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**The University of Nebraska
at Omaha**

December Commencement 2003

UNOmaha Chimes

*And the chimes ring out for Omaha,
bidding welcome to old and new, to our Alma Mater,
Nebraska Omaha, this city's great Nebraska U.*

*We will lift our voice, pledging loyalty,
for our thoughts and memories are fond and true.*

*Voices loud and strong, sing out praise and gratefulness
to Omaha Nebraska U!*

Hail to you, Omaha Nebraska U!

Commencement

University of Nebraska at Omaha

Omaha Civic Auditorium
December 19, 2003
2:00 p.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

"Suite of Carols".....arr. R. R. McGregor

PROCESSIONAL

"Pomp and Circumstance March No. 1".....E. Elgar
Palladium Brass

MASTER OF CEREMONIES.....Interim Vice Chancellor John Christensen

THE NATIONAL ANTHEM

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

Please join us in song led by
Ms. Beth Doty
Senior, Music Education Major

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

REGENTS' WELCOME.....Don S. Blank
Vice Chair, Board of Regents

STUDENT ADDRESS.....Ms. Allison Knox

"The Value of Education"

PRESENTATION OF CITATION FOR ALUMNUS ACHIEVEMENT.....Mr. Kevin Naylor

Chairman, UNO Alumni Association Board of Directors
To: Mr. Daniel O'Neill

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

To: Ms. Becky Schnabel

PRESENTATION OF HONORARY DEGREE.....Chancellor Nancy Belck

Doctor of Laws to: Admiral Richard Mies

COMMENCEMENT ADDRESS.....Admiral Richard Mies

INTRODUCTION OF ACADEMIC DEANS.....Interim Vice Chancellor John Christensen

PRESENTATION OF CANDIDATES.....Academic Deans

AND

CONFERRING OF DEGREES.....Chancellor Nancy Belck

Doctor of Philosophy, Doctor of Education,
and Master's.....Dean Thomas Bragg

Bachelor's

Arts and Sciences.....Dean Shelton Hendricks

Engineering and Technology.....Interim Associate Dean Raymond Moore

Education.....Interim Dean John Langan

Business Administration.....Interim Dean Louis Pol

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

Fine Arts.....Interim Dean Robert Welk

Education and Human Sciences.....Dr. Nancy Betts

Information Science and Technology.....Dean David Hinton

CLOSING.....Interim Vice Chancellor John Christensen

ALMA MATER

"UNOmaha Chimes".....James Saker

Soloist: Ms. Beth Doty

RECESSIONAL

"Pomp and 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. Photos are available from the vendors. Thank you for your cooperation.

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, master's and doctoral 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. All doctoral degree recipients are indicated by a gold tassel.

GRADUATION TASSEL COLORS

Doctoral Programs.....	Gold
College of Arts and Sciences	
Master of Arts.....	White
Master of Arts for Teachers of Mathematics.....	White
Master of Science.....	Golden Yellow
Specialist in Education.....	Light Blue
Bachelor of Arts.....	White
Bachelor of Science.....	Golden Yellow
College of Engineering and Technology.....	Orange
Associate.....	Grey-Blue
College of Education.....	Light Blue
Master of Arts.....	White
Master of Science.....	Golden Yellow
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 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 Arts.....	White
Master of Science.....	Golden Yellow
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 Arts.....	White
Master of Music.....	Pink
Bachelor of Arts in Art History, Bachelor of Arts in Dramatic Arts, Bachelor of Arts in Studio Art.....	White
Bachelor of Fine Arts.....	Brown
Bachelor of Music.....	Pink
College of Human Resources and Family Sciences.....	Maroon
College of Information Science and Technology	
Master of Arts.....	White
Master of Science.....	Golden Yellow
Bachelor of Science in Computer Science.....	Golden Yellow
Bachelor of Science in Management Information Systems.....	Golden Yellow
Cooperative Programs	
Master of Public Health.....	Salmon

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. UNO colleges which implement honors programs include Arts and Sciences, Business Administration, Education, Fine Arts, Public Affairs and Community Service, and Information Science and Technology.

