



UNIVERSITY OF MIAMI

COMMENCEMENT 2018

MAY 11 • 8:30 a.m.





UNIVERSITY OF MIAMI
COMMENCEMENT 2018

MAY 11 • 8:30 a.m.

UNDERGRADUATE DEGREE CEREMONY

College of Arts and Sciences

COMMENCEMENT MARSHALS

GRAND MARSHAL

Perri Lee Roberts, Ph.D.
College of Arts and Sciences

ALUMNI ASSOCIATION BANNER MARSHAL

Richard A. Henry, A.B. '93

FACULTY SENATE MARSHAL

Mitsunori Ogihara, Ph.D.
College of Arts and Sciences

ACADEMIC BANNER MARSHAL

Teresa Ann Hood, Ph.D.
College of Arts and Sciences

FACULTY MARSHALS

College of Arts and Sciences

Otavio Bueno, Ph.D.
Stephen Cantrell, Ph.D.
Sylvia Daunert, Ph.D.
Stephen Di Benedetto, Ph.D.
Roger Dunham, Ph.D.
Eduardo Elena, Ph.D.
Caleb Everett, Ph.D.
Maria Galli Stampino, Ph.D.
Feng Gong, Ph.D.
George Gonzalez, Ph.D.
T.K. Harris, Ph.D.
James Klaus, Ph.D.
Diana Lopez, Ph.D.
Philip McCabe, Ph.D.
Victor Milenkovic, Ph.D.
Zafar Nawaz, Ph.D.
Jean-Hubert Olivier, Ph.D.
Ira Sheskin, Ph.D.
Geoffrey Sutcliffe, Ph.D.
Omar Vargas, Ph.D.
John Wafer, Ph.D.
Athula Wikramanayake, Ph.D.

ALUMNI MARSHALS

Rod K. Morton, A.B. '62
Sara L. Chikovsky, A.B. '78, J.D. '82
Debra Kulig, B.G.S. '78
Maria de Jesus Santovenia, A.B. '83
Frances De La Guardia, A.B. '85
Antonio S. Gonzalez, A.B. '94, J.D. '97
Allison Hift, B.S.C. '94, J.D. '97
Oscar V. Garcia, A.B. '96
Nicholas E. Curtis, B.S. '00

COMMENCEMENT PROGRAM

* ACADEMIC PROCESSION

University of Miami Commencement Band
Phillip and Patricia Frost School of Music

University of Miami Fanfare
David Lambert, D.M.A. '05

Robert M. Carnochan, D.M.A.
Director of Wind Ensemble Activities

Pomp and Circumstance
Edward Elgar

Craig S. McKenzie, M.A.
Conductor
Phillip and Patricia Frost School of Music

* PRESIDENT'S PROCESSION

President's Processional Fanfare – Toward Our New Century
Brian Balmages, M.M. '00

Pomp and Circumstance
Edward Elgar

CONVOCATION OPENING

Jeffrey L. Duerk, Ph.D.
Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs and Provost

* THE NATIONAL ANTHEM

The Star Spangled Banner
Francis Scott Key

Alexandra N. Colaizzi
Candidate, Bachelor of Music
Phillip and Patricia Frost School of Music

* INVOCATION

Rabbi Lyle Rothman
Campus Rabbi and Jewish Chaplain, UM Hillel
Chair, University Chaplains Association

WELCOME

Julio Frenk, M.D., M.P.H., Ph.D.
President

PRESENTATION OF HONORARY DEGREE RECIPIENT

Desmond Mpilo Tutu
Doctor of Humane Letters, *honoris causa*

Joseph J. Echevarria, B.B.A. '78
Trustee
Board of Trustees

CONFERRAL OF HONORARY DEGREE

President Frenk

ADVICE TO GRADUATES

Nontombi Naomi Tutu
Public Speaker
Race and Gender Justice Activist

COMMENCEMENT PROGRAM

CONFERRAL OF ACADEMIC DEGREES

College of Arts and Sciences

Leonidas G. Bachas, Ph.D., Dean

STUDENT ADDRESS

Rowanne Ali, B.S. '18
College of Arts and Sciences

ALUMNI ASSOCIATION WELCOME

Devang Desai, A.B. '97, J.D. '03

* ALMA MATER

William S. Lampe
and Christine Asdurian

Craig S. McKenzie, M.A.
Conductor
Phillip and Patricia Frost School of Music

Alexandra N. Colaizzi
Candidate, Bachelor of Music
Phillip and Patricia Frost School of Music

RECESSIONAL

University of Miami Commencement Band
Phillip and Patricia Frost School of Music

Miami March
The Noble Men March
The Crosley March
The President's March
Henry Fillmore

*Those who are able are asked to stand for these portions of the program. At the conclusion of the program, the audience will please remain standing until the platform party has left the Watsco Center.

To view closed captions on your smart device during the ceremony, visit miami.edu/closedcaption.

UNIVERSITY OF MIAMI COMMENCEMENT BAND

Craig S. McKenzie, M.A., Conductor

Flute

Emily Bedard
Mackenzie Miller
Rebecca Tutunick

Oboe

Cameron Roberts
Joseph Wenda

Bassoon

Jordan Bidwell
Keegan Hockett

Clarinet

Margaret Flood
Amy Hoang
Rachel Komroff
Lee Seidner
Benjamin Webster
Chee Weng Yim

Bass Clarinet

Tomás Ramos

Saxophone

Frank Capoferri
Joey Speranzo
Nicholas Tobin
Samuel Valancy

Trumpet

Samuel Exline
Robert Gallagher
Aaron Ney
Ian Sawyer
Jeffrey Summers
Phillip Tsigolaroff

Horn

Michael Barcnas
Brandon Guillen
Caitlin McKinney
Alex Witt

Trombone

Steven Eckert
Thomas McKee
Ryan Smith
Wesley Thompson

Euphonium

Cassius Torres

Tuba

Dennis Lejardi

Double Bass

Diego Matallana Rodriguez

Percussion

Kiril Angelov
Max Braunstein
Katherine Fortunato
Ksenija Komljenovic

HONORARY DEGREE RECIPIENT

DESMOND MPILO TUTU

1984 Nobel Peace Laureate

Archbishop Emeritus of Cape Town

Activist and Peace Campaigner

It was the kind of incident most people would forget. But then, Desmond Tutu wasn't most people. One day, a white priest tipped his hat to Tutu's mother, marking the first time Tutu had ever seen a white man acknowledge a black woman. That moment made a profound impression on the young Tutu, teaching him that he didn't have to accept the discrimination and prejudice of his native South Africa and that religion could be a powerful tool for fighting racial injustice—which is precisely what he would grow up to do.

As a South African religious leader and theologian, Tutu used the power of his pulpit to help bring down his country's system of apartheid, becoming one of the world's most prominent moral titans and champions of justice. "If you are neutral in situations of injustice, you have chosen the side of the oppressor," Tutu once said.

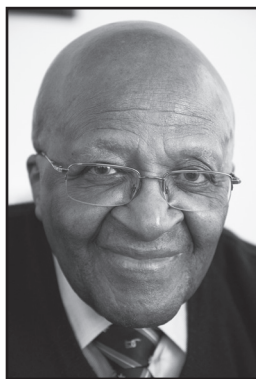
For his unrelenting activism against inequality and for his well-deserved role as the moral conscience of South Africa, Desmond Tutu is receiving a Doctor of Humane Letters, *honoris causa*.

Born in 1931 in Klerksdorp, South Africa, Desmond Mpilo Tutu established a career in education before turning to theology. Tutu, who graduated from high school in 1950, wanted to become a physician and was even accepted into medical school. But his parents could not afford the tuition, so he studied education on a scholarship at Pretoria Bantu Normal College, graduating with his teacher's certificate in 1953. After earning his bachelor's degree from the University of South Africa in 1954, Tutu returned to his high school alma mater to teach.

His dedication to teaching, however, would soon end. When the National Party government passed the Bantu Education Act—a law that lowered the standards of education for black South Africans—Tutu grew frustrated with an educational system designed to promote inequality. So he left the teaching profession and entered the priesthood.

He was ordained as an Anglican priest in 1960, becoming the first black Anglican Dean of Johannesburg in 1975 and the first black General Secretary of the South African Council of Churches four years later. An outspoken critic of the brutal apartheid regime, he insisted that racial segregation was against God's will and eloquently articulated the suffering and expectations of South Africa's oppressed masses. He soon became well known internationally for his commitment to seeking a non-violent path to liberation and for supporting economic sanctions against South Africa.

In 1984 he was awarded the Nobel Peace Prize for his clear views and fearless stance in the fight against apartheid that unified "all individuals and groups in South Africa who, with their concern for human dignity, fraternity and democracy, incite the admiration of the world."



In 1985 Tutu was appointed the Bishop of Johannesburg, and a year later, he was elected Archbishop of Cape Town, the highest position in the Anglican Church in South Africa, a role in which he continued to speak out against the apartheid regime, organizing peaceful demonstrations with thousands marching beside him.

"Despite all of the ghastliness in the world, human beings are made for goodness," Tutu once said. "The ones that are held in high regard are not militarily powerful, nor even economically prosperous. They have a commitment to try and make the world a better place."

Undoubtedly he played a role in bringing an end to apartheid rule in 1993, and in 1994 South Africans elected Nelson Mandela as their first black president. Mandela would choose Tutu, who was affectionately known to South Africans as "The Arch," to chair South Africa's Truth and Reconciliation Commission, tasked with investigating crimes committed by all sides during the apartheid regime.

Although officially retiring from public life in 2010, Tutu remains an advocate for social justice and equality around the world, standing up for the poor and oppressed, raising awareness of global crises such as the AIDS pandemic and climate change, and serving on The Elders, a council of global leaders, including Kofi Annan, Jimmy Carter, and Mary Robinson, who promote human rights and world peace through conflict resolution. That is also the mission of the Desmond and Leah Tutu Legacy Foundation, which Tutu founded with his wife.

Over his lifetime, Tutu has authored or coauthored numerous publications, including *Hope and Suffering*, a collection of his sermons; *No Future Without Forgiveness*, a memoir from his time heading the Truth and Reconciliation Commission; *God Has a Dream: A Vision of Hope for Our Time*, a collection of personal reflections; and *Made for Goodness: And Why This Makes All the Difference*, reflections on his beliefs about human nature.

In addition to the Nobel Prize, Tutu has received numerous honors, including the U.S. Presidential Medal of Freedom, an award from the Mo Ibrahim Foundation that recognized his lifelong commitment to "speaking truth to power," and the Templeton Prize.

For his role as a dedicated peacemaker and a steadfast opponent of injustice, the University of Miami is proud to honor Desmond Tutu.

COMMENCEMENT SPEAKER

NONTOMBI NAOMI TUTU

Public Speaker

Race and Gender Justice Activist

Born black and female under the long shadow of apartheid in South Africa, Nontombi Naomi Tutu has chiseled against the confines of oppression in its many forms to sculpt a life that celebrates decency, dignity, and respect for the whole human family. Through her activism and with faith as her bedrock—she is an ordained clergy in the Episcopal Diocese of Tennessee—Reverend Tutu has raised her voice as an activist and public speaker to teach and preach that hate and division injure us all.

Named “Nontombi,” which means “mother of girls,” by her paternal grandmother, Tutu has spent her entire adult life advocating for the rights of women and people of color. She once described her life mission as “to lift girls and women above the limitations of race, economics, and gender.” That trajectory and calling honors the legacy of both her parents, Archbishop Emeritus Desmond Tutu, renowned social justice champion who was awarded the 1984 Nobel Peace Prize for his fearless stance against apartheid, and Leah Nomalizo Tutu, community activist and labor organizer who played a prominent role in the formation of South Africa’s first domestic workers’ trade union.

Like all of their four children, Nontombi had the opportunity to live in many communities and countries. At age 6, she was sent 1,000 miles away to attend St. Michael’s Convent School in Swaziland. She would return to Swaziland to complete high school at Waterford Kamhlaba, one of 11 international United World Colleges, renowned for its education. And, as did her father, she also received portions of her education in England.

After finishing her secondary education, Tutu moved to the United States to continue her studies. She attended Berea College in Berea, Kentucky, where, often invited to speak at churches, community groups, and colleges and universities about her experiences growing up in apartheid South Africa, she honed her skills as a public speaker. Tutu earned a B.A. in economics and French and then remained in Kentucky for graduate school, earning a master’s degree from the Patterson School of Diplomacy and International Commerce at the University of Kentucky.

She launched her professional career working with a consulting firm based in Hartford, Connecticut, which specialized in economic development in sub-Saharan Africa and also began her own consulting work in South Africa, where she was particularly interested in educational and work opportunities for black women. At 24, Tutu founded the Tutu Foundation for Development and Relief, and served



as its chair from 1985 to 1990.

From 1999 to 2002, Tutu served as program coordinator for the Race Relations Institute at Fisk University, a historically black university in Nashville, Tennessee. By the early 2000s, she was recognized as a leading authority on race relations, gender issues, and the intersection between them. Buoyed by her well-known name, she began to travel the globe making presentations at schools, churches, conferences, community centers, and other venues on an array

of social justice and human rights issues. By 2006, she was focused professionally on public speaking to promote social justice.

In addition to teaching and preaching, Tutu established Nozizwe Consulting, an organization that convenes diverse groups to learn from and celebrate their differences and acknowledge their shared humanity. As part of this work, she has led truth and reconciliation workshops for groups dealing with different types of conflict.

When Tutu served as an election observer in South Africa’s first democratic elections in 1994, the experience was profound and meaningful. It also marked the first time that she, then age 34, and her grandmother, at age 91, ever voted. “It did not, however, make up for the many years of disenfranchisement,” she said at the time. “For most of us, there will be a feeling of anger for the rest of our lives—and it may be important to stay angry, so it will never happen again.”

In December 2017, Tutu was ordained in the Episcopal Diocese of Tennessee and serves as a curate at Christ Church Cathedral in Nashville. She is the single mother of two daughters and a son.

“We all have something to offer our world and our communities,” she said in an online interview. “I want to be part of a world where my children can walk safely anywhere and at any time. We owe it to ourselves and to each other the opportunity to prove to one another how great we can be.”

The University of Miami is proud to welcome Nontombi Naomi Tutu, who has used her remarkable oratory skills and relentless passion for justice to better our world, as commencement speaker.

CANDIDATES FOR DEGREES

The awarding of degrees and honors to the candidates named in this program is contingent upon the satisfactory completion of the appropriate requirements by each candidate. The listing of a student's name in this program in no way implies or ensures his or her graduation, or the award of honors. The information listed on the following pages is current as of April 16, 2018.

GRADUATE SCHOOL

Established 1941

Presented by Guillermo Prado, Ph.D., Dean

DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY

Degree candidates May 10, 2018

Sarah Henry Adwan

B.S., 2009, Notre Dame University
M.S., 2012, American University of Beirut, Lebanon
Major: Exercise Physiology
Dissertation: *The Effect of a High-Intensity Interval Exercise Bout on Addictive Behaviors in Overweight/Obese Adults*
Advisor: Arlette C. Perry

Ozgun Alan

B.S., 2005, Hacettepe University, Turkey
M.S., 2009, Hacettepe University, Turkey
Major: Exercise Physiology
Dissertation: *A Comparison of Two Types of High-Intensity Interval Training Programs on Metabolic Syndrome Risk Factors for Worksite Wellness*
Advisor: Arlette C. Perry

Alok Bahadur Amatya

B.A., 2010, Reed College
M.A., 2013, University of Miami
Major: English
Dissertation: *Resource Conflict Literature: Indigenous Struggles in Global Texts*
Advisor: Timothy P. Watson

Sarfraz Niaz Ali Baig

B.S.E.E., 2006, University of Miami
M.S.E.C.E., 2008, University of Miami
Major: Biomedical Engineering
Dissertation: *Development of a Spectral Imaging Device for Imaging of the Fundus*
Advisors: Michael R. Wang and Weizhao Zhao

Carlos Manuel Bajo Caraballo

B.S., 2012, Florida International University
M.S., 2014, University of Miami
Major: Mathematics
Dissertation: *Fluid Limit and Stochastic Stability for a Genetic Mutation Model*
Advisor: Ilie Grigorescu

Michele Baldoni

Bachelors, 2009, Politecnico di Milano, Italy
Masters, 2012, Politecnico di Milano, Italy
Major: Mechanical Engineering
Dissertation: *Computational Analysis of the Lumbar Spine Kinetics*
Advisor: Weiyong Gu

Joaquin Esteban Blanco

Bachelors, 2012, Universidad de Buenos Aires, Argentina
M.S., 2015, University of Miami
Major: Atmospheric Sciences
Dissertation: *Modulation of Cloud Cluster Propagation by Super Cloud Clusters*
Advisor: David S. Nolan

Jennifer Marie Brazill

B.S., 2007, University of Missouri, Columbia
Major: Molecular and Cellular Pharmacology
Dissertation: *Modulating Chemotherapy-Induced Peripheral Neuropathy and Sensory Dysfunction in Drosophila*
Advisor: Rong Grace Zhai

Annie Elizabeth Brett

B.A., 2009, Harvard University
J.D., 2017, University of Miami
Major: Environmental Science and Policy
Dissertation: *Toward Understanding Law and Regulation: Citizen Science, Technology and Regulation*
Advisor: Kenneth Broad

Taylor Sullivan Bolt

B.S., 2013, Clemson University
Major: Psychology
Dissertation: *The Prospects for a Biologically Driven Taxonomy of Cognition*

Roberto Cancio

B.A., 2013, University of California, Berkeley
M.A., 2015, University of Miami
Major: Sociology
Dissertation: *Military Life, Intersectionality, and Deployment: The Social Experiences and Difficulties of Mothers Who Stay Behind*
Advisor: Linda Liska Belgrave

Lucas Cardoso Laurindo

B.S., 2008, Federal University of Sao Paulo, Brazil
M.S., 2010, University of Sao Paulo, Brazil
Major: Meteorology and Physical Oceanography
Dissertation: *On the Air-Sea Exchange of Mechanical Energy: A Meso- to Large-Scale Assessment Using Concurrent Drifter and Satellite Observations*
Advisor: Arthur J. Mariano

Sarah Elizabeth Cash

B.M., 1999, Palm Beach Atlantic University
M.A., 2013, Florida International University
Dissertation: *Inharmonic Resonance: Music and Temporality in Literature of the Long Nineteenth Century*
Advisor: Kathryn Freeman

Anthony Nolan Cauley

B.S., 2013, Monmouth University
Major: Chemistry
Dissertation: *Fluorophores in Confined Spaces: From Targeting Molecular Transporters to Encapsulation by Organic Nanocontainers*
Advisor: James N. Wilson

Samantha Selina Sobrina Chaitram

M.Sc., 2008, The University of the West Indies, Barbados
Major: International Studies
Dissertation: *The United States and the Caribbean in the 21st Century: Towards a New Era of Engagement*
Advisor: Bruce Michael Bagley

Yu Cheng

B.S., 2010, National Taiwan University, Taiwan
Major: Meteorology and Physical Oceanography
Dissertation: *Agulhas Leakage Variability and Its Climate Implications in a Coupled System*
Advisor: Lisa Beal

Grant Matthew Cohen

B.A., 2003, University of Colorado Boulder
M.A., 2005, University of Miami
M.Sc., 2008, University of London, England
Major: International Studies
Dissertation: *Origins of U.S. Public Opinion for Drone Strikes: The Intersection of Elite Rhetoric, Media Coverage, and American Public Opinion (2000-2015)*
Advisor: Joseph M. Parent

Ramsey Dahab

M.A., 2012, Florida International University
Major: Sociology
Dissertation: *The Struggle for Meaning: The Faces and Voices of the Muslim Experience in Miami*
Advisor: John W. Murphy

- Maria De La Luz De Ornelas**
B.S.B.E., 2008, University of Miami
M.S.B.E., 2011, University of Miami
Major: Biomedical Engineering
Dissertation: *Exploration of Density Incorporation in Inverse Radiotherapy Optimization*
Advisor: Ivaylo Bodganov Mihaylov
- Summer D. DeBastiani**
B.S.N., 2004, West Virginia University
M.P.H., 2010, Johns Hopkins University
Major: Nursing
Dissertation: *A Population-Based Assessment of Suicide Risk*
Advisor: Anne E. Norris
- Viviana Dalina Diaz**
Major: Marine Geology and Geophysics
Dissertation: *Depositional and Diagenetic Heterogeneities of Plio-Pleistocene Reefal Limestones, Southern Dominican Republic*
Advisor: James Klaus
- Deon Martina Dick**
B.S., 2010, Florida International University
M.S., 2012, Duke University
Major: Biomedical Engineering
Dissertation: *Fiducial-Less Real Time Tracking in the Radiation Treatment of Liver Tumors Using Artificial Neural Networks*
Advisor: Weizhao Zhao
- Brittney Denise Ellzey**
B.S., 2012, Louisiana Tech University
M.S., 2014, University of Miami
Major: Mathematics
Dissertation: *On Chromatic Quasisymmetric Functions of Directed Graphs*
Advisor: Michelle Wachs
- Julia Del Pilar Escandon Cueva**
M.D., 2006, Universidad de Cuenca, Ecuador
Major: Cancer Biology
Dissertation: *Role of Cancer Testis Antigens in Uveal and Cutaneous Melanoma*
Advisor: J. William Harbour
- Honglin Feng**
B.S., 2008, Jilin University, China
M.S., 2011, Jilin University, China
Major: Biology
Dissertation: *Regulation of Interactions between Sap-Feeding Insects and Their Obligate Endosymbionts*
Advisor: Alexandra C.C. Wilson
- Thouraya Ferid**
B.A., 2009, University of Tunis, Tunisia
M.A., 2011, University of Tunis, Tunisia
Major: Literary, Cultural and Linguistic Studies
Dissertation: *Terrorists' Imaginaries: Social Exclusion, Queerness, Repressive Apparatus and the Emergence of Post-Religious Terrorism in Contemporary Maghrebian Francophone Literature and Film*
Advisor: Ralph Heyndels
- Calvin John Fitch**
B.A., 2012, California State University, Long Beach
M.S., 2012, University of Miami
Major: Psychology
Dissertation: *Effects of Psychological and Structural-Level Factors on Sexual Risk and STI in High-Risk Men Who Have Sex with Men*
Advisor: Gail Ironson
- Matthew Alexander Foretich**
B.S., 2012, University of Georgia
Major: Marine Biology and Ecology
Dissertation: *Chemosensory and Ecological Context: Signposts for Navigating Fish Larvae*
Advisor: Claire B. Paris-Limouzy
- Daniel Forster**
B.A., 2011, University of California, Santa Barbara
M.S., 2015, University of Miami
Major: Psychology
Dissertation: *Are Apologies Less Effective for Transgressors Who Seem Likely to Exploit Their Victims Again in the Future? An Experimental Evaluation of a Mediational Hypothesis*
Advisor: Michael McCullough
- Karin Alexandra Garcia**
A.B., 2010, University of Miami
M.S.Ed., 2012, University of Miami
M.S., 2015, University of Miami
Major: Psychology
Dissertation: *Sleep Duration, Postprandial Metabolic Function, and the Role of Insulin Resistance in Nondiabetic Individuals*
- Cheng Hong**
B.A., 2012, Peking University, China
LL.B., 2012, Peking University, China
Major: Communication
Dissertation: *Boycotting or Buycotting? An Investigation of Consumer Emotional Responses Towards Brand Activism*
Advisor: Cong Li
- Sima Jannati**
Bachelors, 2011, Amirkabir University of Technology, Iran
Masters, 2013, Amirkabir University of Technology, Iran
Major: Business Administration
Dissertation: *Essays in Financial Economics*
Advisor: Alok Kumar
- Yiwen Ji**
B.S., 2012, University of Miami
Major: Chemistry
Dissertation: *Synthesis and Applications of Carbon Dots*
Advisor: Roger M. Leblanc
- Weitao Jiang**
B.S., 2012, Nanjing University of Science and Technology, China
Major: Biomedical Engineering
Dissertation: *Pulsed Infrared Radiation for Stimulation of Vestibular System in Vivo: Evoked Eye Movements*
Advisor: Suhrud M. Rajguru
- Loren Jones**
B.A., 2010, University of South Florida
M.S.Ed., 2014, University of South Florida
Major: Teaching and Learning
Dissertation: *"It's Kind of a Balancing Act: " Scaffolding Collaborative Writing Activities in a Diverse First-Grade Classroom*
Advisor: Luciana de Oliveira
- Nareshbabu Kamatham**
B.S., 2010, Indian Institute of Technology Roorkee, India
Major: Chemistry
Dissertation: *Caged Molecules Released from Capsules: Photochemical and Photophysical Studies of Coumarin Triggers*
Advisor: Francisco Raymo
- Stanislav Lazopulo**
Bachelors, 2011, Lomonosov University, Russia
M.S., 2011, Lomonosov Moscow State University, Russia
Major: Physics
Dissertation: *A Time-Dependent Color Preference in Adult Drosophila*
Advisor: Sheyum Syed
- Chong Li**
B.M., 2011, Yantai University, China
Major: Human Genetics and Genomics
Dissertation: *Understanding Rare Neurological Disorders Using Drosophila Models: Mechanistic Characterization of Neurotoxicity in Snyder-Robinson Syndrome*
Advisor: Rong Grace Zhai
- Yutian Li**
B.S., 2013, University of Science and Technology of China, China
Major: Business Administration
Dissertation: *Essays on Value of Information in Supply Chain Management and Healthcare Operations*
Advisor: Sammi Yu Tang
- Lily Pei-Yao Liu-Shin**
B.S., 2004, Emory University
Major: Biochemistry and Molecular Biology
Dissertation: *Cysteine-Linked IgG2 Antibody-Drug Conjugates: How Antibody Structure Affects Conjugation Locations and Stability*
Advisors: Arun Malhotra and Gayathri Ratnaswamy

