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2021
FALL SEMESTER
UNIVERSITY
COMMENCEMENT CEREMONIES

Friday, December 17, 2021

9:00—College of Liberal Arts/School of the Arts
School of Public Affairs
University College

11:30—Herberger Business School

2:00—College of Science and Engineering/
School of Computing, Engineering and Environment

4:30—School of Health and Human Services
College of Education and Learning Design

Ritsche Auditorium
St. Cloud State University

MACE BEARER JENNIFER TUDER
Faculty Association President and
Professor of Communication Studies/Theatre and Film Studies

MARSHALS
9:00 College of Liberal Arts/School of the Arts
JACOB HUANG, Professor, Sociology
TRACY ORE, Professor, Sociology

School of Public Affairs
RANDY BAKER, Professor, Geography
DAVID WALL, Professor, Geography

University College
NICK HAVERHALS, Professor, Developmental Mathematics
MICHELE (SHELLY) WAGENER, Professor, Academic Support

11:30 Herberger Business School
JOEL STRONG, Professor, Accounting
JIN YU, Professor, Finance

2:00 College of Science and Engineering/
School of Computing, Engineering, and Environment
MARK PETZOLD, Professor, Computer Science
WILL COLLIS-PRATHER, Professor and Director, Applied Clinical Research

4:30 School of Health and Human Services
AILEEN MOORE, Professor, Social Work
MICHELE TRAUB, Professor, Behavior Analysis

College of Education and Learning Design
STEVEN McCULLAR, Professor, Higher Education Administration
AUGUSTO ROJAS, Professor, Teacher Development

ANNOUNCERS
9:00 PAM SECKLIN, Professor, Communication Studies

11:30 DAN WILDESON, Professor, Communication Studies and
Director, Center for Holocaust and Genocide Education

2:00 DAN WILDESON, Professor, Communication Studies and
Director, Center for Holocaust and Genocide Education

4:30 MATTHEW VORELL, Professor, Communication Studies

PLATFORM 9:00

ROBBYN WACKER
President
DANIEL GREGORY
Provost and Vice President for Academic Affairs
JASON WOODS
Vice President for Strategic Enrollment Management
MARK SPRINGER
Dean, College of Liberal Arts
RAYMOND PHILIPPOT
Associate Dean, CLA; Executive Director School of The Arts
KING BANAIAN
Dean, School of Public Affairs
FENG-LING JOHNSON
Dean, University College
KATRINA RODRIGUEZ
Vice President for Student Affairs
JENNIFER TUDER
Macebearer
PAM SECKLIN
Announcer
MARWAH ASIF
Student Government Vice President

PLATFORM 11:30

ROBBYN WACKER
President
DANIEL GREGORY
Provost and Vice President for Academic Affairs
JASON WOODS
Vice President for Strategic Enrollment Management
MATTHEW ANDREW
Vice President for University Advancement
TRESSA RIES
Vice President for Finance and Administration
PHIL THORSON
Deputy Chief Information Officer
JUDITH SIMINOE
Special Advisor to the President
DAVID HARRIS
Dean, Herberger Business School
JENNIFER TUDER
Macebearer
DAN WILDESON
Announcer
MARWAH ASIF
Student Government Vice President

PLATFORM 2:00

ROBBYN WACKER
 President
 DANIEL GREGORY
 Provost and Vice President for Academic Affairs
 JASON WOODS
 Vice President for Strategic Enrollment Management
 ADEL ALI
 Dean, College of Science and Engineering
 MAUREEN TUBBIOLA
 Associate Dean, School of Computing,
 Engineering & Environment
 MICHELE MUMM
 Executive Director of Academic Resources
 HEATHER WEEMS
 Director of Athletics
 JENNIFER TUDER
 Macebearer
 DAN WILDESON
 Announcer
 MARWAH ASIF
 Student Government Vice President

PLATFORM 4:30

ROBBYN WACKER
 President
 DANIEL GREGORY
 Provost and Vice President for Academic Affairs
 JASON WOODS
 Vice President for Strategic Enrollment Management
 LA VONNE CORNELL-SWANSON
 Associate Provost for Faculty & Student Affairs
 JENNIFER MUELLER
 Dean, College of Education and Learning Design
 CLAUDIA TOMANY
 Associate Provost for Research and Sponsored Programs and
 Dean of Graduate Studies
 RHONDA HUISMAN
 Dean of University Library
 JENNIFER TUDER
 Macebearer
 MATTHEW VORELL
 Announcer
 MARWAH ASIF
 Student Government Vice President

PROGRAM

<p>*PROCESSIONAL MUSIC PERFORMED BY MINNESOTA ORCHESTRA</p>	<p><i>"THEMES FROM POMP AND CIRCUMSTANCE MARCH NO. 1 and 4"</i> by Edward Elgar Directed by Osmo Vänskä</p>
<p>*NATIONAL ANTHEM PERFORMED BY U.S. ARMY BAND</p>	<p><i>"STAR SPANGLED BANNER"</i> by Francis Scott Key & John Stafford Smith</p>
<p>INTRODUCTIONS</p>	<p>JASON WOODS, Vice President for Strategic Enrollment Management</p>
<p>WELCOME</p>	<p>ROBBYN WACKER, President</p>
<p>STUDENT SPEAKER</p>	<p>TARA WINCHESTER, Doctoral Graduate, Class of Fall 2021</p>
<p>CONFERRING OF DEGREES</p>	<p>ROBBYN WACKER, President</p>
<p>PRESENTATION OF THE GRADUATING CLASS</p>	<p>DAN GREGORY, Provost and Vice President for Academic Affairs</p>
<p>9:00am</p>	<p>MARK SPRINGER, Dean, College of Liberal Arts KING BANAIAN, Dean, School of Public Affairs FENG-LING JOHNSON, Dean, University College</p>
<p>11:30am</p>	<p>DAVID HARRIS, Dean, Herberger Business School</p>
<p>2:00pm</p>	<p>ADEL ALI, Dean, College of Science & Engineering</p>
<p>4:30pm</p>	<p>LA VONNE CORNELL-SWANSON, Associate Provost for Faculty & Student Affairs presenting on behalf of SHONDA CRAFT, Dean, School of Health & Human Services JENNIFER MUELLER, Dean, College of Education and Learning Design</p>
<p>ALUMNI ASSOCIATION REMARKS</p>	<p>CHRISTY (HOVANETZ) SANDBERG '98, SCSU Alumni Association President</p>
<p>CLOSING</p>	<p>JASON WOODS, Vice President for Strategic Enrollment Management</p>
<p>*RECESSIONAL MUSIC</p>	

*Audience please stand



Doctor of Education

DEBORAH A. ALLEN
Robbinsdale

“Narrative Study: The Impact of Food Insecurity on Student Health and Persistence”
Advisor: Jennifer Jones

JENNY LYNN BUSHMAN

“Examining the Impact of K-5 Literacy Coaches on Teachers’ Implementation of Literacy Practices and the Role of Leadership in Maintaining High Literacy Expectations Supported by Instructional Coaches”
Advisor: John Eller

