## **Events of the Weekend**

### THURSDAY, MAY 15

### 9 p.m.

## SENIOR CLASS PRAYER SERVICE AND LAST VISIT TO THE BASILICA AND GROTTO

Basilica of the Sacred Heart and Grotto of Our Lady of Lourdes

### FRIDAY, MAY 16

### 11 a.m. - 1 p.m.

# MINOR IN EUROPEAN STUDIES RECOGNITION BRUNCH HOSTED BY THE NANOVIC INSTITUTE FOR EUROPEAN STUDIES

by invitiation only Morris Inn — Donors' Room

### 11 a.m. - 2 p.m.

## DEPARTMENT OF SOCIOLOGY OPEN HOUSE BUFFET BRUNCH

Flanner Hall - Rooms 810 and 824

### 11:30 a.m.

## GRADUATION LUNCHEON HONORING HESBURGH PROGRAM SENIORS

Hesburgh Program graduating seniors and their parents or two quests

 $La Fortune \ Student \ Center-Ballroom$ 

### Noon

# DEPARTMENT OF ROMANCE LANGUAGES AND LITERATURES RECEPTION AND RECOGNITION CEREMONY

 $Washington\ Hall-Auditorium$ 

### Noon

### RESIDENCE HALLS

available for check-in to parents and guests (Registration and payment required.)

### 2 – 3 p.m.

## COLLEGE OF ARTS AND LETTERS HONORS CONVOCATION

honoring summa cum laude Graduates and College and Departmental Award Winners

 $De Bartolo\ Performing\ Arts\ Center-Leighton\ Concert\ Hall$ 

### 2 - 4:30 p.m.

## MENDOZA COLLEGE OF BUSINESS UNDERGRADUATE RECOGNITION CEREMONY

ACCT, FIN, MARK, MGTC, MGTE, and MIS Joyce Center — South Dome

### 2 – 5 p.m.

### GRADUATE SCHOOL OPEN HOUSE

for all graduate faculty, staff, graduating students, and their quests

 $Main\ Building-5th\ Floor$ 

### 3 – 5 p.m.

## COLLEGE OF ARTS AND LETTERS HONORS RECEPTION

honoring summa cum laude, magna cum laude, and cum laude Graduates and College and Departmental Award Winners

DeBartolo Performing Arts Center - Front Lawn

### 3 - 5 p.m.

## EDUCATION, SCHOOLING, AND SOCIETY RECEPTION

 $LaFortune\ Student\ Center-Notre\ Dame\ Room$ 

### 4 - 5:30 p.m.

### SENIOR HISTORY RECEPTION

for graduating majors, their guests, and faculty (Short program to begin at 4:30 p.m.) South Dining Hall — Oak Room

### 4 - 6 p.m.

## DEPARTMENT OF EAST ASIAN LANGUAGES AND CULTURES AWARD CEREMONY

DeBartolo Hall - Room 102

### 4 – 6 p.m.

### DEPARTMENT OF PSYCHOLOGY RECEPTION

for graduating seniors, their guests, and faculty North Quad

### 4 - 6 p.m.

## ECONOMICS FACULTY RECEPTION FOR ECONOMICS MAJORS

hosted jointly by the Department of Economics and Econometrics and the Department of Economics and Policy Studies

Morris Inn

### 4 - 6 p.m.

### UNIVERSITY WRITING CENTER OPEN HOUSE

for graduating seniors, their guests, and faculty Coleman-Morse Center — Room 203

### 4:30

### PI SIGMA ALPHA AWARD CEREMONY

DeBartolo Hall — Room 141

### 4:30 - 6 p.m.

## KELLOGG INSTITUTE FOR INTERNATIONAL STUDIES AWARD CEREMONY AND RECEPTION

for Graduating Latin American Studies minors and International Scholars, their familes and friends of the Institute. Award presentation begins at 5 p.m. Hesburgh Center for International Studies —Auditorium

### 5 – 6:30 p.m.

## ARTS AND LETTERS PREPROFESSIONAL RECOGNITION CEREMONY

DeBartolo Hall — Room 101

### 5:30 p.m.

### COMMENCEMENT BAND CONCERT

Free and open to the public

Tickets required and available at DeBartolo Performing Arts Center Box Office

DeBartolo Performing Arts Center — Leighton Concert Hall

### 5:30 - 6:30 p.m.

### ALUMNI ASSOCIATION LEGACY RECEPTION

All class of 2008 graduates who are legacies are invited to attend with their families Eck Visitor's Center

### 5:30 – 8 p.m.

### **BUFFET STYLE DINNER**

South Dining Hall

(Tickets must be purchased in advance per information and ticket procurement procedures.)

### 6 - 7:30 p.m.

### KROC INSTITUTE UNDERGRADUATE RECEPTION

for Peace Studies undergraduates and guests Hesburgh Center for International Studies — Auditorium and Great Hall

### 6 - 8 p.m.

## DEPARTMENT OF AFRICANA STUDIES RECOGNITION CEREMONY

South Dining Hall – Hospitality Room

### 7 p.m.

### LATINO RECOGNITION CEREMONY

Washington Hall (Reception to follow: LaFortune Student Center — Ballroom)

### 8 p.m.

### COMMENCEMENT MUSIC DEPARTMENT CONCERT

Featuring the Notre Dame Chorale and Chamber Orchestra and soloists from the graduating class.

Free and open to the public

Tickets required and available at DeBartolo Performing Arts Center Box Office

DeBartolo Performing Arts Center — Leighton Concert Hall

### 8 p.m.

## LITURGICAL CHOIR COMMENCEMENT CONCERT

University of Notre Dame Liturgical Choir Open to the public Basilica of the Sacred Heart

### 8 p.m.

### ENGLISH MAJORS END OF YEAR CELEBRATION

open to all majors and their families McKenna Hall — Auditorium and Concourse

### 9 p.m. – 1 a.m.

### GRADUATION DANCE

Joyce Center — North Dome

Casual Attire

(Professional photographer available for group pictures)

### SATURDAY, May 17

### 9 a.m.

## GRADUATE DEGREE CANDIDATES ASSEMBLE FOR THE GRADUATE SCHOOL COMMENCEMENT CEREMONY

 ${\it Joyce Center-Auxiliary Gym (across from the basketball offices)}$ 

### 9 - 10:30 a.m.

### ROTC COMMISSIONING CEREMONY

DeBartolo Performing Arts Center — Leighton Hall (Reception to follow: Pasquerilla Center) (Tickets required for ceremony)

### 9:30 - 10:30 a.m.

## SCIENCE PREPROFESSIONAL STUDIES RECOGNITION CEREMONY

DeBartolo Hall Auditorium — Room 101

### 9:30 - 11:30 a.m.

## DEPARTMENT OF PHILOSOPHY BRUNCH RECEPTION AND RECOGNITION CEREMONY

Decio Faculty Hall – Decio Commons

### 9:30 - 11:30 a.m.

## GENDER STUDIES PROGRAM GRADUATION RECEPTION

West of O'Shaughnessy Hall — South Quad (Inclement weather location: O'Shaughnessy Hall — Great Hall)

### 9:30 – noon

## DEPARTMENT OF GERMAN AND RUSSIAN LANGUAGES AND LITERATURES CONVOCATION

 $LaFortune\ Student\ Center-Notre\ Dame\ Room$ 

### 10 a.m.

### AFRICAN AMERICAN PRAYER SERVICE

Keenan/Stanford Chapel

### 10 a.m.

## GRADUATE SCHOOL COMMENCEMENT CEREMONY AND CONFERRING OF DEGREES

 $Joyce\ Center-South\ Dome$ 

(Reception to follow: DeBartolo Performing Arts Center — front lawn)

### 10 a.m. - noon

## DEBARTOLO PERFORMING ARTS CENTER OPEN HOUSE

### 10 a.m. – noon

### DEPARTMENT OF ANTHROPOLOGY RECEPTION

Center for Continuing Education Atrium in McKenna Hall

### 10 a.m. – 2 p.m.

### LATINO STUDIES OPEN HOUSE AND RECEPTION

McKenna Hall – Room 230

### 11 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

## COLLEGE OF SCIENCE COLLEGIATE SEQUENCE RECOGNITION CEREMONY

Hesburgh Library Auditorium

### 11 a.m. – 2 p.m.

### FOOD MARKET LUNCH

South Dining Hall Food Market

(Tickets must be purchased in advance; degree candidates with valid meal certification need not purchase a ticket.)

### 11:30 a.m.

## ALLIANCE FOR CATHOLIC EDUCATION RECEPTION AND LUNCH

Morris Inn - Irish Courtyard

### 11:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

### PHI BETA KAPPA INSTALLATION

DeBartolo Hall Auditorium — Room 101 (Initiates are requested to arrive at 11 a.m.)

### Noon – 1 p.m.

## SCHOOL OF ARCHITECTURE GRADUATION OPEN HOUSE

Bond Hall Foyer

### Noon - 2 p.m.

## DEPARTMENT OF ART, ART HISTORY AND DESIGN RECEPTION

for graduating MA/MFA/BFA/BA Students
Riley Hall of Art — Front Lawn (Inclement weather location
— Riley Hall of Art — First Floor)

### Noon - 2 p.m.

### PRESIDENT'S OFFICE COMPLEX OPEN

Main Building — Room 400 (Fr. Jenkins will not be present.)

### 12:30 p.m.

## DEPARTMENT OF CHEMISTRY AND BIOCHEMISTRY LUNCHEON RECEPTION

Jordan Hall of Science — Galleria (Ceremony to follow: Jordan Hall of Science — Room 101)

### 12:30 – 2 p.m.

## DEPARTMENT OF PHYSICS LUNCHEON AND AWARDS

Nieuwland Science Hall — Room 202

### 1 p.m.

## ECHO FAITH FORMATION LEADERSHIP PROGRAM RECEPTION

In conjunction with the Center for Social Concerns Service Send-Off Ceremony (See listing for CSC)

### 1 p.m.

### SERVICE SEND-OFF CEREMONY

DeBartolo Performing Arts Center — Leighton Concert Hall (Reception to follow: DeBartolo Performing Arts Center — front lawn)

(Tickets available at Center for Social Concerns)

### 1 p.m.

## ASIAN AND PACIFIC ISLANDER RECOGNITION CEREMONY

Snite Museum of Art-Annenberg Auditorium (Reception to follow: Legends of Notre Dame)

### 1 – 3 p.m.

## DEPARTMENT OF FILM, TELEVISION, AND THEATRE RECEPTION

for graduating seniors and their families DeBartolo Performing Arts Center — Philbin Theatre

### 1:30 - 2:30 p.m.

## SCHOOL OF ARCHITECTURE RECOGNITION CEREMONY

Bond Hall — Front Steps (Inclement weather location:  $DeBartolo\ Hall\ - Room\ 101$ )

### 1:30 - 3:30 p.m.

## MEDIEVAL INSTITUTE CEREMONY AND RECEPTION

for undergraduate and graduate students in Medieval Studies

Alumni Hall — Chapel

### 2 - 3 p.m.

## DEPARTMENT OF AEROSPACE AND MECHANICAL ENGINEERING RECOGNITION CEREMONY

Washington Hall (Reception immediately following: Fitzpatrick Hall — 1st floor)

### 2 - 3:30 p.m.

## DEPARTMENT OF MATHEMATICS CEREMONY AND RECEPTION

Nieuwland Science Hall - Room 127 (Reception to follow: Hurley Building - Memorial Hall -1st Floor)

### 2 - 4:15 p.m.

## KROC INSTITUTE M.A. RECOGNITION CEREMONY AND RECEPTION

for peace studies graduate students and guests Hesburgh Center for International Studies — Auditorium and Great Hall

### 3 - 3:45 p.m.

### PRESIDENT'S RECEPTION

by the President of the University — the Eck Center Degree candidates, their families and guests are cordially invited to attend

### 3 - 4:15 p.m.

### INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS RECEPTION

International students and their parents are cordially invited to attend

Center for Continuing Education Atrium in McKenna Hall

### 4:20 p.m.

# DEGREE CANDIDATES ASSEMBLE FOR THE ACADEMIC PROCESSION FOR THE COMMENCEMENT MASS

Joyce Center -

BA, MNA/MBA/MS-ACCT, and SC – Gymnasium above

 ${\it Gate~8~(Degree~candidates~enter~Gate~8)}$ 

AL – Gymnasium above Gate 10 (Degree candidates enter Gate 8)

### ARCH, EG, LAW, MA/MS, and Ph.D. - Auxiliary

 $Gymnasium\ (Degree\ candidates\ enter\ Gate\ 2)$ 

Guests Enter Gate 10

All doors open at 3:45 p.m.

### 4:40 p.m.

### ACADEMIC PROCESSION

Joyce Center — South Dome (Cap and gown attire required.)

### 5 – 6:30 p.m.

### COMMENCEMENT MASS

 $Joyce\ Center-South\ Dome$ 

### 6:45 – 8 p.m.

### GRADUATION DINNER

Joyce Center — North Dome and North Dining Hall (Tickets must be purchased in advance per information and ticket procurement procedures.)

### 7 p.m.

### NATIVE AMERICAN RECOGNITION CEREMONY

Legends of Notre Dame

### 9 p.m.

### GLEE CLUB COMMENCEMENT CONCERT

University of Notre Dame Glee Club

DeBartolo Performing Arts Center — Leighton Concert Hall Tickets available at DeBartolo Performing Arts Center Box Office

### SUNDAY, May 18

### 8:30 a.m. – 1:30 p.m. BUFFET BRUNCH

North and South Dining Halls (Tickets must be purchased in advance; degree candidates with valid meal certification need not purchase a ticket.)

### 8:30 a.m.

### AFRICAN AMERICAN RECOGNITION CEREMONY

Washington Hall (Reception to follow: LaFortune Student Center — Ballroom)

### 9 a.m.

### MENDOZA COLLEGE OF BUSINESS GRADUATE PROGRAMS DIPLOMA CEREMONY: EMBA, MBA, MS IN ACCOUNTANCY, AND MNA

Hesburgh Library Reflecting Pool

### 9 – 10:30 a.m.

## DEPARTMENT OF POLITICAL SCIENCE RECOGNITION CEREMONY

DeBartolo Performing Arts Center — Leighton Concert Hall (Seniors must request tickets in advance from the department.)

### 9 – 11 a.m.

## DEPARTMENT OF COMPUTER SCIENCE AND ENGINEERING RECOGNITION CEREMONY

 $DeBartolo\ Hall-Room\ 102$ 

### 9 – 11 a.m.

### SENIORS THEOLOGY BRUNCH

Residence of Professor Larry Cunningham

### 9:30 - 10:30 a.m.

## DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCE RECEPTION

Galvin Life Science — Room 115B

### 9:30 - 11:30 a.m.

### PROGRAM OF LIBERAL STUDIES BUFFET BRUNCH

North Dining Hall

(Tickets must be purchased in advance; degree candidates with valid meal certification need not purchase a ticket.)

#### 10 a.m.

### LAW SCHOOL COMMENCEMENT PRAYER SERVICE

Basilica of the Sacred Heart (Admission by ticket only)

### 10 a.m. – noon

## DEPARTMENT OF CIVIL ENGINEERING AND GEOLOGICAL SCIENCES RECOGNITION CEREMONY

DeBartolo Hall — Room 155

### 10 a.m. – noon

## DEPARTMENT OF ELECTRICAL ENGINEERING RECOGNITION CEREMONY

DeBartolo Hall — Room 141

### 10:30 - 11:30 a.m

## DEPARTMENT OF AMERICAN STUDIES GRADUATION RECEPTION

South Dining Hall – Oak Room

### 10:30 - 11:45 a.m.

## DEPARTMENT OF BIOLOGICAL SCIENCES RECOGNITION CEREMONY

Washington Hall (Reception to follow)

### 10:30 - noon

## DEPARTMENT OF CLASSICS RECOGNITION CEREMONY AND RECEPTION

South Dining Hall — Reckers Hospitality Room

### 11 a.m.

## DEPARTMENT OF CHEMICAL AND BIOMOLECULAR ENGINEERING RECOGNITION CEREMONY

Hesburgh Library Auditorium

### 12:30 p.m.

### DISTRIBUTION OF BACHELOR DIPLOMAS

Joyce Center — North Dome. Degree Candidates only — enter Gate 3.

Guests may begin entering Gate 10.

### 1:25 p.m.

### ACADEMIC PROCESSION

Joyce Center — North Dome (Cap and gown attire required.)

### 2 – 4 p.m.

## UNIVERSITY COMMENCEMENT CEREMONY AND CONFERRING OF DEGREES

Joyce Center — South Dome (Tickets for admission to the Commenceme

(Tickets for admission to the Commencement Exercises are required for parents and guests.)

### 4 p.m.

### LAW SCHOOL DIPLOMA CEREMONY

Hesburgh Library Reflecting Pool (Inclement weather location: Stepan Center) Graduates are requested to assemble immediately following the Commencement Exercises.

# GRADUATE SCHOOL COMMENCEMENT CEREMONY

SATURDAY, MAY 17, 2008 10 A.M. EDT



JOYCE CENTER - SOUTH DOME

UNIVERSITY OF NOTRE DAME

# Order of Exercises



### **Processional**

### Greeting

Peter D. Holland, PhD. Acting Dean of the Graduate School

### Invocation

Misty Yvonne Schieberle Ph.D. recipient, English

### **Introduction of Speaker**

Thomas G. Burish, Ph.D. Provost of the University

### Commencement Address\*

Marye Anne Fox Chancellor, University of California, San Diego

### The Conferral of Doctoral Degrees

Mark W. Roche, Ph.D. Dean of the College of Arts and Letters

Peter K. Kilpatrick, Ph.D. Dean of the College of Engineering

Joseph P. Marino, Ph.D. Dean of the College of Science

## Presentation of the James A. Burns, C.S.C. Award

Reverend John I. Jenkins, C.S.C. President of the University

E. Mark Cummings, Ph.D. Professor of Psychology

Mark A. Stadtherr, Ph.D.
Professor of Chemical and Biomolecular
Engineering

## Recognition of Graduate School Award Recipients

Acting Dean of the Graduate School

Eli J. and Helen Shaheen Graduate School Award

Engineering: Gabriel LeVerne Converse

Humanities: James A. Hussar Science: Jake Beaulieu

Social Science: Elizabeth Hope Blodgett Salafia

Distinguished Graduate Alumnus Award Michael D. Collins, Ph.D. M.A., Creative Writing (1991)

### The Conferral of Master Degrees

Michael N. Lykoudis, M.Arch Dean of the School of Architecture

Dean of the College of Arts and Letters

Dean of the College of Engineering

Dean of the College of Science

### Benediction

Sister Jean Lenz, O.S.F.
Special Assistant, Office of the Vice President-Student Affairs

### Closing of the Convocation

Acting Dean of the Graduate School

### Notre Dame, Our Mother\* - (Alma Mater)

Kristina Marie Schliesman, M.S.M. recipient, Theology

The Notre Dame Concert Band, and Audience

Notre Dame, Our Mother, tender, strong and true Proudly in the heavens gleams thy gold and blue. Glory's mantle cloaks thee, golden is thy fame And our hearts forever praise thee, Notre Dame; And our hearts forever love thee, Notre Dame.

— O'Donnell-Casasanta

### Recessional

It is customary for men, although not for women wearing academic garb, to have their caps removed during the Commencement Address and the singing of the Alma Mater.

