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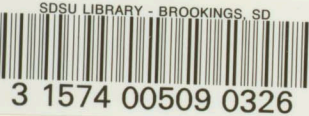
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## **GRADUATION EXERCISES**

Ten o'clock a.m.  
Saturday, December 17, 1994

Stanley J. Marshall  
Health, Physical Education and  
Recreation Center

Brookings, South Dakota



# THE ACADEMIC PROCESSIONAL

The academic procession which precedes the graduation ceremonies on college and university campuses is one of the old and colorful customs which link 20th century education with its early origins.

To signalize the achievements of their students, American institutions of higher learning conduct a formal ceremony to award the appropriate degrees earned at the conclusion of prescribed study. The action of taking the degree – associate, bachelor's, master's or doctor's – as well as the designation of the day itself – is Commencement.

Various explanations of the term "commencement" are possible. The most likely is that centuries ago the bachelor, originally an apprentice, began his apprenticeship upon that day; and with the degree of M.A. and Ph.D. – the masters and doctors commenced their work upon the day their degrees were conferred. So today, the student, having finished his preliminary training, sets out on a career.

The academic regalia worn at Commencement is of medieval origin. The scholars of Bologna, Paris, Oxford, Cambridge, Louvain and Heidelberg dressed in a manner to distinguish themselves from the merchants and other townsmen. Since the 11th century, when the rise of the universities began, "learned clerks" robed themselves in gowns, caps and hoods, thus marking a difference between "town and gown."

By this apparel they were recognized as belonging to the teaching guild which was the Guild of the Master of Arts. In this organization the bachelor was the apprentice of the master. This relationship was the forerunner of today's academic structure; which often includes graduate and/or teaching assistants (usually studying for advanced degrees).

In our time customs vary as to the wearing of academic gowns. In the older English universities the masters or dons continue to wear such garments while engaged in instructional duties; students are required to wear gowns while attending lectures or during tutorials. Ordinarily in Germany, Spain, and Austria academic regalia is worn only in certain stipulated occasions as in America today.

Generally in Europe, a professor wears the type of garment customary in the university where he is lecturing. In the United States our tradition differs; our professors continue to wear the gown and hood of the university where they received their highest degree.

The gown, in origin, may have been simply a type of overcoat to protect the teacher from the cold in the unheated buildings; the cut or style seems to be derived from ecclesiastical attire. It has usually been black. The gowns of bachelors and masters are usually without trimmings of any sort whereas those of doctors are faced down the front with velvet and adorned with three velvet bars on the sleeves.

The cap or "mortarboard" may have come from the squarish cap worn by the masons of the Middle Ages, or perhaps was suggested by the shape of the books which occupied so much of the time of scholar. Attached to a button on the "mortarboard" is a tassel; bachelor's and master's are black or color appropriate to the subject; those of doctors black or golden. The tassel is worn on the left side by those who are receiving or have received a degree.

The hood, a triangular fold of cloth worn over the back of the gown, is faced with colors which denote the field of study represented by the wearer's degree; the colors of the lining are those of the college or university from which the degree was granted. The length of the hood is correspondingly longer with each degree.

The wide velvet borders extending down the front of the doctoral gown, the velvet bar on the sleeves, and the borders of most hoods are colored according to scholarly field of the wearer. The most usual of these are:

White .....	Arts and Letters	Brown .....	Fine Arts	Sage Green	Physical Education
Copper .....	Economics	Lemon .....	Library Science	Gold .....	Science
Orange .....	Engineering	Light Blue .....	Education	Scarlet .....	Theology
		Blue .....	Philosophy		

At South Dakota State University the color of the tassel signifies the college in which the degree is earned:

Agriculture .....	Maize	Arts and Science, B.S. ....	Gold	Nursing .....	Apricot
Arts and Science, B.A. ...	White	Engineering .....	Orange	Pharmacy.....	Green
		Home Economics .....	Maroon		

# GRADUATION PROGRAM

## PRE-CEREMONY CONCERT

*El Capitan*  
*Explorations*

John Philip Sousa (arranged by Harold Gore)  
Ed Huckeby

*Christmas Music for Winds*

(arranged by John Cacavas)

South Dakota State University Concert Band

Mr. James R. Coull, Director

## PROCESSIONAL

*Pomp and Circumstance*

Edward Elgar (arranged by James R. Coull)

South Dakota State University Concert Band

## HONORARY MARSHALS

Dr. William S. Wadsworth, Jr.

*Professor Emeritus of Chemistry*

Dr. Harold W. Widvey

*Professor Emeritus of Communication Studies and Theatre*

## THE NATIONAL ANTHEM

*The Star Spangled Banner*

Traditional (arranged by James R. Coull)

South Dakota State University Concert Band

## INTRODUCTIONS

Dr. Robert T. Wagner, President

*South Dakota State University*

## GRADUATION ADDRESS

“Realizing and Releasing Human Potential”

Dr. Darrell M. Jensen, Dean

*College of Education and Counseling*

## SPECIAL MUSIC SELECTION

*Sing Unto the Lord*

Robert Gower

South Dakota State University Statesmen

Dr. Charles Canaan, Director

## RECOGNITION OF HONOR STUDENTS

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## RECOGNITION OF FACULTY: F. O. BUTLER AWARDS

Dr. Carol J. Peterson, Vice President

*Academic Affairs*

## PRESENTATION OF COMMISSIONEES

Lieutenant Colonel Jeffrey C. Berry, Army ROTC

Lieutenant Colonel Kevin J. Graber, Air Force ROTC

## INDUCTION INTO ALUMNI ASSOCIATION

Mr. Steve Otterby, President

*SDSU Alumni Association*

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AUTHORIZATION OF DEGREES

The Honorable David R. Gienapp

*South Dakota Board of Regents*

PRESENTATION OF GRADUATING CLASS

*The Undergraduate Class*

Dr. Robert S. Burke

*Chairman of the Academic Senate*

*The Graduate Class*

Dr. Christopher P. Sword, Dean

*The Graduate School*

CONFERRING OF DEGREES AND PRESENTATION OF DIPLOMAS

Dr. Robert T. Wagner, President

and College Deans

RECESSIONAL

*Music for a Ceremony*

John J. Morrissey

South Dakota State University Concert Band

RECOGNITION OF OUTSTANDING FACULTY

**F. O. BUTLER AWARDS**

The Trustees of the F. O. Butler Foundation have established a program to recognize those faculty whose performance is truly exceptional. One such recognition is provided each year. This year the Trustees are recognizing:

SERVICE TO STUDENTS/ACADEMIC ADVISING

Dr. W. Eugene Arnold, Associate Dean

*College of Agriculture and Biological Sciences*

EXCELLENCE IN EXTENSION

Ms. June James, Extension Agent

*Codington County*

Dr. Lynette Olson, Associate Professor

*Acting Program Leader, Cooperative Extension Service*

EXCELLENCE IN RESEARCH

Dr. Robbi Pritchard, Professor

*Department of Animal and Range Sciences*

EXCELLENCE IN TEACHING

Dr. Kay L. Foland, Assistant Professor

*College of Nursing*

# CONFERRING OF BACHELOR'S DEGREES

President Robert T. Wagner

## College of Agriculture and Biological Sciences

*The Candidates Will Be Presented By*

David A. Bryant, Ph.D.

