



*Winter
Commencement*

December 14, 2018

1:30 p.m.

2018 Winter Commencement

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*Processional: "Pomp and Circumstance" Edward Elgar
A Touch of Brass

Welcome Dr. Marysz Rames
President

*"The Star Spangled Banner" John Stafford Smith
Led by Graduating Senior Musicians Ms. Melody Martin and Ms. Olivia Nottlemann
(The audience is invited to sing)

Invocation Ms. Melody Ruth Martin
Summa cum Laude, Music/Vocal & Instrumental K-12 Education

Greetings from the Board Mr. Carter "Cap" Peterson
Trustee, Nebraska State College System

Alumni Achievement Award President Rames
Mr. Kevin Armstrong, CEO of the Wayne State Foundation
Recipient: Ms. Debra A. Bodenstedt, 1978 Wayne State College Graduate

Address Ms. Lacey Chantel Brooks
Magna cum Laude, Speech Communication Organizational Leadership and Public Relations
Ms. Megan Faith Gebhardt
Masters in Business Administration

Musical Selection: "My Spirit Be Joyful" J. S. Bach
A Touch of Brass

Presentation of Candidates for Degree Mr. Steven Elliott
Vice President for Academic Affairs

Conferring of Degrees President Rames

Presentation of Baccalaureate Candidates Mr. Gregg Heinselmann
Vice President of Student Affairs

Presentation of Graduate Candidates Dr. Vaughn Benson, Dean, School of Business and Technology
Dr. Tammy Evetovich, Dean, School of Natural and Social Sciences
Dr. Nicholas Shudak, Dean, School of Education and Counseling
Dr. Yasuko Taoka, Dean, School of Arts and Humanities

Concluding Remarks President Rames

*"Alma Mater" Leon Beery
Dr. Sarah Farr, Assistant Professor of Music
(The audience is invited to sing, words on the back cover)

*Recessional: "The Sinfonians" Clifton Williams
A Touch of Brass

Marshal: Dr. Mark Hammer, President of Faculty Senate
Student Marshals and Ushers: Admissions Navigators

*Audience please stand

Debra A. Bodenstedt '78

Alumni Achievement Award



Debra Bodenstedt was born and raised in Wayne County. Her education began in the same one-room rural school her father had attended. She graduated from Wayne High School and earned her Bachelor of Arts in Education from Wayne State in 1978. While at Wayne State, she participated in varsity volleyball and softball, German Club, Panhellenic Council, Student Council, Chi Omega sorority, and myriad intramural sports. She taught high school for three years before joining the United States Navy, earning her commission as an Ensign at Officer Candidate School in March 1983.

Bodenstedt's 27 years in the military was marked by distinguished service. She was the first woman to qualify as a Submarine Rescue Chamber operator while assigned temporarily onboard USS Kittiwake. She participated as a diver in the Space Shuttle Challenger salvage. She served as Commanding Officer Consolidated Divers Unit in San Diego, Calif., from March 1998 to May 2000, where her divers completed the first double in-water aircraft carrier

propeller change on USS John C. Stennis, and maintained the Navy's only certified underwater welding team. She participated as a diver in the historic salvage of the Civil War vessel USS Monitor and oversaw the ordnance salvage efforts for USS Cole after the suicide bombing in Yemen.

She was inducted into the Women Divers Hall of Fame in 2002, the Women in Military Service Memorial in 2008, and was recognized as a Hometown Hero by Modern Woodmen of America in 2017. Her personal military service awards are the Legion of Merit, Defense Meritorious Service Medal with oak leaf cluster, Meritorious Service Medal with gold star, Navy Commendation Medal (three gold stars), Joint Service Achievement Medal, and Navy & Marine Corps Achievement Medal.

