

Oakland University



Spring 2025 Commencement

May 1-3 & May 9, 2025



SPRING COMMENCEMENT CEREMONIES

Oakland University | Rochester, Michigan

Thursday, May 1, 2025

9 a.m. *Undergraduate Ceremony*
College of Arts & Sciences Ceremony 2

2 p.m. *Undergraduate Ceremony*
Bachelor of Interdisciplinary Studies
College of Arts & Sciences Ceremony 1

Friday, May 2, 2025

9 a.m. *Undergraduate Ceremony*
School of Business Administration
School of Engineering and Computer Science

2 p.m. *Undergraduate Ceremony*
School of Education and Human Services
School of Health Sciences
School of Nursing

Saturday, May 3, 2025

9 a.m. *Doctoral and Masters Ceremony*
All schools and the college
University Wide Doctoral and Masters

Friday, May 9, 2025

2 p.m. *Oakland University William Beaumont*
School of Medicine Commencement Ceremony



OAKLAND UNIVERSITY LAND ACKNOWLEDGMENT

Oakland University resides on the ancestral, traditional, and contemporary lands of the Anishinaabe, known as the Three Fires Confederacy, comprised of the Ojibwe, Odawa, and Potawatomi. The land was ceded in the 1807 Treaty of Detroit and makes up southeast Michigan.

In recognizing the history and respecting the sovereignty of Michigan's Indian Nations, Oakland University honors the heritage of Indigenous communities and their significant role in shaping the course of this region. Further, we recognize the wrongs done to those forcibly removed from their Homelands and commit to fostering an environment of inclusion that is responsive to the needs of First Peoples through our words, policies, and actions.

The preservation and perpetuation of customs and traditions of Indigenous nations are essential to our shared cultural heritage. A deep understanding of Native peoples' past and present informs the teaching, research, and community engagement of the university in its ongoing effort to elevate the dignity of all people and serve as shared stewards of the land.



OAKLAND UNIVERSITY MOTTO

The motto of Oakland University, “*Seguir Virtute E. Canoskenza*,” which is incorporated in its seal, has a distinguished origin, Canto XXVI, line 120, of Dante’s *Inferno*.

These are the final words of Ulysses’ great speech to his men urging them to sail on and on in pursuit of knowledge and experience of the world — even beyond the pillars of Hercules, traditionally the frontier and limit of legitimate exploration.

This is the three-line stanza:

Considerate la vostra semenza

Fatti non foste a viver come bruti

Ma per seguir virtute e canoskenza

Consider your birth

You were not made to live like brutes

But to follow courage and knowledge

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Message from the President

Congratulations to the Oakland University Class of 2025! We are so proud of what you have accomplished.

Today's commencement ceremony could be considered as the "finish line." In reality, the degree bestowed is a rite of passage – and a "commencement" is not the end, but a beginning.

While you have come to the culmination of your "academic journey," think of today as the first step on your career path, whether that leads into the private- or public-sector, or graduate studies and beyond. Whatever your chosen course, your education and pursuit of knowledge will illuminate the path that leads to making your dreams a reality.

During your journey through life, know this: You are ready to succeed. Your academic, social, and cultural experiences at Oakland have prepared you to contribute to a diverse, rapidly changing, and increasingly global world.

May you remember fondly your days at Oakland University, and the people who have played a part in making you the person you are today.

On behalf of the faculty and staff at Oakland University, we applaud you on your graduation and wish you success in all your endeavors.

I look forward to keeping up with you in the days ahead.

Ora Hirsch Pescovitz, MD
President



Message from the Provost

Congratulations, Class of 2025. You did it!

You completed the assignments, aced the exams, and did everything you needed to do to be here today. We have watched you navigate the past few years and have looked in awe. But this should not surprise you - you have shown Golden Grizzly Grit!

As you cross the stage at commencement, I hope you take a moment to reflect on the many experiences throughout your life that helped you get to this day. The support from your family, the deep conversations with friends who encouraged you when you were feeling down, the faculty who cheered you on and helped you understand, the advisors who guided you, and so many other members of the Golden Grizzly community who contributed to making this accomplishment possible. As this next chapter of your life unfolds, remember you are a member of this Oakland University community, now as an alumnus. You are a part of the OU story that began with our founder Matilda Dodge Wilson; what will be your contribution to that ever-evolving story? How will you influence others, impact your community, and our world? Your opportunities with an OU degree are endless.

I know your contribution will be amazing, just like you.

With Golden Grizzly Pride,

Amy Thompson, Ph.D., FESG, CHES
Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs and Provost



MACE AND PRESIDENT'S MEDALLION

In medieval times, a mace was used in warfare. The mace is one of the oldest traditions in academe dating back to the early 1400's when it transitioned from warfare to ceremonial use. Considered a symbol of the University itself, the scepter mace is carried by the University marshal during commencement, convocation and other ceremonial events to signify the arrival of the faculty processional. Oakland's mace, created in 1994, was crafted by jeweler and OU alumnus, Paul Haig and designer Robert Dobbie of P.R. Haig Jewelers in Rochester.

The 30-inch long, approximately 8-pound mace has a white oak handle trimmed with sterling silver ribbon. A black obsidian disk on top is ringed with silver and is inscribed with the University motto. Obsidian is a natural black glass formed by the earth. On each side of the obsidian disk, there is a 14k yellow gold sail. On the base of the handle, a gold oak tree was modeled after a live tree on campus. The clean, straightforward design of the mace reflects the fact that Oakland University is a contemporary institution.

The President's Medallion, also created in 1994 by the same jeweler, is six inches in diameter and reveals the University sail, hangs on a silver chain and is worn by the president at ceremonial events. It is a permanent part of the University's president's academic regalia.

Mission

Oakland University cultivates the full potential of a diverse and inclusive community. As a public doctoral institution, we impact Michigan and the world through education, research, scholarship, and creative activity.

ACADEMIC REGALIA

An edifying note contributed by a certain anonymous doctor of philosophy.

On at least two solemn occasions during the academic calendar — spring and fall commencement — the faculty of the University publicly displays its full academic regalia and participates in the liturgy of processional and recessional, that curious coming and going that symbolizes the ceremony of commencement. The purposes of commencement are well known, but the reasons for the peculiar garb of the celebrants and their odd order of march are often as obscure to the audience as they are, in fact, to the faculty itself. This note may serve to explain academic dress and the professional pecking order it costumes.

Contemporary academics are descendants of clerical schoolmen in the universities of medieval Europe. Like the clergy, members of the bench and bar, and other learned professions, medieval scholars were clothed in

heavy robes to stay warm in unheated stone buildings. Like all members of a hierarchical society, the medieval faculties rejoiced in visible insignia of rank. These outward signs of accomplishment and authority were tailored into robes. Although the need for such voluminous garments to keep the scholar from freezing is long past, the use of them as emblems of dignity remains. You will observe that all caps and gowns worn by our faculty are black, with certain exceptions. Black was the color adopted by mutual agreement among American universities at the end of the 19th century. In Europe, each University has its own distinctive gown, varying in color and cut from all others.

There are three basic academic degrees: the baccalaureate or bachelor's degree, the master's degree, and the doctorate. A special style of robe is prescribed for each. The bachelor's gown is sparsely cut, neat, but a bit skimpy and unadorned, as befits apprentices. The master's gown is still simple, but fuller, sports a sleeve of extraordinary design impossible to describe, and has a hood draped from the shoulders down the back. Once used to keep the frost from the tonsured heads of medieval clerks, the hood is solely a badge of a degree of scholarly achievement. The master's hood is small and narrow, but displays the colors of the institution that awarded the degree. If you knew the colors of American universities, you could easily identify whence came our masters. The doctoral robe is the most handsome of academic raiment. Generous of cut, of fine aristocratic stuff, it is faced with velvet chevrons on the ample sleeves. You will note that most of the velvet facings and chevrons are black, but that some are of other colors. According to personal taste, the doctor may display the color of his or her doctoral degree on the sleeves and facings: light blue for education, pink for music, apricot for nursing, orange for engineering, and many more. The royal blue of the Doctor of Philosophy (Ph.D.) is the most commonly seen in liberal arts institutions such as Oakland. The doctor's hood is the most elegant of all





academic appurtenances. Large and graceful, it is lined in satin with the colors of the University that awarded the degree and is bordered with the color of the degree itself. Most academic costumes include the square cap called a mortarboard; the doctor's tassel may be either black or gold — tassels of all other degrees are black and stringy.

To instructed eyes, the order of march in the processional and recessional reveals the standing of individuals in the institution's formal hierarchy. In the processional, the order of entrance into the hall is, quite fittingly, from most junior to most senior. The baccalaureate candidates enter first, followed successively by the masters and doctoral candidates with the whole separated from the faculty by a decent interval. In the faculty order, the instructors precede the assistant professors that in turn are followed by the associate professors. The august full professors bring up the rear. After a respectful distance come the deans who in turn are separated by a significant space from the awful majesty of the platform party, the vice president, the president, and the members of the board of trustees.

All remain standing until the board is seated. After the ceremony, the order of recessional is the reverse of the processional. The greatest dignitaries stream out first, with the artfully organized ranks of priority wallowing in their wake.

It is hoped that these notes may make more intelligible the spectacle you are witnessing today. A discerning intelligence may detect in it many clues to an understanding of the academic profession as it confronts the ambiguities of the future with ancient wisdom and dignified confidence.

Oakland University is an Eco-friendly Commencement

Each gown is made of 23 recycled plastic bottles

Size labels in the gown neck are stamped with soy ink

Shipping cartons are produced from recycled cardboard

Plastic bags used to package regalia are made of recycled plastic



About Oakland University

Oakland University was created in 1957, when the late Alfred and Matilda Wilson donated \$2 million and their 1,500-acre estate to Michigan State University to begin a new college in Oakland County.

Named Michigan State University-Oakland, the new campus enrolled its first 570 students in 1959. In 1963, its name changed to Oakland University as the first class graduated with 125 students receiving diplomas. In 1970, the Michigan Legislature recognized the maturity and stature of the University by granting it autonomy, and the governor appointed Oakland University's first Board of Trustees.

From its beginnings, the University has emphasized academic quality, concentrating on providing a dynamic, student-focused learning environment with integration of liberal and professional studies by a faculty of dedicated scholar-teachers. The natural beauty of the campus, much of it still wooded and undeveloped, is enhanced by comprehensive recreational facilities and modern buildings that house the University's many academic and public service programs as well as more than 2,000 residential students.

Dedicated to preparing graduates to make meaningful and substantial contributions to the workplace, society and academia, the University is organized into eight academic units: the College of Arts and Sciences; the schools of Business Administration, Education and Human Services, Engineering and Computer Science, Health Sciences, Medicine, and Nursing; and The Honors College.

Oakland has 118 bachelor degree programs and 136 graduate degree and certificate programs. Doctorates are offered in education with concentrations in educational leadership, counseling and early childhood education; biomedical sciences with specializations in medical physics, health and environmental chemistry, and biological communication; reading education; systems and mechanical engineering; physical therapy; applied mathematical sciences; nursing practice; music education; computer science and informatics; psychology, medicine, and electrical and computer engineering.

The University is continuously adapting to meet the changing needs of students and the marketplace. New programs delivered online and on campus include master's degree programs in nursing, psychology, training and development, public health, software engineering, an Executive MBA program in health care management, and innovative Honors College courses. Business and industry partnerships provide unprecedented opportunities for advanced, hands-on learning.

Now, over 16,000 students attend classes at Oakland University each year, and the number of OU alumni has increased to more than 135,000.

PAST HONORARY DEGREE RECIPIENTS

2024

Camille Jayne, Doctor of Business
Bruce Miller, Doctor of Laws
Nora Chapa Mendoza, Doctor of Arts
Eric Hemenway, Doctor of Arts
Daniel Skovronshy, Doctor of Medicine

2023

Glenn Ellis, Doctor of Arts
Wendel White, Doctor of Arts
Walter and Donna Young, Doctor of Arts
Curtis Armstrong, Doctor of Arts
Lainie Friedman Ross, Doctor of Science
Michael T. Trese, Doctor of Science
Eugene Gargaro, Doctor of Humanities

2022

Ewa Matuszewski, Doctor of Science
Jayprakash 'Jay' Shah, Doctor of Science
Sarah Collins Rudolph, Doctor of Science
Dominic J. Mocer, Jr., Doctor of Arts
Steven Kahn, Doctor of Science

2021

Kenneth Janke, Doctor of Science
Tom Kimble, Doctor of Humanities
Kathleen Ligocki, Doctor of Science
Dennis Pawley, Doctor of Arts
Patrick Scoggin (Posthumously), Doctor of Humanities
Michael P. Kenny, Doctor of Arts

2020

Najah Bazy, Doctor of Humanities

2019

Sheila Clay, Doctor of Humanities
Joanne Danto, Doctor of Arts
Robert Gibbs, Doctor of Arts
John Michael Kosterlitz, Doctor of Science
Sheldon Yellen, Doctor of Science
Lori Blaker, Doctor of Science
Beth Gotthelf, Doctor of Humanities
Jane Houdyshell, Doctor of Arts
David McMillan, Doctor of Humanities

2018

Angela F. Braly, Doctor of Science
David T. Fischer, Doctor of Science
Robert Blake Theodore "Ted" Lindsay,
Doctor of Humanities
Gjertrude Schnackenberg, Doctor of Humanities
John Van Camp, Doctor of Humanities
Gary M. Wozniak, Doctor of Humanities

2017

James A. Sharp, Jr., Doctor of Humanities

2016

Ron A. May, Doctor of Science
Patti Finnegan Sharf, Doctor of Humanities
Curt Tofteland, Doctor of Humanities

2015

Florine Mark, Doctor of Humanities
Nancy Elliott, Doctor of Humanities
Joseph Travolta, Doctor of Arts
Ann V. Nicholson, Doctor of Humanities
Mary Fisher, Doctor of Humanities

2014

Lana Pollack, Doctor of Laws
Terry M. Blackhawk, Doctor of Humanities
Gebran S. Anton, Doctor of Science

