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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
August 15, 2008
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
"Canzona per Sonare No. 2".................................................................................................................. G. Gabrielli

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

MASTER OF CEREMONIES.......................................................................................................................... Senior Vice Chancellor Terry Hynes

THE NATIONAL ANTHEM
"The Star Spangled Banner".................................................................................................................. Key
Please join us in song led by
Mr. Timothy Vallier
UNO Alumnus

CHANCELLOR’S WELCOME......................................................................................................................... Chancellor John Christensen

REGENTS’ WELCOME................................................................................................................................. Randy Ferlic
Member, Board of Regents

STUDENT ADDRESS........................................................................................................................................ Ms. Amy Panning
"Today our dreams and achievements mark a fond farewell to yesterday and a warm welcome to tomorrow"

PRESENTATION OF CITATION FOR ALUMNUS ACHIEVEMENT.................................................................................. Mr. Lee Denker
Director, UNO Alumni Association

To: Ms. Sally Ganem

INTRODUCTION OF ACADEMIC DEANS...................................................................................................... Senior Vice Chancellor Terry Hynes

PRESENTATION OF CANDIDATES
CONFERRING OF DEGREES....................................................................................................................... Chancellor John Christensen

Academic Deans
Specialist in Education, and Master’s............................................................................................................ Associate Vice Chancellor Deborah Smith-Howell
Bachelor’s
Arts and Sciences......................................................................................................................... Dean David Boocker
Engineering and Technology...................................................................................................................... Associate Dean Raymond Moore
Education.................................................................................................................................................. Interim Dean David Conway
Business Administration......................................................................................................................... Dean Louis Pol
Public Affairs and Community Service...................................................................................................... Dean B.J. Reed
Education and Human Resources............................................................................................................ Professor Rochelle Dalla
Information Science & Technology........................................................................................................... Dean Hesham Ali
Communication, Fine Arts and Media......................................................................................................... Dean Gail Baker

CLOSING.................................................................................................................................................... Senior Vice Chancellor Terry Hynes

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.

UNIVERSITY HONORS PROGRAM

The University Honors Program is a University-wide program providing 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. Honors Program graduates wear blue and scarlet Honors cords.

MEDALLION COLORS

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

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PHI KAPPA PHI

Members of the Honor Society of Phi Kappa Phi, the nation's most selective all-discipline academic honor organization, shall be recognized by the navy blue and gold honor cords or stoles.

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.
GRADUATION TASSEL COLORS

Doctoral Programs, .................................................................................................................. Gold

Cooperative Programs
Master of Public Health, ........................................................................................................ Salmon

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

UNL College of Engineering
Associate, ................................................................................................................................. Orange

College of Education, ............................................................................................................... Light Blue
Master of Arts, ......................................................................................................................... White
Master of Science, .................................................................................................................... Golden Yellow
Specialist in Education, ........................................................................................................... Light Blue
Bachelor of Science 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)
Master of Arts, ......................................................................................................................... Drab (Nugget)
Master of Science, .................................................................................................................... Drab (Nugget)
Bachelor of Science in Business Administration, .................................................................... Drab (Nugget)

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 General Studies, .................................................................................................... Black
Bachelor of Science in Public Administration, ......................................................................... Peacock Blue
Bachelor of Science in Social Work, .......................................................................................... Citron
Bachelor of Science in Urban Studies, ...................................................................................... Golden Yellow
Bachelor of Science in Aviation, ............................................................................................... Golden Yellow

College of Education and Human 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
Bachelor of Science in Bioinformatics, ..................................................................................... Golden Yellow

College of Communication, Fine Arts and Media
Master of Arts, ......................................................................................................................... White
Master of Music, ........................................................................................................................ Pink
Bachelor of Arts in Art History, ................................................................................................ White
Bachelor of Arts in Communication, ........................................................................................ White
Bachelor of Arts in Dramatic Arts, ............................................................................................ White
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
AMY PANNING

Amy Panning, a Hooper, Neb., native, graduates magna cum laude today with a bachelor of science degree in social work. Her commencement address is titled "Today Our Dreams and Achievements Mark a Fond Farewell to Yesterday and a Warm Welcome to Tomorrow."

