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Graduates and distinguished guests,

It is my distinct pleasure to welcome you to SIUE’s 132nd commencement celebration. SIUE is going boldly forward, transforming lives by realizing human potential, increasing access and opportunity for all and developing leaders through rigorous, student-centered academic programs.

Our graduates have excelled in their academic pursuits while exemplifying the values of citizenship, excellence, inclusion, integrity and wisdom upon which the University is founded. As they move that important tassel on their cap, they will go on to become industry leaders, educators, innovators, social justice advocates, community conservators and difference makers who define the future.

Graduates, take great pride in your incredible accomplishments. We recognize you and those who have supported you throughout your academic career. As alumni, you join more than 120,000 fellow Cougars. We encourage your continued connection and engagement through the SIUE Alumni Association. Visit siue.edu/alumni for more information!

Whatever lies ahead, I urge you to pursue it with great conviction and confidence. Always believe in yourself and in your ability to positively impact our world.

Congratulations!

James T. Minor, PhD
Chancellor

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The Southern Illinois University (SIU) System is comprised of two sister institutions: SIU Edwardsville, with a School of Dental Medicine in Alton and the SIUE East St. Louis Higher Education Campus in East St. Louis, and SIU Carbondale, with a Law School in Carbondale and a School of Medicine in Springfield.

With a budget of over $989 million, the SIU System employs more than 7,000 faculty, staff and administrators who serve more than 23,400 students. A modern and comprehensive post-secondary educational system, the SIU System offers a broad range of academic programs that lead to associate, bachelor’s, master’s, specialist, doctoral and professional practice degrees in a variety of fields, including law, medicine, pharmacy and dental medicine.

SIU Carbondale was chartered in 1869 as Southern Illinois Normal University, a teachers’ college. In 1947, the name was changed to reflect the institution’s academic expansion. The University also expanded geographically.

As early as 1949, courses were being offered in the metropolitan East St. Louis area, which led to the development of SIUE, now the largest campus in the SIU System.

The instructional, scholarship and service missions of the two constituent institutions reflect the needs of the geographic areas in which they are located. The SIU System is also committed to serving statewide, national and international needs. This commitment is reflected in educational activities and outreach in communities throughout the state, as well as through research and training exchanges and worldwide student exchange programs.

The SIU Board of Trustees governs the SIU System and sets policy that enables both universities to carry out their established missions and goals. The president of the System is its CEO and reports to the board of trustees. The University chancellors report directly to the president and are responsible for the internal operations of SIUE and SIUC, respectively.

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The University offers undergraduate and graduate areas of study encompassing the arts, sciences, nursing, education, health, human behavior, business and engineering. The Schools of Dental Medicine and Pharmacy award first professional doctoral degrees in dental medicine (DMD) and in pharmacy (PharmD). Doctoral programs are available in nursing practice and educational leadership. A cooperative PhD program in pharmacology and neuroscience is offered with the SIU School of Medicine, and cooperative PhD programs in history, engineering science, environmental resources and policy, and computer engineering are offered with SIU Carbondale.

At SIUE, students find comprehensive educational opportunities and a community in which individuals support each other in their search for knowledge and individual development.

**Officers of Administration**

**Southern Illinois University Edwardsville**

**James T. Minor**  
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Interim Vice Chancellor for Student Affairs

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**William F. Winter**  
Budget Director

**SOUTHERN ILLINOIS UNIVERSITY EDWARDSVILLE**

**Mission**

Southern Illinois University Edwardsville is a student-centered educational community dedicated to communicating, expanding and integrating knowledge.

In a spirit of collaboration enriched by diverse ideas, our comprehensive and unique array of undergraduate and graduate programs develops professionals, scholars and leaders who shape a changing world.

**Vision**

Southern Illinois University Edwardsville will achieve greater national and global recognition and academic prominence through innovative and interdisciplinary programs that empower individuals to achieve their full potential.

**Values**

Recognizing public education as the cornerstone of a democracy, SIUE carries out its mission based on certain fundamental, shared values. We value:

**Civic Engagement**

- Social, civic and political responsibility — globally, nationally, locally and within the University
- Active partnerships and a climate of collaboration and cooperation among students, faculty, staff, alumni and the larger community
- Sustainable practices in environmental, financial and social endeavors

**Excellence**

- High-quality learning within and beyond the classroom
- Continuous improvement and innovation
- Outstanding scholarship and public service

**Inclusion**

- A welcoming and supportive environment
- Openness to the rich diversity of humankind in all aspects of university life
- Respect for individuals, differences and cultures
- Intellectual freedom and diversity of thought
School of Education, Health and Human Behavior

Rabin Hughes, Dean

School of Education, Health and Human Behavior graduates can choose from a variety of career paths in education, applied health and behavioral sciences. Through rewarding partnerships with regional agencies and public school districts, students learn through hands-on experience in their fields of interest. The School’s commitment to experiential learning and community outreach is demonstrated through its clinics and the activities of its student organizations. Visit us on Twitter and Instagram to learn more about our students’ successes.

School of Engineering

Cam Karacal, Dean

The School of Engineering offers eight undergraduate and five graduate programs, as well as two collaborative PhD programs with SIUC, making it one of the largest and most comprehensive engineering schools in the region. The School prepares students to meet the growing needs in our region and nation for more engineers, computer scientists and construction managers. The engineering, information technology and construction companies in the St. Louis metropolitan region and beyond provide exciting, challenging and high income jobs, internships and cooperative opportunities to our students. More than 60% of our graduates have taken positions in the St. Louis metropolitan region and beyond. Students are not only educated in the classroom and laboratory, but also through internships, undergraduate research projects and student organizations that participate in collegiate contests, such as the formula race car, solar car, mini Baja, robotics, steel bridge, concrete canoe and many more.

School of Nursing

Judy Liesevid, Dean

The School of Nursing offers an excellent learning environment, which prepares students for careers as professional nurses. The School partners with hundreds of healthcare agencies in central and southern Illinois and the St. Louis region to provide students with quality clinical practicum sites. Students also practice required nursing skills in the School’s Simulated Learning Center to promote critical thinking and safe care before encountering patients in actual clinical settings. Graduate programs include master’s degrees in healthcare and nursing administration, and nurse educator; a post-master’s doctor of nursing practice (DNP) degree; a post-baccalaureate DNP with specializations in nurse anesthesia, family nurse practitioner and psychiatric mental health; and a concurrent DNP/MBA.

