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The University of Nebraska at Omaha

August Commencement 2000

Commencement

University of Nebraska at Omaha

Civic Auditorium

August 12, 2000

9:00 a.m.

*...to those who dedicate their lives to
the high calling of instruction
to all students who shall here
learn to earn a living
and to live a cultured life
not as two processes
but as one ...*

PROGRAM

PRELUDE

"Canzona per Sonare No. 4".....G. Gabrieli

PROCESSIONAL

"Pomp & Circumstance March No. 1".....E. Elgar

Palladium Brass

Please rise when the academic procession enters.

MASTER OF CEREMONIES.....Vice Chancellor Derek Hodgson

THE NATIONAL ANTHEM

"The Star Spangled Banner".....Key

Please join us in song led by
Ms. Jennifer Birnstihl and Mr. David Edmonds,
Vocal Music Education Majors

CHANCELLOR'S WELCOME.....Chancellor Nancy Belck

REGENTS' WELCOME.....Regent Drew Miller
Member, Board of Regents

STUDENT ADDRESS.....Ms. Donna Boston

"Lessons for Life"

PRESENTATION OF CITATION FOR ALUMNUS ACHIEVEMENT.....Ms. Kathleen Olson
Chairman, UNO Alumni Association
Board of Directors

To: Mr. John E. Nahas

PRESENTATION OF THE CHANCELLOR'S MEDAL.....Chancellor Nancy Belck

To: Mr. Michael Denney

ORDER OF THE TOWER AWARD.....Chancellor Nancy Belck

Recipient: Ms. Marguerite Scribante

SPECIAL MUSIC

"Sonata in C Major".....Mozart

A selection played from Marguerite Scribante's compact disc

COMMENCEMENT ADDRESS.....Dr. Julie Horney
Professor, Criminal Justice

INTRODUCTION OF ACADEMIC DEANS.....Dr. Derek Hodgson
Vice Chancellor, Academic Affairs

PRESENTATION OF CANDIDATES.....Academic Deans
AND

CONFERRING OF DEGREES.....Chancellor Nancy Belck

Doctor of Philosophy, Doctor of Education,

Specialist's, and Master's.....Vice Chancellor Shelton Hendricks

Bachelor's

Arts and Sciences.....Dean John Flocken

Engineering and Technology.....Dr. Raymond K. Moore

Education.....Dean John Christensen

Business Administration.....Dean Stanley J. Hille

Continuing Studies.....Dean John T. Farr

Public Affairs and Community Service.....Interim Dean B.J. Reed

Fine Arts.....Dean Karen White

Human Resources and Family Sciences.....Interim Assistant Dean Fayrene Hamouz

Information Science & Technology.....Dean Wayne R. Dyksen

CLOSING.....Vice Chancellor Derek Hodgson

RECESSIONAL

"Pomp & Circumstance March No. 4".....E. Elgar

For the safety and convenience of our guests and out of respect for our graduates, we ask that members of the audience refrain from leaving their seats, congregating near the stage or exiting prior to the close of our ceremonies. A professional photographer will record graduates as they cross the stage. These photos are available from the vendor. Thank you for your cooperation.