2013

Sergio Marchionne, Doctor of Science
Baroness Caroline Cox, Doctor of Humanities

2012

Grace Lee Boggs, Doctor of Humanities

2011

R. Hugh Elliott, Doctor of Science
Margaret Allesee, Doctor of Humanities

2009

A.P.J. Abdul Kalam, Doctor of Science

2008

N.R. Narayana Murthy, Doctor of Science

2007

Henry W. (Hank) Jones, Jr., Doctor of Humanities
Stephan Sharf, Doctor of Science

2004

Doris Eaton Travis, Doctor of Humanities
Carl Levin, Doctor of Laws

2003

Gordon England, Doctor of Science
Ashley Bryan, Doctor of Humanities

2002

William G. Milliken, Doctor of Laws
Eugene A. Miller, Doctor of Humanities
C. R. Rao, Doctor of Science

PAST HONORARY DEGREE RECIPIENTS

2001

Damon Jerome Keith, Doctor of Laws
David DiChiera, Doctor of Arts
Thomas Lynch, Doctor of Humanities

1998

John M. Engler, Doctor of Laws
Howard Birndorf, Doctor of Science

1986

G. Mennen Williams, Doctor of Laws

1984

James J. Blanchard, Doctor of Laws
Marvin L. Katke, Doctor of Humanities

1980

Jin H. Kinoshita, Doctor of Science
Helen G. Kyes, Doctor of Humanities
Donald D. O'Dowd, Doctor of Laws
Florine Trumbull, Doctor of Humanities

1979

Harry Bober, Doctor of Humanities
Harold A. Cousins, Doctor of Laws
Kenneth A. Meade, Doctor of Science
Lew Ayres, Doctor of Humanities

1974

Wade H. McCree, Jr., Doctor of Laws
Benjamin H. Anibal, Doctor of Laws
Charles O. Hucker, Doctor of Humanities
Edward J. Lundy, Doctor of Laws

1973

Leonard Woodcock, Doctor of Laws
Gifford Scott, Doctor of Science
Sixten Ehrling, Doctor of Musical Arts
Theodore Yntema, Doctor of Laws
Leonard Spearman, Doctor of Laws
N. L. Meredith, Doctor of Laws

1972

Lorene L. Rogers, Doctor of Science
Theodore J. Lowi, Doctor of Humanities
Clifford L. Goad, Doctor of Laws

1971

Myron Tribus, Doctor of Science
Clifton R. Wharton, Doctor of Humanities
C. L. R. James, Doctor of Humanities
William H. Baldwin, Doctor of Laws

1970

Durward Belmont Varner, Doctor of Humanities

1969

Henry Samuel Broudy, Doctor of Humanities
John Alfred Hannah, Doctor of Humanities
Walter P. Reuther, Doctor of Laws

1968

Oscar Handlin, Doctor of Humanities

1967

William Thomas Gossett, Doctor of Laws
Thomas Hale Hamilton, Doctor of Humanities
David Riesman, Doctor of Humanities

1966

Roger M. Kyes, Doctor of Laws
Franklin Stahl, Doctor of Science
Matthew S. Meselson, Doctor of Science
R. Sargent Shriver, Doctor of Laws

1965

John V. Lindsay, Doctor of Laws
Meyer Schapiro, Doctor of Humanities
Roy Wilkins, Doctor of Laws

1964

Stanley S. Kresge, Doctor of Laws
Logan Wilson, Doctor of Laws

1963

Harold A. Fitzgerald, Doctor of Laws
Francis Keppel, Doctor of Laws
Matilda R. Wilson, Doctor of Humanities

IRENE MILLER

Irene Miller is a retired healthcare executive who has held positions as a hospital administrator, planner, developer, and administrator of the first federally qualified HMO in Michigan, Group Health Plan of Southeastern Michigan. She was director of mental health for Livingston County, Michigan. Irene was director of the psychiatric division at Detroit Osteopathic Hospital and director of treatment centers for drug-addicted and dual-diagnosed women and their children at the Detroit Medical Center. For a year she served in Washington DC on an advisory committee for issues related to drug addiction in women and children. For two years she was a public school teacher in Israel.



In retirement, Irene is a docent and speaker for the Detroit Institute of Arts, a courts mediator, and serves on the Board of Directors of the American Jewish Committee, the oldest civil rights organization in the US. Since the University of Michigan-Dearborn published her book, *Into No Man's Land: A Historical Memoir*, in November of 2012, Irene has been in demand as a speaker at many large events in various States the US, and in Canada, at professional conferences, military groups, at NASA Space Center, labor unions, churches, schools, universities, adult education centers, at a campus of adjudicated teens, and many other organizations and social clubs. All are listed under “events.” The book is being used in many schools as required reading in history and English classes. The memoir and her talks serve Irene’s mission to promote tolerance and diversity.

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HONORARY DEGREE RECIPIENT 2025

MICKEY SHAPIRO

When Mickey Shapiro accepts his honorary doctorate from Oakland University today, you'll see more than just a successful Michigan businessman. You'll witness the embodiment of how personal history can inspire a lifetime dedicated to education, remembrance, and creating opportunities for future generations.

Born in a displaced persons camp in Germany in 1947 to Holocaust survivors Asa and Sara Shapiro, Mickey's journey began with his family's migration to Detroit in 1949. He built his legacy as one of Michigan's top financiers and developers, with ownership positions in numerous real estate entities throughout the United States and Canada. His business acumen has made him a highly respected figure in the industry, but his true impact extends far beyond commercial success.



Shapiro's commitment to preserving historical memory has made significant impacts nationally and globally. Appointed to the United States Holocaust Memorial Council by President Bush in 2002, he has dedicated over two decades to ensuring that crucial lessons from history remain accessible to all. His family's story is now permanently honored at the United States Holocaust Memorial Museum, where they are recognized as its most dedicated philanthropists.

For nearly 20 years, Shapiro has worked closely with filmmaker Steven Spielberg's USC Shoah Foundation and established The Mickey Shapiro Chair in Holocaust Education Research at USC. These efforts ensure that testimonies and educational resources reach classrooms across America and beyond, including here in Michigan.

What truly distinguishes Shapiro's philanthropy is his belief that education should be accessible to all. The Mickey Shapiro Opportunity Scholarship Endowment at Ferris State University supports provisionally admitted students who complete their trial year, providing crucial second chances for students who might otherwise be overlooked. He also secured a perpetual license for USC Shoah Foundation's Visual History Archive at Ferris State, making it one of just three Michigan institutions with access to these invaluable educational resources.

The impact of Shapiro's vision extends into healthcare as well. The Sara and Asa Shapiro Heart and Vascular Intensive Care Unit at Beaumont Hospital and the Mickey Shapiro Surgical Care Lobby at the University of Michigan's Kellogg Eye Center provide world-class care to Michigan residents. His work as Executive Producer of the award-winning film "My Name is Sara," which tells his mother's story of survival during the Holocaust, brings important historical narratives to wider audiences.

Mickey Shapiro's story reminds us that success is measured not just by personal achievement, but by how we create opportunities for others. His journey from a displaced persons camp to becoming a recipient of the Ellis Island Medal of Honor in 2023 demonstrates how deeply personal histories can inspire broader societal contributions.

HONORARY DEGREE RECIPIENT 2025

BRENT WIRTH

Brent is a visionary leader with a unique combination of clinical, operational, and financial knowledge. He is passionate about improving the lives of individuals with physical, intellectual, and emotional disabilities, and their families. Brent joined Easterseals MORC in 2005. As the president/CEO, he has provided dynamic leadership, helping the organization evolve and thrive amid increasing demand and a constantly shifting healthcare landscape. He has grown the number of children, adults and individuals with disabilities receiving services since 2010, while increasing revenue and diversifying funding streams to serve more individuals and be more inclusive of community needs.



A key aspect of Brent's leadership is the strong partnerships he's developed with community stakeholders such as public and private donors, corporate partners, community organizations, government leaders and MDDHS to support growth and improve access and quality to care. He developed partnerships with health systems such as Corewell, to support psychiatric training and residents. To recruit and retain top-tier talent, Brent worked with Oakland University and others to make a long-term investment in supporting social worker training and development. In 2022, Brent led the organization through a major merger with MORC that expanded the organization's programs and geographic footprint, while delivering more integrated services along a full continuum of care.

Brent's work as President/CEO has transitioned the organization from one with negative equity to one that is thriving, with a great culture, and continually invests in its team and infrastructure to better support the needs of the community both internally and externally. While now overseeing an organization with over 1,000 employees that serves over 25,000 individuals, Brent continues to be most rewarded by working with people and seeing the impact of Easterseals MORC's programs on individuals, families and the community-at-large. Brent holds a bachelor's degree in psychology from Michigan State University and a master's degree in social work from Wayne State University.



HONORARY DEGREE RECIPIENT 2025

RICHARD M. FRANKEL, Ph.D.

Dr. Frankel is a professor of medicine and geriatrics at Indiana University School of Medicine (IUSM) where he directs the Advanced Scholars Program for Internists in Research and Education (ASPIRE) and is also a senior research scientist at Regenstrief Institute. He also holds a faculty appointment in the Education Institute at Cleveland Clinic Lerner College of Medicine.

Rich is trained as a qualitative researcher whose interests include the doctor-patient relationship, quality and safety in healthcare, and organizational culture change. He is the co-author of *The Four Habits of Highly Effective Clinicians*, an approach to communicating with patients that has been used to train upwards of 25,000 physicians in the US and abroad. Demonstrated competence in the Four Habits is currently required for medical licensure in Norway.



In addition to his research interests, Rich has been a medical educator for the past 40 years. He was the co-director of the internal medicine residency program at Highland Hospital/University of Rochester, and while there served as co-director of the Program in Advanced Biopsychosocial Medicine. For a decade at IUSM, he was the state-wide director of the school's professionalism competency, also serving on the admissions and student promotions committees.

Rich completed his undergraduate studies at Colgate University and obtained a PhD in sociology from the Graduate School and University Center of the City University of New York. He completed postdoctoral training at Boston University, was a Fulbright Senior Research Fellow in Uppsala, Sweden, and is a founding Fellow of the Academy for Communication in Healthcare. He has held a dozen visiting professorships, published more than 300 scientific papers and has edited 7 books. The Gold Foundation recently established an award in Rich's name for "Creating A Loving Community". Outside of work, Rich enjoys traveling, hiking, collecting 18th and 19th Century 1st editions, and digital photography.



KANIQUA WELCH



In previous roles, Kaniqua served as vice president at Finn Partners and as account director at Weber Shandwick, both global public relations and marketing firms. At each agency, Kaniqua worked with corporate, nonprofit and philanthropic clients to oversee programs focused on integrated media strategies; executive positioning and thought leadership; corporate social responsibility; and social issues campaigns centered on education, health, social justice and community development. At Weber Shandwick, Kaniqua also led the Detroit-based DEI practice.

Kaniqua started her career as a news reporter with the Oakland Press. During her career span, she has worked with several organizations, including Detroit Public Schools, managing media relations, marketing, crisis planning, internal communications and external partnerships. She also worked with McLaren Oakland Medical Center and the POH Regional Medical Center Marketing & Foundation Office, coordinating donor relations, fundraising events, hospital publications and community engagement programs.

Kaniqua is also a former adjunct instructor at Oakland University. A native of Detroit, Kaniqua earned a bachelor's degree in journalism from Oakland University and a master's degree in public relations and organizational communication from Wayne State University. Kaniqua is currently taking courses at the Harvard Kennedy School where she is pursuing a certification in public leadership.



ALUMNI SPEAKERS

KAT LEWITZKE, PsyD.

Dr. Kat Lewitzke, PsyD, LP earned her B.A. in Psychology from Oakland University in 2009 and later completed her pre-doctoral internship at the Oakland University Counseling Center from 2014 to 2016. Now a licensed clinical psychologist, she is the owner and Clinic Director of Bright Pine Behavioral Health, overseeing three locations in Michigan. Awarded as an Oakland County *40 Under 40* Recipient and a *Metro Parent Mom-Approved Doc*, Dr. Lewitzke specializes in neuropsychological evaluations for children and adults, with expertise in autism spectrum disorder, ADHD, learning disabilities, and emotional regulation challenges. She is also the author of the children's books *Amazing Boy* and *Amazing Girl*, which celebrate confidence, resilience, and individuality in young readers. She is a sought-after expert, frequently featured in media outlets such as CBS Detroit and *Parents Magazine*, and hosts the podcast *Psych Confidential*, where she provides discussions on mental health. Passionate about education and advocacy, she has been a guest speaker at schools, professional conferences, and community events and contributes to trainings and publications. In addition to her clinical work, she leads philanthropic initiatives, including free assessments for underserved families, Toys for Tots donations, and local mental health awareness efforts.



ALAINA KORRECK ZEIGLER

Alaina Korreck Zeigler is the President and Owner of Global Environmental, an environmental consulting and remediation firm dedicated to tackling contaminated soil and water cleanup projects across the State of Michigan. Stepping into leadership after the sudden passing of her father, Alaina has carried forward the company's legacy while driving growth and expansion. Under her leadership, Global Environmental has earned recognition as one of Michigan's 50 Companies to Watch, and Alaina herself has been honored as a Succession Success story and a State of Michigan Most Valuable Professional.

Alaina holds an Executive MBA from Oakland University and a Bachelor's degree in Public Relations from Grand Valley State University—an unconventional yet powerful combination that has shaped her ability to lead a technical firm with both strategic vision and strong communication.



Originally from Traverse City, Alaina now lives in Rochester with her husband and daughter. When she's not navigating the challenges of business ownership, she enjoys Lions Football, pickleball, traveling, and introducing her little one to the world around her.



ALUMNI SPEAKERS

TERI ABBO-SUTHERLAND, Ed.D.

Dr. Teri Abbo-Sutherland encourages everyone to talk about the opportunities and considerations that the advancements in technology introduce to the human experience. Teri is a technology leader with over 20 years leading IT procurement and business operations, and currently serves as the Director of Executive Programs in the School of Business Administration at Oakland University. She is recognized as an advocate and champion for community and collaboration that contributes to the greater good, a thoughtful strategist, and dedicated life long learner.