School of Pharmacy

Mark Luer, Dean

The School of Pharmacy, the only pharmacy program in southern Illinois, offers a professional program leading to the Doctor of Pharmacy (PharmD) and Master of Science in pharmaceutical sciences. A collaborative PhD program in pharmacology and neuroscience is offered with the SIU School of Medicine. Established in 2005, the School graduated its first class in May 2009 and is fully accredited by the Accreditation Council for Pharmacy Education. Our graduates enter a wide variety of professional settings, including community pharmacies, hospitals, the pharmaceutical industry and academia. SIUE pharmacy students work alongside other health professionals. This team approach allows healthcare professionals to optimize drug therapy and offer the highest quality of patient care.

Graduate School

Jerry Weinberg, Dean

The National Science Foundation lists SIUE as #1 among doctoral/professional universities in the U.S. in terms of research and development expenditures. The SIUE Graduate School offers more than 100 areas of study with master’s, post-baccalaureate certificates and doctoral degrees in a variety of disciplines. Students prepare for the challenges of their professions in a rich, intellectual learning environment emphasizing research and practice. The Graduate School offers a master’s and post-baccalaureate certificates in integrative studies, and a master’s in healthcare informatics.
HISTORY OF ACADEMIC REGALIA

The pageantry of the academic procession is used for many of the formal and significant events at SIUE.

Inherited from the medieval universities of the 11th and 12th centuries when woolen gowns and hoods were worn by scholars for warmth in unheated quarters, the wearing of academic vestments and the procession were not adopted throughout the United States until the late 19th century.

Academic life in the Middle Ages began first in the church, then in the guilds. The teaching guild was the guild of the master of arts, where the bachelor was the apprentice of the master and the dress was the outward sign of privilege and responsibility, designed to distinguish the wearer from the merchants and other townsman.

Principal features of academic dress are the gown, cap and hood. Both Cambridge and Oxford Universities, since the 15th century, have made academic dress a matter of university control, even to its minor details, and have repeatedly published revised regulations. American universities agreed on a definite system in 1894. In 1932, the American Council on Education presented a revised code which, for the most part, governs the style of academic dress today.

The cap worn almost universally in academic processions is the Oxford cap, better known as the mortarboard. From poetry we learn that the cap of scholarship was square to symbolize a book. A different style, called the Cambridge cap, resembles a large beret.

The use of a dark hood in academic processions is thought to have arisen from the clerical practice of wearing a cap or mantle in religious processions during the 12th and 13th centuries, when universities arose from cathedral schools.

Traditionally, gowns are also black. In recent years, however, a number of universities have adopted other hues which signify the school’s traditional colors, such as crimson for Harvard, blue for Yale.

The bachelor’s gown is a yoked, closed front garment with long, pointed sleeves. The master’s has long, closed sleeves slit just above the elbow, permitting the forearms to protrude. The doctor’s has full, bell-shaped sleeves and is trimmed with velvet panels down the front, and three velvet bars on each sleeve. The color of the panels and sleeves varies to indicate the doctoral field.

The academic hoods, worn around the neck and down the back of the gown, are lined with the official colors of the college or university conferring the degree. The binding or edging of the hood usually represents the subject of the degree.

COMMENCEMENT AT SIUE

Mace

The SIUE ceremonial mace was created in 1981 by the late Michael E. Mason. He earned both a Bachelor of Arts and Master of Fine Arts from SIUE and served as curator of the University Museum. At that time, the president of SIUE (the position now called chancellor), Earl Lazerson, instituted traditional, formal regalia for use on significant ceremonial occasions. In 2005, Chancellor Vaughn Vandegrift restored the tradition of the mace at all commencement and other academic ceremonies. A stand was subsequently constructed and, in recognition of the values of the University, engraved brass plaques were added to the ceremonial mace with the words Citizenship, Excellence, Inclusion, Integrity and Wisdom.

International Flags

The flags flown at commencement represent the home nations of all SIUE students. Nearly 900 international students from 68 nations currently attend SIUE. International students contribute to the University’s diverse learning environment by sharing their unique culture and introducing new perspectives to SIUE.

Chancellor’s Medallion

The Chancellor’s Chair of Office is a symbol of the guidance and inspiration of current University leadership building on the achievements of the past. It is a reminder of our accomplishments, as well as the challenges and opportunities to come. The medallion of the chain has the mark of the University surrounded in laurels, a time-honored symbol of education. The chain bears Chancellor Minor’s name and the names of past leaders of SIUE.

Granting of Degrees

Candidates for degrees listed in this commencement program are those who completed degree requirements or who, at the time of publication, were reasonably certain of completing degree requirements. Inclusion in this publication may not be construed as documentation of completion of degree requirements. Certification of the conferral of a degree is by receipt of a diploma or official transcript noting degree completion.
**ACADEMIC AND OTHER RECOGNITION**

**Honors Recognition**
Candidates graduating with honors are noted in the program and their accomplishments are characterized by the color of the academic cord worn with their regalia.

* = cum laude (with honors - 3.50 to 3.74)  
Red cord

** = magna cum laude (high honors - 3.75 to 3.89)  
Gold cord

*** = summa cum laude (highest honors - 3.90 or higher)  
White cord

H = Honors Scholars

**Other Academic Recognition**
Students who are members of specific academic honorary organizations noted below are wearing cords, stoles or medallions as indicated:

- Golden Key International Honor Society – Blue and gold cords
- Honors Scholars – Medallion on red ribbon
- Johnnetta Haley Scholars Academy – Red and white stole
- Meridian Scholars – Medallion on red ribbon
- Phi Eta Sigma, Freshman Honor Society – Gold stole with black letters
- Phi Kappa Phi Honor Society – Medallion on blue ribbon
- Phi Lambda Sigma, The National Honor Society of Nursing – Lavender and white cords

**College of Arts and Sciences**
- Alpha Kappa Delta, Sociology Honor Society – Teal cords
- Gamma Theta Upsilon, The Honor Society in Geography – Gold stole and blue, gold and brown cords
- Lambda Pi Eta, Communication Studies Honor Society – Red and white cords
- Phi Alpha Theta, The Honor Society in History – Madonna red and light blue cords
- Pi Alpha Alpha, Public Administration Honor Society – Blue and gold cords
- Pi Mu Epsilon, Mathematics National Honor Society – Violet, gold and lavender cords
- Pi Sigma Alpha, The National Political Science Honor Society – Red, white and black cords
- Sigma Xi, The Scientific Research Society – Royal blue and gold cords

