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WELCOME TO SOUTHERN ILLINOIS UNIVERSITY EDWARDSVILLE



Graduates and distinguished guests,

It is my distinct pleasure to welcome you to SIUE’s 135th commencement celebration. SIUE is going boldly forward, transforming lives by realizing human potential, increasing access and opportunity for all, and developing leaders through rigorous, student-centered academic programs.

Our graduates have excelled in their academic pursuits while exemplifying the values of citizenship, excellence, inclusion, integrity and wisdom upon which the University is founded. As they move that important tassel on their cap, they will go on to become industry leaders, educators, innovators, social justice advocates, community conservators and difference makers who define the future.

Graduates, take great pride in your incredible accomplishments. We recognize you and those who have supported you throughout your academic careers. As alumni, you join more than 120,000

fellow Cougars. We encourage your continued connection and engagement through the SIUE Alumni Association. Visit siue.edu/alumni for more information!

Whatever lies ahead, I urge you to pursue it with great conviction and confidence. Always believe in yourself and in your ability to positively impact our world.

Congratulations!



James T. Minor, PhD
Chancellor



SOUTHERN ILLINOIS UNIVERSITY SYSTEM

The Southern Illinois University (SIU) System is comprised of two sister institutions: SIU Edwardsville, with a School of Dental Medicine in Alton and the SIUE East St. Louis Higher Education Campus in East St. Louis, and SIU Carbondale, with a Law School in Carbondale and a School of Medicine in Springfield.

With a budget of over \$930 million, the SIU System employs more than 7,000 faculty, staff and administrators who serve more than 24,000 students. A modern and comprehensive post-secondary educational system, the SIU System offers a broad range of academic programs that lead to associate, bachelor’s, master’s, specialist, doctoral and professional practice degrees in a variety of fields, including law, medicine, pharmacy, and dental medicine.

SIU Carbondale was chartered in 1869 as Southern Illinois Normal University, a teachers’ college. In 1947, the name was changed to reflect the institution’s academic expansion. The University also expanded geographically.

As early as 1949, courses were being offered in the metropolitan East St. Louis area, which led to the development of SIUE, now the largest campus in the SIU System.

The instructional, scholarship and service missions of the two constituent institutions reflect the needs of the geographic areas in which they are located. The SIU System is also committed to serving statewide, national and international needs. This commitment is reflected in educational activities and outreach in communities throughout the state, as well as through research and training exchanges and worldwide student exchange programs.

The SIU Board of Trustees governs the SIU System and sets policy that enables both universities to carry out their established missions and goals. The president of the System is its CEO and reports to the board of trustees. The University chancellors report directly to the president and are responsible for the internal operations of SIUE and SIUC, respectively.

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SOUTHERN ILLINOIS UNIVERSITY EDWARDSVILLE

Southern Illinois University Edwardsville (SIUE) traces its origin to a recommendation made in 1956 by the Southwest Illinois Council for Higher Education. The council was convinced that higher education facilities were needed in the Metro East. They hired consultants whose reports documented that need, and they appealed to Southern Illinois University (SIU), 100 miles south, to establish satellite campuses.

In 1957, SIU opened two “residence centers” in Alton and East St. Louis. The University expected to enroll 800 students, but actual enrollment reached 1,776. By 1959, the number of students had more than doubled to 3,800, greatly exceeding the capabilities of the physical facilities. This burgeoning population demanded services faster than the University could develop and supply them.

A planning team investigated sites in the Metro East counties and selected one just south of Edwardsville. In 1960, the Illinois legislature authorized a bond issue for construction of a new state university campus. Voter approval came in November 1960. After nearly three years of planning, University officials and area residents attended ground-breaking ceremonies for the first permanent buildings.

In the fall of 1965, SIUE moved onto its new campus just 25 miles from St. Louis—2,660 acres of rolling land and woods dotted with lakes along bluffs flanking the Mississippi River. Much of the land still retains its natural shape.

Emphasizing teaching, research and public service programs, SIUE is a fully accredited comprehensive university with 12,000 enrolled students. After being classified as a master’s-large institution for most of its history, SIUE was reclassified in January 2019 by The Carnegie Commission on Higher Education to the newly created doctoral/professional universities category. The University is proud to be ranked by Washington Monthly among the top doctoral universities in the nation.

More than half of SIUE’s 120,000 graduates live and work in the St. Louis region. SIUE makes more than a \$1.3 billion total economic impact on the region each year.

The University offers undergraduate and graduate areas of study encompassing the arts, sciences, nursing, education, health, human behavior, business

and engineering. The Schools of Dental Medicine and Pharmacy award first professional doctoral degrees in dental medicine (DMD) and in pharmacy (PharmD). Doctoral programs are available in nursing practice and educational leadership. A cooperative PhD program in pharmacology and neuroscience is offered with the SIU School of Medicine, and cooperative PhD programs in history, engineering science, environmental resources and policy, and computer engineering are offered with SIU Carbondale.

At SIUE, students find comprehensive educational opportunities and a community in which individuals support each other in their search for knowledge and individual development.

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SOUTHERN ILLINOIS UNIVERSITY EDWARDSVILLE

Mission

Southern Illinois University Edwardsville is a student-centered educational community dedicated to communicating, expanding and integrating knowledge. In a spirit of collaboration enriched by diverse ideas, our comprehensive and unique array of undergraduate and graduate programs develops professionals, scholars and leaders who shape a changing world.

Vision

Southern Illinois University Edwardsville will achieve greater national and global recognition and academic prominence through innovative and interdisciplinary programs that empower individuals to achieve their full potential.

Values

Recognizing public education as the cornerstone of a democracy, SIUE carries out its mission based on certain fundamental, shared values. We value:

Civic Engagement

- Social, civic and political responsibility — globally, nationally, locally and within the University
- Active partnerships and a climate of collaboration and cooperation among students, faculty, staff, alumni and the larger community
- Sustainable practices in environmental, financial and social endeavors

Excellence

- High-quality learning within and beyond the classroom
- Continuous improvement and innovation
- Outstanding scholarship and public service

Inclusion

- A welcoming and supportive environment
- Openness to the rich diversity of humankind in all aspects of university life
- Respect for individuals, differences and cultures
- Intellectual freedom and diversity of thought

Integrity

- Accountability to those we serve and from whom we receive support
- Honesty in our communications and in our actions

Wisdom

- Creation, preservation and sharing of knowledge
- Application of knowledge in a manner that promotes the common good
- Lifelong learning

SIUE Statement on Diversity

The SIUE Statement on Diversity reflects the University’s commitment to recognizing and valuing the contributions of the breadth of humankind. This statement, adopted in April 2013, replaces an earlier version and is considered an expansion of the SIUE value of inclusion.

All societies and peoples have contributed to the rich mix of contemporary humanity. In order to achieve domestic and international peace, social justice and the development of full human potential, we must build on this diversity and inclusion.

- Southern Illinois University Edwardsville nurtures an open, respectful and welcoming climate that facilitates learning and work. Each member of the University is responsible for contributing to such a campus environment.
- Southern Illinois University Edwardsville is committed to education that explores the historic significance of diversity in order to understand the present and to better enable our community to engage the future.
- Integral to this commitment, Southern Illinois University Edwardsville strives for a student body and a workforce that is diverse, inclusive and equitable.

ACADEMICS AT SOUTHERN ILLINOIS UNIVERSITY EDWARDSVILLE

College of Arts and Sciences

Kevin Leonard, Dean

Central to SIUE’s exceptional and comprehensive education, the College of Arts and Sciences offers degree programs in the natural sciences, humanities, arts, social sciences and communications. The College touches the lives of all SIUE students, helping them explore diverse ideas and experiences, while learning to think and live as fulfilled, productive members of the global community. Study abroad, service-learning, internships and other experiential learning opportunities better prepare SIUE students not only to succeed in our region’s workplaces, but also to become valuable leaders who make important contributions to our communities.

School of Business

Mario Hayek, Dean

The School of Business is among an elite 5% of business schools worldwide that have earned the prestigious seal of approval from the Association to Advance Collegiate Schools of Business (AACSB) International. The accounting program holds specialized accreditation by the AACSB. Only 2% of business schools worldwide are AACSB-accredited in both business and accounting. Each year, students find internships, cooperative education opportunities and employment with major corporations such as Bayer, The Boeing Company, Edward Jones, Emerson, Enterprise, Nestlé Purina and World Wide Technology, as well as scores of small- and medium-sized businesses. Graduates are highly prepared to begin productive careers in the fields of accounting, business administration, computer information systems, cybersecurity, data analytics, economics, entrepreneurship, finance, human resource management, international business, management, marketing, and supply chain management.

School of Education, Health and Human Behavior

Robin Hughes, Dean

School of Education, Health and Human Behavior graduates can choose from a variety of career paths in education, applied health and behavioral sciences. Through rewarding partnerships with regional agencies and public school districts, students learn through hands-on experience in their fields of interest. The School’s commitment to experiential learning and community outreach is demonstrated through its clinics and the activities of its student organizations. Visit us on social media.

School of Engineering

Cem Karacal, Dean

The School of Engineering offers eight undergraduate and five graduate programs, as well as two collaborative PhD programs with SIUC, making it one of the largest and most comprehensive engineering schools in the region. The School prepares students to meet the growing needs in our region and nation for more engineers, computer scientists and construction managers. The engineering, information technology and construction companies in the St. Louis metropolitan region and beyond provide exciting, challenging and high income jobs, internships and cooperative opportunities to our students. More than 60% of our graduates have taken positions in the St. Louis metropolitan region and beyond. Students are not only educated in the classroom and laboratory, but also through internships, undergraduate research projects and student organizations that participate in collegiate contests, such as the formula race car, solar car, mini Baja, robotics, steel bridge, concrete canoe and many more.

ACADEMICS AT SOUTHERN ILLINOIS UNIVERSITY EDWARDSVILLE

School of Nursing

Judy Liesveld, Dean

The School of Nursing offers an excellent learning environment, which prepares students for careers as professional nurses. The School partners with hundreds of healthcare agencies in central and southern Illinois and the St. Louis region to provide students with quality clinical practicum sites. Students also practice required nursing skills in the School’s Simulated Learning Center to promote critical thinking and safe care before encountering patients in actual clinical settings. Graduate programs include master’s degrees in healthcare and nursing administration, and nurse educator; a post-master’s doctor of nursing practice (DNP) degree; and a post-baccalaureate DNP with specializations in nurse anesthesia, family nurse practitioner, and psychiatric mental health.