ZACHARY ROBERT DINGMANN

Belgrade

“Level of Preparedness for Conducting Teacher Evaluations as Reported by Minnesota School Principals”
Advisor: David Lund

PAUL RONALD DRANGE

Wadena

“Leading from the Middle - How Gen X Leaders are Navigating Their Leadership Experience with Baby Boomers and Millennials”
Advisor: Steven McCullar

HILLARY J. GOKEY

Maple Grove

“Transitioning into College During a Pandemic and Civil Unrest”
Advisor: Steven McCullar

MICHAEL EDWARD RIVARD

“Education Policy and Grade Level Reconfiguration at the Elementary Level: A Case Study of Select Elementary School Principals’ Reports on Educational Policy when Choosing to Reconfigure Grade Span and the Impact in Student Success”
Advisor: John Eller

RACHEL MARY SHERLOCK

“A Quantitative Analysis of Emergency Grant Persistence Rates”
Advisor: Jennifer Jones

ALEKSANDAR TOMOVITCH

“Engagement Theory Based Interpretative Phenomenological Analysis of Computer Science Students’ Perceptions of Their Learning Engagement Using Mobile Devices”
Advisor: Rachel Friedensen

TARA JEAN WINCHESTER

St. Cloud

“A Racial Equity Study of Federal and Institutional Financial Aid Verification Processes”
Advisor: Rachel Friedensen

Executive Masters- Engineering Management

LAWAL DAMOLA BADA

Lagos, Nigeria

RICHARD WILLIAM GREINER JR.

NICHOLAS CHARLES LANNERS

Burnsville

LAURA ANN NIERENGARTEN

Shakopee

AMAR SHINDE

NICHOLAS JOSEPH STEINER

ANAND TIRUMALRAO

Corcoran

Master of Arts

THOMAS E ABBEY

FAKHRI ALADHAMI

YOUNGSIN CHOI

South Korea

DANAYIT ALEMAYEHU DESALEGN

ALYSSA ROSE GERADS

MICHAEL ANTHONY GUMIELA

Long Prairie

QIONG HUANG

China

JENNIFER J KLECATSKY

Brainerd

CHRISTINE ANN LAPP

Hudson, Wisconsin

DIANA L LOWRY

Waseca

OSCAR ARMANDO MARTINEZ DIAZ

ALBERTO GABRIEL RAMOS

Winona

PETER SHASKEY-FREDRICK

Colorado Springs, Colorado

JANETTE BIMENYUY YIRAN

St. Cloud

Master of Business Administration

LOUIS NINCHEM APOOGI

Garu, Ghana

STEVEN ARTHUR BERGO

ROBIN ANGEL BLY

CHAD HENRY BRITZ

Pierz

DIEGO CISNEROS

LINDSEY LEIGH CLANCY

JOEL THOMAS EGGERT

ISAAC D GOOD

TYLER JOSEPH HORNSTEIN

Adrian

KRISTOPHER JOE HUTE

CHRISTY JO JANOUSEK

Breezy Point

CHAD WILLIAM JOHNSON

St. Cloud

KRISTOPHER RYAN KANAK

MUSDAF MOHAMED

DYLAN JAMES NOEHRING

Sartell

ANDREW MARK PETERSON

CHAD PETERSON

MATTHEW PHILLIP PIERSON

KATELYN ANNE ROPPE

St. Francis

CONSOLER TEBOH

NICOLE ROSE TODD

St. Cloud

BRYAN THANOM VONGKHAMDY

Master of Engineering Management

BADER SAMEER K ABDULRAHIM

Riyadh, Saudi Arabia

SEJAL GIRDHARILAL AGARWAL

ROHAN AGARWAL

MANAL HUSSEIN ALZEIR

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BABAFEMI OLUWATOSIN BABAJIDE

YASHWANTH REDDY DUDHIPALA
Hyderabad
EJIAKHIANGHE OMONE EREGHAN

HALEEMA FATHIMA

SAITEJA GATLA

RASMI PREM GULLIPALLI

TAHA BABAR KAIMKHANI
St. Cloud
TIANYU LU

PRANJAL SUDHIR MAHADIK

KEYUR MATHUR

DIVYA MOGILSETTY
Jamshedpur, India
JEISON MORALES

AKILA MURUKKUWADURA

RAKSHIT NASIKKAR

SACHITH PRIYASHAN NAVARATHNE

WESLEY PALMERINDO FONT BORTOTO
St. Louis Park
SWATI PANDEY

SAI SARANYA PODURY
Eden Prairie

HASITH YASANTHA RANASINGHE

MANEESHA SAMA

VAISHNAVI SATTAGOPAM

ANGELLO WILMOTT
Nassau, Bahamas

Master of Public Administration

ALLEN BEKONGWUBEL IKEM

GABRIELLE LOUISE LECHNER

FRANCOIS K SENTIME

MATTHEW OLUWAKAYODE SHONIBARE

KARI KIMBERLY THEISEN
St. Joseph
ALISON IRENE VOIGT
St. Cloud

Master of Science

ONYEKACHI NNAEMEKA AKWARANDU

FAWAZ A ALABDULHADI
Saudi Arabia
RANDA ELLEN ARVOLD
Big Lake
TAIWO AWOTIPE

AMY CENIZA BABANTO

PETER JOHN BATHER
Plymouth
JACQUELINE MARIE BAUER
Melrose
SAPANA BISTA
Kathmandu, Nepal
CHRISTINA MARIE BOECKERS
Buffalo
SHEI SZE BONG

YAN SHENG BONG

JESSICA LYNN BRACKEN
Eau Claire, Wisconsin
LAURA CORIN BUCHHOLZ
Bemidji
THERON ROBERT BUSSE
St. Cloud
TAYLOR MARIE CELSKI
WILLIAM CRUZ JR.
Philadelphia, Pennsylvania
CLINTON WOODROW DAWSON

JOSHUA DERY
White Bear Lake
NIDHI DHINGAN

BRITTANY RAE DOLAN

CORY A EVERHEART

YASMIN FATIMA
Karachi, Pakistan
SPENCER GARY FEHR
Salt Lake City, Utah
ANNA ELIZABETH FORMELLA
Stevens Point, Wisconsin
TAI GAO

BETHANY RENAE GARDNER

EMILY ROSE GASPER
Foley
SANDIP GAUTAM

PRATHYUSHA GUNDLAPALLI

YEN-TING GUO

KYLE J HANSEN
Robbinsdale

JARED HANSON
Ronan, Montana
MARIA BETH HARMS

XIANPING HE

USAMA HMADY

SHEILA ITEGHETE
Brooklyn Park
EMILY SUZANNE MEADEN JEANSONNE

ABIODUN OLUFEMI JEGEDE

KRISTEN LORAN JEREMIAH
Narragansett, Rhode Island
SHAOLEI JIN

EMILY JUSTIN JOHNSON

JILL KEDROWSKI
St Cloud
JEFFREY SCOTT KESTER
San Jose, California

RAJITHA KILARU
India
SUSAN FRANCES KOESTER

JILLIAN KOLLES

ALASTRIONA BEATRIX MARY KROLL
St Cloud
ANUOLUWAPO CELESTINA KUMAYON

ALISON KRISTIN KUTTER
Thunder Bay Ontario Canada
SATEESH KUMAR REDDY KYASARAM

MARK D LEE

WHITNEY LICK

ZOE MARIE LOCKWOOD
Phoenix, Arizona
ASHLEY ANNE LOVE
Rockford
CHOOOLWE LUYA
Zambia
TAMASREE MAJUMDER