*Dean of the College*

### Bachelor of Science in Agriculture

- Jennifer L. Ackerman, *Agricultural Journalism*  
Ryan Patrick Allen, *Agricultural Business*  
Jeffrey Alan Barber, *Agricultural Education*  
Jeffrey Dean Baumberger, *Range Science*  
John Wayne Beaner, *Agronomy*  
Ryan Steven Beer, *Range Science*  
† Kindra Sue Beitelspacher, *Agricultural Journalism,*  
*Range Science, With Highest Honor*  
Matthew David Benda, *Animal Science*  
Jeff Robert Benedix, *General Agriculture*  
David Mark Beyers, *Agricultural Economics*  
Tammy Sue Bieber, *Animal Science*  
Marcus Burnett Blume, *Agronomy*  
Robert M. Brinker, *Agricultural Systems Technology*  
Mark Douglas Britt, *Animal Science*  
Christopher Allen Cook, *Agronomy*  
Paula Colette Corcoran, *Agricultural Economics,*  
*Agricultural Business*  
Chad Michael Corkle, *Animal Science*  
Nathan Paul Cramer, *Landscape Design*  
Joel Robert Curran, *Range Science, With Honor*  
Elizabeth J. Danielson, *Rural Sociology, Agronomy*  
Mark Douglas Doty, *Agricultural Business*  
Brian Lee Dreiske, *Animal Science*  
Melissa Ann Eagle, *Agricultural Business*  
Jonathan James Elsasser, *Agricultural Systems*  
*Technology*  
Randy Jay Feucht, *Park Management*  
Lee Jason Fischer, *Agronomy*  
Michael Lee Frank, *Park Management*  
Bruce Michael Freking, *Animal Science*  
Michael Anthony Geist, *Landscape Design*  
Kenneth J. Gill, *General Agriculture*  
Karl David Glover, *Agronomy*  
Craig L. Goens, *Animal Science*  
Cynthia Kay Guetter, *Agricultural Business,*  
*Agricultural Economics*  
Gail LeAnn Gullickson, *Agricultural Business,*  
*With Honor*  
Terence Gene Hand, *Agricultural Business*  
Stacy Wayne Hepper, *Agricultural Business*  
Kelly John Herrick, *Range Science*  
Timothy Gerald Hesby, *Dairy Manufacturing*  
Len Douglas Hofer, Jr., *Agricultural Journalism*  
Brian J. Jenkins, *Agricultural Systems Technology*  
Shawn D. Jensen, *Animal Science*  
Troy Randall Johnson, *Agricultural Economics*  
Thomas Leon Jones, *Range Science*  
Brian Dean Kane, *Animal Science*  
Keith V. Kaufman, *Agricultural Extension,*  
*With Honor*  
John T. Keimig, *Animal Science*  
Jennifer Eve King, *Range Science*  
Jodi Leann Knutson, *Agricultural Business*  
Jeffrey J. Konechne, *Agricultural Business*  
Paul Douglas Kvistad, *Agronomy*  
Nelson Romauldo Lewis, *Agronomy*  
Jon Joseph Lindholm, *Agricultural Extension*  
Troy Jason Madetzke, *Agronomy*  
Craig Allen Maher, *Range Science*  
Darin P. Malsam, *Agricultural Business*  
Amy Jo McMartin, *Animal Science*  
Douglas James Moody, Jr., *Agricultural Business*  
Jamie Lee Nielson, *Agricultural Business*  
Pandianne Pittman, *Dairy Production*  
Matthew Paul Plummer, *Animal Science*  
Lynnette Kay Profaizer, *Agricultural Business*  
Jeffrey Allen Rabey, *Dairy Manufacturing*  
Laird Louis Raschke, *Park Management*  
Matthew David Reed, *Animal Science*  
Corey Christopher Reiff, *Agricultural Business*  
Timm Kent Richardson, *Range Science*  
Erich Carter Robb, *Park Management*  
Katrina Angelina Rusley, *Range Science*  
Daniel John Rybak, *Animal Science*  
Patricia Lena Scheffel, *Dairy Production*  
Aaron Lee Schelske, *Agricultural Extension*  
Brian Scott Schock, *Dairy Production*  
David Donald Schwans, *Agricultural Business*  
Randal Paul Sellers, *Park Management*  
Philip John Shimon, *Dairy Manufacturing*  
Dave Francis Sietsema, *Agricultural Journalism*  
Ryon B. Smeenk, *Agricultural Business*  
Patrick Douglas Stapleton, *Agricultural Business*  
Robert Ross Steffen, *Agronomy*  
Tyler Duane Storgaard, *Landscape Design*  
Travis Loren Struckman, *Dairy Production,*  
*Animal Science*  
Kirk Andrew Struve, *Agronomy*  
David Dean Sturzenegger, *Horticulture, With Honor*  
Gregg Alan Thompson, *Landscape Design*  
Christopher John Turbes, *Agronomy*  
† Donald Ryan Tweet, *Agronomy, With High Honor*  
Paul Roger Tweet, *General Agriculture*  
David Eric Vander Wal, *Agricultural Education*  
Diane Lynn Wagner, *General Agriculture*  
Timothy John Wishard, *Agricultural Education*

## Bachelor of Science in Biological Science

† Jodi Lynn Bergemann, *Biology, With Highest Honor*  
Lee Walter Bergstrom, Jr., *Wildlife and Fisheries Science*  
Joel Robert Curran, *Wildlife and Fisheries Science, With Honor*  
Elizabeth J. Danielson, *Environmental Management*  
Wade Richard Dolezal, *Wildlife and Fisheries Science*  
Jason Arthur Donovan, *Biology*  
Cadena Christo Fees, *Biology*  
David Dale Fryda, *Wildlife and Fisheries Science*  
Shaun M. Grassel, *Wildlife and Fisheries Science*  
Mark E. Grovijahn, *Wildlife and Fisheries Science*  
Sarah Marie Hermann, *Microbiology*  
Diahann Margaret Holte, *Wildlife and Fisheries Science*  
Vicki Kay Horn, *Biology*  
Travis Lee Johnson, *Wildlife and Fisheries Science*  
Jennifer Ann Jones, *Biology, With High Honor*

Callie Colleen Kreutner, *Wildlife and Fisheries Science, Biology*  
Craig Allen Lonneman, *Wildlife and Fisheries Science*  
Troy Jason Madetzke, *Wildlife and Fisheries Science*  
Michael Charles McGuire, *Wildlife and Fisheries Science*  
Karen Rae Mutschler, *Biology*  
Linda Marie Nagel, *Biology, With High Honor*  
Michael William Oehler, *Wildlife and Fisheries Science*  
Greg Wayne Otkin, *Wildlife and Fisheries Science*  
Shawn Ray Powers, *Wildlife and Fisheries Science*  
Will Edward Schultz, *Wildlife and Fisheries Science*  
Joseph James Sirak, *Wildlife and Fisheries Science*  
Jason Samuel Sorensen, *Wildlife and Fisheries Science*  
Steve L. Tramp, *Dairy Manufacturing*  
Craig C. Welbon, *Microbiology*