School of Pharmacy

Mark Luer, Dean

The School of Pharmacy, the only pharmacy program in southern Illinois, offers a professional program leading to the Doctor of Pharmacy (PharmD) and Master of Science in pharmaceutical sciences. A cooperative PhD program in pharmacology and neuroscience is offered with the SIU School of Medicine. Established in 2005, the School graduated its first class in May 2009 and is fully accredited by the Accreditation Council for Pharmacy Education. Our graduates enter a wide variety of professional settings, including community pharmacies, hospitals, the pharmaceutical industry and academia. SIUE pharmacy students work alongside other health professionals. This team approach allows healthcare professionals to optimize drug therapy and offer the highest quality of patient care.

Graduate School

Elizabeth Cali, Interim Associate Dean for Research and Graduate Studies

The National Science Foundation lists SIUE as #1 among doctoral/professional universities in the U.S. in terms of research and development expenditures. The SIUE Graduate School offers more than 100 areas of study with master’s, post-baccalaureate certificates and doctoral degrees in a variety of disciplines. Students prepare for the challenges of their professions in a rich, intellectual learning environment emphasizing research and practice.

School of Dental Medicine

Saulius Drukteinis, Dean

The Southern Illinois University School of Dental Medicine is proud of its established tradition of graduating highly prepared general practitioners of dental medicine. Since 1972, the School has continued to carry out its mission to improve the oral health of southern Illinois and the region through education, patient care, scholarship and service. Through the care provided at the University’s main clinic in Alton and the community clinics in East St. Louis and Edwardsville, as well as through its community outreach programs, the School serves as a vital oral healthcare provider for residents of southern and central Illinois, and the St. Louis metropolitan region.

Library and Information Services

Marlee Graser, Dean of Library and Information Services

Library and Information Services provides information resources and technology for teaching, learning and scholarship. Information resources are available in all formats with a strong preference given to digital collections, which are heavily accessed by users. Lovejoy Library is a member of CARLI (Consortium of Academic and Research Libraries in Illinois) which provides SIUE users full access to the holdings of the 130 CARLI libraries that share a catalog of millions of item records. Along with access to OCLC’s WorldCat, with more than two billion items held by participating libraries, Lovejoy Library opens the world to SIUE users. Library resources are available through social media, its mobile website, 3D scanning and printing, and traditional methods. As in all successful 21st century academic libraries, library faculty are subject specialists who provide information literacy and technology instruction. They assist SIUE faculty in identifying and selecting open access materials, publishing research locally, and curating collections in our institutional repository, known as SPARK.

HISTORY OF ACADEMIC REGALIA

The pageantry of the academic procession is used for many of the formal and significant events at SIUE.

Inherited from the medieval universities of the 11th and 12th centuries when woolen gowns and hoods were worn by scholars for warmth in unheated quarters, the wearing of academic vestments and the procession were not adopted throughout the United States until the late 19th century.

Academic life in the Middle Ages began first in the church, then in the guilds. The teaching guild was the guild of the master of arts, where the bachelor was the apprentice of the master and the dress was the outward sign of privilege and responsibility, designed to distinguish the wearer from the merchants and other townsmen.

Principal features of academic dress are the gown, cap and hood. Both Cambridge and Oxford Universities, since the 15th century, have made academic dress a matter of university control, even to its minor details, and have repeatedly published revised regulations. American universities agreed on a definite system in 1894. In 1932, the American Council on Education presented a revised code which, for the most part, governs the style of academic dress today.

The cap worn almost universally in academic processions is the Oxford cap, better known as the mortarboard. From poetry we learn that the cap of scholarship was

square to symbolize a book. A different style, called the Cambridge cap, resembles a large beret.

The use of a dark hood in academic processions is thought to have arisen from the clerical practice of wearing a cap or mantle in religious processions during the 12th and 13th centuries, when universities arose from cathedral schools.

Traditionally, gowns are also black. In recent years, however, a number of universities have adopted other hues which signify the school’s traditional colors, such as crimson for Harvard, blue for Yale.

The bachelor’s gown is a yoked, closed-front garment with long, pointed sleeves. The master’s has long, closed sleeves slit just above the elbow, permitting the forearms to protrude. The doctor’s has full, bell-shaped sleeves and is trimmed with velvet panels down the front, and three velvet bars on each sleeve. The color of the panels and sleeves varies to indicate the doctoral field.

The academic hoods, worn around the neck and down the back of the gown, are lined with the official colors of the college or university conferring the degree. The binding or edging of the hood usually represents the subject of the degree.

Applied Communication Studies - Silver Gray

Art, Letters, Humanities - White

Business, Accountancy, Commerce - Drab

Criminal Justice Studies - Ivory

Dental Medicine - Lavender

Economics - Copper

Education - Light Blue

Engineering - Orange

Fine Arts - Brown

Interdisciplinary - White

Journalism - Crimson

Music - Pink

Nursing - Apricot

Pharmacy - Olive Green

Philosophy - Dark Blue

Public Administration - Peacock

Science - Golden Yellow

Social Science, Social Work - Citron

COMMENCEMENT AT SIUE

Mace

The SIUE ceremonial mace was created in 1981 by the late Michael E. Mason. He earned both a Bachelor of Arts and Master of Fine Arts from SIUE and served as curator of the University Museum. At that time, the president of SIUE (the position now called chancellor), Earl Lazerson, instituted traditional, formal regalia for use on significant ceremonial occasions. In 2005, Chancellor Vaughn Vandegrift restored the tradition of the mace at all commencement and other academic ceremonies. A stand was subsequently constructed and, in recognition of the values of the University, engraved brass plaques were added to the ceremonial mace with the words Citizenship, Excellence, Inclusion, Integrity and Wisdom.

International Flags

The flags flown at commencement represent the home nations of all SIUE students. Nearly 900 international students from 62 countries currently attend SIUE. International students contribute to the University’s diverse learning environment by sharing their unique culture and introducing new perspectives to SIUE.

Chancellor’s Medallion

The Chancellor’s Chain of Office is a symbol of the guidance and inspiration of current University leadership building on the achievements of the past. It is a reminder of our accomplishmments, as well as the challenges and opportunities to come. The medallion of the chain has the mark of the University surrounded in laurels, a time-honored symbol of education. The chain bears Chancellor Minor’s name and the names of past leaders of SIUE.

Granting of Degrees

Candidates for degrees listed in this commencement program are those who completed degree requirements or who, at the time of publication, were reasonably certain of completing degree requirements. Inclusion in this publication may not be construed as documentation of completion of degree requirements. Certification of the conferral of a degree is by receipt of a diploma or official transcript noting degree completion.

Beautifully situated on 2,660 acres, SIUE offers easy access to professional and cultural opportunities in Metropolitan St. Louis, located just 25 miles from campus.

ACADEMIC AND OTHER RECOGNITION

Honors Recognition

Candidates graduating with honors are noted in the program and their accomplishments are characterized by the color of the academic cord worn with their regalia.

*	=	cum laude (with honors – 3.50 to 3.74)	Red cord
**	=	magna cum laude (high honors – 3.75 to 3.89)	Gold cord
***	=	summa cum laude (highest honors – 3.90 or higher)	White cord
H	=	John Martinson Honors Scholars	

Other Academic Recognition

Students who are members of specific academic honorary organizations noted below are wearing cords, stoles or medallions as indicated:

- Golden Key International Honor Society – Blue and gold cords
- John Martinson Honors Scholars – Medallion on red ribbon
- Johnetta Haley Scholars Academy – Red and white stole
- Meridian Scholars – Medallion on red ribbon
- Phi Eta Sigma, Freshman Honor Society – Gold stole with black letters
- Phi Kappa Phi Honor Society – Medallion on blue ribbon
- SALUTE Veterans National Honor Society – Gold and blue stoles (Graduate), White and blue stoles (Undergraduate)
- Sigma Xi, The Scientific Research Society – Royal blue and gold cords

College of Arts and Sciences

- Alpha Kappa Delta, Sociology Honor Society – Teal cords
- Gamma Theta Upsilon, The Honor Society in Geography – Gold stole and blue, gold and brown cords
- Lambda Pi Eta, Communication Studies Honor Society – Red and white cords
- Phi Alpha Theta, The Honor Society in History – Madonna red and light blue cords
- Pi Alpha Alpha, Public Administration Honor Society – Blue and gold cords
- Pi Mu Epsilon, Mathematics National Honor Society – Violet, gold and lavender cords
- Pi Sigma Alpha, The National Political Science Honor Society – Red, white and black cords
- Sigma Tau Delta, International Honor Society for English – Red and black cords

School of Business

- Beta Alpha Psi, Honor Society for Accounting – Red and black cords
- Beta Gamma Sigma, Honor Society for Business Majors – Royal blue and gold medallions

School of Dental Medicine

- Omicron Kappa Upsilon, The Dental Honor Society – Gold medallion on lavender ribbon

School of Education, Health and Human Behavior

- Chi Sigma Alpha, The International Student Affairs Honor Society – Maroon and gold cords
- Eta Sigma Gamma, The Health Education Honor Society – Two color green and gold cords
- Kappa Delta Pi, The International Honor Society in Education – Violet and jade green cords
- Psi Chi, The International Honor Society of Psychology – Platinum and dark blue cords

School of Engineering

- Chi Epsilon, Civil Engineering Honor Society – Two white and one purple cords
- Eta Kappa Nu, International Honor Society for Electrical Engineering – Medallion on blue and red ribbon
- Pi Tau Sigma, International Honor Society for Mechanical Engineers – White stole and murrey and azure cords
- Sigma Lambda Chi, International Construction Honor Society – White stole and green and yellow cords

ACADEMIC AND OTHER RECOGNITION

School of Nursing

- Dean’s Medallion – Medallion on red and black ribbon
- Graduate Honors – Red, white and apricot cords
- Student Nurse Association - Royal blue and white cords
- Student Nurse Achievement Program - Black and red cords
- Sigma Theta Tau, International Honor Society of Nursing – Lavender and white cords

