# DECEMBER 14, 2008 OMMENCEMENT





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# Welcome

The IUP community extends a warm welcome to the families and friends of a verv distinguished graduating class. Over the past several years the class members have worked and studied and are now ready to begin a new chapter in their lives. For some, this will mean a job and the responsibilities of a family. For others, it will mean graduate or professional school. Whatever course their future takes, we hope that our graduates will look back on their years here as having prepared them to meet and deal with the challenges that life will present.

In today's ceremonies, we recognize more than one thousand undergraduate and graduate students for their academic achievement. The university joins parents, spouses, relatives, and friends in congratulating the graduates on their accomplishments and in wishing for them the happiness of a productive life, the respect of their fellow human beings, and the love of their families.

Best of luck and congratulations.

# Commencement

# **Indiana University** of Pennsylvania

Sunday, the Fourteenth of December, Two Thousand and **Eight** 

**Recipients of** Master's and **Doctoral Degrees** Fisher Auditorium, Ten-Thirty O'clock

**Recipients of Bachelor's and** Associate's Degrees **Memorial Field** House, One-Thirty O'clock



# The Star-Spangled Banner

O Say! Can you see, by the dawn's early light, What so proudly we hail'd at the twilight's last gleaming, Whose broad stripes and bright stars, thro' the perilous fight, O'er the ramparts we watch'd were so gallantly streaming? And the rocket's red glare, the bombs bursting in air, Gave proof thro' the night, that our flag was still there.

O, say, does that Star-Spangled Banner yet wave O'er the land of the free and the home of the brave?

# Alma Mater

To our noble Alma Mater's name We, her children, sing a joyful lay And to her a new allegiance pledge, That lives beyond a day.

Refrain: Sing, O Sing, Our Alma Mater's praise, Hail, O Hail, her colors' gleaming hue! Give to her our homage and our love And to her name be true.

Participants in the commencement procession are attired in regalia that reflects a history and heritage that can be traced to the medieval universities of the eleventh and twelfth centuries. Modern academic regalia evolved from the kinds of apparel worn by monks and students in the Middle Ages to keep warm in the medieval castles and halls in which they studied.

Academic life as we know it today began in the Middle Ages, first in the church, then in the guilds. The teaching guild was the Guild of the Master of Arts, and the Bachelor was the apprentice of the Master; their dress was the outward sign of stature and responsibility. Academic regalia was thus a visible manifestation—in color and pattern and design—that unified those of common discipline and like purpose.

In later centuries, to preserve the regalia's dignity and meaning, universities set rules of academic dress. American universities agreed on a definite system in 1895 establishing a code of approved attire. In 1932 the American Council on Education revised this code, which, for the most part, governs the style of academic dress today. The principal features of academic dress are three: the gown, the cap, and the hood.

The Gown. The flowing gown dates to the twelfth century. Many think it was worn as protection against the cold of unheated buildings. It has become symbolic of the democracy of scholarship, for it completely covers any dress of rank or social standing. It is (with a few institutional exceptions) black for all degrees. Pointed sleeves indicate the bachelor's degree; long closed sleeves with a slit in the arm, the master's degree; and round open sleeves, the doctor's degree. The gown for bachelor's or master's degrees has no trimmings; the gown for the doctorate degree is faced down the front with velvet and has three bars of velvet across the sleeves, in the color distinctive of the faculty or discipline in which the degree pertains.

The official colors of the college may also appear in the gown or its decorations. The trustees and some administrators of IUP wear gowns of slate trimmed in crimson velvet.

The Cap. The freed slave in ancient Rome won the privilege of wearing a cap. and so the academic cap is a sign of the freedom of scholarship and the responsibility and dignity with which scholarship endows the wearer. Old poetry records the cap of scholarship as square symbolizing the book, although other authorities claim that it is a mortar board, the symbol of the masons, a privileged guild. At the baccalaureate level the color of the tassel on the cap denotes the discipline. The tassel is moved from the right side of the cap to the left side upon conferral of the degree.

The Hood. In regalia, the hood is an inverted shield with one or more chevrons of a secondary color on the ground of the primary color of the college. The color of the facing of the hood denotes the discipline represented by the degree; the color of the lining of the hood designates the university or college from which the degree was granted.

The Mace is a ceremonial staff carried by the chief university marshal, who is the most senior faculty member. The chief university marshal opens and closes all academic convocations, such as Honors Convocation and Commencement. Artist and metalsmith Walter J. Kipp designed and constructed the mace for IUP in 1967. The design was created around the state seal, which was placed at the top of the mace. The large keystone which comes next symbolizes the state emblem. and on this keystone the letters IUP are placed. The handturned shaft is made of native Pennsylvania walnut.

The President's Medallion is worn by the president of Indiana University of Pennsylvania during academic convocations as a symbol of the leadership responsibilities vested in that office. The previous medallion, designed and created by professor emeritus Robert W. Hamilton, featured the university seal in a jeweled setting. Professor Hamilton fabricated that medallion in 1998 to replace the original medallion crafted by Walter J. Kipp in 1968 for the fifteenth president. William W. Hassler. The current medallion was crafted by Wendell August Forge. President Tony Atwater was the first president to be inaugurated with the current medallion.

Eberly College of Business and Information Technology-beige tassels College of Education and Educational Technology-light blue tassels College of Fine Arts-brown tassels College of Health and Human Services-green tassels and maroon tassels College of Humanities and Social Sciences-white tassels College of Natural Sciences and Mathematics-gold tassels

The following is a list of colors established by the Intercollegiate Code to represent the different departments of learning:

Maize Lilac Copper Light blue Orange Brown Russet Maroon Peacock blue Crimson Purple lemon Green Pink Apricot Silver gray White Olive green Dark blue\* Sage green Salmon pink Gold yellow Citron Gray Scarlet Sapphire

Agriculture Dentistry Economics Education Engineering Fine Arts, Architecture Forestry Home Economics Public Administration Iournalism 1 214/ Library Science Medicine Music Nursing Oratory (Speech) Arts, Letters, and Humanities Pharmacy Philosophy Physical Education Public Health Science Social Work Veterinary Science Theology or Divinity Business Administration

\*Includes Doctor of Philosophy degree in all fields except those listed here

# Honorary Degree Recipient and Commencement Speaker



Robert C. Anderson '67

Lieutenant Colonel Robert C. Anderson, USAR (Ret.), a member of IUP's Class of 1967, is an expert in psychological operations, combat stress, and terrorism. He was a 2005 recipient of the Distinguished Alumni Award presented by the IUP Alumni Association. Dr. Anderson currently serves as director of behavior medicine and bioethics for the Utah Valley Family Medicine Residency Program, but he draws from more than twenty years' experience in social work and mental health clinic settings in the U.S. Air Force.

His Air Force career has included providing training in hostage recovery for personnel who brought home hostages from captivity in the Middle East, and he responded to numerous crisis situations that included the bombing of the U.S. Marine compound in Beirut; the *Achille Lauro* hostage return; the bombing of a Pan Am Clipper over Lockerbie, Scotland; and the Gulf. President George H. W. Bush, in responding to Dr. Anderson's work with victims of international terrorism, referred to him as a "quiet hero" positive attitude is truly encouraging. I'm deeply grateful for your efforts to help Americans who have been struck by tragedy."

In the Gulf War after-action report, the United States Central Command headquarters singled Dr. Anderson out as a "notable performer" who "provided unprecedented combat stress service." He has also consulted with colleagues who responded to the U.S. Air crash outside Pittsburgh and the bombing of the federal building in Oklahoma City. He has shared show and in interviews with *Stars and Stripes* and the *Air Force Times*.

