



# WINTER 2021 COMMENCEMENT

— Undergraduate —







## From the President

## **Indiana State University**

Dear Graduates,

Congratulations! Today is truly a day of celebration as you have reached an educational milestone that has forever changed your life. And to be together inperson for this special occasion is not only a joy but a testament to your vigilance and your resilience. Thank you for persevering during unusual times.



You are now among the just over one-third of Americans and less than 10 percent of

adults throughout the world who have earned a college degree. For graduate students, that number is even lower. At the same time, the workplace now requires more skills and knowledge than ever before. You are to be commended for taking the steps to position yourself in today's world.

Today more than ever, your life and experiences are yours to create. Don't be afraid to pursue your dreams or to change your dreams. Don't be afraid to take risks and fail. If you fail, go at it again. Say yes to those opportunities that come your way or actively pursue them when they don't. Get involved in your community, wherever you locate, and make sure to exercise your right to vote and use your voice to share your opinions and ideas. Most importantly, be true to yourself and find your passion.

To those earning a bachelor's degree, as you move into the next phase of your life—whether that is graduate school, the workplace, the Peace Corps, the military or another path—stay in touch, and let us know what you are doing. For those completing graduate degrees, share news about the next steps in your career that you achieve with this advanced degree. We look forward to hearing about your accomplishments. And please come back for Homecoming!

Enjoy this time and treasure each day. Best wishes for a great life. And remember, once a Sycamore, always a Sycamore!

Sincerely, Dehorah Clurtis

Deborah J. Curtis, Ph.D.

President

# Our Heritage

Indiana State University was founded in 1865 as a normal school to prepare the state's teachers. Indiana State is a doctoral/research university with a history of serving a diverse student body. The University's strong commitment to service learning has earned it the Community Engagement Classification from the Carnegie Foundation for the Advancement of Teaching. Indiana State offers more than 180 major/minor options in five colleges, and its commitment to experiential learning helps prepare its graduates for success in their careers.

## **Our Core Values**

Indiana State is committed to these core values:

**Learning:** We prepare the next generation of leaders and citizens by providing personalized and transformative experiences that lead to success in the classroom and beyond.

**Discovery:** We nurture intellectual curiosity and growth through the creation of new knowledge and the joy of enhanced human understanding.

**Engagement:** We collaborate with our local and global communities to create long-term relationships, connectedness with integrity, and a shared sense of pride.

**Inclusiveness:** We take action to honor the diversity of individuals, ideas and expressions, ensuring they are genuinely recognized, valued, and lived.

# Our Vision

We will be the university of choice for students seeking a distinctive, high-quality education highlighted by challenging experiences that prepare our graduates to contribute to the economic vitality and civic and cultural development of their communities and the global society.

## Our Mission

We transform the lives of students through a high-quality education infused with experiential learning, community engagement and career-readiness. Our students succeed within a culture of inclusion and support that provides the skills and knowledge to impact Indiana and beyond.













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## From the Alumni Association

## **Indiana State University**

Dear Sycamore Graduate,

Congratulations on completing one of the most significant milestones in your life. As the Executive Director of the Alumni Association, it is my pleasure to welcome you to the Sycamore alumni family!

With more than 100,000 alumni, the Indiana State University Alumni Association is the gateway to your alma mater. The Alumni Association offers many ways for you to get involved with the University, no matter where life takes you. As a graduate, be sure to take advantage of these wonderful opportunities:

**Show your pride.** Now is a great time to join the ISU Alumni Association at the Recent Graduate Membership discounted rate of only \$20. Become a member today and start taking advantage of our enhanced membership program. Join today at indstate.edu/alumni/give-join. Be sure to check out our website to discover how to make the most of your Annual Membership. Learn more about the Alumni Association at indstate.edu/alumni.

Always be blue. Alumni Association members have access to resources and networking opportunities. We provide programs, events, campus updates, and more to help you share your STATE pride, no matter where you are in the world. Contact us to find a club in your area and get involved. Residents of Indiana also have the opportunity to ride with STATE pride by purchasing an official Indiana State University license plate.

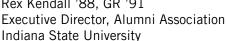
Stay connected. Share your milestones with us. Each time you relocate, change email addresses, start a new job, get a promotion, change your telephone number, get married or start a family, let us know. Update your information with the Alumni Association to be included in the Class Notes for STATE Magazine, receive alumni updates, event information, special invitations, and more. Visit indstate.edu/alumni to stay connected.

Keep it social. Connect with us on Instagram, Twitter (@indstatealumni), Facebook and LinkedIn (Indiana State University Alumni). When you show STATE pride in your photos, tag us using the hashtag #StateAlum.

Next time you are on campus, stop by the Alumni Association office, located at 30 North 5th Street. Once again, congratulations on graduating from Indiana State University!

Go Sycamores!

Rex Kendall '88. GR '91







# State's Heritage



**INDIANA STATE NORMAL SCHOOL, 1875** 



FRED DONAGHY, 1912 GRADUATE AND BIOLOGY PROFESSOR



**NORMAL HALL LIBRARY** 



PARSONS HALL'S FLOAT, BLUE AND WHITE PARADE, 1959



1948 BASKETBALL TEAM WITH COACH JOHN WOODEN



CHEERLEADERS, FALL 1966



THE FIRST TANDEM RACE, 1970, FAIRBANKS PARK



LARRY BIRD

# The Last Four Years



MARCH THROUGH THE ARCH, FALL 2017



MLK DAY OF SERVICE, SPRING 2018



**HOMECOMING, FALL 2018** 



**DANCE MARATHON, SPRING 2019** 



HABITAT FOR HUMANITY BUILD, FALL 2019



**POLAR PLUNGE, SPRING 2020** 



DONAGHY DAY, FALL 2020



MEN'S BASKETBALL, SPRING 2021

## The Academic Procession

The academic costume, which adds interest and color to the Commencement procession, is as old in history as are universities—that is, more than eight hundred years old. The academic hood, which is worn as an adornment today, served a practical purpose in days of unheated classrooms and cold sleeping quarters.

During the traditional academic procession, the gown and hood indicate the degree held by the wearer or the one about to be received. The hood is lined with the official color or colors of the college or university conferring the degree. Graduates of certain institutions wear gowns in the color of the university. The doctoral gown is faced down the front with velvet panels and has three velvet crossbars on each sleeve. The velvet may be black or may be the color which represents the field in which the degree was conferred.

Since the degrees earned by the faculty of Indiana State University represent many colleges and universities in the United States and abroad, with a wide range of degree fields, the variety of attire forms a bright and colorful pattern.

