# Dear Iowa State University Graduates and Guests:

Congratulations to all of the Fall 2014 graduates of Iowa State University!

We are very proud of you for the successful completion of your academic programs, and we are pleased to present you with a degree from Iowa State University recognizing this outstanding achievement. We also congratulate and thank everyone who has played a role in the graduates' successful journey through this university, and we are delighted that many of you are here for this ceremony to share in their recognition and celebration.

We have enjoyed having you as students at Iowa State, and we thank you for the many ways you have contributed to our university and community. I wish you the very best as you embark on the next part of your life, and I encourage you to continue your association with Iowa State as part of our worldwide alumni family.



Iowa State University is now in its 156th year as one of the nation's outstanding land-grant universities. We are very proud of the role this university has played in preparing the future leaders of our state, nation and world, and in meeting the needs of our society through excellence in education, research and outreach. As you graduate today, you are now a part of this great tradition, and we look forward to the many contributions you will make.

I hope you enjoy today's commencement ceremony. We wish you all continued success!

Sincerely,

Steven Leath

President of the University

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### THE OFFICIAL UNIVERSITY MACE

The Iowa State University mace symbolizes the authority of the university president. The lead faculty marshal carries it at the head of the academic procession and, by placing it on its stand, signals the beginning of the commencement ceremony.

In medieval times, the mace was a studded, clublike weapon, made of iron. It was capable of breaking armor, and was associated with the protection of kings in France and England.

In the 13th century, it was used for civil purposes and processions. Eventually it became a symbol for academic institutions, an emblem of order and authority in the pageantry.

Created in bronze, silver and tiger maple, the Iowa State University mace incorporates important campus icons such as the campanile located on central campus and the Fountain of Four Seasons, located on the north side of the Memorial Union and features likenesses of four Native American women. The sculptures were created in 1941 by Christian Petersen, sculptor-in-residence from 1934-1955.

The mace's bronze headpiece is an interpretation of the campanile. It includes a silver presidential seal and reflects in a disc representative of the Fountain of the Four Seasons. The words "Iowa State University – Science With Practice" are inscribed on the edge of the disc. Under the disc is a shortened version or reflection of the campanile headpiece.

The tiger maple staff bears 14 bronze plaques inscribed with the names of all previous Iowa State presidents, their years of service, and a laurel leaf symbolizing the attainment of graduation.

At the staff's base is an unfolding bronze leaf symbolizing the beginning of a new era for graduating students. The overall height of the University mace is 60 inches, and it weighs 14 pounds.

Sculptor Jeanne L. Stevens-Sollman of Bellefonte, Pennsylvania designed and crafted the Iowa State University mace.

Private funds from the ISU Alumni Association's Circle of Former Presidents, Chairs, and Executive Directors, the Stanton Carillon Foundation, and the University Museums made the design and purchase of the Iowa State University mace possible.

# THE PRESIDENTIAL CHAIN OF OFFICE

The presidential chain of office symbolizes the rich history and traditions of Iowa State University and is

worn by the president at all commencement ceremonies.



It was first worn by President Gregory Geoffroy during the Spring 2008 commencement ceremonies to mark the end of Iowa State University's year-long sesquicentennial celebration.

Created by sculptor Jeanne Stevens-Sollman–the same

artist who created Iowa State's mace-the presidential chain of office complements the mace. The two

pieces were commissioned by University Museums and the ISU Alumni Association and are part of University Museums' Art on Campus collection.

The front of the presidential chain of office features an image of the campanile, and Beardshear Hall's east portico (the campus home of the president) is on the back. The shoulder epaulets are the columns of Beardshear and contain the words Leadership and Service. The campanile links in the presidential chain of office contain the words Engagement, Learning, Discovery and Access. The reverse sides of the bronze sections have low bas reliefs of corn. Most pieces in the necklace are bronze. The seal in the center of the campanile and the links in the necklace are sterling silver.

Both the presidential chain of office and the mace are housed in the alumni center and are used at each commencement ceremony.

### ACADEMIC REGALIA

In May 2008, as part of its sesquicentennial celebration, Iowa State University debuted custom-designed doctorate regalia.

The special commencement doctorate gowns were created with emblems and colors to reflect Iowa State's tradition and to complement Iowa State's



hood. The fabric is cardinal red gabardine with black velvet panels and chevrons edged with gold cording. The Campanile, a beloved symbol and University tradition, adorns each of the two front velvet panels. An eight-sided black velvet tam with a gold silk tassel

completes the official regalia.

The ceremony as well as the academic costume at commencement symbolize the record of academic achievement of the various individuals taking part in commencement exercises. The use of academic costume reaches back to medieval times and the beginnings of the famed old universities of Europe and England. Gowns (long, full robes) and cloaks with hoods were common garb. The unheated buildings frequented by medieval scholars certainly were an important factor in the choice of clothing.

A confusing array of caps, gowns, and hoods emerged from the centuries in Great Britain and from early years of higher education in the United States. American institutions recognized the need for a standard code and the great majority of academic costumes now worn in the United States are in accordance with the general provisions of the Intercollegiate Code of 1895. This code was slightly revised in 1932 and again in 1959. Under this code, the bachelor's gown has pointed sleeves; the master's gown has oblong sleeves with an arc at the bottom; and the doctor's gown has bell-shaped sleeves.

The Code dictates that bachelor's and master's gowns are untrimmed. However, the doctor's gown is faced down the front with velvet and has three bars of velvet across the sleeves. The facing and bars may be black or may be a color pertaining to the discipline. The color of the commencement gown varies in other countries. In America, black is typically the color of choice for bachelor's and master's degrees.

The square shape of the scholar's cap or mortarboard is thought to denote the stability of scholars and their books as suggested in the old poem, "The Ballad of the Cap," first published in 1564. Candidates for advanced degrees wear black tassels. The following is a list of tassel colors for baccalaureate degree candidates:

Agriculture and Life Sciences – Maize
Business – Nugget
Design – Brown
Engineering – Orange
Human Sciences – Maroon
Liberal Arts and Sciences
Bachelor of Arts – White
Bachelor of Liberal Studies – White
Bachelor of Music – Pink
Bachelor of Science – Golden Yellow
Veterinary Medicine – Gray

The hood gives color to the academic costume while its length indicates the wearer's academic degree. At Iowa State, hoods are worn by doctorate degree recipients. Exceptions are made for honorary degree recipients and other officials of the ceremony. In general, hoods are made of a wide panel of black

cloth, matching the gown and are lined with satin in the official academic colors of the institution awarding the degree.

Iowa State University's colors are cardinal and gold, therefore the top half of the lining is gold and the lower part is cardinal. The colors used in the edging of hoods and tassels are associated with the discipline. For example, dark blue represents Philosophy and all hoods used in conferring the Doctor



of Philosophy degree at Iowa State University are of dark blue edging.

# HOODING CEREMONY, DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY

The Doctor of Philosophy is the university's highest academic degree, awarded only to those who have successfully completed an intensive and demanding course of study whose primary focus is on learning to conduct original research.

The final stage of the program is the preparation and defense of a dissertation that describes the outcome of a major research project. To prepare for that project, the student must have gained expertise and skills in a particular discipline and must have thoroughly explored its existing knowledge base.

Those who receive doctorates have demonstrated that they are truly experts in their fields whose

research has already contributed significantly to human knowledge.

The hooding ceremony symbolizes their admission to the exclusive ranks of those who have earned the respect associated with the title "Doctor of Philosophy."

During the hooding ceremony, the degree recipients are escorted and hooded by their major professors who have worked with them throughout their study for the doctoral degree. The hoods will connect the graduate with a family of scholars throughout history and from all parts of the world.

# ACADEMIC TITLES

The following provides a brief description for the academic titles that appear in this program followed by a list of symbols for each title. Where appropriate, a symbol will be displayed behind the person's name.

Distinguished Professor denotes those faculty members who have been recognized for having attained outstanding national and international reputations within their professional disciplines.

University Professor denotes those faculty members who have been recognized for having made outstanding contributions to the quality of education at Iowa State University.

An endowed chair or professorship provides special recognition to the faculty member to whom the title is awarded. It is held for a specific term, and during that time, endowment earnings are used by the university to supplement departmental support of the faculty member's scholarship and responsibilities in teaching, research, outreach, and service. These chairholders specialize in areas of study identified by the donors who created the endowments.

- † Distinguished Professor
- ‡‡ University Professor
- ♦ Endowed Chair
- ♦♦ Endowed Professorship

# SPECIAL RECOGNITION, ADVANCED DEGREES

Candidates for graduation for the Master's or Ph.D. may be recognized with the Teaching Excellence Award or the Research Excellence Award.

The Teaching Excellence Award recognizes those who provided outstanding contributions in teaching undergraduate students while working toward a graduate degree.

The Research Excellence Award recognizes those with outstanding research accomplishments in a graduate program.

Honorees for both awards wear cardinal and gold honor cords and are noted in this program as follows:

- § Research Excellence Award
- †† Teaching Excellence Award

# SPECIAL RECOGNITION, UNDERGRADUATE DEGREES

Candidates for undergraduate degrees may be recognized for graduating "With Distinction" and/or graduating in the Honors Program. Levels of special academic achievement are indicated in the commencement program by Latin phrases, also known as Latin honors. This system is recognized internationally, however the requirements vary among institutions. In the United States, Latin honors are most often awarded to those earning undergraduate degrees. Each academic institution sets its own standards and requirements for each honor.

At Iowa State University, candidates for graduation with distinction must have completed 60 semester credits of coursework at ISU at the time they graduate, including a minimum of 50 graded credits. Those graduating summa cum laude (with highest distinction) have earned a grade point average of 3.90 or higher; magna cum laude (with great distinction) have a grade point average of 3.70 to 3.89; or cum laude (with distinction) have a grade point averages are based on a 4.0 scale. In addition to the notation in the commencement program, this recognition appears on the official transcript and diploma.

The University Honors Program is an individually planned program of study designed to provide greater depth and breadth of scholarship than the regular curriculum. Those graduating from the University Honors Program have designed and completed an individualized program of study, including an independent Honors Research Project, while earning a required minimum grade point average or better.

Students graduating with special recognition will wear a cord and/or medallion and be noted in this program as follows:

- \* \* \* Summa Cum Laude with highest distinction (cardinal and gold cord)
  - \* \* Magna Cum Laude with great distinction (gold cord)
  - \* Cum Laude with distinction (cardinal cord)
  - † Honors Program (medallion)

# Additional Recognition, Undergraduate Degrees

The George Washington Carver Scholarship and Academy is designed for high achieving multicultural students and supports their growth and academic success through specialized curricula and programming. The George Washington Carver Outstanding Achievement Award is granted to those scholars who have demonstrated involvement in a combination of activities such as outstanding community service and successful internships and who are graduating with a 3.5 grade point average or better. These scholars are wearing green stoles.

Iowa State University's Cardinal Key Honor Society, formed in 1926, recognizes students who have achieved the cardinal virtues of leadership, service, scholarship, and character in the university community. Undergraduates must be of junior or senior standing, have earned a minimum cumulative grade point average of 3.0 and be in the top 15% of their academic class. Membership is limited to no more than ½ of 1% of the senior class, and 1/3 of 1% of the junior class. These students are wearing two red cords intertwined with a single gold cord.

### IOWA STATE UNIVERSITY TRADITIONS

The first swans on Lake LaVerne, Lancelot and Elaine, were a gift from the 1935 VEISHEA Central Committee. From that day on, there has been a pair of swans on Lake LaVerne.

When Iowa State's young football team beat Northwestern University 36 to 0 in 1895, an article in the Chicago Tribune said, "Northwestern might as well have tried to play football with an Iowa cyclone as with the Iowa team it met yesterday." Thus, the "Cyclones" were born. Cy the Cardinal became Iowa State's mascot in 1954.

It is said if you step on the bronze zodiac relief on the floor of the Memorial Union's Gold Star Hall, you will flunk your next test.

In 2003, Iowa State revived a 60-year-old tradition: the Official ISU Ring. Students and alumni worked with the ISU Alumni Association and University Book Store to design a ring that symbolically captures the uniqueness of Iowa State. Rings may only be worn by alumni or by students who have achieved junior or senior status. Rings are officially presented at an annual ring ceremony.

The tradition of "campaniling" states that a student officially becomes an Iowa Stater when he or she is kissed under the university's campanile at the stroke of midnight.

The Fountain of the Four Seasons by artist-in-residence, Christian Petersen (Danish-American, 1885-1961), is located in front of the Memorial Union and was a gift from the 1937 VEISHEA Committee. In 1942, Christian Petersen added four sculptures to represent the four seasons. The east sculpture represents spring with the planting of corn; south - summer, sheltering a young plant; west - fall, holding the harvest; and north - winter, nursing a child. Legend has it that good luck will come to you if you throw a coin in the fountain.



### Commencement Program

### 1:30 p.m., Saturday, December 20, 2014, James H. Hilton Coliseum

PRESIDENT STEVEN LEATH, B.S., M.S., Ph.D., PRESIDING

Processional Pomp and Circumstance Edward Elgar The Star-Spangled Banner.....Francis Scott Key arr. Michael Golemo Simon Estes, Vocalist Conferring of the Honorary Degree, Doctor of Humane Letters President Leath Recipient Ambassador Stephen J. Rapp **Commencement Address** Stephen J. Rapp Ambassador-at-Large for War Crimes Issues Interlude arr. Michael Golemo Simon Estes, Vocalist Cyclone Fantasia ..... Michael Golemo Provost Wickert **Student Recognitions** Graduate students receiving Research and Teaching Excellence Awards Undergraduate students with Special Recognition Conferring of the Doctor of Philosophy Degree President Leath Candidates from the Graduate College presented by David K. Holger, Associate Provost for Academic Programs and Dean of the Graduate College Conferring of the Master's Degree President Leath Candidates from the Graduate College presented by David K. Holger, Associate Provost for Academic Programs and Dean of the Graduate College Conferring of the Bachelor's Degree President Leath Candidates for the Bachelor's Degree presented by Jonathan A. Wickert, Provost College of Agriculture and Life Sciences candidates recognized by Dean Wendy Wintersteen College of Business candidates recognized by Dean David P. Spalding College of Design candidates recognized by Dean Luis Rico-Gutierrez College of Engineering candidates recognized by Dean Sarah Rajala College of Human Sciences candidates recognized by Dean Pamela J. White College of Liberal Arts and Sciences candidates recognized by Dean Beate Schmittmann The Class of 2014 and the Alumni Association Jeffery W. Johnson President Iowa State University Alumni Association Remarks President Leath Refer to the back cover for the lyrics and story of *The Bells of Iowa State*. arr. Michael Golemo Sydney McCoy, Vocalist Recessional 

The color guard for commencement exercises is composed of representatives from the Naval Reserve Officer Training Corps Color Guard.

# COMMENCEMENT CEREMONY

### **Platform Officials**

Steven Leath, President of the University

Stephen J. Rapp, Ambassador-at-Large for War Crimes Issues, Honorary Degree Recipient and Commencement Speaker

Jonathan A. Wickert, Senior Vice President and Provost Thomas L. Hill, Senior Vice President for Student Affairs

Cathann A. Kress, Vice President for Extension and Outreach

Sarah Nusser, Vice President for Research Michael R. Crum, Vice President for Economic Development and Business Engagement

Dawn Bratsch-Prince, Associate Provost for Faculty Martino Harmon, Associate Vice President for Student

Pamela Anthony, Dean of Students

Simon Estes, F. Wendell Miller Distinguished Artist in Residence and Commencement Vocalist

Jeffery W. Johnson, President and CEO of the Iowa State University Alumni Association

Kevin Schalinske, Professor of Food Science and Human Nutrition and President of the Faculty Senate

Laura J. Doering, University Registrar

David K. Holger, Associate Provost for Academic Programs and Dean of the Graduate College

Wendy Wintersteen, Endowed Dean of the College of Agriculture and Life Sciences; Professor of Entomology; and Director of the Iowa Agricultural and Home Economics Experiment Station

Pamela J. White, Dean of the College of Human Sciences; and University Professor of Food Science and Human Nutrition

Luis Rico-Gutierrez, Dean of the College of Design; and Professor of Architecture

Beate Schmittmann, Dean of the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences; and Professor of Physics and Astronomy

Sarah Rajala, Dean of the College of Engineering; and James and Katherine Melsa Professor of Engineering

David P. Spalding, David and Ellen Raisbeck Endowed Dean of the College of Business; and Professor of Finance

Lisa K. Nolan, Stephen G. Juelsaard Dean of the College of Veterinary Medicine; and Professor of Veterinary Microbiology and Preventive Medicine

Joyce C. Garnett, Interim Dean of the Library

#### **Faculty Representatives and Presenting Professors**

Dean C. Adams, Ecology, Evolution and Organismal Biology

Susan A. Arendt, Apparel, Events, and Hospitality Management

Thomas A. Bobik, Biochemistry, Biophysics, and Molecular Biology

Kaitlin M. Bratlie, Materials Science and Engineering

Robert C. Brown, Mechanical Engineering ‡ \$

Eric R. Burrough, Veterinary Diagnostic and ♦♦ Production Animal Medicine

Susan L. Carpenter, Animal Science

Sumit Chaudhary, Electrical and Computer Engineering

Ana-Paula Correia, School of Education

Brent J. Danielson, Ecology, Evolution and Organismal Biology

Jared A. Danielson, Veterinary Pathology

Kevin L. de Laplante, Philosophy and Religious Studies

Jack C. M. Dekkers, Animal Science ‡

Larry H. Ebbers, School of Education ‡‡

Kay S. Faaberg, Veterinary Microbiology and Preventive Medicine

Shuizhang Fei, Horticulture

Yuji Furukawa, Physics and Astronomy Joseph N. Gray, Mechanical Engineering

Karl A. Gschneidner, Materials Science and Engineering ‡

Yong Guan, Electrical and Computer Engineering

Stephanie L. Hansen, Animal Science

Cynthia L. Haynes, Horticulture

Kirsten S. Hofmockel, Ecology, Evolution, and Organismal Biology

Thomas Holme, Chemistry

Brian K. Hornbuckle, Agronomy

David C. Jiles, Electrical and Computer Engineering ‡ ♦

Kristen M. Johansen, Biochemistry, Biophysics, and Molecular Biology

Aileen F. Keating, Animal Science

Darin M. Madson, Veterinary Diagnostic and Production Animal Medicine

James D. McCalley, Electrical and Computer Engineering ♦♦

Terrence R. Meyer, Mechanical Engineering Steven K. Mickelson, Agricultural and Biosystems Engineering ♦◆

### **Faculty Representatives and Presenting Professors (continued)**

Cathy L. Miller, Veterinary Microbiology and Preventive Medicine

Sree Nilakanta, Supply Chain and Information Systems Marit Nilsen-Hamilton, Biochemistry, Biophysics, and Molecular Biology

Thomas A. Peterson, Genetics, Development and Cell Biology ♦

Jill D. Pruetz, Anthropology ♦♦

Sridhar N. Ramaswami, Marketing

Manju B. Reddy, Food Science and Human Nutrition Peter J. Reilly, Chemical and Biological Engineering DP

Steve R. Rodermel, Genetics, Development and Cell Biology ‡

Patrick S. Schnable, Agronomy ‡ ❖

Ian C. Schneider, Chemical and Biological Engineering

Jeanne M. Serb, Ecology, Evolution and Organismal Biology

Brent H. Shanks, Chemical and Biological Engineering ♦♦

Mack C. Shelley II, Statistics

Tammy Slater, English

Arun K. Somani, Electrical and Computer

Engineering ‡ ♦♦

Sri Sritharan, Civil, Construction and Environmental Engineering ♦♦

Soko S. Starobin, School of Education

Patricia A. Thiel, Chemistry ❖

Alex Travesset, Physics and Astronomy

Judy M. Vance, Mechanical Engineering ♦◆

Stephen B. Vardeman, Statistics ‡‡

Richard D. Warren, School of Education

Robert J. Weber, Electrical and Computer Engineering

Jonathan F. Wendel, Ecology, Evolution and Organismal Biology ‡

R. Christopher Williams, Civil, Construction, and Environmental Engineering ♦♦

Theresa L. Windus, Chemistry

Eliot H. Winer, Mechanical Engineering

Arthur H. Winter, Chemistry

Hongwei Xin, Agricultural and Biosystems Engineering ‡ ♦♦

Cindy L. Yu, Statistics

Edward W. Yu, Chemistry ♦♦

Olga A. Zabotina, Biochemistry, Biophysics, and

Molecular Biology Yan Zhao, Chemistry

### **Faculty Marshals**

Larry H. Ebbers, University Professor of School of Education, College of Human Sciences (Chief Marshal)

C. Lee Burras, Professor of Agronomy, College of Agriculture and Life Sciences

John Cunnally, Associate Professor of Integrated Studio Arts, College of Design

Frederick H. Dark, Associate Professor and Chair of Finance, College of Business

Veronica J. Dark, Professor of Psychology, College of Liberal Arts and Sciences

Tim R. Derrick, Professor of Kinesiology, College of Human Sciences

Richard E. Horton, Emeritus Professor of Electrical and Computer Engineering, College of Engineering Charles T. Jahren, W. A. Klinger Teaching Professor of Civil, Construction, and Environmental Engineering, College of Engineering

Kenneth C. Kruempel, Emeritus Associate Professor of Electrical and Computer Engineering, College of Engineering

Michael Martin, Associate Professor of Landscape Architecture, College of Design

Robert S. Wallace, Associate Professor of Ecology, Evolution, and Organismal Biology, College of Liberal Arts and Sciences

### **Student Marshals and Faculty Escorts**

### **Presentation of College Banner**

Gang Xu, Graduate College
Escorted by Yong Guan, Associate
Professor of Electrical and Computer Engineering

Katelyn Marie Carver, College of Agriculture and Life Sciences Escorted by Mary Wiedenhoeft, Professor of Agronomy

Gregory James Hunt, College of Business Escorted by Mark L. Power, University Professor of Finance

Adam Curtis Carlson, College of Design Escorted by Seda Yilmaz, Assistant Professor of Industrial Design Tori Elizabeth Sorensen, College of Engineering Escorted by James D. McCalley, Professor of Electrical and Computer Engineering

Jessica Danielle Reyes, College of Human Sciences Escorted by Carol Jane Cordell, Academic Adviser in Kinesiology

Drew Delp, College of Liberal Arts and Sciences Escorted by Robert S. Wallace, Associate Professor of Ecology, Evolution and Organismal Biology

### **Announcer and Reader of Names**

Hollis Monroe

Steven K. Mickelson ♦♦

#### **Musicians**

Conductor

Michael Golemo, Director of Bands

#### Vocalist

Simon Estes, F. Wendell Miller Distinguished Artist in Residence

Vocalist
Sydney McCoy \*

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Damien Emilien
Spencer Larson
Sara McEntee
Kara Bader
Alex Giokas
Haley Junkman
Dennis Van Woert \*
Shelbi Weeks

Trumpet
Damien Emilien
Spencer Larson
Sara McEntee
Brandon Ritchie
Lucas Yoachum

en Emilien Kristen Ahlers
cer Larson Tess Fewell
McEntee Rachel Humeston
lon Ritchie Sam Johnson
r Vittitoe

Euphonium Alexa Berkenpas Travis Ford **Tuba**Corey Hatfield
Jeremy Lockwood
Allen Tierney

Percussion Andrew Burton \* Ryan Pearson

<sup>\*</sup> Graduating Student

# **COMMENCEMENT SPEAKER**

### AND

# HONORARY DEGREE RECIPIENT, DOCTOR OF HUMANE LETTERS Stephen J. Rapp

Stephen J. Rapp is the United States ambassadorat-large for war crimes issues in the Office of



Global Criminal Justice. Appointed by President Obama in September 2009, Ambassador Rapp advises the secretary of state and the under secretary of state for civilian security, democracy, and human rights and works to formulate U.S. policy on prevention, response, and accountability for mass atrocities.