Theodore Dennison Locke

B.A., 2012, University of North Florida
M.A., 2016, University of Miami
Major: Philosophy
Dissertation: *Counterpossibles for Modal Normativists*
Advisor: Peter J. Lewis

Eric Ramsey Louderback

B.A., 2012, University of Tampa
M.A., 2015, University of Miami
Major: Sociology
Dissertation: *Towards the Development of an Integrated Theory of Macro-Level Crime: A Multilevel and Geospatial Analysis of Anomic Disorganization Theory*
Advisor: Amie L. Nielsen

Fiorella Magani

B.S., 2011, Universidad Nacional de Mar del Plata, Argentina
M.S., 2011, Universidad Nacional de Mar del Plata, Argentina
Major: Cancer Biology
Dissertation: *Identifying and Targeting Androgen Receptor-Variant Oncogenic Networks as Prostate Cancer Vulnerabilities*
Advisor: Kerry Burnstein

Hande Küçük-McGinty

B.S., 2007, Bilkent University, Turkey
M.S., 2010, Eastern Michigan University
Major: Computer Science
Dissertation: *Knowledge Acquisition and Representation Methodology (KNARM) and Its Applications*
Advisor: Ubbo Visser

Sara Frances Milrad

B.A., 2011, Smith College
M.S., 2016, University of Miami
Major: Psychology
Dissertation: *Couple-Based Stress Management Intervention and Chronic Fatigue Syndrome (CFS) Biopsychological Processes*
Advisor: Michael Antoni

Anieri Marie Morales Rivera

B.S., 2009, University of Puerto Rico, Puerto Rico
M.S., 2011, Michigan Technological University
Major: Marine Geology and Geophysics
Dissertation: *Geophysical Characterization and Modeling of Volcanic Systems: Multi-Parameter Approach from Geodetic and Seismic Signals*
Advisor: Falk C. Amelung

Chelsea Tey Morris

B.S., 2006, James Madison University
M.Ed., 2007, James Madison University
Major: Teaching and Learning
Dissertation: *Parent-Teacher Agreement on Problem Behavior in Kindergarten Children with and without an Individualized Education Program*
Advisor: Batya Elbaum

Niven Rajin Narain

B.S., 1996, Mercer University Macon
B.S., 2000, St. John's University, Jamaica
Major: Executive Biochemistry
Advisor: Maria T. Zayas

Manuel Antonio Ocasio

B.A., 1999, Wesleyan University
M.S.P.H., 2013, University of Miami
Major: Epidemiology
Dissertation: *Family Impact on Substance Use and Sexual Risk Behavior in Sexual Minority Hispanic Adolescents*
Advisor: Guillermo Prado

Aurora Occa

B.S., 2011, Libera Università di Lingue e Comunicazione IULM, Italy
M.S., 2012, Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University
M.S., 2013, Università della Svizzera italiana, Switzerland
Major: Communication
Dissertation: *Animated Messages for Clinical Trial Education: The Mediating Role of Cognitive Absorption on the Effect of Multimedia Communication Strategies*
Advisor: Susan Morgan

Marsha Simone Pacheco

B.A., 2000, Coppin State University
M.A., 2002, Brandeis University
Major: International Studies
Dissertation: *Distributional Conflict and Compensation Mechanisms in Regional Institutions in the Global South*

Diane Kim Palko

B.S., 2012, University of Virginia
Major: Meteorology and Physical Oceanography
Dissertation: *Regional Climate Variability in an Ocean Eddy Resolving Global Coupled Climate Model: Implications on Coastal Flooding*
Advisor: Benjamin Kirtman

Carlton J. Patrick

B.A., 2005, Florida State University
J.D., 2009, Boston University
M.S., 2016, University of Miami
Major: Psychology
Dissertation: *Testing an Evolutionary Psychological Model of Incest*
Advisor: Philip M. McCabe

Nicholas James Peters

M.S., 1996, University of Miami
Major: Marine Geology and Geophysics
Dissertation: *Idiosyncratic Spatial and Temporal Modifications of Seismic Waveforms*
Advisor: Christopher Harrison

Narciso Quidley-Rodriguez Jr.

B.A., 2005, California State University, Los Angeles
M.A., 2008, California State University, Los Angeles
B.S.N., 2014, University of Miami
Major: Nursing
Dissertation: *Sexual Decision Making Among Men Who Identify as Bears, a Gay Subculture*
Advisor: Joseph P. De Santis

Katrina Berentsen Reinhert

B.M., 1999, Manhattan School of Music
M.M., 2007, University of Miami
Major: Music Education
Dissertation: *Developing Popular Music Programs in Higher Education: Exploring Possibilities*
Advisor: Don Coffman

Kirk Bennett Roberson

B.S., 2011, East Carolina University
M.S., 2015, Florida Atlantic University
Major: Exercise Physiology
Dissertation: *Hemodynamic and Hormonal Responses to an Exercise Test in Parkinson's Disease Patients without Orthostatic Hypotension*
Advisor: Joseph F. Signorile

Carolina Rossato de Almeida

B.A., 2012, Loyola Marymount University
M.A., 2014, University of Miami
Major: Teaching and Learning
Dissertation: *Illustrated Libros for Ninos: The Interplay of Translanguaging and Multimodality in Polycultural Picturebooks*
Advisor: Luciana de Oliveira

Johna Elizabeth Rudzin

B.S., 2012, Florida State University
Major: Meteorology and Physical Oceanography
Dissertation: *An Assessment of the Caribbean Sea's Upper Ocean Influence on Air-Sea Interaction During Tropical Cyclones*
Advisor: Lynn Keith Shay

Lorenzo Sansalone

Pharm.D., 2013, University of Milan, Italy
Major: Chemistry
Dissertation: *Photonics Strategies for Bioimaging and Modulation of Biological Systems*
Advisor: Francisco M. Raymo

- Wyatt Vann Sharber**
B.S., 2011, Oklahoma State University
Major: Biology
Dissertation: *Systematics, Evolution, and Biogeography of Ayenia (Malvaceae subfamily Byttnerioideae)*
Advisor: Barbara A. Whitlock
- Kai Shen**
B.S., 2008, Wuhan University, China
Masters, 2010, Wuhan University, China
Major: Electrical and Computer Engineering
Dissertation: *High Resolution and Wide Field-of-View Optical Coherence Tomography for 3D Imaging*
Advisor: Michael Renxun Wang
- Dario Emmanuel Solano Rojas**
Major: Marine Geology and Geophysics
Dissertation: *Geological Hazard Assessments for Mexico City and Its Surroundings Based on Synthetic Aperture Radar Interferometry (InSAR) Observations*
Advisor: Shimon Wdowinski
- Molly Haynes Stevens**
B.S., 2011, University of Florida
Major: Marine Biology and Fisheries
Dissertation: *What Is the Cost of Management Inaction? A Bioeconomic Assessment of Florida's Commercial Reef Fisheries*
Advisor: Jerald Stephen Ault
- Ni Sun-Suslow**
B.S., 2011, University of California, San Diego
M.S., 2015, University of Miami
Major: Psychology
Dissertation: *A Factor Analysis and Exploration of the Associations between Physical Frailty Symptoms and Cognitive Functioning*
Advisors: Bonnie E. Levin and Philip M. McCabe
- Michael Jonathan Szanto**
B.A., 1998, Northwestern University
M.A., 1998, Northwestern University
M.S., 2001, University of Chicago
Major: International Studies
Dissertation: *Transgovernmental Networks and the North American Security Markets*
Advisor: Lilian E. Yaffe
- Sicheng Tang**
B.S., 2013, Jilin University, China
Major: Chemistry
Dissertation: *Activatable Fluorophores Combined with Amphiphilic Polymer Carriers for Bioimaging*
Advisor: Francisco M. Raymo
- Spencer Derrick Tricker**
B.A., 2009, New York University
M.A., University of Central Florida
Major: English
Dissertation: *Imminent Communities: Transpacific Literary Form and Racialization, 1847-1920*
Advisor: Timothy P. Watson
- Giri Babu Veerakanellore**
B.S., 2005, P. V. K. N. Government College, India
M.S., 2007, Vivekananda Global University, India
Major: Chemistry
Dissertation: *Photochemistry of CIS-Cinnamic Acids and CIS-Cinnamides in the Crystalline State and Aqueous Solution*
Advisor: Francisco M. Raymo
- Nicolas G. Velasquez**
B.A., 2006, Universidad de los Andes, Colombia
M.A., 2016, University of Miami
Major: International Studies
Dissertation: *Political Power in the Peripheries*
Advisor: Elvira Maria Restrepo
- Astrid A. Werkmeister**
B.S., 2011, Universitat Hanover, Germany
M.S., 2011, Universitat Hanover, Germany
Major: Applied Marine Physics
Dissertation: *Boundary Layer Winds and Waves in Tropical Cyclones from Sar Imagery*
Advisor: Hans C. Graber
- Daniel Toner Wynn**
B.S., 2010, University of South Carolina
Major: Biochemistry and Molecular Biology
Dissertation: *The Detection of Hazardous Materials Using Genetically Engineered Biotechnology*
Advisor: Sylvia Daunert
- Yilin Yan**
B.S., 2009, Beihang University, China
M.S., 2013, National Taiwan Ocean University, Taiwan
Major: Electrical and Computer Engineering
Dissertation: *Deep Learning Based Imbalanced Data Classification and Information Retrieval for Multimedia Big Data*
Advisor: Mei-Ling Shyu
- Liu Yang**
B.S., 2005, Shanghai Jiao Tong University, China
B.S. Eng., 2005, Shanghai Jiao Tong University, China
M.S., 2012, Louisiana State University
Major: Business Administration
Dissertation: *Causes and Consequences of the Adoption of OTC Market's Alternative Reporting System*
Advisor: Andrew J. Leone
- Yunchao Yang**
B.S., 2011, Harbin Institute of Technology, China
M.S., 2013, Harbin Institute of Technology, China
Major: Mechanical Engineering
Dissertation: *Investigations of Super-Lifting Co-Flow Jet Airfoil and Distributed Electric Propulsion Aircraft*
Advisor: Ge-Cheng Zha
- Lilliann Y. Zamora**
B.A., 1996, California State University, East Bay
M.S., 2011, University of Miami
Major: Biology
Dissertation: *Alcohol-Induced Developmental Defects of Octavolateral Organs in Zebrafish: A Time-Sensitive Period and Mechanisms*
Advisor: Zhongmin Lu
- Rui Zeng**
B.S., 2012, Wuhan University, China
Major: Biochemistry and Molecular Biology
Dissertation: *The Assembly of the Mitochondrial Large Subunit in Saccharomyces cerevisiae*
Advisor: Antonio Barrientos
- Chen Zhang**
B.S., 2005, Shandong University, China
M.S., 2008, Shandong University, China
Major: Mechanical Engineering
Dissertation: *Study of Prussian Blue and Its Analogues as Mediators in Supercapacitors*
Advisor: Xiangyang Zhou
- Xuyang Zhang**
B.S.M.E., 2012, University of Miami
Major: Mechanical Engineering
Dissertation: *Systematic Error Analyses of Darcy's Law for Porous Media in Fuel Cells*
Advisor: Hongtan Liu
-
- Degree candidates August 10, 2018*
- Houman A. Hadad**
M.S., 2015, Università degli Studi di Napoli Federico II, Italy
Major: Civil Engineering
Dissertation: *Cementitious-Based Composites for Rehabilitation of Transportation Infrastructure*
Advisor: Antonio Nanni
- Molly Hope Broome Amador**
B.A., 2013, Rollins College
Major: Marine Biology and Ecology
Dissertation: *The Role of the Serotonin Transporter (SERT) in Peripheral Serotonin Dynamics in the Gulf Toadfish, Opsanus beta*
Advisor: M. Danielle McDonald
- Catherine Murray Ariail**
B.A., 2009, University of the South
M.A., 2013, University of Georgia
M.A., 2016, University of Miami
Major: History
Dissertation: *Sprints of Citizenship: Black Women Track Stars and the Making of Modern Citizenship in the United States and Jamaica, 1946-1962*
- William Zachary Billings**
A.B., 2011, University of Miami
B.S., 2011, University of Miami
Major: Marine Geology and Geophysics
Dissertation: *An Exploration of the Two-Dimensional Poroelastic Properties of Oceanic Crust at the Formation Scale*
Advisor: Keir Becker

- Ahjane D. Billingsley**
B.A., 2005, Whitman College
M.A., 2010, Boston College
Major: Community Well-Being
Dissertation: *Community Is Our Power: Elevating Transformative Justice as a Multidimensional Community-Based Approach to Gender Violence*
Advisor: Laura Kohn-Wood
- Michael Birnbaum**
B.S., 2011, Arizona State University
Major: Molecular and Cellular Pharmacology
Dissertation: *Arginyltransferase ATE1 as a Novel Regulator of Prostate Cancer Metastasis*
Advisor: Fangliang Zhang
- Eric Raymond Bray**
B.S., 2011, University of Pittsburgh
Major: Neuroscience
Dissertation: *The Role of Retinal Ganglion Cell Subtype in Survival and Regeneration Following Axonal Injury*
Advisor: Kevin K. Park
- Juan Bu**
B.A., 2008, South China University of Technology, China
Masters, 2010, Sun Yat-Sen University, China
Major: Business Administration
Dissertation: *The Interplay of Innovation, Institutions and Internationalization in the Context of Emerging Markets*
Advisor: Yadong Luo
- Catherine Ann Burrows**
B.S., 2011, Tufts University
M.S., 2014, University of Miami
Major: Psychology
Dissertation: *Neural Basis of Repetitive Negative Thinking in Autism Spectrum Disorder*
Advisor: Lucina Qazi Uddin
- Carlos Miguel Carballosa**
B.S.B.E., 2010, University of Miami
M.S.B.E., 2012, University of Miami
Major: Biomedical Engineering
Dissertation: *The Effects of E-Cigarette Aerosol Exposure, and the Role of a7 Nicotinic Acetylcholine Receptors and MicroRNA, on the Regeneration Potential of Periodontal Ligament-Derived Stem Cells*
Advisor: Herman S. Cheung
- Maria Carmela Cartolano**
B.S.M.A.S., 2013, University of Miami
Major: Marine Biology and Ecology
Dissertation: *Pulsatile Urea Excretion in Gulf Toadfish: Neuroendocrine Control and Potential Involvement in Chemical Communication*
Advisor: M. Danielle McDonald
- Rafael Carvalho Goncalves**
B.S., 2007, Universidade Federal do Rio Grande, Brazil
M.S., 2012, University of Sao Paulo, Brazil
Major: Meteorology and Physical Oceanography
Dissertation: *Reconstructing Uncertain Response Surfaces with Application to Lagrangian Ocean Data*
Advisor: Mohamed Iskandarani
- Lindsey Anne Chapman**
B.S.Ed., 2007, University of Miami
M.S., 2009, Nova Southeastern University
Major: Teaching and Learning
Dissertation: *Teachers' Negotiation of Curricular Adaptations: Understanding the How and Why in Intensive Reading Settings*
Advisor: Batya Elbaum
- Gedun Chen**
Major: Marine and Atmospheric Chemistry
Dissertation: *Marine Trace Metal (Iron, Manganese, Zinc, Copper, Cadmium, Titanium, and Gallium) Geochemistry*
Advisor: Jingfeng Wu
- Ashwini Danao**
Major: Chemistry
Dissertation: *Studies on the Photophysical Properties of Aromatics and Dyes in Isotropic Solvents and in Confined Spaces*
Advisor: Francisco M. Raymo
- Shubham Debnath**
B.S.B.E., 2011, University of Minnesota
M.S., 2013, University of Pittsburgh
Major: Biomedical Engineering
Dissertation: *Spinal Cord Neural Interface in Common Marmosets*
- Ernesto Fundora**
B.A., 2007, Instituto Superior de Arte, Cuba
Major: Romance Studies, Spanish
Dissertation: *The Uses of the Stage: Canon Formation Processes in Cuban Theater*
Advisor: Lillian Manzor
- Uma Gadge**
B.S.Eng., 2007, Shri Vaishnav Institute of Technology and Science, India
M.S.Ed., 2011, Baylor University
Major: Teaching and Learning
Dissertation: *Effects of Cognitively Guided Instruction on Teacher-Created Opportunities for Student Engagement in Arithmetic Problem Solving*
Advisor: Walter G. Secada
- Jennifer Garcon**
B.A., 2007, Brown University
M.A., 2011, Hunter College
M.A., 2015, University of Miami
Major: History
Dissertation: *Transnational Politics of the Haitian Press, 1971-1986*
Advisor: Ashli C. White
- Sharmila Joy Giri**
B.S., 2011, Pennsylvania State University
M.S., 2013, University of Cincinnati
Major: Marine Geology and Geophysics
Dissertation: *The Influence of Seawater Chemistry on the Geochemistry of Scleractinian Corals*
Advisor: Peter K. Swart
- Jordan Michael Greenberg**
B.S., 2011, University of Florida
Major: Biomedical Engineering
Dissertation: *The Effects of Nicotine on Calcium Cycling of Stem Cell Derived Cardiomyocytes*
Advisor: Herman S. Cheung
- Huiqi Guan**
Major: Business Administration
Dissertation: *Essays on Supplier's Market Encroachment Strategy: Asymmetric Information, Strategic Inventory, and Sharing Economy*
Advisor: Marbella B. Santamaria
- Melyssa Haffaf**
B.A., 2007, Université de La Sorbonne – Paris IV, France
Major: Literary, Cultural, and Linguistic Studies
Dissertation: *Shifting Masculinities from North Africa*
Advisor: Ralph Heyndels
- Christine Lee Harvey**
M.S., 2016, Florida Atlantic University
Major: Marine Biology and Fisheries
Dissertation: *Simulation of Juvenile Tarpon Dynamics in a Subtropical Estuarine System*
Advisor: Jerald Stephen Ault
- Myrthle Nichola Henry**
B.S.N., 2012, College of the Bahamas, Bahamas
Major: Nursing
Dissertation: *Family Level Variables, Discrepancy in Reports of Psychiatric Symptomatology and Substance Abuse Among Hispanic Adolescents*
Advisor: Joseph P. De Santis
- Donna Hewitt**
B.M., 2001, Rowan University
M.A., 2009, Rowan University
Major: Music Education
Dissertation: *The Impact of a Professional Development Program on a Music Teacher's Beliefs and Practices*
Advisor: Carlos R. Abril
- Michael F. Hoffman**
B.A., 2010, University of Maryland, College Park
B.S., 2012, Temple University
M.S., 2014, University of Miami
Major: Psychology
Dissertation: *Health-Related Quality of Life in Deaf Children with Cochlear Implants: Development of Child and Parent-Proxy Measures*
Advisor: Amanda Jensen-Doss

- Qimin Huang**
Bachelors, 2012, Shandong University, China
M.S., 2014, University of Miami
Major: Mathematics
Dissertation: *Modeling the Effect of Seasonality on the Transmission of Antibiotic-Resistant Bacteria in Hospitals with Environmental Contamination*
Advisor: Shigui Ruan
- Vivian Iglesias**
B.S., 2013, St. Thomas University
Major: Chemistry
Dissertation: *Supramolecular Complexation Studies of Electroactive Guests by Cucurbit[n]uril Hosts*
Advisor: Angel E. Kaifer
- Shiyan Jiang**
B.S., 2013, East China Normal University, China
M.S., 2013, Georgia Institute of Technology
Major: Teaching and Learning
Dissertation: *STEM+L: Investigating Adolescents' Participation Trajectories in a Collaborative Multimodal Composing Environment*
Advisor: Ji Shen
- Syedmorteza Khatibmasjedi**
M.S., 2014, Oklahoma State University
Major: Civil Engineering
Dissertation: *Sustainable Concrete Using Seawater, Salt-Contaminated Aggregates, and Non-Corrosive Reinforcement*
Advisor: Antonio Nanni
- Hyun Jung Kim**
M.S., 2002, Sangmyung University, Korea
M.S., 2011, University of Kentucky
Major: Biochemistry and Molecular Biology
Dissertation: *Role of GTPase MTG1 in Mitochondrial Biogenesis and Cardiac Function*
Advisor: Antoni Barrientos
- Natalie Maureen Kivell**
B.A., 2007, Wilfrid Laurier University, Canada
M.A., 2010, Wilfrid Laurier University, Canada
Major: Community Well-Being
Dissertation: *What Is Transformation: Resisting Epistemic Injustice Through Participatory Theory Development with Community Organizers and Activists*
Advisor: Scotney Evans
- Ryan Joseph Kramer**
B.S., 2013, Pennsylvania State University
Major: Meteorology and Physical Oceanography
Dissertation: *Understanding Radiative Forcings and Responses Associated with the Hydrological Cycle*
Advisor: Brian J. Soden
- Alexander Kreymerman**
B.S., 2008, Florida Atlantic University
Major: Neuroscience
Dissertation: *The Role of Mitochondrial Dynamics in Retinal Ganglion Cell Development and Regeneration*
Advisor: Maria T. Zayas
- Marissa Krimsky**
B.S., 2010, Emory University
M.S., 2016, University of Miami
Major: Psychology
Dissertation: *The Allocation of Attentional Resources: Exploring Fluctuations in Mind Wandering with Variation in Performance and Affective Variables*
Advisor: Amishi P. Jha
- Elizabeth Camille Langley**
Major: Romance Studies, Spanish
Dissertation: *The Occupied Strike Back: Writing Against Empire and Constructing Postmemory in Occupied Hispaniola*
Advisor: Tracy L. Devine Guzman
- Heajin Lee**
B.S., 2013, Kangwon National University, South Korea
Major: Chemistry
Dissertation: *Development of Turn-On Fluorescent Kinase Inhibitors*
Advisor: James N. Wilson
- Darlah Michelle Lopez Rodriguez**
B.S., 2009, University of Puerto Rico at Arecibo, Puerto Rico
Major: Microbiology and Immunology
Dissertation: *The Role of the Hypoxia Inducible Factor 1 Alpha in Gammaherpes Virus Host Infectivity*
Advisors: Samita Andreansky and Enrique Mesri
- Min Lu**
B.A., 2009, Dalian University of Technology, Dalian, China
Major: Biostatistics
Dissertation: *Estimating Individual Treatment Effect in Observational Data Using Random Forest Methods*
Advisor: Hemant Ishwaran
- Xing Lu**
Major: Meteorology and Physical Oceanography
Dissertation: *South Pacific Tropical Water: Variability and Downstream Impacts*
Advisor: Rana A. Fine
- Aurelie Lucette**
B.A., 2003, Universite de Tours, France
M.A., 2009, Universite Toulouse, France
Major: Psychology
Dissertation: *Distress Tolerance, Anxiety, and Survival in People Living with HIV*
Advisor: Gail Ironson
- Alejandro M. Mantero**
A.B., 2008, University of Miami
M.A., 2011, University of Miami
Major: Biostatistics
Dissertation: *Unsupervised Random Forests and Target Outcome Relationship Exploration*
Advisor: Hemant Ishwaran
- Ashley N. Marchante-Hoffman**
B.A., 2011, Dartmouth College
M.S., 2015, University of Miami
Major: Psychology
Dissertation: *Giving Voice to Underserved, Foreign-Born Latino Youth: Trauma, Stress, and Health in the Primary Care Setting*
Advisor: Annette M. La Greca
- Denise Simão Marques**
B.A., 2007, Rutgers University
M.A., 2012, Boston College
Major: Counseling Psychology
Dissertation: *Exploring Barriers, Beliefs, Knowledge, Experiences, and Emotions Related to Yoga Practice Amongst a Racially and Ethnically Diverse Sample*
Advisors: Lydia P. Buki and Scotney Evans
- Hicham Mazouz**
B.A., 2010, Florida Atlantic University
Major: Romance Studies, French
Dissertation: *(Re) Mapping the Black Atlantic: Abject Blackness and Arabness Across the Atlantic in African-American, French and Maghrebian Literature*
Advisor: Tracy L. Devine Guzman
- James Byron McKeown**
B.A., 2012, University of Minnesota Duluth
M.S., 2014, University of Miami
Major: Mathematics
Dissertation: *The Combinatorics of the Waldspurger Decomposition*
Advisor: Drew Armstrong
- Sevag Mehterian**
Major: Marine Geology and Geophysics
Dissertation: *Exploiting Stalagmites to Understand Late Pleistocene Climate Variability in the Bahamas and Iran*
Advisor: Peter K. Swart
- Eleanor A. Middlemas**
B.S., 2013, Georgia Institute of Technology
Major: Meteorology and Physical Oceanography
Dissertation: *The Roles of Cloud Feedback and Ocean Heat Transport in Climate Variability*
Advisor: Amy C. Clement
- Brigitte Marie Morales**
B.S., 2013, Massachusetts Institute of Technology
Major: Mechanical Engineering
Dissertation: *Development of a Styrene-Isobutylene-Styrene (SIBS) and Carbon Black Thermoplastic Elastomer for Biomedical Pressure Sensing Applications*
Advisor: Emrah Celik