LYDIA MBATIDDE

JESSE JOHN MCCANN
Grove City
DARRIEN DAVID MEIXELL

ABDALLAH OMAR ABDEL FATTA
MOHAMMED

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NDUMEZULU THINTITHA MPOFU
Bulawayo, Zimbabwe
CLAUDIA M MUNTIFERING
St. Cloud
SUJIT MURLIKRISHNA VASANTKUMAR

BILLY NDUWIMANA SIYOMVO
Mwaro, Burundi
KRISTY M NELSON RAMOS

JON THOMAS NORDOS
St. Cloud
ROBERT O NYARIBO

RICHARD MENYA OGADO
Nairobi, Kenya
HOONSEOK OH

DAVID OLSON

CHARLES OWUSU
Ghana
LAWANDA MILLER PAGE
Elgin, South Carolina
TREVOR ALLAN PAGE

SANGYOON PARK

BARKHA N PATEL

BRIA LEE PEDRAZA
Alexandria
COREY PIERCE
Reedsburg, Wisconsin
NIMRA RABBANI

ELEANOR FAYE RADAJ

KARTHIHA RAMALINGAM

BETH JULIA RAPATZ

MARK EDWARD RELSON
Ann Arbor, Michigan
KERI ROELLER
Roseville

ZACKARY ROBERT SCHAUNAMAN

JENNIFER ANN SCHMIDT

SAMIKSHA SHRESTHA

JEFFREY PAUL SMITH

VICTORIA MAGALY SOTOJ HERNANDEZ
Surrey, Canada
JODI RAE SPEICHER

JOSHUA THAO

SCOTT LARRY THOMPSON

LEEANN CATHERINE WALOSIN
Minneapolis
DEETA H WANLESS

JOSHUA JOHN WESTPHAL

BRIAN JOSEPH WOOD

AVERIEL MARIE WRIGHT

ALANNA XIONG

SEOHYUN YOON

Master of Social Work

TERRI SERENA JOHNSON

SHELBY D WEISZ

Professional Science Masters

ZAKARIA NOOR ABDI

Bachelor of Arts

ABDIFATAH MOHAMED ABDULE

HALLEY ALT

ASHLEY ELIZABETH ANDERSON
Clear Lake
ALEXIS RENEE ANDERSON
Summa Cum Laude

HALIE ROSE AUSTIN

JACOB LESTER BERSCHEIT
Melrose

ELLIE MARIE BLAUL
Andover

PAIGE MARIE BOMAN
Milaca

CHRISTOPHER ARTHUR BOOTS

DANIEL CHESTER BRITT
Zimmerman

CIERRA AALIYAH BROWN
Cum Laude
Richfield

CARLOS MANUEL CAMEJO
Cum Laude

GEORGINA VICTORIA CANTO

HOPE LOSALE CARLSON

LILY FAITH CHAMERSKI
Woodridge, Illinois

GABRIELLA SUE CHAPMAN
Summa Cum Laude
Foley

GABRIEL SILVEIRA CHEIN
Summa Cum Laude
Rio de Janeiro, Brazil

JOHN MICHAEL COMBS
Cum Laude
Minneapolis

JACOB WAYNE CONOVER
Dawson

BEN JOSEPH CORNELIUS
Nowthen

ANTONIO JOSE CORTEZ
South St. Paul

BISHARO DADOW
Cum Laude
St. Joseph

JACOB MARQUES DASILVEIRA
Minneapolis

DANNY BRIGHTSTAR DECEMSON

SHANTELE TAMIA DES MARAIS
Magna Cum Laude
Pipestone

EDWARD MICHAEL DESAUTEL
Albany

JAYASINGHE RAJITHA DISSANAYAKE
Magna Cum Laude
Pasyala

COLE RICHARD DOCKENDORF
St. Cloud

NOAH GUSTAVE DODGE
Magna Cum Laude

MOHAMED HASSAN FARAH

NICHOLAS MICHAEL FASCHING
Plymouth

CHLOE ROSE GOLDSTEIN

KAYLA ANNE GOUDE-RINGLER

CARSON JAKE GRAND SCRUTTON
Cum Laude
Eden Prairie

ALISON GUGGLBERGER
Long Prairie

NASH HANSON
Cum Laude

MIA E HOFFMAN
Magna Cum Laude
Little Falls

ERIC J HOTAKAINEN
Summa Cum Laude
Lino Lakes

ANDREW MICHAEL HOWES

AIMEE LOUISE HRUSKA

ZEMZEM G IRESSO

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JOHANNA NGANGO ISARO

REZOAN ISLAM
Cum Laude

CARTER BRADLEY JANORSCHKE
St. Cloud
UJJWAL KHADKA

ASHLEY NICOLE KIDD
Cum Laude

KIARA DARLENE KIENE
Magna Cum Laude
Bloomington
BRANDON ZANE KING

ALEXIS ROSE KISNER
Cum Laude
Albany

BAILEY ALLEN KITTLE
Prairie du Sac, Wisconsin

KERRY JO KOCH
Magna Cum Laude

DANELLE B KRAFT

ERICA ANN KUBITSCHKEK
Maple Grove

ORLANDO PEAROME LAM

LUCAS JOHN LAMB

SHIVANI LAMICHHANE
Cum Laude

GABRIELLE K LOPEZ
Cum Laude
Chanhassen

SAMUAL AEGAN LUNDEBREK
Summa Cum Laude
Benson

EMMA JOY MARGUERITE MATTISON
Summa Cum Laude
Eau Claire, Wisconsin

BRAYDEN CHRISTOPHER MERRITT
Austin

ABDUWAHAB LUKMAN MOHAMED

NAJMO AHMED MOHAMED
St. Cloud

JESSICA ELIZABETH NELSON
Chisago City

SEYRUQ IBRAHIM NUR
Cum Laude
Kenya

SABRINA NUWERA
Kigali

MOHAMED ABDI OLAD

MARGARET ELIZABETH OLIVER
Summa Cum Laude
Tucson, Arizona

MAXWELL SCOTT OLSON
Cum Laude

DAVID ROLAND PAYNE

ALEXANDRIA CAROLINE PEARSON

ARIEL M POPE
Elk River

BRENDAN ISAIAH POTTER
Cum Laude

MELONY S PRICE

BRIANNA ROSE RATHBUN
Magna Cum Laude
St. Cloud

REBECCA RACHAEL REVERMANN
Summa Cum Laude

JAMARQUES A ROBINSON
St. Paul

CHLOE KAYLEN ROWLAND

ALEXANDRA ELIZABETH RYMER
Crystal

TRYSTAN HOPE SCHEERLE
Magna Cum Laude
Sauk Rapids

KIARA AUNALEECE SCHELER
North Branch

PRESTON JAMES SILVER
Cum Laude
Sauk Rapids

MIKAYLA ROSE SMITH
Minnetonka

PAHOUA THAO

DARRICK PICHKIRI KIM THENG
Maplewood

DEREK ROBERT THURY
Cum Laude
Hastings

COLE A UECKER
Neenah, Wisconsin

JAYMIN MARCUS VARGO
Montgomery

FABIOLA STEFANIA VELASQUEZ
Venezuela

AMANDA GRACE VOIGT
Summa Cum Laude

ANDY B VUE

SKYLAR JEAN WALTERS

HANNAH MELODEE WAREHIME
Summa Cum Laude

MOHAMED A YUSUF

MORGAN ANNE ZAKRAJSHEK
Cum Laude
Sartell

KATELYN RAE ZEROETH

YELIZAVETA STEPANOVNA ZHYKHOVICH
Summa Cum Laude

ANTHONY P ZONGO
Cum Laude

Bachelor of Elective Studies

MOHAMED A ABDULLAHI
Somalia

WENDY VEJTRUBA ACCOLA

ROBERT STEVEN ALECKSON
St. Paul

ABDULLAHI KHADAR BEDEL

ANDREW LEWIS BENGSTON
Buffalo

STEFANI MICHELLE BURNS

MCKENZIE CHIN

KENNETH DELMAR CHRISTENSON

ALEX CARLOS CONTRERAS
Cum Laude
Minneapolis

TUAN CHINH DINH

THOMAS MAXIMILIAN ENGESSER
Spring Valley

GAYT OWEN GARNOS

ALLISON CATHERINE GRAVES

STEPHANIE RACHELLE GREGOR
St. Peter

TYRA NICOLE GRIEGER
Minneapolis

TYLER NELSON HAGE

MATTHEW LEE HALUPTZOK

KAILEE R HANFLER
Little Falls

BRITTNEY VALENTINA HARTMANN
Magna Cum Laude

MITCHELL DAVID HEINEN
Cold Spring

KELSEY GRACE JAGERSON
Summa Cum Laude

BETHANY ANNE JOUL
Sartell

NIKOLE KARI KAKO
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Magna Cum Laude