Before this appointment, Mr. Rapp served as chief prosecutor of the Special Court for Sierra Leone, leading the prosecutions of former Liberian President Charles Taylor and others accused of violating international criminal law during the Sierra Leone Civil War. His office achieved the first convictions in history for sexual slavery and forced marriage as crimes against humanity, and for attacks on peacekeepers and the recruitment and use of child soldiers as violations of international humanitarian law.

In 2001, Mr. Rapp led the prosecution of the "media trial" following the 1994 Rwandan genocide. He brought to justice media executives who helped incite Rwanda's extremist militia as well as broadcast the whereabouts of Tutsi sympathizers, which contributed to the slaughter of more than 800,000 civilians.

Prior to his roles as senior trial attorney and chief of prosecutions at the International Criminal Tribunal for Rwanda (ICTR), Mr. Rapp was appointed U.S. attorney in the Northern District of Iowa. During his tenure from 1993–2001, his office won historic convictions under the firearms provision of the Violence Against Women Act and the serious violent offender provision of the Violent Crime Control and Law Enforcement Act of 1994.

Mr. Rapp is a native of Cedar Falls. He earned a B.A. degree with honors in government and international relations from Harvard College. He also attended Columbia Law School and received his J.D. degree with honors from Drake University Law School.

In addition to his work as a renowned prosecutor, he has served as staff director of the U.S. Senate Judiciary Subcommittee on Juvenile Delinquency and was a member of the Iowa House of Representatives.

### Undergraduate Commencement Vocalist

AND

# F. Wendell Miller Distinguished Artist in Residence

#### **Simon Estes**

Simon Estes is an internationally acclaimed bass-baritone who has performed in the world's major opera houses and in special



performances for U.S. presidents and international dignitaries such as Boris Yeltsin, Yassar Arafat, Yitzhak Rabin, Nelson Mandela, and Archbishop Desmond Tutu. Since 2000, he has been a faculty member at Iowa State University, serving as the F. Wendell Miller Distinguished Artist-

in-Residence with the Department of Music and Theatre, sharing his incredible talents and musical knowledge with students and at numerous activities and events.

Estes rose from humble beginnings in Centerville, Iowa, the son of a coal miner and grandson of a slave, to become one of the world's most accomplished opera singers, paving the way for other African Americans in the classical world. He transferred from Centerville Junior College to the University of Iowa in 1957 and was there until he was accepted in the Juilliard School of Music in 1963. Estes has honorary doctorates from numerous colleges and universities, including one from Iowa State University.

In 1965 Estes made his operatic debut in Aida at the Deutsche Opera in Berlin. Among his more than 100 lead operatic roles have been the title role in The Flying Dutchman at Bayreuth, being the first male African American to sing a major role on stage there; the role of Porgy in the Metropolitan Opera's first production of Gershwin's Porgy and Bess; and the role of Amonasro in Aida with Leontyne Price as Aida in her "farewell performance" at the Met.

Estes is also internationally known for his humanitarian efforts for children. He established the Simon Estes Educational Foundation, which has awarded more than three million dollars in merit-based college scholarships, and the Simon Estes International Foundation for Children, which provides support for children's health and educational needs. In 2006, he led a group of six Iowa State music faculty members to South Africa to bring music instruction to the students of the Estes school in the Cape Town area. He has performed numerous benefit concerts to help combat HIV/AIDS and eliminate malaria in Africa.

Estes has taught at the Juilliard School of Music, Harvard University, Boston University, and currently is a professor at Iowa State University and at Wartburg College. Among his many awards are the Distinguished Iowa Citizen Award, the Iowan Award, and the prestigious Alumni Award of Iowa State University.

### CANDIDATES FOR DEGREES From the Graduate College

# DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY

**Justin Russell Adams** Omaha, Neb. B.S. University of Nebraska at Lincoln Department: Chemical and Biological

Engineering

Major: Chemical Engineering

Dissertation: Novel cationic pentablock copolymers as a nanovaccine delivery platform

Dana Akilbekova Astana, Kazakhstan Bach. Al-Farabi Kazakh National University

M.S. Rice University

Department: Materials Science and

Engineering

Major: Materials Science and Engineering Dissertation: Instructive biomaterials for controlling cellular response and second harmonic generation imaging for quantitative characterization of collagen

**‡**‡ Stacey Marie Althaus West Bend, Wis.

> B.S. Winona State University Department: Chemistry

Major: Physical Chemistry (Chemical

Instrumentation)

Dissertation: Application of solid state NMR for the study of surface bound species and fossil fuels

\*\* David Victor Appy

Rancho Palos Verdes, Calif. B.S. University of California-Los Angeles

J.D Pepperdine University at Malibu

Department: Chemistry Major: Analytical Chemistry

Dissertation: Nucleation and growth of

metals on carbon surfaces

§ Seth Mensah Armah Accra, Ghana

B.S. University of Ghana

Department: Food Science and Human

Nutrition

Major: Nutritional Sciences (Human

Nutrition)

Dissertation: Models to assess food iron

bioavailability

Kapil Arora Ames, Iowa

B. Tech. Punjab Agricultural University

M.S. Iowa State University

Department: Agricultural and Biosystems

Engineering

Major: Agricultural Engineering (Soil and

Water Resources)

Dissertation: Pesticide retention by buffer strips receiving simulated runoff containing different sized sediment

Paulo Henrique E. Arruda Ames, Iowa

Titulo. Ponticia Catholic University

M.S. Iowa State University

Department: Veterinary Pathology

Major: Veterinary Pathology

Dissertation: Clostridium difficile infection in neonatal piglets: Pathogenesis, risk

factors, and prevention

Elizabeth Marie Bach Richmond, Ind.

B.A. Cornell College

M.S. Southern Illinois University-

Carbondale

Department: Ecology, Evolution and

Organismal Biology

Major: Ecology and Evolutionary Biology

Dissertation: Soil aggregate distribution and turnover affects soil microbial ecology and ecosystem processes in three

bioenergy systems

‡‡ Achala Bhuwalka Mumbai, India

B.S. University of Mumbai

M.S. University of Mumbai

Department: Chemistry

Major: Organic Chemistry

Dissertation: Design and synthesis of novel heterocycles for organic semiconducting

materials

Jani Reddy Bolla Hyderabad, India

B.S. Osmania University

M.S. Pondicherry University

Department: Chemistry

Major: Chemistry

Dissertation: Bacterial multidrug efflux

pumps: Structure, function and

regulation

Karl Monroe Broer Iowa Falls, Iowa
B.S. Iowa State University
Department: Mechanical Engineering
Majors: Mechanical Engineering and
Biorenewable Resources and Technology
Dissertation: Partitioning of fuel bound
nitrogen in biomass gasification

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Dissertation: Path to power: A narrative inquiry of the life journeys of ELCA college presidents at selected institutions

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Dissertation: Promiscuous electrons:
Probing organic switch-on paramagnetism and predicting photoheterolysis through conical intersection searches

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Engineering
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Dissertation: The role of stress in selfordered porous anodic oxide formation

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Dissertation: Development and evaluation
of asphalt technologies utilizing
renewable resources and innovative
pavement systems

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Dissertation: A local structure graph model for network analysis

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Dissertation: Inherent acoustic nonlinearity
in fiber reinforced composites

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Dissertation: Failure diagnosis and
prognosis in stochastic discrete-event and
cyber-physical systems

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organic photovoltaic devices using
microlens arrays: Theoretical and
experimental investigation

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Dissertation: New insights into the functional organization of xyloglucan biosynthetic enzymes and their catalytic mechanism

Travis Edward Breuer Cox Fairfield, Iowa B.A. Central College M.A. California Institute of Integral Studies Major: Sustainable Agriculture Dissertation: Taking seriously the mindset of the farmer, the interiority of the beings on the farm, and a metaphysics that connects them

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Dissertation: Metabolism and localization of
polyketides in the genus Hypericum

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Dissertation: Analysis and development of transcranial magnetic stimulation devices

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Dissertation: Computational study of boron binding environments and their role in

some biological systems

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Major: Ecology and Evolutionary Biology Dissertation: Utilizing novel grasslands for the conservation and restoration of butterflies and other pollinators in agricultural ecosystems

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Dissertation: Fumonisin B1 toxicity in swine: A comparative analysis of genetically engineered Bt corn and non-Bt corn by using quantitative dietary exposure assessment modeling and ecotoxicological investigations on earthworms

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Dissertation: Values-based supply chains: Local and regional food systems in the Upper Midwest United States Andrew Fasbender Saint Charles, Ill.

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Dissertation: Phylogeny and diversity of the Phantom Crane Flies (Diptera: Ptychopteridae)

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Dissertation: Mixed effects modeling with missing data using quantile regression and joint modeling

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Dissertation: Stopping out: Experiences of
African American females at a Midwestern
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Dissertation: Cellular and molecular mechanisms of chemical-induced ovarian toxicity

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Dissertation: TALE activation and functional

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Dissertation: Trace mineral supplementation in feedlot cattle: Implications for the inflammatory response, growth, and carcass characteristics

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Dissertation: Genetic analysis of the IBM2Svn10-DH maize population for response to low and high nitrogen input

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Dissertation: Thioglycoside activation using

bismuth(V) chemistry

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Dissertation: Exploring the quality, usability, and use of learning objects in introductory statistics classrooms

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Dissertation: Synthesis of biologically active polycyclic natural products and multifunctional imaging probes

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Dissertation: Displacement-based grasping

of deformable objects

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Dissertation: Molecular effects of Mammalian Orthoreovirus (MRV) infection on hypoxic prostate tumor cells § Amanda Michelle Haage Kalona, Iowa

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Dissertation: Microenvironment regulation of matrix metalloproteinase activity in

pancreatic cancer cells

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Major: Mechanical Engineering Dissertation: X-ray radiography and

fluorescence for liquid distribution and mixing measurements in impinging jet

sprays

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Dissertation: Genomic studies of abiotic

stresses in grasses

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Dissertation: Tuning of 4f- and Fe-based correlated electron systems by magnetic

field and chemical substitution

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Dissertation: Uncertainty quantification tools for multiphase gas-solid flow

simulations using MFIX

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Dissertation: The metallic thread in a

patchwork thesis

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Dissertation: Solid state NMR of carbon and catalyst materials with applications for biorenewable chemicals

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healthful menu item selection behaviors
at casual dining restaurants

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transitions in RAS proteins using all-atom

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Dissertation: Identification and
characterization of a novel structural
protein of porcine reproductive and
respiratory syndrome virus, the replicase

and coarse-grained molecular dynamics

nonstructural protein 2

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Instructor and student perspectives in a
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Dissertation: Evaluating a cognitive tool
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decision making approach as a theoretical
framework and using unobtrusive,
behavior-based measures for analysis

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Dissertation: Contributions to the design and analysis of nondestructive evaluation experiments

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Dissertation: A model for measuring student
persistence through collaborative learning

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Dissertation: Platform approach to
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coumalate to functionalized aromatics via
a Diels-Alder strategy

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Dissertation: Threshold dynamics in
hyperbolic partial differential equations

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spectrum allocation and fault tolerance

planning in broadband wireless networks

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on wind turbine aeromechanics and
wake interferences among multiple wind
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for virtual reality

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Dissertation: A novel approach to central-jet
forward-hadron correlations in protonproton collisions at 200 GeV at the
PHENIX experiment

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material and chemical technologies as

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cracking for Oregon Roadways

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imaging of Pol II promoter activity

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ethnographic study of transnational
Latina mothers and the practice of
resilience

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Dissertation: Trustee perceptions of effective
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systems frustrated by competing exchange
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Dissertation: The impact of *Ac/Ds* alternative transposition on the maize genome

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hampsonii strain EB107 and comparison
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# MASTER OF FINE ARTS

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Major: Interior Design Thesis: Safety issues of children age 3-5 years in school classrooms

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Thesis: A proposed model for designing children's health-focused serious games

Meghana Veeramachaneni Hyderabad, India B.Arch. Jawaharlal Nehru Technological University Department: Interior Design Major: Interior Design Thesis: Wayfinding for the blind in a retail setting

††8 Ryan Graham Williams Sioux City, Iowa B.F.A. Iowa State University Department: Graphic Design Major: Graphic Design Thesis: User experience: A review of methodology and the creation of an evaluation instrument

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Engineering

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Engineering and Biorenewable Resources

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B.S. Iowa State University Department: Animal Science

Major: Meat Science

Thesis: Dissolved carbon dioxide and oxygen concentrations in meat purge and relationship to microbial populations and

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Engineering and Management)

Thesis: Conceptual level life-cycle cost

analysis algorithm for low volume bridges

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Major: Crop Production and Physiology

(Weed Science)

Thesis: Interactions between cover

crops and weed management in Iowa's

conventional cropping systems

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B.S. Iowa State University

Department: Psychology

Major: Psychology

Thesis: Effects of expectancy and agency on

the feedback-related negativity

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Bach. Sharif University of Technology

Department: Mechanical Engineering

Major: Mechanical Engineering

Thesis: Numerical simulation of biomass

fast pyrolysis in fluidized bed and auger

reactors

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Engineering and Biorenewable Resources
and Technology
Thesis: Pesticide free methods of maize
weevil control in stored maize for

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Environmental Engineering
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Engineering)
Thesis: Seismic behavior of hollow concrete
columns

developing countries

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Thesis: Effects of typographic variables on attitude measures in reading bilingual brands

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Sciences
Major: Meteorology
Thesis: An investigation of summer season
cold fronts unassociated with an outflow

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Planning
Major: Sustainable Agriculture
Thesis: Salvaging salmon: Shasta Dam and
the conservation movement

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B.S. American University in Dubai
Department: Civil, Construction and
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Major: Civil Engineering (Transportation
Engineering)
Thesis: Evaluation of systemic safety
methodologies on low-volume rural
paved roadways

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Major: Plant Breeding
Thesis: Adaptability potential of corn for groundcover cropping systems

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Major: Sustainable Agriculture
Thesis: Small-town sustainability: A case
study

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Department: Agronomy
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Nandith George Chandy Bangalore, India B.E. Visveswaraiah Technological University Department: Mechanical Engineering Major: Mechanical Engineering Thesis: Time-resolved investigation of fast pyrolysis using FTIR spectroscopy

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Planning
Major: Sustainable Agriculture
Thesis: "Keep it rural" The politics of
planning for smart growth in South
Fulton County, Georgia

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boundary

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Department: Industrial and Manufacturing Systems

Major: Human Computer Interaction Thesis: Investigation of visually induced motion sickness: A comparison of mitigation techniques in real and virtual environments

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Department: Agronomy

Majors: Soil Science (Soil Morphology and Genesis) and Environmental Science Thesis: A carbon assessment of Iowa State University's land

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Department: Mechanical Engineering Major: Human Computer Interaction Thesis: Towards a characterization of information automation systems on the flight deck

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B.S. Iowa State University
Department: Animal Science
Major: Animal Science
Thesis: Nutrient utilization, pork quality,
and lysine requirement of immunological

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Department: Interdisciplinary Graduate
Studies
Major: Interdisciplinary Graduate Studies

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Major: Interdisciplinary Graduate Studies (Community Development)

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Systems
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Thesis: Understanding home language use in Chinese families who are living in the United States

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Department: Biomedical Sciences
Major: Biomedical Sciences (Anatomy)
Thesis: Anatomical characterization of the
porcine hoof capsule

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Department: Animal Science
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Thesis: Effects of two feed additives on performance, energy digestibility, and body composition of first-cycle laying hens fed two concentrations of dietary energy

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Management
Majors: Sustainable Agriculture and
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Thesis: A mixed-methods approach to
understanding farmer and rancher
interest in supplying woody biomass in

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the U.S. Northern Great Plains

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Thesis: The role of the Immunoglobulin
G1 Fc N-glycan in FcγRIIIa affinity

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Thesis: Local news counts: A focus upon local news and its effects on community attachment

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Thesis: Human trafficking: As viewed through the eyes of criminal justice

students

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Thesis: Virtual field trips as an educational and motivational strategy to teach Iowa history

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Thesis: Understanding our extended families: Predictors and outcomes

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Thesis: Investigation of negative moment reinforcing steel in pre-cast pre-stressed concrete beam bridge decks

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Thesis: Intergenerational continuity in economic hardship, parental positivity and positive parenting: The impact on child behavior

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Thesis: Health and behavioral findings with

a Worksite Wellness Program

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Thesis: Dynamic decay of motion of rocking concrete members

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Thesis: Bio-based soft elastomeric capacitor for structural health monitoring applications

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Thesis: Anorexia prevention messages: Effects on psychological reactance among female college students

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Thesis: Propulsion integration of hypersonic air-breathing vehicles utilizing a topdown design methodology

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Thesis: Investigating effects of surrounding landscape composition and complexity on populations of two polyphagous insect pest groups in Iowa soybean

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Hospitality Management Major: Apparel, Merchandising, and Design Thesis: Assessing the challenges and opportunities for small and medium enterprises (SMEs) in the Vietnamese apparel retail market

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Cell Biology Major: Genetics

Thesis: Genetic and gene expression diversity among maize inbreds

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Thesis: Modeling spacing factor requirements and measuring water permeability in hydrated portland cement

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B.E. Tsinghua University M.S. Clarkson University PH.D. Iowa State University Department: Computer Science Major: Computer Science Thesis: An XML-based system for

management and auery of video databases with user identifiable and annotated

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Thesis: Evaluation of the need for longitudinal median joints in bridge decks on dual structures

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Thesis: Exploring mental effort and nausea via electrodermal activity within scenariobased tasks

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Thesis: Risk perception of food safety and behavioral intentions to read food safety labels

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Studies

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Extension Education)

Thesis: Assessment of the factors impacting agricultural extension training programs

in Tanzania: A descriptive study

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Nutrition

Major: Nutritional Sciences

Thesis: Formative evaluation of intervention methods designed to improve behavior change strategies

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Major: Animal Science

Thesis: Defining the energy and nutrient content of corn grown in droughtstressed conditions and determining the relationship between energy content of corn and the response of growing pigs to xylanase supplementation

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Major: Civil Engineering (Construction Engineering and Management)

Thesis: Major equipment life cycle cost

analysis

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Department: Veterinary Microbiology and

Preventive Medicine Major: Immunobiology

Thesis: Differential measures of cellular IFN-γ responses in swine following

influenza vaccination

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Department: Electrical and Computer

Engineering

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Thesis: ADAPT: An anonymous,

distributed, and active probing-based technique for detecting malicious fast-flux

domains

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**Environmental Engineering** Major: Civil Engineering (Environmental

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**Environmental Engineering** 

Major: Civil Engineering (Structural

Engineering)

Thesis: Two integral girder connections for precast concrete bridges in seismic regions utilizing extended prestressing

strands

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D.V.M. Iowa State University

Department: Veterinary Diagnostic and Production Animal Medicine

Major: Veterinary Preventive Medicine

Thesis: Exploring alternative methods for

population surveillance

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B.S. Sokoine University of Agriculture Department: Agricultural Education and

Studies

Major: Agricultural Education (Agricultural Extension Education)

Thesis: Extension program needs by farmers In Tanzania: A descriptive study

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Department: Veterinary Diagnostic and
Production Animal Medicine
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Thesis: Effect of fenbendazole on shedding
and embryonation of Ascaris suumeggs in
naturally infected gestating sows

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B.E. University of Mumbai
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Engineering
Major: Electrical Engineering
Thesis: Magnetic hysteresis and Barkhausen

materials and composites

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noise emission analysis of magnetic

Department: Apparel, Events, and Hospitality Management Major: Hospitality Management

Ashok Paramasivam Rajan Klang, Malaysia B.S. Iowa State University Department: Electrical and Computer Engineering Major: Electrical Engineering

Sarani Rangarajan Chennai, India B.Tech. Vellore Institute of Technology University

Major: Journalism and Mass Communication

Thesis: Asking the players: A mental models approach to how long-term players of a massively multiplayer online game perceive the risks associated with gaming

Michael Allen Rausch
B.S. Iowa State University
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Department: Entomology
Major: Microbiology

Thesis: Modification of the Bt toxin Cry4Aa for improved toxin processing in the gut of the pea aphid (*Acyrthosiphon pisum*)

Joseph Friedrich Reni Herriman, Iowa B.S. University of Central Florida Department: Psychology Major: Human Computer Interaction