A ten-term president of the Society of Air Force Social Workers, Dr. Anderson has been honored with the Air Force Social Worker of the Year Award, the Air Force Association Humanitarian Award, six Air Force Meritorious Medals, two Air Force Achievement Medals, the National Defense Service Medal with Bronze Star, the Kuwait Liberation Medal, and the Southwest Asia Service Medal with two Bronze Stars.

His military education includes attending the U.S. Air Force Air War a Master of Arts degree from the University of Chicago, a Master of Divinity degree from McCormick Theological Seminary, and a Doctor of Education degree from Nova Southeastern University.

A native of Cheswick, Pennsylvania, he currently resides in Orem, Utah, with his wife, Bonnie, his sons, Ken and Adam, his daughters-in-law, Alison Lowen. Before becoming president of Indiana University of Pennsylvania, Tony Atwater served as provost and vice president for Academic Affairs at Youngstown State University, Youngstown, Ohio. He earned a Ph.D. in communication research from Michigan State University, where he was the recipient of a competitive doctoral fellowship. Dr. Atwater's research interest is news selection behavior in the mass media. He has published approximately thirty refereed journal articles on the subject. He completed postdoctoral study in the Department of Communication at the University of Michigan.

Dr. Atwater earned a Bachelor of Arts degree in mass media arts (*magna cum laude*) from Hampton University and a master's degree from Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University. He is the recipient of three graduate certificates in higher education administration from the Harvard Graduate School of Education.

Earlier administrative assignments included roles as dean of the College of Education at Northern Kentucky University, chairperson of the Rutgers University Department of Journalism and Mass Media, and associate vice president for Academic Affairs at the University of Toledo. Dr. Atwater's experience also includes eight years of work in radio and television as a news reporter and director. In addition to his professional work, Dr. Atwater has assumed numerous significant community leadership roles throughout his career.

During his tenure at IUP, President Atwater has assumed several leadership roles. He is a member of the Pennsylvania Economy League of Southwestern Pennsylvania Board of Directors, the International Student Exchange Program Board of Directors, and the American Council on Education's Commission on Lifelong Learning. He is a member of the Indiana County Chamber of Commerce Board of Directors, the Indiana County Center for Economic Operations, Rotary Club of Indiana, the Greater Indiana Revitalization Steering Committee, and the Indiana County Tourist Bureau.

Dr. Atwater's wife, Dr. Beverly Roberts-Atwater, received both a Ph.D. and a medical degree from Michigan State University and is in private practice as a physiatrist.

With its original 1875 building still standing at the heart of its campus, Indiana University of Pennsylvania has a long tradition of academic excellence and receives frequent accolades, including designation as one of *The Best 368 Colleges* in the 2009 edition of a Princeton Review book by that name. The university provides an intellectually challenging experience to fourteen thousand students at three campuses, all easily accessible from Pittsburgh and the Middle Atlantic region. IUP is the largest member institution of the Pennsylvania State System of Higher Education and the only one authorized to confer doctoral degrees.

Academic offerings include more than one hundred forty undergraduate programs with a variety of internship and study abroad programs, more than sixty master's degree programs, and ten doctoral degrees. Unusual opportunities for research at all levels and the Robert E. Cook Honors College provide special challenges for academic growth. The variety and quality of instruction are characteristic of a big university, yet at IUP, close, one-to-one relationships develop within the teaching framework, and a strong sense of community prevails.

Indiana University of Pennsylvania is an equal opportunity/affirmative action employer committed to excellence through diversity.



Dr. Tony Atwater, President of the University, Presiding

# The University

# **R**ecipients of Master's and Doctoral Degrees **Program\***

# **Fisher Auditorium**

Dr. Tony Atwater President of the University Presiding				
Elsa's Proces "Kanon" "Rondeau" .	Stoso from "Water Music"			
The Processional				
Triumphal M	arch from AidaGiuseppe Verdi			
IUP Brass Ensemble				
Trumpets: Horns: Trombones: Tubas:	†Kevin Eisensmith, †David Ferguson, John Powlison, Andrew Giles †John Scandrett, Emily Robinson †Christian Dickinson, Greg Chenoweth †Zach Collins, Steven Fassnacht			
Grand Marshal:	Daniel Shively			
Students' Marshals:	Donna Griffith John Mills			
<b>Welcome</b> President Atwater				
<b>National Anthem**</b> Sean Cogan Music Education Majc Torrance, Pennsylvani	n a			
<b>Invocation</b> Philip Floyd Campus Minister, Can	ipus Crusade for Christ			
Introduction of Gue President Atwater	ists			
Student Reflective				
<b>Musical Interlude</b> "Canzona Be IUP Faculty B	rgamasca"			

#### **Remarks by the Provost** Gerald Internann Provost and Vice President for Academic Affairs

#### Remarks by the Graduate Dean David L. Myers

Interim Vice Provost for Research and Dean of Graduate Studies

**Conferring of Degrees** President Atwater

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Dr. Intemann

Dr. Myers

Master's Degrees

**Doctor of Education** 

**Doctor of Philosophy** 

**Doctor of Psychology** 

**Alumni Association Greetings** Suzanne Kuhn Teele '82 President, IUP Alumni Association

**Closing Remarks** President Atwater

Benediction Mr. Floyd

Alma Mater\*\*\* Mr. Cogan

The Recessional "Ode to Joy" .....Ludwig von Beethoven

Reader: James Lenze

Graduates and Guests: Please remain seated until the platform party and faculty have recessed.

\*Please do not walk near the stage to take pictures during the program.

\*\*Graduates, guests, and faculty are requested to join in the singing of the National Anthem.

\*\*\*Graduates, guests, and faculty members are requested to join in the singing of the Alma Mater.

†Members of Hoodlebug Brass (IUP faculty members)

President Tony Atwater invites all graduates and guests to a reception in the Crimson Event Center, Folger Dining Hall, immediately following the ceremony.

The Program\*

# School of Graduate Studies and Research

David L. Myers, Interim Vice Provost for Research and Dean of Graduate Studies

Damien C. Hudson

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#### Boldface denotes awarding IUP major.

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Gulnur Efe Physics

Aurora Julia Ellerbach Food and Nutrition

Travis O. Ellis Safety Sciences

Lynne Claire Olliges Friel Nursing

Jonathan G. Gift Safety Sciences Joseph M. Gironda Sport Science

Heather Florence Hardik Food and Nutrition

Thomas L. Jones **Sport Science** 

Nina Maria Kaktins Nursing

Kyle David Kebaugh **Sport Science** 

Jacqueline Carol Kepple Speech-Language Pathology

Rvan Paul Kirsch Safety Sciences

David W. Knappenberger Safety Sciences

Yi-Ting Liao Sport Science

John Robert Mallino III Safety Sciences

Heather L. Meloy Physics

William D. Mosier Safety Sciences

Paula R. Novack **Sport Science** 

Brooke M. Pasi Sport Science

Jennifer R. Ray Safety Sciences

James Milton Rowlett Safety Sciences

Heather Lynne Ruffner Safety Sciences

Kathleen J. Rvan Safety Sciences

Janet Scott Nursing

Theresa M. Shaffer Safety Sciences

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Todd W. Shobert Sport Science