# **Doctoral Degrees**

## THE DEGREE OF *PHILOSOPHIAE DOCTOR* ON:

Degree awarded August 8, 2007

### Raymond Bautista Aguas, Metro Manila,

Philippines

Major Subject: Theology

Dissertation: Relating Faith and Political Action: Utopia in the Theology of Gustavo Gutiérrez

Co-Directors: Dr. Mary C. Doak and

Dr. Robert A. Krieg

### Clayton Porter Arango, Ellensburg, Washington

Major Subject: Biological Sciences

Dissertation: Anthropogenic and Landscape Factors Control Stream Nitrogen Transformations

at Multiple Spatial Scales

Director: Dr. Jennifer Leah Tank

### Leilani A. Arthurs, Kurtistown, Hawaii

Major Subject: Civil Engineering and Geological

Sciences

Dissertation: Towards a Quantitative Understanding of the Complex Interactions Between Natural Organic Matter, Heavy Metals,

and Goethite

Director: Dr. Patricia Ann Maurice

### Paul Raymond Brenner, South Bend, Indiana

Major Subject: Computer Science and Engineering Dissertation: Parallel Algorithms and Distributed

Systems for Computational Biophysics Director: Dr. Jesús A. Izaguirre

### Kamthorn Chailuek, Phatthalung, Thailand

Major Subject: Mathematics

Dissertation: An Extension of Bergman Spaces and

Their Toeplitz Operators Director: Dr. Brian C. Hall

### Jesse David Covington, Quincy, California

Major Subject: Political Science

Dissertation: Taken on Faith: The Concept of Religion in First Amendment Jurisprudence

Director: Dr. Donald P. Kommers

### Sarah Christian Davis-Secord, Saint Louis,

Missouri

Major Subject: History

Dissertation: Sicily and the Medieval

Mediterranean: Communication Networks and

Inter-Regional Exchange

Director: Dr. Olivia Remie Constable

### Pascal René Peter Deboeck, Arlington,

Virginia

Major Subject: Psychology

Dissertation: Smoothing-Independent Estimation

of a Linear Differential Equation Model Co-Directors: Dr. Steven M. Boker and

Dr. Scott E. Maxwell

### Michael Eugene DeGruccio, Sacramento,

California

Major Subject: History

Dissertation: Unmade: American Manhood in the

Civil War Era

Director: Dr. Gail Bederman

### Coura Rosalie Nicole Diène, Dakar, Senegal

Major Subject: Chemistry

Dissertation: Progress Towards the Syntheses of Ambruticin and Its Putative Biosynthetic

Intermediate

Director: Dr. Richard E. Taylor

### Travis Andrew Eisenhour, Syracuse, Indiana

Major Subject: Aerospace and Mechanical

Engineering

Dissertation: Experimental and Numerical Investigations of the Bending Characteristics of

Laminated Steel

Director: Dr. Edmundo Corona

### Panteleimon Eleftherios Eleftheriou,

Thessaloniki, Greece

Major Subject: Mathematics

Dissertation: Groups Definable in Linear

**O-Minimal Structures** 

Director: Dr. Sergei Starchenko

### Rita George Tvrtkovic, Chicago, Illinois

Major Subject: Theology

Dissertation: The Ambivalence of Interreligious Experience: Riccoldo da Monte Croce's Theology of

Islam

Director: Dr. Joseph P. Wawrykow

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### Timothy Edward Workman Gloege, Minneapolis,

Minnesota

Major Subject: History

Dissertation: Consumed: Reuben A. Torrey and the Construction of Corporate Fundamentalism

Director: Dr. George M. Marsden

### Craig Matthew Goehler, Palatine, Illinois

Major Subject: Aerospace and Mechanical

Engineering

Dissertation: Design of a Humanoid Shoulder-

Elbow Complex

Director: Dr. Michael M. Stanisic

### Yingqiong Gu, Shanghai, People's Republic of China

Major Subject: Physics

Dissertation: Theoretical Investigation of Triaxial Strong Deformation and Tidal Waves in Nuclei

Director: Dr. Stefan G. Frauendorf

### **Ling He**, Changzhou, People's Republic of China Major Subject: Aerospace and Mechanical

Engineering

Dissertation: Three-Dimensional Thermoelastic Contact of Isotropic and Anisotropic Materials

Director: Dr. Timothy C. Ovaert

### Weiqiang Huang, Henan,

People's Republic of China Major Subject: Chemistry

Dissertation: Synthetic Studies on Carbocyclic

Nucleosides

Director: Dr. Marvin J. Miller

### Natalia Maria Imperatori-Lee, Bronx, New York

Major Subject: Theology

Dissertation: The Use of Marian Imagery in Catholic Ecclesiology Since Vatican II Director: Dr. Mary Catherine Hilkert

### Emilia N. Ivanova-Hartland, Sofia, Bulgaria

Major Subject: Biochemistry

Dissertation: Manganese-Dependent Ribozymes in the 3'-UTR of mRNAs VgRBP40 Interaction with

Vg1 mRNA

Director: Dr. Paul W. Huber

### Benjamin F. Jones, Salt Lake City, Utah

Major Subject: Mathematics

Dissertation: On the Singular Chern Classes of

Schubert Varieties via Small Resolution

Director: Dr. Samuel R. Evens

### Matthew Patrick Larner, Indianapolis, Indiana

Major Subject: Sociology

Dissertation: The American Worker in Transition: Insecurity, the Individualization of Work, and Job

Values in the 1990s

Director: Dr. David S. Hachen, Jr.

### Jozsef Andras Libal, Cluj-Napoca, Romania

Major Subject: Physics

Dissertation: Simulation Studies of

Nonequilibrium Collective Phenomena in Colloids

Director: Dr. Boldizsár Jankó

### Matthew David Lynx, Hammond, Indiana

Major Subject: Biological Sciences

Dissertation: An Investigation into 3'-Azido-3'-Deoxythymidine Toxicity: Inhibition of Thymidine

Phosphorylation

Director: Dr. Edward E. McKee

### Daniel Aaron Machiela, South Bend, Indiana

Major Subject: Theology

Dissertation: The Genesis Apocryphon (1Q20): A Reevaluation of Its Text, Interpretive Character,

and Relationship to the Book of Jubilees Director: Dr. James C. VanderKam

### Daniel Jon McKaughan, Eugene, Oregon

Major Subject: History and Philosophy of Science Dissertation: Toward a Richer Vocabulary for

**Epistemic Attitudes** 

Director: Dr. Don A. Howard

### Beth Anne McNally, Necedah, Wisconsin

Major Subject: Biochemistry

Dissertation: Use of Synthetic Transporters to Facilitate Anion Transport Across Vesicle and Cell

Membranes

Director: Dr. Bradley D. Smith

### Kathleen Margaret Nicholls, Auckland,

New Zealand

Major Subject: Political Science

Dissertation: Europeanizing Responses to Labor Market Challenges in Greece, Ireland, and Portugal: The Importance of Consultative and

Incorporative Policy-Making

Director: Dr. Frances Hagopian

### George P. Nora, Tiskilwa, Illinois

Major Subject: Chemistry

Dissertation: The Synthesis and *In Vitro* Testing of Structurally Novel Isoxazolidine Antibacterial Agents *via* an Acylnitroso Diels-Alder Reaction

Director: Dr. Marvin J. Miller

### Lideth Ortega-Villalobos, Arcadia, California

Major Subject: Psychology

Dissertation: Confirmation of the Structure and Validity of the Multicultural Supervision Inventory Co-Directors: Dr. Thomas V. Merluzzi and

Dr. Donald B. Pope-Davis

### Harsh Vardhan Pant, Almora, Uttarakhand, India

Major Subject: Political Science

Dissertation: Nuclear Proliferation in South Asia and Middle East: The Centrality of Enduring

Rivalries

Director: Dr. Keir A. Lieber

Neal Manu Patel, Lakeland, Florida

Major Subject: Aerospace and Mechanical

Engineering

Dissertation: Crashworthiness Design Using

Topology Optimization Director: Dr. John E. Renaud

John Perry, Winnipeg, Manitoba, Canada

Major Subject: Theology

Dissertation: Subverting the Republic: Christian Faithfulness and Civic Allegiance in John Locke's

America

Director: Dr. Jennifer A. Herdt

Yury Pogorelov, Novosibirsk, Russian Federation

Major Subject: Physics

Dissertation: A Search for the Associated Higgs

Production in the Tau Channel

Co-Directors: Dr. Anna Goussiou and

Dr. Randal C. Ruchti

Heather Brooke Reilly, Newberg, Oregon

Major Subject: Biological Sciences
Dissertation: The Genetic Dissection of
Differential Growth in *Plasmodium flaciparum*and Its Relationship to Chloroquine Drug Selection

Director: Dr. Michael T. Ferdig

Marion Christina Rohrleitner, Hall in Tirol,

Austria

Major Subject: English

Dissertation: Intimate Geographies: Romance and the Rhetoric of Female Desire in Contemporary Historical Fiction by Caribbean American Women

Writers

Co-Directors: Dr. Kate A. Baldwin and

Dr. Glenn S. Hendler

Jennifer S. Ross-Viola, Lake Forest, California

Major Subject: Biological Sciences

Dissertation: The Effect of Soy Isoflavones on Nucleotide, Lipid and Drug Metabolism Co-Directors: Dr. Neil F. Shay and

Dr. JoEllen J. Welsh

Cheman Rachel Roy, Kihei, Hawaii

Major Subject: English

Dissertation: With Universal Applause: The Exotic

and Eighteenth Century Afterpieces Co-Directors: Dr. Seamus F. Deane and

Dr. Margaret A. Doody

Juan Luís Sánchez, San Jose, California

Major Subject: English

Dissertation: Spain, Politics, and the British

Romantic Imagination

Director: Dr. Gregory P. Kucich

Djibril Malick Sangaré, Bamako, Mali

Major Subject: Biological Sciences

Dissertation: Breakpoint Analysis of the Anopheles

gambiae s.s. Chromosome 2Rb, 2Rc, and 2Ru

Inversions

Director: Dr. Frank H. Collins

Timothy Schoenharl, Dayton, Ohio

Major Subject: Computer Science and Engineering Dissertation: Creating, Updating and Validating Simulations in a Dynamic Data-Driven Application

System

Director: Dr. Gregory R. Madey

Xuân Orali Minh Stevens, Jacksonville, Florida

Major Subject: Psychology

Dissertation: Risk and Protective Factors in At-Risk Mothers' and Children's Socioemotional

Adjustment

Director: Dr. John G. Borkowski

Yashan Sun, Wuhan, People's Republic of China

Major Subject: Electrical Engineering

Dissertation: Distributed Coordination of Multi-Agent Systems Based on Estimation over Ad-Hoc

Communication Networks

Director: Dr. Michael D. Lemmon

John Calvin Traver, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

Major Subject: English

Dissertation: The Sense of Amending: Closure, Justice, and the Eighteenth-Century Fictional

Sequel

Director: Dr. Margaret Anne Doody

Teresa Huffman Traver, Rose Hill, Kansas

Major Subject: English

Dissertation: "I Have Not a Home": Catholic

Conversion and English Identity
Director: Dr. Chris R. Vanden Bossche

James Chenkuo Tung, Portland, Oregon

Major Subject: Chemistry

Dissertation: Towards the Synthesis of the

Cornexistins

Director: Dr. Richard E. Taylor

Meggan E. Valrance, South Lyon, Michigan

Major Subject: Biological Sciences

Dissertation: Role of the Vitamin D Receptor in 1,25-Dihydroxyvitamin D<sub>2</sub>-Mediated Growth

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Dissertation: Manus Impositio: The Initiatory Rite of Handlaying in the Churches of Early

Western Christianity

Director: Dr. Maxwell E. Johnson

Walter William Whitehouse, Chicago, Illinois

Major Subject: Theology

Dissertation: The Musical Prelude to Vatican II:

Plainchant, Participation, and Pius X Director: Dr. Nathan D. Mitchell

Justin M. Wozniak, Bartlett, Illinois

Major Subject: Computer Science and Engineering Dissertation: Overdrive Controllers for Distributed

Scientific Computation Director: Dr. Aaron Striegel

Bin Xu, Lincolnshire, Illinois

Major Subject: Computer Science and Engineering Dissertation: New Algorithms for Spatial Data

**Clustering Problems** 

Director: Dr. Danny Z. Chen

Edurne Zoco Sesma, Pamplona, Spain

Major Subject: Political Science

Dissertation: The Collapse of Party Systems in Italy, Peru, and Venezuela: A Cross-Regional

Theory

Director: Dr. Scott P. Mainwaring

# Master Degrees

### THE DEGREE OF MASTER OF DIVINITY ON:

Degree awarded May 17, 2008

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### THE DEGREE OF MASTER OF FINE ARTS ON:

Degree awarded August 8, 2007

Matthew Francis Benedict, Notre Dame, Indiana

Major Subject: English Thesis: Assumption

Director: Prof. William A. O'Rourke

Degree awarded May 17, 2008

Brenna M. Casey, Waterford, New York

Major Subject: English

Thesis: The Map Precedes the Territory: Essays of

Place

Director: Prof. Valerie L. Sayers

Edouard Louis Crago, Metaire, Louisiana

Major Subject: Art Studio Thesis: End of Nature

Director: Rev. Austin I. Collins, C.S.C.

Katherine Erin Cunningham, Cincinnati, Ohio

Major Subject: Art Studio Thesis: With God on Their Side Director: Prof. Richard L. Gray

Christian Andre de Leon, Houston, Texas

Major Subject: Art Studio

Thesis: Documenting the Impermanence of Clay

Director: Dr. Dennis P. Doordan

Kristen Eliason, Cottonwood Heights, Utah

Major Subject: English Thesis: Treatise on Drowning Director: Prof. Joyelle McSweeney Veronica Ann Fitzpatrick, Alexandria, Virginia

Major Subject: English Thesis: Thaumatrope

Director: Prof. Cornelius Eady

Adam Benjamin Fung, Saratoga Springs, New York

Major Subject: Art Studio

Thesis: Wake

Director: Prof. Maria C. Tomasula

Darin Trent Graber, Kokomo, Indiana

Major Subject: English

Thesis: False Peak: A Graveyard Shift Winter in

Telluride

Director: Dr. Steven A. Tomasula

Jarrett Christopher Haley, Jacksonville, Florida

Major Subject: English Thesis: We Americans

Director: Prof. Valerie L. Sayers

Hsiao-Shih Lee, Kaohsiung, Taiwan

Major Subject: English Thesis: Seven Kilograms

Director: Prof. Joyelle McSweeney

Rumit Pancholi, Olney, Maryland

Major Subject: English Thesis: Fist & Urn

Director: Dr. Orlando R. Menes

Michael Perdriel, South Bend, Indiana

Major Subject: Design

Thesis: Social Design: Challenges, Promises,

Models, and Alternatives Director: Prof. Paul A. Down

Susan Blackwell Ramsey, Kalamazoo, Michigan

Major Subject: English Thesis: A Mind Like This Director: Prof. Cornelius Eady

Silpa Swarnapuri, South Bend, Indiana

Major Subject: English Thesis: Tales of the Apocalypse Director: Prof. William A. O'Rourke

Daniel A. Warner, Montrose, Pennsylvania

Major Subject: Design

Thesis: Utopia/Dystopia: An Experiment in Design

Journalism

Director: Prof. Robert P. Sedlack

Christina T. Yu, Niskayuna, New York

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Thesis: Mad, Bad, and Dangerous to Know

Director: Dr. Steven A. Tomasula

## THE DEGREE OF MASTER OF THEOLOGICAL STUDIES ON:

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Major Subject: Theology

Jonathan Mehrings Wessler, South Bend, Indiana

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## THE DEGREE OF MASTER OF ARTS IN EDUCATIONAL ADMINISTRATION ON:

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Thesis: The Need for Cognitive Closure as a Moderator of the Prototype Effect in the Perception

of Discrimination

Director: Dr. Alexandra F. Corning

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Major Subject: Theology

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Reverend Joseph DeGrocco, Huntington,

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Major Subject: Theology

Naomi Vanessa Ekas, Granger, Indiana

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Thesis: Toddlers' Behavioral Strategies with

Mothers and Fathers

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Thesis: Marital Conflict and the Direct and Indirect Link to Specific Social Behaviors in

Children

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Thesis: Interspousal Criticality Bias in Depression

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Major Subject: Economics and Econometrics

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Thesis: Modal Assignment and Post Hoc Testing

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Assignment on Power

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Thesis: An Assessment of the Invariance of the Structure of Coping for European-American and African-American Persons with Cancer

Director: Dr. Thomas V. Merluzzi

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Thesis: Religiosity, Social Support, Divine Support

and Adolescence

Director: Dr. Christian Smith

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Thesis: Local Sequence Alignment as a

Method to Detect Temporal Patterns in Behavioral

Data

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Thesis: Multicultural Teacher Attitudes and Cultural Sensitivity: An Initial Exploration of the Experiences of Individuals in a Unique Alternative

Teacher Certification Program
Director: Dr. Donald B. Pope-Davis

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Thesis: Anger Regulation Mediates the Relation Between Perceptions of Parents and Externalizing

**Behaviors** 

Director: Dr. Darcia F. Narvaez

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Major Subject: Economics and Econometrics

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Thesis: The Function of Cultural Student Clubs in

Student Adjustment to College

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Thesis: Do Individual Differences in Global Social

Support Affect How Daily Support Buffers

Daily Stress?