Active in the University of Nebraska at Omaha (UNO) community, Panning served as community service director and treasurer for Chi Omega Sorority and as communications chair of the Student Social Work Organization. She also was a Collegiate Learning Assessment Scholar and a member of People to People International, the UNO College Democrats, Feminist Majority Leadership Alliance and Greek Endeavor.

Panning volunteered with the Intensive Language at UNO (ILUNO) Program and was a College of Public Affairs and Community Service senator with Student Government. For her outstanding efforts, she was honored with membership in Delta Epsilon Iota Honor Society, Omicron Delta Kappa Honor Society, Golden Key International Honor Society and Order of Omega Greek Honor Society.

A recipient of the Brewer-Nelson and Susan Thompson Buffett Scholarships, Panning also was named to the Dean's and Chancellor's Lists numerous times for academic excellence.

Her passion for philanthropy work led to participation in or organization of 31 community service events at UNO and beyond. Her favorite activity was fundraising for the Make-A-Wish Foundation during the annual, two-day Chi Omega "Hula-Hoop-A-Thon." One day, Panning hoola-hoop ed for six hours.

Following graduation, Panning will pursue a master's degree in social work at UNO and work with families and at-risk youth. This October, she will be a countess at the 2008 Ak-Sar-Ben Coronation Ball. She also enjoys running, skiing and volunteering in the community.
SALLY GANEM

Sally Ganem, the First Lady of Nebraska, has been an education advocate for many years. She earned a bachelor's degree in elementary education in 1971 and a master's degree in education administration in 1975, both from the University of Nebraska at Omaha (UNO).

Born and raised in Omaha, Ganem graduated from Omaha South High School. She continued her education at UNO and was a member of numerous organizations, including Kappa Delta Pi, the Minority Cultures Committee, Student Education Association, International Students Organization, Wayokia and the League of Women Voters.

Ganem was active with Sigma Kappa (president), the Student Senate Projects Committee (secretary), Women's Recreation Association (vice president), Greek Housing Association, Manpower for Urban Progress, UNO Achievement Awards Committee and the Young Republicans. In 1970, she was crowned the university's homecoming queen.

The wife of Nebraska Gov. Dave Heineman, Ganem is a former principal of Howard Elementary School in Fremont, Neb. She serves the Fremont community as a member of the Low Income Ministry Board and the Social Sciences Advisory Board of Metropolitan Community College.

A past president of the Fremont Area United Way and Big Brothers Big Sisters, Ganem also has volunteered for the American Heart Association and John C. Fremont Days, for which she initiated the children's activities portion of the event. Ganem is a recipient of the Fremont Noon Optimists' Lifetime Membership Award.

Ganem has served as an officer and on committees for the Nebraska Association of Elementary School Principals and the Nebraska Council of School Administrators. She is a member of the Read Aloud Nebraska Board of Directors and regularly reads to school groups across the state.

The First Lady serves as honorary chair of the Nebraska Volunteer Service Commission, which provides volunteers with resources to get involved. The First Lady's Outstanding Community Service Awards recognize the outstanding work of individuals and groups who, through volunteer efforts, make Nebraska a better place to live, work and raise families.
CANDIDATES FOR GRADUATE DEGREES
This list includes names of persons who were candidates as of August 5, 2008. Degree to be awarded is subject to completion of academic requirements.

DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY
Michelle L. Eble-Hankins, BS, Kansas State University, 1995; PhD in Engineering from the University of Nebraska-Lincoln, "Subjective Impression of Discomfort Glare from Sources of Non-Uniform Luminances," Dissertation Advisor: Dr. Clarence Walters
Anne Elizabeth Herman, BS, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 1996; MA, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2004; PhD in Psychology from the University of Nebraska-Lincoln, "The Influence of Regulatory Focus, Expected Evaluation, and Goal Orientation on Cognitive Processes Related to Creative Problem Solving," Dissertation Advisor: Dr. Roni Reiter-Palmon
William Patrick McCarty, BA, Creighton University, 2002; MA, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2004; PhD in Criminal Justice, "Trailers and Trouble? An Examination of Crime, Calls for Service, and Community Ties in Mobile Home Communities," Dissertation Advisor: Dr. Lisa Sample
Lucas D. Steinhauser, BS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2002; MBA, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2003; PhD in Information Technology, "Improving the Success of Sustaining Collaborative Work Practices Enabled through Information Technology," Dissertation Advisor: Dr. Gert-Jan de Vreede
Michelle C. Vigeant, BS, University of Alberta, 2003; PhD in Engineering from the University of Nebraska-Lincoln, "Investigations of Incorporating Source Directivity into Room Acoustics Computer Models to Improve Auralizations," Dissertation Advisor: Dr. Lily Wang
Gina Marie Wagner, BS, Nebraska Methodist College, 1991; MA, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1997; PhD in Human Sciences from the University of Nebraska-Lincoln, "Exploring Breast Cancer Memoir," Dissertation Advisor: Dr. James Thorson