TIANNA ROSE KOSEK
Summa Cum Laude

LEAH RACHELLE KRAGSKOW
Magna Cum Laude

KARLEA ANN KYLLO
Lester Prairie

KATIE M LARSEN
Minneapolis

EMILY TAYLOR LINDELL

DESIREE L MATHIASON
Champlin

MELINDA STAR MAYER

TERI LYNN MCDOWELL
Hudson, Wisconsin

NYLISHA SHANELL MCNUTT

DANICA MINZEL

CORY PATRICK MOONEY

THOMAS CHRISTOPHER OSWALD
Magna Cum Laude
Eden Prairie

DREW ALEXANDER PAULZINE

CARTER THOMAS PETERSON
Cum Laude

ALAYNA ROSE PIPER

CARLEY RAE RODA

ABIGAIL ANN ROEHL

JORDAN J SALLIS
Brooklyn Park

ROHAN JEBENS SINGH

JORDAN RAY SMITH
Cum Laude
Willmar

EMMY JOLENE PETERS STOMMES

CHRISTOPHER MICHAEL THOMAS
New Brighton

JEANIE ELIZABETH THOMPSON
Magna Cum Laude
Blaine

DAVID PAUL TONKINSON

MEGAN NICOLE WEBB

CATHERINE ELIZABETH WOLD
Summa Cum Laude

MARISA KAY WOOD
Summa Cum Laude

Bachelor of Fine Arts

MARGARITA KHAN
Summa Cum Laude
Novara, Italy

ANNA MARIE LANDAAL
Magna Cum Laude
New Richmond

RILEE MAE MARQUETTE
Summa Cum Laude
Monticello

GLORIA ADAKU NWANKEPE

ELLIE RENSENBRINK
Summa Cum Laude
Milaca

ALEXANDRIA MAE SCOTT

Bachelor of Science

LIZA AARSVOLD
Magna Cum Laude
Dodge Center

HASSEN MOHAMED ABDI

EYASU NIGUSSE ABEBE
Tigray

BRANDON MICHAEL ABRAHAMSON
Becker

ZAMZAM BASHIR ABUKAR

SUVEKSHYA ADHIKARI
Nepal

ALONDRA AGUILAR

RILEY EDWARD AHERN
Summa Cum Laude
Inver Grove Heights

ZAINAB KHALIF AHMED
Cum Laude
St. Cloud

ABAYOMI D AKANNI

TOSIN AKERELE

ABDUSALAM ALI ALABBAD

ABDULLAH ALI M ALABBAD
Al Awamiyah, Saudi Arabia

BRIANA ROSE ALBA
Cum Laude
St. Cloud

ABDIFATAH MOHAMED-NOUR ALI

CRYSTAL LYNN ALLEN
Magna Cum Laude
Buffalo

CHRISTOPHER SCOTT ALLEN
Magna Cum Laude
Marshall

HASSAN ALI ALSHOWIKHAT SR.
Cum Laude
Saihat-Saudi Arabia

JODIE MAE ANDERSEN
Little Falls

JESSICA MARIE ANDERSON
Cum Laude

ANNA G ANDERSON
Cum Laude
Cokato

JESSICA KAYE ANDREWSSEN
Sartell

SHELBY LYNN ANKERFELT
Cum Laude
Maple Lake

SARAH LYNN ANSCHUTZ
Champlin

MASSA B APPLETON
Liberia Maryland County

TRAVIS ROBERT AREND
Sauk Rapids

ANNA E ARMSTRONG
Eagle Lake

NIMO HASSAN ARTE
St. Cloud

SAMUEL JOHN ARTZ
Bismarck, North Dakota

MOSLEU AKINS AYINDE

ANDREA ELAINE BARBER
Summa Cum Laude

ABDI MOHAMED BARE

KAITLYNN ANN BARGER
Magna Cum Laude
White Bear Lake

AAYUSH BARMA K C
Hetauda, Nepal

HANAN ISMAEL BARUD

JOSHUA M BARZOWSKI

ALI ABDULLAHI BASHIR
Cum Laude

SABIN BASNET
Boch-06 Dolakha

SABRINA KAY BENNING
Eagle Bend

JASON BENTS
Summa Cum Laude
Osceola, Wisconsin

TARA NICOLE BERGER
Summa Cum Laude
Sartell

CORY BERTRAM
Bertha

SANDESH BHUSAL
Cum Laude
Kathmandu, Nepal

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IAN BIRMINGHAM Pelham, New Hampshire	SEBASTIAN FELIPE CASTELLANOS MOLINA Apple Valley	BRIANNA MARIE DOCKTER Summa Cum Laude
JENNIFER R BISTODEAU Cum Laude	EVAN PATRICK CASTRO Maple Grove	MICHAEL DOMINGUEZ-NIEVES Magna Cum Laude
SYDNEY KRISTIN BLACKBURN Summa Cum Laude Sycamore, Illinois	WESLEY RICHARD KENNEN CAVEGN Magna Cum Laude Big Lake	COURTNEY KAE DOSH Summa Cum Laude Princeton
JESSECA BLACKWELL Cum Laude Minnetonka	MADISON ROSE CEASER Anoka	CONNOR LEWIS DOWNS Magna Cum Laude
LANDON DAVIS BLAKE Elk River	ALAGIE CEESAY	RACHEL LYNN DUSEK Summa Cum Laude Rogers
MACCOY WILLIAM BLASCHKO St. Peter	SHANE ALAN CHILDERS	ANDREW ELGARD Summa Cum Laude Champlin
TRICIA LYNNE BLOOMQUIST Magna Cum Laude	OSAMA MANZOOR CHISHTI Pakistan	MICAH CHERINA EUBANKS Magna Cum Laude Minneapolis
BRYCE ALLEN BORCHERT	EMILY RAE CHRISTLE	MITCHELL GALE EVANS Albert Lea
MAHLON NYAKEGO BOSIRE Brooklyn Park	CALEB EDWARD CLEMENS Magna Cum Laude Sartell	HILDA JO EVEN Summa Cum Laude Foley
LAMARQUIS BOYD	KELSEY LYN COBENAIS Bemidji	BABOUCARR FAAL Magna Cum Laude
JEFFERY JAMES BRAUN Annandale	KELLY ANNE COCKERILL Selkirk, Manitoba, Canada	SILETHE FANOUE
JORDAN D BREMER Shakopee	JOSHUA PAUL CONGER Chapel Hill, North Carolina	JOWERIA A FARAH
