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The University of Nebraska at Omaha

December Commencement 2009

Commencement

University of Nebraska at Omaha

Omaha Civic Auditorium
December 18, 2009
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. Gabrieli

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 in singing led by
Mr. Timothy Vallier
Graduate Assistant, Music Department

CHANCELLOR'S REMARKS..... Chancellor John Christensen

PRESIDENT'S GREETING..... President James B. Milliken

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

STUDENT ADDRESS..... Ms. Megan Schuster
"Choosing to Make an Impact"

PRESENTATION OF CITATION FOR ALUMNUS ACHIEVEMENT..... Mr. Lee Denker
Director, Alumni Association
To: Ms. Lori Hogan

PRESENTATION OF CHANCELLOR'S MEDAL..... Chancellor John Christensen
Recipient: Dr. Deborah Smith-Howell

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

PRESENTATION OF CANDIDATES..... Academic Deans

AND
CONFERRING OF DEGREES..... Chancellor John Christensen

Doctor of Philosophy, Doctor of Education,
Specialist in Education, and Master's..... Associate Vice Chancellor Deborah Smith-Howell

Bachelor's
Arts and Sciences..... Dean David Boocker
Engineering..... Associate Dean John Thorp
Education..... Dean Nancy Edick
Business Administration..... Dean Louis Pol
Public Affairs and Community Service..... Dean B.J. Reed
Education and Human Sciences..... Assistant Professor Catherine Huddleston-Casas
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 majors 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.

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

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.

STUDENT COMMENCEMENT SPEAKER

MEGAN C. SCHUSTER

Megan C. Schuster, an Omaha native, graduates summa cum laude today with a bachelor of science degree in business administration with a concentration in accounting and a minor in finance. Her commencement address is titled "Choosing to Make an Impact."

On campus, Schuster was involved with a variety of organizations, including Beta Alpha Psi, Omicron Delta Kappa, Beta Gamma Sigma, Golden Key Honor Society and Phi Kappa Phi Honor Society. She was named Omicron Delta Kappa's Leader of the Year and attended the Beta Gamma Sigma leadership conference. In addition, she received a Beta Gamma Sigma scholarship and the Nebraska Society of CPAs' Arnold Magnuson scholarship.

During the spring semester of her junior year, Schuster studied abroad in Innsbruck, Austria. She cherishes the experiences gained from her international travels and continues to enjoy speaking with people of various backgrounds.

At the University of Nebraska at Omaha, Schuster acquired a love of running. She now takes part in an average of five races each year and, after completing her first half marathon while studying abroad in Austria, looks for races to attend in places she wants to visit.

In January, she will begin working as a staff auditor for KPMG, LLP. She is very excited about starting her career with the company and continuing to build on experience gained there during her summer internship.

CHANCELLOR'S MEDAL RECIPIENT

DEBORAH SMITH-HOWELL

Deborah Smith-Howell has served as associate vice chancellor for Academic Affairs and dean for Graduate Studies at the University of Nebraska at Omaha (UNO) since 2007. She joined the university in 1989 as a faculty member in the former Department of Communication, where she coordinated the university's basic public speaking course. From 1996 to 2004, she was departmental chair and the founding director of the School of Communication.

As associate vice chancellor for Academic Affairs, Dr. Smith-Howell is responsible for the Center for Faculty Development, UNO curriculum and program planning and evaluation, the Service-Learning Academy/American Humanics, University Honors Program, AFROTC and the Thompson Learning Community. As dean for Graduate Studies, her office provides services and support for students and faculty in UNO's 45 master's programs, six doctoral programs and 18 graduate certificates.

Dr. Smith-Howell received her bachelor of science degree from Northern Michigan University, a master of arts from Louisiana State University and a doctorate from the University of Texas-Austin. Her areas of specialization and research are communication education, presidential rhetorical, media coverage of the presidency and civic participation.

