RECEPTION

Following the ceremony, a reception will be held in the east lobby of the FargoDome. Light refreshments will be served.

PHOTOGRAPHS

Professional photographers will be available to photograph each degree candidate before and during each ceremony. Degree candidates will receive information from Jolesch Photography regarding the option to purchase prints. Photos may be viewed and purchased through www.jolesch.com.

Guests may not enter the field level. Special photo areas have been set up in the northwest and northeast corners of the concourse level and in the main lobby on the east side of the FargoDome.

DVD COPIES OF CEREMONY

DVD ordering information can be found at www.ndsu.edu/commencement.
PROCESSIONAL .......................... POMP AND CIRCUMSTANCE, EDWARD ELGAR
North Dakota State University Wind Symphony
Dr. Warren Olfert, Conductor

PRESENTATION OF THE COLORS ....... NDSU AIR FORCE AND ARMY ROTC BATTALIONS

THE NATIONAL ANTHEM ............... THE STAR-SPANGLED BANNER, FRANCIS SCOTT KEY
North Dakota State University Wind Symphony
Tyler Raad, Candidate for Master of Music degree

Please remove your caps and remain standing until after the singing of the National Anthem.

WELCOME AND REMARKS .................. PRESIDENT BRESCIANI

INTRODUCTION OF STUDENT SPEAKER .................. PRAKASH MATHEW
Vice President for Student Affairs

STUDENT ADDRESS .......................... KYLIE ARTZ
Representative of the Graduating Class
Candidate for Bachelor of Science degree

ADMINISTRATION OF OATH
TO SECOND LIEUTENANT CANDIDATES ............... SANTIAGO G. BUENO, III
Lieutenant Colonel, Professor of Military Science
North Dakota State University
PRESENTATION OF CANDIDATES
FOR DEGREES .................................................. DR. J. BRUCE RAFERT
Provost

CONFERRAL OF DEGREES ............................... PRESIDENT BRESCIANI

PRESENTATION OF COLLEGES
Graduate and Interdisciplinary Studies .................. Dean David Wittrock
Pharmacy, Nursing, and Allied Sciences ................ Dean Charles Peterson
Business ......................................................... Dean Ronald Johnson
Agriculture, Food Systems, and Natural Resources ... Dean Kenneth Grafton
University Studies .......................................... Dean David Wittrock
Engineering and Architecture ............................ Dean Gary Smith
Arts, Humanities and Social Sciences ................... Dean Kent Sandstrom
Human Development and Education ...................... Dean Virginia Clark Johnson
Science and Mathematics ................................. Dean Scott Wood

CLOSING REMARKS ........................................ PRESIDENT BRESCIANI

NDSU SCHOOL SONG ................................. THE YELLOW AND THE GREEN, MINARD-PUTNAM
North Dakota State University Wind Symphony
Tyler Raad, Candidate for Master of Music degree

RECESSIONAL ................................. HOMAGE MARCH, EDWARD GRIEG
North Dakota State University Wind Symphony

Please remain seated until the recessional concludes.
North Dakota State University celebrates the 50th anniversary of conferring its first doctoral degrees and the graduating class of 1963. That year, NDSU offered five doctoral degree programs. Today, NDSU offers 50 doctoral degree programs, 86 master’s degree programs and 12 certificate programs. Graduate education underlies the emergence of NDSU as a national research institution as recognized by the Carnegie Commission on Higher Education. The graduating class of 2013 includes 123 professional doctoral and research degree recipients and 175 master’s degree recipients.

The first NDSU doctorates were conferred in 1963 to the following five graduate students:

- Taki John Anagnostou, Chemistry
- Lola V. Hopkins, Pharmacy
- Frank E. LeGrand, Agronomy
- Jerome A. Onsager, Entomology
- Sol Shulman, Paint Chemistry

Dr. Frank “Ed” LeGrand
NDSU recognizes alumnus Frank “Ed” LeGrand, a retired Oklahoma State University professor and the only living doctoral graduate from the 1963 graduating class.

As the first in his family to attend college, LeGrand earned a Bachelor of Science degree in agronomy from Oklahoma State University in 1959. He was awarded a U.S. Department of Health, Education and Welfare National Defense Education Fellowship to pursue a degree in plant sciences and earned the first doctorate in agronomy from NDSU.

LeGrand was well known for his knowledge and expertise about wheat production agriculture. He held Extension meetings in every county in Oklahoma and wrote many publications related to wheat production. He wrote extensively about the agricultural production of several crops adapted to Oklahoma.

Named professor and director of Oklahoma Pedigreed Seed Services in 1979, LeGrand also provided leadership and direction to Oklahoma Foundation Seed Stocks Inc. and the Oklahoma Crop Movement Association. He held that position until his retirement in 1994.

LeGrand lives in Stillwater, Okla., where he farms and ranches 1,000 acres. He has received the Governor’s Conservation Award twice for his conservation practices. He and his wife of 63 years, Alberta, have five children (their fifth child was born in Fargo while LeGrand was pursuing his doctorate) and three grandchildren.
CANDIDATES FOR APPOINTMENT TO SECOND LIEUTENANT

DEPARTMENT OF AEROSPACE STUDIES (AIR FORCE ROTC) COMMISSIONEES
Reese Black, Williston, North Dakota
U.S. Air Force Active Duty
Robert Field, Maple Plain, Minnesota
U.S. Air Force Active Duty
Jon Pilger, Scottsdale, Arizona
U.S. Air Force Active Duty
Nicholas Proulx, Red Lake Falls, Minnesota
U.S. Air Force Active Duty

DEPARTMENT OF MILITARY SCIENCE (ARMY ROTC) COMMISSIONEES
Preston Blazek, Sioux Falls, South Dakota
U.S. Army Reserves

RECOGNITION OF FACULTY EXCELLENCE

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE DISTINGUISHED FACULTY SERVICE AWARD
Carol Archbold
Associate Professor of Criminal Justice and Political Science

OUTSTANDING PROFESSIONAL ADVISER AWARD
Linda Fricker
Academic Adviser in the College of Arts, Humanities and Social Sciences

OUTSTANDING FACULTY ADVISING AWARD
Janice Haggart
Instructor of Veterinary and Microbiological Sciences

SERVICE-LEARNING AWARD
Jenny Linker
Assistant Professor of Health, Nutrition and Exercise Sciences

ODNEY AWARD FOR EXCELLENCE IN TEACHING
Elizabeth Birmingham
Associate Professor of English

PELTIER AWARD FOR INNOVATION IN TEACHING
Andrew Mara
Associate Professor of English

WALDRON AWARD FOR EXCELLENCE IN RESEARCH
Dinesh Katti
Professor of Civil Engineering
**CLASS REPRESENTATIVE**

**Kylie Artz**, a native of Bottineau, N.D., is receiving a Bachelor of Science degree in microbiology. Active on the NDSU campus, she has participated in Bison Ambassadors, Order of Omega and Students Today Leaders Forever. Artz also serves as president of Blue Key Honor Society and as an NDSU Ag Ambassador representing the College of Agriculture, Food Systems, and Natural Resources. She welcomes prospective students and their families to campus by guiding tours through the Office of Admission. Artz also has been an active volunteer with the Dorothy Day Food Pantry, the Salvation Army, the NDSU Library, Girl Scouts of the USA, the Red River Children’s Advocacy Center, Nokomis Childcare, the NDSU Career Center, the Sophomore Mentorship Program at NDSU, Fill the Dome, the Great Plains Food Bank and Hoops for Hannah. She also was involved with the North Dakota Leadership Seminar, a program that encourages high school sophomores to gain leadership skills through service opportunities.

**COMMENCEMENT SOLOIST**

**Tyler Raad** is receiving a Master of Music degree with a concentration in vocal performance. The Spearfish, S.D., native is an award-winning tenor who has won first place in the National Association of Teachers of Singing competition in both South Dakota and North Dakota. He earned his bachelor’s degrees in music and theatre performance from Black Hills State University. He earned a graduate assistantship at NDSU, where he has studied under the guidance of Robert Jones, professor of voice. During his graduate work at NDSU, Raad was in several ensembles such as the NDSU Concert Choir and Madrigal Singers. He also was in several NDSU productions, including “Messiah,” “The Mikado” and “The Magic Flute.” Raad is the founder and president of the Fargo Camerata, a student organization dedicated to bringing opera experiences to students and the community. An active performer and musician in the Fargo-Moorhead area, he plans to pursue his doctorate at the NDSU School of Music.
CANDIDATES FOR
GRADUATE AND
PROFESSIONAL DEGREES

Candidates to be presented by Dean David Wittrock and marshaled by Dr. Birgit Pruess, Dr. Tracy Barrett and Dr. Jane Schuh and student marshal Nimish Dharmadhkari.

