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THE 95TH ANNUAL
COMMENCEMENT
PROGRAM
OF
OLIVET NAZARENE UNIVERSITY

BOURBONNAIS, ILLINOIS

MAY 2-3, 2008

JOHN C. BOWLING, PRESIDENT

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

FRIDAY, MAY 2, 2008

- 1:00 p.m. Social Work Pinning Ceremony
Kresge Auditorium, Larsen Fine Arts Center
- 2:00 p.m. Nursing Pinning Ceremony
College Church of the Nazarene
- 4:30 p.m. Phi Delta Lambda Honor Society Dinner, Induction Ceremony, and Annual Business Meeting
Nash Banquet Room, Ludwig Center (by invitation only)
- 7:30 p.m. Baccalaureate Service
McHie Arena, Leslie Parrott Center

Sermon by Dr. John C. Bowling
President of the University
- 9:00 p.m. President's Reception for Traditional Undergraduate Degree Candidates and Their Families
Chalfant Hall, Leslie Parrott Center

SATURDAY, MAY 3, 2008

- 9:30 a.m. Commencement Convocation for Traditional Undergraduate Degree Candidates
J. Harlan and Faye Milby Mid-Campus Esplanade or McHie Arena
(Closed-circuit television viewing is available in Kresge Auditorium, Larsen Fine Arts Center.)

Prelude, Concert Band, 9:00 a.m.
Processional, 9:15 a.m.

Address by Mr. David Neff
Editor-in-Chief, Christianity Today
- 12:00 p.m. Military Commissioning Ceremony
Alfred Fortin Villa
- 2:30 p.m. Commencement Convocation for School of Graduate and Continuing Studies Degree Candidates
McHie Arena, Leslie Parrott Center
(Closed-circuit television viewing is available in Chalfant Hall, Leslie Parrott Center.)

Prelude, 2:00 p.m.
Processional, 2:15 p.m.

Address by Dr. John C. Bowling
President of the University

Reception for School of Graduate and Continuing Studies graduates and their families follows immediately after the convocation in Plaza or Birchard Gymnasium.

The University Marshals are the highest-ranking men and women of the junior class who have earned a minimum of 45 hours at Olivet and who will graduate in 2009. Together with the 2008-2009 Associated Student Council president, they lead the processionals and carry the flags. The Junior Marshals, who have a grade point average of 4.0, are Kristin Lam of Bolingbrook, Ill.; Janina Mengarelli of Darien, Ill.; and Dana Mulder of Holt, Mich. The Commencement Marshal Assistants, the next highest-ranking members of the junior class, are Melissa Fett of Marysville, Kan.; Amy Hall of Bourbonnais, Ill.; Tiffany Vegh of Muncie, Ind.; Dan Leimann of Sugar Grove, Ill.; Heather Sieg of Roselle, Ill.; Kyle Denault of Kankakee, Ill.; Rachel Bedell of Gaines, Mich.; Jennifer Ramsay of Casey, Ill.; Matthew Lyle of Marcellus, Mich.; Michael Heinold of Bourbonnais, Ill.; Todd Hespell of Homer Glen, Ill.; and Derek Phillips of Casey, Ill. The Associated Student Council president is John Keating of Grove City, Ohio.

Brock Schroeder, Ph.D., is Faculty Marshal and chairs the Marshaling Committee.

BACCALAUREATE SERVICE

Friday, May 2, 2008 • 7:30 p.m. • McHie Arena, Leslie Parrott Center

PRELUDE AND PROCESSIONAL

Crown Imperial, William Walton, arr. W.J. Duthoit

Concert Band
Neal McMullian, D.M.A., Conductor
Professor of Music

CALL TO WORSHIP

O, For a Thousand Tongues, arr. T. Fettke

Orpheus Choir
Jeffery Bell, D.A., Conductor
Professor of Music

WELCOME

Brian Allen, Litt.D.
Vice President for Institutional Advancement

INVOCATION

Michael Wallace Benson, D.Min.
Chaplain to the University

CONGREGATIONAL SINGING

How Great Thou Art, Stuart K. Hine

Neal Woodruff, D.M.A., Director
Professor of Music

Verse One

O Lord, my God, when I in awesome wonder
Consider all the worlds Thy hands have made,
I see the stars, I hear the rolling thunder,
Thy pow'r thro'out the universe displayed.

Verse Two

When Christ shall come with shouts of acclamation
And take me home, what joy shall fill my heart!
Then I shall bow in humble adoration
And there proclaim: my God, how great Thou art!

REFRAIN

Then sings my soul, my Savior God, to Thee.
How great Thou art! How great Thou art!
Then sings my soul, my Savior God, to Thee.
How great Thou art! How great Thou art!

(REPEAT REFRAIN)

How Great Is Our God, Chris Tomlin

Timothy Nelson, D.Mus., Organist
Professor of Music

*How great is our God, sing with me
How great is our God, and all will see
How great, how great is our God*

Don Reddick, Ed.D., Piano
Chairman, Department of Music

OLD TESTAMENT SCRIPTURE READING

Jeremiah 1:4–9; 29:11–13 (NIV)

Stephen Moore, B.S.[◊]
Novi, Michigan

NEW TESTAMENT SCRIPTURE READING

1 John 4:7–21 (NIV)

JoAnne Soulia, M.A.[◊]
Flushing, Michigan

SPECIAL MUSIC

Lord, You're Holy

Olivetians
Jenna Dickey, Stephanie Fleschner, Rachel Forshee,
Luke Frame, Sam Griggs, Beth Hiatt, Katrina Hurt,
Chelsea McKay, Ben Moore, Jessica Moulding

[◊] PARENT OF GRADUATE

Audio and video recordings of the Baccalaureate Service music and the sermon by Dr. John C. Bowling will be available through the Office of Instructional Technology in the lower level of Benner Library and Learning Resource Center. Audio CDs may be purchased for \$4 and DVDs for \$6. There is an additional \$3 charge per audio or video disc for mailing. Please call 815-939-5302.

PRAYER

Ted R. Lee, D.D.
Chairman, Board of Trustees
Indianapolis, Indiana

STUDENT TESTIMONIES

Nadine Carole, B.A. Candidate
Saginaw, Michigan

Kyle McDonald, B.S. Candidate
LaPorte, Indiana

CHORAL ANTHEM

Isaiah 40, W. Himes

Orpheus Choir
Dr. Jeffery Bell, Conductor

INTRODUCTION OF THE SPEAKER

Kenneth Knisley, B.A. Candidate
Senior Class President
Hudson, Indiana

BACCALAUREATE SERMON

Living the Good Life
1 Timothy 4:12

John C. Bowling, Ed.D., D.Min.
President of the University

CHORAL RESPONSE

Living for Jesus, arr. Ovid Young

Orpheus Choir
Dr. Jeffery Bell, Conductor

CHARGE TO THE CLASS OF 2008

The Lord's Prayer, A.H. Malotte

President John C. Bowling
Orpheus Choir

BENEDICTION

Mark Fuller, M.Div.[◊]
Pastor, Grove City Church of the Nazarene
Grove City, Ohio

RECESSIONAL AND POSTLUDE

Fanfare and Flourishes, James Curnow

Concert Band
Dr. Neal McMullian, Conductor

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For the thirty-second year, Dr. Ovid Young has been commissioned by the president of Olivet Nazarene University to write an arrangement of an outstanding hymn or gospel song to be presented by Orpheus Choir and instruments at the conclusion of the Baccalaureate sermon.

1976 – *The Comforter Has Come*
1977 – *God's Kingdom Is at Hand*
1978 – *Love Divine, All Loves Excelling*
1979 – *Deeper Than the Stain Has Gone*
1980 – *When I Survey the Wondrous Cross*
1981 – *Are You Washed in the Blood of the Lamb?*
1982 – *Arise, My Soul, Arise!*
1983 – *The Church's One Foundation*
1984 – *Holy Spirit, Be My Guide*
1985 – *Christ Is Not a Disappointment*
1986 – *It Is Well With My Soul*

1988 – *Once to Every Man and Nation*
1989 – *Satisfied*
1990 – *To God Be the Glory*
1991 – *How Great Thou Art*
1992 – *Jesus Led Me All the Way*
1993 – *My Faith Has Found a Resting Place*
1994 – *O For a Heart to Praise My God*
1995 – *The Love of God*
1996 – *The Solid Rock*
1997 – *Blessed Assurance*
1998 – *Great Is Thy Faithfulness*

1999 – *A Charge to Keep I Have*
2000 – *Be Thou My Vision*
2001 – *Our Great Savior*
2002 – *God Will Take Care of You*
2003 – *Take My Life,*
 and Let It Be Consecrated
2004 – *Fight the Good Fight*
2005 – *He Leadeth Me*
2006 – *I Am Thine, O Lord*
2007 – *Lift High the Torch*
2008 – *Living for Jesus*

CONVOCATION FOR TRADITIONAL UNDERGRADUATES

Saturday, May 3, 2008 • 9:30 a.m. • J. Harlan and Faye Milby Mid-Campus Esplanade or McHie Arena

PRELUDE AND PROCESSIONAL

Pomp and Circumstance, March No. 1,
Edgar Elgar, arr. H.F. Luckhardt

Concert Band
Neal McMullian, D.M.A., Conductor
Professor of Music

WELCOME

Jim D. Knight, Litt.D.
Vice President for Academic Affairs/Registrar

NATIONAL ANTHEM

Martha Dalton, M.Mus.
Associate Professor, Department of Music

INVOCATION

Brian Wilson, D.D.[°]
Board of Trustees
Bourbonnais, Illinois

SCRIPTURE READING

Matthew 6:19-33

Bonnie Perry, B.A., B.J.[°]
Kansas City, Missouri

INTRODUCTION OF THE SPEAKER

John C. Bowling, Ed.D., D.Min.
President of the University

COMMENCEMENT ADDRESS

David Neff, M.Div.
Editor-in-Chief, *Christianity Today*
Wheaton, Illinois

PRESENTATION OF THE GRADUATING CLASS

Dr. Jim D. Knight

CONFERRING OF DEGREES AND DIPLOMAS

President John C. Bowling

COMMISSIONING OF ROTC GRADUATES

Lieutenant Colonel James R. Carmean
Major (Ret.) Jason H. Creek

Second Lieutenant Ryan Timothy Bivins
Second Lieutenant Matthew David Boersema
Second Lieutenant Kimberly Corine Kasten
Second Lieutenant Lori Sue Kuyt
Second Lieutenant Meredith Anne Morris
Second Lieutenant Shea Michael Redmond

[°] PARENT OF GRADUATE

CHARGE TO THE CLASS OF 2008

Keith Owens, B.S.
Representative of the Class of 1958
Newport Beach, California

SPECIAL AWARDS AND RECOGNITIONS

Richard M. Jones Faculty Award for Teaching Excellence
Maggie Sloan Crawford Honors Award
Robert M. Milner Honors Award

President John C. Bowling
Dr. Jim D. Knight
Rev. Walter "Woody" Webb, M.A.
Vice President for Student Development

SINGING OF THE ALMA MATER

Alma Mater, Olivet, Byron M. Carmony, Class of 1939

Jeffery Bell, D.A., Director
Professor of Music

*To Alma Mater, Olivet, We lift our voice in praise
For noble standards which we'll hold 'till ending of our days.
The time we spent within these halls will ne'er forgotten be,
For here we learned to know of truth, and truth will make us free.*

Concert Band
Dr. Neal McMullian, Conductor

*My Olivet, Our Olivet! Tho' life may lead us far apart,
I'll still revere you in my heart.
My Olivet, Our Olivet. I'll love the Christ you gave first part,
and you, old Olivet!*

BENEDICTION

Chaplain (Major) Jeffrey D. Hawkins, M.Div, M.S.[◊]
82nd Airborne Division
Ft. Bragg, North Carolina

The audience will be seated during the recessional.

RECESSIONAL

*Procession of Nobles, Nicholas Rimsky-Korsakov,
arr. Erik Liedzen*

Concert Band
Dr. Neal McMullian, Conductor

[◊] PARENT OF GRADUATE

CANDIDATES FOR DEGREES, 2008

HONORARY DEGREE

Walter W. Webb Doctor of Divinity Bourbonnais, Illinois May

BACHELOR OF ARTS

*** Benjamin Alexander Anderson Political Science/History Bourbonnais, Illinois January
 * Jessica Grace Ashline Political Science Bourbonnais, Illinois May
 * Chad Ryan Bailey Sociology Buchanan, Michigan May
 JoDee Baker Biology Nacogdoches, Texas August
 Rebecca Lynn Bard Religious Studies Bloomington, Illinois May
 Bennett James Blake Political Science/Business Administration Northville, Michigan August
 Matthew David Boersema History Crete, Illinois May
 Jared Allan Bouton History/Political Science Georgetown, Illinois August
 Colby Ted Bowser History Bailey, Colorado January
 * Nadine Rose Carole Political Science/Communication Studies Saginaw, Michigan August
 *** Bethany Lynn McCoy Carr Communication Studies/Spanish Metamora, Illinois May
 Lindsay Marina Carroll Psychology St. John, Indiana May
 Michael Richard Dahlberg Computer Science Sandusky, Michigan May
 † *** Allison Marie Davenport English/Religious Studies Bourbonnais, Illinois May
 Tyler Decker Psychology Warren, Michigan May
 Caitlin Adair Dodson History/Geography Springfield, Virginia August
 Deena Kristine Drake Intercultural Studies Horton, Michigan May
 Michael Andrew Flick Political Science Vineland, New Jersey May
 Ashley Luann Flint Biology Braidwood, Illinois August
 ** Joshua Henry Fowler Religious Studies Reynolds, Illinois January
 ** Emilee Joy Foxworthy Sociology Indianapolis, Indiana May
 Nathan Jeremy Frank Philosophy-Religion Bourbonnais, Illinois August
 *** Molly J. Franken English Wilmington, Illinois May
 Holly Michelle Frazier History Momence, Illinois August
 Matthew A. Fry Religious Studies Covington, Indiana May
 Lindsey Gant Communication Studies Fairfield, Ohio January
 Darlena Lisa Gómez Spanish Winfield, Illinois May
 ** Barbara R. Hart Biology Rock Island, Illinois May
 Amanda Joy Haymaker Psychology Chicago, Illinois May
 ** Timothy Ryan Hehn Music Monticello, Illinois January
 *** Seth W. Heimer Biology Colfax, Illinois January
 ** Katherine Elizabeth Huffman English Springfield, Illinois May
 Melissa Kathryn Hurd Biology Baylis, Illinois May
 † *** Kimberly Corine Kasten Political Science/History Bourbonnais, Illinois May
 Kenneth Michael Knisley Sociology Washington Court House, Ohio May
 * David Matthew Kujawa History Bourbonnais, Illinois May
 ** Whitney Jordan Lyons Psychology Gridley, Illinois May
 ** Amber M. McKean English Cissna Park, Illinois May
 Andrea Alyson McLean Psychology Normal, Illinois August
 Diane R. Michel History Bourbonnais, Illinois May
 ** Katherine Elizabeth Michels Psychology/Spanish Brooklyn Center, Minnesota May
 Krystal Kim Moench English Missoula, Montana May
 Joshua E. Moran Religious Studies Elkhart, Indiana May
 Jonathan Glenn Nance Religious Studies Winfield, Illinois May
 *** Allison Danae Neil Political Science/Spanish Brownsburg, Indiana May