PLATFORM PARTY

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| <p>1. Dr. Nancy Belck
Chancellor
University of Nebraska at Omaha</p> <p>3. Regent Rosemary Skrupa
Member, Board of Regents
University of Nebraska</p> <p>5. Ms. Marguerite Scribante
Order of the Tower Recipient</p> <p>7. Dr. James R. Buck
Vice Chancellor
University Affairs & Communications</p> <p>9. Ms. Donna Boston
Student Representative
Graduating Class - August 2000</p> <p>11. Mr. Michael Denney
Chancellor's Medal Recipient</p> <p>13. Dr. Donal Burns
Assoc. Exec. Vice President and Provost
University of Nebraska</p> <p>15. Dr. Mary A. Mudd
Vice Chancellor
Student Affairs</p> <p>17. Dr. John Flocken
Dean
Arts & Sciences</p> <p>19. Dr. John Christensen
Dean
Education</p> <p>21. Dr. B.J. Reed
Interim Dean
Public Affairs & Community Service</p> <p>23. Dr. Wayne R. Dyksen
Dean
Information Science & Technology</p> <p>25. Dr. John T. Farr
Assoc. Vice Chancellor, Academic Affairs and
Dean, Continuing Studies</p> <p>27. Ms. Allison Cushman
Student President-Regent
University of Nebraska Medical Center</p> | <p>2. Regent Drew Miller
• Member, Board of Regents
University of Nebraska</p> <p>4. Dr. Derek Hodgson
Vice Chancellor
Academic Affairs</p> <p>6. Dr. Julie Horney
Commencement Speaker</p> <p>8. Mr. Gary Carrico
Vice Chancellor
Business & Finance</p> <p>10. Dr. Shelton Hendricks
Vice Chancellor of Research and
Dean of Graduate Studies</p> <p>12. Mr. John E. Nahas
Citation for Alumnus Achievement
Award Recipient</p> <p>14. Ms. Kathleen Olson
Chairman, UNO Alumni Association
Board of Directors</p> <p>16. Mr. William Marunda
Student President-Regent
University of Nebraska at Omaha</p> <p>18. Dr. Karen White
Dean
Fine Arts</p> <p>20. Dr. Fayrene Hamouz
Interim Assistant Dean
Human Resources & Family Sciences</p> <p>22. Dr. Raymond Moore
Co-Chair, Civil Engineering
Engineering & Technology</p> <p>24. Dr. Stanley J. Hille
Dean
Business Administration</p> <p>26. Dr. Douglas Paterson
President
Faculty Senate</p> |
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Ushers:

Rita Henry
Lincoln Morris

Sarah Sell

Milton Shobe
Angie Tucker

Readers:

Liz Cajka

Deborah Van Fleet

UNO Ambassadors:

Shelley Albea
Crystalynn Billings

Karen Bostic
Mallory Prucha

Clint Rushing
Sean Thompson

ACADEMIC REGALIA

Identification of the hood and robe as academic apparel is believed to have originated at the English universities of Oxford and Cambridge during the twelfth and thirteenth centuries. The hoods are a carry-over from the times when monks, who operated these universities, wore them to protect their shaved heads in winter. The robe is an adaptation of the shoulder cape also worn by these same monks while collecting alms.

Use of the academic robe came to the United States in 1754 with the founding of what is now Columbia University. In 1895, a commission of University officials adopted a universal code of design and color for the academic garb. This code has undergone several revisions in subsequent years.

Styling of the robes varies for the bachelor's and master's degrees with the width of sleeve borders and length of the hood increasing with each advanced degree. Hoods are normally not used for bachelor's degrees today. Instead, the tassel colors are used to indicate the degree program.

GRADUATION TASSEL COLORS

College of Arts and Sciences	
Master of Arts.....	White
Master of Arts for Teachers of Mathematics.....	White
Master of Science.....	Golden Yellow
Bachelor of Arts.....	White
Bachelor of Science.....	Golden Yellow
College of Engineering and Technology.....	Orange
Associate.....	Grey-Blue
College of Education.....	Light Blue
Specialist in Education.....	Light Blue
College of Business Administration	
Master of Business Administration.....	Drab (Nugget)
Master of Business Administration: Executive MBA.....	Drab (Nugget)
Master of Professional Accounting.....	Drab (Nugget)
Bachelor of Science in Business Administration.....	Drab (Nugget)
College of Continuing Studies.....	Black
College of Public Affairs and Community Service	
Master of Public Administration.....	Peacock Blue
Master of Social Work.....	Citron
Bachelor of Science in Criminal Justice.....	Golden Yellow
Bachelor of Science in Public Administration.....	Peacock Blue
Bachelor of Science in Social Work.....	Citron
Bachelor of Science in Urban Studies.....	Golden Yellow
College of Fine Arts	
Master of Music.....	Pink
Bachelor of Arts in Art History.....	White
Bachelor of Arts in Dramatic Arts.....	White
Bachelor of Fine Arts.....	Brown
Bachelor of Music.....	Pink
College of Human Resources and Family Sciences.....	Maroon

UNIVERSITY HONORS PROGRAM

The University Honors Program is an all-University program which provides maximum educational opportunities for students of high ability through special multidisciplinary seminars and participation in an academic level not generally possible in usual curricular offerings.