DOCTOR OF EDUCATION

Todd D. Bertsch
Fargo, North Dakota
B.S., University of North Dakota
M.Ed., University of North Dakota
“Teacher Concerns and Perceptions About the Implementation of Professional Learning Communities at the High-School Level”
Adviser: Dr. Justin Wageman

Pamela S. Kjonaas
Bismarck, North Dakota
B.A., North Dakota State University
M.Ed., North Dakota State University
“A Descriptive Study of Alternative Schools and Programs in North Dakota”
Adviser: Dr. Justin Wageman

DOCTOR OF MUSICAL ARTS

Michael Culloton
Moorhead, Minnesota
B.M., Concordia College
M.M., University of Arizona
“Jocelyn Hagen and Timothy Takach: An Introduction to their Choral Music and a Story of their Positions within a Lineage of Minnesota Based Composers”
Adviser: Dr. Jo Ann Miller

Brett Woodmansee
Woodward, Oklahoma
B.M.E., Oklahoma State University
M.M., Oklahoma City University
“New Analyses for Multiple Percussion Music”
Adviser: Dr. Sigurd Johnson

DOCTOR OF NURSING PRACTICE

Kelly S. Agnello
St. Paul, Minnesota
B.S.N., College of Saint Catherine
“Assessment of Obese Children Within a Family Based Intervention in Primary Care”
Adviser: Dr. Dean Gross

Leah M. Brewster
Stanley, North Dakota
B.S.N., University of North Dakota
“I am AIDS – Bridging the Gap”
Adviser: Dr. Molly Secor-Turner

Angela A. Dolalie Kelsch
Gally, Minnesota
B.S., Minnesota State University Moorhead
B.S.N., Minnesota State University Moorhead
“Screening and Brief Interventions for Alcohol Use in College Students”
Adviser: Dr. Dean Gross

Alicia Hauff
Fargo, North Dakota
B.A., University of Mary
“Medical Respite Care for Fargo-Moorhead Homeless Population: A Needs Assessment”
Adviser: Dr. Molly Secor-Turner

Andrea J. Middlestead
Fargo, North Dakota
B.A., University of Nebraska-Lincoln
“Cultural Awareness and Provider Based Care for Refugee Women”
Adviser: Dr. Tina Lundeen

Nancy Nyongesa
Bungoma, Kenya
B.S.N., Dickinson State University
“Implementing an Evidence-Based Oral Health Assessment Tool (OHAT) in a Nursing Home”
Adviser: Dr. Donna Grandbois

Kathryn M. Stensgard
Mandan, North Dakota
B.S.N., Jamestown College
“Skin Cancer Prevention in North Dakota Farmers and Ranchers”
Adviser: Dr. Norma Kiser-Larson

DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY

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Fargo, North Dakota
B.S., North Dakota State University
“Stereospecific Photochemical Transformations Involving Axially Chiral Acrylandilides and Alpha-Oxoamides”
Adviser: Dr. Sivaguru Jayaraman

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Devels Lake, North Dakota
B.S., Minot State University
M.S., Minot State University
“Counting Coup with Western Education in a Contemporary Post-Assimilated Paradigm. A Research Study on American Indian Success”
Adviser: Dr. Nathan Wood
Steve Martin Boughos, Computer Science  
Lima, Peru  
B.S., Lebanese American University  
M.S., Lebanese American University  
“Multi-Agent Decision Making for a Self Healing Smart Grid”  
Adviser: Dr. Kendall Nygard

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“Determining the Essential Components of State and Institution Dual Credit Program Policy in New Mexico”  
Adviser: Dr. Myron Eighmy

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Vergas, Minnesota  
B.S.W., Minnesota State University Moorhead  
M.S.W., Augsburg College  
“Structured Life Review and Its Impact on Family Interactions”  
Adviser: Dr. Gregory Sanders

Adam K. Fetterman, Psychology  
St. Cloud, Minnesota  
B.A., St. Cloud State University  
M.S., North Dakota State University  
“The Benefits of Metaphoric Thinking: Using Individual Differences in Metaphor Use to Understand the Utility of Metaphors”  
Adviser: Dr. Michael Robinson

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B.S., University of Mary  
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“Explaining Adolescent Behavior Intention to Consume Fast Food Using the Theory of Planned Behavior”  
Adviser: Dr. Nan Yu

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“Heuristic Clustering with Secured Routing in Two Tier Sensor Network”  
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B.S., University of Maryland  
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“Context Processing and Aging: Older Adults’ Ability to Learn and Use Visual Contexts”  
Adviser: Dr. Linda Langley

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M.S., University of Minnesota-Twin Cities  
“Osteoporosis Educational Intervention Effects on Knowledge, Beliefs, Self-Efficacy, Dietary Calcium and Vitamin D Intakes”  
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“Leaving the Family: Stories of Exit from Totalistic Organizations”  
Adviser: Dr. Amy O’Connor

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B.S., Iowa State University  
M.S., North Dakota State University  
“Finding Meaning in Misery: Can Stressful Situations Provide Meaning in Life?”  
Adviser: Dr. Clay Routledge

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B.S., North Dakota State University  
“Development of New Antibody-based Therapeutic Agents Targeting the Receptor for Advanced Glycation End-product”  
Adviser: Dr. Estelle Leclerc

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M.S., Indian Institute of Technology  
“Synthesis of Sustainable Polymers from Vegetable Oil: Applications in Coatings and Nanoparticle Surface Modification”  
Adviser: Dr. Brett Chisholm

Leslie A. Lekatz, Animal Sciences  
Ely, Minnesota  
B.S., Bemidji State University  
M.S., North Dakota State University  
“The Role of Maternal Protein Intake During Late Gestation on Placental Function”  
Adviser: Dr. Kimberly Vonnahme

Ashley N. Lepper, Animal Sciences  
Genoa, Ohio  
B.S., The Ohio State University  
“Influence of Cut, Cooking, and Post-Mortem Aging on Beef Palatability”  
Adviser: Dr. Eric Berg

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B.S., Nanjing Agricultural University  
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“Cloning and Characterization of Meiotic Gene Rec8 and Cdc5 in Wheat, and Dynamic Analysis of Kinetochore Orientation in Wheat”  
Adviser: Dr. Xiwen Cai

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“Bray Curtis Ordination/Markov Chain Simulation Assessing Anthropogenic/Climatic Induced Changes in Arboreal Ecosystems”  
Adviser: Dr. Peter Odqar
Anthony J. Ostlund, Chemistry
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B.S., Hamline University
“Total Synthesis of a Novel Lycopodine-Class Alkaloid and (R)-Myricanol, Novel Compounds for the Treatment of Alzheimer’s Disease”
Adviser: Dr. Gregory Cook

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Fargo, North Dakota
B.S., North Dakota State University
B.S., Minnesota State University Moorhead
“Funding the Technology of a Research University”
Adviser: Dr. Robert Littlefield

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B.S.W., University of Wisconsin-Oshkosh
M.S.W., University of Kansas
“The Use of Non-Cognitive Constructs to Predict Success of First-Year Students in a College of Business”
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“A Rhetorical/Interpretive Analysis of Edward R. Murrow’s Criticism of Broadcast Journalism Implications”
Adviser: Dr. Mark Meister

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B.S., Bangladesh Agricultural University
M.S., Bangladesh Agricultural University
“Vegetative Buffer Strip: A Best Management Practice (BMP) for Feedlot Runoff Pollution Control in North Dakota”
Adviser: Dr. Shafiquir Rahman

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B.E., University of Madras
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“A Distributed Linear Programming Model in a Smart Grid”
Adviser: Dr. Kendall Nygard

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B.S., University of Minnesota-Twin Cities
M.S., North Dakota State University
“Fluorescent Polymer Based Post-Translational Differentiation and Subtyping of Cancer Cells”
Adviser: Dr. Sanku Mallik

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“Carl Sagan’s Cosmos: The Rhetorical Construction of Popular Science Mythology”
Adviser: Dr. Dale Sullivan

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Arthur, North Dakota
B.S., North Dakota State University
M.S., University of St. Francis
“Changing Rural Communities: An Exploration of Older Adults’ Experiences”
Adviser: Dr. Gregory Sanders

Ebot S. Tabe, Molecular Pathogenesis
Tiko, Cameroon
B.S., University of Buea
M.S., North Dakota State University
“Rhomboid Proteases and Thrombospondin Proteins in Cryptosporidium Parvum Pathogenesis”
Adviser: Dr. John McEvoy