The Commencement processional of faculty symbolizes honored faculty through award designation, faculty rank, and years of service to the University. Incipient of faculty rank, full professors/librarians are followed by associate professors/associate librarians, assistant professors/senior assistant librarians, concluding with instructors/assistant librarians, each according to their years of service to the University.

# Indiana State University Undergraduate Degree Attire

Indiana State University bachelor's degree holders or candidates wear a blue gown and a blue mortarboard with a blue and white tassel.

## Indiana State University Honors College Attire

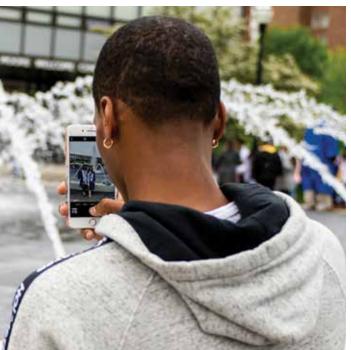
Graduates of the Honors College wear blue hoods, edged in black velvet, lined with blue satin with white satin chevrons.

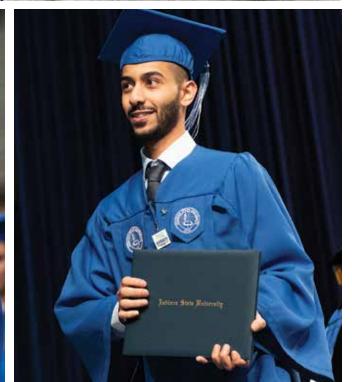












## Commencement Mace

A Commencement mace has been carried in every Commencement ceremony since 1966. The original mace was a gift to Professor Caleb Mills, State Superintendent of Public Instruction in Indiana from 1854-1857. Mills, who earned the title of "Father of Public Education," was instrumental in the establishment of Indiana State Normal School—now Indiana State University. The original mace was actually a walking cane decorated with blue and white silk ribbons representing the school's colors.

The original mace was replaced in 2010. A new mace was designed and produced by Mark Joseph Clauss, mechanical technologist and lecturer in ISU's College of Technology. The mace is made of cherry hardwood with a replica of the University's Presidents Medallion embedded at the top. The medallion is a four-inch gold medal with 36 blue sapphire gemstones and the official University seal at the center.

## Scholarship Honors

Those students graduating with a scholarship index of 3.90 or higher will be graduated Summa Cum Laude. Those with a scholarship index between 3.70 and 3.89 will be graduated Magna Cum Laude. Those with a scholarship index between 3.50 and 3.69 will be graduated Cum Laude. Recognition of these special honors will be made in appropriate fashion at the Commencement ceremonies and on the diplomas.



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## **Student Awards**

## Hines Memorial Medal

The Hines Memorial Medal is given to students who entered Indiana State University as first-time, college freshmen and are graduating with the highest honors classification cumulative grade point average.



Sarah Leeann Acklin
Ogden, IL
Major: Finance



Champaign, IL Major: Cybercriminology and Security Studies

**Addison Ann Leyerle** 



Trinity Nicole Hilton

Terre Haute, IN

Major: Elementary

Education



Greenwood, IN Major: Criminology and Criminal Justice

**Christian Thomas** 

Walker

## Daniel J. Bradley Medal for Leadership, Scholarship, and Service

The Daniel J. Bradley Medal for Leadership, Scholarship, and Service is one of the highest awards given at the University. The award is given to a student who represents all three aspects: leadership, scholarship, and service, and is graduating with a GPA of 3.0 or higher. The service component is representative of the student being highly involved with community service and experiential learning at the University or in a community. The recipient would have served in multiple capacities of long term leadership roles at ISU and/or in a community.



### **Nicole Loren Nunez**

Bolingbrook, IL
Major: Elementary
Education
Minor: Creative Writing,
Reading, And
Psychology





# Commencement Speakers

## Undergraduate Alumni Speaker

#### **Shannon Anderson**

Shannon Anderson is the co-founder and COO of SmileML—a Techstars Air Force company that is taking the guesswork out of emotional interpretation by using AI to help individuals and teams communicate effectively. SmileML's product, SaleSpot, uses emotion recognition during sales video calls to provide feedback and



coaching for sales representatives.

Anderson's work with SmileML spans both commercial and defense applications. Her startup has won contracts with the United States Special Operations Command, United States Air Force, and government contractors. They are working on projects involving the use of emotion recognition for malintent detection and detecting malicious actors in crowds *before* harm is caused.

SmileML evolved out of an idea Anderson began working on during her senior year at Indiana State University. Anderson graduated with Honors and holds a bachelor's degree in Operations and Supply Chain Management and a minor in French. She loved her time at Indiana State and was active in many organizations including Delta Sigma Pi, Sigma Kappa, APICS, Student Government, the President's Scholars Association, and the University Honors Program.

## Undergraduate Student Speaker

# Chloe Elise O'Sullivan

Chloe began attending ISU in August of 2018. She chose a major in Human Resource Development with a minor in Civic Leadership. To further enrich her college experiences, Chloe has been an active participant in the Honors College. She is employed in the ISU Career Center as an assistant in Student



Employment Programs and also works as a front desk assistant. In addition to being a student employee, Chloe has served as an intern for the Baptist Collegiate Ministry, an ISU student organization, in an outreach and fundraising role. In her spare time, she likes to bake, play with her cat, Bobo, and spend time with her fiancé, Jacob. After gaining experience in the HR field, she hopes to return to ISU to earn her master's degree in Human Resource Development.

## **Honors College**

As Dean of the Honors College, it is my great privilege to congratulate you on the wonderful achievement and milestone of your graduation. The journey to commencement is challenging, academically and personally; this road demands persistence and sacrifice, but ultimately forges a more thoughtful and confident person. As graduates of the Honors College, you have stepped beyond your chosen disciplines and professional aspirations to be further tested and have been found excellent and capable. You were drawn together in this experience not by what you studied, but by how you think—across boundaries, imaginatively, applying your energy and creativity to the challenges of your generation, to no less an end than improving the world. The astronomer and educator Carl Sagan once stated: "Our species needs, and deserves, a citizenry with minds wide awake and an understanding of how the world works . . . We make our world significant by the courage of our questions and the depth of our answers." You are these wide awake and courageous people. You have reached this moment by asking the difficult questions and pushing yourselves, but what will you do next?

