One Hundred Sixty-First Annual Commencement Exercises

St. Bonaventure University

Saturday, May 15, 2021
FRANCISCAN PRAYER FOR PEACE

Lord, make me an instrument of your Peace!

Where there is hatred, let me sow Love;
where there is injury, Pardon;
where there is doubt, Faith;
where there is despair, Hope;
where there is darkness, Light;
and where there is sadness, Joy.

Lord, grant that I may not so much seek
to be consoled as to Console,
to be understood as to Understand,
to be loved as to Love.
For it is in giving that we Receive,
it is in pardoning that we are Pardoned,
and it is in dying that we are born to Eternal Life.
AcaDeMiC rEgAIlIA

The gowns worn at Commencement reflect a tradition dating from the first universities founded in Europe almost 800 years ago. Because those seats of learning were established by religious orders, the characteristics of their dress at that time are retained, albeit in a somewhat modified form.

The colors that designate areas of study were established for the colleges and universities of the United States in 1895.

The hood, now worn symbolically, was formerly a practical part of the garment, worn over the head to protect the wearer from cold and the elements.

There are three types of robes:
- The bachelor’s gown is black with full sleeves.
- The master’s gown, also black, has long sleeves closed at the bottom and a slit midway, through which the wearers put their arms.
- The doctor’s gown is usually black, but other colors are also used. It is characterized by velvet facing on the front and velvet bars on the sleeves.

The colors used on all hoods, as well as on the velvet of the doctor’s gown, indicate the area of study or type of degree.

You’ll see these colors today on the hoods of St. Bonaventure University undergraduate and graduate candidates:
- White: Bachelor and Master of Arts.
- Gold: Bachelor and Master of Science.
- Tan: Bachelor and Master of Business/Accountancy.
- Crimson: Bachelor of Arts in Communication.
- Light blue: Master of Science in Education.

The predominant faculty hood color you’ll see is deep blue, for Ph.D. The color of the lining of the faculty hoods indicates the institution from which their degrees were earned.

The tassel on the mortarboard, or cap, is black with the exception that the doctor’s tassel is usually gold.

The president of St. Bonaventure is wearing the presidential medallion and chain, signifying the office.
St. Bonaventure University
161st Commencement

May 15, 2021

Multicultural Stole Ceremony
Sunday, May 2

University Ministries Prayer Service
Wednesday, May 12

Candlelight Induction Ceremony
Thursday, May 13

Senior Banquet
Friday, May 14

Baccalaureate Mass
Friday, May 14

ROTC Commissioning Ceremony
Saturday, May 15

Help us ensure a safe and enjoyable event
For the safety and convenience of our guests, please abide by the COVID-19 safety protocols we’ve established for today’s ceremonies. We appreciate everyone’s efforts to make these ceremonies possible.
COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES
May 15, 2021
Sandra A. & William L. Richter Center

JOSEPH E. ZIMMER, PH.D.
Acting University President
Provost & Vice President For Academic Affairs
Presiding

CEREMONIES WILL TAKE PLACE AS FOLLOWS:

9:30 a.m.: School of Graduate Studies: All master’s and advanced degree candidates

Undergraduate Degree Candidates

11 a.m.: School of Business

12:30 p.m.: School of Education

1:15 p.m.: Jandoli School of Communication

2:30 p.m.: School of Arts & Sciences

3:45 p.m.: School of Health Professions
Faculty in Attendance

Faculty Marshal
Anne Foerst, Ph.D.

School of Business
Matrecia James, Ph.D.
Adrienne Foos, Ph.D.
Thomas Hare, J.D., LL.M.
Michael Kasperski, M.B.A., C.P.A.
Lu Liu, Ph.D.
James Mahar, Ph.D.
Fangjun Sang, Ph.D.
John Stevens, M.A.

SCHOOL OF EDUCATION
Lisa C. Buenaventura, Ed.D.
Pamina Abkowitz, Ed.D.
Rochelle Abkowitz, M.S.
Kathryn J. Andrews, Ph.D.
Anne-Claire Fisher, Ed.D.
René Hauser, Ph.D.
Christine Hunt, Ph.D.
Ashley Luedke, Ph.D.
Paula Scraba, Ph.D.
Gabriel Swarts, Ph.D.

