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2023
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SONOMA STATE UNIVERSITY ALMA MATER

MUSIC BY: Brian S. Wilson • WORDS BY: Brantley Bryant

Our challenges we have faced and love kept us strong
So now We're no ma we ce le brate how far we all have come
Sea wolves we ce le brate the hard work that we've done
here now to ce le brate the ho nors we have won

Though we live in diff rent ways We're here to ge ther on this bright day

thank you So no ma State and we're for now a proud that new we chap ter our starts part We'll

hold on to all your les sons like trea sure with in our heart.
like can dles with in our heart.
like sun shine with in our heart.
Congratulations and welcome to Sonoma State University Commencement.

What a day! Here we are, on this beautiful campus, with so much history and so many memories running like a river through the land beneath our feet. We are preparing to celebrate the success of our students, who have so enlivened and enriched our learning community with their talent and enthusiasm. Commencement represents one of the most momentous experiences in a lifetime – an unmitigated recognition of accomplishment, optimism, and potential.

So much in education is about the future: growing, building, developing, preparing, training. We invest in what we hope will be a better, more enlightened future. We steadfastly believe in the wisdom that true knowledge brings understanding and, over time, positive social change. But today we get to be fully in the present, acknowledging that at this very moment, we are all at our best, and sharing with each other the joys of success, past, present, and future.

To all of you who are graduating, today is the culmination of every late night, every sacrifice, every obstacle and challenge, every bit of effort you had to lend to your studies. You are strong, courageous, and capable leaders. To each and every one of you who has served as family support, teacher, coach, mentor, friend, and morale booster, thank you for your deep investment in the education and accomplishments of our students. And to all of you who have helped make this day – and every day at Sonoma State – special and fulfilling, I hope you feel my appreciation for all of the work you do, much of it unseen, to sustain our values and support our mission.

Sonoma State is a unique and precious community. The Class of 2023 is unique and precious, and on behalf of the University, I assure you that you will always belong here, always have a place to call your educational ‘home.’ We stand behind you, sending our Seawolf wishes, cheering you on and rooting for your happiness and achievements. Life is unpredictable, and fortunes changeable, but my hope is that you can always recognize and call upon your strength and abilities as the leaders you are. You can change the world. You will change the world. You have already made Sonoma State a better community, and today we celebrate your success, past, present, and future.

Best wishes for the future,

Ming-Tung “Mike” Lee, Ph.D.
President
MESSAGE FROM THE CHANCELLOR

Dear Class of 2023:

I offer you my most enthusiastic and heartfelt congratulations on achieving this consequential milestone on the journey of a lifetime.

Today, we celebrate you – and all the hard work, perseverance and scholarship that brought you here. You will undoubtedly look back on this occasion for many years to come, filled with a well-earned sense of pride in your accomplishments – and maybe even a sense of relief for attaining a goal that, at times, might have felt more than a little daunting.

As numerous forces upended our world, you held firmly onto your dreams and persisted in your studies through challenges none of us could have foreseen or imagined. You have by necessity developed and demonstrated skills – far beyond your academic work – that will ensure your continued success: resilience, flexibility, resourcefulness, patience and tenacity. Your resolve shines brightly as a symbol of hope and optimism. It is admirable. And it is inspiring.

Of course, you did not make this journey alone. We also recognize the faculty who deepened your knowledge and enabled you to see the world from new perspectives. We acknowledge the counselors, tutors, advisors, librarians, coaches and support staff who championed you at every turn. And we appreciate the family, friends and loved ones who encouraged you, uplifted you and supported you along the way. Please remember to thank these important people and let them know how much their support means.

This celebration marks a new beginning for you – a time to commence a new life, filled with opportunities and prospects made possible by your degree from the California State University.