She is co-author with Roderick P. Hart, Sharon Jarvis and William Jennings of *Political Keywords: Using Language that Uses Us*, Oxford University Press, 2005. Her research has been published in *Communication Education*, *Political Communication* and the *Journal of Communication*.

At UNO, Dr. Smith-Howell has served on departmental, college, campus and system governance committees, including the Faculty Senate, Graduate Council, Executive Graduate Council, Strategic Planning Steering Committee and Academic Quality Improvement Program (AQIP) Steering Committee. She has chaired or co-chaired numerous campus task forces, including General Education, Academic Advising and Faculty Development.

She is the recipient of the 2004 UNO Chancellor's Commission on the Status of Women Outstanding Achievement Award.

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.

ALUMNUS ACHIEVEMENT AWARD

LORI HOGAN

Lori Hogan is co-founder of Home Instead Senior Care, the largest senior care company in the world with nearly 820 franchises in the United States and 16 other markets. She co-founded Home Instead in 1994 with her husband, Paul, basing the company on his family experience caring for his grandmother for 12 years and desire to help seniors live independently at home.

The company's franchise owners hire "CAREGivers" - often seniors themselves - to go into the homes of seniors and help them with day-to-day living needs such as companionship, meal preparation, light housekeeping, medication reminders, errands and shopping. One of Home Instead's core business values, "To honor God in all we do," was modeled after Paul's experience working at Merry Maids, a cleaning service franchisor.

Lori earned her bachelor's degree in psychology from the University of Nebraska at Omaha (UNO) in 1984. Born at Ft. Benning, Ga., she was raised in Omaha and graduated from Omaha Burke High School. In 1982, she was named Miss Nebraska U.S.A. and was elected the 1984 UNO homecoming queen as a member of Chi Omega sorority. She also worked as a professional model. From 1987 to 1994, she owned and operated Classic Impressions, an Omaha modeling and self-development program for pre-teen, teenage and adult women.

The Hogans initially operated the company from an office in Paul's mother's home that contained one desk and one computer. Today, the company's 36,000-square-foot world headquarters are located at 133rd and California streets in Omaha. Home Instead Senior Care franchise offices currently employ nearly 50,000 trained CAREGivers, who provide millions of hours of elder care services annually through more than 60 home care activities.

The company has been recognized in *Franchising Times*, *Kiplinger's Personal Finance* and *Family Circle* magazines. In 2006, the *Wall Street Journal* named it one of America's top 25 high-performing franchises. Home Instead also was featured on National Public Radio, Fox News and CNN.

In January 2008, the Hogans announced funding for the Home Instead Center for Successful Aging, a \$10.2 million facility on the University of Nebraska Medical Center campus. The new geriatrics center will be completed the spring of 2010 and will create physical space for geriatric medicine and psychiatry while expanding research and patient care.

Lori serves on numerous professional boards and received the 2004 Successful Business Woman Award from the Omaha Downtown Chapter of the American Business Women's Association. She also has mentored youth at her church and has held a leadership position for several years with the Bible Study Fellowship.

CANDIDATES FOR GRADUATE DEGREES

This list includes names of persons who were candidates as of December 18, 2009.

Degrees to be awarded are subject to completion of academic requirements

DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY

Alan David Kopetzky, BS, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 1983; MBA, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1998; PhD in Public Administration, "Arnstein Revisited: Measuring and Evaluating Citizen Participation in the Program Planning, Development, and Implementation Process;" Dissertation Advisor: Dr. Robert Blair

Kandace R. Miller, BA, University of Kansas, 1985; Master of Science in Education, University of Kansas, 1987; PhD in Public Administration, "Progressive and Regressive Aspects of Information Technology in Society: A Third Sector Perspective;" Dissertation Advisor: Dr. Richard Box

Boris Morozov, BA, Academy of Economic Studies, 2002; MBA, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2004; PhD in Public Administration, "Decentralization and Economic Growth: Evaluation, Measurement, and Causality;" Dissertation Advisor: Dr. Kenneth Kriz

