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# **The University of Nebraska at Omaha**

**May Commencement 2006**

## ***UNO 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  
May 5, 2006  
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

"Three Pieces".....Ludwig Maurer

## PROCESSIONAL

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

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

## THE NATIONAL ANTHEM

"The Star Spangled Banner".....Key  
Please join in singing led by  
Mr. Timothy Vallier, Sophomore, Music Major

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

REGENTS' WELCOME.....Regent Randolph Ferlic  
Member, Board of Regents

STUDENT ADDRESS.....Ms. Jane Splittergerber  
"College Is More Than A Classroom"

PRESENTATION OF HONORARY DEGREE.....Chancellor Nancy Belck  
To: Mr. Jun Kaneko

PRESENTATION OF CITATION FOR ALUMNUS ACHIEVEMENT.....Mr. Michael Kudlacz  
Chairman, UNO Alumni Association Board of Directors  
To: Mr. Mike Jones

ORDER OF THE TOWER AWARD.....Chancellor Nancy Belck  
Recipient: Mr. Stephen Wild

PRESENTATION OF THE CHANCELLOR'S MEDAL.....Chancellor Nancy Belck  
Recipient: Ms. Mary Laura Farnham

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

PRESENTATION OF CANDIDATES.....Academic Deans

## AND

CONFERRING OF DEGREES.....Chancellor Nancy Belck  
Doctor of Education, Doctor of Philosophy, Specialist in Education, and Master's.....Associate Vice Chancellor Tom Bragg  
Bachelor's

Arts and Sciences.....Associate Dean Eric Manley  
Engineering and Technology.....Associate Dean Raymond Moore  
Education.....Dean John Langan  
Business Administration.....Dean Louis Pol  
Public Affairs and Community Service.....Dean B. J. Reed  
Education and Human Sciences.....Dr. Sheran Cramer  
Information Science & Technology.....Dean David Hinton  
Communication, Fine Arts and Media.....Dean Robert Welk

CLOSING.....Vice Chancellor John Christensen

## 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 Public Affairs and Community Service
Cooperative Programs	Master of Arts.....White
Master of Public Health.....Salmon	Master of Science.....Golden Yellow
College of Arts and Sciences	Master of Public Administration.....Peacock Blue
Master of Arts.....White	Master of Social Work.....Citron
Master of Arts for Teachers of Mathematics.....White	Bachelor of Science in Criminal Justice.....Golden Yellow
Master of Science.....Golden Yellow	Bachelor of General Studies.....Black
Specialist in Education.....Light Blue	Bachelor of Science in Public Administration.....Peacock Blue
Bachelor of Arts.....White	Bachelor of Science in Social Work.....Citron
Bachelor of Science.....Golden Yellow	Bachelor of Science in Urban Studies.....Golden Yellow
College of Engineering and Technology.....Orange	Bachelor of Science in Aviation.....Golden Yellow
Associate.....Grey-Blue	College of Education and Human Sciences.....Maroon
College of Education.....Light Blue	College of Information Science and Technology
Master of Arts.....White	Master of Arts.....White
Master of Science.....Golden Yellow	Master of Science.....Golden Yellow
Specialist in Education.....Light Blue	Bachelor of Science in Computer Science.....Golden Yellow
Bachelor of Science in Education.....Light Blue	Bachelor of Science in
College of Business Administration	Management Information Systems.....Golden Yellow
Master of Business Administration.....Drab (Nugget)	Bachelor of Science in Bioinformatics.....Golden Yellow
Master of Business Administration:	College of Communication, Fine Arts and Media
Executive MBA.....Drab (Nugget)	Master of Arts.....White
Master of Accounting.....Drab (Nugget)	Master of Music.....Pink
Master of Arts.....Drab (Nugget)	Bachelor of Arts in Art History.....White
Master of Science.....Drab (Nugget)	Bachelor of Arts in Communication.....White
Bachelor of Science in	Bachelor of Arts in Dramatic Arts.....White
Business Administration.....Drab (Nugget)	Bachelor of Arts in Studio Art.....White
	Bachelor of Arts in Theatre.....White
	Bachelor of Fine Arts.....Brown
	Bachelor of Music.....Pink
	Bachelor of Science in Communication.....Golden Yellow

### 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; Public Affairs and Community Service; Information Science and Technology; and Communication, Fine Arts and Media.