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Thesis: Mechanisms of inequality in Bogotá, Colombia: Physical, spatial, and urbanistic qualities that shaped the growth of the city from colonization and throughout the twentieth and twenty-first centuries

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Molecular Biology
Major: Genetics
Thesis: Characterization of RNase X25 and
Lamp1 in Drosophila melanogaster

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Family Studies
Major: Interdisciplinary Graduate Studies
(Social Sciences)
Thesis: A psychoeducational intervention
for early-stage caregivers of older Iowans:
A pilot study

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Family Studies
Major: Human Development and Family
Studies
Thesis: Making my faith my own: Church
attendance and first-year college student

religious and spiritual development

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Systems
Major: Human Computer Interaction
Thesis: Defining a software genre: Timeline
navigators

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College
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Thesis: Corn production with Instinct nitrification inhibitor applied with ureaammonium nitrate solution and liquid swine manure

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Brittany Nicole Shonka Independence, Iowa B.S. Iowa State University Department: Animal Science Major: Animal Breeding and Genetics Thesis: Genetic parameters for pre-fresh intake and the effects of lameness on feed intake and milk production in dairy cattle

Joy Pranav Shukla Ahmedabad, India B.E. Sadar Patel University Department: Electrical and Computer Engineering Major: Computer Engineering Thesis: Hybrid drive design: An economics

- workload based approach

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Engineering

Major: Computer Engineering

Thesis: Empirical study of Inter-procedural Data Flow (IDF) patterns for memory leak analysis in linux

Mary Ruth Snyder Kelley, Iowa B.S. Iowa State University Department: Apparel, Events, and Hospitality Management Major: Hospitality Management

Ryan Edward Spotts Sac City, Iowa B.S. Iowa State University Department: Materials Science and Êngineering Major: Materials Science and Engineering Thesis: Objective forensic analysis of striated, quasi-striated and impressed toolmarks

Brian Joseph Squitieri Lambertville, N.I. B.S. University of Oklahoma Department: Geological and Atmospheric Sciences Major: Meteorology Thesis: WRF forecast skill of the Great Plains low level jet and its correlation to forecast skill of mesoscale convective system precipitation

Anthony Joseph Stirling Spring Valley, Ill. B.S. Illinois State University Department: Agronomy Major: Agronomy

Bennett Lee Stone Ames, Iowa B.S. Iowa State University Department: Graphic Design Major: Human Computer Interaction Thesis: Generating a framework for the evaluation of structural layout preferences within e-commerce websites

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Kimberly E. Szcodronski Ankeny, Iowa B.S. Iowa State University Department: Ecology, Evolution and Organismal Biology Major: Ecology and Evolutionary Biology Thesis: Assessing population status and identifying key habitat requirements for Parnassius butterflies in Grand Teton National Park, Wyoming

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Organismal Biology
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Thesis: How male attractiveness mediates
the effect of an immune challenge on
reproductive traits and sickness behavior
in the Texas Field Cricket (Gryllus
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Thesis: Evaluation of a commodity VR
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manipulation in a three dimensional work
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Thesis: Visualization-based decision support
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Department: Civil, Construction and
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Materials)
Thesis: Evaluation of de-icer deterioration
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Thesis: Insect pollinators in corn and
soybean agricultural fields

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Department: Chemistry
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Thesis: Solid state NMR studies of
the location, immobilization and
conformation of short chain branches
in semicrystalline polyethylene-hexene
copolymers

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Thesis: What drives participation in the farm and ranch lands protection program?

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Engineering
Major: Computer Engineering
Thesis: Facial movement based human user authentication

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Thesis: Evaluation of low-moisture
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pretreatment method of lignocellulosic
biomass for bioethanol production

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Thesis: Health monitoring of pavement systems using smart sensing technologies

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Thesis: Effects of ILeVO on soybean

sudden death syndrome and soybean cyst

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Thesis: Path planning for autonomous

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Čommunication

Thesis: The influence of fear and authority

on psychological reactance: A study of the effectiveness of public service announcement campaigns on drunk driving prevention among college

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Thesis: Investigation of an alternative gravel

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Major: Computer Engineering

Thesis: Graph-based forensic investigation

of Bitcoin transactions

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Matthew Lewis Dove	Dike, Iowa	Ethan Randall Nannenga	Klemme, Iowa
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Natalie Lynn Burr	Eagan, Minn.
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- Miryeoi Lee Managua, Nicaragua Marketing and Liberal Arts and Sciences: Major in World Languages and Cultures(Spanish)
- Mingying Lu Wezhou, China Accounting and Finance
- Kexin Ma Beijing, China Finance and Supply Chain Management
- Kyle M. Martin Ames, Iowa Supply Chain Management and Management
- Ross Bradley Maurer Spencer, Iowa Finance and Management
- Rebecca Ann Miner Urbandale, Iowa Supply Chain Management and Management Information Systems
- Argentina Imelda Montano Perry, Iowa Management, Marketing, and International Business
- Kain Markus Nanne Clive, Iowa Marketing and Management Information Systems
- Kory Andrew Nystrom Burlington, Iowa Management and Marketing
- Michael Clayton Olson Geneva, Ill. Management, Environmental Studies, and Marketing
- Ryan Anthony Pick Orange City, Iowa Accounting and Finance
- \* Danielle D. Price Creston, Iowa Management and Marketing
  - Clayton Lee Richey West Des Moines, Iowa Management Information Systems and Supply Chain Management
- \*\* Brian Thomas Rieger Campton Hills, Ill.

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    Systems
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- Logan R. Shallenberger Chaska, Minn. Management Information Systems and Accounting
- \* McKinzie Leigh Soderstrum Roland, Iowa Management and International Business
- \* Logan C. Thompson Minooka, Ill. Supply Chain Management and Management
- Calee M. Underwood Lone Rock, Iowa Supply Chain Management and Marketing
- Alexis M. Van Overbeke Forest City, Iowa Accounting and Finance
- Kyler Lee Vande Berg Harlan, Iowa Marketing and Management
- Jeffrey James Vathing Plymouth, Minn. Supply Chain Management and Marketing
- Hannah Marie Walker Waverly, Iowa Marketing and International Business
- Marisa Jean Watson Woodbury, Minn. Marketing and International Business
- Xi Wu Chengdu Sichuan, China Supply Chain Management and Management Information Systems
- \* Yunhao Yang Shenzhen, China Finance and Accounting
- \*\* Mengting Ye Ames, Iowa Accounting and Supply Chain Management
- \*\* Kelsey Marie Youngblut Oskaloosa, Iowa Management and Supply Chain Management
- \*\* Qianxuan Yun Xi'an, China Accounting and Management Information Systems
- \* Jingyuan Zhang Zhengzhou, China Accounting and Management Information Systems
  - Xiaoyun Zhang Chengdu, China Accounting and Finance

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## CANDIDATES FOR DEGREES FROM THE COLLEGE OF DESIGN

## BACHELOR OF ARCHITECTURE

### **Curriculum in Architecture**

Brandon Tsubasa Persson
Gladys Salazar
Dillon Floyd Weitl
Jason William Zeman
Xuanchen Zhang

Okinawa, Japan
Primghar, Iowa
Carroll, Iowa
Mundelein, Ill.
Shanghai, China

### **Multiple Curricula and Majors**

Ashley Marie Wire Woodbury, Minn.
Architecture and Liberal Arts and Sciences:
Major in Environmental Studies

Maria I. Torres Nevada, Iowa Art and Design and Business: Major in Marketing

## BACHELOR OF DESIGN

### **Curriculum in Design**

Kyle J. Brumm Cedar Rapids, Iowa Tyler Allen Frahm Gowrie, Iowa Cara Ann Jacobsen Council Bluffs, Iowa Austin Anthony Minnihan Ames, Iowa Brandi Jo Webber Des Moines, Iowa

### **Multiple Curricula and Majors**

Samuel L. Bassman West Des Moines, Iowa Design and Liberal Arts and Sciences: Major in Environmental Studies

## BACHELOR OF FINE ARTS

### **Curriculum in Integrated Studio Arts**

Kelcey Nicole Loges
Tucker Ryan Smith
Ian Dale Van Schepen

Farmington, Iowa
Urbandale, Iowa
Arnolds Park, Iowa

Teresa A. Ward Reed Edward Wu Ryan, Iowa Ames, Iowa

#### **Curriculum in Interior Design**

Hannah Lynne Anfinson Lawton, Iowa

\* Mary Nell Gould Colorado Springs, Colo.

### **Multiple Curricula and Majors**

Taylor Marie Buckley Marion, Iowa Graphic Design and Liberal Arts and Sciences: Major in English

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## BACHELOR OF INDUSTRIAL DESIGN

### **Curriculum in Industrial Design**

\*\* Adam Curtis Carlson Scott Ryan McBride Ankeny, Iowa Omaha, Neb. Benjamin Hawkeye Sissel

Cedar Rapids, Iowa Robins, Iowa

\* Stephanie A. Venjohn

## BACHELOR OF LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE

### **Curriculum in Landscape Architecture**

Jordan Michael Garvey Des Moines, Iowa

## BACHELOR OF SCIENCE

### **Curriculum in Community and Regional Planning**

Salem Al Junaibi

Al Ain, United Arab Emirates

Yaser Mubarak Al Mazrouei

Abu Dhabi, United Arab Emirates

\* Molly R. Carpenter
Xin Cui
Trevor L. Gearhart

\* Molly R. Carpenter
Chongqing, China
West Des Moines, Iowa

Thomas W. Leininger Kasson, Minn. Ryan Joseph McKinley Williamsburg, Iowa Christopher William Meeks

Paul Joesph Ring Davenport, Iowa Paul Joesph Ring Hawthorn Woods, Ill. Cory Allan Wendel Charles City, Iowa

### **Multiple Curricula and Majors**

\*\* Corrine Nicole Villim Sioux City, Iowa Community and Regional Planning and Liberal Arts and Sciences: Major in Environmental Studies

# CANDIDATES FOR DEGREES FROM THE COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING

## BACHELOR OF SCIENCE

### **Curriculum in Aerospace Engineering**

*† Robert William Beres	Apple Valley, Minn. Libertyville, Ill. ichland Center, Wis. Melaka, Malaysia	David Kis Jonathan Ray Mitchell Joseph Patrick Moellers Ariff Hamzah Muhamad * Yuseong Nam	Northfield, Ill. El Paso, Tex. Ainsworth, Iowa Cheras, Malaysia Anyang-Si, Korea
The surface Junios Children	Lino Lakes, Minn.	Joseph Christopher Norris	Red Oak, Iowa
Jason P. Cotter	Des Moines, Iowa	** Eric Lee Peters	Reinbeck, Iowa
Matthew Lee Decker	Davenport, Iowa	* Leon Sardi	Cali, Colombia
Samantha Rose Dugan	Medina, Minn.	Benjamin Hawkeye Sissel	
Anne Elizabeth Glasker	Lawrence, Kans.	C	edar Rapids, Iowa
* Nicolas Thomas Robert C	Goodwill	Eric Hampton Upchurch	
	Fort Madison, Iowa	Gle	endale Heights, Ill.
Kyle Jon Halom	Superior, Wis.	** Dennis John Van Woert	Urbandale, Iowa
William Ted Harding	Blue Springs, Mo.	*** Jared D. Weaver	Moville, Iowa
*** Ryan L. Hupp	Ely, Iowa	Kenny Woo Pen	ampang, Malaysia
Matthew Scott Kellen	Ham Lake, Minn.		

### **Curriculum in Agricultural Engineering**

Eric Christopher Allen	Moline, Ill.	Garret Dean Johnson	Stratford, Iowa
Jacob E. Carlson	Odebolt, Iowa	Steven Michael Schock	Bloomfield, Iowa
Eric Iven Chaplin	Milton, Iowa	* Joshua Patrick Slaney	Barneveld, Wis.
* Jared Vincent Dolch	Elliott, Iowa	Andrew Donald Sprangers	Menasha, Wis.
** Jason Gregory Herbers	New Vienna, Iowa		

### **Curriculum in Biological Systems Engineering**

### **Curriculum in Chemical Engineering**

Curriculum in Chemical I	Engineering		
*** Joseph Edward Arentson	Harlan, Iowa	Paige N. Mattes	Bedford, Iowa
Collin E. Coon	Blair, Neb.	Renee Marie Megchelsen	Ainsworth, Iowa
Abdul Adil Daoud	Iowa City, Iowa	Brandon Jon Mikel	Grinnell, Iowa
Casey Michael Frank	Adel, Iowa	* Bjorn James Natwick	Woodbury, Minn.
Mark Gunnar Gronlund	Channahon, Ill.	*** Hannah Marie Pinnt	Omaĥa, Neb.
* Ali Imran	Ames, Iowa	* Andrew Michael Radencic	h Wheaton, Ill.
Mohd Khairi Ismail Tere	engganu, Malaysia	Justin Keith Runge	Peoria, Ill.
Peter F. Joers	Riverdale, Iowa	Bryan R. Schmidt (	Cedar Rapids, Iowa
Nicole Jeanette Johnson	Neola, Iowa	William A. Scrimgeour IV	ī
* Ryan James Jones	Orland Park, Ill.	E	Eden Prairie, Minn.
** Christine Anne Leise	Omaha, Neb.	Sarah Katherine Sutter	Ankeny, Iowa
Han Li	Beijing, China	Craig Michael Waldschmit	tt Johnston, Iowa
** Mingda Luo	Yuyao, China	Jason Daniel Wheat	Ely, Iowa
Jordan E. Mandernach	Adel, Iowa	Sheen Rhu Yeo	Klang, Malaysia
Vernon Joseph Mascarenha	as Doha, Qatar	Yi Zhong	Wuhan, China

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## **Curriculum in Civil Engineering**

Salem Al Junaibi	Ruixi Li Chengdu, Sichuan, China
Al Ain, United Arab Emirates	Jason Allen Malecha Northfield, Minn.
Zaid Alsamawi Iowa City, Iowa	*** Carlie Lynn Mander Honey Creek, Iowa
Nicholas J. Appel Plano, Tex.	* Nicholas David Manke Hillsboro, Wis.
Brooke Ann Baschke Spencer, Iowa	Brian Robert Meyer Creston, Iowa
Patricia Marie Buck West Bend, Wis.	Matthew Timothy Moore Fairfax, Iowa
Clayton A. Burke Decorah, Iowa	** Evan James Murphy Clarion, Iowa
Christopher Thayer Calhoun	Travis Michael Novotny Clive, Iowa
Windsor Heights, Iowa	* Li Ying Ong Malaysia
Tyler Benjamin Cline Bettendorf, Iowa	** Travis Jack Pearl Maplewood, Minn.
Brion Niquan Coleman Atlantic City, N.J.	Kyle Douglas Peterson Crystal Lake, Ill.
Chelsea Elaine Czapla Cahokia, Ill.	Robert J. Prohaska Bartlett, Ill.
* Bryan A. Dannen Mason City, Iowa	Angelina Mikhaylovna Prokudina
Matthew Joseph Dunlop Geneva, Ill.	Khabarovsk, Russia
*** Corey Joseph Erickson Sergeant Bluff, Iowa	Qiwen Qiu Shenyang, Liaoning, China
Zachary John Eskrich Verona, Wis.	Joshua Ian Sablan Belleville, Ill.
Erik James Frankenhoff Quincy, Ill.	Alexander Thomas Schlader
Douglas C. Guthridge What Cheer, Iowa	Charles City, Iowa
* Nathaniel J. Hackbarth Marion, Iowa	
* Jacob Lynch Hagan Bayard, Iowa  ** Bobbie Jo Heimberg Des Moines, Iowa	Branden Wayne Stubbs Pleasant Hill, Iowa
	Ning Su Tianjin, China *** Mohan Sun Wuhan, Hubei, China
Christopher Dean Heimgartner	
Lake Ozark, Mo.	1 '
* Alexander James Himschoot	Jun Tao Lanzhou, Gansu, China
Dillingham, Alaska	** Michael John Wahlert Van Meter, Iowa
Hua Huang Gan Zhou, China	Ziyu Wang Lanzhou, Gansu, China
Pengyang Huo Beijing, China	* Logan Marshall Wells Ankeny, Iowa
Hamza Aziz Shahid Janjua Larchmont, N.Y.	* Yang Yang Chonging, China
* Aaron Conrad Jarosh Ankeny, Iowa	Qiyang Yin Tianjin, China
Eric M. Jones Sioux City, Iowa	Qihua Zhang Shenzhen, Guangdong, China
Alexander Ernest Krist Bettendorf, Iowa	Kun Zhao Lanzhou, Gansu, China
Christina Jean Larranaga	
Vadnais Heights, Minn.	

## **Curriculum in Computer Engineering**

	Mohammed Al Kaabi		
	Abu Dhab	i, United Arab Emirates	
	Alex Lane Bailey	Muscatine, Iowa	
	Bilal Besic	West Des Moines, Iowa	
	Fabian Andres Briesm	noore Davenport, Iowa	
	Joshua Robert Carritt	Denison, Iowa	
	Riley Craig Chapleau	Tipton, Iowa	
	Adam George Daniel	Ġurnee, Ill.	
*	Paul Joshua Danner	Broomfield, Colo.	
**	Kevin John Engel	Cary, Ill.	
	Brian John Forsberg	Shoreview, Minn.	
	Taylor G. Gehling	Carroll, Iowa	
	Alec Walter Gleason	Naperville, Ill.	
	Philip Robert Goodm	an Lees Summit, Mo.	
	Austen Caddes Grego	or	
	0	Highlands Ranch, Colo.	
* *	Alex Ross Grieve	Urbandale, Iowa	

John Wesley Harding Cole Steven Hoven Alec Ronald Johanson Kyle Alan Berns Johnson	
W	est Des Moines, Iowa
Charles Joseph Mankin	Atkins, Iowa
Trevor Joseph McCorma	ck
5 1	Cedar Falls, Iowa
Yehoshua Simcha Meyer	Miami, Fla.
Rajane H. Patel	Ankeny, Iowa
Michael J. Potter	Davenport, Iowa
Timothy Thomas Rash	Marshalltown, Iowa
Jacob Álan Roman	Cedar Rapids, Iowa
Adam Martin Sunderma	
Bryce Marcus Wilson	Shell Rock, Iowa
Andrew D. Wirtz	Nevada, Iowa
Nathaniel Pierce Young	Le Mars, Iowa

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### **Curriculum in Construction Engineering**

Daniel James Carlson	Geneva, Ill.
Robert Michael Conrad	Holy Cross, Iowa
***Jerad Thomas Croghan	Manilla, Iowa
Joel D. DeGrave	Lake Villa, Ill.
Nicholas Adam Donlin	Ottumwa, Iowa
Kirk Raymond Funfar	Coon Rapids, Minn.
Andrew Russell Healey	Bettendorf, Iowa
Jordan J. Hutcheson	Morning Sun, Iowa
Jonathan Ray Jensen W	est Des Moines, Iowa
** Andrew Michael Lensch	Durant, Iowa
Jacob M. Luesebrink	Sioux City, Iowa
John E. Meyer	Saint Paul, Minn.
Robert Milton Olson	Postville, Iowa
Allen Robert Paczynski	Northlake, Ill.

Caleb Arnold Prohaska
Joel Danial Robinson
Sean Christian Sample

Garner, Iowa
Pleasant Hill, Iowa

West Des Moines, Iowa \*\* Jacob Robert Schaefer Guernsey, Iowa Trey William Seiser Blairsburg, Iowa Colin Dean Shriver Ames, Iowa Luke Godfrev Snyder Whiting, Iowa Sawyer Joseph Stecher Clarion, Iowa **Jacob Brian Sterk** Johnston, Iowa Levi Richard Stevenson Cascade, Iowa Gavin R. Walhovd Adair, Iowa Kyle Matthew Wilkins Ames, Iowa

### **Curriculum in Electrical Engineering**

\*\* Joshua Alan Abbott Cedar Rapids, Iowa David-Paul Stefon Daniel Essic Adeola Grandview, Mo.

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Derek L. Augustyn Garnavillo, Iowa
Matthew W. Bogenschultz Lake Elmo, Minn.
Chen Cheng Shanxi, Taiyuan, China

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Sean M. Nichols Selangor, Malaysia
Boone, Iowa

\* Joseph Michael Pins Farley, Iowa Nikhil Reddy Purma Hyderabad, India Jikang Qu Hefei City, Anhui, China Nicholas F. Rodriguez

Guaynabo, Puerto Rico Rehman Muhammad Shahzad

Lahore, Pakistan Cheng Song Qingdao, China \* Tori Elizabeth Sorensen Corning, Iowa Jingxuan Sun Dalian, Liaoning, China Seth Douglas Taylor Davenport, Iowa Brianna Christine Tegeler Clinton, Iowa Alexander Ray Truman Prescott, Iowa Spencer Kyle Ulven Sergeant Bluff, Iowa Abhishek Kalyan Vemuri

West Des Moines, Iowa Shengbo Zhang Ningbo, Zhejiang, China Zeyu Zhang Shijiazhuang, China Kaiyue Zheng Xi'an, China

### **Curriculum in Industrial Engineering**

Robert Carroll Bolster III Oswego, Ill.
Carly Ann Bormann Charlotte, Iowa
Ashley Ann Bye New Brighton, Minn.
Blake A. Campbell Ankeny, Iowa
Gavin Chong Wei Cheng

Bayan Lepas, Penang, Malaysia Alain P. Gilles Bettendorf, Iowa \*\*\* Matthew Daniel Goiffon Cedar Rapids, Iowa Dubuque, Iowa Nathan Alan Guetzko William Andrew Higgins Cary, Ill. Ashrith Arya Kothapalli Hyderabad, India Ross Andrew Larson St. Paul, Minn. Kellie Ann McGrath Crystal Lake, Ill. \* Joshua James Montgomery Dubuque, Iowa Ryan Patrick Mulqueeny Chaska, Minn. Sam Andrew Puent Rochester, Minn.