School of Pharmacy

- American Pharmacists Association Academy of Student Pharmacists – Teal and royal blue cords
- American Society of Health-System Pharmacists – Royal blue and orange cords
- Pediatrics Pharmacy Association – Teal cords with a gold charm
- Phi Lambda Sigma, The National Pharmacy Leadership Society – Kelly green and gold cords
- Rho Chi, The Academic Honor Society in Pharmacy – Purple and white cords or medallion on purple ribbon
- Student National Pharmaceutical Association – Black with a little white cords

Students receiving other recognition are noted below:

- Order of Omega – Cream stole with gold lettering
- Senior Campaign contributors – Red, black and white cords
- Student Athletes – Bronze medallion with red and white ribbon
- Student Leadership Development Program – Bronze medallion with red ribbon
- Undergraduate Research and Creative Activities Program Associates – Silver cords

CANDIDATES COMMISSIONED AS SECOND LIEUTENANTS

Kyle Rainey

Bachelor of Science, Nursing



SCHOOL OF NURSING: GRADUATE AND UNDERGRADUATE
FRIDAY, DECEMBER 13, 2 P.M. | FIRST COMMUNITY ARENA AT THE VADALABENE CENTER

James T. Minor, Chancellor of Southern Illinois University Edwardsville, presiding

- **National Anthem: “The Star-Spangled Banner” Lyrics by Francis Scott Key**
Led by Anna Gallaher, School of Education, Health, and Human Behavior
Music by the Meridian Brass Quartet
- **Welcoming Remarks**
P. Denise Cobb, Provost and Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs
- **Remarks on Behalf of the SIU System**
Gireesh V. Gupchup, Vice President for Academic Innovation, Planning and Partnerships
- **Remarks from the Chancellor**
James T. Minor, Chancellor
- **Remarks on Behalf of the Class of 2024**
Kassidy Nunn, Bachelor of Science, Nursing
- **Candidates Commissioned as Second Lieutenants and Members of Honor Societies**
Elizabeth Cali, Interim Associate Dean for Research and Graduate Studies
- **Candidates for School of Nursing Degrees**
Judy Liesveld, Dean, School of Nursing

Candidate names read by Jason Church, Managing Director, WSIE FM
- **Conferral of Degrees and Presentation of Graduates**
James T. Minor, Chancellor
- **Message from the SIUE Alumni Association**
Connie Collins, Vice Chancellor for University Advancement
- **Alma mater: “Hail SIUE” by George Mellott**
Led by Anna Gallaher, School of Education, Health, and Human Behavior
Music by the Meridian Brass Quartet
- **Recessional**

PROGRAM RECOGNITION

The SIUE School of Nursing offers dynamic undergraduate programs of study that are both theoretical and practical, designed to meet current and future challenges of nursing and healthcare. The School prepares graduates to work in a wide variety of clinical settings and provide the necessary foundation for a master’s and doctoral degree in nursing.

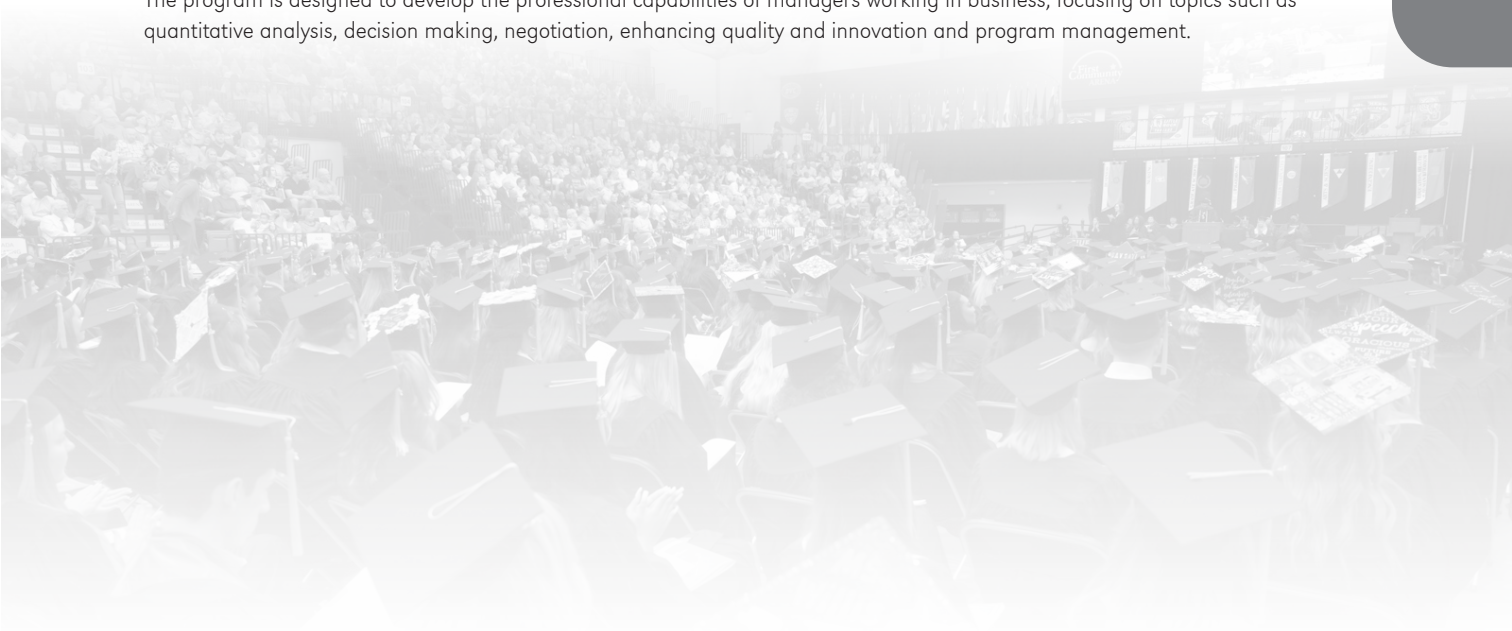
The traditional bachelor of science in nursing (BS) program is intended for students seeking their first degree with no prior college experience. The post-baccalaureate accelerated bachelor of science degree in nursing (ABS) option allows students with a bachelor’s degree to attain a BS degree in nursing through three semesters and one summer session. It is an intense, defined curriculum with a combination of classroom instruction and clinical experiences for students seeking a second baccalaureate degree.

Registered nurses (RNs) who hold an associate degree in nursing or a nursing diploma can pursue the RN to BS option. This baccalaureate program is offered in a flexible, entirely online format to accommodate the needs of working RNs. The program format consists of eight-week courses and can be completed in one year if most of the general education requirements are met at the time of admission.

The goal of the SIUE School of Nursing graduate program is to prepare expert nurses for leadership in professional nursing practice and patient-centered healthcare delivery. The School offers two master’s (MS) programs, two fully online dual degree programs and a doctor of nursing practice degree (DNP) with three specializations.

The fully online MS in Healthcare and Nursing Administration (HCNA) prepares nurses for entry into management positions in healthcare organizations, and refines the skills of experienced nurse managers to mentor them for executive-level positions. A dual MS in HCNA and Healthcare Informatics provides a unique opportunity. The online program equips healthcare professionals to leverage prior education and experience to provide leadership to teams using technology to improve patient healthcare options. The MS in Nurse Educator program is meeting the ever-increasing need for nursing faculty. SIUE’s nurse educator graduates are actively sought throughout the St. Louis metropolitan region, as well as nationally.

The psychiatric mental health nurse practitioner DNP specialization addresses the mental healthcare crisis by providing students with the clinical competencies and theoretical foundation to deliver quality psychiatric mental healthcare. The nurse anesthesia DNP specialization prepares registered nurses with baccalaureate degrees to provide individualized anesthetic patient care for surgical, diagnostic, therapeutic or pain management procedures. The family nurse practitioner DNP specialization program provides students with the required clinical competencies and theoretical foundation to deliver quality primary care for patients and their families. The post-master’s DNP program is designed for nurses holding a master’s degree as an advanced practice nurse, or holding a bachelor of science in nursing and a master’s degree appropriate to their advanced nursing practice role. The dual Masters of Business Administration (MBA) and DNP is primarily online with two on-campus immersion experiences. The program is designed to develop the professional capabilities of managers working in business, focusing on topics such as quantitative analysis, decision making, negotiation, enhancing quality and innovation and program management.



SCHOOL OF NURSING (CONT.)

Judy Liesveld, Dean

Doctor of Nursing Practice (Hood: Apricot)

Nursing Practice Jonathan Alvarado Jessica Leigh Campbell Kristie Goeckner Haley Erin Junge Jonathan Meyer Shafer Tracee J. Williams-Hubbard

Master of Science (Hood: Apricot)

Health Care & Nursing Administration Christina Barr Adrienne Ignacio Franks Carrie Grandidier Rachelle Haake Lori S. Hainaut Jessica Lynn Heatherly Keaghan Rodemich Allison Marie Torretta Michael Thomas Walter

Nurse Educator

Fay Margarita Abrea Alontaga Taylor Renee Burton Dominique Lanell Clemons Shelby Ann Dunn Lauren Renae Hall Liberty Ann Hartley Caitlyn Trinity Heller Rebecca Kamm Kaitlyn Nottelmann Orville Pepito Orillano Heather Brynn Paterson Carol Gay Pengas Ella C. Potter Kevin Robards Stephanie Lauren Stouffer Mackenzie Maureen Tim Jessalin Volmer Sarah Elizabeth Weaver

Post Master's Certificate (Hood: Apricot)

Psychiatric Mental Health Nurse Practitioner Melissa Louise Ashley Laura A. Baldridge Lisa Bell Carolle Derradji Unyime George Ekanem Kandice Kamille Hightower Pamela Sheryda Hurt Cynthia L. Larsen-Bednarchik Fritzie Lee Kayla A. Pryor Laretta Wiley Anita Zakari

Bachelor of Science (Tassel: Apricot)