Her United States Navy service included Basic Diving, Salvage courses at Naval Diving, and Salvage Training Center and Surface Warfare Officer's School; USS Yellowstone as a Division and Diving Officer; Operations Officer and Director of the Naval Surface Force Atlantic Second Class Diving School from 1986 to 1988; Operations Officer in USS Grasp from 1988 to 1991; Executive Officer in USS Safeguard from 1992 to 1994; Officer in charge of Naval Ordnance Center Detachment in Rock Island, Ill., from 1995 to 1998; Commanding Officer Consolidated Divers Unit in San Diego, Calif., from 1998 to 2000; Executive Officer of Atlantic Ordnance Command in Yorktown, Va., from 2000 to 2002; Naval War College in Newport, R.I., where she received a Master's Degree in National Security and Strategic Studies in 2003; Deputy Logistics Support Division and Munitions Branch Chief, U.S. Pacific Command in Hawaii from 2003 to 2006 as Logistics Response Cell Supervisor for the Tsunami recovery/relief operations in Southeast Asia via Operation Unified Assistance in 2004; and command of Navy Munitions Command East Asia Division, the Navy's ordnance provider for Operation Enduring Freedom and the entire Pacific, with a workforce of over 700 personnel in eight locations throughout the Pacific and Indian Ocean, and an ordnance inventory valued at over \$4 billion, in 2006. Captain Bodenstedt retired from active duty in August 2010.

After military retirement, Bodenstedt immersed herself in her new home town of Yankton, S.D. She has served as director of the Red Cross and volunteered as a disaster responder. She is an active member of Habitat for Humanity, an officer with the VFW, American Legion, and the regional director for IRS/AARP volunteer tax preparation at the local Senior Center. She has served as vice chair for the county Republican Party for six years and as a delegate to the 2012 National Republican Convention. She is nearing completion of her first four-year term as a Yankton County Commissioner. She currently is vice chair of the commission.

Bodenstedt was selected by the governor of South Dakota in 2015 to chair the commissioning committee of the USS South Dakota. The Virginia-class nuclear submarine is scheduled for commissioning in early 2019.

Bodenstedt participates in Senior Games, qualifying and attending four national contests, winning a bronze and silver medal in badminton and softball. She was selected as 2017 South Dakota Senior Games female athlete of the year.

Melody Martin

Invocation Speaker

Melody Martin of Blair, Nebraska, will deliver the invocation during the graduation ceremony. She is earning her Bachelor's of Science degree. She is the daughter of Lori Martin of Round Rock, Texas.

Martin majored in K-12 Instrumental and Vocal Music Education. She was named an Outstanding Freshman Music Student and was a member of Alpha Lambda Delta academic honor society. Her activities included Wind Ensemble, Marching Band, Clarinet Choir, and the National Association for Music Education.

Martin plans to move to Texas and teach middle or high school band in the fall.

Lacey Chantel Brooks

Undergraduate Commencement Speaker

Lacey Chantel Brooks of Norfolk, Nebraska, will deliver the undergraduate commencement address. She is earning her Bachelor's of Science degree. She is the daughter of Miles and Annette Kerber of Norfolk, Nebraska.

Brooks majored in Speech Communication with an emphasis in Organizational Leadership and Public Relations. Her honors include Lambda Pi Eta Honor Society and Alpha Sigma Lambda Honor Society. She served as the secretary of the Agricultural Communicators of Tomorrow Club.

She plans to attain employment and hold a position that is communications related somewhere around the Norfolk area. Lacey is married to Todd Brooks, who graduated from Wayne State in 2013 with a Bachelor's of Science degree in Criminal Justice.

Megan Gebhardt

Graduate Commencement Speaker

Megan Gebhardt of Norfolk, Nebraska, will deliver the graduate commencement address. She is earning a Master's of Business Administration degree. She is the daughter of Leon and Kathy Gebhardt of Norfolk.

Gebhardt earned her bachelor's degree in finance from Wayne State College in May 2017, graduating Summa cum Laude. Her awards as a Wayne State student included the Delta Sigma Pi scholarship Key, 2017 business student of the year, the Presidential Scholar award (2014-2018), and Female Honor Student-Athlete of the year (2016 and 2017). She was a member of Sigma Beta Delta Business Honorary Society, Delta Sigma Pi Professional Business Fraternity, Phi Kappa Phi Academic National Honor Society, and the President's Philomathean Honorary Society. She participated in volunteer programs including the Wayne Green Team, WSC Student Food Pantry, Mercy Meals, Wayne youth volleyball programs, and went on a mission trip to Malawi, Africa, through her church in the summer of 2018.

As a setter for the Wayne State volleyball team, she was named to the Academic All-American Second Team in 2017. She is ranked fifth in WSC history for all-time set assists with 3,315. She played on a team that made three trips to the NCAA Division II national tournament, including one appearance in the final four in 2015.

Gebhardt plans to work in the loan and finance department at BankFirst in Norfolk.

SCHOLARSHIP HONORS

Based on the student's cumulative GPA at the end of the semester prior to their semester of graduation.

