation: To and Through College: Investigating Attitudes towards, Enrollment in, and Graduation from College
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Dissertation: Comparing Eta, Eta, and Bayesian Statistical Models for Educational and Gaming Data
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Dissertation: Testing Measurement Invariance in Multilevel Data with Unequal Within-Level and Between-Level Factor Structures
Directed by: Professors Xinya Liang and Wenjiao Lo

ENGINEERING

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Dissertation: Fractional Order State Feedback Control for Lateral Stability of Multi-Automated Commercial Heavy Vehicle Platoons
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Dissertation: H2 Control for Improved Stability of Multi-area Electric Power Systems with High Levels of Inverter-Based Generation
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Dissertation: A Novel Three Level Isolated AC-DC Power Converter Topology with Reduced Number of Switches for High-Input Voltage and High-Output Current Application
Directed by: Professor Juan Carlos Balda

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Dissertation: Backstepping Control and Transformation of Multi-Input Multi-Output Affine Nonlinear Systems into a Strict Feedback Form
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Dissertation: Automated Methods to Enhance the Quality of Colonoscopy Video
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Dissertation: Self-Assembled Nanoantenna Enhance Optical Activity and Transport in Scalable Thin Films and Interfaces
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Dissertation: Asynchronous RS/ES (ARES) Physically Unclonable Function Circuits
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John Brady
Dissertation: A Comprehensive Evaluation of NULL Convention Logic regarding Power Consumption
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Dissertation: Quantifying Workability, Compactability, and Cohesion Gain of Asphalt Emulsion Cold-In-Place Recycling
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Dissertation: Investigation of Electrospun Nanofibers for Separation Applications
Directed by: Professor Xianghong Qian

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Dissertation: Development of Forward Osmosis Based Separations: A Novel Approach in Membrane Technology
Directed by: Professor Ranil Wickramasinghe

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Dissertation: Handling Failures in Complex Systems with Fault Adaptive Workload Allocation
Directed by: Professor David Jensen

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Dissertation: Adaptive Boundary Control Using the Natural Switching Surfaces for Flyback Converters
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Dissertation: Diffuse Reflectance Spectroscopy to Quantify In Vivo Tissue Optical Properties: Applications in Human Epithelium and Subcutaneous Marine Colon Cancer
Directed by: Professor Timothy Muldoon

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Dissertation: Numerical Simulations of Directed Self-Assembly Methods in Di-block Copolymer Films for Efficient Manufacturing of Nanoscale Patterns with Long-Range Order
Directed by: Professor Paul Millett

Mohaned Kamaz
Dissertation: Applications of Ionic Liquids in Membrane Based Separation
Directed by: Professor Ranil Wickramasinghe

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Dissertation: Cellulose Nanocrystals from Wood Biomass - Process Optimization and Evaluation of Properties
Directed by: Professor Jin-Woo Kim

John Taewhan Kim
Dissertation: Investigation of Aging Effects on Regenerative Outcomes Following Treatment of Volumetric Muscle Loss Injuries
Directed by: Professor Jeffrey Wolchok

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Dissertation: Automatically Detecting Sentiment Shift Through Event Detection
Directed by: Professor Susan Gauch

Chenggang Lai
Dissertation: Automatic Performance Optimization on Heterogeneous Computer Systems Using Manycore Coprocessors
Directed by: Professor Miaojing Huang

Hu-Eon Lee
Dissertation: Optimizing Block-Stacking Operations with Relaxation
Directed by: Professor John A. White

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Airam Marlee Morales Vega
Dissertation: Evaluation of Fracture Principles in Asphalt Concrete Utilizing AASHTO TP-105
Directed by: Professor Andrew Braham

Scott E. Muller
Dissertation: Predicting the Mechanical Properties of Nanocomposites Embedded with 1-D, 2-D and 3-D Materials
Directed by: Professor Arun K. Nair

Namila
Dissertation: Identification of the Factors Influencing Filter Capacity and Virus Clearance of Parvovirus Retentive Membranes
Directed by: Professor Xi Hong Qian

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Dissertation: Nanostructured Biomaterials for Tissue Engineering and Drug Delivery Applications
Directed by: Professor Ryan Tian

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Dissertation: Behavior of Acidine Orange in Staining Nucleated Cells Using Fluorescence-Based Optical Microscopy for Point-of-Care Applications
Directed by: Professor Timothy Muldoon

Trent Rogers
Dissertation: Powers and Behaviors of Directed Self-Assembly
Directed by: Professor Matthew Patitz

Sean Elliott Salazar
Dissertation: Development of a Multimode Instrument for Remote Measurements of Unsaturated Soil Properties
Directed by: Professor Richard A. Coffman

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Dissertation: Teaching Introductory Programming Concepts Using a Gesture-Based Interface
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Dissertation: Microtranscription Printing of Microheater and Optical Waveguides
Directed by: Professor Wenchao Zhou

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Dissertation: Approximations and Heuristic Methods for the Optimization of Large Scale Multi-Echelon (R, N, G) Inventory Systems
Directed by: Professor Manuel D. Rossetti

Shuang Zhao
Dissertation: Active Gate Driver Design for Optimizing the Switching Trajectory of High Voltage Silicon Carbide Power Devices
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ENGLISH

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Dissertation: Recovered Images: The Medievalism of C.S. Lewis's Space Trilogy
Directed by: Professor William Quinn

Nathan John Haydon
Dissertation: "We Are Strangers in this Life", Theology, Liminality, and the Exiled in Anglo-Saxon Literature
Directed by: Professor Joshua Smith

Brent Linsley
Dissertation: A Sense of Unending: Apocalyptic and Post-Apocalyptic in the Age of Late Capitalism
Directed by: Professor Keith Bookor

MaryKate Messimer
Dissertation: Gender in Apocalyptic California: The Ecological Frontier
Directed by: Professor Robin Roberts

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Dissertation: Remembering How to Listen: A Theoretical and Pedagogical Approach to Literacy, Adolescence, and Young Adult Literature
Directed by: Professor David Jolliffe

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Dissertation: The Medieval British Legacy of the Founding Myth of Britain
Directed by: Professor Joshua Smith

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Dissertation: Exile, Translation, and Contemporary Iranian Women Writers
Directed by: Professor Robin Roberts

ENVIRONMENTAL DYNAMICS

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Dissertation: Climate Change Governance and the Politics of Scale - Evaluating Sub-national Climate Protection Policies and Practices in the United States and Germany
Directed by: Professor Fiona Davidson

Jason Burgess-Conforti
Dissertation: The Potential Acidification of the Mulberry River, Arkansas
Directed by: Professor David M. Miller

Michelle Megan Rathgeber
Dissertation: The Archaeology of Mississippian Vulnerability and Resilience in the New Madrid Seismic Zone
Directed by: Professor George Sabo III

FOOD SCIENCE

Jeffrey Clark
Dissertation: Foodservice and Food Safety: Handwashing Compliance, Wearable Technology-based Training, Food Safety Climate, a Handwashing Video Game, Job Insecurity from Automation, and Health Inspections
Directed by: Professor Philip Crandall

Shilpa Shahlesh Samant
Dissertation: Development of a Methodology for Predicting Consumer Acceptance and Preference towards Beverages
Directed by: Professor Han-Seek Seo

Jennifer Wages
Dissertation: Identification and Elucidation of Microbiome Profile Shifts in Poultry Processing Systems
Directed by: Professor Steven C. Ricke

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Dissertation: Selectivity of Infrared Heat Treatment on Inactivation of Mycofungi Insecticidal Fungons Stored on Grain
Directed by: Professor Griffiths G. Atungulu

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Dissertation: The Effects of Geography and Proximity on Board of Directors: An Exponential Random Graphs Approach
Directed by: Professor Jackson Cohren

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Dissertation: Daily to Seasonal Moisture Signals Present in Sub-Annual Tree-Ring Data
Directed by: Professor David Stable

Max Carl Arne Torbenson
Dissertation: Cool and Warm Season Climate Signals in Tree Rings from North America
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HISTORY

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Dissertation: The Arkansas in Arkansas: Environmental Change and the Transformation of Local Power Through Federal Intervention
Directed by: Professor Jeannie Whayne

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Dissertation: The Farmers' Federation: Regional Racial Mythologies as Cultural Capital
Directed by: Professor Jeannie Whayne

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Dissertation: 'The Healing Hand Laid on a Great Wound': The Elberfeld System and the Transformation of Poverty in Germany, Britain, and the United States
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Directed by: Professor Alessandro Bogi

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Dissertation: Promise and Practice: Toward an Expanded, Integrated, Collaborative Narrative on American Indians in our National Parks
Directed by: Professors Daniel Sutherland and Elliott West

Geoffrey L. Stark
Dissertation: Saint and Confessor: A Reappraisal of the Historical and Literary Contextualization of Gerontius’s Life of Melania the Younger
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Dissertation: Up from the Gutter: The Popular Culture Roots of the Special Relationship
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HEALTH, SPORT AND EXERCISE SCIENCE

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Dissertation: Influence of Heating, Standing, and Biological Sex on Vascular Dysfunction Associated with Long-Duration Sitting
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KINESIOLOGY

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Dissertation: Comparison of Physical Intensity between Interactive Video Game Cycling and Conventional Stationary Cycling in Adolescents with High Functioning Autism Spectrum Disorder
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Dissertation: The Effect of Osmotic Stimulation of Copetin on Glucose Metabolism in Healthy Adults
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Dissertation: Effects of Autologous Repair and Exercise on Face Recovery from Volumetric Muscle Loss
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MATHEMATICS

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Dissertation: Van Hiele Analysis of Curriculum Standards – A Comparative Study
Directed by: Professor Shannon Dingman

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Dissertation: The Effect of Using Technology on Students: Understanding in Calculus and College Algebra
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MICROELECTRONICS- PHOTONICS

Ahmad Aziz Darweesh
Dissertation: Optical Enhancement in Periodic Plasmonic Gratings for SERS and Metal-Semiconductor-Metal Photodetectors (MSM-PDs) applications
Directed by: Professor Joseph B. Herzog

Steven P. Minor
Dissertation: Development and Characterization of InN QD's for White Light Emitting Devices
Directed by: Professor Gregory J. Salamo

Sudip Nepal
Dissertation: Phenotypic Switching of Bacterial Cells in Extreme Environments
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**PHILOSOPHY**

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**Dissertation:** Perfect Being Open Futurism: A Philosophical Investigation  
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**Dissertation:** Normative Pragmatic Selfhood: A Pragmatist Conception of Value for Marginal Cases  
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**Dissertation:** Will-Independent Mereological Trinity Monothesis: A Defense of the Logical Coherence of, a Priori Motivation for, and a Particular Model Concerning the Doctrine of the Trinity  
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**PHYSICS**

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**Dissertation:** Feedback and Feedback Signals in the Olfactory System  
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**Dissertation:** Plasmonic Properties of Nanoparticle and Two Dimensional Material Integrated Structure  
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**Dissertation:** Polarization Properties of Airy and Ince-Gauss laser Beams  
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**Dissertation:** A Study of Optical Nonlinearity at the Single-Photon Level for Quantum Logic  
**Directed by:** Professor Julio G. Banacloche

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**Dissertation:** Large-Scale Atomic Simulation of Complex and Functional Properties of Ferric Materials  
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**PLANT SCIENCE**

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**Dissertation:** Phenotypic and Genotypic Studies in the Peach and Muscadine Grape  
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**Dissertation:** Investigating the Connection Between Light, A Circadian Clock, And Pathogenic Development in Cercospora zeae-maydis  
**Directed by:** Professor Burton H. Blihm

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**Dissertation:** Studies in the pathogenesis of charcoal rot and Phomopsis seed decay in soybean  
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**POULTRY SCIENCE**

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**Dissertation:** Investigation of the Microbiome and their Possible Roles in Health and Diseases of Poultry  
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**Dissertation:** The Optimization of Light Environments for Broiler Chickens through Choice and Preference Testing  
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**PSYCHOLOGY**

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**Dissertation:** Barriers to Primary Care Behavioral Health and Specialty Mental Health Services: Perspectives from Latino and Non-Latino White Primary Care Patients  
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**Dissertation:** How Does Alcohol Intoxication Impair Risk Detection of Sexual Assault? Testing an Integration of Alcohol Myopia and Social Information Processing Theories  
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**Dissertation:** Hating Evil: Understanding the Role of Evil in Interpersonal Hate  
**Directed by:** Professor Denise Beike

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**Dissertation:** Parametric Indices of Peer Victimization as Predictors of Children's Psychosocial Outcomes  
**Directed by:** Professor Timothy A. Cavel

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**Dissertation:** "Like Me, Do What I Say, And Think About My Influence": The Effects on Witness Choosing and Metacognition  
**Directed by:** Professor James Lampinen

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**Dissertation:** A Laboratory-Based Experimental Test of Reasons for Living: Effects on Behavioral Approach Toward a Suicide-Related Stimulus  
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**Dissertation:** Music, Language, and Rhythmic Timing  
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**Dissertation:** Dynamics of Momentary Perceived Self-regulation Abilities as Novel Predictors of Overeating in Daily Life  
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**Dissertation:** Children's Use of Accent as a Cue for Cooperative Potential  
**Directed by:** Professor Douglas Behrend

**PUBLIC POLICY**

Daniel Cox  
**Dissertation:** American Indian Employment in State and Local Governments, 1991-2011: Twenty Years of Nominal Improvement  
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**Dissertation:** The Social Construction of Black Fatherhood in Responsible Fatherhood Policies  
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**Dissertation:** Sex Differences in Spousal Caregiving and Implications for Paid Care  
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**Dissertation:** Seeking Success: A Case Study of African American Male Retention at a Two Year College  
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**Dissertation:** Valuing Groundwater Preservation in the Lower Mississippi River Basin  
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**REHABILITATION**

Jennifer Davenport  
**Dissertation:** Stigma and Chronic Pain in Higher Education  
**Directed by:** Professor Brent Thomas Williams

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**Dissertation:** A Grounded Theory Investigation of the Experiences of Rehabilitation Administrators, Counselors and Supervisors Providing Services to Women with Disabilities Experiencing Intimate Partner Violence  
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**SPACE AND PLANETARY SCIENCES**

Holly Nicole Ferris  
**Dissertation:** Regolith-Atmospheric Water Vapor Interactions and the Stability of Liquid Water on Present Day Mars  
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Sara Taeko Port  
**Dissertation:** An Experimental Investigation of Metal Sulphides as the Source of the Low Emissivity Signal on the Highlands of Venus  
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Dylan Deeds
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Henry Dunn
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John Michael Fly
Ericsson Godsey
Lance Hartman
Ryan Heidrick
Ellen Marie Huckabay
Macklin Jenkins Joyce
Andrew Jenner
Olivia Dianne Lange
Jakob Lorsbach
Mary Hannah Madigan
William Martens
Jackson Morgan
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Samantha Overstreet
Blake Palmer
Ryan Pfaff
Samuel Tyler Phan
William Pollock
Erie Rheinberger
Clayton Riding

Daniel Smith
Quinn Stangeland
Ian Christopher Stone
Keiryn Swenson
Adia Suzanne Threatt
Jesse Tran
McKenzie Kristene Wages
Danielle Wasser
Eric S. Williams
Courtney Wilson
Allison Wotruba

MASTER OF ARTS

Alshaatha Sultan Mohamed Al Sharji
Communication

Tasmiyah Amreen
Sociology

Brittan Andres
Communication

Patrick Angyal
English

Felipe Antonio
Spanish

Gracie Bain
English

Grace Bettis
Sociology

Franklin Bick
Economics

Jean-Hugues Bita’a Menye
Modern Languages

Dana Turner Blair
English

Andrew Scott Blume
English

Marshall Bolen
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Khadijja Bouchelha
Comparative Literature and Cultural Studies