**School of Business**
- Beta Alpha Psi, Honor Society for Accounting – Red and black cords
- Beta Gamma Sigma, Honor Society for Business Majors – Gold medallion on royal blue ribbon

**School of Dental Medicine**
- Omicron Kappa Upsilon, The Dental Honor Society – Gold medallion on lavender ribbon

**School of Education, Health and Human Behavior**
- Chi Sigma Alpha, The International Student Affairs Honor Society – Maroon and gold cords
- Eta Sigma Gamma, The Health Education Honor Society – Two color green and gold cords
- Kappa Delta Pi, The International Honor Society in Education – Violet and jade green cords
- Psi Chi, The International Honor Society of Psychology – Platinum and dark blue cords

**School of Engineering**
- Chi Epsilon, Civil Engineering Honor Society – Two white and one purple cords
- Eta Kappa Nu, International Honor Society for Electrical Engineering – Medallion on blue and red ribbon
- Pi Tau Sigma, International Honor Society for Mechanical Engineers – White stole and maroon and azure cords
- Sigma Lambda Chi, International Construction Honor Society – White stole and green and yellow cords

**School of Nursing**
- Dean’s Medallion – Medallion on red and black ribbon
- Graduate Honors – Red, white and apricot cord
- Sigma Theta Tau, International Honor Society of Nursing – Lavender and white cords

**School of Pharmacy**
- American Pharmacists Association Academy of Student Pharmacists – Light blue cord
- College of Psychiatric and Neurologic Pharmacists – Turquoise and white cords
- Phi Lambda Sigma, The National Pharmacy Leadership Society – Kelly green and gold cords
- Rho Chi, The Academic Honor Society in Pharmacy – Purple and white cords
- Student National Pharmaceutical Association – Black with a little white cords

**Students receiving other recognition are noted below:**
- Order of Omega – Cream stole with gold lettering
- Senior Campaign contributors – Red, black and white cords
- Student Athletes – Bronze medallion with red and white ribbon
- Student Leadership Development Program – Bronze medallion with red ribbon
- Undergraduate Research and Creative Activities Program Associates – Silver cords

**CANDIDATES COMMISSIONED AS SECOND LIEUTENANTS**

U.S. Army

Andrew C. Harris, B.S. Business Administration
Adam M. Kristby, B.S. Civil Engineering
Ian M. McCormick, B.S. Civil Engineering

**UNDERGRADUATE RESEARCH AND CREATIVE ACTIVITIES PROGRAM ASSOCIATE**

Trevor Rallo
SCHOOL OF NURSING: GRADUATE AND UNDERGRADUATE
FRIDAY, DECEMBER 15, 2 P.M. | FIRST COMMUNITY ARENA AT THE VADALABENE CENTER

James T. Minor, Chancellor of Southern Illinois University Edwardsville, presiding

National Anthem: “The Star-Spangled Banner” Lyrics by Francis Scott Key
Led by Sarah Collins, Vocal Performance Student, College of Arts and Sciences
Music by the Meridian Brass Quartet

Welcoming Remarks
P. Denise Cobb, Provost and Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs

Remarks on Behalf of the SIU System
Daniel Mahony, President

Remarks from the Chancellor
James T. Minor, Chancellor

Remarks on Behalf of the Class of 2023
Mitchel Zurliene, Bachelor of Science in Nursing

Candidates for Graduate Degrees and Presentation of Doctoral Hoods
Jerry Weinberg, Associate Provost for Research and Dean of the Graduate School

Candidates for Baccalaureate Degrees
Judy Liesveld, Dean, School of Nursing
Candidates’ names read by Jason Church, Managing Director, WSIE FM

Conferral of Degrees
James T. Minor, Chancellor

Presentation of Graduates

Message from the SIUE Alumni Association

Closing Remarks
P. Denise Cobb, Provost and Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs

Alma Mater: “Hail SIUE” by George Mellott
Led by Sarah Collins, Vocal Performance Student, College of Arts and Sciences
Music by the Meridian Brass Quintet

PROGRAM RECOGNITION

The SIUE School of Nursing offers dynamic undergraduate programs of study that are both theoretical and practical, designed to meet current and future challenges of nursing and healthcare. The School prepares graduates to work in a wide variety of clinical settings and provide the necessary foundation for a master’s and doctoral degree in nursing.

The traditional bachelor of science in nursing (BS) program is intended for students seeking their first degree with no prior college experience. The post-baccalaureate accelerated bachelor of science degree in nursing (ABS) option allows students with a bachelor’s degree to attain a BS degree in nursing through three semesters and one summer session. It is an intense, defined curriculum with a combination of classroom instruction and clinical experiences for students seeking a second baccalaureate degree.

Registered nurses (RNs) who hold an associate degree in nursing or a nursing diploma can pursue the RN to BS option. This baccalaureate program is offered in a flexible, entirely online format to accommodate the needs of working RNs. The program format consists of eight-week courses and can be completed in one year if most of the general education requirements are met at the time of admission.

The goal of the SIUE School of Nursing graduate program is to prepare expert nurses for leadership in professional nursing practice and patient-centered healthcare delivery. The School offers two master’s (MS) programs, two fully online dual degree programs and a doctor of nursing practice degree (DNP) with three specializations.

The fully online MS in Healthcare and Nursing Administration (HCNA) prepares nurses for entry into management positions in healthcare organizations, and refines the skills of experienced nurse managers to mentor them for executive-level positions. A dual MS in HCNA and Healthcare Informatics provides a unique opportunity. The online program equips healthcare professionals to leverage prior education and experience to provide leadership to teams using technology to improve patient healthcare options. The MS in Nurse Educator program is meeting the ever-increasing need for nursing faculty. SIUE’s nurse educator graduates are actively sought throughout the St. Louis metropolitan region, as well as nationally.