My advice is to be bold—seize this day, and the days to follow. Do not be afraid, of failure, rejection, criticism, seeming foolish in front of your peers. It is possible to walk timidly in life, to be passive in success, to listen but offer little. Don't be that person. Your life, your perspectives, and especially your questions are not some add-on or a bonus feature in the world; they are its lifeblood. Dream large—now is the time for this. With your ability, your drive and your aspirations, there simply isn't anything you can't strive for. You are, quite literally, the leaders of the very near future. We live in world that is experiencing wild changes in technological capacity, complex and perilous environmental issues, resource and economic concerns that are truly global, and as great a need as ever to understand the cultural foundations and motivations of others. You won't shrink from these challenges because your education has prepared you for them.

Please remember that you will always be a member of the Honors community at Indiana State. We hope that you will return often to share your wisdom and insight with us and the generations of students that follow you. On behalf of the Honors College, I wish you the very best!

Gregory D. Bierly, Dean Honors College



# **Honors College**

# College of Arts and Sciences

# Candidates for Baccalaureate Degrees

December 10, 2021

#### **Bachelor of Arts**

#### Δrt

Clouse, Abigail Leigh Weise, Isabel M. \*

#### Communication

Denney, Lauryn Madison †

#### **English**

Grimmett, Seth Samuel ‡

#### Language Studies

Thiemann, Benjamin Paul †

#### **Bachelor of Science**

#### **Biology**

Harris, Alexander Charles \* Maue, Cecilia A. † Miller, Emily Louise ‡

#### Chemistry

Hardig, Jeremiah Damion ‡ Renz, Liza Jane

#### **Computer Science**

Perisho, Ethan S. ‡

## Criminology and Criminal Justice

Brinkman, Madelyn Maureen Cobb, Jacqueline R. † Cronin, Kelsey Ann † Eckert, Emily N. \* Leyerle, Addison Ann \* Miller, Emily Louise ‡

# Cybercriminology and Security Studies

Leverle, Addison Ann \*

#### **Language Studies**

Eckert, Emily N. \*

#### Mathematics

Renz, Liza Jane

#### **Mathematics Teaching**

Hunter, Jill Yvonne † Renz, Liza Jane

#### **Political Science**

Sanders, Alison Nicole

## Political Science—Legal Studies

Sanders, Alison Nicole

#### **Science Education**

Guevara, Taylor Alexis ‡ Tucker, Seraphina Marie Autumn †

## Scott College of Business

## Candidates for Baccalaureate Degrees

December 10, 2021

## **Bachelor of Science**

## Accounting

Chew, Michelle Brianne \*

#### **Finance**

Acklin, Sarah Leeann \*
Chambers, Keleigh Panhui †
Chew, Michelle Brianne \*
Kittle, Addie †

#### Insurance

Dehne, Stephanie Michelle \*

#### Management

Allen, Jillian E. ‡
Dehne, Stephanie Michelle \*

#### Marketing

Cook, Katelyn E. ‡ Williams, Madeline Scarbrough ‡

# Bayh College of Education

# Candidates for Baccalaureate Degrees

December 10, 2021

#### **Bachelor of Science**

#### **Elementary Education**

Hilton, Trinity Nicole \*
Holmes, Ali Marie †
Mathis, Gwendolyn Grace †
Nunez, Nicole Loren †
Pike, Sydney H. ‡

#### **Special Education**

Hilton, Trinity Nicole \* Holmes, Ali Marie †

## College of Health and Human Services

# Candidates for Baccalaureate Degrees

December 10, 2021

#### **Bachelor of Science**

#### **Applied Medicine**

Duncan, Danielle F. † Gephart, Taylor Marie \* Lankford, Aubrey Anne † Margheim, Jensen M. \*

#### Sport Management

Merriman, Devynn Rene †

#### Recreation and Sport Management

Cook, Katelyn E. ‡

### Bachelor of Science in Nursing

#### **Baccalaureate Nursing**

Buckles, Heather Rena \*
Coons, Lydia Maegwen ‡
Cooper, Karlee Jo
Dietzen, Aleksas Marie †
Herrera, Shelby K. ‡
Patel, Ripun M. ‡
Rader, Lauren E.
Sermersheim, Madison S. ‡
Stetler, Mattison L. ‡
Tevebaugh, Jessica Leigh

## College of Technology

# Candidates for Baccalaureate Degrees

December 10, 2021

#### **Bachelor of Science**

#### **Aviation Management**

Lafayette, Brady James \* McPherron, Cassandra Jane †

#### Human Resource Development

O'Sullivan, Chloe Elise †

## Mechanical Engineering Technology

Nemeth, Logan A. †

## Professional Aviation Flight Technology

Lafayette, Brady James \* McPherron, Cassandra Jane †

<sup>\*</sup> Graduating Summa Cum Laude

Graduating Magna Cum Laude

Graduating Cum Laude

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# Winter Commencement Ceremony

## 12:00 p.m.

December 11, 2021 Hulman Center, Indiana State University Stephanie Royer, Interpreter

#### **National Anthem**

Led by Scott Buchanan, Director and Professor, School of Music Aubrey Gill, Class of 2021

#### **Greetings and Introductions**

Chris MacDonald, Grand Marshal

#### Welcome

President Deborah J. Curtis

#### **Student Commencement Speaker**

Chloe Elise O'Sullivan, Class of 2021

#### **Alumni Commencement Speaker**

Shannon Anderson, Class of 2017

#### **Announcement of Student Awards**

Interim Provost Christopher J. Olsen Hines Memorial Medals Daniel J. Bradley Medal for Leadership, Scholarship, and Service

#### **Conferring of Undergraduate Degrees**

President Deborah J. Curtis Interim Dean Bassam Yousif, College of Arts and Sciences

Dean Terry Daughtery, Scott College of Business Interim Dean Brad Balch, Bayh College of Education Dean Caroline Mallory, College of Health and Human Services

Dean Nesli Alp, College of Technology

#### Alma Mater

Performed by ISU Vocal Chamber Ensemble

#### Recessional

## **College of Arts and Sciences**

As Interim Dean of the College of Arts and Sciences, I would like to take the opportunity to congratulate you on earning a degree from Indiana State's largest and most diverse college. The College of Arts and Sciences houses academic programs in the humanities, fine arts, social sciences, natural sciences, and mathematics. These disciplines form the "core" of a university education.

Your varied experiences in the classroom, archives, library, laboratory, stage or studio, and the internship site will serve you well. Classes taught by faculty in the college have assisted you in developing valuable skills, including critical thinking, collaboration, teamwork, writing, and analysis—capacities that will help you move seamlessly to a variety of employment settings or prepare you for graduate study.

