

WINTER
COMMENCEMENT
PROGRAM

*The Class of
Nineteen Hundred and Ninety-Five
Monday, December Eighteenth
Nineteen Hundred and Ninety-Five*



NORTHEAST MISSOURI
STATE UNIVERSITY

The Order of Exercises

Northeast Missouri State University
Winter Commencement on the
Eighteenth of December
Nineteen Hundred and Ninety-five

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Musical Prelude and Processional

The music for commencement is provided by Associate Professor of Music Janice Saffir.

Pomp and Circumstance
The National Anthem

Edward Elgar
Frances Scott Key

Order of Procession

Northeast Missouri State University ROTC Color Guard

Marshal
Professor of Communication Linnea Ratcliff

Platform Party
President Jack Magruder
Vice President for Academic Affairs Lanny C. Morley
John W. McNabb

Board of Governors
Mr. Thomas R. Shroul, Jr., President
Mrs. Mary L. Russell, Vice President
Mrs. Wilma Maddox, Secretary
Dr. Maria Evans
Dr. Peter Ewell
Mr. Alphonso Jackson
Dr. Ruth Mach
Dr. Dorothy Munch
Mr. James K. Reinhard
Mr. Kyle B. Cope

Music Director
R. Paul Crabb

Reader
Lou Ann Gilchrist

Members of the Faculty Senate

The Faculty

Marshal
Associate Professor of Art and President Faculty Senate
Garry L. Gordon

Candidates for the Degree Master of Accountancy
Candidates for the Degree Master of Arts
Candidates for the Degree Master of Arts in Education
Candidate for the Degree Master of Science
Candidate for the Degree Bachelor of Science in Nursing
Candidate for the Degree Bachelor of Fine Arts
Candidate for the Degree Bachelor of Music
Candidates for the Degree Bachelor of Arts
Candidates for the Degree Bachelor of Science

Introduction of Distinguished Guests

President of the University
Jack Magruder

Introduction of Speaker

President of the University
Jack Magruder

Commencement Address

John W. McNabb
(Biographical information is found on page 4)

Recognition of Honor Students

Vice President for Academic Affairs
Lanny C. Morley

Recognition of Faculty Honoree

Austin E. Jay
Professor Emeritus of Zoology

Conferring of Degrees

President of the University
Jack Magruder

Presentation of Candidates by
Vice President for Academic Affairs
Lanny C. Morley

Reader
Director of University Counseling Services and Associate
Professor of Counseling
Lou Ann Gilchrist

Candidate for the Degree Bachelor of Science in Nursing
Candidate for the Degree Bachelor of Fine Arts
Candidate for the Degree Bachelor of Music
Candidates for the Degree Bachelor of Arts
Candidates for the Degree Bachelor of Science
Candidates for the Degree Master of Accountancy
Candidates for the Degree Master of Arts
Candidates for the Degree Master of Arts in Education
Candidate for the Degree Master of Science

America the Beautiful

Associate Professor of Music
R. Paul Crabb

America the Beautiful

O beautiful for spacious skies,
For amber waves of grain
For purple mountain majesties
above the fruited plain!
America! America! God shed his grace on thee,
And crown thy good with brotherhood
From sea to shining sea.

Katharine Lee Bates, 1904

Recessional and Postlude

Ode to Joy

Ludwig van Beethoven

Junior Marshals

Angela Hartig
Jennifer Hitz
Amy F. Mendenhall
Tysen Petre

Kathleen Reinagel
Greg Stolzer
Milena Taneva
Christopher Zack

Commencement Speaker

John W. McNabb

John McNabb is a manufacturing development engineer with Hewlett-Packard in Corvallis, Oregon. Born in Kirksville, McNabb was raised on his parents' farm near Queen City, Missouri. His parents, Morris and Virginia McNabb, still reside in Queen City. His decision to attend Northeast continued a long family tradition. His father and mother each received bachelor's and master's degrees from Northeast. His sister, Julia McNabb D.O., is a 1987 graduate of Northeast.

