

The 88th Annual Commencement of Marian University

MAY 3, 2025 1:30 P.M. ARENA AND CONVOCATION CENTER INDIANAPOLIS, INDIANA



Marian University grew out of the dedication and vision of Sister Theresa Hackelmeier and the Sisters of St. Francis, Oldenburg, Indiana, who established a school in Oldenburg, Indiana, in 1851.

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2025 COMMENCEMENT CEREMONY



President Daniel J. Elsener, Presiding

PROCESSIONAL

WELCOME

Tobin McClamroch, Chair of the Marian University Board of Trustees

INVOCATION

Father Rick Martignetti, OFM, STD, Vice President of Mission and Ministry

NATIONAL ANTHEM

OPENING REMARKS

Kenith C. Britt, Ph.D., Chancellor and Chief Operating Officer

STUDENT SPEAKER

Gustavo Muñoz '25, School of Business

COMMENCEMENT ADDRESS

Vop Osili

CONFERRING OF HONORARY DEGREES

Doctor of Public Service

Vop Osili

Doctor of Philanthropy

Mike and Mary Jane Becher

Doctor of Philanthropy

Russell Fortune III and Penny Browning Fortune (posthumously)

Doctor of Philanthropy

Raul E. Zavaleta

CONFERRING OF DEGREES

Names of graduates read by

Mark Erdosy, Development Officer
Toni Polizzi, Director of Creative Services

CLOSING REMARKS

Daniel J. Elsener, President

BLESSING, COMMISSIONING OF GRADUATES, and BENEDICTION

Sister Maureen Irvin, OSF '70 Congregational Minister, Sisters of St. Francis, Oldenburg, Indiana

FANFARE AND RECESSIONAL

Guests, please remain seated during the recessional.

The Blessing of Saint Clare

May almighty God Bless you

May he look upon you with the eyes of great mercy and give you much peace

May God pour forth all graces on you abundantly

And in Heaven may God place you among the Saints

Faculty Emeriti

Timothy R. Akin, MBA, CPA, CFP, PFS Susie Beesley, Ph.D.

Martine Camblor, M.A. Laurel Camp, Ph.D.

George S. Dougherty, M.S. Thomas J. Enneking, Ph.D.

Shirley J. Friedman, RN, MSN, CNS

Robert Gasper, M.S. Daniel Gelfman, M.D.

Thomas J. Gjerde, Ph.D. Dorothy Gomez, Ph.D.

Cassandra Grissom, Ph.D. Karen Hardin, DNP, RN, NE-BC, CNE

John A. Hill, M.A.

Andrew P. Hohman, B.A., S.T.L.

Kevin Huston, MBA, CPA, JD Fr. Leopold Keffler, Ph.D. Russell Kershaw, Ph.D. James Larner, Ph.D.

John A. Lucich, M.D.

Kathy Marra, M.B.A. William Pedtke, M.A. Gladys Phillips, MSN

Rosanne R. Pirtle, Ph.D., M.S.

Faye Plascak-Craig, Ph.D. Diane Prenatt, Ph.D.

Catherine Anne Reaves, Ph.D.

Robert Schuttler, Ed.D. David Shumate, M.A.

Anita Siccardi, Ed.D., APRN, FNGNA

Sister Carol Slinger, OSF, M.S.

Andrew Smith, MBA Diana Smith, MSN Karen Spear, Ph.D. David K. Strom, Ph.D. Jerry Stumpf, Ph.D.

Ann Uhar, MSN

Douglas Uselding, Ph.D., H.S.P.P. Constance L. Wesner, M.S.Ed Sister Ruth Ann Wirtz, OSF, M.M. Sister Olga Wittekind, OSF, Ph.D.

Megan Wright, M.F.A.

University Marshal

Grand Marshal

Patrick McVey, Ph.D., Assistant Professor of Chemistry and Presiding Officer of the Faculty

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Vop OsiliCommencement Speaker Doctor of Public Service



Vop Osili is president of the Indianapolis City-County Council, a role in which he has served since 2018. He has been a member of the Council since 2011, when he was elected to represent a district that includes downtown Indianapolis, the city's near-west side, and the campus of Marian University.

As Council leader, Osili has partnered with faith leaders, community groups, civic organizations, and the business community to build a safer, healthier, and vibrant future for Indianapolis. Enhancing economic opportunity and investing in workforce development, he has incorporated job training and hiring of returning citizens into economic development programs, expanded access to small business financing through initiatives like the development of Indianapolis' first Cityfunded microloan program, and secured support and funding for innovation projects such as 16 Tech. Osili led the successful passage of property tax relief for long-time homeowners in redeveloping neighborhoods, creating incentive avenues for more affordable housing.

Born in Nigeria to an American mother and Nigerian father, Osili spent his formative years in Indianapolis, becoming an architect and leading an urban design and architecture practice with projects and offices in the U.S., Africa, and the Middle East. He is program director at Woolpert, a global architecture, engineering, and geospatial firm. Osili serves as chair of the Indiana Black Expo board of directors, is a member of the Board of Directors of Accelerating Indiana Municipalities (AIM), Downtown Indy, Monumental Marathon, and PACE, and serves on the Board of Advisors for the Children's Museum of Indianapolis and Indiana University-Indianapolis, ex-officio.

Osili received a Bachelor of Architecture degree from Carnegie Mellon University and a Master in Architecture and Urban Design degree from Columbia University. He celebrates today's distinction with his wife, Una, and their two amazing children, Arinze and Tasia.