## Associate of Arts in Agriculture

Brian Thomas Driscoll  
Jamie Lee Langerock

Aaron Todd Swanson  
Bradley Gene Vander Wal

## College of Arts and Science

*The Candidates Will Be Presented By*

Herbert E. Cheever, Jr., Ph.D.  
*Dean of the College*

## Bachelor of Arts in Arts and Science

Laura J. Anderstrom, *Journalism*  
Nicolle Marie Berens, *Sociology*  
† Mary Anne Bjerke, *Art, With Highest Honor*  
Douglas William Boeding, *Journalism*  
Joseph Bryant Call, IV, *General Studies*  
Richard Bruce Chandler, Jr., *English, With Honor*  
Karin Ann Christensen, *Communication Studies and Theatre*  
Jill Marie Cole, *Journalism*  
† Nicol Ann Colwill, *German, With Highest Honor*  
Sean Patrick Coyne, *Communication Studies and Theatre*  
† Brian Jon Faltinson, *History, With High Honor*  
Eric Daniel Held, *Mathematics, German, With Highest Honor*  
Rachel Elizabeth Higgins, *Sociology*  
Christine Marie Hoftiezer, *Spanish, With Honor*  
Karen Terese Hunter, *General Studies*

Linda Kay Kooima, *Spanish*  
Mark Joseph Law, *Psychology*  
Deiedre Jane Leisure, *Spanish, Sociology*  
Denise Marie Lundborg, *Journalism, With Honor*  
Jason Timothy McEntee, *English*  
Daneen Jo Nelson, *Communication Studies and Theatre, With Honor*  
Sarah Marisa Reed, *Art*  
Heather Ann Salazar, *Political Science*  
Steven M. Schamber, *Economics*  
Trevor Joel Schulte, *English*  
Jason Gerard Tornell, *English*  
Tina Kayleen Uecker, *Sociology*  
† Ann Catherine Westby, *English, With Honor*  
Lisa Marie Wiener, *Art*  
Elizabeth C. Wogen, *Sociology*  
Jason Bradley Wolkow, *Journalism*  
Danette Kay Zoss, *Sociology*

## Bachelor of Music Education in Arts and Science

Daniel James Kramer  
Larry J. Petersen

Joslyn Jill Schladweiler, *With Honor*  
Amber Joy Sundvold, *With Highest Honor*



## Bachelor of Science in Arts and Science

- Paula Marie Albers, *Sociology*  
 Tanya Renee Albertsen, *Journalism*  
 Michael G. Allevten, *History*  
 Amy LaVonne Anderson, *Health, Physical Education and Recreation*  
 Cade Vinson Anderson, *Geography*  
 Kenneth John Archer, *History, With Honor*  
 Laura Ann Arneson, *Sociology*  
 Arloa Lea Bach, *Journalism*  
 Samuel Stevenson Bandiera, *General Studies*  
 Amanda Lee Barber, *Communication Studies and Theatre, Journalism* †  
 Steven Harold Bauer, *Sociology*  
 Kristy Kay Baustian, *Psychology*  
 Becky Ann Berg, *Music Merchandising*  
 Dennis Alan Bickett, *Mathematics*  
 Alicia Yura Borns, *Sociology*  
 Troy Michael Bouman, *Health, Physical Education and Recreation*  
 Jeffrey D. Bowar, *Economics*  
 † Karen Evon Brovold, *Economics, With High Honor*  
 Terry Lee Brown, *Journalism*  
 Matthew Richard Bunkers, *Political Science*  
 Heidi Nanette Charlson, *Psychology, With High Honor*  
 Deni Alvin Christopherson, *Mathematics*  
 Chad Robert Coley, *Health, Physical Education and Recreation*  
 Robert James Connot, *Sociology*  
 Julie Ann Cox, *Sociology*  
 Daniel Paul Currier, *Economics*  
 Jeffrey J. Danielson, *Geography*  
 Sheryl L. David-Alabbadi, *Sociology*  
 Jolynn Marie Davis, *Sociology*  
 Sara Ann Davis, *Psychology, With High Honor*  
 Thomas Gerard de Blonk, *Economics*  
 Terri Jean Deuschle, *Health, Physical Education and Recreation, Athletic Training*  
 Stacie Jean Dierks, *Economics*  
 Heather Kay Dorfner, *Athletic Training, Health Physical Education and Recreation*  
 Darla Dee Dueis, *Sociology*  
 Steven Lance Erickson, *Journalism*  
 Trent Earl Erickson, *Economics*  
 Diane Lee Eulberg, *Psychology*  
 David Lee Falconer, *Psychology*  
 Tracy Michelle Fearing, *Sociology*  
 Paris Dawn Fiegen, *Mathematics, With High Honor*  
 † Scott Arthur Fiegen, *History, With High Honor*  
 Wesley Walter Fischer, *Psychology*  
 Brian David Fritz, *General Studies*  
 Stacey Brooke Gartner, *Economics*  
 Blake A. Gearhart, *Health, Physical Education and Recreation*  
 Rebecca Jane Geditz, *History, With Highest Honor*  
 Rebecca Jean Glynn, *Communication Studies and Theatre*  
 Bobbi L. Haga, *Political Science, History*  
 Sara Beth Hagny, *Economics*  
 Julie Ann Hahn, *Sociology*  
 Rachel Linn Halsrud, *Economics*  
 Michelle Lea Halvorson, *Health, Physical Education and Recreation*  
 Brenda Lee Hansen, *Microbiology*  
 Jaime Phillip Hansen, *Economics*  
 Scott Ryan Hanson, *History*  
 Mark Robert Harming, *History*  
 Chad J. Hassebroek, *Geography*  
 Dean Galen Heaton, *Sociology, Political Science*  
 Stacy Lynn Heitzman, *Economics*  
 Nicole Sue Held, *Mathematics, With High Honor*  
 Heather Ann Hisek-Prunty, *Health, Physical Education and Recreation, With High Honor*  
 GeorgieAnn Marie Hoerner, *Economics*  
 Arla Carol Holden, *Sociology*  
 Jeremy A. Holsing, *Economics*  
 Wade Christopher Homan, *Public Recreation*  
 Derek Reid Hoyme, *Mathematics, With Honor*  
 Barry Charles Hutchinson, *History, With Honor*  
 Naomi Nadell Ireland, *Economics*  
 Todd Alan Jelinek, *Microbiology*  
 Jennie Lynn Jibben, *Sociology*  
 Christopher A. Johnson, *Economics*  
 Darin Lee Johnson, *Mathematics*  
 Darrin Jon Johnson, *Communication Studies and Theatre*  
 Lona L. Johnson, *Economics*  
 Charley Jay Jones, *Economics*  
 Stephanie Louise Kaufman, *History, With Honor*  
 Scott Michael Keeley, *Microbiology*  
 Mitchell C. Kniffen, *History, Sociology*  
 Trent Lee Knight, *Journalism*  
 Clifford John Kolb, *Political Science, Sociology*  
 Nancy Lynn Krier, *Mathematics*  
 Kristi Lynn Kriz, *Health, Physical Education and Recreation*  
 Ann Roberta Kuhlmann, *Health, Physical Education and Recreation*  
 Jill Annette Kurtz, *Sociology*  
 Sara Anne Larson, *Geography*  
 Julie A. Lease, *Health, Physical Education and Recreation*  
 Richard Neil Lee, *Economics*  
 Brenda Mae Leek, *Sociology*  
 William John Lepkowski, *Psychology*  
 Troy Douglas Lester, *Sociology*  
 Shawnette ReNae Lidel, *Art, Printing Management*  
 Shauna Kristine Ling, *General Studies*  
 Shelly Jean Lohrenz, *Sociology*  
 Derek Lee Long, *Sociology*  
 Ericka Tanya Marker, *Political Science*  
 Brian Paul Messner, *Sociology, With Honor*  
 Kristin Kay Miller, *Journalism*  
 Mary Ellen Millerbernd, *Sociology*  
 Kevin Ray Moe, *Economics, With Honor*  
 Vicki Suzanne Moeckly, *Chemistry*  
 Kevin Karl Moore, *Economics, With Honor*  
 Catherine Lynn Moran, *Journalism*  
 Christine Leah Moran, *Journalism*