*** SUMMA CUM LAUDE ** MAGNA CUM LAUDE * CUM LAUDE † DEPARTMENTAL HONORS

BACHELOR OF ARTS

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|-------|----------------------------|---|-------------------------------|---------|
| † *** | Susan J. Nowak | English | Skokie, Illinois | May |
| | Lauren Kathryn Prince | History | West Bloomfield, Michigan | August |
| | Jamie Rose Pyles | Psychology | Round Lake, Illinois | May |
| | Darlene Ratthahao | Sociology/Psychology/Spanish | Elgin, Illinois | August |
| | Benjamin Gary Rau | Philosophy-Religion | Bolingbrook, Illinois | August |
| *** | Dinah L. Samuelson | Social Science | Brighton, Michigan | May |
| * | Hamish Alston Seegers | Intercultural Studies | Decatur, Illinois | August |
| *** | Kerry Elizabeth Sheehan | History | Lake Bluff, Illinois | May |
| | Jared N. Sheets | Political Science | Kankakee, Illinois | May |
| *** | Jordan William Simpson | Political Science/History | Okemos, Michigan | May |
| | Rachel Lauren Small | Art | Colorado Springs, Colorado | August |
| ** | Katie Lynn Smith | English | South Hamilton, Massachusetts | May |
| | Elise Nicole Sterrett | History | Brazil, Indiana | May |
| | Pamela Ann Tanis | Psychology | Thornton, Illinois | May |
| * | Chelsea Paige Thigpen | Intercultural Studies/Christian Education | Harrisonburg, Virginia | January |
| | Robert Glenn Thimons | Information Systems | Pontiac, Illinois | May |
| | Joseph A. Thompson | Political Science | Pinon Hills, California | August |
| | Michelle Ticknor | Intercultural Studies | Grove City, Ohio | August |
| | Jessica Antonette Timm | Biology | Oak Forest, Illinois | August |
| | Jacob O. Tito | History | Winsted, Connecticut | August |
| | Amanda Marie Torres | Political Science/Spanish | Caro, Michigan | May |
| † ** | Natalie A. Trisilla | Political Science/History | Galesburg, Illinois | May |
| *** | Kathryn J. Vail-Wesley | Sociology | Chicago, Illinois | January |
| | Rebecca Elizabeth Van Dyke | Intercultural Studies | Johnson, Vermont | August |
| *** | Amanda Dawn Vrieze | Psychology | Corvallis, Oregon | May |
| | Dana Ann Wagner | Biology | Sandersville, Georgia | January |
| ** | Trevor Lee Winn | History/Political Science | Swartz Creek, Michigan | May |
| * | Steven D. Yearian | Philosophy-Religion | Walnut, Illinois | May |

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE

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|-----|--------------------------|------------------------------|---------------------------|---------|
| | Areej M. Abbasi | Family and Consumer Sciences | Palos Hills, Illinois | January |
| | Jeffrey Paul Adams II | Christian Education | Wolcott, Vermont | May |
| ** | Abigail N. Alger | Psychology | Shelbyville, Indiana | May |
| * | Erika L. Anderson | Elementary Education | Dixon, Illinois | May |
| *** | Heidi Elizabeth Anderson | Elementary Education | Hartland, Wisconsin | May |
| | Rebekah Lynn Andrews | Psychology | Walker, Iowa | May |
| | Thomas John Ascher | Social Science (Education) | Kankakee, Illinois | January |
| | Jason A. Athialy | Psychology | Avon, Indiana | August |
| ** | Nicholas P. Austin | Psychology | Wheaton, Illinois | May |
| ** | Trevor Joel Bahorik | Business Administration | Washington, Illinois | May |
| ** | Kayla Ruth Ballard | Psychology | Middletown, Indiana | May |
| ** | Amber Ruth Barber | Psychology | Kankakee, Illinois | May |
| | Deborah Lynn Bard | Elementary Education | Bloomington, Illinois | May |
| *** | Keturie Barnell | Art | Seymour, Illinois | January |
| * | Elizabeth E. Barnes | Elementary Education | Rolling Meadows, Illinois | May |
| | Levi W. Barse | Biology | Auburn, Indiana | May |
| | David Michael Batley | Mass Communication | Olathe, Kansas | May |
| ** | Dana Baumgarten | Accounting/Spanish | Bettendorf, Iowa | May |

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE

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|-----|--------------------------|---|---------------------------|---------|
| ** | Jessica Racheal Bayless | Elementary Education | Troy, Ohio | May |
| *** | Justin James Beckett | Psychology | Decatur, Illinois | May |
| | Cornelius Bellomy, Jr. | Business Administration | Detroit, Michigan | August |
| * | Edith Bender | Child Development | Hopkins Park, Illinois | January |
| | Nick Berdebes | Business Administration | Bourbonnais, Illinois | May |
| | Michael Bernhard | Business Administration/Economics Finance | Elwood, Illinois | January |
| * | Elyse N. Bishop | Elementary Education | Bloomington, Illinois | May |
| *** | Jordan Elizabeth Bivins | Elementary Education | Dixon, Illinois | May |
| | Ryan Timothy Bivins | Criminal Justice | Dixon, Illinois | May |
| | Jeremy Daniel Bixler | Youth Ministry | Huntington, Indiana | May |
| | David Robert Blahnik | Sports Management | Indianapolis, Indiana | May |
| | Kathleen A. Bloomquist | English (Education) | Bradley, Illinois | May |
| | Andrea Nicole Board | Church Music/Music Performance | Evans, West Virginia | May |
| * | Kyle Edward Boils | Youth Ministry | Albany, Kentucky | January |
| *** | Brittany Michelle Booton | Mathematics/Psychology | Champaign, Illinois | January |
| * | Christopher James Bowman | Marketing | Schererville, Indiana | May |
| * | Jenifer Marie Bowman | Communication Studies | Normal, Illinois | January |
| | Matthew C. Bowman | Communication Studies | Mansfield, Ohio | August |
| | Peter Bowman | Business Administration | Glenmore, Pennsylvania | May |
| * | Megan Alyssa Bowser | Mathematics (Education) | Bailey, Colorado | May |
| *** | Katie Joy Brashaw | Elementary Education | New Lothrop, Michigan | May |
| | Harrison J. Brewer | Business Administration | Lockport, Illinois | January |
| | Lauren Helen Brickham | Elementary Education | Waukesha, Wisconsin | May |
| | Andrew J. Brodock | Youth Ministry | Horton, Michigan | May |
| | Justin Scott Bronson | Elementary Education | Tinley Park, Illinois | January |
| * | Jonathan R. Brown | Art | Elyria, Ohio | May |
| | Michael J. Brown | Criminal Justice | Harvey, Illinois | May |
| | April L. Kemnitz Bufford | Physical Education-Health | Bourbonnais, Illinois | January |
| * | Rachel Buller | Journalism/Political Science | Champaign, Illinois | August |
| *** | Alexander S. Butler | Pastoral Ministry | Montclair, Virginia | January |
| | Jeffery Scott Byrne | Recreation and Leisure Studies | Bourbonnais, Illinois | May |
| | Jordan Leigh Byrne | Elementary Education | Pittsboro, Indiana | May |
| *** | Heather Lea Caldwell | Communication Studies/Spanish | Garden Prairie, Illinois | May |
| | Matthew A. Calhoun | Business Administration | Braidwood, Illinois | August |
| ** | Megan Joy Campbell | Art | Henderson, Nevada | May |
| | Jill Addie Carlson | Marketing | Galesburg, Illinois | January |
| | Justin Michael Carmean | Sports Management | Mishawaka, Indiana | January |
| * | Kacey Ray Carr | Biology | St. Charles, Illinois | May |
| ** | Katherine Lynn Carr | Fashion Merchandising | Woodridge, Illinois | May |
| | Annie Frary Carter | Communication Studies | Tulsa, Oklahoma | May |
| | David Case | Business Administration | Flint, Michigan | May |
| | Brian R. Chandler | Marketing/Business Administration | Naperville, Illinois | August |
| *** | Sarah Faye Chappell | Psychology | Braidwood, Illinois | May |
| | Heidi Nicole Cheek | Pastoral Ministry | Muskegon, Michigan | August |
| ** | Emily Claus-Jordan | Art | Washington, Illinois | January |
| | Jerrold Covert | Church Music | Lansing, Michigan | May |
| *** | Hannah Jane Craig | Biology | Beardstown, Illinois | May |
| ** | Kerri Lynne Cramer | Athletic Training | Westville, Illinois | May |
| ** | Brittany R. Dahl | Spanish (Education) | Rolling Meadows, Illinois | May |

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BACHELOR OF SCIENCE

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|-----|--|---|-----------------------------|---------|
| ** | Keith Mitchell Davenport | Pastoral Ministry | Bourbonnais, Illinois | August |
| | Brandon K. Davey | Pastoral Ministry | League City, Texas | January |
| | David Davis | Business Administration | Pekin, Illinois | August |
| | Deanya D. Dawson | Elementary Education | Chicago, Illinois | May |
| * | Paul B. Dawson | Athletic Training | Rochester, Minnesota | May |
| * | Shannon Christi-Ann Dawson | Elementary Education | Oswego, Illinois | May |
| * | Erica-Rose de Muir | Elementary Education | Bolingbrook, Illinois | May |
| ** | Amanda Marie DeLong | Marketing | Springboro, Ohio | May |
| | Andrew David DeYoung | Housing and Environmental Design/Art | Muskegon, Michigan | August |
| * | Dustin M. DeYoung | Information Systems | Bourbonnais, Illinois | May |
| *** | Sarah A. Dexter | Elementary Education | Bourbonnais, Illinois | May |
| | Alex Robert Dial | Sports Management | Maroa, Illinois | August |
| | Derek James Diehl | Communication Studies | Olathe, Kansas | January |
| | Chad A. Dilley | Recreation and Leisure Studies | St. Joseph, Illinois | August |
| | Mouhamadou Diop | Engineering | Dakar, Senegal | May |
| | Hilary Disch | Housing and Environmental Design | Mattawan, Michigan | August |
| | Carrie M. Dobin | Psychology | Demotte, Indiana | May |
| ** | Emily Gayle Doersam | Family and Consumer Sciences (Education) | Warren, Illinois | May |
| | Tia Javante Dorn | Biology | Chicago, Illinois | January |
| | Arika S. Dotson | Psychology | Decatur, Illinois | August |
| *** | Shalena Rená Drake | Business Administration/Spanish | Muskegon, Michigan | January |
| ** | Elizabeth Danaë Drebenstedt | Public Policy | Charlevoix, Michigan | May |
| | Timothy D. Eddy | Science Education | Metamora, Michigan | August |
| | Christopher Eleiott | Accounting/Economics-Finance/Business | Casa Grande, Arizona | May |
| | April Marie Elliott | Art | Peotone, Illinois | August |
| | Rebecca Joy Else | Business Administration | Crestwood, Illinois | August |
| | Jeffrey Thomas Emmons | Christian Education | Wentzville, Missouri | January |
| *** | Jennifer Lynn Engelland | Psychology/Sociology | Bourbonnais, Illinois | May |
| | Jeffrey K. Engelmann | Marketing | Novi, Michigan | May |
| | Andrea Dawn Enke | Art | Ottawa, Illinois | August |
| | Cody Erickson | Mathematics (Education) | Bourbonnais, Illinois | May |
| *** | Amanda Marie Essex | Economics-Finance/Business Administration | Cuba, Illinois | January |
| | Nathan Aseph Evenson | Music (Education) | Lake Orion, Michigan | January |
| * | Renee Michele Evilsizor | Elementary Education | El Cajon, California | May |
| * | Diana Gabriela Fernandez | Elementary Education | Bolingbrook, Illinois | January |
| | Caleb A. Fightmaster | Art | Bourbonnais, Illinois | May |
| ** | Karie L. Firlit | Family and Consumer Sciences (Education) | Beecher, Illinois | May |
| | Jonathan Caleb Flores | Criminal Justice/Sociology | Arlington Heights, Illinois | May |
| ** | Erica L. Fox | Marketing | Peotone, Illinois | May |
| | Kiri Beth Frankhauser | Elementary Education | Lockport, Illinois | May |
| | Hillary A. Fredrickson | Business Administration | Shoreview, Minnesota | May |
| | Phillipe Christian Pierre Patrick French | Criminal Justice | Richton Park, Illinois | May |
| | Sarah C. Fritcher | Elementary Education | Marshall, Illinois | May |
| | Brittany L. Fry | Youth Ministry | Springfield, Ohio | May |
| | Jacklynn D. Fry | Children's Ministry | Perrysville, Indiana | May |
| *** | Courtney L. Fuller | Elementary Education | Grove City, Ohio | May |
| *** | Kelly S. Fuller | Elementary Education | Grove City, Ohio | May |
| * | Brittany Kathryn Gallup | Housing and Environmental Design/ Family and Consumer Sciences | Byron Center, Michigan | May |

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE

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|-----|--------------------------|---|-------------------------|---------|
| ** | Rebecca Jeanne Ganger | Elementary Education | Bradley, Illinois | May |
| * | Matthew David Gaskill | Biology | Dixon, Illinois | May |
| ** | Mathew P. Gerhard | Church Music | Kokomo, Indiana | May |
| | Andrew Peter Giardino | Economics-Finance/Business Administration | Crystal Lake, Illinois | May |
| | Isaac Daniel Gilmore | Christian Education | Charlevoix, Michigan | May |
| | Jonathan N. Gladkowski | Accounting/Business Administration | Hometown, Illinois | May |
| | Johnnie Graham-Wicks | Family and Consumer Sciences | Omaha, Nebraska | May |
| * | Elizabeth J. Graper | Psychology | Dubuque, Iowa | May |
| | Rachel Elizabeth Green | Communication Studies/Journalism | Denver, Colorado | May |
| | Jamie J. Greiner | Fashion Merchandising | Bradley, Illinois | May |
| ** | Alison Marie Gremar | Social Science (Education) | Bourbonnais, Illinois | May |
| | Samuel Griggs | Church Music | Wright City, Missouri | August |
| ** | Tyler H. Griggs | Business Administration/Accounting | Groveland, Illinois | May |
| | Marcia Kristin Grimes | Dietetics | Grant Park, Illinois | May |
| | Jennifer S. Gunnerson | Marketing | Cleveland, Ohio | May |
| | Sarah Elise Gute | Housing and Environmental Design | Calumet City, Illinois | May |
| | Justina Lynn Hackman | Early Childhood Education | Manhattan, Illinois | May |
| ** | Ryan Lee Hale | Social Science (Education) | Chebanse, Illinois | May |
| | Margaret Lenora Hall | Art | Indianapolis, Indiana | August |
| | William Spank Handford | Criminal Justice | Waukegan, Illinois | August |
| * | Kalyn J. Hansel | Elementary Education | Cedar Falls, Iowa | January |
| *** | Ciera Breanne Hansen | Business Administration/Marketing | St. Charles, Missouri | January |
| * | Jessica R. Hanson | Child Development | Marseilles, Illinois | May |
| | Troy Phillip Harding | Business Administration | Chillicothe, Ohio | August |
| * | Ebony Katrina Harris | Criminal Justice | Hazel Crest, Illinois | August |
| ** | Elizabeth D. Harvey | Children's Ministry | Normal, Illinois | August |
| | Andrew Joseph Hasik | Business Administration | St. Anne, Illinois | January |
| * | Lauren M. Hawkins | Marketing | Columbus, Georgia | January |
| * | Abigail Ruthann Hay | Dietetics | Indianapolis, Indiana | May |
| | Sara Jean Hazelrigg | Early Childhood Education | Kankakee, Illinois | May |
| | Joel Rien Heald | Youth Ministry | Naperville, Illinois | May |
| | Jonathan Logan Heald | Biology | Naperville, Illinois | May |
| ** | Rachel Nicole Hearn | Accounting/Economics-Finance | Fishers, Indiana | May |
| | Charles William Heller | Criminal Justice | Minong, Wisconsin | May |
| | Luke Andrew Henry | General Studies | O'Fallon, Illinois | May |
| | Kendra Louise Hill | Physical Education-Health | Kankakee, Illinois | January |
| | Deena Lynne Hilliard | Elementary Education | Bourbonnais, Illinois | May |
| * | Hanna Suzanne Hines | Music (Education) | Aledo, Illinois | May |
| | Adam Benjamin Hoekstra | Criminal Justice | Wheatfield, Indiana | January |
| | Andrew Brett Hofer | English (Education) | Sherrard, Illinois | May |
| ** | Cheri Elizabeth Hoffmann | Biology | Nashotah, Wisconsin | May |
| | Kelli Lea Holcomb | Fashion Merchandising | Indianapolis, Indiana | August |
| | Mark Wesley Hollis | Sports Management | Freeport, Illinois | January |
| | Andrew T. Hollywood | Business Administration | Bourbonnais, Illinois | May |
| | Caitlin Anna Horner | Child Development | Morton, Illinois | August |
| * | Megan Leigh Hotle | Mass Communication | Lenexa, Kansas | May |
| *** | Jessica Eileen Howington | Spanish (Education) | Wheaton, Illinois | January |
| | Taylor A. Hughes | Elementary Education | Fort Wayne, Indiana | May |
| *** | Jessica Lynn Hulsey | English (Education) | Oklahoma City, Oklahoma | May |