- Saeed Moshfeghyeganeh**
B.S., 2004, Shiraz University, Iran
M.S., 2007, Shahid Beheshti University, Iran
Major: Physics
Dissertation: *Anisotropic Thermoelectric Properties of Low-Dimensional Molybdenum Bronzes*
Advisor: Manuel A. Huerta
- Leah Nemzow**
B.A., 2013, Yeshiva University
Major: Biochemistry and Molecular Biology
Dissertation: *Role of USP24 in Modulating DNA Damage Response*
Advisor: Feng Gong
- Robert Charles O'Brien**
M.S., 2008, University of California, San Diego
Major: Biostatistics
Dissertation: *A Random Forests Quantile Classifier for Class Imbalanced Data*
Advisor: Hemant Ishwaran
- Lauren Fae O'Donnell**
B.S., 2009, University of South Florida
Major: Chemistry
Dissertation: *Development and Application of Novel Techniques for Improving Resolution in Liquid and Solid State Nuclear Magnetic Resonance Spectroscopy*
Advisor: Jamie D. Walls
- Emmanuela Nneamaka Ojukwu**
B.S.N., 2014, South Carolina State University
Major: Nursing
Dissertation: *Social Determinants of Engagement in HIV Treatment Among Black Postpartum Women Living with HIV (WLWH)*
Advisor: Rosina Cianelli
- Talib Oliver Cabrera**
B.S., 2011, Universidad Autonoma National Mexico, Mexico
Major: Marine Geology and Geophysics
Dissertation: *InSAR Applications for Environmental and Hazard Monitoring*
Advisor: Shimon Wdowinski
- Ana Maria Palacio Castro**
Major: Marine Biology and Ecology
Dissertation: *Abiotic Factors Shaping Endosymbiotic Algal Communities in Healthy Corals and Their Implications for Coral Bleaching Susceptibility*
Advisor: Andrew Charles Baker
- Carrigan Leigh Parish**
B.A., 2005, University of California at Berkeley
M.A., 2009, Harvard University
Major: Epidemiology
Dissertation: *Oral Health Related Quality of Life, Dental Care Utilization, and Serostatus Disclosure Among HIV-Positive Women in the Women's Interagency HIV Study (WIHS) Cohort*
Advisor: Nancy Otilia Alvarez
- Susan Paterson**
B.A., 2008, Smith College
M.A., 2013, University of Massachusetts Lowell
Major: Community Well-Being
Dissertation: *The Social Context of Women's Sustained Participation in Activism*
Advisor: Scotney Evans
- Thomas J. Paul**
B.A., 2013, Florida Gulf Coast University
Major: Chemistry
Dissertation: *Computational Insights into the Structures, Mechanisms, and Chemical Properties of Metal Complexes, Enzymes, and Bio-Molecules*
Advisor: Rajeev Prabhakar
- Karli Jeanne Peña**
B.S.B.E., 2010, University of Miami
Major: Biomedical Engineering
Dissertation: *The Development of a Microwave Ablation Model for the Treatment of Small Renal Masses*
Advisor: Nelson Salas
- Tara Peters**
B.A., 2013, University of Colorado at Boulder
Major: Cancer Biology
Dissertation: *Pharmacologic Approaches to Targeting Malignant Activation of Cap-Dependent Protein Translation in Aggressive B-Cell Lymphomas*
- Lauren Petrino**
B.A., 2008, Pace University
M.A., 2009, Rutgers University–Newark
Major: English
Dissertation: *Wives Writing Privacy, 1640-1670*
Advisor: Timothy P. Watson
- Timothy Edward Plitnik**
B.S., 2010, University of Miami
Major: Microbiology and Immunology
Dissertation: *SAMHD1-Mediated Restriction of HIV-1 and SIV in Macrophage Infection*
Advisor: Mario Stevenson
- Melanie Potiaumpai**
B.S.Ed., 2013, University of Miami
M.S.Ed., 2014, University of Miami
Major: Exercise Physiology
Dissertation: *Effects of a Multi-Directional Walking Program on Physical Function and Quality of Life in Hematopoietic Stem Cell Transplant Patients*
Advisor: Joseph F. Signorile
- Jennifer Katherine Roebber**
Major: Neuroscience
Dissertation: *Salt Detection and Homeostasis in the Taste System*
Advisor: Maria T. Zayas
- Joshua Daniel Rooks**
B.A., 2011, Northwestern University
M.S., 2014, University of Miami
Major: Psychology
Dissertation: *Developing, Evaluating and Utilizing a Measurement Approach to Index the Fidelity of Subjective Reports During a Sustained Attention Task*
- Santas Ana Rosario**
B.S., 2009, University of Miami
Major: Cancer Biology
Dissertation: *KSHV-Encoded Viral IL-6 (vIL-6) Enhances Immunoglobulin Class-Switch Recombination*
Advisor: Enrique Mesri
- Buddhika Samarakoon Mudiyansele**
B.S., 2009, University of Moratuwa, Sri Lanka
M.A.S., 2012, University of British Columbia, Canada
Dissertation: *Efficient Estimation of Signal States in a Graph with Application to Time Varying Conditions*
Advisor: Manohar N. Murthi
- Conor Joseph Smith**
B.S., 2011, College of Charleston
Major: Applied Marine Physics
Dissertation: *Wave Breaking at the Mouth of the Columbia River and Its Effects on Along-Track InSAR Data—Introducing a Novel Method to Improve Surface Current Measurements from Spaceborne Radar*
Advisor: Adrianus J. Reniers
- Nadja Soares de Andrade**
B.S., 2009, Universidade de São Paulo, Brazil
M.A., 2011, Columbia University
Major: Biochemistry and Molecular Biology
Dissertation: *The Role of Nucleophosmin and Neurotoxic Dipeptide Repeat Proteins in Amyotrophic Lateral Sclerosis*
Advisor: Claes Wahlestedt and Zane Zeier
- Hadassah St. Hubert**
B.A., 2009, St. John's University
M.A., 2010, St. John's University
M.A., 2015, University of Miami
Major: History
Dissertation: *Visions of a Modern Nation: Haiti at the World's Fairs*
Advisor: Kate Ramsey
- Qiuyi Su**
B.S., 2012, Shanghai Jiao Tong University, China
M.S., 2014, University of Miami
Major: Mathematics
Dissertation: *Periodic Solutions of Abstract Semilinear Equations with Applications to Biological Models*
Advisor: Shigui Ruan

- Vivian Maria Sueiras**
B.S., 2007, Florida International University
Major: Biomedical Engineering
Dissertation: *Characterization of Lens Capsule Dynamic and Structural Properties Using Confocal and Scanning Probe Microscopy Techniques*
Advisor: Noel Marysa Ziebarth
- Soumya Sundara Rajan**
M.S., 2013, University of Hyderabad, India
Major: Cancer Biology
Dissertation: *Elucidating the Mechanism of ALK Driven Toxicity in ALK+ Lymphoma*
Advisor: Jonathan Schatz
- Kevin Henry Toomer**
B.A., 2012, Cornell University
Major: Microbiology and Immunology
Dissertation: *The Role of IL-2R -Dependent Signaling in Treg Development, Homeostasis, and Suppressive Function*
Advisor: Thomas Malek
- Ming Wang**
Major: Business Administration
Dissertation: *Multi-Level Functional Data Analysis for Temporal Point Process with Application in Stock Trading Market*
Advisor: Yongtao Guan
- Natasha C. Ward**
B.S., 2009, California State Polytechnic University, Pomona
M.S., 2012, California State Polytechnic University, Pomona
Major: Microbiology and Immunology
Dissertation: *Low-Dose IL-2 Therapy with a Novel IL-2-Based Fusion Protein Selectively Targets Tregs and Promotes Immune Tolerance*
Advisor: Thomas Malek
- Marc Joshua Weintraub**
B.A., 2010, University of California, Berkeley
M.S., 2014, University of Miami
Major: Psychology
Dissertation: *Physiological and Affective Reactivity to Emotional Comments in Individuals at High Risk for Psychosis*
Advisor: Amy Weisman de Mamani
- Siobhan Adeana Williams**
B.S.B.E., 2009, University of Miami
Major: Biomedical Engineering
Dissertation: *Reconstruction of the Crystalline Lens Gradient Refractive Index Using Laser Ray Tracing and Optical Coherence Tomography*
- Wei Wu**
B.S., 2011, Hebei University, China
Major: Biology
Dissertation: *Identification and Functional Characterization of Dishevelled-Interacting Proteins in the Sea Urchin Strongylocentrotus purpuratus and the Cnidarian Nematostella Vectensis*
Advisor: Athula Wikramanayake
- Keying Xu**
B.S., 2009, Capital Medical University, China
M.S., 2013, University of Miami
Major: Biomedical Engineering
Dissertation: *Gold Nanoparticles Enhanced Optical Imaging and Radiation Therapy for Small Animals*
Advisors: Yidong Yang and Weizhao Zhao
- Yu-Ping Yang**
B.S., 1999, Taipei Medical University, Taiwan, Republic of China
M.S., 2001, Taipei Medical University, Taiwan, Republic of China
Major: Biochemistry and Molecular Biology
Dissertation: *Bioluminescence: An Old Tool for New Applications in Cancer Research "Detection of Circulating Tumor Cells and Image-Guided Therapy"*
Advisors: Richard Cote and Sylvia Daunert
- Chong Zhao**
B.S., 2012, Nankai University, China
Major: Business Administration
Dissertation: *Estimating Equation Estimators for the Pair Correlation Function in Replicated Point Pattern*
Advisor: Yongtao Guan
-
- Degrees conferred December 14, 2017*
- Mohammed Hussain Alamoudi**
B.S., 2011, King Abdul Aziz University, Saudi Arabia
M.S.I.E., 2013, University of Miami
Major: Industrial Engineering
Dissertation: *Investigation and Analysis of the Effects of Manual Lifting and Carrying Activities on Postural and Gait Stability in Normal Subjects*
Advisor: Shihab S. Asfour
- Lance Kelly Aschliman**
B.S., 2007, Purdue University
M.A., 2012, Indiana University–Purdue University Indianapolis
Major: Philosophy
Dissertation: *Reconsidering Epistemic Evaluation*
Advisor: Michael Slote
- Zachary Balmuth-Loris**
B.S., 2011, Syracuse University
Major: Neuroscience
Dissertation: *The Neuroprotective Compound P7C3-A20 as a Treatment for Focal Cerebral Ischemia*
Advisor: W. Dalton Dietrich
- Shayna Fae Bernstein**
B.A., 2011, Columbia University
M.S., 2015, University of Miami
Major: Biology
Dissertation: *Age by Stage Modeling of Dynamic Heterogeneity*
Advisor: Carol C. Horvitz
- Sheila Marie Clemens**
B.S., 1992, Michigan State University
B.S., 1993, University of Michigan, Flint
Major: Physical Therapy
Dissertation: *The Development and Use of the Component Timed-Up-and-Go Test to Determine Basic Prosthetic Mobility in People with Lower Limb Amputation*
Advisor: Jhelane Vega Fuentes
- Laura Meredith Cohen**
B.A., 2007, Florida Atlantic University
Major: Counseling Psychology
Dissertation: *Testing a Eudaimonic Theory of Goal Hierarchy*
Advisor: Blaine J. Fowers
- Matt Christopher Danzi**
B.S., 2013, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill
Major: Neuroscience
Dissertation: *C-Jun DNA Binding During Axon Regeneration*
Advisors: John L. Bixby and Vance P. Lemmon
- Sercan Demir**
Bachelors, 2008, Selcuk University, Turkey
M.S., 2012, University of Southern California
Major: Industrial Engineering
Dissertation: *Advance Supply Contracts for Contingency Inventory*
Advisor: Shihab S. Asfour
- Connor Jude Dwyer**
B.S., 2011, Eckerd College
Major: Microbiology and Immunology
Dissertation: *The IL-2 Dependent Risk in Type 1 Diabetes*
Advisor: Thomas Malek
- Caroline Jane Ehrlich**
A.B., 2008, University of Miami
M.S., 2014, University of Miami
Major: Psychology
Dissertation: *Peer Victimization and Adolescents' Academic Functioning*
Advisor: Annette M. La Greca
- Khashayar Farzarian**
Bachelors, 2010, Amirkabir University of Technology, Iran
M.S.C.E., 2013, Sharif University of Technology, Iran
Major: Civil Engineering
Dissertation: *Investigation on Chemo-Mechanical Behavior of Hydrogel in Cementitious Material as a Superabsorbent and Bio-Polymer for the Purpose of: Internal Curing, Self-Healing, Self-Sealing and Bacteria Carrier*
Advisor: Ali Ghahremaninezhad
- Craig P. Flanagan**
B.S.Ed., 2010, University of Miami
M.S.Ed., 2011, University of Miami
Major: Exercise Physiology
Dissertation: *Postoperative Cardiometabolic Effects of a Behavioral Intervention in Patients Undergoing Partial Meniscectomy*
Advisor: Kevin A. Jacobs

- Rajapaksha Waththegedara Randil Lalinda Gajasinghe**
B.S., 2009, University of Moratuwa, Sri Lanka
Masters, 2012, Asian Institute of Technology, Thailand
Major: Electrical and Computer Engineering
Dissertation: *MEMS Scale Integrated Lab-on-a-Chip System for Detection and Analysis of Human Tumor Cells*
Advisor: Onur Tigli
- Eric Michael Hecht**
B.S., 1984, Touro College Los Angeles
M.S.P.H., 2011, University of Miami
Major: Epidemiology
Dissertation: *Cadmium Explains, in Part, the Cardiovascular Toxicity of Cigarette Smoking*
- Richard Anthony Hunte**
B.S., 2012, State University of New York at Buffalo
Major: Microbiology and Immunology
Dissertation: *The Role of CADM1 in Viral-Mediated Oncogenesis*
Advisor: Maria T. Zayas
- Devin Scot Kepchia**
B.S., 2010, University of Pittsburgh, Greensburg
Major: Molecular and Cellular Pharmacology
Dissertation: *Structural Optimization and Behavioral Analysis of Antagonists of the Insect Odorant Receptor Co-Receptor Subunit*
Advisor: Charles W. Luetje
- Jiangmeng Liu**
B.S.Eng., 2011, Zhejiang University of Media and Communication, China
M.A., 2013, University of Miami
Major: Communication
Dissertation: *Does Being an Expert Make You More Negative? An Investigation of Subjective Expertise and Electronic Word-of-Mouth*
Advisor: Cong Li
- Suzanne Loftus**
A.B., 2009, University of Miami
M.A., 2014, University of Miami
Major: International Studies
Dissertation: *Insecurity and the Rise of Nationalism: The Case of Putin's Russia — Keeper of Traditional Values*
Advisor: Bruce Michael Bagley
- Catherine Claire MacDonald**
B.A., 2007, Amherst College
Major: Environmental Science and Policy
Dissertation: *Wildlife Policy and Conservation: An Interdisciplinary Historical Perspective*
Advisor: Gina L. Maranto
- Saloni T. Mehta**
B.S., 2013, University of Maryland
Major: Neuroscience
Dissertation: *A Combinatorial Approach to CNS Regeneration Using Activated Transcription Factors*
Advisors: John L. Bixby and Vance P. Lemmon
- Dawn A. Owens**
B.S., 2010, Florida Gulf Coast University
Major: Molecular Cell and Developmental Biology
Dissertation: *High-Throughput Analysis Reveals Novel Maternal Germline RNAs Critical for PGC Survival, Migration and Differentiation*
Advisor: Mary Lou King
- Chelsea Lynn Pederson**
B.S.M.A.S., 2011, University of Miami
Major: Marine Geology and Geophysics
Dissertation: *Deposition and Diagenesis of Subtropical Microbial Carbonates*
Advisor: James Klaus
- Matthew Christopher Phillips**
B.S.M.A.S., 2010, University of Miami
Major: Microbiology and Immunology
Dissertation: *NF-KB Mediated Inflammatory Changes in the Gut and Microbiome by PCB 153*
Advisor: Maria T. Abreu
- Jason Scott Presnell**
B.S., 2007, University of North Carolina at Greensboro
M.S., 2011, University of North Carolina at Greensboro
Major: Biology
Dissertation: *The Evolution of the Kruppel-Like Factors Gene Family and Their Function During Embryonic Development in the Ctenophore Mnemiopsis leidyi*
Advisor: William Browne
- Marc Puccinelli**
B.S., 1995, Florida International University
M.S.Ed., 2010, University of Miami
Major: Counseling Psychology
Dissertation: *Treatment and Moderator Effects in an RCT of CIFFTA: How Treatment Impacts Hispanic Stress and Parenting Practices, How Change in Hispanic Stress Impacts Parenting Practices, and the Moderating Effects of Acculturation and Change in Hispanic Stress*
Advisor: Daniel Santisteban
- Yvonne Ayordeley Puplampu-Dove**
B.S., 2012, University of Maryland, Eastern Shore
Major: Microbiology and Immunology
Dissertation: *Potentiating Tumor Immunity Using Aptamer-Targeted RNAi to Render CD8+ Cells Resistant to TGF Inhibition*
Advisor: Eli Gilboa
- Luis Alberto Rodriguez**
B.S.A.S.E., 2013, University of Miami
Major: Mechanical Engineering
Dissertation: *Environmental Durability and Degradation of Fiber-Reinforced Bismaleimide/Quartz Composite for Aircraft Radome Applications*
Advisor: Landon R. Grace
- Adam D. Rosen**
B.A., 2005, State University of New York at Purchase
M.A., 2009, Columbia University
Major: Counseling Psychology
Dissertation: *Towards a Sociocultural and Contextual Paradigm of Court-Mandated Client Resistance*
Advisor: Debbiesiu L. Lee
- Mykhailo Rudko**
Degree, 2012, Moscow Institute of Physics and Technology, Russia
Major: Meteorology and Physical Oceanography
Dissertation: *Anomalous Structures of Oceanic Turbulence: Dynamics, Energetics, Transport*
Advisor: Igor Kamenkovich
- Juan Felipe Sierra De La Rosa**
B.S., 2005, Universidad Jorge Tadeo Lozano, Colombia
Major: Marine Biology and Ecology
Dissertation: *Probiotics Effects on the Aquaculture Performance of Cobia (Rachycentron canadum) and Yellowfin Tuna (Thunnus albacares)*
Advisor: Daniel Domingues Benetti
- Sathish Kumar Srinivasan**
Bachelors, 2005, Tamil Nadu Dr. M.G.R. Medical University, India
Masters, 2008, National Institute of Pharmaceutical Education and Research, India
Major: Human Genetics and Genomics
Dissertation: *Genetic Network of Genes Associated with Neurodegenerative Disorders*
Advisor: Gennaro D'Urso
- Vasileios Stathias**
B.S., 2012, University of Thrace, Greece
Major: Human Genetics and Genomics
Dissertation: *Data-Driven Identification of Patient-Specific Drug Combinations for Treating Glioblastoma*
Advisors: Nagi Ayad and Stephan Schürer
- Jacqueline Anne Tibbett**
B.S., 2009, The College at Brockport, State University of New York
Major: Physiology and Biophysics
Dissertation: *Spasticity and Pain After Spinal Cord Injury: Relationships to Physiological, Functional and Quality-of-Life Measures*
Advisors: Edelle Field-Fote and Eva Widerström-Noga
- Catalina Vasquez Carrillo**
B.S., 2007, Pontificia Universidad Javeriana, Colombia
M.S., 2012, University of Wisconsin
Major: Biology
Dissertation: *Role of an Upwelled Coastal Area in the Distribution, Dynamics and Genetic Diversity of a Marine, Habitat-Shifting Species in the Atlantic Basin*
Advisor: Kathleen Sullivan Sealey

Yulia Vorobyeva

B.S., 2007, Herzen State Pedagogical University of Russia, Russia
 M.A., 2010, University of Northern Iowa
 Major: International Studies
 Dissertation: *How States Shape Organized Crime: Mexican and Russian Criminal Networks During Political Transitions*
 Advisor: Lilian E. Yaffe

Dominique Neitzel Wagner

B.S., 2008, Miami University
 M.Sc., 2012, Simon Fraser University, Canada
 Major: Marine Biology and Ecology
 Dissertation: *Ecological and Evolutionary Genomics: Differential Variability of Gene Expression and Fine-Scale Adaptive Divergence Among Microhabitats of Large Fundulus heteroclitus Populations*
 Advisor: Douglas L. Crawford

Yuchen Wang

B.S., 2011, Dalian University of Technology, China
 M.S., 2012, University of California, Irvine
 Major: Mechanical Engineering
 Dissertation: *Study of Selected Issues of Solid-State Electrochemical Energy Storage*
 Advisor: Xiangyang Zhou

Chun Wu

B.S., 2009, Ningbo University, China
 M.S., 2012, Zhejiang University, China
 M.S., 2017, Georgia Institute of Technology
 Major: Molecular and Cellular Pharmacology
 Dissertation: *Human Brain Transcriptome Profiles in Obesity*
 Advisor: Deborah C. Mash

David Zambrana

B.S., 2006, University of Phoenix
 M.B.A., 2007, University of Phoenix
 D.N.P., 2009, University of Miami
 Major: Nursing
 Dissertation: *Examining the Effect of the Nurse Professional Practice Environment on Clinical and Organizational Outcomes*
 Advisor: Rosina Cianelli

Ian Christopher Zink

B.S., 2004, University of Miami
 M.S., 2010, University of Miami
 Major: Marine Biology and Fisheries
 Dissertation: *Nearshore Salinity and Juvenile Pink Shrimp (Farfantepenaeus duorarum): Integrating Field Observations, Laboratory Trials, and Habitat Suitability Simulations*
 Advisor: Joseph E. Serafy

DOCTOR OF EDUCATION

Degree candidates May 10, 2018

Joshua Ryan Brandfon

B.A., 2005, Brandeis University
 M.A., 2007, University of Connecticut
 Major: Higher Education Leadership
 Dissertation: *The Impact of Cocurricular Involvement and Leadership Roles on the Perceived Development of Employability Skills*
 Advisors: Soyeon Ahn and Carol-Anne Phekoo

Renée Dickens Callan

B.A., 1991, Saint Michael's College
 M.S., 1993, University of Vermont
 Major: Higher Education Leadership
 Dissertation: *Black, Female, First-Generation College Students: Perceptions of Academic Persistence*
 Advisors: Debbiesiu L. Lee and Carol-Anne Phekoo

Seantee C. Campbell

B.S., 2004, University of Florida
 M.F.A., 2010, Vermont College
 Major: Higher Education Leadership
 Dissertation: *How Parental Roles Affect the Development of Caribbean College Students*
 Advisors: Debbiesiu L. Lee and Carol-Anne Phekoo

Jacklyn Anne Collins

B.B.A., 1984, Iona College
 M.B.A., 1987, St. John's University
 M.Pr.A., 2003, University of Miami
 Major: Higher Education Leadership
 Dissertation: *Educational Experiences and Academic Adjustment of Transfer Students at the Four-Year University*
 Advisor: Soyeon Ahn and Carol-Anne Phekoo

Sandra Irene Gross

B.A., 1994, Wilfrid Laurier University, Canada
 M.S., 1996, London School of Economics, United Kingdom
 Major: Higher Education Leadership
 Dissertation: *The Underrepresentation of Women Studying Engineering: A Grounded Theory Case Study*
 Advisor: Debbiesiu L. Lee and Carol-Anne Phekoo

Juan Carlos Morales

B.A., 1992, Amherst College
 M.A., 1998, Florida International University
 M.A., 2012, Middlebury College
 Major: Higher Education Leadership
 Dissertation: *Defying the Statistics: Latin Students' Journeys from ESL to the Honors College at the Community College*
 Advisor: Debbiesiu L. Lee and Carol-Anne Phekoo

Simeon Antonio Richardson

B.S., 2007, Florida Memorial University
 M.S., 2010, Florida Memorial University
 Major: Higher Education Leadership
 Dissertation: *Noncognitive Factors that Contribute to the Black Gender Gap in College Persistence*
 Advisor: Soyeon Ahn and Carol-Anne Phekoo

Yasdanee Valdes

B.A., 2011, Florida International University
 M.A., 2013, Florida International University
 Major: Higher Education Leadership
 Dissertation: *Transfer Students' Perceptions of Their Transition Experiences into a Private, Religiously Affiliated University*
 Advisors: Debbiesiu L. Lee and Carol-Anne Phekoo

Janiel Francisco Vargas

B.A., 2011, Florida International University
 M.S., 2014, Florida International University
 Major: Higher Education Leadership
 Dissertation: *A Comparative Study of Whether the Relationship between Moral Reasoning and Academic Misconduct Differs between Traditional and Nontraditional Students*
 Advisor: Soyeon Ahn and Carol-Anne Phekoo

Degree candidates August 10, 2018

Mohamed Magdy Hassan Zaki Anis

B.A., 2012, Oxford Brookes University, United Kingdom
 M.S.Ed., 2015, University of Miami
 Major: Higher Education Leadership
 Dissertation: *Middle Eastern and North African International Students: Precollege Characteristics and Student Engagement*
 Advisors: Soyeon Ahn and Carol-Anne Phekoo

Christina Rosalez Barcinas

B.S., 2003, Barry University
 M.S., 2004, Barry University
 Ed.S., 2008, Nova Southeastern University
 Major: Higher Education Leadership
 Dissertation: *Factors Affecting Hispanic Middle School Students College Readiness*
 Advisors: Soyeon Ahn and Carole-Anne Phekoo

Melody Dunbar

B.S., 2002, Barry University
 M.B.A., 2004, Nova Southeastern University
 Major: Higher Education Leadership
 Dissertation: *Influence of Enrollment Management Strategies at Independent Colleges and Universities of Florida*
 Advisors: Soyeon Ahn and Carol-Anne Phekoo

Henry Maklakiewicz

B.A., 2003, Catholic University of America
 Major: Higher Education Leadership
 Dissertation: *The Aim of Higher Education: The Academy's Epistemic and Moral Obligations to the American Experiment and the Demise of the Liberal Arts*
 Advisor: Blaine J. Fowers

Peter Michael Rudholm

B.A., 2014, California State University, Los Angeles
 M.A., 2005, McNeese State University
 Major: Higher Education Leadership
 Dissertation: *Gender in Higher Education Research: The Problem of Female and Male Categories*
 Advisor: Carol-Anne Phekoo

