

ONE HUNDRED SIXTY-FOURTH ANNUAL  
COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES



ST. BONAVENTURE  
UNIVERSITY

SUNDAY, MAY 12, 2024

# ACADEMIC REGALIA

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 trustees gowns are gray.

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: Bachelor and Master of Science in Education.

Green: Bachelor and Master of Science in Health Professions.

Medicine Green: Master of Science in Physician Assistant Studies

Slate blue: Master of Science in Occupational Therapy

Salmon pink: Master of Public Health

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  
164<sup>TH</sup> COMMENCEMENT

*May 10–May 12, 2024*



UNIVERSITY MINISTRIES RECOGNITION

*Friday, May 10*

*University Chapel*

CANDLELIGHT INDUCTION CEREMONY

*Friday, May 10*

*Steps of Plassmann Hall*

ROTC COMMISSIONING CEREMONY

*Friday, May 10*

*Regina A. Quick Center for the Arts*

MULTICULTURAL STOLE CEREMONY

*Saturday, May 11*

*Reilly Center Arena*

BACCALAUREATE MASS

*Saturday, May 11*

*Reilly Center Arena*

# COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES

*May 12, 2024*

REILLY CENTER ARENA



JEFF GINGERICH, PH.D.

University President

*Presiding*

MICHAEL A. HICKEY

Chair

*University Board of Trustees*

DAVID G. HILMEY, PH.D.

Provost & Vice President For Academic Affairs

*Convener*

ALVA V. CELLINI, PH.D.

Professor of Modern Languages

*Grand Marshal*



## MARSHALS

FACULTY MARSHAL

Anne Foerst, Ph.D.

### ARTS & SCIENCES

Heather McDivitt, Ph.D.

Scott Simpson, Ph.D.

### JANDOLI SCHOOL OF COMMUNICATION

Brian Moritz, Ph.D.

### SCHOOL OF EDUCATION

Pamina Abkowitz, Ed.D.

Anne-Claire Fisher, Ed.D.

Paula Scraba, Ph.D.

Sheri Voss, Ed.D.

### SCHOOL OF BUSINESS

Elizabeth Gratz, Ph.D.

Jim Mahar, Ph.D.

Todd Palmer, Ph.D.

Ryan Pinheiro, Ph.D.

Jinjing Zhu, Ph.D.

### DePERRO SCHOOL OF HEALTH PROFESSIONS

Jeffrey Allen, Ph.D.

Stephanie Richards, DPT

Monica Thomas, Ph.D.

Processional: "Pomp and Circumstance".....	E. Elgar
The Star Spangled Banner (Please stand) .....	Francis Scott Key <i>Led by Kimberlie Mitchell, Class of 2024</i>
Invocation (Remain standing) .....	Fr. Steven Kuehn, O.F.M. <i>University Chaplain</i>
Welcome (Please be seated) .....	Jeff Gingerich, Ph.D. <i>St. Bonaventure University President</i>
Student Address.....	Maya Henderson <i>Bachelor of Arts, School of Arts and Sciences</i>
Post-Commencement Volunteer Service.....	Alice Miller Nation <i>Director, University Ministries</i>
Lieutenants, United States Army.....	Lt. Col. John E. Luckie <i>Chair and Professor of Military Science</i>
Awarding of Honorary Degree .....	Jeff Gingerich, Ph.D.
Doctor of Humane Letters .....	Fr. Kevin Mullen, O.F.M. <i>Former Provincial Minister of Holy Name Province</i>
Keynote Speaker .....	Ed Bastian, '79 <i>Chief Executive Officer, Delta Airlines</i>
All Degree candidates announced by.....	Drs. Leigh and Ed. Simone <i>Assistant Professor, World Languages and Cultural Studies; Professor, Theater</i>
All Master's candidates presented by .....	Michael Hoffman, Ed.D. <i>Dean of Graduate Studies</i>
Master of Arts in the Jandoli School of Communication	
Master of Science and Advanced Certificates in the School of Education	
Master of Business Administration	
Master of Science in the School of Business	
Master of Science in the School of Arts and Sciences	
M.S. in Physician Assistant Studies in the DePerro School of Health Professions	
M.S. in Occupational Therapy in the DePerro School of Health Professions	
Master of Public Health in the DePerro School of Health Professions	

- Bachelor of Business Administration — School of Business  
Presented by.....Matrecia James, Ph.D.  
*Dean, School of Business*
- Bachelor of Arts — Jandoli School of Communication  
Presented by.....Aaron Chimbel, M.S.  
*Dean, Jandoli School of Communication*
- Bachelor of Science — School of Education  
Presented by..... René Hauser, Ph.D.  
*Dean, School of Education*
- Bachelor of Science — Dennis R. DePerro School of Health Professions  
Presented by..... Claire Watson, Ph.D.  
*Interim Dean, DePerro School of Health Professions*
- Bachelor of Science — School of Arts and Sciences  
Presented by..... Guy Imhoff, Ph.D.  
*Interim Dean, School of Arts and Sciences*
- Bachelor of Arts — School of Arts and Sciences  
Presented by..... Guy Imhoff, Ph.D.
- Conferring of Degrees .....Jeff Gingerich, Ph.D.
- Conferring of Awards ..... David G. Hilmey, Ph.D.  
*Provost and Vice President for Academic Affairs*
- Benediction ..... Fr. Stephen Mimnaugh, O.F.M.  
*Vice President for Mission Integration*
- Alma Mater..... Traditional  
*Please join our Graduation Choir: Keeley Reiford, Jenna Langley, '24,  
Meg Wahl, Julia Babcock, Dominik Vaughn, Kimberlie Mitchell  
Accompanied by Laura Peterson, M.M., assistant professor*
- Recessional  
“Song of Joy” ..... Ludwig van Beethoven

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## HONORARY DEGREE RECIPIENT



### Fr. Kevin Mullen, O.F.M.

*Former Provincial Minister  
of Holy Name Province*

Fr. Kevin Mullen, O.F.M., Ph.D., served on the Board of Trustees at St. Bonaventure from 2014 to 2023 while serving as the Provincial Minister of Holy Name Province, which merged last fall with five other U.S. Franciscan provinces to become the Province of Our Lady of Guadalupe.