Colombo, Srilanka

Natalie Paige Richardson Naperville, Ill. Thomas Walter Rippenkroeger

Fort Madison, Iowa Megan Ashley Rudd Crystal Lake, Ill. Gulshan Rajjak Shaikh

Nashik, Maharashtra, India Kayla Marie Soliday Elkader, Iowa \* Alexandria Lain Stewart Marshalltown, Iowa

\*\*\* Aaron David Swailes

Columbus Junction, Iowa

Bryan Yen Szen Tok

Port Dickson, Negeri Sembilan, Malaysia
Nikolas Robert Tomassoni Hastings, Minn.
Benjamin Michael Warrick Urbandale, Iowa
Alice Elizabeth Wood Massena, Iowa
Yusuf Yigit Safat, Kuwait

Thilina V. Ratnayake

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### **Curriculum in Materials Engineering**

Patrick Joseph Ahern Peoria, Ill. Tyler Andrew Hass Van Horne, Iowa Danielle Marie Carda Humboldt, Iowa \* Victor Hock Leng Lee Subang Jaya, Malaysia \* Nathan Arthur Dunlap North Liberty, Iowa Tyler Christian Schlueter Marion, Iowa Benjamin L. Hagarty Cedar Rapids, Iowa Eric Henry Schultz Pine Springs, Minn.

### **Curriculum in Mechanical Engineering**

Jeffrey D. Adkins	Belvidere, Ill.	* Michael R. Husto
Khalid Salem Alakbari		Adam Michael Ja
Abu Dhabi, U	nited Arab Emirates	Tyler Louis Jones
Emily Marie Alexander	Des Moines, Iowa	Ian Daniel Jun
Thor Jarrod Anderson	Bondurant, Iowa	* Kathleen Anne
Ryan Paul Bachman	Clarence, Iowa	Christian David I
Kathryn May Baringer	Lawrence, Kans.	Tonye W. Koloko
Christopher Gomes Basil	Kuching, Malaysia	*** Dillon John Kran
Adam Lloyd Berquist M	edicine Lake, Minn.	** Adam Richard La
Adam Cornell Birnbaum	Plymouth, Minn.	Ngoc Bao Le
Alexandra M. Black	Des Moines, Iowa	Moon Sub Lee
Gregory Leon Bott	Clinton, Iowa	Yang Li
* Jordan Phillip Boyenga	Waterloo, Iowa	Sanel Lisinovic
** Nathan Todd Brace	Defiance, Iowa	*** Kin Gwn Lore
** Alec Charles Brown	Fremont, Neb.	Chad Albert Lun
* Michelle Marie Brus	Walcott, Iowa	Brett William Lyo
* Eric Ray Campbell	Robins, Iowa	Michael Jeffery M
Ricardo Canahui	Muscatine, Iowa	Keenan Robert M
** Adam Curtis Carlson	Ankeny, Iowa	
* Bradley Alan Caslavka	Dallas, Tex.	Thomas Edward
Albert Kok Wei Cheah	Penang, Malaysia	David S. Mayer
Tyler James Christensen	Waterloo, Iowa	Kevin Joseph Mc
Taylor N. Clark	Geneva, Ill.	Killian C. McInei
Lindsay C. Coons Green		Bryce A. McIntyr
Matthew William Couri	Maple Grove, Minn.	Keith Nathanael
Callie Rose Danielson	Fort Worth, Tex.	** Michael James N
Aaron Matthew Darnell	Gowrie, Iowa	Benjamin Peter N
Matthew Ron Dickinson		Jacob William O'
	Council Bluffs, Iowa	Samuel David Oa

Cameron Keith Dietrich Williamsburg, Iowa David Tuan Doan Chanhassen, Minn. Charles T. Eagle Rock Island, Ill. Matthew Lee Etheridge Chaska, Minn. Runnells, Iowa \* Tanner Joseph Farley Arnold James Fisher Roselle, Ill. Dong Gao Zhengzhou, Henan, China Roberto Jesus Garcia Anaheim, Calif. \* Jeremy Thomas Gillam Le Claire, Iowa Marcus Gunter Graefenhain Naperville, Ill. \*\* Brandon Lee Gross Keokuk, Iowa Kyle T. Grote Cedar Rapids, Iowa Sang Soo Ha Hwasung, South Korea Adam Kenneth Hamrick Lakeville, Minn. Isaac J. Hanson Hampton, Iowa Michael Scott Harris Muscatine, Iowa Kyle Hausladen New Germany, Minn.

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\* Alexander James Himschoot

Dillingham, Alaska \*\* Amanda Lynn Hudson Clive, Iowa Luke Aaron Hugghins Fort Dodge, Iowa on Boone, Iowa acobi Shellsburg, Iowa White Bear Lake, Minn. Omaha, Neb. e Kennedy Des Moines, Iowa Adel, Iowa Kersey olo Des Moines, Iowa Earling, Iowa mer Carlisle, Iowa awrence Davenport, Iowa Wonju, South Korea Wuhan, China Ankeny, Iowa Subang Jaya, Malaysia ndberg Cedar Rapids, Iowa ons Davenport, Iowa Maben Winterset, Iowa

Mahoney Hoffman Estates, Ill. Winterset, Iowa Martens Grimes, Iowa Glenview, Ill. cCants Adel, Iowa erney Fort Dodge, Iowa re Nehring Madrid, Iowa Dubuque, Iowa Newman Phillips, Wis. Nowak )'Donnell Batavia, Ill. Forest City, Iowa anes

George Theng Ching Ooi

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\*\*\* Bryan Edward Schiefelbein Hastings, Minn.

\* Anthony Paul Schimek Le Mars, Iowa

\* Alan Jacob Schluetter New Hampton, Iowa Megan Elizabeth Scott Grimes, Iowa Christian Thomas Shannon Grove, Minn.

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Gregory Elden Shaw Ames, Iowa Brent Gregory Smith Janesville, Iowa \*\*\* Shubang Sridhar Chennai Tamil Nadu India Jason Michael Stirm Oelwein, Iowa Brian Richard Sund Palatine, Ill. Nathaniel Emerson Taylor Peoria, Ill. Javier Tello Guillen Des Moines, Iowa Yan Tian Xuzhou, China North St Paul, Minn. Peter Chan Toy Nathan Alan Turk Polk City, Iowa Knoxville, Iowa Jared Michael Turner

Bryce David Uitermarkt Long Grove, Iowa Lake Villa, Ill. Benjamin Daniel Venturi Ryan Nathan Weber Manchester, Iowa Dillon J. Wirth Hutchinson, Minn. Kwang Shiong Wong

Kluang, Johor, Malaysia Austin David Wright West Des Moines, Iowa Jianan Wu Taiyuan, China \*\* Letian Yang Luoyang, Beijing, China Steven Michael Zimmerman Treynor, Iowa

### **Curriculum in Software Engineering**

Alyssa Ann Barnes Maple Lake, Minn. \*\* James Dewey Boddie Jr. Bettendorf, Iowa Cyle Joseph Dawson Guthrie Center, Iowa Jeremy J. Dubansky Cumming, Iowa Divyang Joshi Maun, Botswana

Jack Royal Kohn Cedar Rapids, Iowa \*\* Jonathon William Saunders Bondurant, Iowa Kyle Jon Schilling Charles City, Iowa Christopher R. Tedford II Cumberland, Iowa

### **Multiple Curricula and Majors**

Thomas James Croghan Alton, Iowa Chemical Engineering and Liberal Arts and Sciences: Major in Mathematics

Yu Cui Shijiazhuang, Hebei, China Mechanical Engineering and Business: Major in Management

Connor Patrick Jennings Homewood, Ill. Industrial Engineering and Liberal Arts and Sciences: Major in Economics

Astrid Lederhaas Clive, Iowa Industrial Engineering and Liberal Arts and Sciences: Major in World Languages and Cultures (Spanish)

Jesse William Leonard Bettendorf, Iowa Mechanical Engineering and Liberal Arts and Sciences: Major in World Languages and Cultures (German)

Fanyi Meng Baotou, China Chemical Engineering and Liberal Arts and Sciences: Major in Mathematics

\*\* David J. Murray Eagan, Minn. Mechanical Engineering and Liberal Arts and Sciences: Major in World Languages and Cultures (German)

Rachel Christine Schmidt Waukee, Iowa Materials Engineering and Liberal Arts and Sciences: Major in World Languages and Cultures (German)

Michael Donald Stinn Atlantic, Iowa Industrial Engineering and Liberal Arts and Sciences: Major in Economics

\* Ryan Douglas Tucker Ames, Iowa Mechanical Engineering and Liberal Arts and Sciences: Major in Mathematics

Cum Laude

Magna Cum Laude

# CANDIDATES FOR DEGREES FROM THE COLLEGE OF HUMAN SCIENCES

## BACHELOR OF SCIENCE

### **Curriculum in Apparel, Merchandising, and Design**

Morgan Marie Allen	Atlantic, Iowa	** Sara A. Kinderknecht	Sheldon, Iowa
Monica Alonso	Marshalltown, Iowa	Haley Gabrielle Kruchten	Waconia, Minn.
Ashley Sue Bengtson	Wall Lake, Iowa	Sophia Liu	Cypress, Tex.
Erin Élizabeth Bennett		Tenisha Ty Matlock	North Platte, Neb.
W	/indsor Heights, Iowa	Hillary Rose Morse	Akron, Iowa
* Shannon Sarah Boyle	Reinbeck, Iowa	** Natasha A. Ratzlaff	Des Moines, Iowa
Kaycee Corrine Brisby	Ankeny, Iowa	* Ashley Jayne Schonberg	Cedar Rapids, Iowa
Kirsten Joan Claerhout	Indianola, Iowa	Sarah Ann Schreiner	Atlantic, Iowa
Raina Marie Edel	Marshalltown, Iowa	* Alexandria Jane Schuett	Le Mars, Iowa
Caitlin Ann Farmer	Naperville, Ill.	Catherine Ann Vazquez	Maquoketa, Iowa
* Stephanie Alexandria G	aul	Morgan Lee Welp	Ventura, Iowa
	Worthington, Iowa	* Megan Kay Williams	Marion, Iowa
Amber Lynn Hain	Paullina, Iowa	Mengzi Yu	Hangzhou, China
Hayley Shea Hays	Cedar Rapids, Iowa	_	_

### **Curriculum in Child, Adult, and Family Services**

** Anna Michelle Baumgartne	·	Hannah Grace Miller Newton, Iowa
* Haley Margaret Beaver	Johnston, Iowa	Katey Mae Molka
Samantha Jean Buckstead	Hurley, S. Dak.	** Anna Kaitlin Nystul Chanhassen, Minn.
Tiatra Li Victoria Foss	Marion, Iowa	Amanda P. O'Hare West Union, Iowa
Chelsea R. Greener	Marion, Iowa	Emilia A. Ollearis Batavia, Ill.
Hailey Alison Johnson	Covina, Calif.	* Erin Janet Elizabeth Ott Elkader, Iowa
** Rachel Kirkpatrick	Urbana, Iowa	Elizabeth C. Pritchard Sioux City, Iowa
*** Laura Lee Korth	Mason City, Iowa	Brittney Ann Rigler Burlington, Iowa
Kathryn Jane Larkin	Vinton, Iowa	Sara Jane Sales West Des Moines, Iowa
Jessica Danielle Lawson	Ames, Iowa	* Caitie Elizabeth Taylor Ida Grove, Iowa
Jennifer Lynn Low	Des Moines, Iowa	Jarvis Delon West Saint Petersburg, Fla.

### **Curriculum in Culinary Science**

Hochul Choi Cheong-Ju, South Korea

### **Curriculum in Dietetics**

** Stacy Lynn Barton	Dubuque, Iowa	Jordan Elizabeth Kircher	Rochester, Minn.
Morgan Lea Bax	Greenfield, Iowa	Rebecca Ann Mason	Mound, Minn.
Melanie Kay Hansmar	1	Sonja Marie Ouimet	Des Moines, Iowa
•	Windsor Heights, Iowa	David John Woiwood Wes	t Des Moines, Iowa

### **Curriculum in Early Childhood Education**

Megan Ashley Crutison		Jessica Ann Neumann	Odebolt, Iowa
West	Des Moines, Iowa	Emily Kae Peterson	Webster City, Iowa
Teegan Mary Ebenhoh	Cokato, Minn.	** Krista Renae Shoeman	Des Moines, Iowa
** Alexandra Ryan Howard	Erie, Ill.	* Paige Elizabeth Swift	Ames, Iowa
Nicole Lin Macke	Lake City, Iowa	<u> </u>	

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### **Curriculum in Elementary Education**

Curriculum in Elementary Education	
Melodie Jeannie Arentson Muscatine, Iowa	Taylor Christine Nicol Ankeny, Iowa
Hailie Marie Bennewitz Hudson, Wis.	Stephanie Rochelle Owens Treynor, Iowa
Sara Jennifer Berntson Sioux City, Iowa	** Lacey Ann Paar Dike, Iowa
Skylar Paige Bjork Urbandale, Iowa	Rachel Elizabeth Parrish
* Beth Anne Culp Newell, Iowa	Eden Prairie, Minn.
** Carrie Ann Cunningham Spencer, Iowa	** Megan Elizabeth Paulsen Medina, Minn.
Heidi J. DenBeste Ankeny, Iowa	Lillian Rose Petersen Clarence, Iowa
Rebecca Jean Dunbar Washington, Iowa	** Kylie Jo Pierce Woodward, Iowa
Lucy Marie Edelman Člive, Iowa	Sara Elizabeth Rice Millbrae, Calif.
Cassandra Lynne Ellsbury	Austin Mark Riedemann Jewell, Iowa
Pleasant Hill, Iowa	* Alexandra Marie Rohs Eden Prairie, Minn.
** Kathryn Anne Emerson	John M. Ruddy Emmetsburg, Iowa
Arlington Heights, Ill.	** Haley Sue Ruden Pleasant Hill, Iowa
* Elizabeth Ann Gradoville Carroll, Iowa	** Courtney Rose Schut Sioux Center, Iowa
Breanna Marie Hamilton Clear Lake, Iowa	Alaina Rae Severson Marshalltown, Iowa
*** Kaylee Allyson Hunting New Hampton, Iowa	** Michelle Elizabeth Shealy Snellville, Ga.
Rebecca Elizabeth Jahr Crystal Lake, Ill.	Alex Alan Spooner Forest City, Iowa
Emily Jean Kloberdanz Webster City, Iowa	** Rachel Marie Tallman Altoona, Iowa
Mary Ann Knudsen Saint Ansgar, Iowa	** Madeleine Marie Trepp Webster City, Iowa
Mathew Eric Meintsma Pierre, S. Dak.	Kelsey Anne Westrum Stratford, Iowa
Luke Miller Ankeny, Iowa	
Curriculum in Event Management	
** Ashley Nicole Bode Algona, Iowa	Sarah Elizabeth Meinecke Jamaica, Iowa
* Hayley Kathryn Bookey Shoreview, Minn.	Michelle Leann Miller Cedar Rapids, Iowa
** Terrell L. Britto Marshalltown, Iowa	Mikayla Marie O'Brien Council Bluffs, Iowa
Francesca Jo Butler Eagan, Minn.	Meagan Dawn Olesen Granger, Iowa
Chelsea Kaitlyn Chapko Johnston, Iowa	Jordin Halley Robinson Granger, Iowa
Meridith Ann Freese Johnston, Iowa	Samantha Julia Sullivan Greene, Iowa
Alexandra Grace Hunter De Witt, Iowa	Zulema Verduzco Marion, Iowa
Natalie Joy Jackman Ames, Iowa	Ian James Walker Norwalk, Iowa
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* Felicia Darlene Felder Bagley, Iowa	Katie Ann Lewandowski Carpentersville, Ill.
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** Alison Fay Kuhfus Radcliffe, Iowa	Chelsea Sophia Simon Estherville, Iowa
Curriculum in Financial Counseling and Pla	nning
Christian Jae Man Fish Plymouth, Minn.	Kimberlyn Marie Soots Moline, Ill.
*** Claire R. Latta Fort Dodge, Iowa	,
Curriculum in Food Science	
** Cody Bennett Platta Brainerd, Minn.	
Curriculum in Hospitality Management	
Blair Catherine Davis  Neenah, Wis.	Quentin T. Silvey Iowa Falls, Iowa
** Tess E. Dusenberry Atlantic, Iowa	Christina Maria Sloan Plano, Tex.

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### **Curriculum in Kinesiology and Health**

Meredith Shaye Anderson	n Newton, Iowa
Layne Judith Arnold	Marion, Iowa
Jillian Elizabeth Belman	Davenport, Iowa
Lauren M. Bonett	Ames, Iowa
Kelsey Marie Charley	Polk City, Iowa
Dana Jean Christensen	Belmond, Iowa
Jeff Flury Coder	Hanford, Calif.
Allison Anne Dickson	Ames, Iowa
Teresa Myanh Dinh	Des Moines, Iowa
Renee Lynn Egan	Wesley, Iowa
Jonathon Thomas Evers	Lakeville, Minn.
Cody Adonis Fountain	Chicago, Ill.
David James Geier	Bondurant, Iowa
Walter P. Githens IV	Des Moines, Iowa
Erin Nicole Green	Hugo, Minn.
Regina Marie Harrison	Robins, Iowa
Milan Sharnae Ivory	Marietta, Ga.
Brett Jeffrey Jacobson	Jewell, Iowa
Rebecca Nicole Jessen	Clive, Iowa
Megan Ann Joens	Dunkerton, Iowa
Samantha Ryanne Jones	Cedar Rapids, Iowa
Theresa Rose Jones	Farley, Iowa
Theresa Marie Kucera	Leawood, Kans.

Dillon James Lockhart	Dallas Center, Iowa
Ryan James Lovstad	Storm Lake, Iowa
Kelsey Grace Mager	North Aurora, Ill.
Kevin James Matkovic	Arlington Heights, Ill.
Laura Melinda McKean	Columbia, Mo.
** Brennan D. McNitt	Council Bluffs, Iowa
Paul T. Moorhouse	Manchester, Iowa
*† Mikaela Ann Nabity	Ankeny, Iowa
** Katherine L. Olson	Urbandale, Iowa
Jessica Leigh Pearce	Council Bluffs, Iowa
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Cortney Jean Riesberg	Story City, Iowa
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Tyler James Schellhorn	Clarksville, Iowa
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Kendra Rachelle Smith	Saint Louis, Mo.
‡ Trevor Arlen Thom	Maple Grove, Minn.
Erica Mary Tucker	Des Moines, Iowa
Kirby Jay Van Der Kam	)
V	lest Des Moines, Iowa
Samuel Leonard Woodr	uff Fort Dodge, Iowa

### **Curriculum in Nutritional Science**

Azra Feriz Urbandale, Iowa Thea Marie Fern Plymouth, Minn. Samuel Joseph Kammermeier Cold Spring, Minn.

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### **Multiple Curricula and Majors**

Urbandale, Iowa Cali Rae Kness Child, Adult, and Family Services and Liberal Arts and Sciences: Major in Communication Studies

Anna Zhuang Li Plymouth, Minn. Hospitality Management and Event Management

Diana Marie Loutsch Remsen, Iowa Event Management and Business: Major in Accounting

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## CANDIDATES FOR DEGREES FROM THE COLLEGE OF LIBERAL ARTS AND SCIENCES

## BACHELOR OF ARTS

### Major in Advertising

Rebecca Frances Bruning Ida Grove, Iowa Alison Rae Cermak Carlisle, Iowa \*\*\* Chee Fei Cheang Ipoh, Malaysia \* Carli Renee Daly Orono, Minn. Roseville, Minn. Samuel Joseph Donovan Derek Charles Dunn Carlisle, Iowa Alexandra D. Duriavich

West Chicago, Illinois Johnston, Iowa Brianna Christine Gerke

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\*\*\* Hillary Lynn Marquard Hudson, Iowa Andrew Rollin Neldeberg Whiting, Iowa Alex Rae Smith Council Bluffs, Iowa Greenville, S.C. Mackenzie Grace Waldon

### Major in Anthropology

Olivia Ann Coronado Mason City, Iowa

### Major in Biological/Pre-Medical Illustration

Claire Elizabeth Kearney Dubuque, Iowa

### **Major in Chemistry**

\*\*\* Shannon Marie McClintock

Cedar Falls, Iowa

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Ineke Armstrong San Jose, Calif. Lorimor, Iowa Bradyn James Betcher \*\* Amanda Jean Carnahan Manchester, Iowa \* Rose Marie Collins Ankeny, Iowa Danielle Li Cornwell Ames, Iowa Taylor Jimmie Eichinger Slater, Iowa Meredith Carol Hubanks Dubuque, Iowa Paula Jo Jacobson Gilbert, Iowa \* Jordan Marie Kerber Emmetsburg, Iowa

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Marshalltown, Iowa \*\* Anne Marie Salem Urbandale, Iowa

### **Major in English**

Chelsey Jane Axtell Eagle Grove, Iowa Reed James Buckstead Sioux City, Iowa \*\* Hailey M. Gross Toddville, Iowa Derek M. Hoodjer Lincoln, Neb. Brianne Kathryn Kilborn Northwood, Iowa Kari E. Lease Madrid, Iowa Kaelee R. McNeill Tipton, Iowa West Des Moines, Iowa Carissa Lynn Nell

Kessa Maria Olson Michael A. Phipps \*\* Lisa Jenell Robinson Brian David Thompson

Colo, Iowa Belmond, Iowa \* Kaitlin Marie Uhlenkamp Carroll, Iowa Irma Vatres Urbandale, Iowa Megan Marie Young Marion, Iowa

### **Major in History**

\*\* Audra Jean Baumhover Ankeny, Iowa

Coady P. Sierra

Iowa City, Iowa

Lake Mills, Iowa

Pleasantville, Iowa

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## Major in Interdisciplinary Studies (Criminology and Criminal Justice)

Jaqueline Albarenga-Flores	Casey James McBride Sioux City, Iowa
Bakersfield, Calif.	Donald Allen Mongar Des Moines, Iowa
	Stacy Lynne Perlowski Melcher Dallas, Iowa
Devan Scott Cahill Newton, Iowa	Kristin Marie Polchow Urbandale, Iowa
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Bret Andrew Johnson Story City, Iowa	Jacob Lee Sanders
Sarah Michelle Kejick Council Bluffs, Iowa	Zachary Dean Schmidt Crescent, Iowa
Jonathan Robert Mahoney Madrid, Iowa	Trenton M. Speer Winterset, Iowa
Joseph Monydhar Mawien Ames, Iowa	Brittany A. Vander Zwaag Ames, Iowa
Major in Linguistics	
Chad Garnett Cook Ankeny, Iowa	Emery Thomas Peyton Eldora, Iowa
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Kaitlyn Nicole Chase West Des Moines, Iowa	
Major in Performing Arts	
Chris Wayne Grim Radcliffe, Iowa	Erin Marie Nicholas Plover, Iowa
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Major in Philosophy	
William Guy Hart Cedar Rapids, Iowa	
Major in Political Science	
Jessica A. Aguirre Perry, Iowa	Monica L. Leier Marion, Iowa
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Major in Psychology	
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* Kimberly Diane Paul Midland, Mich.	Zachary Rex Zeiss Leon, Iowa
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	*+Vollay Mario Saifart Dlainfald III
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### **Major in World Languages and Cultures (French)**

Eric Daniel Quigley Cedar Rapids, Iowa Abigail Margaret Rizzo Milwaukee, Wis.