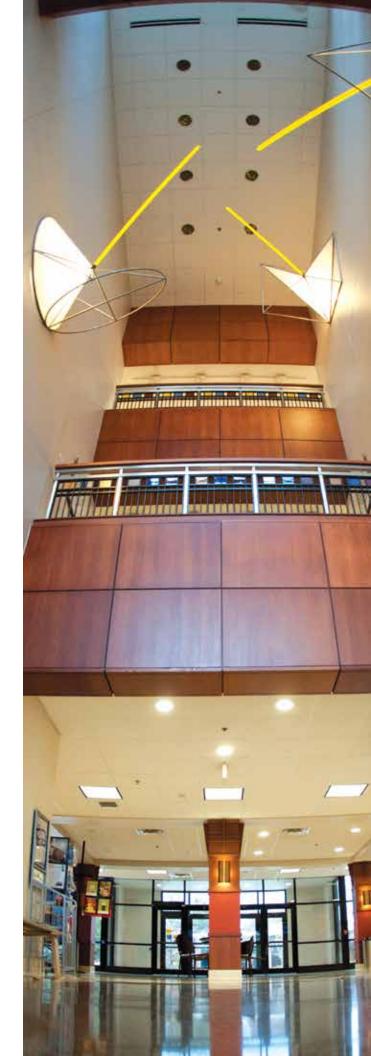
You have learned the theories and the applications of your chosen discipline—as well as critiques of their shortcomings—in and out of the classroom as part of experiential learning, a hallmark of an education at Indiana State. Experiential learning, as the name suggests, allows you to learn, experience, and apply the content, training, and skills of your discipline.

Alumni from the College of Arts and Sciences consistently tell us that their classes allowed them to cultivate their natural curiosity and prepared them for successful careers and rich, rewarding, and socially engaged lives. They cherish their experiences with professors and fellow students and made use of their experiences in the college to build the next phase of their lives.

Please know that your professors and I look forward to seeing and speaking with you again when you return to visit.

We all wish you the very best.

Bassam Yousif, Interim Dean College of Arts and Sciences



# College of Arts and Sciences

## **Candidates for Baccalaureate Degrees**

December 10, 2021

#### **Bachelor of Arts**

#### African and African American **Studies**

Rice, Jonathan Christian

#### Art

Bell, Rachel Clouse, Abigail Leigh Scheffer, Randi Weise, Isabel M. \* Wittenmyer, Kali Lyn

#### Chemistry

Saadatullah, MD Nihaid

#### Communication

Bryant, Caleb David Coffing, Samantha Erin † Copley, Matthew Coutu, Matthew Christopher Denney, Lauryn Madison † Eldridge-Wood, Cameron Lawrence ¶ Glasper, Darondoraus Demitrius, Jr. Herman, Faith Daniel † Kigin, Samuel Jo Maus, Brennen David † Nicoson, Rashawn Desmond Sims, Shelby Rae Elin Upchurch, Lilly Nicole Vanosdol. Noah Alexander † Wittenmyer, Kali Lyn

#### English

Grimmett, Seth Samuel ‡ Young, Mackaella Bri-Ann

#### **English Teaching**

Tyner, Brigitta Ellen

#### **Environmental Geoscience**

Petrillo, Melanie Ann † Robertson, Megan Tooley, Meghan D.

#### **General Studies**

Bugle, Chad M. Heck, Loren Lows, Jasmine Makinzie

#### Geography and Sustainability

Petrillo, Melanie Ann †

#### History

Bratton, Alex ¶ Bursley, Dylan Michael † Mendoza, Cade Aaron Matthew O'Brien, Kenneth Wayne Ruehl, Jake Turner

#### Language Studies

Bonilla-Sanchez, Samuel Thiemann, Benjamin Paul †

## Language Studies—Teaching

Godinez Nava, Mayra

## **Music Liberal Arts**

Hill, Hunter James

#### Political Science

Robinson, Destineigh Dawn

#### **Bachelor of Music**

#### Music Performance

McCullough, Clarissa M.\* McCullough, Ellissa L. \*

#### **Bachelor of Music Education**

#### **Music Education**

Gill, Aubrey N. † Mann, Laurel Evelyn McDonald, Sidney Georganne ‡ Ogle, Kirsten Nichole Thoman, William Frederick Williams, Deveon K. Wood, Mickey Major-Wiley

#### **Bachelor of Science**

#### **Anthropology**

Arney, Michael ¶ Watson, Jadelyn Rose

## Art Education All Grade

Wininger, Leylah M.

#### **Biology**

Bauer, Jessica Rayann Callihan, Roxanne Faith Harris, Alexander Charles \* Maue, Cecilia A. † Miller, Emily Louise ‡

#### Chemistry

Hardig, Jeremiah Damion ‡ Pringle, Josiah M. Renz, Liza Jane

#### Communication

Bray, NaKayla Jordan Martin, Kris Andrew Starks, Thomas Edward Tharp-Phillips, Shanelle Reann

#### **Computer Science**

Alidu, Andani Abdul-Fatawu Bailey, Mark Edward ‡ Drake, Brayden R. Mead, Tanner Alan Perisho, Ethan S. ‡ Ping, Bart Lee Pirtle, Charles Austin ‡ Todd, Robert Alexander Wasnidge, Logan Matthew Wilson, Tanner

#### **Criminology and Criminal Justice**

Alvarez, Pranee Ashley Arthur, Jade M. Bales, Zackary † Baker, Kaitlynn Mackenzie Batchelor, Ravyn Carlene

Brinkman, Madelyn Maureen Brown, Sierra Nicole Buckallew, Kaylee Renee Christy, Sarah Marie † Cobb, Jacqueline R. † Cronin, Kelsey Ann † Crothers, Tara June Donica, Mary Kathryn Elizabeth

Dozier, Rachel Nicole Eckert, Emily N. \* Frederick, Brittany Dawn Goodar, Jeanelle N. Graber, Brian D. Gulick. Kendl Thomas Jones-Martin, Jada Keating, Shawnee ‡ Kelsheimer, Trevor E Lane, Divine Ne'Colle Lee, Sherita Lachelle Lewis, Erika Destiny Leverle, Addison Ann \* Littrel, Elizabeth Ashley Miller, Emily Louise ‡

Ologun, Faith Damilola

Overstreet, Alexis Marie

Owen, Arthur James

Pizano, Gloria A. Ragle, Kristopher Ray Ross, Kaitlyn Elizabeth Ruebusch, Brianna Nicole Shuler, Hannah Roschelle Singer, Trevor Thomas, Alexandria Taylor † Valentine, Samuel Thomas ‡ Walker, Christian Thomas \* Watkin, Anna Marie Bentley †

#### Cybercriminology and Security **Studies**

Alexander, Miles Cameron Bakare, Habeeb Toyin Ford, Shaina Celine Johnson, Nathaniel ‡ Leyerle, Addison Ann \* Sandschafer, Walker James