With this rite of passage we call “commencement,” you will join a dynamic, global network of more than 4 million CSU alumni. They are a remarkable force for good, and I am certain your addition to their ranks will multiply their contributions to our communities, to our state and to the world. I ask that – in the Cal State spirit – you use the knowledge, skills and personal qualities you have developed to work for justice, seek opportunities to foster equity and always uplift and empower others. Stay connected to your campus and look for ways to give back. And whenever possible, support future generations who aspire to follow in your footsteps.

On behalf of the entire California State University, again, congratulations.

Sincerely,

Jolene Koester, Ph.D.
Interim Chancellor
MRS. ANNE AND MR. DANTE “DAN” BENEDETTI
Honorary Doctor of Letters

Anne and Dan Benedetti, who are being jointly recognized as a couple, have deep roots with the Sonoma State campus.

“This is quite an incredible honor. I feel very pleased, and am so very humbled and grateful,” said Mrs. Benedetti, who graduated from Sonoma State in 1993 with a B.A. in music. “I’ve had a relationship with the university for quite a few years in different capacities – working on the Green Music Center and also when I went back to school late in life,” she said, fondly recalling her days “carpooling when my youngest child had just started kindergarten, and being a mom and a student and such.”

In 2010, Mrs. Benedetti earned the Distinguished Alumni Award for her years of championing arts and education in the Sonoma County community. She played an instrumental role in supporting the strategic planning for the Green Music Center, where she served as a board member, including a term as GMC board chair. She also served as a community member on the strategic planning committee for the university.

In addition to Mrs. Benedetti’s longstanding support for Sonoma State, she is also an Emeritus Board Member for the Santa Rosa Symphony, having served with the arts organization for 12 years, including a term as board president.

Born and raised in Petaluma, Dan Benedetti pitched for the Sonoma State baseball team in the early 1970s under legendary coach Bill Trumbo. Mr. Benedetti studied by day while working the graveyard shift at the Petaluma Cooperative Creamery that has since grown into the iconic Clover Sonoma. While part owner of Clover, he ensured that the company reinvested a percentage of the company’s profits back into the community through what is now called the Clover Cares program.

Among Mr. Benedetti’s many humanities-rooted community engagement roles over the years, he has served as an advisory board member for both the Santa Rosa Junior College and Sonoma State University, strategizing on issues pertaining to the campus community at the behest of the respective school presidents. He has also served as a board member for Community Foundation Sonoma County, Hanna Boys Center, and the Culinary Institute of America. He is also a past board president for what is now United Way of the Wine Country and a founding member of an ad hoc committee for what is now Sonoma County Food Bank.

“We are so very humbled and honored to be recognized by Sonoma State for Anne’s contributions to the arts and my contributions to the humanities,” said Mr. Benedetti. “It’s been a long walk from the baseball diamond to where we find ourselves now. And after 52 years of marriage, we’re looking forward to sharing this public stage together in accepting these honorary degrees as a couple and with the true doctors of academia.”
Born and raised in San Francisco’s Mission District, Herman J. Hernandez has been a resident of Guerneville since 1970. With an upbringing of community integrity instilled by his immigrant parents, Mr. Hernandez has become one of the most visible and influential social justice leaders in Sonoma County. In addition to a successful career as a values-conscious real estate broker, he founded Los Cien – the largest Latino advocacy group in the North Bay. Since its founding in 2008, Los Cien has created and advanced opportunities for the Latino community in Sonoma County through education, and civic engagement with Latinx purpose, pride, and power.

“I was street-taught. I learned in the street and wasn’t academically inclined to higher education. So, when President Mike Lee called to let me know about the honorary degree, I was truly speechless. I realized, this is going to be the closest I’d ever get to a college experience,” said Hernandez.

After graduating from Sacred Heart High School in 1970, a school counselor took a look at Mr. Hernandez’s below-average grades and encouraged him to look forward to a future being drafted into the Vietnam War. He narrowly escaped that route and never took for granted a need to create his own opportunities.

With Sonoma State designated as a Hispanic Serving Institution, Mr. Hernandez views the university as a pillar of opportunity for the Latino community that was out of reach for his generation. He hopes to see more generations of Latino students graduate from the local university and stay within our own community.

