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# A CENTENNIAL CELEBRATION

**May  
Commencement  
2009**

## ***UNO CHIMES***

*And the chimes ring out for Omaha,  
bidding welcome to old and new, to our Alma Mater,  
Nebraska Omaha, this city's great Nebraska U.*

*We will lift our voice, pledging loyalty,  
for our thoughts and memories are fond and true.*

*Voices loud and strong, sing out praise and gratefulness  
to Omaha Nebraska U!*

*Hail to you, Omaha Nebraska U!*

# PROGRAM

## PRELUDE

"Canzona per Sonare No. 2".....G. Gabrielli

## PROCESSIONAL

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

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

## THE NATIONAL ANTHEM

"The Star Spangled Banner".....Key  
Please join in singing led by  
Mr. Timothy Vallier, UNO Alumnus

CHANCELLOR'S WELCOME.....Chancellor John Christensen

REGENTS' WELCOME.....Regent Kent Schroeder  
Member, Board of Regents

STUDENT ADDRESS.....Ms. Humaira Qasimyar  
"A Shared Journey"

PRESENTATION OF CITATION FOR ALUMNUS ACHIEVEMENT.....Mr. Mark Grieb  
Chairman, Alumni Association Board of Directors  
To: Mr. Lloyd Roitstein

ORDER OF THE TOWER.....Chancellor John Christensen  
Recipients: The Weitz Family Foundation  
Dr. Ronald Roskens

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

PRESENTATION OF CANDIDATES.....Academic Deans  
AND

## CONFERRING OF DEGREES Chancellor John Christensen

Doctor of Philosophy, Doctor of Education, and Master's.....Associate Vice Chancellor Deborah Smith-Howell  
Bachelor's  
Arts and Sciences.....Dean David Booker  
Engineering Associate.....Dean John Thorp  
Education Interim.....Dean David Conway  
Business Administration.....Dean Louis Pol  
Public Affairs and Community Service.....Dean B. J. Reed  
Education and Human Sciences.....Associate Professor Yan Xia  
Information Science & Technology.....Dean Hesham Ali  
Communication, Fine Arts and Media.....Dean Gail Baker

CLOSING.....Senior Vice Chancellor Terry Hynes

## RECESSIONAL

"Pomp and Circumstance March No. 4".....E. Elgar

For the safety and convenience of our guests and out of respect for our graduates, we ask that members of the audience refrain from leaving their seats, congregating near the stage or exiting prior to the close of our ceremonies. A professional photographer will record graduates as they cross the stage. Photos are available from the vendors. Thank you for your cooperation.

## ACADEMIC REGALIA

Identification of the hood and robe as academic apparel is believed to have originated at the English universities of Oxford and Cambridge during the twelfth and thirteenth centuries. The hoods are a carry-over from the times when monks, who operated these universities, wore them to protect their shaved heads in winter. The robe is an adaptation of the shoulder cape also worn by these same monks while collecting alms.

Use of the academic robe came to the United States in 1754 with the founding of what is now Columbia University. In 1895, a commission of University officials adopted a universal code of design and color for the academic garb. This code has undergone several revisions in subsequent years.

Styling of the robes varies for the bachelor's, master's and doctoral degrees with the width of sleeve borders and length of the hood increasing with each advanced degree. Hoods are normally not used for bachelor's degrees today. Instead, the tassel colors are used to indicate the degree program. All doctoral degree recipients are indicated by a gold tassel.

## UNIVERSITY HONORS PROGRAM

The University Honors Program is a University-wide program providing maximum educational opportunities for students of high ability through special multidisciplinary seminars and participation in an academic level not generally possible in usual curricular offerings.

The program is an outgrowth of the Arts and Sciences Honors program and was initiated in 1978. It is governed through the office of the Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs and administered through the Honors Coordinator. UNO colleges which implement Honors Programs include Arts and Sciences; Business Administration; Education; Public Affairs and Community Service; Information Science and Technology; and Communication, Fine Arts and Media.

As part of their Honors Program requirements, students undertake a research project that results in a Senior Honors Thesis. Students and their majors are listed at the end of the list of graduates. Students who have been designated in this booklet as Honors Program students have fulfilled the academic requirements of this program. Honors Program graduates wear blue and scarlet Honors cords.

## MEDALLION COLORS

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

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

## PHI KAPPA PHI

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

## OMICRON DELTA KAPPA

Active student members of the UNO Circle of Omicron Delta Kappa, the National Leadership Honor Society, shall be recognized by the blue, white and black honor cords, the official colors of the society.