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| ** | Ashley N. Hyatt | Psychology | Clark Lake, Michigan | May |
| | Trenton E. Ivey | Biology | Boise, Idaho | May |
| ** | Brandon M. Jamerson | Marketing | Freeport, Illinois | May |
| | Nickolas Jewell | Psychology | Fort Wayne, Indiana | January |
| *** | Jennifer Christie Jonelis | Art | Crystal Lake, Illinois | May |
| | Leslie Rachelle Jones | Art | Lebanon, Ohio | May |
| | Sarah A. Juenger | Physical Education-Health | Orion, Illinois | January |
| *** | Melissa May Kalas | Elementary Education/Psychology | McHenry, Illinois | January |
| | Michelle Lynne Kalogeros | Communication Studies | Westfield, Indiana | May |
| ** | Scott D. Karalis | Communication Studies | Ottawa, Illinois | May |
| | Nathaniel James Keelor | Art | Swartz Creek, Michigan | May |
| * | Timothy Kelley | Music Performance | Anchorage, Alaska | May |
| | Matthew Robert Kelling | Exercise Science | Mount Vernon, Ohio | August |
| | Lydia Sabrina Kelly | Family and Consumer Sciences/Psychology | Rantoul, Illinois | August |
| | Tiffany Lynn Kindle | Early Childhood Education | Kewanee, Illinois | May |
| | Jaielynn Sarah Kirby | Housing and Environmental Design | Davenport, Iowa | May |
| * | Jonathan W. Kirschner | Social Science (Education) | Indianapolis, Indiana | May |
| | Amy Marie Kistner | Journalism/Art | Defiance, Ohio | August |
| * | Lindsey Marie Kline | Elementary Education | Lima, Ohio | May |
| | Christina Lynn Knisley | Business Administration | Willington, Ohio | May |
| | Rachel Grace Krestan | Business Administration | LaGrange, Illinois | May |
| | Matthew Dale Krueger | Criminal Justice | Cedar Falls, Iowa | May |
| *** | Trisha Kruszynski | Business Administration/Marketing | Ellettsville, Indiana | January |
| | Nathaniel James Lacher | Social Science (Education) | Roxana, Illinois | May |
| ** | Jonathan David Lange | Art | Washington, Illinois | January |
| | Taylor Marie Lanie | Accounting/Business Administration | Kankakee, Illinois | May |
| | Linissa Jolene Lantz | Elementary Education | La Porte, Indiana | May |
| | Robert Earl Lash | Youth Ministry | Vicksburg, Michigan | May |
| * | Brittany LaVigne | Accounting/Business/Economics-Finance | Lansdale, Pennsylvania | May |
| †*** | Amanda Gayle Lee | Mathematics | Washington, Illinois | May |
| * | Amy Lynn Leveque | Early Childhood Education | St. Anne, Illinois | May |
| | Nadia Comaneci Lewis | Criminal Justice | Kankakee, Illinois | August |
| | Joshua Andrew Lindstrom | Recreation and Leisure Studies | Homewood, Illinois | May |
| | Scott Michael Liscomb | Mass Communication | Coldwater, Michigan | August |
| *** | Joel William Lovell | Exercise Science | Tremont, Illinois | May |
| * | Jerod M. Lucas | Marketing/Business Administration | West Terre Haute, Indiana | May |
| | Heather L. Ludwig | Elementary Education | Royersford, Pennsylvania | January |
| | Rebecca Dawn Luttrell | Elementary Education | Braidwood, Illinois | August |
| | Alyssa Renee Lytle | Art | Lake Mary, Florida | May |
| | Nicole J. Maberry | Family and Consumer Sciences | Ankeny, Iowa | May |
| | Jared James Macari | Physical Education-Health | Shelbyville, Illinois | May |
| * | Abigail Joanna Mallett | Art | Flossmoor, Illinois | May |
| *** | Eric John Manogue | Business Administration/Economics-Finance | Pennsville, New Jersey | January |
| | Morgan David Manogue | Biology/Chemistry | Pennsville, New Jersey | January |
| | Kristin Lynne Martens | Accounting/Business Administration | Bradley, Illinois | May |
| | Laura L. Martz | Housing and Environmental Design | Kalamazoo, Michigan | May |
| * | Bethany Morgan May | Spanish (Education) | Marengo, Illinois | May |
| * | Alesha Ranée Fuska McCall | Elementary Education | Lees Summit, Missouri | May |
| ** | Kevin W. McClymonds | Accounting | Greenville, South Carolina | May |

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| * Scott Thomas McConnell | Pastoral Ministry | Cadillac, Michigan | May |
| ** Tatiana Alexandria Kaminski McConnell | Elementary Education | LeClaire, Iowa | January |
| Shannon Tenealle McCormic | Business Administration/Fashion Merchandising | Shawnee, Kansas | May |
| * Jordan Benjamin McCroskey | Communication Studies | Oswego, Illinois | August |
| ** Joshua Scott McDaniel | Elementary Education | Pottersville, Michigan | May |
| *** Matthew Scott McDaniel | Criminal Justice/Spanish | Seymour, Indiana | May |
| ** Michael A. McDaniel | Computer Science | Seymour, Indiana | May |
| ** Kyle Richard McDonald | Business Administration | La Porte, Indiana | May |
| Chelsea R. McKay | Music (Education) | Sterling Heights, Michigan | May |
| Molly Anne McNeil | Elementary Education | Villa Park, Illinois | May |
| * Samuel Chase Means | Engineering | Honey Creek, Iowa | May |
| * Tiffany Ann Meents | Physical Education-Health | Custer Park, Illinois | January |
| Erin Michele Meyerhoff | Exercise Science | Minooka, Illinois | August |
| Michelle M. Miramonti | Business Administration | Long Grove, Illinois | May |
| *** Amber Jean Moore | Biology | Novi, Michigan | May |
| *** Ashley Marie Moore | Elementary Education | Novi, Michigan | May |
| * Angela Rae Morgan | Psychology | Bourbonnais, Illinois | May |
| Meredith Anne Morris | Art | Mahomet, Illinois | May |
| *** Megan Clare Mosher | Exercise Science | Pleasant Plains, Illinois | May |
| *** Jessica Lynn Moulding | Elementary Education | South Lyon, Michigan | May |
| Jennifer Leann Mudge | Business Administration | Glen Ellyn, Illinois | August |
| Joseph E. Mullikin | Exercise Science | Adrian, Michigan | May |
| * Kellie Elizabeth Mullin | Physical Education-Health | Momence, Illinois | January |
| Sarah Mullin | Communication Studies | Darien, Illinois | May |
| ** Annalisa Cristina Muñoz | Business Administration | Tempe, Arizona | May |
| * Jessica M. Murphy | Business Administration/Marketing | Muncie, Indiana | January |
| Stephen D. Musselman | Youth Ministry | Fort Wayne, Indiana | August |
| * Janna Marie Myers | Early Childhood Education | Bourbonnais, Illinois | May |
| ** Cassidy Nelson | Psychology | St. Elmo, Illinois | May |
| Chad Ryan Nelson | Business Administration | Fort Lauderdale, Florida | August |
| Nathan Nelson | Economics-Finance | Momence, Illinois | May |
| Bethany Marie Newsome | English (Education) | Pontiac, Illinois | August |
| ** Kathryn Elizabeth Nichols | Journalism/Sociology | Omaha, Nebraska | May |
| Jaime Lynn Nissen | Marketing/Business Administration | Bradley, Illinois | May |
| * Aisha A. Nix | Dietetics | Matteson, Illinois | May |
| *** Angela M. Nordin | Biology | Rockaway, New Jersey | May |
| Jacquelyn S. Norgard | Communication Studies | Palos Heights, Illinois | August |
| Joshua L. Nymeyer | Business Administration | Dyer, Indiana | January |
| Adam Jose Ollervidez | Pastoral Ministry | Fruitport, Michigan | May |
| Kady Jo Oring | Elementary Education | Eaton Rapids, Michigan | May |
| Matthew Brian Ostrom | Criminal Justice | Bourbonnais, Illinois | May |
| ** Christopher Chandler Outler | Biology | Clarksville, Indiana | May |
| Janelle L. Palinski | Business Administration | Kankakee, Illinois | May |
| Christopher D. Parmley | Criminal Justice | Goreville, Illinois | August |
| Melissa Pateras | Elementary Education | Buffalo Grove, Illinois | August |
| Kimberly Kae Paul | Criminal Justice | Monee, Illinois | May |
| ** Tania Marie Pavlovcik | Early Childhood Education | Yorkville, Illinois | May |
| Jonathan A. Payne | Business Administration | Waterford, Michigan | August |
| Elizabeth Leigh Perry | Communication Studies | Kansas City, Missouri | May |

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| *** | Genesis R. Peterkort | Elementary Education | Algonquin, Illinois | May |
| | Meredith J. Peters | International Business | Clinton, Illinois | August |
| | Megan Marie Petty | Child Development | New Castle, Indiana | August |
| * | Ashlee Nichelle Pierson | Exercise Science | Bourbonnais, Illinois | January |
| | Jeremy J. Pilachowski | Marketing | DeMotte, Indiana | May |
| ** | Richard M. Pinkowski | Economics-Finance/Business Administration | Orchard Farm, Missouri | May |
| | Laurice Nicole Pollack-Strope | Children's Ministry | Bourbonnais, Illinois | May |
| | Cheetara Portis | Business Administration | Meridian, Mississippi | May |
| *** | Valinda G. Prather | Music (Education) | St. Anne, Illinois | May |
| | Jennifer Joelle Prejna | Business Administration/Psychology | Rolling Meadows, Illinois | May |
| | Travis James Walter Proehl | Marketing | Peoria, Illinois | August |
| ** | Robin K. Pugh | Exercise Science | Wheaton, Illinois | May |
| * | Joseph Edward Quales | Elementary Education | Reed City, Michigan | May |
| | Priscilla Ramos | Music Composition | Portage, Indiana | May |
| | Britney Leigh Reddick | Housing and Environmental Design | Bourbonnais, Illinois | August |
| | Shea M. Redmond | Criminal Justice | Bradley, Illinois | May |
| *** | Jenna M. Reeves | Elementary Education/Spanish | Bloomington, Illinois | May |
| * | Rachelle Renae Renfro | Physical Education-Health | Macon, Illinois | May |
| | Heather Renée Rice | Accounting | Greenwood, Indiana | May |
| | Christopher Richardson | Business Administration | Bloomington, Indiana | May |
| | Tristan Riddell | Mass Communication | Urbana, Illinois | May |
| *** | Susan M. Ritzema | Psychology | Posen, Illinois | May |
| *** | Brian L. Robbins | Business Administration | Vicksburg, Michigan | May |
| | Lenae M. Roberts | Elementary Education | Brownstown, Indiana | May |
| | Jeremy C. Robinson | Criminal Justice | Crown Point, Indiana | August |
| | Katherine M. Rodgers | Family and Consumer Sciences | Wheaton, Illinois | January |
| | Timothy P. Romer | Athletic Training | Bradley, Illinois | August |
| | Cynthia C. Rucker | Sports Management | Victorville, California | August |
| | Ashley Rumphs | Mass Communication | Oswego, Illinois | August |
| | Melinda L. Runyon | Psychology | Osceola, Indiana | May |
| | Bethany Joy Sackett | Journalism | Portage, Michigan | May |
| | Hector Ivan Sanchez | Dietetics | Morelia, Mexico | May |
| | Jolie Sanchez | Mass Communication | Chicago Heights, Illinois | August |
| | Ashley N. Saunders | Art | University Park, Illinois | May |
| | Drew Arthur Schaafsma | Athletic Training/Biology | Momence, Illinois | May |
| | Amanda Nicole Scheve | Art | St. Louis, Missouri | May |
| | Richard C. Schreiber III | General Studies | Park Ridge, Illinois | January |
| *** | Kellie Sears | Elementary Education | Clio, Michigan | May |
| | Matthew Thomas Seufert | Psychology | Lansing, Illinois | May |
| | Michael DeWayne Severn | Mass Communication | Coldwater, Michigan | August |
| * | Stacey L. Sharpe | Business Administration | Davison, Michigan | May |
| *** | Lindsey Allyse Sherman | Housing and Environmental Design/ Business Administration | Gillespie, Illinois | May |
| | Brian Lowell Short | Economics-Finance | Brownsburg, Indiana | August |
| * | Brittany Rae Shreffler | Elementary Education | Kankakee, Illinois | January |
| ** | Katherynne Elizabeth Sievers | Spanish (Education) | Sugar Grove, Illinois | January |
| | Laura Marie Sill | Fashion Merchandising | Smithfield, Illinois | August |
| * | Margaret R. Sillar | Mass Communication | Marseilles, Illinois | August |
| | Caitlin Elizabeth Simms | Psychology | Lake Zurich, Illinois | May |

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|-----|------------------------------|------------------------------------|-----------------------------|---------|
| | Joseph Allen Sippel | Engineering | Piqua, Ohio | May |
| * | Suzanne M. Sletto | Communication Studies | Ottawa, Illinois | May |
| ** | Amy M. Slonecker | Accounting | Marysville, Ohio | May |
| | Alvin Albert Smith III | Economics-Finance | Naperville, Illinois | May |
| | Cameron Smith | Business Administration | Kokomo, Indiana | May |
| ** | Olivia Diane Smith | Accounting/Business Administration | Bloomington, Indiana | January |
| | Matthew Ryan Soulia | Youth Ministry | Flushing, Michigan | January |
| * | Corrie Anne Spjuth | Elementary Education | Parker, Colorado | May |
| * | Gregory Scott St. Louis | Computer Science | Bourbonnais, Illinois | May |
| | Chad M. Stadt | Art | Bourbonnais, Illinois | May |
| | Gregory Albert Stagner | Economics-Finance | Laguna Niguel, California | January |
| | Katarina Stanojević | Marketing | Belgrade, Serbia | May |
| | Tracee Petty Steele | Elementary Education | Bourbonnais, Illinois | January |
| * | Kerry James Steines | Elementary Education | Roscoe, Illinois | August |
| | Grant Matthew Stephenson | Elementary Education | Racine, Wisconsin | January |
| ** | Carolyn Deanne Stipp | Accounting/Spanish | Olathe, Kansas | May |
| * | Alison H. Streb | Dietetics | LaGrange, Illinois | August |
| | Mitchell Wayne Street | Social Science (Education) | Lapel, Indiana | May |
| * | Marcus Neal Stuart | Accounting | Eagle, Idaho | May |
| *** | Katherine E. Sweet | Engineering | Bremerton, Washington | May |
| | Matthew Ryan Swenson | Marketing | Sterling, Illinois | January |
| * | Stephanie Mae Swenson | Accounting/Economics-Finance | Westville, Illinois | May |
| | Jonathan Donald Swigart | Journalism | Champaign, Illinois | August |
| * | Alysha Tagert | Criminal Justice/Psychology | Gaylord, Michigan | May |
| ** | Amanda Michelle Taylor | Psychology | Indianapolis, Indiana | May |
| | Brock Taylor | Business Administration | Springfield, Virginia | August |
| | Sara Joy Taylor | Housing and Environmental Design | Decatur, Illinois | May |
| | Timothy Mark Taylor | Communication Studies | Indianapolis, Indiana | August |
| | Courtney M. Thompson | Psychology | Kankakee, Illinois | August |
| | Jonathon Ross Thompson | Criminal Justice | Frankfort, Illinois | May |
| | Laura Elizabeth Thompson | Housing and Environmental Design | Edina, Minnesota | May |
| | Lisa Renee Thompson | Psychology | Richton Park, Illinois | May |
| | Derrell J. Tinner | Recreation and Leisure Studies | Gary, Indiana | August |
| ** | Meghen R. Tosto | Early Childhood Education | Bourbonnais, Illinois | May |
| | Jennifer J. Town | Elementary Education | Momence, Illinois | May |
| ** | Laurryn Patricia Trojanowski | Criminal Justice | Lockport, Illinois | May |
| | Cherith Brooke Turner | Communication Studies | Rockford, Illinois | May |
| *** | Susan E. Tuttle | Psychology | Orion, Illinois | May |
| | Melissa Vasquez | Physical Education-Health | Lincolnwood, Illinois | May |
| | Alicia Rae Versack | Child Development | Lake in the Hills, Illinois | May |
| | Marsee Lavon Vinson | Elementary Education | Norfolk, Virginia | January |
| ** | Mary Walas | Business Administration | Moline, Illinois | May |
| ** | Daniel Max Walker | Engineering | Fort Collins, Colorado | May |
| *** | Linda J. Wasielewski | Psychology | Lockport, Illinois | May |
| ** | Joy Marie Watson | Elementary Education | St. Anne, Illinois | May |
| | Amy Christine Watt | Child Development | Washington, Illinois | August |
| | Bria Lynn Wellenreiter | Elementary Education | Kankakee, Illinois | May |
| | Lacy Wendling | Art | Linden, Michigan | August |
| ** | Laura Elizabeth Wheat | Family and Consumer Sciences | Valparaiso, Indiana | August |