Russell Fortune III and Penny Browning Fortune

Doctor of Philanthropy



Russell "Jock" Fortune
III has distinguished
himself as a dedicated
steward of business and
philanthropy. As chairman
of the Russell and Penny
Fortune Foundation, Inc.
board, named in honor
of himself and his late
wife, Penny Browning
Fortune, he continues a

legacy of profound impact. His professional journey encompasses notable tenures at Indiana National Banks and F.C. Tucker Co. He has adeptly managed family real estate and investments for many years while pursuing his passion for raising racehorses. Penny Fortune's career, marked by her tenure at Chemical Bank on Wall Street, exemplified a commitment to professional excellence.

The Fortunes have indelibly shaped the landscape of higher education through the establishment of Marian University's Penny and Jock Fortune Institute for Civic Leadership and Capitalism. This transformative initiative cultivates the next generation of visionary leaders, grounded in the principles of free enterprise and the foundational values of our nation.

Beyond their philanthropic endeavors, Jock and Penny Fortune have demonstrated an unwavering commitment to civic engagement. Penny's contributions to the Junior League, Christamore House, and the Board of Directors of the Woodstock Club reflected her dedication to community enrichment. Jock's service on the boards of Butler University and the Indiana Historical Society underscores his deep commitment to education and cultural preservation.

Jock's dedication to the arts has been recognized by the distinguished Sagamore of the Wabash award for his instrumental role in the founding of The Penrod Society.

Penny Fortune attended Endicott Junior College in Massachusetts and subsequently attended Butler University, where Jock Fortune earned his bachelor's degree.

Today, Jock accepts this honor with Penny in spirit.

Mike and Mary Jane Becher

Doctor of Philanthropy



Marian University
proudly recognizes Michael
and Mary Jane "Bea"
Becher, whose unflagging
dedication has profoundly
shaped the institution
for over 20 years. Their
leadership was pivotal in
revitalizing the historic
Riverdale Garden's
Colonnade, a testament

to their commitment to preserving Marian's legacy. Currently, they serve as co-chairs of the ambitious Journey to 2030: Always Forward strategic plan, guiding Marian's future.

The Bechers generosity has created lasting opportunities for students by establishing the Becher Family Endowed Scholarship, supporting aspiring accountants, and the Becher/Deloitte Fund, providing vital scholarships and emergency aid to 21st Century Scholars.

Mike, a retired managing partner of Deloitte, has served Marian with distinction as a member of the Board of Trustees and as past board chair (2015-19). His expertise is invaluable to the governance, finance, institutional advancement, and audit and risk committees. Bea, a dedicated former preschool teacher, contributes her talents to the Women of Marian Society and the Friends of Riverdale and has been a key member of the Marian Gala committee.

The Bechers civic contributions extend across Central Indiana. Mike serves on the boards of First Merchants Corporation, the United Way of Central Indiana, and the Carmel Library Foundation. He also helped found Retire United, a United Way of Central Indiana program dedicated to providing educational programs and volunteer opportunities for retirees and soon-to-be retirees. Bea's 30-plus years of service to the Conner Prairie Alliance, particularly her role at the Apple Store, exemplifies her commitment to community engagement.

Mike earned a Bachelor of Science in Accounting from the Indiana University Honors School of Business, and Bea received her Bachelor of Education from Ball State University.

We honor Mike and Bea's remarkable contributions, celebrating with their sons Mark and Jonathon, daughters-in-law Stephanie and Sara, and grandchildren Claire, Grant, Addy, and Elie.

Raul E. Zavaleta
Doctor of Philanthropy



Raul Zavaleta is a distinguished leader in the life sciences industry and a dedicated advocate for higher education.
As a partner at Coqent Scientific, a premier scientific consulting firm serving pharmaceutical and biotechnology companies, he leverages

his extensive expertise to drive innovation and advancement. His commitment to Marian University is exemplified by his more than two decades of service as a trustee and his continued engagement as trustee emeritus. Notably, he was pivotal in the Life Sciences initiative, a visionary endeavor that established the Wood College of Osteopathic Medicine.

Zavaleta's entrepreneurial spirit is evident in his co-founding of Covance, a pioneering laboratory specializing in clinical testing for pharmaceutical and biotechnology clinical trials. His leadership has also propelled numerous life science and software technology start-ups to rapid growth and successful acquisitions by major corporations.

His dedication to civic engagement is equally profound. He has served on the boards of esteemed organizations, including the Indianapolis Chamber of Commerce, the Indiana Health Industry Forum (now the Indiana Life Sciences Association), United Way of Central Indiana, Indiana Sports Corp., the Indianapolis Arts Council, Enlace Academy, and La Plaza, demonstrating his unwavering commitment to the advancement of the community.

Zavaleta's contributions have been recognized with prestigious accolades, including The Indianapolis Colts Golden Horseshoe Award for Top Volunteer, the La Plaza Hispanic American Community Leader Award, and Marian University's Snyder-Watt Leadership Award.

Zavaleta, a proud alumnus of the University of California, Los Angeles (UCLA), earned his Bachelor of Science in Chemical Engineering. His athletic prowess was also evident at UCLA, where he was a member of the men's soccer team, earning All-American honors and serving as team captain for three years.

Today, Raul celebrates this distinction alongside his cherished wife, Debbie, with whom he will mark 45 years of marriage. They are joined by his son Dylan and his fiancée Tori, and his son Tristan and his wife Therese, a proud Marian alumna. Raul also shares this moment with family friends Denise Droese and Emily Butler.

Candidates for Degrees 2025

Candidates in a baccalaureate program who have earned at least 60 credit hours of graded coursework at Marian University and who have achieved a grade point average of 3.50 or above are awarded Latin Honors as follows: cum laude, grade point average of 3.50; magna cum laude, grade point average of 3.70; summa cum laude, grade point average of 3.80. In this program, Latin Honors are based on March 17, 2025 academic status. Diplomas are awarded subject to satisfactory completion of requirements certified by the registrar.