## PI GAMMA MU

Blue and white cords with the blue tassels honor graduating members of Pi Gamma Mu, International Honor Society in Social Science.

## GRADUATION TASSEL COLORS

Doctoral Programs.....	Gold
Cooperative Programs	
Master of Public Health.....	Salmon
College of Arts and Sciences	
Master of Arts.....	White
Master of Arts for Teachers of Mathematics.....	White
Master of Science.....	Golden Yellow
Specialist in Education.....	Light Blue
Bachelor of Arts.....	White
Bachelor of Science.....	Golden Yellow
UNL College of Engineering.....	Orange
Associate.....	Grey-Blue
College of Education.....	Light Blue
Master of Arts.....	White
Master of Science.....	Golden Yellow
Specialist in Education.....	Light Blue
Bachelor of Science in Education.....	Light Blue
College of Business Administration	
Master of Business Administration.....	Drab (Nugget)
Master of Business Administration:	
Executive MBA.....	Drab (Nugget)
Master of Accounting.....	Drab (Nugget)
Master of Arts.....	Drab (Nugget)
Master of Science.....	Drab (Nugget)
Bachelor of Science in Business Administration.....	Drab (Nugget)
College of Public Affairs and Community Service	
Master of Arts.....	White
Master of Science.....	Golden Yellow
Master of Public Administration.....	Peacock Blue
Master of Social Work.....	Citron
Bachelor of Science in Criminal Justice.....	Golden Yellow
Bachelor of General Studies.....	Black
Bachelor of Science in Public Administration.....	Peacock Blue
Bachelor of Science in Social Work.....	Citron
Bachelor of Science in Urban Studies.....	Golden Yellow
Bachelor of Science in Aviation.....	Golden Yellow
College of Education and Human Sciences.....	Maroon
College of Information Science and Technology	
Master of Arts.....	White
Master of Science.....	Golden Yellow
Bachelor of Science in Computer Science.....	Golden Yellow
Bachelor of Science in Management Information Systems.....	Golden Yellow
Bachelor of Science in Bioinformatics.....	Golden Yellow
College of Communication, Fine Arts and Media	
Master of Arts.....	White
Master of Music.....	Pink
Bachelor of Arts in Art History.....	White
Bachelor of Arts in Communication.....	White
Bachelor of Arts in Dramatic Arts.....	White
Bachelor of Arts in Studio Art.....	White
Bachelor of Arts in Theatre.....	White
Bachelor of Fine Arts.....	Brown
Bachelor of Music.....	Pink
Bachelor of Science in Communication.....	Golden Yellow

## **STUDENT COMMENCEMENT SPEAKER**

### **HUMAIRA B. QASIMYAR**

Humaira B. Qasimyar, an Omaha native, graduates summa cum laude today with a bachelor of science in biotechnology and a bachelor of art in religious studies. The title of her address is "A Shared Journey."

On campus, she was active with a number of organizations, including Phi Kappa Phi Honor Society, Delta Epsilon Iota Honor Society, the Muslim Student Organization, Chem Club and the Honors Program. She also was a volunteer with the Make-A-Wish Foundation and at the University of Nebraska Medical Center (UNMC), where she assisted each weekend in the emergency room and conducted research through the Summer Undergraduate Research Program.

Qasimyar enjoyed working on her senior thesis, involving data she collected at UNMC, and is proud to have presented the research last fall. She is honored to have her thesis on display in the library.

She earned a spot on the Dean's and Chancellor's Lists for excellence in academics and is a recipient of a Regents' Scholarship, University of Nebraska Peter Kiewit Institute Scholarship, Bernie Kolasa Academic Freedom Scholarship, Hayhome Memorial Scholarship and Burke Memorial Scholarship. She was also honored with the Biotechnology Outstanding Major Award and a Mensa Trustees Award.

This fall, Qasimyar plans to begin medical school at UNMC. She looks forward to the new challenges and hopes to take part in the many opportunities for student research and international service trips. In her spare time, she enjoys Bollywood films, music and reading.

# ORDER OF THE TOWER RECIPIENT

## WEITZ FAMILY FOUNDATION

The Weitz Family Foundation was established in 2001, based on a life-long commitment to family, community service and philanthropy. Barbara and Wally Weitz, along with their children, serve as directors of the foundation and make decisions about philanthropic gifts through family consensus.