Director: Dr. Cindy S. Bergeman

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Major Subject: Romance Languages and Literature

Thesis: La Divina Mimesis: Fragments of a

Modern Hell

Director: Dr. John P. Welle

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Major Subject: Psychology

Thesis: Addiction and Volition in Problematic

Internet Use Among College Students Director: Dr. George S. Howard

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Major Subject: Peace Studies

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Thesis: The Best Laid Plans: Bodies, Thwarted Objectives, Stubborn Inequalities and Unexpected

Encounters

Director: Dr. Rory M. McVeigh

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Thesis: Early Adversity and Severe Events:

Sensitizing Factors for Depression

Director: Dr. Scott Monroe

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Major Subject: Art History

Thesis: Picturing Locales of Resistance:

Photographic Representations of the French-

Algerian War

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Major Subject: Sociology

Thesis: Unmasking Heterogeneity: The Impact of Three Increasingly Complex Family Typologies

on Academic Achievement

Director: Dr. David M. Klein

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Major Subject: Political Science

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Major Subject: Romance Languages and Literature

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Thesis: Improving Psychological Research Methods: Another Look at the Psi Phenomenon

Director: Dr. George S. Howard

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Major Subject: Art History

Thesis: Hybridity, Fragmentation, and Translation

in the Embroidered Sculptural Works of Ghada

Amer

Director: Prof. Terri Weissman

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Thesis: Negotiating the Gendered Margins of Modernity: Tamara de Lempicka and Her Iconic

Female Forms

Director: Dr. Kathleen A. Pyne

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Thesis: "Dry" Laws in the American South: A

Social Context of Sustained Policy Director: Dr. Michael R. Welch

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Thesis: New Directions in Editing Renaissance

Drama: Reading, Performance, and the Digital Age

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Major Subject: Art History

Thesis: After Lepanto: Visualizing Time, History,

and Prophecy in the Chronographia of Georgios

Klontzas

Director: Dr. Charles E. Barber

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Major Subject: Peace Studies

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Thesis: Examining Nonlinear Changes of

Coefficients in Time-Varying Dynamic Factor

Models

Director: Dr. Ke-Hai Yuan

### THE DEGREE OF MASTER OF SCIENCE ON:

Degree awarded August 8, 2007

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Thesis: Identification and Modification of the

Internal Protease Cleavage Site in P.93 Pertactin

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Major Subject: Physics

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Major Subject: Biochemistry

Thesis: The Protein C Pathway Exacerbates Eosinophilia in an Acute Asthma Model in Mice

Deficient for the Endothelial Cell Protein C

Receptor

Director: Dr. Francis J. Castellino

Justin Adam Griffiths, Glendale, Wisconsin

Major Subject: Physics

Xiaowen Hou, Jinan, People's Republic of China

Major Subject: Biochemistry

Thesis: Using Molecular Evolution to Dissect the

Structure/Function Relationships of the NPC1 and

NPC2 Proteins (Niemann-Pick Type C)

Director: Dr. Holly V. Goodson

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Major Subject: Biological Sciences

Thesis: Post-Dispersal Sugar Maple (Acer saccharum) Seed Predation by Sciurids and Other

Small Mammals in a Northern Hardwood Forest

Director: Dr. Gary E. Belovsky

Shan Huang, Shanghai, People's Republic of China

Major Subject: Physics

Jennifer Lyn Mason, South Bend, Indiana

Major Subject: Chemistry

Thesis: The Synthesis of Glucosamine-Based Aminoglycosides with Ribosomal A-Site Binding

Potential

Director: Dr. Shahriar Mobashery

Gabriela Pasat, Valcea, Romania

Major Subject: Biochemistry

Thesis: Characterization of the \( \beta\)-Lactam Resistant \( Staphylococcus \) aureus On-Switch: Nuclear Magnetic Resonance Studies of the Sensor

Domain BLARs

Director: Dr. Jeffrey W. Peng

Fang Qi, Shen Zhen, People's Republic of China

Major Subject: Mathematics

Sarah B. Schlobohm, Portage, Indiana

Major Subject: Physics

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Major Subject: Biological Sciences

Thesis: Characterization of Microglial Activation and ID Expression During Retinal Regeneration

Director: Dr. David R. Hyde

Xiaoka Wang, Hubei, People's Republic of China

Major Subject: Biological Sciences

Thesis: Cloning and Characterization of Zebrafish Sill, a Gene Responsible for Night Blindness B

Mutant Zebrafish Director: Dr. Lei Li

Yilin Wu, Guangdong, People's Republic of China

Major Subject: Physics

John S. Zintsmaster, Flushing, Michigan

Major Subject: Chemistry

Thesis: Probing the Evolutionary Dynamics of WW Domains Using the Gaussian Network Model

and Nuclear Magnetic Resonance Director: Dr. Jeffrey W. Peng

Degree awarded January 6, 2008

Stuart M. Ambler, Notre Dame, Indiana

Major Subject: Mathematics

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Major Subject: Physics

Robert Vernon Bruggner, Jr., Havana, Florida

Major Subject: Biological Sciences

Thesis: A System for Integration and Management of Community Annotation for Vectorbase.org

Director: Dr. Frank H. Collins

Joshua Anthony Cole, Bedford, Indiana

Major Subject: Mathematics

Anastasia Grekioti, Athens, Greece

Major Subject: Mathematics

Nicholas Charles Russell, Huntington, Indiana

Major Subject: Biological Sciences

Thesis: Interactions Between the Androgen and Vitamin D Axes in Early Stage Prostate Cancer

Director: Dr. Martin Tenniswood

Tanva Kazakova Salvers, Mishawaka, Indiana

Major Subject: Mathematics

E. O. Stinson, Tallahassee, Florida

Major Subject: Biological Sciences Thesis: Implementation of Vectorbase

Components: EnsEMBL Genome Browser, Search,

and Database Tools

Director: Dr. Frank H. Collins

Sandor Volkan-Kacso, Targu Mures, Romania

Major Subject: Physics

John David Wallbaum, Aurora, Illinois

Major Subject: Mathematics

Pu Wang, Hebei, People's Republic of China

Major Subject: Physics

Katherine Rose Waring, Indian Head, Maryland

Major Subject: Chemistry

Thesis: Natural Product Derivatization Through Nitroso Diels-Alder Reactions

Director: Dr. Marvin J. Miller

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Major Subject: Mathematics

Degree awarded May 17, 2008

Donald James Chapman, Elizabethtown, Kentucky

Major Subject: Chemistry

Thesis: Alkylation and Alkenylation of Tin Zintl

Clusters

Director: Dr. Slavi C. Sevov

Kyle J. Knoepfel, Los Altos, California

Major Subject: Physics

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Thesis: The Role of 7-Hydroxy Group in

Epothilone D

Director: Dr. Richard E. Taylor

THE DEGREE OF MASTER OF SCIENCE IN APPLIED MATHEMATICS ON:

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## THE DEGREE OF MASTER OF SCIENCE IN AEROSPACE ENGINEERING ON:

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## THE DEGREE OF MASTER OF SCIENCE IN CHEMICAL ENGINEERING ON:

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Philip P. Schonewill, South Bend, Indiana

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Thesis: Development of a Hydrodynamic Technique for Rapid Concentration of Dilute

Suspensions

Co-Directors: Dr. Hsueh-Chia Chang and

Dr. David T. Leighton

Degree awarded May 17, 2008

Anees Attarwala, South Bend, Indiana

Thesis: Optimal Process Operations: Valuing Real

Options

Director: Dr. Jeffrey C. Kantor

Sagnik Basuray, West Bengal, India Alexandre Chapeaux, South Bend, Indiana Joshua Alan Enszer, Saginaw, Michigan Lindsay Elizabeth Ficke, Mason, Ohio Anish Gupta, Mumbai, India

Peter David Hoffman, Mishawaka, Indiana

Thesis: Segregation and Self-Assembly of Binary Colloidal Suspensions Under Dielectrophoresis

Director: Dr. Yingxi E. Zhu

Saivenkatarama Jayaraman, South Bend, Indiana Prasad Sarangapani, Mishawaka, Indiana Hangyao Wang, Shaoxing Xian,

People's Republic of China

**Jeremiah David Edward White,** Portland, Michigan

Yanghai Yu, Jiangxi, People's Republic of China Lu Zhang, Shenyang, People's Republic of China

## THE DEGREE OF MASTER OF SCIENCE IN CIVIL ENGINEERING ON:

Degree awarded January 6, 2008

**Luling Yang,** Hulunbeir, People's Republic of China Thesis: Shear Stiffness Modeling of Cemented

Sand

Director: Dr. Lynn Ann Salvati

## THE DEGREE OF MASTER OF SCIENCE IN COMPUTER SCIENCE AND ENGINEERING ON:

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Timothy Raymond Brick, Bridgewater, New Jersey

Thesis: TIDE: A Timing-Sensitive Incremental

Discourse Engine

Co-Directors: Dr. Steven M. Boker and

Dr. Matthias J. Scheutz

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Qi Liao, Shanghai, People's Republic of China

Thesis: Improving Network Insight Through Local

Context Gathering and Analysis Director: Dr. Aaron Striegel

Dinesh Rajan Pandiarajan, Madurai, India

Thesis: Energy Management Mechanisms for

Wireless Real-Time Environments
Director: Dr. Christian Poellabauer

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Thidapat Chantem, Bangkok, Thailand

Thesis: Generalized Elastic Scheduling for Real-

Time Systems

Director: Dr. Xiaobo Sharon Hu

Michael Stephen Crocker, Salem, Oregon

Thesis: Study of Spacings and Defects in Molecular QCA and Design of a QCA-Based Programmable

Logic Array

Director: Dr. Xiaobo Sharon Hu

Jarett Tucker DeAngelis, New York City,

New York

Thesis: Spin-Valve Interface for Magnetic

Quantum Dot Cellular Automata Director: Dr. Xiaobo Sharon Hu

Karen Perry Hollingsworth, Livermore, California

Thesis: Sources of Error in Iris Biometrics Co-Directors: Dr. Kevin W. Bowyer and

Dr. Patrick J. Flynn

Philip Damien Little, Dickinson, North Dakota

Thesis: Online Algorithms for Dynamic Data and

Query Shipping in Object Caching Director: Dr. Amitabh Chaudhary

## THE DEGREE OF MASTER OF SCIENCE IN ELECTRICAL ENGINEERING ON:

Degree awarded August 8, 2007

Matthew Thomas Brennan, Spartanburg,

South Carolina

Thesis: Spatial Diversity Gains in Wireless Sensor Networks Through Controlled Limited Mobility: An

Experimental Approach Director: Dr. Martin Haenggi

Amit Kashyap, Dehradun, India

Thesis: Exploration of Chip Level Architecture of a

Multithreaded PIM System Director: Dr. Jay B. Brockman

Yan Li, Shaanxi, People's Republic of China

Adams N. Tong, Lititz, Pennsylvania

Thesis: Fabrication of Deep-Submicron Complementary Metal-Oxide-Semiconductor

Devices

Director: Dr. Gregory L. Snider

Li Yan, ShiYan, People's Republic of China

Degree awarded January 6, 2008

Ralf Matthias Bendlin, Ransbach-Baumbach,

Germany

**Yu Cao**, Nanjing, People's Republic of China

Thesis: Studies of MBE-Grown Single and Multiple

AlN/GaN Heterojunctions Director: Dr. Debdeep Jena

Kevin D. Goodman, Corydon, Indiana Arthur Vincent Houghton V, Albuquerque,

New Mexico

**David Peter Kopp,** Syracuse, New York **Dhaval Mukesh Shah,** Mumbai, India

Sunil Srinivasa, Bangalore, India

Thesis: Modeling Interference in Uniformly Random Wireless Networks: Theory and

**Applications** 

Director: Dr. Martin Haenggi

**Badri Nath Tiwari,** Kanpur, India **Lei Xiao,** Shanghai, People's Republic of China

Xiu Xing, Taiyuan, People's Republic of China

Thesis: Small-Signal Modeling and Microwave Noise Characterization of In<sub>0.49</sub>Ga<sub>0.51</sub>P/GaAs

**HBTS** 

Director: Dr. Patrick J. Fay

Degree awarded May 17, 2008

Wayne Lewis Buckhanan, Walkerton, Indiana

Hubert George, Miami, Florida

Thesis: Manufacture and Performance of Aluminum Single Electron Transistor for Ultra-Sensitive Charge Fluctuation Measurements

Director: Dr. Gregory L. Snider

Joseph Bruce Herzog, The Woodlands, Texas

Thesis: Infrared Reflectivity Spectroscopy of Short Period AlGaN/GaN Superlattice Optical Phonons

Director: Dr. James L. Merz

Jeremy Herald Hochstedler, Noblesville, Indiana Christian Wolfgang Koller, Muenchen, Germany

Christopher Stockdon Seibert, El Paso, Texas

Thesis: High-Index Contrast AlGaAs Waveguide Scattering Loss Reduction via Oxidation Smoothing of Sidewall Roughness

Director: Dr. Douglas C. Hall

Ze Zhang, Yinchuan, People's Republic of China

Thesis: Fabrication and Characterization of Heterojunction Backward Diodes Based on the

InAs/AlSb/GaSb Material System Director: Dr. Patrick J. Fay

## THE DEGREE OF MASTER OF SCIENCE IN ENVIRONMENTAL ENGINEERING ON:

Degree awarded January 6, 2008

Brenda Read-Daily, Henry, Illinois

Major Subject: Civil Engineering

Thesis: Stimulating Denitrification in Agricultural

Headwater Streams Using Elemental Sulfur

Director: Dr. Robert Nerenberg

Leon Downing, South Bend, Indiana

Major Subject: Civil Engineering

Margaret Martin Dudley, South Bend, Indiana

Major Subject: Civil Engineering

Thesis: Microbial Ecology of Perchlorate-Reducing

Bacteria That Accumulate High Levels of Chlorate

Director: Dr. Robert Nerenberg

## THE DEGREE OF MASTER OF SCIENCE IN MECHANICAL ENGINEERING ON:

Degree awarded August 8, 2007

Jason Michael Mayes, Longview, Texas

Degree awarded January 6, 2008

Williams R. Calderon-Munoz, Los Andes, Chile Matthew Landrigan, South Bend, Indiana

### Jeremy Thurston Newkirk, Spokane, Washington

Thesis: Dynamic Performance Analysis of a Robotic System Using Reliability-Based Design

Optimization

Director: Dr. Alan P. Bowling

Jason Nightingale, Granger, Indiana

Marissa Jade Post, Shakopee, Minnesota Major Subject: Mechanical Engineering

### Brian Joseph Shula, Buxton, Maine

Thesis: Effect of Welding Flaws on the Fatigue Life

of High Strength Steel Structures Director: Dr. Ryan K. Roeder

Hainan Wang, Beijing, People's Republic of China

Degree awarded May 17, 2008

### Julia Ann Henkels, Bethel Park, Pennsylvania

Thesis: Abrasion Resistance Screening of Fibers for Woven Materials Using Atomic Force

Microscopy

Director: Dr. Steven R. Schmid

## THE DEGREE OF MASTER IN MECHANICAL ENGINEERING ON:

Degree awarded January 6, 2008

Cindy Kah Yoke Chiow, Negeri Sembilan, Malaysia

## THE DEGREE OF MASTER OF ARCHITECTURE ON:

Degree awarded May 17, 2008

Erik Ane Bootsma, Baker City, Oregon Paul D. Monson, New York, New York Steven Waters Spandle, Claxton, Georgia Michael John Daniel Suttie, Sydney, Australia

### THE DEGREE OF MASTER OF ARCHITECTURAL DESIGN AND URBANISM ON:

Degree awarded May 17, 2008

Samantha Lynn Salden, Chaska, Minnesota Lenka Schulzová, Jihlava, Czech Republic Jennifer Leigh Stenhouse, Baton Rouge, Louisiana Gabriel Andres Zamora, Houston, Texas



# COMMENCEMENT MASS

SATURDAY, MAY 17, 2008
5 P.M. EDT



JOYCE CENTER-SOUTH DOME

UNIVERSITY OF NOTRE DAME

### THE MINISTERS OF THE MASS

Presiding Celebrant and Homilist Rev. John I. Jenkins, C.S.C. President of the University

### In Attendance

His Eminence Theodore Cardinal McCarrick Archbishop Emeritus, Washington

His Excellence John M. D'Arcy
Diocesan Bishop, Fort Wayne-South Bend

### Masters of Ceremonies

Rev. Paul F. Doyle, c.s.c. Rev. Peter D. Rocca, c.s.c.

### Readers

Reading 1: Ms. Tiara Lizeth Torres Page '08 Reading 2: Mr. Adam Ray Hoock '08

### Intercessions:

English: Ms. Mary Ann Beugelsdijk '08 Italian: Mr. Lawrence Eugene Sullivan '08

Chinese: Ms. Paula Rae Wang '08

Tagalog (Filipino): Mr. Eric Michael Perez Sales '08
French: Mr. Jean Marc Brissau '08
Spanish: Ms. Danielle Espinoza '08

Irish: Mr. Michael Thomas O'Connor '08
English: Ms. Colleen Grace Beeler '08

### Musicians

The University of Notre Dame Concert Band Prof. Kenneth Dye, *Director of Bands* Mr. Samuel Sanchez, *Assistant Director* 

The University of Notre Dame Chorale Dr. Alexander Blachly, *Director* 

The University of Notre Dame Liturgical Choir

Dr. Gail Walton, *Director*Dr. Andrew McShane, *Assistant Director* 

### Cantors

Ms. Angela Elizabeth Theis '08

## COMMENCEMENT MASS

### Vigil Mass for the Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity May 17, 2008

### OPENING RITES

### ACADEMIC PROCESSION

	Alleluia! Laudamus te	Reed
	Ave Verum Corpus	Mozart
	Sine Nomine	Vaughan Williams
PF	ROCESSION OF MINISTERS AND CLERGY	Please stand.

Te Deum ...... Isele

You are God: we praise you;
You are the Lord: we acclaim you;
You are the eternal Father:
all creation worships you.
To you all angels, all the powers of heaven,
Cherubim and Seraphim, sing in endless praise;
"Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might,
Heaven and earth are full of your glory."

The glorious company of apostles praise you.
The noble fellowship of prophets praise you.
The white-robed army of martyrs praise you.
Throughout the world the holy Church acclaims you;
Father of majesty unbounded, true and only Son,
Worthy of all worship, and the Holy Spirit,
advocate and guide.

You, Christ, are the King of Glory, eternal Son of the Father.

When you became man to set us free

You did not disdain the Virgin's womb.
You overcame the sting of death and opened
the kingdom of heaven to all believers.
You are seated at God's right hand in glory.
We believe that you will come, and be our judge.
Come then, Lord, sustain your people,
bought with the price of your own blood
and bring us with your saints to everlasting glory.

Save your people, Lord, and bless your inheritance.
Govern and uphold them now and always.
Day by day we bless you;
We praise your name forever.
Today, Lord, keep us from all sin.
Have mercy on us.
Lord, show us your love and mercy.
For we put our trust in you.
In you, Lord, is our hope, may we never be confounded.

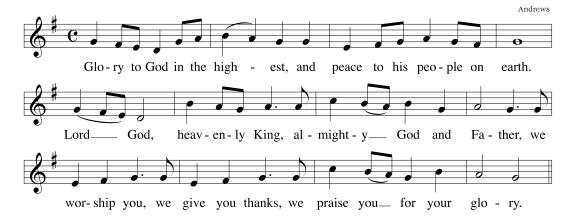
AMEN.

### **GREETING**

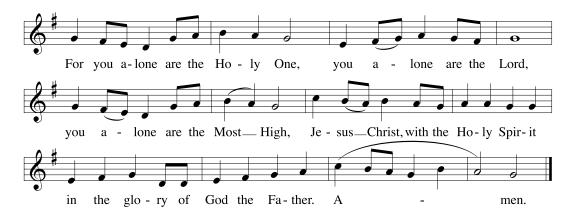
### PENITENTIAL RITE

### **GLORIA**

Please sing at the direction of the cantor.



Cantor/Choir: Lord Jesus Christ...receive our prayer.



### **OPENING PRAYER**

## LITURGY OF THE WORD

**READING I** (read in Spanish)

Exodus 34:4b-6, 8-9

Please be seated.

Early in the morning Moses went up Mount Sinai as the LORD had commanded him, taking along the two stone tablets. Having come down in a cloud, the LORD stood with Moses there and proclaimed his name, "LORD." Thus the LORD passed before him and cried out, "The LORD, the LORD, a merciful and gracious God, slow to anger and rich in kindness and fidelity." Moses at once bowed down to the ground in worship. Then he said, "If I find favor with you, O Lord, do come along in our company. This is indeed a stiff-necked people; yet pardon our wickedness and sins, and receive us as your own."

### RESPONSORIAL CANTICLE

Daniel 3:52-56

Please sing at the direction of the cantor.

Guimont



### **READING II**

2 Corinthians 13:11-13

### **GOSPEL ACCLAMATION**

Please stand and sing at the direction of the cantor.



**GOSPEL** 

John 3:16-18

It is customary for men wearing academic garb, although not for women, to have their caps removed during the Gospel and homily.

### **HOMILY**

Rev. John I. Jenkins, C.S.C. *President of the University* 

Please be seated.

### PROFESSION OF FAITH

Please stand.

We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all that is seen and unseen.

We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only son of God, eternally begotten of the Father, God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, one in Being with the Father. Through Him all things were made. For us and for our salvation He came down from heaven:

All bow at the following words up to: and became man.

by the power of the Holy Spirit He was born of the Virgin Mary, and became man.

For our sake He was crucified under Pontius Pilate; He suffered, died, and was buried.

On the third day He rose again in fulfillment of the Scriptures; He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father.

He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead, and his kingdom will have no end. We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son. With the Father and the Son He is worshipped and glorified. He has spoken through the prophets.

We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church.

We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins.

We look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen.

### **GENERAL INTERCESSIONS**

Response: Lord, hear our prayer.

### Italian [2nd]:

For those who farm and live off the land; for all who work the fields to feed other; for those who suffer the effects of pollution and environmental degradation and for all who strive to protect the environment: let us pray to the Lord.

### Chinese [3rd]:

For peacemakers, for an end to the shedding of blood and every form of terrorism, for victims of war, and for the safety of our men and women in the Armed Services, and for the wellbeing of their families: let us pray to the Lord.

### Tagalog (Filipino) [4th]:

For the poor and for those rejected because of illness, ability, race or ethnicity; and for all those who live on the margins of society without access to basic human rights: let us pray to the Lord.

### French [5th]:

For God's blessings upon the class of 2008 that, as it faces the challenges and opportunities of the years ahead, it may seek first to serve others in the spirit of Christ: let us pray to the Lord.