Degree conferred December 14, 2017

Luis Enrique Ponce Cornejo

B.S.B.A., 1991, University of Florida
 M.B.A., 1995, University of Miami
 Major: Higher Education Leadership
 Dissertation: *Student Perceptions on Academic Dishonesty at a Small, Private Ecuadorian Institution*
 Advisor: Carol-Anne Phekoo

DOCTOR OF MUSICAL ARTS

Degree candidates May 10, 2018

Zachary Charles Bartholomew

B.A., 2009, Florida State University
 M.M., 2015, Florida State University
 Major: Jazz Performance Instrumental
 Essay: *A Jazz Pianist's Guide to Rhythmic Independence through the Adaptation of Afro-Cuban Rhythms*
 Advisor: Martin Bryce Bejerano

Elena Mary Blyskal

B.A., 2008, Providence College
 M.M., 2014, Longy School of Music of Bard College
 Major: Vocal Pedagogy
 Essay: *Mindfulness Practice in the Collegiate Voice Studio: A Case Study*
 Advisor: Esther Jane Hardenbergh

Julian G. Brijaldo

B.M., 2008, Pontifica Universidad Javeriana, Colombia
 M.M., 2015, Florida Atlantic University
 Major: Composition
 Essay: *At the Edge of Hope, A Cantata for the Everyday Colombian*
 Advisor: Dorothy Hindman

Luca G. Cubisino

B.M., 2005, Conservatory of Music Vincenzo Bellini Catania, Italy
 M.M., 2008, Rotterdam Conservatorium, Netherlands
 M.M., 2010, Conservatory of Music Bruno Maderna Cesena, Italy
 M.M., 2014, Texas State University San Marcos
 Major: Keyboard Performance
 Essay: *Ottorino Respighi: Published and Unpublished Works for Piano Solo*
 Advisor: Tian Ying

Phillip Joseph Doyle

B.M., 2009, University of Illinois
 M.M., 2011, University of Illinois
 Major: Jazz Performance Instrumental
 Essay: *An Analysis of Overtone and Undertone Structure and Its Influence on the Relative Consonance and Dissonance of the Diatonic Modes as Used in Jazz*
 Advisor: Gary Keller

Ian C. Flatt

B.M., 2005, University of Missouri–Kansas City
 M.M., 2009, California State University, Long Beach
 Major: Instrumental Performance
 Essay: *Building an Improvisational Practice for the Classical Cellist*
 Advisor: Ross T. Harbaugh

Tianyuan (Ken) Ge

B.M., 2009, Furman University
 M.M., 2011, Indiana University
 Major: Jazz Performance Instrumental
 Essay: *Bright Bass Timbres in the "Dark Age" of Jazz: Eddie Gomez, Three Quartets, Transgression, and Transcendence*
 Advisor: Martin Bejerano

Dana Elise Kaufman

B.A., 2012, Amherst College
 M.M., 2015, New England Conservatory of Music
 Major: Composition
 Essay: *Opera Kardashian: An Opera in One Act*
 Advisor: Lansing McLoskey

Brian Geoffrey McKee

B.M., 2012, University of Oregon
 M.M., 2014, Arizona State University
 Major: Instrumental Performance
 Essay: *A Pedagogical Exploration of Selected Art Songs by Franz Schubert Transcribed for Bassoon*
 Advisor: Gabriel John Beavers

Lauren Emily Miller

B.M., 2012, University of Colorado at Boulder
 M.M., 2014, University of Miami
 Major: Instrumental Performance
 Essay: *The Archer's Guide to Viola Playing*
 Advisor: Ross T. Harbaugh

Jens Mikel Peterson

B.M., 2011, Indiana University
 M.M., 2014, Yale University
 A.D., 2015, University of Miami
 Major: Instrumental Performance
 Essay: *An Examination of Historical, Pedagogical, and Performance Aspects of the Cimballo in Standard and Modern Literature*
 Advisor: Aaron Tindall

Nicholas Anthony Petumenos

B.M., 2000, Berklee College of Music
 M.M., 2015, University of Miami
 Major: Jazz Performance Instrumental
 Essay: *Collective Time – Exploring Interaction in Music that Swings*
 Advisor: John S. Hart

Derek R. Smith

B.A., 2010, California State University, Fresno
 M.M., 2012, University of Miami
 Major: Instrumental Performance, Multiple Woodwind
 Essay: *A Method for Versatility and Flexibility for the Low Reed Specialist*
 Advisor: Margaret Ann Flavin

Jason Seth Strunk

B.A., 1997, Mansfield University of Pennsylvania
 Major: Choral Conducting
 Dissertation: *The Role of the Chorus in Leonard Bernstein's A White House Cantata: A Conductor's Guide*
 Advisor: Karen Kennedy

Deyana Ilieva Valchinova

B.M., 2010, Oberlin College
 M.M., 2012, Boston Conservatory of Music
 A.D., 2014, Boston Conservatory of Music
 Major: Keyboard Performance and Pedagogy
 Essay: *Left-Hand Memorization: Survey and Application*
 Advisor: Naoko Takao

William Shutt Wulfeck

B.M., 2011, California State University, Northridge
 M.F.A., 2013, California Institute of the Arts
 Major: Jazz Performance Instrumental
 Essay: *Applying an Effective Practice Framework to Create a Lesson Syllabus for Undergraduate Jazz Trombone Students*
 Advisor: Dante T. Luciani

Chee Weng Yim

B.A., 2010, Nanyang Technological University, Singapore
 A.D., 2011, Nanyang Technological University, Singapore
 M.M., 2015, Georgia State University
 Major: Instrumental Conducting
 Essay: *Writing Music and Its Role in a Conductor's Training as a Performer*
 Advisor: Robert M. Carnochan

Degree candidate August 10, 2018

Harley E. Robertson

B.A., 2005, University of West Indies, Trinidad and Tobago
 A.D., 2013, University of Trinidad and Tobago, Trinidad and Tobago
 M.M., 2015, Florida International University
 Major: Instrumental Performance
 Essay: *A Proposed Curriculum for a University-Level Performance-Based Seminar Using Works from Selected Caribbean Territories*
 Advisor: Brian Timothy Powell

Degrees conferred December 14, 2017

Melissa Sofia Bumbach

B.M., 2005, Palm Beach Atlantic College
M.M., 2008, University of South Florida
Major: Choral Conducting
Essay: *Maestra Digna Guerra and Her Role in the Promotion of Choral Music in Post-Revolutionary Cuba*
Advisor: Karen Kennedy

Juan Manuel Monroy Romero

B.M., 2011, Berklee College of Music
M.M., 2014, University of Miami
Major: Jazz Performance Instrumental
Essay: *An Analysis of the Development in Improvised Double Bass Solos Influenced by Cuban Music and Jazz*
Advisor: Charles Lawrence Bergeron

Jack Wengrosky Jr.

B.A., 1988, Elmhurst College
Major: Jazz Performance Instrumental
Essay: *The Trumpet Player's Posture: A Thirty Minute Routine to Prevent and Alleviate Pain and Improve Efficiency Through Musculoskeletal Alignment*
Advisor: Brian Lynch

Kom Wongsawat

B.A., 2006, Mahidol University, Thailand
M.M., 2013, New York University
Major: Jazz Performance Instrumental
Essay: *A Pianist's Guide to Solo Ostinato, Utilizing Jazz Drumset Techniques to Gain Rhythmic Coordination*
Advisor: Martin Bryce Bejerano

DOCTOR OF NURSING PRACTICE

Degrees conferred December 14, 2018

Michelle Alle

B.S.N., 2011, Nova Southeastern University
D.N.P., 2017, University of Miami

Mia Nicole Andrews

B.S.N., 2009, University of Phoenix
M.S.N., 2013, South University

Djurdja Andrich

B.S., 2001, Indiana University Northwest
B.S., 2006, University of Maryland
M.S.N., 2014, Purdue University

Eda Augustin

B.S.N., 2011, Florida Atlantic University
M.S.N., 2015, Nova Southeastern University

Hakimah Aliah Bankston

B.S., 2007, Morgan State University
B.S.N., 2012, University of Miami
M.S.N., 2015, University of Miami

Heidi Lynn Borys

B.S.N., 2009, Lewis University

Tyesha Bowen

B.S., 2010, Nova Southeastern University
B.S.N., 2013, Remington College
M.S.N., 2015, University of Miami

Marsha Diane Buntley

B.S.N., 2007, Middle Tennessee State University
M.S.N., 2010, Middle Tennessee State University

Maxine Lachow DeLlanos

B.S.N., 2005, University of Miami
M.S.N., 2011, Austin Peay State University

Barbara Crisci Edwards

B.S.N., 2006, Florida Atlantic University
M.S.N., 2008, Florida Atlantic University

Joy Egwu

B.S.N., 2010, University of Phoenix
M.S.N., 2015, Charles R. Drew University of Medical Science

Edward Erickson

B.S., 2000, Nova Southeastern University
M.S.N., 2016, University of Miami

Monsita Faley

B.S.N., 1995, University of Phoenix
M.S.N., 2006, University of San Diego

Anna Liza Dariano-Del Rosario Fernandez

B.S.N., 1993, Saint Louis University, Philippines
M.S., 2012, Florida Atlantic University

Liza Fhanfin

B.S.N., 2011, Barry University
M.S.N., 2015, University of Miami

Susan Fornaris

B.A., 1995, Florida Atlantic University
M.S., 1999, Nova Southeastern University
B.S.N., 2005, Barry University

Edmee J. Francois

B.S.N., 1993, Florida Atlantic University
M.S.N., 2016, University of Miami

Tamiko Michelle Gibson

B.S.N., 2012, Florida Atlantic University
M.S.N., 2016, South University

Jenise Christine Gonzalez

B.S.N., 2012, Nova Southeastern University

Greter Guillen

B.S.N., 2011, University of Miami

Lisa C. Hensler

B.S., 2004, University of North Carolina at Wilmington
M.S., 2011, University of South Florida

Kimberly Jones

B.S.N., 2009, University of Central Florida
M.S.N., 2014, University of Florida

Jimmy Lafaille

B.S.N., 2000, Mercy College
M.S.N., 2008, Florida Atlantic University

Julie Luengas

B.S.N., 1998, University of Miami
M.B.A., 2003, University of Phoenix

Chaireline Lundi

B.S.N., 2005, University of Miami

Brandi Nichole Manthei

B.S.N., 2012, University of Mary Hardin-Baylor

Nahomie Mirville

B.S.N., 2006, Florida Atlantic University
M.S.N., 2010, South University

Gaelle Pierre

B.S.N., 2010, University of South Florida

Anthony Lazaro Roig

B.S.N., 2009, University of Miami

Elizabeth Seda

B.S.N., 1998, Lehman College
M.S.N., 2016, University of Miami

Venante I. Servalis

B.S.N., 2011, Florida Atlantic University
M.S.N., 2015, Nova Southeastern University

Hyacinth Sewell-Henry

B.S.N., 2010, University of Phoenix
M.S.N., 2012, Barry University

Melanie Judith Sierra

B.S.N., 2011, Barry University
M.S.N., 2015, University of Miami

Desiree Simon

B.S.N., 1997, Florida International University
M.S.N., 2015, Aspen University

India Smith

B.S.N., 2010, Georgia College

Deborah Szabo

B.S.N., 2009, University of Miami
M.S.N., 2011, University of Miami

Lauren Uscinski

B.S., 2009, Wake Forest University
M.S.N., 2012, Yale University

Michelle N. Waters

B.S.N., 2013, University of North Florida
M.S.N., 2016, Chamberlain College of Nursing

Erick Zarabozo

B.S.N., 2012, Miami Dade College
M.S.N., 2016, Barry University

DOCTOR OF PHYSICAL THERAPY

Degree candidates May 10, 2018

Alexandra Athos Adler
B.S., 2013, Southern Methodist University

Aida Ali
B.A., 2012, Boston College

Brandon Scott Anible
B.S., 2014, University of Central Arkansas

Valerie M. Buisson
B.S., 2014, University of Central Florida

Kelly Marie Clark
B.S., 2015, High Point University

Amanda Clifton
B.S., 2015, Central Michigan University

Kevin Daniel Cochran
B.S., 2014, University of South Florida

Stefanie Cohen
B.S.Ed., 2014, University of Miami

Timothy Crann
B.S., 2015, College of Charleston

Ashalee Ann Cyr
B.S., 2015, University of Minnesota

Alyssa Beth Dickens
B.S., 2013, Florida International University

Paul Fath
B.S., 2005, Temple University

Kelli Ann Fraga
B.S., 2011, University of Florida

Kate Lynn Franke
B.S., 2013, University of Maryland,
College Park

Brittany Michelle Gendron
B.S., 2014, Western Carolina University

Catrina Giordano
B.S., 2014, Florida State University

Isabella Maria Gonzalez
B.H.S.A., 2015, Florida International
University

Kyle Murphy Graves
B.S., 2015, Wake Forest University

Juan Guzman
B.S., 2013, Florida International University

Shane Harris
B.S., 2014, University of Illinois

Gary B. Heller

Deborah Jane Hoekstra
B.S., 2015, Bowling Green State University

Davide Michael Ioffredi
B.S., 2015, Florida Atlantic University

Kristilyn Kay Jeffries
B.S., 2011, Weber State University

Nina Frances Kelly
B.A., 2014, University of North Carolina at
Chapel Hill

Jessica P. Khani
B.S.H.S., 2015, University of Miami

Yong Kim
Bachelor of Music, 2012, University of
Washington

Matthew Kuik
B.S., 2013, Crown College

Koren Lavi
B.S., 2013, University of Maryland,
College Park

Allyson Lynnsay Lawing
B.A., 2003, University of South Carolina

Nicole Elizabeth Limpabandh

Kayla Marly Loughner
B.S., 2012, University of Pittsburgh

Tanya Malave
B.S., 2004, Stony Brook University
M.P.H., 2010, Brooklyn College

Taylor Lynn Mannix
B.S., 2014, Salisbury University

Michelle McElroy Nola
B.S., 2014, Louisiana State University

Erin McGovern
B.S.Ed., 2015, University of Miami

Janessie Mena
B.S., 2014, University of South Florida

Elaina Maria Mezzasalma
B.S., 2014, Rutgers University

Jared Thomas Miller
B.A., University of Massachusetts Boston

Raquel Yvonne Mitchel
B.S.Ed., 2015, University of Miami

Joey Renee Miller
B.S., 2013, Oklahoma City University

Carson Paige Moesle
B.S., 2015, Indiana State University

Marisa Ann Nicoletti
B.S., 2012, Miami University

Kevin Padin
B.S., 2011, University of Florida

Caleb Pate
B.S., 2013, Florida State University

Nikhil Patel
B.S., 2015, University of Florida

Samantha Perez
B.A., 2015, Millsaps College

Zaida Elaine Perez
B.S., 2014, Massachusetts College of
Pharmacy and Health Sciences

Corey Raphael Roman
B.S., 2014, Florida State University

Lauren Scheuing
B.S., 2015, State University of New York
College at Geneseo

Johanna Divina Segura
B.S.H.S., 2014, University of Central Florida

Shai Sewell
B.S., 2011, University of Puget Sound

Robert Brandon Smith
B.A., 2011, Florida Gulf Coast University

Clara Stroud
B.S.H.S., 2015, University of Miami

Craig Sykes
B.S., 2012, Heidelberg College

Steven Thomas Veenstra
B.A., 2012, Capital University

Bradley Leonard Vogel-Castellanos
B.A., 2015, Occidental College

Michelle Rebecca Zelmanovich
B.A., 2014, Florida Atlantic University

MASTER OF ARTS

Degree conferred December 14, 2017

Deborah Delilah Roque

SCHOOL OF ARCHITECTURE

Established 1983

Presented by Rodolphe el-Khoury, Ph.D., Dean

MASTER OF ARCHITECTURE

Degree candidates May 10, 2018

Hussain Abdulgader A Binaff
Massel Bostan
Emily Lauren Elkin
Wenxin Jiang
Hannah Landman
Yuxuan Niu
Nahar Mohamedmajid M Rushdi
Beatriz Adriana Santos
Jingshi Wang
Kyrah La'Trese Williams
Jingchao Wu
Yuefei Wu
Yinzhe Zhang

Degree candidates August 10, 2018

Rene D. Bello
David Derek Makhan

MASTER OF REAL ESTATE DEVELOPMENT AND URBANISM

Degree candidates May 10, 2018

David Rosario Baillargeon
Brandon Orlando Fennell
Stuart Thomas Kennedy
Xiang Li

Degree candidates August 10, 2018

Elena Isabel Alvarez
Rene D. Bello
Rodrigo F. Diaz
Natalie Duran
Camilo Andres Hasbun
Christopher Francis Hernandez
Khalil Roger Khouri
Pierre Marks
Danay Morales
Shawn Joseph Pound
Ignasi Puig
Kristopher Charlz Rodriguez
Plinio Jose Schuchowski
Kang Shen

Degrees conferred December 14, 2017

Mohammad Nasser Alghmd
Victor Manuel Chavez
Elena Paola Gonzalez Guevara
Grant Rafael Souviron

MASTER OF SCIENCE IN ARCHITECTURE

Degree candidate May 10, 2018

Yasmine Zeghar Hammoudi

Degree candidate August 10, 2018

Abdulaziz M Alenezi

Degrees conferred December 14, 2017

Zhengrong Hu
Shruti Khandelwal
Minhae Shim Roth

MASTER OF URBAN DESIGN

Degree candidate May 10, 2018

Brandon Orlando Fennell

Degree candidates August 10, 2018

Basmah Abdulaziz Alohaly
Irene Cecilia Balza Pineda
Wenting Lan
Jingbo Sun
Siyu Wang

Degrees conferred December 14, 2017

Xiyiing Li
Xinyuan Shi

BACHELOR OF ARCHITECTURE

Degree candidates May 11, 2018

Michael Philip Alexander
Owen David Berry (C)
Camille Annette Cortes
Catherine Crotty (C)
Kristine Dillon
Avleigh Du
Gabriel Fischler
Jessica Flores (S) *
Colby Sullivan Gallagher
Marissa Gudiel
Erin Kristina Hickey (M)

Victor Gerard Kalil Jr.
Sasha Theresa Kayal
Hitomi Maeno
Kirstin Anne Marshall
Sydney Matsumoto (S)
Frank T. Noska (C)
Cynthia Pacheco (M) *
Dorianne Marie Paris Dutari (C)
Sarah Potter (C)
Marcus Anthony Riley
Jules Jean Jacques Bernard Romier
Catalina Ruiz Luzio (C)
Andrew L. Schneider (C)
Samantha Fox Schneider
Corey Shapiro
Zachary Wayne Silver
Davin Micah Stancil *
Justin Tehrani
Yating Yang

Degree candidates August 10, 2018

Luis Miguel Aragones Ortigosa
Andrew T. Dai
Ashley V. Galvankar
Chesney B. Henry
Nicolle Janek
Austin Richard Rico
Kaidi Wei

Degree conferred December 14, 2017

Danielle Noemi Todd (C)

COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES

Established 1926

Presented by Leonidas G. Bachas, Ph.D., Dean

MASTER OF ARTS

Degree candidates May 10, 2018

Antonio Miguel Acosta
Mathew Carl Angles
Ian Alexander Bussan
Alexandre De Castro Salgado
Berthy Sabrina Gonzalez
Paul Joseph Griebel
Oshea Donnell Johnson
Azenet Liora Lopez Lopez
Ximena Marincic Sanchez
Brandon Paul Martinez
Mallory J. Morken
Stephanie Rocio Partridge
William Julius Sack
Gloria May Schmitz
Leighton Andrew Shervington
Hee Jae Shim
Sally Somoza
Yaru Wang

Degree candidate August 10, 2018

Brenda Jacqueline Corea

Degrees conferred December 14, 2017

Athbi N. Al Subaie
Christopher Aaron Colarusso
Zella Ann Conyers
Emily Virginia Cowperthwaite
Suchismita Dutta
Michaela O. Ekowo
Bernardo Gonzalez
Aki Patricia Hirotani
Kyriacos Tongun Jumi
Margo Marie Kane
Caroline Donnelly Korba
Jianing Li
Stephanie Linares
Tabitha Nicole Lopez
Tatyana C. McNish
Atena Catalina Panaite
Ekaterina Savinova
Melody Ann Smith
Cecelia Ann Smith Richards

MASTER OF ARTS IN ANTHROPOLOGY

Degree candidate August 10, 2018

Alison Koskos

MASTER OF ARTS IN LIBERAL STUDIES

Degree candidates May 10, 2018

Nadieska Gonzalez Miranda
Robert Ferdinand Govaerts
Alexander Higa Silva
Marilyn Vazquez-Aparicio

Degree candidates August 10, 2018

Katherine Bessemer
Adriana Cassinera

Degrees conferred December 14, 2017

Alexis Capellades
Yuanhan Gu
Kellen Whitney Jones
Hengyi Ke
Mengxian Li
Weiyi Li
Zedan Liu
Yian Lu
Xun Ren
Xinyan Shen
Yuqi Sun
Zheyi Xu
Xiaoyue Yang
Lu Zeng
Ailin Zhang
Hanye Zhu

MASTER OF FINE ARTS

Degree candidates May 10, 2018

Camila Barbeito
Patricia Lorraine Cooke
Dana Reva De Greff
Karli A. Evans
Jennifer L. Geisenberger-Sayed
Izia Lee Lindsay
Anna Carolyn Meier

MASTER OF MATHEMATICAL FINANCE

Degrees conferred December 14, 2017

Yian Lu
Hanye Zhu

MASTER OF PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION

Degree candidates May 10, 2018

Karyna MaryLouise Armstrong
Luxi Chen

Zuo Chen
Xinyi Fan
Xintong Fang
Yingxian He
Tingzhong Huang
Shenghang Jiang
Haoming Li
Jia Li
Wanying Li
Shuang Liu
Wei Quan
Saysa Carolina Santos Sanchez
Carolina Scaramutti
Jingyuan Sun
Yayun Xiao
Weike Xu
Jing Yang
Zitao Zhan
Yizhe Zhang

Degree candidates August 10, 2018

John Fredric Barkley
Lu Jiang
Xiaowen Kang
Renan Oscar Lopez De Azua
Ashley Cree Reece
Daniel Ruiz
Stephanie S. Thomas
Dinah Renee Trevil

Degrees conferred December 14, 2017

Shaimerden Akhmetov
Annabel Escandon
Kangqi Xiang
Abdugali Yakhiyayev

MASTER OF SCIENCE

Degree candidates May 10, 2018

Linda Marie Charlene Bouwmans
Michael Jonah Fishman
Justin R. Kallman
Dhaka Mohan Sapkota
Karen Rothman

Degrees conferred December 14, 2017

Alyssa Elena Alvarez
Dahriana Correa
Nickelle Laurence Decius
Hannah Fisher
Maria Jimenez Munoz
Jia Li
Xuming Li
Xiaoming Liu
Marlene Martinez
Joseph G. Masterjohn
Kyle Manuel Poore
Kosette Smith
Niza Alejandra Tonarely

BACHELOR OF ARTS

Degree candidates May 11, 2018

Joshua Abraham
Rachel Marcella Abrams
Breanna Noelle Acitelli
Isabelle Francoise Adams
Isabella Grace Addeo (M)
Racquel Marie Adzima (M)
Oscar Arsenio Aguirre (M)
Kevin Brian Al-Abdala
Amruth Akhil Alluri
Mubarak S E K H A Almutairi
Ivann Clarence Anderson
Omar Anis
Syed Areeb Anzar
Theodore Thomas Appel
Aidan J. Appleby
Sheharyar Arshad
Abbie Auster (S)
Jared Awner
Lucas Baker (C)
Jacob Edward Baldwin
Diannis Elizabeth Barban (M)
John Edward Bargfeldt Jr.
Anika Batta
Maria Costanza Benvenuti (M)
Matilde Nicole Beraja
Teresita Sofia Bernace
William C. Besl
Adriana Marie Bevilacqua
Christina Elisa Birch
Giovanna Bizzarro
Alma Linnea Bjoerklund (M)
Sergio Blanco
Katherine Bloshenko
Olivia M. Bobes (C)
Revanth R. Boda
Julio Cesar Bolivar Dos Ramos
Alyssa Lee Bolt (C)
Michael Joseph Boyle
Nathaniel Bradley III
Louis S. Braver
Stefan Brehnan
John Thomas Brewer
David J. Breyer
Jason Brisman
Ashley A. Broome-Webster
Megan Brophy
Matthew Manuel Brotz (M)
Kathrine Brown
Jennifer Lauren Burdeen
Michael Allen Burns Jr.
Ana Maria Bustamante (C)
Kevin E. Bustamante (C)
Pedro J. Bustamante
Asia Y. Cadet (M)
Benjamin Ross Caplan (M)
Anthony Carnero
Keegan Carroll
Julian Vincent Carter
Kimberly Alexis Casanas
Kristen Anne Casanas
Austin Cassidy (C)
Daniel Castaneda
Sergio Armando Castro Rachmacy