“Everything I do is for the benefit of my community,” he said. “My reward has always been looking at the successes of what we’re able to accomplish together as a community. To receive this honorary degree from Sonoma State… I have to say, I’m truly humbled.”
Sonoma State University is one of the 23 campuses of the California State University and enrolls 6,500 students. It ranks nationally in the top tier of Western public liberal arts colleges and has been named as one of the most beautiful campuses in the country.

SSU provides students with a balanced program of liberal arts and sciences and career preparation with selected professional programs in business, nursing and engineering science. Sonoma State has established itself as an educational and cultural resource for residents in the surrounding communities.

The University first opened to 250 students in 1961 as Sonoma State College in leased buildings in Rohnert Park. The move to its permanent 269-acre site took place in 1966 upon completion of Stevenson and Darwin Halls.

In 1969, the academic master plan underwent a major revision. The new “cluster school” concept, coupled with a heightened appreciation for the rural environment, influenced the physical master plan. First to exemplify this new plan was Zinfandel Village, the residential facility that opened in 1972. Since then five additional villages have rounded out campus housing. In 1975 a classroom building, Nichols Hall, was built and named in honor of Sonoma’s founding president Ambrose R. Nichols.

The Student Union was built in 1976 and faced the central quad. It is now International Hall and houses international and study abroad programs.

The Art Building, a child care center and a computer center opened in 1977.

In 1978, university status was officially extended to Sonoma State. The community provided funds for the construction of a pool in 1982. Construction of the 475-seat Evert B. Person Theatre was completed in 1989. In June 2000, the Jean and Charles Schulz Information Center was completed to accommodate the expanded needs of the library and computing services as well as new information technologies.

The year 2005 brought a student-funded recreation center and the renovation of Darwin Hall, the science building, providing new laboratories and classrooms to support the needs of a 21st-century science curriculum. The Student Center, across from the Campus Recreation Center, opened in 2013 and has become the focal point for events, dining and student services.

With the opening of Tuscany Village, the last residential village, the University has a student-housed community of 3,100. Additionally, the Donald and Maureen Green Music Center and its acoustically impressive Joan and Sanford I. Weill Hall and Schroeder Hall bring artists from around the globe to entertain audiences and educate and enlighten students.
Participation in today’s Commencement activities links the graduate with ancient scholastic tradition. It is the students’ time to be recognized officially, by public proclamation, that they have achieved rank with the company of scholars that has framed civilization over the centuries and throughout the world.

Commencement rituals originated in Europe in the Middle Ages when the church was the center of learning. The earliest colleges assumed some of the customs and styles of monasteries. For example, the scholar’s gown is an adaptation of the robe of the friar or priest, the hood is from the monk’s cowl, and the mortarboard cap came from the skullcap. Early American colleges followed many of these customs, some of which continue today as traditions in America.

THE MACE
Symbolic since the Middle Ages of the community of scholars, the mace is carried in academic processions at colleges and universities.

ACADEMIC REGALIA
The gown is distinctive for each of the three degree levels. The bachelor’s gown is a yoked, closed-front garment with long, pointed sleeves. The master’s gown can be worn open or closed and has long, oblong sleeves, usually closed but slit below the shoulders. The doctoral gown is distinguished by full, bell-shaped sleeves crossed with three velvet bars and by velvet panels from neck to ankle; it is generally black.

The mortarboard cap, in black, is the most accepted style of headdress in colleges and universities throughout the United States. The tassel, fastened to the center of the cap, indicates whether the degree has been conferred. If the wearer has graduated, the tassel is worn on the left; if not, it is worn on the right. The tassel on the doctoral cap may be of gold thread.