### Spanish [6th]:

For this University of Our Lady, for all who live, work, study, and do research here, that the mission of Catholic higher education may be a voice of hope in a society seeking wisdom and insight: let us pray to the Lord.

### Irish [7th]:

For the families and friends of our graduates, and in appreciation for their constant love and support over the past years, that God may richly bless them for their generosity of spirit: let us pray to the Lord.

## LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

### PREPARATION OF THE ALTAR AND GIFTS

Please be seated.

### BEARERS OF THE GIFTS

Officers of the Senior Class and their parents

**President** – Bridget Keating **Secretary** – Megan Noreen O'Hara Vice President - Christopher Timothy Doughty
Treasurer - Kathleen Courtney Coverick

Hallelujah unto God's Almighty Son. Praise the Lord, ye bright angelic choirs, in holy songs of joy. Man, proclaim his grace and glory, Hallelujah!

### PRAYER OVER THE GIFTS

### **EUCHARISTIC PRAYER**

#### **PREFACE**

It is customary for men wearing academic garb, although not for women, to have their caps removed during the Eucharistic Prayer.

The caps may be replaced at the end of Communion.

#### **SANCTUS**



#### MEMORIAL ACCLAMATION

Please sing at the direction of the cantor.

Proulx



#### **GREAT AMEN**

Please sing at the direction of the cantor.

Proulx



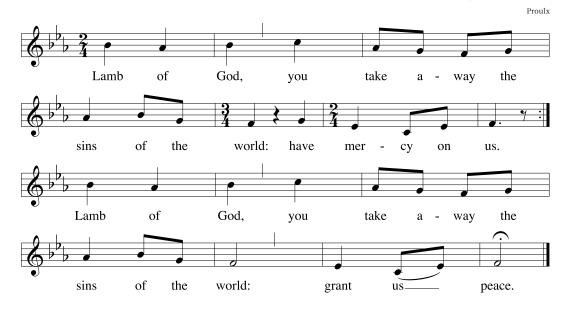
### **COMMUNION RITE**

#### LORD'S PRAYER

#### SIGN OF PEACE

#### **AGNUS DEI**

Please sing at the direction of the cantor.



#### **COMMUNION**

Those who wish to receive are asked to remain in their seats until the usher directs each row to the proper Communion station.

Ave Verum Corpus ..... Elgar

Ave verum corpus, natum de Maria Virgine: Vere passum immolatum in cruce pro homine. Cujus latus perforatum unda fluxit sanguine: Esto nobis praegustatum in mortis examine. O clemens, O pie, O dulcis Jesu Fili Mariae. Hail, true body, born of the Virgin Mary: Truly suffering, sacrificed on the cross for us. From whose pierced side flowed water and blood: Be for us a foretaste in death's agony. O clement, O loving, O sweet Jesus son of Mary.

O Lux Beata Trinitas	Byro
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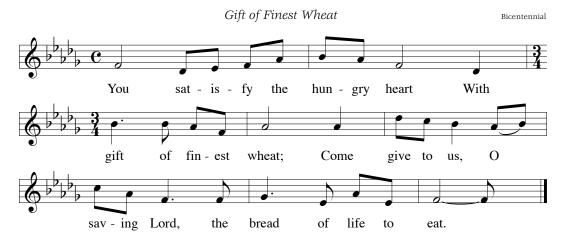
O lux beata Trinitas Et principalis Unitas, Iam sol recedit igneus Infunde lumen cordibus.

Te mane laudum carmine, Te deprecamur vesperi, Te nostra supplex gloria, Per cuncta laudet saecula.

Deo Patri sit gloria Eiusque soli Filio, Cum Spiritu Paracleto, Et nunc et in perpetuum. Amen. O blessed light, Trinity and principal Unity: now as the fiery sun recedes, infuse light into our hearts.

Thee we praise in morning song, Thee we pray in evening prayer, praise in glory everlasting.

Glory be to God the Father and to His only Son, with the Spirit, the Paraclete, now and forever. Amen.



- As when the shepherd calls his sheep, they know and heed his voice;
   So when you call your family, Lord, we follow and rejoice.
- With joyful lips we sing to you our praise and gratitude, That you should count us worthy, Lord, to share this heavenly food.
- 3. Is not the cup we bless and share the blood of Christ outpoured? Do not one cup, one loaf, declare our oneness in the Lord?
- 4. The mystery of your presence, Lord, no mortal tongue can tell:
  Whom all the world cannot contain comes in our hearts to dwell.
- You give yourself to us, O Lord; then selfless let us be,
   To serve each other in your name in truth and charity.

Steal away, steal away, steal away to Jesus!
Steal away, steal away home, I ain't got long to stay here.
My Lord, he calls me, He calls me by the thunder;
The trumpet sounds within my soul; I ain't got long to stay here.

#### PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

#### **CLOSING RITES**

#### PROCESSION WITH THE FLAG

As the flag bearers enter, please rise and join in the singing of the hymn.

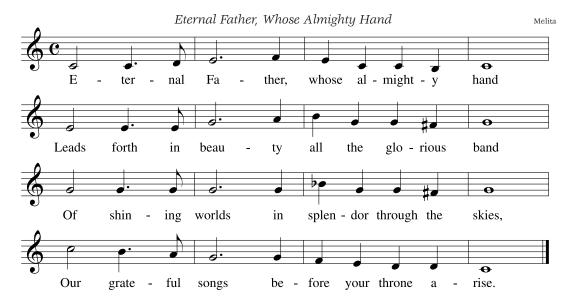
#### BEARERS OF THE FLAG

Seniors with the highest academic ranking in the undergraduate colleges.

Stephanie Anne Brauer Stephen Arthur Currie Laura Catherine Eads Andrew Francis Eggert Meghan Elizabeth Flaherty

Adam John Gadzinski Joshua Ian Hammack Kyle Edward Karches Daniel Mark Koehler Nicholas Lawrence Kuhar John Patrick Pollock Phillip Randall Ross Cailin Ann Shannon Brett Thomas Shapot Christopher John Thissen

#### **HYMN**



Your love divine has led us in the past;
 In this free land by you our lot is cast;
 Oh, be our ruler, guardian, guide, and stay;
 Your Word our law, your paths our chosen way.

#### **BLESSING OF THE FLAG**

(Then the hymn continues:)

- 3. Now with the mind of Christ set us on fire; That unity may be our great desire; Give joy and peace; give faith to hear your call; And readiness in each to work for all.
- 4. Father, whose bounty all creation shows; Spirit, from whom all life in fullness flows; Christ, by whose willing sacrifice we live; To you with grateful hearts ourselves we give.

#### **BLESSING OF ASSEMBLY**

His Excellence John M. D'Arcy Diocesan Bishop, Fort Wayne-South Bend

Bishop: Peace be with you. All: And also with you.

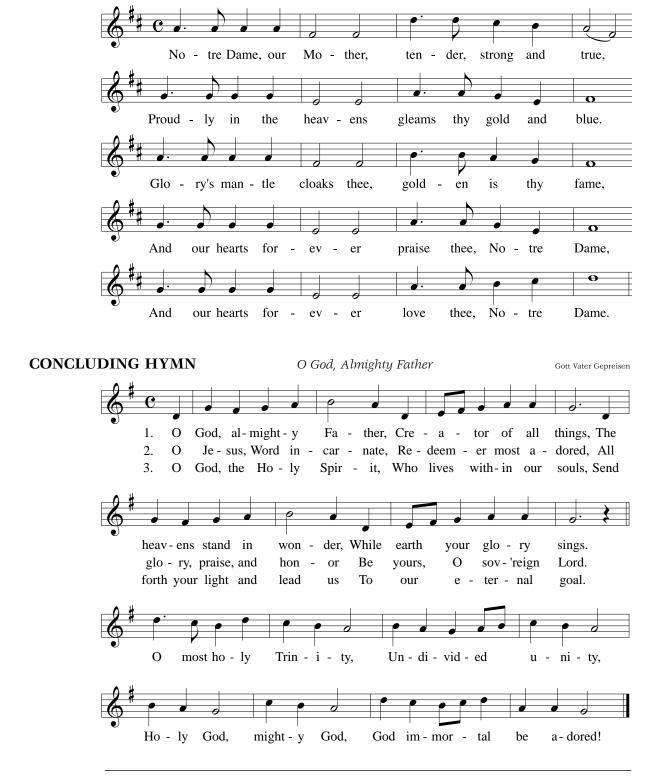
Bishop: Blessed be the name of the Lord.

All: Now and forever.

Bishop: Our help is in the name of the Lord.All: Who made heaven and earth.Bishop: May almighty God bless you . . .

#### **DISMISSAL**

Casasanta/O'Donnell, C.S.C.



Notre Dame, Our Mother

**ALMA MATER** 

PLEASE REFER TO THE FOLLOWING PAGE FOR ANNOUNCEMENTS.

#### Acknowledgments

The Gloria by Carroll T. Andrews, Te Deum by David Clark Isele, Canticle of Daniel by Michel Guimont, Gospel Acclamation by Howard Hughes, sm, the Sanctus, Memorial Acclamation, Great Amen, and Agnus Dei (from the Community Mass) by Richard Proulx, reprinted with permission of GIA/One License Publications, Chicago, Ill., under license #A-702876. All rights reserved.

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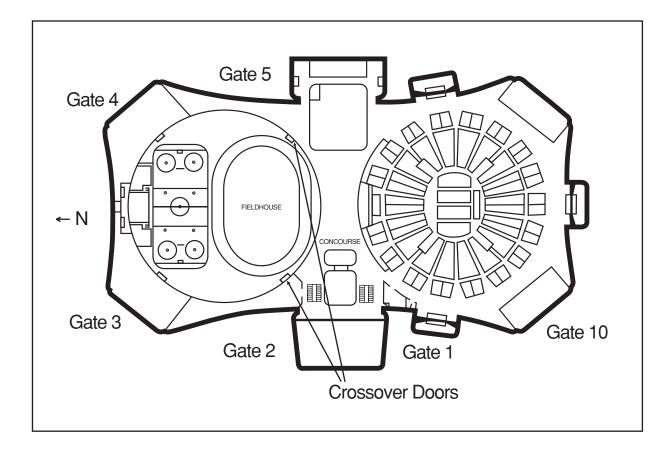
The chalice of Rev. Edward Sorin, C.S.C., founder of the University of Notre Dame, was used during today's liturgy.

#### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Please retain this booklet and bring it with you to the conferring of degrees ceremony tomorrow.

Guests may begin entering Gate 10 at 12:30 p.m.

Participation in this Commencement Mass fulfills the Sunday Obligation.



Those having tickets for the graduation dinner buffet in the North Dome of the Joyce Center are asked to use the crossover doors located inside the building, east of Gate 2.



## University Commencement Exercises

SUNDAY, MAY 18, 2008

2 P.M. EDT

The Law School

The Graduate and Undergraduate

The College of

Divisions of the

**Arts and Letters** 

Mendoza College of Business

The College of Science

The School of

The College of Engineering

Architecture

JOYCE CENTER-SOUTH DOME

## Order of Exercises



#### **Processional**

Harold L. Pace, Ph.D. The University Registrar

#### **Processional Music**

The Notre Dame Concert Band Kenneth W. Dye, Ed.D., Director

#### **Convening of the Convocation**

Thomas G. Burish, Ph.D. The Provost of the University

#### **America the Beautiful**

Rev. James K. Foster, C.S.C., The Notre Dame Concert Band, and Audience

O beautiful for spacious skies,
For amber waves of grain
For purple mountain majesties
Above the fruited plain.
America! America!
God shed his grace on thee,
And crown thy good with brotherhood
from sea to shining sea.

— Bates -Ward

#### Invocation

Patrick Eugene Reidy Greenwood Village, Colorado

#### **Presentation of the Valedictorian Candidates**

The Provost of the University

#### Valedictory\*

Joshua Ian Hammack Huntington, West Virginia

#### **Citations for Honorary Degrees**

The Provost of the University

#### The Conferral of Honorary Degrees

Richard C. Notebaert
The Chairman of the Board of Trustees
and
Reverend John I. Jenkins, C.S.C.
The President of the University

#### **Commencement Address\*\***

Theodore Edgar Cardinal McCarrick

#### **Presentation of Awards and Prize Winners**

The Provost of the University

### Recognition of Student Academic Achievements

The Provost of the University

#### Citation for the Laetare Medal

The Chairman of the Board of Trustees

#### Presentation of the Laetare Medal

The Laetare Medal, the University of Notre Dame's highest honor, has been conferred annually since 1883 on American Catholic men and women who have served with distinction in their chosen fields of endeavor. It is so named because the recipient is announced on Laetare Sunday, the Fourth Sunday of Lent.

Martin Sheen Malibu, California

#### **Graduate School Ceremony Remarks**

Peter D. Holland, Ph.D. Acting Dean of the Graduate School

#### **Presentation of Candidates for Degrees**

The Juridicae Scientiae Doctor, Legum Magister, and Juris Doctor degrees

Patricia A. O'Hara, J.D. Dean of the Law School

The Master of Business Administration, Master of Nonprofit Administration, and Master of Science in Accountancy degrees Carolyn Y. Woo, Ph.D. Dean of the Mendoza College of Business

The Bachelor degree in the College of Arts and Letters

Mark W. Roche, Ph.D. Dean of the College of Arts and Letters

The Bachelor degree in the College of Science Joseph P. Marino, Ph.D. Dean of the College of Science

The Bachelor degree in the College of Engineering Peter K. Kilpatrick, Ph.D. Dean of the College of Engineering

The Bachelor degree in the Mendoza College of Business

Carolyn Y. Woo, Ph.D. Dean of the Mendoza College of Business The Bachelor degree in the School of Architecture Michael N. Lykoudis, M. Arch. Dean of the School of Architecture

#### The Conferral of Degrees

The President of the University

#### Charge to the Class

The President of the University

#### **Closing of the Convocation**

The Provost of the University

#### Notre Dame, Our Mother\*\* - (Alma Mater)

Rev. James K. Foster, C.S.C., The Notre Dame Concert Band, and Audience

Notre Dame, Our Mother, tender, strong and true Proudly in the heavens gleams thy gold and blue. Glory's mantle cloaks thee, golden is thy fame And our hearts forever praise thee, Notre Dame; And our hearts forever love thee, Notre Dame.

— O'Donnell-Casasanta

#### Recessional of the Platform Party and Faculty

The names of the Valedictorian Candidates can be found on page 83 of this program.

<sup>\*\*</sup> It is customary for men, although not for women wearing academic garb, to have their caps removed during the Commencement Address and the singing of the Alma Mater.

# Honorary Doctoral Degrees

### THE DEGREE OF DOCTOR OF LAWS, HONORIS CAUSA, ON:

Peter Robert Brown Princeton, New Jersey

Catherine Liggins Hughes Lanham, Maryland

Theodore Edgar Cardinal McCarrick Washington, District of Columbia

Michael William McConnell Salt Lake City, Utah

John O'Shea Dun Laoghaire, Ireland

John Wendell Thompson Cupertino, California

### THE DEGREE OF DOCTOR OF HUMANE LETTERS, *HONORIS CAUSA*, ON:

Samuel John Hazo Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania

### THE DEGREE OF DOCTOR OF SCIENCE, HONORIS CAUSA, ON:

Marye Anne Fox La Jolla, California

### THE DEGREE OF DOCTOR OF ENGINEERING, HONORIS CAUSA, ON:

Frances Elizabeth Allen Yorktown Heights, New York

Michael Louis Shuler Ithaca, New York

## Law School

### THE DEGREE OF *JURIDICAE SCIENTIAE*DOCTOR ON:

Degree awarded May 17, 2008

John Robert Cencich, summa cum laude,

Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania

Dissertation: Crime and War: Piercing the Military Veil Through International Criminal

ustice

Director: Dr. Jimmy Gurulé

Nidal M. Sliman, summa cum laude, Nazareth,

Israel

Dissertation: Reparations for Colonial Takings: Land Reform in Zimbabwe and South Africa

Director: Dr. Douglass Cassel

#### THE DEGREE OF LEGUM MAGISTER ON:

Degree awarded August 8, 2007

Heloisa Ferreira Andrade Scaramucci,

cum laude, São Paulo, Brazil

Francisco Xavier Bosch y Gutierrez, Nogales, Arizona

Alison Lee LaBoissonniere, cum laude, Portsmouth, Rhode Island

Philip John Watts, cum laude, Camrose, Alberta, Canada

Degree awarded May 18, 2008

**Awol Kassim Allo**, *magna cum laude*, Addis Ababa, Ethiopia

William Napoleon Bolainez Escobar, San Salvador, El Salvador

Jean Marc Brissau, Leogane, Haiti

Mario Gonzalo Domingo Montejo,

Guatemala City, Guatemala

Colombia

Myrfi Secuya Gonzalez, magna cum laude, Cebu City, Philippines

James Elisa Mchome Jesse, summa cum laude, Usa River, Arusha, Tanzania

Suzgo Lungu, cum laude, Lilongwe, Malawi Fabien Majoro, magna cum laude, Kigali, Rwanda Hlulani Marks Makwakwa, Johannesburg,

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Julianne Opet Joseph Ferris Petros III Sean Conrad Chandran Pillai Michael Warren Redding Patrick Eugene Reidy Cailan Danielle Remedios Nicole Christina Ruggirello Andrew Robert Skowronski Angela Marie Spisak Kathleen Magill Sullivan Mary Kathleen Sweeney Meghan Eileen Sweeney Arielle Anais Pauline Tokorcheck Justin Morley Tresnowski Rachel Leigh Vargo Gina Marie Venturelli Gregory Robert Wagman Stephanie Andrea Yoshida Nicolas Omar Zarazúa

### IN THE COLLEGE OF ARTS AND LETTERS, THE FOLLOWING WERE ELECTED TO MEMBERSHIP IN THE NATIONAL SOCIOLOGY HONOR SOCIETY OF THE EPSILON CHAPTER OF ALPHA KAPPA DELTA:

Amanda Hope Bradley Emily R. Cooperstein Kathleen Shannon Daley Barbara Thérèse Gallé Valerie Frances Garcia Matthew Alexander Gasperetti Kristen Marie Infusino Kelly Marie Jones Kyle Meade Katie Marie Miller Matthew Thomas Poczatek Nicole Christina Ruggirello

Anthony Griffin Salpino Carolyn Marie Sarb Kimberly Sue Tavarez Joseph Anthony Unis, Jr. Sarah Louise Van Mill

### IN THE COLLEGE OF ARTS AND LETTERS, THE FOLLOWING WERE ELECTED TO MEMBERSHIP IN THE ACADEMIC HONOR SOCIETY OF THEIR MAJOR FIELD OF STUDY:

### PI DELTA PHI (French)

Caitlin Elizabeth Ardell
Caroline Simpson Askew
Stephanie Anne Brauer
Amanda Errick Bode
Elizabeth Morgan Elliott
Sarah Ann Hunger
Linda Elizabeth Kamen
Sarah Joyce Long
Taylor Lyn Poulin
Alison Marie Stiner
Emily Jo Voge

### GAMMA KAPPA ALPHA (Italian)

Molly Elizabeth King
Martina Mirandola Mullen
Katherine Ann Petersen
Mariah Grace Quinn
Randall James Rainosek
Anthony Griffen Salpino
Elizabeth Nicole Simari
Caolan Elizabeth Sleeper
Derrick Rockne Testa
Christina Marie Javier-Torres
Meghan Bernice Tribe

#### SIGMA DELTA PI (Spanish)

Stephanie Jan Bauer Christine Vivienne Burke John Patrick Daly, Jr. Kara Marie Fessler Lindsay Morgan Finger Meghan Teresa Gaule Elizabeth Marie Hasse Adam Ray Hoock Kristen Marie Infusino Rachel Michelle Kruzan Anita Bernadette Lyons Nancy Regina McEvily Michael Francis McKenna Katherine Ann Petersen Mariah Grace Ouinn Paul Douglas Schlarman, Jr. Rachel A. Sehgal Aimee Elizabeth Sirois Edward Charles Villa

