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EDWARDSVILLE**



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for corrections. A final version with full records will be available the week following the ceremonies at [siue.edu/commencement](http://siue.edu/commencement).

## WELCOME TO SOUTHERN ILLINOIS UNIVERSITY EDWARDSVILLE



Graduates and distinguished guests,

It is my distinct pleasure to welcome you to SIUE's 131st commencement celebration. SIUE is going boldly forward, transforming lives by realizing human potential, increasing access and opportunity for all, and developing leaders through rigorous, student-centered academic programs.

Our graduates have excelled in their academic pursuits while exemplifying the values of citizenship, excellence, inclusion, integrity and wisdom upon which the University is founded. As they move that important tassel on their cap, they will go on to become industry leaders, educators, innovators, social justice advocates, community conservators and difference makers who define the future.

Graduates, take great pride in your incredible accomplishments. We recognize you and those who have supported you throughout your academic career. As alumni,

you join more than 120,00 fellow Cougars. We encourage your continued connection and engagement through the SIUE Alumni Association. Visit [siue.edu/alumni](http://siue.edu/alumni) for more information!

Whatever lies ahead, I urge you to pursue it with great conviction and confidence. Always believe in yourself and in your ability to positively impact our world.

Congratulations!

**James T. Minor, PhD**  
Chancellor



## SOUTHERN ILLINOIS UNIVERSITY SYSTEM

The Southern Illinois University (SIU) System is comprised of two sister institutions: SIU Edwardsville, with a School of Dental Medicine in Alton and the SIUE East St. Louis Higher Education Campus in East St. Louis, and SIU Carbondale, with a Law School in Carbondale and a School of Medicine in Springfield.

With a budget of over \$930 million, the SIU System employs more than 7,000 faculty, staff and administrators who serve more than 24,000 students. A modern and comprehensive post-secondary educational system, the SIU System offers a broad range of academic programs that lead to associate, bachelor's, master's, specialist, doctoral and professional practice degrees in a variety of fields, including law, medicine, pharmacy, and dental medicine.

SIU Carbondale was chartered in 1869 as Southern Illinois Normal University, a teachers' college. In 1947, the name was changed to reflect the institution's academic expansion. The University also expanded geographically.

As early as 1949, courses were being offered in the metropolitan East St. Louis area, which led to the development of SIUE, now the largest campus in the SIU System.

The instructional, scholarship and service missions of the two constituent institutions reflect the needs of the geographic areas in which they are located. The SIU System is also committed to serving statewide, national and international needs. This commitment is reflected in educational activities and outreach in communities throughout the state, as well as through research and training exchanges and worldwide student exchange programs.

The SIU Board of Trustees governs the SIU System and sets policy that enables both universities to carry out their established missions and goals. The president of the System is its CEO and reports to the board of trustees. The University chancellors report directly to the president and are responsible for the internal operations of SIUE and SIUC, respectively.

### Southern Illinois University Board of Trustees

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## SOUTHERN ILLINOIS UNIVERSITY EDWARDSVILLE

Southern Illinois University Edwardsville (SIUE) traces its origin to a recommendation made in 1956 by the Southwest Illinois Council for Higher Education. The council was convinced that higher education facilities were needed in the Metro East. They hired consultants whose reports documented that need, and they appealed to Southern Illinois University (SIU), 100 miles south, to establish satellite campuses.

In 1957, SIU opened two “residence centers” in Alton and East St. Louis. The University expected to enroll 800 students, but actual enrollment reached 1,776. By 1959, the number of students had more than doubled to 3,800, greatly exceeding the capabilities of the physical facilities. This burgeoning population demanded services faster than the University could develop and supply them.

A planning team investigated sites in the Metro East counties and selected one just south of Edwardsville. In 1960, the Illinois legislature authorized a bond issue for construction of a new state university campus. Voter approval came in November 1960. After nearly three years of planning, University officials and area residents attended ground-breaking ceremonies for the first permanent buildings.

In the fall of 1965, SIUE moved onto its new campus just 25 miles from St. Louis—2,660 acres of rolling land and woods dotted with lakes along bluffs flanking the Mississippi River. Much of the land still retains its natural shape.

Emphasizing teaching, research and public service programs, SIUE is a fully accredited comprehensive university with more than 12,000 enrolled students. After being classified as a master’s-large institution for most of its history, SIUE was reclassified in January 2019 by The Carnegie Commission on Higher Education to the newly created doctoral/professional universities category. The University is proud to be ranked by Washington Monthly among the top doctoral universities in the nation.

More than half of SIUE’s 120,000 graduates live and work in the St. Louis region. SIUE makes more than a \$514 million economic impact on the region every year.

The University offers undergraduate and graduate areas of study encompassing the arts, sciences, nursing, education, health, human behavior, business

and engineering. The Schools of Dental Medicine and Pharmacy award first professional doctoral degrees in dental medicine (DMD) and in pharmacy (PharmD). Doctoral programs are available in nursing practice and educational leadership. A cooperative PhD program in pharmacology and neuroscience is offered with the SIU School of Medicine, and cooperative PhD programs in history, engineering science, environmental resources and policy, and computer engineering are offered with SIU Carbondale.

At SIUE, students find comprehensive educational opportunities and a community in which individuals support each other in their search for knowledge and individual development.

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### Officers of Administration Southern Illinois University Edwardsville

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Chancellor

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## SOUTHERN ILLINOIS UNIVERSITY EDWARDSVILLE

### Mission

Southern Illinois University Edwardsville is a student-centered educational community dedicated to communicating, expanding and integrating knowledge. In a spirit of collaboration enriched by diverse ideas, our comprehensive and unique array of undergraduate and graduate programs develops professionals, scholars and leaders who shape a changing world.

### Vision

Southern Illinois University Edwardsville will achieve greater national and global recognition and academic prominence through innovative and interdisciplinary programs that empower individuals to achieve their full potential.

### Values

Recognizing public education as the cornerstone of a democracy, SIUE carries out its mission based on certain fundamental, shared values. We value:

### Civic Engagement

- Social, civic and political responsibility — globally, nationally, locally and within the University
- Active partnerships and a climate of collaboration and cooperation among students, faculty, staff, alumni and the larger community
- Sustainable practices in environmental, financial and social endeavors

### Excellence

- High-quality learning within and beyond the classroom
- Continuous improvement and innovation
- Outstanding scholarship and public service

### Inclusion

- A welcoming and supportive environment
- Openness to the rich diversity of humankind in all aspects of university life
- Respect for individuals, differences and cultures
- Intellectual freedom and diversity of thought

### Integrity

- Accountability to those we serve and from whom we receive support
- Honesty in our communications and in our actions

### Wisdom

- Creation, preservation and sharing of knowledge
- Application of knowledge in a manner that promotes the common good
- Lifelong learning

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### SIUE Statement on Diversity

The SIUE Statement on Diversity reflects the University’s commitment to recognizing and valuing the contributions of the breadth of humankind. This statement, adopted in April 2013, replaces an earlier version and is considered an expansion of the SIUE value of inclusion.

All societies and peoples have contributed to the rich mix of contemporary humanity. In order to achieve domestic and international peace, social justice and the development of full human potential, we must build on this diversity and inclusion.

- Southern Illinois University Edwardsville nurtures an open, respectful and welcoming climate that facilitates learning and work. Each member of the University is responsible for contributing to such a campus environment.
- Southern Illinois University Edwardsville is committed to education that explores the historic significance of diversity in order to understand the present and to better enable our community to engage the future.
- Integral to this commitment, Southern Illinois University Edwardsville strives for a student body and a workforce that is diverse, inclusive and equitable.

## ACADEMICS AT SOUTHERN ILLINOIS UNIVERSITY EDWARDSVILLE

### College of Arts and Sciences

Kevin Leonard, Dean

Central to SIUE's exceptional and comprehensive education, the College of Arts and Sciences offers degree programs in the natural sciences, humanities, arts, social sciences and communications. The College touches the lives of all SIUE students, helping them explore diverse ideas and experiences, while learning to think and live as fulfilled, productive members of the global community. Study abroad, service-learning, internships and other experiential learning opportunities better prepare SIUE students not only to succeed in our region's workplaces, but also to become valuable leaders who make important contributions to our communities.

### School of Business

Janice Joplin, Interim Dean

The School of Business is among an elite 5% of business schools worldwide that have earned the prestigious seal of approval from the Association to Advance Collegiate Schools of Business (AACSB) International. The accounting program holds specialized accreditation by the AACSB. Only 2% of business schools worldwide are AACSB-accredited in both business and accounting. Each year, students find internships, cooperative education opportunities and employment with major corporations such as Bayer, The Boeing Company, Edward Jones, Emerson, Enterprise, Nestlé Purina and World Wide Technology, as well as scores of small- and medium-sized businesses. Graduates are highly prepared to begin productive careers in the fields of accounting, business administration, computer information systems, cybersecurity, data analytics, economics, entrepreneurship, finance, human resource management, international business, management, marketing, and supply chain management.

### School of Education, Health and Human Behavior

Robin Hughes, Dean

School of Education, Health and Human Behavior graduates can choose from a variety of career paths in education, applied health and behavioral sciences. Through rewarding partnerships with regional agencies and public school districts, students learn through hands-on experience in their fields of interest. The School's commitment to experiential learning and community outreach is demonstrated through its clinics and the activities of its student organizations. Visit us on social media.

### School of Engineering

Cem Karacal, Dean

The School of Engineering offers eight undergraduate and five graduate programs, as well as two collaborative PhD programs with SIUC, making it one of the largest and most comprehensive engineering schools in the region. The School prepares students to meet the growing needs in our region and nation for more engineers, computer scientists and construction managers. The engineering, information technology and construction companies in the St. Louis metropolitan region and beyond provide exciting, challenging and high income jobs, internships and cooperative opportunities to our students. More than 60% of our graduates have taken positions in the St. Louis metropolitan region and beyond. Students are not only educated in the classroom and laboratory, but also through internships, undergraduate research projects and student organizations that participate in collegiate contests, such as the formula race car, solar car, mini Baja, robotics, steel bridge, concrete canoe and many more.

## ACADEMICS AT SOUTHERN ILLINOIS UNIVERSITY EDWARDSVILLE

### School of Nursing

Judy Liesveld, Dean

The School of Nursing offers an excellent learning environment, which prepares students for careers as professional nurses. The School partners with hundreds of healthcare agencies in central and southern Illinois and the St. Louis region to provide students with quality clinical practicum sites. Students also practice required nursing skills in the School's Simulated Learning Center to promote critical thinking and safe care before encountering patients in actual clinical settings. Graduate programs include master's degrees in healthcare and nursing administration, and nurse educator; a post-master's doctor of nursing practice (DNP) degree; and a post-baccalaureate DNP with specializations in nurse anesthesia, family nurse practitioner, and psychiatric mental health.

### School of Pharmacy

Mark Luer, Dean

The School of Pharmacy, the only pharmacy program in southern Illinois, offers a professional program leading to the Doctor of Pharmacy (PharmD) and Master of Science in pharmaceutical sciences. A cooperative PhD program in pharmacology and neuroscience is offered with the SIU School of Medicine. Established in 2005, the School graduated its first class in May 2009 and is fully accredited by the Accreditation Council for Pharmacy Education. Our graduates enter a wide variety of professional settings, including community pharmacies, hospitals, the pharmaceutical industry and academia. SIUE pharmacy students work alongside other health professionals. This team approach allows healthcare professionals to optimize drug therapy and offer the highest quality of patient care.

### Graduate School

Jerry Weinberg, Dean

The National Science Foundation lists SIUE as #1 among doctoral/professional universities in the U.S. in terms of research and development expenditures. The SIUE Graduate School offers more than 100 areas of study with master's, post-baccalaureate certificates and doctoral degrees in a variety of disciplines. Students prepare for the challenges of their professions in a rich, intellectual learning environment emphasizing research and practice.

### School of Dental Medicine

Saulius Drukteinis, Dean

The Southern Illinois University School of Dental Medicine is proud of its established tradition of graduating highly prepared general practitioners of dental medicine. Since 1972, the School has continued to carry out its mission to improve the oral health of southern Illinois and the region through education, patient care, scholarship and service. Through the care provided at the University's main clinic in Alton and the community clinics in East St. Louis and Edwardsville, as well as through its community outreach programs, the School serves as a vital oral healthcare provider for residents of southern and central Illinois, and the St. Louis metropolitan region.

### Library and Information Services

Eric Ruckh, Interim Dean

Library and Information Services provides information resources and technology for teaching, learning and scholarship. Information resources are available in all formats with a strong preference given to digital collections, which are heavily accessed by users. Lovejoy Library is a member of CARLI (Consortium of Academic and Research Libraries in Illinois) which provides SIUE users full access to the holdings of the 130 CARLI libraries that share a catalog of millions of item records. Along with access to OCLC's WorldCat, with more than two billion items held by participating libraries, Lovejoy Library opens the world to SIUE users. Library resources are available through social media, its mobile website, 3D scanning and printing, and traditional methods. As in all successful 21st century academic libraries, library faculty are subject specialists who provide information literacy and technology instruction. They assist SIUE faculty in identifying and selecting open access materials, publishing research locally, and curating collections in our institutional repository, known as SPARK.

## HISTORY OF ACADEMIC REGALIA

The pageantry of the academic procession is used for many of the formal and significant events at SIUE.

Inherited from the medieval universities of the 11th and 12th centuries when woolen gowns and hoods were worn by scholars for warmth in unheated quarters, the wearing of academic vestments and the procession were not adopted throughout the United States until the late 19th century.

Academic life in the Middle Ages began first in the church, then in the guilds. The teaching guild was the guild of the master of arts, where the bachelor was the apprentice of the master and the dress was the outward sign of privilege and responsibility, designed to distinguish the wearer from the merchants and other townsmen.

Principal features of academic dress are the gown, cap and hood. Both Cambridge and Oxford Universities, since the 15th century, have made academic dress a matter of university control, even to its minor details, and have repeatedly published revised regulations. American universities agreed on a definite system in 1894. In 1932, the American Council on Education presented a revised code which, for the most part, governs the style of academic dress today.

The cap worn almost universally in academic processions is the Oxford cap, better known as the mortarboard. From poetry we learn that the cap of scholarship was

square to symbolize a book. A different style, called the Cambridge cap, resembles a large beret.

The use of a dark hood in academic processions is thought to have arisen from the clerical practice of wearing a cap or mantle in religious processions during the 12th and 13th centuries, when universities arose from cathedral schools.

Traditionally, gowns are also black. In recent years, however, a number of universities have adopted other hues which signify the school's traditional colors, such as crimson for Harvard, blue for Yale.

The bachelor's gown is a yoked, closed-front garment with long, pointed sleeves. The master's has long, closed sleeves slit just above the elbow, permitting the forearms to protrude. The doctor's has full, bell-shaped sleeves and is trimmed with velvet panels down the front, and three velvet bars on each sleeve. The color of the panels and sleeves varies to indicate the doctoral field.

The academic hoods, worn around the neck and down the back of the gown, are lined with the official colors of the college or university conferring the degree. The binding or edging of the hood usually represents the subject of the degree.

**Applied Communication Studies** - Silver Gray

**Art, Letters, Humanities** - White

**Business, Accountancy, Commerce** - Drab

**Criminal Justice Studies** - Ivory

**Dental Medicine** - Lavender

**Economics** - Copper

**Education** - Light Blue

**Engineering** - Orange

**Fine Arts** - Brown

**Interdisciplinary** - White

**Journalism** - Crimson

**Music** - Pink

**Nursing** - Apricot

**Pharmacy** - Olive Green

**Philosophy** - Dark Blue

**Public Administration** - Peacock

**Science** - Golden Yellow

**Social Science, Social Work** - Citron

## COMMENCEMENT AT SIUE

### Mace

The SIUE ceremonial mace was created in 1981 by the late Michael E. Mason. He earned both a Bachelor of Arts and Master of Fine Arts from SIUE and served as curator of the University Museum. At that time, the president of SIUE (the position now called chancellor), Earl Lazerson, instituted traditional, formal regalia for use on significant ceremonial occasions. In 2005, Chancellor Vaughn Vandegrift restored the tradition of the mace at all commencement and other academic ceremonies. A stand was subsequently constructed and, in recognition of the values of the University, engraved brass plaques were added to the ceremonial mace with the words Citizenship, Excellence, Inclusion, Integrity and Wisdom.