Megan L. Van Emon, Animal Sciences
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B.S., Purdue University
M.S., Purdue University
“Supplementing Metabolizable Protein to Ewes During Late Gestation: Effects on Ewe and Offspring Performance”
Adviser: Dr. Kimberly Vonnahme
CANDIDATES
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Erik K. Bommersbach, Rochester, Minnesota
Megan Born, Dodge Center, Minnesota
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Aimee M. Ford, Redfield, South Dakota
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Franklin D. Heisler, White Earth, Minnesota
Stacy L. Hershud, Moorhead, Minnesota
Kelsey N. Hesch, Carrington, North Dakota
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Allan M. Johnson, Ostrander, Minnesota
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Jenna A. Midgarden, Park River, North Dakota
Cindy C. Moe, Dilworth, Minnesota
Katherine G. Montag, Apple Valley, Minnesota
Sarah R. Ness, Riverdale, North Dakota
Kristina M. Nguyen, Fargo, North Dakota
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Sarah N. Sonnenfeld, Sleepy Eye, Minnesota
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Sarah Taylor, Henning, Minnesota
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Samantha J. Tucker, Galesburg, North Dakota
Jenna M. Wahlstrom, Watford City, North Dakota
Sarah R. Walker, Rogers, Minnesota
Jasmine R. Wieser, Wahpeton, North Dakota
Cavan A. Wilhelm, Wheaton, Minnesota
Alan Yan, Fargo, North Dakota
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B.S., North Dakota State University
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B.S., North Dakota State University
Shanaka R. Rajapakse, Fargo, North Dakota
B.S., North Dakota State University
Ploiphan Saengporm, Bismarck, North Dakota
B.S., North Dakota State University
Lucas R. Schneider, Grand Forks North Dakota
B.S., North Dakota State University
Samantha D. Schultz, Columbia Heights Minnesota
B.S., North Dakota State University
Erik J. Schwarzkopf, Hermantown, Minnesota
B.S., North Dakota State University
Prashanta Singh, Kathmandu, Nepal
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Tyler Specht, St. Stephen, Minnesota
B.S., North Dakota State University
Michael R. Stark, St. Joseph, Minnesota
B.S., North Dakota State University
Andrew J. Suby, Rochester, Minnesota
B.S., North Dakota State University
Kris M. Thielen, Browerville, Minnesota
B.S., North Dakota State University
Courtney C. Thompson, Grand Forks, North Dakota
B.S., North Dakota State University
Ryan M. Thomsen, Valley City, North Dakota  
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- Kelsey M. Arntson, Maple Grove, Minnesota  
  Spanish
- • Jocelyn A. Beck, Princeton, Minnesota  
  History
- Anthropology
- Kaylee M. Berglund, Fargo, North Dakota  
  Sociology
- Kelli L. Beyer, Bismarck, North Dakota  
  History
- • Emily E. Black, Williston, North Dakota  
  Music
- • Bailey A. Brazier, Greenbush, Minnesota  
  English
- Brian M. Bubach, Fargo, North Dakota  
  Spanish
- Jackson V. Fowler, Minot, North Dakota  
  Public Relations and Advertising
- Jasmine N. Franklin, Santa Ana, California  
  Journalism
- • Rachel M. Geiser, Rochester, Minnesota  
  Anthropology
- Charles N. Gonderinger, Plymouth Minnesota  
  Social Science
- Courtney J. Hatfield, Fargo, North Dakota  
  Criminal Justice
- • Alice Iannantuoni, Meda, Italy  
  Political Science
- Colette M. Kampa, Plymouth, Minnesota*  
  French
- • Ellie P. Knoll, Fargo, North Dakota  
  Public Relations and Advertising
- International Studies
- Andrea H. Kraft, Minot, North Dakota*  
  Sociology
- • Dominic J. Manthey, Fargo, North Dakota  
  English
  Philosophy/Humanities
- Kyle A. Markwardt, Bismarck, North Dakota  
  English
- Chad E. Olson, Campbell, Minnesota  
  Anthropology
- Tacye Pearson, Fargo, North Dakota  
  Theatre Arts
- Erica R. Rapp, Fargo, North Dakota  
  English
  International Studies
- Nicholas D. Roller, Harvey, North Dakota  
  Political Science
- • Aaron R. Rudebusch, Wahpeton, North Dakota  
  History
- Chad J. Willson, Layton, Utah  
  Public Relations and Advertising

**BACHELOR OF FINE ARTS**

- Jeffrey S. Gion, Regent, North Dakota  
  Theatre Arts
- • Justin J. Heim, Bismarck, North Dakota  
  Theatre Arts
- Matthew E. Ingalls, Mandan, North Dakota  
  Art
- • Kcarie L. Ingerson, Fargo, North Dakota  
  Theatre Arts
- Tali L. Johnson, Shoreview, Minnesota*  
  Art
- • Katharine R. Strom, Fergus Falls, Minnesota  
  Theatre Arts
- Chamanthi S. Weeratunga, Colombo, Sri Lanka  
  Art

**BACHELOR OF MUSIC**

- • Mark N. Aamold, Hatton, North Dakota  
  Ryan P. Barry, Richfield, Minnesota
- • Jocelyn K. Baumann, Fargo, North Dakota
- • Carolyn C. Braus, Bismarck, North Dakota
- • Travis F. Bregier, West Fargo, North Dakota
- • Emily G. Custer, East Grand Forks, Minnesota
  Kelli M. Dahl, Lakota, North Dakota
- • Bernadette M. Fromherz, Park River, North Dakota
  Melissa S. Haas, Hutchinson, Minnesota
  Michael D. Johannes, Fargo, North Dakota
- • James P. Millican, Bismarck, North Dakota
- • Danielle R. Olson, Wahpeton, North Dakota
- • Antoine F. Poitras, Fargo, North Dakota
- John J. Schreier, Bismarck, North Dakota
- • Diane J. Stjern, Grand Forks, North Dakota
  Michael F. Walker, Ft. Lauderdale, Florida

**BACHELOR OF SCIENCE**

- Christopher J. Aagesen, Montevideo, Minnesota*  
  Sociology
- Meixuan An, Urumq, Xinjiang Province, China*  
  Emergency Management
- Abigail R. Anderson, Coon Rapids, Minnesota  
  Sociology
- Bridget M. Anderson, Arden Hills, Minnesota  
  Public Relations and Advertising
- • Danielle E. Anderson, Cannon Falls, Minnesota  
  Public Relations and Advertising
- Luke Anderson, Lakeville, Minnesota  
  Sociology
- Ryan M. Anfinrud, Fargo, North Dakota  
  Management Communication
- Alice M. Arentson, Delano, Minnesota*  
  Public Relations and Advertising

**College of Arts, Humanities, and Social Science**
Chris T. Argenziano, Reynolds, North Dakota
Music

Abigail N. Armstrong, Shakopee, Minnesota
Journalism
International Studies

Makkah M. Asindua, Nairobi, Kenya, East Africa
Emergency Management

Austin J. Bagley, Beach, North Dakota
Criminal Justice

Alex G. Balk, Velva, North Dakota
Social Science

Nicole C. Ball, Grand Rapids, Minnesota
Criminal Justice

Kellam P. Barta, Fargo, North Dakota
English
Psychology

Angela A. Beaton, Grand Forks, North Dakota
Public History

Paige E. Beck, Sioux Falls, South Dakota
Emergency Management

Tyler J. Beckius, Mahnomen, Minnesota
Criminal Justice

Scott J. Becklund, Minneapolis, Minnesota
History

Morgan M. Bindas, Oxbow, North Dakota
Political Science

Michael J. Bittner, Mandan, North Dakota
Emergency Management

Bailee M. Blaeser, Kindred, North Dakota
Sociology

Brittney L. Collins, Chicago, Illinois
Criminal Justice

Lukas W. Croaker, Kindred, North Dakota
Political Science

Sheibli L. Deckert, Rugby, North Dakota
Political Science

David W. Denne, St. Cloud, Minnesota
Public Relations and Advertising

Caitlin C. Dolezel, Redwood Falls, Minnesota
Public Relations and Advertising

Management Communication

Ryan J. Douglas, Moorhead, Minnesota
Criminal Justice

Bryce C. Drapeaux, Fargo, North Dakota
Political Science

Caitlin L. Drogemuller, Lakeville, Minnesota
Public Relations and Advertising

Tanya K. Engelhart, Bismarck, North Dakota
Public Relations and Advertising

Kaitlen E. Engen, Fargo, North Dakota
Criminal Justice

Jarrod M. Erdmann, Moorhead, Minnesota
Criminal Justice

Melissa M. Eslinger, Wahpeton, North Dakota
Journalism

Alyssa C. Falvey, Burnsville, Minnesota
Public Relations and Advertising

Jaden B. Fedora, Fargo, North Dakota
Public Relations and Advertising

International Studies

Jordan J. Fleck, Wahpeton, North Dakota
Journalism

New Media and Web Design

Lisa A. Folstad, West Fargo, North Dakota
Sociology

Robert W. Frasier, Grand Forks, North Dakota
Music

Ryan J. Freeman, Stillwater, Minnesota
Art

Ashley E. Fremder, Bloomington, Minnesota
Criminal Justice

Timothy R. Frenson, Perham, Minnesota
Emergency Management

Samuel T. Fuhrman, Rosemount, Minnesota
History

Dustin J. Fulton, Beach, North Dakota
Criminal Justice

Gerald C. Gallenbeck, Fargo, North Dakota
Art

Joseph B. Garner, San Leandro, California
Emergency Management

Marcus J. Jeffre, Portland, North Dakota
Philosophy/Humanities

Samantha K. Gehrig, West Fargo, North Dakota
Sociology

Kelly D. Gemmill, Edinburg, North Dakota
Sociology

Patrick S. Gertjejansen, Maple Lake, Minnesota
Criminal Justice

Robin M. Gillespie, Jamestown, North Dakota
Criminal Justice

Alexandra J. Gilliss, Bismarck, North Dakota
New Media and Web Design

Stephen M. Glasser, Bismarck, North Dakota
Public Relations and Advertising
Briana K. Goebel, St. Joseph, Minnesota  
Health Communication  