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.

# **STUDENT COMMENCEMENT SPEAKER**

## **JANE SPLITTGERBER**

Jane Splittgerber, an Omaha native, is graduating today with a bachelor of science in education. Her endorsements in K-12 physical education and coaching will be put to good use when she begins teaching at Bryan High School later this year. The title of her address is "College Is More Than A Classroom."

A student athlete at UNO, Splittgerber has been active in a number of campus organizations. She was involved with Student Government, Emerging Leaders, Alliance of Fitness Professionals, Kappa Delta Pi, Golden Key, the Association for Supervision and Curriculum Development, and UNO women's soccer. Splittgerber also attended the American Alliance of Health, Physical Education and Recreation national conference the past two years.

She is the recipient of a Regents Scholarship, a Helen B. Hewitt Scholarship and the Outstanding Undergraduate Award from the UNO School of Health, Physical Education and Recreation. Additionally, the National Association for Sport and Physical Education named Splittgerber the 2006 Physical Education Major of the Year. Throughout her academic career at UNO, she has regularly earned a spot on the Chancellor's List and the Dean's List.

Serving as co-race director for the 2005 Maverick Stampede 5K/10K run was among her favorite activities at UNO. She also enjoys running, playing hockey, soccer, basketball, tennis and racquetball in her free time.

# HONORARY DEGREE RECIPIENT

## JUN KANEKO

Jun Kaneko has made considerable contributions to the arts, both internationally and locally. He established his third studio in Omaha in 1990, where he primarily works. His pieces have been exhibited around the world in solo shows and public collections.

A native of Japan, Kaneko was born in Nagoya. He studied painting in high school and traveled to the United States in 1963 to further his studies. Sculptural ceramics captured his attention, and he studied at numerous locations during the contemporary ceramics movement. He worked in the studio of Jerry Rothman, in addition to the Chouinard Institute of Art, the California Institute of Art, the University of California, Berkeley, and Claremont Graduate School.

Kaneko has taught at several of the nation's leading art schools, including Scripps College, the Cranbrook Academy of Art and the Rhode Island School of Design. He also worked at the European Ceramic Work Center, Otsuka Omi Ceramic Company, Fabric Workshop, Bullseye Glass and A.S.A.R

His diverse works can be viewed in more than 40 museum collections, and he has more than 25 public art commissions worldwide. Though he has made many large-scale pieces, Kaneko also dabbles in small-scale work. He is often influenced by Asian aesthetic sensibilities and Zen ideology, and experiments with building, glazing and firing.

He is the recipient of numerous national, state and organization fellowships. In 2005, Kaneko was awarded an honorary doctorate from the Royal College of Art in London.



## **ALUMNUS ACHIEVEMENT AWARD RECIPIENT**

### **MICHAEL D. JONES**

Michael D. Jones has been a partner with the law firm Ellick, Jones, Buelt, Blazek & Longo for more than 30 years. He joined the general practice firm in 1969 as an associate and was promoted to his current position within five years.

Jones handles estate planning and probate and trust work, in addition to acquisitions and mergers. He is a member of the Omaha, Nebraska State and American Bar Associations, and has been a national member of the Transfer Tax Committee since 1995. A fellow in the American College of Trust and Estate Counsel from 1997 to 2003, he also has been listed among the "Best Lawyers in America" each year since 1989.

A Benson High School graduate, Jones went on to receive his bachelor's degree from the University of Nebraska at Omaha in 1966. He then studied at the Creighton University School of Law and received his Juris Doctor degree in 1969, graduating in the top 10 of his class.

As a component of Ellick, Jones, Buelt, Blazek & Longo, he has been able to maintain his university ties, as the firm represents a number of small businesses and also does work for the University of Nebraska. He also served 15 years on the UNO Alumni Association Board of Directors, one as chairman. Additionally, Jones was chairman of the UNO Alumni Association's Chancellor's Scholarship Swing golf tournament from 2000 to 2004, an event that now raises \$50,000 annually.