During his time on the Board, Fr. Mullen offered the kind of invaluable insight and wisdom only a person with such vast experience in higher education and Franciscan life could provide to a university deeply committed to its Franciscan mission.

A 1975 graduate of Siena College, Fr. Mullen's experience at the Franciscan institution in suburban Albany came full circle in 2007 when he was named the 10th president of Siena, a position he held until Holy Name friars elected him as their provincial minister in 2014.

Fr. Mullen was introduced to Franciscan themes as a child in his hometown of Paterson, New Jersey, where the largest group of Franciscan Friars Minor in the country had its program for novices.

St. Bonaventure Church, just a few blocks from his home, embedded Franciscan values into the grammar school curriculum and his family nurtured his Franciscan spirit throughout his early life.

In June of 1975, Fr. Mullen was received as a member of the Order of Friars Minor. Four years later, he made his solemn profession of vows and in 1980 was ordained a Roman Catholic priest. He received his Master's of Divinity degree from Washington Theological Union and a Ph.D. in theology from The Catholic University of America in Washington, D.C.

Fr. Mullen's administrative and leadership experience reflects both the spirit and demonstration of a life guided by Franciscan values. He served as rector/guardian of St. Anthony Shrine in Boston from 1990-1999. He also chaired the Board of Directors of St. Francis House, hailed by Boston leaders and residents as a model for helping the homeless and marginalized.

He was guardian of the Franciscan Friary at Siena from 2005-2007 and director of the Franciscan Center for Service and Advocacy from 2005-2007. He was a member of the Siena College Board of Trustees from 1987-1996 and from 1999-2005.

## KEYNOTE COMMENCEMENT SPEAKER



### Ed Bastian, Class of 1979

*Chief Executive Officer,  
Delta Airlines*

Ed Bastian, a 25-year Delta veteran, has been a leader in Delta's long-term strategy and a champion of putting Delta's shared values of honesty, integrity, respect, perseverance and servant leadership at the core of every decision.

Since Bastian was named CEO in 2016, Delta has become the world's most awarded airline, having been named the Wall Street Journal's top U.S. airline; the top-ranking airline in Fortune's World's Most Admired Companies; the most on-time global airline by FlightGlobal; the Platinum Award recipient for operational excellence by Cirium; among TIME100's Most Influential Companies; and a Glassdoor Best Place to Work.

Bastian's values-based leadership propelled the airline to become an industry leader and a trusted global brand, guided by empathy, humanity and devotion to service. He has helped steer Delta, which has more than 100,000 employees worldwide, through the most challenging periods of the company's history, including 9/11, bankruptcy and COVID-19.

In 2018, Fortune magazine named Bastian among "The World's 50 Greatest Leaders," and in 2019, he was elected to the membership of the Council on Foreign Relations. In 2021, amidst a global pandemic, Bastian was awarded for his executive leadership in FlightGlobal's 2021 Airline Strategy Awards and named among the Top 10 CEOs of 2021 in Glassdoor's Employees' Choice Awards as a leader who excelled at supporting their people.

Bastian was most recently honored by his peer CEOs and named Chief Executive magazine's 2023 Chief Executive of the Year. He was also named the 2024 Georgian of the Year by Georgia Trend Magazine.

Bastian joined Delta in 1998, was named chief financial officer in 2005, and was appointed as company president in 2007. He previously held senior finance positions at Frito-Lay International and Pepsi-Cola International. Bastian started his career with Price Waterhouse.

A native of Poughkeepsie, New York, Bastian graduated from SBU in 1979 with a bachelor's degree in business administration. In 2008, he received an honorary degree from his alma mater.



# Words of Wisdom

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graduates on our social media pages.**

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# GRADUATE ACADEMIC AWARDS

Eleanor & Joseph English Graduate Award in Education.....Alison J. McIntosh

Outstanding Academic Achievement Award for Excellence in the  
Graduate Inclusive Special Education Curriculum ..... Alison J. McIntosh  
Honorable Mention..... Allison M. King

Outstanding Academic Achievement Award for Excellence in the  
Graduate Literacy Curriculum ..... Nicole Rust  
Honorable Mention..... Sarah A. Fillion

Al Nothem Student Teaching Graduate Award  
in Adolescence Education.....Caroline M. Yoder

J. Francis O'Malley General Excellence Award .....Caroline M. Yoder  
Honorable Mentions .....Sarah R. Cole, Paige E. King

NYS Society of CPAs Graduate Award of Honor .....Brian J. Patterson  
Honorable Mentions.....Natalie C. Lapp, Mary Kate Wilson

Fra. Luca Pacioli Award for Excellence in Accounting  
in the Five-Year Program..... Natalie C. Lapp  
Honorable Mention.....Mary Kate Wilson

Eugene F. Kirk Memorial Award for an Outstanding Finance Student  
in the MBA Program .....Patrick K. Seeley  
Honorable Mention..... Rushil Bhat

MBA General Excellence Award .....Lauren M. Puller  
Honorable Mention.....Tanner P. Falls, Patrick K. Seeley

Master of Business Administration General Excellence Award  
for the Online Program ..... Eric A. Barczak  
Honorable Mention ..... Joshua M. Wroblewski

Master of Science Sport Administration General Excellence  
Graduate Award ..... Ashley E. Herrick  
Honorable Mention .....Christine A. Napoli

Master of Science Business Analytics General Excellence  
Graduate Award .....Noemi Mitchell  
Honorable Mention .....Michael J. Abbott

Master of Science in Occupational Therapy  
General Excellence Award.....Taylor Delmont, Sydni R. Keesler

Master of Science in Occupational Therapy  
Early Assurance Student of Promise Award.....Erica N. Marshall

Deborah A. Henretta Award for Outstanding Achievement in  
Integrated Marketing Communications..... Beth A. Martin  
Honorable Mention..... Emily E. Wolfel

## UNDERGRADUATE ACADEMIC AWARDS

Ideal Bonaventure Students.....Tharini Nagarkar, Connor Raine  
Honorable Mentions .....Angela LaGrou, Richard Williams

General Excellence in the Arts Curriculum  
Co-winners.....Zena Wronka, Hailey Hilfiger

General Excellence in the Science Curriculum.....Theodore Murphey  
Honorable Mention.....Emaleigh Herlan