DOCTOR OF EDUCATION
Bonnie J. Perry, BA, Tarkio College, 1973; MS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1982; EdD in Educational Administration, "The Effect of a New Teacher Induction Program on New Teachers Reported Teacher Goals for Excellence, Mobility, and Retention Rates," Dissertation Advisor: Dr. Karen Hayes

SPECIALIST IN EDUCATION
Courtney Ann Bussey, BA, Creighton University, 2001; MS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2006; School Psychology, "Parental Involvement and School Success: Views of English-speaking and Spanish-speaking Mothers," Field Project Advisor: Dr. Lisa Kelly-Vance
Brooke Lindsey Lamp, BS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2004; MS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2006; School Psychology, "Acquisition and Generalization of Sight Words in Hidden and Not Hidden Trials of the Folding In Procedure," Field Project Advisor: Dr. Lisa Kelly-Vance
Karrie J. Martin, BA, Midland Lutheran College, 1998; MS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2006; School Psychology, "Parental Training and Performance Feedback: Implications for Improving Early Literacy Development in Preschool Children," Field Project Advisor: Dr. Lisa Kelly-Vance
Casi Renee Olsen, BS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2004; MS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2006; School Psychology, "The Relationship between Acculturation and Parental Involvement in Latino Parents," Field Project Advisor: Dr. Lisa Kelly-Vance
Metta Kirstene Volker-Fry, BA, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 1999; MS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2006; School Psychology, "An Intervention Targeting Math Fluency: Do Number Lines Make a Difference?" Field Project Advisor: Dr. Lisa Kelly-Vance

MASTERS OF ARTS
Jill Marie Bakewell, BA, University of Northern Iowa, 2002; MS, Peru State College, 2004; History
Katherine Deneal Beck, BS, University of Indianapolis, 2005; Health, Physical Education and Recreation
Brian Briggs, BS, Creighton University, 2006; History, Physical Education and Recreation
Bryant C. Bull, Bachelor of Science in Education, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2000; History
Anna Marie Burrell, BA, Washburn University, 2005; Psychology, "Stress Reactivity is Related to Early Parental Care in Geoffroy's Marmosets (Callithrix Geoffroyi)," Thesis Advisor: Dr. Jeffrey French
Stephanie M. Deters, BS, Peru State College, 2005; Counseling, "Client, Counselor and Work Setting Differences in Eating Disorder Counselor's Burnout and Career Sustaining Behaviors," Thesis Advisor: Dr. David Carter
Shelley Leigh Esquivel, BA, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2004; Psychology, "Teacher and Parent Response to Emotion and Socioemotional Competence in Early Childhood," Thesis Advisor: Dr. Juan Casas
Jessie Leigh Eveland, Bachelor of Science in Education, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2006; Health, Physical Education and Recreation
Katharine Billieu Gaskin, BS, Troy University, 2004; English, "That Muscle Called the Heart: Essays about a Marriage," Thesis Advisor: Dr. Lisa Knopp
Melissa Jo Gates, BA, Bellevue University, 2001; Bachelor of Science in Education, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2002; History
Jennifer Lynn Gatewood-Owens, BS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2005; Criminal Justice, "Race, Ethnicity, Economic Deprivation, and Intimate Partner Homicide: Factors that Influence Differential Victimization," Thesis Advisor: Dr. Candice Batton
Laura L. Haberman, BA, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2006; Counseling, "The Relationship between Parental Divorce and Young Male Adults Willingness to Marry: Development of a Questionnaire," Thesis Advisor: Dr. Paul Barnes
Jolene Marie Hulsing, BS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2000; Geography
Young Kyun Kim, BS, Myongji University, 2005; Health, Physical Education and Recreation
Blake Lyle Mayberry, BA, University of Iowa, 2004; Geography, "Framing the 'Fragile Giants': Aestheticization of Landscape in the Loess Hills of Western Iowa," Thesis Advisor: Dr. Christina Dando
Ketty Sue McAleer, BA, Northwest Missouri State University, 2004; Communication, "Conflict in Relationships," Thesis Advisor: Dr. Shereen Bingham
Mary Christine McIvor, BS, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 1971; Master of Education, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 1974; MS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1996; Counseling, "Differences in Academic Success and Honors Participation Between Advised and Not Advised First and Second Year Honors Students;" Thesis Advisor: Dr. David Carter