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| | Valerie Claire Wiegman | Art | Grand Prairie, Texas | May |
| | Ashley Lynn Wiles | Dietetics | Rockford, Illinois | August |
| | Collin Wilkins | Business Administration | Aurora, Illinois | May |
| | Benjamin C. Williams | Biology | Oak Lawn, Illinois | May |
| *** | Danielle Renee Williams | Engineering | Divide, Colorado | May |
| * | Jeffrey G. Williams | Athletic Training | University Park, Illinois | May |
| ** | Sonia Renee Williams | Accounting/International Business | Flint, Michigan | May |
| | Steven W. Williams | Business Administration | Hannibal, Missouri | August |
| ** | David A. Wilson | Biology | Bourbonnais, Illinois | May |
| ** | Hannah J. Witt | Elementary Education | Plainfield, Illinois | May |
| | Alicia M. Woodcock | Athletic Training | Manhattan, Illinois | May |
| *** | Andrea Lynn Wright | Marketing | Bourbonnais, Illinois | May |
| ** | Kimberly Nicole Wright | Elementary Education | Warrensburg, Illinois | January |
| | Zachariah E. A. Wright | Mass Communication | Frankfort, Indiana | May |
| | Ho Hyun Yang | Business Administration/Economics-Finance | Kansas City, Missouri | January |
| | Hollee Beth Yates | Art | Casey, Illinois | May |
| | Kimberly Ann Yates | Art | Casey, Illinois | August |
| | Michael James Young, Jr. | Youth Ministry | White Stone, Virginia | August |

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN NURSING

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|----|---------------------------------|---------|------------------------|-----|
| | Amanda Mae Elliott Berger | Nursing | Herscher, Illinois | May |
| | Shari Lynn Borchardt | Nursing | Peotone, Illinois | May |
| | Sarah Marie Melendez Branson | Nursing | Bourbonnais, Illinois | May |
| ** | Rachel Marie Bernhardt Chastain | Nursing | Green Bay, Wisconsin | May |
| ** | Chelsi Lynnea Clauson | Nursing | Rockford, Illinois | May |
| | Shannon Marie Craddock | Nursing | Allen Park, Michigan | May |
| | Kimberly Renée DeMint | Nursing | St. Anne, Illinois | May |
| * | Cheryl Ann Degner | Nursing | Cary, Illinois | May |
| | Erin Michelle Duey | Nursing | Valparaiso, Indiana | May |
| * | Rachel Lynn Durante | Nursing | Itasca, Illinois | May |
| | Karen Elizabeth Gorski | Nursing | Crystal Lake, Illinois | May |
| | Ashley Nicole Greene | Nursing | Seymour, Indiana | May |
| * | Marisa Martha Petroni Harpin | Nursing | Bourbonnais, Illinois | May |
| | Laci Marie Hoskins | Nursing | Georgetown, Illinois | May |
| | Joyce Kang | Nursing | Mt. Prospect, Illinois | May |
| | Lori Sue Kuyt-Boersema | Nursing | Grand Rapids, Michigan | May |
| * | Jennifer Anne Lennon | Nursing | Elmhurst, Illinois | May |
| | Ruth Ann Miller | Nursing | Washington, Illinois | May |
| * | Rebecca Morales | Nursing | Roselle, Illinois | May |
| | Samantha Jill Myer | Nursing | Marseilles, Illinois | May |
| * | Melissa Sue Pilachowski | Nursing | DeMotte, Indiana | May |
| | Amy C. Quinlan | Nursing | Sabattus, Maine | May |
| | Jennifer Rae Richards | Nursing | Champaign, Illinois | May |
| | Candace Sarah Snyder | Nursing | Bethany, Oklahoma | May |
| * | Stephanie Lynne Stull Soulia | Nursing | Plainfield, Indiana | May |
| | Sarah Catherine Stevens | Nursing | Paoli, Indiana | May |
| | Autumn Rose Tagert | Nursing | Coldwater, Michigan | May |
| ** | Mercy Thomas | Nursing | Bourbonnais, Illinois | May |

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| Michal L. Trausch | Nursing | Paulding, Ohio | May |
| Julia I. Trout | Nursing | Columbus, Indiana | May |
| Stephanie L. Vergara | Nursing | Vernon Hills, Illinois | May |
| Dorothy L. Voyles | Nursing | LaGrange, Illinois | May |
| Kathryn Joy Wendorf | Nursing | Oswego, Illinois | May |
| ** Elizabeth S. Wright | Nursing | South Bend, Indiana | May |

BACHELOR OF SOCIAL WORK

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|--------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------|--------|
| Tiffany Bridgett Alaimo | Social Work | Ottawa, Illinois | August |
| Elizabeth Anne Berger | Social Work | Kankakee, Illinois | May |
| Rebecca Suzanne Brummer | Social Work | Illioopolis, Illinois | August |
| * Kara Joy Burkey | Social Work | Lima, Ohio | August |
| Laura Ann Davitt | Social Work | Rockford, Illinois | May |
| Nnenna Emezi | Social Work | Chicago, Illinois | May |
| Jessica Anne Graham | Social Work | Bonfield, Illinois | May |
| Kristen Mary Hall | Social Work/Sociology | Morton, Illinois | May |
| Ashli Hanna | Social Work | Spring Arbor, Michigan | May |
| Jacquelyn Hazen | Social Work | Moline, Illinois | August |
| Heather Jo Hobbs | Social Work | Gaithersburg, Maryland | May |
| Eric Andrew Hoots | Social Work | Manteno, Illinois | May |
| ** Chad James Houseman | Social Work/Spanish | Bettendorf, Iowa | August |
| Jovan Danielle Johnson | Social Work | Chicago, Illinois | May |
| Sarah Lynn Johnson | Social Work | Indianapolis, Indiana | August |
| Morgan R. Lawson | Social Work | Middletown, Indiana | May |
| * Michelle Kristine Linn | Social Work | Indianapolis, Indiana | May |
| Ashley M. Luft | Social Work | Momence, Illinois | May |
| Rachel Eileen Major | Social Work | Wheaton, Illinois | August |
| Marla Charlene Mast | Social Work | Kokomo, Indiana | May |
| ** Stephanie J. Menold | Social Work | Morton, Illinois | May |
| Melissa Anne Morehouse | Social Work | Stockbridge, Michigan | May |
| *** Danielle A. Mulder | Social Work/Pastoral Ministry | Battle Creek, Michigan | May |
| *** Katie Anne Novak | Social Work | St. John, Indiana | August |
| ** Danielle N. Nuellen | Social Work | Bolingbrook, Illinois | August |
| Jessica Mae Pruitt | Social Work | Danville, Illinois | May |
| Heather Nicole Reiniche | Social Work | Manteno, Illinois | May |
| Courtney Marcia Richardson | Social Work | Byron Center, Michigan | August |
| Sarah June Riley | Social Work | Centreville, Michigan | May |
| Ashley Elizabeth Downs Robbins | Social Work | Vicksburg, Michigan | May |
| Melissa Renee Stooksbury | Social Work | Watertown, Wisconsin | May |
| Dana M. Vidra | Social Work | Hometown, Illinois | May |
| Jessica Lynn Wanda | Social Work | Palos Heights, Illinois | May |
| ** Brecklyn Marie Wasmuth | Social Work | Huntington, Indiana | August |
| *** Elizabeth Sarah Watson | Social Work | Troy, Ohio | May |
| Tessa Larie Wigren | Social Work | Muskegon, Michigan | August |
| Zachary James Zwanzig | Social Work | Bloomington, Illinois | May |

CONVOCATION FOR THE SCHOOL OF GRADUATE AND CONTINUING STUDIES DEGREE CANDIDATES

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PRELUDE AND PROCESSIONAL

CWM Rhonnda, Paul Manz

Grand Triumphal Chorus, Alexander Guilmant

Timothy Nelson, D.Mus., Organist

Professor of Music

WELCOME

Jim D. Knight, Litt.D.
Vice President for Academic Affairs/Registrar

NATIONAL ANTHEM

Jeffery Bell, D.A.
Professor of Music

INVOCATION

Joan Dean, M.R.E.
Chaplain, School of Graduate and Continuing Studies

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Matthew 6:19–33

Dale Oswalt, Ed.D.
Professor of Education

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Rebecca Taylor, Ph.D.
Representative of the Class of 1998
Kankakee, Illinois

Jon Klavohn, M.A.E. Candidate
Bourbonnais, Illinois

INTRODUCTION OF THE SPEAKER

Ryan Spittal, M.B.A.
Dean, School of Graduate and Continuing Studies

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President, Hong Kong Institute of Christian Counselors
Kowloon, Hong Kong

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Ralph E. Perry Student Award of Excellence

Willis E. Snowbarger Award for Teaching Excellence

Ray Reiplinger, Ed.D.
Associate Dean of Academic Services

BENEDICTION

Carl Leth, Ph.D.
Dean, School of Theology and Christian Ministry

RECESSIONAL AND POSTLUDE

Trumpet Tune, John Stanley

Dr. Timothy Nelson, Organist

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CANDIDATES FOR DEGREES

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MASTER OF ARTS

| | | | |
|---------------------------|-------------------------|------------------------|---------|
| Don T. Ashley | Religion | Manteno, Illinois | August |
| William H. Koch | Religion | Danville, Illinois | January |
| Hosny Reyad | Religion | Tinley Park, Illinois | January |
| Howard Scott Van Dyke III | Religion | Peabody, Massachusetts | August |
| Jeremiah Andrew Barnes | Professional Counseling | Alton, Illinois | May |
| Joy Marie Bocanegra | Professional Counseling | Tinley Park, Illinois | May |
| Amber L. Burnett | Professional Counseling | Kankakee, Illinois | May |
| Jessica Lynn Connell | Professional Counseling | Steger, Illinois | May |
| Laura K. Doll | Professional Counseling | Madison, Wisconsin | August |
| Virginia A. Higgins | Professional Counseling | Kankakee, Illinois | May |
| Denise Marie Houser | Professional Counseling | Saint Anne, Illinois | May |
| Tonja L. Jameson | Professional Counseling | Paxton, Illinois | May |
| Mary C. Karalis | Professional Counseling | Ottawa, Illinois | May |
| David James Lamie | Professional Counseling | Kankakee, Illinois | May |
| Sarah Marie Lenfield | Professional Counseling | Bourbonnais, Illinois | May |
| Donna Lynn McAllister | Professional Counseling | Bourbonnais, Illinois | August |
| Monica Deringer Nugent | Professional Counseling | Manteno, Illinois | May |
| Steven Ryan Remole | Professional Counseling | Champaign, Illinois | May |
| Holly L. Robinson | Professional Counseling | Bourbonnais, Illinois | May |

MASTER OF ARTS IN EDUCATION

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|---------------------------------|-------------------|-------------------------|---------|
| Anya Marie Bauer | Reading Education | Bonfield, Illinois | May |
| Brandi Castongia | Reading Education | Kankakee, Illinois | May |
| Kathryn Elaine Cox | Reading Education | Diamond, Illinois | May |
| Margaret Mary Danner | Reading Education | Chicago, Illinois | August |
| Francesca Marie DeMatteo-Driver | Reading Education | Minooka, Illinois | May |
| Julia Marie Dennison | Reading Education | Manhattan, Illinois | May |
| Barbara L. Broom Devine | Reading Education | Sauk Village, Illinois | May |
| Rozlyn B. Dunmore | Reading Education | South Holland, Illinois | January |
| Keri R. Dupuis | Reading Education | Bourbonnais, Illinois | May |
| Erin Margaret Easton | Reading Education | Joliet, Illinois | May |
| Elizabeth Farley Gillespie | Reading Education | Joliet, Illinois | May |
| Robin Ann Gutsch | Reading Education | Tinley Park, Illinois | January |
| Margene Kay Halley | Reading Education | North Aurora, Illinois | August |
| Jaime L. Hammack | Reading Education | Yorkville, Illinois | May |
| Elizabeth Hartsock | Reading Education | Naperville, Illinois | May |
| Maymi S. Heaser | Reading Education | Minooka, Illinois | May |
| Lindsay Marie Hejtmanek | Reading Education | Yorkville, Illinois | May |
| Patricia Holland | Reading Education | Braidwood, Illinois | May |
| Candi S. Holstine | Reading Education | Minooka, Illinois | May |
| Erin E. Jenkins | Reading Education | Aurora, Illinois | May |
| Jennifer Ann Jensen | Reading Education | Orland Park, Illinois | January |
| Jessica L. Kalamasz | Reading Education | Plainfield, Illinois | May |
| Anna S. Karas | Reading Education | Palos Park, Illinois | August |
| Carolyn Beth Kinsloe | Reading Education | Orland Park, Illinois | May |
| Melissa M. Kirk | Reading Education | Braceville, Illinois | May |
| Renee Marie Klus | Reading Education | Naperville, Illinois | May |
| Maureen Mshar Knaack | Reading Education | Hammond, Indiana | January |

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| Jennifer L. Kraft | Reading Education | Danforth, Illinois | May |
| Elizabeth Maleski | Reading Education | Aurora, Illinois | May |
| Angelica Marquez | Reading Education | Oak Forest, Illinois | January |
| Anne Marie Marzullo | Reading Education | Glenwood, Illinois | January |
| Donna K. McDonald | Reading Education | Minooka, Illinois | May |
| Patricia Marie McGlinchey | Reading Education | Oak Lawn, Illinois | August |
| Mary V. Milligan | Reading Education | Crown Point, Indiana | January |
| Anne Mary Morgan | Reading Education | Oak Lawn, Illinois | August |
| Patricia A. Nourie | Reading Education | Munster, Indiana | January |
| Sharon K. Pizzo | Reading Education | Joliet, Illinois | May |
| Jennifer Lynn Pondelicek | Reading Education | Aurora, Illinois | August |
| Tracy A. Rodenberg | Reading Education | Lansing, Illinois | January |
| Jillian Rae-Anne Rodgers | Reading Education | Bradley, Illinois | May |
| Monica D. Ruiz-Totaro | Reading Education | Minooka, Illinois | May |
| Stephanie Kay Savage | Reading Education | Montgomery, Illinois | May |
| Kimberly Laura Schmitt | Reading Education | Darien, Illinois | May |
| Maren E. Shipton | Reading Education | Morris, Illinois | May |
| Karl J. Simmons | Reading Education | St. Anne, Illinois | May |
| Marita R. Simmons-Peyton | Reading Education | Midlothian, Illinois | August |
| Kimberly Lynn Smith | Reading Education | Coal City, Illinois | May |
| Julie Marie Steinke | Reading Education | Bourbonnais, Illinois | May |
| Tiffany M. Stewart | Reading Education | Coal City, Illinois | May |
| Julie S. Storms | Reading Education | Homewood, Illinois | January |
| Constance Terrel | Reading Education | Coal City, Illinois | May |
| Katherine D. Thayer | Reading Education | Somonauk, Illinois | May |
| Tina D. Williams | Reading Education | Aurora, Illinois | May |
| Donna Ruth Wine | Reading Education | Bourbonnais, Illinois | May |
| Cory Lynn Wolf | Reading Education | Tinley Park, Illinois | January |
| Jessica Mary Allured | School Improvement Leadership | Downers Grove, Illinois | August |
| Jeanne Marita Barcelona | School Improvement Leadership | Chicago, Illinois | August |
| Denise L. Schantz Bauer | School Improvement Leadership | Plainfield, Illinois | January |
| Bernadette Mary Birt | School Improvement Leadership | Chicago, Illinois | August |
| Denise Ann Brands | School Improvement Leadership | Manteno, Illinois | May |
| Damien B. Braude | School Improvement Leadership | Elk Grove Village, Illinois | January |
| Jacqueline J. Brown | School Improvement Leadership | Richton Park, Illinois | August |
| Shannon Mary Brown | School Improvement Leadership | Minooka, Illinois | May |
| Amanda Lee Carlson | School Improvement Leadership | Joliet, Illinois | May |
| Kimberly Lynn Cherney | School Improvement Leadership | Homer Glen, Illinois | May |
| Katherine L. Clower | School Improvement Leadership | Channahon, Illinois | May |
| Sarah Ann Coffman | School Improvement Leadership | Burbank, Illinois | May |
| Katherine M. Craddick | School Improvement Leadership | Chicago, Illinois | August |
| Nicole L. Dangman | School Improvement Leadership | Mokena, Illinois | August |
| Addie Lydia Dennis | School Improvement Leadership | Wilmington, Illinois | May |
| Michon R. Dersien | School Improvement Leadership | Bradley, Illinois | August |
| Andrew Derwin | School Improvement Leadership | Aurora, Illinois | January |
| Nicholas D. Detman | School Improvement Leadership | Lockport, Illinois | January |
| Christine Ann Dooley | School Improvement Leadership | Wilmington, Illinois | May |
| Jill M. Doyle | School Improvement Leadership | Joliet, Illinois | January |
| Tammy L. Dransfeldt | School Improvement Leadership | Custer Park, Illinois | May |