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 at the end of the list of graduates. 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

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

COMMENCEMENT SPEAKER AND HONORARY DEGREE RECIPIENT

ADMIRAL RICHARD W. MIES

Admiral Richard W. Mies is a senior vice president and head of the Strategies and Security Sector in Science Applications International Corporation (SAIC), the nation's largest employee-owned high-technology research and engineering company.

Before retiring from the U.S. Navy in February 2002 at the rank of admiral, Mies served as commander in chief of the U.S. Strategic Command. There, he was responsible for the command and control of all U.S. strategic nuclear forces supporting the national security objective of strategic deterrence.

A qualified submariner and naval aviation observer, Admiral Mies has held many command positions, including commander of Submarine Development Squadron TWELVE; Submarine Group EIGHT; Allied Submarines, Mediterranean; Submarine Force, U.S. Atlantic Fleet; and Submarine Allied Command, Atlantic.

He also served on two nuclear attack submarines and a ballistic missile submarine before commanding the nuclear attack submarine USS SEA DEVIL.

Staff positions held by Admiral Mies include duty on the staff of commander in chief, U.S. Atlantic Fleet; executive assistant to the assistant chief of naval operations (Undersea Warfare); chief of staff to commander Submarine Force, U.S. Pacific Fleet; and director strategic target plans, and deputy director plans and policy on the staff of commander in chief, U.S. Strategic Command.

Admiral Mies received his Bachelor of Science degree from the U.S. Naval Academy in 1967, with majors in mechanical engineering and mathematics. He has completed post-graduate education at Oxford University (England), the Fletcher School of Law and Diplomacy, and Harvard University. He holds a master's degree in government administration and international relations.

In addition, Admiral Mies has completed the Flag Officers' Capstone course, the program for Senior Executives in National and International Security at Harvard University, and the Joint Flag Officer Warfighting course.

He has received numerous unit and service awards, as well as the Defense Distinguished Service Medal, the Navy Distinguished Service Medal, Defense Superior Service Medal (two awards), Legion of Merit (four awards), National Intelligence Distinguished Service Medal, Meritorious Service Medal (two awards), Navy Commendation Medal (four awards), Navy Achievement Medal and the Secretary of Energy Gold Medal.

STUDENT COMMENCEMENT SPEAKER

ALLISON B. KNOX

Allison B. Knox, an Omaha native, graduates today with a Bachelor of Science degree in community health education. Her commencement address is titled "The Value of Education."

A love for physical education, as well as an interest in the field, influenced her career path. She currently teaches group exercise at UNO and has interned at the American Heart Association.

Knox has served as secretary of Eta Sigma Gamma, a health education honorary at UNO, in addition to working with the Bell Tower Challenge, the UNO Health Fair and "Snuff Out Tobacco" Campaign.

She is the recipient of the Health Education Major of the Year Award and a University Convocation Award.

Outside of UNO, Knox has been employed by Old Chicago as a waitress and hostess. She also worked at West Dodge Business Center as a receptionist and at My Gym Children's Fitness Center as a lead teacher.

Following commencement, she plans to continue to teach group exercise at UNO and work toward a master's degree in public health.

CHANCELLOR'S MEDAL RECIPIENT

BECKY B. SCHNABEL

Becky B. Schnabel is the coordinator of student services in the College of Education at UNO. She received a Bachelor of Science degree from Wayne State College in 1972 and a Master of Science degree from UNO in 1977.

Before joining UNO in 1975 as a graduate assistant for the Department of Elementary Education, Schnabel taught elementary school for several years. She then served as a member of the adjunct faculty in literacy and assisted with undergraduate academic advising.

In 1982, she became a permanent part-time academic advisor at UNO with responsibility for developing the undergraduate advising system for elementary and secondary education majors.

Schnabel now coordinates scholarship activities, supervises teacher preparation recruitment/retention activities, assists with program development in areas of licensure, and monitors college policies and student progress. She also acts as a liaison to the Nebraska Department of Education in all areas of teacher certification and approval processes.

At UNO, Schnabel serves on the First Year Experience Committee, as well as on the Student Affairs, Field Placement Advisory, Academic Standards and Policy Committees in the College of Education.