Priscilla Mary Quinn, BA, College of Saint Mary, 1996; MS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1998; PhD in Human Sciences from the University of Nebraska-Lincoln, "Factors Associated with Long-term Care Planning Among Older Adults;" Dissertation Advisor: James A. Thorson

Qiushi Wang, BA, Guangdong University of Foreign Studies, 1998; MA, Peking University, 2001; MPA, University of Minnesota, 2006; PhD in Public Administration; "The Effect of Public Debt on State and Local Economic Growth and Its Implication for Measuring Debt Capacity: A Simultaneous Equations Approach;" Dissertation Advisor: Dr. Kenneth Kriz

DOCTOR OF EDUCATION

David R. Lavender, Bachelor of Science in Education, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 1984; MS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1997; EdD in Educational Administration, "The Effect of an In-Class Behavioral Intervention Plus Differentiated Instruction Program on the Achievement and Behavior Outcomes of Verbally Disruptive 8th-Grade Students With and Without Co-Occurring Reading Delimitations;" Dissertation Advisor: Dr. John Hill

Rebecca Barry Schnabel, Bachelor of Arts in Education, Wayne State College, 1973; MS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1977; EdD in Educational Administration, "The Impact of Traditional and Alternative University Teacher Preparation Program Options on Secondary Teacher Candidates' Knowledge, Skills, Dispositions, and Employment;" Dissertation Advisor: Dr. John Hill

Joseph Jon Toczek, Bachelor of Science in Education, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 1994; Bachelor of Arts in Education, University of Nebraska at Kearney, 1996; Master of Education, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 2001; EdD in Educational Administration, "Attitude and Agility Scores of Co-Occurring and Single Sport High School Girl Volleyball Players Following Completion of an Invitational Summer Strength and Conditioning Program;" Dissertation Advisor: Dr. John Hill

SPECIALIST IN EDUCATION

Roger Scott Pearson, BA, University of Northern Iowa, 1978; MS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1991; Educational Administration and Supervision, "After the Bond Issue: From Passage to Breaking Ground;" Project Advisor: Dr. Kay Keiser

MASTER OF ARTS

Desirae Tristen Bachman, BS, Wayne State College, 2004; Communication, "Computer-Mediated Communication: A Qualitative Study Exploring Community, Identity, and Relationships Among Residence Life Students;" Thesis Advisor: Dr. Jeremy Lipschultz

Erica Noel Brock, BA, Nebraska Wesleyan University, 1999; Health, Physical Education and Recreation

Stephanie Buck, BS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2004; Communication

Kirby Chazal, BA, University of Iowa, 2006; Language Teaching

Daniel Vaughn Chevalier, BA, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 2004; Language Teaching

Mary Dawn Cunard, BS, Creighton University, 2002; Health, Physical Education and Recreation

Elizabeth Ann Ferguson, BA, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 1995; Health, Physical Education and Recreation

Sarah Anne Findley Moulton, B A, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 1992; English

LeClara D. Gilreath, BA, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 2004; History

Benjamin Graber, MD, University of Michigan, 1969; Theatre

Danielle Marie Holbrook, BA, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2007; History

Adam Christopher Knowlton, BA, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 2006; Communication, "Darfur Is Dying: A Narrative Analysis;" Thesis Advisor: Dr. Lynnette Leonard

Sandra F. Knudson, BA, Faith Baptist Bible College, 1965; BS, Iowa State University, 1997; History, "The First Footsteps of Baptist Missionaries on the Nebraska Frontier: The Work of Moses and Eliza Merrill, 1833 to 1840;" Thesis Advisor: Dr. Sharon Wood

Lindsey Lynn Leach, BS, University of Nebraska at Kearney, 2005; Communication

Janet Duros McClearen, BA, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2005; History, "Father A. J. Andeweg, Hussein M. Ismail, and the Development of Deaf Education in Lebanon;" Thesis Advisor: Dr. Moshe Gershovich

Crystal M. Melby, BS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2002; Communication, "The Life of a Photojournalist: Through the Lens of Dave Hamer;" Thesis Advisor: Dr. Michael Sherer