JANDOLI SCHOOL OF COMMUNICATION
Aaron Chimbel, M.S
Heather Harris, M.F.A., M.B.A.
Mike Jones-Kelley, M.S.
David Kassnoff, M.A.
Anne Lee, MSLIS
Richard Lee, Ph.D.
Carole McNall, J.D.

SCHOOL OF ARTS AND SCIENCES
David Hilmey, Ph.D.
Joel Benington, Ph.D.
Donna Brestensky, Ph.D.
Michael Calabria, Ph.D.
Alva V. Cellini, Ph.D.

Maureen Cox, Ph.D.
Robert Donius, M.A.
Daniel Ellis, Ph.D.
Anne Foerst, Ph.D.
Aaron Gies, Ph.D.
Kyle Haden, Ph.D.
Kaplan Harris, Ph.D.
Lori Henning, Ph.D.
Carolyn Hutchinson, Ph.D.
Althea Kaminske, Ph.D.
Jennifer Karash-Eastman, Ph.D.
Matt R. King, Ph.D.
Mary Rose Kubal, Ph.D.
Josiah Lambert, J.D., Ph.D.
Steven Nuttal, Ph.D.
Laura Peterson, M.M.
Steven Pitt, Ph.D.
Patrick Schneider, M.A.
Johanna Schwingel, Ph.D.
Scott Simpson, Ph.D.
Jeremy Smyczek, Ph.D.
Christopher Stanley, Ph.D.
Elizabeth Tillman, Ph.D.

SCHOOL OF HEALTH PROFESSIONS
Douglas Pisano, Ph.D.
Nicole Ackley, MPAS
Jeffrey Allen, DHSc, MPA
Erin Lundeen, MSN, RN, CSN
Kathryn Nelson, MPAS, PA-C
Connie Perkins, Ph.D., RN, CNE
Suzanne Soltysh, DNP
Monica Thomas, Ph.D.
James Tkacik, MMS, PA-C
Claire Watson, Ph.D.
Keith Young, DHSc, PA-C
Processional
“Pomp and Circumstance” .............................. E. Elgar

The Star Spangled Banner ............................. Francis Scott Key

Invocation

Welcome ........................................... Joseph E. Zimmer, Ph.D.

St. Bonaventure University Acting President

All Master’s and Advanced Certificate candidates
  Presented by ................................. Lisa C. Buenaventura, Ed.D.

Dean of Graduate Studies

Bachelor of Business Administration — School of Business
  Presented by ................................. Matrecia James, Ph.D.

Dean, School of Business

Bachelor of Science — School of Education
  Presented by ................................. Lisa C. Buenaventura, Ed.D.

Dean, School of Education

Bachelor of Arts — Jandoli School of Communication
  Presented by ................................. Aaron Chimbel, M.S.

Dean, Jandoli School of Communication

Bachelor of Arts — School of Arts and Sciences
  Presented by ................................. David G. Hilmey, Ph.D.

Dean, School of Arts and Sciences

Bachelor of Science — School of Arts and Sciences
  Presented by ................................. David G. Hilmey, Ph.D.

Dean, School of Arts and Sciences

Bachelor of Science — School of Health Professions
  Presented by ................................. Douglas Pisano, Ph.D.

Dean, School of Health Professions

Conferring of Degrees ............................. Joseph E. Zimmer, Ph.D.
Alison Garlock

Bachelor of Science in
Adolescence Education and Mathematics

Alison Garlock of East Aurora, New York, is graduating with Bachelor of Science degrees in adolescence education and mathematics.

Garlock conducted her student teaching assignments at Ellicottville High School and Olean Middle School, and her field experience at Jamestown High School. She also worked with students at Olean High as part of her teacher education tutoring experience. Garlock was a Peer Tutor in the university’s Learning Center and worked in the Math Lab for two years.

For the past three years Garlock has been a resident assistant, working in Shay, Robinson and Devereux halls. Because of her exceptional contributions to the campus residential community and her leadership, Garlock received the 2021 RA Senior Achievement Award from Student Affairs.

Those who nominated Garlock for the Ideal Student award praised her work ethic, compassion and integrity, particularly as a resident assistant and in her involvement in University Ministries.

“As an RA, she has built community on a variety of floors (upperclassmen and first-year). Not only has she helped hundreds of residents grow and become part of the Bonaventure community, but she is always taking the next step and helping other RAs do the same,” said student Kurt Stitzel in his nomination letter.