### International Flags

The flags flown at commencement represent the home nations of all SIUE students. Nearly 900 international students from 62 countries currently attend SIUE. International students contribute to the University's diverse learning environment by sharing their unique culture and introducing new perspectives to SIUE.

### Chancellor's Medallion

The Chancellor's Chain of Office is a symbol of the guidance and inspiration of current University leadership building on the achievements of the past. It is a reminder of our accomplishments, as well as the challenges and opportunities to come. The medallion of the chain has the mark of the University surrounded in laurels, a time-honored symbol of education. The chain bears Chancellor Minor's name and the names of past leaders of SIUE.

### Granting of Degrees

Candidates for degrees listed in this commencement program are those who completed degree requirements or who, at the time of publication, were reasonably certain of completing degree requirements. Inclusion in this publication may not be construed as documentation of completion of degree requirements. Certification of the conferral of a degree is by receipt of a diploma or official transcript noting degree completion.

*Beautifully situated on 2,660 acres, SIUE offers easy access to professional and cultural opportunities in Metropolitan St. Louis, located just 25 miles from campus.*



## ACADEMIC AND OTHER RECOGNITION

### Honors Recognition

Candidates graduating with honors are noted in the program and their accomplishments are characterized by the color of the academic cord worn with their regalia.

*	=	cum laude (with honors – 3.50 to 3.74)	Red cord
**	=	magna cum laude (high honors – 3.75 to 3.89)	Gold cord
***	=	summa cum laude (highest honors – 3.90 or higher)	White cord
H	=	John Martinson Honors Scholars	

### Other Academic Recognition

Students who are members of specific academic honorary organizations noted below are wearing cords, stoles or medallions as indicated:

Golden Key International Honor Society – Blue and gold cords

Honors Scholars – Medallion on red ribbon

Johnetta Haley Scholars Academy – Red and white stole

Meridian Scholars – Medallion on red ribbon

Phi Eta Sigma, Freshman Honor Society – Gold stole with black letters

Phi Kappa Phi Honor Society – Medallion on blue ribbon

SALUTE Veterans National Honor Society – Gold and blue stoles (Graduate) White and blue stoles (Undergraduate)

Sigma Xi, The Scientific Research Society – Royal blue and gold cords

### College of Arts and Sciences

Alpha Kappa Delta, Sociology Honor Society – Teal cords

Gamma Theta Upsilon, The Honor Society in Geography – Gold stole and blue, gold and brown cords

Lambda Pi Eta, Communication Studies Honor Society – Red and white cords

Phi Alpha Theta, The Honor Society in History – Madonna red and light blue cords

Pi Alpha Alpha, Public Administration Honor Society – Blue and gold cords

Pi Mu Epsilon, Mathematics National Honor Society – Violet, gold and lavender cords

Pi Sigma Alpha, The National Political Science Honor Society – Red, white and black cords

Sigma Tau Delta, International Honor Society for English – Red and black cords

### School of Business

Beta Alpha Psi, Honor Society for Accounting – Red and black cords

Beta Gamma Sigma, Honor Society for Business Majors – Royal blue and gold medallions

### School of Dental Medicine

Omicron Kappa Upsilon, The Dental Honor Society – Gold medallion on lavender ribbon

### School of Education, Health and Human Behavior

Chi Sigma Alpha, The International Student Affairs Honor Society – Maroon and gold cords

Eta Sigma Gamma, The Health Education Honor Society – Two color green and gold cords

Kappa Delta Pi, The International Honor Society in Education – Violet and jade green cords

Psi Chi, The International Honor Society of Psychology – Platinum and dark blue cords

### School of Engineering

Chi Epsilon, Civil Engineering Honor Society – Two white and one purple cords

Eta Kappa Nu, International Honor Society for Electrical Engineering – Medallion on blue and red ribbon

Pi Tau Sigma, International Honor Society for Mechanical Engineers – White stole and murrey and azure cords

Sigma Lambda Chi, International Construction Honor Society – White stole and green and yellow cords

## ACADEMIC AND OTHER RECOGNITION

### School of Nursing

Dean's Medallion – Medallion on red and black ribbon

Graduate Honors – Red, white and apricot cords

Student Nurse Association - Royal blue and white cords

Student Nurse Achievement Program - Black and red cords

Sigma Theta Tau, International Honor Society of Nursing – Lavender and white cords

### School of Pharmacy

American Pharmacists Association Academy of Student Pharmacists – Teal and royal blue cords

American Society of Health-System Pharmacists – Royal blue and orange cords

Pediatrics Pharmacy Association – Teal cords with a gold charm

Phi Lambda Sigma, The National Pharmacy Leadership Society – Kelly green and gold cords

Rho Chi, The Academic Honor Society in Pharmacy – Purple and white cords or medallion on purple ribbon

Student National Pharmaceutical Association – Black with a little white cords

### Students receiving other recognition are noted below:

Order of Omega – Cream stole with gold lettering

Senior Campaign contributors – Red, black and white cords

Student Athletes – Bronze medallion with red and white ribbon

Student Leadership Development Program – Bronze medallion with red ribbon

Undergraduate Research and Creative Activities Program Associates – Silver cords

## CANDIDATES COMMISSIONED AS SECOND LIEUTENANTS

### Andrew D. Angleton

Bachelor of Science, Criminal Justice

### John L. Galinski

Bachelor of Science, Business Administration

### Wilson A. Hamby

Bachelor of Science, Civil Engineering

### Jonah R. Hooser

Bachelor of Science, Business Administration

### Bethany C. Lybarger

Bachelor of Science, Psychology

### Adam C. Mertens

Bachelor of Science, Criminal Justice

### Nicholas D. Walters

Bachelor of Science, Electrical Engineering

### Blake A. Warfield

Bachelor of Science, Environmental Sciences

### Dawson J. Whitten

Bachelor of Science, Criminal Justice

## UNDERGRADUATE RESEARCH AND CREATIVE ACTIVITIES PROGRAM ASSOCIATES

### Autumn Belt

Hannah Bradley

Mackenzie Fisher

### Ali Fraase

Ruan Kulasekara

Madisen Nannini

### Kiya Rainey

Sydney Worth



## HONORARY DEGREE: EDWARD C. GRADY



Edward C. Grady, B.S. '72, has been a successful corporate executive and angel investor for over 40 years. Grady began his career as a City Engineer for the city of East St. Louis. Followed by a successful career at Monsanto, leading to the position of vice president of worldwide sales, he has led multiple technology companies as President and CEO focused on automation technology, solar power, and semiconductor capital equipment.

Grady served as Chairman of the Board for Evergreen Solar, Inc. and Molecular Imprints, Inc., additionally he served on the boards at Brooks Automation Inc., Verigy, Ltd., Cimatrix Inc., Advanced Energy, Inc., and Electro Scientific, Inc.

Grady was inducted into the SIUE Alumni Hall of Fame in 2011 and has received the Outstanding Alumnus award from the School of Engineering. He has served on the SIUE Foundation Board of Trustees since 2017 and the School of Engineering Advisory Board since 2011. His contributions to the School of Engineering have supported the expansion of the Fowler Student Design Center and sponsors the Grady entrepreneurship scholarship endowment.

Grady holds a bachelor's degree in urban and environmental engineering from Southern Illinois University Edwardsville. He earned an MBA from the University of Houston and an Executive MBA from Stanford University.



### Past Decade of Doctor of Humane Letters Recipients

2011  
**Clinton Van Zandt**

2015  
**David Werner**

2019  
**Earl Lazerson**

2012  
**Fernando Aguirre**

2016  
**Thelma Mothershed Wair**

2020-2021  
**Lawrence B. Heitz**

2014  
**John Simmons**

2017  
**Frankie Muse Freeman**

2022  
**Henry L. Roediger III**

2018  
**Vaughn Vandegrift**

2023  
**John Martinson**

# SCHOOL OF BUSINESS: UNDERGRADUATE

FRIDAY, MAY 3, 10 A.M. | FIRST COMMUNITY ARENA AT THE VADALABENE CENTER

James T. Minor, Chancellor of Southern Illinois University Edwardsville, presiding

## National Anthem: "The Star-Spangled Banner" Lyrics by Francis Scott Key

Led by Sarah Collins, Vocal Performance Student, College of Arts and Sciences  
Music by the Meridian Brass Quintet

## Welcoming Remarks

P. Denise Cobb, Provost and Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs

## Remarks on Behalf of the SIU System

Dan Mahony, President, SIU System

## Remarks from the Chancellor

James T. Minor, Chancellor

## Remarks on Behalf of the Class of 2024

Hannah Patrice Sheahan, Bachelor of Science in Accountancy

## Recognition of the Class of 2024 Golden Graduates

P. Denise Cobb, Provost and Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs

## Candidates Commissioned as Second Lieutenants and Members of Honor Societies

## Candidates for School of Business Baccalaureate Degrees

Janice Joplin, Interim Dean, School of Business

Candidate names read by Jason Church, Managing Director, WSIE FM

## Conferral of Degrees and Presentation of Graduates

James T. Minor, Chancellor

## Message from the SIUE Alumni Association

Connie Collins, Vice Chancellor for University Advancement

## Alma mater: "Hail SIUE" by George Mellott

Led by Sarah Collins, Vocal Performance Student, College of Arts and Sciences, and the Meridian Brass Quintet

## Recessional

# SCHOOL OF BUSINESS

Janice Joplin, Interim Dean

## Bachelor of Science (Tassel: Drab)

Dawn Amari Allen  
John Leonard Apke \*  
Austin W. Atkins  
Thomas Bennie Baker \*  
Ammar Bakir  
Lexi Jade Ballard \*  
Trenton LaMont Banks  
Isabelle Grace Barton \*\*\*  
Nolan James Bay  
Ellie Beach  
Abby Elizabeth Beck \*\*\*  
Payton Lee Beck  
Natalie L. Bednar  
Michael R. Bellina  
Mason R. Berg  
LaRae L. Bigard H  
Andrew Jonathan Bleichner-Cook  
Elliot Webster Blomberg \*  
Jackson L. Borden  
Braden Alexander Bowers  
Nicholas J. Braasch  
Reese Shannon Bradford  
Sydney Elizabeth Brainerd  
Matthew M. Braunel \*  
Zachary Lewis Brewer \*  
Riley Isabel Bridgewater  
Deja Nicole Brinker  
Carl Andrew Brown  
Spencer A. Brown  
Zachary Dakota Broyles  
Evan Thomas Buckles  
Jada Bui \*  
Nicolas T. Burg \*  
Savanna Grace Call \*  
Addison Marann Callies  
Sydney Elise Camillo  
Logan Christopher Carlisle  
Gabriel Joseph Carlock  
Andrei J. Carmody \*  
Walter Carroll \*  
Maria Michelle Cartagena  
Blake Anthony Carter  
Emily L. Cashman  
Richard Allen Chambers II \*\*  
Daniel Ishmael Clanton-El  
Megan Elizabeth Claunch  
Byron Jamal Coulter  
Justin Lamar Coulter  
Ashton W. Croff  
Brayden Alexander Decker  
Josh Christopher DeMage  
David Thomas Dempsey \* H  
Jaelyn Marie Dirst  
Andrew William Dohlke  
Caitlin A. Doody  
Makayla Elyse Dothager  
Alayah Brenae Douglas  
Alexandria Joelle Dowd  
William John Drew  
John James Durrwachter  
Hayley Marie Earnhart \*  
Quinn Gerald Easley  
Griffin Wayne Eggleston  
Miguel Alberto Estep \*  
Cody Lee Evans  
Noman Abdul Ghani Farooqui

\*cum laude

Jacob Scott Fitzsimmons  
Kennedy Brooke Fleming \*  
Nicholas Tyler French  
Tristan Timothy Friesner  
John Galinski \*  
Ryan Douglas Gansz  
Jakhari Jayshawn Gant  
Kade Lee Geist \*  
Wesley James Gibson  
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LaNia Mone't Harris  
Brock Benjamin Harrison  
Chase Mitchell Hays  
William Charles Henze III  
Dillon Andrew Herrmann  
Jonah Richard Hooser  
Steven Mitchell House  
Asia K. Jansen  
Matt R. Jerome  
Charles Woods Jessup \*\*\* H  
Ayomide Boluwatife Jimoh  
Keena Johnson \*\*\* H  
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Tania Marie Juarez  
Tyson Ross Keene  
Collin James Kigin \*  
Bryant Kendahl Kincaid  
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Nathan Eugene Ladson  
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Reghan Alisa Levinson  
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Alejandro Cristian Lopez  
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Ricardo Lopez  
Audrey Joyce Mansker  
Brady Alan Marshall  
Kaili A. Martin  
Jackson Dean Matteson  
Myia Grace McAllister \*  
Drew Aaron McCoy  
Muhamed Mehmedovic  
Eve Isabella Melliere \*\* H  
Austin Lee Menard \*\*  
Sebastian A. Mendez-Alsina  
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Paige Nicole Milburn  
Chase Eugene Miles  
Carson Blake Milligan  
Karissa Marie Million  
Matthew Joseph Minick \*\*\* H  
Moriah Mei Jie Moran  
Paige Elizabeth Morfeld  
Alexa Rose Moser  
Mark Nathan Mueller

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Zachary Lee Mueller  
Faith Nicholle Musgrove \*  
Jayden Mary Mussatto  
Lewis Wesley Myers  
Madison Rayanne Neese  
Andrew Thai Nguyen  
Mitchell Jack Nolan  
Konner Norfleet  
Lee Joseph Nobsbisch \*  
Kira Mechelle Nussbaum \*\*  
Madison Nicole Orebaugh \*\*  
Claudia Rose Orteza H  
Kaelan P. Ott  
Jaelyn Samone Owens  
Koltan Scott Page  
Blake David Panagos  
Megha Prakash Patel  
Prachi Rashmi Patel  
Cody J. Perkins  
Claire Diane Peters  
Anna Paula Pimentel \*  
Hannah Michelle Pixley \*  
Samual Jacob Prange  
Ryan Matthew Pree  
Roland C. Prenzler  
Samuel Vincent Probasco  
Nathaniel Dylan Proffer \*  
Terrance Thai Puribhat  
Joseph Bruce Range  
Colton James Ratliff  
Qualin Lamar Redd  
Brett K. Reeves  
Clayton Elliott Reis  
Rylee Danielle Renspurger \*  
Laney Marie Renth  
Jacob Dean Ridgeway  
Dylan Eric Ritz \*\*\*  
Andrew J. Robeen \*  
Lukas Isaiah Roberts  
Erin Kathleen Rodenborn \*  
Lauren Elizabeth Roderick \*\*  
Arieanna Angiel Rogers  
Makayla E. Rowe \* H  
James Patrick Russell H  
Marisa Ann Rusteberg  
Anthony Jerald Ruthey \*  
Logan Alexander Sapp  
Anthony Joseph Scaturro  
Mary Agnes Schaefer \*  
Ashley N. Schlosser  
Allison Marie Schwartz  
Paige Marie Scroggins  
Brock T. Seely \*\*  
Amina Sehic H  
Christian Serna  
Brenen Phillip Seward \*  
Evan James Shansey  
Clint E. Shive  
Jonah Parker Sinclair  
Toby Wayne Singleton  
Logan Wayne Smith  
Matthew Levi Smith \*\*\*  
Meredith Renae Smith  
Sydney Smith  
Parker Thomas Snow  
Travis Michael Speer  
Matthew John-Martin Stedelin \* H  
Nora Jean Steiner  
Megan Elizabeth Stellhorn  
Nicholas R. Stoner  
Dawson Graham Taylor  
Jazlyn Leshia Taylor

\*\*\*summa cum laude

Jack Elliott Temmer  
Cole Jacob Thamke  
Makenna Nicole Thomas  
Blake Christopher Thernberry  
Theodore John Tiernan  
Jarrod Michael Tocco  
Jacob Ryan Trusner  
Christina Carmela Turrise  
Alexander Anthony Valdez  
Michelle Leann VanDerSliik  
Hayden James VanScyoc  
Landan W. Vollmer \*  
Olivia Ruth Werries \*\*\*  
Joshua Nathaniel White  
Laurel Faith White  
Blake Aaron Williams  
Justin Stephen Williams  
Tyler Scott Willtrout  
Chase Scott Wilson \*  
Kyla B. Wood \*  
Sebastian Wrobel \*  
Jaehyeok Yoon \*  
Murphy Youngblood \*\*  
Aron Zhao  
Kevin Zhu  
Allison Bailee Zilafro