The program is an outgrowth of the Arts and Sciences Honors program and was initiated in 1978. It is governed through the office of the Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs and administered through the Honors Coordinator. UNOmaha colleges which implement honors programs include Arts and Sciences, Business Administration, Education, Fine Arts and Public Affairs and Community Service.

As part of their Honors Program requirements, students undertake a research project that results in a Senior Honors Thesis. Students and their theses topics are listed before the list of undergraduate degree candidates. Students who have been designated in this booklet as Honors Program students have fulfilled the academic requirements of this program.

MEDALLION COLORS

Students receiving their baccalaureate degree with honors will be presented medallions in the colors designated.

Summa Cum Laude.....	Red/White
Magna Cum Laude.....	White
Cum Laude.....	Red

OMICRON DELTA KAPPA

Active student members of the UNO Circle of Omicron Delta Kappa, the National Leadership Honor Society, shall be recognized by the blue, white and black honor cords, the official colors of the society.

PI GAMMA MU

The blue and white cords with the blue tassels honor the graduating members of Pi Gamma Mu, International Honor Society in Social Science.

COMMENCEMENT SPEAKER

JULIE HORNEY

Julie Horney, professor in the department of criminal justice at the University of Nebraska at Omaha, will deliver today's commencement address.

Dr. Horney earned her B.A. in psychology from the University of North Carolina in 1969 and her Ph.D. in psychology from the University of California-San Diego in 1973.

In addition to her duties as professor, Dr. Horney is director of the situational dynamics research program area for the National Consortium on Violence Research (NCOVR). Her research in the areas of criminal case processing, legal impact analysis and individual patterns of criminal and violent behavior has been funded by the National Institute of Justice and the National Science Foundation.

Dr. Horney has published articles in many scholarly publications including *Criminology*, the *American Sociological Review* and *Law and Society Review*. She currently serves on the editorial boards of four publications, is deputy editor of *Justice Quarterly* and is an executive counselor of the American Society of Criminology.

Prior to joining the faculty at UNOmaha in 1975, she was an assistant professor at Mercer University and a postdoctoral fellow in the law-psychology program at the University of Nebraska-Lincoln. In 1982-83, Dr. Horney took a leave of absence from UNOmaha to work as a research associate at the Federal Judicial Center in Washington, D.C.

Dr. Horney's current research projects include the interaction between community and situational factors in shaping violent events and the experiences with violence of jailed female offenders.

She is a past recipient of the UNOmaha Award for Distinguished Research or Creative Activity in 1998, Kayser Professorship in 1997, Research Fellow Award in 1993-95, Judicial Fellow in the Supreme Court of the United States in 1982-83 and she was inducted into Phi Beta Kappa in 1969.

STUDENT COMMENCEMENT SPEAKER

DONNA BOSTON

Donna Boston used her leadership skills and sense of professionalism to excel during her undergraduate career at UNOmaha. She has consistently been named to the Dean's List and was a member of the Honors Program. Her commencement address is titled "Lessons for Life."

Boston graduates magna cum laude today with a bachelor of science degree in family science. As a student, she received many honors, including the Kenower Trust, Kate Field, Elmer C. Rhoden, Family and Communication Association and Dorothea E. Lutjeharms scholarships and membership in the Golden Key National Honor Society. She was also the Family Science Undergraduate Honoree and Dean's Award recipient at the 2000 Student Honors Convocation.

In addition to her academic accomplishments, Boston has worked as a program coordinator, childcare coordinator and club counselor through the YMCA, a Girl Scout day camp counselor, and as a volunteer with the Salvation Army, Ronald McDonald House, St. Pius X Catholic Church and St. Pius X/St. Leo schools.