### **Major in World Languages and Cultures (German)**

Emery Thomas Peyton Eldora, Iowa

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Beth F. Cobb Des Moines, Iowa Psychology and Sociology

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Guillermo Jesus Elizalde Storm Lake, Iowa Interdisciplinary Studies (Criminology and Criminal Justice) and Sociology

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Elvir Klempic Urbandale, Iowa Political Science and International Studies

Margaret Ann Lewis Des Moines, Iowa Interdisciplinary Studies (Criminology and Criminal Justice) and Sociology

Elizabeth A. Lohstreter Waukee, Iowa Linguistics and International Studies

Benjamin Daniel Sevcik Des Moines, Iowa Psychology and Philosophy

Jacey Lane Stephens Council Bluffs, Iowa Psychology and Interdisciplinary Studies (Criminology and Criminal Justice)

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## BACHELOR OF LIBERAL STUDIES

### **Curriculum in Liberal Studies**

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Gabriel Wayne Harris	North English, Iowa
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Austin Daniel Kavalier	Pleasant Hill, Iowa
Rachael Marie Larkin	Vinton, Iowa

Joshua Lee Marker
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Kendra M. Plathe
Bethany Angelique Ryan
Kassandra V. Stokke
Spencer Charles Thornton
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Peoria, Ill.
Algona, Iowa
Iowa City, Iowa
Spirit Lake, Iowa
Marion, Iowa

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Trevor Lane Voelker Adel, Iowa
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## BACHELOR OF MUSIC

### **Curriculum in Music**

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Paulla Christine Edwards La Crosse, Wis.
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\*\* Sarah Margaret Roltgen Cedar Rapids, Iowa
Hannah Lillian Bea Skalbeck
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## BACHELOR OF SCIENCE

### **Major in Anthropology**

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### **Major in Biochemistry**

Zachary Thomas Young Bettendorf, Iowa

### **Major in Bioinformatics and Computational Biology**

Smita Nishant Ames, Iowa

### Major in Biology

Brianna Marie Baldwin
Brandon Barr
Matthew Lee Birnbaum
Rocio Bonilla
Blake Robert Champer
Rebecca Kathryn Christensen
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## **Major in Chemistry**

** Brittany Lynne Hallmark Ankeny, Iowa  † Justin Keoni Makio Kamahele Hirae  Hilo, Hawaii  * Sarah Grace Hollander Naperville, Ill. Austin Scott Huff Chillicothe, Iowa  Major in Computer Science	Rolando D. Montealegre Marshalltown, Iowa Zachary Joseph Siedlecki Crystal Lake, Ill. Zachary Porter Tener North Liberty, Iowa Jesus Lopez Zaldarriaga Forest City, Iowa
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* Jiamin Ding Nanjing, China Matthew Steven England Fishers, Ind.	Michael W. Silva-Breen Prior Lake, Minn.  *** Evan Kent Weible Ames, Iowa
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Major in Earth Science	
Hannah Joann Steinfadt Waverly, Iowa	
Major in Economics	
Paul Adam Rouse Huxley, Iowa	Pengbo Xie Changsha, China
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Major in Environmental Science	
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Hilary Elizabeth Pierce Hershey, Pa.	
Major in Genetics	
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Major in Geology	
Dillon Paul Nolan Cedar Rapids, Iowa	Jason Robert Saar Sergeant Bluff, Iowa
Zachary Jon Praim Fort Dodge, Iowa	
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Samuel David Crenshaw Des Moines, Iowa	Colin Andrew Reams West Des Moines, Iowa
Sterling Xavier DeLoatch Park Forest, Ill.	Jenna Marie Russell Ankeny, Iowa
Joshua Michael Gorman Ames, Iowa	* John Thomas Schaeffer Ankeny, Iowa
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Monica L. Leier Marion, Iowa	Sean Richard Stephany Norwalk, Iowa
Ashley Nicole Loper West Des Moines, Iowa	Dustin Oliver Swanick
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## **Major in Journalism and Mass Communication**

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Major in Mathematics	
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Major in Physics	
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Major in Psychology	
Courtney Jewell Adlam Daniel Joseph Barksdale  ** Alex William Dasilva  ** Coady Matthew Dillard Michelle Elizabeth Gibson Taylor Mae Goetz Elizabeth Ann Gray Aaron Stewart Heisler  Lake Villa, Ill. Elkhart, Iowa Newell, Iowa Waukee, Iowa Ames, Iowa Ankeny, Iowa Bridgeville, Pa. Granger, Iowa	Whitney Lynn Hutton Kristi Rae Larson  * Megan Jo Lee Brandi Lee Levis Gabrielle Nicole Perez  ** Elizabeth A. Schwarz Tyler Richard TeBrink  Winterset, Iowa Garner, Iowa Iowa Falls, Iowa Cary, Ill. Gilbert, Iowa Saint Charles, Mo.
Major in Public Relations	
Alexander James Furman Amira Kay Katib Hannah E. Lilienthal Berwick, Iowa Clive, Iowa Durant, Iowa	Justin Patrick Mattingly Kaitlyn Emily Mueller  ** Wai Yean Tan  Forest City, Iowa Humboldt, Iowa Selangor, Malaysia
Major in Sociology	
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### **Multiple Curricula and Majors**

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  - Chelsie Rose Bunkofske Woden, Iowa Sociology and Interdisciplinary Studies (Criminology and Criminal Justice)
- Jamie L. Cismoski Fort Collins, Colo.
  Anthropology and History
- Justin J. D'Souza West Des Moines, Iowa Biology and Environmental Science
- \*\* Benjamin Michael Davis Cedar Rapids, Iowa History and World Languages and Cultures (Spanish) and International Studies
  - Caitlin Kristine Ellingson Milo, Iowa Journalism and Mass Communication and Environmental Studies
- \*\* Drew Donald Fullerton Barron, Wis.

  Mathematics and Business: Major in Finance

- \*\*\* Melissa Rose Grunder Mount Vernon, Iowa History and Interdisciplinary Studies (Classical Studies)
- \*\* Anthony Michael Isely Eldridge, Iowa Sociology and Interdisciplinary Studies (Criminology and Criminal Justice)
- \* Jenna Mae Shirley Parkersburg, Iowa Psychology and Sociology
- \* Megan Rose Swindell Grayslake, Ill. Journalism and Mass Communication and World Languages and Cultures (Spanish)
- Ivan Saah Tamba Wheaton, Illinois Sociology and Interdisciplinary Studies (Criminology and Criminal Justice)

Jacob Daniel Whitehead
New Providence, Iowa
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## IOWA STATE UNIVERSITY SENIOR CLASS COUNCIL

The mission of the Senior Class Council (SCC), a committee of the Student Alumni Leadership Council (SALC), is to benefit and unite seniors through events and services while promoting an understanding of the Iowa State University Alumni Association. The 2014-2015 Senior Class Council is comprised of 12 students who are dedicated to recognizing seniors for their many achievements.

This year's Senior Class Council has planned a number of programs for seniors including both Fall and Spring Senior Weeks, where seniors enjoy special tours and free food on campus; the Senior Package, a gift set that included commemorative Iowa State items; Grad Breakfast, a chance for seniors to relax and enjoy a meal served by ISU faculty and staff; Real Life Answers, a conference for seniors to prepare them for life after graduation,

and the Senior Send-off, a year-end event for seniors at the ISU Alumni Center to celebrate seniors' transitions to being alumni! The events that SCC plans and co-sponsors are intended to be both beneficial and enjoyable for seniors.

Finally, Senior Class Council always invites you and your families to return to the Iowa State Alumni Center following the Commencement Ceremony today as you are all now Alumni of Iowa State University!

For more information on SCC and SALC programs, please visit www.isusalc.org.

To learn more about the Iowa State University Alumni Association, go to www.isualum.org.

### 2014-2015 Senior Class Council Leadership

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 Scott McDonald
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 Anna McConnell

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## CANDIDATES FOR COMMISSIONS

The following students have been or will be commissioned in the branch of service indicated:

### **United States Army**

Alexandra Z. Gutierrez (Summer 2014) Derrick T. Hill Jacob V. Scott (Summer 2014) Trenton M. Speer Anthony J. Stoll

### **United States Marine Corps**

Alexander J. Furman

### **United States Navy**

Jason P. Cotter Drew D. Delp Kaid W. Weideman

#### **United States Air Force**

Matthew S. Kellen



## **Summer Commencement**

Official List of Degrees Conferrred August 9, 2014

## CANDIDATES FOR DEGREES FROM THE GRADUATE COLLEGE

## DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY

††§ Ghinwa Alameen Homs, Syria

B.A. Al Baath University Dipl. Damascus University M.A. Iowa State University Department: English

Major: Applied Linguistics and Technology
Dissertation: The effectiveness of linking
instruction on NNS speech perception
and production

†† Alvin Mercado Alejandrino

Long Beach, Calif.
B.A. California State University-Long Beach
M.S. California State University-Los Angeles
Department: Ecology, Evolution and
Organismal Biology

Major: Ecology and Evolutionary Biology Dissertation: Convergent evolution of life habit and shell shape in scallops (Bivalvia: Pectinidae) with a description of a new genus

Marwan A. Alhijazeen Karak, Jordan

B.Agri. Mutah University M.S. Jordan University of Science and Technology

Department: Animal Science

Major: Meat Science

Dissertation: Effect of oregano essential oil and tannic acid on storage stability and quality of ground chicken meat

Jason M. Anderson Golden Valley, Minn.
B.S. South Dakota School of Mines and
Technology

Department: Chemical and Biological

Engineering
Major: Chemical Engineering

Dissertation: Hydrothermally stable heterogeneous catalysts for biorenewable-derived molecule conversions to chemicals

Timothy James Anderson Ankeny, Iowa

B.S. Iowa State University M.S. Iowa State University Department: Chemistry Major: Analytical Chemistry

Dissertation: Mass spectrometry and Fourier transform infrared spectroscopy for analysis of biological materials

§ Hamed Attariani Mashhad, Iran

B.S. Ferdowsi University M.S. Ferdowsi University

Department: Aerospace Engineering Major: Engineering Mechanics

Dissertation: Coupled mechanochemical theories for reacting systems with application to nanovoid nucleation and Li-ion batteries

††§ Jonathan Mark Balzotti Salt Lake City, Utah

B.A. University of Utah B.A. University of Utah M.A. University of Utah Department: English

Major: Rhetoric and Professional

Communication

Dissertation: Big rhetoric: The art and rhetoric of spectacle in classical and contemporary experience

†† Nathan Louis Bandow Ankeny, Iowa

B.S. Iowa State University

Department: Biochemistry, Biophysics and

Molecular Biology Major: Biochemistry

Dissertation: Isolation and binding properties of methanobactin from the facultative methanotroph *Methylocystis* strain SB2

Charles Ashley Barnes Kittrell, N.C.

B.S. University of North Carolina-Greensboro

Department: Chemistry

Major: Physical Chemistry (Chemical

Instrumentation)

Dissertation: Time-resolved and steady-state studies of biologically and chemically relevant systems using laser, absorption, and fluorescence spectroscopy

§ Cameron Carl Beatty Indianapolis, Ind.

B.A. Indiana University-Bloomington M.S. Indiana University-Bloomington

School: Education

Major: Education (Educational Leadership) Dissertation: Exploring the leadership identity development of students of color at a selective liberal arts college †† Christie Lynn Beck Baraboo, Wis.

B.S. University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee
Department: Chemistry
Major: Organic Chemistry
Dissertation: Binding and release studies of carboxylates

†† CariAnn Marie Bergner Belleview, Mo.
B.S. Southeast Missouri State University
Department: Psychology
Major: Psychology (Counseling Psychology)
Dissertation: We can do it, but I wouldn't
like it: Gender, interests, and occupational
perceptions

§ Jennifer Marie Binning Grand River, Iowa B.A. Simpson College Department: Biochemistry, Biophysics and

Molecular Biology Major: Biochemistry

Dissertation: Characterization of Ebola virus VP35 first basic patch as a therapeutic target

Kurt Ryan Brorsen Stillwater, Okla.
B.S. University of Oklahoma
Department: Chemistry
Major: Physical Chemistry
Dissertation: A needed response: Fragment

molecular orbital analytic gradients

††Tristan Robert Brown Ames, Iowa

B.A. University of Iowa
J.D. University of Missouri-Columbia
Department: Mechanical Engineering
Major: Biorenewable Resources and
Technology

Dissertation: Quantifying the economic competitiveness of cellulosic biofuel pathways under uncertainty and regional sensitivity

Ahmad Safuan Bujang Kuching, Malaysia
B.E. University Putra Malaysia
M.S. Iowa State University
Department: Agricultural and Biosystems
Engineering
Majors: Agricultural and Biosystems

Engineering and Biorenewable Resources and Technology

Dissertation: Utilization of durian biomass for biorenewable applications

††§ Alex Preston Byrd Independence, Va.

B.S. Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State
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M.S. Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State
University
Department: Agricultural Education and
Studies
Major: Agricultural Education
Dissertation: Identifying the effects of
human factors and training methods on a
weld training program

Yuanfeng Cai

B.S. Tongji University

M.S. Iowa State University

Department: Business Administration

Major: Business and Technology

(Information Systems)

Dissertation: Analysis of malicious input issues on intelligent systems

Jack Mccaslin Carraher Minot, N. Dak.
B.S. Minot State University
Department: Chemistry
Major: Inorganic Chemistry (Industrial Chemistry)
Dissertation: Kinetic and mechanistic studies of reactive intermediates in photochemical and transition-metal assisted oxidation, decarboxylation, and alkyl transfer reactions

†† Geetika Chadha Meerut, India
B.S. University of Delhi
M.S. University of Delhi
Department: Chemistry
Major: Organic Chemistry
Dissertation: Functionalized surface-cross-linked micelles for catalysis and light harvesting

Can Chen Wuhan, China
B.E. Air Force University of Engineering
M.S. New Mexico State University
Department: Civil, Construction and
Environmental Engineering
Major: Civil Engineering (Civil Engineering
Materials)
Dissertation: Evaluation of Iowa asphalt
pavement joint cracking

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Department: Statistics
Major: Statistics
Dissertation: Imputation of missing values using quantile regression

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B.Ed. Beijing Normal University M.Ed. Beijing Normal University

School: Education

Major: Education (Educational Leadership) Dissertation: The influence of self-efficacy on degree aspiration among domestic and international community college students

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B.A. Wartburg College M.S. Iowa State University Department: Psychology

Major: Psychology (Counseling Psychology) Dissertation: Examination of an emotionfocused therapy intervention to promote self-forgiveness for interpersonal offenses

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B.S. Idaho State University Department: Chemistry Major: Chemistry

Dissertation: A short and sweet story of

CHO

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Department: Apparel, Events, and Hospitality Management

Major: Apparel, Merchandising, and Design Dissertation: Understanding ethical consumption decisions: The role of values, attitudes and expectations in the apparel purchasing context

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B.A. University of Minnesota-Morris

M.S. Cornell University Department: Agronomy

Majors: Sustainable Agriculture and Crop

Production and Physiology

Dissertation: A comparison of carbon storage potential in corn- and prairiebased agroecosystems

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B.A. Simpson College

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Department: Human Development and Family Studies

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Dissertation: Parenting practices related to positive eating, physical activity and sedentary behaviors in children: A qualitative exploration of strategies used by parents to navigate the obesigenic

environment

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Department: Mechanical Engineering Major: Mechanical Engineering Dissertation: Characterization of the

hydrodynamic structure of a 3D acoustic fluidized bed

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Department: Geological and Atmospheric Sciences

Major: Geology

Dissertation: Stable tellurium isotope variability in ore-forming systems: A theoretical and experimental approach

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Dissertation: Dynamic soil-pile interaction by random vibration methods

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Major: Economics

Dissertation: Stepping into new territory: Three essays on agentbased computational economics and environmental economics

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Department: Human Development and Family Studies

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Dissertation: Utilizing life history theory to assess the effect of the accelerated maternal reproductive index on infant and child health outcomes

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Dissertation: Cytonuclear and small RNA evolution in diploid and polyploid plant species

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Engineering

Major: Computer Engineering Dissertation: Application aware

performance, power consumption, and reliability tradeoff

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Department: Aerospace Engineering

Major: Engineering Mechanics

Dissertation: Early-state damage detection, characterization, and evolution using high-resolution computed tomography

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Major: Toxicology

Dissertation: Botanical pesticides:

Identification of a molecular target and

mode of action studies

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Department: Materials Science and

Engineering

Major: Materials Science and Engineering Dissertation: In situ transmission electron microscopy study of the microstructural origins for the electric field-induced phenomena in ferroelectric perovskites

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Dissertation: I. Toward non-blinking robust Vis and NIR active fluorophores: Controlled fabrication and applications of thick-shell CdSe/nCdS and Ge/nCdS (n greater than 10) Nanocrystals II. Shape-programmed nanofabrication: Understanding the reactivity of dichalcogenide precursors

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B.S. Hunan University M.S. Hunan University Department: Chemistry Major: Analytical Chemistry Dissertation: Applications of single molecule and nanoparticle imaging in chemical separation, photocatalysis, and

drug delivery

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Dissertation: Direct observation and reactivity of oxenium ions

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Major: Ecology and Evolutionary Biology Dissertation: Soil microbial communities in bioenergy cropping systems: Unearthing relationships across a heterogeneous agroecosystem

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Major: Education (Educational Leadership) Dissertation: Experiences of supervision skill development among new professionals in student affairs

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Major: Education (Educational Leadership) Dissertation: Chinese high school to American university: The effects and outcomes of international college preparation programs

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Dissertation: Three essays on envrionmental

economics

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Major: Psychology

Dissertation: When Lady Luck cheats on

you

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Department: Animal Science
Major: Nutritional Sciences
Dissertation: Heat stress alters animal
physiology and post-absorptive
metabolism during pre- and postnatal
development

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B.S. Hope College Department: Mathematics Major: Mathematics

Dissertation: The Frobenius-Schur indicator of Tambara-Yamagami categories

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Dissertation: A validity argument for the
use of scores from a web-search-permitted
and web-source-based integrated writing

test

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Department: Chemistry
Major: Analytical Chemistry
Dissertation: Development of matrixassisted laser desorption ionization-mass
spectrometry imaging (MALDI-MSI) for
plant metabolite analysis

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Major: Ecology and Evolutionary Biology Dissertation: The evolution of salamander mimicry: Predators, prey, and perception

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Dissertation: On diamond-free subposets of the Boolean lattice: An application of flag algebras Mark Alvin Laingen

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Technology

Dissertation: Assessing engineering students' demonstration of workplace competencies in experiential learning environments through internships and cooperative work experiences

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Department: Electrical and Computer

Engineering

Major: Computer Engineering

Dissertation: Efficient communication using multiple cycles and multiple channels

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Dissertation: Multifunctional, tunable

catalysts from interfacially cross-linked

reverse micelles

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Department: Business Administration

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(Marketing)

Dissertation: Improving customer equity through value creation and value appropriation

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Major: Chemistry

Dissertation: Characterization of bacterial RND efflux systems via transcriptional regulator CmeR and outer membrane channels CusC and MtrE

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Dissertation: Process planning for the subtractive rapid manufacturing of heterogeneous materials: Applications for automated bone implant manufacturing Michael David Lesoine East Stroudsburg, Pa.
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Major: Analytical Chemistry
Dissertation: Subdiffraction instrumentation
development and application to the
elucidation of biological systems, thin
films, and organic photovoltaic devices

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Dissertation: A multiple case study of
professional development and perspective
change within the Cooperative Extensive
Service

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Dissertation: Mobile mRNA: A long distance signaling system in potato

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University

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Major: Physics

Dissertation: Modeling the interaction of

complex networks

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School: Education

Major: Education (Educational Leadership)
Dissertation: Anchor and launching pad:
The role of a Latino cultural center in the experience of Mexican American students at a Midwestern predominantly White institution

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Dissertation: Studies of integrins' lateral dynamics at a single particle level

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Major: Applied Linguistics and Technology Dissertation: The potential of Automatic Speech Recognition for fostering pronunciation learners' autonomy

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B.A. St. Xavier University M.S. Iowa State University Department: Psychology Major: Psychology

Dissertation: Does approach motivation account for the impact of locomotion on

positive affect?