Dylan Kevin Ceder (S) *
Ying Cen
Ana Claudia Chacin
Alyssa Chavies
Ida Chen
Yuting Cheng
Courtney Marie Chennault (M)
Nagashreyasu Chidarala (S) *
Sissi China (C)
Claire Rose Clarkin
Anisha Clay
Lena Esther Cohen
Lindsay Anne Cohen
Patricia Colon
Thomas Covelli
Silvana Crespo-Narvaez (S)
Kendall Alexis Cromartie
Gabriela Cruz
Colman Tomas Cummins
Jack D'Errico
Erin Alexandra Dandes
Amanda Gillian Davidson
Elizabeth Davis
Lazaro Del Pino
Elizabeth Marie Delgado
Severiano Michael Depardon
Sanat Kiran Deshpande (C)
Christian Josue Diaz
Gabriela Alexis Diaz (M)
Stephanie Duarte
Derek Duffaut
David Bared Dukenik
Stephen S. Dumont
Briana Danielle Earhart (M)
Dylan Z. Echevarria
Maria El Ghandor
Natalia Maria Escobar
Dominique Alisa Fairley
Sarah Anne Farinelli
Amanda Fay
John Ronald Fernstrom (S)
Gabrielle Marie Ferrara (M)
Virginia Lawrence Fick
Paul Finazzo
Ryan Timothy Fitzpatrick
Kenneth P. Foote-Smith
Evan Forsell
Jesse Forstot
Harrison Fritz
Lucas Anthony Gabriel
Mario Gamino
Ge Gao
Ari Garvett
Olivia Marie Gassner
Cesar A. Gavidia
James Adam George (C)
Tyler-Ann Patricia Gilzene (C)
Sydney Diana Giordano (S)
Justin Paul Goldberg (C)
Matthew Anthony Golden
Gabriella Delima Goldman
Margaret Goldman (S)
Shayna B. Goldstein
Javier David Gonzalez
Vanessa Solanus Gonzalez-Gomez
Nathan Edward Goodwin
Stephanie Lea Gordon

Zoe A. Gorospe
Samantha Gosney-Doak
Natalie M. Granda (M)
Emilie Anne Greaves
Christopher Charles Green
Austin Greto
Micah Gustafson
Kevin Hannan
Keyanna Harris
Abigail Elizabeth Hemenway
Brianna Nicole Hernandez (C)
Briadam Herrera Gorrin
Ana Luisa Hineztrosa
Parthiva Mahesh Hirdaramani
Alexia Hirlemann (M)
Montana Hirschowitz
Max Hoffmann
Hong Hu
Michelle Inglis (M)
George Louis Iskenderian
Hani Matthew Jardack Jr. (M)
Kyle Madsen Jeffery
Koo Min Jeong
Hannah Johnson
Milo George Judge
Sarah Beth Jungman
Payton Elizabeth Kaar
Avi Rupin Kadakia
Daler Kadirov
Rebecca Kaplan
Michelle Kaplin-Zhebrak (M)
Daniel Katz (M)
Ryan A. Kesselring (M) *
Shelly Khanna
Erum Kidwai (C)
Hunter Joshua King (C)
Luiza Kinzerska-Martinez (S)
Kristen Marie Klein
Emily Kobayashi
Jake Perry Koslen
Anne Kotlarz (M)
Crystimaria Asimo Kotsiopoulos
Dean Aston Krauss
Cristopher Luis Kroeze
Harrison G. Kryvicky
Michael Anthony Laday
Risa Wynn Lake
Tamsen Angelica Lake (M)
Amanda Lynn Lambert
Alessandra Lanaro
Paula Landron
Christian Bradley Langmo
Colter Lasley (M)
Davin R. Laskin (M)
Paola Josefina Le Varrat
Alan Nicholas Leblanc Jr.
Rachel Jessica Leder (C)
Maggie Mae Lee
Jennifer Lepman (C)
Victoria Emma Phania Leveque
Wanyu Li
Ziqiao Li
Junzhe Lin
Megan Lipsky (M) *
Fan Liu
Noribel Pamela Llanes
Sinead Brid Lohan
Carissa Longo

* General Honors

(S) Summa Cum Laude
(M) Magna Cum Laude
(C) Cum Laude

Leandra Lucia Lopez
Annie Louk
Christian J. Lugo Tortosa
Stephanie M. Lytle
Kyle Magno
Raymond Mangiaratti
John Michael Margas
Diego Antonio Marquez
Roberto Marrero Jr.
Crystal Yvette Marte
Lorenzo Martino
Andrew Domenic Masciarella (M)
Natalie Frances Massiah
Kladius Javed Maynard (C)
Emily Maria McCready
Melanie McKenna
Emily Kristen McManus
Amanda Nicole Meeks
Connor Greenwood Megan (M)
Eden Mekonnen
Cem Metin
Amanda Bing Miller (C)
Oscar Daniel Montealegre
Jane Catherine Moore
Menelao Mora IV
Anthony Moten Jr.
Andrew Britton Neely
Ashley Ne'Cole Nettles
Bianca Newton
Ja'Quan Newton
Angel Michael Nieves
Alondra M. Nin Rivera (C)
Joanna Niworowski (C)
Jessica Noel
Alexandra Novo
Noah Ryan Nusbaum
Olumayowa Stephanie
Olabisi Olujohungbe (M)
Jacob Alden Osborne
Maximillian Tobias Oxenbridge
Akhil Parlapalli
Rafael A. Paz (S)
Sondra Alexis Pearson
Michael Alexander Perez
Matthew Scott Pfaff
Vivian Phung
Zachary Picon
Brenda Ponce
Erika L. Porrino
Justin Lee Porter
Sarah Elizabeth Price (C)
Evan J. Prish
Peyton Elene Pullen
Luigi Quercia
Anu Xsitaaz Ramdin (M)
Melanie M. Ramirez
Claire Alyssa Ramsey
Carolyn Alissa Rheinstein
Tiffany Rigole
Mariah Jane Robinson (C)
Christian Manuel Rodriguez
Juan A. Rodriguez
Carleigh Romano
Brett Tyler Rosenberg
Stephanie Louise Ruffolo (C)
Alyson Faith Ruttgeizer (C)
Olivia Nicole Sacks

Jonathan Sadian
Meher Saleem (M)
Amanda Catherine Salerno
Reymond A. Sanchez
Cesar Adrian Sandoval
Anastasia Saravia
Sabrina Marie Schlesinger
Hailey McKenna Selikoff
Maxwell H. Shaevitz
India Elizabeth Sherman
Melissa Cristina Shunk
Christina Norma Elizabeth Silvester
Isaac Hiniker Simons
Keenan Armand Singh
Maddie Jean Sisco
Michael Anthony Smith Jr.
Nicholas Donald Snyder
Tonino Solimine
Yue Song
Eric Lacroix Stahr
Katrina Stegmann
Nicole Anne Stephens (M)
Kyla Grace Elizabeth Stewart (C)
Adam Riccardo Sticca (C)
Aiyanna Brigitte Stiverne
Cole Frederick Stockstill
Adam Douglas Strubeck
Mingyang Su
Amanda Suarez
Marc Eberhard Suhr II
Bo Sun
Sasha Catherine Sutcliffe
Gillian Katherine Sutherland
Corey Yos Suthumpong (M)
Satanan Suwunrut
Hunter Keith Tackett
Lindsey Katherine Tague
Mehreen Tariq (M)
Yongquan Daryl Teo
Vanessa Carolina Tercero (M)
Jeanette Cheng Tho (C) *
Chelsea Monique Thomas
Andrew S. Thompson (C) *
Terri Lynn Upson
Emily Sofia Urdaneta
Bryan Eusevio Vargas
Katherine Vavoulis
Jack Viener
Claire Sophia Vogel
Cajohn Voltaire (M)
Haley Anne Walker (S)
Yaoli Wang
Zhengwei Wang
Destiny Washington
Hanna Webb
Josh Weiner
Haley Rose Welch (C)
Leroy Sebastian Wells
Emily C. Wexler (S)
Benjamin Alexander White (C) *
Kyra E. Williams
Lewis H. Winter
Jessie Lee Woods
Jackie Yang (M)
Linge Yang
Brandon Chase Yaraghi
Jasmyne Christa Yeldell

Weicheng Yuan
Maham Zafar
Andrew Mark Zangrando
Madeleine Claire Zehnle
Jian Zhang
Boyang Zheng
Tony Zhu
Charlsey T. Zyne

Degree candidates August 10, 2018

Billah Abdul-Jalaal
Matthew Brian Ahern
Essa Saeed Bin Tahnoon Alnehayan
Viviana Anel (M)
Flora A. Balog
Nicholas O. Bank
Jasmine Bhairo
Shawntrell D. Blackman
Ashley Victoria Blanco-Arencibia
Ashley-Marie Bombino
Rachael Evelyn Britton
Joseph Matthew Buzzetti
Sophia Helen Cayuso
Fawlene Copeland
Peter Danton (C)
Henri Martin Delauze
Edward Leonard Dier (M)
Marawan Elzeftawy
Nicole Erichsen
Liz Rachel Fariñas
Detra Renee Fleming
Dayall M. Harris
Samuel Noah Horowitz
Xuan Huang
Anelia Hyland
Min A. Jang
Yuzhou Ji
Jacob Marcel Kainic
Jamal Adam Lifschultz
Lina Maklad Younes
Alexandra Therese McDonnell
Francisco J. Narvaez
Nina Linette Ortiz
Horvey Manuel Palacios
Scott Patchan
Robert Micheal Perry Jr.
Kexin Qiu
Ezekiel Rodriguez
Rachel S. Schaeffer
Samuel Elliott Scott
Jarredd Valentine Simpson
Evan Joe Sondey
William Tyler Spehr
Michael Stavola
Henry Uhl
Andrea Vasquez
Hunter David Welsch
Yangcheng Xu
Jinsong Zhu

Degrees conferred December 14, 2017

Ashley Accorto
Monica Aguilera

Joseph Anthony Alagna III
 Heba Alasfour
 Vincent Albelo
 Danah M A Y Algharaballi
 Farah M A Y Algharaballi
 Matthew Edward Ashton
 Genevieve Leigh Berman
 Nicholas Berman
 Christopher Joseph Bernal
 Samuel Zekiel Billings
 Tanner Bivins
 Jennifer Blanco (C)
 Amalie Lorentzen Bolbjerg
 Kathryn Elisabeth Brimanson (S)
 Larissa Andrea Carreras
 Raymond Catena
 Beatriz China (C)
 Michael Cioci
 Sofia Coll
 Trevor Alexander Darling
 Francesca Deluca (C) *
 Paola Espinoza
 Nicole Wren Friedlander (M)
 Jessica Gales
 Ryan Maurice Demetrius Glover
 Aaron Howard Gluck
 Nina S. Gomez-Fernandini
 Deeani Amalia Gonzalez
 Francesca Marie Gonzalez
 Carolina Granja
 Juan Jose Henao (C)
 Christopher Herndon IV
 Kevin Herrera (M)
 James Malcolm Holding
 Xavier Craig Hopkins
 Mengting Hu
 Jingyin Huang
 Alexa Hyppolite
 Demetrius Jackson
 Tian Ji
 Alejandra Isabel Jimenez Villegas (M)
 Jahair Hasaan Jones
 Eric William Koeller
 Metin Kumru
 Mia Cari Lam
 Alexis Nicole Lamoni
 Boru Li
 Chujun Li
 Adriana Lindenfeld (M)
 Elio Gerardo Livi Belloso (M)
 Yajing Luo
 David Maldonado
 Alex Christopher Mamas
 Zahra Amin Markatia (S) *
 Fernando Martin Narbona
 Anthony G. Martinez
 Michael Alexander Martinez (M)
 Elad Massika
 Christopher Connor McDonald
 Rachel May Medaugh (C)
 Alexis Fernande Milord
 Daniel Miranda
 Victoria Eva Montes Nino Bruzone
 Enti Mooskin
 Adriana Carolina Nava
 Wephnirva Kejine Nonord
 Samantha Elizabeth Novoa

Hector Phillip Ortiz
 Natalie Ourhaan
 Darrion Eman' Owens
 Clarissa C. Pascual (C)
 Onur Can Peker
 Edward Roy Pineiro
 Mariana Batista Pinto
 Jiaming Ren (C)
 Alexa Reubens (C)
 Sefanie Marie Rodriguez (C)
 Hazel Rogers
 Ela Malik Rosier
 Maayan Sachs (C)
 Sebastien Richard Saint-Pierre
 Sarah Anne Samuels
 Carlos Ernesto San Jose
 Alessandra Katryna Sanchez-Senofonte
 Matthias Amaru Schiller
 Lindsay Hannah Seiden
 Sean Tobin Silverman
 Kathryn P. Smith
 Jackson Kyle Sommerville
 Zofia Gabriella Soroko
 Shay Lia Shannondoah Strelzik
 Jacqueline Toland
 Jason Aaron Vessal
 Marion Ruth Vilberg
 Rachel Beth Wagner
 Sofia Waterhouse Hayward
 Brandi N. Webster
 Joseph Whiteside
 Monica Wilson-Reid
 Siyuan Yang
 Yishan Yang

BACHELOR OF FINE ARTS

Degree candidates May 11, 2018

Shannon Nicole Booth (M)
 Sarah Elizabeth Carron
 Samuel Takumu Chan
 Robert Harold Eddy
 Emma Freeman
 Ana Maria Gonzalez
 Andrew Craig Gryniewicz (C)
 Emma Claire Harper (S)
 Branden Taylor Holzer (C)
 Bennett Jacob Leeds
 Sara Mahini (M)
 Vanessa Lynne McCloskey (M)
 Alexander Tomas Michell (C)
 Uma Paranjpe (C)
 Matthew Christopher Paris
 Samantha Nicole Petrin
 Jonah Ryan Robinson (C)
 Lily Maclaren Steven (M)
 Kelly Lauren Zahnen (C)

Degrees conferred December 14, 2017

Mariana Diaz
 Tracy Ehrlich
 Alejandra Isabel Jimenez Villegas
 Xinrui Wang

BACHELOR OF GENERAL STUDIES

Degree candidates May 11, 2018

Jose Fernando Gonzalez
 Evan Adam Kline
 Christina Rose Manfredi
 Michelle A. McClendon
 Michael Montero
 Maria Stella Montoya
 Ramon Ramirez
 Juliana Rosero
 Clay W. Valarezo

Degree candidates August 10, 2018

Loida L. Cooper
 Carmen Angela Gilbert
 Magalys Hernandez
 Walleska M. Lacayo
 Yesenia Marie Malaret
 Jagatheswari Rajakumar
 Clinton Edward Rodriguez
 Natasha M. Rodriguez
 Jacqueline Ryan

Degrees conferred December 14, 2017

Alix Aidee Acosta
 William Amestoy
 Ruben Angel
 Lenia Charles
 David Jose Gonzalez
 Nicholas A. Ramos
 Shardae K. Wilson

BACHELOR OF LIBERAL ARTS

Degree candidates May 11, 2018

Terry McCray Jr.
 James Q. Steele
 Brandon D. Washington

Degree candidates August 10, 2018

Trayone Gray
 Darrell Leonard Langham Jr.

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE

Degree candidates May 11, 2018

Jasmine Ayanna Rach Abram
 Lily A. Acheampomaa-Piasare (M)
 Emily Catherine Aguila
 Luciano Alfaro
 Rowanne Ali
 Dema Ammar (C)
 Katherine Andrade
 Arshia Arora (S)

Lauren Michelle Ayars
 Ashley Bahamonde
 Umer Farooq Bakali
 Normila Barthelemy
 Alyssa Anastacia Basdavanos (M)
 Anika Batta
 Faraah Nasser Bekheet (C)
 Malak Benkhadra
 Eduardo Berrios-Donayre
 Alexander Vlad Besmer (C)
 Neha Bhaskar
 Noor Miriam Bittar
 Dilnoza Bobokalonova
 Shreehari Bohra
 Jerry Robert Bonnell (S)
 Kyra Glen Brook
 Cody Brown
 Peyton Tyler Brown
 Matias Buedo
 Kristen Noel Bufkin *
 Amber Elaine Bulna (M)
 Claudia Cabrera Pastrana
 Kuang Cai
 Ashley Marie Cairo
 Dilraj Singh Cambow (C)
 Simone Campbell
 Talytha Campos
 Issahy Cano
 Eric Cao
 Gabrielle Cappelli Hess Von Gabriel
 Ann C. Cappetta (M)
 Ashley Nichole Carvin
 Vincent John Cendan (M) *
 Erica Chang
 Collin Bradley Chase (M)
 Davis Chen (M)
 Guanrong Chen
 Haorui Chen
 Jiawei Chen
 Chelsea Chico
 Nagashreyasu Chidarala (S) *
 Liza Jane Chikovskiy
 Erica Nicole Christmas *
 Cameron Hankins Chung (M)
 Andrea Michelle Cicilia
 Andrew John Cirincione
 Tiffany Lee Clausen
 Andrew Cochran
 Don S. Cohen
 Colin Maxwell Cole
 Haley Converse
 Thomas Henry Cordell
 Andres Mauricio Corona
 Renata Miranda Correa
 Tanner Donovan Corse (C)
 Nino Augusto Coutelle (C)
 Michele Cutri
 Nikhil Das
 Sree Harsha Datla (C)
 Pooja Dave
 Swetha Davuluri (S)
 Miles O'Brien Dearden (S)
 Madeleine Felicie Degrange
 Julia Sergeyevna Denissova
 Henson Destine
 Avery Elizabeth DeVault
 Karanvir Singh Dhoother (C)

Matthew Armando Diaz (C)
 Cameron Mae Dodd
 Leah Verna Dodds (M)
 Zhuoyao Du
 Katherine Louisa Durkin Dudzinsky
 Frederick Gethin Durrant (C)
 Kayle Rae Edwards
 Adam Alexander Eibel (C) *
 Rachael Elizabeth Eickmeyer (M)
 Aya Eltantawy (C)
 Austin Bradford Eng
 Adaora Rachel Ewulu
 Sarwan Fahim (M) *
 Annelise Fernandez
 Jessica Rachel Fine (S)
 Elijah Furman
 Skyler Fustos (M)
 Andrew Martin Gabig (C)
 Sirisha Gaddipati (S) *
 Grace Angel Garcia
 Jessica Garcia
 Alexandra Garvin (C)
 Miguel A. Gavidia
 John Fritz Gerry
 Daniel Alexander Gomez
 Katherine Gonzalez
 Rogelio Jose Gonzalez
 Anthony Graffeo
 Alexandre Zvonimir Grahovac
 Tyler Douglas Grant
 Courtney James Green
 Morgan Elizabeth-Carolyn Greene
 Kevin Anthony Griffin
 Carlee Michele Grubbs
 Jiahui Gu
 Richard Anthony Guerra
 Amber Nicolette Guiao
 Madolyn Brooke Guillard
 Akila Sandesh Abeywickrama Gunasekera
 Preeti Gupta (C)
 Richard Poole Hankins
 Elizabeth Hernandez (C)
 Francisco Hernandez
 Gabriela Maria Hernandez
 Loren Elizabeth Hernandez (M)
 Sage Taylor Hewitt
 Natalie Hickerson (S)
 Robert Solomon Highbloom
 Amanda Jean Hillegass (M)
 Marlee Rachele Hirsch (C)
 Benjamin Bruce Hoar (M)
 Elijah Jonathan Horesh (C)
 Natalia Rose Horvath
 Maximilian Richard Howson (C)
 James Hsiao
 Jian Hu
 Kangyu Huang
 Kaitlyn Kathleen Huaroto
 Juliana Hudson
 Kaylee Marie Hughes
 Emily Rene Hunter
 Catherine Quynh Mai Huynh
 Mary Katherine Ibáñez
 Gabriela Christine Iribar
 Gabriel Ignacio Iriza
 Hera Jamal
 Meghana Jami (S)

Dyami Zenobia Jasdawala
 Chelsea Deja Jocelyn
 Mallory Pyne Johnson
 Rachel Johnson (C) *
 Daniel Sterling Jordan
 Benjamin Paul Kaminski (M)
 Varun Kanumuri (M)
 Daniel Samuel Katan
 Nicholas Ethan Katz
 Nabiba Shabbir Khakoo (S)
 Areeba Khan
 Neha Najeeb Khan
 Sara Ahmed Khan
 Shivam Khosla
 Dylan Kirschenbaum (C)
 Ruby Rose Kleinbard
 Rebecca Beverly Kow (C) *
 Alyce Mei-Shiuan Kuo (S) *
 Blanche Lan-Shiuan Kuo (S) *
 Alyssa Marie Laffitte (C)
 Nina Silvia Land
 Jeffrey Simms Larson (M) *
 Diego Lasso (C)
 Madison Rose Leap
 Kyla Ann-Marie Leonard
 Hilary Brooke Levine
 Adam Shapira Levy
 Christine Li (C)
 Celeste Shu-En Lim
 Allen H. Liu (S) *
 Yuanzhi Liu
 Zhuo Liu (C)
 Kareen Erica Livits
 Jonathan Ryan Lo
 Sean Loftus
 Maya Lubarsky
 Cecilia Marie Luciano (S) *
 Justin Ma (M) *
 Anthony Fortunato Maganini
 Jordan Taylor Mandell (C)
 Seth Samuel Manilove
 Irene Mulloy Manning (S)
 Ava Elisabet Marsh
 Andrew Domenic Masciarella (M)
 William Radcliffe Massey
 Blake Fording Maune (C)
 Cynthia Brianne May
 Mackenzie Marie Mayhew (S)
 Noura Maziak
 Hayley Alexandra McLean
 Andrew Collin McManus
 Reshav Prakash Mehtani
 Karthik P. Meiyappan (S)
 Noel Zena Mengistie
 Harold Sean Milenkovic
 Christopher Miller
 Cole Edgar Miranda (C)
 Timothy G. Mitchell
 Esmail Hassan Miyanji
 Grant Eli Mizel (C)
 Elizabeth Ashleigh Mompont (M)
 Lukas Montejo
 Soyounng Moon
 Connor James Morley
 Yassine Motaouakkil
 Aarif Motorwala (C)
 Conor James Murray

Alexis Musick (S) *
 Gabriel Albert Nahas
 David Scott Nahum
 Kunal Prashant Naik (M)
 Anwar Nass
 Layla Marie Nassar (C) *
 Jere D. Neill
 Jonathan Dan Minh Nguyen
 Edward Anthony Noguera (C)
 Gregory Dennis Oliva
 Claudia Olivia Olszewski
 Ryan O'Reilly
 Michael R. Ortega (M)
 Inngide E. Osirus
 Richa Jaysukhlal Panara (C)
 Annika Patel (S)
 Mausam Jatin Patel (S)
 Natasha Patel
 Pujan Patel (C)
 Ricardo Andres Perez Torres
 Lizbeth A. Pinto
 Venkat Sumanth Potluri
 Annelise Nicole Potter
 Cindy Presendieu
 Rochelle Prokupets (S) *
 Zain Amer Qazi (C)
 Ramya Radhakrishnan (C)
 Masai Rains
 Sujatha Raman (M) *
 Sharadh Ramesh (C)
 Monica Lucia Ramirez
 Daniela Isabel Ramos-Delgado (C)
 Kevin Eli Ramrattan
 Muhammad Hussain Raza (S) *
 Rohit Reddy (C)
 Caroline Reid
 Danielle Reid
 Benjamin Christoph Reiss
 John Stuart Renzi
 Natalie Rose Ricciardi
 Bonnie Hannah Rice (C)
 Emily Noel Risdon (C)
 Cianna Jade Rivera
 Andre A. Rivero-Guevara
 Stacy Brianne Robustelli
 Alexander Rodriguez
 Jacqueline Elise Rodriguez
 Michael A. Rodriguez
 Celia Romero
 Jacob Benjamin Rosewater (C)
 Nicole Leigh Rotkovitz
 Joan Christen Rutledge (C)
 Arrix L. Ryce (C) *
 Amit Kumar Saha (C) *
 Monica Elaine Samit (C)
 Aaisha Sanaullah
 Jacob Henry Sandor
 Francesco Enrico Sautto
 Casey Jordan Sciandra
 Stephanie Marie Scuotto (M)
 Ryan Martin Severdija (M)
 Aditya Samir Shah *
 Viraj Niren Shah (S)
 Dara Shahriari
 Nisha Sharma (M)
 Tooba Irshad Sheikh
 Benjamin Dale Shey

Meghana Elizabeth Shownkeen (M)
 Gururaj Shriram (M) *
 Claudia Skok Gibbs
 Mackenzie Lyn Smyth
 Ruba Sokrab (M)
 Steven Soriano
 Angelica St Rose
 Brandon Tommy Lee Stahl (C) *
 Michael Mora Stangis
 Tyler Camille Stewart
 Julie Ann Suarez
 Yuemiao Sun
 Corey Yos Suthumphong (M)
 Serena Rene Sweet
 Nichole Jaime Tatte
 Natalie Telfeja
 Taylor Clare Thiesen (M)
 Marcella Ninfa Thomas
 Sanam Thukral
 Camila Sofia Torres Jaramillo
 Rochelle Zari Toulabi
 Carmen Tun
 Jenny Lore Ulber
 Prakirn Upadhyay
 Daniel Medford Urkov
 Jessica Valido (M)
 Ahdarsh Ram Vallabhaneni (C)
 Danielle Nicole Villa (C)
 Akash Villait
 Camden Ann Vitale
 Justin Wang (C)
 Sihan Wang
 Alexandra Morgan Ware
 Georgina Virginia Whelan
 Azaan Saalim Wilbon
 Sydney Symone Wilbon
 Michelle Dawn Williams
 Emily Mae Williamson
 Benjamin Wright (M)
 Zishi Wu (M) *
 Sierra Alexis Wulfson (C)
 Sabrina Xiao *
 Xinyuan Xu
 Jackie Yang (M)
 Nawal Zafar
 Khalaf Khaled Khalaf Zayyat
 Yuhao Zhang
 Chengcheng Zheng (M)
 Yujia Zhou (S) *
 Rui Zhu
 Michelle Cristina Zogby (M)

Christopher John Naegele
 Asmaa H. Odeh
 Maria Orbe (M)
 Ashley Ortiz
 Nidhi Hitesh Patel *
 Matthew Dalton Schneiderman (M)
 Patricia Ann Victor
 Paul Konrad Wolfe

