



UNDERGRADUATE COMMENCEMENT

2024

Saturday, June 8, 2024

T-Mobile Park | Seattle, Washington



Dear SPU Class of 2024,

Congratulations on your remarkable educational achievement. Today we are here to celebrate all that you have accomplished, and all that God has

in store for you in the days ahead.

Doubtless along the way you spent many late nights reading, writing, prepping projects, and studying for exams, nights when it felt as if this day would never come. You are a class of competence, character, and persistence. You began your time during the pandemic and persevered despite significant challenges.

Today we honor you as part of the Class of 2024, recognizing who you are and looking ahead to where you will go. The faculty and staff assembled here — along with your family, friends, and supporters — rejoice with you at this culminating moment in your undergraduate career. We celebrate your diligence, pursuit of excellence, and aspirations for the future.

Each of you embodies a piece of our community, and, as you leave Seattle Pacific, you leave part of yourself, which continues to shape and mold who we are as a university. You also carry with you the mission and spirit of SPU as you embark on a new chapter, empowering you beyond SPU to serve the world.

Each of you leaves Seattle Pacific with the capacity to impact others and make a substantive difference in the world. Regardless of what lies ahead, I am confident in your ability to translate your Christian faith into action. I have witnessed many of you tackle some of the world's greatest challenges with tenacity and a clear focus on solutions. May you go forth from this place with a continued focus on others, using your wisdom to facilitate grace-filled community.

As you move into a new era, I invite you to stay connected to your Falcon roots. Be sure to come back to campus for events and stay in touch with your professors and friends; they'll offer friendship, knowledge, and perspective in the years ahead. May you go now ready to serve the world and to shine the light of Christ to those around you.

With Prayer and Optimism,

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Deana L. Porterfield". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style and is enclosed within a large, horizontal oval shape.

Deana L. Porterfield
President

2024

Undergraduate Commencement Program

Deana L. Porterfield, EdD, President, Presiding

Processional

SPU Wind Ensemble

Directed by Corey Jahlas, MMus,
Director of Bands

Welcome

Deana L. Porterfield, EdD

President

Hymn: *Great Is Thy Faithfulness*

(please stand)

By Thomas O. Chisholm; music by

William M. Runyan

SPU Chorus

Led by Ryan Ellis, DMA, Assistant Professor

of Music; Director of Choral Music

SPU Wind Ensemble

Directed by Corey Jahlas, MMus,
Director of Bands

Great Is Thy Faithfulness

Great is Thy faithfulness, O God my Father;

There is no shadow of turning with Thee;

Thou changest not, Thy compassions,

they fail not;

As Thou hast been, Thou forever wilt be.

Refrain

Great is Thy faithfulness!

Great is Thy faithfulness!

Morning by morning new mercies I see.

All I have needed Thy hand hath provided;

Great is Thy faithfulness, Lord, unto me!

Summer and winter and springtime and

harvest,

Sun, moon, and stars in their courses above

Join with all nature in manifold witness

To Thy great faithfulness, mercy, and love.

Refrain

Pardon for sin and a peace that endureth,

Thine own dear presence to cheer and to

guide;

Strength for today and bright hope for

tomorrow,

Blessings all mine, with ten thousand

beside!

Refrain

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Invocation *(please stand)*

Ross Stewart, PhD

Professor of Accounting; Dean of the School

of Business, Government, and Economics

Scripture Reading

Colossians 2:1–7

Scott Beers, PhD

Professor of Curriculum and Instruction;

Chair, MEd in Curriculum and Instruction

Parent of 2024 Graduate Cameron Beers

Announcement of the 2024

President's Citation Award Recipient

Deana L. Porterfield, EdD

President

Introduction of Speaker

Deana L. Porterfield, EdD

President

Commencement Address

“There Is No Secret Wisdom”

Esau McCaulley, PhD

Associate Professor of New Testament,

Wheaton College; Author, *How Far to the*

Promised Land

Awarding of Degrees

Dean Kato

Chair, SPU Board of Trustees

Deana L. Porterfield, EdD

President

Degrees are conferred by school.

Please note that graduates will not

process in alphabetical order.

Presentation of Candidates

for Degrees

Les Steele, PhD

Interim Chief Academic Officer

Seattle Pacific University

Alma Mater *(please stand)*

SPU Chorus

Led by Ryan Ellis, DMA, Assistant Professor

of Music; Director of Choral Music

SPU Wind Ensemble

Directed by Corey Jahlas, MMus,
Director of Bands

Alma Mater

Midst the mountains of the Westland,

near the ocean blue.

Beacon light that shineth ever

is our S.P.U.

Join the chorus, waft it onward,

until all shall view.

Standing true amid all others,

dear old S.P.U.

Benediction *(please stand)*

Brian Lugioyo, PhD

Professor of Theology and Ethics;

Dean of the School of Theology

Recessional *(remain standing)*

SPU Wind Ensemble

Directed by Corey Jahlas, MMus,
Director of Bands

After the ceremony: *The audience is requested*

to remain in their seats while the platform

party, faculty members, and graduates recess.

Families and guests: *Please exit T-Mobile*

Park and meet your graduate just south of the

ballpark at the plaza adjacent to the Mariner's

Parking Garage. Look for the maroon balloons.

Presiding Faculty Marshal

Derek Wood, PhD

Professor of Biology

College of Arts and Sciences

University Mace-Bearer

Leland Saunders, PhD

Past Faculty Chair

Professor of Philosophy

College of Arts and Sciences

Faculty Marshals

John Hossler, PhD

Faculty Chair

Associate Professor of Mathematics

College of Arts and Sciences

Kevin Neuhouser, PhD

Incoming Faculty Chair

Professor of Sociology

College of Arts and Sciences

Carlos Arias, PhD

Associate Professor and Chair
of Computer Science

College of Arts and Sciences

Katya Drozdova, PhD

Professor of Business, Information Systems,
and Political Science

*School of Business, Government,
and Economics*

Erika Busz, MSN

Instructor of Nursing

School of Health Sciences

Krystle Jalalian-Chursky, PhD

Assistant Professor and Director of
Undergraduate Special Education

School of Education

Chakrita Saulina, PhD

Assistant Professor of Biblical Studies

School of Theology

Paul Kim, PhD

Professor of Psychology

*School of Psychology, Family,
and Community*

Commencement Readers

Lorelle Jabs, PhD

Associate Professor of Communication

College of Arts and Sciences

Andrew Ryder, PhD

Professor of Theatre Education

Associate Dean

College of Arts and Sciences

Color Guard

SPU Student Veterans

Banner Carriers

Members of the Seattle Pacific Community

Commencement Speaker



Esau McCaulley

Esau McCaulley, PhD, is an author and associate professor of New Testament at Wheaton College. His writing and speaking focus on New Testament theology, African American Biblical interpretation, and Christian public theology.