Hannah Jochebed Abrudeanu** Kayla Brook Ackerman* Jeannette Alcantara Flores* Presley Jo Allsopp* Daneline Marie Almonord** Wuraola Adewunmi Aluko-Olokun Suzanne Marie Auvil Brett Christian Berger*** Megan B. Bishop Destiny Paige Boswell*** Donica Angela Brooks** Rheanna Bryan** Monica Claire Buerster*** Lydia Rachelle Cherry Alexandra Dawn Coenen*** Karen Jean Cole Alexia Mae Conrad Janet Lynn Contursi Lindsay Frances Damm Lauretta Latrice Davis* April D. Decesar**** Courtney Lynn Diarra* Kyle Shane Diethrich* Stephanie Dorsey* Rory Renee Drew** Zoe Grace Duduit Brylee Nikol Dukes* Katherine Marie Dunnagan* Kaylee Ann Dycus Charles Brandon Eason*** Craig J. Entrikin* Lauren Ashley Feagans* Jenna Flood Emily Anne Friess*** Linsae Nichole Gatons** Matthew Thomas Glisson Angela Graumenz** Kimberly Elizabeth Gregor*** Viktoria Anne Griffin*** Ronald Goeman Guilander*** Kaitlin J. Hall*** Elizabeth Marie Hanke Giang Hansen** Katelyn Rose Harris* Cheryl Lynne Hayden* Nicole Ann Hess** Devin Maurice Hill** Jason William Hill* Victoria Rose Hopkins** Makayla Louann Horn Xiangyu Hu** Laci Kaye Beth Huffstutler* Jessica Lynne Ibberson** Alyson Nicole Isaak* Amanda Michelle Izard Brooke Marie Jansen*** Jillian Elaine Jenness* Alexis Nicole Johnson*** Courtney Paige Jones* Kaitlyn Jorgensen* Courtney Kaiser**

Kyleigh Grace Keller*** Amanda Thomas Kessler Devin Scott Kitchen** Austin Lynch Leslie Leanadias Magrew** Lauren Mahun** Teresa Cheptoo Malit Megan Renae Martin*** Princess C. May Megan Janee Melvin** Samantha Reanne Miller Hope Elizabeth Monnet* Dennette RyAnne Munson*** Michael Nackers* Lynsey Marie Overton Pedigo Morgan Victoria Pace Kimberly Lynn Parker Noelle Nicole Parkerson*** Chloé Denise Dawn Pearce* Raylin Jo Pearson* Alara Nicole Pfeaster* Abigail Grace Potts*** Connor J. Rice* Courtney Rae Richardson*** Christina Ritter Jeaunina Ntae Rodriguez Rachel Catherine Schipferling*** Sarah J. Scott* Maria Angelina Serna Ashley Louise Smith*** Dalton Edward Smith* Hallie Michele Smith*** Alyssa Marie Snyder** Ciara Somers** Sadie Marie Starwalt-Cook* Kaylee Michelle Stewart*** Samantha Rael Stratton** Aquoya Zanaya Shavone Stuckey Maung Thu Wun Swe*** Emma Lauren Talluto Leah Nicole Thies** Katerina Nicole Timpson*** Kamryn Nicole Van Arsdale* Jocelyn Alise Wagner* Monica D. Webster Mallory Westrick Charlene Denise Wyatt Dabrona M. Young Alannah Michelle Alexander Melisa Alihodzic Siyanbola OreOluwa Animashaun Rachel Marteen Arcilla*** Kyleigh C. Barton* Kelly Mae Borneman Melissa Ann Bradshaw*** Rebecca Danielle Caldieraro Abigail Erin Carney Cheyenne Laoreal Carpenter Maggie Elizabeth Carty Jennifer Chae*** Caden Riley Chesnut Caitlin Grace Chiesa Mackinzie Elise Colley Makayla Alexis Crow

Adam D. Dachroeden Iyana Lanae Douglas Devin Riley Duhs Cailin Elizabeth Elliott* Kania Amier Ferrell Raeleigh June Forester Morgan Kay Fowler Jania Ann Garrison Hannah Nicole Gatlin Addison Auid Gibson* Morgan Alyse Glazebrook Casey Di'Angela Griffith Alexander David Haney Kylee Renea Hayden Lily Josephine Henry Selena Marie Hernandez Abigail L. Iffrig Cherissa Kaze Kara Ann Klaustermeier* Gabrielle Kniepkamp Brooke Elizabeth Kolath Sydney Lee Land Dre'Unna Loston Renata Giselle Macias Dareen Majdi Mahmoud Marie Jilliane Calma Mallari Emma Marie Martin Shane McKenzie Hayze McNutt Lincoln Wolfgang Metzger Malcolm Emmanuel Miller*** Ema Miskic Naomi Monique Mosley Tate Matthew Mourning** Emma Margaret Delcina Neuman* Grace Eliza Nolte Kassidy Lyn Nunn Riley Thomas Phillips*** Jade Elaine Pickenheim*** Kyle Spencer Rainey Hayley Marie Rapp Noelle Patricia Rice Gabrielle Rivera Abigail Genell Roberts* Tessa Renee Rottinghaus Kalonji Malik Rumph Benjamin Richard Sachse Emily Elizabeth Sauzek Trevor Alexander Siebert* Luniva Singh* Peyton R. Stamboldjev Abigail Julianna Tiemann Holly Tippet*** Lexis Areya Je'Nai Turnbo Brianna Nayeli Villavicencio Kelsey Jayne Watters Kelsey Renee Wehrheim

GRADUATE SCHOOL

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 13, 5:30 P.M. | FIRST COMMUNITY ARENA AT THE VADALABENE CENTER

James T. Minor, Chancellor of Southern Illinois University Edwardsville, presiding

National Anthem: "The Star-Spangled Banner" Lyrics by Francis Scott Key Led by Anna Gallagher, School of Education, Health, and Human Behavior Music by the Meridian Brass Quintet

Welcoming Remarks P. Denise Cobb, Provost and Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs

Remarks on Behalf of the SIU System Gireesh V. Gupchup, Vice President for Academic Innovation, Planning and Partnerships

Remarks from the Chancellor James T. Minor, Chancellor

Remarks on Behalf of the Class of 2024 Amber Withycombe, Master of Public Administration (MPA)

Candidates for Graduate Degrees and Presentation of Doctoral and Master's Hoods Elizabeth Cali, Interim Associate Dean for Research and Graduate Studies, Graduate School

Candidate names read by Jason Church, Managing Director, WSIE FM

Conferral of Degrees and Presentation of Graduates James T. Minor, Chancellor

Message from the SIUE Alumni Association Connie Collins, Vice Chancellor for University Advancement

Alma mater: "Hail SIUE" by George Mellott Led by Anna Gallagher, School of Education, Health, and Human Behavior Music by the Meridian Brass Quintet

Recessional

GRADUATE SCHOOL (CONT.)

Elizabeth Cali, Interim Associate Dean for Research and Graduate Studies

Doctor of Education
(Hood: Light Blue)

Educational Leadership

LaTongia S. Hayes-Spencer
Nancy Marie Werden
Robert W. Werden

Doctor of Philosophy
(Hood: Orange)

Engineering Science

Goksu Avdan

Master of Arts

(Hood: Citron, Silver Gray, White)

Applied Communication
Studies

Abidemi Oluwafunmilayo Alade
Claire Marie Di Lorenzo
Kristi Shawn Doering
Emmalyne Ford

Art Therapy Counseling

Noelle Becker
Jawaune Johnson

English

Matthew C. Mooty
Allyson Nagel
Sarah Elizabeth Petroff
Ashley Adrienne Richey

History

Madelyn Knight
Cesar Augusto Mendoza Obregon

Sociology

Linda Janet Aguirre
Katherine Toletha Ealey
Kara Nicole Gan
Corbin Alexander Johannpeter

Master of Fine Arts
(Hood: Brown)

Art

Jocelyn Hall
Alisha Nichole Porter
Alex Thomure

Master of Music
(Hood: Pink)

Music

Joseph Freisinger
Jill Marie Griffin
Jennifer Lynn Rea

Master of Public
Administration
(Hood: Peacock)

Public Administration

Gabrielle Ariana Andrade
Kristina Nicole Bennett
Devin Thomas Berry
Brooke Bishop
Josephine Ann Byrd

Christopher Lamar Cooper

Jayonna Craig
Lauren Elyce Harris
Jalyn Christina King
Ajla Mandal
Nicholas C.M. Pruitt
Joy N. Rice

Natalia Rodriguez
Jasmeen Shabazz
Alicia Kristin Taylor
Latonya R. Waller
Julia A. Westley
Amber Erin Withycombe
Warren Thomas Woolsey

Master of Science
(Hood: Citron, Crimson, Gold, Ivory)

Biological Sciences

Taylor Dawn Gray
Jill Lambrechts
Maede Shahin
Kayla Marie Sparks
Madigan Claire Walsh

Chemistry

Cheyenne Dakota Copling
Farzana Elaf
Hadis Ghasemi
Brenna Nicole Mcllvoy
Kendra Grace Selby
Grishma Singh
Harini Subbaiahgari

Criminal Justice Policy

Emily R. Bretscher
Nicholas K. Caldiero
Mary Lashey Golden
Joseph G. Holtz
Carrington Marie Jackson
Antonio Leon Joselito Perez

Environmental Sciences

Andrew Sheehan Heaslet
Mariam Sani
James Doorairaj Sivalingam
Khurshed Usmonov

Geography

Jennifer Backer
Guisel L. Berry
Enoh Martha Francis
Chelsea R. Henry
Kyle Krumm
Susannah Marie Oettle
Stefanie Renee Pryor
Donald Ray Reynolds III

Mathematics

Clara Cherotich Chelibei
Yusupha Fadera
Zahra Fatah
Owen Christopher Holliday
Sagar Kalauni
Matthew Paul Miller
Elaheh Rajabraeiat

Media Studies

Magdalene Emonvuon
Melessa d’Nay Herzberg
Valquiria Lorein Perea Gongora

GRADUATE SCHOOL (CONT.)