The hood, draped over the wearer’s shoulders and down the back, indicates the highest degree earned. The bachelor’s hood is seldom used. The doctoral hood differs from the bachelor’s and master’s in that it is longer and has flat, wide panels on either side. The color and design of the silk lining of the hood indicate the college or university conferring the degree. The hood worn by SSU master’s degree candidates is lined in dark blue and light blue, the Sonoma State University colors. The master’s hood is trimmed in gold velvet for the master of science and white velvet for the master of arts. The color of the velvet border on the hood indicates the field of study in which a candidate has earned a degree. Among faculty, the most common degree is the doctor of philosophy, indicated by dark blue.

UNIVERSITY SEAL
The seal of the University appears on the mace and the medallion, and on diplomas and official documents. The soaring dove symbolizes peace or freedom of the spirit; the flaming torch represents the flame of learning; and the tree suggests the beauty and strength of the redwood, which gives this region its name, the Redwood Empire. The Latin words “lux mentis lux orbis” mean “light of the mind, light of the world.”

UNIVERSITY/ACADEMIC SCHOOL BANNERS
The University’s heraldic banner, carried in the procession, displays the University’s colors: dark blue and light blue. The banners for the five academic schools incorporate colors representing each school’s disciplines and the colors traditionally used on the regalia hoods of the various disciplines.
## COLORS OF THE FIELDS OF STUDY

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DIPLOMA PHOTOGRAPHS
Graduates’ names will be read during the presentation of diplomas. A photograph of each graduate will be taken by GradImages, the official Commencement photographer, as the diploma is presented. Graduates will receive an email proof of images within 48 hours of the ceremony.

EMERGENCIES
Emergency medical technicians and staff from the Student Health Center and Police Services are on duty to provide aid in the event of an emergency. They can be reached at 707.664.4444 or 911 from any phone. An ambulance is located at the south end of the Weill Lawn and Terrace. See map on page 72.

LOST AND FOUND
Lost and found items may be given to any usher or to the Coat Check located on the first floor of Weill Hall.

PHOTOGRAPHY BY GUESTS
Guests wishing to take photographs during the ceremonies are invited to do so. However, please do not block the view of others, take photos in aisles or enter restricted areas.

RECESSIONAL
Audience members must remain at their seats until all graduates have left Weill Hall. At the conclusion of the recessional, graduates will be free to visit with family and friends.

RESTROOMS
Restrooms are located in Weill Hall and at the back of the Weill Lawn and Terrace. See map on page 72.

SMOKING
Sonoma State University is a smoke-free campus, including the parking lots. Use of tobacco and e-cigarette products as well as all forms of cannabis are prohibited.

CANDIDATES FOR GRADUATION AND ACADEMIC HONORS

Students eligible to participate in the 2023 Commencement exercises are December 2022 graduates and May 2023 and August 2023 candidates for bachelor’s and master’s degrees. The list of graduates and candidates in this Commencement program is based on academic records at the time the program was completed and does not constitute an official listing. The appropriate diplomas will be issued to candidates who successfully complete all requirements.

HONORS

Δ DISTINCTION is awarded to undergraduate students who are judged by the faculty of their department to have made outstanding contributions to their department.

§ CUM LAUDE, which means “with praise,” is awarded to those students whose entire undergraduate record reflects a grade point average of 3.50 through 3.74.

§§ MAGNA CUM LAUDE, which means “with high praise,” is awarded to those students whose entire undergraduate record reflects a grade point average of 3.75 through 3.89.

§§§ SUMMA CUM LAUDE, which means “with highest praise,” is awarded to those students whose entire undergraduate record reflects a grade point average of 3.90 or higher.
SCHOOL OF ARTS AND HUMANITIES

ORDER OF CEREMONY

PROCESSIONAL

University Mace Bearer  Lauren Morimoto, Ph.D., Chair of the Faculty
University Banner Bearer  Wendy Ostroff, Ph.D, Hutchins School of Liberal Studies
University President  Ming-Tung “Mike” Lee, Ph.D., President
University Provost  Karen Moranski, Ph.D., Provost
Special Guests  Anne and Dante “Dan” Benedetti, 2023 Honorary Doctorate Recipients
Dean  Edward Beebout, M.S., Interim Dean, School of Arts and Humanities
University Leadership  Vice Presidents, Associate Vice Presidents, and School Deans
School of Arts and Humanities Leadership  Faculty and Staff
Alumni Representative  Caroline Neyman, 2010  Sonoma State University Alumni Association Board of Directors
School Student Banner Bearer  Aidee Pressley, B.A., Philosophy
PROGRAM