Raiquel R. Grad, Rochester, Minnesota  
Management Communication  

• Cy T. Groskie, Moorhead, Minnesota  
  Political Science  

Lee C. Gullickson, Fargo, North Dakota  
English  

Heidi A. Hagberg, Mankato, Minnesota  
  Journalism  
  Public Relations and Advertising  

Wesley J. Hagel, West Fargo, North Dakota  
  Philosophy/Humanities  

Ricky G. Hagen, Colfax, Wisconsin  
  Criminal Justice  

Joshua W. Haider, Burnsville, Minnesota  
  Philosophy/Humanities  

• Abby L. Hammes, West Fargo, North Dakota  
  English  
  Political Science  

Brittany M. Hanson, Walhalla, North Dakota  
  Criminal Justice  

Joshua M. Haugen, West Fargo, North Dakota  
  Political Science  

•• Ella R. Hein, Wing, North Dakota  
  Criminal Justice  

Andrea D. Hermann, Moorhead, Minnesota  
  Music  

• Caitlin R. Hinnenkamp, Brooten, Minnesota  
  Political Science  

•• Amanda J. Huiras, New Ulm, Minnesota  
  Agricultural Communication  
  Public Relations and Advertising  

Sydney L. Hull, Fargo, North Dakota  
  History  
  Political Science  

• Elizabeth R. Huwe, Menahga, Minnesota  
  Journalism  

Ethan B. Hvezda, Alexandria, Minnesota  
  Criminal Justice  

Eric M. Itzin, St. Paul, Minnesota  
  Music  

Logan L. Jangula, Williston, North Dakota  
  Criminal Justice  

•• Zachary D. Jendro, Fargo, North Dakota  
  Public History  

Nicolas M. Johansen, Hope, North Dakota  
  Criminal Justice  

•• Kathryn A. Johnson, Fargo, North Dakota  
  Public Relations and Advertising  
  New Media and Web Design  

Nicole A. Johnson, St. Louis Park, Minnesota  
  Journalism  
  Health Communication  

Brandon C. Klein, LaMoure, North Dakota  
  Criminal Justice  

Thomas A. Klenow, Fargo, North Dakota  
  Political Science  

Austyn J. Kloehn, West Fargo, North Dakota  
  Criminal Justice  

Kelsey M. Knutson, Volga, South Dakota  
  English  

Karli L. Kopietz, Champlin, Minnesota  
  Criminal Justice  

Chelsea M. Krause, Fairmount, North Dakota  
  Criminal Justice  

Veronica K. Krile, Fargo, North Dakota  
  Anthropology  

Daniel R. Kruler, Kulm, North Dakota  
  Criminal Justice  

Stacy L. Landin, Brooklyn Park, Minnesota  
  Theatre Arts  

Richard T. LaPlante, Forest Lake, Minnesota  
  Criminal Justice  

Michael R. Larson, Moorhead, Minnesota  
  Sociology  

Sutton C. Lauinger, Fargo, North Dakota  
  Criminal Justice  

Jenna C. Lee, Grantsburg, Wisconsin  
  Health Communication  

Benjamin J. Limoges, Lakeville, Minnesota  
  Criminal Justice  

• Alyssa A. Lipslea, Anandale, Minnesota  
  Management Communication  

Taylor A. Lubovich, Lakeville, Minnesota  
  Anthropology  

Joseph A. Lund, Bloomington, Minnesota  
  Criminal Justice  

Wade M. Lundeen, Cokato, Minnesota  
  Sociology  

Nathanael W. Macy, Fertil, Minnesota  
  Management Communication  
  Political Science  

Benjamin J. Madsen, Lester Prairie, Minnesota  
  Criminal Justice  

Andrea T. Mann, Fargo, North Dakota  
  Health Communication  

Hannah S. Manstrom, Bismarck, North Dakota  
  Public Relations and Advertising  

Christopher B. Martinez, Rochester, Minnesota  
  History  

Thomas L. McCarthy, Rochester, Minnesota  
  Political Science  

Trevor J. McDowell, Dilworth, Minnesota  
  Emergency Management  

Andrew D. McFarlane, Moorhead, Minnesota  
  Criminal Justice  

Staci L. McPherson, Page, North Dakota  
  Public Relations and Advertising  

Siara Melius, Onono, Minnesota  
  Political Science  

Gerald M. Micko, Claremont, South Dakota  
  Criminal Justice  

Brittany C. Moen, Fargo, North Dakota  
  Emergency Management  

Travis L. Myers, Motley, Minnesota  
  Criminal Justice  

• Katlyn M. Nap, Esco, Minnesota  
  Emergency Management  
  Human Development and Family Science  

•• Noah R. Nash, Colfax, North Dakota  
  Political Science  

• Kristy M. Nelson, Williston, North Dakota  
  Criminal Justice  
  International Studies  

Nathan H. Nelson, White Bear Lake, Minnesota  
  Political Science  

Ryan K. Nelson, Roseau, Minnesota  
  New Media and Web Design  
  Journalism  

Derek J. Norby, Detroit Lakes, Minnesota  
  Criminal Justice  

Jarred J. Nygaard, Jamestown, North Dakota  
  Criminal Justice  

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•• Magna Cum Laude  
••• Summa Cum Laude  
• Summer Candidate
Eric J. Nystrom, Clearwater, Minnesota
Criminal Justice
Psychology

Jonathan J. Okstad, Grand Forks, North Dakota
Sociology

Ryan A. Olin, Dickinson, North Dakota
Political Science

McKenzy H. Olson, Moliell, North Dakota
Public Relations and Advertising

Jeffrey J. Opgrand II, Fargo, North Dakota
English
Economics

Elly F. Peterson, Coon Rapids, Minnesota
Health Communication

Mitchell J. Peterson, Morris, Minnesota
Political Science

Crystal J. Phillips, Cook, Minnesota
Sociology

Jeffrey J. Potter, Upland, California
Criminal Justice

Nicholas R. Proulx, Red Lake Falls, Minnesota
Journalism

Bryce G. Prudhomme, Woodbury, Minnesota
Criminal Justice

Jennifer C. Pruett, Mankato, Minnesota
Public Relations and Advertising
Sociology

Tehryn T. Ratchenski, Fargo, North Dakota
Public Relations and Advertising

Taylor L. Renkes, Hutchinson, Minnesota
Public Relations and Advertising

Jacob J. Ritteman, Lakota, North Dakota
English

Jordan P. Rodelwald, Dane, Wisconsin
Journalism

Lorin P. Ronken, Lake Park, Minnesota
Public Relations and Advertising

Jennifer J. Rothschiller, Bismarck, North Dakota
Public Relations and Advertising

Jonathan D. Rott, Hazen, North Dakota
Journalism

Amanda L. Ruhl, Pillager, Minnesota
Criminal Justice

Ryan N. Russell, Minneapolis, Minnesota
Political Science

Alyssa C. Rzeszutek, Maple Grove, Minnesota
Sociology

Joseph W. Savage, Le Sueur, Minnesota
Emergency Management

Eric M. Scharnowske, Wing, North Dakota
Anthropology

Michael T. Schmidt, Vadina, Minnesota
History
History Education

Stephanie C. Schulz, Fergus Falls, Minnesota
English

Tyler J. Schwankl, Fargo, North Dakota
Emergency Management

Danielle M. Seehafer, Corona, South Dakota
Sociology

Kyle J. Seethausen, Olivia, Minnesota
Criminal Justice

Matthew J. Siegel, Brainerd, Minnesota
Emergency Management

Karie L. Simon, Rhinelander, Wisconsin
Sociology

Lisa E. Simon, Moorhead, Minnesota
Management Communication

Kyle Smestad, Nerstrand, Minnesota
Political Science
Spanish

Lauren M. Sobolik, Mayville, North Dakota
Public Relations and Advertising

Bryant A. Spaeth, Morris, Minnesota
English

Jillian E. Spokely, Hillsboro, North Dakota
Management Communication

Christopher O. Stallman, Fargo, North Dakota
Philosophy/Humanities
Microbiology

Joel M. Stegman, Crookston, Minnesota
Political Science

Bennett M. Strege, Detroit Lakes, Minnesota
Criminal Justice

Sean D. Sullivan, Bismarck, North Dakota
Political Science

Adam V. Swanson, Arthur, North Dakota
Political Science

Zachary J. Swanson, Dell Rapids, South Dakota
Criminal Justice

Jacinta M. Thieschafer, Anoka, Minnesota
English

Ethan E. Thompson, Menahga, Minnesota
Criminal Justice

Toni A. Tolleson, Lake Park, Minnesota
Management Communication

Brittany M. Trageton, Fargo, North Dakota
Criminal Justice

Andrew J. Ulku, Chanhassen, Minnesota
Sociology

Kirby T. Urbatsch, Williston, North Dakota
Anthropology

Sarah J. Urlacher, Moorhead, Minnesota
Health Communication

Robert C. Vallie, Christine, North Dakota
History

Linda E. Vasquez, Los Angeles, California
Journalism
Public Relations and Advertising