Elizabeth Cali, Interim Associate Dean for Research and Graduate Studies

Master of Social Work
(Hood: Citron)

Social Work

Micah Lovie Arps
Ebony K. Clark
Sydney Elise Dossett
Brooke Nicole-Ann Frank
Kamil Denise Frierson
Kristen Nicole Griffin
Mackenzie Helton
Antonio Darnell Killion Jr.
Shelby L. Martin
Kaitlynn Gale Smith
Kristin Jerelynne Smith
Elizabeth Paige Stone
Sierra Elise Taylor
Kelly Veach
Aaron Christopher Warren
Madisyn Webster
Kelsy Jean Wellwood
Alyssa Jordan Werths
Ann Marie Whalen
Yasmine Lanise Whitley
Taylor Nicole Woods

Post Baccalaureate
Certificate

(Hood: Peacock, White, Golden Yellow, Crimson, Pink)

Data Science

Clara Cherotich Chelibei
Zahra Fatah
Sagar Kalauni

Digital Media Literacy

Melessa d’Nay Herzberg

Museum Studies

Karl Preston Huntley

Professional Leadership
Strategies

Jayonna Craig
Deborah R. Johnson
Jalyn Christina King

Teaching English as a
Second Language

Kaylee Marie Garrett

Vocal Pedagogy

Jennifer Rea

Master of Business
Administration
(Hood: Drab)

Business Administration

Mohitkumar Sunilkumar Ajmeri
Jonathan Alvarado
Caitlin Kristine Anderson
Zachary P. Anderson
Abby Rose Arentsen
Alexandria Bailey
Hali Bandy
Teresa Lyn Barbee
Brady Gerard Bergman

Charmaine Christy Bernabe

Jacob Bohle
Lauren Bolt
Chad Walker Brigham
Amanda Jean Bullard
Thomas Roy Bunge
Chelsee Bushue
Kiana Alexis Caler
Jessica Marie Campise
Robert Eugene Carter
Lucas Clayton
Kyle Cline
Haven Sunnilya Cooper
Erica Lynn Cox
Russell Gaines Crifasi
Daniel Scott Crockett
Alexis Cummings
Brady William Cummings
Pavel Dashin
Jonathan Thomas Davis
Ashleigh Renee Deatherage
Michael Christopher Deck
Brett Michael Devlin
Karley Nicole Draheim
Jacqueline Lauren Dreppard
Hanna Marie Drowns
Ehikhuemhen Enaholo
Aaron Douglas Engelke
Veronica Espinoza
Colleen Ewell
Heather Elizabeth Farrar
Dylan Farrell
Michael Forbis
Hunter Adam Fouts
Kaitlynn P. Fox
Ryan Frausto
Elana Faith Sole Fuller
Toi Mylynn Fuller
Bethanie Garcia
Lea Eljean T. Gatpandan
Erin N. Gheen
Robert Gjela
Samantha A. Golden
Donovan Gorre
Anastasia Guinevere Gray
Jack Gray
Tacha D. Gregory
Courtney Lynn Gross
Joseph William Hardin
Ashley Harmon
Amber Paige Herron
Benjamin E. Hettel
Sarah Anne Hogan
Grace Elizabeth Holtmann
Melissa Hunter
Blake Hustedde
Tarron Ice Ivory
Marina Ariana Jaimes
Jasmine J. Jerelds
Babita Joshi
Alicia Blaire Kamischke
Danielle Shea Klump
Kyle James Kohnen
Abbigail Lawton
Alyssa Nicole Lee
Gino Liberati
Ruth Michael Linneman
Patricia D. Long

Jurre Ashonti Loveless

Elizabeth Cecile Lynk
Peter Mai-Lombardo
Karyn Manoogian
Taylor Nicole McInnis
Brandon Meeks
Cole Milam
Jake Alexander Millenbruck
Paige Wood Morales
Cody Andrew Mull
Jessica L. Mundy
Mitchell Murphy
Megan Alexis Neilson
Tiffany Phuong Nguyen
Samantha Lindsay Nunn
Charles Obinna Nwosu
Elizabeth Rose Ortgiesen
Joseph Anthony Paolucci
Scott Wayne Passman
Elizabeth Noel Phelps
Anneka Pillow
Hailee Nicole Poe
Binuka Poudel
Melissa Kay Reynolds
Jesse Roberts
Bailey Ruesch
Krista Nicole Russell
Amy Michele Schmidt
Caydn Schuchman
Kimberly Susan Seets
Kylie Jo Shakeel
Claire Marie Siemer
Jason Sinovich
Jeremiah Duane Steffen
Jacob Dean Stephens
Christopher C. Strangeman
Abigail Svoboda
Michael John Swingel
Imthiyaz Syed Gulam Dasthagir
Amy Michelle Talley
Margaret Taylor
Samuel L. Thomas
Ilia Tomov
Jacob R. Walters
Reasheal Watts
James Roy Waymack II
Allana E.S. Welch
Kyle Adam Wesolowski
Heather Margaret Weyn
Benjamin Lemeal Womack
Sharjeel Zahid
Jeanette Zeisler

Master of Marketing
Research
(Hood: Drab)

Marketing Research

Payton Elizabeth Aldrich
Ryty Lee Dupont Barlow
Ahmed Ayman Abdelaal Elbehery
Brendan Pagan
Jacob McBride Wolfe
Alyson Nicole Woods

Master of Science
(Hood: Drab)

Computer Management
and Information Systems

Sairam Chikattimalla
Kelby Patrick Phillips

Management Information
Systems

Usha Sree Andoju
Srinija Chirumamilla
Rajesh Dammalapati
Praveena Deevi
Bidhan Giri
Srinavya Kilaru
Manisha Kodimela
Arfath Mohammad
Sarah Anobil Okyere
Andrew Michael Pani
Reason Raut
Rahmat Ibironke Salau
Aakash Sudanagunta
Shobha Swar
Vinay Rao Vemula

Master of Science
in Accountancy
(Hood: Drab)

Accountancy

Loralie Michaela Borgmann
Patrick Lee Bowman Jr.
Kristen Collins
Christopher Ryan Emery
Kaleb Paul Fuller
Jared Dean Groesbeck
Isaac David Hammet
Josh B. Hardiek
Robert William Hayes
Madison Amanda Xia Johnston
Samuel Louis Lutostanski
Brylee Scott Mueller
Rowan Elisabeth Parrett
Jacob Andrey Roderick
Lukas Grady Salsman
Cailee Cathryn-Ann Schmidt
Noah Timothy Stuckey
Cameron Dewayne Thomas
Hope Elizabeth Wilschetz
Sarah Elizabeth Witherbee
James Dale Zimmerman

Education
Specialist Degree
(Hood: Light Blue)

Educational Administration

Amber Louise Akins
Ramanda Graneze Bond
Christine Denari Bosco
Sarah Elizabeth Brokering
Cheryl Latrice Brown
Danya Cajmere Edwards
Kiaundra Smith Eggleston
Joel Gherardini
Taria Gordon
Lori Lynn Griffith
Sarah Harbach

GRADUATE SCHOOL (CONT.)

Elizabeth Cali, Interim Associate Dean for Research and Graduate Studies

Jordan Hohm
Alecia Beatrice Johnson
Catrice Renee Johnson
Ebonee Dawn Jones
Kory Thomas Kliebert
Falon Tiana McCain
Aubrey Mari Mikos
Eric Warren Mitchell
Christopher Arnold Moore
Dylan Paul Moore
Molly Rosemarie Moulis
Amanda Lynn Pangrazio
Denisha Denay Patrick
Victoria L. Proffitt
Jessica Ann Richardson
Trevor Shields
Atia Singleton
Jennifer Lynn Skinner-Starkey
Michael Stewart
John Thomas Stosky
Ellie Nicole Thomas
Tanjra Tanik Townsend
John Bryant Vercellino
Kevin Michael Wiedman

Master of Arts
(Hood: Gold)

Psychology
Christal Cearra Borden
Makyla Flowers-Tolliver
Allison Katherine Fox
Brooke Saree Jones
Jace Tylyn King
Faith AnnEva McCaskey
Malgorzata Moll
Sierra Moody
Matthew R. Renth

Master of Public Health
(Hood: Gold)

Public Health
Sandhya Poudel

Master of Science
(Hood: Gold, Light Blue)

Kinesiology
Cassidy Barclay
Robert Corbin Barnett
Jacob Daniel Bilyeu
Anna Marie Burrus
Leighann Fuller
Z'Kaye Hall
Brian Elliot Hallam
Marissa Paige Hasty
Adilene M. Hernandez-Nesbitt
Ashley Ann Jones
Michael David Lutes
Alexander Noble
Taylor Ann Nolan
Dhruvi Vipulkumar Pathak
Jacob Martin Ribble
Riley Joseph Ripper
JoAnna Rose Schultz

Darrian Brooke Stapleton
Christine Stupavsky
Krishayla Brianna Taylor
Dhana Lakshmi Vale
Cameron Simone Williams
Kylie Brianne Wissel
Yashika

Nutrition and Dietetics
Maria Jose Rodriguez Alvarez

Psychology
Emily Faith Acquaviva
Karlei Nicole Bingham
Keaira Kaela Cox
Madeline Kristina Dahl
Taylor Lynn Ferguson
Isabelle Joy Kalil
Breanna L. Mank
Arabella Martychenko
Emily Nicole McAteer
Halle Renee Rickhoff
Kaitlyn Van Pelt
Lauren Olivia-Anne Walton

Master of Science in Education
(Hood: Light Blue)

College Student Personnel Administration
Kenisha P. Walton

Curriculum and Instruction
Matthew Alexander Aken
Taylor Brueggeman
Brittanie Michelle Clement
Amanda Lee Corey
Sandra Veronica Dawson
Jessica Renee Derick
Amanda Nicole Dermody
Elyse M. Faust
Nathan Thomas Henrichs
Shasta Hladovcak
Tara Holbrook
Emily Anne Jenner
Katelyn Michele Johnson
Sarah Michelle Largent
Shekita J. McKenney
Haley Nell Meinhart
Lauren Elizabeth Nugent
Lumanda Louise Reese
Emily Russell
Adam Kenneth Schroeder
Ryan Michael Sisk
Marlea Marie Smaga
Sara M. Stinson
Catherine R. Williams