Degrees conferred December 14, 2017

Diego F. Aguirre Aguilar
 Santiago Angaramo (M)
 Asaf H. Avramovich
 Julius A. Baray
 Ryan Berkun (S)
 Jonathan Blandon Davila
 Toni Ann Boltz (C)
 Lev Botea
 Nathanael Francis Bourgeois
 Sandy Eugenie Brumaire
 Anthony William Burgin (M)
 Yichen Chen
 Allison Marie Chin (C)
 Christiana L. Colby
 Joshua Garrett Crane (M)
 Rachel Cubilla (M)
 Kimberly Michelle Dargan
 Maxwell Chase Detweiler (M)
 Kathrine Dinabourgski
 Nicholas Fonseca Nogueira (C) *
 Joshua Benjamin Forer (M)
 Lexi Rose Frankel
 Meredith M. Frost (S) *
 Amanda Kirsten Gale (C)
 Emily Christine Gale
 Kevin Michael Garcia
 Yajaira Garcia Rodriguez (C)
 Qi Gong
 Angelica Gousse
 Amber Marie Griffin
 Deividas Gustainis (C) *
 Emily Hahm (M)
 Elizabeth Rose Halliday
 Matthew D. Harris
 Jeremiah George Hassett
 Ian Alexander Hoyos
 Natasha M. Jansen
 Brenda Alexandra Kaplin-Zhebrak
 Hannah Lamphier Kenny (S) *
 Marwa Seema Khan (M)
 Ezan Kothari (S)
 Mandy Lacroix
 John Le (C)
 Chujun Li
 Isabella Theonil Lugo
 Lan Lyu
 Luciano Augusto Magurno
 Madeline Renee Mahoney
 Fayeza Shajonta Malik (M)
 Sivan Manoah
 Zahra Amin Markatia (S) *
 Stephanie Hannah McCarthy
 Erik Maxwell Vitnis McKee (S)
 Kimberly Monique McLeod
 Farrah Mohammed (S)

Degree candidates August 10, 2018

Tyler Agnor
 Katarina Alexa Alem
 Christian Michael Alvarez
 Jose Campos III
 Evan Clark Babcock Carey
 Elizabeth Cecelia Davoli (C)
 Lauren Frances Dender
 Feda Fitian
 Caroline June Granger (C)
 Gabriella Amy Grau
 Cristina Infante (C)
 Fidah Hyder Khan

Laura Molina (C)
 Matthew Y. Moon
 Alejandro Taylor Newsom
 Mohamed Nuh (M)
 Eliot Dominic Parascandolo (C) *
 Joel Pardo (C)
 Pooja Chandrakant Patel (S)
 Savannah Jay Pocquette
 Thomas Rauser (M) *
 Jade Redding
 Carla Rodriguez (M)
 Cristina Michelle Sanchez (S)
 Christian Sellars
 Jae Sung Shin
 Alexander F. Siegel
 Kelly Simon (M)
 Thomas Christopher Smith (C)
 Sandra Lynn Taylor
 Lucas Stuart Tozzi (C)
 Chloe Treaster
 Jorge D. Vega
 John Steilen Williams
 Gloria Yang
 Renata Zatarain
 Junjia Zheng
 Yibing Zhou
 Keyan Zolfaghari (S)

BUSINESS SCHOOL

Established 1929

Presented by John Quelch, Ph.D., Dean

MASTER OF ACCOUNTING

Degree candidates May 10, 2018

Noah G. Arons
 Nathalie Aupont
 Karen Alexa Barragan
 Alexandre Brouillet
 Yates Bowman Brown
 Yanfu Chen
 Libang Cheng
 Krista Mireille Elie
 Sarah Francis
 Melissa Lynn Fuerst
 Ge Gao
 Julio Miguel Garcia
 Gregory A. Golden
 Matthew Guinn
 Brett Hernandez
 Yonghao Huang
 Faith Ann Kurzman
 Zijun Liu
 Joseph Edward Maroon
 Kaylee Lynn Miner
 Patrick Morgan
 Paul Zachary Plevritis
 Yanning Qi
 Jacob I. Sandweiss
 Evan Thomas Shomo
 Brendan John Smith
 Stephanie Marie Velasco
 Kevin T. Vikander
 Pu Wang
 Qihe Wang
 Anthony Stephen Weisler
 Brandon R. Werley
 Jung Won Yoon
 Fengfei Zhang
 Wenqiao Zhang
 Yu Zhao

Degrees conferred December 14, 2017

Monica Kathleen Bair
 Matthew T. Beckman
 Yuning Chen
 Maxwell S. Davidson
 Gabriela Sofia Derequesens
 Briana Jane Felitti
 Natalie Marie Godoy
 Nicole Gomez
 Kang Ling Hsu
 Rilde A. Leon
 Mingyu Li
 Kayleigh Parravicini
 Karina Perez
 Spencer H. Posner
 Xinghan Qi
 Jillian Nicole Ruskin

Andrea Maria Vorlicek
 Keke Wang
 Junyu Wei
 Fengjun Yuan
 Yanan Zhai
 Ningxuan Zhang

MASTER OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

Degree candidates May 10, 2018

Tasheka Amanda Aikman
 Abdullah Mohammed S Alrasheed
 Carlos Antonio Alvarez
 Ilwaad Rashid Abdi Aman
 Kris Anthony Andaur
 Narusorn Arrakwanich
 Whitney Helene Ash
 Alexa Balboni
 Charles S. Baronowitz
 Jessica Leah Berger
 Anthony Blanksteen
 Laura Kelley Bloom
 Katie Bolf
 Luis Bernardo Botero Villaneda
 David Richard Busse
 Glenn Eugene Carr
 Emilio Cartier
 Daniel Castelao Urdaneta
 Shravan Reddy Chintalapani
 Ernest Cividanes
 Catharine Colavitti
 Ricardo Jose Contreras Di Zio
 Michael Devlin Curran
 Craig Robert Dermody
 Michael Alexander Diaz
 Jenifer Lyn Dilapi
 Joel Faustin
 Gabriel Luis Fernandez
 John Michael Gerbas
 Miguel Goncalves Fonseca
 Alexandra Marie Gonzalez
 Eli Gordon
 Treshawn Kyndell Hagood
 Daniel Jason Halperin
 Douglas Ralph Halperin
 Changeong Han
 Charlsie Harris
 Samuel Imiak
 Adam Harris Jaffe
 Johana Cristina Kovatch Ramos
 Emma Lauren Kriss
 Justin Laird
 Tyler Jay Laurence
 Ruth Lora
 Dalia Isabel Lorenzo
 Curtis Madsen
 Michael Samuel Maneri
 Alfonso Jose Maraver
 Amellia Merrick

Kelvin Mota
Randa Nasr
Manpreet Singh Nat
Joshua Elliot Novy
James William O'Brien
Maria Andrea Ortiz
Bufus Outlaw
Susana Parody
Daniel Javier Parra
Nirmal Patel
Roberto Gabriel Pellas
Jose Antonio Pere
Catalina Perez
Brian Pettiford
Charlotte Rodriguez
William Romanelli
Austin Clay Roth
Gian Carlo Sarria Iraola
Gema Carolina Schipilliti
Herbert Anthony Schock
Brett Silverberg
Jose Antonio Simon
Benjamin O'Brien Smith
Cameron Burkes Smith
David Rogers Stuart
Erik Scott Tarrash
Bella Tendler Krieger
Cherie Lee Megan Topham
Diego Andres Uribe
Dan Karl Vandenberg
Sofia Cristina Vazquez
Arsalan Wappi
Zuxin Wei
Matthew Wigler
Gerard Alexander Williams
Nicole Marie Wingard
Yose Wungcharoen
Michael Darron Yegan

Degree candidates August 10, 2018

Sarah Abate
Hashim Abdullah Ricardo Ceballos
Brennan Michael Frailing
Eric Daniel Hines
Sixtus Ejikeme Ihedoro
Francisco Javier Jara
Mei-Jie Mo
Frank Christian Nacimiento Lopez
Laura Pareta
Victor Ashley Poteet
Chanh Tran
Vanessa Valle
Chloe Alan Westley

Degrees conferred December 14, 2017

Hashim Abdullah
Raquel Marie Albert Menicucci
Eduardo Andres Arevalo Dolman
Coby Don Bailey
Ulises A. Barcena
Michael John Bartlett
Alessandro Giacomo Battellino
Monica Battellino

Christina Maria Bracero
Andrew James Brasosky
Mark Chaplin
Ben Jaffe Cohen
Lauren Olivia O'Foss
Cynthia Garza
Daniel Wentworth Gracey
Karl Norbert Hennig
Shirley J. Jenkins
Steven Alan Johnson
Tsz-Woon Li
Daniel Enrique Lopez Sanchez
Daniel Joseph Mann
Carlos Montes
Charles James Mussallem
Anil Narayan Nair
Jack Shibly Najjar
Melissa Stephanie Nunez Munoz
Gian Luca Olivieri
Ricardo Josue Ortiz
Jennifer Chloe Pallicer
Eduardo Jose Pantin
Alexa Quirch
Lisa Rennison
Erika Michelle Romero
John Robert Rotruck
Darby Kaye Stiles
Steven Michael Straub
Brandon Greer Sultanic
Akshay Thakore
Karl Hendrik Thomson
Tahera J. Tilson
Joaquin Torrents Patino
Rickey Vela

MASTER OF BUSINESS
ADMINISTRATION EXECUTIVE
PROGRAMS

Degree candidates May 10, 2018

Jose Luis Aguado
Peter John Archer
Maria-Jose Ayala
Luciano Valente Batista
Diego Briceno
Stephen Carl Butts
Gustavo Coll
Ricardo Contreras
Luis De Leon
Chabeli Natali De Sousa Velosa
Andrew Christopher Desiderio
Giancarlo Di Zio
Jacob Ulysses Dumansky
Guillermo Enrique Flores Escudero
Walter Gustavo Friedrichs
Jose Maria Jesus Fuentes Jr.
Carlos Gomez-Castillo
Lucas Grassano
Jordan Jay Johnson
Andreina Kissane
Ryan Alexander Baker Kissane
Frank Eduardo Lugo
Kattie Maldonado
Kimberly Dorais Migoya

Victor Montes de Oca
Jose Santos Morales
Dayana Sujail Morillo
Hardik C. Patel
Francisco Ragonese
Alexander Rey
Scott D. Ricks
Anahi Rivera
Cesar Augusto Roa-Gomez
Lazaro Robaina
Charlotte Rodriguez
David Alejandro Rodriguez
Nathalie Lolita Rodriguez Troitino
Joel Romero
Omar Sanchez
Gian Carlo Sarria
Harrison Smith
Andrew Todd Sommerlatte
Roberto Alonso Strocziak
David Rogers Stuart
Kendra Lauren Thomas
Michael Jacob James Thomas
Velia Vieyra de Baldwin
Angie Carolina Villanueva
Sara Isabel Wallace

Degree candidates August 10, 2018

Cortez Lequon Allen
LaFaye Baker
Marquice Jermal Cole
Darqueze Terrell Dennard
Brittany Christine Fetkin
Chafie Ali Fields
Bryan Patrick Harris
Brittany Hills
Douglas Marc Honegger
Jeanine Nicole Juliano
Thomas Anthony Keiser
Claude Maurice McBride Jr.
Amrit Narasimhan
Eric Olsen
Tamara Lynn Pettigrew
Shawnette Yolanda Sapp
Pierre Montral Woods

Degrees conferred December 14, 2017

Ali Farouk Abdelwahed
Sean Daniel Airey
Anabel Judit Alonso Rodriguez
Gloria Arevalo
James Francis Arthur
Miguel Marteiro Bardowell
William Richard Berman
Nina Carvalho Borges
Elizabeth Brito
Enrique Calderas Belisario
Christopher Darnell Carter
Luz Janet Castro
Jude Chan
Vijaya L. Cherukuri
Sylvia Yvette Cohen
Igor Cruz
Jennifer Lee Cruz

Carolyn M. Drazinic
Enrique Duran
Enrique C. Fernandez
Felipe Fernandez
Paola Nicole Ferreira
Santiago De Jesus Figueroa
Diego J. Garcia
Samuel Jeffrey Gerson
Thor Christopher Gould
Maria Del Pilar Hernandez
Omar Jose Gregorio Herrera Soriano
Brian Hunis
Willie Joseph
Natalya Kashirina
Sean Edward Kelly
Amy Knower
Kassandra Lage
Santiago Lopez
Jesus Erwin P. Loquias
Susan Martinez
Sunil Gopalkrishnan Menon
Anne Marie Miles
Lawrence Morroni
Stephany Musino
Michael Nagar
Sarah Mitsuko Nagata
Lindsay Michelle Noel
Sean Joseph O'Malley
Nishil Naren Patel
Daniel Perez
Daniel Warren Phillips
Andres Migdoel Rosa
John G. Ryan
Lindsay Taylor Salomon
William Edgar Serrahn
Maria Villanueva Sessions
Keith Edward Smith
Adriana Vale
Ruben Ernesto Valverde
Juan Ricardo Youssef

MASTER OF HEALTH ADMINISTRATION

Degree candidate May 10, 2018

Iulia Tath

Degree candidates August 10, 2018

Peter Alexander Cole
Teodora Elena Maftci

MASTER OF INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS STUDIES

Degree candidates May 10, 2018

Wei Yu Chen
Melissa Jean Davis
Ernesto Daniel Delgado
Peidong Fan
Gabriela Paola Garcia

Alexander Albertovich Gusev
Xihang Han
Talia Shira Israelian
Chao Ji
Evgeny Kosarev
Chaewoong Lee
Yi Lin
Jose David Lopez Vargas
Hui Ma
Xuerong Miao
Suzy Blondelle Ngouchinghe Matcheme
Sofia Navas Nunez
Chengyuan Peng
Zichen Qin
Gian Piero Ragonesi
Sheridan Anastasia Smith
Yunyu Tong
Chong Wang
Ying Wang
Bingqian Yu
Binhao Yue
Wangjun Zou

Degree conferred December 14, 2017

Toufic Nammour

MASTER OF PROFESSIONAL ACCOUNTING

Degree candidates May 10, 2018

Bernardo A. Araya
Daphne Baptichon
Zwilan Bell
Gloria Crespo
John Czelusniak
Justin Falcon
Samantha Nohea Hagen
William Marion Huneycutt III
Jill Erin Liddell
Danielle Estee Motola
Randy J. Parks
Jessica E. Pendergraft
Luheny Sanjenis
Viviana Sola
William F. Sutton

Degree candidates August 10, 2018

Eliana S. Cordova
Jennifer Cortes
Jean Felix LaCroix
Fanny Y. Roiz
Christopher John Wernle

Degrees conferred December 14, 2017

Imran Ahmed
Reid Erik Benson
Raven Renee Brown
Orlando Javier Calvay
Renee Edwards

Justin Joseph Howell
Richard Brian Ingersoll
Brett William Kelly
Scott Mollman
Jaraad Rogers
Hubert Earl Rush Jr.

MASTER OF SCIENCE IN BUSINESS ANALYTICS

Degree candidates May 10, 2018

Yousef Alsayed Omar
Corinne Ang
Jacob Austin
Alfredo Bisogno
Nicholas Christie
Alberto Luis Crespo-Salgado
Xiaoyan Cui
Junjie Dai
Jimmy Derand Rorie
Maria Raquel Di Natale Castelo
Nuoya Fang
Yaqing Guo
Ying He
Anying Hong
Cheng Huang
Chaojie Ji
Danielle W. Johns
Sin Sing Lee
Ye Liu
Michael J. Lopez
Gregory Paul Miller
Bryant Robert Molloy
Shiyue Pan
Brandon John Paz
Nicolas Valentin Francois Pelletier
Yiming Qi
Yasunori Sato
Robert D. Seip
Yiyun Tang
Haige Wang
Yicheng Wang
Jiachen Xie
Kaimeng Xu
Mengying Yang
Manling Yao
Zhiting Ye
Aiwen Zhang
Xiaoqi Zhang
Yining Zhou
Ziyan Zhu

MASTER OF SCIENCE IN FINANCE

Degree candidates May 10, 2018

Nicholas Alvarez
Asaria Amador
Bohang An
Pamela Araya
Jonathan Martin Cristian Asratian
Erin Chivon Ballard

Renata Barcellos De Azevedo Mello
Abdalla Behbehani
Alberto Boulton
Gregory Kaverick Buss
Nicolette Checo
Wenbo Chen
Xi Chen
Xiao Chen
Carlos Alberto Cortes
Roland Joseph Cuculiza Reyes
Benjamin Davis
Georgios Demenegas
Rebecca Elliott
Ana Escobar
Heather Farias
Matthew Keiran Fernandez
Spencer Lawrence Goodman
Clemens Johannes Graute
Shelby Marie Grosvenor
Ebony Guzman
Sofya Habinsky
Maria Asuncion Herrera
Yang Hu
Jianping Huang
Ryan Adam Jove
John Anthony Ledesma
Haoming Li
Jingrui Li
Mingrui Li
Jiali Liang
Rachel Liniger
Xiao Liu
Siyu Luo
Ryan Machos
Nicole Namour
Shankar Padmanaban
Jay Patel
Vikesh N. Patel
Byron Pendergraft
Bing Qian
Tian Qiu
Echo Renee Reardon
Nicole Ashley Sager
Vince Corbin Schaper
Jessica Seymour
Isabella Judith Silva Castejon
Zhihao Song
Atiah Thoneisha Lou Ann Stephens
Huan Wang
Yifei Wang
Zijun Wang
Steven Lee Winalis
Chenglin Xie
Yuting Xie
Dong Xu
Chuyun Yang
Fan Yi
Jiaxin Zhai
Rongming Zhai
Tian Zhang
Wei Zhao
Zichun Zheng
Danni Zhou
Huan Zhou
Jingyan Zhou
Tao Zhou
Yingda Zhu

Degree candidates August 10, 2018

Patrizia Amorin
Alexandria Bose
Jesse Tyler James Gomez
Scott Hoag
Christopher Lopez
Cynthia Ann Maldonado
Alfred Pages
Tyler Petsch
Christian Rodriguez
Jesus Tapia
Vanessa Valle
Keith Von Stauffer
David Antonio Yopez
Victoria Ziesk

Degrees conferred December 14, 2017

Meera Dawood Mohammed Al Futaisi
Tracy Flores
Retina R. Moore
Andres Alejandro Ruiz De Somocurcio

**MASTER OF SCIENCE IN
MANAGEMENT STUDIES**

Degree candidates May 10, 2018

Brandon Willam Bibbs
Alexis Canaves
Marisol Capellan
Andres Eduardo Diaz
Lauren Franquiz
Seng Min Kim
Marco Magistri
Dianelys Medina Baez
Brandon T. Mitchell
Veronica Michelle Ortiz
Emily Delavern Parham
Stephanie Johanna Paz
Stephanie Grace Piloto
Rene Lazaro Pintado
Jeanette B. Remy
Hellen Rivas
Lily Rodriguez
Devin C. Rogan
Ana J. Silvera
John Song
Jaimee Marissa Spector
Elinor Taieb
Elizabeth Viso
Shemka Marvery William
Jialei Zheng
Liuting Zhu

Degrees conferred December 14, 2017

Hassan Al-Ali
Marli Ann Lutz
Alexander Urbizagastegui

**MASTER OF SCIENCE IN
TAXATION**

Degree candidates May 10, 2018

Atnafu Alemseged
Emily Helen Auld
Christian Braden
Jessica L. Colton
Michael Isaac Dembrow
Daniel Owen Jose
Samantha Nicole Jose
Bernardino Lettieri
Michael Neilson
Stephanie Nihamin
Ana Lucia Pedraza
Robert Pennella
Javier Andres Sandoval
Maria Gabriela Torres Ramirez
Kevin Armando Trujillo
Alessandra Weiner
Nicholas Wethy
Betty Wine
Yueyi Wu
Chiyu Xu
Yanchen Zhu

Degrees conferred December 14, 2017

Nicolas Ignacio Castillo
Daniel Clayman
Hallie Rae Cohen
Trey S. Dahiya
Nicole Elizabeth Egorov
Karina Paola Lobo
Ryan Lodish
David Alexander Lopez
Luis Adolfo Mejia
James Russell Newlin
Camila Ribak
David Christopher Simonetti
Julie R. Struzzieri
Adam C. Watts

**BACHELOR OF BUSINESS
ADMINISTRATION**

Degree candidates May 11, 2018

Kamal Fadi Abdounour
Jessica Aberman
Brant Alexander Abraham
Victoria Rose Adinolfi (C)
Ignacio Gilbert Aiza
Landon Cole Akiyama
Rakan Ali Mohsen Al Mansoori
Hania Hamad S H Al Thekair
Nahyan Abdulla Ali Musleh Alahbabi
Loren Jon-Elliot Albritton
Nicole Alechman
Felicitas Amon *
Brenner M. Anderson
Emily Andrade (C)
Carolina Arango
Elisa Araujo

* General Honors

(S) Summa Cum Laude
(M) Magna Cum Laude
(C) Cum Laude

Katherine Spencer Archer (M)
Takuto Asaga
Gabrielle Ninnett Ayzén
Henry Thomas Bailey
Emily Morgan Bajalia (M)
Nithin Bala
Federico Barinci
Brian Daniel Barker
Irasema Barrutia
Amanda Paige Barry
Christopher B. Beccaria
John-Patrick Becerril (C) *
Michael Joel Becerril Sr.
Stanislav Pavlov Bejanski
Jacobo Benasayag
Emre Bengu
John Joseph Bergmann
Ralph James Beriro
Alec Jones Bertero
Sandi Besen
Michael Ara Bezjian
Ran Bi
Zoe Serenna Bordenave (S)
Ilan Bouhadana
Kyle Bourke (M)
Tyler Scott Bowman (M)
Harrison Gordon Boyle (S)
Lauren F. Brack
Marilara Brewer
John William Brittingham III
Jacquelyn Claire Bruckmann
Sean Bradley Buchanan
Christian Frontino Buzzi
Alexis Rafael Cabrera
Robert Lawrence Cafero
Jorge Antonio Calix Jr.
Leah Jane Callahan
Henry Alfred John Capants
Sophia J. Caprio (M)
Nicholas Louis Carbonetto
Raymond William Carlucci (C)
Hunter Carpenter (M)
John Joseph Carroll *
Michael Thomas Caryl (C)
Manuela Castano Cruz
Julia Marie Castellano
Daniella Castro Caballero
Nicholas Catchur
Serena Szewai Chan (M)
Eden Rebecca Charny (M)
Sabrina Cheikhali (C)
PJ Antonio Chemont
Tyler Cianciulli
Brandon Murat Cigri
Victoria Cividini
Kevin Robert Coltrain (C)
Daniel Corbett
Jessica Marie Courtney
Mackenzie Marie Cox
Bailey Crespi
Greta Crockett
Jacob Seth Dannin (C)
Julio Del Peon Diaz
Hailey Alexa Delaney (M)
Jessica Diaz
Kenny Diaz
Lauren Diaz

Christian Gian Diclemente
Moritz Christian Doerig
Kristin Dontcheva Doneva
Anthony Michael Dubberly
Kyrena Michelle Adell Dudley
Kendall Nikki Eisenberg
David Eljarrat Cohen
Daniel Brett Epstein
Sarah Espiedra (C)
Antonio Erik Espinoza
Alexandra Marie Esposito (M)
Lilian Pamela Estupinan (S)
Keion Farmer
Elise Farnum (M)
Orlando J. Feliciano
Ricardo Fernandes Elorza (M)
Christopher Antonio Fernandez
Felix Fernandez
Alfredo Eduardo Fernandez Pantin
Dylan Jay Fiedler
Ryan Joseph Fines
Bridget Hunt Fitzpatrick
Nelly Catherine Flores-Paz (C)
Maxwell Stephen Foy
Christina Rose Francis
Brandon Lamm Friedman
Chloe Friedman
Mitchell Fuccile *
Nathan Raphael Jacques Fuentes
Takeshi Fukui
Alec Gagne
Paula Melisa Gaibor
Jacob Michael Gaito
Alexander Matthias Gallin (C)
Kevin Lyons Gerraughty (S)
John H. Ghannam (M)
Maxine Alexandra Gimbel (S)
Maria Del Pilar Gimenez Britez
Andrew Hentschel Glennon
Benjamin S. Glicklich (C)
Graham Bronson Goddard
Jonathan Richard Goldman
Michelle Leeann Goldstein
Briana Kaitlyn Gomes
Enrique Gonzalez
Luis Manuel Gonzalez
Michelle Gonzalez
Benjamin Goodwin
Brandon Max Gordon
Andrea Maria Gorrin Otero
Rebecca Elizabeth Graffam
Christopher Vincent Granito
Peri Ella Green
Rachel Hope Grunert (M)
Yajie Gu
David Alexander Guevara
Kristina Gugunava
Christina Marie Gutierrez
Gabrielle Imena Hand *
Brandon R. Hanna
Erik Brock Hanson
Joanna Clara Hasenauer (S)
Jiajie He
Leland John Hebert
Lauren Hennelly (M)
Craig A. Henning
Eleanor Kennedy Hermanson