Valerie K. Steffy Nursing

Michael E. Studeny Nursing

Shawn Michael Sunderlin Safety Sciences

Linda Cappone Waddell Nursing

Pamela Ann Wilson Nursing

Katherine M. Wolfe Nursing

Majed Metri Zreigat Safety Sciences

December 12, 2008 David Shaun Andrews Sport Science

Chhaya Anugra Ashwinbhai Sport Science

Jaime C. Bender Sport Science

Patel Bhavinkumar Bhogilal Sport Science

Christopher A. Biller Safety Sciences

Patel Pinky Bipinchandra Sport Science

Germain A. Burkhart Safety Sciences

Aaron Scott Burkle Geography

Dori L. Campbell Food and Nutrition

Yanlu Cao Biology

Neelam Hariharprasad Chaudhary Sport Science

Anagha Cherian Sport Science

Andrea K. Coleman Nursing

Tecarie M. Czarnecki Science for Disaster Response

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Archana Dineshbhai Goswami Sport Science

Vinay Singh Hajela Sport Science

Zachary Thomas Irvine Science for Disaster Response

David Robert Kirchner Chemistry

Kristen Lee Kosaber 12 Geography

Ko Li-Chen **Sport Science** 

Brian Keith Linderman Physics

Donna Kaye Liston Nursing

Jared Christopher Mever **Safety Sciences** 

Emily Estalyn Myers Safety Sciences

Durva Upendrakumar Patel Sport Science

Edward Joseph Petronsky Geography

Matthew C. Puz, Jr. Geography

Patel Dhruv Raiesh Sport Science

Paul Scott Rossman, Jr. **Applied Mathematics** 

Jeffrey William Rupert Chemistry

Shraddha Maheshkumar Shah Sport Science

Robert A. Stahl **Sport Science** 

Nicholas Salvatore Sunseri **Safety Sciences** 

Desai Anand Tarunkumar Sport Science

Patel Jigar Vitthalbhai Sport Science

Justin Nathaniel Warren **Sport Science** 

Clinton V. Weicksel Safety Sciences

Jennifer Christine Wester Biology

Shawna Marie Woodward Food and Nutrition

Education Specialist Certificate

August 7, 2008 Laura L. Felton School Psychology

Graduate Certificate of Recognition

August 7, 2008 Matthew D. Kraus Safety Sciences

# **Doctorates and Dissertations**

Dissertation: A Study of the Response to Accountability

and Standardized Testing in a State University System:

Dissertation: Determining the Relative Efficiency of the

of Higher Education Using Data Envelopment Analysis

Fourteen Universities of the Pennsylvania State System

Dissertation: Casting for Leadership Talent: The Voices of

Dissertation: Virtue Under Fire: Leadership Attributes

Dissertation: Preparing Future Leaders: Principals'

Consortium Standards and Knowledge Indicators

Dissertation: The Impact of Retention on Student

Retained and Socially Promoted Fifth Graders

Administration and Leadership Studies

Attain the Doctorate of Physical Therapy

Administration and Leadership Studies

Administration and Leadership Studies

Perceptions of the Interstate School Leaders Licensure

Educational Outcomes: A Five Year Study of a Group of

Dissertation: The Impact of Student Involvement in the

the Leadership Practices of First Year College Students

Dissertation: Analysis of Motivation and Demographic

Dissertation: Lift Every Voice and Sing: A Gospel Choir

Participation Experience and the Persistence of African

American Students at a Predominately White University

Factors that Influence Physical Therapists' Decisions to

First Year Seminar and Other College Experiences on

Predictive Models, Gatekeeping Strategies, and

**Administration and Leadership Studies** 

Administration and Leadership Studies

Administration and Leadership Studies

Dissertation: Towards a Grammar of Leadership

Six Successful Women in the Banking Industry

Administration and Leadership Studies

Administration and Leadership Studies

Administration and Leadership Studies

Doctor of Education

Intervention in Teacher Education

August 7, 2008

**Mary Lynn Barton** 

Frederick R. Chandler

**Daniel Henry Clark** 

Diane D. Galbraith

Robert Doyle Gibson

**Deborah Anne Houck** 

School Psychology

**Corey Allen King** 

**Craig Ethan Ruby** 

Kahan Sablo

Mark A. Gross

Required in 21st Century Combat

#### **Kirsten Leigh Stiffler**

Dissertation: Adolescents and Anger: An Investigation of Variables that Influence the Expression of Anger School Psychology

#### Madhavi Williams

Dissertation: Components of Self-Regulated Learning in High School Students with Learning Disabilities School Psychology

### December 12, 2008

Edith M. Geleskie Dissertation: Advisors' Perceptions of Barriers to a Smooth Transition from a Community College to a Fourvear University Administration and Leadership Studies

#### Shannon Leigh Harmon

Dissertation: Palm Form Recognition Task on the Ouick Neurological Screening Test-II: Revisiting Issues of Clinical Sensitivity School Psychology

#### Nancy J. Hines

Dissertation: Counseling Homosexual Students in the Secondary School Setting: Perceptions of Guidance Counselors

### Administration and Leadership Studies

#### **Audene Harvey Johnson**

Dissertation: Minority Recruitment at School Psychology Graduate Programs School Psychology

#### Sally King-Shanahan

Dissertation: The Effects of Supplemental Instruction in Phonological Awareness on the Skills of Kindergarten Students

School Psychology

#### Monty L. McAdoo Dissertation: A Case Study of Faculty Perceptions of Information Literacy and Its Integration into the Curriculum

Administration and Leadership Studies

#### Patricia T. Mulroy

Dissertation: School Related Factors and Experiences that Influence High School Graduation Rate Administration and Leadership Studies

#### Tara Egan Nusz

Dissertation: Current Practices in Functional Behavioral Assessment: A National Survey of School Psychologists School Psychology

#### **Robin L. Quick**

Dissertation: An Investigation of Faculty Knowledge and Perceptions Toward College Students with Reading and Writing Difficulties **Curriculum and Instruction** 

#### Lillie M. Sipp

Dissertation: Meeting the Challenge of No Child Left Behind: Implementation of a Statewide Collaborative Intervention Plan in Two Urban Schools **Curriculum and Instruction** 

#### Mark R. Stewart

Dissertation: Autobiographical Narratives of Haitian Adolescents Separated from their Parents by Immigration: Resilience in the Face of Difficulty School Psychology

#### **Cathleen Wierzbowski**

Dissertation: Portraits in Longterm Family Caregiving Administration and Leadership Studies

### **Doctor of Philosophy** August 7, 2008

#### Beatriz Amaya-Anderson

Dissertation: Film in Compostion: Developing Critical Thinking Skills Through the Study of Film in First-Year Composition English

#### Renae R. Applegate House

Dissertation: Trinity of Consciousness: Body, Mind, Soul and Female Identity in the Novels of Gail Godwin English

#### Keith J. Bell

Dissertation: Intimate Partner Violence on Campus: A Test of Social Learning Theory Criminology

# Katherine E. Shryock Hood

Dissertation: On Beyond Boo! Horror Literature for Children English

# Holly Sue Hudspath-Niemi

Dissertation: Historical Case Study of ESL Staff Development for Mainstream Content Area Teachers in a English

#### Esra Kilicci

Dissertation: J.D. Salinger's Characters as Existential Heroes: Encountering 1950s America English

#### Gail Marie Noel

Dissertation: Mother and Teacher Interaction in Preschools during Parent-Teacher Conferences Administration and Leadership Studies

# Yong-Nam Park

Dissertation: "The Melting Pot Where Nothing Melted": The Politics of Subjectivity in the Plays of Suzan-Lori Parks, Wendy Wasserstein, and Tony Kushner

# Abdelmeneim Fahmy Mostafa Soliman

Abdeimenenin Faining mostaria somman Dissertation: The Changing Role of Arabic In Religious Discourse: A Sociolinguistic Study of Egyptian Arabic

#### December 12, 2008

### Aishia D. Bailey

Dissertation: Speaking Through Stereotypes: A Comparative Study of Black Women's Performance Styles in Selected American Films English