Garlock’s life centers strongly around her faith. She completed the Rite of Christian Initiation (RCIA) process as a freshman and then went on to serve as a leader of the university RCIA Team that helps prepare students to fully enter the Catholic Church. Garlock has helped teach and mentor others in their faith journey through this formation program as a volunteer over the last three years. She was also a member of the SEARCH Retreat Team.

Garlock plans to continue her SBU education by pursuing her master’s in inclusive special education while continuing to work in Residence Life and as a graduate assistant in the School of Education.
Puja Sasankan  
*Bachelor of Science in Psychology, Minor in Business Administration*

Puja Sasankan of Williamsville, New York, is graduating with a Bachelor of Science degree in psychology and a minor in business administration. As a freshman, Sasankan immersed herself in the academic and co-curricular life of the university. For four years, she has served in Student Government Association as well as a member of the campus Medical Emergency Response Team.

Her peers describe her as passionate in everything she does, whether it’s developing choreography as dance manager of Asian Students in Action, volunteering with the campus Food Pantry, or helping other students as a peer tutor. Throughout her time at St. Bonaventure, Sasankan has dedicated herself to the campus community: She was a First-Year Experience resident assistant, a supplemental instructor for PSYC-201, and the student coordinator for Franciscan Health Care Professions.

In preparation for medical school, she has completed several internships and shadowing experiences including two stints as a research intern in the Department of Immunology at Roswell Park Cancer Institute. Since fall 2019, she has participated in the Experience in Clinical Medicine Program at Olean General Hospital.

In addition, Sasankan has pursued academics abroad by spending the summer of 2019 in England through the Francis E. Kelley Oxford Program.

Student Anna Egli said Sasankan spreads the joy of being Hindu, showing the beautiful diversity the campus holds.

“Puja is a kind, caring individual who takes the time to build lifelong friendships and connections here on campus. I know her attributes have not only made an impact here at St. Bonaventure, but also will continue to impact the lives of others as she moves forward in her career,” said Egli.

This fall, Sasankan plans to attend The George Washington School of Medicine and Health Sciences in Washington, D.C.

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The Ideal Student honorable mentions are Anna R. Hu, a biochemistry major from Latrobe, Pennsylvania, and Victoria Viola Wangler of Honeoye Falls, New York, who is an English and professional & creative writing double major and marketing and Spanish double minor.
GRADUATE ACADEMIC AWARDS

The Eleanor and Joseph English Graduate Award in Education ......................... Maya C. Booman-Amico

Outstanding Academic Achievement Award for Excellence in the Graduate Literacy Curriculum ......................... Olivia R. Giammusso
Honorable Mention ......................... Abigail M. Easton

Outstanding Academic Achievement Award for Excellence in the Graduate Inclusive Special Education Curriculum ...... Maya C. Booman-Amico
Honorable Mention ......................... Logan J. Abplanalp

The J. Francis O’Malley Award ......................... Elizabeth Anne Somelofske
Honorable Mention ......................... Jackson D. West

The Al Nothem Student Teaching Award in Adolescence Education ..................... Alexis M. Lombardo
Honorable Mention ......................... Chris Chapman

The New York State Society of CPAs Graduate Award of Honor ....................... Dane M. Stropko
Honorable Mention ......................... Taylore M. Lunger

The Fra. Luca Pacioli Award for Excellence in Accounting in the Five-Year Program ......................... William F. Delaney
Honorable Mention ......................... Rebekah L. Liszewski

The Eugene F. Kirk Memorial Award for an Outstanding Finance Student in the MBA Program ....................... Dane M. Stropko
Honorable Mention ......................... Jaret Williamson

The Master of Business Administration General Excellence Award ....................... Connor P. Nolan
Honorable Mention ......................... William F. Delaney

The Master of Business Administration General Excellence Award for the Online Program ......................... Steven M. Desmond
Honorable Mention ......................... Alexandra Dybala

The Deborah A. Henretta Award for Outstanding Achievement in Integrated Marketing Communications .................. Ashley J. Tatem
Honorable Mention ......................... Christian Gaddis and Alexander V. Morales
UNDERGRADUATE ACADEMIC AWARDS

The Ideal Bonaventure Student ......................... Alison Garlock
The Ideal Bonaventure Student ......................... Puja Sasankan
Honorable Mention ............ Anna R. Hu and Victoria Viola Wangler

General Excellence in the Arts Curriculum .............. Grace K. Ferris
Honorable Mention ............... Daniel R. Bakowski