In the community, Jones has been an active member of numerous organizations, including the Combined Health Agency Drive, Rotary Club of West Omaha, Rotary Club of Omaha West Foundation, Estate Planning Council of Omaha, The Adah and Leon Millard Foundations, The Meridith Family Foundation Inc., The Stanley M. Truhlsen Family Foundation and the Gifford Foundation Inc. He also is a member of Countryside Community Church.

In 1992, Jones received the UNO Alumni Association's Outstanding Service Award. He is the eighth individual to receive both the OSA and the Alumni Citation.

# ORDER OF THE TOWER RECIPIENT

## STEPHEN WILD

Stephen Wild has been a longtime force in the development of the University of Nebraska at Omaha. As a UNO undergraduate he was active as student president, serving two terms in office. Since then, Wild has been a part of many committees that have had a continuing effect on the campus community.

He has been chairman and founder of First Financial Group Inc., Financial Dynamics Inc., Securities America Inc. and chairman of Quantum Alliance (QA<sup>3</sup>) since 1979. Additionally, Wild is a former general partner of American Asset Advisors.

In 1971, he began his business career with Kirkpatrick, Pettis, Smith and Polian. Wild worked in all departments of the investment banking firm, in addition to serving as internal auditor.

His entrepreneurial ventures, which number more than 30, include QA<sup>3</sup>, QA<sup>3</sup> Financial Corp., Securities America, Securities America Advisors and Trans Global Travel. Many were listed among the top 25 fastest growing companies in Omaha. Financial Dynamics Inc. was recognized as the largest Managing General Agent E.F. Hutton Life Insurance Company.

Wild has been involved with several University of Nebraska search committees for president, chancellor and vice chancellor for academic affairs. He served on the UNO "Campaign Nebraska" and hockey steering committees and was a board member of the UNO Alumni Association for several years. He also has been supportive of the Institute for Collaboration Science at UNO, which trains students, promotes research and teamwork between individuals and organizations, and teaches how to train others in collaborative techniques.

He currently is an Ak-Sar-Ben Foundation Councilor and a member of the Nebraska Children and Family Foundation Board of Directors, Child Saving Institute Board of Directors and Family Service Board of Trustees.

Among his honors are the UNO Distinguished Maverick Award, UNO Alumnus Achievement Award, Family Service Leadership Family of the Year Award, Child Saving Institute Ambassador Award, Crown College Vision/Leadership Award and the Grace University Hearts of Grace Award.

*The Order of the Tower is UNO's highest non-academic award. It 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 citizens of Nebraska. Recipients of the award embody virtues and attributes valued highly by the university and are recognized as an example to others.*

# CHANCELLOR'S MEDAL RECIPIENT

## MARY LAURA FARNHAM

Mary Laura Farnham has been director of the Office of Sponsored Programs and Research (SPR) at the University of Nebraska at Omaha for the past decade. The office is responsible for providing support and guidance to faculty and staff as they pursue external support for research, service and scholarly activities.

Under her leadership, the university's awards and submissions to external funding agencies have more than doubled. In January of 2005, the University of Nebraska Board of Regents passed a resolution recognizing the exceptional work of Farnham and her staff.

A graduate of the University of Nebraska, Farnham earned her bachelor of science degree from the University of Nebraska-Lincoln and a master of science degree from UNO. She also holds a Nebraska Teaching Certificate and a Nebraska Administrative and Supervisory Certificate.

Her educational background has been vital to the development of the many training opportunities that are available for UNO faculty and staff. Farnham and her staff sponsor an annual luncheon to meet newly appointed faculty and provide them with guidance in navigating the UNO research administration processes.

The Grant Management Information series, coordinated by Farnham, combines expertise from various UNO business and accounting units in a professional development opportunity for administrators and support staff. She also initiated the SPR Faculty Brown Bag series where, throughout the academic year, faculty experts speak on topics of interest to UNO's junior researchers.