His new memoir, *How Far to the Promised Land*, questions the narrative of exceptionalism that he and other Black survivors are conditioned to give when they “make it” in America. His book *Reading While Black: African American Biblical Interpretation as an Exercise in Hope* won numerous awards, including *Christianity Today*’s book of the year.

Dr. McCaulley is a contributing opinion writer for *The New York Times*. His writings have also appeared in places such as *The Atlantic*, *The Washington Post*, and *Christianity Today*.

He is married to Mandy, a pediatrician and Navy reservist. Together, they have four wonderful children.

History of Academic Clothing

The traditions surrounding academic regalia — gown and cap — date back to the 13th century and have their roots in clerical garments, which were the earliest form of academic attire in England. The academic gown was first used at the University of Cambridge in 1284. American universities adopted the first Intercollegiate Code of Academic Costume in 1895. The American Council on Education later standardized the use of academic regalia in 1932.

Originally adopted as a way of affirming unity in the common pursuit of learning, as well as ensuring warmth in unheated stone buildings, academic regalia is now considered traditional attire for high-ceremony academic occasions. Participants wear regalia that demonstrates — by design and color — their highest academic degree, the general discipline in which they studied, and the university from which they received their degree.

At Commencement, graduates place the tassel for their mortarboard cap on the right side, moving it to the left when their degrees are conferred. Faculty members participating in academic ceremonies wear the tassel to the left throughout the proceedings.

Seattle Pacific University proudly participates in this colorful tradition, which recognizes our part in the larger academic community and celebrates the importance of Commencement as a high ceremony.

Academic Seal and University Mace

In addition to academic clothing, Seattle Pacific University's Commencement ceremonies include two other important features. The academic seal depicts SPU's history, academics, and Christian faith. The University mace, which bears the academic seal, represents the authority of the president. The mace always precedes the president in academic high ceremonies.

Recognition and Awards

HONORS AT GRADUATION

The baccalaureate degree is conferred with honors on the basis of the student's cumulative SPU college-level grade point average. *Cum Laude* recognizes the achievement of a 3.5–3.74 grade point average and is signified by the wearing of a white honor cord; *Magna Cum Laude* recognizes the achievement of a 3.75–3.89 grade point average and is signified by the wearing of a silver honor cord; *Summa Cum Laude* recognizes the achievement of a 3.9–4.0 grade point average and is signified by the wearing of a gold honor cord. The honors that are recognized in the Commencement ceremony are based on the Seattle Pacific University grade point average at the end of Winter Quarter and are not finalized until the official awarding of the bachelor's degree.

PRESIDENT'S CITATION AWARD

The President's Citation is awarded to one graduating senior each year. The finalists and recipient of this award exemplify the mission and vision of the University, are among those with the highest academic standing in their class, and have demonstrated exceptional character, outstanding leadership, and service to the SPU community.

HONORS GRADUATES:

The University Scholars

Graduates in Seattle Pacific's Honors program, the University Scholars, have completed a special sequence of accelerated, integrative, and interdisciplinary courses in the liberal arts as well as an independent Honors research project and presentation. Those who complete all Honors requirements also earn a bachelor's degree in Honors Liberal Arts.

Cameron Beers

Music Creation: A Look Into the Process and Products of Organizing and Performing a Concert of Arrangements and Original Works

Emily Blue

The Effect of Gender on Violent Crime: An Analysis of Federal Crime Sentencing

Sophia Drake Braymen

Starbucks Workers United and the Future of American Labor Activism

Mary McKindree Bruggeman

"Can You Just Speak Normal?": How Language Summer Camps Can Contribute to Children's Linguistic and Cultural Learning.

Carrie Cox

Qubits for Students: A Hands-on Introduction to Quantum Computing for Undergraduate Quantum Mechanics Courses

Garrett Crites

Demystifying the "Social Media Algorithm": The Legacy of Surveillance Advertising and Platformization

Jessica Day

"The Hero of My Own Life": The Purpose of the Fictional Self in the Life Writings of Mary Wollstonecraft and Charles Dickens

Gloria Diehl

Defining Healthy Love: A Narrative Review of Purity Culture's Impact on Healing From Sexual Assault

Sage Driscoll

"I'm Not Your Friend": Content Type Influence on Parasocial Relationship Formation on YouTube

Jewel Garcia

Salmon Mislabeling Rates Uncovered in Sushi Restaurants and Grocery Stores in Seattle

Jenna Gillam

Tied Together With Ticketmaster: Analyzing the Exclusive Contracts of Ticketmaster Through the Lens of Antitrust Scholars

Dillon Goicoechea

Analysis of Green Data Center Efforts and Energy Usage

Kyler Granados

All Holy Desires: An Anglican-Episcopal Theology of Desire and Prayer Book Liturgical Asceticism

Kellie Grover

Human Health and Outdoor Lighting: A Multidisciplinary Systematic Review of Current Research

Maxwell Hayden

The Translingual College Classroom: Repurposing Essays for Inclusivity and Practicality

Macs Herdrich

EARTH/UNEARTH (on the Nature of G-d and Creation)

Anna Kreisman

Resilience in Refugee Youth: A Review of Contributing Factors and Potential Barriers

Parker Landon

A Survey of Practical Haskell: Parsing, Interpreting, and Testing

Micah Lim

Unrealized and Uncertain: An Exploratory Journalism Piece on the Initiatives and History of Diversity and Inclusion at Seattle Pacific University

Rayna Martin

Deciphering Municipal Authority: Examining the Balance of Powers in Local Government

Philip Min

Modeling Perpetual Foreignness of Asian Americans

Esther Mutesi

Exploring Rwandan High School Students' Understanding of Heat and Temperature to Explain How the Sun Affects Earth's Climate

Cynthia Nguyen

Intimacy Without the Chance of Heartbreak for Richer, for Poorer, in Sickness and in Health

Miranda Oddy

Past Experiences and Current Attitudes: Is Everything Connected?