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| Matthew J. Eichas | School Improvement Leadership | Woodridge, Illinois | January |
| Debra L. Fehrenbacher | School Improvement Leadership | Plainfield, Illinois | January |
| Gwen E. Fisher | School Improvement Leadership | New Lenox, Illinois | May |
| Marietta Frances Fletcher | School Improvement Leadership | Mount Prospect, Illinois | August |
| ChrisTina German | School Improvement Leadership | Chicago Heights, Illinois | August |
| Marcy A. Hood | School Improvement Leadership | Morris, Illinois | May |
| Stephanie Lynn Huffman | School Improvement Leadership | Morris, Illinois | May |
| Sue Marie Hurley | School Improvement Leadership | Joliet, Illinois | January |
| Heather Hynes | School Improvement Leadership | Minooka, Illinois | May |
| Gina Christine Isabelli | School Improvement Leadership | Joliet, Illinois | May |
| Shanté ToMara Jackson | School Improvement Leadership | Oak Forest, Illinois | August |
| Gwendolyn Dianne Johnson | School Improvement Leadership | Matteson, Illinois | August |
| Tomeeka J'Von Jones | School Improvement Leadership | Chicago, Illinois | August |
| Kevin M. Kirk | School Improvement Leadership | Tinley Park, Illinois | May |
| Jon Edward Klavohn | School Improvement Leadership | Bourbonnais, Illinois | January |
| Melissa A. LaMantia | School Improvement Leadership | Carol Stream, Illinois | January |
| Mary Elizabeth LaBotz | School Improvement Leadership | Tinley Park, Illinois | August |
| Amy Jo Larson | School Improvement Leadership | Newark, Illinois | May |
| George James Limperis | School Improvement Leadership | Bourbonnais, Illinois | January |
| Angela Noelle Mackel | School Improvement Leadership | Park Forest, Illinois | August |
| Mark C. Madden | School Improvement Leadership | Schaumburg, Illinois | August |
| Latiya Monic Magee | School Improvement Leadership | Riverdale, Illinois | May |
| Kathy Manriquez | School Improvement Leadership | Chicago, Illinois | August |
| Sandra L. Mardirosian | School Improvement Leadership | Chicago, Illinois | August |
| Keith Marston | School Improvement Leadership | Naperville, Illinois | January |
| Annette M. McCammon | School Improvement Leadership | Minooka, Illinois | January |
| Stacey McCarthy | School Improvement Leadership | Elgin, Illinois | January |
| Katrina McDermott | School Improvement Leadership | Chicago, Illinois | August |
| Angie Lenore Motton | School Improvement Leadership | Matteson, Illinois | August |
| Kevin R. Murphy | School Improvement Leadership | Joliet, Illinois | May |
| Sarah E. Oberhauser | School Improvement Leadership | Morris, Illinois | May |
| Margaret E. Parker | School Improvement Leadership | Marseilles, Illinois | May |
| Dawn M. Pavlich-Gallegos | School Improvement Leadership | Crest Hill, Illinois | January |
| Lisa Promis-Schouten | School Improvement Leadership | Bradley, Illinois | May |
| Brandon Harold Randall | School Improvement Leadership | Bourbonnais, Illinois | May |
| Kendra Marie Regas | School Improvement Leadership | Montgomery, Illinois | May |
| April Kathleen Regocki | School Improvement Leadership | Joliet, Illinois | May |
| Peggy A. Terry | School Improvement Leadership | Chicago Heights, Illinois | May |
| Kibbee N. Turner | School Improvement Leadership | Plainfield, Illinois | August |
| Kelly A. Walsh | School Improvement Leadership | Minooka, Illinois | May |
| Robin Marie Weatherbee | School Improvement Leadership | Dwight, Illinois | May |
| David Anthony Wonder | School Improvement Leadership | Kankakee, Illinois | May |
| Annette M. Anastopoulos | Curriculum and Instruction | Joliet, Illinois | May |
| Jennifer K. Bauer | Curriculum and Instruction | Bolingbrook, Illinois | August |
| George Robert Bessett | Curriculum and Instruction | Joliet, Illinois | August |
| Michelle Bolte | Curriculum and Instruction | Lockport, Illinois | January |
| Jamie Lynn Damitz | Curriculum and Instruction | Yorkville, Illinois | May |
| Stephanie Danek | Curriculum and Instruction | Morris, Illinois | August |
| Sarah Allyn DiGenova | Curriculum and Instruction | Channahon, Illinois | May |

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| Camille Ann Dickey | Curriculum and Instruction | Evergreen Park, Illinois | August |
| Jamie Marie Drobney | Curriculum and Instruction | Lemont, Illinois | May |
| Samantha Eberhardt | Curriculum and Instruction | Oak Forest, Illinois | August |
| Kelly M. Ercoli | Curriculum and Instruction | Downers Grove, Illinois | January |
| Elva A. Escobedo | Curriculum and Instruction | New Lenox, Illinois | August |
| Sarah Kathleen Gabriel | Curriculum and Instruction | Plainfield, Illinois | August |
| Sherry L. Jepsen | Curriculum and Instruction | Plainfield, Illinois | May |
| John Thaddeus Jones | Curriculum and Instruction | Villa Park, Illinois | August |
| Cathleen Ann Kimble | Curriculum and Instruction | Elmhurst, Illinois | January |
| Cheryl L. Petrou | Curriculum and Instruction | Plainfield, Illinois | August |
| Allison A. Pharo | Curriculum and Instruction | Joliet, Illinois | May |
| Michele L. Rickerson | Curriculum and Instruction | Lockport, Illinois | January |
| Sara Rodriguez-Kostro | Curriculum and Instruction | Frankfort, Illinois | May |
| Michael John Vercelote | Curriculum and Instruction | Shorewood, Illinois | May |
| Karyn Renee Ward | Curriculum and Instruction | Plainfield, Illinois | August |
| Carrie Lynn Hotherr Wolseley | Curriculum and Instruction | Plainfield, Illinois | May |

MASTER OF ARTS IN TEACHING

| | | | |
|--------------------------|----------------------|-------------------------|---------|
| Maria Barwegen | Elementary Education | Kankakee, Illinois | May |
| Dawn A. Bates | Elementary Education | Joliet, Illinois | May |
| Matthew Bruce Boling | Secondary Education | Indianapolis, Indiana | May |
| Jan Bruyn | Elementary Education | Morris, Illinois | May |
| Brad D. Burns | K-12 Education | Kankakee, Illinois | May |
| Charles P. Butterbrodt | Elementary Education | Dwight, Illinois | January |
| Donald J. Canton | Elementary Education | Westchester, Illinois | May |
| Jason Curl | Secondary Education | Chebanse, Illinois | May |
| William F. Davison | Secondary Education | Kankakee, Illinois | May |
| Adam Richard Elroy | Secondary Education | Kankakee, Illinois | January |
| Kyle Patrick Haworth | Secondary Education | Bourbonnais, Illinois | May |
| Catherine Marie Kennedy | Elementary Education | Bourbonnais, Illinois | January |
| Casey Marie Meier | Secondary Education | Manteno, Illinois | January |
| Hannah Rebecca Menendez | Elementary Education | Kankakee, Illinois | May |
| Elizabeth K. Milner | Elementary Education | Romeoville, Illinois | May |
| Michelle L. Nettles | Elementary Education | Coal City, Illinois | May |
| Kathleen Alice Regelin | Elementary Education | Crown Point, Indiana | January |
| Daniel Richardson | Elementary Education | Bradley, Illinois | January |
| Toyas Najmah Rudolph | Elementary Education | South Holland, Illinois | August |
| Debra L. Sheputis | Elementary Education | Bourbonnais, Illinois | May |
| Timothy Andrew Thompson | Elementary Education | Champaign, Illinois | May |
| Paula Michelis Vogt | Elementary Education | Park Forest, Illinois | May |
| Pamela Lashun Washington | Secondary Education | Kankakee, Illinois | August |
| Abbey Norene Zellers | Elementary Education | Wadsworth, Ohio | May |

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| Heidi Leigh Abernathy | Curriculum and Instruction | Kewanee, Illinois | May |
| Cheryl P. Anderson | Curriculum and Instruction | Steger, Illinois | January |
| Greta Jean Bell | Curriculum and Instruction | Wheaton, Illinois | August |

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|---------------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------------|---------|
| Megan Elizabeth Bush | Curriculum and Instruction | Winchester, Indiana | August |
| Kathy Caston | Curriculum and Instruction | Danville, Illinois | January |
| Elizabeth Kay Chase | Curriculum and Instruction | Wheaton, Illinois | August |
| Michael Drewniak | Curriculum and Instruction | West Bend, Wisconsin | January |
| Erin Elizabeth Dul | Curriculum and Instruction | New Lenox, Illinois | May |
| Julia Ann Easter | Curriculum and Instruction | Minooka, Illinois | January |
| Elizabeth Marie Eble | Curriculum and Instruction | Bloomington, Illinois | January |
| Michelle Lynn Endris | Curriculum and Instruction | Bedford, Indiana | May |
| Marjorie Sue Hessler | Curriculum and Instruction | Elkhart, Indiana | August |
| Kimberly Ann Herfleisch | Curriculum and Instruction | Rockdale, Illinois | May |
| Jason M. Hrechko | Curriculum and Instruction | Dwight, Illinois | January |
| Carlotta F. Kantarski | Curriculum and Instruction | Warrenville, Illinois | August |
| Kristin Marie Karr | Curriculum and Instruction | Wheaton, Illinois | May |
| Janet Ann Lamoureux | Curriculum and Instruction | Wheaton, Illinois | August |
| Julie Ann Margalus | Curriculum and Instruction | Homer Glen, Illinois | May |
| Kimberly L. Martin | Curriculum and Instruction | Lisle, Illinois | May |
| Robert W. McAlister | Curriculum and Instruction | Jonesboro, Illinois | August |
| Becky Lynn Michael | Curriculum and Instruction | Gering, Nebraska | August |
| Richard James Neustifter | Curriculum and Instruction | Milwaukee, Wisconsin | May |
| Kristina Nilsson | Curriculum and Instruction | Tinley Park, Illinois | May |
| Elizabeth April Oppenheim | Curriculum and Instruction | Granger, Indiana | May |
| Steven M. Ross | Curriculum and Instruction | Morris, Illinois | May |
| Ronda J. Roth | Curriculum and Instruction | Gering, Nebraska | August |
| Amber Rae Sampier | Curriculum and Instruction | Peoria, Illinois | January |
| Kathryn E. Sauer | Curriculum and Instruction | Rolling Meadows, Illinois | January |
| Julie Kathleen Semith | Curriculum and Instruction | Edwardsville, Illinois | May |
| Rhianna Stafford | Curriculum and Instruction | Savoy, Illinois | August |
| Michele Ann Stark | Curriculum and Instruction | Gering, Nebraska | August |
| Tracy Erin Steele | Curriculum and Instruction | Scottsbluff, Nebraska | August |
| Sara M. Steinert | Curriculum and Instruction | Kewaskum, Wisconsin | January |
| Jennifer E. Troy | Curriculum and Instruction | Lake in the Hills, Illinois | May |
| Jill LeAnne Underwood | Curriculum and Instruction | Kewanee, Illinois | May |

MASTER OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

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|---------------------------|-------------------------|-----------------------------|---------|
| Kerry S. Abdullah | Business Administration | Huntley, Illinois | January |
| Ryan David Anderson | Business Administration | Kankakee, Illinois | August |
| Karolynne Ates | Business Administration | Chicago, Illinois | August |
| Theresa Atkins | Business Administration | Racine, Wisconsin | January |
| Alicia Peterson Averyhart | Business Administration | Chicago, Illinois | August |
| Madora Davis Bond | Business Administration | Oak Park, Illinois | August |
| Brenda L. Britt | Business Administration | Riverdale, Illinois | August |
| Courtney Sherri Bynum | Business Administration | Steger, Illinois | August |
| Norma A. Cazares | Business Administration | Rolling Meadows, Illinois | January |
| Brian Anthony DeRosa | Business Administration | Elk Grove Village, Illinois | May |
| Barbara Decker-Lenahan | Business Administration | South Elgin, Illinois | May |
| Denna DeWitt | Business Administration | St. Anne, Illinois | August |
| Susan Lyn Di Re | Business Administration | Mt. Prospect, Illinois | August |
| Christopher Arend Gibson | Business Administration | Bourbonnais, Illinois | August |

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| Kyle Thomas Goodberlet | Business Administration | Kankakee, Illinois | August |
| Teri Hatfield | Business Administration | Lombard, Illinois | May |
| Shun T. Haynes | Business Administration | Chicago, Illinois | August |
| Sandra M. Hendricks | Business Administration | Paxton, Illinois | January |
| Tunde Holland | Business Administration | Palatine, Illinois | May |
| Edward C. Hudson | Business Administration | Chicago, Illinois | May |
| Maureen A. James | Business Administration | Manteno, Illinois | August |
| Janet Lynn Keiser | Business Administration | Bourbonnais, Illinois | January |
| Paul Sanghyun Lee | Business Administration | Naperville, Illinois | August |
| Diana K. Loncar | Business Administration | Chicago, Illinois | August |
| Brian W. Mak | Business Administration | Chicago, Illinois | August |
| Donald O. Ajiere Marcus | Business Administration | Chicago, Illinois | May |
| Rasheda S. McGhee | Business Administration | Pembroke Township, Illinois | May |
| Brandon M. McNeal | Business Administration | Kankakee, Illinois | August |
| Loren D. Monroe | Business Administration | Woodridge, Illinois | January |
| Sylkia Magaly Negron | Business Administration | Chicago, Illinois | August |
| Sargun Odishu | Business Administration | Des Plaines, Illinois | May |
| Jeremiah B. Pangan | Business Administration | Chicago, Illinois | August |
| Douglas Melvin Pickett | Business Administration | Kankakee, Illinois | May |
| Jude Pierre-Louis | Business Administration | Homewood, Illinois | May |
| Farida Razvi | Business Administration | Chicago, Illinois | May |
| Aaron Joshua Rice | Business Administration | Waterman, Illinois | January |
| Chelsie M. Rountree | Business Administration | Bourbonnais, Illinois | August |
| Karen V. Sanders | Business Administration | Blue Island, Illinois | August |
| Gina L. Shell-LaMore | Business Administration | Kankakee, Illinois | January |
| Sharnetha Van White | Business Administration | Maywood, Illinois | May |

MASTER OF ORGANIZATIONAL LEADERSHIP

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|--------------------------------|---------------------------|---------------------------|---------|
| Erica Shennise Baptist | Organizational Leadership | Kankakee, Illinois | January |
| Craig Alan Bishop | Organizational Leadership | Bourbonnais, Illinois | January |
| Joan M. Bishop | Organizational Leadership | Bourbonnais, Illinois | January |
| Nicole Suzanne Bryant | Organizational Leadership | Bourbonnais, Illinois | January |
| Justin William Caldwell | Organizational Leadership | Bradley, Illinois | January |
| Jasmine Renee Cieszynski | Organizational Leadership | Bourbonnais, Illinois | August |
| Justin Lee Crew | Organizational Leadership | Lemont, Illinois | August |
| Deborah Anne Foster | Organizational Leadership | Peotone, Illinois | January |
| Lori Ann Hoekstra | Organizational Leadership | Bourbonnais, Illinois | January |
| Seth Steven Hurd | Organizational Leadership | Bourbonnais, Illinois | January |
| Amanda Lucille Jensen | Organizational Leadership | Bourbonnais, Illinois | August |
| Scott M. Knudson | Organizational Leadership | Bourbonnais, Illinois | August |
| Mark Allen Lamie | Organizational Leadership | Kankakee, Illinois | January |
| Francisco Bohumil Filip Marino | Organizational Leadership | Barretos-Sao Paulo-Brazil | August |
| Ashley E. Rantz | Organizational Leadership | Bourbonnais, Illinois | August |
| Megan Marie Skinner | Organizational Leadership | Bourbonnais, Illinois | January |
| Deborah L. Stafford | Organizational Leadership | Bourbonnais, Illinois | January |
| Brandon A. Sterk | Organizational Leadership | Bourbonnais, Illinois | August |
| Rickey Allen Tucker | Organizational Leadership | Kankakee, Illinois | January |