The psychiatric mental health nurse practitioner DNP specialization addresses the mental healthcare crisis by providing students with the clinical competencies and theoretical foundation to deliver quality psychiatric mental healthcare. The nurse anesthesia DNP specialization prepares registered nurses with baccalaureate degrees to provide individualized anesthetic patient care for surgical, diagnostic, therapeutic or pain management procedures. The family nurse practitioner DNP specialization program provides students with the required clinical competencies and theoretical foundation to deliver quality primary care for patients and their families. The post-master’s DNP program is designed for nurses holding a master’s degree as an advanced practice nurse, or holding a bachelor of science in nursing and a master’s degree appropriate to their advanced nursing practice role. The dual Masters of Business Administration (MBA) and DNP is primarily online with two on-campus immersion experiences. The program is designed to develop the professional capabilities of managers working in business, focusing on topics such as quantitative analysis, decision making, negotiation, enhancing quality and innovation and program management.
**SCHOOL OF NURSING**

Judy Liesveld, Dean

**Doctor of Nursing Practice (Hood: Apricot)**
- Hannah Jochebed Abrahams**
- Rachel Allison Baker
- Leslie Cherie Bernard
- John Ryan**
- Gabrielle Ellen Bentley
- Mary Lynn Bettis**
- Isaac Robert Blackford**
- Abigail Bloemer
- Brian Alexander Bonin
- Malika Rene Boyles*
- Alexander Broax**
- Taylor Brooke Brissett
- Amanda Brown
- Addison Grace Bryant
- Rodneysae Agnew Bryant
- Alecia Ann Burnett
- Kayla Nicole Calais
- Sydney Catherine Canio
- Jesus Alberto Carmona Becerra
- Tebario Kenyara Cassel**
- Elizabeth Jean Casas
- Enrico Kaye Chamberlin**
- John Joshua C. Clemente**
- Kenneth A. Cookley
- Amber Caulfell**
- Hannah Christine Criley**
- Kathryn Mary Dalton
- Kore Anne De Lo Crux**
- Alyssa Renay DeSpain**
- Kayla J. Deckey
- Alexia Mather Dorgan
- Colleen Marie Drury
- Hoyack A. Duque**
- Ameri Shotam***
- Madison Olivia Ebers**
- Paula Yamamoto G. Elauri**
- Felicia Cherrie Enrin
- Jorge Aleksandr Esquivel Esquivel
- Mia Rose Esserspmi**
- Lyndse June Feria
- Megan N. Fishburn**
- Stephanie Suzanne Fisher**
- Karlynn Renee Flynn
- Deja S. Foster
- Mishra N. Frisler
- Allison Suzanne Frost
- Cori Parry Gaober
- Kern Colleen Gammons
- Senani C. Gammon**
- Jakeny Cristal Gonzalez
- Vanessa LaHaye Goosby***
- Sada Rae Graham***
- Jeffrey Dylan Green
- Jenya Angelique Griffin**
- Megan Elizabeth Grossman**
- Kailyn Ann Gunderau**
- Kaylee Reese Hammam
- Skylar Denise Harris**
- Sarah Jean Hansen
- Beatrice C. Henderson
- Grace Elizabeth Henderson

**Bachelor of Science (Tassel: Apricot)**
- Alexis Leigh Henry
- Melissa Nicole Hills***
- Allison Hodge
- Ronald Hope-Hastings***
- Steven Michael Horton
- Jordan Ann Hunter-Johnson
- Jade Nicole Hutchcroft
- Britanny J**
- Krista Elizol Tekirski Jackson***
- Christine L. James**
- Tamara Janekato
- Joanne Jammie Jerelda***
- Eslir Danielle Johams
- Crista Maria Johnston
- Ashley Nicole Jones
- Anna Karen Jozas
- Samantha Anavelle Judge
- Yuriko Kawashima**
- Chloe Frances Kirkay
- Kayla Cheyenne Knox
- Gabielle Rae Kromer
- Pasion Marie Kursten
- Amy Jo Kuptz
- Jennifer Renee Lane**
- Donalee Jean Lange
- Kari Marlee Leuninger**
- Carol Renee Lewin
- Kaleigh Mora Evans
- Kristan McKinley Lewis
- Megan Lynn Linn
- Breeton Scott Little***
- Wristen Lower
- Kakeya Diann Lucas
- Karla Christine Mack
- Chelsea Nicole Mclamore***
- Lucca Mascote
- Ruth Ann Matthews
- Sean Patrick McClure
- Swayy Amanda McDonald
- Kailie Marie Meadness***
- Elizabeth A. Miller**
- Emily Ann Mitalay***
- Madison Shea Money***
- Danielle M. Moore
- Kynde Mariah Murp hormone
- Kakeya Anne Nielsen
- Jayla Breanna Newton
- Riley Nguyen***
- Amber Lynn Nidecker
- Andrew Nishibori
- Clementina Ashleigh Okebar
- Wanjiru T. Okusanya
- Tamoree Pearl Oluymi**
- Jazidi Ovali
- Alexia Mary Opilias**
- Kelwin Otano
- Azriel J. Ottwell
- Ashton Danielle Palmer
- Cindy Parei-Krause
- Lauren Christine Paruns
- Sophie Noelle Paulsen
- Sade Jo Payne
- Ann Meaghan Pannel***
- Britt Nicole Peterson
- Jessica Ann Powell***
- Tabitha Marie Proskal
- Andrea Gabriela Pruitt
- Halle Marie Ramey
- Michaela Orama Rangin***
- Mackenzie Lynn Rhoda
- Hady Alex Rin**
- Kyle Ryan Robinson***
- Gunner Ruttyn***
- Gavina Louise Schmelde
- Senia Nicole Schuler
- Abigail Renee Scyov
- Gavin Tyler Seagel
- Laci Diane Sweer**
- Barbara Anne Simmons***
- Emily Piyon
- Elizabeth Ann Smie
- Macy Elizabeth Smith
- Taylor Renee Smith
- Joshua Matthew Spence
- Krista Hope Stanford
- Lauren Elizabeth Stanley
- Crystal Nicole Stave
- Jason Spanta Sult**
- Serah Ann Sykes**
- Mackenzie Ann Tebbel
- Alyssan Marie Teckbrock***
- Rachael Leann Thomas*
- Ashley Elizabeth Tinkham
- Kylee Marie Toptew
- Veronica Louise Marie Toter
- Chassidy Wallace
- Katherine M.N. Wolcott
- Alexandra Nicole Werner
- BreAnna R. White***
- Krista Marie Wills**
- Sidney R. Wilks***
- Miranda Will***
- Daria Jane Wilt
- Jessisia Lynn Wolfe**
- Teersa Lynn Yinger
- Torri R. Young***
- Kourtney Renee Zobrist
- Mitchel Vincent Zurliene**

**GRADUATE SCHOOL**

**FRIDAY, DECEMBER 15, 5 P.M. | FIRST COMMUNITY ARENA AT THE VADALABENE CENTER**

James T. Minor, Chancellor of Southern Illinois University Edwardsville, presiding