While at Northeast, McNabb was a member of Sigma Pi Sigma, Alpha Phi Sigma honorary scholastic fraternity and the Society of Physics Students. He was recognized as the Outstanding Physics Senior by the Division of Science. One of four valedictorians with a perfect 4.0 grade point average, McNabb received his Bachelor of Science degree in physics in 1988.

He was rewarded for his hard work at Northeast when he received a \$17,000 graduate fellowship from the National Science Foundation. While he was accepted at Stanford, Princeton and Texas Tech, he continued his education at Cornell University. He received a doctorate in physics from Cornell in August 1995.

Board of Governors

The Honorable Thomas R. Shrout Jr., *president*

Mr. Shrout is the executive director of Citizens for Modern Transit, a not-for-profit organization that established the St. Louis MetroLink light rail system that opened in 1993. Shrout received the 1994 Lamplighter award from the St. Louis Chapter of the Public Relations Society of America for his efforts on behalf of MetroLink. Previously, he was director of academic marketing for the Response Marketing Group of St. Louis. From 1971-86, Shrout was director of external affairs at Northeast Missouri State University. A graduate of the University of Missouri-Columbia School of Journalism, Shrout was formerly a reporter for the Associated Press in New York City. Shrout has served as past president of the St. Louis Child Abuse Network and as the citizens' representative on the Missouri Public Transit Association Board of Directors. He was appointed to the Board in May 1990.

The Honorable Mary Rhodes Russell, *vice president*

A 1980 graduate of Northeast Missouri State University, Mrs. Russell is a judge on the Eastern District Missouri Court of Appeals. Before being appointed judge, Russell was a partner in the law firm of Clayton and Rhodes in Hannibal, Missouri. She received her Juris Doctorate from the University of Missouri-Columbia School of Law. She has served as a law clerk, legislative intern and administrative aide in Jefferson City, Missouri, and Washington, D.C. She has served as the Marion County Port Authority Commissioner, the Young Lawyers Section Council district representative and on the Foresight Committee-Family Law Section for the Missouri Council on Women's Economic Development and Job Training. Russell was appointed to the Board in February 1993.

The Honorable Wilma Maddox, *secretary*

Mrs. Maddox is the manager and bookkeeper for Vision Care Associates in Macon, Missouri. She serves on the Board of Education of the Macon County R-I School District and is a member of the American Foundation for Vision Awareness. She is also the coordinator of Children's Ministries for the Macon United Methodist Church. A 1979 graduate of Northeast Missouri State University, Maddox was appointed to the Board in January 1994.

The Honorable Maria Evans

A 1981 graduate of Northeast Missouri State University, Dr. Evans is an assistant professor of pathology at University Hospital and Clinics in Columbia, Missouri. She received her medical degree from the University of Missouri-Columbia in 1991. She has served on the Executive Council of the Missouri State Medical Association (MSMA) and as a member-at-large on the Governing Council of the Residents Physicians Section of the MSMA. Prior to medical school, she taught science at Rector, Arkansas, High School. Evans was appointed to the Board in December 1995.

The Honorable Peter Ewell (out-of-state member)

Dr. Ewell, is a senior associate for the National Center for Higher Education Management Systems (NCHEMS). Ewell, of Boulder, Colorado, first visited Northeast Missouri State University in 1983 as an NCHEMS consultant to evaluate the University's assessment program. NCHEMS is a research and development center founded to improve the manage-

ment effectiveness of colleges and universities. Prior to joining NCHEMS in 1981, Ewell was coordinator for long-range planning at Governors State University. Ewell received his doctorate in political science from Yale University. He was appointed to the Board in December 1994.