Boston plans to enter graduate school at the University of Nebraska-Lincoln this fall. She has accepted a graduate assistantship and will pursue a master of science degree in family science.

CHANCELLOR'S MEDAL RECIPIENT

MIKE DENNEY

Mike Denney's secrets to coaching success are often attributed to his passion for his work, a positive approach and perseverance. Whatever his secret, the University of Nebraska at Omaha wrestling coach has become one of the most respected wrestling coaches in the nation.

As he enters his 22nd season at UNOmaha this fall, Denney carries a career record of 204-86-5, and he has coached 114 Division II All-Americans and 16 Division II national champions. Teams coached by Denney have 13 top-three and 19 top-ten finishes at the national meet—more than any other Division II school.

Denney first came to UNOmaha in 1979. He led the team to a 12th-place national finish in 1980, but that wasn't good enough. In 1981, he built a squad that jumped to third in the nation and earned him NCAA Division II Coach of the Year honors. In 1991, his squad won the NCAA Division II National Championship, and he was named Coach of the Year for the second time.

Denney is a graduate of Dakota Wesleyan University. During his time in South Dakota, he was a four-year starter and letter-winner in football and wrestling. He was also an all-conference and all-district performer in both sports. In 1988, he was inducted into the Dakota Wesleyan Athletic Hall of Fame. He is also a member of the NCAA Division II Hall of Fame, Nebraska Wrestling Hall of Fame and the Metro Wrestling Coaches Hall of Fame.

After graduating from Dakota Wesleyan, Denney went on to get his master's degree in physical education from UNOmaha. He played seven years of semi-pro football for the Omaha Mustangs and he holds a third-degree black belt in Judo and Jujitsu. In 1982, he won the National Masters Judo Championship at 209 pounds.

Off the wrestling mat, Denney is a respected speaker and youth motivator. He considers coaching and teaching his passion and he has been in the coaching ranks for 31 years—including five years at Omaha South High School and five years at Omaha Bryan High School. Denney has often been heard to remark that it is his mission in life to "effectively teach and build good people."

In honor of his dedication and service, UNOmaha takes pride in recognizing Coach Mike Denney as the August 2000 recipient of the Chancellor's Medal.

The Chancellor's Medal at the University of Nebraska at Omaha was established to recognize the contributions of faculty and administrative staff who embody the institution's mission and values. It is bestowed only to those within the university community who have demonstrated unusual excellence.

ORDER OF THE TOWER RECIPIENT

MARGUERITE HALLAS SCRIBANTE

Marguerite Hallas Scribante has always had the arts in her life. She believes music has given her a direction and helped her experience beauty and wonder that would not have been there otherwise.

Scribante, the August 2000 Order of the Tower recipient, wants to share the arts with others as well. In 1998 she established the Marguerite Hallas Scribante Professorship in Music at the University of Nebraska at Omaha. The professorship is awarded to an outstanding individual within the UNOmaha Department of Music who has demonstrated teaching and research ability and holds academic promise.

The award is one way Scribante believes she can give back and help provide the same quality of education she received. She also hopes it encourages others to do the same.

Scribante is a 1955 graduate of the University of Nebraska-Lincoln with a bachelor's degree in music. As a student, she used her talent as a member of the orchestra, University Singers and Sigma Alpha Iota—a music fraternity.

After graduating from UNL, Scribante encouraged others to explore their musical talents as a high school choral music teacher in Cozad and as a piano and organ teacher in Omaha. In addition to her work in music, she also worked for IBM Corporation.

Scribante has served her community in many ways over the years. She has been a member of the YMCA Board, Fontenelle Forest Board, Christian Urban Education Board, Madonna School Board, University of Nebraska Foundation Board and the Campaign Nebraska Leadership Board. Scribante also volunteered her time as a Girl Scout and Cub Scout leader and as a volunteer music teacher at St. Margaret Mary Grade School. In addition, Scribante provided the financial support to ship artifacts from the Bethsaida Excavations Project to the United States and she helped underwrite the costs for the UNO-TV mini-documentary, "The Dead Sea Scrolls: Past and Future."