Nathaniel C. Burke
Economics

Isaiah Desmond
English

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Comparative Literature and Cultural Studies

Alan James Edmondson
Geography

Nourhan ElNagdy
Comparative Literature and Cultural Studies

Callie Spear Embry
Communication

Andrew Epperson
Journalism

Tiffany Michelle Fields
Communication

Whitney Racquel Frierson
Sociology

Zessa Garcia Rios
Political Science

Jordan Garrett
Modern Languages

Nia Imani Gipson
Psychology

Erin Gloster
English

Adriana Marcela Gordillo Barahona
Spanish

Emily Renee Holmes
English

Logan Wayne Humphrey
Philosophy

Stephen Thomas Irby
Philosophy

Denzel Jenkins
Journalism

Victoria Ann Jones
Anthropology

Angela K. Kaijage
Political Science

Md Gias Uddin Khan
Economics

Marsha Kim Huh
Sociology

Carlos Andres Laverde Mosquera
Spanish

Vanessa Sweet Lawson
English

Thuy Le Vu Phuong
Communication

Phyllis Kay LeBert
English

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History

Li Li
Comparative Literature and Cultural Studies

Stephanie Marie Long
Psychology

Christopher Main
Political Science

Deborah Mathews
Secondary Mathematics

Mohamed Lemine M’Bareck
Journalism

James Clark McKelvey
Geography

Logan James Miller
Economics

Ahmad Shah Mobariz
Economics

Lee Harrison Nagel
Spanish

Itto Outini
Journalism

Cal Parmain II
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Communication

Karen Paulk
Journalism

Valeria Pierola Suzuki
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Halley Madison Pullin
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Robert Ragsdale
Philosophy

William Kelly Reeder
English

Lydia Iris Rees
Anthropology

Nathan Riggs
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Joseph Robbins
History

Ariel Romero
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Kelly Schaeffer
Anthropology

Pablo Scoponi
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Alexandra Jean Stassen
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Brittany Beshears
Educational Leadership

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Educational Leadership

Sydney Morgan Brown
Educational Leadership

Danielle Campbell
Educational Leadership

Bailey Chenier
Educational Leadership

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Teacher Education

Natalie Davey
Teacher Education

Rachel Audrey Davis
Secondary Education

Miranda Escamilla
Educational Leadership

Rachel Anne Evans
Teacher Education

Cody Faulkner
Teacher Education

Mary Katherine Flannery
Teacher Education

Jessica Fulghum
Teacher Education

Kira Ann Geer
Curriculum and Instruction

Clair Alanis Green
Educational Leadership

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Secondary Education

Sarah Caroline Haldorson
Educational Leadership

Kaylee Hamilton
Educational Leadership

Margaret Hegarty
Teacher Education

Arlyn Hernandez
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Shannen Marie Hulsey
Educational Leadership

Auburn Kylie Jackson
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Nicholas Carl Jordan
Teacher Education

Karella Kordsmeier
Teacher Education

Meredith Elena Joyce Kressen
Educational Leadership

Hannah La Reau
Teacher Education

Ashley Lane
Educational Leadership

Morgan Lee
Teacher Education

Carly Ann Liggett
Educational Leadership

Joanna Elizabeth Lovern
Educational Leadership

Allison Loy
Teacher Education

Shannon Lydon
Educational Leadership

Montana McCoy
Teacher Education

Chloe Nanos
Educational Leadership

Abby Neighbors
Educational Leadership

Paige Norbeck
Educational Leadership

Leslie Oropeza
Educational Leadership

Autumn Keeley Pearcy
Teacher Education

Leslie Pervire
Educational Leadership

Erin Phelan
Educational Leadership

Jordan Price
Teacher Education

Rashel Quintanilla
Teacher Education

Zachary Rankin
Teacher Education

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Emma Grace Sancer
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Casey Stark
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Taylor Thomas
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Caroline Wilbourn
Educational Leadership

Madeline Paige Williams
Teacher Education

Shelby Reagan Wood
Teacher Education

Taylor Bowker

Angelique Blair Carmouche

Ryan Collins

Cody Deardorff

Elissa Dinkmeyer

Brittney Nicole Fortenberry

Preston Alexander Gibbs

Colin Glenny

William Taylor Lee Hanna

Ikuko Kato

Matthew Richard McCarthy

Bryanna Moltz

Jeorgia Marsena Louise Sanders

Mitchell Skinner

Bria Stanley-Coursey

MASTER OF ATHLETIC TRAINING

Juan Luis Aguirre Limon

Sandra Valley Bagley

Jesse Baker

Benjamin J. Barnes

Steven Beheshiti

Michael Black

Rebecca Bowen

Jodi-Ann Clough

Whitney Cooper

Julie Rae Cross

Angela Christine Darnell

Monica De Abreu Ruink

Kenneth DeLaZier

Haven Eason

Melissa Fackelman

Traci Farrah

Kyle Fullmer

Tommy Jordan Gray

Fredrica Harris

Mitchell Heisserer

Juan Carlos Hernandez Castilla

Mazie Alcorn Johnson

Ahmad Kaako

Morgan H. Keeling

David Kirk

Maria Mercedes Lagazio

Casey Larson

Matthew Ryan Liebal

Jared Lightle

Courtney Lindsay

Matthew Lowery

Aaron Lucas

Rachel Mueller Lusson

Karena Malott

David Mancia

Jerald Lamont Martin

Stephanie Danielle Martinez

Ashly McPherson-Morrow

Shadrack Ndikwa

Mark Powell

Matthew Prince

Natalia Michelle Ramirez

Henry Rice

Eeri M. Rosa

Donald Roush

Elizabeth Bacon Studdard

Heather Troxler

Ilana Teresa Velazquez

Torey Walter

MASTER OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

Skylar Brynn Ames-Patton
Adult and Lifelong Learning

Megan Frances Anderson
Higher Education

Mark Bagwell
Higher Education

Alyson L. Ballew
Human Resource and Workforce Development Education

Joshua Michael Baun
Physical Education

Jamie Renee Baureis
Educational Leadership

Michelle Stroman Bell
Human Resource and Workforce Development Education

Jon R. Benedict
Recreation and Sport Management

Jonathan Blake
Physical Education

Christina Bolden
Educational Technology

Natalia Borozdina
Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages

Ally Nicole Bryan
Educational Leadership

Joel Michael Buhler
Higher Education

Travis Byram
Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages

Cameron Caja
Higher Education

Peter Cannia
Physical Education

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Haley Lynn Carney
Curriculum and Instruction

Angela Chow
Educational Technology

Joshua Clark
Physical Education

Mathew Clark
Physical Education

Irina Cojocari
Human Resource and Workforce Development Education

Tessa Constant
Higher Education

Megan Dean
Special Education

Lillie Anne Dickard
Educational Leadership

Wesley Diers
Recreation and Sport Management

Kayla Dornblaser
Educational Leadership

Ilan Emery
Educational Leadership

Liza Justine Erwin
Recreation and Sport Management

Grace Flowers
Recreation and Sport Management

Ryan Bailey French
Physical Education

Kevin Garrison
Physical Education

Guljahan Gochova
Higher Education

Emma Lea Hammons
Curriculum and Instruction

Brooklynnne Hanna
Higher Education

Leslie Marie Hassel
Educational Technology

Pamela Headley
Physical Education

Serena Her
Human Resource and Workforce Development Education

Sonia Hernandez
Educational Leadership

Shelby Hiers
Recreation and Sport Management

Anna Hilburn
Higher Education

Robin Hill
Human Resource and Workforce Development Education

Justin Colby Hobs
Physical Education

Andrea Howard
Higher Education

Lucinda Leigh Howard
Recreation and Sport Management

Lauren Hughes
Higher Education

Geoffrey Iadarola
Physical Education

Rebecca Irvin
Recreation and Sport Management

Nicole Jenkins
Educational Technology

Breana Jones
Educational Leadership

Kara Karstedt
Educational Technology

Stephanie Kessler
Human Resource and Workforce Development Education

Daniela Kidd
Adult and Lifelong Learning

Molly Lauren Kinder
Higher Education

Kendall Erin Krueger
Recreation and Sport Management

Shane Lewis
Human Resource and Workforce Development Education

Karla Magarin
Educational Leadership

Sarah Mallette
Educational Technology

Kimberly Ann McComber
Human Resource and Workforce Development Education

Lilly Sage McCoy
Higher Education

Della Tyronda Miller
Educational Leadership

Brent Mitchell
Educational Leadership

Selena Mitchell
Educational Leadership

Shelley Mitchell
Educational Technology

Leah Mrozinski
Educational Leadership

Samantha Nelson
Recreation and Sport Management

Sye Nobles
Recreation and Sport Management

Colin O’Mara
Recreation and Sport Management

Chengyue Pan
Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages

Emily Ann Patterson
Adult and Lifelong Learning

Rachel Patton
Human Resource and Workforce Development Education

Cassie Peer
Educational Leadership

Dexter Pendergraft
Recreation and Sport Management

David H. Preston, Jr.
Educational Leadership

Thomas Proctor
Recreation and Sport Management

Morgan Lynn Pulliam
Higher Education

Erie Nancy Reardon
Physical Education

Catherine Elizabeth Reid
Higher Education

Arienna Len Reynolds
Educational Leadership

Brooke LeBlanc Reynolds
Adult and Lifelong Learning

James Sacha
Special Education

Jennifer Sadler
Adult and Lifelong Learning

Lauren Schulterman
Higher Education

Robert Walter Scott III
Physical Education

Lauren Elizabeth Selby
Recreation and Sport Management

Paige Serzen
Higher Education

James Stanzell Jr
Recreation and Sport Management

Holly Gwenn Stark
Special Education

Jennifer Stubenrauch
Adult and Lifelong Learning

Shani Sullivan
Higher Education

April Taylor
Human Resource and Workforce Development Education

Jacob Terkoski
Recreation and Sport Management

Elizabeth Tipton
Higher Education

Joshua Tipton
Educational Technology

Nicole Tira
Physical Education

Jessica Tolliver
Educational Leadership

Taylor Tucker
Educational Technology

Brady Turner
Physical Education

Charini Urteaga
Educational Technology

Cale Addison Wallace
Recreation and Sport Management

Sabrina Washington
Educational Leadership

Amanda Wellick
Recreation and Sport Management

Justin Wimberly
Recreation and Sport Management

Roxanne Wood
Human Resource and Workforce Development Education

Robert E. Yancey
Human Resource and Workforce Development Education

Hannah Allen
Creative Writing

Mollie Elizabeth Armour
Theatre

Eric Armstrong
Theatre

Austin Dean Ashford
Theatre

NaTosha DeVon Barron
Theatre

Catherine Blencowe
Theatre

Andrew Butler
Creative Writing

Jacob Collum
Creative Writing

Elizabeth DeMee
Creative Writing

Megan Downey
Creative Writing

Jesse Greenhill
Creative Writing

Mischa Hutchings
Theatre

Jennifer Bailey Hutchinson
Creative Writing

Kelsey Looney
Theatre

Sam Mack
Art

Justin Mackey
Theatre

Halley Mayo
Theatre

Tanner Neal McAlpin
Theatre

Hannah Thomas Moore McBroom
Art

Joshua Moore
Creative Writing

Lucas Palmer
Creative Writing

Sara Ramey
Creative Writing

Christopher Rodgers
Art

Melissa Rooney
Theatre

Scott Nicholas Russell
Theatre

Makayla Songer
Art

Rachel Thomas
Creative Writing

Jody Travis Thompson
Art

Mekiya Walters
Creative Writing

Benjamin Whisman II
Creative Writing

Lauren Whitmore
Art

Vicente Ricardo Ypez
Creative Writing

Jacob Yordy
Creative Writing

Chase Young
Art

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MASTER OF INFORMATION SYSTEMS

Jason Ammons
Matthew Bacon
Venkataraman Bagavathi
Subramanian
Harishkrishan Balasubramanian
Jennifer Bitondo
Corey Allen Breeding
Luis Cuenca
Sreevidhya Easwaran
Quan Feng
David John Ferguson
John Paul Goodman Jr.
Greeshma Gopi
Shannon Gordon
Yaisah Joanna Granillo
Nia Sharece Gregory
David Hancock
Andrew Hicks
Timothy James
Seongseon Jeong
Selvakumar Jeyakumar
Hunter Kyle Judkins
Le Kuai
Vitaliy Madyankin
Douglas Maglothin
Kerry McLaughlin
Benjamin Monroe
Manivannan Murugesan
Chi Ngo
Priya Patil
Selvakumar Jeyakumar
Hunter Kyle Judkins
Le Kuai
Vitaliy Madyankin
Douglas Maglothin
Kerry McLaughlin
Benjamin Monroe
Manivannan Murugesan
Chi Ngo
Priya Patil
Selvakumar Jeyakumar
Hunter Kyle Judkins
Le Kuai
Vitaliy Madyankin
Douglas Maglothin
Kerry McLaughlin
Benjamin Monroe
Manivannan Murugesan
Chi Ngo
Priya Patil

MASTER OF SCIENCE

Hazim Saadoon Aljewari
Cell and Molecular Biology
John Allard
Communication Disorders
Mislat Aloyaibar
Geology
Meaad Maady Alqahtany
Cell and Molecular Biology
Colton Alhaber
Animal Science
Rebecca Anderson
Crop, Soil and Environmental Science
Mary Ashley
Communication Disorders
Maryanne Atchley-Babb
Communication Disorders
Galen Bahadoorsingh
Counseling
Justin Bailey
Plant Pathology
Dax Baker
Geology
Emily Brieane Bates
Kinesiology
Tyra Lea Ann Bates
Rehabilitation
Kristina Bautista
Agricultural and Extension Education
Mandie E. Beck
Poultry Science
Rachel Ricca Beck
Communication Disorders
Brian Becker
Biology
Heather Washington Becker
Rehabilitation
Lesleigh Colleen Beer
Poultry Science
Jacqueline Medora Bettis
Rehabilitation
Kayla Nicole Birmingham
Communication Disorders
Alisha Black
Rehabilitation
Michael Blanchard
Statistics and Analytics
Aaron Bodie
Food Science
Brittney Booth
Biology
Kristopher Bottoms
Animal Science
Wade Alexander Boys
Biology
Melissa Bradt
Human Environmental Science
Allyson Ruth Bragg
Community Health Promotion
David Ethan Branscum
Agricultural Economics
Rebecca Mawusi Bruce
Food Science
Cameron Bruner
Kinesiology
Claire Elizabeth Busler
Communication Disorders
Sonja Korallus Bylak
Rehabilitation
Olivia Caillouet
Agricultural and Extension Education
Julie Caing
Geology
India Semone Callahan
Human Environmental Science
Maxwell Carnes-Mason
Biology
Christopher Cathcart
Geology
Ya-Hsuan Chang
Human Environmental Science
Jonathan Todd Chick
Geology
Megan Clark
Animal Science
Tiffany Sheree Clark
Rehabilitation
Sarah Cleary
Rehabilitation
Ogoudele Simon Codjo
Agricultural Economics
Maxwell David Coffin
Crops, Soil and Environmental Science
Wyatt Coffman
Crop, Soil and Environmental Science
Jaron Condley
Geology
Brett Cooper
Geology
Christopher G. Cowan
Geography
Jeremy Croft
Geography
Tyler Crook
Animal Science
Caelan Deavours
Rehabilitation
Danielle Elena DeCarlo
Community Health Promotion
Catherine Elizabeth Dobbins
Agricultural and Extension Education
Wallisong Domingues
Kinesiology
Kirsten Rene Dunlap
Kinesiology
John Edwards
Food Science
Anthony Emerson
Chemistry
Christian Jabril Falzone
Geology
Baqui Fateh
Statistics and Analytics
Jordan M. Falkner
Counseling
Charlene Fields
Rehabilitation
William Robert Fink
Rehabilitation
Sarah Kate Finley
Counseling
Emily Fisher
Geology
Atemmkgng Forwang
Cell and Molecular Biology
Emily S. Foss
Mathematics
Lee Fox
Agricultural Economics
Amanda Franklin
Food Safety
Robert Sidney Fuller
Food Science
Lindsey Rouchelle Gabbard
Communication Disorders
Bannon Ross Gallaher
Biology
Mariana Ganderillas
Agricultural Economics
Christian Ivan Garcia
Geography
Eathan Gentry
Biology
Sharla Gilchrist
Animal Science
Naomi Shure Gillett
Communication Disorders
Thomas Wayne Glascock
Animal Science
Jessica Post Goll
Communication Disorders
Casey Goodman
Geography
Jordyn Gragg
Animal Science
Walker Gragg
Animal Science
Savannah Rae Graham
Biology
Joshua M. Grant
Microelectronics-Photonics
Ryan Grant
Human Environmental Science