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE

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| Daniel J. Jennings | Practical Ministries | Kansas City, Missouri | January |
| ** Rita Joan Stoker | Practical Ministries | Omaha, Nebraska | May |

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN NURSING

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|----------------------------|---------|-----------------------------|--------|
| Amy M. Adrian | Nursing | Kenosha, Wisconsin | August |
| Ijeoma C. Anukwu | Nursing | Champaign, Illinois | August |
| Billie Appelhans | Nursing | Poplar Grove, Illinois | August |
| Jacqueline Arteaga | Nursing | Fox Lake, Illinois | August |
| Betty A. Barber | Nursing | Wadsworth, Illinois | August |
| Patricia Ann Beck | Nursing | Bensenville, Illinois | August |
| Carolyn A. Betts | Nursing | Chicago, Illinois | August |
| Brianne C. Brown | Nursing | Beach Park, Illinois | August |
| Sylvia M. Burchett | Nursing | Lake Villa, Illinois | August |
| Teresa Carr | Nursing | Westchester, Illinois | August |
| Tamra Stephanie Carroll | Nursing | McHenry, Illinois | August |
| Tarjania Renea Chapman | Nursing | Chicago, Illinois | August |
| Antoinette M. Charak | Nursing | Elgin, Illinois | August |
| Lisa Derengowski | Nursing | Lake in the Hills, Illinois | August |
| Antoinette Dockens | Nursing | Chicago, Illinois | August |
| Barbara Lynn Emery | Nursing | Bolingbrook, Illinois | August |
| Sherryl Estorque | Nursing | Gurnee, Illinois | August |
| ** Joni L. Fredrickson | Nursing | Savoy, Illinois | August |
| Kristin A. Garcia | Nursing | Kenosha, Wisconsin | August |
| Karen Marie Gibboney | Nursing | Geneva, Illinois | August |
| Maria Diane Goldenstein | Nursing | Danforth, Illinois | August |
| Tondria R. Green | Nursing | Chicago, Illinois | May |
| Donna J. Hayes | Nursing | Algonquin, Illinois | August |
| Valsamma Jacob | Nursing | Chicago, Illinois | August |
| Lenell Davis Johnson | Nursing | Calumet City, Illinois | August |
| ** Anna Kepinski-Kusak | Nursing | Libertyville, Illinois | May |
| ** Tatyana Kholod | Nursing | Buffalo Grove, Illinois | August |
| Francisse Ann Kurth | Nursing | Crystal Lake, Illinois | August |
| Tauhida Y. Malik | Nursing | Maywood, Illinois | August |
| ** Michael Lee Mann | Nursing | Champaign, Illinois | August |
| Rebecca M. McPherson | Nursing | Lake in the Hills, Illinois | August |
| *** Lisa Ann Moment | Nursing | Champaign, Illinois | August |
| * Leonard Cao Thanh Nguyen | Nursing | Gilberts, Illinois | August |
| * Josue Nuñez | Nursing | Cicero, Illinois | August |
| Samuel O. Ogunro | Nursing | Chicago, Illinois | August |
| LaToyia E. Parker | Nursing | Chicago, Illinois | August |
| Pat A. Pundavela | Nursing | Round Lake Beach, Illinois | August |
| Claudette Quinn | Nursing | Bolingbrook, Illinois | August |
| Johnalene Sue Radek | Nursing | Champaign, Illinois | August |
| Diane Rodriguez | Nursing | Cicero, Illinois | August |
| Shreese Lynette Sarpy | Nursing | Antioch, Illinois | August |
| ** Catherine A. Schlosser | Nursing | Lake in the Hills, Illinois | August |
| Oosa Sinrapanurak | Nursing | Elgin, Illinois | August |
| ** Melanie Tiaokhiao | Nursing | Schaumburg, Illinois | August |

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| Nora Dulatre Ylagan | Nursing | Chicago, Illinois | August |
| Cynthia E. Young | Nursing | McHenry, Illinois | August |
| ** Erin Marie Zgonina | Nursing | Champaign, Illinois | August |

BACHELOR OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

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|----------------------------------|-------------------------|------------------------|---------|
| Jennifer Banks | Business Administration | Chicago, Illinois | August |
| William E. Bebout | Business Administration | Bourbonnais, Illinois | August |
| ** Kathaleene Florence Birkholz | Business Administration | Romeoville, Illinois | January |
| *** Sierra S. Breeden | Business Administration | Bourbonnais, Illinois | May |
| William Brian Burrell | Business Administration | Kankakee, Illinois | August |
| * Guadalupe Cahue | Business Administration | Naperville, Illinois | January |
| * Tonja M. Chandler | Business Administration | Bourbonnais, Illinois | August |
| ** James Louis Choate, Jr. | Business Administration | Channahon, Illinois | January |
| Debbie Delene Deprest | Business Administration | Bourbonnais, Illinois | January |
| * Don F. Dornhecker | Business Administration | Chicago, Illinois | August |
| * Kim T. Ewing | Business Administration | Chicago, Illinois | January |
| Mark Alan Fanter | Business Administration | Salem, Wisconsin | August |
| Bridgett Vance Finner | Business Administration | Chicago, Illinois | May |
| * Sharon L. Fisher | Business Administration | Aurora, Illinois | January |
| ** Tyreeta Ford | Business Administration | Chicago, Illinois | August |
| *** Olivia Ella Foster | Business Administration | Plainfield, Illinois | August |
| ** Cynthia Diane Murray Franklin | Business Administration | Fort Worth, Texas | May |
| ** Judith Galarza | Business Administration | Waukegan, Illinois | August |
| * Ryan Dominic Gorecki | Business Administration | Bradley, Illinois | August |
| ** Joshua L. Gregoire | Business Administration | Bourbonnais, Illinois | January |
| Stacy Lynn Hammond | Business Administration | Joliet, Illinois | January |
| Linda Hand | Business Administration | Cary, Illinois | August |
| *** Nancy Haussmann | Business Administration | Lombard, Illinois | January |
| Cynthia A. Hickman | Business Administration | Chicago, Illinois | August |
| Barbara Ann Hicks | Business Administration | Chicago, Illinois | May |
| Glenda F. Hicks | Business Administration | Chicago, Illinois | August |
| Karen Hicks | Business Administration | Chicago, Illinois | August |
| * Patricia Ann Hubly | Business Administration | Bourbonnais, Illinois | January |
| Milton Hudson | Business Administration | Kankakee, Illinois | May |
| * Daphne J. Jackson | Business Administration | Kankakee, Illinois | August |
| Karen Yvonne Jackson | Business Administration | Robbins, Illinois | August |
| Jason E. Johnson | Business Administration | Bourbonnais, Illinois | August |
| ** Regina Ann Johnson | Business Administration | Richton Park, Illinois | May |
| ** Susan J. Kemp | Business Administration | Bourbonnais, Illinois | January |
| *** James Patrick Kicher | Business Administration | Yorkville, Illinois | August |
| * Michael D. Kimery | Business Administration | Bradley, Illinois | August |
| *** Karen M. Koier | Business Administration | Aurora, Illinois | January |
| *** Debbi A. Kucera | Business Administration | Romeoville, Illinois | August |
| Benjamin Michael LaMore | Business Administration | Bradley, Illinois | August |
| Robert Joseph Lampley, Jr. | Business Administration | Bourbonnais, Illinois | August |
| ** Jesus Leal | Business Administration | Villa Park, Illinois | August |
| * Debra Ann Lona | Business Administration | Aurora, Illinois | August |
| Katrina Catherine Longtin | Business Administration | Bourbonnais, Illinois | August |

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|------------------------------------|-------------------------|---------------------------|---------|
| Aaron T. McCray | Business Administration | Kankakee, Illinois | August |
| Cassandra Evelyn Bailey McCullough | Business Administration | Kankakee, Illinois | August |
| * Caitlyn L. McGehee | Business Administration | Danforth, Illinois | August |
| Mary Evelyn Melvin | Business Administration | Kankakee, Illinois | August |
| Jerber Mendoza | Business Administration | Aurora, Illinois | August |
| Josephine Jacqueline Montgomery | Business Administration | Matteson, Illinois | August |
| Zena Verlisia Newson | Business Administration | Chicago, Illinois | August |
| *** Angelique Marie Novie | Business Administration | Wheaton, Illinois | August |
| * Amanda K. Regelin | Business Administration | Crown Point, Indiana | May |
| Jonathan Robert Reynolds | Business Administration | Saint Charles, Illinois | August |
| Carmen Lillian Robinson | Business Administration | Kankakee, Illinois | August |
| ** Elisa M. Ross | Business Administration | Aurora, Illinois | August |
| ** Gina Marie Fiore Rupert | Business Administration | Bourbonnais, Illinois | January |
| *** Paul Arthur Salgado | Business Administration | Morris, Illinois | January |
| *** Michele L. Simons | Business Administration | Lisle, Illinois | August |
| *** Linda M. Sloss | Business Administration | Romeoville, Illinois | August |
| ** Kimberly Ellen Smith | Business Administration | Bourbonnais, Illinois | August |
| ** Karen Ann Sopczak | Business Administration | Orland Park, Illinois | August |
| *** Darlene G. Swanson | Business Administration | Bourbonnais, Illinois | May |
| * Cheryl Jean Tyson | Business Administration | Bourbonnais, Illinois | August |
| * Virginia R. Valencia | Business Administration | Gurnee, Illinois | August |
| Nancy Johana Gomez Villagran | Business Administration | Bolingbrook, Illinois | January |
| * Elizabeth Villarreal | Business Administration | Zion, Illinois | May |
| *** Pamela L. Walczak | Business Administration | Aurora, Illinois | January |
| * Paul Eric Washington | Business Administration | Chicago, Illinois | August |
| Aline Watson-McDowell | Business Administration | Harvey, Illinois | August |
| Michelle Latrice Wells | Business Administration | Orange Park, Florida | August |
| * Cheryl L. Westberg | Business Administration | Woodridge, Illinois | August |
| *** James A. Wetter | Business Administration | Schaumburg, Illinois | August |
| * Mary T. Williams | Business Administration | Chicago, Illinois | August |
| Chantell Renee Williamson | Business Administration | Bourbonnais, Illinois | August |
| ** Anthony Michael Worsham | Business Administration | Bourbonnais, Illinois | January |
| Cynthia A. Young-Goolsby | Business Administration | Chicago, Illinois | August |
| Shawana Zahir | Business Administration | Rolling Meadows, Illinois | May |

ASSOCIATE OF ARTS

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|------------------------|-------------------------|-----------------------|---------|
| Sherri S. Caffey | Business Administration | Kankakee, Illinois | August |
| Robert P. Day | Business Administration | Momence, Illinois | August |
| Jeffery L. Dungan | Business Administration | Manteno, Illinois | August |
| Richard Jay Evans | Business Administration | Portage, Indiana | August |
| Jillian Goodwin | Business Administration | Grant Park, Illinois | August |
| Lolesia Johnson | Business Administration | Chicago, Illinois | January |
| Carolyn Marie Mitchell | Business Administration | Bourbonnais, Illinois | May |
| Carl J. Regnier | Business Administration | Bourbonnais, Illinois | August |
| Margie Erika Roberts | Business Administration | Hazel Crest, Illinois | August |
| Keri Silfies | Business Administration | Kankakee, Illinois | August |
| Darlyn Thurman | Business Administration | Kankakee, Illinois | August |
| Monet A. Wafer | Business Administration | Chicago, Illinois | January |
| Pamela L. Whalen | Business Administration | Manteno, Illinois | August |

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|-----------------------------------|-----------------------------------|---------------------------------|---------|
| Wing Hong Cheung | Professional Counseling | Kowloon, Hong Kong | August |
| Po Lun Ellen Chow | Professional Counseling | Kowloon, Hong Kong | August |
| Yi Man Chow | Professional Counseling | Kowloon, Hong Kong | August |
| James L. Graf | Professional Counseling | Kankakee, Illinois | May |
| Mark Aaron Granger | Religion | Kansas City, Missouri | January |
| Brian A. Hess | Religion | Otsego, Michigan | August |
| Mei Ling Kwok | Professional Counseling | Kowloon, Hong Kong | August |
| Miu Kuen Lam | Professional Counseling | Kowloon, Hong Kong | August |
| Wai Man Lau | Professional Counseling | Kowloon, Hong Kong | August |
| Sau Man Christina Leung | Professional Counseling | Kowloon, Hong Kong | August |
| Loi Chu Poon | Professional Counseling | Kowloon, Hong Kong | August |
| Sui Ping Tang | Professional Counseling | Kowloon, Hong Kong | August |
| Hong Nin Tho | Professional Counseling | Kowloon, Hong Kong | August |
| Kwok Wai Tse | Professional Counseling | Kowloon, Hong Kong | August |
| Lap Wa Tse | Professional Counseling | Kowloon, Hong Kong | August |
| Edwin P. Viglia III | Professional Counseling | Kankakee, Illinois | May |
| Sau Lai Ada Wong | Professional Counseling | Kowloon, Hong Kong | August |
| Yuk Ming Olivia Wong | Professional Counseling | Kowloon, Hong Kong | August |
| Wai Lin Fiona Yip | Professional Counseling | Kowloon, Hong Kong | August |
| Tai Hang Yu | Professional Counseling | Kowloon, Hong Kong | August |
| Sing Chow Richard Yung | Professional Counseling | Kowloon, Hong Kong | August |

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| Quinnlin X. Adamowski | School Improvement Leadership | Joliet, Illinois | May |
| Dennis Anastasopoulos | School Improvement Leadership | Orland Hills, Illinois | August |
| Vikki L. Anderson | Curriculum and Instruction | Oak Forest, Illinois | January |
| Kelly L. Andrews | Reading Education | Kankakee, Illinois | May |
| Karen Sue Benoit | School Improvement Leadership | Kankakee, Illinois | May |
| Paul L. Brown, Jr. | School Improvement Leadership | Herscher, Illinois | May |
| Sarah E. Brown | School Improvement Leadership | Chicago, Illinois | August |
| Lorraine Buggert | School Improvement Leadership | New Lenox, Illinois | January |
| Emily A. Buys | Curriculum and Instruction | Bridgeview, Illinois | August |
| Erika M. Buys | Curriculum and Instruction | Crestwood, Illinois | August |
| Lisa Gale Calgaro | Reading Education | Homewood, Illinois | August |
| Jamie Lynn Carlson | School Improvement Leadership | Mokena, Illinois | May |
| Michael J. Chappell | School Improvement Leadership | Addison, Illinois | January |
| Susan Marie Chasteen | School Improvement Leadership | Wilmington, Illinois | May |
| Nick Cirrincione | School Improvement Leadership | Plainfield, Illinois | January |
| Maegan Clancy | Curriculum and Instruction | Chicago, Illinois | August |
| Nancy G. Connor | School Improvement Leadership | Wheaton, Illinois | January |
| Michael Curtis | Reading Education | Plano, Illinois | May |
| Beverly Ann Diedrich | Reading Education | Bourbonnais, Illinois | May |
| Caroline E. Dunbar | Reading Education | Yorkville, Illinois | May |
| Julie Ann Dunn | School Improvement Leadership | Watseka, Illinois | May |
| Sharon M. Endebak | Curriculum and Instruction | Homer Glen, Illinois | August |