The foundation seeks to support those who advocate its mission of empowering individuals, agencies and organizations that work to improve quality of life and promote an equitable and peaceful society. Particular interests include education, public housing and the arts.

Barbara and Wally met while freshmen at Carleton College in Northfield, Minn. They married shortly after graduation from Carleton in 1970. All three of their children went on to receive degrees from Carleton, as well.

After graduating from Carleton with a bachelor of arts degree in economics, Wally began a career in business. For the next 13 years, he gained experience in security analysis and by working as an analyst and portfolio manager. In 1983, he founded the Omaha money management firm Weitz Funds, which now manages more than \$2 billion in investments.

In addition to earning a bachelor of arts degree in government from Carleton, Barbara went on to receive a master of public administration degree from New York University and a master of social work degree from the University of Nebraska at Omaha (UNO). She also engaged in doctoral studies in social welfare at the Mandel School at Case Western University in Cleveland.

Barbara became familiar with service learning - the practice of applying classroom lessons in real-world settings to benefit the community - as a former instructor in the UNO School of Social Work. She and several colleagues lent their talents to the innovative use of service learning in social work education, resulting in the publication of the first book on the subject.

Through their foundation, the Weitz family has donated millions of dollars to dozens of nonprofit organizations, including the University of Nebraska Foundation. Recent gifts have benefitted a variety of service learning initiatives at UNO, the Stephenson Internships in the UNO Goodrich Program and the renovation of the former Engineering Building at UNO, which now houses the College of Public Affairs and Community Service.

Along with generous financial support, Barbara and Wally have provided exemplary leadership on social issues affecting the community. They also support innovative, grassroots organizations designed to meet the emerging needs of the community along with well-established, local affiliates of national nonprofits. In collaboration with a small group of major donors, they launched the Building Bright Futures initiative, a community-driven effort addressing the academic achievement of Omaha youth.

Barbara co-authored "The Women and Leadership Report," which provides insight on the status of women's leadership in Omaha and discusses numerous strategies to address the issue. In 2007, she received the WomanSpirit Award from the Women's Fund of Greater Omaha for her efforts and leadership.



# ORDER OF THE TOWER RECIPIENT

## RONALD W. ROSKENS

Ronald W. Roskens has compiled a career of distinction, including service ranging from the field of education to high levels of government. He is the former chancellor of the University of Nebraska at Omaha (UNO) and former president of the University of Nebraska (NU).

Dr. Roskens holds degrees from the University of Northern Iowa and the University of Iowa, where he earned his doctorate in 1958. He also is the recipient of 15 honorary degrees from other institutions of higher learning.

He began his tenure as UNO chancellor in 1972 after serving Kent State University for 13 years as a professor and, eventually, executive vice president. In 1977, he was named NU president and served in that capacity for 13 years.

As NU president, he brought an international perspective to the university, developing exchange programs with universities in Asia, Latin America, Europe and China. Dr. Roskens also negotiated an exchange program with Kabul University in Afghanistan and oversaw the development of the UNO Center for Afghanistan Studies.

In 1990, President George Bush spoke at Dr. Roskens' swearing-in ceremony when he became the administrator of the U.S. Agency for International Development (USAID). At that time, USAID had an annual program budget of \$8.1 billion for initiatives on economic and humanitarian assistance to more than 100 countries. Dr. Roskens oversaw a major restructuring of the agency, making it a more streamlined organization. Initiatives he helped implement to focus programs on democratization, the environment, the family and the role of private business in economic development have been widely recognized as bringing USAID more in line with post-Cold War priorities.

At the beginning of 1996, he became president of Global Connections Inc., an international business consulting firm. From 1996 to 1998, he also served as interim executive officer of the Omaha Public Library. He later was appointed honorary Consul General of Japan and elected to the advisory board of the World Food Programme, a United Nations Agency headquartered in Rome, Italy.

Dr. Roskens currently serves as a director of ConAgra Foods Inc., the Silverstone Group, the Russian Farm Community Project and the Capitol Federal Foundation of Topeka, Kan. He also is a member of the Council on Foreign Relations and is a licensed minister in the United Church of Christ.

## **ALUMNUS ACHIEVEMENT AWARD**

### **LLOYD E. ROITSTEIN**

Lloyd E. Roitstein has been scout executive/president of the Mid-America Council of the Boy Scouts of America for the past 17 years. The largest youth-serving agency in Nebraska, the council is among the nation's largest geographically and in number of youth served. Roitstein has served for 38 years in numerous leadership roles with the Scouts.