Before joining UNO in 1996, Farnham was acting department administrator in the Department of Radiation Oncology and grants administrator for the Departments of Radiology and Radiation Oncology at the University of Nebraska Medical Center (UNMC). She also worked as a graduate teaching assistant in the UNO Department of Teacher Education and has been a classroom teacher in Omaha and Colorado.

Farnham is currently active in the Nebraska Research Administrators Group, the Society of Research Administrators and the National Council of University Research Administrators, where she is a past regional board member and has held many leadership positions. She is a member of the University of Nebraska Federal Relations Team and an ex-officio member of the University Committee on Research.

In addition, she has contributed to the UNO Committee on Library and Learning Resources and was selected as a member of the UNO Women's Leadership Institute. While at UNMC, Farnham was a member of both the University of Nebraska College of Medicine Clinical Administrators Group and the College of Medicine Departmental Administrative Staff.

A longtime advocate for education, she was a member of the Swanson School and Westside Middle School Community Clubs' Board of Directors, in addition to the Westside High School Vocal Music Parents' Association. In 1988, former Nebraska Sen. David Karnes appointed her to the U.S. Senate Educational Advisory Committee.

Farnham, a lifelong resident of the Omaha metropolitan area, has been a positive force beyond the university community. Her community service activities include participation on the Omaha Municipal Orchestra Board of Directors, Omaha Children's Museum Board of Directors and Omaha Community Playhouse Act II Board of Directors, as well as the Junior League of Omaha. She has actively volunteered with the Omaha Symphony, Joslyn Art Museum, Henry Doorly Zoo and Clarkson Hospital.

*The Chancellor's Medal at the University of Nebraska at Omaha was established to recognize the contribution 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.*

# CANDIDATES FOR GRADUATE DEGRESS

This list includes names of persons who were candidates as of DATE #, 200#. Degress to be awarded are subject to completion of academic requirements

## DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY

Erica Eileen Bowden, BS, Kansas State University, 2001; PhD in Engineering from the University of Nebraska-Lincoln, "Investigations of Indoor Noise Criteria Systems Based on Human Perception and Task Performance;" Dissertation Adviser: Dr. Lily Wang

David Timothy Bradley, BA, Grinnell College, 2001; PhD in Engineering from the University of Nebraska-Lincoln, "Analysis of Parameter Effects on Sound Energy Decay in Coupled Volume Systems;" Dissertation Adviser: Dr. Lily Wang

William Roe Crawley, BS, Iowa State University, 1993; BA, University of Iowa, 1996; Master of Criminal Justice, University of South Carolina, 1998; PhD in Criminal Justice, "Substance Abuse and Dependency Disorders in the Criminal Justice System: An Exploratory Examination of the Validity, Efficacy and Influences on Self-Report Methodologies Utilized via Diagnostic Screening Instrumentation in Criminal Justice Institutionalized Populations;" Dissertation Adviser: Dr. William Wakefield

Xutao Deng, BS, University of Science and Technology of China, 1999; MS, Creighton University, 2001; MS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2003; PhD in Information Technology, "A Bayesian Network Approach to the Prediction of Gene Functions;" Dissertation Adviser: Dr. Hesham Ali

Amy M. Hanson, BS, Manhattan Christian College, 1995; MS, Abilene Christian University, 1999; PhD in Human Sciences from the University of Nebraska-Lincoln, "The Impact of Learning Styles on Volunteering for Church Activities;" Dissertation Adviser: Dr. James Thorson

Gayle D. Iles, BA, University of Washington, 1998; MS, University of Wisconsin, 2000; PhD in Criminal Justice, "America's Forgotten Paradise: An Assessment of Sentencing Decisions and Outcomes in the United States Virgin Islands;" Dissertation Adviser: Dr. Cassia Spohn

Max J. Kurz, BS, Doane College, 1994; MS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1997; PhD in Psychology from the University of Nebraska-Lincoln, "Chaos in Gait;" Dissertation Advisers: Dr. Nicholas Stergiou and Dr. Jeffrey French