College of Arts and Sciences

BACHELOR OF ARTS

Biology

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Chemistry

Autumn Elizabeth Caya, summa cum laude Isaac M. Zuchristian, summa cum laude

Communication

Dalian Joel Leach Jordan Christopher Pohl Lucy Renee Schenk, summa cum laude (second major public health, third major sociology) Abby Rose Titara, summa cum laude Josephine Claire Yarbrough, summa cum laude

Victure Allen Lee Highbaugh Coffey, cum laude Evan R. Ewy (second major sociology) Kellyn Elisabeth Raters, summa cum laude

Global Studies

Kalei Rose Cave, summa cum laude (second major history) Ryan Joseph Herron, summa cum laude (second major history) Linet Rivas-Moreno, summa cum laude Brock William Richard Worrell. summa cum laude (second major history)

Graphic Design

Judah Reuben Gustafson, magna cum laude (second major dual degree engineering) Miriam Santos Leon

Health and Human Services

Korede Kiara Anni, cum laude Courtney Lynn Wilhite

History

Allison Sarah England, summa cum laude (second major sociology) Luke Monroe Jedediah Austin Ottersen (second major theatre)

Mathematics

Benjamin Tyler Hochgesang, summa cum laude (second major secondary education) Cash Aaron Nelson, magna cum laude (second major secondary education)

Pastoral Leadership

Emily Kathryn Elizabeth Griffin, magna cum laude Kamryn Rece Swingendorf, summa cum laude (second major psychological science)

Philosophy

Emiliano Enriquez De Alva Ethan James Kawaguchi, summa cum laude Alexander Warner Lindberg, summa cum laude Robert McKay, summa cum laude (second major Spanish) Noah James Sherman, summa cum laude Katherine Ann Thuet. summa cum laude (second major theology) Levi Irvin Wojtalik

Political Science

Jules Frisby, summa cum laude Austin James O'Donoghue Charles Edward Allen Russell III

Psychological Science

Sydney Black Jeffrey Paul Dunasky Jr., cum laude Andrew Lester Anna Karen Ramirez Emily Grace Robinson, cum laude Esther Sevilla Antón, magna cum laude Sarah Rae Strodtbeck Grace Anne Swinefurth

Psychology

Miles Xavier Anderson Natasha Brianne Carter Vincent S. Estrada

Public Health

Dior Thioune

Sociology

Brianna S.N. Bentley Connor B. Carr J'Kera Easley Desarai Storm Givens Shanice Lesleyana Harlan Jaylin I. Harris Kristin Mae Hosea (second major psychological science)

College of Arts and Sciences - continued

Spanish

Kateryn Alvarez Vallecillo
Mel Brown
Bailey Buehnerkemper
(second major education P-12)
Elizabeth Nicole Chlystun
Kyle Andrew McCreary,
summa cum laude
(second major global studies)
Luis Angel Perez Esquivel,
magna cum laude
(second major education P-12)
Juanita Gladys Rodriguez,

Studio Art

summa cum laude

Annalise Elizabeth Hudepohl, magna cum laude Hayli MacKenzee Irvin, magna cum laude Mia M. Scarlato, magna cum laude

Theatre

Mikayla Susan Jette, cum laude (second major ministry studies) Ava M. Kalscheur, summa cum laude

Theology

Sarah Faith Getman, summa cum laude (second major history, third major global studies)

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE

Biology

Kyle Ray Alb, summa cum laude Kailynn L. Berger, summa cum laude (second major chemistry) Kela Renee Samm Bracken Madison Paige Brooks, summa cum laude Autumn Elizabeth Caya, summa cum laude Tara Cofie Serena Frances Dodson Chaina Francois Delaney M. Hare Mollie E. Hill Tamyra L. Hunt, summa cum laude Erika Isaacs Laphat Penjumras Jean, magna cum laude (second major chemistry) Sheilleda Joseph, cum laude Joshua Mitchell Lamb, magna cum laude Kylee Bernette Lewellen, summa cum laude Bethanie Majewski, summa cum laude Xochitl Martin, cum laude (second major chemistry) Kyle Andrew McCreary, summa cum laude Catris' McDonald Yashav Akxay Patel, summa cum laude Elizabeth Piercy

Tyler Prichard, summa cum laude
Linet Rivas-Moreno, summa cum laude
Zachary Nicholas Sibila,
magna cum laude
(second major chemistry)
Christopher Lawrence Speelman
Jonathan Michael Bonifacio Unciano
Tea Vrkic
Olivia Rebecca Zimmerman,

Chemistry

summa cum laude

Titus Alan Fazel, cum laude
Gabrielle Alysse Fish,
summa cum laude
(second major biology)
Andrew Ciaran McDade, cum laude
(second major dual degree engineering)
Allie Nicole Miller
Juanita Gladys Rodriguez,
summa cum laude
Sarah Marie Travis

Computer Science

Amir Efraim Danel (second major finance) Evan Thomas Haag, summa cum laude

Mathematics

James Jackson Arnold, summa cum laude Bryce Cameron Davenport, magna cum laude (second major dual degree engineering) Andrew Wade Himes, cum laude Kathryn I. McDicken, magna cum laude (second major dual degree engineering) Adam J. Warren, magna cum laude (second major engineering physics)

Psychological Science

Yamilexy Aguirre
Bria Cottrell
Jacob Matthew Cramer, cum laude
Elizabeth Sophia Jost
Grace Judith Koscal, summa cum laude
Kylie Anne Schaeffer
Anthony James Wrenn

Psychology

Lauren Grace Longshore Matthew James Sarabyn, magna cum laude

BACHELOR OF SOCIAL WORK

Social Work

Natalie Ramsey Arzate Brianna S.N. Bentley Jacob Matthew Cramer, cum laude J'Kera Easley Allison Sarah England, summa cum laude Shanice Leslevana Harlan Kristin Mae Hosea Brittany Diane McVey, summa cum laude Anna Karen Ramirez Ana Isabel Soriano Puente Dior Thioune Katherine Ann Thuet, summa cum laude Shelby Lalsiam Tluang Elizabeth Mary Waterman, summa cum laude