An Eagle Scout, Roitstein has been involved in Scouting since age eight. His father was a scoutmaster and member of the council board, and his mother served in a number of leadership positions. Roitstein grew up in Omaha and attended Central High School before enrolling at Omaha University in 1964. He also served in the U.S. Army Reserve while in college.

At the University of Nebraska at Omaha (UNO), he served on the Student Senate and with the Student Programming Organization and was chair of the Committee for Athletic Promotion. Roitstein also served as the last Ouampi, the mascot when the university's nickname was the Indians. As Ouampi, Roitstein performed authentic American Indian dances, which he learned through Scouting. In 1971, he received his bachelor's degree in education from UNO.

His first position with the Boy Scouts was serving as district executive in Omaha from 1971 to 1974. He later became field director and then director of field service for the Mid-America Council (1974 to 1983) before moving to Belleville, Ill., where he was scout executive for a nine-county area in southern Illinois from 1984 to 1988.

He moved to St. Louis and became area director, serving eight councils in Iowa, Illinois and Missouri from 1988 to 1992, when he assumed his current post. Roitstein is responsible for council operational goals to expand Scouting, strategic planning, endowment development, council funding, board of directors recruitment and other duties. In 2008, he received the Boy Scouts of America's Distinguished Executive Award.

Roitstein was a member of the UNO Alumni Association Board of Directors from 1997 to 2002. He also served as a board member or in other capacities with the Kiwanis and Rotary Clubs, Jewish Press of Omaha, Jewish Federation, ServeNET and Friedel Academy. He also has been a soccer coach and held school, synagogue and homeowner association leadership roles.

His dedication and leadership skills were evident last summer when a tornado struck the council's Little Sioux Scout Ranch in Iowa's Loess Hills, about 60 miles north of Omaha. Roitstein attended to the camp soon after receiving news of the tornado, helping with search-and-rescue missions and providing the Scouts' public response in press conferences and media interviews.

In August, Roitstein accompanied Scouts who were at the Little Sioux Scout Ranch, along with their parents and other individuals, to the White House for a meeting with President George W. Bush. The Little Sioux Scout Ranch is now being rebuilt through a \$1.8 million reconstruction effort.

## CANDIDATES FOR GRADUATE DEGREES

This list includes names of persons who were candidates as of May 4, 2009.  
Degrees to be awarded are subject to completion of academic requirements

### DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY

Abdelnasser M. Abdelaal, BS, Cairo University, 1994; MS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2004; PhD in Information Technology, "The Role of Community Wireless Networks in Achieving Digital Inclusion;" Dissertation Advisor: Dr. Hesham Ali

Alanah Joy Davis, BA, Simpson College, 2003; MS, Creighton University, 2004; PhD in Information Technology, "A Study of Interventions and Technology Choice in Virtual Teams;" Dissertation Advisor: Dr. Ilze Zigurs

Alicia McKenzie Domack, BS, University of Wisconsin, 2001; MA, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2005; PhD in Psychological Studies in Education from the University of Nebraska-Lincoln, "'Let's Read a Book, Mommy.": How Gender, Age, and Socioeconomic Status Affect Naturalistic Conversations about Literacy;" Dissertation Advisor: Dr. Brigitte Ryalls

Denise Renee Leifker, BS, University of Wisconsin, 2000; MA, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2002; PhD in Criminal Justice, "The Sentencing Recommendation of the Probation Officer. What Does it Really Mean?: Findings from One Small County in California;" Dissertation Advisor: Dr. Lisa Sample

Jayne D. Nekuda, BS, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 1982; MS, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 1989; PhD in Human Sciences from the University of Nebraska-Lincoln, "The Effect of Retirement on Vigorous Physical Activity Controlling for Socio-Demographic Variables of Age, Gender, Education, Income, Race and Perceived Health Status Affect;" Dissertation Advisor: Dr. James Thorson

### DOCTOR OF EDUCATION

Daniel H. Bird, Bachelor of Science in Education, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1991; MS, Peru State College, 1998; EdD in Educational Administration, "The Effect of a Yearlong One-to-One Laptop Computer Classroom Program on the 4th-Grade Achievement and Technology Outcomes of Digital Divide Learners;" Dissertation Advisor: Dr. John Hill