Celeste Mitchell, BS, Creighton University, 1991; Social Gerontology, "Health Beliefs of Elderly Southern Sudanese Immigrants;" Thesis Advisor: Dr. James Thorson

Rimun Murad, BA, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2007; English

Randy T. Nguyen, BS, Peru State College, 2007; Health, Physical Education and Recreation

Jamie Nuss, Bachelor of Science in Education, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 2006; English

Jay Gerard Pedersen, BS, Iowa State University, 1983; BS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2004; Mathematics, "Verifying an Algorithm for Defining Biological Entities for Use in a Boolean Network;" Thesis Advisor: Dr. John Konvalina

Ashley Lynn Scheil, BS, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 2006; English

Kimberley Michelle Stuart, BA, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 2005; Geography, "The Potential of Wind Energy for the Operation of Reverse Osmosis Water Plants in the Bahamas;" Thesis Advisor: Dr. Jeffrey Peake

Lindsey Nicole Tarkington, BS, University of Nebraska Medical Center, 2007; Health, Physical Education and Recreation

Katherine Anne Welchans, BA, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2006; History

MASTER OF SCIENCE

Mohamed Aidaroos Alshaikh Abubakr, BS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2007; Management Information Systems

Samy Alzhrani, BS, King Abdul Aziz University, 2003; Management Information Systems

Stephanie Gaye Andersen, Bachelor of Science in Education, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1979; Reading

Eldor Ashurov, BS, Tashkent Institute of Finance, 2001; Economics

Tara Kathryn Babel, Bachelor of Science in Education, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2001; Reading

Stassi Lavonna Beaugard, Bachelor of Science in Education, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1996; Educational Administration

Pamela Delois Belton, BA, Bellevue University, 2005; Counseling

Bishwa Bhattarai, Bachelor of Engineering, Tribhuvan University, 2006; Management Information Systems

Kevin Bisanz, BS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2006; Management Information Systems

Oliver Nelson Bonham-Carter, BS, Creighton University, 1998; Mathematics

Bryant Dale Bowman, BS, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 2004; Computer Science

Amy Sue Bryan, Bachelor of Science in Education, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2003; Elementary Education

Tracie Helen Burton, Bachelor of Science in Education, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1998; Special Education

Tracy Lynn Cady, Bachelor of Science in Education, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2007; Speech-Language Pathology

Daniel J. Clough, BS, Pepperdine University, 2002; Computer Science

Karin Marie Culotta, Bachelor of Science in Education, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2001; Elementary Education

Kari Ann D'Angelo, Bachelor of Science in Education, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2002; Elementary Education

Jennifer Marie Di Ruocco, Bachelor of Science in Education, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2000; Educational Administration and Supervision

Shannon Leslie DeVivo, BS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2007; Environmental Engineering from University of Nebraska-Lincoln

Paul James Dizona, BS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2004; Criminology and Criminal Justice

Kouessan A. Folly, BS, University of Lome, 1999; Economics

Stephen Francis Forget, BS, Creighton University, 1991; Management Information Systems

Binod R. Ghimire, Bachelor of Engineering, Tribhuvan University, 2006; Computer Science

Wendy S. Goedeken, BS, Peru State College, 2000; Management Information Systems

Lisa Paige Gullett, BS, Berry College, 2001; Secondary Education

Joel Scott Hebrink, BA, Saint Cloud State University, 1987; Political Science

Holly J. Heckman, BA, University of Akron, 2007; Counseling

Maegan Rae Heimes, Bachelor of Science in Education, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2004; Elementary Education

Jennifer Mariae Henningsen, BS, Creighton University, 1997; Elementary Education

Katherine Anne Holt, Bachelor of Science in Education, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2002; MS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2004; Educational Administration and Supervision

Eunah Hong, Bachelor of Economics, University of Seoul, 2004; MS, University of Seoul, 2006; Economics