#### **General Studies**

Clavton, Kyra M. Douthitt, Samantha Sue Dyslin, Charissa Marie Elder, Kisha N. Espitia Mora, John Javier Essex, Jackson Douglas Fulk, Alexis Mae Gilbert, Shelby Goodman, Merissa A. Helms, Cassidy Tayler Hernandez, Karla Andrea Jones, Jasmine Chiquita Kaba I, Ibrahim M. Merriam, Kristen Nicole Perry, Zachary Thomas Richardson, Patrice Nicole Rolle, Shaynea Ashleigh Nicole

Scott, Brandon Leigh, Jr. Sheese, Joseph Eugene Shlyakhov, Patricia Smith, Davon Jakari Taylor, Myles Avery Vazquez-Dennison, Alycia Gabriele Warfuel, Thomas Robert

White, Jada Raye-Markisha

## Geography and Sustainability

Archer, Michael D. Stanley, Kaitlyn Storm Walker, Christian Thomas \*

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#### Geology

Gaines, Ravin Aaron Ray

Intelligence Analysis

Bartak, Christopher J. Best, Cory Michael Bilsland, Scott ¶ Utterback, Payton Paul ‡

Language Studies Eckert, Emily N. \*

**Mathematics** Renz, Liza Jane

Mathematics Teaching Hunter, Jill Yvonne † Renz, Liza Jane

Music Business

Collins, Isabella Jean Doyle, Meghan K. Loehmann, Jacob Connor Stokes, James Szumski, Joseph M. Thomas, Benjamin Scott Wilhelm, Eva Lynn **Physics** 

Kelp, Victoria Jane

Political Science

Sanders, Alison Nicole

Political Science—Legal Studies

Ramirez, Yadira Victoria Sanders, Alison Nicole Snyder, William B. Solorio, Gabriela

**Psychology** 

Adams, Avery Mitchell Barber, Kelly Marie † Bartak, Madison Nichole ‡ Bell, Janea Res'e Brown, Lauren Delyce Carr, Delaney Katherine Cobbs, Jennifer Dawn England, Tatum Madeleigh Fisher, Tia Marie Horn-Chalkley, Jenay Leigh Hutchison, Lane M. † Jones, Jessica Taylor Kelsey, Connor Dallas Gene Kersey, Makaylah R. † Lane. Divine Ne'Colle Leake, Kahli Allena McCormack, Kristine Meadlo, Lauren Norris, Jessalyn Michele Overstreet, Sarah Nicole Owen, Arthur James Petro, Samuel R. Renteria, Felicia Maria Lynn Schmidt, Hudson P. Shiflet, Deirdre Montonia Simpson, Madison Lynn

Snider, Brooke Ann Stevens, Breanna R. † Titus, Tina Marie † West, Romasia Dorothy Darlene

Science Education

Guevara, Taylor Alexis ‡ Kelp, Victoria Jane Shepherd, Hannah E. ‡ Tucker, Seraphina Marie Autumn †

**Social Studies Education** 

Coleman, Montez Lashun, II Haehner, Alexander Carl † Morrison, Alissa Ann Stull, Jessica Marie Wracker, Todd †

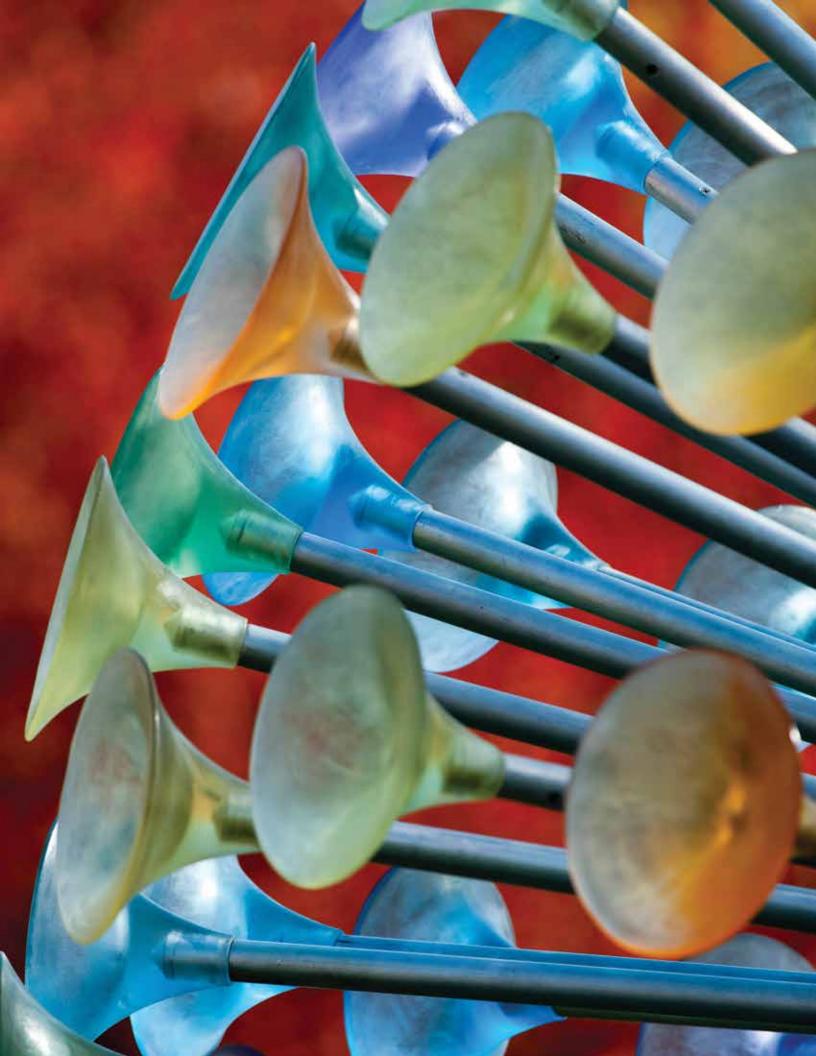
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## **Scott College of Business**

On behalf of the faculty and staff of the Scott College of Business, it is with great joy that I offer my sincere congratulations to all graduates. You are accomplishing something truly special and I hope that you feel tremendous pride in this achievement.

As you move past today and embark on your professional career, be confident with the knowledge that you are graduating from an outstanding college of business. Our faculty and staff have been committed to preparing you for a successful career from the first moment you chose to study business at Indiana State University (ISU). The journey has been challenging, but that is why only the top 5% of business schools in the world are AACSB accredited, which means our curriculum and programs are designed to help you make an immediate impact. Business is a force of good in the world and I am celebrating today because you inspire a future that is limitless.

