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Commencement Program
Class of 2014



Friday, May 16
Alex Nemzek Fieldhouse



MINNESOTA STATE UNIVERSITY
MOORHEAD

Our Vision

*M*innesota State University Moorhead will be a welcoming educational community that offers rigorous courses of study and places high expectations upon its students. Our strong commitment to faculty-mentored undergraduate research and intellectual growth will provide students with continual opportunities for personal and professional achievement. MSUM will continue to foster an environment that encourages students to become versatile, thoughtful, innovative, and engaged leaders who contribute to their professions and their communities.

*M*SUM values diversity and mutual respect and will strive to instill these ideals throughout the institution. MSUM honors its heritage as a respected, student-focused, public university and will continue to enhance our students' lives at the same time that it contributes to the community and the region. MSUM will offer graduate and professional programs that contribute to the state and region through increased collaboration with local and state business, industry, and human services to assure optimal preparation of graduates.

*M*innesota State University Moorhead will build upon a solid foundation of high quality teaching and learning as it commits to a future as the premiere liberal arts and sciences-based university in the region.



MINNESOTA STATE UNIVERSITY
MOORHEAD.

Minnesota State University Moorhead is one of seven comprehensive Minnesota state universities established to provide the citizens of Minnesota access to quality educational programs at moderate cost. Minnesota State University Moorhead's primary responsibility is to provide baccalaureate programs to residents of northwest and west central Minnesota. Through tuition reciprocity agreements, the University also provides educational services to residents of several regional states and one Canadian province.

Spring 2014 Commencement Guest Speakers



Ben Lien

B.A. Political Science, Class of 2008

Ben Lien is the State Representative from Moorhead. His district, 4A, is comprised of the entire city of Moorhead and Oakport Township. Ben is serving his first term in the Legislature after his election in 2012. Ben grew up in Moorhead, attended Moorhead Senior High School and graduated from Minnesota State University Moorhead with a Bachelor of Arts degree majoring in political science and minoring in history. Among the four committees he serves on in the House of Representatives, he enjoys his work in the Higher Education Finance and Policy Committee. Ben spends his free time listening to music and traveling. He is most appreciative and honored by the opportunity to deliver the commencement speech for the graduating class of 2014.



Gerald Rieber, MD

B.A. Biology, Class of 1993

Dr. Gerald Rieber graduated from Moorhead Senior High School and entered active duty in the United States Air Force, working in computer and satellite operations, earning the USAF good conduct medal and John L. Levitow Honor graduate award. He was honorably discharged in 1989 and went on to attend Moorhead State University, graduating cum laude in 1993 with a B.A. in Biology and Chemistry minor. Dr. Rieber then attended the University of Minnesota Medical School, where he completed his general surgery internship and Orthopaedic surgery residency, graduating in 2002. He is board certified by the American Board of Orthopaedic Surgery and received the Healthgrades top 10%

nationwide award for artificial joint replacement in 2005.

Dr. Rieber is a partner and owner of Glacial Lakes Orthopaedics in Watertown, South Dakota. He is a founding member of Sports Medicine Plus, providing athletic training services to the Watertown School District and local area athletes. He also serves as team physician for Watertown and surrounding schools.

Along with being active in his community and numerous professional organizations, Dr. Rieber is a current member of the Board of Directors at Prairie Lakes Health System. He is an adjunct instructor for the University of South Dakota School of Health Sciences, University of Nebraska, and Augsburg College, providing mentoring opportunities and clinical rotation instruction for Physician Assistant and Nurse Practitioner students. He is involved with the local high school, providing mentoring to students in the gifted and talented program interested in health related fields.

Dr. Rieber and his wife, Tammy, live in Watertown, SD and have 3 children, Kaitlyn, Abbey, and Evan.



Philip B. Krinkie

Minnesota State Colleges and Universities Board of Trustees & Office of the Chancellor

Philip B. Krinkie, Shoreview, owns the Snelling Company, a heating, cooling and electrical business in St. Paul. He has owned the Snelling Company for 30 years. Krinkie served eight terms in the Minnesota House of Representatives from 1991 through 2006, and chaired the House Taxes Committee from 2005 to 2006, chaired the House Capital Investment Committee from 2003 to 2004, and chaired the house State Government Finance Committee from 1999 to 2002. Krinkie earned his bachelor of arts degree from Coe College in Cedar Rapids, Iowa. He has served on a number of boards and civic organizations, and is currently president of the Taxpayers League of Minnesota.

Gov. Tim Pawlenty appointed Krinkie to the Board of Trustees in 2010 for a six-year term ending June 30, 2016.

Spring 2014 Commencement • 9:00 Program

PRELUDE MUSIC	MINNESOTA STATE UNIVERSITY MOORHEAD BRASS QUINTET Directed by Monte Grise, Assistant Professor of Music Daniel Christianson and Hanna Loegering, Trumpet; Travis Bauer, Horn; Dorian Walker, Trombone; Anders Rakhola, Tuba
WELCOME	MR. LAWRENCE SCHWARTZ Master of Ceremonies
PROCESSIONAL	"TRUMPET TUNES AND VOLUNTARIES" BY CLARK, MOURET AND STANLEY "Pomp and Circumstance" by Elgar Dr. Thomas J. Strait, Professor of Music, Trumpet Mr. Michael Olson, Music Director, First Lutheran Church of Fargo, Organ
STAFF BEARER	DR. BARBARA MATTHEES Faculty Association Vice President
PRESENTATION OF THE COLORS	TRI-COLLEGE AIR FORCE ROTC
NATIONAL ANTHEM	LED BY CUTXTIME Courtney Krebsbach, Kaylianna Mathison, Kennedy Kiser, Andrew Okland, Chase Sawrey, Erik Hagfors, Axel Xiong, and Michael Beatrez
INTRODUCTION	DR. EDNA MORA SZYMANSKI President of Minnesota State University Moorhead
GREETING.....	THE HONORABLE PHILIP KRINKIE Minnesota State Colleges and Universities Board of Trustees & Office of the Chancellor
MUSICAL SELECTION	"IT'S TIME" By Benjamin McKee, Daniel Reynolds, and Daniel Sermon CutXTime
COMMENCEMENT ADDRESS.....	REPRESENTATIVE BEN LIEN B.A. Political Science, Class of 2008
CONFERRING OF DEGREES AND PRESENTATION OF DIPLOMAS.....	DR. EDNA MORA SZYMANSKI President of Minnesota State University Moorhead
	DR. ANNE E. BLACKHURST Provost, Sr. Vice President for Academic Affairs and President-Elect
COLLEGE OF ARTS, MEDIA & COMMUNICATION	
BACHELOR OF ARTS; BACHELOR OF FINE ARTS; BACHELOR OF MUSIC; BACHELOR OF SCIENCE	DR. TIMOTHY A. BORCHERS Dean of the College of Arts, Media & Communication
STUDENT SPEAKER	MR. DANG PHAM B. S. Finance, Spring 2014
COLLEGE OF BUSINESS & INNOVATION	
BACHELOR OF SCIENCE.....	DR. MARSHA L. WEBER Dean of the College of Business & Innovation
COLLEGE OF HUMANITIES & SOCIAL SCIENCES	
ASSOCIATE IN ARTS; BACHELOR OF ARTS; BACHELOR OF SCIENCE.....	DR. RANDY L. CAGLE Interim Dean of the College of Humanities & Social Sciences
GRADUATE STUDIES	
MASTER OF FINE ARTS; MASTER OF LIBERAL ARTS; MASTER OF SCIENCE.....	DR. BOYD L. BRADBURY Interim Dean of Graduate Studies
THE ALMA MATER.....	LED BY CUTXTIME
RECESSIONAL	"CROWN IMPERIAL" BY WILLIAM WALTON Mr. Michael Olson, Organ

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Spring 2014 Commencement • 2:00 Program

PRELUDE MUSIC	MINNESOTA STATE UNIVERSITY MOORHEAD BRASS QUINTET Directed by Monte Grise, Assistant Professor of Music Daniel Christianson and Hanna Loegering, Trumpet; Travis Bauer, Horn; Dorian Walker, Trombone; Anders Rakhola, Tuba
WELCOME	MR. LAWRENCE SCHWARTZ Master of Ceremonies
PROCESSIONAL	“TRUMPET TUNES AND VOLUNTARIES” BY CLARK, MOURET AND STANLEY “Pomp and Circumstance” by Elgar Dr. Thomas J. Strait, Professor of Music, Trumpet Mr. Michael Olson, Music Director, First Lutheran Church of Fargo, Organ
STAFF BEARER	DR. BARBARA MATTHEES Faculty Association Vice President
PRESENTATION OF THE COLORS	TRI-COLLEGE ARMY ROTC
NATIONAL ANTHEM	LED BY CUTXTIME Courtney Krebsbach, Kaylianna Mathison, Kennedy Kiser, Andrew Okland, Chase Sawrey, Erik Hagfors, Axel Xiong, and Michael Beatrez
INTRODUCTION	DR. EDNA MORA SZYMANSKI President of Minnesota State University Moorhead
GREETING	THE HONORABLE PHILIP KRINKIE Minnesota State Colleges and Universities Board of Trustees & Office of the Chancellor
MUSICAL SELECTION	“IT’S TIME” By Benjamin McKee, Daniel Reynolds, and Daniel Sermon CutXTime
COMMENCEMENT ADDRESS	DR. GERALD RIEBER Doctor of Medicine, UM 2002 B.A. Biology, Class of 1993
CONFERRING OF DEGREES AND PRESENTATION OF DIPLOMAS	DR. EDNA MORA SZYMANSKI President of Minnesota State University Moorhead
	DR. ANNE E. BLACKHURST Provost, Sr. Vice President for Academic Affairs and President-Elect
COLLEGE OF EDUCATION & HUMAN SERVICES	
BACHELOR OF ARTS; BACHELOR OF SCIENCE; BACHELOR OF SOCIAL WORK	DR. BOYD L. BRADBURY Interim Dean of the College of Education & Human Services
STUDENT SPEAKER	MS. EMMA VAN VALKENBURG B. S. Speech/Language/Hearing Science, Spring 2014
COLLEGE OF SCIENCE, HEALTH & THE ENVIRONMENT	
BACHELOR OF ARTS; BACHELOR OF SCIENCE; BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN NURSING	DR. MICHELLE L. MALOTT Dean of the College of Science, Health & the Environment
GRADUATE STUDIES	
MASTER OF SCIENCE; SPECIALIST	DR. BOYD L. BRADBURY Interim Dean of Graduate Studies
THE ALMA MATER	LED BY CUTXTIME
RECESSIONAL	“CROWN IMPERIAL” BY WILLIAM WALTON Mr. Michael Olson, Organ

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College of Arts, Media & Communication