Talia Parlane

Inherently "Selfish"? Exploring Egoism in Altruism

Lay Paw

Exploring the Use of FDA-Approved α -Difluoromethylornithine (DFMO) and Orlistat as Gammaherpesvirus Antiviral Drug

Rae Perez

reaping in the dark

Kurt Autumn Reinmuth

A Theatrical Exploration Into Queer Joy

Aubrey Rhoadarmer

"I Didn't Know What Sex Was": Effects of Christian Youth Group Involvement on Women's Sexuality in Adulthood

Alessandro Rizzi

The Development of Cs124-Sensitized Luminescent Terbium Complexes for Anion Binding and Sensing

Esal Shakil

"They're Human, Let's Treat Them Like That": A Qualitative Analysis of South Asian Perspectives on the LGBTQ Community at a Christian Institution

Eve Sudberry

Mental Health Care Disparities Among Black Individuals in the United States as a Consequence of Racial Inequity and Inequality

Evan Teigland

A Romantic Austen: The Discordant Feminist Discourse of Adapting *Sense and Sensibility*

Ryan Watson

Helping the Home Cook: How Unsupervised Machine Learning Can Prevent Food Waste

Baccalaureate Degree Recipients

(LAST NAMES BEGINNING WITH A)

Abigail Grace Abbott

Cum Laude
Nutrition and Dietetics, BS

Mahad M. Abdulqadir

Criminal Justice, BA

Delina T. Abraha

Psychology, BA

Emily Aida Abshere

Magna Cum Laude
Music, BA
Teaching and Learning, BM

Janelle L. Acob

Cum Laude
Business Administration, BA

Adalberto A. Acosta

Computer Science, BS

Egypt R. Adams

Physiology, BS

Ruth W. Addisu

Psychology, BA

Olasubomi Daniel Adebayo

Computer Science, BA

Renner Agyemang

Interior Design, BA

Mackenzie Lee Aiken

Business Administration, BA

Asmaa A. Al-awadi

Applied Human Biology, BS

Maryam Alashwan

Nursing, BS

Ubalдина Josefina Alcaraz

Magna Cum Laude
Integrated Studies, BA

Bahja M. Ali

Political Science, BA

Daniel Allen

Magna Cum Laude
Economics, BA

Donovahn Kelley Allen

Cum Laude
Mechanical Engineering, BS

Rylee Rose Allen

Cum Laude
Nutrition and Dietetics, BS

Samuel James Allen

Business Administration, BA

Sarah A. Allen

Magna Cum Laude
Nursing, BS

Jady Alonso

Apparel Design, BA

Jasmin Guadalupe Alvarez Carrillo

Cum Laude
Nursing, BS

Paul Christen Alvestad

Summa Cum Laude
Nursing, BS

Rachel Emma Anaminyi

Psychology, BA

Joshua Bradley Anderson

Summa Cum Laude
Nursing, BS

Shaw H. Anderson

Communication, BA

Mialy Andriantsoanavalona

Economics, BA

Kazzandra M. Anton

Psychology, BA

Itzel Sayuri Aparicio Saldivar

Physiology, BS

Josephine Araya

Cum Laude
Psychology, BA

Jinelle C. Archuleta

Early Childhood Education, BA

Samantha Isabel Pio Argueta

Nursing, BS

Elise Morgan Arkills

Cum Laude
Nursing, BS

David Henry Armour

Business Administration, BA

Jordan Kay Artz

Nursing, BS

Bamlak Berhane Asfaw

Magna Cum Laude
Psychology, BA

Eyeru F. Assefa

Business Administration, BA

Luma A. Aziz

Magna Cum Laude
Nursing, BS

Steven A. Aziz

Computer Science, BS

Baccalaureate Degree Recipients

(LAST NAMES BEGINNING WITH B)

Ulsbold Badamtseren

Summa Cum Laude
International Sustainable Development,
BA

Jennie Yuna Bae

Psychology, BA

Christian Bagasin

Criminology, BA

Marcus G. Baias

Business Administration, BA

Kaddijatou Baldeh

Computer Science, BA

Marlene Barajas Salas

Cum Laude
Accounting, BA

Joann D. Basilio

Food and Nutritional Sciences, BS

Gurvir S. Basra

Communication Studies, BA

Anudari Batsaikhan

Cum Laude
Computer Science, BA

Sophie A. Beadle

Communication, BA

Cameron Nathaniel Beers

Summa Cum Laude

Honors, BA

Music, BA

Gabriel J. Bekaert

History, BA

Political Science, BA

Perry Togbi Benisa

Business Administration, BA

Kolby Scott Benthin

Film Studies, BA

Rebeka Berga

Psychology, BA

Joelle Louise Berger

Magna Cum Laude

Nursing, BS

Davery Bettger

Psychology, BA

Lillian Johanna Biddle

Magna Cum Laude

Special Education, BA

Ben William Bitnes

Economics, BA

Jacqueline Marie Blakeley

Psychology, BA

Emily Fuka Tanizaki Blue

Magna Cum Laude

Honors, BA

Sociology, BA

Laurelae Grace Bluntzer

Cum Laude

Theatre, BA

Anastasiya R. Bondarchuk

Applied Human Biology, BS

Anastasia L. Bonifacio

Exercise Science, BS

James Borja

Nursing, BS

Zipporah F. Bourne

Business Administration, BA

Shawn Michael Bowen I

Business Administration, BA

Brock Harrison Bowers

Theatre, BA

Elizabeth J. Bradford

Magna Cum Laude

Apparel Merchandising, BA

Samuel John Brantingham

Business Administration, BA

Noelia P. Bravo-Alejandrez

Interior Design, BA

Tashayla R. Braxton

Nursing, BS

Emma Francella Bray

Cum Laude

Business Administration, BA

Sophia Drake Braymen

Summa Cum Laude

Honors, BA

Philosophy, BA

Politics, Philosophy and Economics, BA

Leah K. Brendley

Cum Laude

Linguistics/Cultural Studies, BA

Genevieve Anntoinette Bress

Cum Laude

Music, BA

Sarah Louise Bridges

Cum Laude

History, BA

Anton Milan Brkic

Physiology, BS

Elyse Phoebe Browder

Cum Laude

Food and Nutritional Sciences, BS

Elizabeth Rene Brown

Exercise Science, BS

Aaron Jung-Woo Bruce

Sociology, BA

Mary McKindree Bruggeman

Summa Cum Laude

French and Francophone Studies, BA

Honors, BA

Linguistics/Cultural Studies, BA

Andrea Thanh Bui

Cum Laude

Exercise Science, BS

Ilya Vitalievich Bukhalau

Computer Science, BA

Annika Marie Bunnell

Theatre, BA

Danielle Rene Burger

Psychology, BA

Marykate Judith Buscher

Cum Laude

Human Development and

Family Studies, BA

Sociology, BA

Matthew J. Butz

Magna Cum Laude

Psychology, BA

Moses Kennedy Buxton

Psychology, BA

Anna Gayle Buzitis

English, BA

Baccalaureate Degree Recipients

(LAST NAMES BEGINNING WITH C)