Samantha J. O'Hara, BA, University of Northern Iowa, 1994; MA, University of Northern Iowa, 1996; PhD in Criminal Justice, "Making a Federal Case Out of It: Prosecutorial Discretion and the United States Sentencing Guidelines in a Multi-District Study;" Dissertation Adviser: Dr. Cassia Spohn

Ling Ren, Bachelor of Law, Chinese People's Public Security University, 1997; MA, Chinese People's Public Security University, 2000; PhD in Criminal Justice, "Rethinking the Crime Drop in the United States During the 1990s: An Examination of Competing Theoretical Perspectives;" Dissertation Adviser: Dr. Ineke Marshall and Dr. Jihong Zhao

Molly Ann Wernli, BA, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1996; MA, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2001; PhD in Psychological Studies in Education from the University of Nebraska-Lincoln, "Interpersonal Forgiveness in Close Peer Relationships during Adolescence: An Examination of the Role of Relational Self-Worth and Transgression History;" Dissertation Adviser: Dr. Joseph LaVoie

## DOCTOR OF EDUCATION

Robert George Gehringer, Jr., Bachelor of Science in Education, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1972; MS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1980, "The Impact of IQ on Symptom Reduction in a Midwestern Residential Group Home Setting Using the Family Home Program;" Dissertation Adviser: Dr. Laura Schulte

Steven P. Shanahan, Bachelor of Science in Education, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 1972; MS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1979; EdD in Educational Administration, "Teachers' Perceptions of the Effectiveness of Block Scheduling in Nebraska High Schools;" Dissertation Adviser: Dr. Laura Schulte

## SPECIALIST IN EDUCATION

Lisa M. McBrien, BA, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1996; MS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2003; School Psychology, "A Curriculum-Based Evaluation of Written Expression;" Field Project Adviser: Dr. Lisa Kelly-Vance

## MASTERS OF ARTS

Curtis Stephen Baack, BS, Wayland Baptist University, 2000; History

Jennifer Marie Bahle, Bachelor of Science in Education, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 2003; Secondary Education, "A Study of the Experiences and Self-Efficacy of Culturally Responsive Educators;" Thesis Adviser: Dr. Sarah Edwards

Eric Curtis Englund, BS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2003; Geography

Nicole Michele Erdmann, BA, Texas Lutheran University, 2004; Health, Physical Education and Recreation

Marina V. Fomicheva, BA, Finance Academy, 1994; Economics, "Government Regulation of Nursing Homes and Quality of Care: New Evidence;" Thesis Adviser: Dr. Li-Wu Chen

Trish Lea Franck, BS, Washington State University, 1990; Health, Physical Education and Recreation

Anthony L. Garrison, BA, Brigham Young University, 2004; English

Rebecca M. Graham, BA, Creighton University, 1997; Communication, "Framing the Second War in Iraq: An Analysis of ABC, CBS and NBC News and News Interview Show Coverage;" Thesis Adviser: Dr. Jeremy Lipschultz

Brian Daniel Hesford, BS, University of Memphis, 1997; Geography

Jill Lee Irwin, BS, University of Kansas, 2004; Economics, "Factors that Impact Development: Foreign Aid and the Millennium Development Goals;" Thesis Adviser: Dr. Catherine Co

Toshimitsu Ishizuka, BS, Juntendo University, 2002; Health, Physical Education and Recreation

Karen Rebecca Johnson, BA, College of the Holy Cross, 2002; Secondary Education, "The Dynamics of Racism and White Privilege in an Urban Public School;" Thesis Adviser: Dr. Sarah Edwards

Chad James Jorgensen, BA, University of North Carolina, 2001; English

Akinori Kashiwagi, BA, Tokai University, 2002; Health, Physical Education and Recreation

Amanda Jo Marcuccio, BA, Creighton University, 2004; English

Heather Renn Maxwell, BS, Wright State University, 2003; Psychology, "Does Cortisol Inhibit or Facilitate Infant Care Behavior in Marmoset Alloparents (*Callithrix kuhli*)?;" Thesis Adviser: Dr. Jeffrey French