I would also like to extend my sincere gratitude to your family and friends who have made sacrifices and supported you while attending ISU. The relationships we form each day empower our resolve and make anything possible. Graduation validates these connections and my wish is that your experiences with us are always remembered with resounding delight.

In the coming years, I hope that you will return often and stay actively engaged with the college because the wisdom and insight you develop will inspire generations of students that follow. Please keep us updated on your career and know how deeply proud we are of you as an alum of the Scott College of Business. I wish you success, happiness, and the very best throughout life.

Warm regards,

Terry Daugherty, Dean Scott College of Business



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# Scott College of Business

## Candidates for Baccalaureate Degrees

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#### **Bachelor of Science**

#### **Accounting**

Branson, Luke Edward Chew, Michelle Brianne \* Duffy, Sarah Dawn Howard Haney, Bryan J. † James, Hunter H.† Lambert, Cory

#### **Business Administration**

Cooke, William D.
Ferris, Kiley Morgan
Fleming, Darnell L.
Kennedy, Emilee Rebekah
Newton, Justin Michael
Sapp, Alexandra N.
See, Austin Gunnar ‡
Stanley, Kaitlyn Storm
Thomas, Ethan
Thompson, Carlos D., Jr.
Walton, Allie Michelle

#### **Finance**

Acklin, Sarah Leeann \*
Alaufi, Khalid Hamed
Almansoori, Mohamed Obaid,
Jr.
Cannon, Mark A.
Chambers, Keleigh Panhui †
Chew, Michelle Brianne \*
DuPriest, Corey DeSean, II
Foster, Andruu J.
Ikwala, Noeim
Kittle, Addie †

#### **Financial Services**

James, Hunter H.† Whitaker, Braden

#### Insurance

Dale, Rainey Jane Dehne, Stephanie Michelle \*

#### Management

Allen, Jillian E. ‡
Dehne, Stephanie Michelle \*
Raab, Samuel Edward
Sims, Tessa Faye
Stewart, Michael Patrick

# Management Information System

Kumbhani, Ayush Anil Tisson, Andre

#### Marketing

Aviles, Emily L. Blumer, William Gene, III Caton, Dakota Michael ‡ Cook, Katelyn E. ‡ Dragon, Trisha N. Eschenfelder, Tyler Patrick Fields, Mallory KayAnne Fossi, Claire Elizabeth Higgins, Frank James, Jr. Kiefer, Jared Scott Kunkel, Jack Basil Lesko, Wesley R. Rasnake, Hannah Nicole Waldrop, Adam Stewart West, Angela V. Williams, Madeline Scarbrough ‡

#### Operations and Supply Chain Management

Foster, Nicholas Robert Hamilton, Caleb Andrew ¶ Vischak, Stanley Edward

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Graduating Cum Laude

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## **Bayh College of Education**

Congratulations, graduates! I am grateful we are able to celebrate this important event together. Whether you are on the cusp of starting your career or you are advancing in a new or existing professional pursuit, the faculty and staff of the Bayh College of Education are very proud of you and recognize all that you have accomplished.

As you move forward, proudly remember that you will always be an Indiana State University Sycamore and will be forever consider an alumnus. You come from a University whose tradition was founded upon teacher education when the Indiana State Normal School was established in 1865. The school was renamed the Indiana State Teachers College in 1929 and renamed once more when we became Indiana State University in 1965.

As the University has grown, so has the Bayh College of Education. Our program offerings have extended beyond teacher education and administration programs to include the allied professions of Counseling, Speech-Language Pathology, School Psychology, and Higher Education Leadership. We have built on our solid foundation and we continuously improve our courses and programs through the help of our various professional advisory boards, our professional networks, and our students. We do this to provide you with the relevant knowledge, course work, and authentic experiences to be successful in today's world.

We hope you will intentionally network with us and with each other. You have built personal and professional relationships at Indiana State University that can keep you grounded, yet challenge you to grow. Remember that we are always here to help and support you. We offer advanced course work, various professional development days for our alumni, and continued mentoring—because we remain invested in your success. Do let us know how you are doing, how we might help, and how we might continuously improve.

Again, please accept my warmest congratulations on accomplishing this important milestone! On behalf of the faculty and staff of the Bayh College of Education, we wish you the very best.

Brad Balch, Interim Dean Bayh College of Education



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# Bayh College of Education

## Candidates for Baccalaureate Degrees

December 10, 2021

#### **Bachelor of Science**

#### **Elementary Education**

Atchley, Courtney Lin †
Austin, Alison Marie
Banks, Breana Kathryn ‡
Boor, Dalyn A.
Chipman, Abby Louise
Deter, Michaelyn Elizabeth
Douglas, Bailee Renee
Greer, Ashley R. ‡
Harmon, Tanya M.
Hilton, Trinity Nicole \*

Holmes, Ali Marie † Houser, Brooke Renee Kime, Alexis R. † Kirkwood, Kamilah Janelle \* Lloyd, Tamara Deva Lyons, Emma Rose † Mathis, Gwendolyn Grace † Nett, Taylor David Nunez, Nicole Loren † Pike, Sydney H. ‡ Rosentreter, Katie Ruth ‡ Stuckemeyer, Margeaux R.† Taylor, Jamison Marie † Thurmond, Olivia Nonette † Weddle, Josh David Weyler, Abbye Rose † Wheelock, Rebecca

#### **Special Education**

Conrad, Brenna Renee Hilton, Trinity Nicole \* Holmes, Ali Marie † Kime, Alexis R. † Taylor, Jamison Marie † Thurmond, Olivia Nonette †

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## **College of Health and Human Services**

On behalf of the faculty and staff at Indiana State University College of Health and Human Services, it is my privilege to congratulate you on earning a degree from one of our outstanding programs. You are poised to improve the health, well-being, and social welfare of humanity. Welcome to the professional world!

You have earned your degree and with that comes high expectations for what you will accomplish over the course of your lifetime. J.K. Rowling said, "We do not need magic to change the world, we carry all the power we need inside ourselves already: we have the power to imagine better." (Excerpt from J.K. Rowling's Commencement Address Harvard University June 5, 2008)

We are proud of your knowledge, skills, and aspirations to make a difference, whether it is in your home, neighborhood, city, country, or the world. We look to a future where you might ensure a clean and plentiful water supply, encourage leisure, heal injury and treat illness, and develop the scientific evidence that supports health, healthcare, and social service practice. There is no shortage of work for, nor limit on, what may be accomplished by educated, informed and enlightened people. We believe in you!