Dr. Timothy A. Borchers, Dean

College Marshal: Regene Radniecki, Associate Professor of Mass Communications

BACHELOR OF ARTS

- Anderson, Brittany Ann, West Fargo, ND, Art
Back, Soo Jung, Seoul, Korea, Art
Bakke, Nathanael Jon, Lake Park, MN, Film Production; English Writing
Bauer, Travis William, Shakopee, MN, Music, *Magna Cum Laude*
Beck, Dustin Everett, Arvilla, ND, Theatre Arts
Behnke, Lynea, Farmington, MN, Theatre Arts; Music
Bhattarai, Bhupendra, Kathmandu, Nepal, Film Production
Boyle, Theresa Marie, Otsego, MN, Art, *Cum Laude*
Brekke, Tara Jean, West Fargo, ND, Film Production; Philosophy
Brown, Anne Elizabeth, Forest Lake, MN, Theatre Arts, *Magna Cum Laude*
Brown, Eric Joseph, Mahtomed, MN, Film Production
Casey, Margaret Agnes, New Richmond, WI, Communication Studies; Leadership Studies, Entrepreneurship, Distinction in Engagement from the College of Business & Innovation
Claeys, Samuel Thomas, Bottineau, ND, Film Production
Cole, Chance Robert, Dickinson, ND, Film Production, *Magna Cum Laude*, Honors Program
*Curry, Benjamin Tyler, Mountain Iron, MN, Film Production; Psychology, English Writing
Duffney, Kayla K., Aitkin, MN, Film Production; Mass Communications, *Cum Laude*
*Erie, Sara Elizabeth, Coon Rapids, MN, Music Industry and Entertainment Studies
Fitterer, Linnea Arlene, New Prague, MN, Art, *Magna Cum Laude*
Froeber, Jared Scott, Fargo, ND, Art; Marketing
Furst, Dylan Jon, Waconia, MN, Communication Studies; Leadership Studies
Galbrecht, McKay William, Moorhead, MN, Communication Studies
Gawarecki, Adam Lucas, Stewartville, MN, Film Production, *Summa Cum Laude*
Hadland, Roderick Anthony, Kindred, ND, Film Production
Hansen, Renae Elizabeth, Marshall, MN, Art, *Magna Cum Laude*
Henning, Sarah Reka, Watertown, SD, Theatre Arts
Herland, Kylie Marie, Thompson, ND, Film Production, *Cum Laude*
Jermyn, Sandra Ellen, Fargo, ND, Art
Johnsen, Keaton Alexander, Alton, IA, Film Production; Marketing
Kinzler, Matthew Ray, East Grand Forks, MN, Art; Mass Communications
Kitzman, Billie Jean, Williston, ND, Art
Kleba, Daniel David, Coon Rapids, MN, Film Production
Ko, Kaeun Angela, Valencia, CA, Film Production; Mass Communications
*Koesterman, Joseph Andrew, Fargo, ND, Film Studies, Film Production
Krauter, Courtney Lynn, Fargo, ND, Art
Krebs, Brittany Erin, Barnesville, MN, Art, *Summa Cum Laude*
Lee, Lindsey Marie, Fargo, ND, Art; Marketing
Lepp, Joseph Alvin, Wahpeton, ND, Film Production, *Cum Laude*
Lichtenberg, Emily Katherine, Farmington, MI, Film Production
Lietha, Britney Mae, Becker, MN, Art
Meyer, Gideon Gabriel, Clarinda, IA, Art
Miller, Charles Leonard, Aitkin, MN, Film Production; Graphic Communications, *Cum Laude*
*Mulberry, Jacob, Elkhart Lake, WI, Theatre Arts

Muraski, Samantha Lynn, Prior Lake, MN, Art, *Cum Laude*
 Olson, Gabriel Louis, Grand Forks, ND, Communication Studies
 Porter, Marissa Nicole, Big Lake, MN, Film Production
 Pramann, Lindsey Anne, Kimball, MN, Film Production; Mass Communications
 *Roos, Megan, Fargo, ND, Theatre Arts
 *Salguero, Lucas Jose, Maple Grove, MN, Music Industry and Entertainment Studies, *Cum Laude*
 Samis, Casey John, Fargo, ND, Film Production; Mass Communications
 *Schaeffbauer, Jacob Thomas, Fargo, ND, Music Industry and Entertainment Studies
 Schnase, William Joe, Fargo, ND, Theatre Arts, *Cum Laude*
 Schoenborn, Pamela Jane, Mahanomen, MN, Art, *Cum Laude*
 Schroeder, Megan Jane, Rochester, MN, Communication Studies; Leadership Studies
 Schuessler, Laurel Ann Rehling, West Fargo, ND, Theatre Arts
 *Sletten, Sylvester Sidney, Hebron, ND, Film Production
 Smith, Ethan Thomas, New Brighton, MN, Art
 *Smith, Jordan Nevin, Alexandria, MN, Communication Studies; Entrepreneurship, Leadership Studies
 *Sondrol, Garrett Scott, Grand Forks, ND, Communication Studies; Leadership Studies
 Straub, Darin Michael, Lindstrom, MN, Communication Studies
 Sweeney, Paige Claire, Bismarck, ND, Communication Studies; Leadership Studies, *Summa Cum Laude*
 Wadi, Suleiman, Amman, Jordan, Communication Studies; Leadership Studies
 Walechka, Katelyn Louise, Albert Lea, MN, Film Production; Business Administration

BACHELOR OF FINE ARTS

Berthiaume, Brittney Ann, Monticello, MN, Graphic Design
 Duffney, Kayla K., Aitkin, MN, Graphic Design, *Cum Laude*
 Dutcher, Sarah Inez, Erhard, MN, Art Education, Art
 Fugere, Chantel Noel, Dickinson, ND, Art; Art History, *Cum Laude*
 Geck, Takara Amity, Fargo, ND, Art; Mass Communications, *Magna Cum Laude*
 Hansen, Renae Elizabeth, Marshall, MN, Art, *Magna Cum Laude*
 Harris, Justin Daniel, Larchwood, IA, Art
 Hlibichuk, Meghann Francisca, Dickinson, ND, Art, *Magna Cum Laude*
 *Hoffman, Victoria Marie, Apple Valley, MN, Graphic Design; Film Production, *Magna Cum Laude*
 Hohndel, Jamie Louise, Kindred, ND, Art, *Summa Cum Laude*
 Holzschuh, Danielle Aldebaran, Louisville, KY, Art; Art History
 Junker, Jennifer Rose, Mandan, ND, Art; Mass Communications
 *Klegstad, Keri Dena, Hallock, MN, Art, *Cum Laude*
 *Leapaldt, Morgan Justine, Leeds, ND, Graphic Design, *Cum Laude*
 Mauch, Paige Leah, Hankinson, ND, Graphic Design; Graphic Communications, *Magna Cum Laude*
 Perala, Kristen Rose, New York Mills, MN, Art, *Summa Cum Laude*
 Quiring, Megan Elise, Moorhead, MN, Art Education, *Summa Cum Laude*
 Reich, Jonathan Raymond, Medina, ND, Art; Music, *Summa Cum Laude*
 Rusch, Lydia Joy, Manilla, Philippines, Art Education, Art; Communication Studies
 Stewart, Brooke Ann, Bismarck, ND, Art Education
 Vasquez, Bertha H., Chimbote, Peru, Art, *Summa Cum Laude*
 Williams, Samuel Jose, St. Paul, MN, Art
 Winger, Dwight Paul, Portland, ND, Art
 Yin, Fan, Shen Yang, China, Graphic Design; Art History

BACHELOR OF MUSIC

Boyle, Theresa Marie, Otsego, MN, Music Industry and Entertainment Studies, *Cum Laude*
 *Klein, Ethan Gregory, Glyndon, MN, Music Industry and Entertainment Studies, *Magna Cum Laude*
 *Knapper, Stephanie, Blaine, MN, Music Performance

Lonquist, Peter Andrew, Dawson, MN, Composition; Finance, Music Technology, Music Business and Entertainment, *Cum Laude*
Seidel, Matthew Seth, Moorhead, MN, Music Performance, *Summa Cum Laude*

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE

Aakre, Cameron James, Moorhead, MN, Mass Communications, *Cum Laude*
Alomran, Noor Mohammad, Doha, Qatar, Mass Communications; Public Relations, Advertising, *Magna Cum Laude*
Althaus, Lauryn Alexandra, Duluth, MN, Advertising and Public Relations; Communication Studies
Ampofo, Abigail, St. Paul, MN, University Studies
Ashburn, Brian Patrick, Brainerd, MN, Mass Communications; Film Production, *Summa Cum Laude*
Aurdahl, Ashley Jo, Alexandria, MN, Advertising and Public Relations
Beneby, Katherine Elizabeth Davina, Nassau, Bahamas, Mass Communications; Leadership Studies, *Magna Cum Laude*
Breitenfeldt, Angela Kay, Alexandria, MN, Graphic Communications; Art, *Magna Cum Laude*
Bronson, Miranda Megan, Chino Hills, CA, Advertising
Buker, Taylor James, Shakopee, MN, Public Relations; Advertising, Sports Communication
Burckhard, Rachel Nell, Bismarck, ND, Music Education, *Summa Cum Laude*
Colby, Blake Richard, Moorhead, MN, Mass Communications
Collette, Emily Rose, Fargo, ND, Graphic Communications; Mass Communications, *Magna Cum Laude*
Dale, Erik, Eau Claire, WI, Mass Communications
DeGeest, Rebecca Joani Marie, Motley, MN, Mass Communications; Music
DeGrote, Skyler Marie, Maple Grove, MN, Advertising; Graphic Communications, *Cum Laude*
Dumas, Kayla Jo, Fargo, ND, Mass Communications
Ellwein, Jaclyn Marie, Hazen, ND, Advertising and Public Relations; Communication Studies, *Cum Laude*
Falk, Kelly Ann, Ashby, MN, Public Relations; Marketing, *Summa Cum Laude*
Feela, Jamie Lea, East Bethel, MN, Advertising and Public Relations; Mass Communications
Ferrian, Sean James, Elk River, MN, Advertising, *Cum Laude*
Gawarecki, Adam Lucas, Stewartville, MN, Graphic Communications, *Summa Cum Laude*
Grassel, Benjamin Jon, Bismarck, ND, Graphic Communications
Green, Josie Anne, Wilmot, SD, Graphic Communications; Leadership Studies
Green, Taylor Lynn, Murdo, SD, Advertising and Public Relations
*Groth, Clare Ellen, West Bend, WI, Graphic Communications; Art
Gumeringer, Benjamin Jacob, Bismarck, ND, Photojournalism, *Magna Cum Laude*
Hanson, Chad Jacob, Detroit Lakes, MN, Music Education, *Summa Cum Laude*
Illies, Jackson Richard, Belgrade, MN, Advertising and Public Relations
Ingebretson, Ian Niel, Alexandria, MN, Graphic Communications; Mass Communications, *Cum Laude*
Jacobson, Kimberly Ann, Halstad, MN, Music Education
Jaeger, Heidi, Bismarck, ND, Mass Communications; Art, *Cum Laude*
Kaufenberg, Justin Joseph, Andover, MN, Mass Communications
Kolberg, Norah Leanne, Bismarck, ND, Mass Communications
Krahn, Jennifer Marlene, Rochester, MN, Mass Communications
Kumagai, Makoto, Nagoya, Japan, Mass Communications
Leeman, Sarah Carol, Motley, MN, Advertising
Lenzmeier, Breann Lynn, Rugby, ND, Broadcast Journalism; Sports Communication, *Magna Cum Laude*
Lepp, Joseph Alvin, Wahpeton, ND, Graphic Communications, *Cum Laude*
*Lindberg, Natalie Kaye, Fargo, ND, Mass Communications
Luo, Ying, Chengdu, China, Graphic Communications, *Magna Cum Laude*
Mattson, Brandon, Carrington, ND, Graphic Communications
*McCartney, Sarah Kathleen, Casselton, ND, Mass Communications
McConnell, Daniel James, Pittsburgh, PA, Advertising

McCormic, Karly Marie, Monticello, MN, University Studies
Morlock, Max Romanski, Chanhassen, MN, Advertising
Muehlhauser, Garrett Joseph, Prior Lake, MN, Graphic Communications
Nadeau, Kelli Frances, Foley, MN, Mass Communications
Nehring, Megan Leigh, Kimball, MN, Mass Communications
Nicely, Ashley Victoria Brash, Raleigh, NC, Graphic Communications, *Magna Cum Laude*
Orthaus, Kelsey Rae, Watertown, SD, Advertising and Public Relations
Pavek, Erin Muree, Fergus Falls, MN, Graphic Communications
Pierce, Karly Ann, Moorhead, MN, Mass Communications; Theatre Arts Dance, *Magna Cum Laude*
Quanbeck, Matthew Daniel, Moorhead, MN, Public Relations; Film Production, *Magna Cum Laude*
Quinn, Ryan James, Alexandria, MN, Advertising and Public Relations; Political Science, *Summa Cum Laude*
Ratliff-Cross, Telia Rosett, Maple Grove, MN, Public Relations; English Writing
*Reinertson, Jordan Melissa, Forman, ND, Advertising
Schlueter, Jordan Tyler, East Bethel, MN, Graphic Communications
Schmidt, Christa Kathleen, New London, MN, Advertising and Public Relations
Schrader, Logan Briggs, Claire City, SD, Advertising and Public Relations
Smith, Kelsey Lee Jin, Holloway, MN, Graphic Communications; Marketing, *Summa Cum Laude*
Stephan, Melissa Marie, Woodbury, MN, Mass Communications; Theatre Arts Dance, Anthropology, *Cum Laude*
*Stroh, Lindsay Jo, Gackle, ND, Mass Communications
Thomas, JamieLee Joy, Bismarck, ND, Mass Communications
Wathne, Meredith Leigh, Copperstown, ND, Advertising and Public Relations, Multimedia Journalism
Zelmer, Shellby LaPierre, New Prague, MN, Advertising and Public Relations
Zich, Mary M., Burnsville, MN, University Studies