General Excellence in the Business Curriculum.....Mitchell Signor  
Honorable Mention.....Madeline Thorne

General Excellence in the Education Curriculum.....Lorelei Kelley  
Honorable Mention.....Emily Phelan

General Excellence in the Communication Curriculum.....Jonathan Walker  
Honorable Mention.....Mackenzie Nolan

General Excellence in the Health Professions.....McKenna Robinson  
Honorable Mention.....Mikayla King

General Excellence Award for a Transfer Student  
Co-winners: Hannah Zink, Olivia Pinciario, Rachael Huff, Andrea Sasala

John J. McNamee Award for General Excellence  
in the Elementary Education Curriculum .....Adrienne G. Honaker  
Honorable Mention..... Emily G. Peterson

John J. McNamee Award for General Excellence  
in the Physical Education Curriculum..... Anna E. Snyder  
Honorable Mention..... Abigael Hiltz

# UNDERGRADUATE ACADEMIC AWARDS

Al Nothem Student Teaching Award in Elementary Education.....	Maria E. DelMonache
Honorable Mention.....	Sadie M. Van Allen
Al Nothem Student Teaching Award in Physical Education.....	Marlee Solomon
Honorable Mention.....	Tyler Regan
Al Nothem Student Teaching Award in Adolescence Education.....	Nathan J. King
Honorable Mention.....	Nolan H. Palmatier
Overall Excellence in Sport Studies Award.....	Taitum C. Mason
Honorable Mention.....	Lucas C. Ishman
Boyd Litzinger Award for Excellence in English Curriculum.....	Julie AMannarino
Honorable Mention.....	Abbie G. Dutcher
International Studies Award.....	Zena M. Wronka
Honorable Mention.....	Matthew R. Salewski, Norka Sanchez
Sister Mary Anthony Brown Philosophy Award.....	Madison R. Mowers
S.C. Cornelio Award.....	Mackenzie L. Nolan
Honorable Mention.....	Jacob E. Palmer, Maya R. Henderson
John M. Orland Philosophy Pre-Law Award.....	Hailey A. Hilfiger
Honorable Mention.....	Madison R. Mowers
Father Roderick Wheeler Award.....	Natalie C. Merrill
Honorable Mention.....	Faith L. Pingie
Military Science Award.....	Gavin M. Piskutz, Daniel J. Schiffhauer
Instrumental Music Award.....	Abbie G. Dutcher
Honorable Mention.....	Nicolas J. Gelyon
Choral Music Award.....	Kimberlie J. Mitchell
Honorable Mention.....	Urmi Upadhyay
Visual Arts Award.....	Carolina W. Berlingieri

# UNDERGRADUATE ACADEMIC AWARDS

Theater Award.....	Caitlyn J. Williams
Biology Award.....	Nishtha Tripathi
Honorable Mention.....	Serena Fan, Shannon A. Heinig
John L. and Leone E. Worden Memorial Award.....	Shannon A. Heinig
Myra J. Reed Mathematics Award	
Co-winners.....	Walter J. Kinder, Theodore R.F. Murphey
Co-winners.....	Ellen M. Appleby, Shannon A. Heinig
Computer Science Achievement Award .....	Theodore R.F. Murphey
Honorable Mention .....	Justin M. Gibbons
Cybersecurity Achievement Award .....	Tinna Kasemsuwannakaeth
Honorable Mention .....	Brooke M. Nicholson
World Languages and Cultural Studies Award.....	Olivia L. Moon
Carl Wagner Psychology Honors Award.....	Julia E. Maslanka
Honorable Mention .....	Grace A. Walker
Sigma Delta Pi Award – Spanish Honor Society.....	Natalie C. Merrill
Honorable Mention .....	Brooke E. Bobbey
Alpha Gamma Psi Award .....	Kimberlie J. Mitchell
Honorable Mention .....	Julia B. Pilecki
Political Science Award.....	Maya R. Henderson
Honorable Mention.....	Mason H. Palude, Gavin M. Piskutz
Thomas A. Augustine Award	
Co-winners.....	Julia E. Maslanka, Grace I. Martone, Therese M. Osborn
American Institute of Chemists Award .....	Ellen M. Appleby
American Chemical Society Penn-York Section Excellence in Chemistry Award.....	Ellen M. Appleby
Margaret T. Bryner HEOP Award .....	Alicia K. Maxwell
Honorable Mention .....	Percival Arthur

# UNDERGRADUATE ACADEMIC AWARDS

Dr. Pierre Bretey Award.....	Mitchell G. Signor
John G. Watson Award for Business Leadership.....	Madeline Thorne
Honorable Mention.....	Connor S. Raine
S. John Guson Award .....	Madelyn S. Green
Honorable Mention.....	Alaina M. Brinkerhoff
Accounting Excellence Award.....	Madeline P. Thorne
Honorable Mention.....	Jack M. Mulford
New York State Society of CPAs Senior Award of Honor .....	Madeline Thorne
Honorable Mention.....	Emily A. Meka
Outstanding Transfer Student in Accounting .....	Julius C. Teabout
Honorable Mention.....	Wyatt E. Zink
Y.S. Pandit Award.....	Daniel Schiffhauer
Honorable Mention.....	Nathan Sobko
Austin Finan Award in Finance .....	Dylan J. Ameis
Honorable Mention.....	Griffin M. Sciortino
Dr. John H. Burns Award for Excellence in Finance .....	Zachary J. Apker
Honorable Mention.....	Daniel J. Schiffhauer
Award for Overall Excellence in Marketing.....	Olivia A. Pinciaro
Honorable Mention.....	Paige M. Szymusiak
Award for Overall Excellence in Management.....	Mark Rickard
Honorable Mention.....	Madison Davenport
Award for Leadership in Marketing .....	Riley J. Polizzi
Honorable Mention.....	Kennedy L. Haberl
Award for Leadership in Management.....	Nathan Sobko
Honorable Mention.....	Chase Luthringer
Award for Excellence in Sports Management Co-winners.....	Connor S. Raine, Sean Fay