ASSOCIATE IN ARTS

Liberal Arts

April Ree Blythe Jennifer Lynn Harris Kaneka S. Kidd Courtney Leann Kincaid Tynisha Lytrá McClendon Diamond Mercedes Miller Kristina Nicole Randolph Valencia B. Williams

ASSOCIATE IN SCIENCE

Health Sciences

Shakyla Monique Archie Mykeshia Burton Angela M. Butler Kanisha Davis Michelle Holmberg Sue Jones Isabella Lorene Mitford Ajulu Owar Ojulu Keren Jemima Rios-Pena Donica Scott

Paralegal Studies

Lilia Cobian

Klipsch Educators College

BACHELOR OF ARTS

Education P-12

Rosaura Cazares Juan (second major studio art) Howard Anthony Hendricks (second major health and physical education)

Trevor Ray Kahre (second major health and physical education)

Trevor Joseph Lawson, summa cum laude (second major health and physical education)

Abigail Marie Lemming, magna cum laude (second major Spanish) Sunday Ly, cum laude (second major health and physical

education)

Lauren Rae Wagoner,

Lauren Rae Wagoner, summa cum laude (second major studio art, third major Spanish)

Elementary Education

Caroline Elizabeth Biehl, cum laude Tiffany V. Castillo-Enriquez Mykah J. Coleman Noah Ensley, summa cum laude Aubrey Nicolette Fain Cara Ann Geoghagan Laurissa Kay Gordon, summa cum laude Olivier Guerra Jaylah Marie Guilliam Jennifer Hernandez, cum laude Katherine JoAnn Hirsch David A. Hurrle Bailey Lynne Jones

Adam Kelly, summa cum laude (second major health and physical education, third major education

P-12)

Spencer Daniel McCumber, magna cum laude Jamyila Mykell McSwine Grace Margaret Meehan, summa cum laude Tandess Lee O'Neal, summa cum laude

Mang Tin Par, magna cum laude Megan M. Roell, summa cum laude Paige Delaney Roquet,

magna cum laude
Alivia Jo Roth, summa cum laude
Kameron Salazar, cum laude
Megan Alene Scheidler,
summa cum laude
Molly Elizabeth Schemanske,

summa cum laude

Health and Physical Education

Baron James Huebler, summa cum laude (second major education P-12) Bruno Merle, cum laude Kieran James Swanson Naomi Grace Walters (second major education P-12)

Secondary Education

Kyle T. Barbour, summa cum laude (second major mathematics)
Andrea Paige de Waal (second major English)
Ty Austin Haskins (second major history)
Grant Monnier, summa cum laude (second major history)
Sarah Marie Price (second major mathematics)
Eli Thomas Wilson (second major history)

Special Education: P-12

Luyen Thi Do, summa cum laude Averie Elizabeth Shore, magna cum laude Sister Huong Thi Tran, cum laude

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE

Health and Physical EducationCameron O'Brien

Marian University's Saint Joseph's College

ASSOCIATE IN ARTS

Liberal Arts

Nyree S. Anderson Akintunde Ojo Azikwe Shania Barnes Sydney Reneé Borom Luis Cortes Wynter Lori Ann Hurt Jeremiah Alexander Jessup Maylin Martinez Fikiri Jean Nkulwe America Carmina Pulido Marin Carlos Ferguson Glidewell Quay Donovan Taylor

ASSOCIATE IN SCIENCE

Applied Business and Management

Ruben Joachim Jordan Montgomery Ambar Patricia Pire Hidalgo

Business

Artianna L. Collier Sekayi Asha Camara Diliza Keyshawn Jackson Ashley Mejia Zion Dax Peterson Abron Mikel Rogers Va Rona Evan Tyree Turner

Business Information Technology

Kevin Carlos

Early Childhood Education

Makayla Die Mary Rose Sizheng Wahnsiedler

Health Sciences

Dina Elizabeth Archuleta Sha'Nyah latonn Evans Philipay Owar Ojulu Ines Yovanna Patino Daniel Thacker

Information Technology

Dominion Ben Madelyn Killian Brubaker Ricky Kerr Danije Unika Sylvester

School of Business

BACHELOR OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

Business Administration

Andrew D. Gouldbourne, summa cum laude Jack Leland Henninger Cara R. Hoffar Rachel Renee Jabaay, cum laude Ian William Jones, summa cum laude

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE

Accounting

Grant Michael Collins, summa cum laude (second major finance) Macie Lynn Renee Hadley, summa cum laude Andrew Joseph Kochanowski Austin Joshua Kuklak. summa cum laude (second major finance) Gustavo Aristil Muñoz (second major finance) Zivan Mynhardt, summa cum laude (second major finance, third major business analytics) Logan O'Brien (second major finance) Matthew C. Watson, cum laude (second major finance)

Business Analytics

Luke J. Arens, summa cum laude
Seth Michael Becker
(second major management)
Marshall D. Flaig, cum laude
Nicholas McClain, summa cum laude
Aaron Cy McKinley
(second major management)
Felipe Reinaldo Mentz
Alan Guillermo Tenorio Moreno,
cum laude
(second major management, third
major finance)
Connor Michael Young, cum laude
(second major finance)

Finance

Adam Andres, summa cum laude
William E. Arnold
Chad Nicholas Burgess
Jordan D. Davis
(second major management)
Reece Diane Davis,
summa cum laude
(second major marketing)
Jesus R. Diego-Resendiz
George Joseph Giles,
summa cum laude
(second major accounting)
Armani Tywane Glass, cum laude
(second major business analytics)
Solomon Hughes Goodwin,