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| John J. Faro | Curriculum and Instruction | New Lenox, Illinois | August |
| Paul Fasse | Curriculum and Instruction | Bolingbrook, Illinois | August |
| James Andrew Ficaro | School Improvement Leadership | Tinley Park, Illinois | August |
| Lauren Flaherty | Reading Education | Oak Lawn, Illinois | August |
| Kelley Irene Franta | School Improvement Leadership | Lockport, Illinois | May |
| David Rojas Garcia | School Improvement Leadership | Hillside, Illinois | January |
| Suzanne J. Goldsborough | School Improvement Leadership | Chicago Ridge, Illinois | August |
| Linette Guare | Curriculum and Instruction | Lombard, Illinois | January |
| Bradley T. Guilinger | School Improvement Leadership | Ransom, Illinois | May |
| Donna J. Haney | School Improvement Leadership | Wheaton, Illinois | January |
| Katrina Haynes | School Improvement Leadership | Chicago, Illinois | August |
| James Christopher Hellrung | School Improvement Leadership | New Lenox, Illinois | May |
| Suzanne Marie Hellrung | School Improvement Leadership | New Lenox, Illinois | May |
| Barbara L. Hensley | Reading Education | Bourbonnais, Illinois | May |
| Jessica Lauren Hoag | Curriculum and Instruction | Bolingbrook, Illinois | January |
| Kirsten Ann Hock | School Improvement Leadership | Willow Springs, Illinois | August |
| Jennifer Hoelscher | Reading Education | Morris, Illinois | May |
| Colleen Marie Holl | Curriculum and Instruction | Manhattan, Illinois | January |
| Peggy Lynn Janosek | Reading Education | Montgomery, Illinois | May |
| Cynthia Ann Jelm | School Improvement Leadership | Morris, Illinois | May |
| Katherine Lynn Kalus | School Improvement Leadership | La Grange Park, Illinois | August |
| Tina Marie Kelly | School Improvement Leadership | Orland Park, Illinois | August |
| Daniel C. Kenny | Curriculum and Instruction | Tinley Park, Illinois | August |
| Stephanie Marie Klein | Reading Education | Braidwood, Illinois | May |
| Mark R. Kos | School Improvement Leadership | Bourbonnais, Illinois | January |
| Amanda R. Koss | Reading Education | Lombard, Illinois | August |
| Claire Lynn Kovar | Reading Education | Burr Ridge, Illinois | August |
| Emily Ann Kramer | Curriculum and Instruction | Orland Park, Illinois | August |
| Deborah M. Krol | School Improvement Leadership | Elk Grove Village, Illinois | August |
| Christopher J. Kuchyt | Curriculum and Instruction | Oak Lawn, Illinois | August |
| Amy Kuna | Curriculum and Instruction | Plainfield, Illinois | May |
| Nicole Lynne La Buhn | School Improvement Leadership | Shorewood, Illinois | May |
| Michael Francis LaMantia | School Improvement Leadership | Chicago, Illinois | August |
| Kara Lahey | School Improvement Leadership | Homer Glen, Illinois | May |
| Carol A. Leonard | Curriculum and Instruction | Blue Island, Illinois | January |
| Bruce A. Lundborg | School Improvement Leadership | Worth, Illinois | January |
| Melissa Milica Manojlovic | Curriculum and Instruction | Chicago, Illinois | January |
| Diane McCandless | Reading Education | Downers Grove, Illinois | May |
| James Peter McDonough | School Improvement Leadership | Tinley Park, Illinois | August |
| Ryan Michael McGuckin | School Improvement Leadership | Flanagan, Illinois | May |
| Melissa Christine Mendoza | School Improvement Leadership | Channahon, Illinois | January |
| Mary L. Mercer | Reading Education | Bourbonnais, Illinois | May |
| Michelle A. Miller | Curriculum and Instruction | Peotone, Illinois | August |
| Abby Ann Montes | School Improvement Leadership | Burbank, Illinois | August |
| Moriah S. Mott | School Improvement Leadership | Seneca, Illinois | May |
| Ronald E. Murabito, Jr. | School Improvement Leadership | Bourbonnais, Illinois | May |
| Jason Noeth | School Improvement Leadership | Crestwood, Illinois | August |
| Jeanette Sandra Padilla | School Improvement Leadership | Chicago, Illinois | August |
| Renee Lisa Panek | Curriculum and Instruction | Chicago, Illinois | August |

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| Theofani Papafotopoulos | Reading Education | Homer Glen, Illinois | May |
| Karen Elizabeth Papesh | Reading Education | Minooka, Illinois | May |
| Kimberly Pawlicki | Curriculum and Instruction | Orland Park, Illinois | August |
| Scott A. Peters | School Improvement Leadership | Orland Park, Illinois | May |
| Scott K. Plaisier | School Improvement Leadership | Villa Park, Illinois | May |
| Jennifer J. Proszek | Curriculum and Instruction | Homer Glen, Illinois | January |
| Colette M. Rasiarmos | School Improvement Leadership | Addison, Illinois | January |
| Kathleen Reynolds | Reading Education | Kankakee, Illinois | May |
| Jill Marie Roberson | School Improvement Leadership | Homer Glen, Illinois | May |
| Amy Rogers | Reading Education | St. John, Indiana | January |
| Lindsay Rogers | School Improvement Leadership | Orland Park, Illinois | August |
| Tami A. Ryan | School Improvement Leadership | Frankfort, Illinois | August |
| Thomas Schesvold | School Improvement Leadership | Bensenville, Illinois | January |
| Justine Selock | Curriculum and Instruction | Braidwood, Illinois | May |
| Kathleen K. Shaughnessy | School Improvement Leadership | Chicago, Illinois | January |
| Eric Siebert | School Improvement Leadership | Darien, Illinois | May |
| Jennifer Ann Skendzel | Curriculum and Instruction | Oak Lawn, Illinois | August |
| Arthur E. Stafford | School Improvement Leadership | Joliet, Illinois | May |
| Karey Dee Tammen | Reading Education | Thawville, Illinois | May |
| Alan Thorson | School Improvement Leadership | Morris, Illinois | May |
| Amy Lynn Thorson | School Improvement Leadership | Morris, Illinois | May |
| Chandra Thorson | School Improvement Leadership | Morris, Illinois | May |
| Corrin Mae Van De Veire | Reading Education | Yorkville, Illinois | May |
| Kelli Ann Vigna | Reading Education | Dwight, Illinois | May |
| John B. Voris | School Improvement Leadership | Mokena, Illinois | May |
| Daniel Eugene Wallace | Curriculum and Instruction | Oak Lawn, Illinois | January |
| James Robert Ward | School Improvement Leadership | Oak Lawn, Illinois | August |
| Jennifer Jo Wargin | Curriculum and Instruction | Glen Ellyn, Illinois | August |
| Gregory David Wills | School Improvement Leadership | Coal City, Illinois | May |
| Bogdan John Zagata | School Improvement Leadership | Oak Forest, Illinois | August |

MASTER OF ARTS IN TEACHING

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| Myra Alicia Abbott | Elementary Education | Richton Park, Illinois | January |
| Nicholas Samuel Curby | Secondary Education | Mokena, Illinois | May |
| Matthew Duval | Elementary Education | Herscher, Illinois | May |
| Sheryl Ann Gullickson | Elementary Education | Bourbonnais, Illinois | May |
| Jennifer Suzanne Hogan | Secondary Education | Dwight, Illinois | May |
| Jeff A. Howard | Elementary Education | Manhattan, Illinois | May |
| Anne Nicole Rauen | Secondary Education | Palos Hills, Illinois | May |
| Jason Stenhouse | Secondary Education | Grant Park, Illinois | May |

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|------------------------|----------------------------|---------------------|---------|
| Patricia Ramos Aguilar | Curriculum and Instruction | Algonquin, Illinois | May |
| Tara Lynn Allstott | Curriculum and Instruction | West Baden, Indiana | January |
| Anthony Peter Alvarado | Curriculum and Instruction | LaSalle, Illinois | May |
| Gretchen Ann Arzola | Curriculum and Instruction | Kewanee, Illinois | May |
| Rebecca Asmus | Curriculum and Instruction | Mitchell, Nebraska | May |

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| Diane M. Bahl | Curriculum and Instruction | Havana, Illinois | May |
| David Everett Baker | Curriculum and Instruction | Williamsport, Indiana | May |
| Katherine L. Baker | Curriculum and Instruction | Delavan, Wisconsin | May |
| Tiffani Dawn Beaty-McGee | Curriculum and Instruction | West Baden, Indiana | May |
| Holli Joyce Beckett | Curriculum and Instruction | Williamsport, Indiana | May |
| Robert L. Beckett, Jr. | Curriculum and Instruction | Williamsport, Indiana | May |
| James Richard Bell | Curriculum and Instruction | Taylorville, Illinois | May |
| Justin A. Bell | Curriculum and Instruction | Nappanee, Indiana | May |
| Steven R. Berg | Curriculum and Instruction | Moweaqua, Illinois | May |
| Karen Lynn Bolotin | Curriculum and Instruction | Chicago, Illinois | August |
| Christopher Bork | Curriculum and Instruction | Naperville, Illinois | August |
| Tisha L. Bradley | Curriculum and Instruction | Shipshewana, Indiana | May |
| Lori J. Brainerd | Curriculum and Instruction | South Roxana, Illinois | January |
| Kevin P. Brown | Curriculum and Instruction | Washington, Illinois | August |
| Mark William Brown | Curriculum and Instruction | Eureka, Illinois | January |
| Jennifer Lee Burton | Curriculum and Instruction | West Baden Springs, Indiana | May |
| Mark Allen Cartwright, Jr. | Curriculum and Instruction | Ottawa, Illinois | May |
| Dennis P. Cassulo | Curriculum and Instruction | Washington, Illinois | August |
| Helene Pasquale Cella | Curriculum and Instruction | Wheaton, Illinois | August |
| Sheila J. Cooper | Curriculum and Instruction | French Lick, Indiana | January |
| Fawn R. Cox | Curriculum and Instruction | Hillsboro, Indiana | May |
| Kathleen O. Craft | Curriculum and Instruction | Cayuga, Indiana | May |
| Amy M. Cramer | Curriculum and Instruction | Shipshewana, Indiana | May |
| Doris G. Crespo | Curriculum and Instruction | Chicago, Illinois | August |
| Bethellen Crum | Curriculum and Instruction | Lafayette, Indiana | January |
| Carissa Lynn Culbertson | Curriculum and Instruction | Rantoul, Illinois | August |
| Brent A. Davenport | Curriculum and Instruction | Remington, Indiana | May |
| Stacey L. Dierker | Curriculum and Instruction | Havana, Illinois | May |
| Diane Doherty | Curriculum and Instruction | Bartlett, Illinois | January |
| Mary S. Dominguez | Curriculum and Instruction | Bourbonnais, Illinois | January |
| Rebecca Lynn Drum | Curriculum and Instruction | Washington, Illinois | August |
| John R. Drummond | Curriculum and Instruction | Corydon, Indiana | August |
| Kristin Beth Drummond | Curriculum and Instruction | Corydon, Indiana | August |
| Jennifer L. Duke | Curriculum and Instruction | Sharpsville, Indiana | August |
| Karen O'Connor Duke | Curriculum and Instruction | Springfield, Illinois | January |
| Sandra Duncan | Curriculum and Instruction | Gering, Nebraska | May |
| Alison Leigh Dunk-Timm | Curriculum and Instruction | Elkhart, Indiana | May |
| Brian Eaton | Curriculum and Instruction | Lafayette, Indiana | January |
| Rhonda Marie Ellena | Curriculum and Instruction | Carol Stream, Illinois | January |
| Corey R. Faith | Curriculum and Instruction | Lanesville, Indiana | August |
| David Anthony Flessert | Curriculum and Instruction | Milwaukee, Wisconsin | January |
| Kathlene Flessert | Curriculum and Instruction | Milwaukee, Wisconsin | January |
| Carol S. Fletcher | Curriculum and Instruction | Bethalto, Illinois | January |
| Deborah Lynn Flickinger | Curriculum and Instruction | Wakarusa, Indiana | January |
| Melissa A. Fontaine | Curriculum and Instruction | Oshkosh, Wisconsin | May |
| Claire M. Foster | Curriculum and Instruction | Gering, Nebraska | May |
| Jorge Curtis Frank | Curriculum and Instruction | Terre Haute, Indiana | May |
| Britten Marie Frost | Curriculum and Instruction | Brillion, Wisconsin | May |
| Melissa D. Funderburk | Curriculum and Instruction | Bettendorf, Iowa | August |

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| Joseph W. Gannon | Curriculum and Instruction | Virgil, Illinois | January |
| Michael A. Garcia | Curriculum and Instruction | Springfield, Illinois | August |
| Corby Michelle Gates | Curriculum and Instruction | Alton, Illinois | January |
| Joseph Douglass Gauck | Curriculum and Instruction | Plainfield, Indiana | May |
| Jamie Lynn Gill | Curriculum and Instruction | Warsaw, Indiana | January |
| Leslie Anna Gill | Curriculum and Instruction | Kewanee, Illinois | January |
| Tanya Gilmore | Curriculum and Instruction | French Lick, Indiana | May |
| Kelly Jo Glander | Curriculum and Instruction | Noblesville, Indiana | January |
| Megan Elizabeth Goodlett | Curriculum and Instruction | Plainfield, Indiana | May |
| Brian William Graham | Curriculum and Instruction | Springfield, Illinois | August |
| Aaron Grant | Curriculum and Instruction | Fairbury, Illinois | August |
| Anthony L. Grater | Curriculum and Instruction | Crawfordsville, Indiana | August |
| Aaron Scott Greenwald | Curriculum and Instruction | Pewaukee, Wisconsin | January |
| Julie Lynne Greenwald | Curriculum and Instruction | Pewaukee, Wisconsin | January |
| Lori A. Grimmett | Curriculum and Instruction | Williamsport, Indiana | May |
| Glenn R. Grisolono | Curriculum and Instruction | Sheboygan, Wisconsin | January |
| Melissa Suzanne Hacker | Curriculum and Instruction | Tinley Park, Illinois | May |
| Alicia Sue Hagan | Curriculum and Instruction | Rochester, Indiana | August |
| Beverly Hague | Curriculum and Instruction | Gering, Nebraska | May |
| Autumn Hall | Curriculum and Instruction | Naperville, Illinois | May |
| Shannon N. Hall | Curriculum and Instruction | Zionsville, Indiana | August |
| Stephen L. Hamilton | Curriculum and Instruction | LaGrange, Indiana | August |
| Anne Rebecca Hamma | Curriculum and Instruction | Davenport, Iowa | August |
| Charles E. Heimberg | Curriculum and Instruction | Portage, Indiana | May |
| Nicole M. Held | Curriculum and Instruction | Wausau, Wisconsin | January |
| Lindsay Ann Henry | Curriculum and Instruction | O'Fallon, Illinois | August |
| Jennifer Hilton | Curriculum and Instruction | Noblesville, Indiana | August |
| Melissa Ann Hoffart | Curriculum and Instruction | Channahon, Illinois | May |
| Connie Sue Holstine | Curriculum and Instruction | Vallonia, Indiana | January |
| Beth Renee Hufford | Curriculum and Instruction | Portage, Indiana | May |
| Katie Nicole Hulbert | Curriculum and Instruction | Diamond, Illinois | January |
| Kaye S. Hunt | Curriculum and Instruction | New Berlin, Wisconsin | January |
| Emilie Hussman | Curriculum and Instruction | Tinley Park, Illinois | May |
| Janie Bowers Hutton | Curriculum and Instruction | Blue Mound, Illinois | May |
| Heather Jacobs | Curriculum and Instruction | Kankakee, Illinois | August |
| Kelly J. Jantzi | Curriculum and Instruction | Shipshewana, Indiana | August |
| Rose M. Jennings | Curriculum and Instruction | Donnellson, Iowa | May |
| Ashley Marie Johnson | Curriculum and Instruction | Appleton, Wisconsin | May |
| Jeannine J. Johnson | Curriculum and Instruction | Taylorville, Illinois | May |
| Lucas Andrew Johnson | Curriculum and Instruction | Appleton, Wisconsin | May |
| Lindsey R. Jones | Curriculum and Instruction | Goshen, Indiana | May |
| Savilla Kaye Jones | Curriculum and Instruction | Odon, Indiana | May |
| Karen Ann Barkman Kane | Curriculum and Instruction | Wabash, Indiana | May |
| Jennifer Lynn Karls | Curriculum and Instruction | Stockbridge, Wisconsin | May |
| Adrienne W. Kavanaugh | Curriculum and Instruction | Indianapolis, Indiana | May |
| Kristin Kieffer | Curriculum and Instruction | Pingree Grove, Illinois | May |
| Kristina Killion | Curriculum and Instruction | Washington, Indiana | May |
| Grace Cahill King | Curriculum and Instruction | Sandwich, Illinois | January |
| Jonathan Michael Kingdon | Curriculum and Instruction | Pekin, Illinois | August |