Hannah Sophia Flores Cadelina
Nursing, BS

Diego Camacho Valadez
Mechanical Engineering, BS

Jalena K. Carlisle
Business Administration, BA

Kai Carnelle
Magna Cum Laude
Communication Studies, BA

Evan L. Carpenter
Exercise Science, BS

Kathryn Marie Carroll
Magna Cum Laude
Business Administration, BA

Erin A. Carty
Summa Cum Laude
Art History and Visual Studies, BA
Visual Communication, BA

Courtney Lorena Case
Cum Laude
English, BA

Kayla K. Case
Magna Cum Laude
Applied Human Biology, BS

Alejandra L. Castaneda
Cum Laude
Teaching and Learning, BM

Marlee Helen Causton
Business Administration, BA

Mikaela Anne Gacula Cayetano
Economics, BA

Mahek K. Chahal
Food and Nutritional Sciences, BS

Sean Justin Chang
Cum Laude
Physiology, BS

Katelynn Chau
Art, BA

Kathy C. Chen
Linguistics/Cultural Studies, BA

Amrita Lachmi Chetty
Psychology, BA

Priya L. Chetty
Political Science, BA
Jacqueline Cheung-Main
Physiology, BS

Gloria Sujung Choe
Mathematics, BA

Haiden Christian Choi
Economics, BA

Alexander W. Christensen
Political Science, BA

Chloe N. Christopher
Magna Cum Laude
Art History and Visual Studies, BA
Illustration, BA

Donovan James Clark
Communication Studies, BA

Katelyn Marie Clasey
Cum Laude
Nursing, BS

Mark Aaron Clemmer
Magna Cum Laude
Computer Science, BS

Lazlo Abercrombie Cocheba
Business Administration, BA

Averie J. Coen
Cum Laude
English, BA

Elizabeth M. Coffman
Integrated Studies, BA

Holly M. Coffman
English, BA

Grace M. Coleman
Cum Laude
Psychology, BA

JennyRose Kaikilani Coney
Politics, Philosophy and Economics, BA

Mariama Conteh
Cellular and Molecular Biology, BS

Brandon Charles Cook
Cum Laude
Business Administration, BA

Akira C. Copeland
Cellular and Molecular Biology, BS

Elizabeth Alexandra Cortes
Nursing, BS

Brianna Eileen Cowan
Cum Laude
Nursing, BS

Janae Adeline Cowo
Business Administration, BA

Carrie Ré Cox
Magna Cum Laude
Honors, BA
Mechanical Engineering, BS
Physics, BS

Kenna B. Coyer
Cum Laude
Integrated Studies, BA

Kaitlyn Breanna Cramer
Cum Laude
Business Administration, BA

Marissa Fisayo Crane
Summa Cum Laude
Communication Studies, BA

Colby Cribbs
Magna Cum Laude
Physiology, BS

Mario Alfredo Cristiani
Chemistry, BA

Garrett A. Crites
Computer Science, BS
Honors, BA

Estefania Cruz Avendano
Cum Laude
Accounting, BA
Business Administration, BA

Giselle Y. Cruz Lopez
Business Administration, BA

Elizabeth Cruz-Abarca
Political Science, BA

Eddie A. Cruz-Cruz
Psychology, BA

Abigail J. Cunningham
Magna Cum Laude
Business Administration, BA

Rachel Elizabeth Cyers
Cum Laude
Nursing, BS

Baccalaureate Degree Recipients

(LAST NAMES BEGINNING WITH D)

John Joseph D'Agostino

Cum Laude
Interior Design, BA

Claire Dahlby

Summa Cum Laude
General Studies, BA

Caleb A. Daly

Summa Cum Laude
Accounting, BA

Martina C. Daly

Magna Cum Laude
Teaching and Learning, BM

Alexis Noelani Tesoro Dang

Cum Laude
Nursing, BS

Caleb Joshua Davis

Music, BA

Taseandra Tralin Dawkins

Magna Cum Laude
Psychology, BA

Jessica Marie Day

Summa Cum Laude
English, BA

Honors, BA

Sarah Lillian Day

Psychology, BA

Abigail Ellie Wailea Dean

Applied Human Biology, BS

Jonathan D. Dean

Physiology, BS

Graysen H. Delich

Psychology, BS

Jay David Demko

Business Administration, BA

Rajdeep Singh Dhillon

Summa Cum Laude
Computer Science, BS

Elizabeth Diaz

Social Justice and Cultural Studies, BA

Gloria Lee Diehl

Summa Cum Laude
Honors, BA

Psychology, BA

Abigail Kathleen Dill

Summa Cum Laude
Physiology, BS

Rachel Joy Dinham

Nursing, BS

Nathan Doan

Computer Science, BA

Charis Soo Doi

Sociology, BA

Judah Doughty

Summa Cum Laude
Theatre, BA

Ava Dreon

Magna Cum Laude
Business Administration, BA

Sage Elizabeth Driscoll

Summa Cum Laude
Business Administration, BA

Honors, BA

Lauren Grace Duisenberg

Cum Laude

Business Administration, BA

Renske Jane Dupar

Summa Cum Laude
Physiology, BS

Sophia Helena Durand

Magna Cum Laude
English, BA

Caden Patrick Duty

Political Science, BA

Baccalaureate Degree Recipients

(LAST NAMES BEGINNING WITH E)