Sylvia Regina Hernandez
Justin Harris Hertzberg
James Cook Hillyer
Sharod Ra'Shaun Hinton
Benjamin E. Hoffman
Christopher Martin Hoffner
Alexandra Rose Honigstock (M)
Anna Rebecca Hosack
Courtney Hudson
Jessica E. Hurley
Steven Matthew Hutnik
Hector Ibarzabal Rodriguez
Dominic Vincent Intriaguez
Christian B. Irastorza
Gabriel Isnard Peixoto (C)
Sterling Jackson
Matthew Louis Jaffee
Samuel Jankun
Thomas Benjamin Jennings
Rani Jacques Jiha
Veronica Mary Johnson
Jack Kahn
Connor James Kalantari
William Harrison Kane
Jillian Mary Kaplove (C)
Alex Benjamin Katz
Jonah Maxwell Kaye
Brian Anthony Keenan
Thomas Francis Kelly
Zachary Elias Keselman
Ryan A. Kesselring (M) *
Jeffery Lucas Kobza (C)
Adam Joshua Kohn (M) *
Vanessa Koliver
Jonathan Isaac Harold Kornberg
Kyle Austin Kosofsky
Garrett Ryan Kramer
Kellie Elizabeth Krawczyk (C)
Katherine Marie Krueger
Alison Jenna Kupin
Jennifer Allison Landis
Alexandra Pari Larizadeh
Zoe Meakalia Leaman
Tongkyu Lee
Woosuk Lee
Kristen Lemes (M)
Byron William Lessner
Henry Levine
Jake Levison
Carley Levitz
Justin Levy
Xinghao Li
Yixing Li
James Litchhult
Qinyi Liu
Demitrios Christopher Livanos
Annalisa Lombardo
Joachim Gregorio Lopez (M) *
Maria Isabel Lopez-Lay
Franchesca Lozano
Jiahui Lu
Holtz Mullen Ludlam
Carlos Luna
Samuel Jacob Mack (C)
Morgan Nicole Mahin
Shyamali Mahure (M) *
Elizabeth Yasmin Majeed

Yessica A. Maltes (S)
 Christian Khalil Mansour
 Brandon C. Mantilla (C)
 Daniela Christine Marchiori
 Richard Andrew Maroney Jr.
 Jessica Marques Vieira
 Arianna Rina Martinelli Modano
 Alejandro J. Martinez (C)
 Daria Arden Martorana
 Alexander Marzullo
 Alec Mason
 Katerina Maury
 Kelly Lynn McBride (M)
 Richard W. McCants (M)
 Margaret McFarland
 Danielle McIntosh (M)
 Ellen Tiree McPhadden
 Alexander Jordan McPhee
 David Mejia
 Xiangjie Meng
 Mary Ivelin Mercado
 Rachel Mesa
 Lily Elena Messmore (M)
 Ethan Meyer
 Yarden Michael
 Thomas James Michel (C)
 Cristina Isabel Miguel
 Chase Christoph Miller
 Erika M. Miller
 Jake Miller
 Morgan Mills
 Kyle Douglas Miner
 Hamad S A A A Mohammed
 Michael Christian Mollerus (S)
 Michael Joseph Montanelli
 Eitelberg Montarroyos
 Luca Monteiro De Carvalho Haegler
 Melissa Marie Montero
 Dustin Myers
 Erika Rose Nannery
 Jack Louis Naron
 Adrian Zachary Nuñez
 Gavin Francis O'Brien
 William James O'Brien
 Eric Richard O'Hara
 Brandon Hunter Okun (C)
 Carlos Andres Olazabal (S)
 Joseph Perry Orff (M)
 Dario Orlando
 Quinn Carter Owen (M)
 Gina Panarese (C)
 Andres Eduardo Papa Machado
 Kuen Hee Park
 Rajan Patel
 Dorcas Patterson
 Javier Antonio Perez
 Chloe Amanda Perlen (C)
 Patrick Dayne Petrillo
 Benjamin Michael Pfeffer (C)
 Michael Pizziol
 Bailey Cameron Poritzky
 Karla Paola Portela
 Daniel Moses Post-Jacobs
 Ruiyao Qi (C)
 Jordyn Quinn
 Kalina Elizabeth Quinn
 Brianna Quinteiro

Tyler Robert Ragone
 Andres Phillip Reid
 Jacob Micheal Renzi Sr.
 Taylor Kristine Richard
 Jonathan Daniel Roberts
 Michael Andre Robinson
 Ronald E. Rocca (M)
 Alfredo Luis Rodolfo Hahn
 Ryan Anthony Rodriguez-Mena
 Camila Roizental (C)
 Sophie L. Rosenblatt
 Grayson Slater Rothchild
 Alyssa Rose Rothfeld
 Catalina Rubio (C)
 Joanna Rymarowicz (C)
 Ilkham Rzaev
 Sara Sahrai
 Rodrigo Eduardo Sainz De Vicuna
 Victoria Sophia Saldan
 Jose Marcos Salvatierra Chavez
 Truman Samberg
 Elisa Maria Sanchez (M)
 Josceline Sanchez (C)
 Camilo Sansores Chavez (C)
 Gabriella Rose Scaramucci
 Mona Schau
 Jordan Robert Scheffler
 Claudia Nicole Schoeb
 Benjamin Ross Schuman (C)
 Kayla Francine Segal
 Berke Serim
 Michelle L. Shaw
 Mark Shevchuk
 Evan Alexander Shirreffs (M)
 Zachary Hamilton Smith
 William Snow
 Stephanie Ashley Sommers
 Daniel Somuano Medina
 Sait Soylemez (C)
 Jacob Andrew Spandorfer
 Melanie Ann Spencer (M)
 Vincent Spoleti (C)
 Sarah Jane Spulak
 Erika Lynn Starke
 Victor Starr
 Theodore David Stavetski
 Julian Michael Stephens
 Nicholas Gary Stern
 Jackson Stewart
 Kyle Stewart (M)
 Tyler Marc Storch
 Christopher Michael Stowell (S)
 Bedia Burcin Sudi Karatas (C)
 Zhiwei Sun
 Tyler Muldoon Sutherland
 Cameron Ray Szary
 Dalia Szkolnik (C)
 Tal Tahori
 Matthew Taksen
 Haolan Tan
 Joseph Tanefo
 Eli L. Tanenbaum
 Samuel David Tcherassi Janna Jr.
 Evan B. Teich
 Tiago Teixeira
 Haley Marie Templeton
 Cassandra Arline Theriault

Bridget Megan Tighe (C)
 Andrey To
 Batu Toktamis
 Matthew Trabold
 Elizabeth Tran (M)
 Jack Tranchina
 Alicia Traub (C)
 Steven A. Tribuno (M) *
 Darby F. Tupper (C)
 Brianna Antonella Valdivia
 Luca Depaula Victoria
 Maria Celeste Villasmil (M)
 Aleeza-Maria Alene Vitale (C)
 Anran Wang
 Shuang Wang
 Siyu Wang
 Xiaoying Wang
 Yuchen Wang
 James Christopher Williams
 Andrew Jay Winig
 Benjamin Dylan Wright
 Spencer Thompson Wright
 Yili Wu
 Xiaoshu Xu
 Tingting Yang
 Yi Yang (M)
 Kristiana Lee Yao (S) *
 Emilio Jose Yidios Facioline
 Samuel Robert Yoshino
 Skyler Lou Isaac Zaken
 Juan Marcelo Zegarra Claure
 Yessenia G. Zevallos
 Jinming Zhang
 Yalin Zhang (C)
 Yuan Zhang
 Zhiyang Zhang
 Catherine Zhao
 Lingjun Zhou

Degree candidates August 10, 2018

Saif Abdulla Alkuwaiti
 Abdulla K H A M H Alshaya
 Christopher James Daniels
 Clarisa Elena Ferre Vazquez Figueroa
 Marcelo Garza Leal Jr.
 Stephen Evan Kirton
 Piotr Mikolaj Lomacki
 Anais Vincentia Mitra
 Garrett Nigel Roberts
 Elaine Roberts-Kerchhoff
 Tyler Christopher Schoffelen
 Yifan Song
 Yohanes William Soputro
 Esther Sultan Osechas (M)
 Elisa Umama
 Yanan Wu

Degrees conferred December 14, 2017

Patrick C. Adams
 Ahmed Bashar Ahmadi
 Matheus B. Ale
 Kevin Amirsaleh
 Greer E. Banks (M)

* General Honors

(S) Summa Cum Laude
 (M) Magna Cum Laude
 (C) Cum Laude

Samerawit Daniel Bantvirgu
Braxton Lee Berrios (S)
Brandon Bevacqua
Marion Jessica Bonnet (M)
Madison Bowden
Alexander Richardson Brault
Jacob Douglas Brown (C)
William Joseph Brown
Molly R. Buckley
Maria Corina Cabezas Mujica
Cristina Isabella Carbo Ranzini
Devin M. Chabot
Ximei Chai
Diego Chavez
Weiyao Chen
Zihong Chen
Carla Cruz
Anna De Ferran
Cesar Del Rey
Katia Alessandra Dongo
Vadim Alexander Duarte
Sarah Christine Duque
Teagan Emkjer
Adriana Espinoza Doria Medina
Xingchen Fan
Christian J. Fernandez-Andes (M) *
Alani Lucy Fraga (M)
Jessica Adrienne Greenfield
Amanda R. Groll
Andrew J. Guggenheim (C)
Jonah Haddock
Nicole Halfon Botbol
Tian Hao
Thomas Henderson
Andrew Herther
Denzel Mark-Anthony Hopkins
Yizhe Huang
Li Jing
Asil Kalkavan
Kayla F. Kohl
Gustavo Lawisch Schantz
Jamie Lazzaro
Christina Elise Leander
Gabriel Saul Levy Maloul
Maria Fernanda Lopez Marcano
Nathalie Mairena
Gabriela E. Mannella
Malik Jamaal Mayweather
Jonathon St Clair McPhillip
Nicole Millman (C)
Thomas Muench
Mariana Munoz Serna
Marisa Leigh Neamonitis
Daniel O'Leary
Michael C. O'Malley
Ilaria Pan (M)
Amanda Michelle Pizarro
Lindsay Ripperger
Abdulla Shanan
Hui Shi (C)
Yaqian Shi
Brian Shirzad
Megan Sierra
Jason B. Sobelman (M)
Chase Ian Steinberg
Elan Stiberman
Alessandra Sasha Roebing Szul

Bibhuswa Tamrakar
Jing Tang
Jose Afonso Tavares Martins Dias
John Patrick Taylor
Blake Aaron Tekotte
Shristi Tuladhar
Yehonatan Vangruber
Sichu Wang
Zuozhenghao Wang
Jared L. Weiss
Nicholas Kreis Williams
Jerry Xu
Matthew P. Zawislinski
Matthew Christopher Zelfhof
Mengzhu Zhang
Ke Zhou
Tong Zhu

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

Degree candidates May 11, 2018

Aviel Albert Abuhav
Fredrick William Ahlemeier V (M)
Darius Justin Ajabshir
Leanne Marie Alshefski (C)
Najla O Z A Alzahem
Ashley Marie Armstrong
David James Barr (M)
Jack-David Bechthold (M)
Christian Ramon Benson
Steven Donald Buibish
Maria Nicole Buonopane
Jordan Axelle Butler
Brendan Joshua Cardey
Crystal Castagnazzi (C)
Katerina Sabine Cicalese
Olivia Taylor Cohen
Rachel Degreeff
Jenna Juliette Desgroseilliers (C)
Cody Edelenbos (S)
Madison Marie Facciola (M)
Jordan Mae Farber (C)
Benjamin Donald Feller (M)
Tais Mayara Ferreira Coelho (M)
Isaac Fishman (S)
Michael David Fredette (C) *
Tristan Montano Friedman
David Christopher Gantt II
Song Gao (C)
Michael John Gargula
Alexandra Garvin (M)
Christopher Price Gorham
Shadi Gowhari (C) *
Anuj Goyal (M) *
Ruby Grace
Nian Guan
Nianyi Guo
Christian Alexander Haire
Blake Jennings Hawthorne
Mohammed Nabeel A Hifzi
Haoting Huang
Jiajun Huang (S)
Christian Jacobson Jeszke
Jade Kalbacher

John Ryan Kerge (M)
Peter Quincy Kimes
Briana Lee Klein
Patrick Koch
Chris Kurien
Robert Campbell Lam Jr.
Anqi Li
Chenmeng Li (M)
Connor Michael Linden
Mosai Liu
Jade Lubie
Sara Mahini (M)
Destiny Jordan Rowe Mantz (C)
Eleanor Francis Martin (S)
Frank William McNamara (M) *
Rachel Alexandra Medeiros
Curtis Timothy Mitchell III
Colin Murphy (C)
Ross Nicholas Newman
Frank Christopher Nicholas Jr. (C)
Bryan Patrick O'Neill (M)
Alvaro Parra Ayala
Esther Maria Ponce De Leon (S) *
Thomas Victor Rappa (M)
Daniel Reyna
Florencia Rutenberg (M)
Hunter Alexander Sable
Gabriel San Roman
Brooke Emily Schneider (M)
Zubin H. Sethi
Jingyuan Shui
Xiaofu Song (C)
Elizabeth Lianne Sutherland
Longrui Tang
Nadia Vaca Diez Cuellar
Gustav Van Rooyen
Andrew Justin Weinstock (C)
Charles Lee Werder II (M) *
Shawn Danielle Wheeler
Jillian Rochelle Widsensky
Adina Williamson (C)
Feifan Xie
Jiaran Yu
Yijin Zhao (S)

Degree candidates August 10, 2018

Ahmed K. Aldhaheer
Kelly Morgan Alliegro
Ryan Michael Nieves

Degrees conferred December 14, 2017

Guadalupe Eugenia Alvarez
Raheem Beauvais
Nicole Katherina Bellizzi Oxford (M)
Dylan Robert Chess
John Nicholas Cuneo
Nicolette Diane Devincenzo (M)
Gabiella Joseph Fawaz (C)
Sydney May Freedberg (M)
Christopher Marc Frey
Siuyen Garcia
Philippe Mircea Garoflid Oprescu
Neal Thomas Guaglianone (C)

Rachel Herz
Richard Allen Holmes (S)
Weiming Hu
Kush Kakkad
Adam David Lagner
Xinye Lai (M)
Mimi Luo
Lingjia Ren (M)
Shannon Erin Roberts
Jessica Diana Schaden
Kevin Tyler Takemoto
Michael Fernando Valancius (S)
Mark Willard
Oliver Ingle Zaiser

SCHOOL OF COMMUNICATION

Established 1985

Presented by Gregory J. Shepherd, Ph.D., Dean

MASTER OF ARTS

Degree candidates May 10, 2018

Marwan M. Alenezi
Xiaoteng Bai
Lauren Maci Epstein
Julia C. Hienz
Hongzhu Jin
Zhilin Jin
Hanlin Li
Simin Li
Morgan Rose Manning
T.J. Martinez
Kalema Elizabeth Meggs
John Petit
Emmanuelle Juny Petit-Frere
Michael Anthony Piacentino
Fang Ren
Qian Sun
Erica Lee Vazquez-Bacardi
Luyao Yang
Chu Zhang

Degree candidates August 10, 2018

Juan Guillermo Arango
Lisa Anne Bonilla
Maria Cecilia Britos
Jane D. Brown
Guanyi He
Amanda Elizabeth Novak
Xuejing Zhang

Degrees conferred December 14, 2017

Dianella Ariana Cantu
Sean T. Foertsch
Jeremy Paul Juhasz
Yiyang Liu
Christopher Lee Ortiz
Ronald Harry Prioleau
Ying Ruan
Rizelle Angelica Zabate

MASTER OF FINE ARTS

Degree candidates May 10, 2018

Aaron Alejandro Agrasanchez
Russell Malcolm Darrow
Lennse Yanilex Garcia
Taylor Brianna Gunn
Chelsea Waioleka Kau Ngo Haina
Todd Andrew Heino

Alex Saul Koenig
Rori Danielle Kotch
Laura Jael Kurtzberg
Xiaonan Ma
Scott Alexander Naar
Joshua Ross Niebloom
Chukwuyem Bienose Obaze
Lorenzo Marius Ponce de Leon
Long Long Qian Qian
Kristian Antonio Rodriguez
Gabriela Bernice Williams
Paola Cetares Zaidi

Degree candidates August 10, 2018

Arkadiy Avrorov
Mohammad Abdulla R Jastaniah
Cassandra Ann Keith

Degrees conferred December 14, 2017

Claudia Alexandra Aguirre
Gerald Michael Clark
Jennifer M. Hernandez
Rodolfo Hugo Rivera
Yaonan Song
Marlena Glanise Wood

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN COMMUNICATION

Degree candidates May 11, 2018

Charlotte Patricia Ableman
Hannah Lynne Africk
Ateeq Afzal
Alexa Ayzia Aguilar
Shir Aharon
Hanya J A J Al Khamis
Amanda Frances Alvarez
Madison Love Alvarez
Emely Amaya
Agnes Eneawan Archibong
Chloe Alexis Areu
Maria A. Arocha
Jacob David Arrandt (M)
Maricarla Bagos (S)
Celeste Maria Balboni (S)
Chantel Alexis Batista
Grace Amelia Bernard (C)
Salome Berrebi
Nicole Gabrielle Besen
Hannah Bourgeois
Emily Carnathan Broeckaert
Mackenzie Olivia Buckley (M)
Theresa Emiko Burton
Alexandra Cabrera
Nicholas Albert Cambo
Sophia Cristina Caride
Vanessa Castro
Melia Cavedoni
Eric Cecil (C)
Matthew Earl Charlebois
Camila Chediak (C)

Lehan Chen
Liat M Cohen (M)
Catherine Hali` Amemaheaikekai Bowen
Coleman (S)
Maria Antonieta Cova
Isabella Cueto (C)
Erykah Joy`Ne Davenport
Colin William Davis
Bryant Steven De La Campa
Alexis Marie De La Rosa (M)
Jessica Ann Diaz
Carlen Dickerson (M)
Kalvin George Dobbs (M)
Nicole Yael Dombey (C)
Marie Suzanne Anita Duchene
Alexandra C. Dugarte Romero (S)
Taryn Catherine Dwyer (M)
Maria Escobar Uribe (C)
Caitlin Esty
Solana Faerman (M)
Skye Falk (S)
Carolina Faria Lengyel
Samantha Mercedes Ferrand
Mary Eliza Fitzgerald
Maria Elisa Franco
Emily Nicole Galvez
Ryan Gabriel Garcia
Elizabeth Rae Gelbaugh (S)
Gabriella Leonora Giachin (C)
Chase Glick
Adam Justin Goffstein (M)
Sydney M. Gold (M)
Adriana Gonzalez Braniff (M)
Grace Charlotte Kay Gordon (S)
Kayla Marie Griffin (C)
Daniela M. Guerra (M)
Mina Gurturk
Kayla Morgan-Marie Haley (S)
Kamila Ingrid Hampl Aguel (C)
Yi Han
Trent Harris
Georgia Harvey
Armando Luis Hassun III
Amanda Crystal Herrera
Caroline Janet Hilliard
Kaitlyn Elizabeth Hopkins (S)
Apryl Jade House (M)
Katherine Rose Hovan (M)
Madison Paige Howell
Zihan Huang
Carly Mahurin Huffman
Annalise Rose Iraola
Garrett Thomas Ivanicki
Ebony Alexandria Jackson
Isabel Victoria Jimenez Wisler
Alexander William Kamphorst
Taylor Suzanne Karp
Xanthi Olivia Katsigianni
Sophia Kieffer
Emily Kirstein
Kristina Marie Knott
Julianna Kolakowski (C)
Jasmine Lacerda Meira-Lapadula
Joseph Murphy Landing Jr. (C)
Natalie Landman (C)
Mercy Cherotich Langat
Heidi Grace Lemon

Amanda Suzanne L'Hussier
Alexandra Loren Linder
Sydney Ariel Lorch
Allison Rachel Lustbader (M)
Alejandra Madrid (C)
Melina Marie Maldonado
Daniel John Manzi
Alexandra Quinn Maounis
Sydney Kristen Mastrandrea
Brianna Matthiesen
Jacob Michael Mayhew (M)
Alexis McDonald
Taylor Rogers McLean
Morgan Rose Meehan
Krizia Isbel Mendez (C)
Alexandra Nicole Menyhart
Max Miller (M)
Lena Mobin (C)
Alexandra Rose Montgomery
Rebekah Christine Montoto
Ana Teresa Moreno
Kemble Lewis Mountcastle
Montanna Haley Mungal
Soraya Aimee Nijman
Gregory Tremel O'Bannon
Rose O'Connor
Ana Blanca Ortiz Estefanell
Julia Renee Paccone (C)
Riley Katherine Verge Peak (M)
Lauren Peaslee
Neydja Petithomme
Catalina Evelia Pontillo
Nicholas Pinales
Alize Desiree Ramirez-Canas
Nicole Randolph (M)
Grace Louise Rapp
Estefania J. Re (M)
Coleman Michael Reardon (C)
Erin Kathleen Regan
Emerald Anne Rempel
Christina Alicia Riccardi
Madison Therese Richard (M)
Olivia Kristina Rodriguez (C)
Thomas Rodriguez
Erika Irene Rogers (C)
Danielle Romero
Micaela Grace Rooney
Julie Rosenthal
Brooke Rost
Jacob Maxwell Rubin (C)
Hannah Rubino (M)
Rachel Bess Russel (S)
Lucas Dominic Ryan
Kelly Saberi
Anna Marie Samuel (M)
Danielle M. Savage
Rund Shami (C)
Robyn Elizabeth Baker Shapiro (C)
Jihad Bellal Shatara
Sidney Sherman (C)
Ryan William Siegel
Eden Sivan
Nicole Marina Slap (C)
Meredith Grace Sloan (M)
Jack William Spahn (M)
Ariella St. Rose (C)
Kelsey Stern

Ardenn Chase Stolz (C)
Lauren M. Stolz
Katherine Nicole Surman
Isabel Rachel Sutnick
Eva Tahernia (S)
Amy Elizabeth Taintor
Ava Taylor
Maxwell Pred Thoma
Lauren Caroline Tierney (C)
Isabella Alejandra Trias (S)
Sara Valbuena Azuero
Diya Vasudevan
Matthew Walter
Matthew Taylor Weinman
Elizabeth Wilcox (C)
Nikki Ayumi Wong
Kehan Yang
Yi Yang (M)
Michael Andrew Yunis
Alicia Zhang (C)
Lingyue Zheng
Rongye Zhu
Michael Octavio Zubizarreta

Degree candidates August 10, 2018

Makena Alexander Bateman
Victoria Lynn Cameron
Amanda Chamberlain
Clay Michael Cowart
Joshua Dempsey
Christian Felipe
Liam Peter Gannon
Hui Huang (C)
Andrea Belle Huete
Kamila Matilda Knautd (M)
Mollie Jane Lewander
Sharon R. Meguira
Jason Alexander Robaina
Alonso Rodriguez
Sarah Nicole Sharfi (M)
Cory Silverstein
Jiaqi Wang

Degrees conferred December 14, 2017

Alhassan R. Abusuwwa
Jean-Paul Aguirre (M)
Chantal Michelle Alba
Alexandra R. Amiel
Michael Brooks Badgley
Celeste Diane Broderick
Melanie Brooks
Claudia Brown
Clarissa Isabella Buch (M)
Autumn Semone Burpo
Laura Isabel Camacho
Bradley Canfield
Rongxi Chen
Keying Cheng
Shrivats Dalmia
Sarah Dharamsi (C)
Samantha Dominick (M)
Danielle Elfassy
Katherine Fernandes Zambrano

Isabella Figueiredo Mesquita
 Elizabeth Monique Figueroa
 Natalia Gonzalez
 Martha Raphaela Gonzalez Iturri
 Joshua Harris
 Daniella L. Haym (M)
 Alexis Herrera
 Natalie Jamal
 Alexa Koch
 Dylan J. Lynch
 Marisa Ann Mandrell
 Alejandra Mazaheri Sanchez
 Stephanie Michals
 Ebony Leea Morrison
 Montana S. Pflaster
 Mia Win Pollack
 Cody James Ratcliff
 Gabriela Santos
 Wen Si
 Nathalia Silva (C)
 Elias H. Smith
 Jolie Ida Starr (M)
 Olga Strantzali
 Ashlinn Swasey
 Nyah Chanel Tennell (M)
 Elizabeth Veronica Vidal
 Ziwen Wang
 Victor John Willson (M)
 Jacob Ziaja

SCHOOL OF EDUCATION AND HUMAN DEVELOPMENT

Established 1929

Presented by Walter G. Secada, Ph.D., Acting Dean

MASTER OF SCIENCE IN EDUCATION

Degree candidates May 10, 2018

Fatimah Kimberly Abdullahi
 Catherine P. Armitage
 Taylor Symone Ashley
 Suat Babayigit
 Zachary Adam Berman
 Taylor Glen Boucher
 James Buskirk
 Lorenzo Keith Conley
 Amanda Costa
 Austin Edward Daniels
 Yajaira Adela De La Espada
 Stephania Paula Desir
 Melissa Ashley Dietrick
 Xin Ding
 Keith David Ginsberg
 Anna Carolina Grinfeder
 Alyssa Marie Gutierrez
 Daniel Edward Halle
 Derrick Martin Hardy
 Diana Victoria Hernandez Avalos
 Jennifer G. Huffman
 Samantha Maryann Jackson
 Talia Simone Joffe
 Mansaab Khan
 Oksana Krutiyyenko
 Nicole Lavina
 Anas Mahmoud
 Jessica R. Mantell
 Samantha E. Martin
 Joshua Vance McKinney
 Collette Alicia Mighty
 Dylan Michael Minick
 Brandon Charles Morrison
 Michael A. Pacheco
 Vincenzo Leone Padula
 Danielle Patricia Parker
 Eduardo Ramos
 Breanna Rawlinson
 Alexis Raquel Richards
 Ana Gabriela Robleto
 Andrea Cristina Ruiz-Sorrentini
 Elliot Safdie
 Lindsay Dare Shoop
 Elizabeth Jannell Stavros
 Jessica Lynn Sublette
 Kosta Edmund Telegadas
 Mori S. Turner
 Adrian Valdes Peino
 Karla Yvonne Vallecillo
 Mai Moua Vang
 Anthony Joseph Vanpelt