Diversity and Equity in Education
L'Oréal Lee
Toko Shimizu

Educational Administration
Maggie Alibaikzadeh
Maxwell Baldermann
Lucas Salvador Bernal
Katelyn N. Bever
Erin Kathleen Bittles
Ricky Leon Boyd
Jennifer Deanne Briney
Kristin Carrarini
Victoria Casazza
Brittany Layne Charlebois
Lindsay Terese-marie Chepon
Ryan Michael Clark
Erin Lee Cotto
Samantha Drone
Jordan Marie Dulowski
Jessica Leigh Dunham
Jessica Eddy
Anthony Cole Engelman
Olivia Katherine Frullani
Alicia Lynn Gilani
Daphne R. Graves
Theone P. Haralampopoulos
Melissa Marie Hasamear
Justin Joseph Jerkovitz
Shea Christine Lodes
Sara Marie Maynard
Sean McNamara
Julie Ann Mulholland
Kaleigh Anne O'Brien
Isabel E. Papachrisanthou
Candace Perkins
Kyle John Rich
Michael Riggio
Devin Paul Rohr
Benjamin Michael Scamihorn
Margaret Mae Schnoeker
Adam Matthew Schoff
Alicia Sobodas
Dan Sobodas
Sydney Strole
Rachel Thompson
Dakota J. Tostado
Adam Craig Tyler
Juliette Taylor Vainisi
Rachael Kathryn Varland
Erica Rachelle Watts
Jessica Whiteside
Reginald D. Williams III

Higher Education and Student Affairs
Kaycee L. Watkins

Instructional Technology
Katie Marissa Dowell Arnold

Kinesiology
Brina Katherine Boldig
Tara Katherine Dering
Abigail Kathryn Kurth
Michael Patrick Murphy
Jose Alberto Politron
Justin Richard Ruffin
David Kirson Schlesinger II
Mason Vetter

Post Baccalaureate Certificate
(Hood: Light Blue)

Online Teaching and Learning
Robert Aaron Hoadley

Web-Based Learning
Patricia Sage Werner

Master of Science
(Hood: Orange)

Civil Engineering
Modupeoluwa Abisoluwa Adediji
Prajwal Baral
Suraj Bhandari
Srisha Devkota
Dharmysetty Venkata Siva Sai R
Aravind Krishna Gandhi
Suprapti Gautam
Hamed Gholizadeh Touchaei
Rohith Sai Kumar Gudiya
Nabin Kadel
Samjhana Khakurel
Geoffrey Kupferle
Saifullah Mahmud
Salman Khan Mohammed
Bikash Nepal
Jordan Alexander Parks
Vignesh Varma Ravuri Ravi
Adnan Sadiq
Bishal Sapkota
Krishodar Bhakta Shrestha
Shreyansh Shrestha
Avinash Babu Sole

Computer Science
Radhakalyani Anumukonda
Vidya Manaswi Arumilli
Gwyneth Elaine Cross
Shriya Santoshi Devulapally
Maneesh Gorantla
Priyanka Gujjula
Akhila Kakumani
Praneetha Kethireddy
Venkata Ayyappa Koduri
Sreeja Kohir
George Michael Lynch
Deepak Yadav Mudike
Rupa Sai Mundru
Maneeswari Nallimelli
Haritha Sai Sree Narra
Sai Jyothi Narra
Anusha Patibandla
Manoj Kumar Pidikiti
Rohith Kumar Sura
Sainath Talluri
Manisha Reddy Tummala
Rohith Varala
Saisuma Vennam
Likitha Vinjam
Ananda Sai Sri Vuda
Jaswanth Yenduri

GRADUATE SCHOOL (CONT.)

Elizabeth Cali, Interim Associate Dean for Research and Graduate Studies

Electrical and Computer Engineering

Sri Sai Poojitha Adapa
Sravan Kumar Gundu
Sireesha Guntupalli
Henry Jansen
Divyasree Kotha
Sravya Maddula
Chaitanya Pidugu
Chiranjeeva Reddy Rapolu
Naveen Kumar Vasamsetti
Likhitha Yeshamalla

Industrial Engineering
Spandana Banala
Ajay Kumar Bonikala
Jaswanth Boppey
Pranath Chanduri
Naga Sai Sumanth Chekkala
Mahesh Dasetty
Vamshi Dodapanani
Bharath Reddy Gondhi
Suneesh Gummadi
Rameshwar Gundem
Pranathi Guttikonda
Praveen Guvvala
Bhanu Hari Vardhan Kancharla

Nikhita Kanikanti
Lakshman Kumar Kongara
Sushmanth Goud Kumbham
Dilip Varma Kunaparaju
Venkata Bharat Madala
Venkatesh Mandyam
Om Sai Praneeth Mareedu
Aashish Hemanth Masuna
Abdul Adil Mohammed
Anwaar Ullah Mohammed
Sanaullah Shareef Mohammed
Zubair Ahmed Mohammed
Lalith Kumar Nallavelli
Sai Teja Nelluri
Sainath Reddy Panyala
Dinesh Reddy Ponna
Thulasi Ramudu Putta
Amaan Shaik
Keivan Shariat

Mechanical Engineering
Manikanta Rohith Kumar Acchukolu
Nikhil Nihar Akepogu
Vamsi Krishna Atmudi
Shubho Ray Chowdhury
Saiket Debnath
Md Safeyat Hasan

Dileep Sai Korrapati
Agbaraoluwa Kayefi Kuboye
Md Al Mamun
Subbaraju Mungara
Madhu Kumar Muniganti
Shubhechhha Niraula
Blessy Paul Pasupuleti
Athena Zamiri

Master of Science
(Hood: White and Olive)

Healthcare Informatics
Vanessa Angel
Douglas Lee Barnett
Sonja Leslie Caldwell-DeJesus
Pravin Chacko
Jacob Allen Danly
Whitnie Christina DuChateau
Olga Garloch
Chase Anthony Horton
Amanda Sarah Jakuboski
Julie Khuu
Miranda Yvette Kimbrow
Madison Nicole Koogler
Amanda Lading
Nehal N. Matt
Adam Pearce Mayhew

Mitchell Patrick McMillen
Leanne Mondello
Nicholas James O'Saben
Akta Patel
Svetlana Radinskaya
Nick Ratinskiy
Latisha Lynn Rhine
Rebecca Ross
Tonja Spires
Aeshaben D. Thakkar
Carly Tracey
John Alfred Walker
Celia Washington
Isha Sade Wright

Integrative Studies
David Robert Daiber
Keerthi Latha Gaddam

Pharmaceutical Sciences
Nicholas Paul Bethel
Rupesh Chandra Panta
Nathan Allen Peel
Dikchhya Shaky

SCHOOL OF BUSINESS AND SCHOOL OF EDUCATION, HEALTH AND HUMAN BEHAVIOR

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Remarks on Behalf of the SIU System

Gireesh V. Gupchup, Vice President for Academic Innovation, Planning and Partnerships

Remarks from the Chancellor

James T. Minor, Chancellor

Remarks on Behalf of the Class of 2024

Georgia Litteken, Bachelor of Science in Business Administration

Candidates for School of Business

Mario Hayek, Dean, School of Business

Candidates for School of Education, Health and Human Behavior (Undergraduates)

Robin Hughes, Dean, School of Education, Health and Human Behavior

Conferral of Degrees and Presentation of Graduates

James T. Minor, Chancellor

Message from the SIUE Alumni Association

Connie Collins, Vice Chancellor for University Advancement

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SCHOOL OF BUSINESS

Mario Hayek, Dean

Bachelor of Science
(Tassel: Drab)

Ignacio Abeal Pou
Trenton LaMont Banks
Ellie Beach
Emma Dawn Bequette
Mason R. Berg
Genna June Best**
Andrew Jonathan Bleichner-Cook
Jackson L. Borden
Braden Alexander Bowers
Zachary Lewis Brewer
Deja Nicole Brinker
Jada Bui*
Sidney E. Christopher
Daniel Ishmael Clanton-El
Alexis Paige Clark
Jared Anthony Compare
Byron Jamal Coulter
Justin Lamar Coulter
Christopher James Daum
Hannah Lee Davis
Monserat Delgado-Rico
Josh Christopher DeMage
Whitney M. Dickerson
Aaron E. Eckart*
Natalie L. Edwards
Joceline Jewel Falkengren
Jace Anthony Ferguson**
George Franklin Francis V
Ryan Thomas Gallagher*
Ryan Douglas Gansz
Nathan Henry Gould
Dalton Ray Greene
Clayton Alan Groom*
Jackson Earl Haag
Heather Ann Haegele*
Robert William Harmon
LaNia Mone’t Harris
Peyton M. Hauk

Chase Mitchell Hays
James Christopher Healey*
Brandon Scott Hensley
Ian Alexander Hipkins
Shane McGregor Barrett Hosto**
Steven Mitchell House
Asia K. Jansen
Jessica Kay Keller
Drew M. Kerner
Hassaan Anwar Khan
Colton Patrick Krebs
Grant Corbin LaDuke
Sarah Maria Lamparter
Matthew Ryan Lands**
Connor Matthew Lane
Stuart William Laub
Dustin Michael Lilly***
Georgia Ann Litteken***H
Claire Christine Loemker
Abraham Joseph Markowitz
Ian David Maue
Luke Michael McDevitt
Muhammed Mehmedovic
Nathan Anthony Merz
Hunter J. Miedona
Paige Nicole Milburn
Chase Eugene Miles
Nicholas James Miles
Scott Thomas Mitchell
Matthew W. Moore
Alexa Rose Moser
Nicolai Julius Muench***
Cesar Vincent Murillo
Clayton Garrett Mylrea
Madison Rayanne Neese
Konner Norfleet
Caylie Morgen Olson
Madison Nicole Orebaugh*
Avery K. B. Owusu-Asiedu**
Brian Parizon
Bryan David Parker

Reagan Davis Parks
Megha Prakash Patel
Benjamin Anthony Pitcher
Roland C. Prenzler
Cole Bernard Quattlander
Nathan Kain Rainge
Tarik Ramadan
Ainsley Marin Ranstead***
Colton James Ratliff
Mitchell Robert Real
Jacob Tucker Repp
Jacob Dean Ridgeway
Kenji Riley
Jessica Elaine Robbers
Miciah Elyce Sanders
Lara Sandoval Pardo*
Emilee Elizabeth Schantz
Ashley N. Schlosser
Melanie Kristen Schroeder
Madison Mae Schuette
Trenton Joseph Schwerdt
Carolyne Paige Scrivner
Taylor Ashley Seely
Christian Serna
Brenen Phillip Seward
Clint E. Shive
Tyler S. Simpson
Hannah Kay Smith
Taylor Lorraine Springer
Tiffany Nicole Tanner*
DeAndre Lamonze Taylor
Cole Jacob Thamke
Isaiah James Thomas
Makenna Nicole Thomas
Blake Christopher Throneberry
Stephen Ethan Van Camp
Noah Vincent Van Ness**
Grace Elizabeth Vincent***
Connor James Vogel
Matthew James Wallace*
Evan Michael Wermert