(second major marketing) Andrew Jeffrey llett, summa cum laude (second major marketing, third major business analytics) Carter King, magna cum laude (second major management) Joëlle Aylin Leihbacher, magna cum laude (second major management) Olivier Lifrange, summa cum laude (second major business analytics) Dana Michele Savarino (second major management) Phillip Seifert, summa cum laude Luci M. Woodrum, magna cum laude (second major management)

summa cum laude

Logistics and Supply Chain Management

(second major management)

Drew Alic Byerly

Gavin G. Robert Dardeen, cum laude (second major finance) Jakob Davis Thomas Becket DeFreese (second major management) Alison Marie Dreves, summa cum laude Gavin Michael Foe. magna cum laude (second major marketing) Brandon Heffner Leydin Veronica Quinteros Campos Seth Nathaniel Risley (second major marketing) Devin Edward Clifton Sanders. cum laude (second major marketing)

Management

Tony Alo

(second major marketing) Nickolas L. Archacki (second major marketing) Richard James Batchelor, cum laude Romaric Berneron. magna cum laude Jared Matthew Brown (second major finance) Olivia Claire Brown, magna cum laude Larissa Alexandra Callahan, magna cum laude (second major logistics and supply chain management) Mikayla Annamarie Christiansen, magna cum laude Jayson Cottrell, cum laude (second major accounting) Grace E. Crawford, summa cum laude Ella M. Fricker-McCalip.

summa cum laude

Yeudiel Sebastian Gonzalez

David Haves Alexander A. Hernandez Javden Marie Hoffman Justin Michael Johnson (second major marketing) Austin M. Jones Ava M. Kalscheur, summa cum laude Giorgia Mameli, summa cum laude Nicholas Richard Miller Mang Niang, cum laude (second major marketing) Nicolas Pareja Marlon Alexander Pomili, magna cum laude (second major marketing) Elliott M. Rodgers Noah Matthew Salem Jacob S. Simone (second major marketing) Nora Anne Steele Maxwell Steffen Benjamin Wrigley Uran, cum laude (second major marketing) Alex Joseph Wiles Maxwell Thomas Wright

Lucas Jeffrey Yohe

Marketing Robin Aguilar Gonzalez Luke Jamison Beetz, magna cum laude Aidan Kenneth Bishop, cum laude (second major business analytics) Gina Marie Butz (second major management) Justice M. Cash Jesus E. Corona Logan Alexander Cucuz. summa cum laude Mackendzie Delaney Dresbaugh, summa cum laude Dawson Michael Estep Jackson Cole Findley, cum laude McKenna Lynn Gray Ian Scott Heath (second major logistics and supply chain management) Adam Leo Heitz, magna cum laude Emma Kate Hirchak, summa cum laude Connor J. Matthews, magna cum laude Calista Leigh Mays, magna cum laude Alexa Grace McKinley, magna cum laude Dylan Michael Mollo, summa cum laude Owen Bailey Pittman, summa cum laude (second major finance) Joseph U. Romero (second major finance)

Mia M. Scarlato, magna cum laude

Lilia Jaclyn Schneider,

magna cum laude

School of Business - continued

Logan Michelle Smith, summa cum laude Makayla Marie Spangler, magna cum laude Jace W. Stoops Madison Leigh Trisler Ryder D. Uetrecht

Javshawn Cortez Underwood (second major management) Hayden Christopher Willis (second major business analytics) Jack Michael Woodcock

Leighton School of Nursing

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN NURSING

Nursing

Shaimah Abu-Bakr, cum laude Anna Marie Adkins

Olayemi Oluwabukola Akintan

Hannah Alexander

Amanda Allee, magna cum laude

Abigail Almeida-Arrieta Amy Lynn Altman, cum laude Caroline Grace Ambrose

Gavin D. Amburgey Esther Fina Amuzu

Aysha Anderson

Alexus Nichole Andrews Brooke Elizabeth Atkins

Amy Dailyn Avila, summa cum laude

Liliana Baeza Silva Kendal Baker

Hailey Brooke Barham

Perry Belcher, summa cum laude Brandon Matthew Bembenek

David Josiah Benson

Emily Mae Blackburn

Jenna Elizabeth Blessing, cum laude

Paige Nicolette Botticelli

Jayda Bounthasenh

Felisha A. Bowers, summa cum laude

Stephen Bradbury

Lauren Grace Brammeier,

summa cum laude Stephanie A. Branim,

magna cum laude

Clara Elizabeth Braswell, cum laude

Kayla Morgan Brisco Gracie Lyn Brown Tia Marie Brown-Bravo

Michael A. Brunswick, magna cum laude

Kala Buehrle, cum laude

Ericka Jo Burleson, cum laude Cassie Evaline Burnside, cum laude

Marialena Cani-Hipskind Susan Carpenter, cum laude

Teya Michelle Cassaday, summa cum laude

Diego Castro

Cameo Chilcutt, magna cum laude Annette Christensen, magna cum laude

Kristan A. Cleckner

Colette Andreanna Cline, cum laude Noah Wiley Cochard, summa cum laude Nicole Yingzhen Collins Samantha Jean Cossidente

Robi Cox

Misty R. Cramer

Areon Debor Crawford Ashlev Crist **Timothy Daniels**

John Michael Dardini Katherine Elizabeth Daum

Lady Angelica Day

Caroline Ann DeBoy, magna cum laude

Michael James Deuel Sydney Jean Dickson Hannah Marie Donnenhoffer Amber Donnoe, cum laude Elizabeth Abigail Emerick,

summa cum laude Vanessa Rose Everman

Faith Chinemelum Ezirim, cum laude

Ubald Kounasso Fagnon Ashley Helton Farmer, magna cum laude Kaya Rayne Favors Kaelene Michele Fisher