General Excellence in the Science Curriculum ............. Anna R. Hu
Co-Winner ...................... Audrey Nguyen-Khanh Bui

Honorable Mention ............. Chelsea D. Wright

General Excellence in the Education Curriculum ........ Adele M. Caputo
Honorable Mention ............... Amanda K. DeConinck

General Excellence in the Communication Curriculum ... Keara M. Donnelly
Honorable Mention ............... Mikayla M. Hyman

General Excellence in the Health Professions ............ Abby L. Borkowski
Honorable Mention ............... Margaret A. Cole

General Excellence Award for a Transfer Student ....... LaDonna M. Freundschuh
Honorable Mention ............... Dianne Pfeiffer

The John J. McNamee Award for General Excellence
in the Elementary Education Curriculum .................. Brooke A. Thomas
Honorable Mention .................. Amanda K. DeConinck

The John J. McNamee Award for General Excellence
in the Physical Education Curriculum .................... Mia T. Cote
Honorable Mention .................. Eric M. Senior

The Al Nothem Student Teaching Award
in Elementary Education ......................... LaDonna M. Freundschuh
Honorable Mention .................. Alexandra R. Siebert

The Al Nothem Student Teaching Award
in Physical Education ......................... Jennifer Landlow
Honorable Mention .................. Mia T. Cote
UNDERGRADUATE ACADEMIC AWARDS

The Al Nothem Student Teaching Award in Adolescence Education ....................... Mason W. Kelley
Honorable Mention ....................... Brionna D. Howard

The Overall Excellence in Sport Studies Award ...... Julianna M. Misenheimer
Honorable Mention ....................... Caleigh G. Swanson

The Sister Margaret Flynn, O.S.F. Award ...... LaDonna M. Freundschuh
Honorable Mention ....................... Hadley D. Ferris

The Senior Theology Award ....................... Kurt D. Martone

The Boyd Litzinger Award for Excellence in the English Curriculum ..................... Victoria Viola Wangler
Honorable Mention ....................... John P. Conlon and Anahiz Rivera

The International Studies Award ....................... Grace K. Ferris
Honorable Mention ....................... Daniel R. Bakowski

The Sister Mary Anthony Brown Philosophy Award ...... Grace J. Wroblewski

The S. C. Cornelio Award ....................... Daniel R. Bakowski
Honorable Mention ....................... Landon J. Allison

The John M. Orland Philosophy Pre-Law Award ........ Hannah Z. Merges
Honorable Mention ....................... Grace J. Wroblewski

The Malcolm V. T. Wallace Award for Latin ........ Anahiz Rivera

The Father Roderick Wheeler Award ....................... Brionna D. Howard
Honorable Mention ....................... Jackson D. West

The Military Science Award ....................... John I. Duffy
Honorable Mention ....................... Zachary Owen Stryffeler

The Instrumental Music Award ....................... Lauren Sheng Barry

The Choral Music Award ....................... Quinn O’Rourke

The Theater Award ....................... Emily R. Weber
UNDERGRADUATE ACADEMIC AWARDS

The Visual Arts Award ......................... Caitlin A. Rooney

The Biology Award ............................... Anna R. Hu
Honorable Mention ............................. Paul B. Boyd

The John L. and Leone E. Worden Memorial Award ........ Anna R. Hu

The Mathematics Award ....................... Hannah M. Schifley
Honorable Mention ............................. Alison M. Garlock

The Computer Science Achievement Award .......... Connor W. Meyers

The Computer Science Service Award ................ Katarina N. Jones

The Cybersecurity Service Award ................ Adam Robert Irwin

The Cybersecurity Achievement Award ............... William E. Odom

The Latin Award .................................. Iris L. Archer

Sigma Pi Sigma Award ............................ Richard M. Lesieur

Modern Language Award in Spanish ................. Adele M. Caputo
Honorable Mention ............................... Gabriella M. Savarino

Sigma Delta Pi Award – Spanish Honor Society .... Elizabeth A. Somelofske

The Carl Wagner Psychology Honors Award .......... Caitlin M. Miller

The Alpha Gamma Psi Award ........................ Kyler K. Mangulis

The Political Science Award ........................ Grace K. Ferris
Honorable Mention ............................... Daniel R. Bakowski

The Thomas A. Augustine Award
Criminology Winner .............................. Olivia Kathleen Boyd
Sociology Winner .................................. Fiona G. Nelson