# UNDERGRADUATE ACADEMIC AWARDS

## Father Cornelius Welch Award for Achievement

in Photography.....Jaeline T. Valdez  
Honorable Mention.....Jesse C. Blaszak

Mary A. Hamilton Woman of Promise Award.....Hadley P. Thompson

## Mosser Award for Outstanding Achievement

in the Strategic Communication Curriculum.....Ryan N. Surmay  
Honorable Mention.....Grace A. Miller

## Koop Award for Outstanding Achievement

in the Broadcast Curriculum.....Jah'Neyce D. Washington  
Honorable Mention.....Jonathan C. Walker

## Jandoli Award for Outstanding Achievement

in the Journalism Curriculum.....Cassidey J. Kavathas  
Honorable Mention.....Jonathan C. Walker

Mark Hellinger Award .....Richard J. Williams  
Honorable Mention.....Cassidey J. Kavathas

## Paul Wieland Award for Outstanding Achievement

in the Sports Media Curriculum .....Nathan J. Solomon  
Honorable Mention.....Jonathan C. Walker

Excellence in Public Health Award.....McKenzie J. Jensen  
Honorable Mention.....Erica N. Marshall

Excellence in Health Science Award .....Megan R. Hartsell  
Honorable Mention.....Brookelinn S. Garey

Excellence in Nursing Award: RN to B.S.....Andrea Sasala

## RECIPIENTS OF U.S. ARMY COMMISSION

- \* 2LT Gavin M. Piskutz .....Active Duty, Ordnance;  
Explosive Ordnance Disposal (EOD) Selectee
- \* 2LT Daniel J. Schiffhauer.....NYARNG, Engineers (EN)
- \* Distinguished Military Graduate*

## MILITARY SCIENCE SENIOR AWARDS

- Gavin M. Piskutz .....George C. Marshall Award  
VFW Leadership Award  
Military Science Award  
WNY Chapter of the Military Officers Association of America Award
- Daniel J. Schiffhauer.....Military Science Award  
Superior Cadet Award  
WNY Chapter of the Military Officers Association of America Award

## FACULTY AWARDS

### **Faculty Award for Professional Excellence in Teaching**

Dr. James Pientka, professor of Physics and Department of Physics chair

### **Junior Faculty Award for Professional Excellence**

Dr. José Manuel Medrano, assistant professor of Spanish, Department of World Languages and Cultural Studies

### **Adjunct Faculty Award for Professional Excellence**

Jeffrey Warner, adjunct instructor of Spanish, Department of World Languages and Cultural Studies

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# CANDIDATES FOR DEGREES

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## **MASTER OF ARTS - JANDOLI SCHOOL OF COMMUNICATION**

Michael Arbor  
Erin F. Barnett  
Ryan Michael Bradley  
Joseph Celia  
Martin Czekala  
Nicholas C. Dillon  
Joseph Anthony DiMeglio  
Theresachristine Etim  
Benjamin Jacob Garcia  
Daniel Geyer  
Kathleen Mary Grebe  
Erica Gustafson  
Joanne Sigrid Hobbs  
Timothy John Huesing  
Allison Nicole Kaspar  
Zack Laware

Jared L. Leve  
Jordan S. McGinnis  
Kisha Elizabeth Middleton  
Rashan Nisly  
James Peacock  
Ryan-O'Neil Richards  
Jasmine Hayley Rivera  
Yasmeyri Crisalys Rosario  
Julia R. Rowland  
Blake Tyler Silverman  
Jon-Austin Singer  
Kurt R. Stitzel II  
Ana Itza Valentin  
Zachary Weatherlow  
Emily Elizabeth Wolfel

## **MASTER OF SCIENCE - EDUCATION**

Justin Alexander  
Arianna Amayo  
Nora Jane Anderson  
Kristina Angie  
Nana Aomori  
Iris Lee Archer  
Angela Nicole Arthur  
Clare Ashley  
Megan Noelle Beckman  
Carly Bernatovicz  
Rhianna Blake  
Gabriel Jason Blood  
Ja:no's -- Janine R. Bowen  
Sara Ann Bozuhoski  
Meghan Campuzano  
Katherine M Candelario  
Logan O'Hanlon Chase  
Justin Allen Coffey  
Sarah R. Cole  
Kelsey Cole  
Erin Marie Collins  
Akeem Cooper  
Christina Lynn Curcio

Lauren Elizabeth Czudak  
Yvanessa Demosthenes  
Kaitlin Marrie DiBella Steinmeyer  
Jamie Lynn Doherty  
Patrick Enright  
Samantha Elizabeth Eull  
Keyshawn Evans  
Judith Ferrara  
Sarah Anne Filion  
Jennaleigh Sage Fish  
Margaret Anne Flaherty  
Emma Louise Franco  
Karly Elizabeth Dominguez Fritsch  
Kaycee Rene George  
Allison M Gilbert  
Lauren Rae Guggenberger  
Katelyn Marie Hackett  
Rosa Lee Harvey  
Rodney Elijah Highsmith  
Dana Hill  
Ian Jacob Horvath  
Clare M. Howerton  
Monica N. Hoyle

## CANDIDATES FOR DEGREES

Molly Elizabeth Hudson	Amberlee Rae Robertson
Michael Iadarola	Joseline Rodriguez
Tori L. Johnston	Mary Margaret Rugolo
William Charles Jones	Nicole Droney Rust
Caroline Molly Kavanagh	Mark Aaron Santore
Emily Elizabeth Keeler	Daniel Joseph Saturnino
Katelynne Marie Ketchum	Ryan Seibert
Allison Michelle King	Elizabeth Sheehan
Paige E. King	Nathan Sherwin
Alexander Kruse	Alexandra Siebert
Paul Kuczo	Hannah Skrzeczkowski
Alexandra Labita	Joshua T. Smith
Dominique LaMay	George Scott Spence
Conner J. Louro	Abigail Briana Stendts
Tracy Malcolmson	Sara Faith Stransky
Sarah Maley	Heidi Sturdevant
Eleanor Maloney	Joshua Myles Sweeney
Wendy Josephine Mandell	Andrea Elizabeth Szabo
Bridget McCarron	Nicole Marie Talley
Alison Jane McIntosh	Jennifer Tennell
Mackenzie Leigh Michel	Griffin H. Thomas
Julie Ann Moreno	Tori Alexis Tomlin
Ian Matthew Normand	Montana D. Towner
Cierrah Parson	Ryan Turner
Madison A. Patchin	Emily Charlotte Gabrielle Waun
Jenna Patterson	Haley Kristine Wells
Jonathan Pena	Jaclyn Whoberry
Derek Petersen	Frank E. Yarbrough
Alanna Marie Pezzulo	Elizabeth A. Yates
Sabrina Poidomani	Caroline Marie Yoder
Lindsey Lori Pomeroy	Kaitlyn Maureen Zaccardi