Jordan Lea Ockerman, BA, University of Northern Iowa, 2005; History

Yasuko Takeuchi, BS, Osaka University, 1995; Master of Social Work, Bukkyo University, 1997; Health, Physical Education and Recreation

Paul Michael Thompson, BA, Creighton University, 2002; History

Harley Davidson Trimble, BA, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 2005; English

Melani Rose Weale, BS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2004; Communication

**MASTER OF ARTS FOR TEACHERS OF MATHEMATICS**

Amy Louise Delehant, Bachelor of Science in Education, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 1999; Master of Education, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 2002; Mathematics

Jami Irene Ewer, BS, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 1998; Mathematics

Shaun M. McMahon, Bachelor of Science in Education, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 2004; Mathematics

Dustin Lewis Waderich, Bachelor of Science in Education, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2005; Mathematics

**MASTER OF SCIENCE**

Ragendra Adhikari, Bachelor of Engineering, Tribhuvan University, 2004; Management Information Systems

Natalia Maria Andresen, Bachelor of Science in Education, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2007; Elementary Education

Tobi Lynette Andrews, BS, Missouri State University, 1997; Counseling

Pujak Arora, Bachelor of Technology, Indian Institute of Technology, 2001; Management Information Systems

Courtney Lynn Asplund, Bachelor of Science in Education, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2005

Stacy Ann Athow, Bachelor of Science in Education, Black Hills State University, 1996; Counseling

Shakthi D. Bachala, Bachelor of Engineering, Jawaharlal Nehru Technological University, 2005; Management Information Systems

Lindsay Jean Behne, BS, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 2005; Political Science

Jennifer Leigh Bird, Bachelor of Science in Education, University of Hawaii, 2006; Secondary Education

Jean Kay Blue, Bachelor of Science in Education, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1996; Reading

Gregory Todd Borland, BA, Midland Lutheran College, 2001; Educational Administration and Supervision

Joaquina Andrea Antonia Borunda-Perez, Bachelor of Science in Education, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2007; Elementary Education

Julie Elizabeth Brandt, BS, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 2006; Educational Administration and Supervision

Nicole Lynn Braun, BS, Grace University, 2004; Special Education

Adia Shani Brightman, BS, Nebraska Wesleyan University, 2002; Special Education

Melissa Marie Carter, Bachelor of Science in Education, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2006; Elementary Education

Athena Marie Cho, Bachelor of Science in Education, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2006; BA, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2006; Secondary Education

Janet Elaine Clark, BA, University of Rochester, 1977; Counseling

Megan Michelle Clark, Bachelor of Arts in Education, University of Nebraska at Kearney, 2004; Elementary Education

Anthony William Clark-Kaczmarek, BA, Nebraska Wesleyan University, 1997; Educational Administration and Supervision

Dara Lynn Coffey, Bachelor of Science in Education, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2003; Special Education

Lisa Marie Cook, Bachelor of Science in Education, Drake University, 2005; Political Science

Cristin M. Cordts-Fischer, Bachelor of Science in Education, Northern State University, 2000; Reading

Anna E. Crook, BS, Peru State College, 2004; Educational Administration and Supervision

Matthew David Curtis, Bachelor of Science in Education, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2000, Secondary Education

Melissa Shea Davis, BA, Cornell College, 2001; Political Science

Julie Leona Derby, BS, Creighton University, 2006; Elementary Education

Kaitlin Michael Donohoe, BS, University of South Dakota, 2006; Criminal Justice

Angela Noelle Drees, Bachelor of Science in Education, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 2000; BA, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 2000; Educational Administration and Supervision

Ginger Marie Eikmeier, BA, Creighton University, 2005; Secondary Education

Sarah Lynn Engelhardt, BA, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 2005; School Psychology

Megan Marie Fair, BA, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 2006; School Psychology