Kimberly K. Michael, BS, University of Nebraska Medical Center, 1991; Health, Physical Education and Recreation

Angela J. Miller, BA, Creighton University, 2003; Communication

Brent C. Myers, BA, Creighton University, 1994; History, "Chess, Bible Clubs and the Public Schools: A Case Study of the Board of Education of Westside Community Schools v. Bridget Mergens;" Thesis Adviser: Dr. Jerold Simmons

Mark Raymond Myers, BA, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2000; English, "Nineteen Eighty-Four and the Poetics of 'Orthodoxy-Sniffing!'" Thesis Adviser: Dr. Michael Skau

Hirofumi Nakamura, BA, Meiji University of Oriental Medicine, 2000; Health, Physical Education and Recreation

Elizabeth Ann Niebur, BS, University of Minnesota, 2003; Health, Physical Education and Recreation

Nicole Lynne Nielsen, Bachelor of Arts in Education, University of Nebraska at Kearney, 2000; Health, Physical Education and Recreation

Kathryn Lee O'Neill, BA, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2002; History

Drew Richard Olson, BA, Concordia University, 2003; Health, Physical Education and Recreation

Isaac A. Paden, Bachelor of Journalism, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 2004; Health, Physical Education and Recreation

Aaron Thomas Quinn, BS, Creighton University, 2002; Geography

Sarah Elizabeth Roth, Bachelor of Arts in Education, University of Nebraska at Kearney, 2001; History

Carrie Lynn Russmann, BS, Northwest Missouri State University, 1996; Geography

Michele Annette Saucier, Bachelor of Science in Education, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 1979; Health, Physical Education and Recreation

Amanda Lois Mary Smith, BA, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2002; English

Melissa J. Smith, BA, Creighton University, 2002; English

John P. Swoboda, BA, Bellevue University, 1983; Health, Physical Education and Recreation

Yosuke Tsukada, BA, Nihon University, 2002; Health, Physical Education and Recreation

Catherine Jane Warren, Bachelor of General Studies, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1999; History

Floyd William Webb III, BA, Westmar University, 1998; Health, Physical Education and Recreation

Erica Mary Weigel, BA, Augustana College, 2000; Communication, "Income, Power, and Decision Making in Status-Reversal Marital Communication;" Thesis Adviser: Dr. Shereen Bingham

Jennifer Tracey Wolfe, BA, Hastings College, 2003; Health, Physical Education and Recreation

Matthew Adam Zalman, BA, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 2004; English

## **MASTER OF ARTS FOR TEACHERS OF MATHEMATICS**

Misty Dawn Allmon, BS and Bachelor of Science in Education, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2003; Mathematics

Ruth Marie Lewis, BS, Buena Vista University, 2001; Mathematics

## **MASTER OF SCIENCE**

Seydou Amadou Oumarou, MA, French Press Institute, 1996; MA, University of Paris, 2000; Economics

Robert Scott Andrews, BS, Grand Valley State University, 2002; Counseling

Kristi M. Backora, Bachelor of Science in Education, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2000; Educational Administration and Supervision

Katie Marie Barnes, BA, Mount Union College, 2003; Elementary Education

Ulviyya Ibrahimova Bemman, Bachelor of Economics, Azerbaijan State Economic University, 2002; Economics

Janette Lynn Bentley, BS, Morningside College, 2002; Counseling

Elizabeth Elaine Bessman, BS, College of Saint Mary, 2000; Special Education

Sara E. Bigsby, BA, Hastings College, 1994; Special Education

Elizabeth Ann Birkel, Bachelor of Special Studies, Cornell College, 2004; Urban Studies

Louis Scott Bock, BA, Northwestern College, 2003; Mathematics

Mubashir Hussain Bukhari, Bachelor of Engineering, N.E.D. University of Engineering and Technology, 2000; Computer Science, "Performance Evaluation of a New Channel Allocation Scheme Supporting Service Differentiation and Fairness for QoS Enhancement in 802.11e Ad-hoc Networks;" Project Adviser: Professor Stanley Wileman