The Honorable Alphonso Jackson (out-of-state member)
A 1968 and 1969 graduate of Northeast Missouri State University, Mr. Jackson is the president and CEO of The Housing Authority of the city of Dallas. Previously, he was the director of public safety for St. Louis. He has also served as executive director for the St. Louis Housing Authority, special assistant to the chancellor and assistant professor of criminal justice at the University of Missouri-St. Louis, and director of the Department of Public and Assisted Housing in Washington, D.C. Jackson serves on the Regional Selection Panel for the White House Fellowship Program. He also holds a law degree from Washington University School of Law. He was appointed to the Board in January 1994 and reappointed in September 1995.

The Honorable Ruth Mach
Dr. Mach is an elementary school principal in the Clayton, Missouri, School District. A 1958 graduate of Northeast Missouri State University, she earned her master's degree from the University of Missouri-Columbia and her doctorate from Saint Louis University. She holds certification as an elementary school administrator, reading specialist, teacher of the learning disabled, and teacher of the behaviorally disturbed. She has served as elementary principal for the Mehlville School District, and she previously taught in the Affton and Lindbergh School Districts in Missouri. Mach is president of the St. Louis Suburban Principals Association. She is also affiliated with the

National Association of Elementary School Principals, the Missouri State Principals Association, the Conference on Education, and the Association for Supervision and Curriculum Development. Mach was appointed to the Board in February 1995.

The Honorable Dorothy Munch
A 1981 graduate of Northeast Missouri State University, Dr. Dorothy Munch has a private practice at Poplar Bluff Family Medicine in Poplar Bluff, Missouri. She is a 1985 graduate of Kirksville College of Osteopathic Medicine. Munch is a trustee of the Butler County Health Department and a staff physician with AMI Lucy Lee Hospital. Munch was appointed to the Board in December 1994.

The Honorable James K. Reinhard
Mr. Reinhard operates a family-owned funeral home in Paris, Missouri. He attended Westminster College and graduated from the Kentucky School of Mortuary Science. A member of the Missouri Coroner's Association, Reinhard recently completed a five-year appointment to the State Board of Embalmers and Funeral Directors. He has also served as chairman for the State Board. Reinhard was appointed to the Board in February 1995.

The Honorable Kyle B. Cope, *student representative*
Mr. Cope is a junior English and political science major from Bertrand, Missouri. He serves on the Student Advisory Group on Assessment and the Faculty Advisory Committee on Assessment. He is also the Board representative to Student Senate. Cope holds the office of ritualist in Lambda Chi Alpha social fraternity and is active at the Catholic Newman Center. He is a President's Honorary Scholar. He was appointed to the Board in April 1994.

Honors

Summa Cum Laude

Jo Ann Daugherty
Nicholas K. Eversmann
Janaki B. Jayawardena
Tamara S. Kapler
Eric M. Rotert

Magna Cum Laude

Crystal L. Bieterman
Robert C. Johnson
Shannon R. Martin
Brian G. Miller
Janet A. Nadler
Russell C. Neale
Melissa R. O'Bryan

Cum Laude

Sanjaya Amaratunga
Ryan M. Brennan
Todd G. Chandler
Yu-Mei E. Cheng
Alicia M. Crane
Michele A. Cupp
Michelle K. Dodson
Robert D. Enochs
Laura M. Fenlon
Melanie A. Glees
Kymlynn Grassle
Mark L. Hall
Marsha J. Haney
Layne M. Heyerly
Brian K. Kindel
David V. Lenz
Yin-Hui Lu
William B. Lumb
Garrett S. Lynchard
Matthew B. Nelson
Jamilon A. Niemann
Barbara A. O'Brien
Carrie A. Parmenter
Rebecca J. Pendino
Crystal A. Piatt
Aaron J. Ptak
Rebecca L. Qualls
Christian F. Richeson
Amy M. Ronek
Jennifer M. Ruder
Kathryn J. Schroeder
Stacy M. Sevcik
Tracy A. Shockey
Melinda S. Sweeney
Elizabeth A. Turner
Kathleen A. Youngren
Peter H. Zeihan