Katrine Marsteng Nilsen Trondheim, Norway
Department: Mechanical Engineering
Major: Mechanical Engineering
Dissertation: Numerical and experimental
investigation of turbulence and transport
in mixing geometries

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Department: Chemical and Biological
Engineering

Major: Chemical Engineering
Dissertation: Selective dehydration of

polyols over solid acids and metal-acid bifunctional catalysts: Towards a catalytic toolbox for rational catalyst design

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B.S. University of Texas-Pan American M.S. University of Texas-Pan American Department: Mathematics

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Dissertation: On the nonlinear regime of electrically induced viscous jets with finite conductivity

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Major: Agricultural Meteorology Dissertation: Comparison of SMOS

vegetation optical thickness data with the

proposed SMAP algorithm

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Department: Animal Science

Major: Nutritional Sciences (Animal

Nutrition)

Dissertation: Evaluation of the

chronological impact heat stress has on swine intestinal function and integrity

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Major: Computer Science

Dissertation: Building a more sustainable sensor network via protocol innovation

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Hospitality Management

Major: Apparel, Merchandising, and Design Dissertation: Creativity and its antecedents: An investigation of different assessments

and training effects

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Engineering

Major: Chemical Engineering

Dissertation: Nanostructured surfaces for surface plasmon resnonance spectroscopy

and imaging

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Department: Supply Chain and Information

Systems

Major: Human Computer Interaction

Dissertation: Influence of video food ads in digital menu boards and healthy eating

decisions

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Organismal Biology

Major: Bioinformatics and Computational

Biology

Dissertation: The mitochondrial ratchet: Examples from non-bilaterian animals

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Department: Mathematics

Major: Applied Mathematics

Dissertation: Numerical superposition of

Gaussian beams over propagating domain for high frequency waves and high-

order invariant-preserving methods for

dispersive waves

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Department: Genetics Development and

Cell Biology Major: Genetics

Dissertation: Genetic regulation of

chloroplast biogenesis in Arabidopsis

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Major: Statistics

Dissertation: Inference for high-dimensional

covariance matrices and thresholding tests for high-dimensional count

distributions

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Dissertation: Explorations of the lineup protocol for visual inference: Application

to high dimension, low sample size

problems and metrics to assess the quality

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Dissertation: Bullying and victimization:

The role of parenting and childhood

behavior across time

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Hospitality Management

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Dissertation: Indian consumers' patronage intention toward shopping malls:

Application of an experience economy

perspective

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Preventive Medicine

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Dissertation: Characterization of the transovarial transmission potential, tissue tropisms and genetic determinants of host specificity of single-host flaviviruses

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Dissertation: Investigation of SNAREmediated exocytosis controlled by synaptic regulatory proteins

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Dissertation: Metabolomics based gene function annotation in Escherichia coli and Methanosarcina acetivorans with genetic gain- or loss-of-function strains

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Dissertation: Search for pair produced new heavy quarks in proton-proton collisions with the ATLAS detector at the LHC

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Nutrition

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Dissertation: The Blossom Project Online: Use of a behaviorally-based website to promote physical activity and prevent excessive gestational weight gain in previously sedentary pregnant women

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Dissertation: The unexpected talented tenth:
Black d/Deaf students thriving within the margins

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Department: Agricultural and Biosystems

Engineering

Major: Agricultural Engineering

Dissertation: Environmental assessment and control towards improved swine breeding-gestation-farrowing operation in

the Midwestern United States

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Dissertation: Efficiency study of testing and selection in progeny-row yield trials and multiple-environment yield trials in soybean breeding

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Dissertation: Dynamic security assessment

processing system

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Dissertation: Surface modification of colloidal semiconductor nanocrystal

quantum dots

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Organismal Biology

Major: Ecology and Evolutionary Biology Dissertation: Here be dragons: Functional analyses of thermal adaptation and biogeography of reptiles in a changing world Bin Tong

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Dissertation: A study of effectiveness of

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Dissertation: Integrated Robust Optimal Design (IROD) via sensitivity

minimization

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Dissertation: Needs analysis and the role of
education in rural communities

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Dissertation: Biochemical characterization of the biotin-dependent carboxylases, acetyl-CoA carboxylase and 3-methylcrotonyl-CoA carboxylase

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Dissertation: On empirical likelihood methods for irregularly located spatial data

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Dissertation: Pyrolysis and catalytic pyrolysis of protein- and lipid-rich feedstock

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Major: Materials Science and Engineering Dissertation: Modeling crack growth and phase separation in soft materials: A finite strain phase field approach to microscopic surfaces and interfaces

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Dissertation: Sequential rhetoric: Teaching

comics as visual rhetoric

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Dissertation: Hydrating the Pseudomonas aeruginosa periplasm under desiccating

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Dissertation: Teaching, connecting, and having fun: The interplay between empathy, play, and comics in graphic design higher education

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Dissertation: Bluffed by the dealer:
Distinguishing false pleas from false confessions

confessions

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Dissertation: Star formation in massive Milky Way molecular clouds: Building a

bridge to distant galaxies

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Major: Civil Engineering (Construction Engineering and Management) Dissertation: Highway infrastructure data and information integration and

assessment framework:

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Dissertation: Protection of access privacy in

un-trusted storage

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Dissertation: Exploring the origin of pain of payment in cash and its relevance to

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Dissertation: Three studies on environmental valuation

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Engineering

Major: Computer Engineering Dissertation: Physical layer security against pollution attack in wireless relay networks using random network coding

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Thesis: Racism and the Voting Rights Act of 1965: A natural experiment in Wa and Guilford counties in North Carolina

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Thesis: Farm to school programs: Is there a connection to the implementation of wellness policies at the elementary school

building level?

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Thesis: Borrowing a home: Palestinian women's agency in forming national

identity

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Thesis: Sacrificing our daughters: Changing perceptions of prostitution in Iowa, 1880-

1915

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Thesis: Taking back the commons:

Motivating factors for the local control of GMOs

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Systems

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Department: Graphic Design
Major: Graphic Design
Thesis: Introducing transdisciplinary
design thinking in early undergraduate
education to facilitate collaboration and
innovation

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B.A. Morningside College
Department: Integrated Studio Arts
Major: Integrated Visual Arts
Thesis: Constructing realities

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Major: Industrial Design
Thesis: Interaction design strategies for open-ended play

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Department: Community and Regional Planning

Major: Sustainable Agriculture

Thesis: Organic agriculture development strategies in Tunisia and Uganda: Lessons for African organics

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Department: Human Development and

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Major: Human Development and Family Studies

Thesis: Father absence and early sexual debut: Understanding the influence of gender, risk, and protective factors

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Thesis: Study of mechanical and thermal properties of soy flour elastomers

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Department: Food Science and Human

Nutrition

Major: Diet and Exercise

Thesis: The protective effect of resistant starch in type 1 diabetic rats

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B.S. Iowa State University

Department: Plant Pathology and

Microbiology

Major: Plant Pathology

Thesis: Real-time PCR analysis of maize seedlings for assessment of seed treatment efficacy and genetic resistance to infection

by Sphacelotheca reiliana

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B.S. Iowa State University Department: Kinesiology Major: Kinesiology

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Department: Natural Resources and Ecology Management

Major: Sustainable Agriculture

Thesis: Soil moisture patterns and hydraulic properties associated with alternative biomass cropping systems across a

landscape gradient

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Department: Chemistry Major: Chemistry

Thesis: Use of RNA aptamers for enhanced drug therapy and imaging

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B.S. Iowa State University

Department: Electrical and Computer

Engineering

Major: Electrical Engineering

Thesis: Effects of nonideal characteristics of substrate BJT on bandgap reference circuit

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B.E. University of Pune Department: Computer Science Major: Computer Science Thesis: Automatic verification of

interactions in asynchronous systems

with unbounded buffers

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Technology

School: Education

Major: Human Computer Interaction Thesis: nobile: Design and evaluation of a persuasive technology application for

social behavior change

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Department: Mechanical Engineering Major: Human Computer Interaction Thesis: High-quality, real-time 3D video visualization in head mounted displays

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B.A. Concordia College Department: Statistics Major: Statistics

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Major: Mechanical Engineering

Thesis: A novel particle swarm and genetic algorithm hybrid method for improved heuristic optimization of diesel engine performance

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Department: Animal Science
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Environmental Science

Thesis: Grazing management effects on environmental quality of riparian and upland grassland ecosystems Alexander M. Boechler Sun Prairie, Wis.
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Department: Veterinary Microbiology and
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Thesis: Development of an in vitro model
and fluorescent protein expression
system for the study of highly abortigenic
Campylobacter jejuni

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Department: Agronomy
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Department: Interdisciplinary Graduate
Studies
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Sciences
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Studies
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Communication

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Communication

Thesis: Sourcing and framing the 2012 battle for the White House: A student media analysis

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B.S. Iowa State University Department: Horticulture Major: Horticulture

Thesis: Biochar's fitness as an amendment in bell pepper transplant and field

production

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Department: Agronomy

Major: Agricultural Meteorology

Thesis: Evaluation of an agroecosystem model using cosmic-ray neutron soil

moisture

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B. Tech. West Bengal University of

Technology

Department: Computer Science

Major: Computer Science

Thesis: DrAGON: A framework for

computing preferred defense policies from logical attack graphs

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Department: Materials Science and

Engineering

Major: Materials Science and Engineering Thesis: Evaluating thermal imaging for identification and characterization of

solar cell defects

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Engineering

Major: Electrical Engineering

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Management

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Thesis: People in ecosystems/watershed integration: Visualizing ecosystem services tradeoffs in agricultural

landscapes

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Family Studies

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Studies

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B.S. Yangzhou University

Department: Apparel, Events, and

Hospitality Management Major: Hospitality Management

Thesis: A review of studies on luxury hotels

over the past two decades

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B.A. Sonoma State University

Department: Natural Resources and Ecology

Management Major: Forestry

Thesis: Use of remote sensing to quantify forest response following a wildfire in

northeast Minnesota

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B.S. St. Lawrence University Department: Statistics

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**Environmental Engineering** 

Major: Civil Engineering (Structural

Engineering)

Thesis: Methods for removing concrete decks from steel girder bridges

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Major: Sociology

Thesis: Parental divorce, educational expectations, and children's postbaccalaureate educational attainment

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B.S. University of Wyoming Department: Chemistry

Major: Chemistry

Thesis: Cu2ZnSnS4-Au heterostructures: Toward green photocatalytic materials

active under visible light

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Major: Kinesiology

Thesis: Association of sleep and inflammation in law enforcement

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B.A. Wells College

Department: Genetics Development and

Cell Biology Major: Genetics

Thesis: Starting small: Transcriptomics with single and small populations of cells

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B.S. Iowa State University

Department: Mechanical Engineering Majors: Mechanical Engineering and Biorenewable Resources and Technology Thesis: The effect of process variables on pyrolysis in a freefall reactor

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Department: Agricultural Education and

Studies

Major: Agricultural Education (Agricultural Extension Education)

Thesis: Production information needs of American Boer Goat Association members in the Midwestern United States

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B.A. Iowa State University Department: Sociology Major: Sociology

Thesis: Analysis of the propensity of employment on recidivism among parolees in Iowa

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B.S. Iowa State University

Department: Civil, Construction and Environmental Engineering

Major: Civil Engineering (Geotechnical

Engineering)

Thesis: Investigation of soil stabilization using biopolymers

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Department: Food Science and Human

Nutrition

Major: Food Science and Technology Thesis: Effects of lipid oxidation initiators and antioxidants on the total antioxidant capacity of milk and oxidation products during storage

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Thesis: Perceptions of secondary school agriculture teachers regarding biomass production education in Iowa

Taiyuan, China

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Thesis: Hotel employees' perceptions of supervisors' servant leadership behaviors, and relationships with employees'

affective commitment

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Thesis: Effects of exogenous enzymes and direct-fed microbial on broiler performance and nutrient digestibility when fed variable inclusions of soy products

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Production Animal Medicine Major: Veterinary Preventive Medicine

Thesis: Pathogenicity of Bibersteinia trehalosi in bovine calves

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Department: Geological and Atmospheric Sciences

Major: Meteorology

Thesis: Analysis of surface wind speed distributions: A look into NARCCAP models and ASOS data throughout the Contiguous United States

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B.S. University of Auckland Department: Animal Science

Major: Animal Breeding and Genetics Thesis: Statistical analyses of milk traits in

the New Zealand dairy cattle population

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Thesis: Ligand strategies for green
chemistry: Catalysts for amide reduction
and hydroamination

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Hospitality Management
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Thesis: Consumers' acceptance of wearable
technology: Examining solar-powered
clothing

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B.S. State University of New York at Oswego
Department: Entomology
Major: Entomology
Thesis: Characterization of Cry3Bb1
resistance in field-derived strains of
western corn rootworm (Coleoptera:
Chrysomelidae)

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Engineering
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Thesis: A non-contact volumetric based
approach using a stereo camera for
measuring yield on sugarcane harvesters

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Thesis: The civic engagement of social
media users in air quality issues in
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Sustainable Agriculture

Thesis: Multifunctional agriculture: Root

and nitrogen dynamics in two alternative

systems

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Department: Mathematics
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Engineering
Thesis: Mechanism for compaction and densification of large stover modules

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Engineering
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Thesis: Dielectric characterization of highperformance spaceflight materials

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Thesis: Acoustic timescale characterization
of hot spot detonability

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Planning

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Thesis: Taking back the commons:

Motivating factors for the local control of **GMOs** 

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**Studies** 

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Thesis: Iowa agricultural educators' current grading practices and perceptions of

standards-based grading

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Engineering

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Engineering

Thesis: Fate and transport of antibiotic resistant bacteria and resistance genes in artificially drained agricultural fields

receiving swine manure application

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Communication

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Communication

Thesis: Cross-cultural differences between American and Chinese college students

on self-disclosure on social media

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Thesis: Semi automated user acceptance

testing using natural language techniques

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Department: Electrical and Computer

Engineering

Major: Electrical Engineering

Thesis: Relaxing the requirements

for accurate spectral testing of data

converters

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Planning

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Thesis: Agricultural technologies for marginal farming systems in Asia:

Adoption and diffusion of SALT in the

Philippines and SRI in India

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Major: Mechanical Engineering

Thesis: Numerical simulation of a

comprehensive 1-D building energy

model and conjugate heat transfer

analysis on the internal flow field at the

Harran houses in southern Turkey for a

brick corbelled internal surface

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Technology

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Kharagpur

Department: Electrical and Computer

Engineering

Major: Electrical Engineering

Thesis: Effects of electrical, thermal and thermal gradient stress on reliability of

metal interconnects

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School: Journalism and Mass

Communication

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Communication

Thesis: Individual rights and government control: A qualitative study of China's

censorship

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Department: Natural Resources and Ecology

Management

Major: Wildlife Ecology

Thesis: Amphibian stress, survival, and habitat quality in restored agricultural

wetlands in central Iowa

Leah Beth Riesselman Carroll, Iowa

B.S. Iowa State University Department: Horticulture Major: Horticulture

Thesis: Photosynthetically active radiation and root-zone temperature effects on high-tunnel primocane red raspberry

growth and development

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B.S. Iowa State University Department: Horticulture Major: Horticulture

Thesis: The effects of canopy management practices on fruit quality of northernhardy interspecific hybrids of Vitis spp.

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Major: Computer Science

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Thesis: The effects of skill acquisition in youth jobs on future work and earnings

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Major: Diet and Exercise

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Engineering)

Thesis: Strain decomposition for the soft elastomeric capacitors (SECs) network and investigation of sensor placement's

effect on estimating accuracy

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Department: Biochemistry, Biophysics and

Molecular Biology Major: Biophysics

Thesis: A single molecular study of the regulation of SNARE-mediated membrane

fusion

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B.S. Iowa State University

Department: Materials Science and

Engineering

Major: Materials Science and Engineering Thesis: Effects of aluminum additions to gas atomized reaction synthesis produced oxide dispersion strengthened alloys

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Engineering)

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Nazita Taghavi Isfahan, Iran Bach. Isfahan University of Technology Master Isfahan University of Technology Department: Mechanical Engineering Major: Mechanical Engineering Thesis: Mechanism governing surface stress generation

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Major: Entomology

Thesis: Characterization of inheritance of resistance to maize containing event DAS-59122-7 in laboratory selected colonies of western corn rootworm using the sublethal seedling assay

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for sustainable tomato production in

Kamuli, Uganda

Ialal Uddin Dhaka, Bangladesh B.Soc.S. University of Dhaka M.Soc.S. University of Dhaka Department: Sociology and Anthropology Major: Sociology Thesis: Gendered power dynamics and unmet need for family planning among married women in Bangladesh

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Major: Interdisciplinary Graduate Studies (Community Development)

Dandong Wang Beijing, China B.Admin. Qingdao University Department: Materials Science and Engineering Major: Materials Science and Engineering Thesis: The effect of p(NIPAm-co-AAc)

particle chemistry on internalization by activated and non-activated macrophages

Jie Wang Wuhan, China B.E. Huazhong University of Science and Technology Department: Mechanical Engineering Major: Mechanical Engineering

Thesis: Fabrication and angle compensation analysis of skew rolling mill

Kevin Trenton Wells Jasper, Ala. B.S. Auburn University Department: Agricultural Education and Studies Major: Agricultural Education

Bentley Morse Wingert Iowa City, Iowa B.S. Iowa State University Department: Biochemistry, Biophysics and Molecular Biology Major: Biochemistry Thesis: Fidelity, mismatch extension, and proofreading measurements of appol, the Plasmodium falciparum apicoplast-targeted DNA polymerase

Hefei, China Jingzhe Wu B.C.E. Hefei University of Technology Department: Civil, Construction and **Environmental Engineering** Major: Civil Engineering (Structural Engineering) Thesis: Development of an algorithm of bidirectional surface strain measurements from soft elastomeric capacitors

Yang-Hua Wu Taichung, Taiwan B.S. National Chung Hsing University M.M.S. National Cheng Kung University Department: Industrial and Manufacturing Systems Major: Industrial Engineering Thesis: A stochastic mathematical program with complementary constraints for market-wide power generation and transmission expansion planning

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Caglar Yildirim Ankara, Turkey Lisans. Middle East Technical University School: Education Major: Human Computer Interaction Thesis: Exploring the dimensions of nomophobia: Developing and validating a questionnaire using mixed methods research

Huiying Yu Beijing, China B.S. Southern Polytechnic State University School: Journalism and Mass Communication Major: Journalism and Mass Communication Thesis: The effect of social media comment on Chinese consumers' attitude toward the brand

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B.S. Utah State University B.S. Utah State University

Department: Apparel, Events, and Hospitality Management

Major: Hospitality Management

Thesis: The effects of hotel performance characteristics on customer online ratings

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School: Journalism and Mass

Communication

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Thesis: The impact of two-sided messaging on brand attitude: An attribution theory

approach

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B.A. Tianjin University of Sport School: Journalism and Mass

Communication

Major: Journalism and Mass

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Thesis: Portrayals of gay characters in Chinese movies: A longitudinal look

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Thesis: The People's Daily: A longitudinal content analysis of editorials from 1977-

2010

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B.S. Emporia State University Department: Economics Major: Economics

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B.E. Northwest Polytechnical University

Department: Computer Science Major: Computer Science

Thesis: Implementing a segmentation-based

oblivious RAM

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B.E. Tsinghua University

Department: Electrical and Computer

Engineering

Major: Electrical Engineering

Thesis: Development of plasmonics-based photoacoustic immunoassay and a photonic crystal substrate for sensitivity

enhancement

Jing Zhu Maanshan, China

B.S. Xiamen University Department: Chemistry Major: Organic Chemistry

Thesis: Synthesis and reactivity of novel organo main group and rare earth metal

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# CANDIDATES FOR DEGREES FROM THE COLLEGE OF AGRICULTURE AND LIFE SCIENCES

## BACHELOR OF SCIENCE

Gabrielle Glenister Pulaski, N.Y.

#### **Curriculum in Agricultural Business**

Jacob V. Scott Westgate, Iowa

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Aaron Kristofor Dahlstron	n Albert City, Iowa	Nick Matthew Olson	Keota, Iowa
Lindsey Marie Downing	Linden, Iowa	Lindsay Joy Postma	Peterson, Iowa
Jayme Michele Dyer	West Point, Iowa	Daniel Jeffrey Schaben	Westphalia, Iowa
Dillon Michael Horning	Keota, Iowa	Ethan James Schuver	Alton, Iowa
Nick Lee Lacaeyse	Malcom, Iowa	Cole Lee VanGenderen	New Sharon, Iowa
Jared Michael Langel	Le Mars, Iowa	Brandon Jay Ver Steegh	Oskaloosa, Iowa
Alicia Ann Magg	Spirit Lake, Iowa	Zachary Raymond Wanger	n Ellendale, Minn.

#### **Curriculum in Agricultural Systems Technology**

Andrew M. Docker	Red Oak, Iowa	Donald Paul Venteicher	Edgewood, Iowa
Maxwell Anthony Simonson	Milford, Iowa		_

#### **Curriculum in Agronomy**

Justin James Gizicki Bettendorf, Iowa

#### **Curriculum in Animal Ecology**

Sebastian Wesley Ford	Mount Prospect, Ill.	Morgan Diane Miller	Waukon, Iowa
Addie Rae Hillmer	Eldora, Iowa	Mariah L. Morrison	Des Moines, Iowa
Angela Marie Langston	Davenport, Iowa		

#### **Curriculum in Animal Science**

Jolene N. Burkhart	Dolliver, Iowa	*† Victoria Jo Mrotz
Carly Marie Courser	Saint Charles, Ill.	Christiansted, Virgin Islands
Linzy Annette Lemming	Wolcott, Ind.	Nathan Michael Yanda Webster City, Iowa
Sarah Lyn Lursen	Ames, Iowa	
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#### **Curriculum in Biology**

Monica Michelle Cox	Alleman, Iowa	Jacqueline Rhea Maxwell	Urbandale, Iowa
Emily Renae Drake	Vinton, Iowa	Jessica Louise McNamee	Iowa City, Iowa
Yoonsung Hu	Seoul, South Korea	Brennon Royce Naeve	Humboldt, Iowa
Rachel Diane Kula	Springville, Iowa	* Joshua Ward Peterson	Burnsville, Minn.
Maria Kathleen Lee	Swisher, Iowa		

#### **Curriculum in Culinary Science**

Phillip Austin Canada Crystal City, Mo.