### IN THE COLLEGE OF SCIENCE, THE FOLLOWING WERE ELECTED TO MEMBERSHIP IN THE ACADEMIC HONOR SOCIETY OF SIGMA XI:

Ronald Zachary Lamberty Elizabeth Anne Martino

Ruth Francesca Sommese

Edward Robert White IV

### IN THE COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING, THE FOLLOWING WERE ELECTED TO MEMBERSHIP IN THE NATIONAL CIVIL ENGINEERING HONOR SOCIETY OF CHI EPSILON:

Kyle James Bibby Michelle Ann Campagna Mark William Dummett Laura Catherine Eads Ellen Marie Heintzman Nicholas Lawrence Hussey Sadoluwa Opoola Lanlehin Claire Suzanne Laurentius Megan Christine McCullough Margaret Kathryne Merkel Andrew Mark Pozolo Sarah Ann Runger Kristen Marie Sobolewski

### IN THE COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING, THE FOLLOWING WERE ELECTED TO MEMBERSHIP IN THE ACADEMIC HONOR SOCIETY OF TAU BETA PI:

Christopher Michael Babcock Jared Francis Bauters Anne Elizabeth Bernat **Kyle James Bibby** Ryan Abel Bravo James Herbert Buffi **Andrew Daniel Carter** Laura Catherine Eads Thomas David Economon Matthew Paul Elliott Patrick Kelly Finnigan Brian Matthew Fischer James Joseph Gates John Martin Gorski II Rvan Wavne Gross Andrew Joseph Hank Herbert Andrew Harms

Brendan James Hennessy Kevin Joseph Hetzel Phillip Michael Hicks Matthew Timothy Hudson Benjamin Edward Keller Mykel John Kramer John Philip Larson Claire Suzanne Laurentius Robert Anthony Lindley, Jr. Christine Lauren Loza Michael Nathaniel Lutkus Megan Christine McCullough Robert Eugene Melly Margaret Kathryne Merkel Jude Christopher Miller Caitlin Clair Motsinger Erin Ashley Mulholland

Teresa Marie Murray Paul Gerard Nistler Peter Joseph Nistler Patrick Daniel Noble Kathleen Kelly Otten Timothy Joseph Peterson Matthew Philip Prygoski Joshua Stewart Ravcroft Benjamin Charles Roesch Russell Dennis Schaefer **Bret Thomas Shapot** Jeffrey Michael Simmer Frederick William Thwaites David Thomas Varga Jennifer Marie Vogel Michael Gabriel Webber John Warren Williams

### IN THE COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING, THE FOLLOWING WERE ELECTED TO MEMBERSHIP IN THE ACADEMIC HONOR SOCIETY OF UPSILON PI EPSILON:

Christopher Michael Babcock Trevor Mendo Cickovski Gabriel Antonio Diaz Daniel Richard Dugovic Patrick Kelly Finnigan Ryan Wayne Gross Michael John Hatke Matthew Timothy Hudson Mykel John Kramer Robert Anthony Lindley, Jr. Nichola Anne Lubold Shannon O'Neill Morrison Peter Joseph Nistler Benjamin Charles Roesch Pavan Sadarangani Nicholas Linden Schott Jeffrey Michael Simmer Brian Raymond Sullivan

### IN THE COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING, THE FOLLOWING WERE ELECTED TO MEMBERSHIP IN THE ACADEMIC HONOR SOCIETY OF THEIR MAJOR FIELD OF STUDY:

#### SIGMA GAMMA TAU (Aerospace Engineering)

Thomas David Economon
Andrew Joseph Hank
Kevin Joseph Hetzel
Robert Jon McQuiston
Erin Ashley Mulholland
Joshua Stewart Raycroft
Christine Denise Scacco
Russell Dennis Schaefer
Kristy Lynn Schlueter

### ETA KAPPA NU (Electrical Engineering)

Christopher Michael Babcock Jared Francis Bauters Andrew Daniel Carter Fernando Contreras Palomar Brian Matthew Fischer Herbert Andrew Harms Benjamin Edward Keller Mykel John Kramer Robert Anthony Lindley, Jr. Kathryn Anne McCoy Brian Benjamin Proulx Jeffrey Michael Simmer

#### PI TAU SIGMA (Mechanical Engineering)

Ryan Michael Bove James Herbert Buffi Andrew Joseph Crutchfield Adam Jeremy Currie James Joseph Gates Phillip Michael Hicks Kevin Robert Kastenholz Joseph Roy King
Caitlin Marie Kopf
John Philip Larson
Camille Legault
Robert Eugene Melly
Jude Christopher Miller
Paul Gerard Nistler
Patrick Daniel Noble
Kyle O'Reilly
Timothy Joseph Peterson
David Clarence Rupp IV
Patrick Joseph Tennant
Frederick William Thwaites
Alexander William Vossler
John Anthony Williams

### IN THE MENDOZA COLLEGE OF BUSINESS, THE FOLLOWING WERE ELECTED TO MEMBERSHIP IN THE ACADEMIC HONOR SOCIETY OF BETA ALPHA PSI:

Richard Bailey Adcock, Jr. Kirsten Ahne Bergstrand Rachel Katherine Brandon Creston William Brown Taylor David Burdin Bryan Patrick Bush Elizabeth Leigh Byrum Monica Danielle Chambers Sharita Lynnette Cooper Jesse Allen Courv Steven Michael Crowley Mary Gwen Curry Christopher Jonathan Dean John Bannon Donovan Kelly Elisabeth Donovan Kristin Elizabeth Drach Devin Michele Easter Molly Elizabeth Everman Lindsay Morgan Finger Meghan Elizabeth Flaherty John Fontana Flinchbaugh Jonathan Michael Floyd

Katherine Louise Gallagher Sarah Marie Geisman Thomas John Golanics Patrick William Gotebeski David Gerald Grabosky Matthew John Hamel Aubrey Nicole Jarred Stephen Daniel Joyce **Emily Rose Kennedy** Kurt Michael Knoblauch Meghan Maria Krippinger Sarah Beth Kurtzman Jessica G.M. Lau Taryn Elizabeth Lewis Christopher Robert Lund Catherine Ann Mackin Rachel Dora Maly **Kevin Thomas Manning** Patricia Joanna Matusiak Andrew Stephen Miller Christopher Michael Mueller Kevin Michael Musheno

Jeffrey William Paramore Christina Marie Pelka Lauren Elizabeth Petrozziello Katrina Marie Piligian Jason Thomas Quinn Julie Michelle Reger Lindsay Alexandra Saelinger Christopher Allen Schwarber Meghan McDermott Slentz Stephen Benjamin Solomon MaryCatherine Sonntag Adrianna Roma Maria Stasiuk Thomas Eugene Sullivan Monica Jave Tesi Elaine Marie Toutant Joseph Francisco Valdivia Matthew James Wallace Tiffany Sho-Mei Wen Matthew Leon Wentz Matthew Peter Wynne

### IN THE MENDOZA COLLEGE OF BUSINESS, THE FOLLOWING WERE ELECTED TO MEMBERSHIP IN THE ACADEMIC HONOR SOCIETY OF BETA GAMMA SIGMA:

Byoungkyu An Marco Paolo Anglesio Thomas George Ashton, Jr. Arturo Avila Salazar Adam David Ayers Amy Elizabeth Bellenbaum Robert Nassy Bilkovski Jill R. Bodensteiner Francisco Briseño John Thomas Brohel Nicholas Thaddeus Campanile Robert Carloni Joseph Patrick Carroll Nicholas John Chambers Leigh Sheridan Chapman Eric R. Clark Timothy Joseph Cremieux Anna Christine Davis Christopher Jonathan Dean James Robert Dillhoff Andrew Francis Eggert Jared Alexander Feeney Mark Joseph Fitzgerald Molly Marie Fitzpatrick Meghan Elizabeth Flaherty Nathan Alan Folkert Andrew Donald Frev Sarah Marie Geisman Courtney Danielle Giel Lauren Elizabeth Godlasky

Joshua Ian Hammack Kathrvn Lvnn Hatfield Jonathan Brooks Ireland Michael D. Irvin Aubrey Nicole Jarred Ashley Lauren Jones Jae Yoon Jung Thomas J. Karnowski Devis Katro Roc Evan Keim Karen Acre Kenny Kurt Michael Knoblauch Mark Kochert Nicholas Lawrence Kuhar Nicholas John LaMott Christopher Dillon Liedl David Joseph Lillis Robert Litarowsky Christopher Robert Lund Mark Reese Maidlow Regis F.P. Massolin Kvle Meade Andrew Stephen Miller Thomas Drew Mitchell **Brian Thomas Mooney** Kristen Ballis Morphew Elizabeth Nell Jeffrey Scott Nelson Todd Anthony Nieto Kathleen Kelly Otten

Abhishek Patil Jonathan William Peach Jonathon Robert Penn Wesley William Pierce Susan Michelle Pinnick Joshua Thomas Platek Matthew Thomas Poczatek Mark James Povar **Edward Francis Preuss** Anne Marie Katherine Quast Jeffrey C. Richert David Halsted Riege Renee Michele Rzepka Mark Joseph Sampias Amy Michelle Saxer Christopher Henry Schlax Darren Dana W. Schmidt Mark D. Schwitzenberg Andrew Carmine Sedia MaryCatherine Sonntag Frank Vincent Sreima Jean Pierre Martin Valles Bedregal Erin Ashlev Vranas Elizabeth Jean Wagner Daniel Robert Walsh Matthew Dustin Walter James Weimer David G. Whitby Thomas Alexander Willis Rod Wilson

### IN THE SCHOOL OF ARCHITECTURE, THE FOLLOWING WERE ELECTED TO MEMBERSHIP IN THE ACADEMIC HONOR SOCIETY OF TAU SIGMA DELTA:

Gintautas Casimir Civinskas Kiley Irwin Elfring Maria Theresia Yacintha Fanardy Kathryn Lynne Fulmer

Marshall David Greenhut

Jennifer Elaine Heller Grant Erik Irwin Kathryn Larkin Lenehan Anne Christine Lorenz

Kushal Rajesh Parikh

Christina Marie Meyer Maureen Nicks Ponto Cailin Ann Shannon Christopher Paul Teigen

# **Awards and Prizes**

### Teaching Awards

# THE REVEREND EDMUND P. JOYCE, C.S.C. AWARD FOR EXCELLENCE IN UNDERGRADUATE TEACHING

Honors faculty members who have had a profound influence on undergraduate students through sustained exemplary teaching

David E. Campbell, Political Science
Laura A. Carlson, Psychology
James M. Collins, Film, Television, and Theatre
Lawrence S. Cunningham, Theology
Alan R. DeFrees, Architecture
Jeffrey A. Diller, Mathematics
Malgorzata Dobrowolska-Furdyna, Physics
John M. Duffy, English
John W. Goodwine, Jr., Aerospace and Mechanical
Engineering
Michael Douglas Hildreth, Physics

Edward F. Hums, Accountancy Yahya C. Kurama, Civil Engineering and Geological Sciences

Timothy J. Loughran, Finance
Julia Marvin, Program of Liberal Studies
James J. McKenna, Anthropology
Thomas F.X. Noble, Medieval Institute
Catherine M. Schlegel, Classics
Hannelore H. Weber, German and Russian
Languages and Literatures

#### IN THE UNIVERSITY

#### Dockweiler Award for Excellence in Undergraduate Advising

Recognizes faculty and staff who have demonstrated a sustained commitment to Notre Dame undergraduates through outstanding mentoring, academic advising or career counseling services

Paul R. Grimstad Associate Professor of Biological Sciences

Catherine Frances Pieronek Director of Academic Affairs College of Engineering

Holly Rivers Program Manager Student Programs Kellogg Institute for International Studies

#### Frank O'Malley Award

Presented to a faculty member who exhibits the ideals of Frank O'Malley by demonstrating a commitment to excellence in undergraduate teaching

George A. Lopez Professor of Political Science

#### **International and Off-Campus Teaching Award**

Recognizes the pedagogical excellence of a faculty member who teaches for Notre Dame's abroad or off-campus programs administered by the Office of International Studies

Cornelius O'Boyle Associate Director, London Undergraduate Program in London

#### LAW SCHOOL

#### Notre Dame Law School Distinguished Faculty Award

Anthony Joseph Bellia, Jr. Professor of Law

#### **COLLEGE OF ARTS AND LETTERS**

### Charles E. Sheedy Award for Excellence in Teaching

James J. McKenna Professor of Anthropology

#### COLLEGE OF SCIENCE

#### **Shilts-Leonard Teaching Award**

Seth N. Brown Associate Professor of Chemistry and Biochemistry

#### COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING

#### **BP Foundation Outstanding Teacher Award**

John W. Goodwine, Jr.
Associate Professor of Aerospace and Mechanical
Engineering

#### MENDOZA COLLEGE OF BUSINESS

#### **BP Foundation Outstanding Teacher Award**

Matthew Bloom Associate Professor of Management

#### Executive M.B.A. Chicago Outstanding Teacher Award

Shane A. Corwin Associate Professor of Finance

#### Executive M.B.A. Outstanding Teacher Award

Robert Henry Battalio Professor of Finance

#### M.B.A. Outstanding Teacher Award

Barry P. Keating Professor of Finance and Business Economics

#### M.N.A. Outstanding Teacher Award

Matthew Bloom Associate Professor of Management

#### M.S.A. Oustanding Professor Award

Kenneth W. Milani Professor of Accountancy

#### National Awards

#### American Heart Association - Greater Midwest Affiliate Predoctoral Fellowship

Matthew David Lynx, Hammond, Indiana

#### **American Institute of Chemists Award**

To an outstanding senior in chemical engineering

Michael Nathaniel Lutkus, Hudson, Ohio

#### **Beinecke Brothers Memorial Scholarship**

Katherine Anne Hennessey, Pottstown, Pennsylvania

#### Clinical Legal Education Association Outstanding Student Award

Geoffrey Francis Gasperini, Richmond, Virginia

#### **DAAD Graduate Study Scholarship**

Phillip Marshel Alday, Luling, Louisiana Michael Andrew Popejoy, Wheaton, Illinois Grant Waller Van Eaton, Austin, Texas

### Department of Education Graduate Assistance in Areas of National Need (GAANN) Program

Jack Beaulieu, Appleton, Wisconsin

#### Dondanville Family Graduate Award for Excellence in Teaching

James A. Hussar, Lancaster, Pennsylvania Elizabeth Hope Blodgett Salafia, Port Saint Lucie, Florida

#### **Fulbright Award**

Fabian Ernesto Saenz Calderon, Quito, Ecuador Bethany Dawn Caron, Holland, Michgian

#### **Fulbright Grant**

Cailin Ann Shannon, Hartland, Wisconsin

#### **Fulbright Teaching Assistantship**

Meagan Elizabeth McGinley, Doylestown, Pennsylvania Jessica Lauren Nelson, Ham Lake, Minnesota

#### **Goldwater Scholarship**

Adam Lee Boocher, South Bend, Indiana Benjamin Joseph Fehrman, Omaha, Nebraska

#### Ruth L. Kirschstein National Research Service Award for Individual Predoctoral Fellows

Joseph M. Gonzales, Mishawaka, Indiana Chrystyna D. Kouros, Skokie, Illinois

#### **Dolores Zohrab Liebmann Fellowship**

Jonathan William Davis-Secord, Marlborough, Connecticut Teresa Huffman Traver, Rose Hill, Kansas

#### **Lilly Graduate Fellows Program**

Jessican Anne Morton, Elk Grove Village, Illinois Michael Andrew Popejoy, Wheaton, Illinois

#### The George C. Marshall Award

To the senior Army cadet officer for excellence in leadership

Hayden Angelina Piscal, Fort Riley, Kansas

#### Mitchell Scholarship

Andrea Elizabeth Laidman, Alden, New York

#### National Science Foundation Doctoral Dissertation Improvement Grant (DDIG)

David Steven Hoekman, Holland, Michigan

#### National Science Foundation East Asia and Pacific Summer Institute Research Fellowship

Timothy Schoenharl, Dayton, Ohio

#### National Science Foundation Graduate Research Fellowship

Adam Lee Boocher, South Bend, Indiana Thomas David Economon, St. Louis, Missouri Christine Lauren Loza, Dublin, Ohio Daniel Jon McKaughan, Eugene, Ohio

### National Security Education Program Boren Undergraduate Scholarship\

Mary (Molly) Elizabeth Hayes, St. Paul, Minnesota

#### **Pew Younger Scholars Program**

Grant Raymond Brodrecht, Winter Park, Florida

#### **Pickering Foreign Affairs Scholarship**

Michael Francis McKenna, Drexel Hill, Pennsylvania

#### Public Policy and International Affairs Fellowship

Stacey Elizabeth Williams, Hickory Hills, Illinois Nicolas Omar Zarazúa, El Paso, Texas

### Activity and Service Awards

#### **Alumni Association Hall Spirit Award**

To seniors who have most exemplified the spirit of Notre Dame through personality, character, and actions

Cassandra Claire Belek, Overland Park, Kansas Philip George Drendall, South Bend, Indiana Lauren Darlene Gulley, New Canaan, Connecticut Benjamin Matthew Gunty, South Bend, Indiana Peter Neil Hadley, Rockville, Maryland Calleen Morgan Jones, New Orleans, Louisiana Tae Wook Kang, San Gabriel, Calfornia Philip Daniel Knollman, Carmel, Indiana Taryn Elizabeth Lewis, Fairfield, Ohio Jill Kathryn Martini, Harrisburg, Pennsylvania Margaret Kathryne Merkel, Lehighton, Pennsylvania

Katherine Elizabeth Montalto, Buffalo Grove, Illinois

Jacques Duc Huy Nguyen, Fort Worth, Texas
Patrick Louis O'Brien, East Lansing, Michigan
Kelly Anne Opdyke, Collegeville, Pennsylvania
Alexandra Cathleen Persley, Kansas City, Missouri
Emily Nicole Popoff, La Habra Heights, California
Joshua Nicholas Rivera, Lutz, Florida
Natalie Christine Rodden, Jeffersonville, Indiana
Erin Marie Rogozinski, Carmel, Indiana
Brendan Thomas Ryan, Columbus, Ohio
Michael Andrew Schubert, Naperville, Illinois
Frederick William Thwaites, Parma, Ohio
Steven Michael Tortorello, Tinley Park, Illinois
Alexander Andrew Wulz, Ramsey, New Jersey
Michelle Vianey Zaldana, Carmichael, California

#### The David L. Appel Award

To the marketing senior involved in significant community service activities

Jacob Ryan Teitgen, Fishers, Indiana

#### **Band Service Award**

Awarded to a band member for dedication and service to the Notre Dame Band'

MaryCatherine Sonntag, Cary, North Carolina

#### The George Brinkley Service Award

To the student who exemplifies the Political Science Department's ideals of public service through service to the department, the University or the wider community

Carol Ann Hendrickson, Sheboygan Falls, Wisconsin

#### Citation of Merit Award

For contribution to Notre Dame's residential mission through service in the student's residence hall

Nicholas Steven Albares, Dothan, Alabama
Matthew Tobias Anderson, South Bend, Indiana
Gary Robert Barnabo, Sydney, Australia
Meagan Courtney Brittain, Madison, Mississippi
John Jay Cappa, Wantagh, New York
Kerry Ann Carroll, Ridgewood, New Jersey
Michell R. Chresfield, Mobile, Alabama
Lindsay Morgan Finger, Homer Glen, Illinois
Jordan Elizabeth Gallo, San Antonio, Texas
Christopher Caesar Garibaldi, Houston, Texas
Jamie Catherine Grebowski, Signal Mountain,
Tennessee