An active participant in the community, she also is a member of the Metropolitan Omaha Educational Consortium (MOEC) Human Resources Task Force, Nebraska Association of Colleges of Teacher Education Executive Board, Nebraska Department of Education Certification Advisory Committee and is a UNO representative on the Nebraska Council on Teacher Education.

Schnabel is a GED volunteer, past president of the Omaha Council PTA/PTSA and Nebraska PTA Board of Directors, and serves on the Omaha Schools Foundation Board of Directors/Grants Committee.

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.

ALUMNUS ACHIEVEMENT AWARD RECIPIENT

DANIEL K. O'NEILL

Daniel K. O'Neill is president of First National of Nebraska (FNN) and serves on the board of the Mid-America Center in Council Bluffs, Iowa. He earned his Bachelor of Science degree in business administration from UNO in 1977.

O'Neill has more than 26 years of experience in the financial services industry, beginning in 1977 with a stint at the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation as a bank examiner.

In 1981, he joined the Lauritzen Corporation, a multi-bank holding company with 16 banks located throughout Iowa and Nebraska. Lauritzen, an FNN affiliate, has \$1.5 billion in total assets. O'Neill concurrently serves as its executive vice president.

As president of FNN, O'Neill has oversight of one of the largest bank holding companies headquartered west of the Mississippi River. Today, the company and its affiliates have \$16 billion in managed assets and more than 7,000 employees across the United States, with primary banking offices in Nebraska, Colorado, Iowa, Illinois, Kansas, South Dakota and Texas.

FNN also is one of the nation's largest in-house bank processors of merchant credit card transactions, one of the largest bank issuers of Visa and MasterCard, and a leading processor of automated clearinghouse transactions and cash management services.

CANDIDATES FOR GRADUATE DEGRESS

This list includes names of persons who were candidates as of December 8, 2003.
Degress to be awarded are subject to completion of academic requirements

DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY

Marc Leonard Swatt, BA, University of Delaware, 1998; MA, Kent State University, 1999; PhD in Criminal Justice, "Short-Term Forecasting of Crime for Small Geographic Areas;" Dissertation Advisor: Dr. Dennis Roncek

DOCTOR OF EDUCATION

Victoria Ann Kaspar, Bachelor of Science in Education, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1974; MS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1995; EdD in Educational Administration, "Teachers' Perceptions of Technology Professional Development in a Suburban School District;" Dissertation Advisor: Dr. Laura Schulte

Gerard Jude Kowal, BA, Creighton University, 1983; MS, Creighton University, 1989; EdD in Educational Administration, "Commercialism in Public Schools: A Study of the Perceptions of Teachers and Administrators on Accepting Corporate Advertising;" Dissertation Advisor: Dr. Jack Mckay

Connie Lynn Schaffer, BS, Kansas State University, 1989; MS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1994; EdD in Educational Administration, "Changes in Student Teachers' Perceptions of Stress During the Student Teaching Semester;" Dissertation Advisor: Dr. Laura Schulte

MASTER OF ARTS

Larry Gene Bierce, Bachelor of Science in Education, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1993; English

Francene Jean Blythe, BA, Doane College, 2000; Theatre

Jasney E. Cogua, BA, Fundacion Universidad Central, 1999; Sociology, "Colombia's Rural Communities: Displacement, Plan Colombia and Alternative Models;" Thesis Advisor: Dr. Lourdes Gouveia

Mary McNamara Coyle, BA, Creighton University, 1977; Communication, "News Fit For Teens? A Content Analysis of Channel One;" Thesis Advisor: Dr. Jeremy Lipschultz

Jacqueline I. Davenport, BS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1993; Biology, "The Impact of White-tailed Deer (*Odocoileus virginianus*) in Urban Forests of Eastern Nebraska;" Thesis Advisor: Dr. Thomas Bragg

Deborah Ball Derrick, BA, Drake University, 1981; Communication, "Constructing Identity in Place: Celia Thaxter and the Isles of Shoals;" Thesis Advisor: Dr. Michael Sherer