### **ADV. CERT. - SCHOOL BUILDING LEADERSHIP**

Richard Charles DiMartino	Matthew Sweeney
Candace L. Phillips	Gina E. Thierrin
Melissa Salvatori	Holly M. Wyant

### **ADV. CERT. - SCHOOL DISTRICT LEADERSHIP**

Erin Jamesson	Ashley E. Scott
Alexander J. Noguera	Eric J. Talbot

CANDIDATES FOR DEGREES

**MASTER OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION**

Benjamin Allen Jr.	Allison M. Lefebre
Joshua Jindra Bannon	Nicholas Anthony Lord
Eric Aloysius Barczak	Megan Whitver
Hayden R. Barry	Matthew Leonard Lyons
Mark Belles	Samantha Mace
Sarah R. Berman	Alexis Mananas
Rushil Bhat	Nicholas L. Marszalek
Austin Matthew Blumbergs	Madison D. Mason
Tomas Botero	James Francis McKeown
Jeffrey James Brewer	Colin Middaugh
Charles Michael Bridge	Nicholas Morabito IV
Michael T. Caulfield	Thomas Rex Mueller
Claire Elizabeth Cody	Conor C. Murphy
Mason Collins	Alexander Joseph Obie
Destiny Dernis Competelli	Sarah Anderson Owens
Valentina Cossio Siles	Mary Kathryn Elizabeth Palmer
Marius Skattum Dahl	Brian James Patterson
Adam Ditchey	Ryan David Pearse
Justin Drennan	Jared Thomas Pemberton
Howard F. Eddy	Tyler H. Petrie
Tanner Patrick Falls	Felicia Ponikau
Kathleen L. Fosterling	Lauren M. Puller
Jace D. Frazier	Jack Putney
Elizabeth Frick	Jordan Elizabeth Rokitka
Noelle Rose Gangarossa	Wyatt Charles Schunk
Hailey Grau	Patrick Kevin Seeley
Pierce M. Greene	Adam Charles Shank
Darion Patrick Gregory	Alexander Nelson Sharpe
Grant Benjamin Gutchall	Haji Hussein Shee
Reed Thomas Hammond	Sidney Simecak
Michael Patrick Huether	Patrick Leonard Smith
Brooke Shannon Jupinka	Marisa Rachel Stockdale
Danielle Marie King	Nicholas Eugene Torre
Jack William Laino	Phoebe Ann Owens Tovey
Robert Joseph Laino	Jonathan David Wilson
Belinda Diassonma	Mary Katharine Wilson
Lingoupou-Landou	Joshua Michael Wroblewski
Natalie Caroline Lapp	Melissa Suzanne Zbroszczyk

CANDIDATES FOR DEGREES

**MASTER OF SCIENCE IN SCHOOL OF BUSINESS**

Michael J. Abbott  
Amber Theresa Achladis  
Theodore William Bishop  
Grant Thomas Davis  
Jackson Dejohn  
Patricia Dudley  
Ashley Elizabeth Herrick  
Alexander J. Lang

Luis Marquez  
Noemi Mitchell  
Christine Ann Napoli  
Alexander Michael Shields  
Lance Sininger  
Kendrick Maher Tarmino  
Griffin Edward Witte  
Dantarius Wright

**MASTER OF SCIENCE IN THE  
SCHOOL OF ARTS AND SCIENCES**

Cristian Eli Alvarez Hernandez  
Robin Clark  
Hunter Davis  
Conor Devany  
Steven Herbert Goetjen  
Arturo Gonzalez Jr.  
Michael Issac Turea  
Derek Johnson

Timothy Jurkiw  
Jason Thomas Langston  
Connor Hoffmann Murphy  
Nathan Andrew Mytych  
Alec Parent  
Gregory Kenneth Sihrer  
Brian A. Wendland  
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# Congratulations

Family members and friends of the Class of 2024 offer congratulatory messages in this promotion to benefit The Bonaventure Fund, which supports student scholarships.

## **Evan Daniel Affronti**

Congratulations. Today is your day. You're off to great places. You're off and away. We are beyond proud. God is gracious.

*Mom, Dad, Emma '27*

## **Danielle T. Aiello**

Danielle Bug, we are so proud of all your accomplishments! Congratulations. We love you.

*Mom & Dad, Joe & Anne-Marie Aiello*

## **Danielle Aiello**

Congrats, Danielle, we are so proud. Your determination to excel is amazing. Handling your RA duties and volunteering with Allegany Rescue/EMS is so impressive.

*Grandma*

## **Dylan Ambrosio**

Obstacles are inevitable on the path to any goal, but you persevered, and you did it! We are so proud of you. Congratulations!

*Mom, Dad & Tanner*

## **Cole Anastasia**

Congratulations, Cole, Class of 2024! We are so proud! Love,

*Dad and Mom, Grandpa and Grandma,  
Makenna and Cade*

## **Dominic Argenio**

Congratulations, Dominic! Proud of your Bona's accomplishments: your degree, memories, and lifelong friendships. WE LOVE YOU VERY MUCH!

*Mom, Dad, Julianna, Nicholas*

## **Dominic Argenio**

Graduation means a future of seeing SBU bumper stickers in parking lots and searching stores for their owners! Congrats, Dom!

*Aunt Andrea Argenio, '88*

## **Raeanne L. Armbruster**

Congratulations, Bugaboo. So proud of you! Remember: Momma Loves You A Little Bit Times Infinity! Here's to new beginnings filled with Love, Success, and Happiness.

*JulieAnne Miller*

## **Ryan Walsh Bauer**

Congratulations, Ryan! We are very proud of you! You are going to be a great teacher.

*Mom, Dad, and Mary*

## **Anthony Belardinelli**

Learn the lessons, chase your dreams, change the world. Shine on, Anthony Belardinelli. We are so proud of you!