Shane Alan Morey, *Communication Studies and Theatre, With High Honor*  
 Brian John Morgan, *Economics, With Honor*  
 Julie Ann Moshier, *Psychology, Psychological Services, With Honor*  
 Melody Gay Nelson, *Communication Studies and Theatre*  
 Lori Ann Niklason, *Communication Studies and Theatre, With Honor*  
 Bruce Rogers Norman, *Geography*  
 Rebecca Anne Nygaard, *Journalism*  
 Scott James Odenbach, *Political Science*  
 Matthew Anthony Pedersen, *Microbiology*  
 Brent Donald Peterson, *Biology, Chemistry*  
 Cindy K. Peterson, *Economics*  
 Stacy Jennifer Peterson, *Journalism*  
 Keomanivong Phrommany, *Microbiology*  
 Jennifer Joann Plimpton, *Mathematics, With Honor*  
 Kurt Mason Potter, *Economics*  
 Janice Kay Price, *Psychology*  
 Kristie LaVon Price, *Communication Studies and Theatre*  
 Lonny Lee Reese, *Political Science*  
 Corey Christopher Reiff, *Economics*  
 Carl David Reinhardt, *Health, Physical Education and Recreation*  
 Bradley Darrel Reinke, *Economics, With Honor*  
 Cory L. Scharffenberg, *Geography*  
 Janet Kay Schartz, *Biology*  
 Dale Patrick Schlimgen, *Athletic Training, With Honor*  
 Jason Lee Schneider, *Psychology, Psychological Services*  
 Jeffrey Eugene Schneider, *Health, Physical Education and Recreation*  
 Darrin Lee Schrauth, *Sociology*  
 Jean Anne Searls, *Sociology*  
 Denise Lynn Simon, *Sociology*  
 Jeffrey J. Simpson, *Journalism*  
 Carol A. Sprenger, *Economics*

† Jason Robert St Sauver, *Communication Studies and Theatre, With High Honor*  
 Cynthia Ann Steele, *Sociology*  
 Linda I. Stern, *Sociology*  
 Scott Allen Stevens, *Health, Physical Education and Recreation*  
 Mark Alan Stevenson, *Economics, Political Science*  
 Jason Troy Stoakes, *Psychology, With High Honor*  
 Jason C. Street, *Economics, With Honor*  
 Jesse Lynn Swanson, *Economics*  
 Kevin Patrick Swanson, *Sociology*  
 Jeffrey Scott Tams, *Economics*  
 Fook Nyeam Thean, *Chemistry, With Honor*  
 Gus S. Theodosopoulos, *Economics*  
 Kenton Elmer Thomas, *Health, Physical Education and Recreation, Athletic Training*  
 Timothy Roger Tiaht, *Economics*  
 Pamela Marie Torper, *Music Merchandising, With Honor*  
 Phuong Anh Tran, *Biology, With Honor*  
 Steve Michael Tripp, *Economics*  
 Jeffrey Allan Trout, *Biology*  
 Trent Joseph Trudeau, *Economics*  
 Scott Allen Van Dam, *Biology*  
 Bill Jake Vincent, *Communication Studies and Theatre*  
 Paul Jason Vugteveen, *Economics*  
 † Christine Carol Wandersee, *Music Merchandising, With Highest Honor*  
 Richard Wallace Warkenthien, *Art*  
 Nikki Rae Warrington, *Health, Physical Education and Recreation*  
 Pamela Jane Weischedel, *Economics*  
 Karen Jane Welbig, *Political Science, History*  
 David Brian West, *Communication Studies and Theatre*  
 Troy Matthew Wiebe, *Geography*  
 Tami Kay Wolf, *Sociology*  
 Brian Kenneth Zeeb, *Sociology*  
 Brent Wade Zell, *Communication Studies and Theatre*

## College of Engineering

*The Candidates Will Be Presented By*

Duane Sander, Ph.D.

*Dean of the College*

### Bachelor of Science in Agricultural Engineering

Joel Wayne Rausch

Steven Bruce Utech

### Bachelor of Science in Civil Engineering

Stacy Lynn Bartlett

Roger Robert Hunt

James G. Brown

Gregory Scott Kniffen

Michael Joseph Butler

Craig Leland Lauritzen

Jeffrey Allen Darnier

James Darrel Leiding

Philip John Gates

Darin Mark Ligtenberg

Jason Todd Hanson

Elizabeth Kay Nelson

Joseph Anthony Honner, *With Highest Honor*

Michael Charles Nelson, *With Honor*

Thomas Aaron Pike  
Eric Edward Prunty, *With High Honor*  
John Paul Rehorst

Scott E. Vander Meulen, *With High Honor*  
Brian Dennis Welch

## Bachelor of Science in Computer Science

Deni Alvin Christopherson  
Jason Lee Haug

Kevin Harold Impecoven, *With Highest Honor*  
Nancy Lynn Krier

## Bachelor of Science in Electrical Engineering

Michael R. Anderson  
Robert Lewis Cameron  
Jason Wallace Erickson  
Steven Lowell Mathistad, *With Honor*  
James Lyle Preston  
Bradley DeWayne Schultz, *With Honor*

Bradley James Shoup, *With Honor*  
Michael John Teeman  
Dayton Lee Ten Haken, *With Highest Honor*  
Steve Richard Wenande  
Brett David Wendler  
Terry J. Wolf