College of Business & Innovation

Dr. Marsha L. Weber, Dean

College Marshal: Dr. Ronald Williams, Professor of Construction/Operations Management

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE

- Aaland, Michelle Beth, Fosston, MN, Business Administration
Adams, Whitney, West Fargo, ND, Business Administration
*Allen, Peter William, Fargo, ND, Business Administration, *Cum Laude*
Alomran, Thaer Mohannad, Amman, Jordan, Business Administration, *Cum Laude*
Altmann, Sarah Ann, Sleepy Eye, MN, University Studies
Amos-Clement, Jerry Fiifi, Moorhead, MN, Business Administration
Anderson, Kristoffer, Fergus Falls, MN, Construction Management
Anderson, Timothy Brian, Sioux Falls, SD, Operations Management
Antwi, Daniel Asiedu, Brooklyn Park, MN, Operations Management
Avelsgard, Tanner Duane, Madison, MN, Business Administration
Barry, MacKenzie Frances, Battle Lake, MN, Accounting, *Cum Laude*
Bauer, Travis William, Shakopee, MN, Computer Science, *Magna Cum Laude*
*Berry, Brandon LaMarr, Atlanta, GA, Paralegal
Bierl, Mallory Paige, Ogilvie, MN, Business Administration, *Cum Laude*
Bigot, Melissa Sue, Shakopee, MN, Operations Management
Bladow, Paige Marie Noelle, Hankinson, ND, Business Administration; Health Services Administration
Bofenkamp, Benjamin Stewart, Sioux Falls, SD, Operations Management
Bosl, Edward John, Sauk Centre, MN, Accounting; Management
Bothun, Jacob Martin, Dawson, MN, Finance, *Cum Laude*
Bourasa, Heidi Jo, Brainerd, MN, Paralegal
Boyum, Stephanie, Horace, ND, Business Administration
Braun, Landon Charles, Rosholt, SD, Accounting, *Cum Laude*
Breiland, Alexander, Roseville, MN, Business Administration; Film Production
*Brule, Cassandra Ann, Crookston, MN, Paralegal
Bryngelson, Ryan Patrick, Blaine, MN, Accounting, *Cum Laude*
*Butler, Tascha Marie, Fargo, ND, Business Administration, *Magna Cum Laude*
*Chang, Meng, St. Paul, MN, Operations Management
Compton, Jeffrey John, Grand Forks, ND, Finance
Dahn, Mitchell Jacob Lowell, Prior Lake, MN, Business Administration
Dangol, Roya, Kathmandu, Nepal, Business Administration
Danielson, Kelly Jo, Rothsay, MN, Accounting
Danner, Kyle Michael, Detroit Lakes, MN, University Studies
Drammeh, Muhammed Lamin, Banjul, Gambia, Accounting, *Magna Cum Laude*
Eckhoff, Andrew Gary, Henning, MN, Finance
*Eickschen, Scott Jon, Perham, MN, Business Administration; Mass Communications
Elfstrom, Ethan Samuel, Lancaster, MN, Accounting
Ellsworth, Anthony Jay, Parkers Prairie, MN, Computer Information Technology; Computer Science, Computer Information Systems, *Cum Laude*
Enmark, Megan Joy, Montrose, MN, Business Administration
*Enniful, Jeffrey Gilbert, Takoradi, Ghana, Computer Information Technology
Faye, Muhammed, Fajara, Gambia, Accounting
*Feist, Gabrielle Helena, Minot, ND, Business Administration
Finneman, Kyle Thomas, Golve, ND, Computer Science, *Cum Laude*
Fisher, Ashley Lynn, Barnesville, MN, Business Administration

Flannery, Michael Thomas, Minneapolis, MN, Operations Management
 Formanek, Casey Joe, Wahpeton, ND, Business Administration
 Forte, Brenden James, Farmington, MN, Finance, *Magna Cum Laude*
 Freier, Paul, Apple Valley, MN, Business Administration
 Friesen, Austin Chancellor, Bismarck, ND, Business Administration, *Summa Cum Laude*
 Gammelgaard, Paul Arnold, Annandale, MN, Operations Management
 *Garzon, Robert Louis, Minneapolis, MN, Computer Science
 *Gawarecki, Nicholas Martin, Stewartville, MN, Paralegal, *Magna Cum Laude*
 Goeson, Brady John, Moorhead, MN, Accounting
 Gombovic, Ivan, Zagreb, Croatia, Finance
 Gratz, Haley Elizabeth, Bismarck, ND, Business Administration
 Grundyson, Caleb Daniel, Lake Park, MN, Accounting
 Gurung, Dipen, Kathmandu, Nepal, Accounting; Finance
 Hagen, Cory Duane, Salol, MN, Computer Information Technology, Computer Science
 *Hagen, Kaitlin Marie, Cohasset, MN, Paralegal
 Hammond, Chelsea Kathleen, Nevis, MN, Paralegal; English Writing, *Cum Laude*
 *Her, Tonny Thue, Brooklyn Park, MN, Operations Management
 *Hillesheim, Sandra Mae, Sleepy Eye, MN, Paralegal, *Cum Laude*
 Hines, Baron Riley, Watertown, SD, Computer Science
 Holmgren, Thomas Carston, Moorhead, MN, Computer Science; Mathematics
 Honer, Craig Patrick, Dent, MN, Accounting
 Honer Jr., Timothy John, Dent, MN, Accounting
 Howes, Wendy Marie, Moorhead, MN, Accounting
 *Ibach, Quinn Alexis, Moorhead, MN, Paralegal, *Cum Laude*
 Johnson, Nicholas Lloyd, Park Rapids, MN, Business Administration
 Kack, Abby Lynne, Willmar, MN, Accounting, *Cum Laude*
 Keierleber, Robin Emily, Henning, MN, Accounting
 Keith, Nicholas Michael, Mohall, ND, Computer Information Systems
 Khadka, Sanjog, Kathmandu, Nepal, Business Administration
 Kimball, Matthew Guy, Moorhead, MN, Construction Management
 Kitagawa, Ryuichi, Tokyo, Japan, Accounting
 Kolker, Matthew Lawrence, Coon Rapids, MN, Finance, *Magna Cum Laude*
 Koopman, Joshua Linder, Bird Island, MN, Construction Management
 *Koshiol, Kevin Paul, Clearwater, MN, Computer Science
 Kristianson, Kelly John, Kent, MN, Accounting
 Kurtz, Jennifer Diane, Barnesville, MN, Accounting, Finance; Economics
 LaCoursiere, Jaime Lynn, Thief River Falls, MN, Accounting
 Lauritsen, Ryan Jon, Fargo, ND, University Studies
 Lavelle, Brody, Fargo, ND, Construction Management
 *Lindahl, Shanda Marie, Renville, MN, Business Administration
 Lindstrom, Alexander, Cokato, MN, Construction Management
 Loge, Caleb Carl, Moorhead, MN, Business Administration; Communication Studies
 MacGregor, Connor Patrick, Roseau, MN, Computer Science; Graphic Communications
 Mack, Terrence John, Clinton, MN, Finance
 Mann, Michael Cameron, New Hope, MN, Business Administration
 Mastel, Daniel Cass, Fargo, ND, Accounting
 McCleary, Jared Arlan, Belgrade, MN, Finance; Economics
 *McLeod, Bailey, Bismarck, ND, Paralegal, *Cum Laude*
 Meidinger, Steven Donald, Fargo, ND, Construction Management
 Metz, Kelsey Ann, St. Michael, MN, Business Administration; Music, *Summa Cum Laude*
 Miller, Justin Carl, Glyndon, MN, Business Administration

- *Moan, Kristin Ann, Big Lake, MN, Construction Management
 Money, David Dean, Moorhead, MN, University Studies
- *Musa, Jeremie Samafundu Mulu, Kinshasa, Congo, Business Administration; Communication Studies
 Neuschwander, Brooke Leslie, Grygla, MN, Business Administration
 Nganje, Mbella John, Fargo, ND, Business Administration
 Nicolay, Alexander Thomas, Hollandale, MN, Accounting, *Summa Cum Laude*
- *Nikolas, Alexander Michael, Nevis, MN, Business Administration
 N'kulu Wa Mbuyu, Sonia, Kinshasa, Congo, Construction Management; Management
 Nuhbegovic, Kerim, Zagreb, Croatia, Business Administration
 Nurkic, Dalila, West Fargo, ND, Business Administration
 Ojo, Festus Adeshina, Osogbo, Nigeria, Computer Science, *Cum Laude*
- *Olson, Tyler Norman, Henning, MN, Finance
 Owens, Steve Michael, Hugo, MN, Operations Management
 Palmer, Jason Lee, Spring Lake Park, MN, Operations Management
 Peck, Brian Thomas, St. Cloud, MN, Business Administration; Psychology
- *Pender Ernst, Susan Dawn, Moorhead, MN, Paralegal, *Magna Cum Laude*
 Pepper, Shawna Rae, Buffalo, MN, Operations Management
 Perera, Jayasankha, Colombo, Sri Lanka, Business Administration
 Peterson, April Dawn, Brooklyn Park, MN, Computer Information Systems, *Cum Laude*
 Peterson, Kellie Jean, Fargo, ND, Business Administration
 Pham, Dang Hong, Hanoi, Vietnam, Finance, *Summa Cum Laude*
- *Rabiu, Fatima Ibrahim, Abuja, Nigeria, Business Administration
 Rachels, Joshua Ethan, Fergus Falls, MN, Finance, *Cum Laude*
 Rice-DeGidio, Lisa Ann, Detroit Lakes, MN, Business Administration
 Ringstrom, Bradley Steven, Moorhead, MN, Business Administration
 Rubink, Joshua Shawn, Fergus Falls, MN, Accounting
 Rustand, Tyrel Jeffrey, Pipestone, MN, Finance
 Rygg, Derrick Ryan, Portland, ND, Operations Management
 Saho, Muhammed, Kombo North, Gambia, Computer Science
 Schmidt, Brian David, Fargo, ND, Finance
- *Schmitt, Ashley Ann, Dawson, MN, Business Administration
 Schonert, Lance Ryan, Fargo, ND, University Studies
 Seelye, Jodie Christine, Deer River, MN, Finance; Economics, *Summa Cum Laude*
 Segal, Taylor Amanda, Fargo, ND, Business Administration
 Sheeley, Bret Steven, Wahpeton, ND, Accounting, *Summa Cum Laude*
 Shen, Zheren, Yixing City, China, Business Administration
 Shrestha, Sujesh, Parsa, Nepal, Business Administration
- *Sim, Kai Ting, Kuching, Malaysia, Finance
- *Sitaula, Shashank, Kathmandu, Nepal, Computer Information Technology
 Skeie, Jacob Duane Nesburg, Olivia, MN, Accounting, *Cum Laude*
 Sperling, Ryan Peter, Fargo, ND, Accounting, *Cum Laude*
 Stenger, Kari Lynn, Frazee, MN, Accounting; Leadership Studies, Finance
 Stiller, Danielle Jane, Upsala, MN, Accounting, *Magna Cum Laude*
 Stockinger, Andrew Thomas, Fargo, ND, Business Administration
 Storie, Viktoriia, West Fargo, ND, Finance
 Strand, Margaret Jane, Park Rapids, MN, Accounting
- *Subedi, Bharat Prasad, Pokhara, Nepal, Computer Information Technology; Computer Science
 Tejani, Muhammad Aketerali, Dar-Es-Salaam, Tanzania, Construction Management
 Tha Shrestha, Nilan, Bhaktapur, Nepal, Computer Science, *Magna Cum Laude*
 Thoennes, Matthew Carl, Brandon, MN, Operations Management
 Thomas, Lindsey Jo, Sisseton, SD, Accounting, *Summa Cum Laude*