AXUMAWIT ABEBE BRHANE Ethiopia	KIARA LIZETTE COOK Brooklyn Park	ASIA ALI FARAH Cum Laude
ASHLEY JO BRONDER St. Cloud	JADE E CRAM Cum Laude Little Falls	RODA M FARAH
CASSIE JEAN BROWN Coon Rapids	LIGE BRANDON CRAWFORD Magna Cum Laude	KADIJAH J FARHAT Cum Laude Willmar
SHANNON M BROWN	ERIC JOHN CREST	ELIZABETH JOANN FLATH
ASHLEY ANN BROWN Cum Laude	JACQUELINE ROSE CROSS Cum Laude Foley	GABRIELLE ANN FORRESTER Cum Laude New Prague
AMAYA FRANCESCA BRUNER	WILLIAM S CRUM	KENYEA TAREEK FRAZIER Shakopee
DOMINIQUE ROBERTA BUECHEL Summa Cum Laude Chilton, Wisconsin	TARYN JEAN CZECH Summa Cum Laude	SAMUEL WAYNE FREDIN Cold Spring
SOPHIA LYNN BUETTNER Cum Laude Mound	DAVID GUNDER DALE	ALICIA ANNE FREDRICKSON Magna Cum Laude Buffalo
DENISE ADESIMI BULL Shakopee	PAA KWESI DANSO	MICHAEL ALAN FREE Summa Cum Laude Becker
KALEB P BYRNE Cum Laude Lakeville	EMMA CIERRA DANUSER Magna Cum Laude	MAX HASTI FRIEDMAN Cum Laude
JUSTINE ELAINE CAMPBELL	BRANDON WILKEN DAVIS Magna Cum Laude	SAMUEL JACOB FUCHS
HUNTER JOHN CAPETI Forest Lake	CONNOR BLAKE DENNY Cum Laude	CAROLYN ROSE GAHR
MIGUEL ALEJANDRO CARDONA	ALLISON R DENSON	
PAYTIN JOANN CARTY Cum Laude Princeton	PAWAN DHUNGANA Magna Cum Laude	
TIRA CASEY Coloma, Wisconsin		

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PAYTON GALARNEAULT Milaca	ALI KHALID HAMMAD Al Awamiah	SARAHANNE MAHER ISMAIL
JENNIFER M GALLARDO Magna Cum Laude Willmar	AMBERLEE LOUISE HANCOCK Summa Cum Laude	MICHAEL GABRIEL ISSA Magna Cum Laude Woodbury
ANTONIO ROBERT GALLARDO St. Louis, Missouri	BENJAMIN BRADLEY HANSEN Magna Cum Laude Elk River	NATHAN P JACKSON Magna Cum Laude Ham Lake
EMMA NICOLE GAUERT Cum Laude New Ulm	ABBEY MARIE HARPER	PRANAV JAISWAL
MUSTAFE ABDIRIZAK GAYRE Minneapolis	KYLE STEVEN HARTHAN Magna Cum Laude Sartell	LUKAS RYLEE JAYCOX Warroad
BRADY MICHAEL GERDES St. Cloud	AMAL JAMA HASSAN	JORDAN ASHLEY JENKINS Magna Cum Laude
MANISH GHIMIRE Banepa, Nepal	OMAR MOHAMED HASSAN	JOSHUA CHARLES JODSAAS Alexandria
GAURABSHALI GHIMIRE Kathmandu	FATHI A HASSEN	ALYSSA MICHELLE JOHNSON Cum Laude Byron
ASHLEE ROSELYNN GIBSON Summa Cum Laude St. Cloud	ELLIE GRACE HEIDEBRINK Annandale	REBECCA LOUISE JOHNSON Cum Laude
SONJA L GIINTHIR Belgrade-Brooten-Elrosa	KASUP HEWAPATHIRANA	AUGUST JAMES-IRWIN JOHNSON Sioux Falls, South Dakota
SHELBY KATHLEEN GOEBEL Magna Cum Laude Albany	VICTOR A HIGDON	MACKENZIE RAE JOHNSON Cum Laude
JILLIAN MARY GOELZ Magna Cum Laude	JESSICA R HILLSTROM	JUEL MARIE JOHNSON Cum Laude Big Lake
BAILEY JEAN GORACKE Cum Laude Big Lake	TYLER LEIGH HINNENKAMP Summa Cum Laude	ALEX COLE JOHNSON St. Croix Falls, Wisconsin
BETTY S GORECKI	ANDREW MICHAEL HOESCHEN Cum Laude	EMMA KRISTINE JOHNSON Magna Cum Laude Osakis
ERIN M GREGOR Hutchinson	ALEXANDER JOSEPH HOLETS Rochester	ZEPHANIAH THOMAS JOHNSON Summa Cum Laude Mound
BETTY LOUISE GRELL	MIKAYLA ANN HOLROYD Sauk Rapids	ARIANNA M JONES Summa Cum Laude Belle Plaine
JORDAN A GRIKA Summa Cum Laude	SCOTT ERVIN HOMMERDING Summa Cum Laude	AVERY CHRISTINE JOPLIN Cum Laude
TANNER M GROVE Magna Cum Laude	ADAM VIRGIL HONER St. Cloud	IMOGEN ALICE JOSEPH Magna Cum Laude
PEMBA TSERING GURUNG Brooklyn Park	JACOB RYAN HOPKINS Brooklyn Park	COLE P JOYAL Magna Cum Laude
HAILEY HOPE GUYER-RODE Magna Cum Laude	THOMAS LLOYD HOPKINS	JENNAH LAUREN JUNTUNEN Summa Cum Laude Buffalo
ABIGAIL GYAMERAH	RACHEL M HOULE Summa Cum Laude Stillwater	JARED JOHN KALAL Belle Plaine
AMIT GYAWALI Cum Laude Nepal	ALEXIA RAE HOUNSOU Magna Cum Laude	ZAKARIA ABDIRIZAK KASSIM JR.
GREGORY CHARLES HAATAJA Magna Cum Laude Cokato	COLLIN JEROME HOWARD	ABDIRASHID A KASSIM
ANNE MARIE HAEN Eveleth	MACHELLE LYNN HURD Cum Laude	GANESH KATTA
AHMED KALIL HAMID	ZACHARY JACOB HURD Magna Cum Laude	
KADY HAMILTON Cum Laude	LUCAS JOEL HUSEBY ABDIRISAQ MOHAMED HUSSEIN	