# Adcharawan Buripakdi

Dissertation: Thai English as Discourse of Exclusion and Resistance: Perspectives of Thai Professional Writers on the Notion of Thai English English

# Alison Siobhan Burke

Dissertation: Gender and Justice: An Examination of Policy and Practice Regarding Judicial Waiver Criminology

# Benie Bruner Colvin

Dissertation: Passing the Story: A Study of Personal Memoirs - Letters, Recipes, and Quilts English

# Frank W. Concilus

Dissertation: Discursive Constructions of Korean Identity: University EIL Learners in an Online Community English

### Kamal Ud Din

Dissertation: Mother Utters: Struggle and Subversion in the Works of Gwendolyn Brooks English

# Diana L. Falco

Dissertation: Assessing Students' Views Towards Punishment: A Comparison of Punitiveness Among Criminology and Non-Criminology Students Criminology

# **David Allen Holland**

Dissertation: An Assessment of Trust Orientation and Leadership Trust of Licensed Nursing Home Administrators in the State of Pennsylvania Administration and Leadership Studies

# Rebecca J. Howell

Dissertation: Sequencing and Prediction of Adolescent Soft Drug Initiative Soft Drug Initiation: Systematic Review, Quantitative Investigation, and Dual Cross-Validation Criminology

# Zainab Mohamed Jabur

Dissertation: A Qualitative Study of Omani Muslim Women's Day Women's Perceived Experiences as Writers in English as a Second Language English

# Lynne Jordan Tucker Jefferson

Dissertation: The Emergence of a Pioneer: The Manipulation Manipulation: The Emergence of a Pioneer: The Women's Novele Women's Novels English

#### Peggy L. Johnson

Dissertation: A Pedagogy of Love: Exploring Emotions, Spirit and Intellect in the Basic Writing Classroom English

#### **Catherine Davis Marcum**

Dissertation: Adolescent Online Victimization: A Test of Routine Activities Theory Criminology

#### Angelique Hobbs Medvesky

Dissertation: Faulty Vision and Hearing in the Novels of Anne Tyler English

#### Laurie S. Miller

Dissertation: Willa Cather's Journalism and Fiction: Romancing the Facts English

#### Mehmet Alper Sozer

Dissertation: Assessing the Performance of Community Policing: The Effect of Community Policing Practices on Crime Rates Criminology

# **Doctor of Psychology** August 7, 2008

# **Brian Jeffrey Allen**

Dissertation: The Relationship of Physical Discipline and Psychological Maltreatment in Childhood to the Use of Dysfunctional Tension-Reducing Behaviors in Adulthood: The Mediating Role of Self-Capacities **Clinical Psychology** 

**Charity Beth Wilkinson** Dissertation: Unwanted Sex Versus Rape: How the **Jamie Erin Brass** Dissertation: Psychological Benefits of Water Aerobics Language Used to Describe Sexual Assault Impacts Perceptions of Perpetrator Guilt, Victim Blame and for Fibromyalgia Patients Reporting **Clinical Psychology** Clinical Psychology

#### **Danielle Rose DeLong**

Dissertation: The Effect of Active Learning Exercises on Academic Performance and Nonintellectual Learning Factors

#### **Clinical Psychology**

#### Sarah E. Dietz

Dissertation: University Faculty's Response to Student **December 12, 2008** Loss by Death or Romantic Break-up Stephen Paul Fink **Clinical Psychology** Dissertation: Hopkins Verbal Learning Test-Revised: Standardization Data of Percentage Retention and Jenna Lynn Dubbs Comparison of Retention Rates with Logical Memory Dissertation: Parent Stress Reduction Through a Subtests of the Wechsler Memory Scales - Revised Psychosocial Intervention for Children Diagnosed with **Clinical Psychology** 

Attention-Deficit/Hyperactivity Disorder **Clinical Psychology** 

#### Ryan P. Dunne

Dissertation: The Need for Training Teachers About Childhood Psychiatric Disorders in Rural Pennsylvania **Clinical Psychology** 

Amy	Ε.	Ford

- Dissertation: The Effects of Two-way Mirrors, Video Cameras, and Observation Teams on Clients' Judgments of the Therapeutic Relationship Clinical Psychology
- **Keith Alan Francoeur** Dissertation: The Relationship Between the Five-Factor Model of Personality and Leadership Preferences for Initiating Structure and Consideration Clinical Psychology
  - Scarlett Karen Jett Dissertation: Impact of Exposure to Pro-Eating Disorder Websites on Body Dissatisfaction and Eating Behavior in College Women Clinical Psychology

Tiffani Dawn Morgan Dissertation: An Examination of the Anxiolytic Effects of Interaction with a Therapy Dog

**Clinical Psychology** 

Jennifer Ann Simansky Dissertation: Rural Adolescent Perceptions of the Availability and Accessibility of Substance Abuse Treatment **Clinical Psychology** 

Katrina Ann Simpson-McCleary Dissertation: Gender Education and Training in Doctoral Level Psychology Programs: An Exploratory Investigation Clinical Psychology

Victoria Moore Zeiger Dissertation: Screening for Autism Spectrum Disorders: Pediatric Practices Eight Years after Publication of Practice Guidelines **Clinical Psychology** 

# **R**ecipients of **B**achelor's and **A**ssociate's **Degrees Program\***

# **Memorial Field House**

#### The Program\*

Dr. Tony Atwater President of the University Presiding

# Prologue

IUP Brass Ensemble Allegro maestoso from <i>Water Music</i> Elsa's Procession from <i>Lohengrin</i> "Kanon" "Rondeau"	G. F. Handel Richard Wagner Pachelbel
"Trumpet Voluntary"	Jean Joseph Mouree

# The Processional

Triumphal March from Aida	Giuseppe Verdi
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# **IUP Brass Ensemble**

irumpets:	tKevin Eisensmith, David Ferguson,
Horns: Trombones:	John Powlison, Andrew Giles †John Scandrett, Emily Robinson †Christian Dickinson, Greg Chenoweth †Zach Collins, Steven Fassnacht

Grand Marshal: Daniel Shively

Column Marshals: Barbara Blackledge James Hooks Richard Lamberski Ray Winstead

Students' Marshals: John Mills David Chambers

Welcome President Atwater

# National Anthem\*\* Sean Cogan Music Education Major Torrance, Pennsylvania

Invocation Linda Ference Christian Coalition Outreach Campus Minister

Introduction of Guests President Atwater

Student Reflective Statement Nour Arnaout Human Resources Management Sidon, Lebanon

Musical Interlude 

# **Remarks by the Provost**

Gerald Internann Provost and Vice President for Academic Affairs

# **Conferral of Honorary Degree on Robert Anderson**

#### **Commencement Remarks** Robert Anderson '67

**Conferring of Degrees** President Atwater

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Dr. Intemann

# **Bachelor's Degrees**

Michael Hood, Dean, College of Fine Arts John Eck, Dean, College of Natural Sciences and Mathematics Robert Camp, Dean, Eberly College of Business and Information Technology

Carleen Zoni, Dean, College of Health and Human Services Yaw Asamoah, Dean, College of Humanities and Social Sciences Mary Ann Rafoth, Dean, College of Education and Educational Technology

**Conferral of Posthumous Degree** President Atwater

Granting of Military Commission Lieutenant Colonel Sidney C. Zemp

# Alumni Association Greetings Suzanne Kuhn Teele '82

President, IUP Alumni Association

**Closing Remarks** President Atwater

Benediction Ms. Ference

Alma Mater\*\*\* Mr. Cogan

# The Recessional "Ode to Joy" .....Ludwig von Beethoven

Readers: Carleen Zoni David Chambers

Graduates and Guests: Please remain seated until the platform party and faculty have recessed.