Stephanie Hoyt, BA, Bellevue University, 2006; Counseling

Heather Elaine Hruby, BS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1990; Counseling

Heejung Im, Bachelor of Public Administration, Dongguk University, 2000; Management Information Systems

Rula G. Jabbour, BA, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2006; Political Science

Dennis A.E. James, BA, Indiana University, 1998; BA, Indiana University, 1999; MA, Florida Atlantic University, 2001; Urban Studies

Karli Jean Johnson, Bachelor of Science in Education, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2006; Educational Administration and Supervision

Shawna Lee Johnson, Bachelor of Science in Education, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2006; Speech-Language Pathology

Gayle Michelle Jones, BS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1998; MS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2001; Counseling

Migambi Felly Kalisa, Bachelor of Engineering, Kigali Institute of Science, Technology and Management, 2005; Computer Science

Prateek Kansal, Bachelor of Engineering, Bharati Vidyapeeth University, 2006; Economics

Laura Marie Keiser, Bachelor of Science in Education, University of South Dakota, 2001; MS, Wayne State College, 2006; Educational Administration and Supervision

David John Kocsis, BS, Bellevue University, 2006; Management Information Systems

Darin Daniel Kovar, BA, Midland Lutheran College, 1998; Educational Administration and Supervision

Daryl Bradford Kumm, BS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2001; Management Information Systems

Lindsay Ann Lampe, Bachelor of Science in Education, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2005; Special Education

Troy D. Langabee, BS, Peru State College, 2005; Special Education

David Lee Larson, BA, Concordia College, 1973; BSN, University of Minnesota, 1982; Master of Public Administration, Troy University, 1993; MBA, Wright State University, 1999; MS, Wright State University, 2002; Secondary Education

Jongho Lee, Bachelor of Economics, University of Seoul, 2004; MS, University of Seoul, 2006; Economics

Qian Li, Bachelor of Engineering, Wuhan University of Technology, 2005; Economics

Jason Christopher Likes, BS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2005; Counseling

Jeffrey Paul Manka, BS, Wayne State College, 2002; Educational Administration and Supervision

Brian C. Miller, BS, Iowa State University, 2006; Management Information Systems

Jill Renee Moore, Bachelor of Science in Education, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 1993; Elementary Education

Ryan Michael Moss, BS, University of Nebraska at Kearney, 2002; Counseling

Stacey S. Mueller, BS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1999; Counseling

Patrick James Nowak, BS, University of Iowa, 1992; MBA, Creighton University, 1995; Economics

Peter K. Okumah, BS, University of Nebraska at Kearney, 2001; BS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2005; Economics

Daniel J. O'Neill, Bachelor of General Studies, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2007; Counseling

Qinge Ouyang, BS, Nanjing Agricultural University, 2000; Management Information Systems

Jamie Marie Parker, Bachelor of Arts in Education, University of Nebraska at Kearney, 2003; Elementary Education

LaTrina Denise Parker, BS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2003; Secondary Education

Alexis Mary Peak, BA, Bellevue University, 2007; Counseling

Ferial Ghalib Pearson, BA, Gustavus Adolphus College, 2001; Secondary Education

Courtney Jean Pentland, Bachelor of Science in Education, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 2001; Secondary Education

Sarah Ruth Perrings, Bachelor of Science in Education, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2006; Health, Physical Education and Recreation, "Effect of Social Support Groups on Perceived Barriers to Physical Activity in Young Mothers Utilizing WIC Services;" Thesis Advisor: Dr. Jennifer Huberty

Chad Robert Price, Bachelor of Science in Education, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 2007; Educational Administration and Supervision

Timothy Sean Privitera, BS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2006; Counseling

Jing Qian, BS, Dong Hua University, 2004; Management Information Systems

Katrina Marie Reed, BS, Creighton University, 2007; Criminology and Criminal Justice

Brent A. Schultz, BS, Concordia University, 1985; Secondary Education

Martha Louise Schwindt, BS, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 1979; Secondary Education