## Bachelor of Science in Engineering Physics

Eric Daniel Held, *With Highest Honor*

Christopher Scott Stover

## Bachelor of Science in Mechanical Engineering

Justin Lane Alders  
Dan Jalmer Bishop  
Leon Michael Braun  
Richard Loyd Church, Jr.  
Steven J. Enger  
† Cheri Renae Erstad, *With Honor*  
Brent Allen Gruenig  
Joseph James Gruman, *With Honor*  
Daniel Jay Hansen

Annette Rae Hueske, *With Honor*  
Jade Leonard Leiferman  
Jared Donald Lenards  
Nichole Ann Lowe  
Bryan Thomas Neisen  
Amy Denise Scriver  
Travis Jon Sichmeller  
Christopher Scott Stover  
Shawn Michel Warkenthien

## Bachelor of Science in Technology

Charles Raymond Cinco  
Mark Richard Crandall  
Matthew Michael Heinse  
Jehu Charles Jones  
James Edward Mc Breen

† Ronald J. Morris, *With Highest Honor*  
Scott Allen Schlag, *With Highest Honor*  
Thomas Philip Wenner  
Jason Eugene Wormstadt

## College of Home Economics

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Laurie Stenberg Nichols, Ph.D.  
*Dean of the College*

## Bachelor of Science in Home Economics

Darcee June Anderson, *Human Development, Child and Family Studies*  
Karla Kay Appel, *Early Childhood Education*  
Kathleen J. Bollig, *Early Childhood Education*  
Lori Ann Brammeier, *Human Development, Child and Family Studies*  
Stephanie Jo Bunkers, *Human Development, Child and Family Studies*  
Theresa Marie Carter, *Early Childhood Education*

Jill Marie Chilcote, *Human Development, Child and Family Studies, With High Honor*  
Rebecca A. Christensen, *Human Development, Child and Family Studies, With High Honor*  
Travis Reed Christianson, *Hotel, Restaurant, and Institution Management*  
Tara Ann Davis, *Hotel, Restaurant, and Institution Management*  
Kristin Kae DeClercq, *Consumer Affairs*



Karyl Anne Mencke  
Cherie Blanchard Merritt  
Jane Elizabeth Pearson  
Dara Jo Persson  
Rebecca A. Petersen, *With Highest Honor*  
Amy Jo Pietz  
Josephine E. Richards  
Krista Lee Rippentrop  
Christy Sue Rupp, *With Honor*  
Amy M. Schultz  
Robin Elizabeth Schultz  
Jonel K. Sears  
Deann Marie Sechser  
Michelle Clare Solem

Vina Viola Steele  
Suzanne Rose Sudmeier, *With Honor*  
Lyle James Sutherland, *With Honor*  
Lori Ann Svara  
Rena Faye Trumbull  
Michalene Rae Van Winkle, *With High Honor*  
Colleen Marie Wald, *With Honor*  
Denise Marie Wambeke  
Kimberly Ann Weibel  
Jeanne Marie Wyatt  
Michelle Lynn Yordy  
Jason Matthew Zwiefel

## CONFERRING OF GRADUATE DEGREES

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### The Graduate School

*The Candidates Will Be Presented By*

Christopher P. Sword, Ph.D.

*Dean*

### DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY

Carol Jane Cumber, (B.A., North Dakota State University, 1979; M.B.A., North Dakota State University, 1984), *Sociology*

Dissertation: Determinants of Receptivity to Innovative Change Focus on Educational Improvement

Dr. Diane Kayongo-Male, major professor

Donna Marie Osment-Epp, (B.A., Washburn University of Topeka, 1981; M.S., University of Kansas, 1986), *Sociology*

Dissertation: Towards Mea Culpa: A Community's Assessment of the Year of Reconciliation

Dr. Donna Hess, major professor

Susan Marie Specht-Overholt, (B.S., Ohio State University, 1988; M.S., University of Connecticut, 1990), *Animal Science*

Dissertation: Commercial Manufacturing of Omega-3 Enriched Pork Products and the Effects of Flax Seed and d,1  $\alpha$ -Tocopherol Acetate in Swine Diets on Lipid and Pigment Stability and Various Pork-Quality Characteristics

Dr. John Romans, major professor

### MASTER OF ARTS

Melissa Marie Miller, (B.A., South Dakota State University, 1992), *English*

### MASTER OF EDUCATION

David Lee Blackhurst, (B.S., University of South Carolina, 1965), *Educational Administration*

Kelly Leigh Brannock, (B.S., Central Missouri State University, 1984), *Educational Administration*

Lisa Louise Dodd, (B.S.Ed., University of Missouri-Columbia, 1990), *Curriculum and Instruction*

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Lori Jefferson Duck, (B.A., Northeast Louisiana University, 1987), *Curriculum and Instruction*

Marilyn Kay Elmstrand, (B.S., Augustana College, 1966), *Curriculum and Instruction*

David Paul Jewett, (B.S., Dakota State University, 1987), *Educational Administration*

James Anderson Lamb, (B.A., Grambling State University, 1989), *Curriculum and Instruction*

Roberta Ann Morin, (B.S., Eastern Montana, 1968), *Educational Administration*

Daniel J. Olson, (B.S., Black Hills State University, 1983), *Educational Administration*

Karen Lynn Radisewitz, (B.A., Jamestown College, 1980), *Curriculum and Instruction*  
Larry Merle Van Otterloo, (B.A., Dordt College, 1985), *Educational Administration*