Thomas, Scarlet Bailey, Plymouth, MN, Construction Management, *Cum Laude*
Thompson, Jacob Dale, Duluth, MN, Business Administration
Thompson, Lindsay, Glyndon, MN, Accounting, *Summa Cum Laude*
Thorsen, Hunter W., Moorhead, MN, Accounting, *Cum Laude*
*Thorwick, Megan Clare, Maplewood, MN, Business Administration, *Summa Cum Laude*
Tran, Thuy Phuong Thi, Fargo, ND, Business Administration, *Magna Cum Laude*
Tuchek Jr., Justin Lee, Blaine, MN, Computer Information Technology; Computer Science
Tvrdik, Mariah Margaret, Alexandria, MN, Accounting
Umarov, Karimjon, Varzikqishlogi, Uzbekistan, Computer Science
Udem, Laura Jo, West Fargo, ND, Accounting
Vaala, Walker James, Madison, MN, Business Administration
Van Hoecke, Raymond Clay, Moorhead, MN, Computer Information Technology
VanderLinden, Chris Glen, Ada, MN, Accounting; Finance
Vanhorn, Jacus Russell, Nevis, MN, Computer Information Technology, Computer Science;
Speech/Language/Hearing Sciences
Wallner, Jacob Clarence, South St. Paul, MN, Accounting, Finance, *Magna Cum Laude*
Weber, Kasie Lee, Milnor, ND, Accounting, *Summa Cum Laude*
Wegner, Cody John, Andover, MN, Construction Management
*Wiemer, Jesse Jay, Fargo, ND, Business Administration
*Wiiliainen, Hana Liisa, Hibbing, MN, Business Administration
Winge, Ryan Daniel, Andover, MN, Construction Management, *Cum Laude*
Zabel, Morgan Leigh, Northfield, MN, Finance, Business Administration, *Magna Cum Laude*
*Zimbrick, Danielle Kathleen, Beardsley, MN, Business Administration

College of Humanities & Social Sciences

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ASSOCIATE IN ARTS

Engh, Kylisa Ann, Devils Lake, ND, Liberal Arts
Hanneman, Kyle John, Sabin, MN, Liberal Arts
Kraabel, Kendra Kay, Zimmerman, MN, Liberal Arts
*Lende, Dustin Leroy, Fargo, ND, Liberal Arts
Ronningen, Rebekah Ruby-Rae, Fargo, ND, Liberal Arts
*Schmidt, Amber Jo, West Fargo, ND, Liberal Arts
Wilcox, Holland Larimer, Fort Worth, TX, Liberal Arts

BACHELOR OF ARTS

Aanstad, Robin L., Edmore, ND, Legal Studies
Badar, Nicole Marie, West Fargo, ND, Criminal Justice, *Summa Cum Laude*
*Bailey, Kwame J., Milwaukee, WI, Criminal Justice
Baumgartner, Jacob Michael, Dilworth, MN, Criminal Justice, Psychology; Sociology
Baumgartner, Sheila Marie, Fargo, ND, Gerontology; Sociology
*Baxter, Taylor Anne, St. Louis Park, MN, Spanish
*Becker, Ashley Ann, Spicer, MN, Criminal Justice
Beckmann, Theresa Joyce, Austin, MN, English, *Summa Cum Laude*
*Beehler, Matthew Allen, Foley, MN, Criminal Justice
Bevans, Sean Ryan, Brainerd, MN, Gerontology; Psychology
Billman, Mathew Paul, Fargo, ND, English, Philosophy, *Magna Cum Laude*
Bjorke, Erik Wald, Williston, ND, Philosophy
Boedigheimer, Stacy Lynn, Perham, MN, Philosophy
Brandt, Darcy Elizabeth, Perham, MN, History
Briceno, Kaleena Marie, Detroit Lakes, MN, Gerontology; Sociology, *Magna Cum Laude*
Brownell, Shane Johnathan, Shakopee, MN, East Asian Studies, Political Science, *Magna Cum Laude*
Bryant, Jillian Kate, Monticello, MN, Sociology
Carlson, James Donald, St. Louis Park, MN, Criminal Justice; Sociology
Clauson, Jacob Willis, Enderlin, ND, History; Geosciences, *Summa Cum Laude*
Cossette, Shelby Lynn, Fargo, ND, History, *Magna Cum Laude*
Danielson, Sarah Anne, Moorhead, MN, Political Science
*Degruchy, Joshua Daniel, Pipestone, MN, English
*Deschene, Elizabeth Ann, Hawley, MN, Sociology, *Cum Laude*
D'Onofrio, Alexa Rose, Medford, NY, Spanish; Special Education
Eix, Jed Stephen, Benson, MN, Economics, *Magna Cum Laude*
Anderson, Liza Marie, Fergus Falls, MN, Criminal Justice; Psychology, Sociology, *Summa Cum Laude*
Forbord, Jenna Leigh, Moorhead, MN, Criminal Justice, Sociology, *Summa Cum Laude*
Friesen, Benjamin Thomas, Fargo, ND, English, *Summa Cum Laude*
Gbleah, Takpor Derrick, Monrovia, Liberia, Criminal Justice; Sociology
Gombo, Munkhbold, Ulaanbaatar, Mongolia, Economics
Gresham, Mitchell Ryan, Foston, MN, Sociology, Criminal Justice, *Summa Cum Laude*
Haaland, Nicole Marijane, Fargo, ND, Spanish; Religious Studies, *Summa Cum Laude*
Hagen, Brennan Nora, Benson, MN, Criminal Justice, Sociology, *Cum Laude*
Hamer, Nora Mae, Jordan, MN, Criminal Justice; Sociology
Hansen, Katelin Jo, Dalton, MN, English, *Summa Cum Laude*, Honors Program

*Haugland, Alexander Mark, Osakis, MN, Legal Studies
 Hillesheim, Jessica Brittany, West Union, MN, Philosophy; Sociology, *Summa Cum Laude*
 Hoeschen, Holly Rose, Freeport, MN, Sociology, *Cum Laude*
 Holman, Kayla, Bismarck, ND, Criminal Justice
 Horn, Jessica Suzanne, Hawley, MN, Criminal Justice
 Houghtaling, Leslie Ann, Apple Valley, MN, English
 Hukill, Maureen Susan, Grand Forks, ND, History; East Asian Studies, *Summa Cum Laude*
 Jacklitch, Reece Duane, Moorhead, MN, English; Mathematics
 Jaspersen, Jessica Joyce, Wausau, WI, English/Mass Communications, *Summa Cum Laude*
 *Johnson, Hillary Kathryn, Rothsay, MN, Gerontology, *Magna Cum Laude*
 *Johnson, Justin Daniel, Brookings, SD, Criminal Justice; Military Science (NDSU), Political Science, *Cum Laude*
 Johnson, Lauren Renee, Rockford, MN, English, *Magna Cum Laude*
 Johnson, Leif Eric, Detroit Lakes, MN, Sociology, Political Science, *Cum Laude*
 Jones, Sarah Thorine, Moorhead, MN, Political Science
 Kamranian, Kalicia Lynn, Roseau, MN, English/Mass Communications
 Kelly, Shane Terrence, Burnsville, MN, Criminal Justice, Sociology, *Summa Cum Laude*
 Knecht, Jennifer, Sayre, PA, Sociology, Women's and Gender Studies, *Magna Cum Laude*
 Knutson, April Eleanor, Volga, SD, English/Mass Communications
 *Kon, Abram, Fargo, ND, Criminal Justice
 Kretschmer, Karisa Ann, Coon Rapids, MN, English, *Magna Cum Laude*
 Lach, Eric David, Fridley, MN, English, Film Production, *Magna Cum Laude*
 Lamb, Laren Christine, Hayti, SD, Political Science; History
 Lamee Jr., Michael Howard, Milbank, SD, Criminal Justice
 Lausch, Derek Aaron, Moorhead, MN, Economics; Anthropology
 Lee, Erica Marie, Apache Junction, AZ, English
 Longworth, Jeb Evert, Montevideo, MN, Criminal Justice; Sociology
 Martin, Nikkole Aimee-Jo, Bismarck, ND, English; East Asian Studies, Teaching English as a
 Second Language
 Milner, Benjamin Joseph, Detroit Lakes, MN, Criminal Justice; Sociology, Psychology
 *Monk, Conner John, Wausau, WI, Criminal Justice
 Moore, Maxford Dennison, Mentor, MN, Gerontology; Health Services Administration
 Mroz, Rebecca Jean, Maplewood, MN, Legal Studies; Spanish, *Summa Cum Laude*
 Neisen, Lauren Paige, Brooklyn Park, MN, Criminal Justice; Sociology
 *Nystuen, Ryan Thomas, Eagan, MN, Criminal Justice, Sociology
 Osborn, Asha Lee, Ada, MN, English
 Overmoe, Joseph Ardell, Moorhead, MN, Criminal Justice; Sociology, Psychology, *Magna Cum Laude*
 Pearson, Reid Garrett, Fosston, MN, Criminal Justice
 Pepple, Jordan Nicole, Fessenden, ND, Criminal Justice; Sociology, *Magna Cum Laude*
 Ramstad, Ashley Marie, Fargo, ND, Philosophy, *Summa Cum Laude*
 Robinson, Charles Oliver Edward, Fargo, ND, History
 Routier, Corbin David, East Grand Forks, MN, Sociology
 Ryan, Kyler Michael, Fergus Falls, MN, History
 Schneider, David Joseph, Bismarck, ND, English/Mass Communications
 Serfling, Rebecca Lee, Hutchinson, MN, American Multicultural Studies
 Shoemaker, Haley Lynn, Medora, ND, History, Spanish
 Solberg, Brandon James, Horace, ND, Political Science
 Sommerfeld, Carol Ann, Moorhead, MN, Criminal Justice
 Spaulding, Jordan Marie, Paynesville, MN, Criminal Justice; Sociology
 Stanislawski, Lauren Mari, Fergus Falls, MN, English, *Magna Cum Laude*, Distinction in Engagement
 from the College of Humanities & Social Sciences

Staub, James Kory, Fargo, ND, Criminal Justice; Sociology, *Cum Laude*
 Steve, Kathryn Marie, Dickinson, ND, Criminal Justice
 Struxness, Kevin Gerald, Raymond, MN, Political Science
 Swangler, Matthew Michael, East Grand Forks, MN, English/Mass Communications
 Swenson, Aaron Michael, New Rockford, ND, English
 *Swenson, Anna Jeanette, Barnesville, MN, English
 Thibodeau, Kelsey, Thief River Falls, MN, English, History, *Magna Cum Laude*
 Thilmony, Kelsi Leigh, Enderlin, ND, Criminal Justice; Sociology
 Thorp, Donald Leon, Mesquite, TX, History
 Thorstad, Siri Amanda, Fergus Falls, MN, English
 Toenyan, Elizabeth Mae, Hibbing, MN, History; Political Science
 Van Auken, Tanner Chapman, Buffalo, MN, Philosophy
 Vaske, Joseph Charles, Inver Grove Heights, MN, Sociology, Film Production, *Cum Laude*
 Walker, Jacob Anthony, Monticello, MN, East Asian Studies, *Magna Cum Laude*
 *Wang, You, Chengdu, China, Economics, *Magna Cum Laude*
 Warden, Erick Peter, Eden Prairie, MN, Criminal Justice; Sociology
 Wetherall, Linda Eve, Eagan, MN, English
 *Wills, Jase Lavon, Osseo, MN, East Asian Studies
 Winscott, John, Fargo, ND, Criminal Justice, Sociology, *Summa Cum Laude*
 Zimmer, Kelly Ann, Nelson, MN, Legal Studies, Criminal Justice; Sociology, Political Science