Sharon H. Dowell, BS, University of Florida, 1990; Communication, "Uncovering the Storytelling Power of Communication: Applying Walter Fisher's Narrative Theory to Three Presidential Crisis Speeches;" Thesis Advisor: Dr. Deborah Smith-Howell

Ron Frascht, BS, University of Iowa, 1993; Communication, "The Reel World: A Content Analysis of the Social Construction of Unreality in MTV's The Real World;" Thesis Advisor: Dr. Jeremy Lipschultz

Catherina Guerrero, BA, Universidad de Antioquia, 1997; Communication, "Cross-Cultural Competency and Rhetorical Sensitivity in Health Care Settings;" Thesis Advisor: Dr. Robert Carlson

Christine Ann Hamilton, BA, Midland Lutheran College, 1978; Health, Physical Education and Recreation

Kathleen Marie Hinman, BA, Midland Lutheran College, 1973; Elementary Education, "The Motif of Human Flying in Children's Literature;" Thesis Advisor: Dr. Wilma Kuhlman

Lara Jasmine Imbrock, BS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2001; Communication, "Newspaper Coverage of Animal Abuse;" Thesis Advisor: Dr. Deborah Smith-Howell

Pamela Geraldine Jacobs, BS, Sacred Heart Women's University, 2000; Communication

Elizabeth Marie Keller, BS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2001; Criminal Justice, "The Determinants of Policing Unfounding and Prosecutorial Case Rejections in San Diego, California Assault Cases;" Thesis Advisor: Dr. Cassia Spohn

James L. Leighter, BS, Northwest Missouri State University, 1995; Communication, "Designing Sustainable Communities and Creating a Sense of Community: A Fantasy Theme Analysis of One Organization's Vision of the Future;" Thesis Advisor: Dr. Hollis Glaser

John Thomas Leonhart, BS, North Dakota State University, 1999; Biology, "Ecological Overlap of Female Mule Deer (*Odocoileus hemionus*) and White-Tailed Deer (*Odocoileus virginianus*) in the Sandhills of Nebraska;" Thesis Advisor: Dr. W. Sue Fairbanks

Angela M. Martinsen, BA, Dana College, 1996; Biology, "Molecular Analysis of Structural Alterations of *E.Coli* 16S rRNA Induced by IF3;" Thesis Advisor: Dr. William Tapprich

April LaDawn Morris, Bachelor of General Studies, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1996; Bachelor of Science in Education, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1999; Health, Physical Education and Recreation

Michelle Lynn Noah, BA, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1998; Counseling, "The Effects of Self-Efficacy and Locus of Control on the Sexual Behaviors of College Females;" Thesis Advisor: Dr. David Carter

Lindsay Jacqueline Novak, Bachelor of Science in Education, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 2001; Counseling, "A Reinterpretation of Historical Gender Bias and Women's Mental Health;" Thesis Advisor: Dr. Jeannette Seaberry

Dena Boans Quigley, BS, Eastern New Mexico University, 1999; Biology, "A Historical Study of the Effects of PNU-157706, A 5a-Reductase Inhibitor, on the Renal Sexual Segment of *Anolis sagrei*" Thesis Advisor: Dr. James Fawcett

Susan K. Scheef, BS, Bellevue University, 2001; Communication, "Intimacy in Relationships: A Content Analysis of Dialogue in Romance Novels;" Thesis Advisor: Dr. Shereen Bingham

Holly Lynn Spoo, Bachelor of Science in Education, University of Wisconsin, 1999; Health, Physical Education and Recreation

Darcy Lynn Stracke, BS, University of Nebraska at Kearney, 2001; Health, Physical Education and Recreation

Kathleen Ann Tewhill, BS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1975; Communication, "He Said, She Said: Gender, Sources and Affiliation in Two Mid-Western Daily Newspapers;" Thesis Advisor: Dr. Chris Allen

Travis Brent Tougaw, BA, Angelo State University, 1998; English

Melanie I. Trecek-King, BS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1998; Biology, "Woody Plant Communities of the Iowa Loess Hills: Expansion from 1855 to 2000, Extant Composition, and Ecological Succession;" Thesis Advisor: Dr. Thomas Bragg