## MASTER OF SCIENCE

Surendra Kumar SVSS Ajarapu, (B.T., Jawaharlal University, 1992), *Engineering*  
Jerrold L. Allum, (B.S., Northern State University, 1987), *Counseling and Human Resource Development*  
Asif Aman, (B.E., University of Mysore, 1991), *Engineering*  
Karanakar Reddy Asireddy, (B.E., Osmania University, 1988), *Engineering*  
Umasankar Atluri, (B.T., Nagarjuna University, 1989), *Engineering*  
Srikishan Bahudhanam, (B.E., PSG College of Technology, 1989), *Engineering*  
Donna Louise Bennett, (B.S., University of Wyoming, 1972), *Counseling and Human Resource Development*  
Angela A. Berg, (B.A., Dakota Wesleyan University, 1988), *Counseling and Human Resource Development*  
Diana Lois Berklund, (B.S., South Dakota State University, 1974), *Nursing*  
Gregory W. Biegler, (B.S., Black Hills State University, 1975), *Counseling and Human Resource Development*  
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Janice Julene Boge, (B.S., Briar Cliff College, 1991), *Nursing*  
Mary Alice Bradford, (B.S., Kansas State University, 1979), *Biology*  
Dennis A. Braun, (B.S., Black Hills State University, 1978), *Counseling and Human Resource Development*  
Charlotte Fay Campbell, (B.A., University of South Dakota, 1991), *Counseling and Human Resource Development*  
Jagadeesha K. RA Channappa, (B.E., Bangalore University, 1989), *Engineering*  
Kathleen Rae Coyle, (B.S., South Dakota State University, 1991), *Engineering*  
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John William Doan, (B.A., Augustana College, 1992), *Counseling and Human Resource Development*  
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Julie Anne Ewen, (B.S., South Dakota State University, 1992), *Counseling and Human Resource Development*  
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Carol Gauer, (B.M., University of South Dakota, 1984), *Counseling and Human Resource Development*  
Joyce Ellen Graves, (B.S., Bishop Clarkson College, 1991), *Nursing*  
Jackie S. Griffith, (B.S., Black Hills State University, 1992), *Counseling and Human Resource Development*  
Ming Guan, (B.A., University of International Business and Economy, 1987), *Economics*  
Yousri Ahmed Habib, (B.S., University of Helwan, 1983), *Agricultural Engineering*  
James Duane Haddock, (B.S., Black Hills State University, 1958), *Counseling and Human Resource Development*  
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Julie E. Hanson, (B.S.N., Mount Marty College, 1991), *Nursing*  
Kelly Ray Harty, (B.S., South Dakota State University, 1991), *Economics*  
Christine Lee Henderson, (B.S., South Dakota State University, 1992), *Animal Science*  
Myrna Hill, (B.A., South Dakota State University, 1979), *Counseling and Human Resource Development*  
Michelle R. Hilton, (B.S., South Dakota State University, 1991), *Home Economics*  
Sarah Kathryn Holm, (B.S., Iowa State College, 1960), *Counseling and Human Resource Development*  
Diane Sue Hyronimus, (B.A., Sioux Falls College, 1985), *Counseling and Human Resource Development*  
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Yanfei Jiang, (B.S., Shanghai University of Science and Technology, 1983), *Engineering*  
Jo Ann Helen Jorgensen, (B.S., South Dakota State University, 1989), *Rural Sociology*  
Coleen Cly Keffeler, (B.S., South Dakota State University, 1985), *Home Economics*  
Marcia Elaine Kempton, (B.S., South Dakota State University, 1984), *Nursing*  
Luanne Kent, (B.A., Evangel College, 1990), *Counseling and Human Resource Development*  
Brian J. Kernohan, (B.S., Michigan State University, 1992), *Wildlife and Fisheries Sciences, Option: Wildlife*  
Maxine Elizabeth Kilstrom, (B.S.N., Briar Cliff College, 1989), *Nursing*  
Diana Lynn Kirby, (B.A., University of Maine, 1986), *Nursing*  
September Lynn Kirby, (B.S., South Dakota State University, 1983), *Nursing*  
Tamara Lou Knudtson, (B.A., South Dakota State University, 1990), *Counseling and Human Resource Development*  
Debra Ann Kolecka, (B.S., Mount Marty College, 1977), *Nursing*  
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Charles LeRoy Langner, (B.S., South Dakota State University, 1977), *Agronomy*  
Loretta K. Leloux, (B.S., South Dakota State University, 1992), *Home Economics*

- Matthew Ryan Lentsch, (B.S., South Dakota State University, 1992), *Dairy Science*  
 Ke Li, (B.S., Liaoning University, 1985), *Chemistry*  
 Yueming Li, (B.E., University of Science and Technology-Beijing, 1982), *Engineering*  
 Fenzhang Lin, (B.S., South China Institute of Technology, 1982), *Engineering*  
 Collette Madison, (B.S.N., University of Iowa, 1967), *Counseling and Human Resource Development*  
 Srinivas Sathyanara Manikonda, (B.E., Osmania University, 1989), *Industrial Management*  
 Aazer Adi Medhora, (B.E., Osmania University, 1990), *Engineering*  
 Lloyd Ernst Metzger, (B.S., South Dakota State University, 1992), *Dairy Science*  
 † Michelle Lynn Miller, (B.S., South Dakota State University, 1987), *Home Economics*  
 Todd R. Mills, (B.S., South Dakota State University, 1986), *Wildlife and Fisheries Sciences, Option: Wildlife*  
 Fatima Minyard, (B.S., Ohio University, 1986), *Engineering*  
 Kris Ann Miner, (B.S., South Dakota State University, 1992), *Counseling and Human Resource Development*  
 Thomas Joseph Mitchell, (B.S., Black Hills State University, 1978), *Counseling and Human Resource Development*  
 Janet Ann Mizzi, (B.S., Lake Superior State College, 1989), *Wildlife and Fisheries Sciences, Option: Fisheries*  
 Thomas Francis Mullin, (B.A., University of Arizona, 1977), *Counseling and Human Resource Development*  
 Srinivasa Kumar Munnangi, (B.T., Nagarjuna University, 1992), *Engineering*  
 David Edwin Naugle, (B.S., Northwest Missouri State University, 1992), *Wildlife and Fisheries Sciences, Option: Wildlife*
- Balakrishna Mohan Nemani, (B.E., Gulbarga University, 1992), *Engineering*  
 Mary DeVries O'Neill, (B.S., South Dakota State University, 1972), *Geography*  
 Robert Gene Osborn, (B.S., Colorado State University, 1988), *Wildlife and Fisheries Sciences, Option: Wildlife*  
 Jane M. Osborne, (B.S., Westminster College, 1977), *Counseling and Human Resource Development*  
 Charles Wesley Ostrander, (B.S., Central Michigan University, 1986), *Counseling and Human Resource Development*  
 Janardhan Reddy Pannala, (B.E., Bangalore University, 1988), *Engineering*  
 Nancy Jo Pauly, (B.S., South Dakota State University, 1979), *Home Economics*  
 Dorothy Petersen, (B.S., South Dakota State University, 1974), *Nursing*  
 Kenneth Jay Piedad, (B.S., South Dakota State University, 1992), *Engineering*  
 Sai Somasundaram Prasad, (B.E., Madurai Kamaraj University, 1990), *Engineering*  
 James D. Purdy, (B.S., South Dakota State University, 1992), *Counseling and Human Resource Development*  
 Harsha Puttaswamy, (B.E., Bangalore University, 1992), *Industrial Management*  
 Lesa Marie Radloff, (B.A., Iowa State University, 1986), *Counseling and Human Resource Development*  
 Sri Hari Seetharam Raju, (B.E., Islamiah Institute of Technology, 1990), *Engineering*  
 June Eileen Reilly, (B.S., Black Hills State University, 1987), *Counseling and Human Resource Development*  
 Denise Nafziger Richards, (B.S., University of South Dakota, 1986), *Counseling and Human Resource Development*
- Mark Alan Robbins, (B.S., South Dakota State University, 1984), *Animal Science*  
 William Gary Saunders, (B.S., South Dakota State University, 1991), *Microbiology*  
 Clifford F. Scott, (B.A., Colorado State University, 1982), *Counseling and Human Resource Development*  
 Ming-Her Shen, (B.S., Tatung Institute of Technology, 1987), *Engineering*  
 Karen Simon-Stoos, (B.S., South Dakota State University, 1993), *Microbiology*  
 David Todd Simpson, (B.S., South Dakota State University, 1988), *Industrial Management*  
 Satyajit Hem Singh, (B.E., Bangalore University, 1984), *Engineering*  
 Jerald J. Somsen, (B.S., South Dakota State University, 1990), *Mathematics*  
 Eric Scott Stebbins, (B.S., South Dakota State University, 1991), *Economics*  
 Shaema Mohammedi Talib, (B.S., University of Bombay, 1989), *Microbiology*  
 Sian Jin Tan, (B.S., South Dakota State University, 1990), *Economics*  
 Suresh Thudimilla, (B.T., Sri Venkateswara University, 1989), *Engineering*  
 Pamela Jean Tiefenthaler, (B.S., South Dakota State University, 1991), *Counseling and Human Resource Development*  
 Mahendraaraj R D Urs, (B.E., University of Mysore, 1988), *Engineering*  
 Janis Cronkhite Warrick, (B.S., South Dakota State University, 1973), *Home Economics*  
 Julie Ann Wenger, (B.S., Black Hills State University, 1991), *Counseling and Human Resource Development*  
 Wenying Ye, (B.S., Jinan University, 1991), *Chemistry*  
 Yong Zhang, (B.S., South West Agricultural University, 1982), *Agronomy*  
 Jian Zhao, (B.S., Tsinghua University, 1984), *Engineering*