## Bachelor of Science in Accountancy (Tassel: Drab)

Emily Christine Barr \*  
Aidan Lane Bedolli  
Loralie Borgmann \*\*  
Gabriel Jacob Chambers  
Stephen David Chuvala  
Sydney Taylor Coker  
Kristen N. Collins \*\*  
Cameron John Conrad \*\*  
Destiny S. Cooper  
Spencer M. Cox \*  
Alex Christopher Deters \*  
Trey M. Dillon \*  
Gabrielle Julia-McCall Emmons \*\*\*  
Jacob Anthony Fearon  
Gavin John Hewitt \*\*\* H  
Giovanna M. Kirby \*  
Isabel Frances Klotz  
Ryan James Kukarola  
Lucas Ryan McElroy  
Chapin Jacqueline Mitchell \*  
Joseph D. Moore  
Brylee Scott Mueller \*\*\*  
Umer Naveed  
Chelsea Anne Nehls  
Aaron Christopher O'Bryan  
Rowan Elisabeth Parrett \*\*\*  
Kaylee Elaine Pollard \*\*  
Bryleigh Elizabeth Prest \*  
Brendan J. Rasch  
Rachel Lynn Rathgeb  
Haden Stewart Renner  
Aidan Cable Scott  
Hannah Patrice Sheahan \* H  
Clint E. Shive  
Hsing Yi Simpson \*  
Trey Andrew Smith  
Noah Timothy Stuckey \*  
Emily Catherine Uthell \*\*\*  
Macey Kayelaine Westrick \*\*  
Rylee Marie White \*  
Melissa Dianne Wort \*\*  
Ryan Graham Yarnell

H Honors Scholars

## SCHOOL OF NURSING: GRADUATE AND UNDERGRADUATE

FRIDAY, MAY 3, 2 P.M. | FIRST COMMUNITY ARENA AT THE VADALABENE CENTER

*James T. Minor, Chancellor of Southern Illinois University Edwardsville, presiding*

### **National Anthem: “The Star-Spangled Banner” Lyrics by Francis Scott Key**

*Led by Sarah Collins, Vocal Performance Student, College of Arts and Sciences  
Music by the Meridian Brass Quintet*

### **Welcoming Remarks**

*P. Denise Cobb, Provost and Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs*

### **Remarks on Behalf of the SIU System**

*Gireesh V. Gupchup, Vice President for Academic Innovation, Planning and Partnerships*

### **Remarks from the Chancellor**

*James T. Minor, Chancellor*

### **Remarks on Behalf of the Class of 2024**

*Melodie Amber Gassoway, Doctor of Nursing Practice in Nurse Anesthesia*

### **Candidates Commissioned as Second Lieutenants and Members of Honor Societies**

### **Candidates for Graduate Degrees and Presentation of Doctoral and Master’s Hoods**

*Jerry Weinberg, Associate Provost for Research and Dean of the Graduate School*

### **Candidates for Baccalaureate Degrees**

*Judy Liesveld, Dean, School of Nursing*

*Candidate names read by Jason Church, Managing Director, WSIE FM*

### **Conferral of Degrees and Presentation of Graduates**

*James T. Minor, Chancellor*

### **Message from the SIUE Alumni Association**

*Connie Collins, Vice Chancellor for University Advancement*

### **Alma mater: “Hail SIUE” by George Mellott**

*Led by Sarah Collins, Vocal Performance Student, College of Arts and Sciences, and the Meridian Brass Quintet*

## PROGRAM RECOGNITION

The SIUE School of Nursing offers dynamic undergraduate programs of study that are both theoretical and practical, designed to meet current and future challenges of nursing and healthcare. The School prepares graduates to work in a wide variety of clinical settings and provide the necessary foundation for a master’s and doctoral degree in nursing.

The traditional bachelor of science in nursing (BS) program is intended for students seeking their first degree with no prior college experience. The post-baccalaureate accelerated bachelor of science degree in nursing (ABS) option allows students with a bachelor’s degree to attain a BS degree in nursing through three semesters and one summer session. It is an intense, defined curriculum with a combination of classroom instruction and clinical experiences for students seeking a second baccalaureate degree.

Registered nurses (RNs) who hold an associate degree in nursing or a nursing diploma can pursue the RN to BS option. This baccalaureate program is offered in a flexible, entirely online format to accommodate the needs of working RNs. The program format consists of eight-week courses and can be completed in one year if most of the general education requirements are met at the time of admission.

The goal of the SIUE School of Nursing graduate program is to prepare expert nurses for leadership in professional nursing practice and patient-centered healthcare delivery. The School offers two master’s (MS) programs, two fully online dual degree programs and a doctor of nursing practice degree (DNP) with three specializations.

The fully online MS in Healthcare and Nursing Administration (HCNA) prepares nurses for entry into management positions in healthcare organizations, and refines the skills of experienced nurse managers to mentor them for executive-level positions. A dual MS in HCNA and Healthcare Informatics provides a unique opportunity. The online program equips healthcare professionals to leverage prior education and experience to provide leadership to teams using technology to improve patient healthcare options. The MS in Nurse Educator program is meeting the ever-increasing need for nursing faculty. SIUE’s nurse educator graduates are actively sought throughout the St. Louis metropolitan region, as well as nationally.

The psychiatric mental health nurse practitioner DNP specialization addresses the mental healthcare crisis by providing students with the clinical competencies and theoretical foundation to deliver quality psychiatric mental healthcare. The nurse anesthesia DNP specialization prepares registered nurses with baccalaureate degrees to provide individualized anesthetic patient care for surgical, diagnostic, therapeutic or pain management procedures. The family nurse practitioner DNP specialization program provides students with the required clinical competencies and theoretical foundation to deliver quality primary care for patients and their families. The post-master’s DNP program is designed for nurses holding a master’s degree as an advanced practice nurse, or holding a bachelor of science in nursing and a master’s degree appropriate to their advanced nursing practice role. The dual Masters of Business Administration (MBA) and DNP is primarily online with two on-campus immersion experiences. The program is designed to develop the professional capabilities of managers working in business, focusing on topics such as quantitative analysis, decision making, negotiation, enhancing quality and innovation and program management.



## SCHOOL OF NURSING

Judy Liesveld, Dean

### Doctor of Nursing Practice (Hood: Apricot)

#### Nursing Practice

Heather Marie Ackerman  
Jonathan Alvarado  
Ricardo Aranda  
Randi Janae Ballard  
Aysha Urooj Baluch  
Brittany Nicole Beler  
A'lyssa Nickole Williams Blake  
Nicole Brainin  
Alexa Brummund  
Krista Marie Bunch  
Jessica Leigh Campbell  
Riley Renee Clubb  
Sarah Evelyn Cobb  
Areo Pagito C. Comonal  
Caleb Paul Culbreath  
Jeffery Scott Davis  
Lindsay Anne Dawson  
Mesud Dedic  
Lori Maria Deibel  
Thomas Francis Dissette  
Kimberly Sue Dray  
Alison Jean Drerup  
Christy Ann Durrwachter  
James Eads  
Oluronke Deborah Esemomoh  
Rebekah Lyn Gaffin  
Melody Amber Gassoway  
Rachel Marie Geisendorfer  
Tamine Gogel  
Jessica Goneh  
Elizabeth Ann Hamlin  
Laura Hardiek  
Christine Gabrielle Hawkknuff  
Richard William Heuermann Jr.  
Hannah Lee Hosty  
Giles Howard  
Lauren Colton Hunt  
Jennifer R. Isip  
Rachel Marie Kister  
Kendra Suzanne Knaga  
Carmel Loud  
Kristen Elaine Mattson  
Carly Jo McClelland  
Dina Elaine McNeil  
Heather Milder  
Brittaney Nicole Montcalm  
Nancy Beatrice Moore  
Annmarie Alicia O'Connor  
Madeline Olson  
Dennezza Page  
Kathryn Patrick  
Damaris J. Peralta  
Kaleigh A. Peters  
Kara Renee Peters  
Kelsey Nicole Piper  
Julia Powers  
Jessica Elizabeth Prost  
Haley Pschirrer

Jewel Radford  
Michael C. Ragen  
Allison Marie Renschen  
Erin Leigh Robke  
Ashlyn H. Russo  
Gayle Lynne Schlabach  
Marissa Anne Schuette  
Kayla Seed  
Brooke Christine Skaggs  
Kaitlyn Stroh  
Alissa L. Struble  
Britanie Lee Sumpster  
Jamie Swearingen  
Brock Daniel Thornton  
Rachel Marie Vaughn  
Shunera Y. Wells  
Tracee J. Williams-Hubbard  
Grace Mary Wilson  
Aminat Yusuff-Akinbo

### Master of Science (Hood: Apricot)

#### Health Care & Nursing Administration

Christine Aquino Abarca  
Celina Ceballo  
Mindy Figueroa  
Deanna Victoria Gergets  
Lori S. Hainaut  
Ariana Pinon  
Donna Holden Reynolds  
Tabitha Spiegel

### Post Master's Certificate (Hood: Apricot)

#### Psychiatric Mental Health Nurse Practitioner

Sandhya Chilukala  
Imelda Narag Forsberg  
Danielle R. Hannigan  
Kelly A. A. Karr  
Lynda Nathan

### Bachelor of Science (Tassel: Apricot)

Hannah Jochebed Abrudeanu \*\*  
Lindsay J. Ahlers  
Anna Belle Allen \*  
Wuraola Adewunmi Aluko-Olokun  
Angela Alvarez  
Brittany Helene Austin \*\*\*  
Suzanne Marie Auvil  
Brianna Adele Avitia  
Elise Madison Baker  
Kelsi Marie Bales\*  
Keith James Barker II  
Macie L. Bennett \*\*  
Brett Christian Berger \*\*\*  
Dontrea Ibeyonna Betts

Makayla A. Biggs  
Brighten Raye Blackwell \*  
Emily Lynn Bolhofner  
Johannah Bond  
Anni Borries \*\*  
Andrea Estefania Bowdoin H  
Donica Angela Brooks \*\*  
Lori Lyn Brummer \*\*  
Rheanna Bryan \*\*  
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Monica Claire Buerster \*\*\*  
Erica M. Bunch \*\*\*  
Casandra Marie Burk \*\*\*  
Mary Margaret Burton  
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Jenna Lynn Cameron \*\*  
Amanda Lanier Carmichael \*\*\*  
Grace Mary Wilson \*\*\*\* H  
Kailah Lynn Carter \*\*  
Vance Edward Cash  
Sheri Lynn Chandler \*\*  
Kayla L. Chau \*  
Heather Renee Chockley \*\*\*  
Darin Wayne Clements  
Lauren Margaret Cornejo \* H  
Charis N. Coventry \*\*  
Sarah Beth Cox \*\*  
Sidney Louise Craig  
Boyd Charles Crist  
Lindsay Frances Damm  
Lauretta Latrice Davis \*\*  
April D. Decesaro \*\*\*  
Liliana Marie Del Rio  
Chase Dean DeProw  
Melissa Christina Diaz \*\*\*  
Kasondra Jewell Dicus \*\*\*  
Hannah Diener  
Kyle Shane Diethrich \*\*\*  
Stephanie Dorsey \*  
Iyana L. Douglas  
Alyssa Nicole Dour \*  
Alyse Brianna Drifka  
Kaitlyn A. Dudley  
Brooklyne Edith Dulceak \*  
Jaida Rae Duncan  
Kaylee Ann Dycus  
Kaitee Rose Eddy  
Alexis Paige Edgar  
Hannah Grace Eldred  
Jayla Ann Eubanks  
Callie Ann Feldhake \*\*  
Danielle Lynn Ferrante  
Alexis Arizona Fischer \*  
Kyrstyn Miquel Fitch \*  
Jenna Flood \*\*\*  
Daniel Joseph Ford  
Christopher Matthew Foster  
Emily Elizabeth Fritsche  
Elaina Marie Frobish H  
Alexza Arnaiz Gallogo  
Hali Nicole Gamblin \*\*  
Ethan Thomas Gentile \*  
Raven Tiarra Ginger-Bradley

Mary Elizabeth Gomez \*\*\* H  
Elizabeth Joy Green \*\*\*  
Kimberly Elizabeth Gregor \*\*\*  
Ryan M. Guenther  
Ronald Goeman Guilander \*\*\*  
Laura Jean Gullo \*  
Madeline Grace Gusse\*  
Rachel Ann Hampton \*\*  
Giang Hansen \*\*  
Anna Noelle Hartford \*\*  
Collin Steven Hartke \*\*\*  
Katherine Helen Hartssock  
Michael Stephen Hartwick \*\*  
Ashlyn Rose Hermes \*  
Nicole Ann Hess \*\*  
Hannah Grace Holden  
Jordan E. Holmberg  
Kaitlyn Rebecca Holste H  
Victoria Rose Hopkins \*  
Sara L. Hoyle \*\*  
Xiangyu Hu \*\*  
Jessica Nicole Hudson \*\*\*  
Dawson Lee James  
Jordan Mckenzie Jancich \*\*  
Brooke Marie Jansen \*\*\*  
Tarah Malia Jeans  
Jillian Elaine Jenness \*\*\*  
Megan Christine Jester \*  
Taylor Marie Jester \*  
McKenzie Lynn Johnson  
Courtney Kaiser \*\*\*  
Madison Renee Kauffman \*  
Haley Elizabeth Kelley  
Chase Dean DeProw  
Shea Katherine Kinkelaar \*\*  
Aleah Marie Kirby  
Marta C. Korte \*\*  
Elizabeth Njeri Kariuki Kyande  
Mark William Lopinot \*  
Austin Lynch  
Jasmyn A. Mahnee  
Teresa Cheptoo Malit \*\*\*  
Megan Renae Martin \*\*\*  
Laura M. McCabe  
Allison Riley McCoy  
Hailey Nicole McFarland \*\*  
Christian Mary-Kate McGowan \*\*\*  
Savannah McKee \*\*\*  
Madysen Elizabeth Mckethen  
Katie Kristine Meisner \*\*  
Megan Jane Melvin \*\*  
Natalie A. Miller  
Samantha Reanne Miller \*\*  
Shelbi Lynne Miller \*  
Zane Cole Miller \*\*  
Mary Elizabeth Miller-Kracht  
Kaleb Matthew Mitchell \* H  
Hope Elizabeth Monnet \*\*\*  
Brianna Madalyn Morris \*  
Denette RyAnne Munson \*\*\*  
Stephanie Dawn Murbarger \*  
Stephanie Rose Murray \*\*\*  
Michael Nackers \*