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Communication Disorders
Joshua Gregory
Mathematics
Lisa Griggs
Counseling
Ashley Grigsby
Rehabilitation
Xuan Gu
Statistics and Analytics
Nancy Guillon
Counseling
Betsaleel Guilou Via
Mathematics
Kylie Jo Hackworth
Agricultural and Extension Education
Afton Baird Hamm
Communication Disorders
Alicia Lynn Hayden
Agricultural and Extension Education
Melanie Hays
Animal Science
Caleb Heath
Microelectronics-Photonics
Haley Michelle Hensley
Agricultural and Extension Education
Taylor Herbst
Communication Disorders
Michael Hickinbotham
Animal Science
Paterson Perez Hilaire
Agricultural and Extension Education
Joseph Zolton Hiltz
Poultry Science
Huong Hoang
Cell and Molecular Biology
Liese Victoria Hoffmire
Human and Environmental Science
Michael Houston
Crop, Soil and Environmental Science
Counseling
Berlin Howell
Animal Science
Shivani Rajkumar Ingle
Computer Science
Myranda Jackson
Rehabilitation
Jovon T. James
Geology
Cantell Jernigan
Food Safety
Erin Jones
Counseling
Nicholas W. Jones
Rehabilitation
Jonathan Jorgensen
Geology
Alaa Kawagy
Microelectronics-Photonics
Reyhaneh Kazernianfarahani
Statistics and Analytics
John-Scott Bidwell Kelley
Counseling
Sara Kouchebahg
Geography
Stephanie Lampman
Food Safety
Michelle Lynn Ledoux
Food Safety
David Lee
Cell and Molecular Biology
Ji Li
Statistics and Analytics
Anne Lin
Statistics and Analytics
Kevin Lyon
Physics
Melissa Machen
Food Safety
Mahboubeh Madadi
Statistics and Analytics
Adam Malone
Rehabilitation
Layton Denman McCullars
Agricultural and Extension Education
Nicole Medina-Grossberger
Kinesiology
David Meints
Crop, Soil and Environmental Science
Cheryl Meyers
Agricultural and Extension Education
Karli Addele Moore
Agricultural Economics
Matthew Houston Moore
Crops, Soil and Environmental Science
Michelle Morefield
Geography
Rosa Moreno
Cell and Molecular Biology
See Moua
Food Safety
Jamison Murry
Crop, Soil and Environmental Science
Kristine Nagy
Geography
Cameron Jahan Nikmard
Geology
Cameron Ojeda
Statistics and Analytics
Glory Esohe Okpiafo
Agricultural Economics
Ryan Orr
Kinesiology
Ethan Taylor Ozment
Cell and Molecular Biology
Anita Parker
Rehabilitation
Eleni Parsons
Agricultural and Extension Education
McKayla Patterson
Plant Pathology
Matthew Paxton
Kinesiology
Bailey Rose Pearson
Communication Disorders
Marlena Andrea Pigliacampi
Kinesiology
Philip Powell
Agricultural Economics
Josh Price
Statistics and Analytics
Grant Lawson Priess
Crop, Soil and Environmental Science
Eliott Pruett
Cell and Molecular Biology
Christopher Alan Pryor
Geography
Stephen Marcus Puente
Food Safety
Patrick Pysz
Microelectronics-Photonics
Virgilio De Jesus Quintero Rodriguez
Geography
Kirah Quiroz
Food Safety
Shakil Rafi
Mathematics
Kristina Raley
Geology
Kayla Marie Reuter
Communication Disorders
Sahar Rezanejadatji
Statistics and Analytics
Payton Rhea
Crop, Soil and Environmental Science
Lindsay Denise Richards
Communication Disorders
Jacob Richburg
Crop, Soil and Environmental Science
Emily Leah Richter
Communication Disorders
Deonna Nicole Robertson
Bioglogy
Cerah Andréa Robinson
Communication Disorders
Catalina Rodriguez
Plant Pathology
Chelsea Rojas
Food Safety
Ricardo R. L. Romo
Microelectronics-Photonics
Whitney Lynn Rook
Agricultural and Extension Education
Robert Edward Roseane
Agricultural Economics
Katherine Avery Rotenberry
Kinesiology
Lindsey Rucker
Agricultural and Extension Education
Stuart P. Rumrill
Rehabilitation
Anne Thomas Rystrom
Rehabilitation
Michelle Sargenti
Rehabilitation
Sarah Elizabeth Shaddy
Communication Disorders
Asmita Singh
Food Science
Rachel Smith Loerts
Geography
Amylynn Smith
Community Health Promotion
Diarra J. Smith
Counseling
Spencer Alan Smith
Kinesiology
Brooke Smolenski
Communication Disorders
Kelly Robin Sokolosky
Geology
Janita Springfield
Rehabilitation
Joshua Kyle Stevens
Geology
Betty Stonesifer
Rehabilitation
Logan Matthew Sublett
Mathematics
Suzanne Laura Swindle
Communication Disorders
Elizabeth Tamez
Chemistry
Colton R. Teekell
Agricultural and Extension Education
Julie Nicole Terhune
Geography
Colson Tester
Agricultural Economics
Alexandria Thomas
Human Environmental Science
DeAndra Thomas
Food Safety
Whitney Thomlinson
Communication Disorders
Danielle N. Thompson
Communication Disorders
Laura Toloza
Human Environmental Science
KayLee Trickey
Mathematics
Hakan Unveren
Agricultural Economics
Samantha Valdes
Counseling
Benjamin Wadsworth
Cell and Molecular Biology
Simbo Christophe Wakamya
Geology
Daniel Walker
Human Environmental Science
Griffin W. Warner
Geology
Meredith Wayman
Food Safety
Jessica Sue Webber
Agricultural and Extension Education
Brian Wempe
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Presiding ......................................................................................................................... Dean Sova McCabe

Processional March ........................................................................................................ Claudia Burson Trio

Welcome Remarks .............................................................................................................. Dean Sova McCabe

Academic Awards .............................................................................................................. High Academic Achievement Award (3rd Highest Ranked Student)  
                                                                                             W.J. Arnold Memorial Award (2nd Highest Ranked Student)  
                                                                                             Outstanding Academic Achievement Award (Highest Ranked Student)

Graduates’ Greetings ............................................................................................................ Ezra Smith

Commencement Address ...................................................................................................... Regina Hopper

Hooding and Awarding of Master of Laws ..................................................................... William H. Enfield Professor of Law Susan Schneider  
                                                                                             Professor Donald P. Judges  
                                                                                             E.J. Ball Professor of Law Uché Ewelukwa Ofodile

Hooding and Awarding of Juris Doctor ............................................................................. Professor Howard W. Brill  
                                                                                             Professor Steve Clowney

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The University community wishes to express its appreciation for the assistance of all people who helped make the 2019 University of Arkansas Spring Commencement ceremony a success.
Regina Hopper is currently senior vice president of global public policy for GRIDSMART Technologies. In a career spanning work in the fields of transportation, telecommunications, energy, media, communications and law she has become known as a leader in national and state advocacy initiatives.

Prior to joining GRIDSMART, Hopper served as president and CEO of ITS America, the country's largest industry association advocating for research and deployment of intelligent transportation systems, president and CEO of America's Natural Gas Alliance, executive vice president of US Telecom and the American Trucking Association and senior vice president of litigation communications for Ryan McGinn. She has received many honors including the Gayle Pettus Pontz Award for women in law, serving as a University of Arkansas Johnson Fellow and being named a top CEO by CEO Update and The Hill.

Hopper is an Emmy Award-winning former network news correspondent for the CBS Evening News, CBS Morning News, CBS Weekend News, 48 Hours and the CBS affiliate division Newspath. She covered the George H.W. Bush and William J. Clinton White Houses, and she anchored the network’s overnight broadcast and reported on breaking news around the country from the New York and Washington, D.C., bureaus. She was awarded an Emmy for investigative reporting on 48 Hours.

Before heading to New York and Washington, D.C., she began her television career reporting for the ABC and CBS affiliates in Little Rock and practiced law with the then Little Rock law firm of Arnold, Grobmyer and Haley.

While in law school, Hopper was crowned Miss Arkansas and deferred school for a year to serve her term. As Miss Arkansas, she won the non-finalist talent award at the 1984 Miss America Competition and led that year’s Miss America USO overseas tour. As a former chair of the Miss America Foundation Board of Trustees and member of the Board of Directors of the Miss America Organization, she has recently re-joined the organization to assist in instituting new governance and management best practices serving as the organization’s volunteer president and CEO.

She is currently serving on the University of Arkansas Alumni Association Board of Directors and the Arkansas State Society Board of Directors.
SCHOOL OF LAW

Presented by Sova McCabe, Dean of the School of Law

MASTER OF LAWS

Hannah L. Catt  
JD, University of Maryland School of Law

Caitlyn Alison Greene  
JD, Duke University

Justin L Schwlegel  
JD, Georgetown University School of Law

Kelsey Unruh Davis  
JD, University of Alabama School of Law

Brenda Hall-Busch  
JD, New York Law School

Elena Vaskovskaia  
LLB, National Research University Higher School of Economics

Hannah Gayle Fields  
JD, Lewis & Clark Law School

Christopher Hussein  
JD, University of Arkansas School of Law

Meredith Anne Kaufman  
JD, University of Colorado School of Law

Gene Allen Franco III  
JD, University of Arkansas School of Law

Robert Cannedy Dalby  
BA, University of Arkansas

MA, University of Arkansas

Kimberly Nicole Davidson  
BS, Henderson State University

Laura Jessica Chesnut  
UG, Pittsburg State University

Caitlin Elizabeth Garner  
BFA, Oklahoma City University

Savannah Elizabeth Clay  
BA, University of Arkansas

Savannah Elizabeth Clay  
BA, University of Arkansas

Aaron Cole Cochran  
BA, Hendrix College

MA, Georgia State University

Ashleigh Victoria Giovannini  
BA, University of Arkansas

George Ellis Collier  
BA, University of Maryland-Eastern

Madeleine Joan Goss  
BA, University of Tulsa

Lauren Elizabeth Crudup  
BS, East Central University

Josie Nichole Graves  
BS, University of Arkansas

Robert Cannedy Dalby  
BA, University of Arkansas

Jessica Lynn Guarino  
BA, Northwest Nazarene University

Kimberly Nicole Davidson  
BS, Henderson State University

Timothy Matthew Hale  
BS, University of Southern Mississippi

Andrew Steven Dixon  
BA, University of Arkansas

Christopher Edward Hearnsberger  
BS, University of Arkansas

William Hunter Dodson Jr.  
BS, Northeastern State University

Annelise Arden Henley  
BA, Ouachita Baptist University

Ethan Spenser Ellis  
BA, Arkansas State University

Connor Herrold  
BA, Hendrix College

Nicholas Scott Ezell  
BSA, University of Arkansas

Raymond Patrick Hickey  
BS, University of Arkansas

BS, University of Arkansas

Ann Carol Farmer  
BA, University of Arkansas

Kathryn Hiett  
BA, University of Arkansas

Kevin A. Flores  
BA, Fordham University

Zachary Richmond Hill  
BA, University of Arkansas

Sarah Michele Fowler  
BSBA, University of Arkansas

Raelynn Hillhouse  
BA, Washington University

Justin Fundermann  
BBA, University of South Dakota

PhD, University of Michigan-Ann Arbor

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Weston Hinson  
BS, University of Arkansas

Jacob Holmes  
BA, Arkansas State University

Jordan Alexandra Honey  
BA, University of Arkansas

Alex Horton  
BS, University of Arkansas-Fort Smith

Jett Elizabeth Hudgens  
BA, Arkansas State University

Joel Isaac Hutcheson  
BA, Southern Arkansas University

Joshua Dale Hutchins  
BS, United States Air Force Academy

Joy Elizabeth Jackson  
BS, Brigham Young University-Idaho

Aashika Jayanth  
BS, University of Toronto

Cody A. Johnson  
BA, University of Arkansas

Kathleen Annette Jolly  
BA, University of Arkansas

Daniel Robert Jones  
BS, Northeastern State University

Marshall Allan Jones  
BS, Rhodes College

William W. Jones  
BA, University of Memphis

Erin Mattson Keil  
BS, Texas Christian University

William Arthur Kellstrom  
BA, University of Arkansas

Krystin Kennedy  
BA, Southern Arkansas University

Michael Ross Kepesky  
BS, University of Arkansas

Nicholas Robert Lovejoy  
BS, University of Central Missouri

Leahna Marie Luke  
BA, Texas Christian University

Christina Murphy Lusk  
Cum Laude (Fall 2018)  
BA, University of Colorado-Denver

Tracey Layne Mardis  
BA, Ouachita Baptist University

Katie Rose Martin  
BA, American Public University System

Amanda Chrystine Mazzone  
BS, University of Arkansas-Fort Smith

Michael Davis McGill  
BS, University of Arkansas

Tyler McKay  
BA, Drake University

Jordan McNary  
BA, Vanderbilt University

Jared Andrew Melton  
BS, University of Arkansas-Fort Smith

Jonathan Keith Nichols  
BSBA, University of Arkansas  
MACC, University of Arkansas

Gregory Paul Nieman II  
BA, University of Arkansas

Shakeria Shakail Northcross  
BA, Arkansas State University

John Campbell Collier Ogle  
BAMA, Hendrix College

Chinyere Ezinwanji Onwuchekwa  
MSC, Rutgers University  
LLB, University of Berlin

Jenna Dale Poe  
BA, University of Arkansas

Adams Edward Pryor  
BA, University of Arkansas

Justin Craig Ramirez  
BS, University of Arkansas

McKenzie Leigh Raub  
BA, John Brown University

Philip Mason Reynolds  
BS, University of Central Arkansas

Kameron O’dell Richards  
BA, Texas Tech University

Payne Hall Roberts  
BA, University of Arkansas

José M. Ruiz  
BS, University of Central Florida

Margaret Ellen Rushing  
BS, University of Arkansas

Kayla Marie Sherrill  
BS, University of Arkansas

Ezra J Smith  
BA, University of Arkansas

Marilyn Young Speed  
BA, University of Arkansas

Julia Diane Stover  
BA, University of Arkansas

Jordan Patrick Sumler  
BA, University of Arkansas

Austin James Taylor  
BA, University of Arkansas

Dakota Jean Thornbury  
Magna Cum Laude (Fall 2018)  
BSBA, University of Arkansas

Timothy Gement Tucker, Jr.  
BA, University of Arkansas

Megan Leigh Tweedy  
BS, Arkansas State University

Larry James Walker III  
BA, Henderson State University

Alyssa Nicole Watkins  
BA, University of Arkansas

Wesley Bryan Watts  
BA, Arkansas State University

John Walker Williams  
BS, University of Arkansas


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First-ranked Senior Scholars have maintained a 4.0 grade point average and completed all of their course work at the University of Arkansas.