**National Anthem:** "The Star-Spangled Banner" Lyrics by Francis Scott Key

Led by Sarah Collins, Vocal Performance Student, College of Arts and Sciences

Music by the Meridian Brass Quintet

**Welcoming Remarks**

John Mahany, President

**Remarks on the Behalf of the Class of 2023**

Mukesh Das, Master of Science in Industrial Engineering

**Candidates Commissioned as Second Lieutenants and Members of Honor Societies**

Candidates’ names read by Jason Church, Managing Director, WSI FM

**Conferment of Degrees**

James T. Minor, Chancellor

**Presentation of Graduates**

**Message from the SIUE Alumni Association**

**Closing Remarks**

Susan Collins, Vocal Performance Student, College of Arts and Sciences

Music by the Meridian Brass Quintet

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**Doctor of Nursing Practice (Hood: Apricot)**
- Jeffrey S. Davis
- Anne Hocking
- Karu Marie Chan
- Louis Pajinloan Urruznay

**Master of Science (Hood: Apricot)**
- Health Care & Nursing Administration
  - Katie Nicole Boyd
  - Celina Caballo
  - Leilah Ayigya Cummings
  - Danielle Kay Dillman
  - Jennifer Lynn Dioso
  - Lesley Anne Lowery
  - Amy Alice Marshes
  - Margaret Cotrimyn Mancher
  - Katie Lynn Nicely

**Nurse Educator**
- Shelby T. Barrow
- Abigail Marie Cardascio
- Lily Margaret Castello
- Lydia Dove
- Jamie Janelle Elzy
- Elaina Gonzales Sliva Furlan
- Brooke Elizabeth Greenwood
- Mary Thereis Kimita
- Katherine D. Kienke
- Courtney Long
- Brittany Shop McLeland
- Jamie Rae Mesch
- Kristie Marie Rappa
- Justine Marie Ray
- Shelby Lynn Ross
- Abigail Schaefer
- Ann Schertz
- Ayla Mae Zueck
- Ronald John Scott
- Shelby Lynn Ross
- Abigail Schaefer
- Ann Schertz
- Ayla Mae Zueck
- Ronald John Scott
- Shelby Lynn Ross
- Abigail Schaefer
- Ann Schertz
- Ayla Mae Zueck
- Ronald John Scott
- Shelby Lynn Ross

**Past Master’s Certificate (Hood: Apricot)**

**Nurse Educator**
- Christine Hawkroff

**Psychiatric Mental Health Nurse Practitioner**
- Heather H. Ronman
- Michelle Lynette Jones
- Jamie Lee Landverk
- Celeste Ann McFarland
- Renita Sanders
- Elizabeth Shallenberger

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**BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN NURSING**

**Honor**

- *cum laude*
- **magna cum laude**
- ***summa cum laude***
5 p.m. Ceremony

Jerry Weinberg, Dean

Doctor of Education
(Hood: Light Blue)

Educational Leadership
Mark A. Bearley
Melissa Carson Mark
Jeffrey David Merris
Fatima Nicole Sellke

Pharmacy
Matthew B. Bays
Sapandev Cherry
Gabrielle K. Engstrom
Thomas Michael Klosowski
Arial Rose Mann
Sana Nicole Rhymier
Makayla Rose Schoeder

Master of Arts
(Hood: Citron, Silver Gray, White)

Applied Communication (Hood: Citron)
Chitnapha Hassan
Logan Wertin

Applied Communication (Hood: Silver Gray)
Makenzie Paige Schroeder
Ariel Rose Manion
Mark A. Bearley
Jerry Weinberg, Dean

GRADUATE SCHOOL

Kara Nicole Gan
Tylor H. Dove
Jordan Shawn Turner
Holynne Steppe
Jordan Erik Simon
Stephanie Ann Paczesny
Courtney Lynn O’Dell
Samantha Anne Moxley
Kenneth Jordan Matthews
Jill M. Laughlin-Smith
Marc Hohlt
Kiah Elisabeth Earl
Nicholas John Banning
Zachary Leonard Adrian

Public Administration
(Media Studies)
Andrew James Mdo
Chinedu Chukwuekezie Obieke
Mary Elkeo Onuche
Muhammad Waqas

Jackson Best
Katelyn Bahrupruit
Trevor Bitigcotton
Matthew B. Bays
Amir Khosrowabadi
Brian De Main
Ryan Scott Munger
Aliison Elizabeth Finlaw
Lisa M. Niemeyer
Rebecca Sue Nixon
Joshua Brock Milburn
Joseph Kate Miller
Ryan Page Miller
Kevin John Minnick
Gabriel Shadrack Mwiria
Anthony McMillar
Ryan Scott Munger
Aliison Elizabeth Finlaw
Lisa M. Niemeyer
Rebecca Sue Nixon
Michael Jordan
Shane McMillan

Master of Science in Accountancy
(Accountancy)
Caroline Rose Bolland
Karolina Sara Bankowska
Andrew Christopher Barratt
Stephen Jacob Brzezinski
Janah M. Kanezuko
Elliott Corey Jarmis
Christina Huber
Alexander Kallay
Samuel Guy Kreb
Eleanor Anne Kahng
Jonathan Elmar Kuebler
Jessica Kate Leeman
Brandon Alex Mack
Jason Richard McLean
Riley Paul Meyer
Nicola M. O’Leary
Graeme Joyce

Master of Science (Hood: Blue)

Computer Management and Information Systems
Khosrow Alipour
Veena Sahithi Akkaladevi
Charles Paul Amune
Bharadwaj Juva
Rahili Reddy Kolani
Michael Chunga Daffe
Kishita Paul
Prabodh Roy

Management Information Systems
Manush Chandra Aluvi
Usmaa Shev-Andri
Anuja Aryal
Yashashi Chandana
Charm J. Chadee
Rejali Damalapati
Eswamy Devasahayam

Eranos Oshinomiene Efeneke
Bhavana Gandhi
Abhi Guruppi
Sri Vithal Reddy Kanupuri
Srinivasayi
Manisha Kodamala
Ravikant K性质
Juthi Malavansky
Dhawali Reddy Manimli
Shane McMillan

50th Century
Jerry Weinberg, Dean

Joseph Harrison Orr
Elliott James Prout
Brendan Allen Smith
Elke Genevieve Taylor
Aron Bradley Titterton
Reilly Michaela Weaver
Jaden Alan Webber
Jenna Michelle White
Theresa Geoann Wiley