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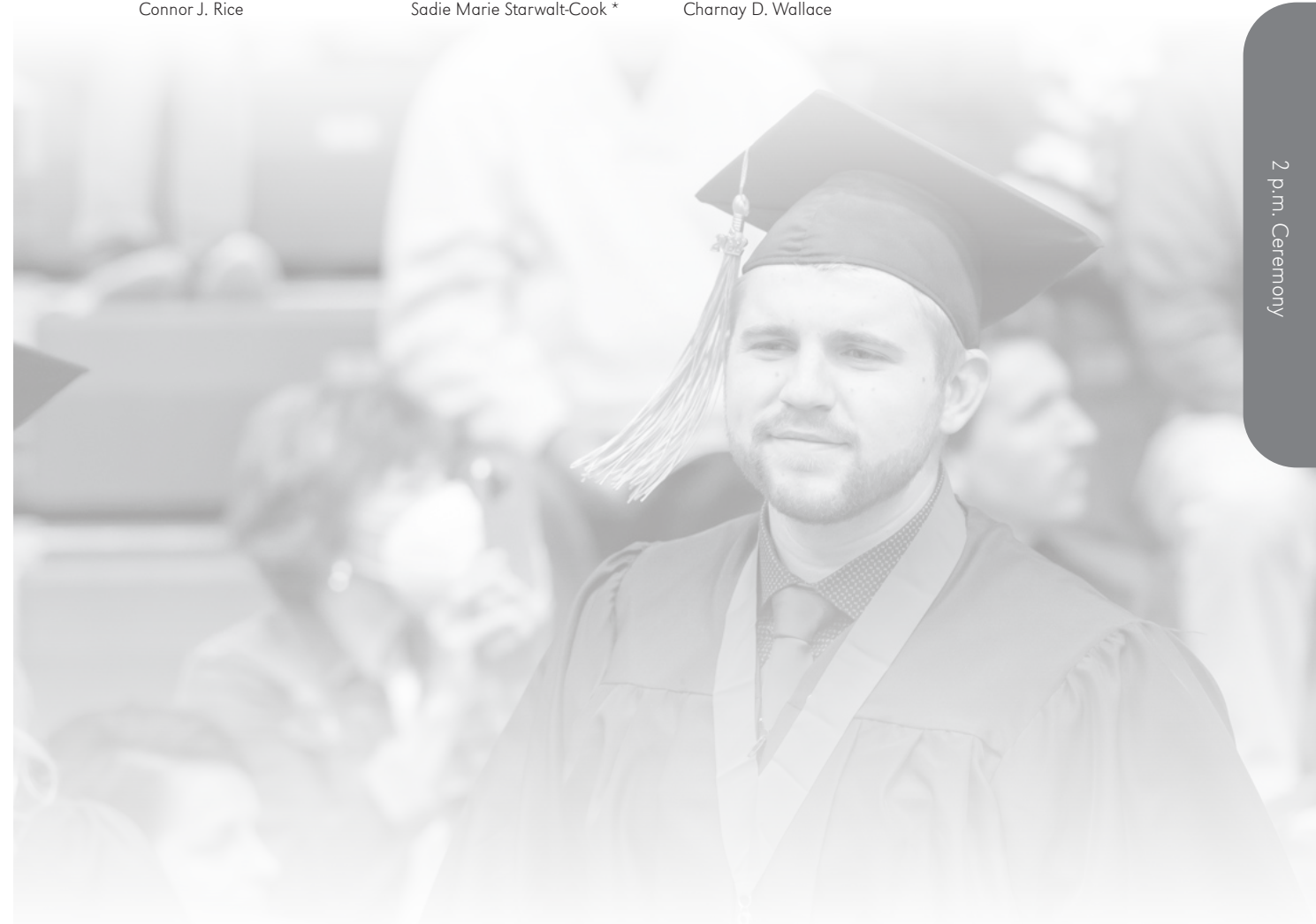
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Allison Grace Niebrugge \*\*  
Audrey Claire Niebrugge  
Sierra Macae Oldani  
Jaedyn Crystal Olson \*\*\*  
Lynsey Marie Overton Pedigo  
Morgan Victoria Pace \*  
Serenity Jean Parrent \*  
Danielle Kristin Patterson  
Marissa Katherine Payne \*\*\*  
Tavia Renee Lafaye Payne  
Raylin Jo Pearson \*  
Trevor Jacob Peterson  
Alara Nicole Pfeaster \*  
Emily Elizabeth Pirtle \*\*\* H  
Gracie Marie Plank  
Abigail Grace Potts \*\*  
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Kylie Markinzee Ray  
Rebecca M. Reinstorf \*\*  
Addison Mackenzie Rhoades \*\*  
Connor J. Rice

Langston Maden Richardson  
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Christina Ritter  
Joshlyn Amiri Robinson  
Jeauina Ntae Rodriguez  
Priscila Rodriguez \*\*\*  
Mason Scott Ruzicka  
Shelby Lynn Sackmann \*\*\*  
Jordan Patricia Schifano \*\*\*  
Rachel Catherine Schipferling \*\*\*  
Josilyn Mae Schmedeke \*\* H  
Leah Breanne Schumacher \*\* H  
Amanda Schwinn \*\*  
Sarah J. Scott \*  
Rahul Sharma \*\*\*  
Stanley Byrne Shaw III \*\*  
Chinetta Smith  
Marlo Paige Smith  
Sophanya Sokhon \*\*  
Shelby L. Stallard  
Sadie Marie Starwalt-Cook \*

Emma Mae Stone \*\*  
Samantha Rael Stratton \*\*  
Emily R. Streit  
Maung Thu Wun Swe \*\*\*  
Emma Lauren Talluto  
Conswayla FrazierBosley Taylor \*  
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Madison Katherine Tilford \*\*\*  
Katerina Nicole Timpson \*\*\*  
Mia N. Trautman  
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Kamryn Nicole Van Arsdale \*\*  
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Madisyn Taylor Walton  
Marianne Rae Watts  
Anastazia Lexus M. Weathers  
Zackarie Tilden Webb \*\*\*  
Monica D. Webster  
Jenna Marie Weiland \*  
Bailey Michele Wenger \*\*\*  
Brooke E. Wesley \*  
Mallory Westrick  
Briah' Chanese Williams \*\*  
Alexis G. Woods \*  
Kevin Woods \*\*\*  
Charlene Denise Wyatt  
Christopher Jordan Wynn  
Jordan Elizabeth Yenne \*\*  
Megan Ann Yonan \*\*\* H  
Dabronia M. Young  
Carrie Lynn Zini \*



# GRADUATE SCHOOL

FRIDAY, MAY 3, 5:30 P.M. | FIRST COMMUNITY ARENA AT THE VADALABENE CENTER

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Music by the Meridian Brass Quintet

## Welcoming Remarks

P. Denise Cobb, Provost and Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs

## Remarks on Behalf of the SIU System

Daniel Mahony, President, SIU System

## Remarks from the Chancellor

James T. Minor, Chancellor

## Remarks on Behalf of the Class of 2024

Amber J. Harrington, Master of Science in Educational Administration

## Candidates Commissioned as Second Lieutenants and Members of Honor Societies

## Candidates for Graduate Degrees

Jerry Weinberg, Associate Provost for Research and Dean of the Graduate School

Candidate names read by Jason Church, Managing Director, WSIE FM

## Conferral of Degrees and Presentation of Graduates

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# GRADUATE SCHOOL

Jerry Weinberg, Dean

## Master of Arts (Hood: White, Citron, Silver Gray)

### Applied Communication Studies

Abidemi Oluwafunmilayo Alade  
Claire Marie Di Lorenzo  
Kristi Shawn Doering  
Owen Charles Hetherington  
Mitchell McSparin  
Joyce Chali Muyatwa  
Shulamite Mayowa Olukayode  
Shelbi Ryann Paul

### Art Therapy Counseling

Noelle Becker  
David Harrison Brickhouse  
Anna Rose Brough  
Allyson Michelle Burns  
Tsai-Yu Chen  
Anne Wilmes Geisz  
Jawaune Johnson  
Madeline Rochelle Miana  
Maureen Bella Russo  
Ana Marcela Tobar Chavez

### English

Sarah Abdelrahman  
Sara Danielle Bell  
Terry A. Clark  
Nicole Dixon  
Alexanderia C. Grubb-Hoxworth  
Claire Christine Lenihan  
Lindani Memani  
Allyson Nagel  
Sarah Elizabeth Petroff  
Ashley Adrienne Richey  
Emily Theresa Wolff

### History

Mitchell Phillip Hayden  
Madelyn Knight  
Chase Daniel Langendorf  
Cesar Augusto Mendoza Obregon  
Olivia Carmen Perez  
Jacob Glen Simmons  
Sarah Dawn Woods

### Sociology

Oluwatobi Elijah Adeyoyin  
Linda Janet Aguirre  
Amanda E. Jane  
Corbin Alexander Johannpeter  
Nikolle Sanguinette

## Master of Fine Arts (Hood: Brown)

### Art

Jocelyn Hall  
Brooke Krankel  
Aaron Rose McMullin  
Alisha Nichole Porter  
Duenne Anne Schlarman  
Gale Lisa Schlegl  
Alex Thomure  
Natcha Wongchanglaw

## Master of Music (Hood: Pink)

Jalie-Ann Elizabeth Cummings  
Matthew Michael Dennison  
Max Anthony DiPasquale  
Jill Marie Griffin  
Michael Duraund Israel  
Stephen Johann Lucido

## Master of Public Administration (Hood: Peacock)

### Public Administration

Zyralyn Crockett Bailey  
Brooke Bishop  
Alanie Kae Boyd  
Josephine Ann Byrd  
Jayonna Craig  
Alexander Scott Gerstenecker  
Todd Stewart Goro  
Patrick Michael Gorski  
Jalyn Christina King  
Cathy McNeese  
Rashad D. Reed  
Joy N. Rice  
Stephanie M. Schrage  
Julia A. Westley

## Master of Science (Hood: Gold, Citron, Crimson)

### Biological Sciences

Kehinde Rachel Adeniji  
Ibrahim Olabanji Bello  
Katie Lynn Cutler  
Amy Lynn Docter  
Taylor Dawn Gray  
Carolyn Kinnunen  
John Moore  
Emily Christine Nix  
Efe Oniovokor  
Joshua Preston  
Sydney Mae Tomaschke  
Madigan Claire Walsh

### Chemistry

Zebediah Jason Campbell  
Austin Michael Doerr  
Farzana Elaf  
Hadis Ghasemi  
Brenna Nicole McIlvoy  
Kendra Grace Selby  
Momodou K A Sowe  
Surya Bahadur Tamang  
Valeria Zerda Pinto

### Criminal Justice Policy

Nicholas K. Caldiero  
Mary Lashey Golden  
Carrington Marie Jackson  
Naile Lusha  
Gregory Alan Nixon

### Environmental Sciences

Pratigyan Bhusal  
Hannah Elizabeth Kolker

Satya Sai Anuruc Kurumaddala  
Otiye Precious Lucky  
Owen Lawrence Luetkemeyer  
Catherine Ojewole  
Michael Adeleke Oluwagbemiga  
Rutvik Narendrabhai Sureja

### Geography

Enoh Martha Francis  
Chelsea R. Henry  
Kyle Krumm  
Susannah Marie Oettle  
Ugochukwu Udonna Okonkwo  
Logan Charles Pelo  
Stefanie Renee Pryor  
Donald Ray Reynolds III  
Nathan Jerod Walker

### Mathematics

Arezou Abbasi Baharanchi  
Alexander Stephen Beeny  
Atwood Jackson Huff IV  
Matthew Paul Miller

### Media Studies

Bipin Banjara  
Abdurrahman Celik  
Claire H. Chulka  
Valquiria Lorein Perea Gongora  
Bikash Pokharel  
Muhammad Waqas

## Master of Social Work (Hood: Citron)

Matthew Birgen  
Dan Carr  
Sydney Elise Dossett  
Brooke Frank  
Kamil Denise Frierson  
Antonio Darnell Killion Jr.  
Shelby L. Martin  
Sierra Elise Taylor  
Ann Marie Whalen  
Yasmine Lanise Whitley

## Post Baccalaureate Certificate (Hood: White, Pink, Citron)

### Museum Studies

Alexander Scott Gerstenecker  
Madelyn Knight  
Olivia Carmen Perez  
Abbigayle Schaefer

### Professional Leadership Strategies

Jayonna Craig  
Deborah R. Johnson  
Jalyn Christina King

## Master of Business Administration (Hood: Drab)

Business Administration  
Jonathan Alvarado

Zachary P. Anderson  
Alexandria Bailey  
Leah Amaya Baker  
Teresa Lyn Barbee  
Amy Lynn Barnes  
DaiJanay Shamari Baston  
Lesley Anne Benson  
Jackson Best  
Andrew Birdsley  
Steven Edward Biros  
Khem Bista  
Jacob Thomas Brush  
Chelsee Bushue  
Robert Eugene Carter  
Dalton Clouse  
Kevin Comer  
Areo Pagito C. Comonal  
Erica Lynn Cox  
Bryant Cameron Crouch  
Brady William Cummings  
Steven Davis  
Brett Michael Devlin  
Karley Nicole Draheim  
Kimberly Sue Dray  
Jacqueline Lauren Dreppard  
Hanna Marie Drowns  
Cassandra Lee Dyer  
Magdalene Renee Eaton  
Mansi Edakkunnathu  
Aaron Douglas Engelke  
Veronica Espinoza  
Colleen Ewell  
Maria Ferrari  
Kyle Filiput  
Nathan Allen Floyd  
Michael Forbis  
Courtney Marie Foust  
Kaitlynn P. Fox  
Christopher David French  
Matthew Frizzo  
Elana Faith Sole Fuller  
Bethanie Garcia  
Michael Patrick Gillespie  
Tamine Gogel  
Jessica Goneh  
Donovan Gorre  
Geary Graham  
Jack Gray  
Angelo Hall Jr.  
Laura Hanselman  
Ashley Harmon  
Christine Gabrielle Hawkknuff  
Molly Marie Hill  
Elizabeth Holan  
Grace Elizabeth Holtmann  
Andrew Horrell  
Elisha Hughes  
Melissa Hunter  
Blake Hustedde  
Alexis Camara Hutchins  
Maureen Rose Johnson  
Alicia Blaire Kamischke  
Joseph Thomas Kimball  
Joselyn Deanne Knobloch  
Chase Erin Kusnerik  
Whitney Learned  
Jeremy Michael Leitschuh

## GRADUATE SCHOOL (CONT.)

Jerry Weinberg, Dean

Patricia D. Long  
Elizabeth Cecile Lynk  
Trey Anthony Macke  
Jesuspower Chikere Madukwe  
Joseph John Malin  
Karyn Manoogian  
Steven Robert McDonald  
Taylor Nicole McInnis  
Brandon Meeks  
Brandon Michael Merz  
Cole Milam  
Daisy Maria Mirafuentes  
Paige Wood Morales  
Amanda A. Mueller  
Hailey Catherine-Ann Mueller  
Lauren Mulvihill  
Jessica L. Mundy  
Megan Alexis Neilson  
Andrew Jeffrey Nelson  
Thao Thach Nguyen  
Samantha Lindsay Nunn  
Katie Carolynn Oxby  
Anneka Pillow  
Madelynn Grace Pitchford  
Danyell Nicole Richardson  
Gina Marie Richter  
Michael Roche  
Bailey Ruesch  
Krista Nicole Russell  
David Ward Savage  
Amy Michele Schmidt

Sydney Ann Schnitker  
Ryan Sedlacek  
Jeffrey Snyder  
Gabriele Spintzyk  
Kyle Douglas Steidinger  
Christopher C. Strangeman  
Abigail Svoboda  
Vy Tuyet Truong  
Noah Martin Umfleet  
Jacob R. Walters  
James Roy Waymack II  
Heather Margaret Weyn  
Chad Winkler  
Miller Delano Wiseman  
Kallen Elizabeth Withers  
Sharjeel Zahid  
Jeanette Zeisler

### **Master of Marketing Research** (Hood: Drab)

**Marketing Research**  
Tyme Christine Dappert

### **Master of Science** (Hood: Drab)

**Computer Management and Information Systems**  
Khadeer Afridi  
Monica Lucia Fertl

Raghu Ram Kasireddy  
Sri Vardhan Reddy Kanupuru  
Sravan Kumar Kopparapu

### **Management Information Systems**

Abdullah  
Oyelola Kehinde Agbabiaka  
Usha Sree Andoju  
Sreedeeep Bandaru  
Saranya Bhimavarapu  
Sai Akshitha Bokka  
Yashaswi Chandanala  
Srinivas Sai Teja Chilkuri  
Vishnu Vardhan Chimmri  
Ricardo Emanuel Chon Sin De La Espriella  
Vithal Damidi  
Roshini Singireddy  
Praveena Deevi  
Sneha Reddy Dendi  
Keerthana Duggaraju  
Sreshta Enugala  
Margaret Frey  
Bhavana Gandra  
Vishakha Goyal  
Vivek Jonnada  
Venkataramana Rao Kandi  
Sri Vardhan Reddy Kanupuru  
Radha Jadhav Kashappa  
Manisha Kodimela  
Prachetha Kollipara

Rakesh Kumar Kombathula  
Rishitha Kondabolu  
Sravan Kumar Kopparapu  
Hemalatha Maguluri  
Divya Shree Manchala Sridhar  
Vivek Reddy Mara  
Comfort Idongesit Michael  
Yogesh Kumar Motwani  
Pradeep Kumar Mulluri  
Kavya Nallani  
Kyle John Nordmann  
Kripa Panta  
Venkata Pichaiah Pathuri  
Tejaswini Pulipathi  
Siva Kumar Sadhu  
Venkata Sai Tarun Samudrala  
Cheshta Santosh  
Rajesh Dammalapati  
Aakash Sudanagunta  
Hruthika Gangoni Vanjari  
Venkata Lakshmi Deepika Velagapudi  
Vinay Rao Vemula  
Pavan Kalyan Vudathu  
Ratan Yedla

### **Master of Science in Accountancy** (Hood: Drab)

**Accountancy**  
Jaedynd Michelle Billingsley

## GRADUATE SCHOOL (CONT.)

Jerry Weinberg, Dean

Joshua Garrett Braun  
Tori Ann Caselton  
Hannah Jean Cox  
Brendan Matthew Foster  
Anthony Greco  
Madison Amanda Xia Johnston  
Grace Ann Joseph  
Abigaile Knopf  
Benjamin James Koenig  
Hannah Mae Krumwiede  
Chance Michail Kurwicki  
Sarah Ann Magnoni  
Grace Montgomery  
Emily Grace Schmidt  
Amy Marie Szucs  
Ellie Genevieve Taylor