*Mom & Dad*

## **Kate Bennett**

You did it! You'll make a great teacher and make a difference in the lives of so many children. Congrats! Welcome to the working world! Love,

*Mom, Dad, Lauren, Connor,  
Grandma and Ralph*

## **Megan Bickert**

We're so proud of all you've accomplished the last four years. We can't wait to see what the future holds. You're beautiful inside and out! Love,

*Dad and Joy*

**Jesse Blaszak**

We all congratulate you on your numerous achievements @ Bonaventure! Your determination is amazing — continue striving and aiming for your highest heights!

*#SoproudMom*

**Zane Andrew Courtwright**

Your graduation and athletic achievements are an amazing testament to your years of hard work, dedication and commitment. Continued success on and off the track/course.

*Mom, Dad and Reid*

**Brooke Bobbey**

Brooke, you have had an amazing four years!! We are so proud of all that you have accomplished at St. B! Go Bonnies!!

*Matt, Carla & Wyatt*

**Caitlin Cullinane**

Congrats, Caitlin! We are so proud of your accomplishments. Your dedication to the SPCA is remarkable. May God bless you for your kindness.

*Grandma*

**Matthew Branco**

Congratulations on your graduation! Your hard work and dedication have paid off. We believe in your potential and can't wait to see your future successes. With love,

*Mom and Dad*

**Cyle Cup**

You did it! We are so proud of your accomplishments. Always reach for the stars; the rewards will be yours, and success will follow you. Love,

*Mom, Dad, Dillon and Collin*

**Kyle Caccamise**

Kyle, we are so proud of the man you have become. Wishing you continued success in your journey. We love you.

*Mom, Dad, and Sammy*

**Kaitlin Czamara**

Way to go, Kate! Congratulations! Love,

*Mom, Dad, Molly, Tara & Scott Czamara*

**Ben Cichowski**

We are so incredibly proud of you! Congratulations, Ben! Xoxo,

*Mom, Dad, Sam & Adam*

**Mark Collins Darakjy**

We are incredibly proud of the wonderful young man you've grown into and hope you embrace your future with enthusiasm. Always stay humble and kind.

*David and Erin Darakjy*

**Ryan Thomas Connolly**

What a great four years at SBU. We love you and couldn't be prouder! We can't wait to see what your next adventure brings!

*Mom and Dad and Maddy*

**Tyree Day**

Tyree, we are so proud of you. Congratulations on all that you have accomplished and continue to achieve! Love always,

*Your family*

**Emma Corey**

We are proud of your accomplishments over the four years. They show your deep commitment to God and relationships and will serve you well. Carpe Diem!

*Scott and Molly Corey*

**Maria DelMonache**

We can't begin to say how proud we are! You have a beautiful spirit and will enlighten all who you teach. We Love You, Mimi!

*Mom & Dad*

**Kaitlyn M. Dunn**

Congratulations! You've worked so hard and we couldn't be prouder. Your determination and unwavering spirit will lead you to achieve great success.  
#WeLoveYouSoMuch

*Mom & Dad*

**Kaitlyn M. Dunn**

Your accomplishments here at Bona's are only the beginning of a lifetime filled with even greater achievements. Congratulations on your graduation!

*Rachel Elser*

**Brian Fennell**

We are so proud of you, our third-generation Bonaventure graduate. We're excited about your future. You are a strong and decent man. We love you!!!

*Papa, Dad, J&J, Michelle*

**Evan Ferrari**

Dear Evan, you did it! We are beyond proud of you! Now onto the next chapter. Congratulations! We love you.

*Mom, Dad, Hannah and Lydia*

**Sarah Anne Filion**

Sarah, you are capable of achieving anything you set your mind to. We are so very proud of you. Congratulations on receiving your master's!!!

*Shawn & Anne Filion*

**Isabelle Gaffney**

A sweet ending to a new beginning! Embrace the rewards of your hard work, knowing they are just the beginning. We are so proud!

*Deirdre Gaffney*

**Nicolas Gelyon**

Congratulations, Nic! May your feet always take you where your heart wants to go. Go the extra mile, it's never crowded. Much love and many blessings.

*Deborah Moran*

**Nicolas Gelyon**

I am so very proud of the young man you have become and especially proud of all your accomplishments with many more to come.

*Norma Kapa*

**Louie Genovese**

Congratulations, Louie! We are very proud of you. Can't wait to see what's next. Love you most,

*Mom & Dad*

**Madeline Gilbert**

Be fearless in the pursuit of what sets your soul on fire! We love you!

*Mom and Dad*

**Maddie Gilbert**

Maddie, I'm so incredibly proud of you! My role model, sister and bestest friend. I love you so much, I can't wait to watch you thrive. <3

*Ana Gilbert*

**Madeline Gilbert**

So very proud of you, Maddie! So many children waiting to be touched by you. Love you,

*Ela & PopPop*

**Shannon Heinig**

You've always had help and support from family and friends, but you're successful only because you and you alone have chosen to be.

*Jennifer and George Heinig*

**Maya Rose Henderson**

Our Maya: Beauty, Grace, Brains, Talent, Creativity, and Spirit, but most of all — a compassionate heart. Live them all in concert. Love eternal! Congratulations!

*Uncle Pat, Aunt Dawn & Joe*

**Maya Henderson**

The sky's the limit!

*Uncle Dave & Aunt Linda*

**Maya Rose Henderson**

Congratulations, Maya! So proud of what you've accomplished. You are a true leader who perseveres; so excited for your bright future! Love,

*Mom, Lily, & Nolan*

**Abigael Hiltz**

Congratulations, Abby! You are made for great things! Remember to always lead with your heart. Proud of you beyond measure. Love,

*Mom & Dad*

**Abigael Hiltz**

Congratulations on all your accomplishments in the classroom and on the field. Proud to cheer you on as you graduate!

*Emily, Josh & Meg*

**Abigael Hiltz**

Cheers to your well-deserved success, Abby! Your hard work and perseverance have paid off. You make us incredibly proud. Love,

*Grandma & The Cotters*

**Abigael Hiltz**

Abby, we love you very much. Proud of all you have achieved. Keep following your dreams! Gramps loves sharing birthdays!