\*Please do not walk onto the floor to take pictures during the program.

\*\*Graduates, guests, and faculty are requested to join in the singing of the National Anthem. \*\*\*Graduates, guests, and faculty members are requested to join in the singing of the Alma Mater. †Members of Hoodlebug Brass (IUP faculty members)

President Tony Atwater invites all graduates and guests to a reception in the Crimson Event Center, Folger Hall, immediately following the ceremony.

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# Candidates for Degrees

Asterisks denote Latin honors for first-time bachelor's degree candidates as follows:

- \*\*\* Summa Cum Laude 3.75 to 4.00
- Magna Cum Laude 3.50 to 3.74
- Cum Laude 3.25 to 3.49

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Asterisks denote non-Latin honors for associate's degree candidates as follows:

- \*\*\* With Highest Honor 3.75 to 4.00
- \*\* With High Honor 3.50 to 3.74
- With Honor 3.25 to 3.49

Graduation honors are tentative and are based upon the cumulative grade-point average after conclusion of the student's next-to-last semester. Final honors for these graduates will be noted after final cumulative grade-point averages have been calculated.

Averages are determined on the basis of the following: 4=A; 3=B; 2=C.

The appearance of a name on this program is not a valid indication of graduation. The diploma of the university and an official transcript, signed and sealed by the proper officers, provide authentic testimony to the conferring of a degree.

The following students have completed their first bachelor's degree program with a perfect 4.0 grade point average:

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# Eberly College of Business and Information Technology

Robert C. Camp, Dean

#### Accounting

Bachelor of Science August 7, 2008 Natalie J. Glaser \* Christopher Anthony Scianna

#### December 12, 2008

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Business Education Bachelor of Science in Education December 12, 2008 Brittany Lynn Brown \*

Business Technology Support Bachelor of Science August 7, 2008 William Collins Andrew Victor Marino

December 12, 2008 Chrystom Ciganko Derek Bayne McQuillen Nina Marie Segreti Ian Joseph Uher

#### Finance Bachelor of Science August 7, 2008 Kristopher J. Anderson \* Stacy Lynn Bolette Bryrony Leah Foltz \*\* Lisa F. Keller

Lisa F. Keller Richard Jeremy Wagner

### December 12, 2008

Anson L. Chonko \*\* Spencer Davis Crane Michael Louis Vincent Guido Jennifer Marie Jendrejeski \* Daniel Andrew Konitsky Menelik Girma Mekonnen Michael Paul Mentch Richard Jarrod Owens \*\*\* Hitesh R. Panchal Kalina Dawn Perrin \*\* Christopher Orestes Spigelmeyer \*\* James Joseph Zager, Jr. \*

#### Human Resource Management Bachelor of Science August 7, 2008 Omega Zoey Elizabeth Gamble

December 12, 2008 Nour Fadi Arnaout \*\*\* Christine Renee Bylina Melissa Sue Dodd \* Beth Elaine Dougherty Maureen Riley Field Debra Lynn Metzger Kathleen A. Zayachak

#### International Business Bachelor of Science

August 7, 2008 Anthony Justinian Angellotto Boris Gadzaov \* Ryan Scott Gallagher \* JaColby L. Kent \* Tamerlan A. Lazarov Yen-Tze Lim Alibek Totrazovich Torchinov

# December 12, 2008

Mathias Jean Barlat Mer Vynn Chan Lauren Lindsay Hixson \* Matthew James Kozlovac Dikesh Patel Soo Ken Wei

# 4.0 Grade Point Average Bachelor's Degree

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#### Management Information Systems Bachelor of Science

#### August 7, 2008

Anthony Joseph Arduini Jeffrey D. Gentile Joseph M. Renaldi, Jr. Shannon Elizabeth Schreiner

#### December 12, 2008

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#### \*\* Management/ Entrepreneurship and Small Business Bachelor of Science August 7, 2008

Sean Louis Christiansen Jay D. Girlardo Jason Matthew Kaczynski Jon Patrick Killian David Michael Leuschel Vincent Angelo Minella Sandy Marie Pavlick

### December 12, 2008

Kurt Bingaman Seth Ronald Bullers Cory Wade Chicoine Riley Scott Hayden Nathan David Johnston Blade Ramsrud Jacob Samuel Russell Kevin Joseph Saftner \* Anthony Athanasios Stilianidis

#### Management/General Bachelor of Science August 7, 2008

William Michael Foster \*\*\* Kurt Wade Frank Travis Joseph Harper Jason Michael Liebert Joseph J. Olszewski Robert Edward Pearsall Thomas Andrew Polenik McCall Christine Robinson Andrew M. Shantz Brian L. Wallace

#### December 12, 2008

Erik J. Aikins Makia Cheree Blve Paul Joseph Butters Maggie Jane Doyle Philip L. Eisner III Zachary R. Erdeljac Mark D. Fink Cody W. Flick Christopher Shawn Gardner Tamika Rochelle Gwinn Allvson Mackenzie Hale \*\*\* Eric T. Kerr Garrett James Lestochi Jessica Marie Lutz Ricki Jo Miller Christy Lynn Ooten Alison Phillips \* Elise Marie Pulice Kelli L. Rodriguez Maurice Gene Scott

#### Management/General/ Pre-Law Bachelor of Science December 12, 2008 Willus Stanley Holmes III

#### Management/Operations Bachelor of Science August 7, 2008 Dillon Charles McGough Laura L. Price

#### December 12, 2008 Joshua James Hileman

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# Marketing Bachelor of Science

August 7, 2008 Mark Sterling Anderson Douglas E. Bannon, Jr. Brendan James Bash Alisa Marie Bigelow \*\*\* Amanda Marie Brendlen Jillian Kate Brennecke Thomas Edward Brighton III Mark Robert Capriotti Meagan Beth Christner Shane Matthew Conlan Jonathan C. Dale David Dascenzo, Jr. Ashleigh Marie Dunaway Christopher J. Ferrogine Camille Jo Galmarini Sharmaine L. Gamble Nathan L. Hyde \*\* Abraham Aleksandr Jaussen Heather L. Johnson Michael Philip Kitko Angela N. Kline Emma Rochelle Kovanic \* Benjamin Jacob Kyle John Celestine Lang, Jr. Ashley Gayle Madison Steven A. Marchitelli Heather Lynn Martin Nicole Ann Mort Jeffrey Michael Murlatt David Douglas Nicholson

Dale Lamar Olnev II \*\* Randall Francis Pearsall Loren Paige Pribish \*\*\* Kyle James Ranney Shayne William Schmidt \* Samuel J. Seymour Emmanuel Oluwole-Damilola Sofolawe Chaz Rocco Tallerico Nahimat K. Umar Matthew Brandon Vandervort Lakin Nicole Walp Toby Landen Whitmore

#### December 12, 2008

Calvin Craig Anderson, Jr. Stephanie Lynn Barker Ian John Bennett Seth Michael Goodlin Kyle Steven Hennessey \*\*\* Huang Huang Justin Lee Johnston Ryan W. Kelley Megan Marie Koontz Thomas Frances Leedecke Joseph F. McHugh Matthew Sean Patton Matthew John Pochak Matthew Gallagher Rattigan Amber Louise Ream Matthew Brian Rosenberger Andrew James Sarsfield David R. Schumacher \* Brock Anthony Ward Christopher Robert Williams