Ashley Marie Flood, cum laude

Vincent Joseph Fox **Emily Frazier**

Dylan Furr, cum laude Claire Elizabeth Galea

Aigner Tia Garner Kate Elizabeth Gentry

Jennifer Lynn Gessling, cum laude

Karina Riexinger Glusman, cum laude

Allie Rose Gregg

Ofelia Guadarrama-Mota Hannah Renee Guerrettaz Chenzia Michelle Hall, magna cum laude

Rachel Hancock Allison Hardy

Kevin Blake Harris, summa cum laude Jenna Leigh Hart, summa cum laude

Perry Heimermann, summa cum laude **Kyndal Marie Herring** Victoria Delene Hexamer

Caitlin Grace Payne Hines. summa cum laude

Daniel Hirth

Maggie Marie Hoog, cum laude Chelsea L. Houghtaling, cum laude Benjamin David Hughes, cum laude

Tina Hunter

Kailey Ann Ison

Elana Yi Jack, cum laude

Hunter Jacklyn

Jordan Jacobson, cum laude

Ulyssia Mackinzie Johnson Addison Franz Jones.

summa cum laude

Michael Jordan Joseph Samuel Judd,

summa cum laude Sabrina Kachuk, cum laude

Bernadette Paulna Kailie

Stephani Demetria Katris

Kaitlyn Kennedy Megan Nicole Kirsch Brooke Lynne Knox

Morgan Rae Lawrence,

summa cum laude Chi Le, cum laude

Brooke Leavell, cum laude Michael Alexander Lett

Bonnie Lewis, cum laude

Ariel Leza

Madison Taylor Livesay. summa cum laude

Matthew Lloyd, summa cum laude Jesse Nathaniel Lockard

Angel Luis Lopez, cum laude

Dawn Marie Lopez

Kathleen Mende Lynch, cum laude

Julie Maldonado

Mari Grace Pamatmat Maligaya,

magna cum laude

Julieth Kileo Mariki, cum laude

Rudyard Masongsong

Makayla Lynn Mattingly, cum laude Alexandria Elizabeth Maynard

Alisha McGrath, cum laude

Peyton McIntyre Stacey K. McMahan, summa cum laude

Julia Marie McNamee Wendy Medina Ochoa Trenton Conner Meredith

Aaliyah Mikels, magna cum laude

Hannah Nichole Miles Elizabeth Camille Milner Chelsea Brenda Miner Jenna Nicole Minnix, summa cum laude

Lauren Montgomery

Katlyn Eileen Moore Logan Moore

Leighton School of Nursing - continued

Aldolf Munguh, cum laude

Brandon Jamiel Nightengale, cum laude

Victoria Lee Oliva

Mary Din Par

Katie Parkes, summa cum laude

Nicole Helene Partin, summa cum laude

Alexa Ternet Patrick, cum laude

Kelin L. Penda Reagan Perry

Lindiwe Y. Phipps

Emma Marie Porter

Chloe Yvonne Ray Hunter Scott Reagan

Olivia Noel Reed

Anthony Richardson

Sophie Anna Riegner

Janice Rivera, cum laude

Mercedes Sharnita Rojas

Caroline Michelle Roop

Lauren Madrean Rowe

Brianna Ruck Olivia Brianne Ruff

Callie Mae Runion, summa cum laude

Shianne Samuels, cum laude

Harmit Kaur Sanghera

Addison Elizabeth Schmidt,

summa cum laude

George Schounce, cum laude

Emma Scott, magna cum laude

Ryan T. Sekula, magna cum laude Kyounghee Seo

Sarah E. Shelton

Avery Marie Shewmaker Brynn Elizabeth Sitton

Lisann Tina Sizemore Cydney Smith

Essence Lashay Smith

Patrick Neal Snellgrose

Lauren Sophia Sokol, cum laude

Tiya Souki, summa cum laude

William Z. Stewart

Sethe Story Carson Stutzman

Maria Styrbicki, summa cum laude

Allyson Nicole Suth, cum laude

Emma Gene Swadner

Alicia Kay Swanger, cum laude

Marleen Taevere, summa cum laude Adjoa Hamoah Arthur Taylor, cum laude

Breanna Thomas

Makayla Renea Thomas,

magna cum laude Angelika Tillett, cum laude

Holly Rene Troutman

Nancy Valdez

Derek Allen Van Prooyen, cum laude

Emy Varghese

Sandy Rocio Villar

Jaren Leigh Walz, cum laude Morgan Wareham, cum laude

Laura Ann Watson, cum laude

Deja May Weeden

Kristopher Wente Kinadee Reyan White

Bailee Whitley

Halle Wiggins

Ronn Williams

Shar'Day Alecia Williams

Faith Olivia Wilson

Jessica R. Wilson, cum laude

Timia Wilson

Alyssa Wisneski

Hannah Wleklinski, cum laude Lauren Alexandra Womack

Joseph Boyd Woosley,

summa cum laude

Jasmine Wright

Tracy Wynne

Shuo Yang

Carly Anne Zdanowicz,

magna cum laude

Witchger School of Engineering

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE

Engineering Physics

Dominic William Bouc

(second major dual degree engineering)

Borja Delgado Gomez

Bernadine Estime

Nicholas A. Novotny

Adrian Rosas

(second major dual degree engineering)

Gretchen Elaine Waning,

summa cum laude

(second major dual degree engineering)

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN CHEMICAL ENGINEERING

Chemical Engineering

Isaac M. Zuchristian, summa cum laude

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN CIVIL ENGINEERING

Civil Engineering

Excell Brooks III Eric Reed

Program In Exercise and Sport Science

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE

Exercise Science

Adrianna Danae Boyd

Maria Michelle Hernandez

Leah Anne Leffers

Marianna Marcelli, magna cum laude

Miranda Claire Nosko,

summa cum laude

Ouade Michael Popp.