"Her love of music and the arts is demonstrated by her own performance and teaching, as well as her generosity to the University of Nebraska at Omaha," said Karen White, dean of the College of Fine Arts.

Scribante's many endeavors at UNOmaha and in the community have been instrumental in the lives of many—encouraging them to love music and the arts. For all her service and contributions to the university, it is with great pleasure that Marguerite Hallas Scribante is awarded the Order of the Tower.

First presented in 1964, the Order of the Tower is the University of Nebraska at Omaha's highest non-academic award. Since that time, more than 70 individuals have received this honor, which symbolizes an ongoing commitment to the growth and development of the university.

The Order of the Tower is bestowed upon community leaders whose service and/or financial support has made it possible for the university to address the academic, cultural and economic needs of the people of Omaha and the citizens of Nebraska. Recipients of the award embody virtues and attributes valued highly by the university and are recognized as an example to others.

ALUMNUS ACHIEVEMENT AWARD RECIPIENT

JOHN E. NAHAS

Throughout his life, John E. Nahas has combined a demanding career with active civic involvement. It is this combination for which the University of Nebraska at Omaha Alumni Association bestows its Citation for Alumnus Achievement on Nahas.

A 1975 economics and finance graduate of Creighton University and a 1978 MBA graduate of UNOmaha, Nahas is currently the president and CEO of commercial banking for US Bank's Nebraska operations.

A Des Moines, Iowa, native, Nahas joined the accounting department at Omaha National Bank as a financial analyst in 1975. While working there full time, he pursued his MBA at UNOmaha. In 1978, Nahas was named vice president of commercial banking—serving in that capacity for nine years.

In 1987, Nahas was named senior vice president for business banking at what had become FirstTier Bank. He served nine years in this position until being named executive vice president and district manager for the business banking division in 1996. Nahas assumed his present post as president and CEO of what is now US Bank three years ago. US Bank is the nation's 11th-largest bank holding company with offices in 17 states and assets of more than \$80 billion.

Among the many organizations for which Nahas has volunteered his time and services are Children's Hospital, the Boys and Girls Clubs of Omaha, Nebraska Special Olympics, Joslyn Art Museum, Durham Western Heritage Museum and the Greater Omaha Chamber of Commerce.

The Citation for Alumnus Achievement is presented each year at spring, summer and winter commencements to graduates who have achieved distinction in their careers. Since the citation's inception 50 years ago, the UNOmaha Alumni Association has honored more than 100 UNOmaha graduates with the award. The impressive list includes U.S. senators, military leaders, educators, artists, businessmen and women, entrepreneurs and many others who represent the best of UNOmaha graduates.

GRADUATE COLLEGE

This list includes the names of persons who are candidates for degree as of August 1, 2000.

DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY

Jessie Lyn Krienert, BS, Iowa State University, 1994; MA, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1996; Ph.D. in Criminal Justice, "Testing an Integrated Model of Masculinity and Violence;" Dissertation Adviser: Dr. Julie Horney

Jennifer Johnson Roberts, BA, University South Dakota, 1993; MA, Indiana University, 1996; Ph.D. in Criminal Justice, "The Person in Context: The Impact of Early Onset Criminality on High Risk for Violence Situations;" Dissertation Adviser: Dr. Julie Horney

DOCTOR OF EDUCATION

Theresa Ann Norris, Bachelor of Science in Education, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 1983; Master of Music, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 1985; Ed.D. in Educational Administration, "A Longitudinal Study of Predictors of Student Achievement Related to Socioeconomic Status, Race/Ethnicity, Attendance, and Student Mobility;" Dissertation Adviser: Dr. Daniel Levine

SPECIALIST IN EDUCATION

Ramona Sue Routley, BA, Greenville College, 1995; MS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1997; School Psychology, "Social Interaction Differences in Regular Education Classes for a Secondary Student with Multiple Disabilities;" Field Project Adviser: Dr. Norman Hamm