Teri holds an Associates Degree from Oakland Community College, a BS from Eastern Michigan University in Elementary Education, a Master's from Oakland University in Public Administration, and a Doctorate in Education for Organizational Leadership from Oakland University, rounding out a 30 year commitment to personal and professional development.



DIONNE SHELL, PT, CLT

Dionne Shell, PT, CLT, is a school Physical Therapist with the Detroit Public Schools Community District (DPSCD) as well as a Certified Lymphedema Therapist with the Detroit Medical Center. She received her Bachelor of Science in Communication Disorders from Central Michigan University in 1994 and her Master of Science in Physical Therapy from Oakland University (OU) in 1998. She is currently a doctoral student in the Oakland University Human Movement Science program, where she is also obtaining a graduate certificate in Human Diversity Inclusion and Social Justice.

Dionne resides in Detroit, Michigan, with her husband, Willie and their teenage daughter, Natasha. She is an active member of the American Physical Therapy Association (APTA), the APTA-MI DEI committee, Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc., and the Wayne County Community College Physical Therapist Assistant Advisory Board. She is the chair of the Oakland University PT Mentoring Task Force. She is an adjunct professor with WCCD as well as a guest lecturer in the PT programs for Wayne State University, Western Michigan University and Oakland University. Dionne is passionate about mentoring others and seeks to help all students, including underrepresented minorities and those who need guidance, embark on the journey of becoming physical therapists and serving others as she loves to do!



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OAKLAND UNIVERSITY FIGHT SONG

Fight, fight, fight for Oakland
Fight the whole game long
Fight, fight, fight for Oakland
Keep the Grizzlies strong.

While the battle rages
And our work's not done
We will fight for glory
'Til the game is won

Go Black!

Go Gold!

Go Fight!

Fight, fight, fight for Oakland
Fight the whole game long
Fight, fight, fight for Oakland
Keep the Grizzlies strong.

When the game is over
And the story's told
O-U will claim vic'try
We're the black and gold! O-U!

UNIVERSITY AWARDS

DON AND JAN O'DOWD GRADUATE AWARD

The Don and Jan O'Dowd Graduate Award is presented annually to a graduate student who has made outstanding contributions through exemplary leadership and/or service at Oakland University and/or the surrounding community.

In particular, the student chosen must exemplify traits such as intellectual curiosity, enthusiasm, leadership, compassion, and dedication to their field of study.

The 2025 recipients of the Don and Jan O'Dowd Graduate Award are:

Raenece Johnson, Ph.D., Educational Leadership

Miranda Umbras, Ph.D., Human Movement Science

ALFRED G. WILSON AWARD

The Alfred G. Wilson Award is presented to an Oakland University senior man who has made outstanding contributions as a scholar, leader, and responsible citizen to the Oakland University community.

The 2025 recipient of the Alfred G. Wilson Award is:

Dylan Pillivant, College of Arts and Sciences

MATILDA R. WILSON AWARD

The Matilda R. Wilson Award is presented to an Oakland University senior woman who has made outstanding contributions as a scholar, leader, and responsible citizen to the Oakland University community.

The 2025 recipient of the Matilda R. Wilson Award is:

Daisy Escutia-Plaza, College of Arts and Sciences

HUMAN RELATIONS AWARD

The Human Relations Award recognizes outstanding work and dedication toward the improvement of human relations on the university campus.

The 2025 recipient of the Human Relations Award is:

Shardé Ford, College of Arts and Sciences



HONORS COLLEGE

PRESIDENTIAL SCHOLAR MEDALLION

The Oakland University Presidential Scholar Medallion is a special recognition for Presidential Scholars who have completed specific requirements while completing their degree. These superior achievements accomplished by the students are recognized by the award of the gold medallion worn over academic regalia.

The April 2025 graduates of the Presidential Award are:

Austin T. Allaire	Chad J. Gilbert	Jacob M. Packard
Nida N. Almas	Sarah E. Hohensee	Claire M. Pielak
Natalie P. Ambs	Charlene Z. Hsiung	Hailey E. Rice
Norah L. Armijo	Christian R. Huyghe	Erik J. Rosenkranz
Polly Jane W. Bates	Jennifer V. Jaster	Jason R. Rosenkranz
Brian J. Blume	Grant J. Jefferies	Evan W. Sadler
Emma E. Bowen	Maria Kokko	Mara Salem
Jordan E. Bradley	Alexander M. Ligeski	Sarah Sheena
May S. Chang	Megan L. Mathies	Emily F. Smeu
Olivia E. Chiappelli	Elizabeth M. Matti	Samantha A. St Onge
Marissa A. Dargis	Duncan M. McLeod	Brooke H. Stasak
Kathryn E. Deary	Mireille J. Murillo	Halee M. Tisler
Deema M. El-Baba	Emma C. Ozias	Anthony T. Varchetti
Mia Angelika T. Espedido		Victoria R. Verellen



HONORS COLLEGE

The Honors College has been established for highly motivated students who wish an unusually challenging undergraduate education. It provides a specially designed general education and additional requirements in conjunction with a departmental major in the College of Arts and Sciences, Interdisciplinary Studies or in one of the professional schools. Honors College graduates are identified by a medallion worn over academic regalia.

ARTS & SCIENCES AND SCHOOL OF ENGINEERING

April 2025 Degree Candidates

Christian B. Collis
Sarah E. Hohensee

COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES

April 2025 Degree Candidates

Nicole M. Alessi	Deema M. El-Baba	Ava G. MacNeill
Austin T. Allaire	Lorna Floqi	Cecilia Matti
Nida N. Almas	Michael L. Foster	Elizabeth M. Matti
Amanda Amir	Joshua J. Fuzi	Taylor L. McKinley
Norah L. Armijo	Chad J. Gilbert	Duncan M. McLeod
Zachary J. Baetz	Sarah E. Hackett	Sabrina M. Mohler
Anjuli R. Basilisco	John Haddad	Sean W. Myers
Ryan Bassam	Leann Hadeed	Anel Nadarevic
Isabella Boiani	Gracy R. Hershey	Samuel J. Najera
Emma E. Bowen	Charlene Z. Hsiung	Scott A. Netter
Joseph S. Bowling	Syeda M. Hussain	Caithleann M. Newell
Jordan E. Bradley	Miriam O. Ibezim	Jacob M. Packard
Alexandria M. Brown	Connor Jabro	Jordin L. Pennazoli
Kayden Bumpus	Jennifer V. Jaster	Owen P. Perry
Vanesa Capelj	Landon K. Julius	Carmen A. Piana
Chloe C. Caringi	Dominic J. Kaju	Natalie M. Pritula
May S. Chang	Makenzie R. Keck	Curtis J. Reichenbach
Emily E. Coon	Carly M. King	Taylor J. Richardson
Kathryn E. Deary	Maria Kokko	Evan W. Sadler
Aubrie C. Earl	Tyler M. Koralewski	Paige N. Schornak



HONORS COLLEGE

COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES *continued*

April 2025 Degree Candidates

Nicholas E. Skinner

Emily F. Smeu

Brooke H. Stasak

Alisyn N. Suess

Lauren E. Taylor

Mia N. Telke

Jack C. VanLue

Anthony T. Varchetti

Victoria R. Verellen

Annie L. Vokes

Abigail L. Wagener

Sean P. Walker II

Mikah Wray

Matthew S. Zielinski

INTERDISCIPLINARY STUDIES

April 2025 Degree Candidates

Paige E. Eacker

SCHOOL OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

April 2025 Degree Candidates

Sasha Bokas

Olivia E. Chiappelli

Klaudia M. Czabanski

Meron Eeso

Grant J. Jefferies

Shira B. Love

Jordan A. Peebles

SCHOOL OF EDUCATION AND HUMAN SERVICES

April 2025 Degree Candidates

Rebecca M. Gauss

Randilynn J. Heichel



HONORS COLLEGE

SCHOOL OF ENGINEERING AND COMPUTER SCIENCE

April 2025 Degree Candidates

Christian K. Barash	Andrew T. Fergan	Erik J. Rosenkranz
Polly Jane W. Bates	Joseph A. Gentner	Jason R. Rosenkranz
Brian J. Blume	Christian R. Huyghe	Mara Salem
Ashley Y. Chin	Alexander M. Ligeski	Peyton B. Skwarczynski
Erin A. Cook	Ammar A. Minhas	Jonathan P. Tezak
Maxwell G. Drummelsmith	Valerie T. Nielson	Halee M. Tisler
Sarah M. Dziobak	Emma C. Ozias	Brendon M. Wolfe
	Claire M. Pielak	

SCHOOL OF HEALTH SCIENCES

April 2025 Degree Candidates

Maryam F. Akrawi	Dairelys N. Guedez Chirinos	Andrea M. Smeu
Savio Alsafi	Chloe M. Khacho	Samantha A. St Onge
Jacklynn E. Bowling	Jennifer Ognjanovski	Hope Tisdelle
Kimberly A. Campbell	Sarah Sheena	Jocelyn D. Wegienka
Kyle J. Gorski		Jacob L. Witherspoon, Sr.

SCHOOL OF NURSING

April 2025 Degree Candidates

Nada A. Abu-Kamil	Mia Angelika T. Espedido	Mireille J. Murillo
Natalie P. Ambs	Kyler J. Kolakovich	Ashley C. Price
Arsinoi D. Bastounis	Ashley A. LaSala	Hailey E. Rice
Samantha A. Czeiszperger	Megan L. Mathies	Emily A. Wise
Marissa A. Dargis		Rayyan H. Zeini





UNDERGRADUATE DEGREES

*College of Arts and Sciences
Arts & Sciences and School of Engineering*

Thursday, May 1, 2025 • 9:00 a.m.
Order of Ceremony

PROCESSIONAL

Jo Reger, University Marshal • Melissa McDonald, College Marshal
Jonathan Yates, Host Marshal • Chiaoning Su, Host Marshal

WELCOME

Ora Hirsch Pescovitz, President

NATIONAL ANTHEM

Emma Latourette, Voice Performance and Education Major,
School of Music, Theatre and Dance, College of Arts and Sciences

HONORARY DEGREE PRESENTATION

Irene Miller, Retired Healthcare Executive

STUDENT ADDRESS

Emily Smeu, Meritorious Achievement Award Recipient, College of Arts and Sciences

PRESENTATION OF UNIVERSITY AWARDS

Glenn McIntosh, Senior Vice President for Student Affairs and Chief Diversity Officer

CONFERRING OF DEGREES

Ora Hirsch Pescovitz, President
Amy Thompson, Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs and Provost
Elaine Carey, Dean, College of Arts and Sciences

ALUMNI WELCOME

Kaniqua Welch, CAS '04, Oakland University Alumni Association

FIGHT SONG

Jon Margerum-Leys, Dean, School of Education and Human Services

VALEDICTION

Melanie Brown, Member, Oakland University Board of Trustees

RECESSIONAL

Jo Reger, University Marshal

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COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES

CANDIDATES FOR DEGREE — APRIL 2025 & AUGUST 2025

Bachelor of Arts

Abdulkhaleq M. Ahmed	Samuel S. Gearhart	Nosaiba A. Lela
Logan J. Allen	Nicolas P. Genord	Carson L. L'Esperance
Miranda M. Arbic	William E. Gilbert	Gus Lesperance Solomonson
Madeline M. Aude	Kollin J. Girling	Stephanie Lester
Tina Barber	Nyla J. Griffin	Luiza Luigii
Emily R. Birnbaum	Anthony Griffith	Michael A. Mackey
Karli M. Bissell	Shelby L. Grove	Ava G. MacNeill
Nancy Bolanos	Joshua V. Hamann	Hunter S. Maddox
James P. Bowman	Olivia R. Happel	Carina A. Maguire
Kayden Bumpus	Ryan K. Harney	Angelina Maher
Marina Burnes	Isayah Y. Harris	Zaragosa E. Maldonado IV
Quentin Byrne	Patrick D. Harris	Wendy C. Manning
Trenten A. Cabala	Timothy J. Haynes, Jr.	Elizabeth M. Matti
Sophie G. Calcut	Elliott G. Henderson	Eric R. Maxwell
Nikolina Camaj	Nateda Her	Aidan P. McDonald
Jenna L. Cannova	Gracy R. Hershey	Alexis J. McKinney
Faith B. Cao	D'Zariah C. Hopkins	Francesca R. McLeod
Brandan J. Caulkins	Henry Huang	Emily E. McNamara
Zachery S. Claeys	Emily N. Hudson	Mya A. Merkhofer
Kayla N. Comment	Christian T. Huff	Andrew M. Merrifield
MaeLeah G. Conner	Natalia Huk	Alyssa N. Miller
Airiana N. Davis	Alexandra M. Hullinger	Wendy S. Minore
Christian T. Deschene	Mariah J. Hutchison	Victoria A. Monteleone
Marisa L. Didia	Leon Jacobs	Neisa M. Moumdjian
Jada S. Dorsey	Madison P. Janabet	Gracie Murray
Isaiah J. Douglas	Chaelaray J. Johansen	Hannah M. Music
Cameron E. Dowdican	Maya Y. Judd	Sean W. Myers
Nicholas A. Drake	Sajjad S. Kamil	Samuel J. Najera
Irie L. Dubay	Brendan R. Kaminski	Isabella M. Naman
Trevor J. Dunn	Gabrielle S. Karam	Amaan S. Naqvi
Rachel S. Eckerle	Willow L. Kassab	Michael J. Nays
Christopher L. Estrada	Anna E. Kavanagh	Chukwueamecca J. Nealis
Courtney M. Fair	Victoria A. Kirchinger	Haley Nelson
Carrie C. Fallowfield	Joshua G. Koby	James A. Neufang
Santino J. Fanone	Brendan Kovalsky	Matthew C. Palazzolo
Nicholas A. Felcyn	Cameron H. Kozak	Vanaja Pernankil
William R. Felcyn	Julia S. Kroll	Hannah K. Perry
Sharde' C. Ford	Riley A. Labate	Owen P. Perry
Noah J. Francis	Troy LaCoursier	Kaitlyn A. Piggott
Messai M. Frederick	Henriette M. Lada	Sara M. Pilgrim
Brendan J. Frush	Jessica R. Lafferty	Emily M. Poota