Danielle Nicole Fisher, Bachelor of Science in Education, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2006; Elementary Education

Allycia Renee Gervings, Bachelor of Science in Education, University of South Dakota, 1999; Educational Administration and Supervision

Holly Carol Glade, BA, University of Northern Iowa, 2000; Political Science

Ryan K. Gottula, BS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1997; Bachelor of Science in Education, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1999; Educational Administration and Supervision

Naresh K. Goty, Bachelor of Engineering, Osmania University, 2005; Management Information Systems

Rosemary E. Grala, Bachelor of Fine Arts, Pratt Institute, 1997; Secondary Education

George Christian Hansen, Bachelor of Science in Education, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2001; Political Science
Vidya Sagar Hanumanthu, Bachelor of Medicine, NTR University of Health Science, 2004; Health, Physical Education and Recreation, "Assessment of an Exercise Program on Population with Chronic Medical Conditions;" Thesis Advisor: Dr. Kris Berg

Cassandra Leigh Harris, BS, Iowa State University, 1998; Educational Administration and Supervision

Kathryn Elizabeth Hecht-Weber, BA, Nebraska Wesleyan University, 2001; Counseling

Amy Teresa Hector, BS, Wayne State College, 2006; Elementary Education

Patrick Clarke Hermes, BA, Columbia College, 2004; Political Science

Lindsay Leeann Herrington, Bachelor of Science in Education, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2006; Elementary Education

Scott Michael Hilger, BS, Wayne State College, 2004; Educational Administration and Supervision

Peter D. Hospodka, BS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2006; Computer Science, "Bayesian Reasoning in a Fact Propositional Space;" Thesis Advisor: Dr. Qiuming Zhu

Timothy J. Hrabak, BS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2006; Management Information Systems

Stephanie Ann Hraban, BA, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 2006; Counseling

Katie J. Jackson, BS, Iowa State University, 2005; Special Education

Sarah Elizabeth Jessick, Bachelor of Music, Missouri State University, 2007; Secondary Education

Maria Raquel Jimeno Buckner, BS, University of California, 1993; Secondary Education

Elizabeth Anne Johnson, BS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2005; Industrial, Organizational Psychology

Carla Ann Jones, Bachelor of Science in Education, Northern State University, 1997; BS, Northern State University, 1997; Secondary Education

Michelle Ann Kelsey, Bachelor of Science in Education, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1997; Elementary Education

Catherine C. Kepler, BA, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2006; Urban Studies

Alison Kathleen King, BA, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 2006; Criminal Justice

Meredith Lynn Kinman, BS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2001; BS, Peru State College, 2005; Educational Administration and Supervision

Patricia Allison Klemmensen, BS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2000; Counseling

Susan Lucille Kluck, BA, Nebraska Wesleyan University, 2007; Elementary Education

Bridgette Marie Komacincki, BS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2002; Secondary Education

Erin Rea Krings, Bachelor of General Studies, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2005; Counseling

Jaynie Elizabeth Kudlacz, Bachelor of Science in Education, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2006; Secondary Education

Laura Claire Lagana, BS, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 1998; Counseling

Julie Kay Lassley, Bachelor of Science in Education, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1996; Elementary Education

Amanda M. Leuck, BS, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 2007; Secondary Education

Dean Robert Liberty, Bachelor of Science in Education, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1996; Educational Administration and Supervision

Stacey Lee Lincoln, BS, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 1995; Secondary Education

Shuning Liu, BA, Beijing Normal University, 1999; Secondary Education

Susan Mary Livingston, Bachelor of Science in Education, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1979; Elementary Education

Chelsea N. Long, Bachelor of Science in Education, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2007; Elementary Education

Lala Luthra, Bachelor of Science in Education, Azerbaijan State Institute of Languages, 1999; Elementary Education

Emily Lynn Maly, BA, Midland Lutheran College, 2005; Secondary Education

Amanda Mae Marcinek, BS, College of Saint Mary, 2007; Elementary Education

Leslie Ann Martinez, Bachelor of Science in Education, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2004; Elementary Education

Bobbie L. Martinie, Bachelor of Science in Education, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1995; Elementary Education

Paul William Mays, BA, Hastings College, 1981; Management Information Systems

Molly B. McGrath, BA, New York University, 2005; Economics

Leigh Nikole McKeenan, Bachelor of Science in Education, Black Hills State University, 2000; Educational Administration and Supervision