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| Melissa Renate Kleber | Curriculum and Instruction | Seymour, Indiana | May |
| Natalie Knepp | Curriculum and Instruction | Montgomery, Indiana | May |
| Michele Lynn Koehn | Curriculum and Instruction | Manteno, Illinois | January |
| Natalie Suzanne Kranenburg | Curriculum and Instruction | Mishawaka, Indiana | May |
| Dana Elizabeth Kreamer | Curriculum and Instruction | Kewanna, Indiana | May |
| Jeri Lynn Kreps | Curriculum and Instruction | Columbus, Indiana | May |
| Dana Kristine Kurtz | Curriculum and Instruction | Davenport, Iowa | August |
| Janice Marie Langer | Curriculum and Instruction | Palatine, Illinois | January |
| Darci Loudon-Materkowski | Curriculum and Instruction | Trenton, Illinois | August |
| Jason E. Lowe | Curriculum and Instruction | French Lick, Indiana | January |
| Amanda L. Lueking | Curriculum and Instruction | Washington, Indiana | May |
| Kristen R. Mackey | Curriculum and Instruction | Columbus, Indiana | May |
| Mary Anne Marlow | Curriculum and Instruction | Fisher, Illinois | August |
| Connie Jo Martin | Curriculum and Instruction | Greensburg, Indiana | May |
| Deena Rae Martin | Curriculum and Instruction | Perrysville, Indiana | May |
| Kristen Inga Martinez | Curriculum and Instruction | Gurnee, Illinois | January |
| Michael Edward Martinez | Curriculum and Instruction | Gurnee, Illinois | January |
| Peter Marx | Curriculum and Instruction | Ottawa, Illinois | May |
| Elizabeth D. Maser | Curriculum and Instruction | Gering, Nebraska | May |
| James W. Matz | Curriculum and Instruction | South Bend, Indiana | May |
| Brooke Marie Max | Curriculum and Instruction | Williamsport, Indiana | May |
| Sandra K. McClellan | Curriculum and Instruction | Winona Lake, Indiana | May |
| Bonnie Ann Shepherd McCommons | Curriculum and Instruction | Kewanee, Illinois | May |
| Kate Lynn Mitchell | Curriculum and Instruction | Elkhart, Indiana | May |
| Erik G. Moore | Curriculum and Instruction | Lafayette, Indiana | January |
| Megan M. Mundy | Curriculum and Instruction | Noblesville, Indiana | January |
| Scott Lee Mundy | Curriculum and Instruction | Huntingburg, Indiana | January |
| Jennifer Lynn Mungle | Curriculum and Instruction | Bloomington, Indiana | May |
| Angela M. Nesbit | Curriculum and Instruction | Springfield, Illinois | January |
| Marie Susan Newberry | Curriculum and Instruction | Crestwood, Illinois | May |
| LeaAnn Nobbe | Curriculum and Instruction | Greensburg, Indiana | May |
| Brian Patrick O'Grady | Curriculum and Instruction | Arlington Heights, Illinois | August |
| Christine O'Malley | Curriculum and Instruction | Algonquin, Illinois | May |
| Melissa Oakland | Curriculum and Instruction | Fairbury, Illinois | August |
| Stephanie Renee Ohlson | Curriculum and Instruction | Alton, Illinois | January |
| Kimberly K. Patterson | Curriculum and Instruction | Peoria, Illinois | January |
| Tamela S. Paul | Curriculum and Instruction | Rochester, Indiana | August |
| Christopher H. Pearson | Curriculum and Instruction | Plainfield, Indiana | May |
| Brian P. Petrovic | Curriculum and Instruction | Minooka, Illinois | January |
| Patrick Michael Phillips | Curriculum and Instruction | Springfield, Illinois | August |
| Carey M. Price | Curriculum and Instruction | Bethalto, Illinois | January |
| Vanessa Ramirez-Cardona | Curriculum and Instruction | Mitchell, Nebraska | May |
| Joy Raubach-Whisker | Curriculum and Instruction | Eureka, Illinois | January |
| Elizabeth Regenfuss | Curriculum and Instruction | Aurora, Illinois | August |
| Linda J. Reynolds | Curriculum and Instruction | Noblesville, Indiana | August |
| Scot Ritter | Curriculum and Instruction | Bourbonnais, Illinois | May |
| James B. Roberts | Curriculum and Instruction | Buffalo Grove, Illinois | August |
| Rhonna S. Roberts | Curriculum and Instruction | Bedford, Indiana | May |
| Gregory L. Robinson | Curriculum and Instruction | Corydon, Indiana | August |

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| Elizabeth M. Rogers | Curriculum and Instruction | Goshen, Indiana | May |
| Jason Allen Russell | Curriculum and Instruction | French Lick, Indiana | January |
| Jessica D. Sanchez | Curriculum and Instruction | Troy, Illinois | January |
| Carolyn J. Scanlon | Curriculum and Instruction | Homewood, Illinois | January |
| Beth Schaefer | Curriculum and Instruction | Sussex, Wisconsin | January |
| Kristi Lynn Schmidt | Curriculum and Instruction | Ottawa, Illinois | January |
| Kelly L. Schmitt | Curriculum and Instruction | Haysville, Indiana | January |
| Deanna Jill Schoeff | Curriculum and Instruction | Plainfield, Indiana | May |
| Jason Randall Schoeff | Curriculum and Instruction | Plainfield, Indiana | May |
| Jennifer L. Schoettmer | Curriculum and Instruction | Greensburg, Indiana | May |
| Antoinette Susan Scott | Curriculum and Instruction | Fairfield, Iowa | August |
| Joseph Kelly Scott | Curriculum and Instruction | Fairfield, Iowa | August |
| Theresa Dawn Price Scott | Curriculum and Instruction | Terre Haute, Indiana | January |
| John Patton Segraves | Curriculum and Instruction | Belleville, Illinois | August |
| Mary Elizabeth Shehorn | Curriculum and Instruction | Marseilles, Illinois | January |
| Pamela Shepherd | Curriculum and Instruction | Algonquin, Illinois | May |
| Kyle P. Shirk | Curriculum and Instruction | Crawfordsville, Indiana | August |
| Steven William Siekierski | Curriculum and Instruction | Bensenville, Illinois | August |
| Anthony D. Silvestri | Curriculum and Instruction | Downers Grove, Illinois | May |
| Darin L. Simpson | Curriculum and Instruction | Dugger, Indiana | January |
| Jeffrey D. Smenyak | Curriculum and Instruction | Chesterton, Indiana | May |
| Heather Smith | Curriculum and Instruction | Carmel, Indiana | August |
| Penny Jane Smith | Curriculum and Instruction | Covington, Indiana | May |
| Wendy K. Smith | Curriculum and Instruction | Toluca, Illinois | January |
| Julie Marie Snider | Curriculum and Instruction | Muncie, Indiana | May |
| Martin A. Sojka | Curriculum and Instruction | Winnebago, Illinois | May |
| Kristin C. Stadler | Curriculum and Instruction | Appleton, Wisconsin | May |
| Andrhea L. Starkey | Curriculum and Instruction | Russiaville, Indiana | August |
| Kathryn Andrea Steiner | Curriculum and Instruction | Plainfield, Indiana | May |
| Kylee S. Steiner | Curriculum and Instruction | Cicero, Indiana | January |
| Carrie E. Stier | Curriculum and Instruction | Greensburg, Indiana | May |
| Aimee Lynn Stivers | Curriculum and Instruction | Gilberts, Illinois | May |
| Robin Leann Strange | Curriculum and Instruction | Odon, Indiana | May |
| Cara Beth Stuckey | Curriculum and Instruction | Terre Haute, Indiana | January |
| Jennifer K. Sullivan | Curriculum and Instruction | Osco, Illinois | May |
| Judith Anne Szabo | Curriculum and Instruction | Bloomington, Illinois | January |
| Mary Carol Tamalunis | Curriculum and Instruction | Georgetown, Illinois | January |
| Kristen M. Telford | Curriculum and Instruction | Worden, Illinois | January |
| James M. Ten Haken | Curriculum and Instruction | Pekin, Illinois | August |
| Sophia Theodossopoulos | Curriculum and Instruction | Burbank, Illinois | January |
| Mary Beth Thill | Curriculum and Instruction | Freeport, Illinois | May |
| Jason Neil Timberlake | Curriculum and Instruction | Corydon, Indiana | August |
| Rachel Michelle Timberlake | Curriculum and Instruction | Corydon, Indiana | August |
| Leigh Anne Tofflemire | Curriculum and Instruction | Gering, Nebraska | August |
| Kelly Jo Tuberty | Curriculum and Instruction | Kokomo, Indiana | August |
| Lorie Ann Turchi | Curriculum and Instruction | Newport, Indiana | May |
| Amber Michelle Tutwiler | Curriculum and Instruction | Danville, Illinois | January |
| Roxanne Tyler | Curriculum and Instruction | Topeka, Indiana | May |
| Lisa Lynn Unzicker | Curriculum and Instruction | Danville, Illinois | January |

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|-------------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------|---------|
| Mark Wallace | Curriculum and Instruction | Columbus, Indiana | May |
| Kimberly Ann Walsh | Curriculum and Instruction | Danville, Illinois | January |
| Terri Sue Wardle | Curriculum and Instruction | Wood River, Illinois | January |
| Melissa Dudley Warfield | Curriculum and Instruction | Washington, Illinois | August |
| Rochelle Beth Weaver | Curriculum and Instruction | Kokomo, Indiana | August |
| Tamara S. Weir | Curriculum and Instruction | Cayuga, Indiana | May |
| Robert Michael Wentz | Curriculum and Instruction | Niles, Michigan | August |
| Nicole Lynn Westermann | Curriculum and Instruction | St. Charles, Illinois | January |
| Mark A. Wheat | Curriculum and Instruction | Batesville, Indiana | May |
| Michelle N. Wheat | Curriculum and Instruction | Batesville, Indiana | May |
| Dawn Wibbeler | Curriculum and Instruction | Holland, Indiana | January |
| Amanda Kay Wiley | Curriculum and Instruction | Kokomo, Indiana | August |
| Christi Wilson | Curriculum and Instruction | Montgomery, Indiana | May |
| Kammie Lynn Wilson | Curriculum and Instruction | Gering, Nebraska | May |
| Steve Kirk Wohlers | Curriculum and Instruction | La Grange, Indiana | May |
| Daniel J. Wolford | Curriculum and Instruction | French Lick, Indiana | January |
| Karen Jillayne Wright | Curriculum and Instruction | Fishers, Indiana | January |
| Adam James Yoder | Curriculum and Instruction | Nappanee, Indiana | May |
| Krista D. Zartman | Curriculum and Instruction | Peru, Indiana | August |
| Lucas W. Zartman | Curriculum and Instruction | Peru, Indiana | August |
| Angela Marie Zinn | Curriculum and Instruction | Chicago, Illinois | January |
| Blake C. Zinn | Curriculum and Instruction | Lockport, Illinois | January |

MASTER OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

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| Magdee Saleh Abdallah | Business Administration | Chicago, Illinois | August |
| Mustaque Ahmad Ali | Business Administration | Glendale Heights, Illinois | January |
| Michael Thomas Brosseau | Business Administration | South Elgin, Illinois | January |
| Jessica Lyn Dhom | Business Administration | Momence, Illinois | August |
| Dora Patrice Dozier | Business Administration | South Holland, Illinois | January |
| Jacob N. Garrett | Business Administration | Bourbonnais, Illinois | January |
| Emily Lynne Hachmeister | Business Administration | Cary, Illinois | January |
| Jeffrey S. Hanks | Business Administration | Bourbonnais, Illinois | August |
| Cynthia J. Haskins | Business Administration | Bourbonnais, Illinois | May |
| Kevin Michael Hill | Business Administration | Kankakee, Illinois | August |
| Robert K. Johnson | Business Administration | Bourbonnais, Illinois | August |
| Todd Walter Johnson | Business Administration | Bourbonnais, Illinois | August |
| Daniel L. Larsen | Business Administration | Chandler, Arizona | August |
| Scott Stuart Richards | Business Administration | Tinley Park, Illinois | August |
| Joseph B. Robertson | Business Administration | Colona, Illinois | August |
| Nelida Maria Rosario | Business Administration | Bolingbrook, Illinois | January |
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Traditional Undergraduate Convocation

Honorary Degree

Bachelor of Arts

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Bachelor of Science in Nursing

Bachelor of Social Work

Graduate and Continuing Studies Convocation

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Master of Arts in Education

Master of Arts in Teaching

Master of Education

Master of Business Administration

Master of Organizational Leadership

Bachelor of Science

Bachelor of Science in Nursing

Bachelor of Business Administration

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ACADEMIC ORIGINS, TRADITIONS, AND REGALIA

The philosopher Plato established a school of philosophy in ancient Athens called the “Academy,” named after a legendary Greek hero, Hecademos. The Academy continued in operation for several hundred years, and thus the terms “academy,” “academe,” and “academic life” have long been associated with teaching and learning.

The origin of the modern university can be traced to the twelfth century and to the two outstanding seats of learning in Europe: Bologna and Paris. At Bologna, the jurist Irnerius introduced the “corpus juris civilis,” or study of law, to Europe; and in Paris, a group of masters, with the blessing of the Church, occupied themselves with the liberal arts and theology.

The teachers in these two cities attracted audiences from across the continent, and both teachers and students began to form voluntary associations known as “studia,” or schools of general repute.

The third great “studia” of the Middle Ages was at Oxford in England. As these great schools grew in size and scope, faculties were secured and officers appointed. Thus, the modern university was born.

During the thirteenth century, a system of degrees came into being at these three original universities which was accepted in more or less the same form by all universities subsequently founded. These three grades common to all were those of scholar, bachelor, and master (sometimes called “doctor” or “professor”). The scholar attended lectures and argued or set questions in the schools; the bachelor was a student/teacher who was seeking to obtain a license to teach in his own right. The mastership was the highest grade in any faculty and carried with it the obligation to lecture in the university.

“Doctor,” like “master” or “professor,” originally meant no more than “teacher” or “learned one.” All three terms were thus at first synonymous, but during the fourteenth century, the title “doctor” began to be used instead of “master” for the chief degree and position in the faculty. Various doctoral degrees were developed over time, with the doctor of philosophy degree becoming the primary academic doctoral degree.

The pageantry and color of an academic procession come to us from the early Middle Ages when academic robes and regalia, having been adapted from Ecclesiastical garb, were worn daily in the European universities to lend academic rank and distinction to the wearer. They also lent warmth, an important feature since most halls of medieval buildings were damp and drafty with no heat.

American universities of the late nineteenth century developed a uniform scheme for academic garb based on the universities of Oxford and Cambridge in England, where the most colorful gowns in the world are still worn at official university functions. The regalia which you see today serves as a visible reminder of these antecedents of intellectual pursuits.

Most robes were black to symbolize the democracy of scholarship, since they covered any dress or rank of social standing worn beneath, and were designed to denote levels of

academic achievement: bachelor, master, or doctor. Bachelor’s gowns still are cut with long, pointed sleeves, master’s gowns feature closed-slit sleeves, and doctor’s gowns are full-cut with wide lapels and double-belled sleeves with three velvet chevrons in either black or colored like the lapels. Although gowns are normally black, some universities have designed their own bearing the color of that institution.

The hood, which drapes over the back of the gown, is the most symbolic part of the academic regalia. Its length, width, color of trim, and color or colors of lining denote the wearer’s highest academic achievement. The master’s hood is pointed; the doctor’s hood is long and bell-shaped. The color of the border of the hood indicates the scholar’s major field of study; the lining color or colors identify the institution that conferred the wearer’s degree. Hoods were originally trimmed in fur, but now have satin borders for master’s and velvet for doctor’s.

The square cap, or mortarboard, dates back to the thirteenth century at the University of Paris. It came to England in Tudor times, was more rounded, and was sometimes called the “Oxford” cap. Those who possess a doctoral degree may wear an eight-sided tam provided the institution granting the degree is more than 100 years old. Tassels are worn to the left side of the cap and are usually black or, in recent years, match the border of the hood to indicate the field of study. Doctoral tassels are shorter than bachelor’s or master’s and are often gold metallic threads.

A medallion is usually worn by the university president as a symbol of office and of the authority and responsibility for the institution.

The following colors are associated with degrees frequently represented in academic processions:

- Arts, Letters, Humanities – White
- Dentistry – Lilac
- Education – Light Blue
- Fine Arts – Brown
- Law – Purple
- Medicine – Green
- Nursing – Apricot
- Philosophy – Dark Blue
- Science – Golden Yellow
- Theology – Scarlet
- Commerce, Business, Accountancy – Drab
- Economics – Copper
- Engineering – Orange
- Family and Consumer Sciences – Maroon
- Library Science – Lemon
- Music – Pink
- Speech – Silver Gray
- Physical Education – Sage Green
- Social Science – Cream

Graduates may also wear gold cords to indicate academic honors.



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