**DALE BUMPERS COLLEGE OF AGRICULTURAL, FOOD & LIFE SCIENCES**

| Murphy B Aycock                      | Kelsey L Johnson                     | Chuqiao Mai
| Bailey Ann Carpenter                 | Emily Ann King                       | Katherine Claire Williams
| Qirui Cui                            |                                      | 

**J. WILLIAM FULBRIGHT COLLEGE OF ARTS & SCIENCES**

| Reagan L Broach                      | Katelyn Elizabeth Gerth              | Andrew M Osborne
| Emma Buckner                         | Rebecca Blair Gilliland              | Elizabeth Nicole Reimer
| Mattison Dean Cato                   | Lexie Justis Haralson               | Hannah Rodriguez
| Carah A Colbert                      | Edie Ann Hardin                     | Callie M Shewhan
| Julienne Grace Daniel                | Wyatt Scott Heikes                   | Phillip Andrew Smith
| Brock J DeMark                      | Victoria Lynne Hoggard               | Sarah P Smith
| Chynna C Denham                     | Alexis Anne Jacobus                  | Spencer Mason Soule
| Josephine Anna DuBois                | Emma Karin Kromer                   | Stephen Joseph Storment
| Cynthia Kathryn Edwards              | Sameer Kulkarni                     | Allison Leigh Strope
| Anna G Engelkes                     | Madison Olivia Lester                | Julianna Titwell
| Olivia Fredricks                     | Kathleen Grace McClanahan            | Manasa Veluvolu
| Nimit R Gandhi                       | Callie Rose Monk                    | Annelise Nicole Zaring

**COLLEGE OF EDUCATION AND HEALTH PROFESSIONS**

| Madison Marie Boule                  | Nathanael J Garcia                  | Sarah Anne Shipley
| Hannah K Cogburn                     | Micah L Huckabee                    | Lindsey Eileen Thielman
| Caleb Michael Coleman                | McKenzie C Manning                  | Sophia M Vincent
| Alicia Nicole Daniel                 | Brooke Ashlyn Marshall               | Patricia Lian Wasilewski
| Ashlyn Kristine Dunham               | Olivia S Melton                     | Annelise Nicole Zaring
| Sarah Elisabeth Fisher               | Ashley L Miller                     | 

**COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING**

| Sameer Kulkarni                      | Juan Carlos Rodriguez               | Cole H Sherrill
|                                      |                                      | 

**SAM M. WALTON COLLEGE OF BUSINESS**

| Taylor Anne Atwell                   | McKenna Lauren Orcutt               | Olivia Madelyn Stiegman
| John M Fly                            |                                      | 

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Senior Scholars have maintained a 4.0 grade point average and completed at least half of their course work at the University of Arkansas.

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Arthur L. Neal, Jr., who serves as deputy administrator of the Transportation and Marketing Program in the U.S. Department of Agriculture’s Agricultural Marketing Service is Bumpers College’s Outstanding Alumnus for 2019.

To help accomplish his agency’s mission of facilitating competitive and efficient marketing of agricultural products, Neal provides leadership and direction for awarding more than $120 million dollars in grant programs supporting the development and growth of local and regional food systems. Those funds also aid economic research and technical assistance addressing marketing challenges for a wide array of agriculture industries. In 2018, Neal led the USDA team that developed and published the country’s first National Bioengineered Food Disclosure Standard, which regulates how manufacturers must disclose bioengineered information to retail consumers.

Neal is a proponent of supporting agriculture of all sizes and scale. Before joining the Transportation and Marketing Program, he spent more than 10 years at USDA’s National Organic Program (NOP) where he was associate deputy administrator and played a leading role in the development and enforcement of regulations for the organic industry. He also fostered international relationships that helped open doors for foreign trade of organic products. In addition, he served several years with the Office of the Assistant Secretary for Civil Rights, strengthening relationships between Historically Black Land-Grant Universities and USDA, and resolving cases related to the Equal Credit Opportunity Act.

Neal, the son of a farmer and a native of Louisiana, graduated summa cum laude with a bachelor’s degree in agriculture economics from Southern University in Baton Rouge, Louisiana, and earned his master’s degree in agricultural economics from U of A’s Bumpers College.
Mandy Kordsmeier, vice president of business development for national accounts for U.S. manufacturer Orian Rugs, is the Bumpers College Alumni Society’s Outstanding Young Alumna for 2019.

For Orian Rugs, which is based in South Carolina, she manages accounts, including with Walmart, in an industry associated with the textile field. Before that, she was national account manager for Mohawk Home, a flooring company, for two years.

From 2010-16, Kordsmeier was with Sam’s Club in merchandising as assistant buyer, associate buyer, and buyer. She worked in seasonal décor and gifting foods, and was involved in the full buying process, developing supplier relationships and managing profit and loss statements.

Kordsmeier has attended the Walmart Leadership Academy, traveled internationally and been scheduled as a public speaker.
Bumpers College Administration

Dean
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Coordinator of Distance Education and Facilities
Coordinator of Recruitment
Director of Advising and Student Records
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Director of Development and External Relations
Director of Employer Relations
Executive Assistant to the Dean
Finance Officer
Retention and Curriculum Coordinator
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Robby Edwards
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Donna K. Graham
Carmen A. Alessi
Cheryl R. Canfield
Vicky Watkins
Heather Parks

Department Heads

Agricultural Economics and Agribusiness
Agricultural Education, Communications and Technology
Agricultural Statistics
Animal Science
Crop, Soil, and Environmental Sciences
Entomology
Food Science
Horticulture
Plant Pathology
Poultry Science
School of Human Environmental Sciences

Kelly Bryant, Interim
George Wardlow
Ed Gbur
Michael Looper
Robert Bacon
Ken Korth, Interim
Wayne Mackay, Interim
Wayne Mackay
Ken Korth, Interim
Michael Kidd
Betsy Garrison, Director

SPECIAL THANKS

Bumpers College wishes to express appreciation to all who participated in making this event possible.
**Bachelor of Science in Agricultural, Food and Life Sciences**

- AGBS: Agricultural Business
- AECT: Agricultural Education, Communications and Technology
- ANSC: Animal Science
- CPSC: Crop Science
- ESWS: Environmental, Soil, and Water Science
- FDSC: Food Science
- HLTS: Horticulture, Landscape and Turf Sciences
- POSC: Poultry Science

**Bachelor of Science in Human Environmental Sciences**

- AMPD: Apparel Merchandising and Product Development
- BRKD: Birth Through Kindergarten
- FNAH: Food, Nutrition and Health
- GHES: General Human Environmental Sciences
- HDFS: Human Development and Family Sciences
- HNAD: Human Nutrition and Dietetics
- HNHI: Human Nutrition and Hospitality Innovation
- HOSP: Hospitality Management

**Honors Recognitions**

- Summa Cum Laude: 3.90 to 4.00 GPA with Highest Distinction
- Magna Cum Laude: 3.75 to 3.89 GPA with High Distinction
- Cum Laude: 3.50 to 3.74 GPA with Distinction

- Gold hood represents Bumpers College Honors Program graduates.
- White stole with red and white braid worn on left shoulder represents a student graduating Summa Cum Laude or with Highest Distinction.
- White stole represents a student graduating Magna Cum Laude or with High Distinction.
- Red stole represents a student graduating Cum Laude or with Distinction.
- White and red braided cords represent each department’s outstanding senior.
- Orange and brown cords represent member of Alpha Tau Alpha, the National Professional Honorary Agricultural Education Organization
Bachelor of Science in Human Environmental Sciences – Posthumously
Jenée Torng Dill
May 8, 1996 – May 24, 2018

Bachelor of Science in Agricultural, Food & Life Sciences – Posthumously
Tanner Thompson Shuck
August 15, 1996 – April 20, 2018

Bachelor of Science and Arts in University Studies Posthumous Honoris Causa
Holly JoAnn Pedersen
December 8, 1974 – August 26, 2018

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN AGRICULTURAL, FOOD AND LIFE SCIENCES

Emily Grace Adams
Andrew Agar
Elizabeth Avery
Levi Wyatt Baldwin
Kayla Raeanne Ball
Ben Barre
Delia Barrett - Distinction
Keldon Bartlett
Shelby Addison Bartrug
Kimberly Elizabeth Beard
Troy Alexander Begey
Jackson Berg
Dallas Blagg
Jesse Blanchard - Cum Laude with Honors Distinction
Zane Seth Blubaugh
Cara Mia Boland
Theodore Lee Chambers
Amelia Grace Chapman - Distinction
Elizabeth Cheek
Kayla Anne Christie
Jennifer Elaine Clark
Wells William Clark
G. Alexander Paul Coval
Lauren Crow
Qirui Cui - Summa Cum Laude with Honors Distinction
Darynne Dahlsten - Cum Laude with Honors Distinction
Brock Daniels - highest Distinction
Danielle Davis
Erin Davis - Magna Cum Laude with Honors Distinction
Matias De Oliva Maya Cuellar
Jonathan DeBerry
William Delacey
Shaina Denton - High Distinction
Christen Dee Dickson
Marleigh Dietz
Trevia Dillon
Logan Charles Dingler
Sterling Doak
Kyle N. Dobson
Brent Dorn
Aubrey Noelle Dunteman - Summa Cum Laude with Honors Distinction
Claire Ebbing
Hayden Edwards
Samuel Emerson
Raymond Henry Etheredge III
Grayson Faught
Caleb Alan Fischer
Kali Celine Fleming - Cum Laude with Honors Distinction
Amy Frank - Cum Laude with Honors Distinction
Carson Elisabeth Freeman - Magna Cum Laude with Honors Distinction
Conner Freeman
Emma Fritschie
Madeline Giebeler - Summa Cum Laude with Honors Distinction
William Gilpin
Tatum Joy Glendenning - Distinction
Lourdes Gonzalez De La Cruz
Tanner Goodwin
Caleb Alexander Gourley
Andrew Graves
Ryan Grewe - High Distinction
Lauren Nicole Griffin
Matthew Hahn
Hayden James Hamilton - Distinction
Ashley Ella Hanks - Highest Distinction
Keithen Harrell
Sydney Marie Harper - Distinction
Meredith Hayden - Magna Cum Laude with Honors Distinction
Kalynd Helms - Distinction
Holly Mikayla Henry - Magna Cum Laude with Honors Distinction
Brett Hensley
Sergio Antonio Herrera
Halley Hill
Kendall Coker Hill
Seth Holland
Barrett Hollomon
Hunter Holzhauser
Megan Rochelle Houle
Justin James House
Mikaela Hoyt - High Distinction
Hayden Hum
Robert Park Hunter

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BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN HUMAN ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCES

Alayna Aimes  Cum Laude with Honors Distinction
Collin Anderson  Cum Laude with Honors Distinction
Caroline Atwell  Cum Laude with Honors Distinction
Paige Atwell  Distinction
Murphy Aycock  Summa Cum Laude with Honors Distinction
Grace Bader
Aubre Elyse Baker
Caitlin Rose Barrows
Shir Barzilay
Tiffany Bechtle  High Distinction
Camryn Bell
Sarah Jayne Bellando
Matthew Berry
Sydnee Bingham
Rachel Birmingham
Taylor Brinkley
Sarah Elizabeth Brown
Madison Brubaker
Dawson Burdette
Jordan Elizabeth Bush  Distinction
Rodrigo E. Calderon Riveria  Distinction
Matthew A. Campbell  Distinction
Katie Cardone  Distinction
Olivia Conarroe

Claire Connell  with Honors Distinction
Shelah Ruth Cooper  High Distinction
Caitlin Rae Cothren
Caroline Jane Dalby  Distinction
Samantha N. Dale Distinction
Kennedy Catherine Damm
Tram Dang  High Distinction
Audra Rene Daniels
Jessie Joan Daspit
Paloma Dickey
Julianne Marie Dieckman  High Distinction
Jenée Dill
Lillian Jane Duell
Alexandra Duron
Sarah Eaton
Brittany Edelebutter  Distinction
Addison Edwards
Miranda Dawn Fannin
Samantha Findley  Magna Cum Laude with Honors Distinction
Meredith Franzke
Amber Lange Freer
Alyssa Fritze
Francisca Garduno
Lauren Garrett  Distinction

Sara Giesen  Distinction
Michaela Gilbreath  Distinction
Ailis Gomez  Distinction
Alexander Andres Gomez
Abbey Gremian
Jessica Guzman  Distinction
Meredith Claire Hain
Rebekah Su Hambrick
Bailey Hamilton
Emilee Hammond
Bryttni Layne Hardin
Tara Elizabeth Harris  Distinction
Hailee Brooke Harrison
Hailey Harrod
Amanda Hayden  Distinction
Taylor Grace Hensley
McKenzie Grace Hicks  Distinction
Jonathan Vincent Hill
Addison Rebecca Hofmeister  Distinction
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Macey Hubbard
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Rachel Joseph
Kaylin Alexis Kidd
Sydnee King
Kaitlyn Kirby
Mary Kathleen Klenke Magna Cum Laude with Honors Distinction
Corinne Elizabeth Klump Distinction
Payton Koller
Javonna Kristine Alderson-Lane
Darian Lawler
Taylor LeGrange
Taylor Shyann Lehman
Emily Leibowitz High Distinction
Jillian Leinweaver
Danielle Elizabeth Light High Distinction
Whitney Linam
Kristi Rachelle Lindabury
Kathleen Littel Distinction
Mallory Longwell Distinction
Ashley Nicole Lott
Madison Darlene Lowe
Alex Lunson
Tia Lyons
Tessa Ryann Mace
Hannah Magness
Chuqiao Mai Summa Cum Laude with Honors Distinction
Sydney Marie Marsh Distinction
Ellery Martin
Juana Martinez
Sarah Ashley Mathis
Kady Elizabeth Mattison
Dayan Mazariegos
Jerred Brandon McCormick
Morgan Elizabeth McKay Distinction
Alex McMurtry Distinction
Morrigan McVeigh
Abigail Miller Distinction
Meagan Miller
Natalie Diane Miller Cum Laude with Honors Distinction
Mary Langley Montegut Distinction
Gabriela Montoya Vazquez Distinction
Amelia Morris
Cameron Mottel High Distinction
Tyell Nickens
Allena Lea Nowlin
Haydon Ormes
Jordan Anne Parli Cum Laude with Honors Distinction
Mollie Peoples Magna Cum Laude with Honors Distinction
Mary Catherine Pettit Distinction
Apryl Pinder
Kristen Pond High Distinction
Jairus Porter
Landon Post
Connor Everett Postle
Carolyn Grace Prudhomme
Mallory Pumphrey
Ashlyn Quickel highest Distinction
Riley S. Rainwater III High Distinction
Carley Rigan Distinction
Courtney Maria Romero
Madison Sandborn
Taylor Elizabeth Schellman
Shelby Schlie Distinction
Nicholas Senko
Elizabeth Renea Shaver Highest Distinction
Adena Rene Sherry Highest Distinction
Erin Sisco
Courtney Gardner Skouteris High Distinction
Caitlyn Smith Distinction
Carlie Rae Smith Summa Cum Laude with Honors Distinction
Delaney Nicole Smith
Allison Speed
Brogan Jaely Stafford
Micah Elizabeth Stipp Distinction
Lindsey Marie Stone Magna Cum Laude with Honors Distinction
Marybeth Teague Distinction
Nicole Teuber
Laura Cain Tipton High Distinction
Sydney Tollett Highest Distinction
Pamela Villegas Quintero
Kyleigh Jewel Venn
Anamarie Rená Villagomez
Jillian Ward
Laura Elizabeth Wasson Summa Cum Laude with Honors Distinction
Amber Weigang Highest Distinction
Elizabeth Jane Weir
Laurie Wells
Alexis Ann White
Morgan Elizabeth White
Bailey Wiggins Highest Distinction
Bailey Wilkins
Abigail Ann Williams Highest Distinction
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Bailey Carpenter, Senior
Ruchita Ganesh Uttarwar, M.S.
Eva M. Wray, Ph.D.