Margaret T. Bryner HEOP Award .................... Priscilla V. Contreras
Honorable Mention ............................... Clinton O. Afful
UNDERGRADUATE ACADEMIC AWARDS

The Dr. Pierre Bretey Award .......................... Rhett K. Sullivan
Honorable Mention ............................ Sophia Christina Ferlanda

John G. Watson Award for Business Leadership ...... Chandler J. Poczciwinski
Honorable Mention ............................ Matthew D. Majeski

The S. John Guson Award .......................... Talia H. Maloney
Honorable Mention ............................ Grace E. Seeley

The Accounting Excellence Award ........................ Chandler J. Poczciwinski
Honorable Mention ............................ Lia K. Rohr

The New York State Society of CPAs Senior Award of Honor ........................ Chelsea D. Wright
Honorable Mention ............................ Drake T. Satter

The Outstanding Transfer Student in Accounting ........ Victoria F. Certo

The Y. S. Pandit Award .......................... Shea M. Currey
Honorable Mention ............................ Liam N. Murphy

The Austin Finan Award in Finance ........................ Maciej Danilewski
Honorable Mention ............................ Bayly Gobien

The Dr. John H. Burns Award for Excellence in Finance ...... Grace E. Seeley
Honorable Mention ............................ Keri Smith

The Award for Overall Excellence in Marketing ................ Evan A. Titus
Honorable Mention ............................ Riley A. Dambaugh

The Award for Overall Excellence in Management ........ Anna M. Giglio
Honorable Mention ............................ Jessica A. Munson

The Father Cornelius Welch Award for Achievement in Photography ........................ Ashley P. Gallagher
Honorable Mention ............................ Haley A. Sousa

The Mary A. Hamilton Woman of Promise Award ........ Cameryn A. Jones-Dutchess
UNDERGRADUATE ACADEMIC AWARDS

The Mosser Award for Outstanding Achievement in the Strategic Communication Curriculum ................. Haley A. Sousa
Honorable Mention ........................................... Tyler G. Carro

The Koop Award for Outstanding Achievement in the Broadcast Curriculum......................... Thomas R. Valentine
Honorable Mention ........................................... Mikayla M. Hyman

The Jandoli Award for Outstanding Achievement in the Journalism Curriculum ......................... Sean P. Mickey
Honorable Mention ........................................... Michael F. Hogan

The Mark Hellinger Award ................................. Michael F. Hogan
Honorable Mention ......................................... Jeffrey J. Uveino

The Paul Wieland Award for Outstanding Achievement in the Sports Media Curriculum ............... Thomas R. Valentine
Honorable Mention ........................................... Michael F. Hogan

The Tapestry Diversity Award ............................. Hannah E. Legacy

The Excellence in Public Health Award ..................... Erin C. Keller
Honorable Mention ......................................... Brandon J. Bailey

The Excellence in Health Science Award ..................... Alyssa L. Shelander
Honorable Mention ........................................... Alexandra H. Thompson
MISSIONING FOR POST-COMMENCEMENT
VOLUNTEER SERVICE & RELIGIOUS LIFE

POST-COMMENCEMENT VOLUNTEER SERVICE
Victoria Viola Wangler, Franciscan Mission Service
Lauren Sheng Barry, Franciscan Mission Service (application pending)
Meredith Grace Camoin, Jesuit Volunteer Corps (application pending)

RECIPIENTS OF U.S. ARMY COMMISSION

* CDT John I. Duffy ................................. Infantry
CDT Eoin Padraic Hart .............................. Armor
CDT Shane Patrick Pancio .......................... Field Artillery
CDT Stuart Lodge Harper Jr. ....................... Infantry
CDT Lauren Elizabeth Luther ...................... Medical Service
* CDT Zachary Owen Stryffeler .................. Air Defense Artillery
CDT Olivia Kathleen Boyd .......................... Armor
* CDT Quinn O’Rourke ............................... Air Defense Artillery
CDT Jordan Charles Bozier ........................ Field Artillery

*Distinguished Military Graduate

MILITARY SCIENCE SENIOR AWARDS

Daughters of the American Revolution Award ........ Lauren Elizabeth Luther
Department of the Army Superior Cadet Decoration Award .... John I. Duffy
Battalion Commander’s Award ........................ Quinn O’Rourke
The Military Science Award .......................... John I. Duffy
Honorable Mention ................................. Zachary Owen Stryffeler