High Honors in the Major – 12 hours of honors courses and complete a junior/senior honors project.

Honors in the Major – 6 hours of honors courses and complete a junior/senior honors project.

Scholar in the Major – complete a junior/senior honors project.

JOHN G. NEIHARDT SCHOLARS PROGRAM

The John G. Neihardt Scholars Program provides special academic and scholarship opportunities for outstanding students enrolling at Wayne State College.

Each year the Scholarship Council selects a limited number from the qualified applicants to participate in the program, which offers special classes, colloquia, and advisement.

Students accepted into the program, who maintain their eligibility, are awarded a four-year scholarship for tuition up to 128 total credit hours, eight semesters of room waiver, and an annual stipend of \$500.

John G. Neihardt Scholars

Olivia Catheryne Nottlemann, Summa cum Laude with High Honors in the Major Secondary English Education
Senior Research Project: Giving Voice to the Voiceless: Power and Song in Shakespeare's Plays
Colloquium Advisor: Dr. Sarah Farr

HONORS PROGRAM STUDENTS

Grace Kaleigh Black, Magna cum Laude with Honors in the Major Special Education Generalist K-12
Senior Research Project: Inclusive Practices: Exploring the Least Restrictive Environment in Secondary Education and the Impact of Instructional Design for Students with Visual Impairments
Colloquium Advisor: Dr. Casey Jo Hurner

George Trevor Blum, Magna cum Laude with Honors in the Major Social Sciences Education
Senior Research Project: ISIS: Examining U.S. Mistakes in Iraq That Led to the Creation of the Islamic State
Colloquium Advisor: Dr. Randy Bertolas

Lacey Chantel Brooks, Magna cum Laude with Scholar in the Major Speech Communication/Organizational Leadership & Public Relations
Senior Research Project: Sexual Harassment: An Examination of the Recent Surge of Sexual Harassment Allegations in Hollywood and How Crisis Public Relations is Implemented
Colloquium Advisor: Dr. Allyn Lueders

Demetris Elaine Bumgardner, Magna cum Laude with Scholar in the Major Sociology
Senior Research Project: LGBT Resiliency in the Face of Adversity
Colloquium Advisor: Dr. Monica Snowden

Scott Michael Cerny, Summa cum Laude with Scholar in the Major Social Sciences Education
Senior Research Project: Czech Migration to Nebraska 1850-1920
Colloquium Advisor: Dr. Randy Bertolas

Lisneisy Gonzalez Llanes, Honorable Mention with Scholar in the Majors Criminal Justice and Psychology
Senior Research Project: Psychopathy in Serial Killers: Could They Have Been Diagnosed as Juveniles?
Colloquium Advisor: Dr. Lisa Wanek

Margaret Martin, with Scholar in the Major Criminal Justice
Senior Research Project: To the Bar ... After the Bar: Alcoholism in Attorneys
Colloquium Advisor: Dr. Lisa Wanek

Logan Danielle Schneckenberger, Honorable Mention with Scholar in the Major Criminal Justice
Senior Research Project: College Students Perspectives on Police Discrimination: Does the Media
Have Any Effect?
Colloquium Advisor: Dr. Lisa Wanek

Maggie Jean Schulte, cum Laude with Scholar in the Major Social Sciences Education
Senior Research Project: The Impact of Boycotting the Olympic Games in 1980 and 1984
Colloquium Advisor: Dr. Randy Bertolas

Abigail Danielle Steffen, Summa cum Laude with High Honors in the Majors Psychology, Sociology,
and Criminal Justice
Senior Research Project: Comparing Perceptions of the Mentally Ill Among Professionals, General Population,
and other Mentally Ill People
Colloquium Advisor: Dr. Gloria Lawrence

Layne Patrick Sullivan, cum Laude with Honors in the Major Social Sciences Education
Senior Research Project: The Irrational Mind: Establishing a Genocidal Environment During the Holocaust
Colloquium Advisor: Dr. Randy Bertolas

Summa cum Laude

Based on the student's cumulative GPA at the end of the semester prior to their semester of graduation.