To the families, spouses, partners, children, and friends of today's graduates, the faculty and staff recognize how important your contributions have been to ensure the success of each graduate. We know you are proud of your graduate and have been with them every moment, sacrificing and supporting, so that graduates could pursue their dreams. Thank you!

The faculty and staff of the College of Health and Human Services know that you will create a better world and secure your future and your family's future. Our wish for you is a meaningful career and a life filled with love and happiness. We hope that you will keep in touch with us, let us know how you are, and what we can do to support your next steps.

To your success!

Caroline Mallory, Ph.D., R.N., Dean UCOIlege of Health and Human Services

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# College of Health and Human Services

## Candidates for Baccalaureate Degrees

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# Bachelor of Applied Science

#### **Health Services**

Osborn, Stephanie Marie

#### **Bachelor of Science**

#### **Applied Medicine**

Booker, Jordyn L.
Cazel, Morgan Elizabeth
Davis, Noah M.
Duncan, Danielle F. †
Fleck, Summer Raye
Gephart, Taylor Marie \*
Halbig, Dalton E. ¶
Knuckles, Seth Gregory
Kurtz, Michael Thomas
Lane, Kevin Michael
Lankford, Aubrey Anne †
Lonneman, Sarah Rose †
Margheim, Jensen M. \*
McClure, Matthew ‡
Waggoner, Willard Cole ‡

#### **Athletic Training**

Fabricius, Frederik Hejbol

#### **Dietetics**

Stewart, Jennifer Leigh

#### Food Service Management

Senne, Casey Jo

#### **Health Sciences**

Hazelwood, DeAndre Mikhail Korvah, Johnson, Jr. Martin, Julie Ann Otomewo, Onome Sandra

# Human Development and Family Studies

Guise, Shania C. Hernandez, Brisa Messer, Darynne Alexandria Snellgrose, Kelsey Cheyanne

#### Physical Education— Exercise Science

Doedtman, Amanda Kaye ‡ Garmon, Alecia V.
Howard, Michael R., III † Kelsey, Connor Dallas Gene Madden, Amber Marie † McCarter, Contrell, Jr.
Myers, Michelle Leigh
Nowicki, Alexis Anita
Nuttall, Jacob R.
Smith, Anthony Mario
Tina, Jaxon Evan
Watson, Connor Jeffrey

#### Physical Education— All-Grade

Frye, Haley Ann

# Recreation and Sport Management

Barrett, Nicholas Lee Cook, Katelyn E. ‡ Gonzalez, Angel DeJesus Hardin, Bryson Michael Hoesman, Chase Elden ‡ Humphrey, Conner Jacob Hunter, I'Tesiah Brenda Montague, Nehemiah John Mosteller, Wendell A. Young, Tirone De'Aundre

# Recreation Management Youth Leadership

Seawood, Michael, Jr.

#### **Sport Management**

Beck, Dalynn
Briscoe, Jacob Javon
Carlisle, Connor James
Clampet, Brady D.
Diehl, Landon Austin
Green, Deandre D., II
Green, Lauren Emmie †
Merriman, Devynn Rene †
Owen, Stephen Hunter

# **Bachelor of Science in Nursing**

## **Baccalaureate Nursing**

Abraham, Sherly Bates, Shana Bedwell, Taylor Nicole ‡ Bell, Sha'keyah Lanea Bergner, Cara Buckles, Heather Rena \* Casey, Makenzie Kimberly ‡ Cooksey, Lacey J. ‡ Coons, Lydia Maegwen ‡ Cooper, Karlee Jo Dietzen, Aleksas Marie † Eaton, Madelyn Eizabeth † Elder, Amy M. Elsbury, Kaylee Malynn † Ford, Amanda Rajean Getz, Nicole ‡ Green, Melinda Sue Grimes, Marissa Herrera, Shelby K. ‡ Holvey, Katherine Elise ‡ Hutton, Teresa Renee' † Johnson, Jessica Lorraine Jones, Nadia A. †

Kirumba, Anne W. ¶ Kollins, Sydney G.‡ Lewis, Mary Hannah Rothschild Lowery, Ashley Melissa Magill, Charles Nicolas † Mathis, Denise Mendiville, Andrianna Miller, Elizabeth Monaco, Katie Anne Odorhean, Camelia Ioana ‡ Patel, Ripun M. ‡ Pirtle, Reagan E.\* Rader, Lauren E. Sermersheim, Madison S. ‡ Sherrill, Alexis L. Simmons, Dustin Paul Siwek, Alexandra R. \* Spencer, Brody † Stamper, Haley Noel ‡ Stetler, Mattison L. ‡ Tevebaugh, Jessica Leigh Thomas, Bailey Madison Thompson, Cyndal O. Ticen, Rachel E. † Walker, Antionette Ziaraya-Jarquereeay Walker, Eric Matthew Ward, Jessica Leigh White, Jennifer Lee Williamson, Ashley Rose Wiseman, Blake Scott †

Graduating Summa Cum Laude

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## College of Technology

It is my honor and pleasure to extend sincere congratulations and best wishes to the college's newest graduates. I know you will be exceptional ambassadors for the college by building upon our reputation for excellence.

As graduates of the College of Technology you are truly unique. As you embark upon and progress in your careers, I encourage you to always remember why you chose your respective fields and the sacrifices you and others made in order to make that choice possible: to serve your communities by advancing the positive and productive application of technology, and to improve the quality of life for those in your communities with knowledge, compassion, and integrity.

I want to give special thanks to your families and friends for their patience, understanding, sacrifices, and support. Their guidance and encouragement certainly will continue to be sought and valued in the years to come, and they should rejoice as together you celebrate this important milestone and the part they have played.

This nation and our world face great changes and opportunities on the technology landscape, and with these come great challenges and responsibility. As the college's graduates, you are equipped to meet those challenges with knowledge, skill, and professional and personal ethics. Indeed, you are not only well equipped to meet them, you are positioned to lead the way in applying your knowledge, skills, and professionalism to anticipating and addressing the challenges yet to come. I urge you to be both bold and creative in the application of your skills, knowledge, imagination, and integrity to solving the problems you and our society will face. Be life-long learners and seekers of new ways to solve society's challenges.

In the coming years, I ask that you not forget your college experiences, former professors, and fellow and future College of Technology alumni. I encourage you to not only give back to the college by supporting its activities, programs, research, and scholarships, but also by keeping us updated on the many achievements you will attain in your careers and personal lives. We look forward to your frequent returns to the college, and greatly value the insights and wisdom you will share with us and the generations of students who will follow you.

Congratulations once again. The entire College of Technology family is indeed proud of you.