# **College of Education and Educational** Technology

Mary Ann Rafoth, Dean

#### **Communications Media** Bachelor of Science

August 7, 2008 Nicole M. Bader \* Alan Robert Bish \* Lauren Marie Bollack \* Bryan Joseph Boyle Maryanne Elizabeth Brown \*\*\* Meghan Christine Buckingham \*\*\* Jaclyn Casey Sylvia Crystal Choi \* Frank A. Ciavarra Brett James Cogley Aleya L. Crable \* Stacey Nicole Deitle \*\* Vincent DeSantis Sara Elizabeth DiPaola Mark B. Ferrance Abhiroop Ghosh Nadirah R. Goldstein Brittany Elyse Graham \* Robin Farrell Griffin Shaneice Nakiya Grobes Scott Emil Haberle \* Phillip Michael Thomas Hartranft Jason Andrew Heckman Dorothy Mae Hillard \*\*\* Erica S. Hilliard Ben Stefan Hoffmeister Elyse Holben \* Meredith Homze Christopher J. Kelly Laura Patricia Kelly \*\* Bradley King Jason Regis Lebder Rina C. Longstreet Anthony Louis Massaro III Alexander Russell McDonald Sarah K. McLain Ryan P. McLaughlin \* Carly Rae McLeod \* M. Wade Million \*\* Ryan T. Mullen Leighton Panagos Noone Emily A. Omiatek Craig Michael Petersen Anthony Dominic Previte Nicole S. Reese Kayleigh Marie Reichert Adam Lee Ripple Chris Andrew Rohrbaugh Gilberto Santos Jonas M. Scanga Daniel L. Schohn Amber Nicole Schulman \*\* Janet Marie Shinski Kelley Marie Simon \* Megan E. Spezialetti Dennis Leon Stinchcomb, Jr. \*\* Daniel J. Tartaglione Toni G. Thorn

Robert John Vecchiolli, Jr. Sheldon Louis Walker Lindsay Marie Ward \* Kathryn Grace Wygant Colleen Marie Yarbrough Brandon L. Yoder Kathryn K. Yohe ' Stacy Rae Zuk

#### December 12, 2008

Alvssa Renee Baldwin Anthony Kent Barnes, Jr. Matthew Francis Beucker \*\* Christopher Kelley Blose \*\* Dylan H. Cohen \* Matthew Adam Cohen lack Finigan Davis Ernest T. Easter Jaclyn Emershaw Landon F. Garside Scott Richard Grandrino \*\* Samuel R. Hakes \* Kraig Robert Russell Hamilton Lucy Ann Hazelet Ashton Laine Jersey Nathaniel Drew Kimmel Gabrielle Marie LePard Ronald S. Lewis Samuel Arthur MacDonald William Charles McCord II Chaz M. McGill Jennifer Elizabeth Norton \*\*\* Donte Marquise Palmer Lindsay Jean Schulte Norbert E. Shaffer, Jr. Julie Ann Shreve \*\*\* Desirae Shiree Slaugh Matthew Spangler \* Craig A. Taylor Jonnee Marquita Tonsel Andrea A. Trdina

#### **Disability Services Bachelor of Science** August 7, 2008 Nicole Elaine Quinn

December 12, 2008 Clarissa Lynn Amond \*\*\* Daniel D. Cook \*\*

Education of Deaf and Hard of Hearing Persons Bachelor of Science in Education December 12, 2008 Leo B. Vollbracht \*\*

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### Education of Exceptional Persons Bachelor of Science in Education

December 12, 2008 Kelly Marie Bober \*\* Michael E. Carney Kathryn Kristine Clark \*\*\* Beverly Ann Harvey \*\*\* Ashley Jene Hood

Adrianna Marie Riccio \*

### **Elementary Education** Bachelor of Science in Education

### December 12, 2008

Lyndsey Michelle Carneval \* Natasha N. Cochran \*\*\* Sarah Elizabeth Coleman \*\* Elizabeth Anne Ferri-Harding \* Douglas W. Francart \* Alex Lee Goshey \*\*\* Ashley Rebekah Hanson \*\* Laura Elizabeth Henry \*\* Christi Lynn Istanich \*\*\* Nathan John Keller \*\* William John Krenitsky III \* Tyson Lee Martz \*\*\* Joelene Sarah McCabe \* Tonya Noel McDowell \*\* Leslie Suzanne Meinert \*\*\* Britain Nicole Metz \* Tracy E. Neff \*\* Tanya Marie Pearce \*\*\* Alison Patricia Pierce \*\* Karvl A. Piper \*\* Melissa Ann Prilla \*\*\* Ashley Richard \*\*\* Rachel Robitzer \*\* F. Neal Ruffner III \*\* Crystal Lynn Sachs \*\*\* Dayna Lee Savko \*\*\* Shelah Elaine Scalise \*\*\* Lori Pearl Soltis \*\*\* Amanda Mae Steele \* Stephanie Elizabeth Stemple \*\* Mindy Lynn Stormer \*\*\* Courtney Thompson \*\* Amanda Nicole Walters \*\* Nicole Louise Wilson \* Stephen William Yeager \*\*

#### **Elementary Education/** Urban Bachelor of Science in Education August 7, 2008 Amanda Katherine Lee \*

#### General Studies Associate of Arts August 7, 2008

Zachery Kenneth Elkin Ashlev Marie Swidarski Nicole Marie Zimmerman

December 12, 2008 Cale Y. Clemente Lucas A. Sebastian †

#### **General Studies** Bachelor of Science August 7, 2008

Seinab Busayo Adekanmbi Joshua Aguirre Constance Lynn Dilts Lisa Marie Macri Dawn Michelle Pfahl \*\*

# December 12, 2008

Joshua David Adamchik \* Karen Louise Mathe \*\*

#### Speech-Language Pathology and Audiology Bachelor of Science in Education August 7, 2008

Danielle Ashlev Appel \*\* William Darrel Bellas Erin Kristina MacKenzie Keller \*\*\* Kristen N. Laszlo \*\*

### December 12, 2008

Tara Lynne Hogan \*\*\* Danielle Nicole Sevbold \*\*\*

### Vocational Technical Education Bachelor of Science in Education

December 12, 2008 William E. Geisweidt \* Jeffrey Regis Meidinger \*\*\*

# **College of Fine Arts**

# Michael J. Hood, Dean

#### Art Education Bachelor of Science in Education December 12, 2008

Marc Jeffrey Baker \*\* Thomasina Antoinette Durkay \*\* Amanda R. Fettro \*\* Hillary Marie Frerotte Anne L. Lyons Jennifer Louise Miller Heather Joy O'Rourke Natalie Anne Poldiak Kathryn Antoinette Searfoss \*\*\* Justin Edward Tauber \*\* Douglas Wayne Thomas \* Keith Richard Troxell \*\*

#### Art Studio Bachelor of Fine Arts December 12, 2008 Courtney Jean Cullen Kristin Lynn Provident

Art/History Bachelor of Arts August 7, 2008

Christy R. Detwiler

#### Art/Studio Bachelor of Arts August 7, 2008 Jessica Kay Evans \*\*

December 12, 2008 Jessica Evans Horner Kaitlin Renee Kapustik Matthew Adam Madonna \*

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#### Music Education Bachelor of Science in Education

December 12, 2008 Maria Margaret Ackley \*\*\* Bradley Scott Behr \* Kasandra Jo Blose Adam Thomas Bukosky \* Elissa Ann Davis \* Christopher Stephan Duboy Kevin G. Haile \*\* Michael Alexander Jones \*\* Michael Patrick Jones \* Andrew Paul Klick \*\*\* Sara N. Marhefka Christopher Michael McAllister \*\* Nicole Elizabeth Neidlinger \*\*\* Andrew P. Whisler \*