Derek Ernest Easterday

Summa Cum Laude
Music, BA

Kobe Elsner

Health and Fitness Education, BA

Hunter William Kekoalau'i Enos

Business Administration, BA

Ingrid Elisabeth Erickson

Magna Cum Laude
Nursing, BS

Alison Kay Eslinger

Apparel Merchandising, BA

Jemina Lynn Estepa

Cum Laude
Nursing, BS

Baccalaureate Degree Recipients

(LAST NAMES BEGINNING WITH F)

Kendall Paul Farra

Cum Laude

Teaching and Learning, BM

Alexis Alanna Flores Fejeran

Magna Cum Laude

English, BA

Joy Fendley

Nursing, BS

Sarah Ann Ferguson

English, BA

Marco Hilario Fernandez

Electrical Engineering, BS

Brenda Yarely Fierro-Hernandez

Cum Laude

Psychology, BA

Delina Filli

Applied Human Biology, BS

Karen Fiorenza

Interior Design, BA

Matthew Wayne Fisk

Computer Science, BS

Ariana Fletcher

Psychology, BA

McKenzie M. Fletcher

Ecology, BS

Julia Rayes Flores

Cum Laude

Psychology, BA

Christian G. Flores Anguiano

Business Administration, BA

Michael Jose Flores-Nieves

Cum Laude

Visual Communication, BA

Lauren Anne Forster

Summa Cum Laude

Communication, BA

Donovan Adams Foster

Political Science, BA

Kade R. Franco

Illustration, BA

Summer Lynn Frank

Cum Laude

Special Education, BA

Ashlie Lynne Frazier

Summa Cum Laude

Business Administration, BA

Economics, BA

Ximena O. Fuentes

Business Administration, BA

Baccalaureate Degree Recipients

(LAST NAMES BEGINNING WITH G)

Stephanie Galvez

Sociology, BA

Kenya Z. Gamez-Ibarra

Psychology, BA

Jewel Love Garcia

Summa Cum Laude

Biology, BS

Honors, BA

Lillian Rose Garcia

Applied Human Biology, BS

Giselle Yadira Garcia Perez

Cum Laude

Sociology, BA

Mackenzie Rose Garrett

Physiology, BS

Gemma Abigail Gaxiola

Integrated Studies, BA

Spanish Studies, BA

Alexia Allison Geffs

Summa Cum Laude

Music Education, BA

Bridget Rose Gehring

Magna Cum Laude

Nursing, BS

Jawade Ahmad Ghafari

Integrated Studies, BA

Hanin N. Ghazal

Nursing, BS

Samuel Isaac Gibbon

Integrated Studies, BA

Lars Thomas Gildehaus

Summa Cum Laude

Music Therapy, BA

Jenna Lynn Gillam

Summa Cum Laude

Business Administration, BA

Economics, BA

Honors, BA

Elijah J. Ginther

History, BA

Kirolos A. Girgis

Business Administration, BA

James Rowan Goetz

Sociology, BA

Dillon Joaquin Goicoechea

Computer Science, BS

Honors, BA

Lois Fernanda Gomez

Business Administration, BA

Valeria Gomez Carrillo

Psychology, BA

Jack Riley Goodman

Nursing, BS

Sarra Gorbenko

Information Systems, BS

Owen Michael Gortner

Mechanical Engineering, BS

Ashley Goss

Cellular and Molecular Biology, BS

Kyler Fredrick Granados

Magna Cum Laude

Christian Theology, BA

Honors, BA

Julia C. Greeley

Magna Cum Laude

Nursing, BS

Aniya So'Lay Green

Exercise Science, BS

Meagan Marie Green

Magna Cum Laude

Business Administration, BA

Elise Laurel Greene

Cum Laude

Ecology, BS

Kellie J. Grover

Magna Cum Laude

Biology, BS

Honors, BA

Sociology, BA

Brendys Brenna Guerra

Magna Cum Laude

Special Education, BA

Valentino G. Guevara

Mechanical Engineering, BS

Melissa Guillen-Montano

Business Administration, BA

Cody Fletcher Gunhus

Communication Studies, BA

Faith Marie Gutierrez

Cum Laude

Social Justice and Cultural Studies, BA

Marco T. Gutierrez-Ho

Business Administration, BA

Baccalaureate Degree Recipients

(LAST NAMES BEGINNING WITH H)

Yt Nathaniel Ha

Business Administration, BA

Hannah Jo Hair

Summa Cum Laude
Business Administration, BA
Exercise Science, BS

Caylie S. Hammond-Neske

Business Administration, BA

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Cum Laude
Music Therapy, BA

Lia Marie Harper

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Jeffrey Thomas Harris

Music, BA

Keonne Gabriel Harris

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Psychology, BA

Sophia Elsa Victoria Harris

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Family Studies, BA

Maxwell Paul Hayden

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Shianne Casey Heeraman

Criminal Justice, BA
Psychology, BA

Kyle R. Henderson

Ecology, BS
Physiology, BS

Rhorrie Lyn Henning

Communication Studies, BA
Political Science, BA

Handrae Neva Henthorn

Computer Engineering, BS
Electrical Engineering, BS

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Summa Cum Laude
Art, BA
Art History and Visual Studies, BA
Honors, BA

Daryn Enriquez Hernandez

Nursing, BS

Noelia V. Hernandez

Criminal Justice, BA

Martina Hernandez Cortes

Integrated Studies, BA

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Hallie M. Hicks
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Isabella Parami Hill