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE

Birky, Desiree Jasmine, Frazee, MN, Social Studies
 *Brakefield, Benjamin Matthew, Audubon, MN, Social Studies
 Castillon, Rodrigo Guillermo, Mt. Horeb, WI, Spanish Education
 Clauson, Jacob Willis, Enderlin, ND, Social Studies, *Summa Cum Laude*
 *Deschene, Elizabeth Ann, Hawley, MN, International Studies, *Cum Laude*
 Fink, Elizabeth Lois, Monticello, MN, Communication Arts and Literature Education, Teaching English as a
 Second Language, *Cum Laude*
 Frink, Hannah Marie, Glyndon, MN, Social Studies; English Writing, *Magna Cum Laude*
 Gaughan, Ashley Anne, Moorhead, MN, Communication Arts and Literature Education, *Cum Laude*
 Hansen, Katelin Jo, Dalton, MN, Communication Arts and Literature Education; Music, *Summa Cum Laude*,
 Honors Program
 Hentges, Edward Evan, Fargo, ND, Social Studies
 Huser, Peter Leo, Pelican Rapids, MN, Social Studies, *Summa Cum Laude*
 Kaml, Sarah Lynn, Crookston, MN, International Studies
 Khalid, Ahsan, Lahore, Pakistan, International Studies
 Kjono, Drew Thomas, Thief River Falls, MN, Communication Arts and Literature Education, *Cum Laude*
 Klemetsrud, Brittany Nicole, Waubun, MN, Communication Arts and Literature Education, *Magna Cum Laude*
 Koch, Courtney Skye, Mandan, ND, Social Studies
 Love, Joshua Andrew, Morris, MN, Social Studies
 Lundin, Nathaniel Joseph, Wilton, ND, Communication Arts and Literature Education
 McFarren, Austen Patrick, West Fargo, ND, Communication Arts and Literature Education
 Neyens, Bradley Thomas, Moorhead, MN, Social Studies, *Cum Laude*
 Poulin, Mariah Ruth, Lisbon, ND, Social Studies, *Magna Cum Laude*
 Sederquist, Daniel Louis, Moorhead, MN, Social Studies
 Serfling, Rebecca Lee, Hutchinson, MN, Spanish Education, *Magna Cum Laude*
 Shellito, Alyssa Jayne, Baker, MN, Communication Arts and Literature Education, *Magna Cum Laude*
 Stalberger, Benjamin Joseph, Waubun, MN, Social Studies
 Stanislowski, Lauren Mari, Fergus Falls, MN, Communication Arts and Literature Education, *Magna Cum Laude*,
 Distinction in Engagement from the College of Humanities & Social Sciences

Stewart, Kaitlyn Breanna, Barnesville, MN, Communication Arts and Literature Education
Swegarden, Abby Jo, Fargo, ND, Communication Arts and Literature Education
*Temesgen, Eldana Mathias, Addis Ababa, Ethiopia, International Studies
Turner, Phillip Daniel, Moorhead, MN, Communication Arts and Literature Education
Valan, Matthias Olav, Moorhead, MN, Communication Arts and Literature Education
Vinje, David T., Alexandria, MN, Communication Arts and Literature Education, *Cum Laude*
Wilson, Anna Sarena, Chaska, MN, Social Studies; Communication Studies, *Summa Cum Laude*



Graduate Studies

Dr. Boyd L. Bradbury, Interim Dean

College Marshal: Dr. Olgun Sahin, Professor of the School of Business

MASTER OF FINE ARTS

Chamma, Sarah, Thief River Falls, MN, Creative Writing

"Little Red Raincoat, The Siren, The Fourth Soil"

Dr. Alan Davis, Advisor

Hough, Jan Micheal, Moorhead, MN, Creative Writing

"Gladiator School"

Elizabeth Kisacky Sevren, Advisor

Mendelsohn, Andrew, Chicago, IL, Creative Writing

"Creatures of Appetite"

Lin Enger, Advisor

Phillips, Jennifer, International Falls, MN, Creative Writing

"Beyond the Bones"

Dr. John Early, Advisor

Rand, Heather Jeanne, Newton, IA, Creative Writing

"No Services"

Dr. Kevin Carollo, Advisor

Shudlick, Daniel Arthur, Fargo, ND, Creative Writing

"The Land of Lost Men"

Dr. Alan Davis, Advisor

Swanson, Ashley, Gilbert, AZ, Creative Writing

"What Runs in Our Blood"

Dr. Kevin Carollo, Advisor

Valenti, Michael Francis, Boston, MA, Creative Writing

"A Kind of Dark"

Dr. Alan Davis, Advisor

MASTER OF LIBERAL ARTS

Salvatore, Beth Joy, Barnesville, MN, Liberal Arts

"Lost in the Valley: A Personal Hero's Journey"

Dr. Alan Davis, Advisor

MASTER OF SCIENCE

Altstadt, Andrew J., Perham, MN, Accounting and Finance

"The Convergence of IFRS and GAAP"

Dr. Sheri Erickson, Advisor

Krog, Brian, Fergus Falls, MN, Accounting and Finance

"Issues in Employee Stock Options"

Dr. Olgun Sahin, Advisor

Osland, Derek, Moorhead, MN, Accounting and Finance

"Developing Financial Reporting Standards for Private Companies"

Dr. Sheri Erickson, Advisor

College of Education & Human Services

Dr. Boyd L. Bradbury, Interim Dean

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BACHELOR OF ARTS

Gardner, Lisa, Chicago, IL, Early Childhood Education Non-Licensure

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE

- Amundson, Kelsey Lynne, Morris, MN, Elementary Inclusive Education; Mathematics Elementary Education
- Anderson, Ann Verona Ouren, Erhard, MN, Elementary Inclusive Education
- Anderson, Stacey Jean, Callaway, MN, Special Education
- Appel, Krystina Diane, Browns Valley, MN, Elementary Inclusive Education; Special Education, *Magna Cum Laude*
- Asfeld, Molly Kate, Chokio, MN, Early Childhood Education
- Bachmeier, Jaelyn Beth, Harvey, ND, Speech/Language/Hearing Science; Special Education, *Summa Cum Laude*
- Barta, Britta Rae Ann, Glyndon, MN, Elementary Inclusive Education, *Summa Cum Laude*
- Bauer, Kimberly Jean, Thief River Falls, MN, Elementary Inclusive Education
- Baune, Michael William, New York Mills, MN, Elementary Inclusive Education
- Becher, Alexander Paul, Horace, ND, Elementary Inclusive Education
- Benson, Lorilyn Ann, Marion, ND, Early Childhood Education
- *Bethke, Jennifer Marie, New Ulm, MN, Elementary Inclusive Education, *Cum Laude*
- Bickford, Kaia Jill, Bottineau, ND, Speech/Language/Hearing Science, *Magna Cum Laude*
- Borgen, Jacy Marie, Langdon, ND, Elementary Inclusive Education
- Braschayko, Carole Marie, Coon Rapids, MN, Elementary Inclusive Education; Mathematics Elementary Education, *Summa Cum Laude*
- Brockpahler, Jordan Robert, Sebeka, MN, Elementary Inclusive Education, *Magna Cum Laude*
- Bunn, Brittney Janelle, Enderlin, ND, Elementary Inclusive Education; Language and Literacy, *Summa Cum Laude*
- *Cameron, Jordyn Eve, Fargo, ND, Speech/Language/Hearing Science, *Magna Cum Laude*
- Carlstrom, Katie Lynn, Moorhead, MN, Elementary Inclusive Education; Special Education
- Cegla, Sarah Ann, Moorhead, MN, Elementary Inclusive Education
- Cheney, Angela Zoe, Mapleton, ND, Elementary Inclusive Education
- Christian, Kora Jane, Fertile, MN, Speech/Language/Hearing Science, *Magna Cum Laude*
- Clark, Kaitlyn MaRae, Moorhead, MN, Early Childhood Education, *Magna Cum Laude*
- Culver, Marina Lynn, Dickinson, ND, Speech/Language/Hearing Science, *Summa Cum Laude*
- Dehne, Michelle, Fargo, ND, Elementary Inclusive Education; Language and Literacy, *Cum Laude*
- DeKrey, Andrew James, Bismarck, ND, University Studies
- Detloff, Abbie Christine, Staples, MN, Elementary Inclusive Education, *Summa Cum Laude*
- *DeWulf, Rebecca Ann, Dubuque, IA, Speech/Language/Hearing Science, *Summa Cum Laude*
- Douglas, Stephanie Ann, Newton, IA, Elementary Inclusive Education, *Summa Cum Laude*
- Dusek, Ainsley Jo, Grafton, ND, Early Childhood Education
- Eckhoff, Tether Ann, Henning, MN, Elementary Inclusive Education, *Magna Cum Laude*
- Ellefson, Andrea Karen, Barnesville, MN, Early Childhood Education; Special Education
- Feland, Amy Marie, Aneta, ND, Early Childhood Education; Special Education
- *Fingalson, Jena Lee, Detroit Lakes, MN, Speech/Language/Hearing Science

- George, Stephanie Erin, Battle Lake, MN, Elementary Inclusive Education, Early Childhood Education; Special Education, *Cum Laude*
- Gerlach, Samantha Michelle, East Bethel, MN, Early Childhood Education; Special Education
- *Goff, Abby Dorene, Benson, MN, University Studies
- Grout, Courtney Christine, Morris, MN, Elementary Inclusive Education, Early Childhood Education; Special Education, *Summa Cum Laude*
- Haas, Jennifer Kathryn, Isanti, MN, Special Education, *Cum Laude*
- Habib, Helvin Farik, Moorhead, MN, University Studies
- Hamilton, Kylie Ann Marie, Warroad, MN, Speech/Language/Hearing Science
- Hammer, Rachael Anne, Henning, MN, Elementary Inclusive Education, *Magna Cum Laude*
- Heath, Jaci, Karlstad, MN, Elementary Inclusive Education
- Henrich, Sarah Lucretia, Savage, MN, Elementary Inclusive Education, *Summa Cum Laude*
- Hilgert, Tara Jo, Bird Island, MN, Elementary Inclusive Education, *Summa Cum Laude*
- Hillier, Nicolle Dawn, Moorhead, MN, Elementary Inclusive Education; Psychology
- *Hoffman, Alexis Barbara, West Fargo, ND, Elementary Inclusive Education
- *Hogenson, Hannah Grace, Roseau, MN, Speech/Language/Hearing Science
- Howell, Brandi Jaye, Granger, IA, Elementary Inclusive Education
- Jones, Ashley Marie, Anoka, MN, Elementary Inclusive Education
- Jordan, Kaitlyn Marie, St. Cloud, MN, Elementary Inclusive Education, *Cum Laude*
- Kent, Brennan James, Benson, MN, Elementary Inclusive Education; Special Education, *Summa Cum Laude*
- Kranhold, Katlyn Marie, Sisseton, SD, Elementary Inclusive Education
- Krause, Rebekkah, Lino Lakes, MN, Early Childhood Education
- Krebs, Bethany, Dickinson, ND, Elementary Inclusive Education, *Summa Cum Laude*
- Kringlie, Lindsey Marie, Fargo, ND, Early Childhood Education
- Kuefler, Corey Michael, Wyoming, MN, Special Education, *Magna Cum Laude*
- Kupcho, Brooke Marie, Hazen, ND, Elementary Inclusive Education, *Magna Cum Laude*
- Lorenz, Emily Elizabeth, Pipestone, MN, Early Childhood Education; Special Education
- Madsen, Katie Ann, Ruthton, MN, Speech/Language/Hearing Science, *Cum Laude*
- McNamee, Amanda Rose, Mahnomen, MN, Elementary Inclusive Education
- Miranowski, Samantha Jo, Kent, MN, Speech/Language/Hearing Science
- Mork, Hannah Ruth, Bellingham, MN, Speech/Language/Hearing Science; Management, *Summa Cum Laude*
- *Murphy, Chelsea Marie, Dilworth, MN, Speech/Language/Hearing Science
- Neuzil, Rachel Kramer, Mantorville, MN, Speech/Language/Hearing Science
- Nilsen, Heidi Ann, New Salem, ND, Speech/Language/Hearing Science; Special Education, *Summa Cum Laude*
- Nordskog, Haley Sue, Roseau, MN, Speech/Language/Hearing Science, *Magna Cum Laude*
- Olson, Betsy Barb, Sebeka, MN, Elementary Inclusive Education; Leadership Studies, Communication Studies, *Cum Laude*
- *Olson, Lydia, Barnesville, MN, Speech/Language/Hearing Science, *Magna Cum Laude*
- Palony, Hailee Marie, Brainerd, MN, Speech/Language/Hearing Science, *Cum Laude*
- Peyton, Carly Leigh, Wheaton, MN, Early Childhood Education, *Magna Cum Laude*
- Quiring, Megan Elise, Moorhead, MN, Elementary Inclusive Education, *Summa Cum Laude*
- Rieland, Lindsey Rose, Sauk Centre, MN, Elementary Inclusive Education, *Cum Laude*
- Rosenau, Kara Nicole, Bismarck, ND, Speech/Language/Hearing Science; Special Education
- Rud, Lauren Elisa, New York Mills, MN, Speech/Language/Hearing Science, *Magna Cum Laude*
- Salo, Kayse, New York Mills, MN, Speech/Language/Hearing Science, *Magna Cum Laude*
- Satre, Tayler Morghan, Brainerd, MN, Speech/Language/Hearing Science
- Scheidecker, Kristina Marie, Perham, MN, Elementary Inclusive Education, Early Childhood Education, *Magna Cum Laude*
- Scherbenske, Julia Dee, Steele, ND, Speech/Language/Hearing Science, *Summa Cum Laude*
- *Schreiner, Amber Gerane, Hunter, ND, University Studies