Eric W. Velure, Kathryn, North Dakota
Criminal Justice

Anthony M. Vogel, Fargo, North Dakota
Criminal Justice

Kacey A. Volk, Strasburg, North Dakota
Criminal Justice

Travis K. Wagman, Medina, Minnesota
Music

Brianna L. Way, Anoka, Minnesota
Criminal Justice

Carley N. Weaver, Maple Grove, Minnesota
Public Relations and Advertising

Ali R. Werre, Underwood, North Dakota
Journalism

Morgan A. Wiedrich, Bismarck, North Dakota
Public Relations and Advertising

Paul J. Wilcziek, Rosemount, Minnesota
Criminal Justice

Challis D. Williams, Farmington, Minnesota
Management Communication
Candidates to be presented by Dean Virginia Clark Johnson and marshaled by Dr. Rebecca Woods and student marshal Katherine Bartram.

BACHELOR OF ARTS

Lisa D. Fricke, Center, North Dakota
  English Education
Rachel A. Herme, Farmington, Minnesota
  French Education
Brittany A. Schulz, West Fargo, North Dakota
  Human Development and Family Science

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE

Erik M. Aakre, Stephen, Minnesota
  Social Science Education
Heather A. Aal, Fargo, North Dakota
  Human Development and Family Science
Jennifer B. Adahl, Churchs Ferry, North Dakota
  Apparel, Retail Merchandising and Design Management
Anne R. Adrian, Watertown, South Dakota
  Interior Design
Nimo A. Ahmed, St. Paul, Minnesota
  Health Education
Ciara L. Aldrich, Fargo, North Dakota
  Exercise Science
Bianna J. Anderson, Alexandria, Minnesota
  Human Development and Family Science
Brianne C. Anderson, West Fargo, North Dakota
  Human Development and Family Science
Elizabeth G. Anderson, Delano, Minnesota
  Human Development and Family Science
Kayla J. Andreassen, Hoffman, Minnesota
  Exercise Science
Katrina L. Arndt, Hibbing, Minnesota
  Human Development and Family Science
Catherine J. Avaikan, Eagan, Minnesota
  Human Development and Family Science
Amanda M. Avard, Bismarck, North Dakota
  Interior Design
Tabitha J. Bahl, Red Wing, Minnesota
  Hospitality and Tourism Management
Jessie M. Battest, Beulah, North Dakota
  Human Development and Family Science
Andrew J. Beck, Sioux Falls, South Dakota
  Human Development and Family Science
Lindsay A. Behm, Cavalier, North Dakota
  Health Education
Ryan C. Bendixson, Zahn, North Dakota
  Sport and Recreation Leadership
Michael D. Benson, Harwood, North Dakota
  Physical Education
  Health Education
Quinn D. Benson, Steele, North Dakota
  Human Development and Family Science
Samantha J. Berard, Fargo, North Dakota
  Apparel, Retail Merchandising and Design

Salina E. Berg, Overland Park, Kansas
  Human Development and Family Science
Nathan D. Bjorat, Fargo, North Dakota
  Sport and Recreation Leadership
Irena Bobbicic, Grand Forks, North Dakota
  Journalism
Miranda D. Bonk, Appleton, Minnesota
  Dietetics
Sharon K. Boots, Fargo, North Dakota
  Apparel, Retail Merchandising and Design
Tyler J. Brendel, Bismarck, North Dakota
  Exercise Science
Rachel M. Brindle, Watertown, South Dakota
  Exercise Science
Bobbi Jo C. Britt, Canton, South Dakota
  Hospitality and Tourism Management
Shannon K. Brooks, Monrovia, California
  Sport and Recreation Leadership
Leslie A. Brost, Watertown, South Dakota
  Exercise Science
Kinsey M. Buchholz, Barnevile, Minnesota
  Human Development and Family Science
Amanda Carey, Augusta, Wisconsin
  Human Development and Family Science
Logan W. Carlbom, Lisbon, North Dakota
  Physical Education
  Health Education
Johanna M. Carrlson, Perham, Minnesota
  Human Development and Family Science
Rilee E. Carufel, Farmington, Minnesota
  Dietetics
Andrew D. Churchill, Dexter, Minnesota
  Dietetics
Erica L. Clark, Fargo, North Dakota
  Human Development and Family Science
Stacey J. Crocker, Breckenridge, Minnesota
  Human Development and Family Science
Kelly J. Dahl, Tolna, North Dakota
  Apparel, Retail Merchandising and Design
Miranda J. Daignault, Grand Forks, North Dakota
  Human Development and Family Science
Kimberly G. Dale, Fargo, North Dakota
  Human Development and Family Science
Kylie D. Dale, Fargo, North Dakota
  Human Development and Family Science
Halie M. Dalzell, Lemmon, South Dakota
  Social Science Education
Megan M. Dean, Inver Grove Heights, Minnesota
  Exercise Science
Lilian A. Del Rio Navarro, Fargo, North Dakota
  Dietetics
Michelle P. Deming, Burnsville, Minnesota
  Apparel, Retail Merchandising and Design
Kayla M. Deschamp, Fargo, North Dakota    
Interior Design

Alexa D. Deschene, Moorhead, Minnesota    
Human Development and Family Science

Calli L. Doggett, Bismarck, North Dakota    
Sport and Recreation Leadership

Teila A. Douglas, Princeton, Minnesota    
Human Development and Family Science

Ethan C. Drew, Bismarck, North Dakota    
English Education

Reed J. Dutschker, Rugby, North Dakota    
Exercise Science

Heidi S. Duncan, Battle Lake, Minnesota    
Human Development and Family Science

Amanda L. Ellingson, Spicer, Minnesota    
Apparel, Retail Merchandising and Design

Benji A. Emery, Greenbush, Minnesota    
Sport and Recreation Leadership

Kyle S. Engdahl, North Branch, Minnesota    
Biological Sciences Education

Mark A. Erickson, Roseau, Minnesota    
Physical Education

Megan A. Erickson, Sacred Heart, Minnesota    
Exercise Science

Heather Fahl, Clear Lake, Minnesota    
Exercise Science

Kari A. Faul, Fargo, North Dakota    
Human Development and Family Science

Eric L. Fauske, Fargo, North Dakota    
Physical Education

Health Education

Keely R. Ferguson, Grand Forks, North Dakota    
Apparel, Retail Merchandising and Design

Nicholas D. Fischer, Marshall, Minnesota    
Exercise Science

Melissa A. Fleck, Bowman, North Dakota    
Human Development and Family Science

Emily J. Flemming, Litchfield, Minnesota    
Interior Design

Jessica K. Flock, Stillwater, Minnesota    
Human Development and Family Science

Erin K. Foley, Roseau, Minnesota    
Human Development and Family Science

Marlena Fongthian, Brooklyn Park, Minnesota    
Hospitality and Tourism Management

Kyle L. Francis, Fargo, North Dakota    
Exercise Science

Lacey E. Frank, Rhame, North Dakota    
Human Development and Family Science

Kimberly A. Franklin, St. Michael, Minnesota    
Human Development and Family Science

Nathaniel A. Freng, Breckenridge, Minnesota    
Human Development and Family Science

Mitchel D. Frey, Waconia, Minnesota    
Physical Education

Health Education

Jenessa D. Fritel, Rugby, North Dakota    
Family and Consumer Sciences Education

Spanish Education

Jessica M. Furlong, North St. Paul, Minnesota    
Interior Design

Rachel H. Gellerman, Grand Forks, North Dakota    
Apparel, Retail Merchandising and Design

Matthew Glende, Rosemount, Minnesota    
Comprehensive Science Education

Shane P. Gores, Bismarck, North Dakota    
Exercise Science

Cassandra R. Gullickson, New England, North Dakota    
Human Development and Family Science