Bachelor of Arts *continued*

Foteini Prantzalou	Madison J. Siewert	Alexia T. Vogler
Natalie M. Pritula	Carmen E. Smith	Brendan T. Vogler
Victoria C. Randle	Terra S. Smith	Jakob N. Vogler
Lauren Reed	Noah J. Stalker	Sabatino A. Volpe
Katherine R. Reid	Shiann A. Stokes	Alaynah M. Walker
Haley E. Renk	Jack H. Swanson	Tehlia L. Wall
Ethan P. Rice	Kurt S. Szymanski	Columbia T. Ward
Thomas R. Ricketts	Aaron J. Taylor	Jaclyn R. Warner
Lucas M. Riepe	Cal M. Terry	Jesstin M. Wasen
Lauren M. Riggs	Natalie M. Thomason	Summer S. Weathers
Samuel R. Rilley	Kobe M. Toliver	Cameron S. Webster
Aaron Roberts	Danielle S. Tomalka	Emily A. Wichmann
Asia Robinson	Selena A. Torrez	Maijah D. Williams
Chalon J. Rodgers	Troy A. Townsend	Tayion M. Williams
Genevieve M. Rose	Alexandria C. Valenti	Dane R. Wilson
Rachel E. Rossman	Benjamin M. VanCamp	Alyssa R. Winterhalter
Shyonna S. Rumball	Anthony T. Varchetti	Savina M. Wood
Christelle E. Rymas	Brenda Vataj	Trenton J. Woodbeck
Maria I. Schueller	Brandon R. Versola	Mikah Wray
Analei Z. Shango	Jacob N. Virostick	Tanisha Wright
Erlene E. Shetler	Alessandra J. Vitale	

Bachelor of Science

Rita Abdulmaseeh	Katherine A. Bristow	Peter J. Galle
Kristina Agustin	Coty Bush	Yousif D. Ghareeba
Fabiona Ahmeti	Chloe C. Caringi	Chad J. Gilbert
Mona S. Al Bakos	John Carlini	Megan L. Gould
Alexis L. Albright	Holden C. Clairmont	Michael P. Greco
Austin T. Allaire	Brianna G. Daley	Andrew R. Haddad
Mona Almaoued	Maryam K. Dawood	John Haddad
Nida N. Almas	David A. Deacon	Kyle W. Hardin
Iman M. Al-Nsour	Ashley K. DeMerle	Olivia A. Hart
Zachary J. Baetz	Emily E. Demyanovich	Taylor Haugen
Anjuli R. Basilisco	Tommy R. Denha	Josefina Hawrylko
Ryan Bassam	Joshua K. DiBella	Ryan J. Haykus-Humphreys
Alyssia R. Betancourt	Leka M. Dinaj	Darrin T. Heaney
Isabelle G. Biland	Antonio Donato	Marshaun K. Higgs
Zachary W. Boardman	Anthony S. Elias	Carissa C. Hilgendorf
Isabella Boiani	Natalie C. Embree	Charlene Z. Hsiung
Jordan E. Bradley	Beth Nahrain M. Esho	Miriam O. Ibezim
Dylan R. Brand	William D. Fisher	Denisa Ilesca
Aidan M. Brikho	Jasmine S. Francis	Connor Jabro

Bachelor of Science *continued*

Kamil R. Jarjess	Derrick N. Oghenerukevwe	Paulina A. Szalewicz
Caitlyn A. Jarvis	Nicolas T. Oleson	Katie E. Szczepanski
Jennifer V. Jaster	Jacob J. Parrott	Leanne N. Szydlowski
Leah M. Johnson	Branton Parsons	Isabella S. Tamulevich
Dominic J. Kaju	Carmen A. Piana	Mia N. Telke
Angelo M. Kallabat	Dylan M. Pillivant	Shannon Tipton
Sofiya E. Karpenchuk	Elizabeth A. Powers	Jessica R. Vanderlaan
Matthew D. Kozel	Joseph J. Prokes	Eien B. VanRiper
Hannah K. Kramer	Amir T. Richards	Victoria R. Verellen
Heather N. Krawczyk	Carson S. Ricker	Duane K. Vizina
Krysta C. Krawczyk	Mirna Romaya	Abigail L. Wagener
Savvy Q. Krikor	Gabriel A. Ruiz	Sean P. Walker II
Joseph A. LaPointe	Sinan K. Sabbagh	Tasmia Waris
Erika J. Luft	Evan W. Sadler	Alexander T. Weikel
Angelina L. Luljuraj	Andre T. Saffar	Joseph R. Williams
Bennett Malburg	Paige N. Schornak	Kaitlin M. Wilson
Richard A. Mallette III	Kennedy K. Scott	Natalie N. Wittenmyer
Angelina M. Manjo	Klejvia Sejdini	Tyler W. Wykhuis
Bridget A. Mardusha	Leonardo Semma	Matthew S. Zielinski
Blaine J. McArthur	Nicholas E. Skinner	Madison J. Ziga
Duncan M. McLeod	Emily F. Smeu	
Sabrina M. Mohler	Brooke H. Stasak	
Anel Nadarevic	Benjamin S. Stauber	
Scott A. Netter	Alex D. Strojny	

ARTS & SCIENCES AND SCHOOL OF ENGINEERING

CANDIDATES FOR DEGREE — APRIL 2025 & AUGUST 2025

Bachelor of Science

Toluwani O. Awaye	Julia Geer	Savannah Vu
Kamden S. Boal	Sarah E. Hohensee	Kayla E. Whitney
Christian B. Collis	Ella M. Martin	Elise Whittaker
Gregory L. Cook, Jr.	Shannon M. Newton	
Irene Garcia Diez	Luc Taburet	

UNDERGRADUATE DEGREES

College of Arts and Sciences
Bachelor of Interdisciplinary Studies

Thursday, May 1, 2025 • 2:00 p.m.
Order of Ceremony

PROCESSIONAL

Jo Reger, University Marshal • Elisabeth Hoegberg, College Marshal
Betty Tonui, Host Marshal • Rebecca Malatestam, Host Marshal

WELCOME

Ora Hirsch Pescovitz, President

NATIONAL ANTHEM

Cayla Stus, Music Education and Musical Theatre Major
School of Music, Theatre and Dance, College of Arts and Sciences

HONORARY DEGREE PRESENTATION

Michael Shapiro, Real Estate Executive

STUDENT ADDRESS

Joshua Hamann, Meritorious Achievement Award Recipient, College of Arts and Sciences

CONFERRING OF DEGREES

Ora Hirsch Pescovitz, President

Amy Thompson, Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs and Provost
Jennifer Cordon Thor, Chairperson, Faculty Council for Bachelor of Interdisciplinary Studies
Elaine Carey, Dean, College of Arts and Sciences

ALUMNI WELCOME

Kate Lewitzke, CAS '09, Oakland University Alumni Association

FIGHT SONG

Jon Margerum-Leys, Dean, School of Education and Human Services

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COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES

CANDIDATES FOR DEGREE — APRIL 2025 & AUGUST 2025

Bachelor of Arts

Mark J. Abate	Vaselika Camaj	Irene Garcia Diez
Allison J. Adams	Dia Camara	Guadalupe V. Gaytan
Zainah M. Ahmed	Vanesa Capelj	Iskender Geldiyev
Richmond U. Akubuiro	Camiel M. Carnahan	Sharee L. Gilreath
Ibrahim Al-Atraqchi	Olivia G. Carroll	Emily S. Goff
Nicole M. Alessi	Ava M. Castaneda	Desiree Gomez
Darm Alfreeji	Sophia J. Cavallaro	Claire E. Gordon
Joslynn A. Alizadeh	Merisa Cehajic	Rachel A. Gralewski
Alexia E. Allagreen	Jacob C. Cherry	Damon M. Grant, Jr.
Dominic J. Allen	Nicholas D. Chiappelli	Billy D. Green
Nafa N. Alsaegh	Sristi Chilla	Cameron B. Greene
Jan Alshorji	Hailey J. Chisholm	Colin J. Gregg
Rebecca M. Alway	Marianne Cholagh	Katherine E. Greve
Amanda Amir	Sabrina S. Cholagh	Jordan Griffin
Samantha M. Anderson	Wyatt D. Clark	Nyla J. Griffin
Faith L. Andrzejewski	Abbigayle I. Clarkson	Kyla M. Grinold
Michael T. Aquino II	Nathan C. Cline	Sarah E. Hackett
Dominick Arafat	Erin L. Collins	Leann Hadeed
Dominic A. Arkenburg	Celia L. Collis	Joshua V. Hamann
Norah L. Armijo	Emily E. Coon	Gabriela K. Hani
Aakifah Asifce	Jasmine D. Cross	Caroline L. Hanna
Dakotah E. Atkinson	Skylar R. Curtis	Kai Lin M. Hansbrough
Gabrielle J. Austin	Dulce R. De La O	Terrell D. Harris
Narmeen T. Babar	Kathryn E. Deary	Makenzie L. Hayward
Madison L. Barnhardt	Tyler DeFer	Erin E. Hegarty
Heather M. Barron	Abbigaile R. Demesa	Kathleen E. Heiberger
Jessica M. Beauchamp	Juliana M. Desantes	Patrick E. Henkel
Abraham B. Beidoun	David J. Didia	Randy J. Hermiz
Skyler N. Berney	Sofia I. Diez	Elissa Hesano
Jonah T. Best	Dayja L. Dortch	Madelyn E. Hichme
Robert W. Biehl Thompson	Aubrie C. Earl	Ashlynn M. Hinkle
Katherine C. Bird	Jessica M. Ebersole	Sydney A. Hofmeister
Taylor L. Bolter	Ajete Eggers	Lexis R. Holzen
Donna R. Bommarito	Deema M. El-Baba	Sharmin Hoque
Emma E. Bowen	Dominic J. Elliott	Katelyn M. Hudson
Joseph S. Bowling	Sloane M. Ely	Marnie L. Huey Huey
Erica L. Brooks	Nickolas M. Feko	Jordan M. Hung
Alexandria M. Brown	Brady R. Fischer	Luke L. Hunker
JaBryia k. Burden	Lorna Floqi	Syeda M. Hussain
Emily R. Burke	Salma M. Flores-Cota	Erina Iwamoto
Makenzie R. Caldwell	Michael L. Foster	Kaitlyn T. Jacob

Bachelor of Arts *continued*

Jessica Jakaj	Kendell K. Lind	Jordin L. Pennazoli
Laura Jaku	Dorian L. Long	James B. Pfeifle
Rebecca H. Jankoviak-Antosh	Gabriella M. Lopez	Joslyn M. Pizzimenti
Izabela Jarmolowicz	Madeleine L. Machala	Angelina M. Polath
Rebecca E. Jennings	Jamal D. Madison	Ashleigh N. Pollock
Myles M. Johnson	Yousif Mansoor	Tate S. Potteiger
Abigail A. Jones	Sara Mansour	Jacob W. Potter
Paige L. Jones	Maria E. Marcantonio	Alexis M. Powerski
Tanisha R. Jones	Addison J. Marinelli	Alessia Preka
Tyler R. Jones	Julianne M. Marion	Evan Prill
Megan R. Judy	Sydney A. Markel	Natalie M. Pritula
Landon K. Julius	Pepside Masanga	Kaitlyn Pugh
Contessa C. Kajal	Cecilia Matti	Shelby Quick
Fabrice Kanyamfura	Sydney M. Mattison	Carolina M. Rabban
Paige Kassab	Cassidy E. May	Justin M. Ramey
Makenzie R. Keck	Jessica R. McDaniel	Bryanna C. Ramirez
Dallas C. Kelly	Elinor A. McGrail	Matthew Ramsey
Hafsa Khan	Shannon A. McGraw	Nuhadra Rasho
Meronica M. Khozmy	Destiny A. McGuckin	Nuhra R. Rasho
Layne A. Kilroy	Griffin A. McInnes	Leena Rathur
Carly M. King	Taylor L. McKinley	Sydney Rauch
Sydney E. King	Elliot K. Merkel	Kathleen M. Raymond
Brendan R. Kischnick	Samuel R. Meyer	Sada L. Reed
Gracie D. Klebba	Grace A. Micale	Curtis J. Reichenbach
Brianna J. Klinestiver	Megan M. Miller	Ximena G. Renteria
Devin F. Knepp	Joseph L. Milobar	Amanda J. Richardson
Maria Kokko	Sean M. Mischley	Taylor J. Richardson
Tyler M. Koralewski	Allison E. Mispelon	Isabella Rivera
Katherine M. Kraemer	Gisell G. Mora	Delaney J. Rivest
Leonora Krasnic	Breanna R. Muszall	Anthony P. Rizk
Charlotte G. Kreger	Stephen B. Naumovski III	Jeffrey M. Robinson
Kaitlyn A. Krompatic	Caithleann M. Newell	Matasha D. Robinson
Joel K. Krueger	Nastassia M. Nikprelaj	Nolan A. Robinson
Brandie R. Langford	Zachary M. Oberdier	Anna V. Rochon
Matteo B. Lanni	Madalyn G. Okumura	Samantha J. Rodney
Kaylee J. Lathrop	Tima Othman	Monica Rojas Jaime
Abbey R. Leahy	Sarah Owens	Kaitlyn S. Roman
Dylan T. Leask	Jacob M. Packard	Patrick Romaya
Ethan R. Lehman-Pace	Katherine P. Palmateer	Kenyelcie S. Rouser
Isabella Rose Lenzi	Brendon P. Papow	Dominic Rush
Griffin M. Letwak	Samantha D. Paszek	Destiny S. Rushing
Lilly a. Levin	Arabella K. Payton-Halliwell	Corrine A. Sabuda
Samantha M. Lilly	Alison J. Penix	Maryam B. Salim