Marion Kristine Burns, BA, Creighton University, 1973; Bachelor of Science in Education, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1977; Reading, "English Language Learners' Experiences with Teachers: A Narrative Inquiry;" Thesis Adviser: Dr. Sarah Edwards

Heather Marie Busselman, BA, Dana College, 2003; Counseling

Courtney Ann Bussey, BA, Creighton University, 2001; School Psychology

Andrew John Carnazzo, BS, University of Kansas, 1996; MBA, DePaul University, 2002; Economics

Cynthia Lorraine Carver, Bachelor of Science in Education, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2003; Elementary Education

Kalpna Chaudhary, BS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2002; Economics

Michael Jacob Chudomelka, BA, Doane College, 1992; MS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2000; Educational Administration and Supervision

Garry Delano Clark, BA, Dana College, 2004; Urban Studies

Trena Leigh Clauson, Bachelor of Science in Education, Chadron State College, 1996; Speech-Language Pathology

Deborah Marie Coniglio, BS, Creighton University, 1991; Educational Administration and Supervision

Anne Elizabeth Cuning, BA, Nebraska Wesleyan University, 2001; Economics

Pia M. DeVries, BA, Brigham Young University, 1991; Secondary Education

Nicholas Joseph Dizona, BS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2000; Management Information Systems

Kristin Nicole Dorothy, Bachelor of Science in Education, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2004; Speech-Language Pathology

Terry Lee Dostal, Bachelor of Science in Education, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 1999; Counseling

Ann M. Egr, Bachelor of Science in Education, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 1993; Counseling

David W. Eikenbary, Bachelor of Science in Education, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1999; Counseling

Lisa Ann Elsasser, Bachelor of Science in Education, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2002; Reading

Brent Allen Erickson, BA, University of Northern Iowa, 2004; Economics

Mamadou Faye, BA, University of Memphis, 2001; Political Science, "Comparative Analysis of French and U.S. Influence in Francophone Africa A Case Study of the Republic of Senegal;" Thesis Adviser: Dr. Jody Neathery-Castro

Lori Jean Fehderau, BS, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 1978; Elementary Education

Dellyn Allen Feighner, BS, Peru State College, 1993; Counseling

Traci Jean Woods Freid, Bachelor of Science in Education, Western Oregon State College, 2001; Elementary Education

Donna Marie Garcia, Bachelor of Science in Education, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1991; Reading

Christine Ann Gaughen, Bachelor of Science in Education, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1996; Special Education

Shannon Marie Gier, BA, Midland Lutheran College, 1998; Educational Administration and Supervision

Kelley B. Green, BA, George Washington University, 2002; Counseling

Michael A. Green, BS, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 2002; Counseling

Adora Marie Greene, BA, Oakwood College, 1979; Educational Administration and Supervision

Maureen Ann Gregor, Bachelor of Science in Education, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2002; Counseling

Misti Lynn Groat, BA, Buena Vista University, 2002; Special Education

Donna Rae Gubbels, BS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1991; Management Information Systems

Sarah Ann Hall, BA, Hastings College, 1997; Counseling

Shirley A. Hardiman, Bachelor of Science in Education, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1999; Elementary Education

Jeremy T. Hayden, BS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2001; Management Information Systems

Cory Joseph Heiman, BA, University of Northern Iowa, 1998; Educational Administration and Supervision

Chelsa L. Hervert, BA, Hastings College, 2001; Counseling

Maria Hristova Hicks, BA, University of Sofia, 1990; Reading

Carrie Jo Hillebrandt, BS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2000; Counseling

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**Bachelor of Science  
in Communication**