Taylor R. Hadley, Racine, Wisconsin    
Human Development and Family Science

Stevie N. Hagen, Elizabeth, Minnesota    
Human Development and Family Science

Alyssa J. Haglin, Staples, Minnesota    
Human Development and Family Science

Ashley A. Hall, Langdon, North Dakota    
Sport and Recreation Leadership

Brittany M. Hanson, Baxter, Minnesota    
Social Science Education

Jacob P. Hanson, Eden Prairie, Minnesota    
Human Development and Family Science

Jay T. Hartman, Beatrice, Nebraska    
Physical Education

Health Education

Cydney R. Hasselberg, Staples, Minnesota    
Human Development and Family Science

Darcy M. Hauth, Springfield, Minnesota    
Human Development and Family Science

Taylor D. Heck, Sauk Rapids, Minnesota    
Dietetics

Kale A. Hedlund, Long Prairie, Minnesota    
Sport and Recreation Leadership

Laura M. Heilman, Bismarck, North Dakota    
Human Development and Family Science

Lindsay D. Hellevang, Fargo, North Dakota    
Human Development and Family Science

Skyler E. Hendrickson, Carrington, North Dakota    
Apparel, Retail Merchandising and Design

Andrew D. Hennings, Jackson, Wisconsin    
Exercise Science

Alexander A. Henricks, Glenwood, Minnesota    
Sport and Recreation Leadership

Megan M. Herges, Ogilvie, Minnesota    
Human Development and Family Science

Shayla A. Hermes, Hazen, North Dakota    
Human Development and Family Science

Kerris A. Hoheisel, Lake Stevens, Washington    
Human Development and Family Science

Laura E. Holien, Britt, Minnesota    
Exercise Science

Cierra R. Holm, West Fargo, North Dakota    
Apparel, Retail Merchandising and Design

Sarah A. Honzay, Olivera, Minnesota    
Hospitality and Tourism Management

Stephanie L. Hulet, Plymouth, Minnesota    
Interior Design

Jeffrey D. Hulme, Rosemount, Minnesota    
Sport and Recreation Leadership

Andrea J. Irfseld, Dickinson, North Dakota    
Hospitality and Tourism Management

Samantha J. Jacobsen, Moorhead, Minnesota    
Apparel, Retail Merchandising and Design

Sara L. Jarvis, Fargo, North Dakota    
Human Development and Family Science

Bethany J. Johnson, Esko, Minnesota    
Dietetics

Cory L. Johnson, Cambridge, Minnesota    
Sport and Recreation Leadership

Kathryn F. Johnson, Le Sueur, Minnesota    
Interior Design

Kyle Johnson, Fargo, North Dakota    
Exercice Science

Criminal Justice

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Kylee R. Johnson, Maple Grove, Minnesota
Apparel, Retail Merchandising and Design

Katie M. Jorissen, Valley City, North Dakota
Exercise Science

Derick L. Jungling, Minot, North Dakota
Physical Education
Health Education

Lindsay C. Kautzman, Jamestown, North Dakota
Exercise Science

Hannah J. Kellar, Maple Grove, Minnesota
Hospitality and Tourism Management

Stacie J. Keller, Tintah, Minnesota
Mathematics Education

Jordan A. Kent, Bagley, Minnesota
Human Development and Family Science

Amanda L. Kepler, Farmington, Minnesota
Human Development and Family Science

Chase F. Kerber, Cooperstown, North Dakota
Exercise Science

Sara C. Kinzler, Fargo, North Dakota
Dietetics

Rachel A. Kirmis, Bellevue, Nebraska
Exercise Science

Katelyn N. Kirschenmann, Fargo, North Dakota
Human Development and Family Science

Kaley M. Klein, Fargo, North Dakota
Hospitality and Tourism Management

Nathan N. Kleppe, Napoleon, North Dakota
Exercise Science

Christine T. Knuth, Brooklyn Park, Minnesota
Exercise Science

Erin M. Krebs, Belfield, North Dakota
Mathematics Education

Amy M. Kremer, Crosby, North Dakota
Human Development and Family Science

Gannon R. Kriel, Roseau, Minnesota
Exercise Science

Matthew D. Kroneberger, Willmar, Minnesota
Exercise Science

Zachary A. Kueske, Kimball, Minnesota
Physical Education
Health Education

Jordan D. Landsiedel, Bismarck, North Dakota
Apparel, Retail Merchandising and Design

Paige R. Larson, Rooslav, Minnesota
Exercise Science

Sizhe Li, Changsha, Huan, China
Hospitality and Tourism Management

John J. Liekhus, Minneapolis, Minnesota
Human Development and Family Science

Devin J. Lillegaard, Bagley, Minnesota
Exercise Science

Adam R. Lindstrom, Moorhead, Minnesota
Dietetics

Casey S. Lipp, Breckenridge, Minnesota
Physical Education
Health Education

Adam D. Loe, Sacred Heart, Minnesota
Exercise Science

Diana M. Lofstrom, Karlstad, Minnesota
Human Development and Family Science

Nicole M. Luther, Mandan, North Dakota
Human Development and Family Science

Jordan K. Lutovsky, Grafton, North Dakota
Social Science Education

Sara J. Mack, Leola, South Dakota
Human Development and Family Science

Jenna M. Marquette, Blaine, Minnesota
Health Education

Evan M. Martell, Wahpeton, North Dakota
Health Education

Nicolette M. Mattson, Brooklyn Park, Minnesota
Human Development and Family Science

Whitney M. Mayer, Minot, North Dakota
Family and Consumer Sciences Education

Laura R. McMartin, Grand Forks, North Dakota
Hospitality and Tourism Management

Andrew J. McPherson, Hutchinson, Minnesota
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Jilayne M. Michelsen, Swanton, Ohio
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Jana M. Millner, Bismarck, North Dakota
Dietetics

Brandon J. Moeller, Pipestone, Minnesota
Exercise Science

Kristen K. Moffatt, Fargo, North Dakota
Dietetics

Janet R. Morken, Colfax, North Dakota
Family and Consumer Sciences Education

Brooke L. Morris, Crookston, Minnesota
Human Development and Family Science

Taylor M. Mortensen, Sioux Falls, South Dakota
Mathematics Education

Lauren A. Nash, Moorhead, Minnesota
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Tessa M. Neether, Williston, North Dakota
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• Brian G. Willms, Fargo, North Dakota
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• Kya M. Wisnewski, Lidgerwood, North Dakota
  Psychology
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  Biological Sciences
• Robert D. Zastre, Fargo, North Dakota
  Zoology

• Cum Laude    • Magna Cum Laude    •• Summa Cum Laude    • Summer Candidate
The Academic Processional

The academic processional that officially preludes the Commencement ceremonies on college and university campuses is one of the oldest and most colorful customs that link 21st century education with its early origins.

To signal the achievements of their students, American institutions of higher learning conduct a formal ceremony to award the appropriate degrees earned at the conclusion of prescribed study. The action of taking the degree — baccalaureate, master’s, or doctorate, as well as the designation of the day itself — is Commencement. Various explanations of the term Commencement are possible. The most likely is that centuries ago the bachelor, originally an apprentice, began an apprenticeship upon that day; and with the degree of M.A. and Ph.D., the masters and the doctors commenced their work upon the day their degrees were conferred. So today, students, having finished their preliminary education, set out upon the career for which they have prepared.

Academic Apparel

As cited in Academic Heraldry in America (Sheard, 1962), the academic regalia worn at Commencement is of medieval origin. The scholars of Bologna, Salamanca, Paris, Oxford, Cambridge, Louvain, and Heidelberg dressed in a manner to distinguish themselves from the merchants and other townspeople. Since the 11th century, when the rise of the universities began, “learned clerks” robed themselves in gowns, caps, and hoods, thus marking a difference between “town and gown.”

By this apparel they were recognized as belonging to the teaching guild, which was the Guild of the Master of Arts. In this organization the bachelor was the apprentice of the master. This relationship was the forerunner of today’s academic structure.

Today, customs vary in different parts of the world. Generally in Europe, professors wear the type of garment customary in the university where they are lecturing. In the United States professors continue to wear the gown and hood of the university from which they received their highest degree. The gown, in origin, may have been simply a type of overcoat to protect the teacher from the cold in the unheated buildings; the cut or style seems to be derived from ecclesiastical attire. It has usually been black; however, in recent years some institutions have adopted a school color for their gowns. The gowns of bachelors and masters are usually without trimmings of any sort, whereas those of doctors are faced down the front with velvet and adorned with three velvet bars on the sleeves.

The cap or “mortarboard” may have come from the squarish cap worn by the masons of the Middle Ages, or perhaps was suggested by the shape of the books that occupied so much of the time of the scholar. Attached to a button atop the “mortarboard” is a tassel; bachelor’s and master’s are black or color appropriate to the subject; those of doctors are black or golden. The tassel is worn on the left side by those who are receiving or have received a degree. For photography purposes, a candidate’s tassel may be worn on the right side of the mortarboard.