Bachelor of Arts *continued*

Joeli A. Santiago	Teresa M. Steerman	Nina Wasylyn
Isabella Santori	Sarah W. Stepho	Bryce J. Wawrzyniak
Izabella M. Savich	Julia Surian Gruer	Foster G. Weessies
Camryn A. Sawicki	Amanda M. Taylor	Caitlin E. Weishaar
Thomas P. Schafer	Lauren E. Taylor	Mariah L. White
Grace A. Schneider	Colin M. Taylor Johnson	Mekensie White
Briana N. Scruggs	Raquel A. Thibault	Ella N. Wild
Edwin S. Selvaraj	Jorgi Tili	Michael A. Wilkerson
Isabella M. Seraphinoff	Sara A. Tisdelle	Thomas A. Wilkins
Heather E. Serra	Angelina Toma	Madison F. Willard
Kelleigh E. Shanahan	Janelle N. Toma	Kayla A. Williams
Ornela Shtjefhilaj	Constance M. Tornow	Cheyenne Witcher
Alexander J. Siegfried	Zachary L. Townsend	Alivia N. Wood
Zachary M. Simms	Hannah A. Travelbee	Alexa M. Woodworth
Ashley L. Simon	Madelyn L. Tribu	Abigail F. Wrzesinski
Sarah E. Simpson	Vasilios A. Tsaprailis	Armand W. Wuechner
Raleigh E. Slade	Josemaria O. Umejiego	Renee R. Yaldo
Ethan P. Sneary	Michael VanGilder	Jenna B. Yamani
Nawal C. Sobh	Jack C. VanLue	Anna C. Yatsko
Darcy A. Spaulding	Annie L. Vokes	Kathreen Yonan
Sierra N. Spry	Benjamin W. Walker	Mia Zito
Paige J. Stackpoole	Kayla A. Waple	
Oliwia Starbala	Morgan M. Warneke	

Bachelor of Fine Arts

Zachary L. Andrew	Alexander Hernandez	Megan L. Makulski
Aurora X. Ave-Lallemant	Alexa K. Huss	Annabel L. Pulman
Austin N. Bickel	Emily R. Kloc	Cosette D. Reece
Jada L. Givens	Joseph J. Kocenda II	Calleigh M. Wilson
Laine H. Hamburg	Grace E. Lawrence	Tuger Xiong

Bachelor of Music

Cristina A. Aldo
Collin F. Arena
Taylor J. Atkinson
Nicholas S. Callcut
May S. Chang
Liticia E. Costilla

Joshua J. Fuzi
Aniya A. Gray
Aidan C. Laidlaw
Kaeli A. Lowe
Deven G. Mallamo
Abigail N. Minor

Mahki K. Murray
Joshua Rao
Natalia C. Robb
Cassidie A. Singelyn
Peyton B. Smith

Bachelor of Science

Pul N. Ali

Emily Smith

Bachelor of Social Work

Robert C. Abramowicz
Lubna A. Abubars
Kaylee Allen
Daniela Arroyave Mejia
Guadalupe Avalos
Oumie Bah
Taslina Begum
Regan A. Beitel
Cianna M. Bertholet
Isabelle Boudreau
Alexandreia Bourbonais
Francesca A. Buscemi
Raven A. Casey
Ana N. Cegueda Gutierrez
Carly J. Chalmers
Mabel A. Davidson
Ava G. DeVance
Nicole L. Draper
Summer R. Dunning
Kelly L. Felice

Kelly I. Flowers
Angeles Garcilazo
Abby Gottron
Haley E. Grassa
Kayla M. Hado
Hannah I. Hannachi
Shannon F. Hyso
Sarah J. Jolliff
Ketaira Jones
Jaidyn M. Juhas
Maryam A. Jundi
Sanaa E. Knox
Allison P. Knuckey
Scot I. LaNear
Adeline G. Lundgren
Isabella K. Misiewicz
Erika Missinne
Chelsey N. Munger
Alexis R. Murphy
Alyzabeth Nellenbach

Christine I. Netschke
Karissa N. Page
Jolie E. Phillips
Alejandra L. Price
Mackenzie E. Reiss
Deja Richardson
Layla P. Roberts
Ashly Y. Rodriguez
Connor J. Rumble
Sherwin M. Shaji
Kamil J. Stokley
Alisyn N. Suess
Keaira D. Teichow
Isela M. Uriarte
Courtney L. Vanpoelvoorde
Trinity K. Voiland
Darius A. Watkins
Madison M. Zanolli

INTERDISCIPLINARY STUDIES

DEGREES AWARDED — DECEMBER 2024

Bachelor of Interdisciplinary Studies

Joseph Lechkun

Bachelor of Integrative Studies

Aya Almaoued

Kia J. Boykin

Shelby L. Burrell

Kerry M. Fisher

Ashlie R. Hanel

Melissa Makic

RoWayne A. Maxwell

Lorena E. Miller

Shakia L. Smith

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Bachelor of Interdisciplinary Studies

Sharon R. Baker

Cierra Q. Bardell

Megan E. Bauer

Julian Berishaj

Jaclyn J. Berns

James Bretz

Kaylin S. Bryant

Jason R. Burcelis

Lorena Castillo

Rachael M. Ceci

Jordan M. Champagne

Emily Chinoski

Malcolm H. Christie

Ryann E. Coakley

Dquarion Cole

Tanya L. Coleman

Jessica L. Conklin

Sierra E. Cook

Brendan A. Danou

Adilene Denis

Simon S. Diratzouyan

Roy A. Dixon, Jr.

Alissa Donkerbrook-Jenema

Karenn M. Duffey

Paige E. Eacker

Farheen Farid

Owen P. Farmiloe

Chhabi L. Ghimire

Josephine Gjokaj

Kristin V. Glinka

Kaleb Grant

Olivia R. Green

Sydney M. Green

Jasmine Hampshire

Natalya A. Henderson

Sarah Hohner

Keith A. Jackson, Jr.

Lydia G. Jackson

Brandi N. Johnson

Constance Johnson

Davis J. Johnson

Sarah Kanouno

Daniel A. Keyes

Alex M. Kling

Samantha N. Knapp

Jillian A. Kromer

Jacob R. Lawlor

Chloe A. Lebach

Alexis D. LeGrone

Devon E. Loudon

Jared D. McKay

Luwana S. McVay

Genna L. Moon

Zoe D. Morton

Sanar Muhanna

Allen D. Mukeba-Kasanda

Margaret A. Murphy

Apolosa B. Naivalurua

Mikayla L. Ohannesian

Tricia N. Owens

Gabrielle J. Page

Jordan T. Painter

Salathiel A. Palland

James Peterson

Kate M. Pincura

Dimitrios N. Prantzos

Jessica R. Pryor

Kyle P. Purgaric

Hannah A. Reynolds

Kenyetta M. Roxas

Tate A. Shaffer

Chelsea K. Smith

Macy T. Smith

Christopher A. Stepanian-Bennett

Cayla E. Stus

Jessica A. Turner

Irvin Watson, Jr.

Jack S. Wike

Evan A. Zingas

Lion J. Zoernack

Jacob Zomick

UNDERGRADUATE DEGREES

School of Business Administration
School of Engineering and Computer Science

Friday, May 2, 2025 • 9:00 a.m.
Order of Ceremony

PROCESSIONAL

Chris Kobus, University Marshal • Beth Zou, Host Marshal • Caitlin Demsky, Host Marshal

WELCOME

Ora Hirsch Pescovitz, President

NATIONAL ANTHEM

Emma Latourette, Voice Performance and Education Major
School of Music, Theatre and Dance, College of Arts and Sciences

HONORARY DEGREE PRESENTATION

Brent Wirth, President and CEO Easterseals-MORC

CONFERRING OF DEGREES

Ora Hirsch Pescovitz, President

Amy Thompson, Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs and Provost

Charles Pierce, Dean, School of Business Administration

Louay Chamra, Dean, School of Engineering and Computer Science

ALUMNI WELCOME

Alaina Zeigler, SBA '24, Oakland University Alumni Association

FIGHT SONG

Jon Margerum-Leys, Dean, School of Education and Human Services

VALEDICTION

Amy Thompson, Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs and Provost

RECESSIONAL

Chris Kobus, University Marshal

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SCHOOL OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

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Bachelor of Science

Angelina N. Abro	Ho Ting Cheung	Giuseppe M. Flores
Carly Aceves	Jacob D. Chiappelli	Jacob A. Foley
Fiyinfoluwa A. Adedipe	Olivia E. Chiappelli	Tyler T. Foumia
Faran K. Ahmed	Zuhayr S. Chowdhury	Sydnee P. Franceck
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Olivia L. Armstrong	Julia R. Clements	Samuel A. Frederick
Taylor J. Atkinson	Alexandre C. Clevenger	Logan M. Furrer
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Sadie P. Austin	Juliana R. Cruz	Kaylee A. Gagliardi
Angie Aziz	Klaudia M. Czabanski	Carlina L. Galli
Alena Bajramovic	Caram F. Dababneh	Tia M. Gamache
Elijah Q. Bankston	Brooke E. Dabish	Jose J. Garcia
Melissa Barraza	Hovig K. Danealian	Ricardo Garcia Gonzalez, Jr.
Scott C. Barrett	Hannah K. Davis	Luke A. Garland
Daniel J. Barzart	Ilona Dawood	Skyela A. Gehrke-Forbes
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Olivia F. Belleville	Cristina I. Delgado	Geri Gjata
Martin Berisha	Marisa A. DeMaria	Diana L. Gjokaj
Bianca Berishaj	Sergio A. DiLisio	Mikael S. Gjorgjeviski
Kenneth R. Berry	Brennan C. Dinnan	Antonio L. Goreyoka
Nathaniel C. Beyer	Joseph M. Dombrowski	Dylan J. Greene
Anushka Bhatt	Antonio Donato	Stephen M. Grenn
Caitlyn H. Bianchi	Emilio A. Donato	Hannah E. Groth
Maria K. Bjelica	Louis R. Dreiocker	Ryan J. Groth
Sasha Bokas	Paige E. Ducharme	Martin Gurini
Noah R. Bokedon	Alyssa N. Dunson	Ainsley G. Guse
Andrew T. Bos	Grace A. Dybash	Alexander Gwyn
Matthew B. Brady	Jackson R. Dych, Sr.	Brian Habro
Megan R. Bryant	Michaela F. Dzierzawski	Courtney Hakim
Sean H. Buchal	Carson W. Eads	Savannah K. Haque
Benjamin E. Bugenski	Meron Eeso	Tiffany Hendrix
Sara G. Buna	Angelique S. El-Hayek	Francesca M. Hermez
Anna Burko	Laura A. Ellis	Daniel A. Hernandez Colin
Tyler W. Bushbaker	Lauren E. Eschenburg	Maria R. Hesano
Alexandria M. Campbell	Sara Esleawa	Griffin M. Hibner
Jackson S. Campbell	Amaya C. Faber	Cody R. Hoover
Thomas J. Carter	Oliver E. Fairman	Garrett M. Hurley
Maxwell J. Casey	Jared Falkner	Bryce J. Hutchison
Carter M. Cerny	Patrick F. Farrell	Hailey R. Ibrahim
Preston T. Chamberlain	Ashley N. Farris	Nahidul Islam
May S. Chang	Jacob E. Fisher	Sazin Shadman Islam
Bala A. Chelimella	Samuel A. Fleischer	Morgan A. Jackson

Bachelor of Science *continued*

Romario P. Jackson	Madelyn Mets	Alen Ravancic
Angelina M. Jappaya	Jina J. Middleton	Brandon R. Rebtoy
Grant J. Jefferies	Katherine A. Mill	Evan M. Remy
Rose J. Jindo	Lorelai M. Miller	Milena Ristovski
Topaz' T. Johnson	John P. Moosekian	Reagan R. Rivard
Lauren B. Johnston	Kaitlyn Murray	Parker J. Roe
Amelia Kada	Santiago D. Myers	Corbin J. Romagnino
Andrew J. Kado	Saham Najeeb	Jonathan J. Roman
Bjorn O. Karth	Jovan Namo	Khrystyna Romaniuk
Nathan Z. Kasinec	Sabatino A. Nardicchio III	Oliver Romano II
Joseph C. Kasmarogi	Jona Ndoj	Edward W. Rowe
Joseph Kassab	Andra L. Newman	William G. Ruhumbika
Sean D. Kassab	Joseph A. Nieves	Donovan M. Sacra
Jack Katiba	Antonio N. Nikprelaj	Sinclair A. Sahajdack
Merna Kattoula	Valerie Nowosielski	John J. Sako
Cameron J. Keelin	Faisal Nucho	Louis F. Samoei
Benjamin A. Kemp	Jan Erickson B. Ocampo	Andrew J. Samuel
Gavan F. Keogh	Thomas S. Odish	Jordan M. Sanchez
Marco S. Kesto	Cameron J. Oliver	Dylan J. Saroki
Carina Kiessling	Jack F. Oliveri	Gregory A. Saunders
Dane W. Kilgore	Ryan C. Omaitis	Lillian C. Schroeder
Joshua J. Korson	Jenna Oraha	Corey W. Schultheis
Isabella G. Kozlowski	Domenico Orlando	Jordan J. Sellers
Olivia A. Kreshock	Anthony R. Ormachea	Aya Shahin
Talar Lamas	Sean A. Ouimet	Austin Shakouri
John M. Lauinger	Frank Pacaj	Issen Shamon
Amanda C. LeBlanc	Sarah R. Palmieri	Jacob W. Sharpe
Shinyoung F. Lee	Antonino P. Parrinello	Mahad Shaukat
Benjamin M. Lewis	Thomas Paulsen	Vanessa M. Sheatzley
Maya M. Lewis	Mario Pecaj	Anita M. Shkreli
Eric J. Ligon, Jr.	Mike A. Pecaj	Isaac Shounia
Jonah B. Lipman	Jordan A. Peebles	Marcello S. Simoes
Shira B. Love	Kevin Pengili	Madison J. Smiley
Lindon Lucaj	Paige M. Peterson	Abigail J. Smith
Braeden C. Lunsford	Jessica M. Petrov	Sergei A. Smoger
Jack M. Lux	Eric A. Piwowarski	Neil J. Smothers
Daniel P. Maday	Brody J. Plant	Bhavneet S. Sohal
Sierra I. Malo	Liam B. Pollock	Katelyn M. Sonia
Madison R. Marderosian	Monica N. Polus	Joseph F. Sopoci
Angelo F. Marino	Nicholas C. Praet	Austin M. Souva
Javier Martinez-Martinez	Andrew J. Premo	Tyler F. Spinella
Jake T. McCatty	Sinan Qaranna	Leah C. Stackpoole
Holden R. Mcculloch	Cameron T. Rahl	Marko Stajic
Laura L. Merling	Akanksh M. Rajam	Emili Stankovski