## MASTER OF SCIENCE TEACHING

- Arlyn Matthew DeBruyckere, (B.S., Moorhead State University, 1983), *Physics*  
 Beth A. Eickman, (B.S., Northern State University, 1988), *Physics*

# Commissioned Second Lieutenant Officers Reserve Corps

## *Army ROTC*

Lieutenant Colonel Jeffrey C. Berry

Jennifer L. Hanson

## *Air Force ROTC*

Lieutenant Colonel Kevin J. Graber

Karyl A. Mencke

Scott A. Stevens

*Candidates for Graduation – Summer Session*

## CONFERRING OF BACHELOR'S DEGREES

### College of Agriculture and Biological Sciences

*The Candidates Will Be Presented By*

David A. Bryant, Ph.D.

*Dean of the College*

### Bachelor of Science in Agriculture

David Chang, *Animal Science*

Bernett Dean Eichstadt, *Agronomy*

Scott Robert Oltmans, *Animal Science*

Travis Dwight Shaffer, *Agricultural Extension*

Brian John Zoet, *Agricultural Extension*

### Bachelor of Science in Biological Science

Richard Bruce Erickson, *Biology*

Stacy Mae Johnson, *Biology, With High Honor*

Paul Leroy Krueger, *Biology*

### College of Arts and Science

*The Candidates Will Be Presented By*

Herbert E. Cheever, Jr., Ph.D.

*Dean of the College*

### Bachelor of Arts in Arts and Science

Barbara Lynn Donelan, *Art, With Honor*

Jack Edward Gordon, *Journalism*

Tanya M. Grassel, *Psychology*

Tasha Rhea Lang, *Journalism*

Jennifer Lee Luitjens, *Political Science*

Candi Lee Rawdon, *Sociology, With High Honor*

Nancy Christine Schumacher, *Communication*

*Studies and Theatre*

### Bachelor of Science in Arts and Science

Kim Marie Ackerman, *Sociology*

Tiana Michele Adams, *Psychology*

Mary Kay Angerhofer, *Communication Studies*

*and Theatre*



- Kimberly Sue Astar, *Sociology*  
 Elizabeth Deloris Athey, *Economics*  
 Laureen Kay Baum, *Sociology*  
 Michael Don Burgeson, *Sociology*  
 Jonathan Christopher Burns, *Economics*  
 Troy Wayne Buschbom, *Economics*  
 Bethany Renee Butzman, *Sociology*  
 Julene Joy Carney, *Communication Studies  
 and Theatre, With Honor*
- Mike John Cotteleer, *Chemistry*  
 Troy D. Daniels, *General Studies*  
 Ranae Lynn Dvorak, *Sociology*  
 Daniel D. Estby, *Sociology*  
 Dodie Lynn Fischer, *Health, Physical Education  
 and Recreation*
- Lori Ann Fuks, *Communication Studies and Theatre*  
 Lauri J. Gemar, *Health, Physical Education  
 and Recreation*
- Todd A. Goldammer, *Sociology*  
 Brenda LaRae Halverson, *Sociology*  
 Jodi Marie Heath, *Sociology*  
 Tina Margaret Hildring, *Economics*  
 Shari Ane Hill, *Biochemistry*  
 Dawn Marie Hulm, *Health, Physical Education  
 and Recreation*
- Jessica Marene Jones, *Health, Physical Education  
 and Recreation*
- Colin Patrick King, *Economics*  
 Kristi Ann Koistinen, *Sociology*  
 Kevin L. Krcil, *Geography, With Honor*  
 Brian Francis Kuss, *Clinical Laboratory Technology*  
 Kip H. Kusser, *Journalism*  
 Scott A. Larsen, *Economics*  
 Jeffrey D. Leat, *Clinical Laboratory Technology*
- Sherry Renae Mast, *Communication Studies  
 and Theatre*
- Lindsie Kay Micko, *Health, Physical Education  
 and Recreation*
- LeeAnn Fay Minnaert, *General Chemistry*  
 Angela Lee Morehouse, *Economics*  
 Coy Dennison Nelson, *Journalism*  
 Ryan Ray Palmer, *Psychology, Psychological Services*  
 Michael G. Parks, *Psychology*  
 Paul Edward Pietz, *Economics*  
 Aldina J. Red Bird, *Sociology*  
 Janelle Faye Rens, *Music Merchandising*  
 James Paul Rokusek, *Sociology*  
 Annette Denise Schoon, *Sociology*  
 Stacy Garnel Schrank, *Communication Studies  
 and Theatre*
- Ginger Kaye Schwab, *Microbiology*  
 Amy Elizabeth Sheets, *Communication Studies  
 and Theatre*
- Jason Robert St Sauver, *Communication Studies  
 and Theatre, With High Honor*
- Michael Lee Stohr, *Clinical Laboratory Technology*  
 Brad Scott Swenson, *Sociology*  
 Sheila Marie Sykora, *Psychology, With Highest Honor*  
 Tiffany Lynn Thomas, *Sociology*  
 Michael Sean Travis, *Microbiology*  
 Teri L. Vanderheiden, *General Studies*  
 Jeffrey Asher Voas, *History*  
 Anna Rose Wahcahunka, *Sociology*  
 Tonya Marie Will, *Sociology*  
 Jill Renee Wittenwyler, *Zoology, Biology*  
 Kimberly Ann Young, *Health, Physical Education  
 and Recreation*

## College of Engineering

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Duane Sander, Ph.D.