Amanda Danielle Hettler, O'Fallon, Illinois

Sarah Ann Hunger, Aurora, Illinois Christopher Steven Izaguirre, San Antonio, Texas Bridget Keating, Hanover Township, Pennyslvania Meghan Amanda Kelly, Warminster, Pennsylvania Karl Anthony Liebenauer, Lyndhurst, Ohio Mark Alexander Machin, Baltimore, Maryland Angela Deanne McKenzie, Slidell, Louisiana Jacques Duc Huy Nguyen, Fort Worth, Texas Gregory Stephen Gabriel O'Donnell, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania

Patrick Eugene Reidy, Greenwood Villiage, Colorado

Brogan Christopher Ryan, Columbus, Ohio Cassandra Jacqueline Saucedo, El Paso, Texas John Matthew Sember, Kiel, Wisconsin Peter Michael Tooher, Norcross, Georgia Crystal Nguyen Truong, Arlington, Texas

#### The Reverend A. Leonard Collins, C.S.C. Award

To a graduating senior who has made substantial personal efforts to advance the interest of students at the University of Notre Dame

Bridget Keating, Hanover Township, Pennsylvania

#### The Reverend John Considine, MM Award

For outstanding student contributions to the study of, or service to, the Catholic Church in Latin America

Michael Francis McKenna, Drexel Hill, Pennsylvania

#### The Tara K. Deutsch Award

To a senior in the Department of Accountancy for exemplary social consciousness and devotion to efforts to give hope to the less fortunate

Elizabeth Leigh Byrum, Galesburg, Michigan

### The Mara Fox Award for Service to the Hispanic Community

To the senior who has studied Spanish at Notre Dame and contributed outstanding service to the Hispanic community

Patrick Louis O'Brien, East Lansing, Michigan Johanna Nicole Villaseñor, Laredo, Texas

#### The John W. Gardner Student Leadership Award

To a graduating senior, graduate, or professional student who has exemplified the ideals of the University through outstanding volunteer service beyond the University community

Michael Francis McKenna, Drexel Hill, Pennsylvania

#### **Irish Clover Awards**

Established in 1985, this award is given annually by Student Government to recognize students, faculty, or staff for outstanding service to students of the Notre Dame community

Joshua P. Berlo, Assistant Athletic Director,
Ticket Office

Elizabeth Catherine Brown, Fort Wayne, Indiana

#### The Byron V. Kanaley Award

Awarded to the senior monogram winners who have been most exemplary as student-athletes and as leaders

Rachel Louise Cota, Altadena, California Gregory Edward Howard, Granger, Indiana Katharine Paige Laing, Tempe, Arizona Adrianna Roma Maria Stasiuk, Park Ridge, Illinois Daniel James VeNard, Vernon Hills, Illinois

#### David J. LaBarre Community Service Award

To the MNA student who is well regarded by his/ her fellow MNA classmates, possesses the integrity and character consistent with Notre Dame ideals, demonstrates a willingness to help other students, and displays a commitment to both the Notre Dame and surrounding communities

Rev. Daniel J. Parrish, C.S.C., Notre Dame, Indiana

### Albert Lemay Award for Service to the Hispanic Community

To the senior who participated in the Puebla Program and used the Spanish Language to serve the community

Tyler James Stavinoha, Austin, Texas

#### Lawrence J. Lewis Award

To the senior in the Department of Economics who has best distinguished him/herself in community service

Claire Elizabeth Smither, Louisville, Kentucky

#### The J. Sinnot Meyer Award

To an American Studies senior for outstanding service to the academic community

Mary Feighery, Yonkers, New York

### The Denny Moore Award for Excellence in Journalism

To a senior who exemplifies the qualities for which Denny was known, including personal integrity and character, commitment to Notre Dame, and writing ability

Madeleine Mary Hanna, Mequon, Wisconsin Michael Henry Laskey, Belle Mead, New Jersey

#### Robert F. O'Brien Award

Awarded for outstanding service and dedication to the band

Claire Elizabeth Wagner, Hudson, Ohio

#### **Outstanding Band Member**

Awarded to a band member for loyalty, dedication and leadership

Peter Anthony Van, Naperville, Illinois

#### **Outstanding Marching Band Award**

Awarded to a band member for dedication, ability and leadership during marching band season

Jim H. Stone, Granger, Indiana

#### The Charles and Simone Parnell Award

To the senior who attended the Angers International Study Program and has demonstrated a high level of international awareness and social service activities participation

Emily Jo Voge, Rye, New York

#### The Daniel H. Pedtke Memorial Award

Presented to seniors in the Notre Dame Glee Club in recognition of musical leadership, exemplary personal character, and overall contribution to the success of the group

Peter Johannes Mueller, Washington,
District of Columbia.
Eric Michael Petrucci, Camarillo, California
Gregory Charles Ramsower, Tucson, Arizona

### The Ray Siegfried Award for Leadership Excellence

Awarded annually to a senior at Notre Dame who exemplifies the qualities for which Notre Dame Trustee Ray Siegfried was known, including leadership, generosity, devotion to the Catholic faith, and affinity for athletics

Rachel Louise Cota, Altadena, California

#### José Tito Sigúenza Award for Service to Hispanic Youth

To the senior who has studied Spanish at Notre Dame and contributed outstanding service to Hispanic youth

Adam Ray Hoock, Columbia, Illinois

#### Gerald J. Smith Memorial Award

Awarded to a band member for citizenship and loyalty to the band

Christopher James Dudley, San Antonio, Texas

#### The Student Activities Leadership Awards

To students who best exemplify the spirit of Notre Dame in social, recreational, residential, service, and religious activities that promote the welfare of the University and extended communities

Elizabeth Catherine Brown, Fort Wayne, Indiana Carol Ann Hendrickson, Sheboygan Falls, Wisconsin

Christina Lynn McCool, Niceville, Florida Nancy Regina McEvily, Houston, Texas Amy Murtagh Meyers, Toledo, Ohio Michael Thomas O'Connor, Kingston, Pennsylvania Patrick Eugene Reidy, Greenwood Village, Colorado

Shawn Sanford, Chicago, Illinois Jennifer Marie Vogel, Prairie Village, Kansas William David Williams, Raleigh, North Carolina

#### The Rev. Joseph L. Walter, C.S.C. Award

To a preprofessional student dedicated to service

William Michael Sullivan, Massapequa, New York

### In the Graduate School

### Center for Research Computing Computational Science and Visualization Award

Manish Sushil Kelkar, Mumbai, India

#### Center for Research Computing Computational Science and Visualization Award (sponsored by SGI)

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Belkys Torres, Miami, Florida

**Gaia Fellowship** 

#### Kaneb Center Outstanding Graduate Student Teacher Award

Peter J. Baker, Owosso, Michigan Lisa M. De Beer-Schmitt, Woodstock, Georgia Joseph Stever Gallagher, Duncansville, Pennsylvania

James A. Hussar, Lancaster, Pennsylvania Tao Li, Hefei, Anhui, People's Republic of China John Calvin Traver, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania Elizabeth D. Willis-Kochly, Pinole, California

#### **Kaneb Center Pre-Doctoral Fellowship**

Belkys Torres, Miami, Florida

#### **Lilly Presidential Fellowship**

Timothy Raymond Brick, Bridgewater, New Jersey Martina R. Cucchiara, Dearborn, Michigan Joshua Alan Enszer, Saginaw, Michigan Eric William Hagedorn, South Bend, Indiana Michael Butler Kelly, Eugene, Oregon Krystin Lee Krause, Caledonia, Michigan Hannah Whittlesey Matis, Brunswick, Maine Sheila Kathryn Nowinski, Chicago, Illinois Michèle Anik Stanbury, Winnipeg, Manitoba, Canada

John David Wallbaum, Aurora, Illinois

#### **Clare Boothe Luce Fellowhip**

Jennifer Michelle Couture, Nashville, Tennessee Meggan E. Valrance, South Lyon, Michigan

#### Arthur J. Schmitt Presidential Fellowship

Clayton Porter Arango, Ellensburg, Washington Trevor Mendo Cickovski, Mishawaka, Indiana Joshua Anthony Cole, Bedford, Indiana Jarett Tucker DeAngelis, New York, New York Lisa M. De Beer-Schmitt, Woodstock, Georgia Patrick Joseph Donoghue, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania Travis Andrew Eisenhour, Syracuse, Indiana David Steven Hoekman, Holland, Michigan Benjamin F. Jones, Salt Lake City, Utah Matthew Landrigan, South Bend, Indiana Philip Damien Little, Dickinson, North Dakota Lauren Leigh O'Neil, Weedsport, New York Christopher M. O'Neill, Orefield, Pennsylvania David Matthew Schatzman, Cincinnati, Ohio Timothy Schoenharl, Dayton, Ohio Justin M. Wozniak, Bartlett, Illinois

#### Eli J. and Helen Shaheen Graduate School Award

Jack Beaulieu, Appleton, Wisconsin Gabriel LeVerne Converse, Harveyville, Kansas James A. Hussar, Lancaster, Pennsylvania Elizabeth Hope Blodgett Salafia, Port Saint Lucie, Florida

#### **Edward Sorin Postdoctoral Fellowship**

Daniel Jon McKaughan, Eugene, Oregon

#### **University Presidential Fellowship**

Jeffery Church, South Bend, Indiana Jonathan William Davis-Secord, Marlborough, Connecticut

Sarah Christian Davis-Secord, Saint Louis, Missouri

Kindalee Pfremmer De Long, Newbury Park, California

Lisa Workman Gloege, South Bend, Indiana Katherine Anne Hennessey, Pottstown, Pennsylvania

John Joseph Hess, South Bend, Indiana John Calvin Traver, Philadelpha, Pennsylvania Heather Claire Treseler, Newton, Massachusetts Derek Andrew Webb, Wyncote, Pennsylvania Joseph R. Zepeda, Notre Dame, Indiana

### In the Law School

#### **ALI-ABA Scholarship and Leadership Award**

In recognition for being the graduate in this law school class who best represents a combination of scholarship and leadership, the qualities embodied by the ALI-ABA parent organizations, the American Law Institute and the American Bar Association

David Timothy Raimer, San Mateo, California

#### **Edward F. Barrett Award**

For outstanding achievement in the art of trial advocacy

Joseph George Fiorino, Winnepeg, Manitoba,

Kyle David Smith, Elk Grove, California

#### The Joseph Ciraolo Memorial Award

To a law student who exemplifies spirit, service and significant achievement in the face of adversity as did Joe, beloved member of the class of 1997

#### The Farabaugh Prize

For high scholarship in law

Andrew James Soukup, Holland, Michigan

#### The Colonel William J. Hoynes Award

For outstanding scholarship, application, deportment and achievement

Joshua D. Dunlap, Vassalboro, Maine

#### **International Academy of Trial Lawyers Award**

For distinguished achievement in the art of advocacy

George Franklin McDonnell, Jr., Leawood, Kansas

#### Jessup International Moot Court Award

For excellence in advocacy

Benjamin Capen Runkle II, South Bend, Indiana Krishna Anita Thomas, South Bend, Indiana

#### **Conrad Kellenberg Award**

For service toward the betterment of the Law School and local community

Daniel P. Cory, South Bend, Indiana

#### William T. Kirby Award

For excellence in brief writing

Eric Parker Babbs, West Lafayette, Indiana Matthew Robert Dornauer, Tiffin, Ohio

#### Dean Konop Legal Aid Award

For outstanding services in the Legal Aid Clinic

Daniel P. Cory, South Bend, Indiana

#### The Jon E. Krupnick Award

For excellence in the art of trial advocacy

Annabelle Mary Therese Pereira, Charlotte, North Carolina

#### David T. Link Award

For outstanding service in the field of social justice

Daniel P. Cory, South Bend, Indiana

#### The Judge Joseph E. Mahoney Award

For outstanding leadership

Krishna Anita Thomas, South Bend, Indiana

#### The Arthur A. May Award

To a member of the Barristers team who demonstrates a commitment of professional ethical standards and exhibits excellence in trial advocacy

Nicole Rene Tlachac, Grand Haven, Michigan

#### Captain William O. McLean Law School Community Citizenship Award

Awarded to the person(s) who has done the most to contribute to the lives of students at the Law School

Connor M. O'Brien, Seattle, Washington

#### The Dean Joseph O'Meara Award

For outstanding academic achievement

Aaron James Rogers, Rockwall, Texas

#### The A. Harold Weber Moot Court Awards

For outstanding achievement in the art of oral argument

Sherene Walid Awad, Jerusalem, Palestine Akia Aisha Haynes, Indianapolis, Indiana Jeffery Robert Houin, Plymouth, Indiana Matthew James Morrison, West Hartford, Connecticut

#### The A. Harold Weber Writing Award

For excellence in essay writing

Nicholas James Nelson, Owatonna, Minnesota

### In the College of Arts and Letters

#### The Reginald Bain Award

To a Notre Dame student who produces remarkable theatre projects from any area of theatre during the academic year

Nathaniel David Grams, Redmond, Washington

#### The Dr. Robert Joseph Barnet Award

To the outstanding Arts and Letters Preprofessional senior who has demonstrated, in addition to excellent character, superior academic achievement across the arts and sciences

Kyle Edward Karches, Cincinnati, Ohio

#### The Paul Bartholomew Prize

For the best senior thesis in the field of political theory

Taylor L. McGowan, Fairmont, Minnesota

#### The Otto A. Bird Award

To the Program of Liberal Studies student who submits the best senior research essay

Brian James Walsh, Homer Glen, Illinois

#### The Joseph Italo Bosco Senior Award

To a graduating senior for excellence in Italian studies

Derrick Rockne Testa, Endicott, New York

### The Reverend Lawrence G. Broestl., C.S.C. German Award

To a graduating senior for excellence in the study of German language and literature

Phillip Marshel Alday, Luling, Louisiana

#### The Peter Brown Professional Achievement Award

To the anthropology student with outstanding performance in the tasks of a professional academic in one or more of the following arenas: publication, presentation at professional meetings, grants, fellowships

Kathryn Elizabeth Bouskill, Buffalo, New York

#### John E. Burke Arts and Letters Preprofessional Award

To the outstanding Arts and Letters Preprofessional senior who has demonstrated, in addition to excellent academic achievement, outstanding leadership qualities through service within and/or beyond the Notre Dame community

Mary Bethany Carpenter, Rochester, New York

#### The Reverend Joseph H. Cavanaugh, C.S.C. Award

To the senior who has evidenced high qualities of personal character and academic excellence in theological studies

Gavin Edward McDowell, Indianapolis, Indiana

#### Center for Asian Studies Undergraduate Essay Award

Awarded to the student with the best undergraduate essay

Mary Sheila Hannon, Sebastopol, California

#### The Susan Marie Clements Award

To a Program of Liberal Studies female senior who exemplifies outstanding qualities of scholarly achievement, industry, compassion, and service

Katie Susan Galeone, Bensalem, Pennsylvania

### The Roberto Damatta Excellence in Anthropology Award

To all students who achieve a 4.0 in the anthropology major

Bronwyn Nicole Fullard, Hoover, Alabama Lauren Elizabeth Holcomb, Lebanon, Ohio Natalie Christine Rodden, Jeffersonville, Indiana Pamela Therese Wyrowski, Greenfield, Wisconsin

#### **Department of Anthopology Service Award**

To the student who has contributed the most to the department's sense of community

Elizabeth Morgan Elliott, Dunwoody, Georgia

#### **Department of Music Senior Award**

Awarded to the most outstanding music department senior, by vote of the undergraduate committee

Joseph Ferris Petros III, Astabula, Ohio Angela Elizabeth Theis, Grosse Pointe Woods, Michigan

#### The Dockweiler Medal for Philosophy

To the senior in the College of Arts and Letters who submits the best essay on a philosophical theme

Arielle Anais Pauline Tokorcheck, Carlsbad, California

#### **East Asian Languages and Literatures Award**

An award to a senior for excellence in the study of Chinese and Japanese

Chinese:

Ryan Patrick Daniels, Albany, New York Japanese: John Jay Cappa, Wantagh, New York

### Efroymson Fund Emerging Undergraduate Artist Award

Awarded to support development as an artist

Amy Carroll Reinthaler, White Plains, New York

#### The Margaret Eisch Memorial Prize in Sociology

To the most outstanding senior majoring in sociology

Emily R. Cooperstein, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania

### **Endowment for Excellence Award in Romance Languages and Literature**

To a graduating senior for excellence in Romance Languages and Literature

Mariah Grace Quinn, Madison, Wisconsin

#### Jeffrey Engelmeier Award

To an outstanding student of German whose contribution to the life of the department, its students, or the community is especially conspicuous; or whose leadership enhances the role of the German Club or is evident in the organization of a campus or community event

Kathleen Connell Rooney, Ottawa, Illinois

#### The Paul Farmer Service Award

To the student who has used their anthropological training for public service

Andrea Paola Rivas Alva Dreyfuss, Lima, Peru

#### The William and Connie Greif Award

Awarded to outstanding BFA students

Evan Lloyd Brogan, Granger, Indiana
Matthew Shea Casanova, Simi Valley, California
Ashley Genevieve Ceniceros, Granger, Indiana
Kelly Elizabeth Gronli, Deer Park, Illinois
Amelia Ming Hirschauer, Spokane, Washington
Victoria Kathleen Lane, Pensacola, Florida
Amanda Elizabeth Martin, Wawaka, Indiana
Roberta Therese Moore, Jacksonville, Florida
Elizabeth Ann Philipp, Kingwood, Texas
Amy Carroll Reinthaler, White Plains, New York
Miquela Elisa Waldref Suazo, Seattle, Washington
Charles Jarred Wafer, Rancho Santa Fe, California

#### **Catherine Hicks Award**

To a graduating senior for outstanding work in theatre

Luke Kenneth Cieslewicz, Wittenberg, Wisconsin

#### The Helen Hritzu and Jewell Erickson Award

For excellence in Arabic/Classics

Arabic:

Mary (Molly) Elizabeth Hayes, St. Paul Minnesota John Patrick Pollock, Rockford, Illinois Classics:

James Allen Schneider, Avon Lake, Ohio

### The David Huffman Scholar/Athlete Award in Anthropology

To the student with outstanding performance in the anthropology major and in athletics

Brittany Lynn Burnham, Marstons Mills, Massachusetts Lindsay Elizabeth McQuaid, Beaverton, Oregon

#### The Irwin Press Prize in Medical Anthropology

For the best paper in medical anthropology

Andrea Paola Rivas Alva Dreyfuss, Lima, Peru

#### The Jacques Gold Medal of Fine Arts

Awarded to a student by the Department of Art, Art History, and Design for excellence in studio art

Amy Carroll Reinthaler, White Plains, New York

#### The Jacques Silver Medal of Fine Arts

Awarded to a student by the Department of Art, Art History, and Design for excellence in studio art

Kelly Elizabeth Gronli, Deer Park, Illinois

#### The John Joyce Award on the American Worker

The award is given as meritied to the best undergraduate essay, short story or poem on the "American Worker", by the Higgins Labor Research Center and the Economics Department

Stuart Francis Mora, Lansing, Michigan Paul Joseph Mower, Plainfield, Illinois

#### The Helen Kellogg Institute Prize

For the best senior thesis in the field of comparative politics

Elizabeth Shaw Brooks, West Chester, Pennsylvania John Patrick Pollock, Rockford, Illinois

#### The Kellogg Institute Essay Prize on Migration

For a student essay addressing a topic related to migration in any regional, international, contemporary, or historical context

Stuart Francis Mora, Lansing, Michigan

### John J. Kennedy Prize for Latin American Studies

For the senior who has written an outstanding honors essay on Latin America

Christina Marie Ginardi, Northbook, Illinois

#### The Donald and Marilyn Keough Award

For excellence in Irish Studies

Michael Thomas O'Connor, Kingston, Pennsylvania

#### The Stephen Kertesz Prize

For the best senior thesis in the field of international relations

John Kenneth Lentz, Independence, Ohio

### Walter Langford Award for Excellence in French Literature

To the graduating senior major whose work was deemed most outstanding in French literature by the Romance Languages and Literatures faculty