Bachelor of Science *continued*

Kristen M. Talia	Antonino Tranchida	Angelina M. Warner
Isabel G. Tarnutzer	Brandon J. Tudball	Brooke E. White
Hayden L. Temple	Adam Tzimanis	Devin A. White
Christina M. Terranova	Tia A. Valentino	Allyson E. Whitt
Samantha E. Terrian	Samantha E. Vannice	Carson G. Williams
Justin J. Thimmes	Mason C. Vanophem	Gwendolyn Yang
Holly Thomas	Ethan R. Vavrick	Angelo F. Yono
Nina I. Thomas	Parker D. Vavrick, Sr.	Angelo W. Younis
Benjamin M. Thompson	Samuel M. Vecchi	Ashley M. Younis
Olivia T. Tokarz	Angelina V. Vidana	Matthew R. Zywicca
Marko A. Tomich	Avery J. VonAllmen	

SCHOOL OF ENGINEERING AND COMPUTER SCIENCE

DEGREES AWARDED — DECEMBER 2024

Bachelor of Science in Engineering

Logan U. Dittmar

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Bachelor of Science

Samia Abedin	Hashir Butt	Agron Gojcaj
Nathan J. Achatz	Christopher A. Castillo	Kyle Gonzales
Labib A. Ahmed	Claire A. Childers	Lindsey Hess
Nahid Ahmed	Ashley Y. Chin	Christian R. Huyghe
Danny Al Najjar	Ariana R. Cloutier	Matthew R. Isom
Laith Al-Awsachi	Dylan C. Collins	Jack C. Jarrell
Diana Alkajo	Erin A. Cook	William E. Jenkins
Cassie K. Allard	Lucas J. Czarnecki	Yisha Jiang
Kahlah A. Anderson	Liam A. Deason	Marcel Jonas
Lui Anton	Sarah M. Dziobak	Bernard B. Kassab
Joshua E. Ataalla	George T. Elias	Jason D. Kauppila
Robert T. Atwood, Jr.	James J. Elias	Jiwan S. Khabra
Julius Audisho	Robert Elle	Mohammed F. Khan
Elijah A. Barchue	Nolan J. Ethridge	Ian Koss
Nikolas A. Benka	Guohuan Feng	Jessica D. Kressner
Amanuel F. Berhanu	Benjamin J. Foreman	Bora Kutlu
Michael R. Berman	Romino Gashaj	John T. Labadie
Evan J. Bogedin	Brianna M. Geiger	Zachary T. Lain
Lilli Bowman	Jasin R. Gettel	Dominic A. Lake

Bachelor of Science *continued*

Junfeng Li	Thomas D. Puttick	Nathan J. Smith
Deven G. Mallamo	Waheeda Rahman	Christopher Stefaniak
Joseph A. Marchione	Joshua Rao	Nicholas J. Steiner
Nicholas L. Marogi	Timothy M. Rascol	Trevor S. Super
Ammar A. Minhas	Luke R. Renchik	Bill C. Syahputra
Savannah R. Moss	Matthew G. Robertson	Alexa T. Tallo
Matthew T. Murray	Alyssa N. Rupard	Andrae Taylor, Jr.
Alida Narkaj	Alexander T. Russ	Shekia Tillerson
Valerie T. Nielson	Sean C. Ryan	Linda Tir
Miray Noeel	Noah Sabaj	Halee M. Tisler
Cameron A. O'Connor	Darian Sajid	Benjamin D. Tranter
Michael E. Olchawa	Mara Salem	Kevin A. Tripi
Luke J. Orow	Cooper S. Salisbury	Shayla J. Trombley
Emma C. Ozias	Jonathan Sawa	Dwight O. Valascho
Joshua K. Pagonas	Elijah T. Sepulveda	Michael T. VanCoppennolle
Nicholas A. Pakalnins	Julius J. Sese	Steven Vartanian
Andrew M. Paoella	Mirna Shabo	Freddie L. Warren, Jr.
Claire M. Pielak	Lydia Shaia	Brendon M. Wolfe
Noah M. Pontzer	Crystal R. Shamo	Andrewval Yacoub
Philip E. Przekora	Yiyang Shen	Edona Zenun
Shruti N. Purandare	Peyton B. Skwarczynski	

Bachelor of Science in Engineering

Nicholas E. Adamczyk	Sam J. Brikho, Sr.	Roger J. DeSaele
Ben Affas	Justin M. Brown	Aaditya Dhiman
Olumide Akeredolu	Kyle J. Budzynowski	Maxwell G. Drummelsmith
Alan Akm	Mario Cali	Alex M. Dumitrescu
Bashar Al-Gorges	Dimitri M. Cantalini	Parker R. Duncan
Rand Alkhawri	Jonas D. Cantrell	Noor Elias
Faris M. Al-Nsour	Benjamin W. Carr	Hannah R. Erla
Easton J. Anderson	Stephen M. Catania	Angelo Esho
Cameron Z. Arafat	Conner L. Chappell	Andrew T. Fergan
Justin A. Auxier	Dane M. Charleston	Emma M. Ferguson
Matthew A. Averbuch	Lukas S. Ciesielski	Nicholas M. Forbes
Jonathan I. Azzam	Francesca R. Cipriano	Zachary D. Fox
Mina W. Babona	Rachel M. Comis	Danemanuel Rosh N. Galvez
Macabe J. Baltz	Vincent E. Conforti	Ernest Garcia
Jacob M. Banooni	Fernando D. Corbacho	Joseph A. Gentner
Christian K. Barash	Travis R. Coss	Chad J. Gilbert
Petru Bardas	Lucas M. Costello	Gerard T. Griest
Polly Jane W. Bates	Benedetto S. Cracchiolo	Beshoy Habeb
Tyler M. Beeker	Christopher J. Cumming	Matthew E. Haley
Marian Behnam	Troy W. Cunningham	Tristan T. Hammonds
Brian J. Blume	Ryan J. Darovitz	James P. Haser
Daniel Bojkovski	Eric Jason S. Daulo	Evan W. Hayen
Aidan N. Boldt	Morgan DeCroix	Ryan J. Heitman

Bachelor of Science in Engineering *continued*

Harrison T. Hendricks	Danielle M. Nano	Muhammed H. Smidi
Sarah E. Hohensee	Kelsey C. Newton	Logan M. Sokana
Zachary Howard	Bardo Nona	Michael G. Sturtevant
Yousif R. Ibrahim	Randa Oroo-Zro	Eduard Sufaj
Lindon P. Ivezaj	Raymond C. Ortiz, Jr.	Majd N. Swidan
Alexander D. Jarvis	Joey M. Osterhoff	Grace H. Szpytman
Keller Johnson	Nathan R. Page	Dale A. Szydlowski
Nathan A. Jungeberg	Adam A. Palucki	Jonathan P. Tezak
Chris Karim	Ashley A. Peck	Jalen U. Thwany
Kendra L. Karlson	Brisa G. Perales Garcia	Joseph M. Tituskin
Kevin N. Kathawa	Jack A. Pertile	Thien V. Tran
Aaron Kenward	Steven M. Petrinko	Rishi N. Tripathi
Dylon G. Khoshaba	Brendan D. Pfenning	Owen A. Valine
Sydney L. Kilgore	William Pham	Kyle J. Verellen
Paul D. King	Nithin J. Philip	Lucas H. Vreman
Joseph J. Kocenda II	Faith E. Phillips	Jason Q. Vu
Andrew M. Kritikos	Adriano F. Pjetrush	Samuel H. Walker
Hayley J. Lao	Mahdee Rahman	Grace A. Walters
Annika K. Lark	Griffin Rajakariar	Zhiyu Wang
Ke Li	Sandra Rassam	Michael R. Warner
Alexander M. Ligeski	Sarah E. Riddles	Luke O. Waschewski
Zachary Lovell	Giuseppe S. Rizzo	Marko A. Wassef
NuJude Mady	Erik J. Rosenkranz	James A. Whaley
Dante V. Manipula, Jr.	Jason R. Rosenkranz	Armani R. Williams
Andrew M. McCormick	Avie Sachdeva	Nathan J. Williams
Jacob D. McNutt	Tarub A. Saiyad	Samuel J. Wilson Colin
Jason Mikho	Patcharaporn Salasil	Chris E. Yaldo
Michelle Milovski	Paul G. Santa	Maryam W. Yousif
Matthew P. Monaco	Bailey R. Sazehn	Dalya A. Zahid
Noah R. Moosekian	Matthew N. Schaefer	Noor M. Zahra
Brendan R. Mortier	Nicholas F. Schneider	Jacob J. Zelinski
Kou Moua	Joseph R. Semma	Mike Zheng
Justin S. Mrlik	Selena E. Sepulveda	Zheng Zhuo
John B. Musa	Paige M. Seyfarth	
Kathryn J. Nagy	Kristian Sinishtaj	

COMMENCEMENT SPEAKER

LORETTA SWEET JEMMOTT, Ph.D.

Dr. Loretta Sweet Jemmott is the Vice President of Drexel University, focusing on Health and Health Equity. She is also a Professor at Drexel's College of Nursing and Health Professions. She is one of the nation's foremost health promotion researchers in HIV/AIDS prevention, having the most consistent track record of evidenced-based HIV risk-reduction interventions with over \$150 million in federal funding. Aimed at increasing safer sex behaviors, these studies have not only demonstrated remarkable success in reducing HIV/STD risk associated behaviors but have also reduced the incidence of sexually transmitted diseases.

Dr. Jemmott, a community engagement specialist, focusing on the promotion of health and health equity in the impoverished West Philadelphia neighborhoods. After retiring from a successful 20-year tenure at the University of Pennsylvania in the School of Nursing, she joined Drexel in 2015 as Vice President for Health Equity in the Office of the President and Professor in the College of Nursing and Health Professions. Here, she led Drexel's community/civic engagement initiative, "We're Here Because We Care: Building Healthy Communities Together," using the Jemmott Community Engagement Model, an 8-step qualitative, community-engaged, deep-dive approach to determine the community resident's health concerns within the 10 West Philadelphia Promise Zone neighborhoods and partnered with them to create community-driven, sustainable, health promotion programs. Her work led to the creation of Drexel's Community Wellness HUB, a place-based, community-driven health promotion partnership between Drexel University and the residents of the West Philadelphia Promise Zone. The HUB looks to unite through preventative care, UNITE the community around better health, and BRIDGE the community to health services and programming. The HUB offers free health and wellness programming and disease prevention education, which includes screening, counseling, and referral services. Recently, Dr. Jemmott developed Drexel's Lazarex Cancer Wellness HUB, designed to reduce cancer health disparities among impoverished, vulnerable West Philadelphia community residents. Dr. Jemmott's health equity and social justice work gives voice to the voiceless and hope to the hopeless.

Dr. Jemmott is an outstanding translational researcher, who has had global impact. She has partnered with community-based organizations, including churches, clinics, barbershops, and schools and transformed her NIH funded evidenced-based research outcomes for use in real world settings. To date, nine of her evidenced-based HIV/STD and pregnancy prevention curricula have been designated by the Department of Health and Human Services (DHHS) Office of Adolescent Health and the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention for national and international dissemination. To date, over 45 states across the country (including Alaska, the Virgin Islands and Hawaii) are incorporating one of her nine curricula in their schools, clinics, churches, or community-based agency programs.

Dr. Jemmott's research has changed public policy as it relates to the use of theory-driven, culturally appropriate, evidenced-based HIV/STD risk reduction interventions in community and clinical settings. She has presented her research to the U.S. congress and has received numerous prestigious awards, including the U.S. Congressional Merit Award, the American Academy of Nursing, and election to membership in the Institute of Medicine, an honor accorded to very few nurses.

Dr. Jemmott co-led the Drexel's College of Nursing and Health Promotions Implementation Science Research Working Group and the Implementation Science Research Fall Institute. She also designed and teaches courses on community engagement, intervention development, and implementation science and works with faculty to build their program of research.

She graduated from Hampton University in 1978 with a BSN in Nursing, the University of Pennsylvania with her MSN in Psychiatric Mental Health Nursing in 1982, and a Ph.D. in Education in 1987.

UNDERGRADUATE DEGREES

School of Education and Human Services

School of Health Sciences

School of Nursing

Friday, May 2, 2025 • 2:00 p.m.

Order of Ceremony

PROCESSIONAL

Chris Kobus, University Marshal • Teresa Chahine, Host Marshal, Darlene Groomes, Host Marshal

WELCOME

Ora Hirsch Pescovitz, President

NATIONAL ANTHEM

Sarah Lawlis, Voice Performance Major

School of Music, Theatre and Dance, College of Arts and Sciences

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Christopher Coleman, Dean, School of Nursing

ALUMNI WELCOME

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SCHOOL OF EDUCATION AND HUMAN SERVICES

CANDIDATES FOR DEGREE — APRIL 2025 & AUGUST 2025

Bachelor of Science

Anna C. Allard	Rita M. George	Hunter S. Pidek
Jessica L. Allen	Alexandra K. Glaspie	Gracie N. Price
Alexis I. Angelich	Caleb J. Godlewski	Mia A. Principato
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Jada A. Armstrong	Jaelyn T. Gray	Mackenzi A. Raines-Mitchell
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COMMENCEMENT SPEAKER

Leonard Cassuto

Leonard Cassuto is a Professor of English at Fordham University. He is the author or editor of ten books, most recently *Academic Writing as if Readers Matter* (Princeton, 2024). In more than a decade as a regular columnist on graduate education for *The Chronicle of Higher Education* ("The Graduate Adviser"), Cassuto has helped graduate schools think about how to change to meet the needs of students during exigent times. This work has led to two books, *The New PhD: How to Build a Better Graduate Education* (with Robert Weisbuch; 2021), and *The Graduate School Mess: What Caused It and How We Can Fix It* (2015). Other books include *The Cambridge History of the American Novel* (General Editor, 2011), and *The Cambridge Companion to Baseball* (2011), winner of the Best Anthology Award from the North American Society of Sports Historians.