*Dean of the College*

### Bachelor of Science in Civil Engineering

Park Leong Cheng

### Bachelor of Science in Electrical Engineering

Chandraprakash L. Bhojwani

Rob James Mader

Ramamuthe Narayanan

### Bachelor of Science in Engineering Physics

Imad Hanna Ziadat

### Bachelor of Science in Mechanical Engineering

† Cheang-Hong Tan, *With High Honor*

† Member, The Honor Society of Phi Kappa Phi

## Bachelor of Science in Technology

John Ralph Cline  
James Scott Douglas, *With High Honor*  
Richard L. Gardner, *With Honor*

John S. Paloma  
Michael J. Phelps, *With Honor*  
Brian Ray Tonsager

## College of Home Economics

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## Bachelor of Science in Home Economics

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Ame Anderson, *Human Development, Child  
and Family Studies*

James C. Clayton, *Interior Design*  
Carrie Frances Dahloff, *Interior Design*  
Sherry Ann Groen, *Interior Design*  
Shellyene Kay Kettering, *Apparel Merchandising*

Rosemary Meyer, *Interior Design*  
† Stephanie Lynn Neuharth, *Interior Design,  
With High Honor*  
Anne Marie Pritchard, *Human Development, Child  
and Family Studies*  
Shannon Lee Puppe, *Human Development, Child  
and Family Studies*

Tammy Renee Sagness, *Interior Design*  
Kari Jo Schreurs, *Human Development, Child  
and Family Studies*

Amy Lynn Serfling, *Hotel, Restaurant,  
and Institution Management*  
† Jennifer Helen Stenzel, *Home Economics Education,  
With Highest Honor*

Nancy Kay Stenzel, *Human Development, Child and  
Family Studies, With Honor*  
Lynda Norma Tuinstra, *Human Development, Child  
and Family Studies, With Honor*  
Jennifer Lynn Zaman, *Human Development, Child  
and Family Studies*

## College of Nursing

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## Bachelor of Science in Nursing

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Renee Ann Donley, *With Honor*  
Tamara Marie Gleason  
Linda Lea Hanson  
Kathy A. Martinec  
Deborah Colson McDonald

Kathleen K. Otten  
Patricia Ann Piper  
Helen Elveria Rayburn  
Vicki J. Tigner, *With High Honor*  
Angela Marie Victor  
† Ellen Kay Zito, *With High Honor*

## CONFERRING OF GRADUATE DEGREES

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## DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY

Nasir Yusuf Iman, (B.S., University of Wyoming, 1988; M.S., University of Wyoming, 1990), *Animal Science*  
Dissertation: Lifetime Lamb and Wool Production of Targhee or Finn-Dorset-Targhee Ewes  
Managed as a Farm or Range Flock  
Dr. A.L. Slyter, major professor

## MASTER OF ARTS

- Alan Christopher Jalowitz, (B.A., University of Wisconsin-Eau Claire, 1990), *Communication Studies & Theatre*  
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Spencer J. Madsen, (B.A., Sioux Falls College, 1991), *English*  
Melanie Erin Wood, (B.A., South Dakota State University, 1992), *English*  
Yuqing Zhang, (B.A., Yunnan Normal University, 1985), *English*

## MASTER OF EDUCATION

- Pamela Marie Anderson, (B.S., Mankato State University, 1970), *Curriculum & Instruction*  
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Margaret (Peggy) A. Blair, (B.A., Concordia College, 1974), *Educational Administration*  
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Robert H. Brannock Jr., (B.S., Central Missouri State University, 1984), *Educational Administration*  
Lisa Lynne Conzemius, (B.A., Concordia College, 1989), *Curriculum & Instruction*  
Joan C. Davis, (B.S., University of South Dakota, 1973), *Curriculum & Instruction*  
Deborah Lynn Denevan, (B.S., University of South Dakota, 1970), *Curriculum & Instruction*  
Richard Allan Drennen, (B.A., Augustana College, 1975), *Educational Administration*  
Connie M. Dusek, (B.S., University of South Dakota, 1975), *Curriculum & Instruction*  
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Larry E. Germann, (B.S., Southern Illinois University, 1984), *Curriculum & Instruction*  
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Mary K. Halseth, (B.A., South Dakota State University, 1969), *Curriculum & Instruction*  
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Jean Wolf Kirschenmann, (B.A., South Dakota State University, 1988), *Curriculum & Instruction*  
† Barbara Ann Kleinjan, (B.A., South Dakota State University, 1978), *Educational Administration*  
Sandra Kay Koester, (B.S., South Dakota State University, 1968), *Educational Administration*  
David E. Larson, (B.S., Dakota State University, 1977), *Educational Administration*  
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Jerilynn J. Mehlbrech, (B.S., University of Minnesota, 1971), *Curriculum & Instruction*  
Jami Kaye Metzger, (B.A., Augustana College, 1987), *Educational Administration*  
LeeAnn Marie Nussbaum, (B.A., Southwest State University, 1978), *Educational Administration*  
Wade S. Pogany, (B.S., University of South Dakota, 1985), *Educational Administration*  
Michael Dale Postma, (B.S., South Dakota State University, 1993), *Agricultural Education*  
Greer C. Sayles, (B.A., University of Iowa, 1969), *Educational Administration*  
Janice Lee Seeley, (B.A., South Dakota State University, 1970), *Curriculum & Instruction*  
Robert Alan Sittig, (B.A., Augustana College, 1978), *Educational Administration*  
Richard Charles Soetaert, (B.Ed., Washburn University, 1973), *Educational Administration*  
Jaynie K. Spell, (B.A., California State College-Fullerton, 1968), *Curriculum & Instruction*  
Anita Marie Stickfort, (B.S., Moorhead State University, 1990), *Curriculum & Instruction*  
Ellen Anita Welch, (B.A., Yankton College, 1971), *Curriculum & Instruction*  
Robert B. Willis, (B.S., Eastern Montana College, 1965), *Educational Administration*  
Leona Li-min Zheng, (B.A., Beijing Foreign Language Institute, 1979), *Curriculum & Instruction*

## MASTER OF SCIENCE

- Ayman Alamy, (B.S., Polytechnic Institute-Bucharest, 1986), *Industrial Management*  
Zahra Alishiri, (B.S., University of Science and Arts of Oklahoma, 1983), *Engineering*  
Mary Lou Atwell, (B.A., Sioux Falls College, 1992), *Counseling & Human Resource Development*  
Tena Baruth, (B.A., Huron University, 1964), *Counseling & Human Resource Development*  
Larry LeRoy Bertsch, (B.S., University of South Dakota, 1977), *Counseling & Human Resource Development*  
Patricia Jill Bultsma, (B.S., South Dakota State University, 1972), *Nursing*  
Denise Lyn Burggraaff, (B.S., South Dakota State University, 1985), *Nursing*  
Chin Fei Chew, (B.S., South Dakota State University, 1986), *Engineering*  
Diane Marie Cragoe, (B.A., Southwest State University, 1991), *Counseling & Human Resource Development*  
Vonna K. Roles Cranston, (B.S., Texas Woman's University, 1980), *Nursing*  
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