### **Doctor of Education** (Hood: Light Blue)

**Educational Leadership**  
Dustin Russell Bilbruck  
Christopher A. Crumble  
Kevin Patrick Devany  
LaTongia S. Hayes-Spencer  
Troy Keiser  
Krista Lunz  
Dustin Edward Nail  
Latricia D. Singleton-Clark  
Alyssa Marie Smith  
Nancy Marie Werden  
Robert W. Werden

### **Education Specialist Degree** (Hood: Light Blue)

**Educational Administration**  
Amber Louise Akins  
Sarah Elizabeth Brokering  
Matthew James Carlson  
Tomisha Spann Carter  
Valene Carter  
Kevin Andrew Chadwick-Fisher  
Carla Beth Coats  
Mercedes Nicole Eberlin  
Danya Cajmere Edwards  
Kristopher Dena Fields  
Taria Gordon  
Timothy Richard Gould  
Lori Lynn Griffith  
Casey Morgan Groah  
Sarah Harbach  
Mandy Ann Helsel  
Eleanor Leigh Higus  
Alecia Beatrice Johnson  
Catrice Renee Johnson  
Falon Tiana McCain  
Tracy McEvers  
Randi Marie McKinley  
Eric Warren Mitchell  
Molly Rosemarie Moulis  
Caitlin Mueller  
Kate Audra Page  
Kelly JoAnne Parmenter  
Jessica Pertler

William Keith Pitts  
Luz Elena Rangel Raymond  
Kyle John Rich  
Stephane L. Roberson  
Kyara Catalina Monet Rogers  
Trevor Shields  
Jennifer Lynn Skinner-Starkey  
Brooke A. Smith  
Martisha Terese Smith  
Tanjra Tanik Townsend  
Carolyn Wencewicz  
Stephanie Allyson White

### **Master of Arts** (Hood: Gold)

**Psychology**  
Ananya Alok  
Christal Ceairra Borden  
Makya Flowers-Tolliver  
Allison Katherine Fox  
Paige Ellen Looney  
Brian Christian Lowe  
Faith AnnEva McCaskey  
Malgorzata Moll  
Sharon Denise Moore  
Katelyn Elizabeth Scott  
Alexandra Stefania Skartsis  
Emily E. Trier  
Dylan C. Zimmerman

### **Master of Arts in Teaching** (Hood: Light Blue)

**Teacher Education**  
Emanuel D. Brooks  
Ashley Nicole Carter  
Jackson Robert Frosch  
Marshalla Hill  
Demond Fontez Jennings  
Ambrielle Johnson  
Mikkela Danielle Loveless  
Morgan Mae Naramore  
Angela R. Pifer  
Rontrell Javon Robinson

### **Master of Public Health** (Hood: Light Blue)

**Public Health**  
Jesuspower Chikere Madukwe  
Sandhya Poudel  
Bijay Kumar Shrestha

### **Master of Science** (Hood: Light Blue, Gold)

**Kinesiology**  
Chelsey Pearl Abel  
Payton Elise Adkins  
Abena Serwaa Ampomaa Agyemang  
Charles Bret Barras  
Addison Taylor Burns  
Anna Marie Burrus  
Zachary Austin Cathorall

Savannah M. Christian  
Arjun Kumar Ghimire  
Brian Elliot Hallam  
Alsadiq Hasan  
Deanna Hecht  
Adilene M. Hernandez-Nesbitt  
Jaylen Amari Hines  
Karlie Lyn Jeffries  
Zachary Michael Millard  
Nidhi Pinakin Patel  
Rushik Paresbhai Patel  
Vincent Antonio Phillips Jr.  
Brianna Dawn Pickens  
Amber Powell  
Bradley Logan Reynolds  
Linnea Rose Skillrud  
Ashley Stoneman  
Dhana Lakshmi Vale  
Yashika

### **Nutrition and Dietetics**

Christine Catalano  
Hannah Lynn Jones  
Angelina Loriso  
Sarah McConnell  
Alyssa M. Real  
Abbey Jeanine Roberts  
Madison Jaylen Rodotz  
Maria Jose Rodriguez Alvarez  
Andrew Youck

### **Psychology**

Keaira Kaela Cox  
Alexandria Kaye Gandy  
Kaylie Lee Houser

### **Speech Language Pathology**

McKenna Marie Anderson  
Brooke Ashlynn Bartling  
Gerardo D'Amato  
Breanne Alexis Eversgerd  
Morgan Lexus Fowler  
Natalie Marie Kralis  
Jana R. McMurray  
Brittney Marie Nolin  
Chloe Elizabeth North  
Jeanette Danielle Peebles  
Sophia Rose Scanlon  
McCall Rose Schunke  
Ashley Nicole Sluss  
Hannah Elizabeth Wood

### **Master of Science in Education** (Hood: Light Blue)

**College Student Personnel Administration**  
Kenisha P. Walton

### **Curriculum and Instruction**

Stephani Bergeron  
Taylor Brueggeman  
Brittanie Michelle Clement  
Amanda Nicole Dermody  
Mercedes DeLeon Herring

Shasta Hladovcak  
Emily Anne Jenner  
Katelyn Michele Johnson  
Carolyn Barbara Kish  
Sarah Michelle Largent  
Leana Jean Marie Losacco  
Jon Erik Malvik  
Alison McDaniel  
Stephanie McLeod  
Haley Nell Meinhart  
Jennifer Carol Morgan  
Lyndsi Reid  
Penelope Revis  
Emily Russell  
Adam Matthew Schoff  
Sara M. Stinson

### **Diversity and Equity in Education**

Andrew Ament  
Rachel A. Cunningham  
Danielle Gonzalez  
Jaimee Phegley Henderson  
Felina Rochelle Herrera-Martin  
Georgia Stephanie Herrington  
Sommer Irvine  
L'Oréal Lee  
Ashley Lorraine Valenzuela

### **Educational Administration**

Jennifer Deanne Briney  
Victoria Casazza  
Logan A. Crum  
Dyshunda Curtis  
Jordan Marie Dulowski  
Olivia Katherine Frullani  
Alicia Lynn Gilani  
Theone P. Haralampopoulos  
Amber J. Harrington  
Therese Murray Haskins  
Lindsey Johnson  
Nicholas James Jones  
Rebecca Sue Jones  
Meghan R. Kamp  
Stephanie Kouri  
Airielle Anquanette McKinney  
Andrea Nicole Mize  
Kaleigh Anne O'Brien  
Isabel E. Papachrisanthou  
Kyle John Rich  
Adam Matthew Schoff  
Emma Louise Sherbeyn  
Jessica D. Spieth  
Rachel Thompson  
Tanjra Tanik Townsend

### **Higher Education and Student Affairs**

Amanda Mae Acord  
Hanna Violet Anderson  
Ka-La Renay Harris  
Emmajean Faye Hearty  
Christian Hill  
Valentia Sackie Kimbrough  
Caleb Austin Sewell

## GRADUATE SCHOOL (CONT.)

Jerry Weinberg, Dean

### **Instructional Technology**

Matthew Paul Carter  
Katie Marissa Dowell Arnold  
James William Hake  
Magin Judd  
Rachel Lynn Kuffel  
Malori G. Meador  
Stephanie Marie Potthast

### **Kinesiology**

Steven Amy  
Brina Katherine Boldig  
Tyler Burk  
Anna Marie Burrus  
Tara Katherine Dering  
Darren Christopher Jacobs  
Jeremiah James Keeney  
Stephanie D. Kolb  
Abigail Kathryn Kurth  
Michael Dean Len  
Kira Maciejewski  
Christopher M. Medearis  
Michael Patrick Murphy  
Byron Wayne Perry  
Jose Alberto Politron  
Taylor Elizabeth Spiller  
Heidi Christine Tarasuik  
Erik Arthur Turner  
Mason Vetter  
Cardeionte Xavier Wilson

### **Post Baccalaureate Certificate**

(Hood: White)

### **Athletic Leadership**

R. Andrey Ayers  
Meg Wertin

### **Online Teaching & Learning**

Robert Aaron Hoadley

### **Specialist Degree**

(Hood: Gold)

### **School Psychology**

Izabelle Noel Harvey-Gonzalez  
Katelyn Faith Houba  
Baylee Jean Kiel  
Andrea Caroline Lopez  
Zakiah Marshall  
Grace Laurel McBride  
Alivia Rose Meskil  
Krysta Marie Tongzhu Mroz  
Julann K. Scheibal

### **Master of Science**

(Hood: Orange)

### **Civil Engineering**

Thaismara Y. Garcia A.  
Mohammad Waleed Fuad Abuawad  
Modupeoluwa Abisoluwa Adediji

Aarjan Adhikari  
Bibek Adhikari  
Prasanna Bachu  
Suraj Bhandari  
Tazrin Chowdhury  
Diwash Dahal  
Srisha Devkota  
Suprapti Gautam  
Munna Gupta  
Kamrul Hasan  
Janak Joshi  
Jatin Joshi  
Sri Gayatri Kesara  
Nilisha Khadgi  
Samjhana Khakurel  
Dhiraj Khanal  
Lila Bahadur Khatri  
Gokul Khatri  
Saifullah Mahmud  
Muhammad Asad Mehmood  
Salman Khan Mohammed  
Bikash Nepal  
Bijay Pathak  
Sagar Pokhrel  
Vignesh Varma Ravuri Ravi  
Adnan Sadiq  
Garima Shrestha  
Krishodar Bhakta Shrestha  
Rajan Shrestha  
Anup Thapa  
Nishan Thapa

### **Computer Science**

Vidya Manaswi Arumilli  
Prasanna Bachu  
Syeda Mariah Banu  
Akankshita Botta  
Bhavana Chamala  
Sreeja Cheekireddy  
Emily Regina Clayton  
Scott Riley DeLozier  
Shriya Santoshi Devulapally  
Maneesh Gorantla  
Akhila Kakumani  
Praneetha Kethireddy  
Sreeja Kohir  
Likhith Krishna Kolasani  
Venkata Sai Ram Aditya Missula  
Rupa Sai Mundru  
Maneeswari Nallimelli  
Haritha Sai Sree Narra  
Sai Jyothi Narra  
Sai Srija Nunna  
Catherine Ojewole  
Sushma Goud Palle  
Anusha Patibandla  
Venkata Lakshmi Patibandla  
Rachana Peddi  
Bhavana Poosapati  
Ujwal Raj Sah  
Anuna Shrestha  
Bala Raviteja Siddabathula  
Amit Shrestha

## GRADUATE SCHOOL (CONT.)

Jerry Weinberg, Dean

Adithya Teja A R Thatiparthi  
Mohit Kumar Thiyari  
Sainath Talluri  
James Brian Trevarthan  
Manisha Reddy Tummala  
Mohankrishna Vedicherla  
Harshika Venishetty  
Likitha Vinjam  
Ananda Sai Sri Vuda  
Jaswanth Yenduri

### **Electrical and Computer Engineering**

Hanieh Ajami  
Bharathwaj Battala  
Prasheen Man Bijukchhe  
Jaya Chandra Burla  
Pedro Jaiver Carrillo  
Abu Raihan Dider  
Lucas Ronald Gillette  
Md Nasib Ul Haq  
Shivam Jha  
Sony Karki  
Keshav Sai Chowdary Kommineni  
Hima Bindu Lekkala  
Sodiq Abiodun Onawale  
Yaswanth Pagadala  
Mani Sekhar Pasupuleti  
Dheeraj Rayikanti  
Randhir Shah  
Sufiya Pervez  
Sarvani Vatti  
Venkata Sai veena Appina

### **Industrial Engineering**

Manish Reddy Bachamgari  
Vishnu Vardhan Bandari  
Sai Subrahmanya Chandra Teja Bantumilli  
Harikrishna Bathyala  
Saikiran Belladi  
Jaswanth Boda  
Sai Lohith Bollineni  
Jaikrishna Bonala  
Jaswanth Boppey  
Naga Sai Sumanth Chekkala  
Chandrakanth Sriharsha Chinnam  
Nikshith Reddy Chintakuntla  
Yesashree Chitikireddy  
Swetha Chowdavaram  
Samson Ayobami Dada  
Mahesh Dasetty  
Hari Krishna Dharbashenam  
Ashok Gunja  
Pranathi Guttikonda  
Sri Hanu Chaitanya Immanni  
Sandeep Jadige  
Chandrakanth Reddy Kandi  
Uday Kiran Reddy Kandula  
Nikhita Kanikanti  
Nikhil Prabhakar Kola  
Srikanth Kondapalli  
Sai Deekshith Kongari  
Pravallika Kunja  
Vishnuvardhan Marni  
Kishore Kumar Maddini  
Aashish Hemanth Masuna  
Rajesh Merugu

Aseem Ali Mohammed  
Hamza Mohammed  
Sanaullah Shareef Mohammed  
Sai Chaitanya Varma Mudunuri  
Hemanth Reddy Mure  
Suresh Reddy Narsaiahgari  
Pradeep Kumar Neelakantam  
Sai Teja Nelluri  
Dare Joseph Olanite  
Uche Joachim Opara  
Muni Nani Pakala  
Sharon Shirley Polepaka  
Girish Gupta Potta  
Thulasi Ramudu Putta  
Rahul Sallam  
Christina Sallapudi  
Koushik Sande  
Durgaprasad Saripudi  
Upendar Reddy Seelam  
Syed Shaizooruddin

### **Mechanical Engineering**

Manikanta Rohith Kumar Achukolu  
Nikhil Nihar Akepogu  
Shubho Ray Chowdhury  
Saiket Debnath  
Shaybal Das Gupta  
Md Safeyat Hasan  
Ryan Michael Heuermann  
Austin Orion Jones  
Rahila Khatoun  
Dileep Sai Korrapati  
Agbaraoluwa Kayefi Kuboye

Md Al Mamun  
Kapil Pandey  
Shian Qi  
Fahad Nizam Rhisat  
Sujit Kumar Singh  
Athena Zamiri  
Ziyu Zhan  
Shihao Zhao  
Yuzhou Zhu

### **Master of Science**

(Hood: White, Pink, Citron)

**Healthcare Informatics**  
Sonja Leslie Caldwell-DeJesus  
Whitnie Christina DuChateau  
James Logan Havens  
Madison Nicole Koogler  
Maleeha Asadullah  
Mitchell Patrick McMillen  
Rebecca Ross  
Tonja Spires  
Armon Meissami Vakil  
Ilesha Sade Wright

### **Integrative Studies**

Beth Bendele  
Christina M. Carretta

### **Pharmaceutical Sciences**

Nicholas Paul Bethel  
Rupesh Chandra Panta  
Dikchhya Shakya

## SCHOOL OF PHARMACY

SATURDAY, MAY 4, 10 A.M. | FIRST COMMUNITY ARENA AT THE VADALABENE CENTER

James T. Minor, Chancellor of Southern Illinois University Edwardsville, presiding

### National Anthem: “The Star-Spangled Banner” Lyrics by Francis Scott Key

Led by Selena Esparza, Vocal Performance Student, College of Arts and Sciences  
Music by the Meridian Brass Quintet

### Welcoming Remarks

P. Denise Cobb, Provost and Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs

### Remarks on Behalf of the SIU System

Dan Mahony, President, SIU System

### Remarks from the Chancellor

James T. Minor, Chancellor

### Keynote Speaker

Jamal Sims, PharmD, EMHA, BCSCP, BCPS

### Honors and Awards

Mark S. Luer, Dean, School of Pharmacy

### Remarks on Behalf of the Class of 2024

James Hogan Havens, Doctor of Pharmacy

### Candidates for Hooding and Degrees

Mark S. Luer, Dean, School of Pharmacy

Candidate names read by Dr. Jennifer Arnoldi, Assistant Director of Experiential Education and Clinical Professor, Pharmacy Practice, and Dr. Carrie Vogler, Clinical Associate Professor, Pharmacy Practice

### Oath of the Pharmacist

Dr. Jennifer Arnoldi, Assistant Director of Experiential Education and Clinical Professor, Pharmacy Practice

### Conferral of Degrees and Presentation of Graduates

James T. Minor, Chancellor

### Message from the SIUE Alumni Association

Connie Collins, Vice Chancellor for University Advancement

### Alma mater: “Hail SIUE” by George Mellott

Led by Selena Esparza, Vocal Performance Student, College of Arts and Sciences,  
and the Meridian Brass Quintet

## HOODING

Hooding is a special recognition for doctoral candidates during which the Dean of the School of Pharmacy places the doctoral hood upon the shoulders of each graduate, signifying his or her success in completing the pharmacy program. Hooding allows students to share the accomplishment of earning the professional doctorate with family, friends and the School of Pharmacy faculty and staff.