### Theater Bachelor of Arts August 7, 2008

Anna Janelle Ellermeyer \* Seth Ryan Golden Theresa Maureen Huber \*\* Christine Alice Kahler Mara Kristine Letterle

# December 12, 2008

Sarah Caitlin Fritz Rose Ellen Segel Melissa Rene Starkey \* Ryan M. Winder †



# **College of Health and Human Services**

Carleen C. Zoni, Dean

#### Athletic Training Bachelor of Science December 12, 2008 Tracy Jill Sukoneck

### Child and Family Studies Bachelor of Science

August 7, 2008 Nichole Marie Antonucci Nicole Lynn Barelich Natasha Tiffany Crissey Carrie Lynn Elwood Vanessa Elizabeth Gregorakis \*\* Marilyn Sue Haggerty Yvonne Sharee Hancock Kara Jacqueline McCall Melissa Ann Murphy Kristin Nicole Nosel Diane K. Rocheleau \* Brandy Lynn Shirley \* Lindsey Teresa Simoni Jessica Claire Stanley Katrina Marie Vehovic Ashley Nicole Worthy Elizabeth Joyce Wright

#### December 12, 2008

Shanna Marie Dancy Allison M. Falco Katie Lynn Hillegas Danielle Christine Hooper Erica Dawn Hoover Gorpu Kermenee Miller Michele Elizabeth Moulton Meghan Bethany Rising Nichole A. Therit \*\* Britney DaRelle Trawick Kristy Lynn Waltemire Erica Dawn Walter Adlina Seira Wibowo

### Clinical Laboratory Science Bachelor of Science August 7, 2008

Stacie Lynne Kobylanski \* Ashley Nicole Reigh

# Criminology Bachelor of Arts August 7, 2008

Joseph D. Barna Eric E. Boring Michael T. Branthoover Jonathan Eugene Brenza Michael Curtis Condit Geoffrey Ward Cotton \* Marc James Delbusso Daniel T. Eddy Steven Joseph Firment Robert Vincent Gambone Kimberly Anne Garrison \* Caleb Paul Geidel Esther Marie Harris \*\*\* Frederick William Hartz \* Brian Alexander Hill Marcus Anthony Howling Marques Derrell Hughes Christee Laken Diane Humble \*\* Omari Manu Jackson Selena Leanne Johnson John Michael Kelly Jonathan James Krider Christopher Joseph Lamping Jason Aaron Muscatello \*\*\* Jermaine C. Nicholas Sr. Melissa Anne Orsargos Anthony Allen Seybold \* Philip Jonathan Siverd Casey Lynn Tymensky Robert Milligan Wilson

### December 12, 2008

Marc Andrew Bailey \*\*\* Donald Lin Barch, Jr. \* Michael Anthony Benney Myles Francis Bizub Shkieshia D. Brooks Bridget Maria Bufagna Karen A. Buhman \*\* Terry Joe Cramer \* Megan Elizabeth Dale Richard Matthew Dethlefs \* John Joseph Dreskler \*\* Amy Lynn Dunkel Jordan Marie Faust \* Cory Elizabeth Fritz Courtney Louise Jackson \* Amanda Rae Johnson Alexandria E. Kennedy \*\*\* Kelsey Lynn King Mark Clayton Lemmon Gregory V. Livesey, Jr. Sarah Lynne Loheyde Brian Joseph Lucas Nicholas Joseph Mangini Justin Richard Panian Thomas Charles Pritchard \*\*\* Anthony Michael Ray Amanda Elizabeth Rowe \* Eric J. Schepner Nathan Eric Wolverton \* David M. Wondoloski

### Criminology/Pre-Law Bachelor of Arts August 7, 2008

August 7, 2000 Brian Michael Horvath \* Jonathan Cord Kelly \*\* Christina Linette Lee Alonna Lisa Myers Matthew Ryan O'Malley Megan Marie Utzler

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#### December 12, 2008

Sarah Sima Bahrami Robert Richard Barnes III \*\* Andrew Mario Fratangeli Ryan Christopher Hughes Erin Lea Moore-Bashline Jason Brian Richards \* Alexander Rodriguez Mark William Shaffer \*\*\* Monique Lynee Veney Thomas Peter Voorhees II

#### Family and Consumer Sciences Education Bachelor of Science in Education December 12, 2008

Chloe Beers \* Megan Hales \*\*\* Courtney Elizabeth Lutz Annamarie M. Moeslein Jessica Diane Moore Amanda Rae O'Connor \*\* Stacy Michelle Raska Tara Lynn Ridenour Renee Nicole Saylor \*\* Rebecca June Shenkle \*\* Randi Jean Short \* Maureen Victoria Skelly \*\*\*

#### Fashion Merchandising Bachelor of Science August 7, 2008

Justine Mary Allen Jade M. Anthony \*\* Kristen Leigh Cope \* Shawn Michael Evans Jamie Lee Farris Samantha F. Gebhard Hilary Elizabeth Hughes Kellie J. Just Jenna Kelch Jill Marie Mohney \* Denise A. Mostella Amanda Kaye West Lauren Elizabeth Wise

#### December 12, 2008

Nathan Andrew Behling Kayleen A. Bellas Jessica Davidson Karyn Marie Goldsworthy \*\*\* Gianna Anntwanette Gossett-Yellock Joanne K. Kim Elizabeth Terese Simyak Danielle Denise Spruill

#### Health and Physical Education Bachelor of Science in Education

December 12, 2008 Lauren Ann Bartling Michaela Lee Bigley \* Anthony Joseph Cellitti \*\*\* Brennen Lee Dayton Suzanne Michelle Gray \*\* Jeremy Jon Miller \* Janel Pauline Paffie \*\* Michael Joseph Richards, Jr. Jennifer Susan Rodgers \*\*\* Sara E. Tripoli \* Bryan J. Vitali \*\*\* Adam James Young \*

#### Hospitality Management Bachelor of Science August 7, 2008

David James Burch \*\* Caitlin Shannon Durett \* Nicole Ferraiolo Mark Christopher Gorshin Joshua A. Gross Emily Elizabeth Harbaugh Katie Ann Hornberger Meghan Marie Houseal Michael David Koebler Jessica C. Petti Thomas Michael Phifer \* Kristen M. Riker Michael Raymond Rotenberger Amir B. Shabazz Anthony Signore \* Cleary Moira Taylor \* Laurrae E. Van Sickle Rachel Lynn Yeager Erica A. Zaccagni Michael Phillip Zepp, Jr. Sarah B. Zurney \*\*

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December 12, 2008 Colleen Elizabeth Glenn Jade Allise Jubec Melissa Ann Luczka Samantha Lynn Mox Margreta Mary Storey \*\*

#### Nuclear Medicine Technology Bachelor of Science August 7, 2008 Suzanne Eleanor Creps \*\* Chelsea Danielle Kane Megan Jane McCurdy \*\* Binh H. Nguyen \* John M. Schwartz Emily Erin Thorwart

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Michael George Kosco Jessica Anne Lucas Samantha Rose Melius Jamie Lea Morrison Marc Joseph Scullin

#### Nursing Bachelor of Science August 7, 2008

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Nutrition Bachelor of Science December 12, 2008 Rachelle Christy Lyons \*\*\*

#### Nutrition/Dietetics Bachelor of Science August 7, 2008

Trisha Ann Allison Lauren Patricia Mehalik \*\*\* Kelly Elizabeth Roehm Cynthia Rebecca Smith Hiromi Yamaguchi \*

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# Physical Education and Sport

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Physical Education and Sport/Athletic Training Bachelor of Science August 7, 2008 Rebecca Sara McFeaters