Cumulative grade point average between 3.90 to 4.00

Kara Rose Ahlers	Kyra Jo Johnston	Hannah Marie Schauer
Dacia Rose Beyke	Kelsey Renee Kardell	Bridget Dee Schneider
Ashlen Nicole Brockhaus	Tracy Jean Leader	Taylor Lynn Schumacher
Scott Michael Cerny	Melody Ruth Martin	Abigail Danielle Steffen
Lorena Fernandez	Rachel Marie Miller	Courteney Dawn Zwiebel
Rachel Anna Folda	Olivia Catheryne Nottlemann	
Elizabeth Hermosillo	Madeline Anne Otten	

Magna cum Laude

Based on the student's cumulative GPA at the end of the semester prior to their semester of graduation.

Cumulative grade point average between 3.80 to 3.89

Mason Mark Alitz	Jared Patrick Burbach	Ryan Jeffrey Needham
Grace Kaleigh Black	Aaron Michael Carlson	Sydney Elaine Strasburg
George Trevor Blum	Benjamin Joseph Cotter	Breanna Marie Streeter
Lacey Chantel Brooks	Kaydee Jo Dunker	Shelby Lynn Wallick
Nicole Renee Buman	Taylor Elizabeth Koch	Jordan Daniel Zoucha
Demetris Elaine Bumgardner	Madeline Emma Krueger	

cum Laude

Based on the student's cumulative GPA at the end of the semester prior to their semester of graduation.

Cumulative grade point average between 3.70 to 3.79

Casondra Alma Anderson	Megan Lynn Fiala	Kacie Erin O'Connor
Tabitha Lynn Belmont	Tessa J. Ives	Maggie Jean Schulte
Molly Sue Burbach	Blayr Alysa Johnson	Hannah Christine Smith
Samantha Jo Coufal	Amber Tiffany Karber	Layne Patrick Sullivan
Debbie Michelle Ferguson	Holly Elizabeth Kor	

Honorable Mention

Based on the student's cumulative GPA at the end of the semester prior to their semester of graduation.

Cumulative grade point average between 3.50 to 3.69

Josiah James Boneschans	Orion William Hidy	Haley LuAnn Swoboda
Ashley Laake Dowty	Hannah Marie Knight	Spencer David Trout
Andrew Richard Eggert	Lily Kathryn Roberts	Joshua David Zuhlke
Ociri C. Garcia	Logan Danielle Schneckenberger	
Lisneisy Gonzalez Llanes	Allison Lee Sterk	

CANDIDATES FOR DEGREE

Majors follow hometowns, minors/supplemental endorsements in italics

Graduation contingent upon successful completion of the current semester.

++May or August 2018 Graduate.

Cords worn by graduates indicate membership in various societies and honoraries within their majors.

Color designations are listed on the inside back page.

Bachelor of Arts

Cassandra Lynn Lindgren	Albion, NE	Art/Art K-12 Education, <i>History</i>
Gustavo Magana	Norfolk, NE	World Language-Spanish Education, Physical Education 7-12
Lily Kathryn Roberts	Papillion, NE	Art/Studio Art
Kaylee Ann Stueven	Ireton, IA	English Writing & Literature
Ashley Lynn Weyhrich	Norfolk, NE	Spanish, <i>Business Administration</i>
Jordan Daniel Zoucha	Schuyler, NE	Art/Graphic Design, <i>Computer Information Systems</i>

Bachelor of Science

Kara Rose Ahlers	Clearwater, NE	Elementary Education, <i>Reading/Writing PK-6</i>
Mason Mark Alitz	Correctionville, IA	Elementary Education, Special Education Generalist K-6
Casondra Alma Anderson	Petersburg, NE	Elementary Education
Timothy David Anderson	Wakefield, NE	Business Administration/Management
Michelle Renee Bakke	Sioux City, IA	Human Service Counseling
Paige Michele Ballinger	Pender, NE	Special Education Generalist K-12, <i>Coaching</i>
Cole C. Beebe	Schuyler, NE	Art/Art K-12 Education
Brittany Leigh Belling	Lincoln, NE	Human Service Counseling
Tabitha Lynn Belmont	Newport, NE	Elementary Education, <i>Theatre Education</i>
Dacia Rose Beyke	Stanton, NE	Family & Consumer Sciences Education, <i>Work-Based Learning</i>
Nathan Ramsdell Bigelow	Milligan, NE	Industrial Technology/Construction Management
Grace Kaleigh Black	Lawson, MO	Special Education Generalist K-12
George Trevor Blum	Howells, NE	Social Sciences Education, <i>Coaching</i>
Josiah James Boneschans	South Sioux City, NE	Business Administration/Finance
Oscar Bonilla	Columbus, NE	Computer Information Systems/Networking
Ashlen Nicole Brockhaus	Norfolk, NE	Elementary Education, <i>Early Childhood Education PK-3</i>
Lacey Chantel Brooks	Norfolk, NE	Speech Communication/Organizational Leadership & Public Relations
Tyler James Brown	Henderson, NE	Business Administration/Accounting
Nicole Renee Buman	Columbus, NE	Early Childhood Inclusive Birth-Grade 3
Demetris Elaine Bumgardner	Omaha, NE	Sociology, <i>Psychology</i>
Jared Patrick Burbach	Hartington, NE	Business Administration/Public Accounting, <i>Coaching, Management Information Systems</i>