Departmental Honors in Chemistry

Brian G. Miller

Recognition of honor graduates and honor society members

Outstanding Student in Health
Crystal L. Bieterman

Outstanding Student in Exercise Science
Julie E. Grover

Outstanding Student in Latin, Greek, and Foreign Languages
Christian F. Richeson

The General George C. Marshall ROTC Award
Rachel E. Humphrey

Outstanding Senior in Agricultural Science
Christine E. Burns

Alpha Phi Sigma
national scholastic honor society
Laura M. Fenlon

Alpha Phi Sigma
national criminal justice honor society
Jeffrey Breuer

Alpha Psi Omega
national dramatics honorary fraternity
Cathy L. Stamer

Beta Beta Beta
national biological honor society
Theodore A. D'Rosario
Marsha J. Haney
John T. Jackson
Jennifer A. Letourneau
Michelle M. Rogers
Jennifer M. Ruder

Blue Key
national honor fraternity
Ryan M. Brennan
Kyle E. Donahue
Corey A. Hug

Delta Sigma Pi
national professional business fraternity
Kristi S. Busam
Tammy A. Gagne
Hollie L. Guglielmino
Tamara M. Holmes
William M. McCormick III
William J. Nichols
Melissa R. O'Bryan
Lana B. Sullivan

Delta Tau Alpha
national agricultural honorary
Jamilon A. Niemann
Carrie A. Parmenter

Kappa Delta Pi
international honor society in education
Laura M. Fenlon

National Residence Hall Honorary
Laura A. Knox

Omicron Delta Epsilon
international honor society in economics
Janaki B. Jayawardena

Omicron Delta Kappa
national leadership honor society
Ryan M. Brennan
Mark L. Hall
Eric M. Rotert

Order of Omega
national greek honor society
Brett W. Barton
Ryan M. Brennan
Robert D. Enochs
Mark L. Hall
Corey A. Hug
Anthony P. Torres
Amy S. Weighill

Pershing Society
Russell C. Neale
Eric M. Rotert

Phi Alpha Theta
national history honor society
Ryan D. Morrill
Robert W. Prichard, Jr.
Keith O. Wilcox

Phi Eta Sigma
national honor society
Laura M. Fenlon

Phi Kappa Phi
national honor society recognizing superior scholarship
Jo Ann Daugherty
Tamara S. Kapler
Jody L. Parker
Eric M. Rotert

Phi Mu Alpha
national professional music honorary fraternity
Jason E. Warren

Pi Sigma Alpha
national political science honor society
Shannon R. Martin
Peter H. Zeihan

Psi Chi
psychology national honor society
Tamara S. Kapler
Beth A. Norfolk
Jennifer L. Ponte

Recognition of United States Army Reserved Officers Training
Corps Graduates Commissioned at NMSU December, 1995
Mark R. Davis, Medical Service Corps
Rachel E. Humphrey, Aviation
Kimberly A. Semelroth, Signal Corps
Jose P. Stevicks, Corps of Engineers
Shane R. Wortman, Air Defense Artillery

Sigma Beta Delta
national business honorary
Nicholas K. Eversmann
Tammy A. Gagne
Kymlynn Grassle
Mark L. Hall
Heather S. Kemp
Russell C. Neale
Melissa R. O'Bryan
Jody L. Parker
Elizabeth A. Turner

Sigma Tau Delta
national English honor fraternity
Christopher J. Birch
Laura M. Fenlon

Who's Who Among Students in American Universities
and Colleges
Ryan M. Brennan
Anne B. Chesney
Laura M. Fenlon

Commencement Ceremony

The University

In 1867, Joseph Baldwin returned to Missouri from Indiana, looking for a location to open a school to educate teachers. On September 2, 1867, Baldwin opened the North Missouri Normal School and Commercial College in Kirksville. In 1870, Baldwin's school became the First District Normal School of Missouri, the first in the state's new normal school system, dedicated to the education of teachers for the public schools.