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SHYAM B KATUWAL Magna Cum Laude	KENDRICK K KWIWONGBAYE Liberia	SAWA MALI Kathmandu, Nepal
SAKAI ALLEN JUPITER KELLY St. Paul	BENJAMIN WALTER LABEY Roseville	SYDNEY ANNE MANSKE Stanchfield
HOLLY ANN KEPPERS Magna Cum Laude	CHARLES ANTHONY LACIVITA	JACOB ADAM MASSMANN Little Falls
ELIZABETH G KERN Magna Cum Laude	ERIKA MARGARET LAHO Summa Cum Laude	SAMUEL ISALIAH MATCHINSKY Magna Cum Laude St. Cloud
SUDHA KHADGI Summa Cum Laude	JACIE JARIE LAVATO LALLI Magna Cum Laude Bemidji	KAIN PATRICK MATTHIES Magna Cum Laude Madison
SAMEER KHADKA Magna Cum Laude Sindhuli, Nepal	ALEXYS KATELYN LANGE	BRENDAN ALLEN MAYER
YUEPENG KHANG	SYDNEY ELIZABETH LAPOINT Green Bay, Wisconsin	TYLER JOSEPH MAYER Maple Grove
SHRUTI KHAREL	JAMES JOSEPH LARKIN	ALLYSON MAE MCALPINE Cum Laude Princeton
SAJAN KHATRI	HOLLY MARIE LARKIN Cum Laude Buffalo	COURTNEY JADE MCBRIDE
CECILE CATHERINE KIEGER Cum Laude	SACHA MARIE LARSON Cum Laude	MATTHEW RYAN MCCARTHY Rosemount
LUCAS EDWARD KIELBLOCK Cum Laude	SHANE AMBROSE LEABCH	BLAZE KIENE MCCOY
KATELYN JEAN KILANOWSKI Magna Cum Laude	PAUL LEE Oakdale	SHEALYN RAE MCCOY Holmen, Wisconsin
JUSTIN MICHAEL KIMMERLE Clear Lake	ADAM JAMES LEMKE Sauk Rapids	BLAKE M MCGOWAN
JORDAN MATTHEW KIVIAHDE Magna Cum Laude Monticello	LAUREN ELAINA LEMKER Duluth	COTY LYNNE MCKENNA Mountain Iron
CARTER LEE KLASEN Magna Cum Laude	MORGAN NOELLE LESLIE Magna Cum Laude Perham	REBECCA J. MEAD Cum Laude
JOSHUA M KNEBEL Cum Laude	JESSICA LYNN LEYENDECKER Summa Cum Laude	RYAN JOSEPH MELEK
VEDRAN KOCO	YIWEI LI	AMBER RENAE MERRY
ASIA MABEL KOLODJSKI Magna Cum Laude Oak Grove	MADISON JEAN LIBOR Summa Cum Laude Elk River	ERIK VINCENT MICHEALSON Maple Grove
MAYAMA ABDULAYE KONNEH New York City, New York	PEYDON JUSTIN LIDBECK Summa Cum Laude Plymouth	ELAINA CATHARINE MIHALIK Magna Cum Laude
LORENA KOSTALLARI Magna Cum Laude	MITCHELL ALLEN LIESCH Summa Cum Laude	DAVID ALLEN MILLER
KIMBERLY ANNE KRUMLAUF	AARON RICHARD LINDELL	ASHA ABDIKARIM MOHAMED
AUSTIN COLE KUKLOK	ETHAN ELIYAS LO	ANIZA HAJIR MOHAMED Somalia
ERICA ANN KUROWSKI Summa Cum Laude	PATRICIA MICHELLE LOECKEN Freeport	NASRAH MOHAMED Magna Cum Laude
MICHELLE FRAUNSCENE KUZMA Chisholm	PAUL ANTON LOMBARD JR. Anoka	HELAYNA MOLKE Cum Laude
JOSIAH ROBERTSON KWIA Liberia	TYLER JOE LOVATO Thief River Falls	AMANDA RAE MONCELLE Magna Cum Laude
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EMMA LAURA MURPHY Cum Laude Stillwater	REANNA LYNN O'NEILL Cum Laude Cambridge	MELISSA JEAN PROM Summa Cum Laude
MELISSA LYNN MURRAY Magna Cum Laude	JACOB ANTHONY ORME	COLIN JUDE QUINN Cum Laude
ODE GUSHIMA MUSABYIMANA St. Paul	RACHEAL LYNN ORTON Summa Cum Laude Foley	LINSEY KAY RACHEL Summa Cum Laude Maple Lake
SARAH J MYCUE Magna Cum Laude Milaca	ANJU PANDAY	ABBY C RAFFERTY Cum Laude Andover
GIJOUNG NAM	SEONGSU PARK South Korea Anyang	BRADY M REIGSTAD Kandiyohi
ABHISHEK NANNEBOINA St. Cloud	HEMALKUMAR PATEL Nairobi, Kenya	ARIA LILY REITTER Summa Cum Laude Grand Rapids
KELSEY RAEMARIE NELSON Magna Cum Laude Elk River	ASHMA PATHAK Cum Laude Nepal	TALIA REYNERO
ANGEL KELLY-LYNN NELSON Magna Cum Laude Sioux Falls, South Dakota	MIRANDA JEAN PAUBA Summa Cum Laude	KYLE STEVEN RIPPLINGER Cum Laude St. Cloud
KRISTINA KAY NETZ	AMANDA MARIE PEIFER Mounds View	MOHAMED A SALAT
FRANCOIS JANIEL NGUEMA OLLOMO	BRITNEY S PENAZ	MUHAMMAD WADOOD SALEEM
AMY L NIELSEN	LAURA ELIZABETH PENDLETON Cum Laude Winona	CRISTAL LINN SALGADO HERNANDEZ Magna Cum Laude Sparta, Wisconsin
KRISTIN ANN NOHNER Magna Cum Laude Jordan	LILLIAN BOBBI PESCHL Cum Laude	ROWAN SALZL St. Cloud
SAMEDI NOL Phnom Penh, Cambodia	HOPE LAUREN PETERSEN Cum Laude Sauk Centre	MOLLIE MICHELLE SCHEIBER Summa Cum Laude Maple Lake
ASHLEY ANN NORDLING St. Francis	CASEY LOREN PETERSON Cum Laude	KAYLEE SCHELONKA
BRITANNY CHRISTINA NOVICKY Magna Cum Laude Brainerd	STEFANIE NICOLE PLAISTED	MATTHEW J SCHINDLER Watkins
ABDIRAHMAN NUR	ASHLEY PLOUGH Magna Cum Laude	ERIC JAMES SCHMIDT Cum Laude
JULIANNA MARIA OLLIFF Cum Laude Lancaster, California	NOAH JAMES POLFLIET	STEPHANIE ROSE SCHMITT Sartell
STACY ANN OLSON Summa Cum Laude	LINDSAY ELISE POPP Summa Cum Laude Rice	MARIAH CRYSTAL ROSE SCHMITT Cum Laude
TAYLOR MAE OLSON Magna Cum Laude	SAMUEL J POPPEN Cum Laude Rochester	JUSTIN GERARD SCHROEPFER Summa Cum Laude
WILLIAM OLSON	VICTORIA POUNDER Cum Laude Isanti	ALEXUS L SCHULTZ
CLAIRE MARIE OLSON	JOSLYN JEWEL PRATHER	BAILEY KATHRYN SEPPELT Cum Laude
JACKIE LYNN OLSON Cum Laude	CODY JAMES PRATT Cum Laude Bloomington	RAHMO HASSAN SHARIF-ABDULLAHI Magna Cum Laude
BRADYN MITCHELL OMMODT Cum Laude	DAVID NATHAN PRESTEGAARD	MOHAMED ADAN SHIEK
JOHN OKECH OMONDI Kenya	HEATHER ROSE PRODAHL Summa Cum Laude Rogers	ABDULAZIZ FATAH SHIRE St. Cloud
KELLY JOANN O'NEAL Summa Cum Laude	GERALD R PROFFITT JR.	ZAMZAM FATAH SHIRE