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Braden James Howell

Criminal Justice, BA

Charlotte Celine Howell

Cum Laude
Psychology, BS

Isabel Myra Hughes

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General Studies, BA

Tran Thuy Truc Huynh

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Applied Human Biology, BS

Carissa Si Jian Ing

Summa Cum Laude

Business Administration, BA

Brianna Richelle Ingram

Summa Cum Laude

Visual Communication, BA

Kayra Grace Inslee

Social Justice and Cultural Studies, BA

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Domonique L. Jackson

Nursing, BS

Leslie Abigail Jacobo Valencia

Business Administration, BA

Ellen Mae Jacobs

Cum Laude

Nursing, BS

Emma N. Jacobs

Psychology, BA

Jackson William Jamieson

Summa Cum Laude

English, BA

Joel Janchenko

Cum Laude

Music Therapy, BA

Ellie G. Jancola

Cum Laude

Biology, BS

Eleanor Grace Jensen

Nursing, BS

Finn Bode Johanneson

Sociology, BA

Alicia Y. Johnson

Summa Cum Laude

Nursing, BS

Cole Johnson

Cum Laude

Visual Communication, BA

Haylie Johnson

Exercise Science, BS

Jennifer F. Johnson

Nursing, BS

Keton Kyann Johnson

Physiology, BS

Macy K. Johnson

Magna Cum Laude

Psychology, BA

Judah D. Johnston

Economics, BA

Psychology, BA

Kylie L. Jones

Summa Cum Laude

Psychology, BA

Wesley H. Joo

Cum Laude

Psychology, BS

Hannah R. Jorgenson

Nutrition and Dietetics, BS

Megan Myra Joseph

Cum Laude

Nursing, BS

Mc Dhenmiel Juan

Nursing, BS

Shelzy G. Juta

Business Administration, BA

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Magna Cum Laude

Economics, BA

Jesse J. Kaikkonen

Computer Science, BS

Kalaya J. Kaiser

Music, BA

Michelange Abel Kamarashavu

Psychology, BA

Nathaniel Christopher Kanooni

Computer Science, BS

Abigail Kate Kauffman

Summa Cum Laude

Psychology, BA

Savleen Kaur

Magna Cum Laude

Business Administration, BA

Simran Kaur

Cum Laude

Nursing, BS

Kirsty I. Keitges

Nursing, BS

Lauryn Ashleigh Keith

Cum Laude

French and Francophone Studies, BA

Physiology, BS

Matthew W. Kennelly

Philosophy, BA

Vannady C. Keo

Psychology, BA

Sarah G. Kessel

Cum Laude

Nursing, BS

Precious Kiama

Psychology, BA

Joshua Manning Kiley

Business Administration, BA

Ashley Y. Kim

Magna Cum Laude

Nursing, BS

Heewon Kim

Integrated Studies, BA

Sae Gyeol Kim

Cum Laude

Nursing, BS

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Magna Cum Laude

Nursing, BS

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Computer Science, BA

Abigail Lindsey Kizziar

Cum Laude

Applied Human Biology, BS

Madison Joan Knoke

Applied Human Biology, BS

Natalie A. Korolenko

Applied Human Biology, BS

Lily Lynn Koski-Haase

Cum Laude

Psychology, BA

Anna Joy Kreisman

Summa Cum Laude

Honors, BA

Psychology, BA

Sociology, BA

Kyleigh Elaine Krogh

Cum Laude

Psychology, BA

Special Education, BA

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Cum Laude

Nursing, BS

Grant Takchun Kwong

Physiology, BS

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Cum Laude
Nursing, BS

Parker James Landon

Summa Cum Laude
Applied Mathematics, BS
Computer Science, BS
Honors, BA

Madison Lyn Langbell

Theatre, BA

Sydney D. Laranang

Communication, BA

Perris F. Larson

Cum Laude
History, BA
Journalism, BA

Chloe Blair Lavigne

Magna Cum Laude
Integrated Studies, BA

Jennifer Q. Le

Cum Laude
Apparel Design, BA

Man Nhi Le

Interior Design, BA

Raymond Hoang Le

Film Studies, BA

Grace Olivia Leasure

Psychology, BA

Austin Kainoa Chin Lee

Magna Cum Laude
Mechanical Engineering, BS

Breana M. Lee

Applied Human Biology, BS

Gloria Eunjin Lee

Magna Cum Laude
Visual Communication, BA

Sangmi Lee

Business Administration, BA

Tommy C. Lee

Business Administration, BA

Selina Lemay

Summa Cum Laude
Sociology, BA

Ellie Pearl Leonard

Magna Cum Laude
Nursing, BS

Brandon G. Lewis

Business Administration, BA

Kirsten E. Lewis

Exercise Science, BS

Ava Elizabeth Liebendorfer

Ecology, BS

Micah Lim

Cum Laude
Communication, BA
Honors, BA

Kaitlyn Mihae Liu

Summa Cum Laude
Chemistry, BA
Physiology, BS

Araceli Noemi Lopez Patino

Physiology, BS

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Integrated Studies, BA

Marilyn Lopez-Garcia

Communication Studies, BA

Sydney K. Lorton

Magna Cum Laude
Communication, BA

Fabiola E. Lucatero Huato

Interior Design, BA

Yeleni Noemi Lucero Erazo

Psychology, BA

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Human Development and
Family Studies, BA

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Social Justice and Cultural Studies, BA
Visual Arts, BA

Mohammed Rafea Mahmood

Computer Science, BS

Malcolm John Manley

Psychology, BS

Andre' Gerard Marineau

Cum Laude
Physiology, BS

Hailey M. Marlow

Summa Cum Laude
Business Administration, BA

Joel A. Martin

Summa Cum Laude
Mechanical Engineering, BS

Rayna Ruth Martin

Summa Cum Laude
Honors, BA
Politics, Philosophy and Economics, BA

Shaye Elisabeth Martin

Magna Cum Laude
Sociology, BA

Tatiana T. Martin

Summa Cum Laude
Human Development and
Family Studies, BA

Chandler S. Martinell

Psychology, BA

Jessica J. Martinez

Life Science, BA

Juan P. Martinez

General Studies, BA

Eliza Violet Matelich

Cum Laude
English, BA

Issa Mathno

Computer Science, BS

Yolanda M. Matias-Mendoza

Applied Human Biology, BS

Olivia Lynn Mayer

Physiology, BS

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Magna Cum Laude
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Jayden Lea Anne McCarrell

Criminology, BA

Adrian Elizabeth McCuiston

Cum Laude
Nursing, BS

Emily Paige McCurry

Magna Cum Laude
Psychology, BS

Sydney Elizabeth McDonnell

Applied Human Biology, BS

Molly Rachelle McDonough

Nursing, BS

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Savannah Joy McGowan

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Kiersten Treva Michelle Moranville

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Lyubov Mara Morgan

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Michelle Carey Moxley

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Connor Lee Mudge

History, BA

Ejigayehu Grace Mullery

Cum Laude
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Business Administration, BA

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Electrical Engineering, BS

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Cum Laude
Integrated Studies, BA

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English, BA
Honors, BA
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Physiology, BS

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Computer Science, BA

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Applied Mathematics, BS
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Accounting, BA
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Psychology, BA