Molly Sue Burbach	Carroll, NE	Music/Instrumental K-12 Education
Aaron Michael Carlson	Ponca, NE	Health & Physical Education PK-12, <i>Coaching</i>
Scott Michael Cerny	Bennington, NE	Social Sciences Education, <i>Coaching</i>
Annette Marie Chase	Wakefield, NE	Elementary Education, Special Education Generalist K-6
Morgan Elizabeth Childers	Elgin, NE	Business Administration/Agri-Business, Economics
Elyssa Brooklyn Classen++	Hoskins, NE	Business Administration/Human Resource Management
Benjamin Paul Cochran	Seward, NE	Industrial Technology/Construction Management, <i>Safety</i>
Dwayne Richard Concepcion	Grand Island, NE	Computer Information Systems/Programmer-Analyst
Elizabeth Ann Conratt	Firth, NE	Human Service Counseling, Sociology, <i>Psychology</i>
Benjamin Joseph Cotter	Kingsley, IA	Elementary Education
Samantha Jo Coufal	Gretna, NE	Family & Consumer Sciences/Foods & Nutrition, <i>Exercise Science, Public and Global Health</i>
Tikisha May Cuevas	Norfolk, NE	Human Service Counseling
Spencer Joel Dagerman	Norfolk, NE	Business Administration/Management
Brittany Leann Day	Des Moines, IA	Early Childhood
Jordan Thomas Dickson	Omaha, NE	Criminal Justice, <i>Public Administration, Social Sciences</i>
Jessica Marie Dobias	Fremont, NE	Criminal Justice, <i>Sociology, Social Sciences</i>
Jordan T. Dostal	Gretna, NE	Criminal Justice, <i>Sociology</i>
Ashley Laake Dowty	Fremont, NE	Early Childhood
Kaydee Jo Dunker	Wayne, NE	Early Childhood Education Inclusive Birth-Grade 3
Andrew Benjamin Eaton	Schuyler, NE	Mass Communication/Electronic Media, <i>Online Media</i>
Andrew Richard Eggert	Plattsmouth, NE	Elementary Education, <i>Coaching</i>
Paige E. Ernst	Wayne, NE	Art/Studio Art, <i>Merchandising & Design</i>
Debbie Michelle Ferguson	Sioux City, IA	Business Administration/Human Resource Management
Lorena Fernandez	South Sioux City, NE	Elementary Education, <i>English as a Second Language, Reading/Writing PK-6</i>
Megan Lynn Fiala	David City, NE	Human Service Counseling
Rachel Anna Folda	Schuyler, NE	Family & Consumer Sciences Education, <i>Work-Based Learning</i>
Carlena Danay Forman	O'Neill, NE	Life Sciences/Biology
Ociri C. Garcia	Schuyler, NE	Early Childhood
Lisneisy Gonzalez Llanes	Corpus Christi, TX	Psychology, Criminal Justice
David Darin Greunke	Winside, NE	Computer Science
Austin Walter Gubbels	Randolph, NE	Criminal Justice, <i>Speech Communication</i>
Bradley Kenneth Henderson	Valley, NE	Social Sciences Education, <i>Coaching</i>
Elizabeth Hermosillo	South Sioux City, NE	Elementary Education, <i>Reading/Writing PK-6</i>
Orion William Hidy	Stratton, NE	Computer Science
Taylor Scott Hill	Valley, NE	Criminal Justice, <i>Social Sciences</i>
Jacob C. Hjorth	Norfolk, NE	Business Administration/Finance, <i>Economics</i>
Paige Marie Holub	Scribner, NE	Mathematics Education, <i>Coaching</i>
Nickolus Jonathan Ibarra	South Sioux City, NE	Business Administration/Professional Studies
Felisha Monique Ibarria	South Sioux City, NE	Criminal Justice, <i>Social Sciences</i>
Tessa J. Ives	Verdigre, NE	Health & Physical Education PK-12, <i>Coaching</i>
Blayr Alysa Johnson	Albion, NE	Elementary Education
Brady Johnson++	Lincoln, NE	Exercise Science, <i>Sport Management, Coaching</i>