The hood, a triangular fold of cloth worn over the back of the gown, is faced with colors which denote the field of study represented by the wearer’s degree; the colors of the lining are those of the college or university by which the degree was granted. The length of the hood is correspondingly longer with each higher degree.
The wide velvet borders extending down the front of the doctoral gown, the velvet bars on the sleeves, and the borders of most hoods, are colored according to the scholarly field of the wearer. The most usual of these doctoral hood colors are the following:

- **blue violet**: Architecture
- **white**: Arts, Letters, and Humanities
- **copper**: Economics
- **light blue**: Education
- **orange**: Engineering
- **brown**: Fine Arts
- **crimson**: Communication
- **purple**: Law
- **lemon**: Library Science
- **pink**: Music
- **dark blue**: Philosophy
- **sage green**: Physical Education
- **salmon pink**: Public Health
- **gold**: Science
- **scarlet**: Theology

While the arrangement of colors is pleasing to the eye and add beauty and impressiveness to ceremonial processions, there is historic significance attached to their selection. The white for arts and letters comes from the white fur of the Oxford and Cambridge B.A. hoods. The red for theology, as used by cardinals for centuries, follows the traditional color of the church and signifies ardent love and zeal for the faith. The purple for law comes from the royal purple of the king's courts. The green for medicine, from the stripe in the army surgeon's uniform, and earlier from the color of medicinal herbs.

The degrees in philosophy are shown by blue, the color of truth and wisdom. Science by gold-yellow, which signifies the wealth contributed by scientific discoveries. Pink was taken from the pink brocade prescribed for the Oxford doctors of music. Olive, a shade of green, was selected for pharmacy, which is closely allied to medicine; while russet brown, the color of dress worn by old English foresters, indicates forestry.

Graduate candidates wear a hood colored according to the scholarly field of the wearer. All graduate candidates wear a black tassel. At North Dakota State University the color of the tassel signifies the college in which the undergraduate degree is earned:

- **maize**: Agriculture, Food Systems, and Natural Resources
- **brown**: Landscape Architecture and Environmental Design
- **white**: Arts, Humanities and Social Sciences
- **drab**: Business
- **light blue**: Education
- **orange**: Engineering
- **maroon**: Human Development
- **apricot**: Nursing
- **olive green**: Pharmacy
- **golden yellow**: Science and Mathematics
- **white**: University Studies

**UNIVERSITY MACE**

The mace has an ancient history of use as a symbol of authority. Originally used by knights or a royal bodyguard to protect a king in processions, the mace evolved to assume more ceremonial functions by the 14th century. Today, as a symbol of order and authority, the NDSU mace is carried by the Stage Marshal, the presiding officer of the Faculty Senate, before the president and other platform party dignitaries in Commencement processions.
GRADUATION HONORS

With honor: Graduation with honor applies only to the baccalaureate degree. Graduate courses will not be included in the computation. Candidates who entered NDSU as freshmen and who have earned an institutional grade-point average greater than or equal to 3.50 and less than 3.70 will be graduated Cum Laude, an institutional grade-point average greater than or equal to 3.70 and less than 3.90 will be graduated Magna Cum Laude, and an institutional grade-point average greater than or equal to 3.90 and up to 4.0 will be graduated Summa Cum Laude. Candidates with transfer credits must meet the institutional grade-point average qualifications with the above criteria for all credits earned at NDSU, as well as a cumulative grade-point average for all credits earned including those from transfer work. All grades and all attempts of repeated courses will be included in grade-point average calculations for graduating with honor. The honor medallion is a gold medallion on a yellow ribbon and is worn around the neck. The medallion features the NDSU seal.

Other academic honors include the following:

Beta Gamma Sigma, international business honor society: A blue and gold cord is worn around the neck. Students, by class, that qualify are: juniors, top 7 percent; seniors, top 10 percent; and MBA students, top 20 percent.

Blue Key, national honor society: A blue and gold medallion with a blue ribbon is worn around the neck. Blue Key recognizes students for remarkable leadership and outstanding service to the university and the community. Academic achievement of members must be within the top 35 percent of their class.

Gamma Sigma Delta, international agriculture honor society: A forest green and light tan honor cord is worn around the neck. Membership is conferred upon selected students who have demonstrated superior teaching, research, or service to agriculture while maintaining a 3.5 grade-point average. Members represent agricultural excellence at the undergraduate, graduate, and post-graduate levels.

Golden Key, international honor society: A gold medallion on a blue and gold ribbon is worn around the neck. Golden Key recognizes juniors and seniors from all disciplines who are in the top 15 percent of their class.

Lambda Beta Honor Society, national respiratory care honor society: A forest green and black ribbon pin is worn on the gown. Members must have completed at least 50 percent of their course work and rank academically in the top 25 percent of the respiratory care class.

Lambda Pi Eta, national communication honorary society: A forest green and black ribbon pin is worn on the gown. Members must have completed at least 50 percent of their course work and rank academically in the top 25 percent of the respiratory care class.

Mortar Board, national honor society: A gold medallion is worn around the neck. Mortar Board recognizes college seniors for distinguished ability and achievement in scholarship, leadership and service. Members must also meet at least a 3.0 grade-point average.

National Residence Hall Honorary: A navy blue honor cord is worn around the neck. To qualify, members must demonstrate leadership and academic qualities within the top 1 percent of the residence hall population.

Phi Alpha Theta, national history honor society: A pale blue and red cord is worn around the neck. Members represent excellence in historical research at all levels: undergraduate, graduate and post-graduate.

Phi Eta Sigma, national honor society: A black and gold cord worn around the neck. To qualify, students must have a 3.50 institutional grade-point average at the close of any full-time semester during their first year.
PHI KAPPA PHI, honorary scholastic society: A gold medallion with blue ribbon is worn around the neck. Members are chosen from among those students in the top 10 percent of their class.

PHI UPSILON OMICRON (PHI U), honorary Human Development and Education society: Double cords of entwined purple, white and yellow are worn around the neck. Academic achievement must be within the top 35 percent of majors in the field who qualify for membership.

PI SIGMA ALPHA, national political science honor society: A cloisonné, medallion on a red ribbon, is worn around the neck. To qualify, students must have a cumulative grade-point average of 3.0 and have a 3.0 grade-point average in all political science courses.

PI TAU SIGMA, international mechanical engineering honor society: A white stole with the Pi Tau Sigma coat of arms is worn around the neck. To qualify, juniors in the mechanical engineering program must be in the top 25 percent of their class; as non-graduating seniors, members must be in the top 35 percent of their class.

PSI CHI, national psychology honor society: A silver stole is worn around the neck. To qualify, members must have a 3.0 cumulative grade-point average, a 3.50 major grade-point average and rank in the upper 35 percent of their class.

RHO CHI SOCIETY, national pharmacy honor society: A purple and white honor cord is worn around the neck. To qualify, members must have completed their second year of the professional program. Membership is offered to the top 20 percent of the class.

SIGMA THETA TAU, international honor society of nursing: An orchid and white cord is worn around the neck. To qualify, members must have a 3.0 grade-point average, rank in the upper 35 percent of their nursing class, and meet the expectation of academic integrity.

SIGMA TAU DELTA, international english honor society: A red stole is worn around the neck. Undergraduate members must rank in the top 35 percent of their class. Graduate members must have at least a 3.3 grade-point average.

TAU BETA PI, national engineering honor society: A white satin collar with the Bent embroidered in gold is worn around the neck. To qualify as juniors, members must be in the top one-eighth of their engineering class; as seniors, members must be in the top one-fifth of their engineering class.

TAU SIGMA DELTA, national architecture honor society: A white stole with gold embroidery is worn around the neck. To qualify, juniors or seniors must have a 3.0 grade-point average and be in the upper 20 percent of their class.

UNIVERSITY HONORS PROGRAM, A gold medallion on a green ribbon is worn around the neck. Honors Program graduates have completed, in addition to their primary majors, a four-year curriculum of interdisciplinary honors courses and have produced and publicly presented a senior honors thesis.