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Cum Laude
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Business Administration, BA

Sophia Annette Ochs

Summa Cum Laude

Visual Communication, BA

Miranda Christine Oddy

Summa Cum Laude

Honors, BA

Psychology, BA

Trinity Joy Orrell

Cum Laude

Political Science, BA

Jenna L. Osburn

Cum Laude

Integrated Studies, BA

Hajar Ouakrim

Psychology, BA

Catherine Violet Owczarzak

Classics, BA

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Interior Design, BA

Marley Packman

Magna Cum Laude
Psychology, BA

Riciajoy Pili Padilla

Cum Laude

Nursing, BS

Vannessa Padullo DeCastro

Nursing, BS

Lenora Darlene Page

Cum Laude

Apparel Design, BA

Emma G. Pagels

Magna Cum Laude
English, BA

Caitlyn Pang

Cum Laude

English, BA

Emil George Parappuram

Information Systems, BS

Denisa M. Paraschiv

Business Administration, BA

Elisha Jina Park

Cum Laude

Early Childhood Education, BA

Jasmine Mina Park

Cum Laude

Nursing, BS

Seorin Park

Cum Laude

Art, BA

Talia Parlane

Cum Laude

Communication, BA

Honors, BA

Philosophy, BA

Daria Parodi

Sociology, BA

Chantel Anne R. Pascual

Psychology, BA

Deinelle S. Pascual

Psychology, BA

Elizabeth J. Passage

Cum Laude

Apparel Design, BA

Apparel Merchandising, BA

Jaclyn Christine Paterson

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Apparel Design, BA

Madeline Jane Patterson

Criminal Justice, BA

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Cum Laude

Cellular and Molecular Biology, BS

Honors, BA

Hannah Marie Peek

Magna Cum Laude

Theatre, BA

Ana Y. Pena Garcia

Cum Laude

Nursing, BS

Haley Alexis Peralta

Cum Laude

Integrated Studies, BA

Mia Rae Perez

Summa Cum Laude

English, BA

Honors, BA

Social Justice and Cultural Studies, BA

Naide M. Perez

Cum Laude

Social Justice and Cultural Studies, BA

Sydney N. Perry

Cum Laude

Applied Human Biology, BS

Irtiza Pervez

Social Justice and Cultural Studies, BA

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English, BA

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Cum Laude

English, BA

Grace Elizabeth Peterson

Cum Laude

Classics, BA

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Summa Cum Laude

Psychology, BA

Quynh Duong Diem Pham

Cum Laude

Interior Design, BA

Quoc Huu Phan

Nursing, BS

Julia K. Phillips

Psychology, BA

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Costume Design & Production, BA

Rylee J. Pierce

Apparel Merchandising, BA

Evelyn A. Pineda

Politics, Philosophy and Economics, BA

Garret K. Platts

English, BA

Megan Leigh Popielak

Biology, BS

Sita M. Poudyel

Interior Design, BA

Isabella Gracemarie Privitera

Social Justice and Cultural Studies, BA

Viktoriya M. Prozapas

Magna Cum Laude

Accounting, BA

Business Administration, BA

Saphira Sydney Pradisa Putri

Apparel Merchandising, BA

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Yuexiu Qi

Nursing, BS

Karena YiJie Qian

Summa Cum Laude

Computer Science, BS

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Daisjha Leighann Ramey

Psychology, BA

Brenda J. Ramirez

Psychology, BA

Kiera Louise Randal

Cum Laude

Political Science, BA

Katalyna A. Rattnavong

Psychology, BA

Spencer Ryan Raymond

Magna Cum Laude

Ecology, BS

Janetta J. Redzic

Life Science, BA

Krysta Ann Mei Lin Reese

Summa Cum Laude

Ecology, BS

Kaelyn Autumn Reinmuth

Honors, BA

Theatre, BA

Taylor U. Remigio

Business Administration, BA

Wesley J. Ren

Exercise Science, BS

Elizabeth V. Rensink

Cum Laude

Electrical Engineering, BS

Andrea Resendiz

Politics, Philosophy and Economics, BA

Madeline Mary Rettenmier

Magna Cum Laude

Nursing, BS

Guillermo Reyes Jimenez

Physiology, BS

Aubrey Kate Rhoadarmer

Summa Cum Laude

Honors, BA

Journalism, BA

Andrew D. Rhoades

Nursing, BS

Madelyn Taylor Rice

Summa Cum Laude

Psychology, BS

Andrew Reyvin Richards

Business Administration, BA

Ashleigh Reagan Elizabeth Rickert

Psychology, BA

Alyssa Leah Riley

Magna Cum Laude

Illustration, BA

Alessandro Massimo Rizzi

Summa Cum Laude

Biochemistry, BS

Honors, BA

Jessie Robertson

Magna Cum Laude

Nursing, BS

Preston Robertstad

Business Administration, BA

Iliana Y. Rodas-Brito

Psychology, BA

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Electrical Engineering, BS

Hannah Mae Rogers

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Psychology, BA

Caley Louise Rojas

Cum Laude

Communication, BA

Criminal Justice, BA

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Integrated Studies, BA

Megan Vhee Rouse

Mechanical Engineering, BS

Natalie Lane Roy

Cum Laude

Nursing, BS

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Integrated Studies, BA

Douglas Sheridan Russell

Cum Laude

Communication, BA

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Magna Cum Laude
Psychology, BA

Arian J. Salehpour

Applied Mathematics, BS
Computer Science, BS

Dat Boi Sam

Computer Science, BS

Ngoc Nhi Sam

Business Administration, BA

Kade R. Samson

Computer Science, BS

Erica Sanchez

Psychology, BS

Lucy Rose Sandahl

Physiology, BS

Annalise Patricia Sanders

Cum Laude
Nursing, BS

Jenna Elise Sanders

Summa Cum Laude
Psychology, BA

Yoshiko Sano

Magna Cum Laude
Nursing, BS

Christopher Santana-Suarez

Business Administration, BA

Linsey Santiago-Benitez

Psychology, BA

Lance Padua Sarquilla

Cum Laude
Christian Theology, BA
Psychology, BA

Jacob M. Savary

Exercise Science, BS

Esal Shakil

Cum Laude
Honors, BA
Psychology, BS

Jessica Joy Sheeres

Magna Cum Laude
English, BA

Julius Shepherd

Business Administration, BA

Sean William Sheveland

Summa Cum Laude
Music, BA
Psychology, BA

Evelyn Shim

Apparel Design, BA
Apparel Merchandising, BA

Philho Shin

Accounting, BA

Zoe A. Shuckhart

Cum Laude
Criminal Justice, BA
Sociology, BA

Megan M. Sides

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Biology, BS

Megan Michelle Siemering

Psychology, BA

Cole Matthew Sievert

Cum Laude
Political Science, BA

Aman Siid

Computer Science, BA

Mei Jacqueline Singer

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Kyra M. Skipworth

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Early Childhood Education, BA