A tradition dating to the Middle Ages, the olive green velvet facing of the hood denotes the wearer’s pharmacy discipline. The red and white color of the lining represents the institution from which the degree was awarded, in this case Southern Illinois University Edwardsville. The velvet tam, rather than the traditional mortarboard cap, is commonly worn by doctorate holders.

## SCHOOL OF PHARMACY

Mark Luer, Dean

### Doctor of Pharmacy (Hood: Olive Green)

#### Pharmacy

Leah Amaya Baker H  
Fatima Mohamed Bashir  
Michael Basta  
Anthony Wayne Bissey H  
Leanne Marie Bockstruck  
Kayla Marie Boedeker  
Abigail Rose Boggs  
Jason Taylor Burk  
Garrett Quinn Clary  
Dalton Clouse  
Rachel Elizabeth Conrad  
Wesley Gale Cowen H  
Brandon D. Darnell  
Jordan Lynn Fischer  
Courtney Marie Foust

Megan Patricia Fraley  
James Logan Havens  
Edna Ismajilefendic  
Morgan Paige Jetton  
Joselyn Deanne Knobloch  
Mallory Suzanne Knolhoff  
Emery Joy Lomelino  
Ethan Ross Lomelino  
Trey Anthony Macke  
Leah Renee Markham  
Madeline Christine Mayer H  
Alexis Marie McCarthy  
Sydney Erin McGuire  
Mason Reid McIntosh  
Hailey Catherine-Ann Mueller  
Matthew Daniel Murray  
Tessa Ellen Nesch  
Michelle Nguyen  
Kenyon Perkins

Asad Pilica  
Mona Ghassan Raya  
Trevor Allen Reichert H  
Amelia Louise Ries  
Avery Cale Risinger  
Amanda Paige Rogers  
Madison Elizabeth Rogers  
Tristyn Nicole Rudolph  
Khushali Kishore Sarnot  
Kayleigh Michelle Schleeper H  
Lauren Holly Schleyhahn  
Nicole Leigh Scott  
Teagan Elizabeth Strom  
Kaitlyn Rae Tammen  
Jillian Bresette Thro  
Noah Martin Umfleet  
Armon Meissami Vakil  
Jenna Nicole Verdick H  
Dylan Bradley Volkman

Brooke Michaela VonLanken  
Jonah Wendling  
Angela Dianne Whalen  
Andrea Lynn Whitaker  
Lauren Marie White  
Justin Ray WhiteRhodes  
Logan James Wiebler  
Chasity Renee Williams  
John Joseph Woods

## OATH OF A PHARMACIST

I promise to devote myself to a lifetime of service to others through the profession of pharmacy.

In fulfilling this vow:

- I will consider the welfare of humanity and relief of suffering my primary concerns.
- I will promote inclusion, embrace diversity, and advocate for justice to advance health equity.
- I will apply my knowledge, experience and skills to the best of my ability to assure optimal outcomes for all patients.
- I will respect and protect all personal and health information entrusted to me.
- I will accept the responsibility to improve my professional knowledge, expertise, and self-awareness.
- I will hold myself and my colleagues to the highest principles of our profession’s moral, ethical and legal conduct.
- I will embrace and advocate changes that improve patient care.
- I will utilize my knowledge, skills, experiences and values to prepare the next generation of pharmacists.

I take these vows voluntarily with the full realization of the responsibility with which I am entrusted by the public.



# COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES: UNDERGRADUATE

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Music by the Meridian Brass Quintet

## Welcoming Remarks

P. Denise Cobb, Provost and Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs

## Remarks on Behalf of the SIU System

Daniel Mahony, President, SIU System

## Remarks from the Chancellor

James T. Minor, Chancellor

## Remarks on Behalf of the Class of 2024

Rie'Onna R. Holmon, Bachelor of Arts degree in English - Secondary English Language Arts

## Candidates Commissioned as Second Lieutenants and Members of Honor Societies

## Candidates for Baccalaureate Degrees, College of Arts and Sciences

Kevin Leonard, Dean, College of Arts and Sciences

Candidate names read by Robin Boyce, Associate Director for Corporate Support at WSIE FM.

## Conferral of Degrees and Presentation of Graduates

James T. Minor, Chancellor

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# COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES

Kevin Leonard, Dean

## Bachelor of Arts

(Tassel: Brown, Citron, Crimson, Copper, Dark Blue, Gold, Gray, Ivory, White)

Ashley Paige Ayala  
Hannah Azman \*  
Graham Walden Ballard  
Elaina Camille Barrow  
Emily Carole Beach \* H  
Kelcey L. Bischoff \*  
Sydni Nicole Bozada  
Megan Elizabeth Brand \*\*\*  
Kiarra Fallon Brimm \*\*\*  
Caitlyn Grace Cotter \*\*  
Griffen James Courtoise \*\*  
Rio Anakin Krishna Dallape \*\*  
Jordyn S. David \*\*\*  
Julia Dynnae Davis  
Caroline Grace Dobbs \*\*\*  
Beatrice Duplantis \*\*\* H  
M. E. Eschmann \*\*  
Tamara Toni Ewing  
Hannah Louise Flanagan \*  
Jazmin Johanna Flashing  
Sydney Eileen Francis \*\* H  
Katherine Grace Garrett  
Joshalynn Mikalia Gibson  
Hannah G. Goffinet \*\*  
Sandra Gonzalez \*\*\*  
Brandon Baxter Greenwald \*\*\* H  
Jack Anderson Gully \*\*\*  
Joshua Craig Harris  
Halie Ann Hebron \*\*\*  
Dalton Keith Hodge  
Rie'Onna R. Holmon \*\*  
Gavin Christopher Hosto \*  
Ashley Clarissa Lam  
Hannah Nicole Lohmeyer  
Adriana Maldonado  
Evan Robert Matlock \*\*\* H  
Emily R. McCardell  
Joseph McClinton IV  
Blake Hunter McKay \*  
Treyvoyn W.M. Perkins  
Paige Lehman Pierson \*  
Taylor Virginia Pinkel \*\*\*  
Madison Leigh Ireland Pirtle  
Noris Del C. Quezada Cordoba  
Miranda Colleen Reynolds \*  
Jeremiah E. Roberson  
Ontarius Dequan Rollins \*  
Ryker Jakob Sanders  
Anna Marie Satterfield  
Adam Clark Schroeder \*  
Tera Schultz \*  
Leigha Nicole Schwartz  
Blake Matthew Seely \*\* H  
Makeegan Sparling  
Mariah Elizabeth Starnes \*\*  
Madison Faith Swanson \*\*\* H  
Claire Elizabeth Sykes  
Kenneth Christian Warner \*\*  
Taylor Ann Waterkotte \*\*\*

Jomari Robert Watson  
Jalen Anthony White \*\*  
Arron Nakia Whitt  
Jacob Granger Will  
Lucas Robert Wolf \* H  
Sydney Elise Wright \*\*  
Mark A. Ybarra \*  
Sarah Rose Zyk \*\*\*

## Bachelor of Fine Arts

(Tassel: Brown)

Chloe E. Albers  
Makayla Latrese Beverly \*  
Addison Rae Drone \*\*\* H  
Elijah Jeremiah Glasper  
Kacey Elizabeth Hochgraber  
Joanna Hurless \*\*  
Josie Taylor Koch \*\*\*  
Emily Elizabeth Linn  
Molly Marie McGovern

## Bachelor of Liberal Studies

(Tassel: White)

Nicole Elizabeth Benigni  
Anna Jean Carpunky  
Raimie Dakota Hicks  
Gunner Lee Peterson  
Arlentila D. Thomas

## Bachelor of Music

(Tassel: Pink)

Sarah G. Collins \*\* H  
Natalie Rose Gould \*  
Abigail Mikayah Meyers \*\*\*  
Aubrey Olivia Morgan \*\*\*  
Shaun Courtney Robinson  
William Saxton  
Julia R. Terry \*

## Bachelor of Science

(Tassel: Brown, Citron, Crimson, Copper, Dark Blue, Gold, Gray, Ivory, White)

Damilola Adebisi  
Akintomiwa Akinlehin  
Alivia A. Albright  
Cecilia Gabriela Alvarez Cruz  
Kurtis Michael Amburn  
Brendan C. Angevine  
Andrew Deneen Angleton  
Joel Patrick Arnold  
Allison Nicole Baltz  
Rachel Leigh Barner  
Cobie Logan Barnes  
Jackson Edward Belt  
Ian Mason Benner \*\*\*  
Meagan Marie Berberet \*  
Savannah Lynn Blaine  
Briana Lee Bolster  
Lucia Rose Boxdorfer  
Eli Pierce Breeze \*

Jurnee Mariah-Anne Brewer  
Suzanne Emily Brewer \*  
Alexander James Brown \*  
Darcean Aunye Isaiah Brown  
Kaitlyn Miah Ariel Brown  
Laura Naomi Brown \*  
Scott Manton Brown  
Kevin Scott Brunke Jr. \*  
Jaid Elizabeth Burkett \*\*  
Andrew J.M. Bushnell-Chamness \*\*\*  
Ashley Renee Carney  
Kayla Marie Carver  
Noah Wesley Claghorn \*  
Robert E. Clark III  
Olivia Anne Clayton  
Damian C. Coleman  
Sharna Shian Collins  
Kimberly J. Collman  
Teague Steven Conrad  
John Robert Corso \*\*  
Eli J. Cox  
Cooper Issac Crawford  
Rasheed Mark Anthony Crump  
Skyler Lee James Culpepper  
Toria Lee Cunningham  
Christopher D. Daly  
Niya Danfort  
Ashlynn Elizabeth Deane  
Dakota Joseph DeClue  
Tyler Anthony DeLong \*  
Emily Ann Dermody \*\*\*  
Lisa Devert \*\*\*  
Aisha Pinar Dinceroglu  
Hannah Faith Dugan  
Kali Janay Ervin  
Jelen Evans  
Jackson Cole Feller  
Piper Alexandra Field \*\*\*  
Claudia A. Fierro Rubio  
Elizabeth Nicole Fischer \*  
Angelika Rose Fite  
Caden Calvin Flanders  
Aniyah J. Fletcher  
Tamia Alicia Flowers  
Zachary Floyd  
Corjay Zatoreion Fowler  
Jayla Che' Fox  
Amy L. Frankel  
Ryleigh Grayce Franklin  
Carah Jeanette Marie Frazier  
Katy Fuller  
Dakota Thomas Gagliardi  
Adalia Leilani Galan  
Erica Je Galloway  
Hailey Marie Garrett  
Samuel Joseph Gentelin  
Nicholas James Ghanayem \*\*\*  
Mya Mikala Gill  
Elise Theresa Goddard  
Ashley Marie Gonzales  
Sydney Renee Gordon  
Darrell Alexander Green  
Vamarah Ashay Green  
Jacqueline Kae Frost Grimes \*\*\*

Jessica Anna Grzeskowiak  
Josh Paul Guthrie \*  
Lukas Haag  
Peyton Lynn Haas \*  
Joshua Vincell Hardin  
Rebecca Dawn Harmon  
Katherine A. Haugland  
Garrett Michael Hawkins  
Melessa d'Nay Herzberg \*  
Delaney H. Hill  
Jessica Lynn Hill \*  
AJ Hines  
Jacob A. Holcomb  
Nathaniel William Holloway \*  
Alexis Holzinger \*\*\*  
Anjellikka Serenity Hopkins  
Gabrielle K. Horton  
Evan James Howard  
Madison Marie Hutchinson \*\*\* H  
Dimitri Dusan Ivetic \*  
Erik Dejuan Jefferson  
Jamiyah Ann Johnson  
Wesley Randle Johnson III  
Charles Frederick Jones II  
Priscilla Diane Jones  
Hayleigh Lynn Juenger \*  
Lael-Kaish Darnell Justice  
Josephine Nyambura Kanyi \*\*\*  
Olivia Mackenzie Karnes \*  
Zakary Aleksandr Kimble  
Joseph G. King Jr.  
Samuel Thomas Kingery  
Daniel Martin Klein  
Olivia Grace Knoedler \*\*  
Pieter Andre Kok \*  
Dakota Jade Krone  
Samantha Marie Langdon  
Gerrell Marcel Lewis  
Madison Lewis \*\*\*  
Tyrese Deshaun Lott  
Audrey C. Love  
Conner Christopher Lynn  
Lindsey Alane Maag  
Makayla Marie Mallon \*\*\*  
Emily Deen Manar \*  
Jessica F. Mathias \*  
Shonndrea Gracie McClendon  
Sawyer Grant Bookhout McGrath \*  
Justin Kent McMahon  
Blerina Mehmedi \*\*  
Adam Christopher Mertens  
Frances Paulena Messina \*\*\*  
Aaron Michael Metheny  
Owen Raymond Miller  
Yaune Yaqwesh Moody  
Kayla Morgan \*\*  
Malik Darnell Morris  
Elisabeth Rose Mudd  
Melisa Muminovic  
Michael P. Neel  
Joseph Randall Papin  
Tashauna Ivory Parker  
Christopher Aaron Parks \*\*\*  
Komal Vijay Patel

## COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES

Kevin Leonard, Dean

Ava May Pattillo \*  
 Jordan Taylor Picklesimer \*  
 Kristen Marcella Poelker  
 Ella Nicole Pruitt  
 Kyle Robert Rotliff  
 Charles John Renken  
 Eric James Rennie  
 Tayla Michelle Richardson  
 Abby Lynn Riechmann  
 Lauren Carice Riggs  
 Emily Marie Ripperda  
 Katie Elizabeth Roach  
 Raechel D. Roberson \*\*  
 Ryan Roentz  
 Tyler Lee Rose \*\*\*  
 Kara Lee Rosentreter  
 Reagan Marie Roth  
 Cierra Marie Sandvoss  
 Sophia Louise Schaefer H  
 Sayne Julian Schultz  
 Kaylee Renee Scott \*\*\*  
 Mya D. Scott \* H  
 Joshua Logan Scranton \*\*\*  
 Peyton R. Seaman  
 Herta Martha Shikapwashya  
 Olivia Rose Siegel \*\*  
 Sidney Leah Sievers \*\*  
 Allison Marie Simpson \*\*

Marshay Vonzetta Sims  
 Andrew Thomas Singvongsa  
 Hope Nichole Skaggs  
 Duncan Cade Skinner \* H  
 Alayna Snelling  
 Aontionna Lyshay Snow  
 Na'eema Tahirah Spencer  
 Derek Dean Stafford  
 Faith Linden Stambaugh  
 Nikolas O'Bryan Stambaugh  
 Dorion Tysean Staples  
 John Michael Stauffer  
 Austin Ryan Stepanek  
 Kendrick Eugene Stewart  
 Jed Erik Stinnett  
 Jocelyn Strader  
 Bradley R. Sutton \*\*  
 Brady Scott Taylor \*  
 Mikhel Xavier Teverbaugh  
 Jackson Joseph Reid Tex  
 Mackenzie The  
 Terrance Tyler Thompson  
 Elizabeth Rose Tomasino \*  
 Megan Elisabeth Toon  
 Ethan Richard Toone  
 Ty'Ohn Trimble  
 Cody Jackson Trittschuh  
 Noah Alan Tungett \*\*\*

Kameron G. Vallem  
 Jake Hayes Vanausdall  
 Steven Michael Vaughn Jr. \*\*  
 Makenzie Marie Vehovc \*  
 Madelyn May Walter  
 Matthew Joseph Ward  
 Benjamin Joseph Wells  
 Matthew Don Wells \*  
 Justin Durand White  
 Dawson Jule Whitten  
 Olivia Marie Wilhelm \*  
 Elizabeth Anne Williams  
 Mason Scott Wills \*\*  
 Jessica Lynn Wilson  
 Lucas Daniel Witmer  
 Samantha Aileen Worthen \*\*  
 Hannah Leigh Wright  
 Trevor W. Yearian  
 Nicholas Constantine Zanze  
 Viktoria Zolman

### Bachelor of Social Work (Tassel: Citron)

Michelle Barber  
 Taylor Marie Buchanan  
 Andrew J.M. Bushnell-Chamness \*\*\*  
 Mitchell A. Bushnell-Chamness \*

Jaden Marie Cassens \*\*\*  
 Faith K. Chavers \*  
 Chelsea Jewel Cooper \*\*  
 Sara Joelle DiNardo  
 Ciara Marie Emrick \*  
 Emily Elizabeth Fitzgerald \*\* H  
 Grace Gassiraro \* H  
 Makenzie Marie Gorda  
 Kaitlyn Rose Hall \*\*  
 Ariana Hambricht  
 Taylor Renee Hawkes \*\*  
 Cheyenne Jean Hogue  
 Paige De'Shea Marquis  
 Stephanie Montenegro  
 Reghan Mae Smock \*  
 Kyra Nicole Wells \*\*\*  
 Maya Cheyenne Wimberly \*  
 Haley Nicole Yarber \*\*

## COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES AND SCHOOL OF ENGINEERING: UNDERGRADUATE

SATURDAY, MAY 4, 5:30 P.M. | FIRST COMMUNITY ARENA AT THE VADALABENE CENTER

James T. Minor, Chancellor of Southern Illinois University Edwardsville, presiding

### National Anthem: "The Star-Spangled Banner" Lyrics by Francis Scott Key

Led by Selena Esparza, Vocal Performance Student, College of Arts and Sciences  
 Music by the Meridian Brass Quintet

### Welcoming Remarks

P. Denise Cobb, Provost and Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs

### Remarks on Behalf of the SIU System

Daniel Mahony, President, SIU System

### Remarks from the Chancellor

James T. Minor, Chancellor

### 2024 Honorary Degree Recognition

Edward Grady

### Remarks on Behalf of the Class of 2024

Paris Simone Somerville, Bachelor of Science in Computer Science

### Candidates Commissioned as Second Lieutenants and Members of Honor Societies

### Candidates for Baccalaureate Degrees, College of Arts and Sciences

Kevin Leonard, Dean, College of Arts and Sciences

### Candidates for Baccalaureate Degrees, School of Engineering

Cem Karacal, Dean, School of Engineering

Candidate names read by Robin Boyce, Associate Director for Corporate Support at WSIE FM.