Education

Specialist Degree (Hood: Light Blue)

Educational Administration
Rachel Lee Behrin
Brian David Borowski
Hannah Rebekah Boston
Jenna Marie Colgan
Theresa Ann Dawson
Tayler Eske
Kaylin Marie Erst
Kristopher Dena Fields
Nicole Twine
Cassie Elizabeth Gmez
Tara Gordan
Timothy Richard Gould
Avery Grabowski
Timothy James Johnson
Hilary Marie Himmelberg
Elizabeth Jacks
Catherine Goskell Johnson
Catriona Rene Johnson
Alyssa Jones
Stephanie Ann Kelly
Catherine Casolari Johnson

Master of Public Health

Gabriel Shadrock Mawing

Master of Science (Hood: Gold, Light Blue)

Kinesiology
Payton Else Atkins
Shelby Briya Cyrus
Zachary Matthew Cranston
Alyssa Marie Gardner
Addyson Yvonne
Teran Dzhon Henry
Abeer Lynne Hume
Nicholas William Hunterki
Lave Jones
Sebi Kenrek
Russell Teck Woe Lee
DuShane Lackett
Presley James McCluskey
Shane Matthew McLanahan
Ashleigh Dawn McKiray
Zachary A. Medicaus
Leon Michael Owens
Matthew Amoradcz Scott
Khalil Shah
Kayay Shebakron
Taja Weihe

Psychology
Jessica Charpentier
Madeleine Grace Eaton
Vincent Eller
Anna Carlene Lucas
Kayla Suzanne Mlost
Dilwia Nabi Rermann
Amy Camille Ann Terry
Michelle Ann Whitlatch

Master of Science in Education (Hood: Light Blue)

Curriculum and Instruction
Grace Nicole Bartlett
Rebecca J. Buddle
Melissa Ann Campeau
Kristin Durante
Jula Beth Gracelotta

Institute of Education

Nichole Elizabeth Zipprich
Emily D. Zipprich
Michelle Lynn Wilkerson
Breanna Nicole Todd
Elizabeth J. Thompson
Jaclyn Renee Stoltz
Martisha Terese Smith
Easter S. Shaw
Laurie Elizabeth Rombach
Melissa Montgomery
Susanne Michael Himsel
Denise McNamara
Falon Tiana McCain
Megan Christine Mason
Peter Kleemann
Stephanie Ann Kelly
Catherine Casolari Johnson

Educational Administration
Carry Bailey
Antonietta Marie Baker
David Michael Beck
Amanda Beiser
Melissa M. Camosta
Cristina Maria De La Garza
Soo Hyeon Paige Daewon
Melissa Emilie Edwards
Tawnya L. Elies
Kayla Ann Elam
Zachary Michael Franz
Amy Lynn Gruner
Michael J. Hane
Josef Hennigan
Kimberly Anne Hood
Allison Rae Kessler
Brandyline Klapp
Ella Anne Littlejohn
Brooke Mang
Blake David Marsh
Mary Helene Nahas
Dominique Price
Hunter David Quinn
Brook Myron Queigley
Jordan Densiman Richie
Jennifer Lynn Smith
Ayssaa N. Stults
Emily Christine Waddell
Jennifer Sunne Walter
Emmanuel George Zervos

Higher Education and Student Affairs
Clarene Jude Casher
Kal-Kei Ren-Hay Norris

Instructional Technology
Bethany McGrain

Kinesiology
Michael Anthony Belfiore
Bethany McQuiston
Ka-La Renay Harris
Clarence Jude Czachor

Master of Science (Hood: Orange)

Wildlife and Conservation
Tara M. Coogan
Arielle Anne Allardyce
Siento Joaquin
Andrew Charles Unac
Elena Marie Keeling
Aubrey Lynn Lemoine
Amanda Sunny

Computer Science
Prossana Bhatnarchi
Kishore Bhimmineni
Tomma Brunken
Emily Regina Clayton
Shirin Saniat Davoudpour
Pirjoanka Gajduka
Jan Niklas Hirdner
Vinny Reddy Kadurupuram
Kekhti Khantori
Swati Kshirsagar
Lakshmi Anjana Devi Gorantla
Sai Lohith Bollineni
Prathyusha Naidu Boddu
Harikrishna Bezawada

Healthcare Informatics
Elizabeth Furumaya Adesona
Carley Anna Albino
Cindy Jeffranova
Brandi Machelle Evans
Nicole Monet Edwards

Computer Science
Jing Li
Hillary Johnson-Jahangir
Laura Elizabeth Ingold

Institute of Education

Desine Murphy
Damisilo Helen Ogunkade
Aymar Salemi
Jennifer Helen Seaver
Huda A. Sharif
Taminat Sheth
Victoria June Simmons
Melissa Kay Shrosh
Miriame Yumaene
Natalia Williams
Kelli Elizabeth Zara

Integrative Studies
Bugs Ilaga Boyukirli
Jane Chiartray
Toreh Lane

Pharmaceutical Sciences
Kubr Bozipin
Ohm Emran Ben
Adam Khan Roy
Proshant Khadka
Abdur Acee Akersan Arliot

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SATURDAY, DECEMBER 16, 10 A.M. | FIRST COMMUNITY ARENA AT THE VADALABENE CENTER

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Remarks on Behalf of the SIU System
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Remarks from the Chancellor
James T. Minor, Chancellor

Remarks on Behalf of the Class of 2023
Madison Dar, Bachelor of Science in Public Health

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Candidates for Degrees
Janice Japlin, Interim Dean, School of Business
Robin Hughes, Dean, School of Education, Health and Human Behavior

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Conferral of Degrees
James T. Minor, Chancellor

Presentation of Graduates

Message from the SIUE Alumni Association

Closing Remarks
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Bachelor of Science (Tassel: Drab)