Jeffrey A. Sheets, BS, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 2000; Computer Science

Ashley Kristin Sherlock, BA, Luther College, 2003; Special Education

Brinda Giriappa Shivaram, Bachelor of Engineering, Visveswaraiah Technological University, 2005; Management Information Systems

Manish Raja Shrestha, Bachelor of Engineering, Kathmandu University, 2005; Management Information Systems

Kyle Slusher, BA, Dana College, 1997; Secondary Education

Kody Russell Sommerer, BS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2006; Management Information Systems

Sarita Sunwar, Bachelor of Technology, Purbanchal University, 2005; Management Information Systems

Craig M. Taylor, Bachelor of Science in Education, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 1999; MS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2007; Educational Administration and Supervision

Nathan James Ter Beest, BA, Northwestern College, 2003; MS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2008; Educational Administration and Supervision

Michael L. Tonderum, BA, Iowa State University, 1991; MA, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 1996; Computer Science

Catherine Jane Wahl, BA, College of Saint Mary, 2004; Counseling

Po-Ling Wang, BS, Chung-Hua University, 2003; MBA, Mississippi College, 2007; Economics

Zachary John George Wavra, BS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2005; Computer Science, "Brute-Force Recovery of UNIX Passwords on Computer Graphics Hardware;" Thesis Advisor: Dr. Victor Winter

Audrey Marie Wheeler, BA, Buena Vista University, 2007; Counseling

Julie L. Whitten, BS, Wayne State College, 1983; Health, Physical Education and Recreation, "Does Increased Physical Activity Affect BMI and Psychosocial Constructs for Women who Participated in a Book Club Intervention;" Thesis Advisor: Dr. Jennifer Huberty

Jason R. Williams, Bachelor of Arts in Education, Wayne State College, 1997; Educational Administration and Supervision

Susanne Hoelsing Woods, Bachelor of Science in Education, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1990; Educational Administration and Supervision

Wen Zheng, BS, Dong Hua University, 2003; Computer Science, "L2C2: Logic-Based LSC Consistency Checking;" Thesis Advisor: Dr. Haifeng Guo

MASTER OF ACCOUNTING

Patrick Christopher Barackman, BS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2008; Accounting

Trisha Lynn Cameron, BA, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 2000; Accounting

Dilshodbek Karimovich Mavlanov, Bachelor of Economics, University of World Economics and Diplomacy, 2005; Accounting

Amy Lyn McGuire, BA, University of Iowa, 2001; Accounting

Erina Rajbhandari, BS, Bellevue University, 2007; Accounting

John L. Schlumberger, BS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2005; Accounting

MASTER OF ARCHITECTURAL ENGINEERING

David James Carey, BS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2008; Architectural Engineering from the University of Nebraska-Lincoln

Kevin Michael Huddleston, BS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2008; Architectural Engineering from the University of Nebraska-Lincoln

Jacob Ryan Skow, BS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2008; Architectural Engineering from the University of Nebraska-Lincoln

Robin Nicole Wees, BS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2008; Architectural Engineering from the University of Nebraska-Lincoln

MASTER OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

Stephanie Lynn Austin, BS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2006; Business Administration

Andrea Kay Bartholomew, BS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2006; Business Administration

Stefan Betz, BS, Technical University of Braunschweig, 2008; Business Administration

Andrew Jay Buker, BS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2007; Business Administration

Richard Castagna, BS, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 2003; Business Administration

Tori Lynnette Castagna, BS, University of Nebraska Medical Center, 2004; Business Administration

Matthew N. Daeges, BS, Creighton University, 2005; Business Administration

Nghia T. Do, BS, Michigan State University, 2005; Business Administration

Brian Daniel Donnelly, BA, University of Notre Dame, 2005; Business Administration, "The Department of Defense's Energy Posture for the 21st Century;" Thesis Advisor: Dr. Christopher Decker

Adam Christopher Dubuc, BS, Creighton University, 1999; Business Administration

Michelle Marie Erickson, BS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2006; Business Administration