### Conferral of Degrees and Presentation of Graduates

James T. Minor, Chancellor

### Message from the SIUE Alumni Association

Connie Collins, Vice Chancellor for University Advancement

### Alma mater: "Hail SIUE" by George Mellott

Led by Selena Esparza, Vocal Performance Student, College of Arts and Sciences, and the Meridian Brass Quintet

## COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES

Kevin Leonard, Dean

### Bachelor of Science (Tassel: Citron, Copper, Gold, Drab)

Shay Victory Adio \*\*\* H  
Hannah Marie Almos \*  
Joseph A. Antonacci  
Kyndel Paige Arthalony \*  
Ava Viviana Austin \*\*\*  
Muskan Bakshi \*\*\* H  
Alexander Scott Barr  
Mickenzie Riley Bass \*\*\* H  
Autumn Elizabeth Belt  
Mary-Margaret Brigitte Benware \*\*\* H  
Olivia Jade Bleichner  
Carter Robert Bonta  
Jaelyn Grace Boone \*\*\*  
Christopher Rocky Boros  
Blakemen Scott Bowers  
Hannah Grace Bradley \*\*\* H  
Arden Brady \* H  
Nathaniel Mark Branstetter  
Austin W. Brockman  
Isabelle Faith Lee Broughton \*  
Austin T. Brown  
Tristin Dean Brown  
Taylor Jeffrey Brumfield  
Nicole Elizabeth Burbach  
Levi Vincent Bushue  
Logan Alexander Butler  
Raymond Stuart Carr \*\*\*  
Isaac Ryan Chapman \*  
Bailey Michele Chappuis  
Ashley Ruth Chirchirillo \*\*\* H  
Arianna Saryn Hope Climaco  
Jessica Anne Coffin  
Kennedy Lynn Collier \*  
Kaia Lee Cosgriff  
Emily Suzanne Cretors \*\*\*  
Emily Sarah Daiber

Skyler A. Davis  
Jacob Stanley Decker  
Emma Katherine Deist \*\*\*  
Emily Kay Doke \*  
Matthew David Drewes \*\* H  
Hannah Marie Dustman \*  
Janelle Elizabeth Ekstrom \*  
Connor Michael Ellrich \*  
Michaela Fay Eubanks  
Alexander S. Eversman  
Mackenzie Kay Fisher \*\*  
Desiraii Rose Fowler  
Alexandria Jordan Fraase \*\*\*  
Kaitlyn Rose Fredrick  
Tyler James Free  
Daniel T. Frisbee  
Keerstin Dawn Fritch \*  
Alec Charles Garza \*\*  
Ashton Allen Gray \*\*\*  
Caden Lane Green  
Caroline Amanda Gwaltney \*\*\*  
Elizabeth Brooke Hanna \*  
George Edward Harms V \*  
Alissa Dion Harris  
Gwendlyn Lainey Harris  
Weronika Hassel \*\*\*  
Megan Cotter Haug H  
Quincie Hayden  
William Clay Henson \*  
Camille Renee Herdtklotz  
Diego Hernandez  
Grace Sophia Herschbach  
Bryce Hunter Higginbotham  
Nathan Holmberg  
Carmella Josephina Huckoby  
Caleb Bradley Hurst \*\*\*  
Brett Allen Huskamp  
Elijah Bradley Jacobs  
Peyton Elyse Jeckstadt \*\*  
Blake Andrew Johnson

Emma Mae Johnson \*\*\*  
MyDeja Monae Johnston  
Nicholas Scott Kane \*\*  
Makenzi Lynn Keller \*\*\*  
Asmaa Farah Khalid  
Payton A. Kinder \*\*\*  
Taylor Katherine Kiss  
Cole Benjamin Knapp \*\* H  
Nathan Charles Kolb  
Jessica Caprial Korte \*\*\*  
Eve Nichole Koski \*  
Siddarth Venkata Kothamasu  
Matthew Kowigai  
Ashley Sue Lang \*\*\*  
Luke Evan LeQuatte \*  
George Francis Lindsey \*\*  
Rachel Ann Loepker \*  
Josephine Isabelle Looney  
Lauren Claire Lucykow \*\*\*  
Marianne Maghamez \*  
Karlie Rae Markus  
David Jackson Martin  
Mason Patrick Maun  
Logann Paige Mayfield Pocrnich  
Christian Lynnette McAfee  
Garret Steven McEvilly  
Delilah Amira Megahy  
Kaleb Shaun Meyer  
Anna Clare Miller  
Addison Thomas Moore \*  
Hunter Marie Moore  
Levi A. Mourning \*\*  
Madisen Mikelle Hall Nannini \*\*  
Chessy B. Nikonowicz  
Kailey Nicole Noud \*  
Alen Novi H  
Bisola Oluwafela Olatunde  
Ridwan Femi Oyebamiji \*\*\* H  
Kayla Tianna Parker Taveggia  
Dillon James Partney

Jacob Christopher Penrod \*  
Fabiola Nicole Perez \*\*  
Olivia Rose Pille \*\*\*  
Luz M. Pineda  
Andrew John Piros  
Sophia Rebekah Poston \*  
Emma Margaret Pritchard  
Kennedy Joy Quick  
Nicholas Joseph Rebb \*\* H  
Blake Paul Rentz \* H  
Brianna L. Robb \*\*\*  
Nora Elizabeth Rogers  
Tanner Isaac Rubenacker  
Sarah Michelle Rutledge  
Landon Paul Sage \*  
Marcus Anthony Smiley  
Blake Craig Smith  
Alayna Nicole Snelling  
Jennica Charlotte Stanley \*  
Dalton John Steinkamp \*\*  
Gage Ellis Stevens  
Tyler James Stewart  
Jillian R. Tonnies  
Kya Michele Torres  
Patrick John Tottleben  
Corina Louise Trapp \*\*  
Joshua David Turner  
Hayden David VanDeVoorde  
Ana Maria Vasquez \* H  
Mackenzie Marie Wagner  
Blake Albert Warfield  
Brienna Marie Weaver \*  
Jacob Andrew Western \*\*\* H  
Keylee Danielle Wildman  
Jared Alexander Willis  
Selina Gabriela Wilson  
Sarah N. Wollesen \*\*\*  
Sydney René Worth \*\*\*  
Johnathan Elmer Zietlow

## SCHOOL OF ENGINEERING

Cem Karacal, Dean

### Bachelor of Arts (Tassel: Citron)

Tucker Dillan Dorjahn  
Zachary Fisher  
Joshua Parker Ponce  
Courtney Jean Ramatowski  
Sam G. Rinehart  
Keaton T. Steele  
Christina Lynn Wegman

### Bachelor of Science (Tassel: Citron, Copper, Gold, Drab)

Alexander Joseph Abernathy  
Cyress Donovan Ahart \*\*\*  
Josue Emmanuel Ahern \*\*\*  
Noah Amjad Al-Khamaos  
Zackary Richard Bahn  
Isaiah E. Bartlett-Duhr  
Nathan Lee Baum  
Caleb Levi Bayles \*  
Aiden Jarrett Beck  
Jordan K. Beebe H  
Madison Claire Bilotta \*\* H  
Michael David Bopp  
Keegan Matthew Borgic  
Robert John Borik \*  
Shawn Jared Cole Bowers  
Max Perry Brentlinger  
LeeLanda Renee Brewer  
Patrick James Burke  
Noah Matthew Buske  
Levi Adren Campbell  
John E. Carter  
Sarthak Chopra  
Michael Lincoln Cochran  
Kaitlyn Reid Colligan  
Clinton James Conness  
Gregory Ronald Crawford  
Logan James Crumly  
McKenna Rae Daiber \*\*\*  
Joshua Ray Davis  
Colton Charles DeLong \*\*  
William David Denny \*\* H

Joseph M. Depke  
Kyle Logan Doubet  
Jared Jacob Dunnagan  
Cameron Paul Eckell  
Efehan Efe  
Sierra Alla Eigenmann \*\*\*  
Zachary Mark Elbe  
Ugochukwu Chukwuemeka Eleonu \*\* H  
DaShaun Hamoni Emerson  
Tristan Zachary Essig  
Isaiah Jakobe Flager-Hearan  
Trace Jacob Fletcher  
Lucas Samuel Freeze \*\* H  
Christopher A. Frevert-Brown  
Rodney Albert Friedly  
Collin Jeffery Fuller \*  
Antonio David Gadbois  
Isaac Gerard Gebke  
Richard Bryan Graves  
Wilson Aric Hamby  
Owen Patrick Helfrich \*\*  
Timothy Hemphill  
Kristen Rachael Hill \*\*\*  
Michael Jihad Hill  
Dylan J. Hites  
Eddie Huy Hoang  
Kyle Scott Holtmann  
Alexander Erwin Huelskamp H  
Cole Garrett Hyman  
Andrew Scott Jones  
Thomas Alan Jordan  
Lena Rose Juenger \*\*\* H  
Jamie Kaelan Kattenbraker \*  
Jason Kendall Kattenbraker \*\* H  
Harpreet Kaur  
Dominik Michael Kayser H  
Mohammad Khan  
Carter B. Killion  
Robert Zachariah King  
Daniel Paul Kloppe \*  
Jonah R. Krieg \* H  
Ryan Kulasekara \*\*\* H  
Mziomukulu Mike Kumalo  
Marva Amanda Lockett  
Luke Jeffrey Ludwig \*\*\*

Caleb Michael Lung  
Andrew Todd Luthy \*  
Qiuha Ma \*  
Steven Russell Madden \*  
Anthony P. Maliszewski  
Joshua Michael Marion \*  
Daniel Jose Martin  
Joseph Maxwell Masinelli \*  
Connor Russell Mayall \* H  
Cade Spencer Mcdowell  
Dakota Alec Mendoza  
Carter Joseph Mercier  
Jared Christopher Milby  
Jacob Ryan Miller  
Jaedyn Scott Milner  
Grant Nathaniel Moore  
John D. Morra \* H  
Luke Gregory Morrow  
Tyler Ray Mowen \*\*  
Aiden Jeffrey Nelson \*\*\*  
Kwame N. Ngwa  
Neil Richard Pascua Nigos  
Caleb Joseph O'Connell  
Jinson Alexander Padilla  
Simran Rakesh Patel \*  
Jacob Anthony Perona  
Gregory Loren Platt  
Jason Pollmann \*  
Joel Edward Porter  
Edward Paul Prenzler \*  
Caleb James Probst \*\*\*  
Ben Alan Raymond  
Kevin Reyna  
Andrew James Rich  
Bryce Matthew Riemenschneider \*\*  
Josiah Lane Ritchie \*  
Avery Grayson Rogers \* H  
Nicholas Allen Rooker  
Seth Andy Rudolphi  
Luke Robert Sander  
Connor Jacob Sands \*\*\*  
Carter Joseph Schnaus  
Jared Scott Schneider  
Wyatt Drake Schrader  
Justin Ryan Schwertmann

Nicholas L. Shaheen  
Ryan Thomas Sliwa  
Ryan Andrew Snudden \*  
Paris Symone Somerville \*  
Brendon Jay Steinacher \*\*\*  
Hunter Marc Stewart \*  
Avery Christine Stilwell \*\*\*  
Joseph Edward Swan  
Kendall Kade Tabbert  
Dane A. Taghon  
Angela Renae Tatum  
Jacob David Thomas  
Brian Parker Tipton  
Nathaniel C. Tooley \*\*  
Andrew Clay Towner  
Cameron William Trompeter  
Hung Luong Quoc Truong  
Mark Adam Tucker  
Narangoo Tumur  
Amanda Nicole VanDerHaeghen  
Ashley Elizabeth Vandersand \*\*\*  
Nicholas Daniel Walters \*  
Zachary Robert Walters \*\*\*  
Ruixin Wang  
Cole Matthew Warden  
Carson Evers Webb \*\*  
Elijah Ray Weddle  
James Bowen Wedmore  
Mary Catherine Wessel  
Joshua A. Wilkinson  
Brayden Joseph Will  
Amanda Lynn Williams  
Kevin Reynolds  
Jesse Ryan Williams  
Miles Joseph Wilson  
Patrick Ryan Wong  
Aidan N. Wright  
Yuchen Xia \*\*  
Chenxi Xu  
Hangyu Yao  
Jiayi Yuan  
Frank Lewis Zachman III \*\*  
Haibo Zhao  
Trevor Blaine Zuber

# SCHOOL OF EDUCATION, HEALTH AND HUMAN BEHAVIOR: UNDERGRADUATE

SUNDAY, MAY 5, 10 A.M. | FIRST COMMUNITY ARENA AT THE VADALABENE CENTER

James T. Minor, Chancellor of Southern Illinois University Edwardsville, presiding

## National Anthem: "The Star-Spangled Banner" Lyrics by Francis Scott Key

Led by Sarah Collins, Vocal Performance Student, College of Arts and Sciences  
Music by the Meridian Brass Quintet

## Welcoming Remarks

P. Denise Cobb, Provost and Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs

## Remarks on Behalf of the SIU System

Dan Mahony, President, SIU System

## Remarks from the Chancellor

James T. Minor, Chancellor

## Remarks on Behalf of the Class of 2024

Amira Samir Al-Jassim, Bachelor of Science in Speech-Language Pathology

## Candidates Commissioned as Second Lieutenants and Members of Honor Societies

## Candidates for School of Education, Health and Human Behavior Baccalaureate Degrees

Robin L. Hughes, Dean, School of Education, Health and Human Behavior

Candidate names read by Jason Church, Managing Director, WSIE FM

## Conferral of Degrees and Presentation of Graduates

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# SCHOOL OF EDUCATION, HEALTH AND HUMAN BEHAVIOR

Robin L. Hughes, Dean

## Bachelor of Arts

(Tassel: Gold)

Kamya Chantell Castro  
Chloe Josephine Mishler-Trerice \*\*\*

## Bachelor of Science

(Tassel: Light Blue, Gold)