At the close of the 1869-70 academic year, the Normal School graduated its first class of 15 men. The Commencement program was held in the auditorium of the Cumberland Academy building on Friday, June 24, 1870. President Joseph Baldwin preached the sermon and T.A. Parker, state superintendent of schools, delivered the address.

Today, Missouri's statewide public liberal arts and sciences university celebrates its Winter Commencement with more than 275 men and women graduating with bachelor's and master's degrees. Although the people, the campus and the mission of Northeast Missouri State University have changed during the last 128 years, the traditions of the commencement ceremony have remained intact.

The Dress

The academic costume worn today is the dress of the medieval secular clergy with a few alterations introduced by 16th century Protestant reformers. The intellectual revival of the 12th century gave impetus to the founding of the European universities. Students in these institutions were clerks; thus, they wore the dress of the secular clergy. In the 16th century, Protestant reformers, who associated academic habits with popery, adopted more civilian gowns.

The oldest article of academic wear was the robe, which was a loose gown. The habit, a tunic with short, wide sleeves, was worn over the robe. A hood lined with fur or inexpensive skins could be gathered around the neck or pulled up on the head as a turban. Finally, there were three kinds of caps worn: the round cap, reserved for doctoral dignity; a round cap with strings tied under the chin, worn by jurists; and the square cap. Universities such as Oxford made the square cap official; however, secular universities adopted the Tudor bonnet still worn by doctors of law, medicine and music.

American academic costume was not established until 1895. It consists of three types of gowns, three styles of hoods and two kinds of cap tassels. The bachelor's gown has long, pointed open sleeves with no ornamentation. The master's gown has even longer sleeves, which are closed at the bottom

but feature openings about halfway down for the hands. The doctor's gown has full-length lapels of velvet and bell-shaped sleeves with three horizontal velvet bars. The color of caps and gowns is usually black; however, some universities feature doctoral gowns of distinctive colors, such as Harvard's crimson and Yale's deep blue. Many schools outside the United States have also adopted colorful gowns.

The doctor's hood is the longest and fullest among the degrees. The major field of study can be determined from the velvet facing on the hood according to the following color scheme: white, the arts; gold-yellow, science; purple, law; apricot, nursing; green, medicine; sapphire, business administration; lemon, librarianship; scarlet, theology; dark blue, doctors of philosophy.

The hood is lined with silk in the colors of the institution which granted the degree. Northeast's masters graduates, for example, wear a purple and white-lined hood. The faculty at Northeast Missouri State University represent doctoral-granting institutions around the world. A few of their hood colors are the blue and white of Duke, the orange and black of Princeton, the crimson of Harvard, and the scarlet of Oxford.

The candidates for graduation wear black caps to which are attached tassels of colors illustrative of their degrees:

White: Bachelor of Arts, Master of Arts, Master of Accountancy, Master of Science, Master of Arts in Education

Brown: Bachelor of Fine Arts

Yellow-Gold: Bachelor of Science

Apricot: Bachelor of Science in Nursing

Pink: Bachelor of Music

The gold-tasseled cords worn by some of the undergraduate degree candidates signify the designation of "honor graduate." There are three levels of honor based on cumulative grade point average: cum laude, 3.50-3.74; magna cum laude, 3.75-3.89; summa cum laude, 3.90-4.00.

The academic procession is led by the faculty marshal. The marshal carries the University mace, which symbolizes the academic corporate body of scholars possessing its own jurisdiction and its own legally constituted authority. The mace is decorated with purple and white tassels and ribbons, and is topped with the University seal.

Following the marshal are the platform guests dressed in doctoral robes with hoods featuring the purple and white colors of the University. They are followed by the University faculty who wear the academic dress of their respective degree-granting institutions. The other faculty marshal leads the major portion of the procession, comprised of the degree candidates assembled according to the degree being granted.

Junior marshals appear throughout the procession dressed in white robes and caps. They are University students who help form the procession and seat the commencement participants.