Crop, Soil, and Environmental Sciences
Alyssa Ferri, Senior
Grant Lawson Priess, M.S.
Zachary Douglas Lancaster, Ph.D.

Entomology
Hillary Fischer, Ph.D.

Food Science
Emily Ann King, Senior
Rebecca Mawusi Bruce, M.S.
Aubree L. Hawley, Ph.D.

Human Environmental Sciences
Brogan Stafford, Senior
India Semone Callahan, M.S.

Horticulture
Caleb Fischer, Senior
Tyler Carr, M.S.
Gehendra Bhattaral, Ph.D.

Plant Pathology
Tracy Hawk, M.S.
Kathryn Haydon, Ph.D.

Poultry Science
Brock Daniels, Senior
Chelsea Ellington, M.S.
Bishnu Adhikari, Ph.D.
University of Arkansas • 1:00 p.m. • Saturday, May 11, 2019

Processional March ..............................................................................................................................................................................................

Welcome .................................................................................................................................................................................. Peter MacKeith
Dean and Professor

Special Departmental Recognitions

Introduction of Student Address ......................................................................................................................... Jeff Shannon,
Interim Department Head, Architecture

Student Address ....................................................................................................................................... Caleb Michael Bertels
First Ranked Senior Scholar
Bachelor of Architecture

Awarding of Degrees ................................................................................................................................. Peter MacKeith
Ethel Goodstein-Murphree
Associate Dean and Professor
Ken McCown
Department Head, Landscape Architecture
Carl Matthews
Department Head, Interior Design
Jeff Shannon

Introduction of Speaker ................................................................................................................................. Peter MacKeith

Commencement Address.........................................................................................................................................................

Closing Remarks ........................................................................................................................................ Peter MacKeith

Recessional March .................................................................................................................................................................

Reception immediately following in Vol Walker Hall/Steven L. Anderson Design Center

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Bachelor of Science and Arts in University Studies Posthumous Honoris Causa
Andrea Torres
July 2, 2000 – February 2, 2019

BACHELOR OF ARCHITECTURE
Kyle Bozeman Adams Distinction
Jasiel Akins
Armand Amiri
Elsie Marie Anderson
Selwyn Q Bachus II
Ernest Banks (Fall 2018)
Kyle Zachry Beard
Caleb Bertels Summa Cum Laude
Bailey Susann Bevans
Natalia Botero-Hiller
Claudia Leticia Contreras (Fall 2018)
Rylie Davis Cum Laude
Naol Dinku Deyasa
Ashley Elizabeth Evans
Rachel Christine Filgas
Megan Flynn
Christopher Galindo
Macyn Danielle Goeders
Patricia Gorgi
Lydia Magdy Hanna
Jack Harris
Jeremiah Hill
Colton Latimer
Michelle Mace
Colt David Malloy Magna Cum Laude
Daniel Matthews Cum Laude
Christopher Waring McCall
Evan McInn
Robert Metz
Tamsan Jeanne Mora Cum Laude
Anna Yvonne Morris Summa Cum Laude
Ashley Dennise Navarrete
Jaxson Powell
Raydesha Ike Russell
John Michael Scott
Peter Slowik
Isaac Stanton High Distinction
Polina Timchenko Cum Laude (Fall 2018)
Leslie Evelyn Torres
Taylor Capri Trantham
Nathaniel Villasana
Mitchell Willmarth
Brenden Wohltjen Distinction
Chase Wyatt

BACHELOR OF INTERIOR DESIGN
Logan Bakke
Alexandra Bandy
Heather Bly
Megan Carlton
Camille Marie Castleberry
Caroline Elliott
Amber Nicole Horton
Lindsey Huntsman
Hannah Johnson
Sarah Nicole Johnson
Hannah McCarley
Mary Ruth Murphy
Lauren Osborne
Molly Paris
Abigail Redmon Distinction
Peyton Richards
Shiann Schrader
Lindsay Michelle Steudtner

BACHELOR OF LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE
Erin Alissa Cox Cum Laude
Mary Elizabeth Barden Magna Cum Laude
Justice Rakel Barnes
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University of Arkansas
Commencement
Pre-ceremony Concert .............................................................. University Wind Symphony
Professor Chris Knighten, Director of Bands, Conductor

Processional March .................................................................................. University Wind Symphony

National Anthem .................................................................................. Schola Cantorum
Dr. Stephen Caldwell, Conductor
“The National Anthem” - Caldwell

Invocation .......................................................................................... Schola Cantorum
“If on This Earth” - Caldwell

Welcome and Introductions ......................................................... Dr. Todd Shields

Fulbright College Student Speaker From The Class Of 2019 .................. Anna Frances Chancellor

Presentation of Honorary Posthumous Degree .................................. Taryn Claassen Family
Carolyn Cotter Family
Jacob Durkin-Kuehner Family
Jessamy Samuels Family

Awarding of Diplomas ........................................................................ Dr. Todd Shields

Shifting The Tassel ............................................................................... Dr. Todd Shields

Recessional March ............................................................................... Schola Cantorum
March from “A Little Suite”- Malcolm Arnold

Guests please remain seated until all have withdrawn
Anna Frances Chancellor is a graduating senior majoring in communications and minoring in social work. She is the daughter of James and Rachel Chancellor and graduated from Har Ber High School in Springdale, Arkansas in 2015.

Anna Frances is a member of the Lambda Phi Eta, the Communication Honor Society; the National Society of Leadership here at the U of A; and is a member of the Kappa Kappa Gamma Sorority.

Anna Frances has been described as “...a woman of great character and passion...” She currently works at the Northwest Arkansas Children’s Shelter as a youth care specialist to assist children who have been neglected and abused. Anna has also worked as an intern for school counselor. Her role was to meet with students to tutor them, check up on their home-life situations and make sure that they got the necessities they needed. She has also worked as camp counselor and in a learning center.

Upon graduation, Anna Frances plans to work at Northwest Arkansas’ Children’s Shelter as a Youth Care Specialist. She will also be working on the student ministries team at Fellowship Bible Church.
 PLATFORM PERSONNEL

Todd Shields  Dean
Joseph E. Steinmetz  Chancellor
Jim Coleman  Provost
Steve Beaupre  Associate Dean
Jeannine Durdik  Associate Dean
Anna Zajicek  Associate Dean
Calvin White  Associate Dean
Doug Rhoads  Chair, College Cabinet
Anna Frances Chancellor  Representative, Class of 2019

Chairs of Department

JoAnn D’Alisera  Interim Chair, Anthropology
Matthew McConnell  Interim Director, School of Art
David McNabb  Biological Sciences
Wesley Stites  Chemistry and Biochemistry
Robert Brady  Communication
Amy Farmer  Representative, Economics
Dorothy Stephens  English
Chris Liner  Geosciences
Jim Gigantino  History
Laurence Hare  Director, International Relations
Larry Foley  School of Journalism and Strategic Media
Mark Johnson  Mathematical Sciences
Ronda Mains  Music
Edward Minor  Philosophy
Lin Oliver  Physics
Pearl Dowe  Political Science
Doug Behrend  Psychological Science
Shauna Morimoto  Vice Chair, Sociology and Criminal Justice
Alishia Ferguson  Director, School of Social Work
Michael Riha  Theatre
Steve Bell  World Languages, Literatures, and Cultures
In 1979 the College of Arts and Sciences established the Master Teaching Award to recognize the many talented and dedicated teachers in the College. The Fulbright College Cabinet makes selection, and each Master Teacher receives a permanent $500 salary increment in addition to a certificate.

Recipients in the last ten years:

2010- Louise Rozier
       Greig Roberts
       Daniel Sutherland

2011- Jennifer M. Hoyer
       Julio Gea-Banacloche
       Beth B. Schweiger

2012- David S. McNabb
       Ben Grob-Fitzbiggon

2013- Amy Herzberg
       Mark Arnold
       Michael Pierce

2014- Suresh Thallapuranam
       Laurence Hare
       William Schreckhise

2015- Ron Warren
       Shannon Dingman
       James Gigantino

2016- Daniel Kennefick
       Brinck Kerr

2017- Yuchun Du
       Linda Jones
       Calvin White, Jr.

2018- Lissette Szwydky-Davis
       Susanne Striegler
       Barry Ward

2019- Stephanie Schulte
       Adnan Alrubaye
       Caree Banton

The Fulbright College Non-Tenure Track Faculty Teaching Award honors one outstanding teacher. The award carries a one-time $500 award.

2017- Marcella Thompson
       Sociology & Criminal Justice

2018- Kate Chapman
       Psychology
MASTER RESEARCHER AWARD

In 1997 the College of Arts and Sciences established the master Researcher Award to recognize the many talented and dedicated scholars and researchers in the College. The Fulbright College Cabinet makes selection, and each Master Researcher receives a permanent $500 salary increment in addition to a certificate.

Recipients in the last ten years:

- 2010- James Lampinen Psychology
- 2010- John Ryan Mathematical Sciences
- 2011- Jak Tchakhalian Physics
- 2011- J. Michael Plavcan Anthropology
- 2012- Lynne Webb Communication
- 2012- teven L. Stephenson Biological Sciences
- 2012- Alessandro Brogi History
- 2013- Julie Stenken Chemistry and Biochemistry
- 2013- Jeannie Whayne History
- 2014- Kay Pritchett Physics
- 2014- World Languages, Literatures and Cultures
- 2014- Paul Thibado History
- 2014- Elizabeth Markham History
- 2015- Sergio Villalobos World Languages, Literatures and Cultures
- 2015- Jack C. Lyons Philosophy
- 2016- Andrew Raich Mathematical Sciences
- 2016- Patricia Herzog Sociology and Criminal Justice
- 2017- Myria Allen Communication
- 2017- Jinavi Chen Chemistry and Biochemistry
- 2017- Tricia Starks History
- 2018- Rob Wicks Communication
- 2018- Yo'av Rieck Mathematical Sciences
- 2019- Feng Wang Chemistry and Biochemistry
- 2019- Grant Drawve Sociology

OUTSTANDING ADVISOR AWARD

The Fulbright College Outstanding Advisor Award is presented to an individual who has made significant contributions to the improvement of a departmental advising program or the College advising program. The Fulbright College Cabinet makes selection, and the awardees receive a permanent $500 salary increment in addition to a certificate.

Recipients in the last ten years:

- 2009- Jerome C. Rose Anthropology
- 2010- Patricia Amason Communication
- 2011- D. Mack Ivey Biological Sciences
- 2012- Kathryn A. Sloan History
- 2013- Calvin White History
- 2014- Beth Schweiger History
- 2015- Lori Holyfield Sociology and Criminal Justice
- 2016- Laurence Hare History
- 2017- William D. Schreckhise Political Science
- 2018- James Gigantino History
J. HILLMAN YOWELL AWARD

With a generous endowment from former University student J. Hillman Yowell, the Yowell Award was established in 1989 in recognition of outstanding teaching by a Fulbright college graduate assistant. The College Cabinet makes selection, and the recipient is given a certificate and a $500 cash award.

**Recipients in the last ten years:**

- **2009-** Michael D. Hammond | History
- **2010-** Amy Schmidt | English
- **2011-** Ethan Morton-Jerome | Anthropology
- **2012-** Jeffrey Grooms | History
- **2014-** Demma Clymer | History
- **2015-** Elizabeth Kiszonas | History
- **2016-** Nicole Brandon | Psychology
- **2017-** Jama Grove | History
- **2018-** Arley Ward | History
- **2019-** Jared Pack | History

THE ROBERT C. AND SANDRA CONNOR FACULTY FELLOWSHIP

The Robert C. and Sandra Connor Faculty Fellowship is used to support junior level faculty who provide the highest quality teaching, research and service in the J. William Fulbright College of Arts and Sciences.

- **2017-** Lindsey Aloia | Communication
  - Grant Drawve | Sociology & Criminal Justice
  - Todd Cleveland | History
  - Joseph Herzog | Physics
  - Kusum Naithani | Biological Sciences
  - Marc Mitchell | Art
  - Nathan Parks | Psychological Science

- **2018-** Ben Vining | Anthropology
  - Sean P. Morrissey | School of Art
  - Mahmoud Moradi | Biological Sciences
  - Matthew L. Spialek | Chemistry and Biochemistry
  - Casey Kayser | Communication
  - Edward C. Holland | English
  - Shawn M. Austin | Geosciences
  - Rob Wells | History
  - Jyotishka Datta | Journalism and Strategic Media
  - Tomoko Kashiwagi | Mathematical Sciences
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  - World Languages, Literatures and Cultures
Bachelor of Science and Arts in University Studies Posthumous Honoris Causa
Taryn Raquel Claassen
June 26, 1993 – October 20, 2017

Bachelor of Science and Arts in University Studies Posthumous Honoris Causa
Carolyn Elizabeth Cotter
April 18, 2000 – October 26, 2017

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Jacob Matthew Durkin–Kuehner
August 10, 1996 – December 7, 2018

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Jessamy Eve Samuels
March 4, 1997 – May 15, 2016

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Blaze D. Lawhead
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              Dean

Commencement Address ....................................Dominique Scott
              Professional Athlete

Presentation of Alumni Awards .........................Michael T. Miller
              Dean

          Dr. Meredith Brunen
          Dr. G. David Gearhart
          Mark O’Neal

Awarding of Diplomas ......................................Michael T. Miller
              Dean

Alma Mater ........................................................Lisa Kulczak

Recessional March .............................................Fayetteville Jazz Collective
**OUTSTANDING YOUNG ALUMNI AWARD**

Dr. Meredith Brunen earned a B.A. in international relations and Middle East studies, as well as a M.Ed. and Ed. D. in higher education from the University of Arkansas. Dr. Brunen has significant experience in fundraising at the collegiate level, where she has excelled tremendously through the different positions she has held. She began her career in development at NorthWest Arkansas Community College before assuming the role of assistant vice president for development at the University of West Florida. In this position, she secured a $3 million gift that supported international student scholarships. She is now the vice chancellor for university advancement at the University of South Carolina-Upstate, one of the fastest growing universities in the United States.