*Nana & Gramps Hiltz*

**Abigael Hiltz**

Proud of you, Abby, and blessed to have you as a granddaughter! You will be an amazing educator. Love you!

*Grandma Shell*

**Will Hogan**

We couldn't be more proud of what you've accomplished! It's been a pleasure watching you reach this milestone! And we can't wait for what's next!

*Stacey, Neil & Sean Hogan*

**Johanna Grace Hogan**

We are so proud of your accomplishments and the person you have become. You'll continue to soar as long as you stay true to yourself.

*Cathy Saleem*

**Kassi Hogan**

Congratulations, Kassi! We are so proud of you and excited for your next steps! You amaze us with your hard work and dedication. Love,

*Mom, Tyler, Gma and Cbris*

**McKenzie J. Jensen**

Graduation is more than an accomplishment; it reflects your character and determination. We are so proud of you. This calls for celebrating! Love you!

*Mom & Dad*

**McKenzie Jensen**

May God's blessings continue to follow you through life. We couldn't be prouder of the young woman you've become!

*Aunt Mary & Uncle Bill*

**McKenzie Jensen**

We are so proud of you, waterbug! I can't wait to see you conquer the world!

*Zachary and Samantha*

**Aiden Jones**

Here's to a good journey ending and one that's about to begin! Congrats, Aiden! We love you and are so proud of you!

*Mom, Dad, Carli & Vivi*

**Gregory Jubulis**

Gregory, this weekend your family gathers to celebrate your graduation! We are all extremely proud of all you accomplished. Congratulations and Go Bona's!

*Jubulis Family*

**Cassidey Kavathas**

Congratulations! Graduation is only the beginning. Keep reaching for the stars and make all dreams come true. We are so proud of you. Love,

*Daddy*

**Cassidey Kavathas**

Cassidey, so proud of you and all of your accomplishments! Cannot wait to see where your next adventure takes you! Love,  
*Mom and Aidan*

**Allison King**

Hats off to you! Your perseverance and brilliance shine bright. I know you'll make an awesome teacher!!

*Rachel Elser*

**Blake Krlic**

Couldn't be prouder. Go Bona's! Go Birds! P.S.: That's my line.

*kd*

**Graceann LaFay**

Go confidently in the direction of your dreams. "Live the life you have imagined."  
— Henry David Thoreau.

*Joe and Jayne LaFay*

**Angela LaGrou**

We are very proud of all of your achievements, but even more proud of the person you have become. We love you so very much!

*Mom & Dad*

**Ryan LaRue**

We are all so proud of you, Ryan LaRue! Way to go, MOJO!!!

*Mom, Dad, Megan and Kristin*

**Robert D. Leitch IV**

Congratulations on this outstanding accomplishment. We are so proud of you! The best is yet to come. We love you!

*Mom, Dad and Family*

**Erica N. Marshall**

Erica, you have done amazing things the past four years, and continue to make us proud every day! Congratulations. I love you!

*Mom*

**Alexa Martinos**

We love you & are so proud of you. Looking forward to watching your journey & the impact you will have as an educator. Love,

*Dad, Mom, Tyler, Dylan and Ranger!*

**Grace Martone**

We are overwhelmed with joy for all of your accomplishments. Keep the passion and fire instilled at SBU and continue to do extraordinary things.

*Mom and Dad*

**Carter D. Matzel**

Carter, the future belongs to you. I have watched you grow into an amazing young man. Always believe in yourself. Love,

*Mom*

**Lauren McGee**

We are so proud of all you have accomplished and wish you much success in your teaching career. We love you.

*Mom, Dad, Michael, Kathleen & Brigid*

**Alison McIntosh**

Today marks the end of your days as a student. It's time to start your journey on the other side of the desk! Congratulations!

*Mom*

**Kylie S. McKee**

Kylie! We're proud of you. Your dreams, humor, and determination make the world brighter. You are capable of achieving greatness. You are loved. Keep shining!

*Mom, Dad, Ryan & your family*

**Jonathan Mendick**

Congratulations on your Graduation, Jon! YOU DID IT! Remember to always keep learning, growing, and chasing your dreams! We are so PROUD of you! Love,

*Your family*

**Jack Miller**

"Life moves pretty fast. If you don't stop and look around once in a while, you could miss it." Congratulations! We love you!

*Mom, Dad, Paige, & Remy*

**Julie Ann Moreno**

Congratulations, Best Baby. Your family continues to be proud of your achievements. May the thrilling experiences that lie ahead be filled with success and happiness!

*Reggie Moreno, Suzanne Moreno  
& Paulette Cardinale*

**Julie Moreno**

Aunt Julie, your graduation is a testament to your endless curiosity and passion for life! I'm so proud of you!

*John Cardinale*

**Julie Moreno**

Congratulations, Jules! You did it! You are a shining star! I am so proud of you; you truly inspire me. Love you lots!!

*Lauren Loza*

**Madison Mowers**

Congratulations, Maddie! We couldn't be prouder of you. Wishing you endless success as you embark on the next chapter of your life. We love you!

*Mom, Eddie & Bailey*

**Teddy Murphey**

Congratulations, Teddy Murphey. We are so proud of you! Unfurl!

*Dad, Mom, Charlie, Harry & Archie*

**Sophia Nix**

Congratulations, Sophie! Wherever you go in life keep working hard. Love you! xoxo,

*Terri Donovan*

**Sophia Nix**

Sophie, your drive and determination have been an inspiration! I am incredibly proud of you! Your future is bright. Keep shining, love bug!

*Mom*

**Sophia Nix**

As you toss your cap, remember: this is just the beginning of your remarkable journey. Embrace the adventure ahead with courage and curiosity. Congratulations!

*Rachel Elser*

**David O'Donoghue**

Proud is an understatement for how Dad and I feel. You have done amazing academically but more importantly grown into a kind, respectful adult.

*David & Shennan O'Donoghue*

**Amy O'Rourke**

Congratulations on your graduation! Your hard work and dedication have paid off. Best wishes for a bright and successful future ahead!

*Rachel Elser*

**Emmalynn Irene Paige**

Congratulations, Emma. We are proud of you and love you very much, to the moon & back, Peanut!