Schultz, Candice Marie, Ortonville, MN, Elementary Inclusive Education, *Cum Laude*
 *Schwanke, Jessie Michelle, Maddock, ND, Speech/Language/Hearing Science
 Sellers, Brittany Nicole, Lakeville, MN, Elementary Inclusive Education, Early Childhood Education, *Summa Cum Laude*
 Sibbald, Theresa Marie, Forest Lake, MN, Special Education, *Magna Cum Laude*
 Sistad, Erin Marie, West Fargo, ND, Early Childhood Education, *Magna Cum Laude*
 Stras, Kelly Sue, Fargo, ND, Early Childhood Education; Special Education
 Sveen, Inga Marie, Bismarck, ND, Speech/Language/Hearing Science; Psychology, *Summa Cum Laude*
 Trisko, Katelynn Marie, Otsego, MN, Speech/Language/Hearing Science; Psychology, *Summa Cum Laude*
 Uhrich, Olivia Mary, Bismarck, ND, Speech/Language/Hearing Science; Psychology, *Summa Cum Laude*
 Van Valkenburg, Emma Marie, Fergus Falls, MN, Speech/Language/Hearing Science, *Summa Cum Laude*
 VanDenheuvel, Sarah Elizabeth, Bertha, MN, Elementary Inclusive Education, *Magna Cum Laude*
 Wavrin, Jenna Ann, Bismarck, ND, Speech/Language/Hearing Science, *Summa Cum Laude*
 Wilson, Hope, Dickinson, ND, Speech/Language/Hearing Science, *Cum Laude*
 Yliniemi, Alison Nicole, Menahga, MN, Speech/Language/Hearing Science, *Magna Cum Laude*
 *Yutrzeuka, Danika Anne, Argyle, MN, Speech/Language/Hearing Science; Special Education, *Magna Cum Laude*
 Zakharenko, Viktoriya Olegovna, Barrett, MN, Speech/Language/Hearing Science, *Summa Cum Laude*
 Zinke, Hilary Jean, Valley City, ND, Speech/Language/Hearing Science, *Summa Cum Laude*

BACHELOR OF SOCIAL WORK

Aanderud, Heather LaVonne, Hillsboro, ND, Social Work, *Cum Laude*
 Alvarez-Clavijo, Marcella Patricia, Miami, FL, Social Work, *Summa Cum Laude*
 Anderson, Donal Michael, Breckenridge, MN, Social Work
 *Ashland, Marie Terese, Detroit Lakes, MN, Social Work
 Badar, Nicole Marie, West Fargo, ND, Social Work, *Summa Cum Laude*
 Bah, Vanessa Lee, White Earth, MN, Social Work; Sociology
 Beard, Katelin Jane, Bemidji, MN, Social Work
 Boyd, Becky Ann, Fergus Falls, MN, Social Work
 Briceno, Kaleena Marie, Detroit Lakes, MN, Social Work; Sociology, *Magna Cum Laude*
 Campbell, Christina Marie, West Fargo, ND, Social Work, *Summa Cum Laude*
 Chapman, Bethany, Fargo, ND, Social Work
 Dew, Amber Lee, Fargo, ND, Social Work
 Elijah, Kelly Jo, Enderlin, ND, Social Work
 Fox, Brittany Jo, Wheaton, MN, Social Work, *Cum Laude*
 Fuchs, Nicole Marie, Bismarck, ND, Social Work
 Greene, Hannah Catherine, Dilworth, MN, Social Work
 Harwell, Trisha Jean, Eagan, MN, Social Work
 Iverson, Kari Anne, Fergus Falls, MN, Social Work, *Magna Cum Laude*
 Iverson, Kelsey Jean, Fordville, ND, Social Work
 Jahnke, Ashlyn Hope, Fargo, ND, Social Work; Sociology, *Cum Laude*
 *Johnson, Hillary Kathryn, Rothsay, MN, Social Work, *Magna Cum Laude*
 *Johnson, Jana Lee, Fargo, ND, Social Work
 Johnson, Marissa Rose, Marshall, MN, Social Work
 Kao, Jo-Wei, Taipei, Taiwan, Social Work, *Cum Laude*
 Koeppe, Libbi Kathleen, West Fargo, ND, Social Work
 Koziol, Vanessa Kay, Wahpeton, ND, Social Work
 Krein, Holly Andrene, Bismarck, ND, Social Work
 Kringler, Jessica Helen, Moorhead, MN, Social Work
 Kuznia, Kayla M., Thief River Falls, MN, Social Work; Psychology, *Cum Laude*
 *Larson, Kimberly Ann, West Fargo, ND, Social Work
 Lill, Ashley Jo, Fergus Falls, MN, Social Work

Loepp, Amanda, Wahpeton, ND, Social Work
McEvers, Alexandra Lee, Bismarck, ND, Social Work, *Cum Laude*
*Mitzel, Lucas Wade, West Fargo, ND, Social Work
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*Rebel, Katelynn, Hebron, ND, Social Work
Schneider, Denim Gene, Fargo, ND, Social Work
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Shigematsu, Melissa Ann, Fargo, ND, Social Work, *Magna Cum Laude*
Simon, Kayla Bellefeuille, Frazee, MN, Social Work, *Cum Laude*
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Stuehrenberg, Courtney Jean, Breckenridge, MN, Social Work
Thompson, Taryn Joan, Alexandria, MN, Social Work; Sociology
Toft, Jinna Mary, Brainerd, MN, Social Work; Sociology
Tyson, Jamie Dawn, Fargo, ND, Social Work, *Cum Laude*
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*Boadu, Nana Akua, Accra, Ghana, Biology
Boit, Sabrina Ann, Vergas, MN, Biology, *Magna Cum Laude*
Breitbach, Alyssa Marie, Sauk Centre, MN, Biology; Chemistry, *Summa Cum Laude*
Bublitz, Emily Marie, Watertown, SD, Psychology, Communication Studies, *Cum Laude*
Carter, Cami Jo, Fargo, ND, Biology; Psychology, *Summa Cum Laude*
Chiedu, Dubem Ike, Federal Way, WA, Biology
da Cunha, Joao Marcelo Tunes, Rio de Janeiro, Brazil, Anthropology; Geosciences
Danielson, Matthew Aaron, Fergus Falls, MN, Psychology; Biology
Devkota, Romit, Kathmandu, Nepal, Psychology, *Cum Laude*
Domeier, Hope JoAnn, Montevideo, MN, Psychology, *Summa Cum Laude*
Donarski, Donovan DuWayne, Newfolden, MN, Biology; Geosciences, *Summa Cum Laude*
Douglass Gebro, Jennifer Renee, Modesto, CA, Psychology, *Magna Cum Laude*
Erickson, Erin Elizabeth, St. Michael, MN, Biology; Psychology
Evans, Christopher David, Boise, ID, Biology
Ferguson, Brittany Marie, Fargo, ND, Biology, Psychology, *Cum Laude*
Flander, Calvin Eugene, Otsego, MN, Biology
*Fritz, Sara Lynn, Chilton, WI, Physical Education-Non Teaching
Gichimu, Julia Wagithi, Fargo, ND, Biology
Goll, Laura Anne, Baxter, MN, Biology
Grittner, Luke Andrew, Pillager, MN, Anthropology
Handa, Asako, Tokyo, Japan, Biology; Women's and Gender Studies, *Cum Laude*
Hansen, Olivia Kay, Otsego, MN, Biology
Hermes, Carli Noel, Bismarck, ND, Anthropology, *Cum Laude*
Hovde, Moriah Joy, Benson, MN, Biology; Vaccinology, Chemistry, *Cum Laude*
Hutchison, Jake Whitney, Fargo, ND, Biology; Chemistry
Jacobson, Joseph Andrew, Frazee, MN, Biology; Anthropology
Jensen, Andrea Danielle, Wadena, MN, Psychology, *Cum Laude*
Johnson, Kari Mae, Fargo, ND, Psychology, *Summa Cum Laude*
Kallberg, Samantha Marie, Hermantown, MN, Psychology; Women's Health, *Cum Laude*
Kuhlmann, Bennie Joe, Moorhead, MN, Biology, *Cum Laude*
Langevin, Kathryn Jennifer, Fargo, ND, Biology; Chemistry, Leadership Studies, *Magna Cum Laude*
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*Lee, Gyu Dong, Duluth, GA, Biology
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Long, Jessica Dawn, Park Rapids, MN, Biology
Maharjan, Shreejani, Kathmandu, Nepal, Biology
Masaki, Bryan Abednego, Farmington, MN, Biology
Messinger, Courtney Sarah, Little Falls, MN, Psychology; Management, Sociology, *Magna Cum Laude*

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 Nettleton, Sarah Ann, Fargo, ND, Psychology; Sociology
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 Nygaard, Kara Kelsey, Jamestown, ND, Biology, *Cum Laude*
 Olson, Jenae Marie, Sisseton, SD, Biology, *Summa Cum Laude*
 Otremba, Jenna Ann, Waconia, MN, Psychology
 Palmer, Emily Alice, Beresford, SD, Biology; Chemistry, *Summa Cum Laude*
 Pantera, Harrison Lee, Fargo, ND, Biology, *Summa Cum Laude*
 Pearson, Lance Meredith, Moorhead, MN, Psychology, Philosophy
 Piche, Julie Elaine, Fargo, ND, Biology, Psychology; Management, *Cum Laude*
 Pilch, Paul Jonathan, West Fargo, ND, Anthropology; Geosciences, *Magna Cum Laude*
 Reinartz, Adam Allen, Blaine, MN, Psychology; Art
 Rice, BreAnne, Detroit Lakes, MN, Psychology
 Rieland, Megan Ann, Sauk Centre, MN, Biology; Chemistry, *Summa Cum Laude*
 Rohloff, Trevor Lee, Pillager, MN, Psychology, *Magna Cum Laude*
 *Salmonson, Elisa Victoria, Aitkin, MN, Psychology, *Cum Laude*
 Sand, Aryn MacKenzie, Cold Spring, MN, Psychology, *Cum Laude*
 Sand, Jessica Joy, Greenbush, MN, Psychology; Community Health, *Summa Cum Laude*
 Schneider, Scott Andrew, Oakdale, MN, Psychology
 Shervheim, Tracy, West Fargo, ND, Biology
 Steinle, Emily Mae, Osage, MN, Psychology, *Summa Cum Laude*
 *Stenger, Nancy Lynn, Vergas, MN, Biology, *Cum Laude*
 *Swanson, Tessa Mary, Brooklyn Park, MN, Biology
 Thomas, Natalie Rose, Champlin, MN, Physical Education-Non Teaching, *Magna Cum Laude*
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 *Trejo Benitez, Fabian Hernando, Burnsville, MN, Biology
 Trudel, Lauren Phyllis, Granite Falls, MN, Biology, *Cum Laude*
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 *Bendix, Michael Paul, Farmington, MN, Exercise Science; Coaching, Strength and Conditioning
 Berthelsen, Nicholas Robert, Fargo, ND, Biochemistry and Biotechnology, *Magna Cum Laude*
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 Bulson, Janey Leigh, Breckenridge, MN, Exercise Science, Athletic Training; Strength and Conditioning
 Callahan, Samuel Richard, Fargo, ND, Exercise Science; Strength and Conditioning, Coaching
 Carr, Justin James, Moorhead, MN, Exercise Science; Strength and Conditioning
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 *Ewing, Peter Richard, Hutchinson, MN, Mathematics Education
 *Finco, Whitney Leigh, Hibbing, MN, Exercise Science; Health and Medical Sciences
 *Fritz, Sara Lynn, Chilton, WI, Exercise Science; Health Education, *Magna Cum Laude*
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 Langlais, Jessica Lynn, Becker, MN, Chemistry; Mathematics, *Cum Laude*
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 Lenz, Ellen Elizabeth, Hutchinson, MN, Geosciences
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 *McClain, Eva Marie, Fargo, ND, Community Health, *Summa Cum Laude*
 *McDowell, Megan Leigha, Goodwin, SD, Health Services Administration
 McLinn, Meredith, Minnetonka, MN, Physics; Computer Science
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 *Nelson, Nicholas Cole, Page, ND, Exercise Science; Coaching
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 *Strese, Megan Renee, Evansville, MN, Exercise Science, Health Services Administration, *Cum Laude*
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 *Thompson, Michael Tyrone, Fargo, ND, Health Education
 *Thurston, Nehemiah Geraldo, Nassau, Bahamas, Geosciences
 *Tveter, Bryce Kim, Fargo, ND, Exercise Science
 *Vargo, Megan Lee, Mayer, MN, Exercise Science; Strength and Conditioning
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Tomford, Jennifer Rose, Melrose, MN, Nursing
Topel, Keil Mitchell, Minneapolis, MN, Nursing
*Torkildson, Stephanie Julianne, Dent, MN, Nursing
*Watkins, Sara Alison, Fergus Falls, MN, Nursing
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“Effects of Familiarity with the American Culture on Reading Comprehension Among Middle School English Language Learners”