Nesli Alp, Ph.D., P.E., Dean, College of Technology

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# College of Technology

## Candidates for Baccalaureate Degrees

December 10, 2021

# Bachelor of Applied Science

#### Technology

Smith, Derek D. ¶

#### **Bachelor of Arts**

## Textiles, Apparel and Merchandising

Nickolaus, Stephanie Elyse

#### **Bachelor of Science**

#### **Adult and Career Education**

Lentz, Anthony Richard ‡ Montgomery, Dawnna Marie ¶ Wyre, Bertran, III

# Architectural Engineering Technology

Starks, Takeira Rashay

#### Automation and Control Engineer Technology

Otto, Wesley E. ‡

# Automotive Engineering Technology

Ondash, Zachary John Stroia, Timothy James

#### **Aviation Management**

Atkinson, Grace Mitchell Bales, Zackary † Bennett, Tylor Cole Boguiren, Jonah Quinn \\ Caron, Jedidiah Patrick Crawford, Jonathan Enamorado, Alejandro Enrique Garris, Noah Foster Harris, Joseph Scott James, Carson Daniel Kerlegrand, Peterson M. Lafayette, Brady James \* McCurty, Dai-yja Monae' McPherron, Cassandra Jane † Millen, Lucas James Morge, Eric Michael Morris, Brandon Jefferson

Morris, Jackson Andrew Walker Murrmann, Noah Monti ‡ Orbin, Jacob Keith † Parrish, Brett Keith ‡ Wojciechowski, Nathan Leonard

# Computer Engineering Technology

Carmichael, Brice Crispin, Cole Emerson Daniel, Gregory Adewunmi Davis, Antonio A., Jr. Moreno, Javier Jose Samkari, Mohammad Ateya

#### **Construction Management**

Abraham, Junior Bock, Joseph Samuel Conde, Oscar Cox. Joshua David DelPup, Daniel Douglas, James Horace, III Fahler, Nicholas Jack Faux, Andrew Michael Galvez, Juan M. ‡ Gonzalez, Yesel Hershberger, Jerry M. Johnson, Alexander Johnson, Josh \* Jones, Rakeisha M. Long, Brandy Alexandria Mair, Megan Aurora Manson, Devion Lajuan Medina, Derek Luciano Miles, Bruce Narain, Abhijit Patterson, Molly Elizabeth Perez Mazariegos, Analilia ¶ Roberson, Tyrell R. Roles, Zachary Justin Short, Dakota Michael South. Shav Lee Sprott, Dan Terry, Bennett Andrew Uhles, Joshua Urias, Josue H. Waghela, Mahimakunwarba Ajaysinh † Waters, Andrew Scott ‡ Webster, Stephen Marc, II ‡

## Electronics Engineering Technology

Williams, Phillip Rilius, II

Asaolu, Opeyemi O. Feller, Austin James Lee Moreno, Javier Jose Shirk, Nicholas Steven

## Engineering Technology Management

Musick, Jared

# Human Resource Development

Bourn, Mariah Lashae'
Buell, Christina Rea
Chumley, Carlotta Ann Gobin
Glessner, Kara Jean \*
Heck, Annie Marie
Miley, Paige N.
Mills, Amanda Rose
Novack, Lynn Chanel †
O'Sullivan, Chloe Elise †
Pearson, Devin James
Shelton, Jordynne Olivia
Stano, Keirstin Renee
Sung, Hniang Khun
Woods, Kaitlin Grace

#### **Information Technology**

Anderson, Lance Vaniel Cao, Zhiyang ‡ Harvey, Jason M. John, Gavin Lee Strange, Devin Thomas Wagner, Garrett A.† Ward, Ronald Kirk

#### **Interior Architecture Design**

Rix, Rachel Jean Ley Wells, Audrianna Regina Latoi

# Manufacturing Engineering Technology

Alkhaldi, Abdulrahman Mohammed M.

## Mechanical Engineering Technology

Afuta Kapajika, Ernest
Alanazi, Mohammed Raja
Alshammari, Sumayhan
Sarhan
Alshanqiti, Moayad †
Carr, Robert Lee, III
Coleman, Patrick Michael
Estrada, Daniel
Evans, Coy Joseph
Felemban, Abdulmajeed
Khaled †
Gill, Christian
Guernsey, Hannah Grace †
Johnson, Marietta Grace

Kline, Timothy Adam Nemeth, Logan A. † O'Bryan, Hunter James Story, William Walton-Weirs, Claire Worsham, Lakdhar Shakyra

# Packaging Engineering Technology

Cottrell, Wesley Dakota Meeks, Kailyn Mae ‡ Weathers, Cole Alan Yamafuji, Kory

# Professional Aviation Flight Technology

Alanazi, Thamer ‡ Barrett, Joseph Patrick, Jr. Boquiren, Jonah Quinn \\ Chupp, Spencer Elliot † Crawford, Jonathan Lafavette, Brady James \* McPherron, Cassandra Jane † Melendez, Adrian Emmanuel Millen, Lucas James Morris, Brandon Jefferson Morris, Jackson Andrew Walker Murrmann, Noah Monti ‡ Orbin, Jacob Keith † Parrish, Brett Keith ‡ Runner, Alex Dale

#### Safety Management

Leonard

Sannan, Abdulmajeed \*

Wojciechowski, Nathan

America, Jacob Robert Denny, Robert James Hakami, Ali Mohammed Hellard, David J. Jochem, Molly R. † Millard, Nathan Thomas † Rohrbach, Jacob Ray Romero, Sarah Ann Shaub, Matthew G. Thomas, Heather Kay Ward, Grant Michael

#### **Technology Management** Kiarie, Raymond Kamau Truitt, Michael Anthony

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Textiles, Apparel and Merchandising Cotharn, Chayne Davis, Ciara Amyre Harris, Cheyenne Summer Lyon, Emma G.

**Unmanned Systems** Enamorado, Alejandro Enrique Garris, Noah Foster Harris, Joseph Scott Kerlegrand, Peterson M. Morge, Eric Michael

<sup>\*</sup> Graduating Summa Cum Laude

## National Anthem

Oh! say, can you see, by the dawn's early light,
What so proudly we hailed at the twilight's last gleaming?
Whose broad stripes and bright stars, thro' the perilous fight,
O'er the ramparts we watched were so gallantly streaming?
And the rockets' red glare, the bombs bursting in air,
Gave proof thro' the night that our flag was still there.
Oh! say, does that star-spangled banner yet wave
O'er the land of the free and the home of the brave?

## Alma Mater

Out upon the swelling breezes, let our voices ring As to thee, our Alma Mater, heartfelt praise we sing. Though the years to come may part us, Friends and comrades true, ISU, our Alma Mater, here's our pledge to you.