The Senior Class

Bachelor of Science in Nursing

Debra Jo Ochs, *Nursing*

Bachelor of Fine Arts

Alicia Marie Crane, *Art*

Bachelor of Music

Jo Ann Daugherty, *Music*

Bachelor of Arts

Daniel Lee Allen, *Business Administration*
Charles Lee Bailey, *Communication*
Faith Ann Baker, *Communication*
Pamela Lee Barnes, *Psychology*
Christopher James Birch, *English*
Tara Lynn Bradley, *Art*
Tyson Allen Bragg, *History*
Tracy Marie Brown, *Psychology*
Brenda Lou Bryan, *Sociology & Anthropology*
Michelle Jean Calhoon, *History*
Jason Edward Carson, *Philosophy & Religion*
Hsi-Fen Cheng, *Business Administration*
Yu-Mei Emily Cheng, *Business Administration*
Anne Belinda Chesney, *Psychology/Communication*
Wen-Ling Chiou, *Business Administration*
Tsan Hsi Chiu, *Business Administration*
†Tracy Dannette Christeson, *Communication*
Carmen Renee Cohen, *Communication*
Jennifer Ann Collins, *Psychology*
Brian Ray Cooper, *Political Science*
Michele Arlene Cupp, *English*
Theodore Alan D’Rosario, *Biology* (also BS)
Michelle Kay Dodson, *Communication/Psychology*
Amy Katherine Dole, *Psychology*
†Kimberly Ann Donovan, *Spanish* (also BS)
William Todd Eckholm, *Business Administration*
Robert David Enochs, *Business Administration* (also BS)
Carrie Ann Faulstich, *Communication*
Laura Marie Fenlon, *English*
Daniel Patrick Flynn, *Communication*
Steven Clark Gillen, *Philosophy & Religion*
Melanie Ann Glees, *Sociology & Anthropology* (also BS)
Kymlynn Grassle, *Business Administration*
Michael Patrick Greenwald, *Communication*
Hollie Louise Guglielmino, *Business Administration*
Mark Lea Hall, *Business Administration*
†Ryan Anthony Harkin, *Communication*
Matthew Joseph Hennessy, *Business Administration*
Melissa Jane Hill, *Psychology*

Patrick Joseph Horsefield, *Political Science*
Shu-Chuan Hsueh, *Business Administration*
Stephanie Jayne Hulett, *Communication*
James Ricci Jefferson, *History*
J. Scott Johnson, *Business Administration* (also BS)
Robert Clark Johnson, *History*
Jennifer Shannon Jones, *Communication*
Suzanne Marie Keisling, *English*
Richard Eric Kidder, *English*
Laura Anne Knox, *Spanish*
Amy Rebecca Krisman, *English*
Chih-huo Kuo, *Business Administration*
Jill Suzanne Kupferle, *Psychology*
Yen-Chen Lai, *Business Administration*
Su-Ping Lee, *Business Administration*
Mark Matthew LePorte, *Communication*
Amy Meredith Lillis, *English*
Scott Frederick Linnemeyer, *Communication*
Yin-Hui Lu, *Business Administration*
Daniel Alan Manderino, *Communication*
Tyler Wayne Markee, *Sociology & Anthropology*
Craig Alan Martin, *Communication*
Shannon Renee Martin, *Political Science*
Julie Ann Mauchenheimer, *Sociology & Anthropology*
Amy McCain, *History*
Carolyn Rae McIntire, *Family Sciences*
Randall Neal McKinney, *History*
Colleen Ann Meyer, *Music*
Jefferson Hobson Mildner, *History*
Ryan Douglas Morrill, *History*
†Russell Clifton Neale, *Business Administration*
Albert Salamba Ngoitz, *English*
Hisako Nomura, *Political Science*
Nikki Elizabeth Oerter, *English*
Jennifer Elaine Peters, *Psychology*
Leslie Karen Pickens, *Psychology*
Robert Woodrow Prichard Jr., *History*
Jennifer Lynn Prill, *Business Administration*
Francisco Antonio Pulido III, *Spanish*
Amy Elizabeth Puskas, *English*
Rebecca Lynn Qualls, *English*
David G. Rak, *Communication*
†Christian F. Richeson, *Classics*
Tinisha Lenise Robinson, *Business Administration*
Michelle Marie Rogers, *Communication Disorders*
Amy Marie Ronek, *English/Communication*
Elizabeth Ann Ruefer, *History*
Amy Lyn Saltink, *Business Administration*
Gretchen Lynn Schiltz, *Theatre*
Kristin Mary Schneider, *English*
†Kathryn J. Schroeder, *English*
Stacy Marie Sevcik, *English*
Tracy Annette Shockey, *Psychology*
Dana Ann Siedner, *Psychology*