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CHADANI SHRESTHA Cum Laude Kathmandu, Nepal	RYAN JOSEPH SWEENEY Magna Cum Laude Sauk Rapids	NIMO ABDI WARFA
SIDDHARTHA SHRESTHA	JENNIFER SWITALLA Summa Cum Laude	AHMED MOHAMED WARSAME
PRASHUL SHRESTHA Cum Laude	SAMYAK TAMRAKAR Cum Laude	RICHARD MARK WEIGEL JR. St. Cloud
SUNIL SHRESTHA Cum Laude	MADISON R TEIGE	MAXIMILIAN J WEITZ St. Cloud
ALYSSA MARIE SICKLES Magna Cum Laude Detroit Lakes	ELIJAH JAGNER TENTA	RUTH TSEHAYE WELDEMICHAEL Asmara, Eritrea
ANUJ SIMKHADA	AASHISH THAPA MAGAR	JACOB MICHAEL WELLER Magna Cum Laude Brooten
TANNER SCOTT SIMON	HAILEY LYNN THIELEN Summa Cum Laude	AVERY M WELLS
MADELYNE CHRISTINA SIMONSON Magna Cum Laude Cokato	TRAVIS LOUIS THIESSE Fairmont	MADISON MONROE WEVLEY Morris
BRITNEY ANN SIMS	YASIA SIMENOU THOJ	MICHELLE J WICK
JORDYN MARIE SKARIE Shakopee	WHITNEY RENEE THOMAS Apple Valley	DEVIN A WIERIMA Magna Cum Laude
CODY JOSEPH SMELIK Oakdale	MELISSA THOMSEN Cum Laude	LOUIS T WILLIAMS IV Milwaukee, Wisconsin
KATHERINE ANNE SMITH	LOGAN ROBERT THORSON Cum Laude	ADAM J WILSON Magna Cum Laude
TIMOTHY R SPEIER Cum Laude	PAIGE ANN THULL Magna Cum Laude Becker	JOSEPH RYAN WINKLER Champlin
TAYLOR MORGAN SPRINGER St. Francis	KUERKOW MIYOANG TONGYIK St. Cloud	ISAAC WINTERS
REED LOREN STADTHER	BRITTNEY ALEXIS TOPLIFF Magna Cum Laude Becker	SKYLAR J WOLF St. Francis
AMY LEE STANFORD Summa Cum Laude Siren, Wisconsin	MADELINE GRACE TORVE Summa Cum Laude Loretto	HEATHER DAWN WONDERS Summa Cum Laude Browerville
MICHAEL MARTIN STEELE Otsego	MAMA NANA TOURE EP CAMARA Guinea	JOHN MOOS XIONG
WALKER ALEXANDER STEVENS	RANDY LEE TUPER Magna Cum Laude Crosby	ESTHER MARIE YANG Magna Cum Laude Monticello
ALEXIS MARIE STREIT Magna Cum Laude Sartell	LAYNE MARIE UDY	STACY H YANG
MATTHEW WAYNE VICTOR STREY Marshfield, Wisconsin	VICTORIA SYDNEY UMERSKI Sauk Rapids	DANIEL ROBERT YOCUM Cum Laude
NAOMI LYNN STROBUSH Ramsey	GAONOU VANG	SAVANNAH RENEE YOUNG
YANG SU	KEVIN VANG Minneapolis	GRACE KIA YOUNG Magna Cum Laude
MENNUM SUBBA	BEE VANG Magna Cum Laude	STEPHANIE LOUISE ZACHMAN
ABUBAKAR AWEIS SUFI SHEIKH	VANESSA JEAN VIRNIG Magna Cum Laude Plymouth	OUMAROU ZAKARIYAOU Cameroon
MATTHEW LAWRENCE SUNDBERG Magna Cum Laude Becker	ALI AHMED VOHRA	CORY RUSSELL ZENGER
MICHAELA NICHOLE SWANSON Summa Cum Laude Monticello	JACOB ROBERT WAHLIN	COLTON ALEXANDER ZIEGLER
		BERNERDETTE OBONYO ZORN Magna Cum Laude St. Cloud

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Bachelor of Science in Engineering