Eric Jassendal
Caleb Scott Agnew**
Ethan Benjamin Anderson
Anna Marie Armon
Masdon Lee Arndt
Morgan Christine Aar
David Oliumoyo Bankle
Mason Andrew Barnett
Erik Quinn Barrick**
Marco Bartelsona
Nicholas Ryan Bates**
Carl Andrew Brown
Alvaro Bazaco Camino
Natalie L. Bednar
Emily Claire Beavenou
Kaitlyn Ann Bialdel
Ayomide Boluwatife James
Justin David Bazzo
Blake Robert Bruns
James Michael Buehler
Parke Edward Burtin H
Coryn Dawn Bushwa***
Bensen Jacob Buziando***
Sydney Elise Camillo
Blake A. Carlson
Kurt Renee Carr
Elizabeth Sharon Clark***
Maximus Richard Conley
Rondal Dean Conley* Enricus Lynn Cox
Joseph Kyle Corkbreed**
Gage C. Creder
Aston W. Cuffe
Abigail M. Daniels
Bradley Liam Davies
James Hunter Davis
Michael Christopher Deck* Lauren Kristina Desmond
David Scott DiWear
Dominique Chancel Dick***
Alexia Lauryn Didden
Julie Louise Drake
Tabitha Nicole Endsey
Macy Alexandra Epstein**
Levi Robert Erwin
Manuel T. Espinosa III**
Zekry Ray Eye
Sophia Moe Fanshier
Riley Daniel Faust
Desmond Alexander Ford
Jorge Alberto Garcia Miranda
Lauren Ashton Gates
Jaseol Steven Graner
Cameron Taylor Gray
Jason M. Grubb
Anna Marie Hakman
Vincent Hales
Malyn Elizabeth Hansonford*
Andrew Christopher Harris
William Morris
Thomas James Henderson
Katie Jean Hendricks
Joshua Neil Henry
John Allen Holl
Christopher T. Hogebrand
Manuel Jimmills
Zoie Jasiew
Emily Kay Jenkins*
Alexa Kayla Angel Johnson
Anthony James Jones
Daniel Paul Kane
Griffon Michael Keebler
Daniel Wade Kester
Morgan Grace Kirkman
Ashley Suzanne Knight
Matt Alexander Koscinski
Michael John Kelling
Nicholas Angele Kistarmenas
Maxwell Anthony Kristoff
George Gregory Lokotman
Megan Lynn Leethum
Brett Alexander LeRoi
Andrew Parker Latscher
Keaton W. Linkemar
Tealani Days Loke
Michael Dian Lowe II
Vince Ann Luddecke
Patrick David Sohrenz Lyon* Krysole Maria Marlower
Lauren Elizaveta Meyer

Bachelor of Science in Accountancy (Tassel: Drab)

Kristen Beal
Emily K. Berlenbirk
Melinda Alise Braun
Olga Chavez Reyes
Cole Steven DeClue
Christopher Ryan Emery
Jalen Anthony Gregg
Eaas David Hammar***
Josh B. Hanish
Anna Elaine Jennings***
Anna Rene Kaul
Hannah Mae Krumwedie
Kailey Moe Lacy***
Ilene Shiree Martin
Brennan James Menke
Jakob Didron Moore
Vincees John O’Connor
Aamon H. Parker
Brisonne R. Rayner***
Mallory Claire Rogers
Lukas Gindy Solomon
Angelos Dominique Show Jr.
Alexander Roberts Smith
Hope Elizabeth Wibichast**
Edgar Cordell Wilson Jr.
James Dele Zimmerman

SCHOOL OF BUSINESS & SCHOOL OF EDUCATION, HEALTH AND HUMAN BEHAVIOR

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SCHOOL OF EDUCATION, HEALTH AND HUMAN BEHAVIOR
Robin Hughes, Dean

Bachelor of Arts (Tassel: Gold)
Ryan Mitchell Heitzig
Kennedy Kelly Linskey
Mariana Perez
Meagan Renee Radcliff

Bachelor of Science (Tassel: Gold, Light Blue)
Payton Elise Adkins
Taylor Machel Allen
Gabrielle Aranda Andrade
Luke A. Balassi
Dominika Monika Baranska
Jana Baumer
Tessa Lee Beard
Destiny Shalay Bernard
Aleksander Stevenson Biggs
Ely Olivia Bollinger
Samantha Lynn Breed
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Ryiah Lorea Camden
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Gemminda S. Evans
Audrey LaNaye Foster
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Elizabeth Lorene Hadamar
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Cort Jackson
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Kori Mace Johnson
Zachary Kern
Calton Garrett Kienke
Emo Kassac
Cheyenne Dawn Keis
Bailie Ann Lambeck
Serro Jade Lane
William Lee Laurenzen
Chondi Jamale Lamara
Kennedy Kelly Linskey
Kari Marie Lawry
Amari Tameka McDonald
Isabella Sylvia Elise Mckay
Molly Quinn Mckim
H. Jacob Miller
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Alexander Michael Noble
Taylor Ann Nolte
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Emma Grace Sutliff
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Abida Marie Thierd
Rylee Sue Therman
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Madeleine Amelia Velicquez
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Kathmoril E.C. Walker
Kayenno Lynn Wallace
Dawja Louise Watkins
Gaelin Aedena White
Ally Lynn Williams
Payton Christopher Williams
Marvin Wills
Keroting-Marie Winter
Kyle Brianna Wisell

SCHOOL OF ARTS, SCIENCES & HUMANITIES

Bachelor of Arts (Tassel: Gold)
Taylor Michel Allen
Gabrielle Aranda Andrade
Luke A. Balassi
Dominika Monika Baranska
Jana Baumer
Tessa Lee Beard
Destiny Shalay Bernard
Aleksander Stevenson Biggs
Ely Olivia Bollinger
Samantha Lynn Breed
Elizabeth Lorene Bruno
Anna Marie Burrus
Ryiah Lorea Camden
Emma Rae Campbell
Ashley Lynn Cardwell
Zachary Austin Cathorall
Vivienne Marie Chassels
Connor Randall Cima
Casey Mitchell Cordie
Chaianna Hope Curry
Madyson Alexis Darr
Makala Samone Dickens
Jaden K. Echols
Jaden Renae Ella
Gemminda S. Evans
Audrey LaNaye Foster
Bryanna Fraika
Tomer R. Fusaro
Payton Leigh Garbett
Elizabeth Lorene Hadamar
Swati Vasant Haripri
Patricia Rochelle Harris
Harley Paige Herschens
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Harley Elizabeth Ivy
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Serro Jade Lane
William Lee Laurenzen
Chondi Jamale Lamara
Kennedy Kelly Linskey
Kari Marie Lawry
Amari Tameka McDonald
Isabella Sylvia Elise Mckay
Molly Quinn Mckim
H. Jacob Miller
Brigham Trenor Mumford
Alexander Michael Noble
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August Alejandro Nugent
Ewan Paige O’Neil
Patrick S. O’Neill
Dora Reney Partee
Daniel Patrick Peters
Cynthia Deh Pham
Connor Michael Pichier
Theresa M. Porter
Dequan Stephen Pruc
Aron James Quimby
Elizabeth Samantha Ramirez
Gary Ann Reay
Jacobs Martin Elable
Magdelena G. RizovasStapfard
Patricia M. Roberts
Dynasty Dominika Roetert
Markel Isiaf Rose
Madeleine Marie Rubin
Tyler Otta Runhold
Jennifer Marie Russell
Makila Rose Selin
Sasha G. Sord
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Hannah Susana Sancicofug
Elle Britt Schlag
Katalin Christine Schneidewind
Haylee Ann Schoenover
Jofymín Rose Schult
Carleses Lynn Schumacher
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Alexis M. Short
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Amara Elizabeth Simmon
Brigette Gabrielle Stiles
Darnell Allen Smith
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Anna Sutliff
Jenna Marie Taphorn
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Rylee Sue Therman
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Gaelin Aedena White
Ally Lynn Williams
Payton Christopher Williams
Marvin Wills
Keroting-Marie Winter
Kyle Brianna Wisell