Dallas Blaine Smith, *Business Administration*
 Delora Marie Smith, *Psychology*
 Shann' Demar Smith, *Political Science*
 Cathy Lynn Stamer, *Theatre*
 Jose P. Stevicks, *Business Administration*
 David Thomas Tanner, *Communication*
 Elizabeth Ann Turner, *Business Administration*
 Tamara Lynn Turner, *Communication*
 Javier Uso Delgado, *Economics*
 Sachiko Wakano, *English*
 Jason Eddie Warren, *Music*
 David Christian Westrich, *Communication*
 Keith O. Wilcox, *History*
 †Louis S. Williams IV, *Business Administration* (also BS)
 Christopher Roger Wilson, *Political Science*
 Todd Edward Wojciechowski, *Business Administration*
 Kathleen Ann Youngren, *Art*

Dennis Kwok-Fai Fung, *Computer Science*
 Tammy Ann Gagne, *Accounting*
 Sharon L. Gannon, *Psychology*
 Aaron Seth Gardner, *Business Administration*
 Troy Richard Garrett, *Exercise Science*
 Jacqueline Diane Gassner, *Accounting*
 Samuel William Gierer, *Psychology*
 Melanie Ann Glees, *Sociology & Anthropology* (also BA)
 Jason Eugene Glover, *Health/Exercise Science*
 Julie Ellen Grover, *Exercise Science*
 †Bing Han, *Mathematics*
 Marsha Jane Haney, *Biology*
 Allen Richard Hansen, *Accounting*
 Malati Kanani Harris, *Biology*
 Joseph Woodrow Harszy, *Health*
 Carla Marie Hepler, *Health*
 Kelly Lee Herron, *Justice Systems*
 Layne Marie Heyerly, *English*
 Robert Charles Hilgedieck, *Mathematics*
 Angela Dawn Hoelscher, *Biology*
 Melinda Jane Holcomb, *Health*
 Tamara Marie Holmes, *Accounting*
 Corey Allen Hug, *Exercise Science*
 Rachel Edna Humphrey, *Justice Systems*
 John Thomas Jackson, *Biology*
 Janaki Buddhika Jayawardena, *Economics*
 J. Scott Johnson, *Business Administration* (also BA)
 Sara Kristina Johnson, *Biology*
 †Mark Erin Kadlec, *Biology*
 Michael Shawn Kaiser, *Justice Systems*
 Rachel Ware Kapke, *Health*
 Tamara Sue Kapler, *Computer Science/Psychology*
 Brian Kenneth Kindel, *Chemistry*
 †Hiromi Kitagawa, *Economics*
 Christina Marie Kloecker, *Psychology*
 Brian Douglas Krey, *Biology*
 Steven James Kritzmire, *Accounting/Justice Systems*
 Stephen Craig Kucynda, *Justice Systems*
 Vijey Kumar, *Physics*
 Yuki Kusui, *Accounting*
 Susan Cynthia Lamon, *Computer Science*
 Cris Ann Lane, *Health*
 Ellen Marie Layton, *English*
 Kam-Hung Lee, *Business Administration*
 David Victor Lenz, *Political Science*
 Jennifer Ann Letourneau, *Biology*
 Daniel Roy Lewis, *Computer Science*
 Susan Ann Lindsay, *Justice Systems*
 Christopher Michael Luck, *Chemistry*
 William Boyd Lumb, *Accounting*
 Garrett Shawn Lynchard, *Biology*
 Kevin J. Manion, *Computer Science*
 Fontez Maurice Mark, *Business Administration*
 Kevin Paul Martin, *Justice Systems*