FACULTY AWARDS

Faculty Award for Professional Excellence in University Service
  Dr. René Hauser, Associate Professor, Inclusive Special Education,
  Inclusive Special Education Director, Accreditation Coordinator

Adjunct Faculty Professional Excellence in Teaching
  Alex Mazurek, Classics Instructor, School of Arts and Sciences
CANDIDATES FOR DEGREES
Candidates for Degrees

MASTER OF ARTS - JANDOLI SCHOOL OF COMMUNICATION

Brielynn O. Bell
William A. Bliss
Christine Brennan-Campbell
Anna Michele Bulszewicz
Amber M. Canbek
John T. Ehrbar
Jessica Enos Smith
Christian Gaddis
Cindy Gardner
John Georges
Sebastian Habermehl
Nolan J. Hayward
Margaret Kenny
Marlon L. Kerner
William J. King
Jonathan Krause
Sean W. Kruschke
Gina M. LaDelfa
Taylor N. Landis
Stephanie Hope Lattin
Shannon E. MacKesey
Alexander V. Morales
Edward C. Ortiz
Jeffrey C. Phelps
Kristina Elizabeth Pizzimenti
Emily Scripps
Caroline Smith
Jennifer I. Spoto
Ashley Jordan Tatem
Jordan Vollmer
Kevin Jerome Weyler
Nicholas Joseph Whalen
Antonios Hagos Yohannes

MASTER OF SCIENCE

Godlove Oben Antem
Thomas Michael Burke
Amala Rajan Christopher
Ethan Rhea Cross
James W. Crowe
Reilly Q. Curran
David A. Dytschkowskyj
Shawn Ellis
Robert Gangemi
Lawrence D. Grate
George Victor Guenther
Billy Obadiah Hardin II
German Lancioni
Louis Charles Lynch
Ryan M. Maves
Daniel Omoka Palama
Craig Donald Parker
Marc Robinson
Scott E. Russell
Dominic Joseph Saglimben
Darryl Michael Sokolowski
Matthew J. Sudol
Gilbert Wayigg Tangwa
Daniel S. Vestal
Timothy V. Walczak
Amnauel Dawit Wassie

MASTER OF SCIENCE - EDUCATION

Logan John Abplanalp
Kacie Aitken
Alexandra Lynn Arbucio
Rachel Bailey-Moore
Elizabeth M. Balthazar
Morgan Elizabeth Benjamin
Mary Bittner
Maya Camille Booman-Amico
Adestela Regina Gurgel do Amaral
Bradley
Candidates for Degrees

Renee Breault
Erin Stephanie Burke
Jennifer Burrett
Shawn Louise Cammarota
Scott Michael Cammarota
Sarah Rose Costello
William Eric Crawford
Cathleen Brennan Cruver
Paige Hawkins
Natalie Ann D’Amore
Francesca M. DeLuke
Nicholas P. Devins
Sunita Dianne Dhir
Abigail Easton
Monica Ann Everhart
Cori Anne Fagan
Jenna M. Ferrara
Allison Finitz
Bailey Forster
Ashley Nichole Foster
Alexandria Marie Frutchey
Olivia Rae Antonia Giammusso
Alayna Brooke Grastorf
Madelyn Victoria Hamed
Tonya Irene Harlan
Jessica Leigh Harm
Audrey Hayes
Jordan D. Helmer
Ashley J. Holdridge
Kaitlyn Jackson
Adam Janicki
Brian Anthony Jones
Stacy Lee LaManna
Christine E. Lenchert
Alexis M. Lombardo
Jacquelyn Luciani
Mary Maestri
Erin McDonald

Julie L. Meddaugh
Brittany Michelman
Mildred Daniela Miranda Recinos
Janine Brunson Mott
Bradley J. Naughton
Alexander John Noguerola
Shelby L. Overturf
Beth A. Owens
Lauren Elizabeth Peddicord
Sarah Michelle Petersen
Alexander John Peterson
Noah S. Powley
Molly Lynn Pra Sisto
Deanna Ramdeo Liu
Vidya Ramjewan
Megan Retchless
Damaris Rodriguez
Amanda Leah Rodriguez Rogers
Christopher Richard Ruyack
Rachael Elizabeth Salamone
Andrew Schaus
Stacy L. Schmidt
Stephanie Robyn Schmidt
Krista Nicole Shook
Mikayla Short
Ryan A. Signorino
Sara J. Simmons
McKenzie Jane Skrobak
Shannon Smith
Melissa Ann Smith
Devon L. Spaeth
Jennifer Arlene Stiver
Ellen Jankiewicz Szalay
Kaleigh Lauren Thomas
Darien Vercillo
Gennavonah Wade Davis
Shelby Williams
Laura McDonough Wittchen