Bachelor of Science (Tassel: Gold, Light Blue)
Payton Elise Adkins
Taylor Machel Allen
Gabrielle Aranda Andrade
Luke A. Balassi
Dominika Monika Baranska
Jana Baumer
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Aleksander Stevenson Biggs
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COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES & SCHOOL OF ENGINEERING: UNDERGRADUATE
SATURDAY, DECEMBER 16, 2 P.M. | FIRST COMMUNITY ARENA AT THE VADALABENE CENTER

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Welcoming Remarks
P. Denise Cobb, Provost and Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs

Remarks on behalf of the SIU System
Daniel Mahony, President

Remarks from the Chancellor
James T. Minor, Chancellor

Remarks on Behalf of the Class of 2023
Trevor Ralls, Bachelor of Science in Biological Sciences

Candidates Commissioned as Second Lieutenants and Members of Honor Societies

Candidates for Baccalaureate Degrees
Kevin Leonard, Dean, College of Arts and Sciences
Cem Karacal, Dean, School of Engineering

Candidates’ names read by Robin Boyce, Associate Director for Corporate Support, WSIE FM

Conferal of Degrees
James T. Minor, Chancellor

Presentation of Graduates

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Closing Remarks
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Alma Mater: “Hail SIUE” by George Mellott
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Music by the Meridian Brass Quintet
Ceremony
Kevin Leonard, Dean

Bachelor of Arts (Tassel: Brown, Citron, Copper, Crimson, Dark Blue, Gold, Gray, Ivory, White)
Kevin Leonard, Dean

Bachelor of Fine Arts (Tassel: Brown)
Wesley Mark Barres
Shaneen Elizabeth Cargan
Halle Marie DeFlorida
Logan Michael Fisher
Koyleigh E. Hartmann
Brian Tyler Harvey**
Evan Paige O'Nail*** H
Casandra Jean Bonderberg***
Koike Eimer Schissler

Bachelor of Liberal Studies (Tassel: White)
Rachele K. Anderson
Heaven Angeria Bove
Tiffiny Dana Overson
Olivawumbi Favour Emonwlo
Courtney Haras
Kris Kennedy**
Mandy Deanna Troy Lynn
Shannon Michelle Morrow**
Amy Lynne Belta***
Mary K. Weber**

Bachelor of Music (Tassel: Pink)
Benjamin Charles Thomas Ayers
Jaeon Aaron Berta
Joshua Lewis Frueh***
Jasmine Marley Frueh***
Natalie Rose Gould*
Joshua Tyler Groh
Danii Green
Tama’Jae Tre’Vaughn Graham
Hayley Michelle Gibson
Diana Marie-Branham Geiman**
Ian Dale Fyvie
Delena Lynn Dooley
Jaslyn Carroll Dorothy
Brendon J. Estes*** H
Cassie RhiannonForley
Annie Elizabeth Fossbak
Whode R. Flyn*
Virginia A. Florek** H
Ashley Taylor Boyd
Alexie Ann Bartkus
Delana Lynn Dooley
Isabella Ann Guppy*
Madison Elizabeth Gulley*

Bachelor of Science (Tassel: Brown, Citron, Copper, Crimson, Dark Blue, Gold, Gray, Ivory, White)
Rachel Lynn Abernethy
Caitlin Shelby Adams***
Rahme Alsu**
Nicholas John Allen
Tracy Elizabeth Alvaraz***
Yazmina Velazquez
Ximena Guedes de Aparicio***
Fatemeh Barmaleki Lighvan***
Guerrino A. Babtalo
Ethan J. Bark***
Unni Baggsi Bagayoli***
Stephen Lee Beck
Koh Jeanine Bedwell
Bryana M. Blend
Enzo Bassao
Mackenzie Paige Bohnert
Briana Lee Bolyer
Lily Elizabeth Booth
Kasey Brooms***
Thomas Andrew Biew
Delton Joseph Brown
Tyonna Loren-Leachie Brown
Brakston Victer Brummet
Debrah K. Brummet
Anthony Brian Buchanan
Nathan Wayne Budd**
Andrew Henry Buetler
David Eric Carlsen
Natalya Catipon *
Mary Margaret Christ
Claire Hope丘丘*** H
Kyle Alexander Clark
Alisa Lorelei Cleveland
Shippensburg Dejean Cala*
Tanner Jan Callins
Courtnequa D. Combs

Bachelor of Social Work (Tassel: Citron)
Brandon Wes Klauber
Erika Renee Robinson
Kelsey Tameo Weich
Tamarine Saeli Hallmeer
Benjamin Timmerman Willie

COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES
Kevin Leonard, Dean

Gabriele R. Goul***
Madison Elizabeth Gulley*
Isabella Ann Guppy*
Brant Gutierrez
Lauren Elizabeth Haffner**
Samoyl Jose Hager
Emily Marie Halasy
Loren E. Harris***
Isabella Renee Hargrove
Simon Everett Harper
Dakar Antonio Harris
Jesse Bearer Harris H
Nina Ann Harris
Aaryn Kimberly Celeste Hoyt
Johnoch Mayett D’Tyrone Higgins
Heather Marie Michelle Hinrichs***
Hannah Renee Holmes
Josie Marie Hopfinger
Kerry Casey Hopkins***
Addyson B. Horfas
Kynedy C. Hunt
Marian Eric Inderring
Ashley Gabrielle Ivec
India Elizabeth James
Drew Maria Jermain
Jade N. Jones
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