Robert Michael Gullikson, BS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2005; Business Administration

Sheweta Gupta, BA, University of Delhi, 2000; Bachelor of Law, University of Delhi, 2003; Business Administration

Jean Hanson, BS, Creighton University, 1982; Business Administration

Gregory Matthew Hunter, BS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2007; Business Administration

Sara Lynell Johnson, BS, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 2004; Business Administration

Austin O. Jones, BS, Strayer College, 2007; Business Administration

Shawn T. Kenady, BS, University of Missouri, 2003; Business Administration

Kelley Lynn Larsen, BS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2007; Business Administration

Sarah M. Laubach, BS, Oklahoma State University, 2003; Business Administration

Johnathon J. Loeffler, BS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2006; Business Administration

Kulia Kini Matsuo, B A, University of Pennsylvania, 2004; Business Administration

Meagan Lynn Mouw, BS, University of Iowa, 1991; Business Administration

Dhana L. Mummalaneni, Bachelor of Engineering, Osmania University, 1996; Business Administration

Mladen Nikolic, BS, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 2005; Business Administration

Donald George Nosworthy, BS, Bellevue University, 2001; Business Administration

Brandon Joseph Petersen, BA, Hastings College, 2002; Business Administration

Jordan P. Platisha, BS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2008; Business Administration

Lawrence Joseph Roland, BA, Marquette University, 1997; Business Administration

Micah John Schmidt, BA, Northwestern College, 2004; Business Administration

Jeffrey William Steindl, BS, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 2004; Business Administration

Zachary Hascall Tupper, BS, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 2001; Business Administration

Collin James Uhrich, BS, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 2006; Business Administration

Zachary Roger Wendland, BS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2007; Business Administration

MASTER OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION:

EXECUTIVE MBA

John Stephen Adair, Bachelor of General Studies, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1999; Business Administration

Shannon Robert Eggert, Bachelor of Technology, Peru State College, 2006; Business Administration

Stephen Guy Frayser, BA, Colorado State University, 1975; Business Administration

Philip Arthur Higgins, BS, Bellevue University, 2003; Business Administration

Trevin M. Hogg, BA, Western State College, 2001; Business Administration

Barry Allen Hoover, BS, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 1984; MD, University of Nebraska Medical Center, 1988; Business Administration

Prakash Kukreja, Bachelor of Engineering, University of Mumbai, 1991; Business Administration

Samir Maniar, BA, Gujarat University, 1992, MS, University of South Carolina, 1999; Business Administration

James Patrick Mullen, BS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2001; Business Administration

Erin F. O'Donnell, BS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2001; MS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2005; Business Administration

Manishkumar Bhaskarbai Patel, Bachelor of Engineering, Karnatak University, 1995; Business Administration

Athena Katharina Ramos, Bachelor of Public Administration, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2002; MS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2004; Business Administration

Michael Allen Rice, BA, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2001; Business Administration

Sunil Prasad Singh, Bachelor of Engineering, Ranchi University, 1995; BS, Bellevue University, 2005; Business Administration

Michael Lynn Tuttle, BA, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1995; Business Administration

Chad M. Waldow, BS, Bellevue University, 2008; Business Administration

MASTER OF FINE ARTS

Denise Emanuel Clemen, BA, College of Saint Benedict, 1974; Writing

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Geunyoung Kim, BA

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Summa Cum Laude

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Lucas Monroe Seiler
Jingyuan Sun
Sarah Addie Vollmer

Magna Cum Laude

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Sara Lynn Cartwright
Angela Dawn Fisher
Akhroordzhon Kosimov
Cassandra Rae Pekny
Elizabeth A. Slater
Lauren Aleshia Stickman

Cum Laude

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Christopher Reed Howard
Codie Marie Leiker