Sherry L. Stuhr-Huffman, BS, University of Nebraska at Kearney, 1995; MS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1997; School Psychology, "Effects of Curricular Adaptation on Participation Levels of Students with Severe Disabilities in Inclusive Classes;" Field Project Adviser: Dr. Robert Woody

MASTER OF ARTS

Melinda Kay Bailey, Bachelor of Arts in Education, Kearney State College, 1990; Health, Physical Education and Recreation

Brittany Dawn Benko, BS, Weber State University, 1997; Biology "Characterization of Dewlap Structure and Ultraviolet Reflectance in the Puerto Rican Crested Anole (*Anolis Cristatellus*);" Thesis Adviser: Dr. W. Sue Fairbanks

Lenal Marie Bottoms, BA, Midland Lutheran College, 1987; Communication, "Newspaper Treatment of People with Disabilities: The Changing Use of Preferred and Non-Preferred Terms in the *New York Times* and *Omaha World-Herald*;" Thesis Adviser: Dr. Warren Francke

Susan Renae Collins, BSN, Clarkson College, 1990; Health, Physical Education and Recreation

Jennifer Lynn Dalbey-Christensen, BS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1995; Communication, "High School Preparation and Experience in Oral Communication: Do They Affect Communication Apprehension Levels?;" Thesis Adviser: Dr. Karen Dwyer

Scot Gregor Davis, BA, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 1991; Health, Physical Education and Recreation

John Patrick Donnelly Jr., BA, Creighton University, 1984; English, "Where Time and Eternity Meet: The Yearning for Transcendence in the Fiction of Joyce Carol Oates;" Thesis Adviser: Dr. Joan Latchaw

Douglas Karl Ealy, BS, Indiana University, 1993; Secondary Education, "A Perspective of Technology Supervisors in Support of Schools;" Thesis Adviser: Dr. Neal Grandgenett

Ahmad Behrang Edjtehadi, Doctor of Dental Medicine, Centro Escolar University, 1982; Health, Physical Education and Recreation

Ellen Mary Fangman, BA, Creighton University, 1997; English, "The Memoirs of Ivan Doig: Donning New Roles and Revising Old Myths;" Thesis Adviser: Dr. Susan Maher

Nicole Marie Franta, BA, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 1995; English

Kimberly Dianne Hassell, BS, Charleston Southern University, 1998; Criminal Justice, "A Police Probation Partnership: One City's Response to Serious, Habitual Juvenile Offending;" Thesis Adviser: Dr. Edward Maguire

Timothy G. Ihrig, BA, Creighton University, 1991; Biology, "Probing the Structure of the 5'NTR of Coxsackievirus B3 RNA;" Thesis Adviser: Dr. William Tappich

Dawn M. Irlbeck, BA, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1990; Sociology, "Latino Police Officers: Negotiating the Police Role;" Thesis Adviser: Dr. Lourdes Gouveia

Marsha A. Stithem Kalkowski, BA, Creighton University, 1994; Communication, "Diffusion of Innovation: Technology in the High School Journalism Classroom;" Thesis Adviser: Dr. Jeremy Lipschultz

Debra R. Kelly, BS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1989; Communication, "Secrecy in the Organizational Romance;" Thesis Adviser: Dr. Marshall Prisbell

Andrea Lynn Kemp, BS, Iowa State University, 1990; Psychology, "Development of Commitment in Young Children's Best Friendships;" Thesis Adviser: Dr. Joseph Lavoie

Molly A. Kizer, Bachelor of Science in Education, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1975, History, "Young Emigrants on the Oregon, California, and Mormon Trails: 1841-1866;" Thesis Adviser: Dr. Michael Tate

Kathlyn Ann Klootwyk, BS, Union College, 1998, Health, Physical Education and Recreation

Brent Gilman Larson, Bachelor of Science in Education, University of Nebraska at Kearney, 1999; Secondary Education, "Exploring the Professional Growth of a First-Year High School Mathematics Teacher Utilizing the Model of Holonomy;" Thesis Adviser: Dr. Elliott Ostler