ADVANCED CERTIFICATE - CYBERSECURITY

Daniel D. Krawczyk
Anthony Scuteri
Candidates for Degrees

**ADVANCED CERTIFICATE - SCHOOL BUILDING LEADERSHIP**

Sarah Lynn Graham  
Janine Brunson Mott  
Bradley J. Naughton  
Rachael Rizzo  
Jessica Rose  
Anthony Zeniuk  
Erin Gannon  
Erin McDonald  
Beth A. Owens  
Jessica Ashley Reger  
Megan Retchless

**ADVANCED CERTIFICATE - SCHOOL DISTRICT LEADERSHIP**

Angelina J. Marconi  
Erin McDonald  
Matthew M. Moore  
Erin Gannon  
Melanie A. Kerns  
Kellie Marciano

**MASTER OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION**

Jenniferb Nneka Agbo  
James Andrews  
Nathan Caleb Apker  
Jacob Daniel Aquilio  
Marc L. Augliano  
Ava Monet Bianchi  
Michael R. Braeuner  
Zachary Chaddock  
Jenna Nichole Cherry  
Jonathan Mark Clancy  
Christopher Phillips Coates  
Ervina Covcic  
Aaron Cusatis  
Patrick Joseph Danahy  
Marissa Anne Marie Dantonio  
Abigail DeBruyn  
William Francis Xavier Delaney  
Steven Desmond  
Selin Devrimci  
Tyler Kenneth Dlouhy  
Kara Doerr  
Thomas A. Donnelly  
Alexandra Dybala  
Seth Erdley  
Nathan Leo Evancic  
Stephen Foley  
Eric Francis Fucito  
Ashley Glassford  
Alexis Marie Glaza  
Tayler Gnan  
Cory Hackbush  
Kyle Haller  
Edward J. Hanna  
Brandon Hoffman  
Gerardo Infante  
Matthew A. Johnson  
Destinee Anne Johnson  
Jake Ryan Kaempf  
Emily Ann LaMay  
Nicholas Lapp  
Michael Laurrie  
Tizita Levitskiy  
Rebekah Lynn Liszewski  
Taylore M. Lunger  
Thomas J. Martello  
Steven E. McClain  
Jacob Daniel Miknis  
Philip J. Minutolo
Candidates for Degrees

BacHeror of BuSinneSS admiNistraTion

Ryan Acosta
Kaleb Wesley Albro
* Maggie Attea
Elijah Baez
* Michael J. Bamann
* Zachary M. Barklund
* Nicholas P. Bellone
Hannah Mae Bennett
Matthew Thomas Bevacqua
* Joe Anthony Bevilacqua
Emily Birkemeier
Matthew D. Bissnette
Bryan J. Bizzaro
Carnelly S. Blair
Joseph David James Blakeley
Letitia Marguerite Bottino
* Emily Gabriella Calabrese
** Francesco Caorsi
Nikolaos Caristinos
* Kenneth Joseph Carter
* Victoria Florence Certo
* Christian Chapman
** Lily Chittenden
Ryan Chmiel
Kaylie A. Clabeaux
* Savannah Gordon Clarke
** John M. Conover
Elizabeth K. Skripnik
Shannon Smith
Tayler A. Smith
Jovante Spence
Dane M. Stropko
Danielle J. Sumislaski
Kasey Marie Tokos
Mark Vaccaro
Nicole M. VerHagen
Mary Elizabeth Welch
Andrew N. White
Chad Robert Witherell
Roshanay Zia
Kiersten R. Curran
Shannon Christine Curran
** Shea Micheal Currey
** Riley Anne Dambaugh
** Maciej Danilewski
Salvatore E. Debiase IV
Kelly Degrood
** Anthony DeSimone
Mary C. Dixon
Michael G. Driscoll
Hailey Marie Eckdahl
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The verdant leaves our love avow,
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Thy name was ever fair and bright:
We'll keep it thus with memory’s light
And laud thy glorious Brown and White,
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