Madison Lorain Wilkins
Travis J. Wilson Jr.
Destiny Rene’ Wisdom
Bridget Lauren Wood
Abigail Grace Wright
Logan Joe Wyatt*

Bachelor of Science
in Accountancy
(Tassel: Drab)

Nathan Michael Albrecht
Paola Isabel Arana***
Heaven Kai Boone
Gabriel Jacob Chambers
Stephen David Chuvala
Destiny S. Cooper
Timothy Quinton Daluga***
Trey M. Dillon
Emily Nicole Ferriell
Lauren R. Heckert
Ny’La De’My’sha Hill*
Austin Phillip Jackels
Nathan Alexander Joehl
Isabel Frances Klotz
Kyle Anthony Malone
Umer Naveed
Dominique Magbanua Obispo H
Rylie Faith Pugh***
Lucki S. Scudder***
Clint E. Shive
Kaleigh N. Smith**
Joe’l Kanaii Soto
Mychael Joshua Thompson
Kyla Grace Thyer**
Peyton Benjamin Westfall**
Allison Jeanine Will**
Chase Riley Wise***
Kira Michele Wrigley

*cum laude

**magna cum laude

***summa cum laude

H Honors Scholars

SCHOOL OF EDUCATION, HEALTH AND HUMAN BEHAVIOR

Robin Hughes, Dean

Bachelor of Arts
(Tassel: Gold)

Kamya Chantell Castro

Bachelor of Science
(Tassel: Gold, Light Blue)

Axel Emanuel Acosta Vazquez
Imani Alexander*
Christopher L. Altman
Nicholas Elliot Beck
Jason Michael Bigtas**
Marina Victoria Brown
Asiya Inaya Bryant
Destiny Pearl Burkett*
Carter James Burton
Jordyn D. Bushway**
Ashley Lynn Cardwell
Christina Fay Cheeseboro
Peyton E. Clemons***
Liberty Rose Coleman
Shadiamond Amari Cook*
Destinee Rose Cox**
Logan Riley Crowl
Maria Nicole Davinroy
Olivia Brianne Davis
Tahler Suzanne Davis
Miranda Renee Deam
Elijah Charles DeFosset*
Amber Elizabeth DeLong
Adam Dean Deskines*
Jasmine Lizzette Dochee

Joseph David Fehr
Hannah McKenzie Ferguson*
Reese Ferguson
Janielle Nicole Ford
Dillan Friesner*
Addisyn Lynn Catherin Gale
Lysandra Montreace Gardner
Evan Micheal Gerl
Rahel Ann Gilleland*
Nicholas Ashley Greene*
Swati Vasant Hajari
Hana Demetra Harlan
Patricia LeAnn Harman
Sheila Harper
Riley Hendershott
Allison Nicole Hill
Natori J. Hodges
Sydney Elisabeth Hummert
Sydney Alese Johnson
Zachary Earl Kern
Chesney Amber Koenig
Jessica L. Lambert*
Danielle Morgan Lanham
Nakira LaShandra Lewis
Kayla Michele Liggio
Sofia Grace Lowis**
Christopher Grant Magdaleno
Adam Michael Mathis
Christian Marie Matthews*
Joshua David McGuire
Teagan Zia McKechnie
Hailey Mckenzie McKinnie

Taylor Isabelle Meagher
Madelyn L. Megginson
Jazmine Mendoza
Alana Deann Meyer*
Parker Gene Middleton
Kristen Mary Moore
Maria Guadalupe Morales
David Michael Morris
Domynik Matthew Mowrey
Karriem Rashad Muhammad
Hallah Nadine Nabulsi
Jade Racquel Neudeck***
Mikayla N. Nicholson
Folasade Oladipupo*
Grace Elizabeth Ott
Olivia Grace Paxton
Madeline Elizabeth Payne
Haley J. Pentecost*
Monisha M. Perry
Tori Elizabeth Pfeifer
Havalen Dean Pierce*
Abigail Marie Podshadley**
Edith Rose Pointer***
Damion John Posey*
Bailie Jo Rabideau** H
SylveA'sha Marshayla Radley
Juliana Elena Rosa Richardson
Jersei Neasha Kai Ricks**
Mason Ross
Avery Rose Runge*
Jordan Ariel Sautelet*
Catherine R. Scherschel*

Tessa Elizabeth Schroeder
Tyler M. Schwahn
Mallory E. Selle
Julie Arlene Shaul*
Molly Rose Sheehan*
Jenna Nicole Siman
Ryan Donovan Sloan
Kelly Ann Stauder***
Kathryn Elizabeth Stocking***
Breanna Ashley Stout
Cassandra Taylor
Janaya Taylor
Kent A. Thole
Aaron William Thompson
Derek Emery Tuttle
Serina Lyn Vanesler
Kollin M. Waymoth*
Elizabeth F. Welter
Olivia Mae Wilkerson*
A'Nya M. Wilkes**
Anaudia Amir Louella Williams**
Evan Michael Williams***
Emily Irene Wolters
Carly Ann Wright*
Alexis Suzanne Yociss***
Paris Noelle York
Rachel Lee Young*

COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES AND
SCHOOL OF ENGINEERING

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 14, 2 P.M. | FIRST COMMUNITY ARENA AT THE VADALABENE CENTER

James T. Minor, Chancellor of Southern Illinois University Edwardsville, presiding

National Anthem: "The Star-Spangled Banner" Lyrics by Francis Scott Key

Led by Anna Gallaher, School of Education, Health, and Human Behavior
Music by the Meridian Brass Quintet

Welcoming Remarks

P. Denise Cobb, Provost and Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs

Remarks on Behalf of the SIU System

Gireesh V. Gupchup, Vice President for Academic Innovation, Planning and Partnerships

Remarks from the Chancellor

James T. Minor, Chancellor

Remarks on Behalf of the Class of 2024

Kevin Botterbush, Bachelor of Science in Civil Engineering

Candidates Commissioned as Second Lieutenants and Members of Honor Societies

Candidates for Baccalaureate Degrees, College of Arts and Sciences

Kevin Leonard, Dean, College of Arts and Sciences

Candidates for Baccalaureate Degrees, School of Engineering

Cem Karacal, Dean, School of Engineering

Candidate names read by Jason Church, General Manager, WSIE FM

Conferral of Degrees and Presentation of Graduates

James T. Minor, Chancellor

Message from the SIUE Alumni Association

Connie Collins, Vice Chancellor for University Advancement

Alma mater: "Hail SIUE" by George Mellott

Led by Anna Gallaher, School of Education, Health, and Human Behavior
Music by the Meridian Brass Quintet

Recessional

10 a.m. Ceremony

2 p.m. Ceremony



COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES (CONT.)

Kevin Leonard, Dean

Bachelor of Arts
(Tassel: Brown, Citron,
Crimson, Dark Blue, Gold,
Gray, Ivory, White)

Graham Walden Ballard
William Matthew Banks
Rebecca Anne Burton
Milo Francis Bystry
Darius Cordell Campbell
Coral Caraballo*
Rio Anakin Krishna Dallapè**
Tamara Toni Ewing
Ryleigh Elizabeth Farar*
Sandra Gonzalez***
Sofia Vannesa Gonzalez Barrera**
Jordan Alyssa Haley
Riley Hankins
Liam Edward Kenney**
Kennedy Hope Killion-Johnson***
Alivia Robyn Kramer
Cave Kreidell*
Nathaniel J. Lenhardt***
Simone Idalia Manderson
Blake Hunter McKay**
Grace Nicole Meinhart
Victoria Nichole Nelson
Hannah Marie Otten
Olivia Podraza*
Alexis Danae Rasmussen
Maryam Reliford**
Tera Schultz*
Toryon Terrell Smith
Brandi Renae Spann** H
Aeriol McKenzie Turner-Miller

Madison Paige Ulrici
Ski Jaianna Winbush*
Carolann M. Wolfe
Lacey Anne Woodrome***
Gemma Nicole Yenne**

Bachelor of Fine Arts
(Tassel: Brown)

Chloe E. Albers
Madeline Nicole Critchfield
Rose Elizabeth Grace
Morgan Jean Margherio
Maia Eleni Moranville*
Chloe Winona Schlosser
Stephanie Silvagni*
Joshua Stephen Waggoner**

Bachelor of
Liberal Studies
(Tassel: White)

Nicole Elizabeth Benigni
Sarah Ann Blotevogel**
Paul David Crawford
Amir Lewis
Kiana R. Nicholson
Malcolm Scott Swogger
Joshua Marc Tickner
Kierra Jean Winkeler

Bachelor of Music
(Tassel: Pink)

Max W. Robby Robinson
Jacob Elston Seiber

Bachelor of Science
(Tassel: Brown, Citron,
Copper, Crimson, Dark Blue,
Gold, Gray, Ivory, White)

Alivia A. Albright
Victoria Kaden Anselm**
Zaineab Murtuza Bahrainwala
Ashwiti Baraily
Christa Nicole Barenfanger
Abigail Leigh Bartlett
Katelyn Grace Bednara
Gibbs Valdy Bellamour
Charles Scott Belobrajdic
Zoe Nicole Blades*
Gavin Dane Blakely
Francesca Boston*** H
Nathaniel Mark Branstetter
Suzanne Emily Brewer*
Derrick Collins Brooks*
Darcean Aunye Isaiah Brown
Elijah Deon Brown
Taylor Jeffrey Brumfield
Ethan Michael Buhlig
Tanner Lee Bullard
Levi Vincent Bushue
Nguyen Tuan Cao***
Noah Wesley Claghorn*
Noah Wesley Coleman
Eli J. Cox
Anna Laura Craig**
Cooper Issac Crawford
Rasheed Mark Anthony Crump
Skyler Lee James Culpepper
Andrew Jacob Dalan***

Amelia Grace Daniels*
Amyri Elon Davis*
Angel Davis
Zyon D. Demers
Pacey Jo Madison Dewitt*
Jessica Shiela Diener-Rosas**
Nataley Elizabeth Dixon
Sydni Nicole Edwards
Kyle W. Embrey
Elizabeth Evans
Alexander S. Eversman
Alexandra Jolene Faron
Jackson Cole Feller
Caleb Finley
Elizabeth Nicole Fischer*
Mackenzie Katheryn Fisher
Seth Michael Fisher
Amie Jo Flatt**
James Parker Cheyenne Flournoy
Izack Robert Foster
Leah Renee Foster
Carah Jeanette Marie Frazier
Tyler James Free
Daniel T. Frisbee
Tanner Lee Bullard
Luke Kelston Frisse
Katy Fuller*
Dakota Thomas Gagliardi
Misty Garrison*
Vincent Jay George
Mya Mikala Gill
Erin Giller*
E'monty Mo'na Glover
Connor Edward Goett
Rosie M. Gogue
Noah-Christopher Fanene Goldsmith

COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES (CONT.)