Melissa Ann McCarty, Bachelor of Science in Education, University South Dakota, 1999; Elementary Education, "First Footsteps: Exploring Critical Incidents and Rites of Passage Within the First Year of a Special Education Teacher in an Urban Middle School;" Thesis Adviser: Dr. Carol Mitchell

Cory James Merante, Bachelor of Arts in Education, University of Nebraska at Kearney, 1999; Elementary Education, "First Footsteps: Exploring Critical Incidents and Rites of Passage Within the First Year of a First Grade Teacher in a Suburban Elementary School;" Thesis Adviser: Dr. Carol Mitchell

Corey M. Munger, BA, Cornell College, 1996; Biology, "Analysis of a Potential Base Pair Between 1782U and 2586U in *Escherichia coli* 23S Ribosomal RNA;" Thesis Adviser: Dr. William Tappich

Theresa Ann Nelson, BA, University of Wisconsin, 1983; Communication, "Critical Cultural Theory and Social Learning: An Exploration of Health and Fitness Magazines' Roles in Propagating Eating Disorders;" Thesis Adviser: Dr. Jeremy Lipschultz

Angela Dawn O'Connor, Bachelor of Science in Education, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1999; Secondary Education, "Exploring the Professional Growth of a First-Year Middle School Mathematics Teacher Utilizing the Model of Holonomy;" Thesis Adviser: Dr. Elliott Ostler

Roisin R. O'Gorman, BA, National University of Ireland, 1994; MA, National University of Ireland, 1995; Dramatic Arts, "'Le jeu sacre: Jean Anouilh's *Antigone*, Where Theory Meets Practice, Both Past and Present;" Thesis Adviser: Dr. Doug Paterson

Cynthia Lyn Orsi, BA, Bellevue University, 1990; Health, Physical Education and Recreation

Joanna L. Philippi, BA, Buena Vista University, 1998; Elementary Education, "Exploring the Professional Growth of a First-Year Elementary Mathematics Teacher Utilizing the Model of Holonomy;" Thesis Adviser: Dr. Elliott Ostler

Scott Thomas Pribyl, Bachelor of Science in Education, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 1996; Health, Physical Education and Recreation

Jennifer Michelle Priest, Bachelor of Science in Education, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1995; Communication, "Gender in Television Advertising: A Thematic Analysis;" Thesis Adviser: Dr. Jeremy Lipschultz

Melissa Claire Saunders, Bachelor of Science in Education, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1998; Elementary Education, "First Footsteps: Exploring Critical Incidents and Rites of Passage Within the First Year of a Fourth Grade Teacher in a Suburban Elementary School;" Thesis Adviser: Dr. Carol Mitchell

Barbara Ann Schmid, Bachelor of Science in Education, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1997; Elementary Education, "First Footsteps: Perceptions of a First Year Teacher Using Non-Mimetic and Mimetic Works of Art;" Thesis Adviser: Dr. Eugene Freund

Carla L. Schroder, Bachelor of Science in Education, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1994; Health, Physical Education and Recreation

Kelli K. Sweet, BA, Nebraska Wesleyan University, 1994; History, "Controversial Care: The Canton Indian Insane Asylum: 1902-1934;" Thesis Adviser: Dr. Michael Tate

Shinya Takahashi, Bachelor of Science in Education, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1998; Health, Physical Education and Recreation

Marilyn Mc Whirter Thompson, BA, Chapman University, 1976; MA, University of Oklahoma, 1979; Health, Physical Education and Recreation

Heath V. Tuttle, BS, Chadron State College, 1995; Communication, "Computer Mediated Communication and Student Perception of Instructor Immediacy;" Thesis Adviser: Dr. Chris Allen

Nealy Anne Vicker, BA, University Colorado, 1996; Counseling, "Correlational Study of Attachment and Self Reported Levels of Urges to Self-Harm and Frequency of Self-Harming Behaviors in Dialectical Behavioral Therapy Clients;" Thesis Adviser: Dr. Jeannette Seaberry

Shannon Tracy Welch, BA, Creighton University, 1994; Counseling, "Outcome Effectiveness of the Psychoeducational Treatment Model in a Partial Hospitalization Program;" Thesis Adviser: Dr. Jeannette Seaberry