Cassuto's *Hard-Boiled Sentimentality: The Secret History of American Crime Stories* was nominated for an Edgar Award and named one of the Ten Best Books of 2008 in the crime and mystery category by The Los Angeles Times. Cassuto is also an award-winning journalist who writes on subjects ranging from science to sports, in venues from The New York Times to salon.com.



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MASTERS AND DOCTORAL CEREMONY

Saturday, May 3, 2025 • 9:00 a.m.
Order of Ceremony

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Today's Ceremony is interpreted by World Wide Interpreters in American Sign Language for the hearing impaired. Processional and recessional music is provided by the Cabar Feidh Pipes and Drums. The audience is requested to stand during the processional and recessional.

COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES

DEGREES AWARDED — DECEMBER 2024

Master of Science

Abiodun Akinseye

CANDIDATES FOR DEGREE — APRIL 2025 & AUGUST 2025

Doctor of Philosophy

APPLIED COMPUTATIONAL AND PHYSICS

Petro Artemchuk

Dissertation Chair: Andrei Slavin, Ph.D.

Dissertation: *Bose-Einstein Condensation of Magnons in Ferromagnets and Antiferromagnet*

BIOLOGICAL BIOMEDICAL SCIENCES

Danielle A. Dorsen

Dissertation Chair: Mary Jamieson, Ph.D.

Dissertation: *Evaluating Citizen Science and Habitat Management for Native Bee Conservation*

James E. Noelker

Dissertation Chair: Thomas Raffel, Ph.D.

Dissertation: *Scaling Temperature Dependence of Disease Dynamics From Individuals to Populations*

BIOMEDICAL SCIENCES: HEALTH AND ENVIRONMENTAL CHEMISTRY

Alexandria R. Aspin

Dissertation Chair: Ziming Yang, Ph.D.

Dissertation: *Organic Geochemistry in Oceanic Hydrothermal Systems: Implications for Prebiotic Synthesis, Extraterrestrial Habitability, and Green Chemistry*

PSYCHOLOGY

Jared Edge

Dissertation Chair: Jennifer Vonk, Ph.D.

Dissertation: *Why Should I tell You? Differences in Self-disclosure Among Sexual Minorities are Associated With Experiences With Minority Stress*

Noelle G. Mongene

Dissertation Chair: Martha Escobar, Ph.D.

Dissertation: *Exploring the Narratives of Black and Native American Women in STEM*

Jacob Pappas

Dissertation Chair: Jennifer Vonk, Ph.D.

Dissertation: *Anachronistic Adaptation or Universally Unfit: An Empirical Test of the Response Readiness Theory*

Master of Arts

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Master of Arts in Liberal Studies

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Master of Science

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Master of Science

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Master of Accounting

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SCHOOL OF EDUCATION AND HUMAN SERVICES

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Doctor of Education

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Project Title: *What Do School Board Trustees Need To Be Successful?*

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Project Title: *Re-organizing Our DEI Work: A Needs Assessment for Waterford Schools*

Adeyinka A. Dawodu

Faculty Mentor: Julia Smith, Ed.D.

Project Title: *Improving the Experiences of Students from Africa in the United States*

Cheryl DeCroix-Wilson

Faculty Mentor: Julia Smith, Ed.D.

Project Title: *Teachers' Support of English Language Learners in the Classroom: A Needs Assessment*

Ali H. Hamka

Faculty Mentor: Julia Smith, Ed.D.

Project Title: *Artificial Intelligence - Teacher Knowledge, Attitudes, Use, Fear, and Readiness in the Classroom*

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Project Title: *A Needs Assessment Analysis to Create a Training Program to Encourage Teachers Build Positive Relationships Middle School Students*

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Project Title: *Improving Recruiting for United States Armed Forces: A Needs Assessment*

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Project Title: *Outcome Assessment of a New Teacher Induction and Mentoring Program*

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Doctor of Education *continued*

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Project Title: *Teacher Learning Cohorts focused on Universal Design for Learning in K-12 Education*

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Project Title: *Ongoing Online Program Support Needs Assessment*

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Project Title: *Needs Assessment Research to Facilitate the Creation of a Parent University Program*

Doctor of Philosophy

COUNSELING

Mohammed N. Aldossari

Dissertation Chair: Lisa D. Hawley, Ph.D.

Dissertation Title: *Utilization Of Virtual Reality Scenarios With Master's-Level Counseling Students And The Effect On Anxiety, Self-Esteem, And Self-Efficacy Measures*

Maya D. Cobb

Dissertation Chair: Jennifer Matthews, Ph.D.

Dissertation Title: *From Childhood Labels to Adult Identities: Exploring Self-Concept In Black Women Through the Lens of the Mother-Daughter Relationship*

COUNSELING

Amanda L. Wowra

Dissertation Chair: Jason Moore, Ph.D. and Julia Smith, Ed.D.

Dissertation Title: *Developing Resources for Parents to Use while Reading Literature with their Children that Encompass Gender and Sexual Orientation Topics: A Design-based Research Study*

EDUCATIONAL LEADERSHIP

Matthew W. Archer

Dissertation Chair: Julia Smith, Ed.D.

Dissertation Title: *Asexuality and Disability: Structuring and Exploring How College Students Navigate Their Combined Experience*

Jennifer A. Hernandez

Dissertation Chair: Dave Strubler, Ph.D.

Dissertation Title: *The Impact of the Degree of Standardization and Stratification on Student Achievement, Equity and Access*

Shuo Huang

Dissertation Chair: Julia Smith, Ed.D.

Dissertation Title: *Leading Chinese Heritage Schools: A Case Study Exploring the Leadership of Effective Transmission of Culture*

Doctor of Philosophy *continued*

Raenece D. Johnson

Dissertation Chair: Thandi Sule, Ph.D.

Dissertation Title: *What You Know About Transferring?: Exploring Transfer Experiences of Black Transfer Students at Historically White Institutions (HWI)*

Juna Kotori

Dissertation Chair: Dave Strubler, Ph.D.

Dissertation Title: *KINDING: A Theory of Human Flourishing Through Positive Self-Leadership Development*

Lynn M. Mair

Dissertation Chair: C. Suzanne Klein, Ph.D.

Dissertation Title: *Toward a Holistic and Integrated Framework: A Phenomenological Study of the Multifaceted Nature of School Principals' Crisis Leadership Challenges, Competencies, and Efficacy During COVID-19*

Cassandra M. Moore

Dissertation Chair: Eileen Johnson, Ph.D.

Dissertation Title: *Accessing Grade-Level Mathematics Curriculum For Tier-Three-Heavy Urban Classrooms*

James B. Radcliffe

Dissertation Chair: Julia Smith, Ed.D.

Dissertation Title: *Returning To "Normal" After the Covid-19 Pandemic: An Examination of How One Midwestern Suburban Middle School Returned to In-Person Learning*

Alycia T. Roberts

Dissertation Chair: Julia Smith, Ed.D.

Dissertation Title: *The Impact of Standardized Testing on K-12 Leadership*

Marcus T. Webb

Dissertation Chair: Julia Smith, Ed.D.

Dissertation Title: *Athletic And Career Identity: Examining Career Goals of Student Athletes*

Lawrence N. Young III

Dissertation Chair: Thandi Sule, Ph.D.

Dissertation Title: *Joy Stories: A Critical Race, Hip-Hop, Narrative Inquiry Into How Black Men Who Graduated From HPWIS Found Belonging and Joy Through Beats and Rhymes*

COUNSELING

Kellye R. Wood

Dissertation Chair: Tomoko Wakabayashi, Ed.D.

Dissertation Title: *An Exploratory Study of Early Childhood Teachers' Self Regulatory Well-Being and Support for Children's Self-Regulation*

Saundra M. Harris (Posthumously)

Dissertation Chair: Tomoko Wakabayashi, Ed.D.

Dissertation Title: *The Impact of Nature-Based Curriculum on Children's Self-Regulatory Skills*

Education Specialist

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Master of Arts

Anna R. Aluia	Robin I. Gravlin	Jess A. Shelton
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Master of Arts in Teaching

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Master of Education

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Master of Organizational Leadership

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SCHOOL OF ENGINEERING AND COMPUTER SCIENCE

DEGREES AWARDED — DECEMBER 2024

Doctor of Philosophy

ELECTRICAL AND COMPUTER ENGINEERING

Narendra Kintali

Dissertation Chair: Ka C Cheok, Ph.D.

Dissertation: *Analysis and Design of Nonlinear Uncertain Optimal Redundant-Input Control System w/Application to Separately-Excited DC Motor*

Hoon Lee

Dissertation Chair: Ka C Cheok, Ph.D.

Dissertation: *An AI-Driven Strategy for Non-Invasive Fault Detection: Techniques, Applications, and Innovations*

Nashwan J. Sebi, Sr.

Dissertation Chair: Ka C Cheok, Ph.D.

Dissertation: *Extraction of Information From AI Design Decisions - Theoretical and Practical Case Study*

Master of Science

Swati D. Bhat

Yaswanth Boppana

Sukanya Elumalai Achari

Mohit Harshkumar Jain

Digvijay Jonna

Rutuja A. Joshi

Meghana Kothakota

Abdul Tameem Karrar Mohammed

Priyanka J. Mane

Purna Chandra Rao Nagandla

Darshan Amrutbhai Oza

Ishita Harihar Pande

Toushia Parveez

Nikhil N. Pathak

Venkata Sai Pusuluri



Doctor of Philosophy

COMPUTER SCIENCE INFORMATICS

Dafer R. Alali

Dissertation Chair: Mohamed Zohdy, Ph.D.

Dissertation: *Correlation of Cyber and Physical Dynamics in Power Grid Relays for Malware Detection*

Anwar Ghammam

Dissertation Chair: Amine Barrak, Ph.D.

Dissertation: *From Core to Apex: Towards a Multi-Facet Optimization of Software Systems*

ELECTRICAL AND COMPUTER ENGINEERING

Mana Abusaq, Sr.

Dissertation Chair: Mohamed Zohdy, Ph.D.

Dissertation: *Advanced Optimization Techniques and Hybrid Microgrid Design for Solar Energy Integration and MPPT Enhancement Using Modified Firefly Algorithm*

Saeed M. Alqahtani

Dissertation Chair: Mohamed Zohdy, Ph.D.

Dissertation: *Severity Grading and Early Detection of Alzheimer's Disease Through Transfer Learning*

Ranya Badawi

Dissertation Chair: Jun Chen, Ph.D.

Dissertation: *Event-Triggered MPC for DC-EC Converters*

Mansour Hawsawi

Dissertation Chair: Mohamed Zohdy, Ph.D.

Dissertation: *Advanced Design and Optimization of Fibonacci Switched-Capacitor Converters for Ultra-High-Efficiency DC-DC Power Conversion*

Tien-Chuong Lim

Dissertation Chair: Ka C Cheok, Ph.D.

Dissertation: *Threshold-Feedforward Neural Networks with Application to Tractor Automated Ground Leveling*

Asad Vakil

Dissertation Chair: Jia Li, Ph.D.

Dissertation: *Exploring the Impact of Explainable Heterogenous Fusion Performance Within the Escape Dataset for Target Tracking*

MECHANICAL ENGINEERING

Kristy D. Brouwer

Dissertation Chair: Michael Latcha, Ph.D.

Dissertation: *Failure Analysis of Unique Child Passenger Safety Scenarios*

Jiahao Liu

Dissertation Chair: Xia Wang, Ph.D.

Dissertation: *Experimental and Numerical Study of Pulse Charging Strategies on Lithium-Ion Battery Performance at Varying Temperatures*

Saeid Nasheralahkami

Dissertation Chair: Sergey Golovashchenko, Ph.D.

Dissertation: *Trim Die Durability and Sheared Edge Stretchability of Ultra High Strength DP980 Sheet Metal Blanks*

Suhas Gupta Thunuguntla

Dissertation Chair: Christopher Cooley, Ph.D.

Dissertation: *Damage Detection of Localized Defects in Spur Gear Pairs and Geared Transmissions Using Damage-Induced Dynamic Response*

SYSTEMS ENGINEERING

Judson B. Estes

Dissertation Chair: Vijit Pandey, Ph.D.

Dissertation: *Effects of Organization Structure and Cognitive Profiles on Engineering Team Performance Using Agent-Based Models and Graph Theory*



Master of Science

Martin S. Abraham	William R. Hamilton, Jr.	Ashwini Patil
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Amanda Habsh	Andre L. Pantalena	

SCHOOL OF HEALTH SCIENCES

DEGREES AWARDED — DECEMBER 2024

Master of Public Health

Pranoti N. Khande

CANDIDATES FOR DEGREE — APRIL 2025 & AUGUST 2025

Doctor of Philosophy

Shweta Kapur

Dissertation Chair: Daniel Goble, Ph.D.