TAN LOC DUONG
St. Cloud
RISHAB JOSHI

SAMUEL ARTHUR LARSON
Cum Laude
Maplewood
PAUL ANDREW LARSON

SIRISH PURI
Kathmandu, Nepal

Bachelor of Science, Mechanical Engineering

MICHAEL WILLARD GRAESE
Summa Cum Laude
Eau Claire, Wisconsin

INDUWARA UDANTHA HERATH
MUDIYANSELAGE

SHADRACK A MUTEBA KAUMB
Cum Laude
Likasi

OLGA LEONOVICH MACDONALD
Summa Cum Laude

KAYLEEN ARIANNA MARTINS
Summa Cum Laude
Sartell

HIEP THONG NGUYEN
Ho Chi Minh, Vietnam

MATTHEW JOHN O'CONNOR

RACHEL ANNA ROZKO
Becker

ROHIT SHRESTHA

ROSEMARY ELLA TUCKNER
Magna Cum Laude

KRIDISH UPRETY

TU ANH VU
Cum Laude
Coon Rapids
GRANT NORMAN WARWAS

Associate of Arts

MANUEL ANDERS ALVAREZ
Columbia Heights
SAMUEL FRANCISCO BORG

VICTORIA FAITH CLEMENS
Sartell
TAYLOR L COUNTS

LINDSEY MARIE DARLINGTON

LAUREN MICHELLE DECAMP

JAMES JORGEN DEPPA

LUCAS ALFREDO DORMOND

KATRINA TIFFANI DORNFELD
Winona

ELIJAH PAULO DOTO

HAILEY NOELLE DUNSMOOR

ZACHARY A EDER

KATELYN MARIE FOUQUETTE

KAILEY ROSE GOINS

MATTHEW JAMES HARDT

ASHLEY MARIE-JOY HARRIS-HOUDEK
Sauk Rapids

RYLEE JO JOHNSON

NICHOLAS CARTER KNUTE

ANTHONY KNUTH

MATTHEW OWEN KREPP
Sauk Rapids

MARISA LYNN KRUEGER

MICHELLE FRAUNSCENE KUZMA
Chisholm

ELISSA RAE LANCE

JESSICA LYNN LEYENDECKER
Summa Cum Laude

AMANDA GRACE LUNDGREN
Mayer

JACK ADAM MAGRUM
Annandale

TARA JEAN MONSON

TRINITY ELIZABETH OLSON-BURKMAN

ERIN AMBER RICE

GABRIEL PATRICK ROHLAND

KATHERINE ROSE RONYAK
Sartell

STEVEN RAY SAND
Isle

ZACKARY ROBERT SELLNER

EMILY G SORENSEN

GAVIN PAUL ST CYR
Rockford

PATRICIA CLARA STANGL

ALLEN MICHAEL STANGL
Pierz

PETER JAMES STANGL

LUKE DAVID SUCHY

ALAYNNA NICOLE SUCHY
Becker

KAYLA MONAE MICHELLE THOMAS

MARY JO VARIAN

OUMAROU ZAKARIYAOU
Cameroon

JOSEPH S ZEUSSI

Associate of Science

JEFFREY THOMAS ERBSTOESSER
Zimmerman

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BANNERS AND FLAGS

The commencement ceremony as a whole affirms the value of learning to society, recognizes the cooperation of many people, on and off the campus, who have contributed to the learning enterprise and, above all, celebrates the effort and achievement (symbolized by diplomas, degrees and dress) of the graduates themselves.

UNIVERSITY SEAL

The university seal was redesigned in 2001 and portrays the cupola that sits atop Riverview Building, surrounded by oak leaves. The visuals were chosen to illustrate SCSU's long history of teacher preparation (Riverview was built to serve as the lab school for St. Cloud Normal School students to teach area children) and the university's location on the oak-crowned banks of the Mississippi River.

THE MACE

The mace originated as a staff or club used in the Middle Ages for breaking armor. It evolved into a ceremonial symbol of authority used in legislative bodies, universities, and other governmental units.

The university mace was created by David Landwehr out of the white cedar flag pole from Old Main which was built in 1875 and razed in the late 1940s. The carved designs on the mace head which are decorated with gold leaf symbolize the programs of study at the University and were created by Merle Sykora, professor emeritus of art.

THE PRESIDENTIAL MEDALLION

The presidential medallion worn by President Robbyn R. Wacker was created in 2002 by SCSU faculty emeritus, Dr. James Roy. This multi-dimensional medallion incorporates the SCSU seal and sits upon a plate of rhodium-plated sterling silver. The central portion of the medallion has been created from cast 14K gold and is festooned with four deep red garnet stones.

Dr. James Roy served as chair of the SCSU Department of Visual Arts from 1964-1992 and retired in 1994. Previously, Dr. Roy designed the original presidential medallion which is now housed in university archives, as well as medallions for the Chancellor of the Minnesota State University System, Metropolitan State University and Minnesota State University-Akita in Japan.

THE ACADEMIC ATTIRE

The custom of wearing a distinctive dress for academic ceremonies goes back to the Middle Ages, when long-sleeved, hooded gowns were necessary for warmth in the unheated stone colleges. Academic costume is at present worn in the United States by persons taking part in academic ceremonies in general, at commencement ceremonies, at baccalaureate services, and at various inauguration ceremonies.

GOWNS

The bachelor's gown is a relatively simple kind falling in straight lines from a fairly elaborate yoke. Its distinguishing characteristic is the long pointed sleeves. The master's gown is similar, except for the sleeves. The doctor's gown is an elaborate costume marked by velvet panels down the front and around the neck as well as by three bars of the same material on the bell-shaped sleeves.

HOODS

The greatest degree of symbolism is shown by the hood. Undergraduates here do not wear the hood. Graduate student hoods have velvet edging which indicates the area of specialization. The inside of the hood is satin and indicates by its color the college or school which granted the degree. St. Cloud State University's colors are deep cardinal red and black.

CAPS

The square "Oxford cap" or mortarboard of serge or broadcloth with a stiff crown is worn for most degrees. The tassel that hangs to the side is switched from the right to the left when the baccalaureate degree is awarded.

TASSELS

Undergraduate degree tassels are St. Cloud State University's colors of cardinal red and black. Graduate degree tassels indicate the degree: master of arts (white), master of business administration (light brown), master of engineering management (orange), master of music (pink), master of science (yellow gold), master of social work (citron) and specialist (light blue). The Doctor of Education degree tassel is light blue.

RED, WHITE AND BLUE CORDS

The cord is a special recognition to show the University's respect and gratitude for our student veterans and those service men and women who are currently serving and protecting our country.

HONOR CORDS

The color of the honor cord indicates the level of academic achievement for undergraduate students: Cum Laude (red), Magna Cum Laude (silver) and Summa Cum Laude (gold).

ACADEMIC DISTINCTION

Students who accomplish a high level of academic achievement, as reflected by their grade point average, receive distinction as follows.

<i>Grade Point Average:</i>	
3.25-3.49	<i>Cum Laude</i>
3.5-3.74	<i>Magna Cum Laude</i>
3.75 or higher	<i>Summa Cum Laude</i>

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UNIVERSITY HYMN

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Sing to thee, our Al - ma Ma - ter high on oak crowned
By the riv - er's flow - ing wa - ters, by its is - lands



banks, Em - blem of our search for know - ledge,
fair, May the loy - al sons and daugh - ters,



sym - bol of our youth - ful ranks. Filled with fires of
thy en - dur - ing friend - ship share. May they with sin -



true am - bi - tion, let us ev - er be; Loy - al to thy
cere am - bi - tion, through the years e'er be; Loy - al to thy



fine tra - di - tion. Hail, St. Cloud, to thee!
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