Diana Lynn Casey, BS, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 1990; MS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1994; EdD in Educational Administration, "The Effect of Classroom Management Training and Active or Information-Based Follow-Up on Inexperienced Teachers' Perceived Classroom Behavior Management Effectiveness;" Dissertation Advisor: Dr. Peter Smith

Julie Delkamiller, Bachelor of Science in Education, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1993; MS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2000; EdD in Educational Administration, "Evaluating the Sign Language Phonology of Sight Words Used to Support Deaf/Hard of Hearing Students' Literacy Development in Idioma de Senas de Nicaragua;" Dissertation Advisor: Dr. John Hill

Paula Ann Peal, BS, College of Saint Mary, 1980; MS, Lesley College, 1989; MS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2003; EdD in Educational Administration, "The Effect of a Back-to-Basics Core Academic Program Compared to a Traditional Academic Program On Participating 4th-Grade Students' Achievement And Perceptions of Life Skills;" Dissertation Advisor: Dr. John Hill

Tamara Jean Williams, BS, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 1998; MS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2003; EdD in Educational Administration, "The Effectiveness of a School-Wide Differentiated Home Room Academic Extension Re-Teaching Initiative on the Achievement and Proficiency Categories of 8th-Grade Students with Varying Levels of Cognitive Skill;" Dissertation Advisor: Dr. John Hill

### MASTER OF ARTS

Rachel Irene Ahrens, BA, Dana College, 2003; Speech-Language Pathology, "Training Childcare Providers to Improve Interactions with Children: A Comparison of In-Service Training versus Direct Modeling of Desired Behaviors;" Thesis Advisor: Dr. Mitzi Ritzman

Kristin Noel Barquer, BS, Westmont College, 2007; Health, Physical Education and Recreation

Dorothy Marie Bossman, BA, Dana College, 1998; MA, University of Iowa, 2000; Secondary Education, Thesis Advisor: Dr. Sarah Edwards

Aaron Christopher Bourne, BA, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2006; History

Sally Kay Buck, BA, Midland Lutheran College, 2007; Communication, "Toys, Tots, and America's National Hearth: A Phenomenology of Children's Television Advertising and the Parent-Child Relationship;" Thesis Advisor: Dr. Chris Allen

Justin David Budd, Bachelor of Science in Education, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2007; Health, Physical Education and Recreation

Andy Michael Callens, BS, Eastern New Mexico University, 2002; MA, West Texas A & M University, 2005; Psychology, "Openness to Diversity: The Creation and Validation of an Applied Measure;" Thesis Advisor: Dr. Carey Ryan

Juan Pablo Carciente, BS, Bellevue University, 2007; Health, Physical Education and Recreation

Victoria Ann Charles-Freivogel, BA, Creighton University, 1993; English

Casey Jay Christo, BA, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 1997; Geography, "Comparison of Point Symbol Display Methods in Animated Cartography;" Thesis Advisor: Dr. Michael Peterson

James Nicholas Coppock, BA, Metropolitan State University, 2006; English, "The Evolution of Eden;" Thesis Advisor: Dr. Lisa Knopp

Edward Joseph Delaney, BS, Rockhurst University, 2002; Master of Physical Therapy, Rockhurst University, 2005; Health, Physical Education and Recreation

Danielle Marie Dring, BA, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2007; Language Teaching

Christina Marie Edelbrock, BS, Creighton University, 1994; Psychology

Bonnie K.B. Fitzgerald, BA, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2004; History, "Human-Animal Relationships in Ancient Rome;" Thesis Advisor: Dr. Charles King

Benny Foltz, Bachelor of General Studies, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2007; Health, Physical Education and Recreation

Erin Colleen Gallagher, BS, Jamestown College, 2003; Psychology, "Narcissism and Forgiveness as Moderators of Organizational Justice and Workplace Counterproductive Computer Use;" Thesis Advisor: Lisa Scherer

Jason Robert Gallagher, BA, Webster University, 2002; English

Andrea Jean Genreux, BS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1991; Health, Physical Education and Recreation

Beth Ann Gruber, Bachelor of Science in Education, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2002; Health, Physical Education and Recreation

Mustafa Ali Harb, BA, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2006; BA, Yarmouk University, 2007; Language Teaching

Theresa V. Houlihan, BA, University of Nebraska at Kearney, 2005; Psychology, "The Effects of Cognitive Style and Decision Aid Type on Judgmental Accuracy;" Thesis Advisor: Dr. Lisa Scherer