Cum Laude

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Michaela Jo Martin

Bachelor of Science

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Meghan Ann Obermeyer

Magna Cum Laude

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Brach James Bloomquist
Christen Elizabeth Boeckel
James Michael Conradi
Dung Thanh Ngoc Huynh
Theresa Ann Kraus
Sara Nichole Lange
Diane Patrice Perry
Christopher Anthony Rabiola
Jared Daniel Rickert
Brooke Nichole Wagner

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Frank Joseph Hebert
Ryan James Jenkins
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Cum Laude

Honors Extra Muros

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COLLEGE OF EDUCATION

Bachelor of Science in Education

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Holly Jo Stumme
Maureen E. Zabawa

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Amy R. Salerno
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Theresa Frances Selk
Kimberly Ann Stroberg
Lindsey Leigh Sullivan
Lindsey Nichole Unick
Samantha Jo Zabawa

Cum Laude

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Chanel K. Colt
Rachel Mae Howe
Hillary Marie Loe
Erin Rae Peterson
Kara Michelle Ryks
Ashley M. Yates

UNL COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING

Bachelor of Science in Architectural Engineering

High Distinction

Jacob Vernon Goecke

Distinction

Andrew James Blaszk

Bachelor of Science in Construction Management

Highest Distinction

Dick Allen Streff

COLLEGE OF PUBLIC AFFAIRS AND COMMUNITY SERVICE

Bachelor of Science in Criminology & Criminal Justice

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Cum Laude

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Bachelor of General Studies

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Magna Cum Laude

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Magna Cum Laude

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Cum Laude

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Cum Laude

Honors Extra Muros

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Magna Cum Laude
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**COLLEGE OF
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**Bachelor of Science
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**Bachelor of Science
in Management
Information Systems**

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Seth Aaron Reyes
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Cum Laude
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**COLLEGE OF
COMMUNICATION,
FINE ARTS AND MEDIA**

**Bachelor of Arts
in Communication**

Cum Laude
Justin Douglas Cheney

Bachelor of Arts in Studio Art

Magna Cum Laude
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Meredith Valentine Lindhorst
Mary Kathleen Pflug
Kelsey N. Wallerstedt
Lisa Ann Wells

Cum Laude
Jeffrey J. DeJong

Bachelor of Fine Arts

Magna Cum Laude
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Cum Laude
Jaime Marie Heit

Bachelor of Music

Magna Cum Laude
Eugene Sedletsy

Cum Laude
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**Bachelor of Science
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Magna Cum Laude
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Sarah Elizabeth Gosch
Danielle Marie Schunk
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Cum Laude
Kristine Marie Hartman
Mikaela Ann Knipe
Chris David Marshall

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Major: Biology
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Major: Social Work
College of Public Affairs and Community Service

Frances E. Patterson
Major: Child, Youth and Family Studies-Family Science
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Richard Daniel Tanner
Lesley Marie Tourek
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Bachelor of Science

Theophilus Mih Akah
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UNL COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING

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Lucas Robert Weatherly

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**COLLEGE OF
PUBLIC AFFAIRS AND
COMMUNITY SERVICE**

**Bachelor of Science in
Criminology and
Criminal Justice**

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Erick Douglas Andersen
Maggie Anne Ballard
Emily Anne Beamis
Neal Andrew Bonacci
Derek Thomas Bral
Thomas David Byrne
Katie Lynn Callahan
Jillian Diane Gantt
Michael Andrew Hempel
Michelle Elizabeth Kilgallon
Stephanie Erin Lehman
Kelsey Leah Martz
Timothy Glenn Maxwell
Brianna Colleen McLaren
Adam Ray Palzkill
Sarah Mae Pelan
Elizabeth Ashley Prigmore
Joseph M. Sanchez III
Brock Colby Shacklett
Carianne Marie Talley
Brian Michael Tefft
Jessica Terese Turner
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Renee Nicole Murdock
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Casey James Sullivan

Bachelor of General Studies

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Lara L. Anderson
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Eliza Lynn Peoples
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Antonia Joan Pivovar
Kayla Suzanne Quandt
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**Bachelor of Science
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