Amanda Errick Bode, Lloyd Harbor, New York Stephanie Anne Brauer, Millstadt, Illinois

#### Walter Langford Award for Excellence in Spanish Literature

To the graduating senior major whose work was deemed most outstanding in Spanish literature by the Romance Languages and Literatures faculty

John Patrick Daly, Jr., Louisville, Kentucky

#### The R.V. Ley Journalism Award

For achievement and promise

Kenneth Bryan Fowler, Long Beach, New York

### Liu Family Distinguished Achievement Award in Asian Studies

Honors the student whose character and undergraduate work best exemplify the qualities of commitment, diligence, and imagination in the study of Asia

Clint Douglas Bergstrom, Beaverton, Oregon

#### The Gertrude Austin Marti Award in Theology

To a graduating senior who has given evidence of qualities of personal character and academic achievement in theological studies

Christina Jeanette Holmstrom, Crawfordsville, Indiana

#### **Mabel Mountain Memorial Award**

Awarded to art students for excellence in studio art

Evan Lloyd Brogan, Granger, Indiana

#### **Meehan Medal for Literary Merit**

To the undergraduate English major who submits the best original essay on a literary subject

Jessica Anne Morton, Elk Grove Village, Illinois

#### Michel Prize in Medieval Studies

To the student who has written the best essay on a medieval subject

Anne Marie Patzwah, Fort Myers, Florida

#### The George Monteiro Prize

For the senior who has written an outstanding essay in Portuguese

Andrea Paola Rivas Alvan Dreyfuss, Lima, Peru Francis Michael McCormick, Clayville, New York Michael Francis McKenna, Drexel Hill, Pennsylvania

#### The James E. and Barbara L. Murphy Award

To a senior in the Gallivan Program in Journalism, Ethics, & Democracy or in American studies for exceptional journalism

Robert Vincent Costa, Yardley, Pennsylvania

#### The Reverend Raymond W. Murray, C.S.C. Award in Anthropology

To an outstanding senior majoring in anthropology

Ronald Kyle Bocinsky, Woodstock, Georgia

#### The Paul Neville Journalism Award

To a senior in American studies or the Gallivan Program in Journalism, Ethics and Democracy, for excellence in journalism

Madeleine Mary Hanna, Mequon, Wisconsin

#### The Robert D. Nuner Modern and Classical Language Award

To a graduating senior in the College of Arts and Letters with a first or second major in any classical or modern foreign language, who has earned the highest cumulative grade point average

Stephanie Anne Brauer, Millstadt, Illinois

#### The Willis D. Nutting Award

To the Program of Liberal Studies senior who best embodies the department's high teaching and learning ideals

Nicholas Jay Houpt, Cleveland, Ohio

#### The Monsignor Francis A. O'Brien Award

To a senior history major for the best original historical essay

Peter Anthony Van, Naperville, Illinois

#### Reverend Marvin R. O'Connell Prize

Best essay by a senior history major, awarded in their junior/sophomore year

Gregory Robert Wagman, York, Pennsylvania

#### The Hugh O'Donnell Award in American Studies

To a senior in American Studies for outstanding academic achievement

Steven Michael Tortorello, Tinley Park, Illinois

#### The John A. Oesterle Awards in Philosophy

Awards given when merited to graduating philosophy majors for excellence in philosophy

Michael Andrew Popejoy, Wheaton, Illinois Pater Andrew Seipel, New Albany, Indiana

#### The O'Hagan Award

Awarded by the Department of History to a history major for the best original essay on a phase of Irish history

Kyle Ryan Cassily, Rochester, New York

#### Joseph P. O'Toole, Jr. Award

To a graduating senior for outstanding work in film and television

Vincent James Amatuzzi, Tallassee, Alabama Emily Zuckert Church, South Bend, Indiana

#### The Program for American Democracy Prize

For the best senior thesis in the field of American politics

Andrea Elizabeth Laidman, Alden, New York

#### The Philip L. Quinn Gender Studies Essay Prize

Awarded to the student with the best undergraduate essay

Caitlyn Kelly Schneeman, St. Paul, Minnesota

#### John J. Reilly Scholar

To Arts and Letters/Engineering seniors with outstanding performance in their careers as Notre Dame students

Andrew Joseph Crutchfield, Prairie Village, Kansas Robert Eugene Melly, Hummelstown, Pennsylvania Casie Erin Sweeney, Oceanside, California

#### **Eugene M. Riley Prize**

For excellence in photography by a photography major

Roberta Therese Moore, Jacksonville, Florida

#### Radwan & Allan Riley Prize

Awarded to a senior for excellence in his or her respective field

Design:

Ashley Genevieve Ceniceros, Granger, Indiana Studio Art:

Amelia Ming Hirschauer, Spokane, Washington

#### The James E. Robinson Award

To the outstanding senior English major

Alana Marie Stelton, Abilene, Texas

#### The Stephen Rogers Award

For an outstanding Program of Liberal Studies student who is pursuing graduate study

Samuel Adam Stoner, Valparaiso, Indiana Julia Ann Vogelheim, Rancho Santa Margarita, California

Brian James Walsh, Homer Glen, Illinois

#### **Russian Senior Award**

To a graduating senior for excellence in the study of Russian language and literature

Elizabeth Shaw Brooks, West Chester, Pennsylvania Eric Fair Christianson, Chicago, Illinois

#### The Julian Samora Award

To an outstanding senior majoring in anthropology

Matthew Alexander Gasperetti, South Bend, Indiana

### The John F. Santos Award for Distinctive Achievement in Psychology

In recognition of outstanding achievement in research, academic performance and student-life activities

Ellen Elizabeth Fitzsimmons, St. Louis, Missouri Matthew Howard Gibson, Pensacola, Florida

#### Senior Recognition Award in Psychology

In recognition of outstanding achievement in research, academic performance and student-life activities, while pursuing a major course study in psychology

Alison Merri Dunleavy, Homer Glen, Illinois Nicole Marie Godinez, Rancho Santa Margarita, California

Lauren Darlene Gulley, New Canaan, Connecticut Lauren Ann McDonough, Lansing, New York

#### **Senior Thesis Prize**

Best history thesis by a senior history major

Jessica Lauren Nelson, Ham Lake, Minnesota Gregory Robert Wagman, York, Pennsylvania

#### John Harold Sheehan Prize Essay Award

To the senior in the Department of Economics who has written the best senior honors essay

Paul Joseph Christian, Cannon Falls, Minnesota Gregory Edward Howard, Granger, Indiana

### The Brother Simeon Prize for Distinction in Irish

For excellence in Irish language and literature

Ellen Elizabeth Fitzsimmons, St. Louis, Missouri

#### The Sociology Major Essay Award

To the best essay written by a senior sociology major

Kathleen Shannon Daley, Bennington, Vermont

#### The Richard T. Sullivan Award for Fiction Writing

Awarded to the undergraduate student submitting the best written work in fiction

Jennifer Lynn Fong, Streamwood, Illinois Anthony Samuel Iannamorelli, Uniontown, Pennsylvania

#### **Television Studies Award**

To a graduating senior for outstanding work in television studies

Mary Adelaide Fisher, Granger, Indiana

#### The Weber Award

To the senior in the Department of Economics who has achieved the highest academic average

Nicholas Lawrence Kuhar, Plymouth, Minnesota

### The Genevieve D. Willis Gender Studies Senior Thesis Prize

Awarded to the student(s) judged to have produced the most outstanding senior thesis (the capstone project for second majors in Gender Studies)

Jamie Catherine Grebowski, Signal Mountain, Tennessee

Stacey Elizabeth Williams, Hickory Hills, Illinois

#### The Professor James Withey Award

To a senior in American studies for notable achievement in writing

Elizabeth Gray Stewart, Mobile, Alabama

#### The Judith A. Wrappe Memorial Prize

To a first semester senior majoring in art who demonstrates the qualities of talent, tenacity, spirit, good humor, and goodness

Ashley Genevieve Ceniceros, Granger, Indiana

#### The Peter Yarrow Award in Peace Studies

For an outstanding student in the concentration in Peace Studies with a commitment to justice and service work

Michael Francis McKenna, Drexel Hill, Pennsylvania Mariah Grace Quinn, Madison, Wisconsin

### In the College of Science

#### The Lawrence H. Baldinger Award

To seniors in the preprofessional program who excelled in scholarship, leadership and character

Stephen Arthur Currie, Glenview, Illinois Adam John Gadzinski, Ludington, Michigan

#### Robert P. Balles Notre Dame Mathematics Scholar

For excellence in mathematics

Adam Lee Boocher, South Bend, Indiana

#### Samuel J. Chmell, M.D. Award

High academic achievement and integrity

Pablo Josué Díaz-Collado, Bayamón, Puerto Rico Sunni Lyn Olding, Minster, Ohio

#### The Dean's Award

Presented to the outstanding graduating senior in the College of Science in recognition of exemplary personal character, leadership, service, and outstanding achievement

Adam Lee Boocher, South Bend, Indiana Adam John Gadzinski, Ludington, Michigan

#### The Kolettis Award in Mathematics

For excellence in mathematics

Adam Lee Boocher, South Bend, Indiana

#### **Merck Index Award**

For outstanding achievements in chemistry

Michael Charles Burnes, Eugene, Oregon Stephen Joseph D'Auria, Hermitage, Pennsylvania

#### The Patrick J. Niland, M.D. Award

To a senior preprofessional studies major

Francis Joseph Real, Drexel Hill, Pennsylvania

#### **Outstanding Biochemist Award**

For leadership, academic achievements, research, and scholarship in biochemistry

Reid W. Merryman, South Bend, Indiana

#### **Outstanding Biochemistry Research Award**

For excellence in research in biochemistry

Nathan Albert Serazin, Elyria, Ohio

#### **Outstanding Biological Scientist**

To the seniors who have demonstrated the most promise in the biological sciences as evidenced by both academic performance and research participation

Laura Anne Campochiaro, Baltimore, Maryland Molly Jane Harding, Bend, Oregon Blake Charles Jones, New Philadelphia, Ohio Zachary Hartford Lemmon, Middlebury, Indiana Kayleigh Allyson Trimble, South Bend, Indiana Lisa Ann Zickuhr, Lake Zurich, Illinois

#### **Outstanding Chemist Award**

For academic and research achievements in chemistry as an undergraduate

Anita Bernadette Lyons, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania

#### **Outstanding Chemistry Research Award**

For excellence in research in chemistry

John B. Randazzo, Prospect Heights, Illinois

#### **Outstanding Senior Physics Major**

Outstanding senior physics major

Andrew Thomas Harnett, East Sandwich, Massachusetts Ronald Zachary Lamberty, Sioux Falls, South Dakota

#### **Outstanding Undergraduate Research Award**

Outstanding research by an undergraduate physics major

Edward Robert White IV, Scituate, Massachusetts

### Senior GE Prize for Honors Majors in Mathematics

For excellence in mathematics

Adam Lee Boocher, South Bend, Indiana Benjamin Joseph Fehrman, Omaha, Nebraska

#### Senior GE Prize for Mathematics Majors

For excellence in mathematics

Jason Dale Wittenbach, Kearney, Nebraska

### Paul F. Ware, M.D., Excellence in Undergraduate Research Award

To the senior who has demonstrated the highest achievement in scholarly research as evidenced by intellectual input and research productivity including presentations and publications

Jennifer Marie Enright, Maumee, Ohio

#### **Dr. Norbert Wiech Award**

For outstanding academic performance during the junior year

Ruth Francesca Sommese, South Bend, Indiana

#### William R. Wischerath Outstanding Chemistry Major Award

For academic achievements for graduating senior chemistry major

Ruth Francesca Sommese, South Bend, Indiana

### In the College of Engineering

#### The Aero Propulsion Award

To the senior aerospace engineering major for outstanding performance in the Gas Turbines and Propulsion class

Christine Denise Scacco, Aurora, Colorado

### American Society of Civil Engineers Activity Awards

For participation in the services and activities of the American Society of Civil Engineers

Laura Catherine Eads, Lenexa, Kansas Colleen Patricia Loris, Hawthorn Woods, Illinois

#### **Americo Darin Prize**

For significant improvement over the first four semesters of Engineering

Dustin Paul Mennella, Seattle, Washington Manuel H. Nuño, Chula Vista, California Joseph Charles Sposato, Whiting, New Jersey

### Chemical and Biomolecular Engineering John Treacy Award

To the student with the highest score in Thermodynamics in spring of their Sophomore year

Bret Thomas Shapot, West Chester, Pennsylvania

#### **Chemical Engineering Alumni Award**

In recognition of high scholastic standing and involvement in extra curricular activities

Jennifer Marie Vogel, Prairie Village, Kansas Michael Gabriel Webber, Salt Lake City, Utah

#### **Chemical Engineering Faculty Award**

To the senior having the highest scholastic average after seven semesters

Bret Thomas Shapot, West Chester, Pennsylvania

#### **Chemical Engineering Research Award**

In recognition of outstanding undergraduate research

Christine Lauren Loza, Dublin, Ohio

#### The Patrick J. Deviny Scholarship Award

To the senior in aerospace engineering displaying the most diligence and persistence in their studies

Alexander Andrew Wulz, Ramsey, New Jersey

#### The IEC William L. Everitt Award

For achievement in electrical engineering, computer engineering, or computer science, with an interest in the area of communications

Caitlin Claire Motsinger, Livonia, Michigan

### The Vincent P. Goddard Award for Aerospace Design

For the best design in the senior aerospace design course

Thomas Michael Harkins, Weymouth, Massachusetts

#### The Leroy D. Graves Academic Improvement Award

To a senior civil engineering student for significant development in academic performance

Dustin Paul Mennella, Seattle, Washington Manuel Harry Nuño, Chula Vista, California

#### Dr. Raymond C. Gutschick Award

To the graduating senior who has demonstrated the most promise in geological research as evidenced by a successful undergraduate research project

Daniel Payton McInnis, Bloomington, Minnesota Rachel Ann Murphy, Bella Vista, Arkansas

#### The Sydney Kelsey Outstanding Scholar Award

To the senior civil engineering student for excellence and creativity in academics

Laura Catherine Eads, Lenexa, Kansas

#### The Reverend Alexander Kirsch, C.S.C. Award

To the senior in geological sciences who has evidenced high qualities of personal character, scholarship, and leadership

Christopher John Thissen, Glencoe, Minnesota

#### Kenneth R. Lauer Award

To a senior civil engineering student for leadership, integrity and service to fellow students and community as determined by his or her classmates

Brendan Thomas Ryan, Columbus, Ohio

#### The James L. Massey Award

For achievement in electrical engineering, recalling communication theory, undergraduate teaching and the Binary Examination

Herbert Andrew Harms, Great Bend, Kansas

#### The James A. McCarthy Scholarship

Presented to a senior civil engineering student for outstanding academic and professional excellence in their junior year

Laura Catherine Eads, Lenexa, Kansas

#### The Basil R. Myers Award

For achievement in electrical engineering, recalling circuit theory, the English language, and St. George Day at Notre Dame

Brian Matthew Fischer, Armonk, New York

### Jerome L. Novotny Design Award in Thermal Science

For best design in the senior heat transfer course

Camilee Legault, Spring Hill, Florida

#### **Outstanding Computer Engineering Senior Award**

For outstanding academic achievement in the computer engineering program

Nick Alan Hopf, Jasper, Indiana Jeffrey Michael Simmer, Green Bay, Wisconsin

#### **Outstanding Computer Science Senior Award**

For outstanding academic achievement in the computer science program

Patrick Kelly Finnigan, Cincinnati, Ohio Benjamin Charles Roesch, Fairfield, Ohio

#### Pi Tau Sigma Honor Award

To the outstanding graduate in mechanical engineering

Frederick William Thwaites, Parma, Ohio

#### The Arthur J. Quigley Award

For achievement in electrical engineering, recalling electronics, service to our neighbor, and the little man in the circuit

Brendan James Hennessy, Aurora, Illinois

#### **Rockwell Automation Design Award**

For the best design in the senior mechanical engineering capstone design course

John Philip Larson, Galva, Kansas

### The Walter L. Shilts Award for Undergraduate Achievement

To a senior civil engineering student who has best fulfilled their potential through hard work and dedication to obtaining the best possible education

Megan Christine McCullough, Troy, Michigan

#### Sigma Gamma Tau Honor Award

To the outstanding graduate in aerospace engineering

Erin Ashley Mulholland, Nashotah, Wisconsin

#### The Lawrence F. Stauder Award

For achievement in electrical engineering, recalling electrical power, the IEEE Student Branch, and the Notre Dame Alumni

Andrew Daniel Carter, Wilmette, Illinois

#### The Reverend Thomas A. Steiner Prize

To outstanding students in the College of Engineering who have displayed all-around excellence as students

Laura Catherine Eads, Lenexa, Kansas
Matthew Paul Elliott, South Charleston,
West Virginia
Shannon O'Neill Morrison, Ardmore, Pennsylvania
Erin Ashley Mulholland, Nashotah, Wisconsin
Patrick Daniel Noble, San Antonio, Texas
Bret Thomas Shapot, West Chester, Pennsylvania

#### **Zahm Prize for Aeronautical Engineering**

To the senior who has achieved the most distinguished record in professional subjects

Kevin Joseph Hetzel, Littleton, Colorado

#### **Zahm Prize for Mechanical Engineering**

To the senior who has achieved the most distinguished record in professional subjects

Patrick Daniel Noble, San Antonio, Texas

### In the Mendoza College of Business

#### The Academic Excellence Award

Awarded in recognition of academic excellence in the Master of Science in Accountancy program

Sean Patrick Grady, Shaker Heights, Ohio Jennifer Ann Marie Johnson, Niles, Michigan Ryan D. Smith, Seoul, Republic of Korea

#### The Accountancy Chairman's Award

To a senior for outstanding service to the Department of Accountancy

Christopher Michael Mueller, Reading, Pennsylvania

#### **Accountancy Faculty Award**

To an outstanding senior in the Department of Accountancy in the Mendoza College of Business

Meghan Elizabeth Flaherty, Concord, Massachusetts

#### The Wesley C. Bender Award for Marketing

To a senior with the highest grade point average in the marketing concentration

#### The Peter Brady Award

To an oustanding senior in the Department of Accountancy in the Mendoza College of Business

Ashley Lauren Jones, Westlake Village, California

#### The Justin Harris Brumbaugh Memorial Award

The Justin Harris Brumbaugh Award is given annually to a graduating MIS senior whose classmates select as having made the most impact on their lives during their stay at Notre Dame

Carlos Alberto Vallarta, Laredo, Texas

#### The Paul F. Conway Award

Given to a senior in the Department of Finance who embodies those characteristics that define our tradition of excellence: a person of keen intellect who enriches the ideals of Notre Dame

Peter Michael Tooher, Norcross, Georgia

#### The Herman Crown Award

Given to the senior in the Department of Finance with the highest overall grade point average

Nicholas Lawrence Kuhar, Plymouth, Minnesota

#### The Brother Cyprian, C.S.C. Award

To outstanding seniors in the Department of Accountancy in the Mendoza College of Business

Sarah Marie Geisman, Saint Louis, Missouri Kathryn Lynn Hatfield, Indianapolis, Indiana Kurt Michael Knoblauch, Saint Charles, Missouri Susan Michelle Pinnick, South Bend, Indiana

#### The Dean's Award

To the student whose leadership within the Mendoza College of Business was outstanding

Yurianna Kim, Spring, Texas

#### Dean's Distinguished Service Award

To the students who demonstrate exemplary leadership in the area of service to the Traditional and Executive MBA community and are selected by the Dean's Selection Committee

Rashod Roderick Johnson, Chicago, Illinois Jennifer Natividad Martini, Cincinnati, Ohio