summa cum laude

William Thomas Reiter

Christian Gabriel Rios Olivia Grayce Stunkel

Nutrition, Fitness, and Wellness

Emily Grace Robinson, cum laude Esther Sevilla Antón, magna cum laude Jaymison Lynn Summers

Physiology of Exercise

Kayden Charles Cain, cum laude (second major exercise science) Gracie Sue Graf, cum laude

Sport Performance

Noah Christopher Baker

Anton Bezborodov, summa cum laude

Hayley Elizabeth Greene

Keeley Almeada Hughes

(second major psychological science)

Ethan Robert Jedlicka

Mason P. Miller

Lucas Lawrence Pacheco

Daniel Patrick Riecke

Tirae Davidd Spence

Damien Forest Wallace Brianna Whitehead

Graduates Receiving Grants, Fellowships, Assistantships, and Departmental Awards

COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES

Judah Reuben Gustafson, Annalise Elizabeth Hudepohl, Mia M. Scarlato, Department of Art and Design Award of Excellence

Hayli MacKenzee Irvin, The Sister Dolorita Carper Award of Achievement in Art

Lucy Renee Schenk, Outstanding Senior in Communication

Kellyn Elisabeth Raters, Outstanding Senior in English

Kyle Andrew McCreary, Robert McKay, Juanita Gladys Rodriguez, Outstanding Achievement in Spanish (major)

Kalei Rose Cave, Senior Award for Outstanding Achievement in French

Noah James Sherman, Marian Award for Outstanding Achievement in French

Ryan Joseph Herron, Goethe Institute Book Award for Outstanding Achievement in German - Senior

Sarah Faith Getman, Sister Mary Carol Schroeder Memorial Award

Brock William Richard Worrell, The Dexter Massey Memorial Award

Matthew James Sarabyn, Joseph N. Hingtgen Distinguished Senior in Psychology Award

Allison Sarah England, Katherine Ann Thuet, Senior Award for Outstanding Academic Achievement in Social Work

Anna Karen Ramirez, Senior Award for Outstanding Practicum Achievement in Social Work

J'Kera Easley, Jane Addams Award Mikayla Susan Jette, Senior Award for Outstanding Achievement in Music

Ava M. Kalscheur, Theatre

Department Senior Service Award

Kamryn Rece Swingendorf, Katherine Ann Thuet, Theology Award

Noah James Sherman, Philosophy Award

Kailynn L. Berger, Olivia Rebecca Zimmerman, The Senior Biology Recognition of Excellence Award

Xochitl Martin, American Institute of Chemists Award

Kathryn I. McDicken, Benjamin Tyler Hochgesang, Outstanding Achievement in Mathematics

Evan Thomas Haag, Outstanding Achievement in Computer Science

SCHOOL OF BUSINESS

Emma Kate Hirchak, The Sister Laurita Kroger Award

Mackendzie Delaney Dresbaugh

Ken Elmendorf Outstanding Graduate in Business Administration

Adam Andres, Henry K. Engel Accounting and Finance Scholarship

WITCHGER SCHOOL OF ENGINEERING

Gretchen Elaine Waning, Outstanding Achievement in Engineering

KLIPSCH EDUCATORS COLLEGE

Sunday Ly, Senior Award for Outstanding Achievement in P-12 Education

Averie Elizabeth Shore, Senior Award for Outstanding Achievement in Secondary Education

Jennifer Hernandez, Academic Achievement Award for Service to English Language Learners

Paige Delaney Roquet, Outstanding Clinical Intern Award

Kyle T. Barbour, Indiana Association of Colleges for Teacher Education Outstanding Future Educator Award

LEIGHTON SCHOOL OF NURSING

Madison Taylor Livesay, Nursing Academic Excellence Award – Traditional Program

Nursing Academic Excellence Award – Online Accelerated Program Michael A. Brunswick – Indianapolis

Perry Heimermann – Nashville Morgan Rae Lawrence – Oklahoma City

Colette Andreanna Cline, Student Mentor Award – Traditional Program

Student Mentor Award - Online Accelerated Program

Michael A. Brunswick – Indianapolis Megan Nicole Kirsch – Nashville Morgan Rae Lawrence – Oklahoma City

Noah Wiley Cochard, Student Mentor Award – Traditional Program

Franciscan Award – Online Accelerated Program

Brandon Jamiel Nightengale – Indianapolis

Megan Nicole Kirsch – Nashville Mari Grace Pamatmat Maligaya – Oklahoma City **Ubald Kounasso Fagnon,** Shirley Friedman Scholarship Award

Lauren Grace Brammeier, Callie Mae Runion, Clinical Excellence Award – Traditional Program

Clinical Excellence Award – Online Accelerated Program

Derek Allen Van Prooyen – Indianapolis Addison Franz Jones – Nashville

EXERCISE AND SPORT SCIENCE

Maria Michelle Hernandez, Leah Anne Leffers, Marianna Marcelli, Quade Michael Popp, Outstanding Senior in Exercise Science

Anton Bezborodov, Outstanding Senior in Sport Performance

Kayden Charles Cain, Outstanding Senior in Physiology of Exercise

Esther Sevilla Antón, Outstanding Senior in Nutrition, Fitness and Wellness

ATHLETICS

Olivia Grayce Stunkel, M-Club Senior Scholar-Athlete Award

Zachary Nicholas Sibila, M-Club Senior Scholar-Athlete Award

STUDENT LIFE

Mykah J. Coleman, Serena Frances Dodson, Kyle Andrew McCreary, Gustavo Aristil Muñoz, Dean's Award for Outstanding Leadership

Luci M. Woodrum, Student Government Association Leadership Award

CAMPUS MINISTRY

Award

Sarah Faith Getman, Kyle Andrew McCreary, Missionary Character Award Mikayla Susan Jette, Rich Worship Award Megan M. Roell, Educating for Justice

Kellyn Elisabeth Raters, Franciscan Values Award

DIANNA AND JOHN SWEANY MEMORIAL SPIRIT AWARD

Luci M. Woodrum Daniel Patrick Riecke **ALUMNI ASSOCIATION DISTINGUISHED SENIOR AWARD**

Laphat Penjumras Jean

Honor Societies

ALPHA MU ALPHA

This national marketing honorary is committed to the advancement of excellence in the field of marketing through recognition of outstanding scholastic achievement. Undergraduate marketing students must have maintained a 3.25 grade point average overall. Students may be nominated for membership during their senior year.