Dissertation Title: *Healthcare Utilization for Balance Problems in Community-Dwelling Adults in the United States of America*

Master of Public Health

Michael Andrews

Vijaya Lakshmi Bandaru

Hannah M. Burchi

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Urooj Siddiqui

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Master of Science

Idalis A. Antone

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SCHOOL OF NURSING

CANDIDATES FOR DEGREE — APRIL 2025 & AUGUST 2025

Doctor of Nursing Practice

Casey P. Barker

Faculty Mentor: Mary Golinski, Ph.D., CRNA, FAANA

Project Title: *Development of a Intraoperative Hypothermia Prevention Bundle - A Quality Improvement Project*

Rebecca Beechum

Faculty Mentor: Lori Shannon, DNAP, CRNA

Project Title: *Massive Transfusion Protocol: Quality Initiative*

Megan Berichon

Faculty Mentor: Holly Franson, DNP, CRNA

Project Title: *Intraoperative Magnesium Sulfate Use for Robotic Hysterectomies and Postoperative Outcomes of Opioid Use and Pain Scale*

Caitlin M. Bradley

Faculty Mentor: Holly Franson, DNP, CRNA

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Rebecca L. Chema

Faculty Mentor: Andrea Bittinger, DNP, CRNA

Project Title: *The Impact of Emotional Intelligence Training on Stress Levels among Certified Registered Nurse Anesthetists*

Jaclyn A. Cibasek

Faculty Mentor: Lori Shannon, DNAP, CRNA

Project Title: *Best Practice PONV: Comparison of Diphenhydramine and Scopolamine*

Madeline L. Costello

Faculty Mentor: Linda McDonald, DNAP, CRNA

Project Title: *The Impact of Dexmedetomidine on Emergence Delirium among Military Veterans with Post-Traumatic Stress Disorder*

Ryan A. Johnson

Faculty Mentor: Anne Hranchook, DNP, CRNA

Project Title: *Implementation and Evaluation of the 5 “A’s” Smoking Cessation Teaching Plan in a Pre Surgical Optimization Clinic*

Michele Kelly

Faculty Mentor: Anne Hranchook, DNP, CRNA

Project Title: *Implementation and Evaluation of an Educational Intervention to Increase Patient Knowledge of Anesthetic Options Before Labor and Delivery*

Alyssa M. Kerndt

Faculty Mentor: Holly Franson, DNP, CRNA

Project Title: *Subanesthetic Ketamine in Veterans with Obstructive Sleep Apnea*

Isabella Leopardi

Faculty Mentor: Holly Franson, DNP, CRNA

Project Title: *Subanesthetic Ketamine in Veterans with Obstructive Sleep Apnea*

Doctor of Nursing Practice *continued*

Patrick Marshall

Faculty Mentor: Holly Franson, DNP, CRNA

Project Title: *Subanesthetic Ketamine in Veterans with Obstructive Sleep Apnea*

Chadd Mowry

Faculty Mentor: Anne Hranchook, DNP, CRNA

Project Title: *Implementation and Evaluation of the 5 “A’s” Smoking Cessation Teaching Plan in a Pre Surgical Optimization Clinic*

Zachary A. Norris

Faculty Mentor: Lori Shannon, DNAP, CRNA

Project Title: *Intraoperative Nerve Monitoring on the Patient with Cosmetic Facial Botulinum Toxin Injections*

Michelle Riehl

Faculty Mentor: Holly Franson, DNP, CRNA

Project Title: *Subanesthetic Ketamine in Veterans with Obstructive Sleep Apnea*

Amanda C. Rumsey

Faculty Mentor: Sefanie Glasgow, DNP, CRNA

Project Title: *Green Anesthesia: Reducing the Environmental Impact of Anesthesia*

Adam Schoen

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Project Title: *The Impact of Emotional Intelligence Training on Stress Levels among Certified Registered Nurse Anesthetists*

Doctor of Philosophy

Margaret M. Kennedy

Dissertation Chair: Toni Glover, Ph.D., GNP-BC, ACHPN, FAAN

Dissertation: *Resilience in Trauma-Exposed Youth: A Qualitative Thematic Analysis of Interviews with Multidisciplinary Childhood Trauma Experts*

Master of Science in Nursing

Gladys Grace E. Aban

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Alissa J. DeLoof

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OAKLAND UNIVERSITY WILLIAM BEAUMONT SCHOOL OF MEDICINE

Friday, May 9, 2024 • 2 p.m.
Order of Ceremony

PROCESSIONAL

Christopher Kobus, Ph.D., School Marshal • Janine DeWitte, M.Ed., Faculty Marshal • Jennifer Root, Ed.D., Student Marshal

NATIONAL ANTHEM

Gregory Ashe, M.M., Associate Director, Financial Services, OUWB

GREETINGS AND INTRODUCTIONS

Christopher Carpenter, M.D., MHSA, Stephan Sharf Dean, OUWB
Joe Jones, Chair, Oakland University Board of Trustees • Ora Hirsch Pescovitz, M.D., President, Oakland University

HONORARY DEGREE PRESENTATION

Ora Hirsch Pescovitz, M.D., President, Oakland University
Amy Thompson, Ph.D., Executive Vice President, Academic Affairs and Provost, Oakland University
Christopher Carpenter, M.D., MHSA
Richard Frankel, Ph.D., Professor, Department of Medicine, Division of General Internal Medicine and Geriatrics,
Indiana University School of Medicine; Senior Research Scientist, Regenstrief Institute

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Brian Felice, M.D. • W. Brad Fields, M.D. • Betina Hinckel, M.D. • Shikha Kalra, D.O.

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Maximilian Troyke

ALUMNI SPEAKER

Melissa Bayci, M.D., Charter Class of 2015

DEAN'S ADDRESS AND RECITATION OF OATH

Christopher Carpenter, M.D., MHSA

VALEDICTION

Glenn McIntosh, Senior Vice President, Student Affairs and Chief Diversity Officer, Oakland University

RECESSIONAL

Christopher Kobus, Ph.D., and Cabar Feidh Pipes and Drums

Today's Ceremony is interpreted by World Wide Interpreters in American Sign Language for the hearing impaired. Processional and recessional music by the Cabar Feidh Pipes and Drums. The audience is requested to stand during the processional and recessional.

OUWB SCHOOL OF MEDICINE

CLASS OF 2025

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Saul O. Castillo	Joshua Kuperus	Anthony Sanabria
Maria Camila Castro Sánchez	Ekaterina Liu-Clark Lavroushin #	Kristin Margaret Sarsfield
Connie Chen #	Nikita Tan Lee	Madison Saunders *
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Natalie Imad Dakki	Michael Marchiori	Quinn Simpson
Madeleine Grace DeClercq	Mohsen Mokhtari	Rima Agnesa Stepanian #
Jared Dixon	Jacqueline Taylor Morey	Chance Stevenson #
Bianca Elias	Erin Mueller	Skylar Paige Sundquist *
Assem Ellythy	Mark Munir	Tulasi Talluri
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Ekene U Ezeokoli	Shahrulkh Naseer	Dominic Tomasi *
Kaycee Fillmore	Nikki Nguyen	Sara Quynh Tran
Max Fliegner *	Daniel Aris Nikolaidis	Maximilian Troyke * #
Sarah George #	Emily Nolton	Kevin Anh Tài Văn
Andrew Thomas Glaza	Ricky Nunez	Nitin Venkatesh
Jonathan S. Grey	Sarah O'Mara	Tram Mai Vo *
Suhani Gupta #	Charlotte O'Sullivan	Lakshmi Rekha Vrittamani #
Verna Halim	Jonathan Ong	Zehn Wani
Misha Haq	Cristy Yaneth Ortega Herrera	Joanna Wasvary
Naomi Monik Haque	Ryian Owusu * #	Cullen D. Woodley
Hope Hefferan	Gregory Palmateer	Hailey Worstman
Anne Heukwa-Tefoung	David Pan	Alexander R. Woznicki
Kendall Highhouse	Yu Rim (Christine) Park	Devin R. Young
Randy Hilleary #	Nikita Patel *	Mazen Zamzam

An asterisk () denotes students who have membership in the Alpha Omega Alpha Honor Medical Society
and a hashtag (#) denotes students who have membership in the Gold Humanism Honor Society.*

COLLEGE AND SCHOOL AWARDS

College of Arts and Sciences Meritorious Award Recipient

This award is presented to an outstanding student in the College of Arts and Sciences who in their academic activities exemplifies the variety and scope of work in the Arts and Sciences.

The 2025 recipients of the Meritorious Achievement Award are:

Joshua Hamann
Emily Smeu

Board of Visitors Excellence in Nursing Award

The Board of Visitors Excellence in Nursing Award is presented to students in the School of Nursing who have demonstrated a strong academic and clinical performance. In particular, the students have demonstrated that they provided an outstanding level of professional quality patient care. The 2025 recipients are:

Shelby Frazer
Tai Hassa
Derek Opett
Kristen Schutz

Leadership Award

The Leadership Award is presented to a student in the School of Nursing who demonstrated the ability to organize and implement group projects related to the health needs of the local community, interest in professional growth (including membership in a nursing organization), and/or supported the School of Nursing through committee involvement or class projects outside of lecture and clinical. The 2025 recipient is:

Angela Trastevere

Academic Achievement Award

This award is presented to a graduating School of Health Sciences students who have demonstrated an outstanding record of academic achievement and made outstanding contributions in their field of study. The 2025 recipients are:

Hari Bhagat
Viral Ghetia
Victoria Horn

Shweta Kapur
Sydney Kieleszewski
Grace Nolan
Amanda Patterson

Dominick Thomas
Caitlyn Wagner
Ronald VanHoutte



COLLEGE AND SCHOOL AWARDS

Leadership Award

The Leadership Award is presented to a graduating School of Health Sciences student who has demonstrated valuable contributions to their university, profession and fellow students through leadership. The 2025 recipients are:

Anthony Barbu
Allison Monet

Sophia Rosiek

Orjona Shtalbi
Hope Tisdelle

Exceptional Achievement Award

The Exceptional Achievement Award is presented annually to the graduating senior in the School of Engineering and Computer Science who, in the judgment of the faculty, has achieved the highest level of scholastic excellence. The 2025 recipients are:

Sarah Honensee
Luc Taburet

Academic Achievement Award

This award is presented to the graduating senior in the School of Engineering and Computer Science who, in the judgment of the faculty, has demonstrated an outstanding level of academic performance. The 2025 recipient is:

Jacob Zelinski

Service Award

The Service Award is awarded annually to the graduating senior in the School of Engineering and Computer Science who, in the judgment of the faculty, has rendered the greatest service to the School. The 2025 recipient is:

Morgan DeCroix

Professional Development

Awarded annually to the graduating senior in the School of Engineering and Computer Science who, in the judgment of the faculty, has demonstrated the greatest technical development in his studies and has shown an outstanding measure of individual initiative in connection with a project. The 2025 recipient is:

Luc Taburet



NATIONAL HONORS ORGANIZATIONS

An **orange cord** worn over academic regalia indicates membership in Beta Alpha Psi, the national scholastic and professional accounting society.

A **purple cord** with white tassels worn over academic regalia indicates membership in the Golden Key International Honour Society.

A **madonna red and blue cord** with multicolored tassels indicates membership in Phi Alpha Theta, the international honor society in history.

A **gold cord** worn over academic regalia indicates membership in Phi Alpha, the National Social Work Honor Society.

A **double gold cord with royal blue and gold tassels** worn over academic regalia indicates membership in Psi Chi, the National Honor Society in Psychology.

Membership in Lambda Pi Eta, the National Communication Honor Society, is indicated by a **red and white cord** joined together and worn over academic regalia.

Graduates of the Master of Public Administration Program who earned membership in Pi Alpha Alpha, the national honor society of public affairs and administration, wear a **gold medallion attached to a gold and peacock blue ribbon**.

A **cardinal and black cord** worn over academic regalia indicates membership in Sigma Tau Delta, the International English Honor Society.

A **kelly green and oriental gold cord** worn over academic regalia indicates membership in the Human Resource Development Honor Society.

A **burgundy and gold cord** worn over academic regalia indicates School of Business Administration Scholars Program members who maintained a 3.4 GPA for two or more years and participated in a case competition.

A **brown cord** worn over academic regalia indicates membership in Tau Beta Pi, the National Engineering Honor Society.

A **royal blue and gold cord** worn over academic regalia indicates membership in Omicron Delta Epsilon, the International Honor Society in Economics.

Graduates in the Master of Arts in the Counseling program who earned membership in Chi Sigma Iota, the International Honor Society for students, professional counselors and counselor educators, wear the **blue and white honor cords** over their academic regalia.

Membership in Sigma Theta Tau, the International Honor Society of Nursing, is indicated by a **lavender cord** worn over academic regalia.

Student Veterans of Oakland University. A **red, white and blue cord** worn over academic regalia indicates a veteran of the armed services.

A **green and white cord** worn over academic regalia indicates Alpha Omega Alpha Honor Medical Society members from Oakland University William Beaumont School of Medicine who excel in scholarship and demonstrate the highest ideals of virtue and honesty in the profession of medicine.

Students who have studied abroad and international students may wear sashes with their national colors or flags of their country.

UNIVERSITY, DEPARTMENTAL, SCHOOL AND CONCILIAR HONORS

At each commencement Oakland University extends special recognition to those students who have attained outstanding levels of academic achievement.

The University Senate, acting on the advice of its Committee on Academic Standing and Honors, authorizes University Honors at three levels for those students who have completed 62 credits or more at Oakland, with cumulative averages as follows:

Summa Cum Laude 3.90 - 4.00

Magna Cum Laude 3.75 - 3.89

Cum Laude 3.60 - 3.74

Students who have earned University Honors wear a gold cord over their academic regalia.

Each student who has a record of superior achievement in a major field of study is awarded departmental honors and is identified by a red cord worn over academic regalia.

Conciliar Honors are awarded by the Faculty Council for Bachelor of Interdisciplinary Studies to outstanding graduates of the Bachelor of Interdisciplinary and Integrated Studies program, who are identified by a red cord worn over academic regalia.

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Together, we make a difference by participating in virtual and in person events, volunteering our time, making a gift, advocating for OU, mentoring OU students, and sharing our OU pride. One of the most important things we can continue to do is support scholarships and provide opportunities that help ensure the success of the next generation of OU graduates. I hope you to continue to participate in the life of the University in a way that is meaningful for you.

On behalf of the Oakland University Alumni Association Board of Directors, thank you for all that you have done during your time here as students – you are living, breathing examples of the transformation and opportunity made possible by an Oakland University education.

Good luck in all you do as you begin this next chapter in your life.

Best Regards,

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