Welcome and Introductions
Karen Moranski, Ph.D., Provost
Lauren Morimoto, Ph.D., Chair of the Faculty
Edward Beebout, M.S., Interim Dean, School of Arts and Humanities

Greeting
Ming-Tung “Mike” Lee, Ph.D., President

Conferral of Honorary Doctorate
Ming-Tung “Mike” Lee, Ph.D., President

Honorary Doctorate Address
Anne and Dante “Dan” Benedetti, 2023 Honorary Doctorate Recipients

Faculty Address
Suzanne Toczyski, Ph.D., Modern Languages and Literatures

Student Address
Sarah Davey, B.A., English

Charge to Graduates
Edward Beebout, M.S., Interim Dean, School of Arts and Humanities

Presentation of Candidates
Master’s Degrees
Bachelor’s Degrees
Daniel Malpica, Ph.D., Chicano and Latino Studies

Hooding of Master’s Candidates
Chingling Wo, Ph.D., English and Graduate Coordinator

Conferral of Degrees
Ming-Tung “Mike” Lee, Ph.D., President
Karen Moranski, Ph.D., Provost

Alma Mater

Alumni Association Message
Caroline Neyman, 2010
Sonoma State University Alumni Association Board of Directors

Closing
Karen Moranski, Ph.D., Provost
AMERICAN MULTICULTURAL STUDIES
Bachelor of Arts
Tate Elizabeth Battistini
Jordan B. Davidson
Derrick Wade Frelot Jr ∆
Courtney Billie, Jack § ∆
Lissette Vanessa Maclin §
Brandon M. Miller
Vito Rodin
Stefany Sanchez Mejia

ART (STUDIO)
Bachelor of Arts
Deirdre Adkins §
Amanda L. Bosma
Marlin Renee Bretz §§§
Nevaeh Malei Clements
Alondra Contreras §
Emily Celeste Dougherty §§§ ∆
Laura Leticia Ferreira
Lesley M. Fontanilla
Kaitlin L. Gong ∆
Alma Lidia Gonzalez §
Emily Erin Harris
Miranda Hernandez
Nicole Ann Jester
Helen Cecilia Johns §§
Samantha M. Johnson
Devri Patricia Jones §§§ ∆
Aksi Schreder Kikut
Jeida Christine Lavender §§ ∆
Jamie Lei § ∆
Chase Marie Metoyer
Sebastian Mora ∆
Gabriel Narciso § ∆
Janet Rodriguez Manriquez
Cameron Thomas Romeo ∆
Elizabeth Catherine Sample
Ernesto Luciano Sanchez §
Joirdano James Sapanaro
Diana C. Vazquez
Laura Villerot §§§

Dakota M. Wagner
Megan T. Ward
Andrew Ryan Woldemar

ART (STUDIO)
Bachelor of Fine Arts
Dawn Marie Brown §§ ∆
Rachel Suzanne Sculley ∆
Isiah Jamhal Warren ∆

ART HISTORY
Bachelor of Arts
Bijan Behravan
Philip Busacco §§ ∆
Cesar Castillo
Sarah Jane Crecelius § ∆
Tyler Gibson § ∆
Maisie Ann Keefhaver § ∆
Kimberly A. Kiesel
Hallie Grace Milton
Dalton L. Netherton
Julia Kathryn Reed