Dr. Ximena Suarez-Sousa, Advisor

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“Assessing the Need and Desire to Obtain Counseling Services Within a Geriatric Residential Facility”

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“Diversity Endorsement Program”

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Buchanan, Jennifer, Fargo, ND, Counseling and Student Affairs

“Student Leader Training Plan”

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Buetow, Jenna, Fargo, ND, Counseling and Student Affairs

“Effect of Retention Interventions on At-Risk Students”

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Bullis, Michelle L., Breckenridge, MN, Curriculum and Instruction

“Developing Intrinsic Motivation in Boys in the Literacy Classroom”

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Branham, Chelsey J., Elk River, MN, Educational Leadership

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Brunell, Jason, Elk River, MN, Counseling and Student Affairs

“Possibility, Perspective, and Self-Reflection: Self-Awareness Narrative by a Future School Counselor”

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Davis, Derek L., West Fargo, ND, Educational Leadership

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- Dewald, Jessica, Fargo, ND, Speech-Language Pathology
"Speech-Language Pathologists' Experience When Managing Caseloads with Dementia-Based Communication Disorders"
Dr. Nancy Paul, Advisor
- Dlugos, Joseph A., Naugatuck, CT, Counseling and Student Affairs
"Policy Violation Recidivism: Reducing Repeat Offenders on College Campuses"
Dr. Lisa Karch, Advisor
- Doetskott, Renee M., Clear Lake, MN, Nursing
"Self-Reported Weight and Perceived Body Image Changes of Practical and Associate Degree Nursing Students Enrolled in a Technical/Community College Setting"
Dr. Tracy Wright, Advisor
- Dybdal, Kelsey, Alexandria, MN, Speech-Language Pathology
"Public School Speech-Language Pathologists' Use of Evidence Base Practice in the Selection of Assessments and Treatment Techniques for Students with Childhood Apraxia of Speech"
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- Fisher, Sarah J., Eastmen, WI, Educational Leadership
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- Flach, Arica, Fargo, ND, Speech-Language Pathology
"Certified Nursing Assistants' Knowledge of Swallowing Disorders in Assistance to Speech-Language Pathologists"
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- Flowers, Tahnee, Brainerd, MN, Educational Leadership
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Dr. Julie Swaggert, Advisor
- Foss, Justus, Fargo, ND, Counseling and Student Affairs
"Faber est Quisque Fortunae Suae: An Introspective Look Into the Mind and Future of Justus Foss"
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- Galligan, Megan L., Alexandria, MN, Counseling and Student Affairs
"Examining Personal Foundations: The Blueprint of a School Counselor"
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"Career Exploration Curriculum for Students in Grades 7-12"
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"Nursing Dysphagia Screening Results and the Prevalence of Aspiration Pneumonia Among Stroke Patients in a Metropolitan Minnesota Acute Care Setting"
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- Halley, Alyssa Ann, Mentor, MN, Speech-Language Pathology
"Experiences When Interacting with a Communication Partner with Parkinson's Disease"
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"Teachers' Perceptions and Importance of Vocal Health"
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"Effect of Social Emotional Skills Training on the Reduction of Challenging Behavior"
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"Solution-Focused Goal Progress Worksheet as a Counseling Intervention"
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"Student Bullying: The Continuation into College Years"
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"Speech Language Pathologists' Knowledge and Skills in the Provision of Services Related to
Auditory Training"
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"Using Video-Self Modeling to Instruct Pre-School Children with Special Needs"
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"S.E.L.F. (Succeeding Everyday & Living Freely) Educational Process Group Instruction Manual"
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"Strategic Enrollment Plan to Increase Local Recruitment"
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"Telepractice: Current State of the Art"
Dr. Richard Adler, Advisor

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"Clinical Practice-Setting Registered Nurses' Views on Graduate Nursing Education, Academic Nurse
Faculty Roles, and Clinical Practice Nursing Roles"
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"Identifying Depression Symptoms and the Participation in Support Groups for Bariatric Patients"
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"The Role of School Based SLP's in Literacy Intervention"
Dr. Kris Vossler, Advisor

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"Knowledge of Pressure Ulcer Care Among Nurses and Nursing Assistants Within a Rural Minnesota
Skilled Nursing Facility"
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"Preparing for Life: Inside the College Transition for Students with Asperger's Disorder"
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"Transcultural Self-Efficacy Perceptions of Associate Degree Nursing Students at a Greater Minnesota
College Setting"
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Meyer, Shawn R., St. Augusta, MN, Nursing
"Postpartum Hemorrhage Incidence and Blood Loss Amounts after Implementation of Preventive
Measures at a Midwestern Metropolitan Hospital"
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"The Experience of Older-Than-Average Graduate Students"
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"Current Evidence Based Practice for Assessment and Treatment of Right Hemisphere Damage"
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"Collegiate Recovery Communities: Assessing the Need"
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"Use of Video Modeling with Students with Autism Spectrum Disorders"
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"Animal-Assisted Therapy in Speech-Language Therapy Interventions: A Systematic Review"
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"Pre-Health Program Development"
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"Special Education System in Nepal: A Time for a Change"
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"The Use of Graphic Novels to Support Reading Vocabulary and Comprehension at the Secondary Level"
Dr. Christine Malone, Advisor

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"K-5th Grade Personal/Social, Academic, and Career Curriculum Development"
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Roozen, Sarah Marie, Minneapolis, MN, Speech-Language Pathology
"The Effects of Drawing for Communication in an Individual with Aphasia"
Dr. Nancy Paul, Advisor

Schneck, David, West Fargo, ND, Educational Leadership
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Schorn, Mackenzie, Browerville, MN, Speech-Language Pathology
"Applying Crystallized and Fluid Intelligence Theory to Activities That May Promote Optimal Aging of Cognition"
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"Relationships Between GLBT Parents and Schools"
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"Development of STELLRR: A Direct Observation System for Use with the Nurtured Heart Approach"
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"Service Learning Course Designed for Students in an Alternative School"
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Swenson, Christopher, Moorhead, MN, Counseling and Student Affairs
"Assessment of Academic Support Center Services at Minnesota State University Moorhead"
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"Technology-Based Home Remediation Program for Acquired Dysgraphia: A Clinical Study"
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Vesledahl, Aubrey L., Moorhead, MN, Speech-Language Pathology
"Teachers' Ability to Recognize Fluency Disorders Among Their Students"
Dr. Richard Adler, Advisor

Waters, Joey, Sartell, MN, Educational Leadership
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Wright, Elizabeth, Staples, MN, Speech-Language Pathology
"The Effectiveness of Literacy Intervention Following the Embedded-Explicit Therapy Model"
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Majors and Minors

The Commencement Program lists all majors and minors which have been completed. If a student has completed two majors, the majors are separated by a comma (English, History); if a student has completed a major and a minor, the major and minor are separated by a semi-colon (English; History). If a student has earned a minor via the Tri-College University, the home institution is listed after the minor and placed in parentheses, i.e. French (Concordia).

Graduate Candidates

Candidates receiving graduate degrees are listed in the program. The listing also contains the title of their thesis or project and their faculty advisor. Each candidate that participates in the ceremony is wearing the appropriate master's or specialist hood. The color of the velvet edging on the hood represents the academic discipline and the silk lining (red and white) represents Minnesota State University Moorhead.

Academic Honors

Students who complete at least 60 credits at MSU Moorhead as candidates for baccalaureate degrees may graduate with the following honors:

CUM LAUDE representing a cumulative grade point average of 3.40 or higher

MAGNA CUM LAUDE representing a cumulative grade point average of 3.60 or higher

SUMMA CUM LAUDE..... representing a cumulative grade point average of 3.80 or higher

Such honors are computed from the cumulative grade point average earned in all courses at MSU Moorhead. The graduates who have earned these honors will have the achievement listed on their academic transcripts. The CUM LAUDE graduates wear white honor cords. The MAGNA CUM LAUDE graduates wear red honor cords. The SUMMA CUM LAUDE graduates wear red and white honor cords.

Honors Program Graduates

The MSU Moorhead Honors Program exists to award and encourage superior academic performance. Students who have earned a 3.50 grade point average during their freshman year are invited to participate in the Honors Program. Those who complete the rigorous Honors Program curricular requirements are listed in the Commencement Program and have the achievement listed on their academic transcripts.

Distinction in Engagement

Students graduating with Distinction in Engagement have distinguished themselves in meaningful ways in the areas of learning, service, and citizenship beyond the requirements of major programs of study and the general education program. Through this co-curricular program students complete six engagement projects, write a self-reflective paper, and prepare and present a professional resume.

Honor Societies

Alpha Kappa Delta seeks to acknowledge and promote excellence in the study of sociology, the research of social problems, and such other social and intellectual activities to help improve the human condition. Sociology students are nominated by MSUM professors for membership if they are an officially declared sociology major; at least a junior (third year) by standards; rank in the top 35% of their class in general scholarship or have at least a 3.3 overall GPA; have at least a 3.0 GPA in sociology courses prior to initiation; and have completed at least four regular sociology courses. Students are inducted into the society each spring.

Alpha Phi Sigma is a National Criminal Justice Honor Society. APS recognizes academic excellence of undergraduate criminal justice majors who maintain a GPA of 3.5 or above, nominated by faculty, and in the top 35% of their class. The goals of Alpha Phi Sigma are to honor and promote academic excellence, community service, educational leadership and unity.

Alpha Upsilon Alpha, the honor society of the International Reading Association, was created in 1985 to recognize and encourage scholarship, the development of personal and professional leadership, and service to the field of reading at both the undergraduate and graduate levels.

The Greek letters chosen for this honor society are significant: They come from the words *Anagnosis* (reading), *Uprotrophia* (scholarship) and *Archon* (leadership). The society motto, which is attributed to Horace, says it all: "*Lege sapere aude*," or "Read, dare to be wise."

Membership in Alpha Upsilon Alpha brings a sense of scholarly accomplishment in the field of reading and language arts. Members are acknowledged for having excelled in their chosen field of study, and are recognized as professionals committed to the importance of reading and language arts in education.