Wesley Willson Johnson++	Homer, NE	Business Administration/Human Resource Management
Kyra Jo Johnston	Lindsay, NE	Elementary Education, <i>Early Childhood Education PK-3</i>
Amber Tiffany Karber	Brainard, NE	Family & Consumer Sciences Education
Kelsey Renee Kardell	Laurel, NE	Elementary Education, <i>English as a Second Language, Reading/Writing PK-6</i>
Nina O. Klameth	Lincoln, NE	Human Service Counseling
Hannah Marie Knight	Omaha, NE	Special Education Generalist K-12, <i>Reading/Writing PK-6</i>
Shaun Robert Hosimer Knipfer	Omaha, NE	Criminal Justice, Sociology
Taylor Elizabeth Koch	South Sioux City, NE	English Writing & Literature
Holly Elizabeth Kor	Fremont, NE	Elementary Education, <i>English as a Second Language, Reading/Writing PK-6</i>
Kaylie Christina Kramer	Wayne, NE	Business Administration/Human Resource Management
Madeline Emma Krueger	Emerson, NE	Family & Consumer Sciences
Tracy Jean Leader	Crofton, NE	Elementary Education, <i>Reading/Writing PK-6</i>
Jacob Ryan Leaver	Stanton, NE	Business Administration/Finance, Economics
Timothy James Lechtenberg	Lynch, NE	Psychology, Criminal Justice
Donna Leigh Libolt	Chambers, NE	Business Administration/Finance
Kyle D. Lichtenberg	Norfolk, NE	Business Administration/Economics
Plinio Magana Leon	South Sioux City, NE	Business Administration/Professional Studies
Preston Lee Marsh	Norfolk, NE	Computer Information Systems/Applied E-Commerce
Margaret Martin	Gering, NE	Criminal Justice, <i>Pre-Law, Social Sciences</i>
Melody Ruth Martin	Blair, NE	Music/Vocal & Instrumental K-12 Education
George Anthony Masquat	Winnebago, NE	Business Administration/Management
Sydney P. McCorkindale	Wayne, NE	Criminal Justice, <i>Psychology</i>
Julie Ann McCormick	Stanton, NE	Criminal Justice, <i>Sociology</i>
Lavelle Lavontae McFarland, Jr.	Norfolk, NE	Criminal Justice, <i>Business Administration</i>
Mariah Jo Meseck	Ute, IA	Family & Consumer Sciences/Fashion Merchandising, <i>Business Administration</i>
Rachel Marie Miller	Hartington, NE	Elementary Education, <i>Early Childhood Education PK-3</i>
Christopher L. Moore	Norfolk, NE	Business Administration/Finance
Kristyna Ann Muller	Allen, NE	Business Administration/Agri-Business, Finance
Tyler Richard Nagy	Brookings, SD	Mass Communication/Electronic Media, <i>Sport Management</i>
Ryan Jeffrey Needham	Bellevue, NE	Criminal Justice, <i>Coaching</i>
Kayla Marie Nelson	Oakdale, NE	Business Administration/Finance, Office Administration
Olivia Catheryne Nottlemann	Bancroft, NE	Secondary English Education, Music/Vocal & Instrumental K-12 Education
Kacie Erin O'Connor	Sundance, WY	Health & Physical Education PK-12
Madeline Anne Otten	Norfolk, NE	Elementary Education, <i>Early Childhood Education PK-3, Reading/Writing PK-6</i>
Valerie Jayne Clausen Patefield	Laurel, NE	Human Service Counseling
Jessica Leigh Peyregne	Sioux Falls, SD	Human Service Counseling
Jarod Treavor Phillips	Seward, NE	Criminal Justice, <i>Public Administration</i>
Brandon Robert Powell	South Sioux City, NE	Computer Information Systems/Networking, Programmer-Analyst