CHICANO AND LATINO STUDIES
Bachelor of Arts
Diana Garcia Bautista ∆
Michel Vanessa Bernal Alvarez
Jaime Cortez Jimenez
Selida Gastelum
Miryam Elizabeth Gil
Argelio Giron
Miguel Ibarra
Jesus Alberto Juarez Castro ∆
Alma L. Machuca ∆
Jose Alberto Rodriguez ∆
Linda Rodriguez
Jacquelin Xiomara Rojas
Teresita Yozelim Damian
Jacqueline Sosa Alfaro
Jessica Renee Valdez ∆
Karla Evelin Velasco Mendoza
COMMUNICATION STUDIES
Bachelor of Arts

Caroline Grace Adams §§
Jayline Alvarado ∆
Bradley David Ancora ∆
Alyssa Jordan Apellanés
taelor Ann Apple-Von Jarošchka Pohl
Hallie Jasmine Arum-Billow §
Nicole Johnny Awwad
Bart Baffoe
Simone Barnard ∆
Charles Robert Barrett
Erick Stefano Bejarano §§§
Julia Blair
Devon Daniel Bly
Sean V. Boren §
Aileen Brant
Emily Ann Braun §§
Hannah L. Bui § ∆
Monica Viviana Carnes ∆
Cecelia Caro §§ ∆
Noah Charles Clarke
Shannon R. Clemons ∆
Sophia Ann Corn §§ ∆
Nicholas Cruse
Eamonn Matthew Cullen
Lilliana C. Dalessandro §§
Khanh Dao
Sophia Gabrielle Davis
Jessica Michelle Degnan
Andre’ Lance Dews
Dominic Salvatore DiGrande
Dalton Loren Drowne
Cecilia Leticia Fernandez ∆
Azucena Sarahi Ferrusca
Ana Elizabeth Fingerson ∆
Mariah Alexandra Forster §§§ ∆
Christian Perry Francisco
Mikayla Fritzemeier ∆
Sarah Elizabeth Gallagher ∆
Mia García ∆
Jennifer Garcia Arreguin ∆
Zachary Tyler Gonzales ∆
Adriana Maria-Judith Gonzalez ∆
Natalie Brittany Brittany-Nicole Heissenbuttel § ∆
Javier Sebastian Hernandez Hernandez § ∆
Emily Irving §§
Nicolas Johnson §§
Courtney Noel Jones §
Carson Edward Juhl
Montana Isabella Lahey
Alexis Lara martinez
Emily Ann Lauroeno § ∆
Lindsey Ann Linford §§§ ∆
Joshua G. Liu §
Jesus A. Martinez
Zoe Marie Martinez
Drew E. McQuaid ∆
Tyler Jay Meloan §§§
Andrea Adilene Mendoza
Emma Rose Powell Molloy ∆
Jhery Mae Montez
Adrienne Catherine Moon
Yareli Nathaly Moran-Arteaga
Jake Flynn Morrissey
Paul Anthony Munoz
Renato Lucian Nalducci ∆
Priscilla Sarai Navas § ∆
Heidi E. Nelson
Kayle Ann Norris
Willow Dawn Ornellas §§ ∆
Alec Mitchell Padilla
Rosalie Amber Padilla §§ ∆
Michaela Margaret Peake
Dante Joseph Peretti
Cooper Jacob Allen Perry
Beatrice Atkinson Pitts §§
Lucia Ramirez
Bernardo Ramos Dominguez §
Julia Patricia Reilly ∆
Jaden Reiter §§ ∆
Caen R. Roberts
Denise Romero §
Solangel Rostran Sequeira
Nick Roth ∆
Ana Karla Lara
Marie’Sa Simone Rumsey ∆
Marcellus Amador Sands
Samantha Marie Schrum § ∆
Daniel Leon Serrano
Joshua Silva
Gina Margaret Silvas §
Isabella DeRose Simoni
Chasity Spady
Jonathan Edwin Strachan
Emilia Torres §§
Taylor A. Turner ∆
Clea Mera Upcher ∆
Alexander Roy Vargas ∆
Jalen Lee Wallace
Kasey Williams
Braden Eric Woodward ∆
Izabella Mae Wunschel §§§
Rachel Christine Yetso
Edgar Manuel Zavała
Calvin Thomas Zeljak