Bachelor of Science

Stacy William Alexander, *Industrial Science*
 Sanjaya Amaratunga, *Computer Science*
 Brett Wayne Barton, *Justice Systems*
 Andrea Leigh Berry, *Political Science*
 Crystal Leigh Bieterman, *Exercise Science/Health*
 Jennifer Elizabeth Billingsley, *Health*
 Andrea Lynn Blakey, *Exercise Science*
 Rebecca Lynn Brennan, *Health*
 Ryan Michael Brennan, *Political Science*
 Jeffrey Victor Breuer, *Justice Systems*
 Mitchell Garrett Brown, *Accounting*
 Christine Elizabeth Burns, *Agricultural Science*
 Kristi Sue Busam, *Accounting*
 Patricia Renee Byers, *Psychology*
 Brian Douglas Byrd, *Political Science*
 Craig M. Cappel, *Biology*
 Todd Gregory Chandler, *Exercise Science*
 Chih-jung Chang, *Computer Science*
 Hsin-Yiu Carolyn Chang, *Accounting*
 Kerri Ann Cook, *Communication Disorders*
 Colin Wesly Cross, *History*
 Theodore Alan D'Rosario, *Biology* (also BA)
 Mark Ryan Davis, *Business Administration*
 Brian Keith Demick, *Biology*
 Michael John Diethelm, *Business Administration*
 Kyle E. Donahue, *Biology*
 †Kimberly Ann Donovan, *Justice Systems* (also BA)
 Robert David Enochs, *Business Administration* (also BA)
 †Nicholas Kurt Eversmann, *Accounting*
 Keri Ann Ferguson, *Health*
 Heather Ann Flynn, *Communication Disorders*
 Kevin Edward Flynn, *Exercise Science*
 James Edward Foster, *Business Administration*
 Curtis L. Franklin, *Biology*

William Melson McCormick III, *Business Administration*
Fernando Mena Armijo, *Business Administration*
Kirk Joseph Messinger, *Accounting*
Christian James Mikkelsen, *Business Administration*
Brian G. Miller, *Chemistry*
Jennifer Faith Miller, *Exercise Science*
Michael Patrick Murray, *Business Administration*
Nicholas Nolan Myers II, *Biology*
Janet Alane Nadler, *Exercise Science*
Matthew Bruce Nelson, *Biology*
William Joseph Nichols, *Accounting*
David B. Nielsen, *Mathematics*
Jamilon Ann Niemann, *Agricultural Science*
Masaki Nishikawa, *Mathematics*
Michael Thomas Noga, *Exercise Science*
Beth Allyn Norfolk, *Psychology*
Barbara Anne O'Brien, *Biology*
Melissa Renee O'Bryan, *Accounting*
Cherrie Lann Owen, *Accounting*
Bor-Ping Pan, *Computer Science*
Carrie Ann Parmenter, *Agricultural Science*
Amy Lynn Penberthy, *Accounting*
†Rebecca Jo Pendino, *Health*
David Dwight Peterson, *Exercise Science*
Crystal A. Piatt, *Exercise Science*
Jennifer L. Ponte, *Psychology*
Jason T. Preis, *Computer Science*
Aaron Joseph Ptak, *Physics*
Jeffrey S. Puls, *Biology*
Shain Kenneth Rae, *Business Administration*
Jennifer Dawn Reece, *Exercise Science*
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