Robert John Tusa, BS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1994; Geography

Kelly Michelle Wells, BS, Southwest Missouri State University, 1999; Biology, "The Effects of Salinity on Territoriality, Nest Placement, Reproductive Success, and Foraging Behavior of American Avocets (*Recurvirostra Americana*) Breeding at an Inland Wetland Complex;" Thesis Advisor: Dr. W. Sue Fairbanks

Rebecca Jane Wuebben, BA, Mount Marty College, 1998; Health, Physical Education and Recreation

MASTER OF ARTS FOR TEACHERS

Kathi Sue Beach, BA, Central College, 1999; Mathematics

MASTER OF SCIENCE

Melissa Merrie Anderson, BS, Midland Lutheran College, 1998; Secondary Education

Thessa Lynn Anderson, Bachelor of Science in Education, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2001; Educational Administration and Supervision

Osvaldo A. Barrera, BA, National University of Entre Rios, 1999; Computer Science, "Real Time Simulation of Progressive Bone Reshaping for Knee Replacement Surgery with Navigation;" Thesis Advisor: Dr. Hesham Ali

Daniel C. Bartels, BS, University of Minnesota, 1993; Master of Education, University of Minnesota, 1994; Educational Administration and Supervision

Christine Diane Billings, BA, Creighton University, 2000; Counseling

Sarah Lyn Bird, BS, Northwest Missouri State University, 1999; Secondary Education

Catherine Sue Bloom, Bachelor of Fine Arts, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 1974; Counseling

Jill Renee Bolin, BA, College of Saint Mary, 2001; Counseling

Shawn Edward Broadhead, BA, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 2000; Economics

Jennifer Lyn Brock, Bachelor of Science in Education, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 2001; Speech-Language Pathology

Jillian Marie Brown, Bachelor of Science in Education, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2000; Elementary Education

Kent Michael Bruck, BS, Creighton University, 1998; MBA, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2002; Management Information Systems

Patrick Joseph Caffey, BS, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 1994; Secondary Education

Im C. Calvert, BA, Concordia University, 1987; Management Information Systems

Rong Chen, BA, Tianjin Medical University, 1995; Computer Science, "On Gene Prediction by Cross-Species Sequence Analysis;" Thesis Advisor: Dr. Hesham Ali

Frances Helen Coleman, BA, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2000; Counseling

Allynda H. Davis, Bachelor of Science in Education, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2001; Speech-Language Pathology

Xutao Deng, BS, University of Science and Technology of China, 1999; MS, Creighton University, 2001; Computer Science, "A Computational Approach to Reconstructing Gene Regulatory Networks;" Thesis Advisor: Dr. Hesham Ali

Jodi Lee DeRoos Horalek, Bachelor of Arts in Education, University of Nebraska at Kearney, 1996; Elementary Education

Jijesh M. Devan, Bachelor of Engineering, Mangalore University, 1999; Management Information Systems

Kelly Jean Dibelka, BA, Midland Lutheran College, 1999; Secondary Education

Eric J. Dove, BS, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 1993; Civil Engineering from the University of Nebraska-Lincoln, "Water Quality Modeling of Lake Ogallala Using CEQUAL-W2;" Thesis Advisor: Dr. John Stansbury

Sarah Rebecca Drackley, Bachelor of Arts in Education, University of Nebraska at Kearney, 1998; Reading

Priyanka Dubey, BS, Devi Ahilya University, 1994; Computer Science, "Spatial Data Mining Using Branch Grafted R-tree;" Thesis Advisor: Dr. Zhengxin Chen

Thomas Glenn Gamble, Bachelor of Science in Education, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1995; Elementary Education

Jie Gao, BS, Northeastern University, 1982; Computer Science, "XML-Based Open Source Web GIS Architecture;" Thesis Advisor: Dr. Kenneth Dick

Lori Ellen Gerardi, BS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1986; Bachelor of Science in Education, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1989; Secondary Education

Amanda Rebecca Gier, Bachelor of Science in Education, Concordia University, 1999; Elementary Education