DANCE
Bachelor of Arts
Moriah Joel Costa ∆

ENGLISH
Bachelor of Arts
Maryam Bacha
Kristine Balbo
Gabriel James Bastron
Nicole Daria Bloch §§ ∆
Aidan Wren Borders
Sequoia Dawn Braham ∆
Hali Dawn Brenner ∆
Audrey Elizabeth Cadena §§ ∆
Sophie Anna Carbone § ∆
Hailey Alayne Carson-Hull
Leah Chavez ∆
Sabrina Cherwinski
Sonnet Chowdhury §§
Aaric P. Clontz
Sara M. Cole § ∆
Chloe A. Connaughton
Sarah JoAnne Davey §
Lukas Andre Maurice De Bel § ∆
Cameron Scott De La Torre §§ ∆
Michelle Gabrielle Dinno §§
Mary McKenna Collins Dove §
Angela K. Fortier
Karlien Fourie §§ ∆
Antonio Daniel Garibay
Natalie Mae Ghamous
Amira Gharib §§
Jaiden Ruby Ha § ∆
Megan Hamner
Jarod Grey Harris
Madeline Elizabeth Harris
Sabrina Elizabeth Heiden §§
Haley Sinclaire Hernandez
Sarah Madeleine Hunter
Fiona Wardwell Hynes
Solstice Alessandria Kuhns Helm ∆
Marlena Marie Lash §
Jessica Juliana Lechon-Galdos §§ ∆
Nicholas George Lerseth
Angelina Lopez
Madison Viray Mercado § ∆
Liv M. Monroy §
Kassandra Marie Morales §§ ∆
Shannon Faith Morehead §§ ∆
Marlon William Morrell §§ ∆
Nikita Marie Oryall § ∆
Liam James Paull-Dining
Ashley Petersen
Amelia June Plumhoff §§§
Bryce Arthur Purser
Felicia Quijano-Beck §§§ ∆
Abigail Batya Reitman
Marco Anthony Rivas Jr
Katelyn Rae Roat
Jorge Romero Luna ∆
William James Samuelson §§
Kaylah Marie Sanders § ∆
Carter Maxwell Scovill
Abigail McKenzie Selby
Jon Slavin
Riley Jo Smith
Mariel Diamond Tagg
Delaney Genevieve Temple §§§
Emely Mariana Torres Δ
Efthimios Trumble
Belle Anne Tyler
Alexa Marie Urquhart § Δ
Jack Everett Van Dine §§§ Δ
Peyton L. Vernon §§
Anahi Yahaira Villegas
Madeline Michelle Warner §
Michael Patrick Weldon Δ
Joshua L. Williams
Claire Elyse Wilson § Δ
Trevor Ray Wofford
Kevin Matthew Wottrich §§ Δ
Bryant James Wyllie
Amanda Phoenix Yebra §§§

ENGLISH
Master of Arts
Syed Siraj Ali Δ
Griffin Steven Encinas Δ
Taylor Olivia Gaydon Δ
Hannah Hellman
MaryLynn Hingano
Fenunuivao Fa’amalieloto Jada Iese Δ
Nathaniel Antonio Iniguez
Hayden Dana Kinney
Stacey A. Sims Δ
Carlos Ovidio Telles Lopez
Jeannie Jarwin Tilghman Δ
Isaiah Usher Δ
Lila Anne Wetherwax Δ

FRENCH
Bachelor of Arts
Nayeli Herrera §
Mayana Solanne Jean Charles
William James Samuelson §§
Jacob Timothy Smith
Morgan E. Stewart § Δ

GERMAN CULTURAL STUDIES
(SPECIAL MAJOR)
Bachelor of Arts
Gabriel P. Peterson Δ

LIBERAL STUDIES
(HUTCHINS SCHOOL)
Bachelor of Arts
Sidney F. Adame
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