Ashley Nicole Alexander \*  
Imani Alexander \*\*\*  
Amira Samir Al-Jassim \*  
Christopher L. Altman  
Brady William Arnold \*  
Dahlia Maria Avila  
Sydney Marlene Baalman \*  
Sylvia Irene Baalman  
Skyler Tori Bailey \*  
Taryn Lee Baker  
Hayden J. Barnard  
Annabelle Ruth Barnstable \*  
Brooke Elizabeth Batson \*  
Nicholas Elliot Beck  
Mackenzie C. Becker \*\*  
Mikayla Jo Becker \*\*\*  
Sidney J. Bee  
Joshua M. Behary  
Lauren Rose Belaska  
Alexis Maria Belfiore \*  
Olivia Hui Hunter Bell  
Elliot Jacob Bennett \*\*  
Brittany Nicole Bettorf  
Trevor J. Bieg  
Grace O. Biggers \*\*\* H  
Kelsey Christine Bivens \*\*  
Emily Mae Blackston \*  
Mikayla Lily Block \*  
Stephanie Leslie Bodkins  
Jeri Kaye Bonine-Burton  
Skylar Dawn Boone \*  
Hunter Gayle Boss  
Grace Kathryn Bowen  
Hannah Lynn Boynton \*\*\*  
Danielle Lee Brand \*\*  
Abigail Rose Braundmeier \*  
Tyler John Brennan \*\*  
Rachel Ohannah Britton \*\*  
Tyler Lane Brooks  
Victoria Lynn Brust  
Asiya Inaya Bryant  
Balam Bue  
Taniya Nicole Buggs  
Anna Rose Buhnerkempe \*\*\*  
Reyna Nikole Bullock \*\*\*  
Destiny Pearl Burkett \*  
Alexander Jack Burnham  
Brijon Burtley  
Jordyn D. Bushway \*\*\*

Joel D. Butcher \*  
Elizabeth Lena Bystedt \*  
Abigail Rose Carlson \*\*\*  
Ashton Reese Carmichael \*  
Taylor Grace Cason \*  
Alia Mary Chappell-Beattie \*  
Christina Fay Cheeseboro  
Simon Edward Childerson \*\*  
Isabella M. Cipolla-Pruitt \* H  
RaeShaune Gerneisha Clark  
Madison Louise Clarke \*\*\*  
Ryanne M. Clendenny \*  
Elisabeth Kate Cler  
Bryce Ray Cloud  
Abigael Eileen Coffey \*\*\* H  
Kyla A. Coleman  
Camryn Kristin Collins-Vaughn \*\*  
Kiersten Marie Connolly  
Hannah Mae Cordes \*  
Destinee Rose Cox \*  
Malorie Ellen Craig \*  
Logan Riley Crowl  
Maria L. Cullen \*\*\*  
Autumn Richelle Cushman \*\*  
Kaitlynn Renee Danielson \*\*  
Maria Nicole Davinroy  
Aden Kristine Davis \*\*  
Alexis Tiana Davis \*  
Madalynn M. Davis \*\*\*  
Dariyn Jo Day \*  
Sadie Jo Day \*\*  
Miranda Renee Deam  
Jennifer Deavila \*\*  
Lydia Michelle DeFosset  
Tabitha Nicole Dehne-Pizzo \*\*\*  
Amber Elizabeth DeLong \*\*\*  
Daphne Marie Devall  
Molly Elizabeth Diekemper \*  
Nicole Marie Diesen \*\*  
Mallory Ann Duggan \*  
Dylan Lee Dwyer \*  
Brenna Nicole Eddington \*\*\*  
Bailey Renea Elder  
Emily Nicole Ellis  
Alysa Karly Evans  
Jade Elizabeth Falk \*\*  
Kelly Ann Ferguson \*  
Krystal Ann Finley  
Jenna Michelle Fisher  
Christine Elizabeth Frisbee  
Jaden Elizabeth Froeckmann  
Hannah Grace Funk  
Nikkiyana N. Gatewood  
Noah Jae Gearhart  
Katherine Grace George \* H  
Haileigh J. Gilley \*\*\*  
Danielle Marie Graf \*  
Mekkah Grant

Victoria L. Gravot  
Nicholas Ashley Greene \*  
Madison Christine Gregory \*\* H  
Riley Catherine Grissom  
Anna L. Haas  
Swati Vasant Hajari  
Elise Lauren Halbrooks \*\*  
Zaria Marie Hankins \*  
Meghan Nicole Hanks \*\*\*  
Kasey Jo Hanson \*\*\*  
Trevor Daniel Hartman  
Corryn Elle Hasenstab \*\*\*  
Ciara M. Hay \*\*\*  
Brooklyn T. Hearn \*\*\* H  
Brooki Lynn Hebenstreit  
Riley Hendershott  
Anna Elise Hendricks \*\*\* H  
Chloe E. Henry  
Isabella Rae Hensler \*\*  
Ariel C. Hernandez \*  
Jenna Grace Herron  
Allison Nicole Hill  
Natori J. Hodges  
Jessica S. Hogan  
Melody Rose Holcomb  
Raegan Marie Holley \*  
Simone Patrice Holmes  
Lekendra Tatiana Huntt  
Bailey Nicole Hurley  
Taylor Nicole Jennings  
Sydney Alese Johnson  
Taryn A. Johnson \*\*  
Allison Joan-Ruth Jolly \*  
Ryann J. Jungwirth \*  
Makenzie Nicole Kell \*\*\*  
Tara Nicole Kellermann  
Suzanne Kempf \*  
Rachel LeeAnn Kessler \*\*\*  
Macie Jo Kinder \*\*\*  
Jacen King \*  
Jalysse Elle Kinney \*\*\*  
Gabrielle Schuler Kitzman \*  
Matthew Conrad Klein  
Carmen Paige Kline \*\*\*  
Amanda Nicole Konarcik  
Isabella Lynne Kronewitter  
Rylee Madisen Langendorf \*\*  
Christine Jaesun Lee \*\*  
Madelyn Amelia Legendre \*  
Miranda Brooke Less  
Nakira LaShandra Lewis  
Kayla Michele Lignon  
Caleb Ross Limes \*\*  
Stacia Livingston  
Emily Jordan Long \*\*\* H  
Sydney Jade Lucas \*\*  
Bethany Caitlyn Lybarger \*  
Christopher Grant Magdaleno

Summer Leigh Marion  
Isaac L. Marshall \*  
Sydney Renee Marshall \*\*  
Christina Ann Martin \*\*  
Gabrielle Deann Martin \*\*\*  
LeAnn Suzette Martin \*\*\*  
Matthew Thomas McGowan  
Teagan Zia McKechnie  
Hailey Mckenzie McKinnie  
Lanee Elizabeth McNary \*  
Brenna Lynn Melton  
Riley Nicole Menssen \*\*  
Toni M. Metz \*\*  
Alana Deann Meyer \*  
Olivia Michel \*  
Olivia Patrice Miller \*\*  
Tenaya D. Mitchell  
Sophia Ali Mohsen \*\*  
John Caleb Molen H  
Faith Nicole Montgomery \*  
Alex E. Moore  
R'Eyanna A. Moore  
Maria Guadalupe Morales  
Haley M. Morgan \*\*  
Courtney M. Moss  
Domyrik Matthew Mowrey  
Karriem Rashad Muhammad  
Gwen E. Musenbrock  
Kayla Rene Myers \*  
Hallah Nadine Nabulsi  
Madison Rae Nelson \*  
Mikayla N. Nicholson  
Anna Marie Niebruegge \*\*\*  
Julia Marie Nimmer \*\*\* H  
Jessica L. Nohone  
Marlee Pearl Nolen  
Megan Elizabeth Nolte \*\*\*  
Kelsey Elaine Nowell  
Sydney Ann Ohl \*\*\*  
Ivan Alexander Orozco  
Paige R. Oswald \*\*  
Grace Elizabeth Ott  
Jessica Marie Paschedag \*\*  
Amaria A. Patterson  
Olivia Grace Paxton  
Peyton Stuart Payne  
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Justin David Pfister \*\*\*  
Roxanne J. Pinney \*\*  
Abigail Marie Podshadley \*\*  
Edith Rose Pointer \*\*\*  
Desmond Devon Polk  
Damion John Posey \*

\*cum laude

\*\*magna cum laude

\*\*\*summa cum laude

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Jacqueline Elise Potje \*\*  
 Chanae Monique Powell  
 Jennifer Lynn Powers \*\*  
 Brayden Allen Robert Primmer  
 William Louis Proffer \*\*\*  
 Kiya Jarey Rainey \*\*\* H  
 Jacob T. Reese  
 Morgan Marie Revermann \*  
 Teresa M. Reynolds  
 Mackenzie Sue Richards \*  
 Ashley Shannon Richardson \*  
 Juliana Elena Rosa Richardson  
 Marshay Joelle Richmond  
 Samantha M. Robertson  
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 Alexie L. Rose \*\*  
 Tyler Michael Ruberstall \*\*\*  
 Ayden Bryn Ruffner  
 Amr Sabri  
 Ruby Matteson Savant \*\*\* H  
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 Logan H. Shelby  
 Brooke K. Simpson \* H  
 Karlie Marie Singleton-Kidd

Kynzie Paige Sizemore \*\*  
 Kyrsten Jade Sizemore \*\*\*  
 Ryan Donovan Sloan  
 Antoinessa Nikell Smith  
 Megan Marie Smith  
 Molly Lynn Smith \*H  
 Stella Rose Smith \*H  
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 Katelyn Elizabeth Spencer \*\*\*  
 Caroline Grace Spoljaric \*\*\*  
 Ashley Elisabeth Stephenson \*  
 Hannah Elizabeth Stuckel \*  
 Paytin LynAnn Sullivan \*  
 Anna Sutcliffe  
 Madison Faith Swanson \*\*\* H  
 Brookelyn Michele Taylor \*  
 Cassandra Taylor  
 Janaya Taylor  
 Ray Sean Anthony Taylor  
 Nylah Tia Thompson  
 Madison Nicole Toennies \*\*  
 Mackenzie Lynn Torres  
 Ariel Faith Trautmann \*\*  
 Lauren Elizabeth Tripp \*  
 Jared Paul Tyson \*\*\*  
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 Brianna Allison Paige Utley \*\*\*  
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 Lohgan Jean Von Hatten \*\*\*  
 Grace Elizabeth Wagner \*\*\*  
 Lillian Marie Waldrop \*\*  
 Kaitlyn Rebecca Walker \*  
 Olivia Lynn Walker \*\*  
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 Rylee Elizabeth Walling \*\*\*  
 Sydnee Briann Walling \*\*\*  
 Valerie Louise Walters \*\*\*  
 Jordyn Rebecca Walz \*  
 Dinasjah Linda Washington  
 Isabel Ann Watz \*  
 Kollin M. Waymoth  
 Elizabeth F. Welter  
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 Kalista Wetzel \*  
 Iyannah Nichole Wheeler  
 Angel Nicole White \*\*\*  
 Brooke Celeste Wickenhauser  
 Macy Jayne Wieland \*\*\*  
 Olivia Mae Wilkerson \*  
 Cameron Simone Williams  
 Lane Marie Williams \*\*  
 Julianne Therese Wilson \*\*\*

Sophia Nicole Winkleman \*\*\*  
 Emily Irene Wolters  
 Cameron Thomas Woodard \*\*  
 Jenna Kay Woolley \*\*\*  
 Jaiden Elaine Wynn \*\*  
 Danna Renee Yancy \*\*  
 Chieh Yu Yang  
 Carli Ulaine Yingling  
 Alexis Suzanne Yociss \*\*\*  
 Paris Noelle York  
 Ridley Noah Zarate \*

## GOLDEN GRADUATES

SIUE's Golden Graduation recognizes our alumni who are celebrating the golden anniversary of their degrees, having crossed the commencement stage 50 or more years ago. Since its inception in 2017, this annual reunion has given our alumni the opportunity to reconnect with their classmates while celebrating their time on campus and their commitment to SIUE. Congratulations, Golden Graduates, and thank you for paving the way for future generations of Cougars!



**Terry Adams**  
1971

**Sandra Boaz**  
1974

**Ruth Bell**  
1974, 1980

**Steve Betts**  
1974

**Michael Broderick**  
1974

**Larry Burt**  
1974, 1975

**Sharon Carty**  
1974

**Joan Chapman Smith**  
1974

**Gerald Downing**  
1974

**David E. Vance**  
1974

**William Enyart**  
1974

**Harold France**  
1968

**Diane Frazier**  
1974

**John French**  
1974

**Thomas Friedrich**  
1974

**Margaret E. Gehling**  
1974

**Ed Grady**  
1972

**Samuel Gulotta**  
1974

**Ruby Harrima**  
1974, 1975

**Gary Hausmann**  
1974

**Evelyn Hayden**  
1971

**Kenneth Hayden**  
1970, 1974

**Barbara Hightower**  
1975

**Ed Hightower**  
1974, 1977, 1991

**Norman Hoernschemeyer**  
1967

**Mary Ellen Huetsch**  
1974

**Jack Humes, Jr.**  
1974, 1975

**Fred Irby III**  
1974

**Alvin Johnson**  
1972, 1984

**Earl Kivett**  
1974

**Michael C. Kovarik**  
1970, 1974

**Debbie Lippert**  
1974

**Phil Loethen**  
1974

**Carl Mason**  
1974

**Betty McBride**  
1974

**John Mcniff**  
1974

**Bill Mueller**  
1974

**Vivian Nicholls**  
1974

**Elizabeth Nicol**  
1974, 1975

**Kevin Nicol**  
1974, 1975

**Shirley Portwood**  
1970, 1973

**Juanita Rogers**  
1974

**Jean Roth**  
1974

**Obaid Siddiqi**  
1974, 1977

**Kathleen Simmons**  
1974

**Cheryl Sisk-Dooley**  
1974

**Gerald Slaby**  
1974

**Donald Smith**  
1968, 1972, 1978

**Gloria Smith**  
1974, 1983

**Ric Stephenson**  
1970, 1974, 1977

**Shirley Stimac-Eslinger**  
1973

**John Stock**  
1974, 1985

**David Thomas**  
1974

**Janet Thomas**  
1974, 1998

**Diane Warhover**  
1974

**John Whitmore**  
1974

**Pamela Winters**  
1974, 1989

**Ricki Zellerman**  
1974





**Our Mission:** The SIUE Alumni Association will be a valued partner of Southern Illinois University Edwardsville through the advancement and promotion of SIUE alumni, the University and its friends.

## CONGRATULATIONS, SIUE CLASS OF 2024



Through hard work and dedication, you've earned your SIUE degree – we are immensely proud of your accomplishment. You walk in the path of 120,000+ SIUE graduates before you as you create a life of purpose to shape a changing world.

On behalf of the SIUE Foundation and the SIUE Alumni Association, I welcome you to a diverse and influential community who are committed to supporting their alma mater and one another. Your SIUE Alumni Association offers resources, events, and programs to connect with classmates, network with fellow alumni, and mentor future graduates. Here are three meaningful ways to stay engaged:

**STAY CONNECTED:** Please connect with the Alumni Association and your academic unit on social media and share your personal and professional journey. Keep your contact information current so local alumni can welcome you and we can send news and invitations.

**GET INVOLVED:** Enjoy our vibrant alumni community. Attend events across Edwardsville, St. Louis, Chicago and beyond. Consider mentoring, serving as a guest lecturer, or joining an advisory board. Return to this beautiful campus on October 4-6, 2024, for Homecoming and Family Weekend and share in the SIUE traditions that make us family.

**INVEST IN FUTURE COUGARS:** As a new graduate, you have so much to offer. Consider making a small contribution each and every year to the Cougars who follow you. I guarantee you'll feel great pride by investing in this vibrant campus and remarkable student body.

We offer sincere congratulations on your profound achievement and best wishes for a bright future.

With Cougar Pride,

Connie Collins, CFRE  
Vice Chancellor, University Advancement  
CEO of the SIUE Foundation



For the students, faculty, staff and alumni of  
Southern Illinois University Edwardsville

## HAIL SIUE

With reverence

Words and Music by  
George Mellott

Piano

1. A - bove the Mis - sis - sip - pi plain your splen - dor meets the sky. You  
2. To col - lege life we bid a - dieu and wend our sep - 'rate ways, Yet

Pno.

give to all a chance to gain; you raise our spir - its high.  
col - lege friends and men - tors too are with us all our days.

Pno.

Hail, all hail S - I - U - E, our grat - i - tude we owe our  
Hail, all hail S - I - U - E, our Al - ma Ma - ter true! Let's

Pno.

fount of op - por - tu - ni - ty wher - e're in life we go.  
fill our glass - es joy - ful - ly and raise a toast to you.

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