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# UNIVERSITY HONORS PROGRAM STUDENTS' THESES TITLES

Honors Program graduates wear blue and scarlet Honors cords

- Kevin L. Bisanz  
"Buying and Selling Used Books:  
A Website to Find UNO Students the Best Deal"  
Adviser: Robert Fulkerson  
Major: Management Information Systems  
College of Information Science and Technology
- Teri A. Brink  
"Drug Use and Unemployment in Nebraska"  
Adviser: Janet West  
Major: Economics  
College of Arts and Sciences
- Jeff A. Chalkley  
"The Legality of Holding Prisoners at Guantanamo Bay"  
Adviser: Darryll Lewis  
Majors: Economics and Banking & Finance  
College of Business Administration
- Nesrin Elsawi  
"Perceptions of the Stereotypicality and  
Variability of Whites and Latino Immigrants"  
Adviser: Carey Ryan  
Majors: Psychology and Computer Science  
Colleges of Arts and Sciences and  
Information Science and Technology
- Jessica J. Errett  
"The Process of Building Mechanical System Design"  
Adviser: Dale Tiller  
Major: Architectural Engineering  
College of Engineering
- Rose L. Fredrick  
"Becoming a Library Professional"  
Adviser: Rebecca Pasco  
Major: Library Science  
College of Education
- Donald E. Green  
"Agile Systems Development in a Smaller World"  
Adviser: Leah Pietron  
Major: Management Information Systems  
College of Information Science and Technology
- Edward S. Hamilton  
"One City, One School District: A Legal Perspective"  
Adviser: Darryll Lewis  
Majors: Accounting  
Investment Science & Portfolio Management  
College of Business Administration
- Blake A. Huseman  
"Fair Use and the DVD Copy Control Association:  
An Analysis of Digital Property Rights"  
Adviser: Maury Schooff  
Major: Management Information Systems  
College of Information Science and Technology
- Megan C. Jones  
"Assessing Student Learning in a Social Studies Unit"  
Adviser: Sandra Wetig  
Major: Elementary Education  
College of Education
- Nathan S. Lab  
"The Right to Privacy in the Abortion Cases  
of the United States Supreme Court"  
Adviser: Jerold Simmons  
Major: History  
College of Arts and Sciences
- Chelsea R. Majerus  
"Probing the Structure of the 5' Non-Translated  
Region of the Coxsackievirus B3 Genome"  
Adviser: William Tapprich  
Major: Biology  
College of Arts and Sciences
- Shang-Jun Meng  
"The Unusual Parental Care Provided by *Nicrophorus*"  
Adviser: Claudia Rauter  
Major: Biology  
College of Arts and Sciences
- Chad A. Meyer  
"Chad Meyer's Japanese Study Program"  
Adviser: David Hinton  
Major: Computer Science  
College of Information Science and Technology
- Anna C. Mulcahy  
"Unit Plan for Munroe-Meyer Language Preschool"  
Adviser: Sandra Wetig  
Major: Speech Pathology  
College of Education
- Phon T. Nguyen  
"The Effects of Tapasin on the Assembly and Maturation  
of the Major Histocompatibility Complex"  
Adviser: Joyce Solheim  
Major: Biology  
College of Arts and Sciences
- Daniel B. Nixa  
"Does Seller Experience Influence the Selection  
of an Auction-close Rule?"  
William Corcoran, Adviser  
Major: Economics  
College of Business Administration
- Frances Y. Osugi  
"Robot: A Comic Book"  
Adviser: Bonnie O'Connell  
Major: Studio Art  
College of Communications, Fine Arts & Media
- Meghan E. Posey  
"Addressing Placement Disruption in  
Nebraska's Foster Care System"  
Adviser: Patricia Carlson  
Major: Social Work  
College of Public Affairs and Community Service
- Sarah C. Priest  
"Investment Knowledge and the  
Importance of Understanding Earnings"  
Adviser: Graham Mitenko  
Majors: Banking & Finance and  
Investment Science & Portfolio Management  
College of Business Administration

Tierney J. Schutte  
"Breaking Down Investing to Build Up Wealth"  
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"A Silent Scientific Calculator for the Visually Impaired"  
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"Alternative Structural Solution for the  
National Parks Service Building"  
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U.S. Army, Department Chair*  
Steven Jacobs, Council Bluffs, IA  
Edwin Pierce, Fredericksburg, VA



## CANDIDATES FOR UNDERGRADUATE DEGRESS

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### COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES

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