Collin Rex Preston++	Wayne, NE	Business Administration/Agri-Business
Rachel Anne Quiring	Lincoln, NE	Life Sciences/Biology, <i>Foods & Nutrition</i>
Remington Richard Eugene Rader	Neligh, NE	Business Administration/Management, <i>Exercise Science</i>
Jason William Ramsey	Fremont, NE	Psychology, Sociology
Ashley Nicole Randolph	Atkinson, NE	Early Childhood
Skylar Jessica Roberts	Chadron, NE	Business Administration/Human Resource Management, Office Administration
Dylan R. Robinson	Shelby, IA	Industrial Technology/Construction Management,
Dillon Patrick Ronspies	Norfolk, NE	Business Administration/Finance
DaQuan Tyrell Samuel	Wayne, NE	Criminal Justice, <i>Journalism</i>
Hannah Marie Schauer	Sergeant Bluff, IA	Elementary Education, Special Education Generalist K-6
William K. Schlautman	Lincoln, NE	Sport Management
Taylor Bryanne Schlecht	Scribner, NE	Family & Consumer Sciences/Interior Design
Logan Danielle Schneckenberger	Fremont, NE	Criminal Justice, <i>Sociology, Social Sciences</i>
Bridget Dee Schneider	O'Neill, NE	Elementary Education
Maggie Jean Schulte	Wynot, NE	Social Sciences Education, <i>Coaching</i>
Taylor Lynn Schumacher	Petersburg, NE	Elementary Education
Donald Carlos Seehusen	Atlantic, IA	Industrial Technology Education
Juan Antonio Segundo	South Sioux City, NE	Social Sciences
Erica Rose Shane	Lincoln, NE	Business Administration/Human Resource Management, Office Administration
Nicholas Bezousek Shepherd	Valley, NE	Criminal Justice, <i>Psychology</i>
Casey Jewel Simpson	Omaha, NE	Business Administration/International Business
Keaton William Slaughter	Sioux City, IA	Criminal Justice, <i>Coaching</i>
Hannah Christine Smith	Kimballton, IA	Elementary Education, Special Education Generalist K-6
Clayton Shep Starner	Council Bluffs, IA	Industrial Technology/Construction Management
Abigail Danielle Steffen	Fordyce, NE	Psychology, Sociology, Criminal Justice
Allison Lee Sterk	Yankton, SD	Psychology, Sociology, <i>Criminal Justice</i>
Sydney Elaine Strasburg	Ayr, NE	Special Education Generalist K-12
Breanna Marie Streeter	Sioux City, IA	Early Childhood
Austin Stride	Lincoln, NE	Criminal Justice, <i>Political Science</i>
Layne Patrick Sullivan	Cedar Rapids, IA	Social Sciences Education
Ashley Jean Swanson	Norfolk, NE	Human Service Counseling, <i>Criminal Justice</i>
Haley LuAnn Swoboda	Norfolk, NE	Criminal Justice, <i>Psychology, Social Sciences</i>
Spencer David Trout	Beatrice, NE	Industrial Technology Education, <i>Coaching</i>
Kaylen Alysse Tunink	Randolph, NE	Business, Marketing & Information Technology Education
Nicholas Andrew Van Donselaar	Hubbard, NE	Computer Information Systems/Networking
Shelby Lynn Wallick	York, NE	Family & Consumer Sciences Education
Tristan James Warburton	Harvard, NE	Criminal Justice, <i>Social Sciences</i>
Esther Beatrice Warner	Winnebago, NE	English Writing, <i>Editing & Publishing</i>
Shymere Jayvon Naifes Williams	Philadelphia, PA	Sport Management
Joshua David Zuhlke	Crofton, NE	Computer Science
Courteney Dawn Zwiebel	Ainsworth, NE	Elementary Education

CANDIDATES FOR DEGREE

Graduation is contingent upon successful completion of the current semester.

++August 2018 Graduate.

Listed by program of study.