Paul Douglas Hunt, BS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2005; Geography, "Scattered-Site Public Housing Impact on Surrounding Neighborhood Land Values: Omaha, NE;" Thesis Advisor: Dr. Michael Peterson

Beverly Jane Lau, BA, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1985; Language Teaching

Ya Li, BA, Beijing Second Foreign Language Institute, 2000; Communication, "One Life, Two Worlds: A Qualitative Comparison of Cultural Adaptation, Relationships and Life Experiences of Chinese and Colombian College Students in United States;" Thesis Advisor: Dr. Shereen Bingham

Wendy Michelle Ligon, BA, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 2002; Health, Physical Education and Recreation

Frederick Earle MacVaugh, BA, West Chester University, 1993; MA, University of Texas, 2000, English

Carla Janette Manchester, Bachelor of Arts in Education, University of Nebraska at Kearney, 2001; English

Stephanie Faye Martin, BA, Saint Edward's University, 2007; Health, Physical Education and Recreation

Shannon Joy McDonald, BS, Valparaiso University, 2007; Health, Physical Education and Recreation

Stacy Lynn McKain, Bachelor of Arts in Education, Wayne State College, 1996; History "The Answer to the Farm Family's Problems? Modernization, Extension, and Northeast Nebraska Agriculture, 1910-1940;" Thesis Advisor: Dr. Sharon Wood

Jill Marie McMurtrey, BS, Creighton University, 2006; Health, Physical Education and Recreation

Allison Jeannine Meier, Bachelor of Science in Education, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2006; Communication

Anne Elizabeth Mohri, BA, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 1989; History

Allison Rae Nelson, BS, Arizona State University, 1999; History, "The Florentine Friar and his Female Followers: Savonarola and the *cura monialium*" Thesis Advisor: Dr. June Mecham

Daniel Patrick O'Dell, BS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2004; History, "Anglo-Saxon Historical Imagination and Preservation;" Thesis Advisor: Dr. June Mecham

Carly Renae Pester, BA, Midland Lutheran College, 2007; Health, Physical Education and Recreation

Patricia E. Philippi, Bachelor of Science in Education, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 2006; Health, Physical Education and Recreation

Laura Roberts Quest, BS, Northland College, 1999; Bachelor of Fine Arts, Point Park College, 2002; Theatre

Caleb Paul Richter-Tate, BA, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2002; Geography, "Tepic to San Bias: A Geographical Reconstruction of a Segment of the Camino Real of Colonial Mexico;" Thesis Advisor: Dr. Christina Dando

Sara Roberts, BA, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2005; Psychology, "Incivility as a Function of Workplace Favoritism and Employee Impulsivity;" Thesis Advisor: Dr. Lisa Scherer

Sheila A. Rocha, Bachelor of General Studies, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2004; Master of Fine Arts, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2007; English

Kristin Irene Saathoff, BA, Hastings College, 2004; Psychology, "Adapting to Supervisor Styles: The Moderating Role of Employee Emotional Intelligence on Organizational Citizenship Behavior;" Thesis Advisor: Dr. Lisa Scherer

Ryan Christopher Schmitt, Bachelor of Science in Education, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 2007; Health, Physical Education and Recreation

Danielle Ashley Seymour, BA, University of Minnesota, 2005; Psychology, "The Galatea Effect: Training Managers to Raise the Specific Self-efficacy of Subordinates to Improve Performance;" Thesis Advisor: Dr. Wayne Harrison

Rebecca Lynn Shively, BA, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2006; Psychology, "Relationships of Implicit Theories of Intelligence and Achievement Goals to Help Seeking Behavior;" Thesis Advisor: Dr. Carey Ryan

Adam S. Smith, BS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2007; Psychology, "The Effects of Oxytocin on the Selective Sociosexual Behavior and Mutual Attraction of Pair-bonding Primates, *Callithrix penicillata*;" Thesis Advisor: Dr. Jeffrey French

Jennifer Lindsay Sturm, BS, California State University, 2007; Health, Physical Education and Recreation

Theresa A. Varga Swanson, BA, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1977; English

Christine L. Vanderpool-Kasel, BA, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1998; Communication, "Fred Thomas, Voice for the Environment: An Interpretive Analysis and Historic Narrative of the Column *Your Environment*, 1972-1997;" Thesis Advisor: Dr. Bruce Johansen