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#### **Curriculum in Environmental Science**

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#### **Curriculum in Food Science**

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#### **Curriculum in Genetics**

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#### **Curriculum in Global Resource Systems**

\*\*\*† Ellyn Page Arganbright Panora, Iowa

#### **Curriculum in Horticulture**

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#### **Curriculum in Microbiology**

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#### **Curriculum in Nutritional Science**

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#### **Curriculum in Public Service and Administration in Agriculture**

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#### **Multiple Curricula and Majors**

Aaron L. Bohl Adel, Iowa Biology and Liberal Arts and Sciences: Major Melanie M. Matti in Political Science

Decorah, Iowa **Emily Marie Howard** Animal Science and Dairy Science

Tyler Keith Knierim Cedar Rapids, Iowa Animal Ecology and Environmental Studies

Manilla, Iowa Austin Charles Lansink Agricultural Business and Liberal Arts and

Sciences: Major in Economics

Batavia, Ill. Dairy Science and Animal Science

Norwalk, Iowa Nathan Dean Snell Agricultural Business and International Agriculture

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Cum Laude

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# CANDIDATES FOR DEGREES FROM THE COLLEGE OF BUSINESS

## BACHELOR OF SCIENCE

#### **Major in Accounting**

Akoua Lawoe Afoutou	Ames, Iowa
Nicholas James Chin	Wheaton, Ill.
Victoria Joanne Cox	Winterset, Iowa
Michael Ryan Gehrke	Arispe, Iowa
Rachael Lyn Gross	Logan, Iowa
Qunhuimei He	Shanghai, China
Michael Abbott Hollen	Crystal Lake, Ill.

\*\* Robin Louise Honeyman Ames, Iowa \*\* Zacharey Coleton Lentz Mantorville, Minn.

Nicholas William Michael Newton, Iowa Man Shu Wuhan Hubei, China \* Marcus Leigh Steffen Charter Oak, Iowa Tao Xu Chongqing, China

#### **Major in Finance**

Austin Jeffrey Brooker	Woodward, Iowa
* Kyle Patrick Donnelly	Cedar Rapids, Iowa
Guy Michael Emerson	Plymouth, Minn.
Haiqing Gao Shen	yang Liaoning, China
Casey Patrick Groff	Fort Dodge, Iowa
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\*\* Anne Elizabeth Hartnett

	Dakota Dunes, S. Dak.
Kaitlyn A. Harward	Floris, Iowa
Mengqian Jiang	Kunshan, China
Douglas Lee Jones	Britt, Iowa

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#### **Major in Management**

Joshua Jay Amick	Johnston, Iowa
Drew John Bilyeu	Maple Grove, Minn.
Reece Jonathan Cote	Lino Lakes, Minn.
Lyndsey Kaye Eaton	Winterset, Iowa
Jack Gerard Houston	Omaha, Neb.
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Haochong Hu	Iowa City, Iowa
Todd Raymond Johnson	Blair, Neb.

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Lindsay Rea Monday
Lindsey Arline Severson
Kristopher Clarke Stow
Justin William Wallace
Danielle Dalene Welch

Altoona, Iowa
Pleasant Hill, Iowa
Kildeer, Ill.
Nevada, Iowa
Ames, Iowa
Rosemount, Minn.
Boone, Iowa

#### **Major in Management Information Systems**

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Jie Chen Red Oak, Iowa
Allison Rae Galuhn

Justin Houang Mason City, Iowa DaRon Dawayne Saunders Des Moines, Iowa Daniel Francis Thompson Exira, Iowa

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#### **Major in Marketing**

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#### **Major in Supply Chain Management**

Red Oak, Iowa Drew William Miller West Des Moines, Iowa Jie Chen Emily Ann Herkenhoff Burnsville, Minn. Abdoulaye Seye Madison, Wis. Yuchen Kong Beijing, China Ying min Soo Banting, Malaysia

#### **Multiple Curricula and Majors**

Nathan Blake Darling Winterset, Iowa Nicole Renee Ruhnke Supply Chain Management and International **Business** 

Chad Erickson Leines Plymouth, Minn. Business Economics and Finance

Kean Michael Ludvicek Swisher, Iowa Marketing and Management

Boone, Iowa Management and Marketing

Emily Marie Schulte West Des Moines, Iowa Accounting and Finance

Zhangyue Shen Suzhou, China Finance and Management Information Systems

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## CANDIDATES FOR DEGREES FROM THE COLLEGE OF DESIGN

### Bachelor of Architecture

#### **Curriculum in Architecture**

**Justin Michael Davis** 

Adel, Iowa

Daniel Shalom Joo

Ames, Iowa

## BACHELOR OF ARTS

#### **Curriculum in Art and Design**

\* Caroline Grace Quant

New Orleans, La.

### BACHELOR OF DESIGN

#### **Curriculum in Design**

\*\*\* Mary A. Gjullin

Ankeny, Iowa

# BACHELOR OF FINE ARTS

#### **Curriculum in Graphic Design**

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Swisher, Iowa Marion, Iowa Davenport, Iowa Davenport, Iowa

Claire Elizabeth Myers Jacob Bradly Skrok Abigail Elizabeth Smith

Iowa City, Iowa Fraser, Mich. Des Moines, Iowa

#### **Curriculum in Integrated Studio Arts**

Natalie Lynn Buskohl Daniel Logan Dolash Maria Elizabeth Finch Elizabeth Anne Fisher

Waterloo, Iowa Bondurant, Iowa Des Moines, Iowa Des Moines, Iowa Johnathan B. Fusco Omar Abu-Bakr Ibrahim Edison O'Neal Moody Guillermo Thompson

Indianola, Iowa Coralville, Iowa Des Moines, Iowa Ames, Iowa

#### **Curriculum in Interior Design**

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Naperville, Ill.

Eden Prairie, Minn.

Maggie Louise Gehrls Aubrey Jane Gillman

Iowa Falls, Iowa Des Moines, Iowa

## BACHELOR OF INDUSTRIAL DESIGN

#### **Curriculum in Industrial Design**

Megan Lanae Kaufman

Harlan, Iowa

Thomas John Lutz

Plymouth, Minn.

## BACHELOR OF LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE

#### **Curriculum in Landscape Architecture**

Ryan Patrick Andersen

Harlan, Iowa

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Magna Cum Laude

# CANDIDATES FOR DEGREES FROM THE COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING

## BACHELOR OF SCIENCE

Curriculum	in /	Aerospace	<b>Engineering</b>	ı
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\*\*\*Ryan John Goetsch Green Bay, Wisc.

#### **Curriculum in Chemical Engineering**

Brooks Peter Campbell Maple Grove, Minn.
Yu-Tim Chao Starkville, Miss.
Matthew Scott Jenkins Aubrey, Tex.
Brett Alexander Langley Ankeny, Iowa
Jay Shen Lau Petaling Jaya, Malaysia
\*\*\* August J. LaRenzie Afton, Minn.

Myra Hanisa Mohd Neguib

Petaling Jaya, Malaysia Brianna Lea Montgomery Bryant, Iowa Lay Chin Phua

Shah Alam, Selangor, Malaysia

#### **Curriculum in Civil Engineering**

Xiaoyu Bai Dezhou, Shandong, China Jeffrey Patrick Behan Sabula, Iowa Sirui Guo Tianjin, China Weston John Kleinert Keokuk, Iowa Siyang Li Shanghai, China Jared Scott McGrew Chelsea, Iowa Ryan Jeffrey Young South Elgin, Ill. Liming Zheng Lanzhou, Gansu, China

#### **Curriculum in Computer Engineering**

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Rui Li
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Chongqing, China

Derek Anthony Reiser Faribault, Minn.

#### **Curriculum in Construction Engineering**

Jonathan Nalevanko Pleasant Hill, Iowa Michael Leon Nissen Anamosa, Iowa Nicholas Herman Ruhser Elkader, Iowa

#### **Curriculum in Electrical Engineering**

Majed A. Al Ataishi

Al Ain, United Arab Emirates
Shang Gao
Wuxi, Jiangsu, China
Ann Havener Goodyear
Portage, Mich.
Jared Michael Jasper
Dubuque, Iowa
Kaiyang Liu
Nanning, China

\*\* Zheng Luo Chengdu, China
Cody Michael Ross Batavia, Iowa
Joshua Michael Schau Bennett, Iowa
Kyle Joseph Shearer Boone, Iowa
Chaojun Zhang Beijing, China
Mohd Khairi Zulkalnain Puchong, Malaysia

#### **Curriculum in Industrial Engineering**

Andrew M. Klein Clear Lake, Iowa

#### **Curriculum in Materials Engineering**

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#### **Curriculum in Mechanical Engineering**

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Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia Dakota John Allen Wheaton, Ill. Michael T. Ball Marion, Iowa Nathan Andrew Carper Mason City, Iowa \*\* Chen Chen Wuhan, Hubei, China

Iin Wei Chen Fort Madison, Iowa Ryan A. Diemer West Des Moines, Iowa Matthew Richard Dryden

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Scott E. Jones Marshalltown, Iowa Cody Conrad Lynne Wayzata, Minn.

Christopher Richard Mach Cary, Ill. \*\* Alicia Faith Maher Ankeny, Iowa John Austin Maust Burnsville, Minn. **Jared Mortenson** Carroll, Iowa Hoang-Son Cao Nguyen Sioux City, Iowa Michael Jay Peterson Buffalo, Minn.

\*\* Pradhyumna Ramesh Troy, Mich. David James Richards Cedar Rapids, Iowa Brandon Marcus Schmidt Dubuque, Iowa Thomas Michael Schnieders

Central Valley, N.Y.

Mohamed Basri Shahari

Alor Gajah, Malacca, Malaysia Corey Allen Wilson Charles City, Iowa Birutawit T. Zeleke Saint Paul, Minn.

#### **Curriculum in Software Engineering**

Carl Phillip Garrett Eric Richard Lund Trevor Lee Lund

Urbana, Iowa Maple Grove, Minn. Johnston, Iowa

Sheil P. Patel Micah A. Stevenson David Michael Vriezen

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# CANDIDATES FOR DEGREES FROM THE COLLEGE OF HUMAN SCIENCES

### BACHELOR OF SCIENCE

#### **Curriculum in Apparel Merchandising, Design, and Production**

Sara Michele Schlueter Minnetonka, Minn.

#### **Curriculum in Apparel, Merchandising, and Design**

Clinton, Iowa Molly Ann Cavanaugh Alexis Ann Dessner Elgin, Minn. Jessica Leigh Henderson Ames, Iowa Julia E. Katz Piedmont, Calif. Madison Leigh Rosencrants

Cedar Rapids, Iowa

Kendra Jean Shimak Mason City, Iowa \*\*\* Mary Catherine Steiner Mahtomedi. Minn. Maren Kersten Sundby Eden Prairie, Minn. Andrea Carolina Tejada Urbandale, Iowa Shanghai, China Xi Wu

**Curriculum in Athletic Training** 

Samantha Kae Huisman Justin Patrick Pomar Los Angeles, Calif. Eagan, Minn.

#### **Curriculum in Child, Adult, and Family Services**

Katie Ann Buttolph Ankeny, Iowa Alexandria V. Davis Iowa City, Iowa \* Elizabeth Ann Devenney

Windsor Heights, Iowa Michelle Ann Ely Cedar Rapids, Iowa \* Shaney I. Esparza Waterloo, Iowa Noraa B. Fairman Chicago, Ill. Angelica Yadira Flores Monroe, Iowa Kyven Ross Gadson Waterloo, Iowa \*\*\* Caitlyn Diane Hawkins Ames, Iowa

Alexandria Rose Horsman Spirit Lake, Iowa Orient, Iowa \* Amber Dawn Hull Taylor Paige Johnson West Des Moines, Iowa Jami Lynn Kaufman Huxley, Iowa Lea Ann Kruse

Richland, Iowa Urbandale, Iowa

Krystal Danielle Martin Ames, Iowa Trina Marie Melby Iowa City, Iowa Cori Allison Milan Ames, Iowa Brittany Elizabeth Palmer Bartlett, Ill. Allison Elizabeth Peters Chesterfield, Mo. \* Shelbi Jean Risdal Ralston, Iowa Jamie Lynn Sage Indianola, Iowa Alexis Jordan Shultice Ankeny, Iowa Samantha Rae Slocum Marshalltown, Iowa \*\*\* Kelsev May Smith Anita, Iowa Tatum Alysa Smith Rochester, Minn. Julia Margaret Stephens Woodward, Iowa Kelle Linn Thomas Ankeny, Iowa Katherine J. Vollhaber North Oaks, Minn. Hannah Jean Wood Boone, Iowa

Keesha Lorraine Wormely

**Curriculum in Culinary Science** 

Carlie Rae Lake

Lisa Nicole Schmidt Schaller, Iowa Valerie Mae Weets Wilton, Iowa

**Curriculum in Diet and Exercise** 

Alysse Sydney Anderegg Charles City, Iowa Shelby Ann Miller Omaha, Neb. \*\* Mollie Margaret Smith Emmetsburg, Iowa

Harvey, Ill.

#### **Curriculum in Early Childhood Education**

Anne Elizabeth Hickok Tepper Ames, Iowa

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#### **Curriculum in Elementary Education**

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Margaret Ann McHale Savannah Grace McLau		Samuel Miles Ruppert Matthew Robert Steenson	Ames, Iowa Mason City, Iowa
Curriculum in Event N	lanagement		
** Nicole Elise Adams Zachary Michael Brehn Johnna K. Chance Natasha Ann Hemann Brianna Kaylyn Jewett	Wellman, Iowa ner Panora, Iowa Agency, Iowa Owatonna, Minn. Manchester, Iowa	Emalie Louise Johnson Sara Alexandra Johnson Kari Jo Paige Markie Ann Spykerman Sandy Velasquez	Ankeny, Iowa Johnston, Iowa Cedar Falls, Iowa Jewell, Iowa Denison, Iowa
Curriculum in Financia	al Counseling and Plar	nning	
Katrin Constance McK	eon Dubuque, Iowa	Julien Garrett Stratton	Cedar Rapids, Iowa
Curriculum in Food Sc	ience		
Aleece J. Gustafson Lisa Nicole Schmidt	Urbandale, Iowa Schaller, Iowa	Yuqi Zhi Cheng	du, Sichuan, China
Curriculum in Hospita	lity Management		
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Curriculum in Kinesio	logy and Health		
Laura Marisa Alexande		Thomas Bradley Farniok	
Ryan Orlando Barnes Matthew Aaron Bennet Teague Jordan Bohlke Beth Ann Broesder Jake Allen Brown	Saint Paul, Minn. t Anchorage, Alaska Des Moines, Iowa Burt, Iowa Milwaukee, Wis.	Ann Elizabeth Gisleson Hannah Marie Greenfield Dennis Earl Groth Mirela Hadzic	Sioux Falls, S. Dak. Floyd, Iowa Palo, Iowa Ida Grove, Iowa Des Moines, Iowa
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Madeline Marie Jobe

Hunter Farrell Kamm

Matthew John Kelley

Ryan Katzer

Des Moines, Iowa

Plymouth, Minn.

Ankeny, Iowa

Eden Prairie, Minn.

Nora Springs, Iowa

St. Louis, Mo.

Aurora, Colo.

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Hannah H. Lee Glenview, Ill.
Jason Daniel Manella Arlington Heights, Ill.
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#### **Curriculum in Nutritional Science**

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# CANDIDATES FOR DEGREES FROM THE COLLEGE OF LIBERAL ARTS AND SCIENCES

# BACHELOR OF ARTS

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jor in Anthropology			
Emilyne Rose Ranch	Waukee, Iowa		
jor in Communication	Studies		
Kayela Ann Crum Jena Rose Poldberg	Iowa City, Iowa Adel, Iowa	Jace Anthony Rossiter Winfield, Iow	
jor in English			
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Mackenzie Rain Baack	Ida Grove, Iowa	Sock Wun Phng Selangor, Malaysi	
Paula E. Fredericks	Ottumwa, Iowa	Zachary Allen Schumacher Fairfax, Iow	
jor in Interdisciplinary	Studies (Criminolo	ogy and Criminal Justice)	
Jason Bruce Carroll	Corwith, Iowa	Pierce Michael Richarson	
Dixiana Yoenny Cruz	Muscatine, Iowa	Newport Beach, Cali	
Joseph Cuevas	Cary, Ill.	Michael George Sandoz Glen Ellyn, Il	
	Sacramento, Calif.	Alex Taylor Steele Olathe, Kan	
Caleb Daniel Knutson	Hubbard, Iowa	Jason C. Vang Pleasant Hill, Iow	
Connor Yaz McCuen	Urbandale, Iowa	Jordon Puttasone Vivanh Des Moines, Iow Troy B. Walls Normal, Il	
jor in Music			
Wade Michael Gibson	Dubuque, Iowa		
jor in Performing Arts			
Seth Dennison Levings	Ames, Iowa	** Daniel Timothy Poppen Sioux City, Iow	
jor in Political Science	•		
Michael Hawk Kraemer	Ames, Iowa	Emilyne Rose Ranch Waukee, Iow	
jor in Psychology			

**Major in Sociology** 

Kevin Paul Weiser

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#### **Major in World Languages and Cultures (Spanish)**

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Eagan, Minn. Polk City, Iowa

#### **Multiple Curricula and Majors**

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Paige Nicole Faust Greenfield, Iowa Psychology and Interdisciplinary Studies (Criminology and Criminal Justice)

Stephannie Lynn Fox-Dixon Phoenix, Ariz. Political Science and International Studies

Kala Alysse Jones-Stokes Des Moines, Iowa Psychology and Sociology

Meredith M. Keeler Chanhassen, Minn. World Languages and Cultures(Spanish) and Journalism and Mass Communication

Kevin L. McKeon Waukee, Iowa Sociology and Interdisciplinary Studies (Criminology and Criminal Justice)

Elaine Io Moore Boone, Iowa Psychology and World Languages and Cultures (Spanish)

Felicia Bella Susetyo Malang, Indonesia Advertising and Business: Major in Finance

\* Hannah Leigh van Schaik

Kalamazoo, Mich. Music and Child, Adult, and Family Services

Colin Fredrick Wilcox Farmington, Minn. Communication Studies and World Languages and Cultures (German)

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### BACHELOR OF LIBERAL STUDIES

#### **Major in Liberal Studies**

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# BACHELOR OF SCIENCE

#### Major in Anthropology

Sven Aaron Frier Washington, Iowa

#### **Major in Biochemistry**

Matthew Richard Hirsch Muscatine, Iowa

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## **Major in Biology**

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Major in Computer Science	
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Major in Economics	
* Lin Zhong Hangzhou, China	
Major in Geology	
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Brenda Kay Senne-Rob	inson Thompson, Iowa		
Major in Women's Stu	dies		
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Journalism and Mass Communication
and Art and Design
Adam Jon Hillburg Algona, Iowa
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Christian James Springer Waverly, Iowa Biology and International Studies

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# PAST HONORARY DEGREE RECIPIENTS

The first honorary degree was conferred in 1877. Following is a list of those receiving honorary degrees, starting with the year they received the degree, followed by their name and the honorary degree they received. In some cases a notation is included about the individual if that information is available.

**1877: Isaac R. Roberts, Master of Agriculture.** Farm Superintendent at Iowa State University.

**1879: J. L. Budd, Master of Horticulture.** Established ISU's Department of Horticulture at Iowa State.

**1879: James L. Geddes, Master of Philosophy.** Distinguished career in the
British and Union Armies; first professor of
military tactics at Iowa State.

1887: A. A. Bennett, Master of Science.

**1887: Luther Foster, Master of Agriculture.** B.S., 1872, Iowa State.

**1887:** M. Stalker, Master of Science. B.S., 1873, Iowa State; first editor Aurora, the student newspaper; developed the curriculum in Veterinary Science.

**1887: E. W. Stanton, Master of Science.** B.S.,1872, Iowa State in the first graduating class; Acting President of Iowa State four times.

**1890: Charles Keffer, Master of Horticulture;** received another honorary degree in 1914. Only two people in Iowa State history have received two honorary degrees.

**1895: Mattie Locke Macomber, Master of Philosophy.** B.S., 1872, Iowa State in the first graduating class.

**1897: James W. Wilson, Master of Agriculture.** B.S., 1896, Iowa State; became U.S. Secretary of Agriculture; was the first of four Iowa State graduates to serve as U.S. Secretary of Agriculture.

1903: Robert B. Armstrong, Master of Philosophy.

**1903: W.T. Hornaday, Master of Philosophy.** World-famed naturalist and zoologist.

1907: J. C. Blair, Master of Agriculture.

1907: I. B. Schreckengast, Master of Philosophy.

**1908: Virginia Corbett, Master of Philosophy.** B.S., 1893, Iowa State; Dean of Women at Colorado State at Fort Collins.

1909: Norman J. Coleman, Doctor of Science.

**1909: Seaman A. Knapp, Doctor of Science.** Appointed president of Iowa State College from 1883-1885.

1909: James W. Robertson, Doctor of Science.

1914: Charles Keffer, Doctor of Science.

**1914: George L. McKay, Doctor of Science.** Recognized for his work in dairving.

1914: James Wilson, Doctor of Science.

1915: Marion Dorset, Doctor of Veterinary Medicine.

**1915: LaVerne Noyes, Doctor of Engineering.** B.S., 1872, Iowa State in the first graduating class.

**1916: Clarence Henry Eckles, Doctor of Science.** B.S., 1895, Iowa State; head of the Department of Dairy Husbandry Farms at St. Paul, Minnesota.

**1916: Herbert Osborn, Doctor of Science.** B.S., 1879, Iowa State; helped organize the Iowa Academy of Science.

**1916: Willis Whited, Doctor of Engineering.** B.S., 1879, Iowa State; bridge engineer in Pennsylvania with the State Highway Department.

**1920: W.C. Armstrong, Doctor of Engineering.** B.S., 1881, Iowa State; in charge of building the Northwestern Depot in Chicago.

**1920: Joseph Charles Arthur, Doctor of Science.** B.S., 1872, M.S., 1877, Iowa State, which was the first advanced degree from Iowa State; first librarian at Iowa State.

**1920: Alfred Atkinson, Doctor of Science.** B.S., 1904, Iowa State; president of Montana State College of Agriculture.

**1920: Carlton R. Ball, Doctor of Science.** B.S., 1893, Iowa State; agronomist with the USDA and an authority on plant rust.