MASTER OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

Zachary Dale Baker B.S., Wayne State College, 2015	Neligh, NE	Business Administration
Lynelle Leigh Freemont Blackhawk B.S., Wayne State College, 2015	Winnebago, NE	Business Administration
Natasha Brown B.A., North Carolina A & T State University, Greensboro, NC, 1997	McDonough, GA	Business Administration
Jocelyn Michelle Krull Crabtree B.S., University of Nebraska, Lincoln, 2007	Lincoln, NE	Business Administration/Education Option
Amber Nicole Remmers Dutcher++ B.A., Doane University, Crete, 2009	Wahoo, NE	Business Administration/Education Option
Melissa Lynn Williams Dux B.S., University of Nebraska, Lincoln, 2008 M.Ed., Doane University, Crete, 2013	Fairbury, NE	Business Administration/Education Option
Brent Joseph Eggerling B.S., Bellevue University, Bellevue, 2010	Creighton, NE	Business Administration
Amanda I. Furlich B.S., Wayne State College, 2008	Concord, NE	Business Administration
Megan Faith Gebhardt B.S., Wayne State College, 2017	Norfolk, NE	Business Administration
John Eric Gordon B.S., Kettering University, Flint, MI, 1991	Brookville, OH	Business Administration
Brandon Eugene Green B.A., Buena Vista University, Storm Lake, IA, 2011	Treynor, IA	Business Administration
Kirby Diane Roberts Hall B.S., Wayne State College, 2003	Wayne, NE	Business Administration
Scott Martin Hall B.A., California State University, Sacramento, CA, 2004	Troy, NY	Business Administration

Janel Ann Kramer B.S., Wayne State College, 2004	Wayne, NE	Business Administration
Jasmine Eilene Lammers B.S., Wayne State College, 2014	Homer, NE	Business Administration
Jonathan Lee Langlois B.A., Moody Bible Institute, Chicago, IL, 2009	Norfolk, NE	Business Administration
Michael Richard Loeven B.S., Seton Hall University, South Orange, NJ, 2007	Lancaster, PA	Business Administration
Laurie Louise Breitreutz Oswald B.S., Wayne State College, 1995	Wisner, NE	Business Administration
Kirsten Jo Klitz Owens B.S., Midland University, Fremont, 2014	West Point, NE	Business Administration
Ashley Justine Pello B.A., Pennsylvania State University, University Park, PA, 2008	Bensalem, PA	Business Administration
Jill Marie-Jane Schurman B.A., Buena Vista University, Storm Lake, IA, 2009	McClelland, IA	Business Administration

MASTER OF SCIENCE IN EDUCATION

Kaelee Tatiana Anderson B.S., Wayne State College, 2014	South Sioux City, NE	Curriculum & Instruction-Instructional Leadership/ English as a Second Language
Michelle Elizabeth Anderson B.S., Wayne State College, 2014	Omaha, NE	Counselor Education/Clinical Mental Health Counseling
Tyler James Brester B.S., Wayne State College, 2016	Howells, NE	School Administration PK-8
Bradley Warren Cornell B.S., Wayne State College, 2009	Newport, NE	School Administration 7-12
Leann Marie Koenig Curry B.S., Wayne State College, 2010	Ponca, NE	Curriculum & Instruction-Instructional Leadership/ Reading Specialist PK-12
Cole Douglas Fischer B.S., Wayne State College, 2011	Leigh, NE	School Administration 7-12
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Cords/Sashes

The Red, Gold, and White cord is worn by members of Alpha Lambda Delta, a Freshman Honorary.

The double Gold cord is worn by members of the Alpha Mu Gamma, a national collegiate foreign language honor society.

The Royal Blue and Gold cord with gold tassels is worn by members of Alpha Phi Sigma, a criminal justice honor society.

The Burgundy and Gold cord is worn by members of Alpha Sigma Lambda, a national honor society of non-traditional students.

The Blue cord is worn by members of Blue Key, an honors service organization for men.

The double Red and Gold cord is worn by members of Cardinal Key, an honors service organization for women.

The Blue and White cord is worn by members of Chi Alpha Epsilon, a national honor society.

The Royal Blue and White cord is worn by members of Chi Sigma Iota, an international honor society for Graduate students in Counseling.

The Purple and Gold cord is worn by members of Delta Sigma Pi, a national professional business fraternity.

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The Blue and White cord is worn by members of Kappa Kappa Psi, a national honorary band fraternity.

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The Gold cord is worn by members of Lambda Pi Eta, a communications honor society.

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The Red and Blue cord is worn by members of Phi Alpha Theta, a history honor society.

The Blue and Gold cord is worn by members of Phi Beta Lambda, a post-secondary business association.

The Navy Blue and Gold cord is worn by members of the Phi Kappa Phi, a national honor society for all academic disciplines.

The Royal Blue and White cord is worn by members of Pi Gamma Mu, a social sciences honor society.

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