Milica Vukovljak, BA, University of Belgrade, 2000; Language Teaching

Amy Lynn Warren, BS, Morningside College, 1998; Master of Public Administration, Valdosta State University, 2004; English

Roy Matthew Zach, BS, Wayne State College, 2004; Geography, "Is it Windy Enough for You? The Potential for Wind Energy to Generate Electricity, Income, and Energy Security in Rural East-Central Nebraska;" Thesis Advisor: Dr. Jeffrey Peake

Yan Zhang, BS, Nanjing University of Science and Technology, 2006; Communication

Molly Ann Zimmer, BA, University of Nebraska at Kearney, 2000; English

## MASTER OF SCIENCE

Prince Godwin Adu, BS, Lincoln University, 2005; Management Information Systems

Jenna Maria Allen, Bachelor of Science in Education, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2007; Speech-Language Pathology

Michael Wayne Arnold, Bachelor of Arts in Education, University of Nebraska at Kearney, 1991; Educational Administration and Supervision

Annette Therese Artherton, BA, Mercy College, 1972; Urban Studies, "Defining a Best Practice Model for Age-Friendly Pedestrian Areas in Public Plazas;" Thesis Advisor: Dr. Richard Box

Till Bargfrede, BA, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2005; BS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2005; Economics

Tanya Denise Berry, BS, Creighton University, 1992; Secondary Education

Heidi Michelle Berthelsen, BA, Creighton University, 2005; Speech Language Pathology

Ayitevi A. Boccovi, BS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2003; Economics

Amanda K.S. Boerboom, BS, Winona State University, 2002; Health, Physical Education and Recreation, "Survey of Certified Therapeutic Recreation Specialists in the State of Minnesota;" Thesis Advisor: Dr. Frank Brasile

Anne-Marie Boose, BS, Northwestern University, 1994; MA, Northwestern University, 1995; Educational Administration and Supervision

Robert Harold Bradley Jr., BS, Midland Lutheran College, 2001; Biology, "Isolation and Characterization of Anoxybacillus from the Alkaline Hot Springs and Thermal Soils of Yellowstone National Park;" Thesis Advisor: Dr. Donald Rowen

Shawn Alfred Brock, BS, Wayne State College, 2006; Secondary Education

Thomas Andrew Broniecki, BS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1995; Computer Science, "A Detailed Analysis: VoIP Comparisons of H.323 Standard and SIP Protocol in an 802.11g Environment;" Thesis Advisor: Dr. Kenneth Dick

Erin Ellen Brosz, Bachelor of Arts in Education, University of Nebraska at Kearney, 2006; Elementary Education

Kay R. Brown, BS, University of Wyoming, 1987; Reading

Terri Sue Bullington, BS, Northwest Missouri State University, 2001; Counseling

Jessica Marie Butts, BA, University of Minnesota, 2003; School Psychology

Anthony A. Carlson, BS, Peru State College, 2000; Computer Science

Benjamin Lee Carpick, BS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2006; Management Information Systems

Jennifer L. Cejda, BA, Benedictine College, 1991; Elementary Education

Biplav Chhetri, Bachelor of Engineering, Tribhuvan University, 2006; Computer Science

Stephanie Michelle Clark, BS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2007; Political Science

Jackie Dee Covey, BS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2007; Industrial/Organizational Psychology

Julie Ann Damewood, BA, Buena Vista University, 1991; Special Education

Kimberly Rae Jackson De La Cruz, Bachelor of Science in Education, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2004; Reading, "Former Low-Track Students' Reactions in Heterogeneous Junior English: A Qualitative Case Study;" Thesis Advisor: Dr. Wilma Kuhlman

Karthik Devarajan, Bachelor of Technology, National Institute of Technology, 2006; Management Information Systems

Jennifer Jo Dinges, BS, Regis University, 2000; Management Information Systems, "Intent to Adopt IT by Latino Small Businesses in Omaha, Nebraska;" Thesis Advisor: Dr. Sadja Qureshi

John P. Duggins, BA, Hastings College, 2006; Counseling

Teresa Louise Echtenkamp, BS, Kearney State College, 1989; Counseling

Eleanor Aize Ehizojie, BS, University Of Benin, 2003; MS, Umea University, 2006; Management Information Systems

Hande Erdinc, Bachelor of Economics, Marmara University, 2007; Economics

Meghan Marie Erhardt, BS, Creighton University, 2003; Elementary Education

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