Beta Beta Beta National Biology Society is an academic society for students who major in Biology. The requirements for membership in the Omega Mu chapter of Beta Beta Beta are (1) at least three biology courses in the biology major, and (2) a minimum GPA of 3.0 in those courses. The honor pin displays three Greek letters, Beta Beta Beta, and a coiled serpent. The first Beta stands for the Greek word BALANNOS, which means acorn; it represents life in and on the ground. The second Beta stands for the Greek word BOUDETASE, which means little bird; it represents life in the air. The third Beta stands for the Greek word BOAX, which means fish; it represents life in the water. All three words may be summed up in one word BIOS, meaning life. The coiled serpent in the center of the pin is an ancient symbol of wisdom. Graduating students who are members of Beta Beta Beta may wear the red and green cords symbolic of the Society.

Beta Gamma Sigma honor society is an academic society for students who major in Business or Accounting. Students ranking in the top 10 percent of the baccalaureate program at schools accredited by AACSB International – The Association to Advance Collegiate Schools of Business – are eligible for this invitation. AACSB Accreditation is known, worldwide, as the longest standing, most recognized form of accreditation that a business program can earn. Since its founding as an honor society in 1913, more than 625,000 outstanding business and accounting graduates at all academic levels have earned recognition through lifetime membership in Beta Gamma Sigma. The blue and gold honor cord worn by Beta Gamma Sigma members feature a gold (metal) key charm attached to the knot above the tassel on one end of the blue cord signifying the wearer as a member of Beta Gamma Sigma.

Chi Sigma Alpha is a member of Chi Sigma Iota, which is an international honor society that values academic and professional excellence in counseling. We promote a strong professional identity through members (professional counselors, counselor educators, and students) who contribute to the realization of a healthy society by fostering wellness and human dignity. The membership requirements include, “Those who have a cumulative GPA of 3.5 or better on a scale of 4.0 and are deemed promising for endorsement as a professional counselor whose ethical judgment and behavior will be exemplary” (CSI Bylaws, Article 4.1). Members of Chi Sigma Alpha wear blue and white honor cords and/or a white stole that displays the Chi Sigma Iota emblem and Greek Letters.

Lambda Epsilon Chi “LEX” is a national honor society recognizing academic excellence for Paralegal students. Invitations for membership are extended to those students who are declared majors in MSUM’s Paralegal Department and who have met the following criteria: (1) Completion of at least two-thirds of the course requirements for the major, and (2) Cumulative Grade Point Average of 3.5 in Paralegal courses.

Lambda Pi Eta is the official honor society for communication studies students. It is sponsored by the National Communication Association (NCA). Students must have a 3.0 cumulative GPA and a 3.25 GPA for communication studies courses. The pin features the Greek words lambda, pi, and eta which stand for Aristotle’s three forms of proof: logos, pathos, and ethos.

Phi Alpha is a national social work honor society which was established in 1960. The purpose of Phi Alpha is to promote humanitarian goals and ideals and to provide a closer bond among students of social work. The membership requirements include excellence in scholarship, with a minimum GPA of 3.25 and achievement in social work.

Pi Kappa Lambda, the national honor society in music, was established in 1918 at Northwestern University in Illinois to provide an organization dedicated to the furtherance of music in education and education in music in colleges, universities, and other institutions of higher learning which offer music degree programs. Election to the Epsilon Iota chapter (established at MSUM in 1982) requires that students be outstanding in scholarship and musicianship, and that candidates in their junior year be in the top 10% of their class, that seniors be in the top 20%, and that graduate students have satisfactorily completed the requirements of their degrees. The insignia pin of Pi Kappa Lambda is a gold Grecian lyre with symbols of music and drama (panpipes and mask with foils) on each side of the three strings of the lyre.

Pi Sigma Alpha is a national honor society for political science majors. The requirements for membership in the Mu Xi chapter of Pi Sigma Alpha are (1) completion of 10 semester credits in political science including one 300-level class, (2) a minimum of 3.0 GPA in political science courses, and (3) a cumulative GPA of 3.0. The honor pin is a small gold pin with the honor society’s greek letters on the front and the member’s name, chapter, and date of induction on the back.

Psi Chi is an honorary society founded in 1929 for psychology majors. Psi Chi is a member of the Association of College Honor Societies and an affiliate of the American Psychological Association and the Association for Psychological Science. The MSUM Chapter of Psi Chi was established in the Psychology Department in 1984. In addition to the national membership requirements of a 3.0 GPA, class rank in the top 35%, completion of 3 semesters of college, and 9 semester hours of psychology courses, the MSUM chapter requires a minimum GPA of 3.25 in psychology courses. Members of Psi Chi wear a gold stole that displays the Psi Chi emblem of the Greek letters Psi and Chi.

Sigma Delta Pi, the National Collegiate Hispanic Honor Society (/ La Sociedad Nacional Honoraria Hispánica/), is devoted exclusively to students of Spanish in four-year colleges and universities. It was established on November 14, 1919, at the University of California in Berkeley. Upsilon Sigma, the local chapter of SDP was organized at MSUM in the Fall of 2000. Requirements for membership are (1) completing at least 3 years or the equivalent, of college Spanish, including at least three semester hours of a third year course in Hispanic literature of Hispanic culture and civilization; (2) a minimum GPA of 3.0 in Spanish; (3) student rank in the upper 35% of their class. The Greek words, /Spanias Didagei Proagomen/ stand for the motto, "Let us follow after Spain's inspiration." The honor pin and cord harken back to the colors on the Spanish national flag and the coat of arms of Castilla y León that depicts lions and castles in the checkered corners of the crest.

Sigma Lambda Chi is an international and academic honor society for students majoring in construction management. It is known for being a society of leaders in construction. Chapters are located throughout the United States and Australia. It was founded as an honorary society on April 30, 1949 at Michigan State University in East Lansing Michigan. In 1991, Sigma Lambda Chi became a member of the Association of College Honor Societies, Inc. Requirements for membership are (1) complete two academic years of study toward a degree in Construction, (2) obtain an overall scholastic average in the upper twenty percent of his or her incoming class, (3) study at the present institution for the preceding six months, (4) demonstrate leadership, character, and personality traits which will give promise of reflecting credit upon Sigma Lambda Chi, (5) participate in one or more extracurricular activities, and (6) work in some phase of the construction industry.

Sigma Phi Omega is the national honor society for students who major in gerontology. The purpose of SPO is to recognize excellence of those who study gerontology and aging. Local chapters serve as links within their respective communities to promote interaction between gerontology educators, students, alumni, and local professionals. Membership is open to undergraduates who are majoring in gerontology and who are in at least their second term of enrollment with a cumulative GPA of at least 3.3. Members of Sigma Phi Omega wear a blue and gold honor cord and a pin that bears the SPO emblem of the Greek letters Sigma, Phi, and Omega.

Sigma Pi Sigma is the physics honor society and was founded in 1921. Election to SPS is earned by a minimum GPA of 3.0 and demonstrated excellence in at least two of four categories; research work, outreach participation, Society of Physics Students involvement or outstanding academic achievement in physics. SPS exists to honor and encourage physics scholarship, to be of service to the various communities it may influence, and to be a fellowship of persons who have shared in the traditions and culture of physics. The name SPS comes from the first letters that compose the society motto Skeyiz Prosthant Sunesewz which translated from Greek is "investigation, the forerunner of knowledge." The official insignia and key consists of a voltmeter, lamp and dynamo. The voltmeter symbolizes the high accuracy which is the hallmark of careful experiments, the lamp is the symbol of knowledge (Sophia in Greek) and the dynamo represents the creative energy that is so necessary to productive research. The MSUM Sigma Pi Sigma chapter was founded in 1974.

Sigma Theta Tau International is an honorary society for nursing majors, and was founded in 1922. MSUM belongs to the Xi Kappa chapter. The founders chose the name from the Greek words Storga, Tharos, and Tima meaning "love," "courage" and "honor". The founder's vision for the society helped bring recognition to nursing as a science. Membership is by invitation to baccalaureate and graduate

nursing students who demonstrate excellence in scholarship, and to community leaders who demonstrate exceptional achievement in nursing. The requirements for membership are (1) student rank in the top 35% of their class, and (2) a GPA of at least 3.0.

Academic Attire

The caps and gowns worn at formal academic events in American colleges are the direct descendants of the everyday costumes worn in the universities of Medieval England when each school had its peculiar dress so that an Oxford student could be distinguished from a Cambridge student. Because of the tremendous growth of American colleges, and the confusion that would result if each were to adopt a distinctive costume, the Intercollegiate Bureau of Academic Costume was organized. The Bureau has established a uniform code that over 700 institutions have adopted.

There are three types of gowns and three types of hoods for bachelors, masters, and doctors. The bachelors gown has a long pointed sleeve, whereas the masters gown has a long closed sleeve, square at the end. The doctors gown is characterized by a voluminous bell-shaped sleeve with three velvet bars.

The hoods for all degrees are lined with silk in the official academic color or colors of the institution conferring the degree and have an edging or trim of velvet, the color of which indicates the academic discipline or faculty to which the degree pertains. The bachelors hood is not worn by candidates for the baccalaureate degree but only by those upon whom this degree has been previously conferred. The masters hood is considerably longer, has a wider velvet edging, and exposes more of the lining. The doctors hood has wide panels at the side. It has the widest velvet edging, greatest length, and fullest exposure of the lining.

The black mortarboard cap with tassel is worn with each type of gown. Those holding a doctor's degree are privileged to wear a gold tassel. Masters and bachelors wear tassels that are either black or of the color appropriate to the academic discipline in which they are graduating.

Some of the colors which may be observed at this commencement and which symbolize various faculties are as follows:

Arts and Humanities	White
Business Administration.....	Light Brown
Education.....	Light Blue
Fine Arts	Dark Brown
Law	Purple
Music	Pink
Nursing.....	Apricot
Philosophy	Dark Blue
Public Administration	Peacock Blue
Science.....	Golden Yellow
Social Work.....	Citron



The University Mace

As the official symbol of the university's power and authority, this staff is carried in academic processions by the University President or her designee. Lyle Laske, Associate Professor Emeritus of Art at Minnesota State University Moorhead, crafted the staff for the university in memory of his colleague and friend, Dr. Roy Boe, who served as an Associate Professor of Art from 1967 to his death in 1976. The staff is sculpted from Brazilian rosewood, rubbed and polished to a deep luster. Its tips are cast in bronze and gold plated. The top piece on the staff, also in rosewood, is shaped in a universal form which symbolizes the medieval northern world. The staff rests in a base that is a solid, circular piece of rosewood.

The staff was presented to President Edna Mora Szymanski in 2008. This year, the staff bearer is Dr. Barbara Matthees, Faculty Association Vice President.

The Presidential Medallion

The Presidential Medallion serves as a sign of the educational mission of MSUM. The President's commitment to the university's purposes is renewed in each solemn academic function, when it is appropriate to wear the medallion and be recharged by its symbols.

The medallion presented to Edna Mora Szymanski upon her inauguration was designed and cast in bronze by P. Richard Szeitz, a faculty member in the MSUM art and design department from 1966 to 1994.

The design incorporates images of the seven liberal arts, representing the disciplines of learning in the modern university. Originally, those disciplines were divided into the trivium (logic, grammar, rhetoric) and the quadrivium (astronomy, arithmetic, geometry and harmony).

College Marshals

The College Marshals are senior faculty representing their colleges.



The MSUM banners feature the founder and the ten presidents of this institution from its founding as Moorhead Normal School to the present MSUM.



Solomon G. Comstock
1885
introduced
legislation to begin
Moorhead Normal
School

**President
Livingston Lord**
1888-1899

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1923-1941

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1941-1955

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Where flows the ri - ver through prai - ries to the val - ley North,



Seek - ers of truth built a place of light and li - ber - ty.



That from its por - tals their sons and daugh - ters might go forth,



Through - out the na - tion till the truth be spread that sets us free.



Hail, M S U Moor - head to Thee. With love and loy - al - ty.



We pass the torch from the past to the fu - ture bright.



Hail, hail, Al - ma Ma - ter Ans - w' - ring e - ver to our coun - try's call,



E - ver chang - ing, e - ver con - stant, e - ver true, our Al - ma Ma - ter.



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