Members: Adam Leo Heitz, Emma Kate Hirchak, Calista Leigh Mays, Mia M. Scarlato, Logan Michelle Smith, Madison Leigh Trisler

KAPPA DELTA PI

An international honor society in education that recognizes excellence in education. Kappa Delta Pi members make up the top 10 percent of those entering the field of education, and they exhibit the ideals of scholarship, high personal standards, and promise in teaching and allied professions.

Members: Olivier Guerra.

PSI CHI

A national psychology honor society for students with a major or minor in psychology, who have maintained a 3.00 general grade point average, a 3.25 average in psychology, and have completed at least nine hours in psychology at the time of nomination.

Members: Maria Michelle Hernandez, Grace Judith Koscal, Kylie Anne Schaeffer.

SIGMA THETA TAU INTERNATIONAL

(Omega Chapter-At-Large)

This honor society of nursing recognizes achievement and leadership in nursing and commitment to high standards of the profession. Baccalaureate nursing students may be nominated to membership in their junior year.

Members: Amanda Allee, Amy Lynn Altman, Lauren Grace Brammeier, Clara Elizabeth Braswell, Ericka Jo Burleson, Teya Michelle Cassaday, Cameo Chilcutt, Annette Christensen, Noah Wiley Cochard, John Michael Dardini, Caroline Ann DeBoy, Ashley Helton Farmer, Kaelene Michele Fisher, Claire Elizabeth Galea, Chenzia Michelle Hall, Kevin Blake Harris, Perry Heimermann, Elana Yi Jack, Chi Le, Mari Grace Pamatmat Maligaya, Alisha McGrath, Jenna Nicole Minnix, Katlyn Eileen Moore, Brandon Jamiel Nightengale, Katie Parkes, Callie Mae Runion, Shianne Samuels, Addison Elizabeth Schmidt, Lauren Sophia Sokol, Marleen Taevere, Adjoa Hamoah Arthur Taylor, Jaren Leigh Walz, Laura Ann Watson, Joseph Boyd Woosley, Carly Anne Zdanowicz.

SIGMA ZETA (Gamma Eta Chapter)

This is a national undergraduate honor society that encourages and fosters scholarly activities and recognizes academic scholarship in the natural and computer sciences and mathematics. Members must maintain a 3.00 general grade point average.

Members: Kailynn L. Berger, Serena Frances Dodson, Gabrielle Alysse Fish, Chaina Francois, Delaney M. Hare, Mollie E. Hill, Tamyra L. Hunt, Laphat Penjumras Jean, Erika Isaacs, Sheilleda Joseph, Xochitl Martin, Kyle Andrew McCreary, Andrew Ciaran McDade, Elizabeth Piercy, Linet Rivas-Moreno, Juanita Gladys Rodriguez, Sarah Marie Travis, Olivia Rebecca Zimmerman.

DELTA PHI ALPHA (Upsilon Xi Chapter)

The National German Honor Society, Delta Phi Alpha, seeks to recognize excellence in the study of German and to provide an incentive for higher scholarship. The society aims to promote the study of the German language, literature, and civilization and endeavors to emphasize those aspects of German life and culture which are of universal value and which contribute to humanity's eternal search for peace and truth.

Members: Ryan Joseph Herron, Dalian Joel Leach, Lauren Grace Longshore, Felipe Reinaldo Mentz.

SIGMA DELTA PI (Alpha Alpha Chi Chapter)

A national collegiate Hispanic honor society that recognizes students who are interested in the Spanish language and Hispanic cultures. In order to become members, students must maintain at least a B in all Spanish courses, they must rank in the upper 35 percent of their class, and they must have completed at least three semesters of college work.

Members: Sarah Faith Getman, Olivier Guerra, Grace Judith Koscal, Abigail Marie Lemming, Kyle Andrew McCreary, Robert McKay, Nicolas Pareja, Juanita Gladys Rodriguez, Kateryn Alvarez Vallecillo, Lauren Rae Wagoner, Olivia Rebecca Zimmerman.

PI DELTA PHI

The National French Honor Society is the highest and oldest academic honor society in the United States officially endorsed by the American Association of Teachers of French as the only collegiate national French honor society, recognizes outstanding scholarship in the French language and Francophone literatures studies. Members must complete at least one course of upper-division French with a 3.00 GPA in French, 3.00 GPA overall, and rank in the top 35 percent of their class.

Members: Kalei Rose Cave, Yeudiel Sebastian Gonzalez, Noah James Sherman. Brock William Richard Worrell.

PHI ALPHA

Phi Alpha is the national honor society for social work. The purpose of Phi Alpha Honor Society is to provide a closer bond among students of social work and promote humanitarian goals and ideas. Phi Alpha fosters high standards of education for social workers and invites into membership those who have attained excellence in scholarship and achievement in social work.

Members: Jacob Matthew Cramer, Allison Sarah England, Brittany Diane McVey, Katherine Ann Thuet.



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