**OUTSTANDING ALUMNI AWARD IN EDUCATION**

Dr. G. David Gearhart received a B.A. from Westminster College and a J.D. in law and Ed.D. in higher education from the University of Arkansas. He also received a Fulbright Fellowship to Oxford University in England. Having worked in university development throughout his career, Dr. Gearhart returned to the University of Arkansas after serving as the vice president for development at Pennsylvania State University. In his role as vice chancellor for university advancement at the U of A, he led the completion of a $1 billion capital campaign, the Campaign for the Twenty-First Century. He then served as chancellor from 2008-2015. Accomplishments during his tenure include increases in university enrollment, six-year graduation rates, university fundraising, research expenditures, the number of faculty members and the number of new or renovated buildings on campus. During this time, the university reached the Carnegie Foundation's highest classification of research institutions. Dr. Gearhart is currently a professor of higher education and has authored three books and nearly a dozen articles. He is also the founder and director of the National Lab for the Study of the College President.
Mark O’Neal holds a B.S. in kinesiology with an emphasis in athletic training from the University of Arkansas. Since graduation, he has spent his life giving back to and helping others in numerous ways. His career with Major League Baseball began in 1994 as an athletic trainer. Over the last 25 years, he has participated in many speaking engagements related to athletic training and sports medicine, including the University of Arkansas’ graduate athletic training program. Mr. O’Neal currently serves as the senior director of medical operations/athletic training for the Chicago Cubs, as well as the president of the Professional Baseball Athletic Trainers Society. Along with his incredible passion for his career, he has received numerous awards, including the National League’s All-Star Athletic Trainer in 2009 and Major League Baseball Athletic Trainer of the Year in 2008.
DOMINIQUE SCOTT
Professional Athlete

Dominique Scott is a professional middle-distance runner for Adidas International, born and raised in Cape Town, South Africa. In 2011 she came to the United States to run and study at the University of Arkansas. While at her alma mater, Dominique was a five-time NCAA Champion, ten-time SEC champion and eight-time All American in Cross-Country, Indoor and Outdoor Track. She was named the 2015 NCAA Indoor Runner of the Year, and the 2014-2015 SEC Triple Crown Runner of the Year. She currently holds six running records at the University of Arkansas.

As a senior in 2016, Dominique capped off her collegiate career by winning the 5000m/10000m double at the NCAA Championships, helping Arkansas secure the overall team title. Dominique graduated from the Walton College of Business with a degree in Business Marketing and a minor in Enterprise Resource Planning.

Following her successful career in collegiate racing, Dominique signed an endorsement deal with Adidas, before competing in her first Olympic Games in Rio de Janeiro, Brazil. Her success in collegiate running has been followed by an outstanding professional career, including competing in the 2018 World Indoor Championships in Birmingham, UK in the women's 1,500m and 3,000m and breaking the South African records in the indoor 1,500m, mile and 3,000m.

In addition to her running, she has worked to give back to her community. Women's Running magazine recognized her work, naming her one of 21 women who are changing the world through running. She founded “The Dom Squad,” an educational running program targeting middle school girls to help them with both physical activity and their self-esteem. She also started an initiative to bring the local running community together here in Fayetteville, “NWA Runners Unite.” Under this title, Dominique has hosted two social runs, free for all ages and abilities, where the aim is to meet new local runners, making new running partners and friends.

Despite her global presence in the running community, she makes Fayetteville her home with her husband, Cameron Efurd, who himself is a graduate of the College of Education and Health Professions with a major in Kinesiology.
### FACULTY AWARD WINNERS

**Superior Service Award**  
Marcia Imbeau, Professor, Special Education

**Innovative Teaching Award**  
Rachel Glade, Clinical Assistant Professor, Communication Disorders

**Outstanding Mentoring and Advising Award**  
Gema Zamarro, 21st Century Endowed Chair in Teacher Quality, Education Reform

**Significant Research Award**  
Kristen Jozkowski, Associate Professor, Community Health Promotion

**Rising STAR Award, for Outstanding All-around New Faculty Member**  
Suzanne Kucharczyk, Assistant Professor, Special Education

**George Denny STAR Award, for Outstanding Service, Teaching, Advising, and Research**  
Brendon McDermott, Associate Professor, Health, Human Performance, and Recreation

**Career Faculty Award, in Recognition of a Career that Exemplifies Outstanding Performance**  
Sharon Hunt, Professor, Kinesiology

### PLATFORM PARTY

| Jim Coleman | Provost |
| Ro Di Brezzo | Vice Provost for Academic Affairs |
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| Kate Mamiseishvili | Associate Dean |
| Jeremy Battjes | Assistant Dean |
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| Cheryl Murphy | Department Head, Education Reform |
| Jay P. Greene | Department Head, Health, Human Performance & Recreation |
| Matt Ganio | Director, Eleanor Mann School of Nursing |
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Sydney Elizabeth Galway
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BACHELOR OF SCIENCE

Presented by Michael T. Miller, Dean of the College of Education and Health Professions

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Clara Marie Brothers
Reagan Sarah Bryant
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Haydi Bugarin
Mary Clare Bunker
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The University community wishes to express its appreciation for the assistance of all people who helped make the 2019 University of Arkansas Spring Commencement ceremony a success.
Pam McGinnis is president, Global Marketing, leading the marketing of high-quality petroleum products under the Phillips 66, 76, Conoco, Phillips 66 Aviation, Jet and COOP brands. McGinnis has more than 27 years of experience in the oil and gas industry across a variety of organizations and functions.

Prior to assuming her current position, McGinnis was general manager, Procurement. From 2012 to 2014, McGinnis was general manager, U.S. Products Supply and Distribution. At ConocoPhillips, she served as manager, Clean Products; manager, Commercial Marine, Americas; and manager, Truck and Rail.

McGinnis joined Conoco in 1991 through the Pipeline and Transportation management program in Denver. She held positions in Operations and Maintenance Engineering, Capital Project Management, Business Development and Marketing.

McGinnis is a member of the University of Arkansas College of Engineering Advisory Council, and serves as Chair of the Houston Area Habitat for Humanity board of directors and Vice-Chair of the Homeowner Services Committee.

A native of Springdale, Arkansas, McGinnis earned a Bachelor of Science in industrial engineering from the University of Arkansas in 1990.
Presented by John English, Dean of the College of Engineering

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Alexander William Ahlbrandt
Omar AlHajri Distinction
Collin Burriss Distinction
Sarah P. Colpitts High Distinction
Timothy Thanh Däl High Distinction
River Gillis Highest Distinction
Eduardo Jarlos

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN COMPUTER ENGINEERING

Dania Abdin
Namita Balani High Distinction
Jesus Barrera Garcia
Kyle Bell High Distinction
Justin Benish
Blake Boswell High Distinction
Austin M Brown Distinction
Lewis Brown
Claire Bruscato
Anh Bui
Ashley Cain
Toren Caldwell
Logan Campbell
Alex Cassidy Distinction
Zhizhan Chen
Benjamin B Clarke

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN COMPUTER SCIENCE

Samuel Hall Collins
Oliveia Marie Degner Summa Cum Laude
Kia Li Dodge Highest Distinction
Spencer Erdman Highest Distinction
Ying Fan
Adam Joseph Matteo Ferrier Highest Distinction
Jacob Marshall Findley Distinction
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Ashley Mae Ritchey

Thomas M. Rosebrough
Ian Ruiz Distinction
Andres Saravia Claude
Matthew Schuster
Kyle Steven Smith Summa Cum Laude
Casey Stratton
John Sullivan
Liem Trinh

Badir Jorge Villarroel Vasquez
Matthew Ward
Seannathan Kelly Waters Highest Distinction
Michael Wolljung
Caleb David Wood Distinction
Cole Wood
Tong Yu Highest Distinction

Kyle David Adams
Majed Alahmadi
Jalal Almuhanna
Abdulrahman Almasaiteer
Brisa Bartczak
Seth Britley
Danarrius Broadway
Andrew Burroughs

Vincent Chang
Huntington Davis Chastain
Andrew Clark
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Lauren Michelle Curran
Elisa Daniel
Kevin Diaz
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Bria Lynn Garcia Highest Distinction

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Alicia McComb
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Sydney Rachel Motes
Olivia Ohlstein
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Hector Ramos
Jasmine Richard
Reid Skinner
Dasher Smith
Kaitlin Jane Smithey
Cory Stewart
Josselyn Terrazas Distinction
Joe Thongsavath
Luke Turner Cum Laude
Grant Waller
James Stephen Waller
Blake Yates

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN ELECTRICAL ENGINEERING

Houston Hoss Anderson
Brian Banuelos
Adrian Bazaldua
Sloan Becker
Angela Bertram
Savannah Boerjan High Distinction
Liam Carr
Reid Carter
Juan D Castillo E
Igliana Olimar Castillo Hernandez
Mark Alan Chapman II Distinction
Jesse Coleman Distinction
Melanie Ann Craig
Bijan Daghst High Distinction
Stephen Dorch
Blake Eby Highest Distinction
Ikenna Uzochukwu Egbosimba
Adam Flores
Francis Flores
Nessin Garcia Aparicio
Roderick Amir Gomez Summa Cum Laude

David Elias Gonzalez Castillo Cum Laude
Ana Guerra Vega Magna Cum Laude
Christopher Hess Magna Cum Laude
Marshall Hunter
Nelson Huynh
Justin Jackson
Jack Johnson
Baker Tate Jones
Caraway Kardas Distinction
Sawyer Keller Highest Distinction
Jordan Wesley Kennedy
Trace Morgan Langdon Magna Cum Laude
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Daniel F Martinez
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Hayden Merritt
Cason H. Morse
Justin Mullins
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Evan Owen
Ignacio Quezada
Nicholas Patrick Reed Highest Distinction
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Zachary Dylan Shinn
Brandon Sizemore
Estéfano Soria Pearson
Ian Chen Spatz Summa Cum Laude
Paul Randall Swearingen Summa Cum Laude
Rosten Sweeting 3rd Distinction
Korbyn Thompson
Richard Khoi Tran
Adam Toler
Luke Vincent High Distinction
Brooks Walker Highest Distinction
Jonathan Waller
Logan Walz Cum Laude
Hunter Glen Wick
Andrew Wyers

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN INDUSTRIAL ENGINEERING

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Computer Science & Computer Engineering

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Manager, Foundry Department (Retired)
The Anaconda Company
James H. Goss (BSME ’30)
Vice President and Group Executive
General Electric Company
Philip C. Hulty (BSCE ’10)
Professor and Director of Civil Engineering (Retired)
Illinois Institute of Technology

1966
Robert A. Bowman (BSME ’29)
Vice President, Power and Industrial Division Bechtel Corporation
Edmundson Parkes (BSME ’25)
President, United Gas Corporation
William Oakley Turner (BSEE ’19)
Chairman of the Board and Chief Executive Officer,
Louisiana Power & Light Company

1967
Ray C. Adam (BSChE ’46)
Chairman, President and CEO NL Industries
Loy E. Barton (BEE ’21, EE ’25)
RCA Research Laboratories
Charles M. Kittrell II (BSIE ’50)
Executive Vice President,
Phillips Petroleum Company

1968
Harry S. Arendt (BSChE ’40)
Manager of Economics & Planning, Gas Coordination,
Standard Oil of New Jersey
Ira Grant Hedrick (BSCE ’36)
Vice President of Engineering
Grumman Aircraft Engineering Corp.
Brice R. Smith (BSCE ’23)
Director and Manager
Sverdup & Parcel and Associates

1969
George F. Douglas (BSCE ’40)
Senior Vice President-Administration
Northrup Corporation
Tell T. White (BSCE ’15)
Supervisory Petroleum Engineer (Retired)
Securities and Exchange Commission

1970
Ward Goodman (BSCE ’30)
Director of Highways
Arkansas State Highway Department
Max A. Mehlerburger (BSCE ’27)
President, Mehlerburger Engineers Inc.

1971
Robert W. Dodson (BSME ’33)
Vice President
Southwestern Electric Power Company
Bramlette McClelland (BSCE ’40)
President, McClelland Engineers Inc.
James E. White (BSCE ’41)
Senior Specialties (Petroleum) Advisor
Esso Europe Inc.

1972
Delbert A. Schmand (BSEE ’37)
Chief, Construction-Operations Division
U.S. Corps of Engineers, Little Rock District
Alex A. Diffey (BSME ’32)
Manager of Specialty Products Operations
Exxon Company

1973
James F. Bourland Jr. (BSChE ’36)
Vice President and General Manager
American Cyanamid Company
William R. Thomas (BSCE ’44)
Vice President of Employee Relations
Phillips Petroleum Company

1974
William Buck Johns (BSIE ’64)
Founder and General Manager
Trane Co. Home Comfort Centers of California
Russell B. Newman (BSEE ’46)
Vice President, Operations Services
Reynolds Metals Company

1975
Truman D. Williamson Sr. (BS ’09, MSEE ’28)
Chairman, Executive Committee of
Board of Directors
T.D. Williamson Inc.
Joe C. Culp (BSEE ’55)
Vice President and General Manager
Collins Transmission Systems Division

1976
James L. Fischer (BSChE ’48)
Executive Vice President
Texas Instruments
William H. Banks (BSCE ’41)
President, Chevron Shipping Company

1977
John H. Oltmann (BSME ’49)
Senior Vice President
Cities Service Company
James A. Dunlop (BSIE ’57)
President, Halliburton Services

1980
Russell B. Newman (BSEE ’46)
Manager, Space Shuttle Program
NASA

1981
Robert N. Maddox (BSChE ’48)
Emeritus Professor
Oklahoma State University

1982
Glenn C. Bandy (MSEE ’54)
Chief Engineer, Advanced Technology (Retired)
Texas Instruments Inc.

1983
Thomas A. Pendergrass (BSCE ’41)
Chairman and Chief Executive Officer
T.D. Williamson Inc.

1984
Tommy W. Holloway (BSME ’63)
Manager, Space Shuttle Program
NASA

1985
Melvyn L. Bell (BSEE ’60)
Chairman and CEO
Environmental Systems Company (Ensco)

1986
Robert C. Smith (BSEE ’62)
Chancellor
University of Arkansas

1987
George D. Combs (BSChE ’59, PhD ’64)
Owner and Manager
Combs Equity Management Inc.

1988
Ansel L. Condray (BSChE ’64)
President and Member of the Management Committee,
Exxon Company, U.S.A.

1989
Kirk P. Pond (BSEE ’66)
President, CEO and Chairman of the Board
Fairchild Semiconductor Corporation

2000
Eric M. Malstrom
Professor and Head, Dept. of Industrial Engineering,
University of Arkansas

2001
J. Cliff Eason (BSEE ’70)
President and CEO (retired)
Southwest Bell Telephone Company
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<td>BSEE ’65</td>
<td>Chairman and Chief Executive Officer, CDI Contractors, LLC</td>
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<td>Rodger S. Kline</td>
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<td>Chief Operating Officer, Company Operations Leader and Director, Accxiom Corporation</td>
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<td>Ralph E. Martin</td>
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2014
Robert A. Davidson (BSIE ’70)
President and CEO (retired), Arkansas Best Corporation

Neil M. Schmitt (BSEE ’63, MSEE ’64)
Dean Emeritus, University of Arkansas College of Engineering

2015
Hugh H. Brewer (BSEE ’59)
Owner and President (retired), Upchurch Electrical Supply

James M. Hefley (BSIE ’61)
Executive Vice President (retired), Gemini Consulting

2016
Troy C. Alley Jr. (BSEE ’69)
Executive Vice President and Chief Operating Officer, Con-Real, Inc.

David D. Foust (BSIE ’64)
Vice President and General Manager of the Americas (retired), Bekaert

Standley Reed (BSAGE ’73, JD ’76)
Owner, Reed Family Farm

2017
Bob H. Crafton (BSCE ’57)
Co-founder (retired), Crafton Tull

Larry G. Stephens (BSIE, ’58)
Chairman of the Board (Retired), Mid-South Engineering

2018
Kevin W. Brown (BSChE ’81)
Executive Vice President, LyondellBasell

Kenneth William Keltner (BSIE, ’59)
General Manager, Southwestern Bell (Posthumously)
A BRIEF HISTORY OF THE COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING

1871 The University of Arkansas was established.
1873 The first courses in civil engineering were offered.
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1897 A separate civil engineering department was established.
   The Department of Electrical Engineering was established.
1903 The Department of Mechanical Engineering was established.
   A chemical engineering curriculum was established in the Department of Chemistry.
1920 The Engineering Experiment Station was established by the state legislature to investigate and study
   engineering problems of general interest to Arkansas.
1925 The first master’s degree in engineering was awarded.
1945 Chemical engineering became part of the College of Engineering.
1948 The Department of Agricultural Engineering was established.
   The Department of Industrial Engineering was established.
1959 The Doctor of Philosophy degree was approved.
1975 The Engineering Extension Center was formed to provide continuing education opportunities to
   practicing engineers.
1976 A computer science engineering program was initiated within the industrial engineering department.
1982 The college took possession of a deserted manufacturing plant that evolved into the Engineering
   Research Center.
1985 Computer science engineering became a separate department.
   The Arkansas Center for Technology Transfer was established.
1986 The Engineering Distance Education Center was created to offer off-campus engineering education.
   The GENESIS Technology Incubator was established.
1989 Agricultural engineering became the Department of Biological and Agricultural Engineering.
1991 The computer science engineering department became the Department of Computer System
   Engineering.
1998 Computer systems engineering merged with the computer science department housed in the
   J. William Fulbright College of Arts and Sciences, creating the Department of Computer Science
   and Computer Engineering.
2005 The chemical engineering department was named the Ralph E. Martin Department of Chemical
   Engineering.
2012 Historic Engineering Hall, built in 1927, was renamed the John A. White Jr. Engineering Hall, in honor of
   the former chancellor.
   The Department of Biomedical Engineering was established.
Pre Ceremony ................................................................. Leah and the Mojo Doctors

Processional.........................................................Pomp and Circumstance Marches Nos. 1 & 2, Sir Edward Elgar*

America the Beautiful ................................................................. Milena Shuff

Welcome...................................................................................... Dean Matthew Waller

Special Recognition of Faculty and Students............................ Dean Matthew Waller

Reflections from the Class of 2019................................................ Jada Gaspard

Introduction of Speaker .............................................................. Dean Matthew Waller

Address ...................................................................................... Mary Harmon

Awarding of Diplomas.................................................................. Dean Matthew Waller
Department Chairs

Concluding Remarks ......................................................................... Dean Matthew Waller

Alma Mater ................................................................................... Kelsie Joan Everett

Postlude ...................................................................................... Rondeau, Mouret
March, Bach
Almand, Brade

*Please Stand

Special Thanks –

• Leah and the Mojo Doctors for providing music for today’s ceremony
• Sign Language Interpreting Network for providing signing for today’s ceremony
• TES Productions for providing sound for today’s ceremony

The Sam M. Walton College of Business community wishes to express its appreciation for the assistance of all people who helped make the 2019 University of Arkansas Spring Commencement a success.
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Mary Harmon
Managing Director/ Tax Counsel (retired)
Goldman Sachs

Mary Harmon, a native of Sherwood, Arkansas, received a Bachelor of Business Administration in accounting from Walton College in 1976. Upon graduation, she joined the Arkansas Division of Legislative Audit as a field auditor. During her tenure there, Harmon attended UALR Law School part time, receiving her juris doctorate with high honors in 1984. She then attended the NYU's Master of Laws program, where she completed her Master of Laws in tax and was subsequently honored by being named acting assistant professor for the program. After teaching for two years, Harmon practiced law at Cleary Gottlieb. In 1990, she was appointed special counsel to the IRS chief counsel, which is a personal highlight of her career. She was principal advisor to the chief counsel on interpretation and development of the tax law.

Harmon then returned to practice law at Hogan and Hartson, prior to moving to New York to become managing director and tax counsel for Bankers Trust. In 1999, she moved to Goldman Sachs, where she served as a managing director and head of the Tax Planning Group until her retirement earlier this year.

Harmon has been an active participant and frequent voice in discussions of tax law and policy. She is active in industry associations and has been a frequent speaker at New York and American Bar meetings, Tax Executives Institute, NYU Institute and PLI. Harmon served as a board member of the NYU International Tax Program and on the executive committee of the NYSBA tax section. She was honored to assist Professor Jim Eustice with the fifth addition of the Bittker and Eustice treatise and his book, *The Tax Reform Act of 1984, A Selective Analysis*.

Harmon was a founding member of the Garrison Financial Institute advisory board at the Walton College and is currently a member of Walton’s Dean’s Executive Advisory Board. She resides in New York City with her son.
Presented by Matthew Waller, Dean of the Walton College

Bachelor of Science and Arts in University Studies Posthumous Honoris Causa
Connor Andrew Kordsmeier
June 17, 1999 – November 14, 2018

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- Abigail Lane Dyke
- Taylor Renee Faust
- Edgardo Alaniz Flores
- Mary Catherine Fraser
- Phoebe Frazier
- Fallon Freeman *Cum Laude*
- Jessica Gaucin
- Roxane Gomez
- Rachel Graham *Cum Laude*
- Kyle Hibbard
- Mitchell Lee Johnson
- Madeline Faye Jones *Cum Laude*
- Hope Kristin Jordan
- Nikaela Grace Kuhn *Cum Laude*
- Felipe Manolof
- Evann Nicole Ogburn
- Amanda Kae Pipes
- Erica Portillo
- Eduardo Alejandro Puente
- Erik Ramón *Cum Laude*
- Jonathan Rankin *Magna Cum Laude*
- Dakota Matthew Reeves
- Christina Scoggin
- Hannah Servetter
- Taylor Drue Smith
- Hollen Spencer
- Lindsay Amanda Van Rooyen
- Caitlin Way
- Natalie Ann Zimmerman *Cum Laude*

### INTEGRATED MASTER OF ACCOUNTANCY

- Allyson L. Akers
- Taylor Anne Atwell *Summa Cum Laude*
- Jonathan Jay Bates
- Kristin N Birkhoff *Cum Laude*
- Grace Elizabeth Boyd *Cum Laude*
- Erin Diane Breish
- Osman Ali Bukhari
- Ross William Cohen
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- Michael Joseph Lehman
- Connor A. McNulty
- Ellen Marie McWhorter
- Lacey Moore *Summa Cum Laude*
- Andrew P. Nguyen *Magna Cum Laude*
- Mia Norton *Cum Laude*
- Christopher R Pardon *Summa Cum Laude*
- Hannah Caroline Peeples

- These students have completed all Baccalaureate requirements with a major in Accounting for 2019 and will graduate with a Master of Accountancy degree in 2020.

### MASTER OF ACCOUNTANCY

- Jillian Anderson
- Katherine Anibas
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- Daniel Smith
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- Ian Stone
- Keiryn Swenson
- Adia Threath
- Jesse Tran
- McKenzie Wages
- Danielle Wasser
- Eric Williams
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- Julie Cross
- Angela Darnell
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Benjamin Monroe
Manivannan Murugesan
Chi Ngo
Priya Patil
Shane Reynaud
Aaron Rogers
Jaikirti Sarathy
Nicholas Shapert
Olga Silcox
Joshua Vander Veen
Michael Wyatt
Jacob Young
Yang Zhao

Mirzokhidjon Abdurakhmonov
Directed by: Professor Jason Ridge

Saifur Rahman Bhuiyan
Dissertation: Engagement of Information Systems Professionals in Open Source Development
Directed by: Professor Pankaj Setia

Adam B. Booker
Dissertation: Speculation and Social Media: An Examination of Social Media as a Platform for Picking Stocks
Directed by: Professor Vernon Richardson

Kevin Butler
Dissertation: The Strategic Disclosure of Currency Headwinds and Tailwinds
Directed by: Professor Cary Cassell

Yanji Duan
Dissertation: Exploring the Effects of Supply Chain Transparency: Supplier Monitoring Disclosures and Brand Equity
Directed by: Professors John A. Aloysius and Christian Hofer

Dinesh Hasija
Dissertation: New Sheriff in Town: Antecedents and Consequences of Effective Lead Independent Directors
Directed by: Professor Alan Ellstrand

Liu Hong
Dissertation: Essays on Corporate Finance and Interstate Risk Sharing
Directed by: Professor Pu Liu

Patrick Lee Hopkins
Dissertation: The Effect of Tax Indemnification on the Association Between Unrecognized Tax Benefit Reserves and Future Tax Cash Outflows
Directed by: Professor T.J. Atwood

Brandon McAlexander
Dissertation: Fields and Consumer Groups: The Layered and Overlapping Roles of Culture
Directed by: Professor Jeff Murray

Jeffrey Mullins
Dissertation: Getting Serious about Games: A Study of Work and Play through Information Systems
Directed by: Professor Rajiv Sabherwal

Tatiana Salikhova
Dissertation: Essays on Networks and Corporate Finance
Directed by: Professor Tomas Jandik

Jacqueline Tilton
Dissertation: Social Class and Social Networks: How Sociocultural Class Differences Affect Organizational Social Networks
Directed by: Professors Jennifer Kish-Gephart and Jon Johnson

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OUTSTANDING STUDENTS AND AWARDS 2018-2019

**Accounting**
Taylor Atwell  
John Bauer  
Lindsay Isroff  
Grant Hylton  
Matthew Schoenfelder  
Lacey Moore

**Economics**
Olivia Stiegman  
Erin Farmer

**Finance**
Hayden McDaniel  
Scott Mrozek  
William Hays  
Grant Stevenson  
Jessica Keith  
Gil Garcia  
Alexandra Davis  
Briar Duman

**General Business**
Nicole Johnson

**Information Systems**
Collin Young  
Sabine Tuyizere

**International Business**
Caitlyn Goodman

**Management**
Elizabeth Abston  
Gabrielle Barbour  
Julian Alvarez

**Marketing**
Madeline Mays  
Colleen Mellor  
Allison Page  
Evan Smith  
Jonathan White  
Katherine Williams  
Elizabeth Shaver  
Rachel Wyatt

**Retail**
Emily Sellers

**Supply Chain Management**
Taylor Hunt  
Christina Nguyen  
Sadie Wallner  
Ashton Turner  
Kyle Decker  
Winston Gonzalez Vega

**Graduate Programs**

**Master of Business Administration**
Rachel Lusson  
Sureshbabu Sreeramulu  
Jared Lightle

**Master of Accountancy**
John Fly  
McKenzie Wages

**Master of Economics**
Md Gias Uddin Khan

**Master of Information Systems**
Jacob Young  
David Ferguson
University and College Awards

**Beta Gamma Sigma Award**
Sam Johnson

**Outstanding Graduating Senior**
Taylor Atwell

**Ralph Treat Outstanding Cooperative Education Student Award**
Erin Breish

**Sam M. Walton College of Business Student Leadership Award**
Mia Norton

**First Ranked Senior Scholars***
Taylor Atwell
John Fly
McKenna Orcutt
Olivia Stiegman

***Senior Scholars***
Corey Armes
Kate Barger
John Bauer
Abby Boyd
Caitlyn Goodman
Hunter Hall
Taylor Hunt
Lindsay Isroff
Michael T. Johnson
Sara Lang
Christopher Joseph LoRusso
Kyle A. Massey
Madeline M. Mays
Hayden P. McDaniel
Margaret Anne McNamara
Colleen N. Mellor
Joshua Daniel Morton
Scott Theodore Mrozek
Christina Thanh Nguyen
Samantha Reed Overstreet
Haley Kendall Owen
Allison Jaela Page
Jessica Kaye Perez
Melaney Lee Sanders
Evan Scott Smith
Kyle Jay Stuetelberg
Rebecca Lauren Vassar
Manasa Veluvolu
McKenzie Kristene Wages
Ethan John Washispack
Jonathan H. White
Katherine Claire Williams
Courtney Lauren Wilson
Yaeli Mee Yang

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Bachelors:
Elizabeth Ann Abston
Allyson Leigh Akers
Julian Barragan Alvarez
Jacob Handley Arden
Taylor Anne Atwell
Gabrielle P. Barbour
Kate Elizabeth Barger
John Christian Bauer
Kaylee Jade Benton
Brianna Lindquist Boulanger
Abby Leigh Boyd
Taylor Elise Burkdoll
Shane Andrew Canaday
Melissa Fleig Carlsson
Zuleymi Carrillo
Trenton Lee Carter
Hayley Elizabeth Cole
Jason Cole Conners
Alexandria Beth Davis
Katherine Angeline Drake
Briar Hudson Duman
Ryan Brough Edwards
Timothy W. Faubus
Noah M. Flees
John Carl Galloway
Gil B. Garcia
Anne Elizabeth Geiger
Caitlyn Elizabeth Goodman
Hayden Gerald Gore
Michael Wayne Griffin
Hunter Christian Hall
William McDaniel Hays
Lance S. Hedges
Grant Andrew Hylton
Lindsay Elizabeth Isroff
Michael Timothy Johnson
Samuel Joseph Johnson
Madison Brooke Jones
Jessica Modine Keith
Anri Kihara
Emma Bradley Kreutzer
Hope Marie Kunkel
Sara Elizabeth Lang
Stuart Fleming Lasater
Chuan Yaw Lim
Anna Elizabeth Lisko
Christopher Joseph LoRusso
Kyle Aden Massey
Madeline Marie Mays
Hayden Patrick McDaniel
Madison Claire McDonnell
Riley Daniel McGill
Margaret Anne McNamara
Jose Manuel Mejia
Colleen Noelle Mellor
Josh Daniel Morton
Scott Theodore Mrozek
Sarah Elizabeth Newton
Andrew Phillip Nguyen
Christina Thanh Nguyen
Taylor Elizabeth O’Bre
McKenna Lauren Orcutt
Haley Kendall Owen
Allison Page
Jessica Kaye Perez
Madison Paige Pool
Morgan Delanie Prince
Jonathan Dean Rankin
Mary John Richmond
Gualupe Sanchez
Garduno
Malaney Lee Sanders
Matthew Schoenfelder
Natalee Ashton Sembrick
Evon Scott Smith
Grant William Stevenson
Olivia Madelyn Stiegman
Kelsie Nicole Stone
Sophia Valentina Storkov
Kyle Jay Stuetelberg
Juliana Alexis Terrell
Bobbi LeeAnn Thompson
Connor Phillip Tuckett
Molly Kathryn Tyler
Valerie Elizabeth Upson
Rebecca Lauren Vassar
Manasa Veluvolu
Sadie Catherine Wallner
Alicia M. Wardrip
Ethan John Washispack
Jonathan Hub White
Rachel Ann Wyatt

Masters:
Katherine Anibas
Lauren Austin
Harishkrishan
Balasubramanian
Elynnor Burress
Corey Chance Causey
Trent Levi Cloud
Jodi-Ann Yanique Clough
Diajha Laroya Cox
Monica Andrea De Abreu
Ruink
Dylan Deeds
John Michael Fly
Nia Sharece Gregory
Ryan Heidrick
David Kirk
Stephen Koehler
Casey Larson
Jared Heath Lightle
Jakob Lorsbach
Rachel Mueller Lusson
Kerry Ann McLaughlin
Will Martens
Samantha Nicodemus
Samantha Reed Overstreet
Priya Patil
Samuel Tyler Phan
Henry Rice
S. Payden Richards
Aaron Thomas Rogers
Donald Roush
Nicholas Shapter
Jordan Smith
Sureshbabu Sreramulu
April Catherine Stec
Ian Christopher Stone
Keiryn Nicole Swenson
Jesse Tran
Lavanya Venkatraman
McKenzie Kristene Wages
Courtney Lauren Wilson
Jacob Young
Ryan Michael Zantow