#### Dean's MBA Award

To the Executive MBA student and the Traditional MBA student nominated by MBA faculty in their respective program, who demonstrate strong leaderhip amongst his/her classmates, show promise for future professional success and has a strong record of scholarship

Courtney Danielle Giel, Ridgefield, Connecticut Joshua Douglas Parsons, Albuquerque, New Mexico

#### The James Dincolo Award

To outstanding seniors in the Department of Accountancy in the Mendoza College of Business

Christopher Jonathan Dean, Wheaton, Illinois Aubrey Nicole Jarred, Chanute, Kansas Christopher Robert Lund, Cincinnati, Ohio Renee Michele Rzepka, New Carlisle, Indiana

#### The Le Clair Eells Award

Given to the senior in the Department of Finance who has demonstrated outstanding leadership

Christopher Dillon Liedl, Breezy Point, Minnesota Edward Francis Preuss, Granger, Indiana

#### **Eugene D. Fanning Award**

To the senior man and woman who demonstrate exceptional achievement in business communication, excellence in writing, speaking, listening and interpersonal communication, and who demonstrate leadership potential, initiative, integrity and respect for the dignity and rights of others

Lindsay Alexandra Saelinger, Cincinnati, Ohio Joseph A. Varchetto, Glen Ellyn, Illinois

### The Federation of Schools of Accountancy Student Achievement Award

To a graduate student for outstanding performance in the Master of Science in Accountancy program in the Mendoza College of Business

Raymond John McCarthy, North Royalton, Ohio

#### The Paul D. Gilbert Award

To the senior in marketing demonstrating outstanding leadership in departmental, college and university activities

Michelle Ann Brintnall, Bloomington, Minnesota

#### The Hamilton Award for Accountancy

To the outstanding senior in the Department of Accountancy in the Mendoza College of Business

Joshua Ian Hammack, Huntington, West Virginia

#### The Hamilton Award for Finance

Given to seniors in the Department of Finance with high academic credentials

Andrew Francis Eggert, Livonia, Michigan Kristen Ballis Morphew, St. Paul, Minnesota

#### The Hamilton Award for Management

To the outstanding OB/HRM senior in the Department of Management in the Mendoza College of Business

Yurianna Kim, Spring, Texas

#### The Hamilton Award for Marketing

To the outstanding senior in the Department of Marketing

Angela Elizabeth Theis, Grosse Pointe Woods, Michigan

### The Rev. Theodore M. Hesburgh, C.S.C. Founder's Award

To the MNA student who demonstrates strong leadership amongst his/her classmates, and show promise for future professional success and has a strong record of scholarship

Rev. Daniel J. Parrish, C.S.C., Notre Dame, Indiana

#### The Indiana CPA Society Award

To the Indiana student best exemplifying the qualities necessary for success in the accounting profession

Jesse Allen Coury, Omaha, Nebraska

#### The Raymond P. Kent Award

Given to the seniors in the Department of Finance with outstanding performance in finance courses

Joseph Patrick Carroll, Charlotte, North Carolina Timothy Joseph Cremieux, La Grange, Illinois Jonathon Robert Penn, Thousand Oaks, California Mark James Poyar, Los Alamitos, California

#### The Elmer Layden Award

To outstanding seniors in the Department of Accountancy in the Mendoza College of Business

Katrina Marie Piligian, Troy, Michigan Matthew Thomas Poczatek, Inverness, Illinois Christopher Allen Schwarber, North Olmsted, Ohio Andrew Carmine Sedia, Bronx, New York

#### John R. Malone Academic Achievement Award

To the Executive MBA student and the Traditional MBA student with the highest cumulative grade point average

Amy Elizabeth Bellenbaum, Grayslake, Illinois Eric R. Clark, Fort Wayne, Indiana Mark Joseph Fitzgerald, Chicago, Illinois

#### The Management Award

To the outstanding student in the Department of Management (MIS track)

David Halsted Riege, East Lyme, Connecticut

#### The MNA Excellence Award

To a graduating student for exemplary efforts to enhance the MNA learning community

April Marie Redzic, Park Ridge, Illinois

### The Charles G. Morrow Award for Business Excellence

Given in honor of the late Charles G. Morrow '38, to a graduating senior in the Mendoze College of Business who has demonstrated business excellence through University service and leadership. This award also acknowledges the student's academic and professional integrity

Lawrence I. Denson, Syracuse, New York

#### Lucy Blandford Pilkinton, Ph.D. Memorial Award

To a graduating MBA candidate demonstrating exceptional achievement in management communication, excellence in writing, speaking, listening and interpersonal communication, and who demonstrates integrity and respect for the dignity and rights of others

Lauren McCloskey Elston, Aspen, Colorado

#### Marylyn S. Rosenthal Outstanding Female Student Award

To the female Traditional MBA student nominated by fellow students, who demonstrates outstanding academic prowess, has shown outstanding leadership, and exhibited character during her MBA experience

Erin Ashley Vranas, Eugene, Oregon.

#### Marylyn S. Rosenthal Outstanding Male Student Award

To the male Traditional MBA student nominated by fellow students, who demonstrates outstanding academic prowess, has shown outstanding leadership, and exhibited character during his MBA experience

Jonathan William Peach, Brighton, Michigan

#### The Robert M. Satterfield Award

To a student for bringing enthusiasm, integrity, and a spirit of teamwork to the classroom

Angela Elizabeth Theis, Grosse Pointe Woods , Michigan

#### Donna M. Sclafani Memorial Award Scholarship

Given as a memorial to the 1981 graduate of the University of Notre Dame, it is presented annually to an outstanding female Master of Business Administration marketing student as voted by the marketing department faculty

Courtney Danielle Giel, Ridgefield, Connecticut

#### Frederick B. Snite, Jr. Notre Dame Leadership Award

To the student who demonstrates a commitment to the Traditional MBA program, its students, faculty, and administration, presents a sense of purpose for other MBA students, and enhances the MBA program through his/her actions

Jonathan William Peach, Brighton, Michigan

#### Frederick B. Snite, Jr. Spirit of Notre Dame Award

To the student who is well regarded by his/her fellow Traditional MBA students, possessess the integrity and character consistent with the Notre Dame ideals, demonstrates a willingness to help other students, and displays a commitment to both the Notre Dame and surrounding communities as demonstrated through community service

Kerry Shayne Murphy, Scottsdale, Arizona

#### The Wall Street Jounal Award

Given to the senior in the Department of Finance for rendering outstanding service

Colleen Ann McQuillan, Dover, Ohio

### In the School of Architecture

#### The Henry Adams Medal and Certificate

First and second ranked graduating students in an accredited professional degree program

Cailin Ann Shannon, Hartland, Wisconsin Christina Marie Meyer, Gross Pointe Farms, Michigan

#### The Henry Adams Medal for Graduate Studies

Paul D. Monson, New York, New York

#### The Leon Battista Alberti Medal

To a graduate student for overall academic excellence

Samantha Lynn Salden, Chaska, Minnesota

#### The Alpha Rho Chi Medal

To a graduating student who has shown an ability for leadership, performed willing service for the school and gives promise of real, professional merit through attitude and personality

Christina Marie Meyer, Gross Pointe Farms, Michigan

Maureen Nicks Ponto, Kalamazoo, Michigan

#### Association of Licensed Architects Student Merit Award

To the graduating student recognized for exemplary achievements throughout the scholastic year

Kiley Irwin Elfring, Novi, Michigan

#### The Noel Blank Design Award

Best fifth-year thesis design completed during the fall semester

Daniel Joseph Bertao, Aiea, Hawaii Gintautas Casimir Civinskas, Brecksville, Ohio Jonathan Stanleigh Kelly, Irvine, California Michael Paul Maloof, Duxbury, Massachusetts

### Bond Hall Civic Award in Architecture and Urbanism

To a graduating student for contributions to a culture of environmental sustainability and civic virtue in the School of Architecture

James Doublas Coyle, Celebration, Florida Daniel Michael Yanez, Miami Lakes, Florida

#### Norman A. Crowe Award

To a graduating student for contributions to the ideas of sustainability in architecture and urbanism

Monique Yvonne Caron, St. Albert, Alberta, Canada

### Dean's Award for Advanced Design Excellence in Architecture

To the student with overall excellence in fifth-year thesis in the fall semester

Caitlin Anne O'Hara, Hilliard, Ohio

### Dean's Graduate Award for Advanced Design Excellence in Architecture

Paul Dale Monson, New York, New York Samantha Lynn Salden, Chaska, Minnesota

#### The Andrew F. Kervick Award

Awarded to the student of the school whose work in the entire course of freehand drawings is of the highest merit

Cailin Ann Shannon, Hartland, Wisconsin

#### Ferguson & Shamamian Graduate Prize

To a graduating Master's student for excellence in design exhibited in thesis

Lenka Schulzová, Jihlava, Czech Republic

#### Ferguson & Shamamian Undergradaute Prize

Awarded to a fifth-year student in the Bachelor of Architecture Program for overall excellence in classical design exhibited throughout the course of study

Angelo Daniel Petraglia, Jackson, New Jersey

### Hammond Beeby Rupert and Ainge Graduate Prize

Paul Dale Monson, New York, New York

#### Rambush Prize in Religious Architecture

For the best solution to a problem in religious architecture

Michael Paul Maloof, Duxbury, Massachusetts

#### Rome, Paris Athens Prize

For scope exploration and quality of individual building design successfully uniting architecture and urban design

Tiffney Tyng Gulick, Elizabethtown, Pennsylvania Kathryn Larkin Lenehan, Hingham, Massachusetts Maureen Nicks Ponto, Kalamazoo, Michigan Monica Mary Regnier, Plymouth, Minnesota Christopher Paul Teigen, North Oaks, Minnesota

#### The Gertrude S. Sollitt Award

To the student who submits the best work as a solution to a special problem in structure assigned in the scholastic year

Maria Theresia Yacintha Fanardy, Jakarta, Indonesia

#### The Ralph Thomas Sollitt Award

To the student in the School of Architecture who submits the best design as a solution to the thesis architecture problem

Christina Marie Meyer, Gross Pointe Farms, Michigan

#### St. Joseph Award in Furniture Design

To the furniture design student best resolving issues of concept, design, and craftsmanship

Jennifer Elaine Heller, Oakton, Virginia

#### Tau Sigma Delta Honor Society Bronze Medal

Awarded by the individual chapter of the Tau Sigma Delta Society to a fifth-year student who has demonstrated excellence in design

Christina Marie Meyer, Gross Pointe Farms, Michigan

### <u>In the University</u>

#### Alumni Association Distinguished Graduate Student Award

Conferred to a graduate student who has excelled in academics and service and who has demonstrated a high level of leadership

Brenna M. Casey, Beverly Hills, Michigan

### Alumni Association Distinguished Undergraduate Student Award

Conferred on a senior who has rendered outstanding service to Notre Dame and the community

Patrick Eugene Reidy, Greenwood Village, Colorado

#### Chief of Naval Operations Distinguished Midshipman Graduate

Award to honor one graduating midshipman at each NROTC Unit who demonstrates the highest standards of leadership, academic, and military performance

Patrick William Grainey, Salem, Oregon

#### The Patrick Dixon Award

To the outstanding Army ROTC cadet at Notre Dame for the past school year

Joseph Orin Janke, Humbird, Wisconsin

#### The Patrick L. Haley Award

To the Army ROTC cadet who displays moral courage, selfless service and excellence in U.S. Army training management

Mark Joseph Saurer, Novi, Michigan

#### The Naimoli Award

To the senior midshipman demonstrating, without fanfare, superior dedication and effort in academic achievement, student activities, and leadership throughout four years as a NROTC midshipman

Patrick William Grainey, Salem, Oregon

#### The Notre Dame Air Force Award

To the Air Force ROTC senior with the highest combined merit of character, leadership, scholarship, and officer potential

Amanda Danielle Hettler, O'Fallon, Illinois

#### Colonel Brian C. Regan Award

To the Marine Option midshipman first class who has made an outstanding record in academic achievement, in student activities and in leadership qualities throughout four years as a NROTC candidate

Theresa Anne Campobasso, Charlotte, North Carolina

#### The Captain Paul Roberge Memorial Award

The outstanding Air Force ROTC senior cadet that exemplifies the Air Force Core Values of integrity, service before self and excellence in all we do and whose devotion to the Notre Dame community is clearly worthy of distinction

Christina Lynn McCool, Niceville, Florida

#### The Strake Award

To the midshipman first class who has made an oustanding record in academic achievement, in student activities and in leadership qualities throughout four years as a NROTC candidate

Grant Erik Irwin, Chatsworth, Louisiana

# Academic Attire

Ceremonial garments worn at academic functions take their meaning from the original centers of learning of the Western world in the Church of the Middle Ages. Caps, hoods and gowns of the early students and monks have been held through the centuries to be traditionally symbolic of the scholarly devotion so basic to education and to the deliberate and orderly evolution of knowledge.

The introduction of classical studies, the gradual rise of the great universities across Europe, and the ever-increasing awareness of the decisive role of education in the entire development of civilization influenced leaders among academicians in their desire for a singular identity. In the attempt to create this differentiation, educators fell upon the medieval system of classic heraldry, whereby the coat of arms, assorted ornamental trappings, and patterns of colorful design had been adopted to denote the distinctive character of designated chivalric orders. The function of "pedagogical heraldry" became, then, simply identification. As such, measures were taken to signify through distinctive markings on the academician's attire the institution that had granted the degree, the field of learning in which the degree had been earned, and the level of the degree-bachelor, master or

Of the three pieces of academic attire, the cap, the gown and the hood, it is the hood that offers the most abundant and most readily discernable information about its owner. The inner lining of the hood identifies the institution at which the individual earned the degree. Some schools have adopted two-color patterns and introduced chevrons and bars in various designs to set themselves apart from other institutions. The velvet trim bordering the hood indicates the major field of learning, or faculty, in which the degree has been earned. The list at the conclusion of this section will explain this relationship. A final feature of the hood concerns its length and width and distinguishes further between holders of bachelor's, master's, and doctor's degrees. The length of the hood for the bachelor's degree is three feet, closed at the bottom, and the velvet border is two inches. At Notre Dame, those receiving a bachelor's degree do not wear a hood. A master's degree holder has a hood three and one half feet in length with a three inch wide border, and is slit at the bottom. Those individuals with a doctorate degree wear a hood four feet in length, open at the bottom, with a five inch border.

The gown is usually black in color but some American universities, including Notre Dame, have adopted distinctive colors for their robes. Notre Dame doctorate degree robes are blue, reflecting one of its official colors.

The cut of the gown aids in differentiating between the three levels of degrees. The bachelor's gown is relatively simple and falls in straight lines from an elaborate voke. It may be recognized most readily by the long, pointed sleeves. The master's gown is somewhat fuller and bears no adornment. The sleeves are oblong in shape and open at the wrist, with the rear part of the oblong square cut while the front edge has a cutaway arc. The doctor's gown is more elaborate with velvet panels down the front and around the neck of the garment. The sleeves are bellshaped at the end and have three bars of the same material as the front panels at the upper portion of the arm. It is cut rather full and may be ornamental in color. Notre Dame's doctoral gown has royal blue velvet front panels with the University's shield embroidered in gold. The royal blue sleeve chevrons are outlined in gold.

The mortarboard or Oxford-type cap has been adopted throughout most universities in the United States, although Notre Dame's doctoral cap is a royal blue tam. Colored tassels are usually worn by holders of the bachelor's and master's degrees. These denote the field of learning. The list on the next page indicates the tassel colors. Gold tassels are reserved for those with doctorate degrees and governing officers of educational institutions.



# Processional Banners

## (Gonfalons)

The gonfalon, a banner that hangs from a crosspiece or frame, originated in the medieval republics of Italy as an ensign of state or office. Gonfalons have been adopted in many universities around the world as college or institutional insignias, and many use them to identify and lead colleges and schools within the university in academic procession. The nine gonfalons represent the University and the eight colleges and schools of Notre Dame.

The lower half of the gonfalon consists of a shield with a clear blue field and a cross of gold. This is part of the armorial seal designed by Pierre de Chaignon la Rose of Harvard in 1931. The heraldic colors (gold and blue) are symbolic of the Mother of God, to whom, Father Sorin first dedicated Notre Dame. At the shield's base are two wavy lines (indicating the *a Lacu*, "of the Lake," in the University's official title), and above them to the left is a star, another emblem of the Virgin, Star of the Sea. The cross represents the Congregation of Holy Cross, which founded Notre Dame; an institution of learning is denoted by the open book. The phrase "Vita, Dulcedo, Spes," taken from the ancient prayer to the Virgin, the Salve Regina, celebrates her as "life, sweetness, and hope."



Gonfalons designed by Paul Wieber of Notre Dame's Media Group, commissioned by Watra Church Goods, Chicago, and manufactured by Slabbinck of Brugge, Belgium.

# Faculty Colors

AGRICULTURE	Maize
ARCHITECTURE	Blue Violet
ARTS, LETTERS, HUMANITIES	White
COMMERCE, ACCOUNTANCY, BUS	SINESS Drab
DENTISTRY	Lilac
ECONOMICS	Copper
EDUCATION	Light Blue
ENGINEERING	Orange
FINE ARTS	Brown
FORESTRY	Russet
JOURNALISM	Crimson
LAW	
LIBRARY SCIENCE	Lemon
MEDICINE	
MUSIC	Pink
NURSING	Apricot
OPTOMETRY	
ORATORY (SPEECH)	
PHARMACY	
PHILOSOPHY	
PHYSICAL EDUCATION	
PODIATRY-CHIROPODY	
PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION, INCLU	
FOREIGN SERVICE	
PUBLIC HEALTH	
SCIENCE	
SOCIAL SCIENCE	
SOCIAL WORK	
THEOLOGY	
VETERINARY SCIENCE	Grav

Old Gold and Royal Blue in Hood Denotes a Notre Dame Degree

# Symbols of Office

#### THE PRESIDENTIAL MEDAL

The Presidential Medal was introduced at the inauguration of Notre Dame's 16th President, the Reverend Edward A. Malloy, C.S.C. The medal, struck in bronze and plated in gold, was made by the Medallic Art Company, Danbury, Connecticut.

The seal of the University forms the center of the medal and is mounted in relief against a larger cross representing the Congregation of Holy Cross, the religious community which founded the University in 1842. In traditional heraldry, the shield unsupported and central in the seal is appropriate for an institution of learning. At the base of the shield are two waves which symbolize the waves of St. Mary's Lake on whose shores the university was founded. In the upper left, the six-pointed star, considered the perfect form, signifies "Star of the Sea," a title accorded the Virgin Mary for whom Notre Dame is named. A cross symbolizes Christianity. The open book, emblematic of education, is inscribed with the Latin words, "Vita, Dulcedo, Spes," or "Our Life, our sweetness, and our hope." These words, first addressed to Our Lady by Saint Bernard, are taken from the familiar prayer, "Salve Regina," or "Hail Holy Queen."

#### THE UNIVERSITY MACE

The academic scepter, or mace, was one of the earliest distinctive signs of medieval university officials. The mace was originally a wooden staff carried by royal messengers. The early wooden staff on the university beadle, a subaltern official, evolved in the 14th century into an elaborate silver mace. It was carried by the beadle during processions and graduation ceremonies, and was displayed as a symbol to command order during classes. In the 15th century it became symbolic of academic dignity. An essential part of the mace was the staff or cylindrical rod (tibia), originally a tube of silver filled with wood or some other base materials. The staff, divided into several sections, was held together by a ring-shaped excrescence (nodus). The staff was crowned with a bell-shaped head (caput); at the base was a finial (membrum terminale).

The Notre Dame mace was designed and executed by the late Rev. Anthony Lauck, C.S.C., professor emeritus of art, art history and design. The bronze *caput* repeats the University seal found on the Presidential Medal, but brings the star outside the shield where its separate rendering emphasizes the patronage of the Virgin Mary. Its shaft is in walnut and the star and the finial, bear the University colors gold and blue.