UPSILON PI EPSILON, national computer science honor society: Medallion with burgundy ribbon is worn around the neck. To qualify, undergraduate students must be upperclass status in the top 35 percent of their class and have a minimum grade-point average of 3.3, with at least a 3.5 grade-point average in 24 or more credits of computer science courses. Graduate students must have at least 18 upper division computer science credits with a minimum grade-point average of 3.5.
HONORARY DOCTORS

1939
Dean H. L. Bolley, D.Agr.

1940
Arni Helgeson, D.Agr.
George Will, D.Sc.
Philip S. Rose, D.Agr.
M. L. Wilson, D.Agr.
Henry H. Kildee, D.Agr.

1943

1946
Dr. L. Van Es, D.Agr.

1948
O. A. Stevens, D.Sc.

1949
Jack Pyle, LL.D.
Dr. F. L. Hovde, LL.D.

1950
J. L. Coulter, D.Sc.
Alex Lind, LL.D.

1951
Clyde H. Bailey, D.Sc.

1952
D. Milton Ladd, LL.D.

1953
Dr. H. L. Walster, D.Sc.

1954
Dean R. M. Dolve, D.Sc.

1955
Dean W. F. Sudro, D.Sc.
Newell P. Beckwith, D.Sc.

1956
Roy Johnson, D.Sc.

1957
John Haw, D.Sc.

1958
Dr. Melvin Brodhaug, Litt.D.
Duke deVallombrosa, LL.D.

1959
Donald Fletcher, D.Sc.
James B. Konen, D.Sc.

1960
T. E. Stoa, D.Sc.
Robert B. Parrott, LL.D.

1961
E. J. Haslerud, D.Sc.

1962
Charles E. Kellogg, D.Sc.
H. H. Flor, D.Sc.
George E. Abbott, D.Sc.
Edward A. Steinhaus, D.Sc.

1963
Dr. Irvamae Applegate, D.Sc.
Dr. Hilton M. Briggs, D.Sc.
Dr. Patrick H. Costello, D.Sc.
Dr. James Scott Long, D.Sc.

1964
Reuben W. Askanase, LL.D.
W. B. Baker, LL.D.
Ernest J. George, D.Sc.
Clarence F. Kelly, D.Sc.

1965
Dr. Marlin George Cline, D.Sc.
H. Christine Finlayson, D.Sc.
Justice Samuel Freedman, LL.D.
Lois Phillips Hudson, Litt.D.
Alvin A. Johnson, D.Agr.
Dr. Lyle W. Phillips, D.Sc.
Clarice Gulickson Taylor, D.Sc.
Lawrence Welk, D.Mus.

1966
Harold B. Bachman, D.Mus.
Dr. Leon O. Jacobson, D.Sc.
Robert Pearson, D.Sc.
Glenn J. Talbott, D.Agr.
Vernon O. Trygstad, D.Sc.

Special Convocation
Dec. 15, 1966
General Harold K. Johnson, L.H.D.

1967
Patrick E. Haggerty, D.Sc.
Dr. E. F. Knipling, D.Sc.
Dr. Casper I. Nelson, D.Sc.
Dr. O. Meredith Wilson, L.H.D.

1968
C. N. Nelson, D.Sc.
Charles R. Walgreen, Jr., D.Sc.

During Inaugural
April 11, 1969
Dr. Clifford M. Hardin, D.Sc.

1969
Clifford H. Willson, D.Sc.

1970
Gilmore T. Schjeldahl, D.Sc.
Senator Milton R. Young, D.Sc.

1971
Lawrence B. Hall, D.Sc.
George A. Rogler, D.Sc.

1972
Dr. H. R. Albrecht, D.Sc.
Clyfford Still, D.F.A.

1973
William L. Guy, LL.D.
Dr. G. Wilson Hunter, D.Sc.

1974
Miss Mercedes Bates, D.Sc.
Dr. Reinhard Wolff, D.Sc.

1975
Miss Peggy Lee, D.Mus.
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1976
Paul M. Gallagher, LL.D.
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Satenig S. St. Marie, LL.D.

1977
Albert Doerr, D.Sc.
Harold Schafer, LL.D.
Larry Alfred Woiwode, Litt.D.

1978
Mark Andrews, LL.D.
Dr. David Schindler, D.Sc.

1979
Roland F. Harding, D.Sc.

1980
Quentin N. Burdick, LL.D.
Dr. Beverly Pfeifer Lynch, Litt.D.
1981
M. Truman Fossum, D.Sc.
Louis L’Amour, Litt.D.
John L. McCormick, Jr., LL.D.
1982
Katherine K. Burgum, D.Sc.
Dr. Robert W. Coon, D.Sc.
1983
1984
Brynild Haugland, LL.D.
1985
Edwin M. Anderson, D.Sc.
John H. Ladish, D.Sc.
1986
James H. Critchfield, D.Sc.
Richard P. Critchfield, L.H.D.
William A. Schlosman, LL.D.
1987
Robert M. Hendrickson, LL.D.
1988
Dr. Marvin E. Jensen, D.Sc.
Glen J. Schoessow, D.Sc.
1989
Howard M. Olson, D.Sc.
1990
Warren B. Diederich, D.Sc.
Fred B. Scheel, L.H.D.
William J. Grosz, D.Sc.
David M. Gipp, L.L.D.
C. Warner Litten, LL.D.
Donald J. Kenna, D.Sc.
Harold J. Klosterman, D.Sc.
Anne Stegner, LL.D.
Glenn S. Smith, D.Sc.
Stanley W. Bale, D.Sc.
1991
Lloyd Thompson, D.Sc.
1992
Aldrich C. Bloomquist, D.Sc.
Harvey K. Nelson, D.Sc.
Art Bunker, LL.D.
1993
Dr. Robert O. Brandenburg, D.Sc.
William C. Marcil, Litt.D.
George A. Sinner, L.H.D.
1994
Jean Mason Guy, L.H.D.
Peter Schickele, D.F.A.
1995
Dr. Jack F. Carter, D.Sc.
Robert N. Spolum, LL.D.
1996
Dr. Philip E. Austin, LL.D.
1998, May
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Ronald D. Offutt, LL.D.
1998, December
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1999, May
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1999, December
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2000, May
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2000, December
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2001, May
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2001, December
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2002, May
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2003, May
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2004, December
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2005, May
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2006, May
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2006, December
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2007, May
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2007, December
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2008, May
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2008, December
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2010, May
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2010, December
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2012, December
Gregg Halverson, D.Agr.

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D.Agr. Agriculture
D.F.A. Fine Arts
D.Hum.Litt. Humane Letters
D.Mus. Music
D.Sc. Science
D.Sc. in Mil. Sci. Military Science
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L.H.D. Humanities
Litt.D. Letters
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Dr. Thomas Isern
University Distinguished Professor of History and Religion
Dr. Kalpana Katti
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Dr. William Perrizo
University Distinguished Professor of Computer Science
Dr. Larry Reynolds
University Distinguished Professor of Animal Science
Dr. William Wilson
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President of Faculty Senate
Kylie Artz
Student Speaker
Tyler Raad
Student Soloist

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Candidate Marshal
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Candidate Marshal
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Candidate Marshal
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Congratulations on earning your degree. You may not notice the difference, but today, along with your colleagues, you have become alumni. For you, one era has passed; another is about to begin.

You are a member of the Bison family and will continue to carry the reputation of North Dakota State University through your activities and accomplishments. You exemplify the results of a good education: a critical mind, a discerning spirit, higher values, a sense of commitment and the privilege of service.

By virtue of graduation, you are a member of the Alumni Association. We will provide you a continued NDSU connection with information, services, events, Bison Pride items and a Career Center link. Services include an online directory listing your classmates, Web postcards, screensavers, event information, City Ambassadors to assist with relocation questions and e-mail forwarding. Also, like us on Facebook at facebook.com/ndsu.fargo, follow us on Twitter (@ndsunews) and join our LinkedIn group (NDSUAlumni). We hope these resources help you to stay in touch with your friends and classmates.

Your Alumni Association works closely with the NDSU Career Center to provide alumni services such as CAREERlink, an alumni job board, invitation to attend career fairs and access to online resources continue for all graduates. Alumni within five (5) years of graduation also have access to one-on-one resume critiques, cover letter reviews, interview preparation and job search strategies. All of the Alumni Association and Career Center services can be found at www.ndsalumni.com.

As alumni, you can assist the university in many ways. You can recruit highly qualified students, like yourself. You can proudly represent NDSU through personal and occupational achievements. You can give back financially through the Development Foundation. You can work in a volunteer capacity to coordinate special events conducted across the United States and internationally.

To you, your family, friends and those who helped you arrive here today, we extend our best wishes. You are joining a great family of more than 80,000 NDSU alumni working together to make a difference around the world. Welcome to the Alumni Association.

Go Bison!

Wayne Schluchter, BS ’82
Chair, Alumni Association

Sherri Schmidt, BS ’83
Vice President, Alumni Association
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Ho, a cheer for green and yellow
Up with yellow and the green,
They're the shades that deck our prairies
Far and wide with glorious sheen,
Fields of waving green in springtime
Golden yellow in the fall —
How the great high-arching heaven
Looks and laughs upon it all.

Words by A.E. Minard
Music by Dr. C.S. Putnam

Oh, say can you see by the dawn's early light,
What so proudly we hailed at the twilight's last gleaming?
Whose broad stripes and bright stars, thru the perilous fight,
O'er the ramparts we watched, were so gallantly streaming?
And the rockets' red glare, the bombs bursting in air,
Gave proof through the night that our flag was still there.
Oh, say does that star-spangled banner yet wave
O'er the land of the free and the home of the brave?