Meri Helen Meredith, BA, Doane College, 1985; Counseling

Carol Leigh Lager Mertl, BS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1995; Secondary Education

Mary Joan Meyer, Bachelor of Science in Education, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1985; Political Science

Robert R. Miller, BS, Wayne State College, 2001; Elementary Education

Tiffany Lynn Mimmack-Burkhardt, Bachelor of Science in Education, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1997; Reading

Abbey N. Modica, BA, Creighton University, 2006; School Psychology

Mitzi G. Mossman, Bachelor of Science in Education, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2006; Elementary Education

Megan Elizabeth Muldoon, BS, Creighton University, 2006; Reading

Martin K. Muli, BA, Northwestern College, 1991; Management Information Systems

Tracy Marie Murman, Bachelor of Science in Education, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2002; Elementary Education

Sharon Kay Myers, Bachelor of Science in Education, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1990; Elementary Education

Emily Marie Natal, Bachelor of Science in Education, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2007; Elementary Education

Wendi Juanita Nelson, BA, University of Nebraska at Kearney, 2006; Elementary Education
Kirsten Nielsen Macdissi, BA, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 1983; Bachelor of Science in Education, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1999; English
Tara J. Novotney, BA, Creighton University, 1995; Educational Administration and Supervision
Tyson Anthony Novotny, Bachelor of Science in Education, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 2007; Secondary Education
Kimberly L. Olechoski, Bachelor of Science in Education, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2006; Elementary Education
Richard Lee Painter, BS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1997; Counseling
Minsu Park, BS, Dankook University, 2004; Economics
Gaurav Patil, Bachelor of Engineering, Nagpur University, 2004; Management Information Systems
Michael Lee Peitzmeier, BS, Bellevue University, 1999; Bachelor of Science in Education, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2001; Educational Administration and Supervision
Stephanie Odile Pithart, Bachelor of Science in Education, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2006; Elementary Education
Angela Lynn Pletka, BS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2005; Biology
Liana Medeiros Nunes Porzelt, BS, University of Nebraska at Kearney, 2004; Economics
Carrie L. Rath, BA, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 1988; Bachelor of Science in Education, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1991; Educational Administration and Supervision
Gaylee L. Rea, BA, Buena Vista University, 1995; Reading
Andrew Mario Rinaldi, Bachelor of Science in Education, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1999; MS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2001; Educational Administration and Supervision
Shannon Roach, Bachelor of Science in Education, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2000; Reading
Karolyn Leonese Roby, Bachelor of Science in Education, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2006; Elementary Education
Melissa Beth Romohr, BS, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 2003; Elementary Education
Katie Nicole Salvo, Bachelor of Science in Education, Midland Lutheran College, 2005; Elementary Education
Caroline Therese Santos-De Jesus, Bachelor of Science in Education, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2000; Reading
Mary Sue Schlautman, Bachelor of Science in Education, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 1994; Reading
Keri Joy Schneckloth, Bachelor of Science in Education, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2006; Elementary Education
Sheila Mae Schneider, Bachelor of Science in Education, Dakota State University, 2006; Secondary Education
Lynsey Sharon, Bachelor of Science in Education, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 2007; Elementary Education
Carol Jane Simon, BA, Nebraska Wesleyan University, 2003; Secondary Education
Jason Lee Smith, BS, Chadron State College, 2001; Management Information Systems, “Information Technology’s Influence on Productivity;” Thesis Advisor: Dr. Gert-Jan de Vreede
Melissa K. Smith, BS, Arizona State University, 2006; Speech-Language Pathology
Annie K. Sorensen, BS, Creighton University, 2003; Reading
Courtney Jo Stevens, BS, Wayne State College, 2006; Elementary Education
Jennifer Lynn Stober, BA, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2006; School Psychology
Jane Marie Swirzinski-Luethge, Bachelor of Science in Education, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2004; Secondary Education
Nathan James Ter Beest, BA, Northwestern College, 2003; Secondary Education
Jaclyn Nicole Ternus, BA, Creighton University, 2005; School Psychology
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Cum Laude
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Bachelor of Science
Summa Cum Laude
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Patricia Genevieve Swanson

Magna Cum Laude
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Jenna Lynn Pfeifer
William Paul Wendl

Cum Laude
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