#### Physical Education and Sport/Exercise Science Bachelor of Science August 7, 2008 Stacie Lynn Adams \*\*\*

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#### Physical Education and Sport/Sport Administration Bachelor of Science August 7, 2008

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#### Safety Sciences Bachelor of Science August 7, 2008

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Virginia Leigh Mesko

Anthropology/ Applied Anthropology Bachelor of Arts August 7, 2008 Megan M. Bond \*\*\*

December 12, 2008 Joshua C. Shaughnessy \*

Anthropology/Archaeology Bachelor of Arts December 12, 2008 Matthew Clavton Wilson

Economics Bachelor of Arts August 7, 2008 Jack H. Dreibelbis Bryrony Leah Foltz \*\* Eugene Alvin Silvester Offerman Scott Anthony Olsavsky

December 12, 2008 Ahmad Khalaf Alshammari \*\* Mark Joseph Chiarulli \*\*\* Joseph Anthony DiMaio Jennifer Ljungquist Yasuyuki Sato

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Bachelor of Arts August 7, 2008 Rachel Alyssa Ashley Anna Janelle Ellermeyer \* Michelle R. Forsha Amanda Marie King Rebecca Suzanne Reynolds Rachael Lynn Ward \*\*\* Olandria Eugenia Womack

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English/Pre-Law Bachelor of Arts August 7, 2008 Kathryn Olivia Boyle \*

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English Education Bachelor of Science in Education

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Geography Bachelor of Arts August 7, 2008 Matthew Loren Gage

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Geography/ GIS and Cartographer Bachelor of Arts August 7, 2008

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Andrew M. Jurczak Elvin Manuel Perez Jimenez \* Drew Anton Robertson Anthony Robert Tempo \*

History Bachelor of Arts August 7, 2008 Stephen Joseph Callahan Melissa L. Fisher Benjamin Glen Hulsey \*

# **College of Humanities and Social Sciences**

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#### History/Pre-Law Bachelor of Arts December 12, 2008

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International Studies Bachelor of Arts August 7, 2008 Gunther W. Mallen \*\*

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#### Journalism Bachelor of Arts August 7, 2008

Jason Miller Bailey Drew Michael Braeseker \* Ashley Marie Brewer \* Anthony Joseph Canale Mallory Lee Julian Elijah Hayes Lee Jasmine Rai Northrop Victoria Marie Rosenberger Jamelle Dreher Sewell Darcelle Marie Starry Melody Nicole Tisinger Rebecca Elise Walsh Kira Elizabeth Walters Mirza Zukic \*

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### Philosophy Bachelor of Arts August 7, 2008

William Michael Foster \*\*\*

### Political Science Bachelor of Arts August 7, 2008

Adeniyi Iskil Amadou Eric Johann Anderson Carla A. Meier \*\* Charles George Rogers, Jr. Tiffany Renee Schaff

#### December 12, 2008

Erica Leigh Armstrong \*\* Jessica Lynn Confer Devyn J. Duffy \*\*\* Pranesh Madhavan Kyle Jon Pfeffer Kristina Ingrid Rogers \*\* Justin David Silvis \*

# Political Science/Pre-Law Bachelor of Arts August 7, 2008

Shavon Nicole Beasley Sean Allen Harris

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Regional Planning/ Economic Developer Bachelor of Science August 7, 2008 Turki AlBallaa

December 12, 2008 Jessica Erin Steimer \*\*\*

Regional Planning/ Environmental Planner Bachelor of Science December 12, 2008 Michael Todd Buzard

#### Religious Studies Bachelor of Arts August 7, 2008

Benjamin Gary Brubaker Brandon J. Stiffler

#### December 12, 2008

Chelsey Marie Atkins \*\* Jason S. Heberer Ashley M. Sawyer \* Jacob Andrew Watta

#### Social Studies Education/ Geography Bachelor of Science in Education December 12, 2008 Derek James Margetan \*\*\* Daniel James Spencer \*

#### Social Studies Education/ History **Bachelor of Science in** Education

December 12, 2008 Allyson N. Bray \*\* Michael Justin Hartman \*\* Brandon E. Hogle Colleen Elizabeth Kurtzman \*\*\* Gregory Nicholas Mell \*\* Brandon Keith Owens Matthew Frank Senkoski \*\* Chad M. Sicari \* Michael Adrian Thomas \*\*\*

#### Sociology Bachelor of Arts August 7, 2008

Sara Jeanne Brown Lakesha Michelle Godwin Sasha Marcia King \*\* Matthew James Marcello Crystal M. Shields Diana Lynn Smith \*\* Jennifer Pauline Whetsel \*

#### December 12, 2008

Vanessa Jane Bernat Kristina Lynn Carr Ariel Tara Hochman Micah A. Jalloh Emily Ann Janoski Stephanie Johnson Lorelynne Charmaine Jones Megan Ann Pinkerton Carrie Ann Schmitt Jennifer Rachelle Sestina Ramon A. Test

#### Sociology/Human Services **Bachelor of Arts** August 7, 2008

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Allison Nicole Grief Amy Elizabeth Houck \* Jessica Marie Ignas

Spanish Education Bachelor of Science in Education

December 12, 2008 Armando Espinosa

Spanish for International Trade Bachelor of Arts December 12, 2008 Matthew James Kozlovac



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Applied Mathematics Bachelor of Science August 7, 2008 Suzanne Marie Kallal-Butchkoski Chemistry

Applied Physics/ Electro-Optics Bachelor of Science December 12, 2008 Matthew Dolan Gorr

Biology Bachelor of Arts August 7, 2008 Donna Awad Tara Hunt Laveeda Littlejohn

December 12, 2008

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Tamara Katherine Klos

Computer Science/Applied **Bachelor of Science** August 7, 2008

Biology **Bachelor of Science** August 7, 2008 Teghan Renee Woodruff

December 12, 2008 Christopher David Colonna Tara Nicole Delp Devin R. Mellott Kevin Patrick Peacock Brian James Swoyer

**Biology Education** Bachelor of Science in Education December 12, 2008 Nicole Lynn Shirley \* Andrew Goess Tomaselli

Biology/Cell and Molecular Bachelor of Science August 7, 2008 Jason Vincent Wallach \*

Biology/Family Medicine Bachelor of Science August 7, 2008 Mayank Talwar \*\*

Chemistry Bachelor of Arts December 12, 2008 Lena E. Zein

**Bachelor of Science** December 12, 2008 Andrew Tyler Kerr \*\*

Chemistry Education Bachelor of Science in Education December 12, 2008 Nicole Chastity Peterson \*

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Computer Science/ Information Assurance **Bachelor of Science** August 7, 2008 Paul Antonio Anderson

December 12, 2008 Zachary Donald Haupin Wo Yan Lam Zachary Richard Rensko \*

Computer Science/ Languages and Systems Bachelor of Science December 12, 2008 Gerald Michael Holf

Earth and Space Science Education Bachelor of Science in Education December 12, 2008 Michael L. Huff

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Geology **Bachelor of Science** August 7, 2008 Howard C. Manski

Geology/Environmental **Bachelor of Science** August 7, 2008 Jeffrey M. Dereume Michael Aaron Jarvis

Kalin Trevor McDannell Mathematics Bachelor of Science August 7, 2008

Richard David George

Natural Science/ Pre-Engineering Bachelor of Science December 12, 2008 James Michael Rapach \*\*

Natural Science/ Pre-Pharmacy **Bachelor of Science** December 12, 2008 Martin Matthew Eck Erica N. Harlacher Courtney Marie Hetler

Natural Science/ Pre-Physical Therapy **Bachelor of Science** August 7, 2008 Joshua Peter O'Link

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