Beth Ann Wiesner, BS, Northwest Missouri State University, 1992; Health, Physical Education and Recreation

MASTER OF ARTS FOR TEACHERS OF MATHEMATICS

Brooke Lea Hartnett, Bachelor of Science in Education, University of Nebraska at Kearney, 1993; Mathematics

Laura A. Schaben, Bachelor of Science in Education, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 1993; Mathematics

Jennifer Constance Wooten, BS, Creighton University, 1995; Mathematics

MASTER OF SCIENCE

Churbanov Y. Alexander, Diploma, Urals State University, 1998; Computer Science; "Inference Propagation Engine for Belief Networks;" Thesis Advisor: Dr. Alexander Stoyen

Bradley Allen Armstrong, BA, William Penn College, 1991; Educational Administration and Supervision

Ted P. Arndt, BA, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 1994; Bachelor of Science in Education, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1999; Secondary Education

Lori Renee Barry, BS, Kansas State University, 1998; Elementary Education

Heidi Marie Bartels, Bachelor of Science in Education, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1989; Educational Administration and Supervision

Sherri Lynne Birmingham, BS, Creighton University, 1990; Elementary Education

Joseph M. Blazeovich, Bachelor of Science in Education, Northwest Missouri State University, 1993; Educational Administration and Supervision

Amy Lyn Blech, Bachelor of Science in Education, Peru State College, 1995; Elementary Education

Jacqueline S. Bourne, Bachelor of Science in Education, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 1993; Elementary Education

Tobin Lee Buchanan, Bachelor of Arts in Education, University of Nebraska at Kearney, 1996; Educational Administration and Supervision

Jana Suzanne Burns, BA, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 1997; Counseling

Nancy Beth Carlson, Bachelor of Fine Arts, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1978; Bachelor of Science in Education, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1978; Secondary Education

Ronald R. Carlson, Bachelor of Science in Education, University South Dakota, 1971; Counseling

Kari Jean Chaffee, BS, Bemidji State University, 1999; Counseling

Miao Chen, BS, East China Normal University, 1996; MS, Southeast University, 1999; Computer Science, "IIMiner: An Informed Interactive Query Approach for Knowledge Discovery from Heterogeneous Data Sources;" Thesis Adviser: Dr. Qiuming Zhu

Jon Michael Clausen, BA, University South Dakota, 1992; Secondary Education

Jennifer Kay Coltvet, B A, University of Northern Iowa, 1997; Educational Administration and Supervision

Jennifer Ann Crites, Bachelor of Science in Education, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1998; Elementary Education

Leah Dawn Baker Cross, Bachelor of General Studies, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1978; Computer Science, "Characteristics of Object-Oriented Rearchitecture Development and Evaluation of Methodologies;" Thesis Adviser: Dr. Mansour Zand

Tracy Renee Custer, Bachelor of Arts in Education, University of Nebraska at Kearney, 1994; Elementary Education

Patrick John Dempsey, BS, Iowa State University, 1994; Computer Science

Sherri Ann Doll, Bachelor of Science in Education, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1994; Reading

Corinne M. Dutcher, Bachelor of Science in Education, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1995; Elementary Education

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COLLEGE OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

Bachelor of Science in Business Administration

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Cum Laude
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Bachelor of General Studies

Magna Cum Laude
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James L. VanArsdale

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Cum Laude Honors Extra Muros
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COLLEGE OF EDUCATION

Bachelor of Science in Education

Summa Cum Laude
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Magna Cum Laude
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Matthew David Timm

Cum Laude
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COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING AND TECHNOLOGY

Bachelor of Science in Engineering Technology

Magna Cum Laude
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Bachelor of Science in Computer Engineering

With Distinction
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COLLEGE OF PUBLIC AFFAIRS AND COMMUNITY SERVICE

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Magna Cum Laude
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Cum Laude
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COLLEGE OF FINE ARTS

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Summa Cum Laude
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Cum Laude
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Information Systems**

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