Kevin Leonard, Dean

Rose Elizabeth Grace
Taylor Michelle Gray
Jacqueline Kae Frost Grimes***
Josh Paul Guthrie*
Delaney Elise Haas*
Peyton Lynn Haas*
Claire Leslie Hamilton**
Marquise D. Hanes
Joshua Vincell Hardin
Rosemary Grace Hardy***
Kedzie Joe Harris
Kyle Anthony Hazelwood
Delaney H. Hill
Isabella Mae Hill***
Connor Joseph Hinterser
Jacob A. Holcomb
Abigail Elizabeth Holden*
Ava Lorene Huldisch-Vukovic
Mona Yvette Jackson
Kristian Alexandra Johnson**
Charles Frederick Jones II
Priscilla Diane Jones
Forest D. Joseph**
Abigail Rose Kaber
Eileen Michelle Kanost*
Benjamin Louis Kassen**
Reyes Kelso
Samuel Thomas Kingery
Payton Nichole Knapp*
Robert William Knight
Katelyn Nicole Komor-Sies
Claire Elyse Korte*** H
Amanda Marie Kraus

Samantha J. Kupinski
Samantha M. Kutzgar
Travis Eugene LaChance**
Emily Alaina Laird
Derek Jay LeMaster*
Karley Ann Lewis
Braeden Cole Links
Riley E. Lochmann
Alicia Lopez
Antonio Lamar Louis
Audrey C. Love
Sophia Magnussen
Sarah Kathleen McDaniel**
Abigail Dawn McTeer
Colin J. Meade
Aaron Michael Metheny
Nathan Lee Midgley
Kayla Morgan**
Kyle Anthony Mullin
Joo Louis Nail***
Kelsey Jo Oglesby
Sara Marie Oxford
Joseph Randall Papin
Drake Robert Parker
Kayla Tianna Parker Taveggia
Kerri Patrick-Donelan
Prajakta Vivek Pawaskar
Lauren Hanh Phan
Kristen Marcella Poelker
Spencer Owen Powers***
Akeya M. Pritchett
Taneil Elizabeth Ramirez
Kyle Robert Ratliff

Brielle Reese*
Charles John Renken
Tyler Richardson
Leigha Madison Riley*
Katie Elizabeth Roach
Olivia Audrey Rodgers***
Jordan Alan Rud
Alena Rose Schaltenbrand
Haley J. Schnieders *
Lucas T. Seelbach**
Emma Rose Shaffer
Matthew Dean Shannon
Sharon Earline Sherill
Olivia Rose Siegel**
Madison Olivia Signore**
Destinee Emon Simms
Matthew Wayne Sinnock**
Margaret R. Smith*
Alayna Nicole Snelling
Kennedy Jordan Spears*
Abigail Rose Spitler H
Arianna V. Stanforth
John Michael Stauffer
Zachary Stearns
Tyler James Steward
Zaria Janiya-June Stewart
Jed Erik Stinnett
Jacelyn Strader
Jacob L. Strubhart***
Emily Paige Stumpf
Violet Rosemarie Swanson*H
Terrance Earl Tart
Lawrence Veron Tate

Na'Kiya D. Taylor
Michaela Marie Theivagt
Daniel Thomas
RaNisha Marie Thomas
Taylor Nicole Thomas
Robert Joseph Tindall*
Sholony La'trice Travis**
Natalia Rose Trimble*
Natalia Renee Ummel
Lauren Evioghene Umulor***
Celia A. Velazquez
Alexis Claire Volker
Jonathan G. Voltz*
Hannah Nicole Warren*
Paul Warren**
Kyrie Jo Watson
Michaela Nicole Weidman
Chase L. West*
Lauren Nicole Whaley**
Adam Michael White
Justin Durand White
Joshua George Wieland**
Alona Nicole Williams
David Eric Williams
Elizabeth Anne Williams
Miracle Renée Nicole Willis
Jason Dewayne Womack
Joel Stephen Woodruff
Nyla Shakira Woods
Viktoria Zolman

SCHOOL OF ENGINEERING

Cem Karacal, Dean

Bachelor of Arts (Tassel: Orange)

Seth Michael Aldrich
Sophia Rosemarie Licko
Courtney Jean Ramatowski
Maxwell Ross Zinzilieta H

Bachelor of Science (Tassel: Orange)

Josué Emmanuel Ahern**
Antonio De Jesus Alvarez Acevedo
Gautam Aneja
Anthony Michael Boston
Kevin Jay Botterbush***
Nathan Joseph Canavan
Cheng Chen
Jaya Samhita Chitrakavi
Brian Corral
Christian Michael Cotter
Curtis Michael Crossley III
Jacob Tyler Danner
Conner Scott Dean
Kevin David DeConcini**
Grant Michael Doolin
Cameron Thomas Doran
Ann Marie Doyle**

Kellen Matthew Dysert
Isaiah Jakobe Flager-Hearan
Isaac Samuel Fleck
Matthew Robert Fletcher*
Jonathan Keith French
Zechariah Stephen Georgian**
Ben Thomas Grapperhaus
Katherine Nicole Greuel**
Joseph Allan Jackie Haenel* H
Trent B. Hansel
Austin Daniel Herkert**
Tyler Jeffrey Higgins
Caleb P. Hildebrandt
Jacob Roy Holland
Benjamin S. Hutcherson
Cole Garrett Hyman
Alexander Steven Karnezis H
Dominik Michael Kayser H
Mohammad Khan
Liliana Elise Klostermann*
Mziomukulu Mike Kumalo
Reece Harley Larson
Chase Thomas Law
Caleb Michael Lung
Devon C. Macke
Yousef Hatim Mahmood*
Austin Ray Mays*

Patrick Graham McCance
Thomas Calvin McInerney***
Alexander Ryan McKinney**
Julie Von Meglan***
Alexander Joseph Merlo**
Jonah Andrew Miller
Lukas Allen Moore
Austin Cole Morton
Nathaniel Allen Oberhauser*
Josiah Kerry Olden
Jonathan Levi Orr
Justin Patrick Ottolini
Jacob Paul Phillips
Jeffrey Scott Phillips
Matthew Marcus Piotrowski
Gregory Loren Platt
Erick Quintero
Kyle Scott Ronat*
Nicholas Allen Rooker
Nikhil Saini
Nicolas Armando Santillan
Rocco Matthew Sartoris
Sydney A. Schaefer
Jace Terrence Scheibal
Sam Joseph Schlegl*
Sean Earl Schuchman
Bryan Matthew Smith

Christopher John Spanske***
Benjamin Sanford Taul
Leopold Hawk Tejkowski***
Mark Adam Tucker
Alexander Christopher Unnerstall
Peyton Campbell Weicht*
Anthony Williams Jr.
Makenzie Leigh Wright
Jackson Lee Zawitkowski
Jingru Zhang
Chenyuhang Zhou



Our Mission: The SIUE Alumni Association will be a valued partner of Southern Illinois University Edwardsville through the advancement and promotion of SIUE alumni, the University and its friends.

CONGRATULATIONS, SIUE CLASS OF 2024

Through hard work and dedication, you've earned your SIUE degree – we are immensely proud of your accomplishment. You walk in the path of 120,000+ SIUE graduates before you as you create a life of purpose to shape a changing world.

On behalf of the SIUE Foundation and the SIUE Alumni Association, I welcome you to a diverse and influential community who are committed to supporting their alma mater and one another. Your SIUE Alumni Association offers resources, events, and programs to connect with classmates, network with fellow alumni, and mentor future graduates. Here are three meaningful ways to stay engaged:

STAY CONNECTED: Please connect with the Alumni Association and your academic unit on social media and share your personal and professional journey. Keep your contact information current so local alumni can welcome you and we can send news and invitations.



GET INVOLVED: Enjoy our vibrant alumni community. Attend events across Edwardsville, St. Louis, Chicago and beyond. Consider mentoring, serving as a guest lecturer, or joining an advisory board. Return to this beautiful campus next fall for Homecoming and Family Weekend and share in the SIUE traditions that make us family.

INVEST IN FUTURE COUGARS: As a new graduate, you have so much to offer. Consider making a small contribution each and every year to the Cougars who follow you. I guarantee you'll feel great pride by investing in this vibrant campus and remarkable student body.

We offer sincere congratulations on your profound achievement and best wishes for a bright future.

With Cougar Pride,

Connie Collins, CFRE
Vice Chancellor, University Advancement
CEO of the SIUE Foundation



For the students, faculty, staff and alumni of
Southern Illinois University Edwardsville

HAIL SIUE

With reverence

Words and Music by
George Mellott

Piano

1. A - bove the Mis - sis - sip - pi plain your splen - dor meets the sky. You
2. To col - lege life we bid a - dieu and wend our sep - 'rate ways, Yet

Pno.

give to all a chance to gain; you raise our spir - its high.
col - lege friends and men - tors too are with us all our days.

Pno.

Hail, all hail S - I - U - E, our grat - i - tude we owe true! our
Hail, all hail S - I - U - E, our Al - ma Ma - ter Let's

Pno.

fount of op - por - tu - ni - ty wher - e're in life we go.
fill our glass - es joy - ful - ly and raise a toast to you.

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