Jillian Marie Golden, BS, University of Nebraska at Kearney, 1998; Health, Physical Education and Recreation, "Variables Associated with the Degree of Likelihood of Adopting a Policy of Hiring Nonsmokers Only Among Nonprofit Organizations in Omaha, Nebraska;" Thesis Advisor: Dr. Joann Eickhoff-Shemek

Bethany H. Grimm, BS, University of South Dakota, 2001; Speech-Language Pathology

Eileen Kay Grothe, Bachelor of Science in Education, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1998; Educational Administration and Supervision

Shellie R. Hegge-Gomes, BS, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 1997; Counseling

Teresa Rene Heimes, BS, Creighton University, 2001; Educational Administration and Supervision

Stacy Lynn Holmon, BA, College of Saint Mary, 1999; Counseling

Katherine R. Hruska, BA, College of Saint Mary, 2000; Counseling

Onuma Jirapraditkul, Bachelor of Business Administration, Assumption University, 2000; Management Information Systems

M. Michael Johnson, Bachelor of Music Education, Southwestern State College, 1974; Master of Music, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2001; Educational Administration and Supervision

Elizabeth W. Jones, BS, University of Wyoming, 1996; MBA, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2000; Educational Administration and Supervision

Cheolsoo Kang, BS, Hanyang University, 1990; Computer Science, "Active Asynchronous Power Saving Protocols for Ad Hoc Wireless Networks Based on IEEE 802.11 Power Saving Mode;" Thesis Advisor: Dr. Jong-Hoon Youn

Donald Edward Kiviniemi III, BS, Bellevue University, 1996; Elementary Education

Mandy Irene Klockner, BS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2001; Mathematics

Yukari Kojima, BS, Bellevue University, 2000; Counseling

Gang Kou, BS, Tsinghua University, 1997; Computer Science, "Linear Classification Algorithms of Data Mining in Linux and Its Applications;" Thesis Advisors: Dr. Philip Craiger and Dr. Yong Shi

Chelse Lynn Krohn, Bachelor of Science in Education, University of Nebraska at Kearney, 1998; Speech-Language Pathology

Hana Lee, BA, Taegu University, 1996; Management Information Systems

Heather L. Lemon, Bachelor of Arts in Education, 1995; Reading

Lianhong Liu-Clark, BS, Sichuan University, 1992; Management Information Systems

Nancy Irene Meier, BS, Nebraska Wesleyan University, 1980; Elementary Education

Rachel Marie Michael, Bachelor of Science in Education, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1999; Special Education

Candida Theresa Miramontes-Krepel, Bachelor of General Studies, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1997; Counseling

Mary C. Moline-Koehly, BS, East Carolina University, 1989; Secondary Education

Lynn J. Mrsny, BS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2001; Management Information Systems

Harini Muchamarry, BA, Osmania University, 2000; Management Information Systems

Kiran Nagiri, Bachelor of Technology, Jawaharlal Nehru Technological University, 2000; Computer Science, "An Implementation of Carrying Label Information in BGP-4;" Thesis Advisor: Dr. Kenneth Dick

Chandan Natarajan, Bachelor of Engineering, Bangalore University, 2000; Computer Science, "MAC Layer Enhancements for Efficient Quality of Service on Wireless 802.11 Networks;" Thesis Advisor: Dr. Kenneth Dick

Ramonda Lynn Naylor, Bachelor of Science in Education, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1998; Elementary Education

Alexsander T. Nelson, BS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1997; Civil Engineering from the University of Nebraska-Lincoln

Amy Suzanne Nelson Sather, Bachelor of Science in Education, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1997; Counseling

Krishna Nuli, Bachelor of Engineering, Karnatak University, 2001, Telecommunications Engineering from the University of Nebraska-Lincoln, "An Adaptive Medium Access Control for Energy Efficiency in Wireless Sensor Networks;" Thesis Advisor: Dr. Hamid Sharif-Kashani

John Robert Odell, BA, Baylor University, 1981; Master of Divinity, Golden Gate Baptist Theological Seminary, 1984; Counseling

Anne M. Ogg, Bachelor of Science in Education, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1997; Elementary Education