Doctoral:
Adam Booker
Kailing Deng

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Jacob Cal Adams  
Nikki N Anderson  
Lizbeth Andrade  
Mariam K Bartlett  
Andrew David Bickford  
Kristin Birkhoff  
Maya Black  
Kimball A Brown  
Shaylee Paulette Butler  
Alexis Marie Byrd  
Sydney Taylor Carson  
Samuel P Chase  
Ian B Djurica  
Katherine Angelique Drake  
Sydney Leigh English  
Grant Stratton Falvo  
Victoria L Fields  
Stuart James Filkowski  
Robert Floyd  
Mary C Fraser  
Phoebe Wilkinson Frazier  
Taylor R Frederick  
Ann Goebel  
Rachel Marie Graham  
Florian Richard Brett Hartfelder  
Eric Michael Heike  
Madison Maye Holland  
Madison Elizabeth Hoy  
Tess Elizabeth Iler  
Autumn Deann Jester  
William T Johnson  
Samuel Pierce Jones  
Jessica Modine Keith  
Cristian Kelly  
Lindsay Leigh Leake  
Caden Z Little  
Christopher Joseph LoRusso  
Courtney L Madewell  
Callie Elizabeth Malone  
Troyan Felipe Manolof  
Jonathan Lam Martin  
Hayden P McDaniel  
Margaret Anne McNamara  
Kendall L Meaders  
Natalie Kaitlin Means  
Sandy Marisol Mejia  
Erin Mertes  
Blake Edward Middleton  
Alexander J Monsour  
Scott Theodore Mrozek  
Mia Norton  
Taylor Elizabeth O’Brey  
Evann Nicole Ogburn  
Madeline Virginia Palasota  
Jessica Kaye Perez  
Joseph M Peters  
Morgan D Prince  
Natalie Rhoades  
Amanda Christine Riedell  
Natalee Ashton Sembrick  
Mrinalini Anindhya Sharma  
Elizabeth R Shaver  
Nikolai Smith  
Taylor Drue Smith  
Phillip Logan Stahl  
Grant William Stevenson  
Maddox R Steward  
Sloane Nicole Stine  
Kelsie N Stone  
Shannon Elizabeth Thomas  
Connor Miles Truitt  
Ashton Elizabeth Turner  
Molly Kathryn Tyler  
Emma A Varela  
Sadie Catherine Wallner  
Zachary T White  
Michael Joseph Wickstrom  
Katherine Claire Williams  
Matthew James Winscher

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1878
R.W. Trumble ........................................ LLD

1880
W.A. Clark ........................................... DD
C.F. Evans ........................................... DD
W.R. Miller ........................................... LLD

1882
Daniel Harvey Hill .................................... LLD

1884
W.P. Paxson ........................................... DD
Tullius C. Tupper .................................... DD

1885
John H. Dye ........................................ DD
James L. Martin ................................ DD

1886
J.C. White ............................................ PhD

1887
J.G. Fuqua ............................................. LLD
C.E. Taylor ............................................ LLD

1890
Francis L. Harvey .................................... PhD

1891
Howard Edwards ..................................... LLD

1892
Frederic W. Simonds ................................ ScD

1897
John Caspar Branner ................................ LLD
Junius Jordan ......................................... LLD

1900
Thomas A. Futrell ..................................... LLD
Daniel Webster Jones ................................ LLD

1905
William Seneca Sutton ............................... LLD

1907
James A. Anderson ................................... LLD
James B. Aswell ....................................... LLD
William D. Buckner ................................ LLD
A.A. Kincannon ....................................... LLD
George Gordon Smeade ............................... LLD

1909
U.M. Rose ................................................ LLD

1910
Charles Foster Smith ................................ LLD

1912
Albert H. Purdue ..................................... LLD

1913
John Hugh Reynolds .................................. LLD
George B. Rose ....................................... LLD

1916
George B. Cook ....................................... LLD
Walter Miller ........................................... LLD

1917
Charles Hillman Brough ............................... LLD

1918
Albert Ross Hill ....................................... LLD
William Frank McCombs ................................ LLD

1922
Marcus Lafayette Bell ................................ LLD
Alexander C. Millar ..................................... LLD
Joseph T. Robinson ..................................... LLD
Burr W. Torreyson ..................................... LLD
J. Manuel Whitham ..................................... ScD

1923
Samuel A. Hoover ..................................... LLD

1925
W.A. Falconer ......................................... LLD
Alfred W. Wasson ....................................... LLD
Carroll D. Wood ....................................... LLD

1926
George Vaughan ....................................... LLD

1927
James Ralph Jewell ..................................... LLD
John E. Martineau ....................................... LLD
J. Vol Walker ........................................... LLD

1928
Herbert E. Buchanan .................................... LLD

1929
George Wesley Droke ................................ LLD
Carl Raymond Gray ...................................... LLD
Frank Vinsonhaler ...................................... LLD

1930
Harvey D. Couch ....................................... LLD
Charles Wallace Webb ................................ LLD

1931
Joseph M. Hill .......................................... LLD
Robert J. Wilson ....................................... LLD

1932
Charles J. Finger ....................................... LLD

1933
John Gould Fletcher .................................... LLD
Coulter W. Jones ....................................... LLD

1934
John S. Parks ........................................... LLD
E.F. Ellis ................................................ LLD

1935
George W. Mullins ..................................... LLD
Edward Joseph White .................................. LLD

1937
Ivan Lee Holt ........................................... LLD

1938
William N. Gladson ................................... DEng
J.N. Heiskell ............................................. LLD
Harry L. Hopkins ....................................... LLD

1939
Daniel T. Gray ......................................... ScD
John G. Lonsdale ....................................... LLD

1941
Thomas H. Barton ..................................... LLD
James E. Gibson ...................................... ScD
Edwin J. Kyle ........................................... ScD

1942
J. Carroll Cone ......................................... LLD
Eugene Reibold ......................................... LLD
Albert Carroll Wood ..................................... ScD

1943
Thomas B. Freeman .................................... LLD
J. Edgar Hoover ......................................... LLD
Walter G. Riddick ..................................... LLD
Brehon Somervell ...................................... LLD

1944
Virgil L. Jones .......................................... LLD
William Ross McCain ................................ LLD
C. Hamilton Moses .................................... LLD

1945
Levin H. Campbell, Jr. ................................ LLD
Martin Nelson .......................................... LLD
Thomas C. Trimble, Jr. ................................ LLD

1946
Sterling B. Hendricks ................................... LLD
Harry Jacob Lemley ..................................... LLD
John Shirley Wood ...................................... LLD

1947
Albert F. Blakeslee ..................................... LLD
Clarence F. Byrns ....................................... LLD
J. William Fulbright .................................... LLD
Jobelle Holcombe ....................................... LLD
John Wesley Snyder .................................... LLD

1948
Chester C. Davis ........................................ LLD
Dudley Dowell ........................................... LLD
Neal B. Garver .......................................... LLD
Frederick L. Liebolt .................................... LLD

1949
John E. Miller .......................................... LLD
Jewell Hughes Bushey ................................ LLD
W.W. Campbell ......................................... LLD
Hugh Dinsmore Miser ................................ LLD

1950
Clark Hungerford ....................................... LLD
John L. McClellan ....................................... LLD
Peter F. Watsek ......................................... LLD
Benjamin H. Wooten .................................... LLD
Frank G. Smith ......................................... LLD
John D. Freeman ....................................... LLD

1951
Bernie Babcock ......................................... LLD
Vance Randolph ....................................... LLD
Edward Durrell Stone ................................ DFA
Leslie Biffle ............................................ LLD
Frank Pace, Jr. .......................................... LLD
Romeo Short ............................................ LLD
Ira Eugene Sanders .................................... LLD

1953
Joe C. Barrett .......................................... LLD
M.R. Owens ............................................. LLD
Donald A. Quarles ..................................... LLD

1954
Stanley Andrews ....................................... LLD
O.C. Bailey ............................................. LLD
K. August Engel ........................................ LLD
R.B. Vance ............................................. LLD

1955
Roscoe Conklin Hobbs ................................ LLD
William Casper Lasseter ................................ LLD
J.K. Mahony ............................................. LLD
Herbert L. Thomas ..................................... LLD

1956
Norman Burns .......................................... LLD
Samuel L. Nevins ....................................... LLD
T. Roy Reid ............................................. LLD
J. Louis Reynolds ....................................... LLD
J.C. Hardin .............................................. LLD
H.H. Strauss .......................................... LLD

1957
Loy W. Henderson ....................................... LLD
Winthrop Rockefeller ................................... LLD
Horace E. Thompson .................................... LLD
Orval E. Faubus ......................................... LLD
Alma Futrell ............................................ LLD
James H. Penick ........................................ LLD
Paul B. Sears ........................................... LLD
Wilbur Mills ............................................. LLD

1958
James H. Goss .......................................... LLD
Roy M. Milum ........................................... LLD
Lyle T. Alexander ....................................... LLD
Harrison Hale ........................................... LLD
W.R. Stephens .......................................... LLD

1959
Edgar Wertheim ....................................... LLD
Fred L. Brown .......................................... LLD
Russell I. Thackery ..................................... LLD
Eugene Robert Black .................................... LLD
Louis Edward Hurley ................................ LLD
Bessie Boehm Moore ................................... LLD
John Dale Russell ..................................... LLD

1960
Paul Day ................................................ LLD
Belot Taylor ............................................. LLD
Herbert Sedwick ....................................... LLD
Charlie May Simon ..................................... LLD
Henry S. Yocum ......................................... LLD

1961
Michael Kirwan ......................................... LLD
Reginald Painter ....................................... LLD
C. Vann Woodward ..................................... LLD

1962
Nils Florentz ........................................... LLD
Paul Mardis ............................................. LLD
Thomas Reid ........................................... LLD

1963
W. Ray Forrester ....................................... LLD
Harold F. Ohlendorf .................................... LLD

1964
William E. Darby ...................................... LLD
Charles E. Palm ......................................... LLD
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1965
Arthur S. Adams ....................... LLD
J.S. McDonnell ....................... LLD
G.A. Stubblefield ..................... LLD

1966
John Paul McConnell .................. LLD
Charles H. Murphy ................... LLD

1967
John W. Gardner ....................... LLD
William Giles ......................... LLD
Alexander E. Jones .................. LLD

1968
Richard S. Barnett, Jr ................ LLD
Sarah Caldwell ....................... LLD
Hubert H. Humphrey ................ LLD

1969
L. Clyde Carter ......................... LLD
Neil Eugene Harlan .................. LLD
James Gordon Horsfall ............... LLD

1970
Samuel P. Massie, Jr .................. LLD
Logan Wilson ......................... LLD
Mrs. David D. Terry, Sr ............... LLD

1971
Jeannette E. Rockefeller .............. LLD
Edward L. Wright ..................... LLD
William Grant Still .................. LLD

1972
Harry Scott Ashmore .................. LLD
William Caesar Warfield ............. LLD
Robert A. Young, Jr .................. LLD

1973
Roy Kumpe ............................. LLD
Hugh B. Patterson, Jr ............... LLD

1974
Samuel Lee Kountz .................... LLD
Raymond Rebsamen ................... LLD

1975
Lily Peter .............................. LLD
T.M. Stinnett .......................... LLD

1976
Sharon Raney Pallone ................ DH
John Tyler Caldwell .................. LLD
Brooks Hays ......................... LLD

1977
Fred M. Pickens, Jr ................. LLD

1978
A.M. Feland III ....................... LLD

1979
Mary Love Good ....................... LLD
William McMillan .................... LLD

1980
Robert D. Maurer ..................... LLD
Sam Moore Walton ................... LLD

1981
Charles M. Kittrell II ................ LLD
Robert Shults ......................... LLD

1982
Ray C. Adam ......................... LLD

1983
David W. Mullins ..................... LLD
R.E.L. Wilson III ..................... LLD

1984
Daisy L. Bates ......................... LLD
James Dickey ......................... LLD
Harry Dickson Patton ................. LLD

1985
William Thomas Dillard ............. LLD
Jackson T. Stephens ................ LLD

1986
Barbara Jordan ....................... LLD
Neil E. Compton ....................... LLD

1987
Irina Fitch Giffels ................... LLD

1988
Claude D. Pepper ..................... LLD
Louis L. Ramsay ...................... LLD

1989
Wiley A. Branton ..................... LLD
Sidney Sanders McMath .............. LLD

1990
E. Fay Jones ......................... DAH
Robert D. Havener ................... LLD

1991
Robert N. Maddox ................... ScD

1992
Richard Sheppard Arnold .......... LLD
Charles W. Oxford ................... LLD

1993
President William Jefferson Clinton LLD
Dr. Robert Allen Leflar ............ LLD
Harold Edgar Sells .................. LLD

1994
Dr. M. Joycelyn Elders .............. LLD
Dame Anne Warburton ............... LLD

1995
Helen Robson Walton ................. LLD

1996
Hillary Rodham Clinton .......... DAH
Bernice Young Jones ................ DHH

1997
David H. Pryor ....................... LLD
Perry L. Adkisson ................... ScD

1998
John Gilbert Williams .............. DAH

1999
Dale Bumpers ......................... LLD
Frederick W. Smith .................. LLD

2000
Diane Divers Blair .................. LLD
Ellen Louise Gilchrist .............. DAH
Thomas Franklin McLarty III ....... LLD

2001
Her Majesty Queen Noor of Jordan DAH

2002
John Harold Johnson .............. LLD
Wesley K. Clark ..................... LLD

2003
George Willford Boyce Haley DAH
Fred W. Smith ....................... DAH

2004
William R. Ferris ................... LLD

2005
Dan Ferritor ......................... DAH
Mike Huckabee ................. LLD
Pat Walker ......................... LLD

2006
Jo Luck ...................... DAH
Rodney E. Slater .................... LLD

2007
H. Lee Scott ......................... DAH
Johnnetta B. Cole ................. DASc

2008
Terrence J. Roberts ................ DAH

2009
Johnelle DeBusk Hunt ............ DAH
Morris S. Arnold ................. LLD

2010
Isaac J. Crumblcy ................. ScD
Don Tyson ..................... DAH

2011
Lewis E. Epley, Jr .................. LLD
Tenzin Gyatso His Holiness the Fourteenth Dalai Lama DAH
Christopher C. Mercer ............. LLD
B. Alan Sugg ....................... DAH

2011, December
Earnest G. Green Jr ................. LLD
John Paul Hammerschmidt .......... LLD

2012
Alice L. Walton ..................... DAH

2012, December
Vincent G. Harding ............... LLD
W. Stephen Smith ................. DAH

2013
His Excellency Ricardo Martinelli, LLD
Lee Bodenhamer ..................... DAH

2013, December
Sister Helen Prejean ............ LHD
Frances C. James ................. DAH

2014
Anita Huffington ................... DHA

2014, December
Michael T. Duke .................... DEng
Andrew D. Hamilton ............ DASc
Governor Mike Beebe ............. LLD

2015, May
J. Frank Broyles ................. DHL
James E. K. Hildreth .......... ScD

2015, December
James Patterson ................... DHL
J. Donald Rice, Jr ............... DAH

2016, May
Richard Davies ..................... DAH

2017, May
L. Clifford Davis ................... LLD
William T. Dillard II ............. DB

2018, May
Wallace W. Fowler ................ DAH
Jama M. Fowler .................... DAH
Charles McColl Portis ........... DHL

2018, December
Anita Huffington ................... DAH

2019
His Excellency Ricardo Martinelli, LLD
Lee Bodenhamer ..................... DAH

2019, December
Sister Helen Prejean ............ LHD
Frances C. James ................. DAH

2020
Anita Huffington ................... DHA

2020, December
Michael T. Duke .................... DEng
Andrew D. Hamilton ............ DASc
Governor Mike Beebe ............. LLD

2021
His Excellency Ricardo Martinelli, LLD
Lee Bodenhamer ..................... DAH

2021, December
Sister Helen Prejean ............ LHD
Frances C. James ................. DAH
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