**1920: Isabelle Bevier, Doctor of Science.** Head of the Department of Home Economics at the University of Illinois.

**1920: Deon Eugene Davenport, Doctor of Science.** Dean of the School of Agriculture at the University of Illinois.

**1920: Arthur P. Davis, Doctor of Engineering.** President of the American Society of Civil Engineers.

**1920: Albert S. Hitchcock, Doctor of Science.** B.S., 1884, lowa State; agronomist in the U.S. Department of Agriculture.

**1920:** L. S. Klinek, Doctor of Science. President of the University of British Columbia.

**1920: John R. Mohler, Doctor of Science.** Chief of the Bureau of Animal Industry in the U.S. Department of Agriculture.

**1920: Wilmon Newell, Doctor of Science.** B.S., 1897, lowa State; responsible for the eradication of the citrus canker in the U.S.

**1920: R. A. Oakley, Doctor of Science.** Agronomist in charge of seed distribution in the U.S. Department of Agriculture.

**1920: Thomas L. Smith, Doctor of Engineering.** Prominent mechanical engineer and inventor.

**1921: Carrie Chapman Catt, Doctor of Laws.** B.S., 1880, Iowa State; distinguished champion of the suffragist and peace movement and organizer of the League of Women Voters.

**1922: Henry C. Wallace, Doctor of Laws.** B.S., 1892, Iowa State; U.S. Secretary of Agriculture.

**1925: George I. Christie, Doctor of Science.** B.S., 1903, Iowa State; Under Secretary of Agriculture, U.S.D.A.

**1925: Clyde W. Warburton, Doctor of Science.** B.S., 1902, Iowa State; head of the Bureau of Plant Industry of the U.S.D.A. under James Wilson.

1926: Matt Luckiesh, Doctor of Science. 1928: George R. Chatburn, Doctor of Engineering. B.S., 1884, Iowa State; head of the Department of Civil Engineering at the University of Nebraska.

**1928: W. K. Robbins, Doctor of Science.** B.S., 1878, Iowa State; outstanding agricultural chemist.

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1928: J. H. Shephard, Doctor of Agriculture.

**1928: Edward A. Sherman, Doctor of Science.** B.S., 1896, Iowa State.

1929: Clifford P. Fitch, Doctor of Science.

**1929: Thomas H. MacDonald, Doctor of Science.** B.S., 1904, Iowa State; first Secretary and Highway Engineer for the Iowa Highway Commission.

1932: John Hanmond, Doctor of Science.

1932: A. J. Kluyer, Doctor of Science.

1934: Henry Agard Wallace, Doctor of Science. B.S., 1910, M.S., 1920, Iowa State; U.S. Secretary of Agriculture; was Vice President under Franklin D. Roosevelt; DAC recipient in 1964.\*

1935: Duncan Marshall, Doctor of Agriculture.

1936: Ronald Alymer Fisher, Doctor of Science.

**1936: Raymond Mollyneaux Hughes, Doctor of Laws;** president of lowa State from 1927 to 1936; his Handbook for College Trustees was well regarded.

**1940: Maria M. Roberts, Doctor of Laws.** B.S., 1890, Iowa State; professor of mathematics and dean of the Junior College at Iowa State.

1942: George Harrison Shull, Doctor of Science.

**1942: Wilbur M. Wilson, Doctor of Engineering.** B.S., 1900, lowa State.

1944: Rush B. Lincoln, Doctor of Science.

**1945: Milton Ferdinand Beecher, Doctor of Engineering.** B.S., 1910, Iowa State; official in the Norton Company in Worcester, Massachusetts.

1945: Thomas Ray Stanton, Doctor of Agriculture.

**1947: Mabel V. Campbell, Doctor of Science,** honorary degree conferred at the convocation celebrating 75 years of home economics at Iowa State. B.S., 1905, Iowa State.

**1947: Hazel Steibling, Doctor of Science;** honorary degree conferred at the convocation celebrating 75 years of home economics at lowa State. Chief of the Bureau of Human Nutrition and Home Economics, U.S.D.A.

**1948: Anson S. Marston, Doctor of Engineering.** First dean of engineering at lowa State.

**1948:** Louis Bevier Spinney, Doctor of Science. B.S., 1892; B.S., 1893, lowa State; taught physics and electrical engineering in the Beardshear administration; later became head of the Department of Physics.

**1948: Lyle Ford Watts, Doctor of Agriculture.** B.S., 1913, Iowa State; chief of the U.S. Forest Service.

**1949: Earl Owen Shreve, Doctor of Engineering.** B.S., 1904, Iowa State; vice president of General Electric.

**1949: William Wesley Waymack, Doctor of Science.** Editor of the Des Moines Register.

**1951: Harry C. Murphy, Doctor of Engineering:** president of the Burlington Railroad System.

**1951: Edward Norris Wentworth, Doctor of Agriculture.** B.S., 1907, M.S., 1909, lowa State; faculty member at lowa State College; distinguished historian of American livestock; author of American Sheep Trails.

**1952: Roscoe C. Pollock, Doctor of Agriculture.** B.S.,1913, M.S., 1921, Iowa State.

1952: Ruth Buxton Sayre, Doctor of Laws. Outstanding woman in lowa agriculture; helped found Associated Country Women of the World; appointed by President Eisenhower to the Agricultural Advisery Committee in 1950; held posts in local, state and national Farm Bureau women's organizations.

**1953: Ezra Taft Benson, Doctor of Agriculture.** M.S., 1927, Iowa State; U.S. Secretary of Agriculture.

**1953: Fred T. Whiting, Doctor of Engineering.** B.S., 1913, Iowa State; vice president for Westinghouse Company in charge of the Northwest district.

**1954: Thomas Roy Truax, Doctor of Agriculture.** B.S., 1912, lowa State; head of the Forest Products Division of the U.S.D.A. at Madison, Wisconsin; honorary degree conferred at the 50th anniversary of the Department of Forestry.

**1955: Almon H. Fuller, Doctor of Engineering.** Head of the Department of Civil Engineering at Iowa State.

**1955: Bernard W. Hammer, Doctor of Agriculture.** Involved in Dairy Bacteriology at Iowa State.

**1956: John Foster Dulles, Doctor of Laws.** U.S. Secretary of State.

1957: Belle Lowe, Doctor of Science.

Bureau of Home Economics, Washington, D.C., 1923-1924; food scientist and professor at Iowa State College from 1918 until retirement in 1956; recognized for research on preparation, quality, and preservation of poultry, meats, and fats; published textbook: Experimental Cookery.

**1958: Henry Dale Bergman, Doctor of Science.** D.V.M., 1910, Iowa State; dean of veterinary medicine, Iowa State.

**1958: Ralph Kenneth Bliss, Doctor of Science.** B.S., 1905, Iowa State; director of Agriculture and Home Economics Extension at Iowa State.

**1958: Florence Alberta Fallgatter, Doctor of Science.** Head of the Department of Home Economics Education at Iowa State.

**1958: Charles Edwin Friley, Doctor of Science.** Served as Acting President from 1935 to 1936; president from 1936-1953.

**1958: Robert Earle Buchanan, Doctor of Science.** B.S., 1904, Iowa State; dean of industrial science, head of the Department of Bacteriology, Dean of the Graduate College, and director of the Agricultural Experiment Station at Iowa State.

**1958: John Walter Coverdale, Doctor of Science.** Official in Rath Packing Company.

**1958: Gertrude Mary Cox, Doctor of Science.** B.S., 1929, Iowa State.

**1958: Edward Bertram Evans, Doctor of Science.** D.V.M., 1918, Iowa State; the centennial program carried the following, "Veterinarian, Agricultural Educator." DAC recipient in 1968.\*

**1958: Theodore V. Houser, Doctor of Science.** B.S., 1915, Iowa State; president of Sears Roebuck and Co.

**1958: Henry H. Kildee, Doctor of Science.** B.S., 1908, M.S., 1917, Iowa State; head of the Department of Animal Husbandry and Dean of Agriculture, Iowa State.

**1958: Allan Blair Kline, Doctor of Science.** B.S., 1938, Iowa State; president of the American Farm Bureau.

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1958: Beth Baily McLean, Doctor of Science. M.S., 1933, Iowa State; the centennial program carried the following, "Home Economist, Business Woman."
1958: James Lewis Morrill, Doctor of Laws. President of the University of Minnesota.

**1958: George Waddel Snedecor, Doctor of Science.** Organized the Statistical Laboratory; first head of the Department of Statistics.

**1958: Fred R. White, Doctor of Science.** Chief engineer for the Highway Commission.

**1965: James H. Hilton, Doctor of Science.** B.S., 1923, Iowa State; professor of animal husbandry, Purdue (1927-1945); president, Iowa State (1953-1965).

**1991: Raymond P. Baker, Doctor of Humane Letters.** B.S., 1935, Iowa State; director of research at Pioneer Hi-Bred International Inc.

**1992: Norman Borlaug, Doctor of Humane Letters.** 1970 Nobel Peace Prize recipient for work in developing wheat varieties.

**1993: Thorton A. Wilson, Doctor of Science.** B.S., 1943, Iowa State; President of the Boeing Company in 1968 and chairman of the board in 1972; DAC recipient in 1973.\*

**1993: Charles Concordia, Doctor of Science.** One of the most distinguished power systems engineers in the world.

**1994: George Washington Carver, Doctor of Humane Letters.** B.S., 1894, M.S., 1896, lowa State; first African-American Student at lowa State; world renowned plant scientist.

1994: Hugh S. Sidey, Doctor of Humane Letters. B.S., 1950, Iowa State; staff member and columnist for Time magazine for more than 30 years; first recipient of James W. Schwartz Award for "Distinguished Service to Journalism and Mass Communication; DAC recipient in 1972. \*

**1995: D. Gale Johnson, Doctor of Humane Letters.** B.S., 1932, Ph.D., 1945, Iowa State; teacher and researcher of the agricultural economic problems in Russia and China; DAC recipient in 1995. \*

**1996:** M. E. "Gene" Ensminger, Doctor of Humane Letters. Achievements for his work in animal science, education and international agriculture.

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1997: Simon Estes, Doctor of Humane Letters. studied voice at the University of Iowa from 1956-1963; from 1964 to 1965 studied at the Julliard School of Music; distinguished faculty member at Julliard since 1986; recognized for extraordinary achievements in operatic music, philanthropy, and generosity to disadvantaged children; named Honorary Alumnus in 2007.

**1997: Emery N. Castle, Doctor of Humane Letters.** Ph.D., 1952, Iowa
State; recognized for his outstanding achievements in agricultural economics helping to improve the quality of life in rural America.

**1997: Edwin G. Krebs, Doctor of Science.** Co-winner of the 1992 Nobel Prize in Physiology or Medicine; recognized for outstanding contributions in biochemistry

and medicine.

**1998: Federico Mayor, Doctor of Science.** Recognized for his extraordinary achievements as a biochemist and for promoting peace in the Middle East and throughout the world.

2000: John Vincent Atanasoff, Doctor of Science. M.S., 1926, lowa State; with the help of graduate student Clifford Berry, designed, assembled and demonstrated the first electronic digital computer, the Atanasoff-Berry Computer, in the basement of lowa State University's Physics Building; he remains an inspiration to generations of lowa Staters with his legacy of inquiry and excellence in the physical sciences and engineering; DAC recipient in 1984. \*

**2000:** Morris Soller, Doctor of Science. Recognized for leading the way in the actual discovery of genetic science.

2000: Jean Marie Dubois, Doctor of Science. One of the world's leading researchers in the area of quasicrystals; credited with fostering and guiding collaborative research on useful applications for quasicrystals, including a project involving scientists at Iowa State University and the Ames Laboratory.

**2001: Keith R. Yamamoto, Doctor of Science.** B.S., 1968, Iowa State; internationally known research scientist and a leader in national science policy; known for his breakthrough work on steroid hormone receptors; DAC recipient in 1997.\*

**2001: John Ruan, Doctor of Humane Letters.** Chairman and CEO of The Ruan Companies, Des Moines; recognized for his generosity to the city of Des Moines, his home state of Iowa and the international community; founder and ongoing supporter

of the World Food Prize Foundation, publicizes the challenges of feeding the world and recognize significant advances in our capacity to produce, improve and distribute food.

2002: Katharine Abraham, Doctor of Science. B.S., 1976, Iowa State; occupied one of the most important professional positions in the U.S. government dealing with economic performance and economic policy, the Bureau of Labor Statistics; under her direction, the bureau improved its method for collecting employment statistics, initiated a program to collect data on job vacancies and improved the way the Consumer Price Index is measured; DAC recipient in 1999.\*

2002: Dr. M. Daniel Lane, Doctor of Humane Letters. Contributions to research in the fields of biochemistry and nutrition; international leader in understanding the development and mechanisms underlying obesity; contributed to development of appetite-controlling drug; ground-breaking work in insulin signaling and in mechanisms underlying diabetes.

**2003: Roy Whistler, Doctor of Science.** Ph.D., 1938, Iowa State; an internationally

recognized leader in carbohydrate research for more than half a century; DAC recipient in 1999.\*

**2003: Joanne Eicher, Doctor of Humane Letters.** Played a key role in developing an understanding of and respect for African textiles in this country.

**2006: Vance Coffman, Doctor of Science.** B.S., 1967, Iowa State; widely respected by the nation's military and civilian leaders, often sought for advice on national security goals; DAC recipient in 1999.\*

2006: Graham B. Spanier, Doctor of Humane Letters. B.S., 1969, M.S., 1971, Iowa State; president of the Pennsylvania State University; known as one of the nation's premier leaders in higher education issues and helping universities meet the changing needs of the society and world; recipient of Distinguished Alumni Award in 2004

#### 2006: Monkombu Sambasivan Swaminathan, Doctor of Humane

Letters. Ph.D in plant genetics from Cambridge University; acclaimed by TIME magazine as one of the 20 most influential Asians of the 20th century and one of three from India, the others being Mahatma Gandhi and Rabindranath Tagore; considered a world leader in sustainable food security.

2006: Robert D. Ray, Doctor of Humane Letters. an attorney in Des Moines for 14 years; he served an unprecedented five terms as Governor of Iowa, from 1969-1983, served as a U.S. representative to the United Nations; named "Most Influential Iowan" at the turn of the century and holds honorary degrees from 17 colleges and universities.

2007: Robert Byron Bird, Doctor of Science. B.S., University of Illinois; Ph.D., Wisconsin; Vilas Professor Emeritus of chemical and biological engineering at the University of Wisconsin, Madison; known for five decades of books and research in chemical engineering and thermal science; Fulbright Lecturer and Guggenheim Fellow at Technische Universiteit, Delft, The Netherlands; Fulbright Professor at Kyoto University and Nagoya University, Japan; Fulbright Lecturer at the University of Sarajevo, Bosnia; and a visiting professor at universities in the United States, China and Belgium.

2007: John Pappajohn, Doctor of Humane Letters. Founder and president of Equity Dynamics, Inc., and Pappajohn Capital Resources, a venture capital firm; director on more than 40 public and private boards; launched the Pappajohn Centers for Entrepreneurship at several lowa colleges; lowa Philanthropist of the Year Award in 1998, and Honorary Alumni of Iowa State University in 2005.

2008: Michael M. Crow, Doctor of Humane Letters. B.S., 1977, Iowa State; Ph.D., 1985, Maxwell School of Citizenship and Public Affairs, Syracuse University; president, Arizona State University; faculty member: University of Kentucky, Columbia University, Iowa State (1985-1991). Helped establish more than 15 applied research centers and technology transfer organizational structures and mechanisms. Involved with Institute for Physical Research and Technology (IPRT) and Center for Crops Utilization Research (CCUR). Served as senior adviser to U.S. Departments of State and Commerce on science and technology policy related to intelligence and national security; a Fellow of the National Academy of Public Administration; and member. Council on Foreign Relations.

2008: Kenneth M. Quinn, Doctor of Humane Letters. Graduate of Wahlert High School and Loras College; former U.S. Ambassador to the Kingdom of Cambodia; president, World Food Prize Foundation; member, American Foreign Service; member, Henry Kissinger's National Security Council; Special Assistant to Ambassador Richard Holbrooke; Narcotics Counselor at US mission to the United Nations in Vienna; humanitarian efforts

on behalf of refugees; Chairman of the Inter-agency Task Force on POW/MIA's; and member of the US-Russia POW/MIA Commission.

**2009:** J. Dwayne McAninch, Doctor of Science. Founder, McAninch Corporation; adviser to the board of Caterpillar/Trimble Control Technologies, LLC; provided leadership for applying GPS technology to construction methods.

2009: Chan Koo Park, Doctor of Science.

B.S., 1976, Iowa State; Chairman and CEO of chemical operations, Kumho Asiana Group; leader and innovator in the petrochemical industry; helped establish Asiana Airline, Kumho Express and Kumho Telecomm divisions; awards include: Gold Tower Industry Honor, Korea's highest corporate CEO award, Korea's Environment-Friendly Award, and several awards from the Office of the Korean President for contributions to the national economy, industry safety standards, labor relations, the environment and social responsibility.

2009: M. Patricia Quinlisk, Doctor of Science. B.S. University of Wisconsin, Stevens Point; Master of Public Health from Johns Hopkins University; and M.D. from the University of Wisconsin, Madison. Epidemiologist and Medical Director of the lowa Department of Public Health for the state of Iowa.

#### 2010: Harold L. Brock, Doctor of Science.

Apprenticed with Henry Ford at the Ford Trade and Apprentice School at age 15 and became Henry Ford's personal engineer; founding member of the board of directors of Hawkeye Community College in Waterloo; the Brock Student Center at Hawkeye Community College named in his honor; Director of Tractor Research and later Manager of Product Engineering at the John Deere Waterloo Tractor Works; designed the Deere 4020 tractor and brought it into production in 1963; founding member and president of the Society of Automotive Engineers (SAE), Mississippi Valley Section; recipient of the Cyrus Hall McCormick-Jerome Increase Case Gold Medal from the ASABE.

2010: Jonathan D. Rich, Doctor of Science. B.S. Iowa State; Ph.D. University of Wisconsin; over 20 years of experience in the silicones industry, starting as a research chemist and progressing to CEO of the second-largest producer of silicones and silicone derivatives in the world; director of Momentive Performance Materials Inc. in June 2007; joined Goodyear Tire and Rubber Company in 2000, serving as director of chemical R&D, president of Goodyear Chemical, and in 2002 was named president, North

American Tire, and Chairman of the Board, Goodyear Dunlop Tires NA; serves on Iowa State University's Institute for Physical Research and Technology (IPRT) Industrial Advisory Board.

2011: Harold Scheraga, Doctor of Science. B.S., 1941, City College of New York; A.M., 1942 & Ph.D., 1946 Duke University; one of the world's leading physical chemists working on macromolecules, primarily proteins and nucleic acids, member of the National Academy of Science and American Academy of Arts and Science, and a Fellow of the American Chemical Society, Biophysical society, and American Association for the Advancement of Science, six-time Fogarty Scholar of the National Institutes of Health. Four of his papers have been designated as "citation classics" by the journal Current Contents, and in the March 1982 issue, he was listed as the most frequently cited physical chemist in the world. In a 2009 ranking of the 2,000 most notable living chemists, he was ranked 11th

2011: Robert N. Shelton, Doctor of Science. B.S., Stanford University; M.S. & Ph.D., University of California; 19th president of the University of Arizona, affiliated with the Ames Laboratory of the U.S. Department of Energy at ISU, in 1987, he joined the faculty at the University of California, Davis, as professor and chair of the Department of Physics, was appointed Vice Chancellor for Research in 1990, and Vice Provost for Research of the University of California system in 1996, in 2001, he joined the University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill, as Executive Vice Chancellor and Provost, Dr. Shelton's research has focused on collective electron effects in novel materials, and he made many significant contributions to the advancement of superconductivity and superconductive materials.

2011: Benjamin J. Allen, Doctor of Humane Letters. B.S., Indiana University; M.S. & Ph.D., University of Illinois; president of the University of Northern Iowa since 2006; former professor, dean, vice president and provost at Iowa State University from 1979 to 2006; and a member of the Washington State University faculty from 1974 to 1979, including a year as a Brookings Economic Policy Fellow in the U.S. Department of Transportation; nationally known researcher and educator in transportation and logistics, appointed by Iowa Governor Branstad to co-chair, the Iowa STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics) Advisory Council.

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2012: George P. Belitsos, Doctor of Humane Letters. Founder and Chief Executive Officer of Youth and Shelter Services, Inc. (YSS). Headquartered in Ames, YSS is dedicated to helping communities prepare young people for the challenges of life by providing information services and tools to create healthier opportunities and outcomes for troubled youth.

#### 2012: Daniel Gianola, Doctor of Science.

B.S. 1970, Universidad de la Republica, M.S.1973, Ph.D. 1975 University of Wisconsin -Madison. Sewall Wright Professor of Animal Breeding and Genetics at the University of Wisconsin, Madison. Dr. Gianola's research involves theory and applications of quantitative genetics to animal breeding, and it has had a profound impact on the analysis of animal breeding data.

2012: James L. Barnard, Doctor of Science. B.S. University of Stellenbosch & University of Pretoria; M.S. University of Texas; Ph.D. Vanderbilt University. Global Practice and Technology Leader for Black & Veatch, an international engineering, consulting and construction company in energy, water, telecommunications, and management consulting projects with more than 100 offices worldwide; one of the world's leading environmental engineers.

#### 2013: Peggy A. Whitson, Doctor of

Science. B.S. Iowa Wesleyan College; Ph.D. Rice University. National Research Council Resident Research Associate at NASA's Johnson Space Center. She joined NASA as a research biochemist In 1989. Later became a NASA astronaut, space mission commander and chief of the NASA Astronaut Corps; included two extended periods in space aboard the International Space Station (ISS), serving as NASA's first Science Officer on her first mission and as commander of the second mission. The first mission (2002), lasted 185 days and included a nearly four and one-half hour spacewalk to install and check equipment. Her second space mission (2007), lasted 192 days.

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