James Frederick Orwig, BA, Saint Paul Seminary, 1969; Counseling

Angela Renae Patton, BS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1991; Management Information Systems, "A Study of the Factors Related to the Successful Merger of Information Technology Departments within Local Government;" Thesis Advisor: Dr. Pamela Specht

Angela Jae Powers, BA, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 1996; Counseling

Michael Christopher Quinn, BS, University of Scranton, 1997; Management Information Systems

Karthik Ramachandra, Bachelor of Engineering, Bangalore University, 2000; Computer Science, "HYDRA: A New Approach for Integrating Various Wireless Environments;" Thesis Advisor: Dr. Hesham Ali

Mary Ellen Reckmeyer, BA, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 1982; Elementary Education

Kara Marie Reeves, BS, Creighton University, 1999; Economics

Theresa Marie Schenck, Bachelor of General Studies, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1999; Management Information Systems

David Richard Schinzel, BA, George Washington University, 1986; Bachelor of Science in Education, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2001; Elementary Education

Megin Emily Schulte, Bachelor of Science in Education, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 1998; MS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2000; Educational Administration and Supervision

Dezhong Sha, BS, Yunnan University, 1992; Computer Science, "Secure Sockets Layer Over Public Network;" Thesis Advisor: Dr. Kenneth Dick

Kelli Kathleen Shepoka, Bachelor of Science in Education, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1997; MS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1999; Educational Administration and Supervision

Jun Shuai, Bachelor of Engineering, Wuhan Institute of Technology, 1990; Computer Science, "Oracle9i OLAP Prototype for Cancer Research;" Thesis Advisor: Dr. Zhengxin Chen

Rodney Jay Smith, Bachelor of Science in Education, Northwest Missouri State University, 1983; Educational Administration and Supervision

Torri Marie Smith, BS, Nebraska Wesleyan University, 2001; Counseling

Scott M. Strain, BA, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1990; Economics

Haiying Sun, BA, Peking University, 1995; Computer Science, "A 'Maximal Tree' Approach for Scheduling Tasks in a Multiprocessor System;" Thesis Advisor: Dr. Hesham Ali

Sandhya Thamma, Bachelor of Business Administration, Shreemati Nathibai Damodar Thackersey Women's University, 1990; Management Information Systems

D. Sheila Jane Thompson, BA, Cameron University, 1976; Special Education

Deidre Leanne Tietz, BS, Iowa State University, 1991; MS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1996; Educational Administration and Supervision

Charles Leroy Van Winkle III, BS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2001; Management Information Systems

Delora Hughes Vaughn, BA, College of Saint Mary, 1998; Counseling

Vasudeva Rao Krishna Vellore, BA, Andhra University, 1999; Management Information Systems

Amanda Susan Volkmer, BS, Peru State College, 1997; Counseling

Zhe Wang, BS, Beijing Normal University, 1995; Computer Science, "APD: The Multifunctional Antimicrobial Peptide Database and Analysis System;" Project Advisors: Dr. Zhengxin Chen and Dr. Guangshun Wang

Shawn A. Wentworth, BS, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 2000; Civil Engineering from the University of Nebraska-Lincoln

Daniel J. Wheeler, BA, Dana College, 1998; Counseling

Mark Edward White, BS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1996; Management Information Systems

Michelle Dawn Whitman, BS, University of Iowa, 1993; MS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2000; Educational Administration and Supervision

Deborah L. Winckler, BA, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2001; Counseling

Susan Elaine Witty, BS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1976; Secondary Education

Vicki Sue Workman, BS, Grace University, 1994; Management Information Systems

Steven M. York, Bachelor of Science in Education, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1987; Master of Human Development, University of Kansas, 1992; Educational Administration and Supervision

Hui Zhang, BA, Minsk State Linguistic University, 1997; MA, Minsk State Linguistic University, 1998; Economics

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Samuel Perez

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"Welcome to G Town!
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"The Benefits of Competitive Forensics
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"The Architecture of Thought:
Exploring the Tombs of Transcendence
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Austin Fentiman
Ruth Catherine Fisher
Adam Donald Fritz
Kristine Vanessa Gill
Shannon Jex
Brian George Kennedy
Aaron Charles Kurtenbach
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