*Mom, Dad & Gabriel*

**Jacob Palmer**

Congratulations, Jacob! We are so proud of you and look forward to seeing all that you accomplish in the future.

*Christina Quagliano*

**Emily Peterson**

Congratulations on your graduation, Emily! Best wishes for your next adventure. We are so proud of you! We love you!

*Dad, Mom and Ally*

**Emily Peterson**

Congrats on your graduation! Wishing you joy, success, and endless opportunities in your next chapter!

*Rachel Elser*

**Emily Phelan**

Congratulations, Emily! We are so proud of your well-deserved success at SBU! Your future is bright! Love,

*Dad, Mom, Katie, Carmella & Beasley*

**Emily Phelan**

Congratulations, we are so proud of you! Your hard work paid off! Those kiddos will be lucky to have you as their teacher! Love you!

*Uncle Brooks, Aunt Angela,  
Anthony and Sabrina*

**Emily Phelan**

Ems, always remember that everyone deserves a chance to fly and always defy gravity!

*Aunt Stacy, Uncle Matt, McKenna, Braydon and Alihyas*

**Emily Phelan**

Emily, we are so proud of you and what you have accomplished in both the classroom and on the softball field. Best wishes. Love ya!

*Nana and Papa Amerose*

**Sarah C. Prymak**

We are so proud of you! Your determination and commitment to work hard and excel is both inspiring and amazing! We love you!

*Abby, Maddy, Xandre, Mom, Dad and your entire family*

**Connor Raine**

To our Ideal Bonaventure Student, we couldn't be more proud of all you've accomplished and all that's to come. We love you. Go Bona's!

*Mom, Taylor, G&G, John, Ryan, Brandon, Dad & Casey*

**Maya Randle**

You are going to do great things! We can't wait to see what your future holds. Love you!

*Mom and Dad*

**Tyler Regan**

"The best view comes after the hardest climb." We are so proud of your accomplishments. We love you more than every step on the PCT.

*Your family*

**Alana Reynolds**

Congratulations on reaching this milestone! Your journey has just begun, and I'm excited to see the incredible impact you'll make in the world!

*Rachel Elser*

**Mark Rickard**

You have come so far, sacrificed time and dedicated yourself to getting your college degree. We cannot be any prouder of all you accomplished! Congratulations! Love,

*Heidi, Madison and Nicole*

**Matthew Salewski**

Congratulations! So proud of all you have accomplished at SBU. As you go forward, remember to stay true to yourself. Love,

*Mom, Dad & Natalie*

**Benjamin Sanborn**

Congratulations! So proud of you!

Wishing you a bright and successful future ahead! Love you always!

*Mom*

**Benjamin Sanborn**

Congrats, Ben! We are so proud of you!

*Grandma, Papa, Chris and Mom*

**Jacob X. Schoeberl**

Congratulations, Jacob! Keep striving toward your dreams. There is no limit to your potential. We are very proud of you. Love,

*Dad, Mom and Elyza*

**Ben Schweikahard**

We're proud of your achievements but even prouder of the person you are and have always been. You're loved more than you will ever know.

*Mom & Ronnie*

**Nathan Sobko**

Congratulations, Nathan! We are so excited about your next amazing adventure! We love you!

*Mom, Dad, Noah, Hannab, Grandma, Papa, Aunt Patty, Uncle John, GG, Uncle Kyle, Taunta, Sarah & Luke*

**Bridgette St. Mauro**

Congratulations! We're so proud of you. You're not just closing a chapter; you're opening a lifelong connection. Welcome to the Bona alumni family! GO BONA'S!

*Anne & Paul St. Mauro*

**Patrick Stevens**

Congratulations! You have made the most of your Bona experience. We are so proud of you. On to CSU Law! Love,

*Mom and Dad*

**Ryan Surmay**

Congratulations! You have accomplished so much but there is so much ahead of you. We love you and will always be here for you.

*Mom and Dad*

**Ryan Surmay**

We are so proud of you! You are an amazing role model and we look up to you. Thank you for being a great brother!

*Evan and Matthew Surmay*

**Ryan Surmay**

So happy to see my godson graduate from St. Bonaventure! I'd travel from anywhere to be here with you. I am proud of you.

*Aunt Alison*

**Kye Terry**

We are so proud of you! Keep striving for greatness. We love you!

*Mom and Family*

**The Doll House**

Congrats! You've painted the town pink, walked the stage, and now it's time to celebrate! Looking forward to seeing the Dolls pursue their dreams!

*Mom Jensen*

**Madeline Thorne**

"Oh the places you'll go!" Congratulations, Maddie! We love you and are so proud of you. Love,

*The Fam*

**Kelsey Tiffany**

We are beyond proud of you and the accomplishments you earned today. Be proud of this moment and keep moving toward your dreams.

*Tony & Melonie Tiffany*

**Sadie Van Allen**

Congratulations and Happy Graduation Day, dear daughter. I am extremely proud of all your hard work and am honored to share this day with you.

*Mom*

**Nishtha Tripathi**

Nishtha, we're incredibly proud of your journey and wish you the best for what lies ahead. Our love and support will forever accompany you.

*Alka, Alok, and Tarushi Tripathi*

**Jah'Neyce Washington**

Congratulations to my Baby Girl. Love You!!

*Wayne Washington*

**Jah'Neyce Washington**

Congratulations on this monumental moment in your life. I'm so proud of you and your accomplishments. You did this! Love you!

*LaTiaa Wynn*

**Emilie Weinbeck**

A "blanket" statement: Forever memories, forever friends, forever a Bonnie. Congratulations, Emilie!! SBU 2024. Love,

*Mom*

**Emilie Weinbeck**

My deepest condolences on the end of your college life. Go confidently in the direction of your dreams. Live the life you have imagined. ConGRADulations!

*Dad*

**Brian White**

Congratulations, graduate! Continue to follow your dreams and best wishes for your next adventure! We are so proud of you!

*Anjana, Brian, Justin and Holley*

**Zena Wronka**

We watched you grow from a baby to an adult ready to fly off on her own! What an incredible journey! Congratulations!

*Pamela and Edward Wronka*

**Connor Yuhas**

Congratulations! Wishing you a lifetime of happiness and success. Thank you for all the wonderful memories. We will cherish them forever!

*Mom & Dad*

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