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Megan Elizabeth Smith

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Owen C. Smith

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Physics, BA

Nolan Nicholas Smurro

General Engineering, BS

Mikhael Bradley Soebroto

Information Systems, BS

Hebron Y. Solomon

Theatre, BA

Sam Sadra Soltani

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Nantida Nathaiya Songkham

Communication Studies, BA

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Psychology, BA

Fatou Sonko

Nursing, BS

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Music Education, BA

EmilyAnn Elizabeth Spears

Health and Fitness Education, BA

Gabriel Jero S. Sta Maria

Communication Studies, BA

Jena Annalyn Stansbury

Nursing, BS

Madison Rose Stephens

Summa Cum Laude
Art, BA

Emma G. Stevenson

Cum Laude
Linguistics/Cultural Studies, BA

Olivia Anne Stewart

Ecology, BS

Melodie Rheann Stice

Psychology, BA

Allyson Olivia Strable

Psychology, BA

Avery Mitteer Strieby

Nursing, BS

Caleb Anthony Struve

Life Science, BA

Eve Lynn Sudberry

Cum Laude
Honors, BA
Psychology, BA

Michael Yu Sun

Computer Science, BS

Drew Michal Swanson

Business Administration, BA

Graysen Jolie Swanson

Life Science, BA

Mackenzie K. Swenson

Apparel Design, BA

Maui Geordie Sze

Business Administration, BA

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Magna Cum Laude
Business Administration, BA

Katherine Jean Taggart

Cum Laude
Apparel Design, BA
Apparel Merchandising, BA

Sherrell L. Taplin

Sociology, BA

Hailey Rae Tauscheck

Nursing, BS

Evan Scott Teigland

Summa Cum Laude
English, BA
Film Studies, BA
Honors, BA

Ruth Y. Tekle

Psychology, BA

Savannah R. Terry

Summa Cum Laude
Psychology, BA

Korakoch Thangsombat

Cum Laude
Food and Nutritional Sciences, BS

Emily Lynn Thomas

Interior Design, BA

Isaac MacKay Thomas

Accounting, BA

Grece Ferrigno Tinio

Criminology, BA

Samra Tino

Early Childhood Education, BA

Jadyn B. Tipton

Cum Laude
Early Childhood Education, BA

Andrew Tjandra

Magna Cum Laude
Music Therapy, BA

Emma Catherine Toyama

Magna Cum Laude
Nutrition and Dietetics, BS

An Le Duy Tran

Summa Cum Laude
Computer Science, BS

Le Thien An Tran

Summa Cum Laude
Computer Science, BS

Jasmine M. Tran

Applied Human Biology, BS

Nguyen Nhat Khanh Tran

Cum Laude
Business Administration, BA

Quoc An Tran

English, BA

Thao Tran

Business Administration, BA

Isabella Jane Tranello

Summa Cum Laude
Communication, BA

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Computer Science, BA

Cathleen Nicole Turner

Political Science, BA

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Teru D. Ueki

Cum Laude

Human Development and
Family Studies, BA

Maryam Hamza Umer

Cum Laude

Nursing, BS

Ylliam Alfred Umipig

Nursing, BS

Machaela Rose Urbick

Nursing, BS

Alejandro Uribe

Physiology, BS

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Jacqueline Valadez

Cum Laude
Psychology, BA

Joseph D. Van Horn

Accounting, BA

Natalie Vargas

Interior Design, BA

Rachel Vasilevich

Sociology, BA

Patricia Estefania Velazquez Franco

Business Administration, BA

Emma Rose Vetter

Summa Cum Laude
Nursing, BS

Arianne Faye Gonzales Villaflor

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Nursing, BS

Stephanie Anne Tasic Villaflor

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Emil S. Visaya

Nursing, BS

Marie Mar Visitacion

Human Development and
Family Studies, BA

Thien Minh Vo

Business Administration, BA

Viktor T.K. Vu

Electrical Engineering, BS

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Christina Walden
Special Education, BA

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Integrated Studies, BA

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Philosophy, BA

Allyson Joy Walworth
Summa Cum Laude
English, BA

Dapeng Wang
Computer Science, BS

Kaitlyn Claire Ward
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Nursing, BS

Sophie E. Warren
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Psychology, BA

Maya Mary Watson
Summa Cum Laude
Business Administration, BA

Ryan Benjamin Watson
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Computer Science, BS
Honors, BA

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Ecology, BS

Sophie G. Weaver
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Political Science, BA

Maria Weya
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Economics, BA

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Film Studies, BA

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Caleb John Wilkins
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Lioul Woldemariam
General Studies, BA

Gabriel Wallace Woodard
Business Administration, BA

Christian Case Wright
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Computer Science, BA

Madison Elizabeth Wright
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Accounting, BA
Business Administration, BA

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Computer Science, BA

Kayla Rita Yang

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Business Administration, BA

Melanie Yang

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Economics, BA

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Cum Laude

Psychology, BA

Zhangchi Zhou

Business Administration, BA

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Summa Cum Laude

Communication, BA

Samuel W. Zylstra

Political Science, BA

Honorary Degree

The Board of Trustees approved the conferral of an honorary degree to Sarah Pantip Wong. Sarah was a first-year student in 2018–19 with the intent of majoring in Nursing. Sarah was an active member of the Emerson Hall community and an intramural soccer team, and loved dancing with Ohana O’Hawaii Club and the Pacific Islander Club of Cultural Arts. She was active with the Faith Bible Church college group. She had a vibrant smile, was loved by her friends, enjoyed many aspects of art, and wanted to save the turtles! She is survived by her parents, Andrea Wong and Henry Wang; and her brother, Aaron.

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