Carolina Velasquez
 Steven Matthew Walsh
 Jeremy Ryan Workman
 Anting Yang

Degree candidates August 10, 2018

Despina Ades
 Ara Raffi Altounian
 Rebecca Jean Anderson
 Michael Beamer
 Keith Gregory Benz
 Marlon Rafael Bermudez
 Bridget Boland
 Kevin Gregory Boyd
 Scott Alan Brown
 Deirdre Meghan Buchta
 Renee Julia Burke
 Matthew Rowen Caplan
 Alexis Danielle Coats
 Ernest Michael Collins
 Bryce Andrew Danna-Marullo
 Xinda Du
 Lauren Page Elberty
 Becky Esquenazi
 Margo Fernandez-Burgos
 Caitlyn Alyse Filtz
 Jennifer Ann Garcia
 Belen E. Garcia-Rivas
 Romy Ginsberg
 Devon Grussmark
 Maria Susanne Haase
 Seleta D. Harrison
 Timothy James William Hart
 Javonte Henderson
 Sara Mae Hnilica
 Keelin D. Hollowood
 Andrew Honiotes
 Tavajah Brandon Hunter
 Ashley Jacobs
 Crystal Hope Jacques
 Alexei Kasanzew
 Kristina Anna Kramarczuk
 Camille Levin
 Catelyn Maves
 Kayla Modahl
 Amelia Morgenstern
 Allison Novack
 Hailey Renee Parungao
 Joanna Jennifer Payette
 Gabrielle Moriah Lyn Perry
 Robert Scott Perry
 Eboni Person
 Clementina Riobueno
 Belinda Nichole Ryan Robertson
 Angelicia Robinson
 Dean Seda
 Jean-Claude Siku
 Taylor Snook
 Sima Elysi Suon
 Andres Tamayo
 Carolina Caridad Tauler
 Anthony Niel Thomas
 Latoya Thompson
 Elijah M. Yarborough

Degrees conferred December 14, 2017

Chaisson Stewart Allen
Anthony Lamar Banton
Indira Vicky Boodram
Kyle John Brannigan
Linsey Brewster
Delano Brown
Gregory Steven Carman
Liam Connor Corley
Mackenzie Lynne Dale
Marcelo Claudino De Oliveira
Amy Dean
Hannah Elisabeth Dougherty
Michael Joseph Eichelberger
Blake William Farmer
Annelise Feliu
Chris Garbarino
Renzo Daniel Giraldo
John Demetric Griffin
Margaret Ann Gutierrez
Thomas Haney
Tyrone Demetrius Henderson
Gabriella Herrera
Justin Andrew Herrera
Ryan Ho
HB Horn III
Joseph Ibarra
Eurica B. Ketant
Adam Sadler Lachance
Eric Leon
Joselyn Emily Lopez
Miyenis Lu
Christopher Joseph Maher
John Bryan McGough
Emmanuel Messy
Thomas William Miller III
Delilah Montoya
Nadia Almeddy Moreta
Shanika D. Mungin
Armica Nabaa
Molly Sandra Nuell
Tamara Pakaz
Michelle Pascual
Shelley F. Pelcher
Yaribeth Peralta
De'Nasia Markita Pitchford
Deral Pitts
Luis Fernando Ramirez
Lizette Raphael-Aristilde
Tomas Rubio
Graham D. Salmun
Jesse G. Schulman
Marlene P. Tamargo
Nancy Maria Tarafa
Alex Usategui
Rachel Whitted
Arsenio J. Williams
Nichelle L. Womble

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN ATHLETIC TRAINING

Degree candidates May 11, 2018

Bryair Destiny Alston
Michael William Griffo
Silver Renee Harris
Caroline Shaw
Lauren Villanueva

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN EDUCATION

Degree candidates May 11, 2018

Noureen Ahmed
Chad Allen
Livia M. Alvarez
Erika Aparicio
Shaneese Renae Bailey
Liris Stephanie Berra
Max Aaron Budney
Kaitlyn Casanas
John Steven Cline (M)
Jorge Daniel D'Ugard
Adianez Fragoso
Samantha Gonzalez
Victoria Marie Gonzalez (C)
Brandon D. Harris
Teren Michael Hart
Amanda Frances Hequin Ganapolsky (M)
Erik Jager Hess
Niara Hill
Ryan Lee Keane (S)
Stefani Janae Kerrison
Wallace Ann Layland
Hannah Long (S)
Taegan Lynch
Elsy Marina Mallarino Mejia
Jennifer Lynn Mancino (M)
Michele Wolf Marenus (S)
Brooke Ashley McDermott
Travis John Mooney
Olivia Ann Pallo
Antonio Palmer
Hunter Paulus
Celina Maria Pilstl
Al-Laiya J. Proff
Carter Bradford Reed
Sakile Ayanna Simmons
Jesy Sivilien
Brogan Thomas
Cooper Valena Tinsley
Brandon Widman
Terence Wimbley
Andrew Sayford Wray
Brian Zalma (M)

Degree candidates August 10, 2018

Christianna Minami Dale
Christian Dominguez
Marques Gayot

Dimitri Adolfo Irausquin
Benjamin O. Pomerantz
John Edward Smith
Ruiao Zhang

Degrees conferred December 14, 2017

Maya Carmen Alexander
Claudia Campano (C)
Charlotte Jacobs
Joseph Matthew Johnson
Kc Lee McDermott
Larry Lee Newkirk Jr.
Colbey Brooke Plutzer
Tomas Sarmiento
Susan Mariam Taghioff (C)
Joseph Tawil
Kevin T. Togami
Shih Hao Wang

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN EXERCISE PHYSIOLOGY

Degree candidates May 11, 2018

Marlou Pangilinan Abril
Marie Rose Aquilino
Alec Bizieff (M)
Justin Ralph Brown
Breeana Rose Burns
Cesar Castillo
Sean Shaukat Chowdhari
Frank Davila
Sandeep Singh Dhingra
Elisa Elliott
Jerónimo José Ferriol Alonso
Matthew Philip Fink (M)
Bryant Scott Gavilan
Dalia Sofia Habash
Mark Emmanuel Hequin Ganapolsky
Tyler Scott Laib
Sophia Eugina Lanzendorf
Jordan Marc Mandel
Nicolle Georgia Mazzei
Daniel J. Morhaim
Joshua Abel Netto-Rosen
Sophia Madeline Pressman
Shayaan Uddin Qazi
Rohan Rana (C)
Alexis Paige Rosen
Nicolette Paige Ruta
Claire Margaret Sheldon
Sijie Shen
Sammer Sameer Softa
Shawn Singh Sondhi
Charles Tyler Szuchan (S)
Kareem Tabba
Amy Brooke Waldman
Michael Andrew Welch
Elise Alexandra Wiley
Hanson Wong

Degree candidate August 10, 2018

Steven Lawson

Degrees conferred December 14, 2017

Emma K. Gregory
Joseph Matthew Johnson
Jennifer Margolin (C)
Charles Xavier Rodriguez
William Aziz Srouji Jr.
Keri Strand

COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING

Established 1947

Presented by Jean-Pierre Bardet, Ph.D., Dean

MASTER OF SCIENCE

Degree candidates May 10, 2018

Nelson Jose Da Gama Henriquez
Roseline Jonell Nwakanma

Degrees conferred December 14, 2017

Rafael Serrano
Andrea Maria Serrano Echenagucia

MASTER OF SCIENCE IN ARCHITECTURAL ENGINEERING

Degree candidate May 10, 2018

Alexander Briel

MASTER OF SCIENCE IN BIOMEDICAL ENGINEERING

Degree candidates May 10, 2018

Zachary Brencons
Nolan B. Chastain
Alaleh Dormishian
Carlos Enrique Liverani
Fiorella A. Lopardo
Daniel Alfredo Mejia
Lauren A. Rodriguez
Andres Ruiz
Elizabeth Marie Scheidt
Samuel Cody Smith
Flavia Zisi Tegou

Degrees conferred December 14, 2017

Eric Michael Franca
Santiago Guerra

MASTER OF SCIENCE IN CIVIL ENGINEERING

Degree candidates May 10, 2018

Ebone-Alexandria Ross
Michelle Camille Stanley

Degrees conferred December 14, 2017

Adel M R H Alqaoud
Fahad F S Barjas
Albert Zabban

MASTER OF SCIENCE IN ELECTRICAL AND COMPUTER ENGINEERING

Degree candidates May 10, 2018

Yernur Orshabekov
Xinan Wang

Degrees conferred December 14, 2017

Diego Palacios
Yifei Yu

MASTER OF SCIENCE IN INDUSTRIAL ENGINEERING

Degree candidates May 10, 2018

Brandon Merrill Armstrong
Adel Tarek I Bukhari
Tameem Abdullatif A Ismail
Justin Labranche
Samuel J. Levinger
Andreas Thomas Kustas
Mallory Claire Madfes

Degrees conferred December 14, 2017

Bader Y A A A Almulla
Thamer Mohammed S Altamimi

MASTER OF SCIENCE IN MECHANICAL ENGINEERING

Degree candidates May 10, 2018

Jason B. Blanke
Mattia Rizzo Striano
Luchen Wang
Wenxuan Wang

Degree conferred December 14, 2017

Leonard Andrew Barrera Allen

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN AEROSPACE ENGINEERING

Degree candidates May 11, 2018

Alexander Charles Geller
Shayna Alyse Hume
Kyle Edmund Lombard (C)
Mohamed Dakir Mossadeq
Ryan Logan Samuels (M)
Wesley Robert Wynn

Degree candidate August 10, 2018

Ali Obaid Rashid Ali Alyileili

Degrees conferred December 14, 2017

Paula Alejandra Barrios (C)
Rachel A. Lyons
Austin J. Toft

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN ARCHITECTURAL ENGINEERING

Degree candidates May 11, 2018

Maryam Aldeaij
Anfal Aljumah
Dana A A A H Alzankawi
Alexander Briel
Otavio Luis Camara Da Silva
Chase John Caruso (M)
Sean Michael Grossman
Alec J. Jimenez
Tal Ron Sr.
Isabella Ruggero Stahl (S)

Degree candidates August 10, 2018

Waleed Saud A Aboaldouh
Rakan D H S A Alaiban
Abdulaziz A A S A Albabtain
Haidar H. Haji

Degrees conferred December 14, 2017

Mohammad A M A R Alajeel
Leonardo Salomon Benatar Weissmann

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN BIOMEDICAL ENGINEERING

Degree candidates May 11, 2018

Ethan Paul Adre (M)
Sarah N A F A Alameer
Raphael Octavio Barretto Alejandrino
Baron Jacob Alloway
Sabrina Anand
Vanessa Christina Baillie (C)

Sean Michael Bartholomew
Oldrin Bataku (M)
Mary Claire Beggs
Briana Sarene Bigio
Zachary Brencsons
Roger Justin Charles Jr.
Nolan B. Chastain
Isabella Caroline Claire (M)
Kaitlyn Lee Cornish
Brandon P. Costa
Daniela Cusco Diaz (C)
Nicholas Robert De Angelis
Ajay Doniparthi
Alaleh Dormishian (C)
Fred Alexander Etingen (M) *
Jennifer Gamarra (C)
Earl Sentina Generato (C)
Daniel Gizachew
John S. Graham (C)
Victoria Marie Graham
Paige Hockley (M)
Lucas Hoffmann (M)
John Patrick Horan (C)
Alexander John-Hari Hutson
Bryan Ibarra (M)
Ellery Jensen Jones (M)
Navaneetha K. Kumaran
Gabriel Lama (C)
Carlos Enrique Liverani
Fiorella A. Lopardo (C)
Kathleen Lu (C) *
Denise Antonella Manfrini (C)
Steven Thomas Masciale
Amanda Montoya
Laura Morales (S)
Isabel Heidenry Mulvihill (C)
Ziad Nasir
Raina Jayesh Patel
Alex Thanhlong Pham (S)
Simarjeet Puri (S)
Joseph William Reda (S) *
Jessica Ann Roach (C)
Alec Placido Rodriguez
Lauren A. Rodriguez
Zachary Rojas
Jackson Carl Rossborough (C)
Andres Ruiz
Amanda Isabel Sanabria (C)
Christian Manuel Sarceno
Kellie Gloria Scanlon (C)
Elizabeth Marie Scheidt (M)
Mackenzie Alison Scully (M)
Emma Lillian Sinkus (C)
Samuel Cody Smith (M)
Raphael Barak Socher (C)
Benjamin Q. Spangler (C)
Harold Jeukeng Tapamo
Rose Thatcher (M)
Victoria Ann Vega
Chandran Venkatachalam (C)
Sofia Magali Vignolo (M)
Shane Howard Wright (M)
Laura Elizabeth Wubker (M)
Kristina Georgina Zahan

Degree candidate August 10, 2018

Antoinette Beatrice Klu

Degrees conferred December 14, 2017

Christopher A. Accetturo
Sterlie Etienne Achille
Adam Joseph Eismont
Peter G. Kohler
Zeke Hunter Lombard
Anthony Akpobeledoh Lukoh
Brandon Sohail Zakeri (C)

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN CIVIL ENGINEERING

Degree candidates May 11, 2018

Michelle Acherman
Kenneth Baer
Jonathan Bruce Cohen Zafrani
Madeleine Hollowed
Leiana Erica Maiberg
Tristan Ogden
Ebony-Alexandria Ross
Edmond Joseph Silvera Esses
Marc Garrett Szasz
Michael Watson (C)

Degree candidates August 10, 2018

Sarah A M Abdullah
Ali A M J H A Al Rashid
Tianmin Hua

Degrees conferred December 14, 2017

Kunal Kapadia
Gabriel Prolik Schuchowski (C)

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN COMPUTER ENGINEERING

Degree candidates May 11, 2018

Tristan Quentin Blarel
Shahked Bleicher (M)
Basile Jules Bougenot (C)
Gengwei Chen
Rocio De Santiago
Cedrick Olivier Estelhomme
Hassan Faour
Samantha Marie Gangi (C)
Thalia Isabel Garcia
Sinclair Mills
Samuel Frank Siegler
Kristin Zheng

Degree conferred December 14, 2017

Helen Frances Edelson (C) *

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN ELECTRICAL ENGINEERING

Degree candidates May 11, 2018

Robert Joshua Collier
Ibrahim Dodo
Benjamin Genereaux (M)
Han Jiang
Thomas James Kelly
Logan McDonald Riddick (M)
Christopher Bernard Novak (C)
Samuel Andrew Teklitz
Mitchell Ryan Traub (C)
Carlos Eduardo Zerpa Araujo (M)

Degree conferred December 14, 2017

Diego Palacios (M)

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN ENVIRONMENTAL ENGINEERING

Degree candidates May 11, 2018

Jennifer Black
Sitong Chen
Mary Agnes Jacketti
Ryan Teng Loon Koay
Alec Rodriguez
Michelle Camille Stanley (C)
Abigail Marie Tinari

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN INDUSTRIAL ENGINEERING

Degree candidates May 11, 2018

Khaled J A A H Aldakheil
Brandon Merrill Armstrong
Syed Hammad Ali Azizi
Yael Benarroch Pardo (C)
Raquel Benatar
Isaac Bentata
Sol Ani Botbol Wahnon (S)
Saud Boujarwah
Alexandra Teresa Briceno Herrera
Vitor Hugo Camara Da Silva
Daniel Cazzaniga
Isabelle Delcea
Roderick Dunlap
Thais Lis Garcia Llanes (C)
Joshua R. Johnson
Kyle P. Johnson
Justin Labranche
Jacobo Landman
Samuel J. Levinger

Mallory Claire Madfes (C)
Daniela Martinez
Alejandro Marulanda
Jacob McCallister
Joel Meler
Sinan Merzeci
Rossteen Milani (C)
Chester Martel Montefering
Maria Fernanda Navarro Arvelo
Alexandru Victor Palada
Jasmine Isabella Pattany
Miguel Andres Piacquadio Ronchetti (C)
Luis Fernando Polito Garcia
Damien Christopher Qualls
Nicolas Rodriguez
Sophie Alexandra Schummer (M)
Kasey Lynne Simpson
Evan James Stocker (C)
Javier Guillermo Zedan

Degree candidates August 10, 2018

Salem H A A A Abulhasan
Ali A A M H Ali
Ahmad W O A J Almasoud
Fai A Kh A Alshehab
Asante Cortez Butler II
Abigail Lynn Griffith (C)
Grace Gudrun Johnston

Degrees conferred December 14, 2017

Daniel Ali
Mohammad E. Alkharji
Andre Andrade
Dylan Azuelos
Dalia Benchimol Abecasis (M)
Sarah R. Capraro (C)
Diego Cusco
Alexander Kuestermann Criado
Isabel Cristina Perna (M)
Andrew Vincent Rivas
Khalil Saieh
Khalfani Saint-Clair
Yuhong Xie

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN MECHANICAL ENGINEERING

Degree candidates May 11, 2018

Abdulmohssen K. Abaalkhail
Bader W A M Alawadhi
Abdulrahman Marzouq H M H Albader
Fahad A F S M Almudhaf
Abdulrahman A A A H Alroumi
Talal B Z M A Alsaqoby
Daniel Ryan Altman
Joseph Emmanuel Baca
Ivan Henry Baglietto
Talal Bazzi
Mohammad Yousef M Y Bin Hajji
Jason B. Blanke (C)
Samuel George Bodmer

Daniel Bolis (M)
Mario Cesar Camilo Gomes Silva
Grant Mitchell Coffman (C)
Matthew Lucas Colonero
Danielle E. Coogan (M)
Emmet James Flanigan
Robert Benjamin Foley (C)
Morgan C. Gaito
Zachary Thomas Garland
Mohammed Y N Kh N Hamadah
Noah Arthur Hernandez
Herschel Hester
Jonathan Natan Hoffmann
Nicholas Michael Hortance
Young Kim
Moritz Frederik Koepenkastrup-Lueker (M)
Joseph Anthony Lucci IV
Zuri Michael McFarlane
Max Meyers
Eleazar Jose Mora Rodriguez
Jacob Morris (C)
Marie Jacqueline Pape (M)
Kevin Octavio Pavon
Max Nathan Rosenfeld (C)
Michael James Tenuta (C)
Jeremiah Daniel Truesdell
Joi Yijiao Wu (M)

Degree candidate August 10, 2018

Fajer Karimy

Degrees conferred December 14, 2017

Abdulrahman M R M Alrashdan
Nicholas J. Panzo (M)
Xiaoyao Qiao
Colton B. Smith
Kyle Matthew Sylvester
Abdulrahman Kh H A Zainal

* General Honors

(S) Summa Cum Laude
(M) Magna Cum Laude
(C) Cum Laude

ROSENSTIEL SCHOOL OF MARINE AND ATMOSPHERIC SCIENCE

Established 1969

Presented by Roni Avissar, Ph.D., Dean

MASTER OF PROFESSIONAL SCIENCE

Degree candidates May 10, 2018

Adrienne Justine Aiken
Erica Habie Allen
Aaron Herbert Azzola
Ashley Lynn Barbano
Julienne Emily Beblo
Brett C. Brumund
Robert Alexander Delamater
Andriana Marie Fragola
Catherine Ruth Gelston
Emma East Hollowell
Yung Jones
Amelia Rose Jugovich
Lia Mareka Kerkes
Alexander John Kogan
Samantha E. Kreisler
David C. Lestino
Bianca Maya Majumder
Meghan Lorrie Massatt
Sierra Elizabeth Sarkis
Joletta Christine Silva
Justin Glenn Coggins Tuttle
Matthew Aaron Varkony
Ian Andrew Zander

Degree candidate August 10, 2018

Sarah Marie Zollner

Degrees conferred December 14, 2017

Nicole Irene Besemer
Ariel M. Blatt
Robert Botta
Malia Raquel Byrtus
Jane Valentine Carrick
Philip John Colburn
Joshua Timothy Davis
Rebecah Delp
Seán Patrick Fay
Kelly Elizabeth Flanigan
Alexandria Stansfield Fowler
Joshua Goldston
Samantha Leigh Grasley
Shane A. Hinton
Richard Feldman Karp
Brendon Kendall
Victoria Louise Knorr
Rebecca Jill Kraut
Dani Katelyn Lacy

Tracey Scott Lafrance
Alcyone Michelle Levy
Sihong Li
Joshua Blake Lim
Brian Richard Magnier
Christina Marie Marconi
Amanda M. Mikalian
Jeff Palumbo
Connor Robert Sean Pregizer
Melissa A. Riley
Lili Farrah Schachter
Elizabeth Rose Schumacher
Chelsea Nicole Shipp
Dylan Joseph Sinnickson
Philip Michael Souza
Raven Donelle Spencer
Lauren Michelle Stevens
Maureen Elizabeth Sullivan
Shelby L. Wedelich

MASTER OF SCIENCE

Degree candidates May 10, 2018

Sean Peter Ahearn
Brandon Glenn Burke
Amber Dawn Butler
Bingkun Luo
Brian Christopher Matilla
Emily R. Nelson
Ryan Sirota

Degree candidates August 10, 2018

Julian Nicholas Fiorentino
Brian Christopher Matilla
Piyawut Mitrananda
Craig Andrew Raffenberg
Robert Roemer
Ryan Sirota
Amanda Daria Stoltz
Mustafa Kamil Yuksek
Bosong Zhang

Degrees conferred December 14, 2017

Emad H. Alothman
Leila Atallahbenson
David Lowe Bouck
Samantha Clair Dowdell
Emily R. Nelson

BACHELOR OF ARTS IN MARINE AFFAIRS

Degree candidates May 11, 2018

Dana Catherine Biddle
Kristin Michelle Butler
Nikolaos Chionis
Natalie B. Duboc
Michael Esses

Benjamin E. Hoffman
Courtney Elizabeth Milley
Tatum Rebekah Nugent
Kristyn Ostanek
Adam Gregory Roberti (C)
Casey Armstrong Rutherford
Hailey Wilson (C)

Degrees conferred December 14, 2017

Natalee F. Bell
Harrison Crockett Cann
Katrina Ann Clifford
Katya Alexis Jagolta
Austin Davis Lazzari

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN MARINE AND ATMOSPHERIC SCIENCE

Degree candidates May 11, 2018

Audrey T. Abrinko
Patricia Albano
Matthew Aaron Bernanke
Tessa Cohen Billings
Rachel Stacey Bookman
Shelbourne Brown
Megan Bucol
Conrad Thomas Casente
Alexander Michael Crom
Jessica Marie Daly
Kaitlyn Rose Dantoni (M)
David Ehrens (C)
Tricia Lynn Elfering (C)
Victor Froilan Escalona
Alexandra Terese Ford
Kira Jasmine Fullerton
Thomas Lorentz Gard
Benjamin Wayne Hall (S) *
Sydney Paige Harned
Timothy Michael Hogan (C)
Megan Howson
Shannon Jean Hunt
Nicholas John Kedzuff
Benjamin Limer (C)
Hanyuan Liu (M)
Daniel James Lloveras (M)
Rachel Catherine McCormick (M)
Liam McGrath
Lillian Zetta Myers
Stephanie Erin Neal
Jacob Boaz Norry (C)
Nicola Louise Paul (C) *
Megan Reeves Pringle (C)
Rachel Anne Prosko (M)
Joshua Dane Raider Ratay
Samantha Anne Shawver
Samantha Maria Shedd (C)
Nicholas Steven Shoupp
Emily Clare Storrs
Darci Alicia Swenson
Eduardo Tamborrel
Alyssa Marie Theodor (C)
Laura Madison Thornton

Stephanie Topal
Jamie Lynn Tryba
Phallon Abaigeal Tullis-Joyce (C)
Trenton Voytko
Rachel Nancy Weinstein (C)
Catherine Wu

Degrees conferred December 14, 2017

Emmalee Ann Carr
Anthony Chiccarine
Reid William Collis (S) *
Logan Charles Doran
Sierra Marin Fullmer (M)
Sarah Lynn Ortiz
Rachel Stovall
Anchen Sun
Philip Tanabe
Jeongran Vanderwoude (S)

LEONARD M. MILLER SCHOOL OF MEDICINE

Established 1952

*Presented by Zafar Nawaz, Ph.D., Senior Associate
Dean*

MASTER OF PUBLIC HEALTH

Degree candidates May 10, 2018

Amit Kumar Agarwal
Nawara Alawa
Stephen Joseph Allegra
Ali Mosallam A Alsolami
Armando Alvarez
Julia Rothe Amundson
Daniel J. Baldor
Jacob Nicholas Batycki
Kristi Brownlee
Alexander M. Busko
Natalie Ann Cain
Catherine J. Cichon
Rudolph Alexander Davis
Krista Marie Douglass
James Patrick Ennen
Isabella M. Ferre
Gavin Fiddler
Paige Erin Finkelstein
Joshua Sunny George
Delaram Ghanooni
Michelle Kiyoko Godbee
Hillary Dora Goldstein
Jasmine Danielle Green
Talia Holzman Castellands
Samuel Hopwood
Zachary Stephen Hubbard
Stanislav Asenov Ivanov
Cristine M. Izaguirre
Sequoia Nakiya Jackson
Jennifer Jean Jacques
Nikeshan Jeyakumar
Nadine Togsissida Kabore
Samuel Alexander Kareff
Hasan Mujib Khan
Humza Mujib Khan
Adam Michael Kravietz
Charity J. Lee
Rachel Allison Levy
Amy M. Maier
Zhengis Serikbaiuly Makhambet
Morgan Blair Manasa
Alexandra Jessica Mata
Ilana Mayer-Hirshfeld
Katelyn McGlynn
Frederick Michaud
Kevin Joseph Moore
Nishant Vishwanath Munugala
Nadine Najjar
Daniel Martin O'Shea
Kelsey Pan
Maria C. Pardo
Ann Marie Polcari
Grace Pryor

Rachel Vanessa Robles
Jennifer Brynne Rosenthal
Jackson Louis Saddemi
Jacqueline Amanda Safstrom
Nadia Thura Saif
Emely M. Sanchez
Jean Phillip Shami
Mara Nadia Shapero
Michelle M. Shnyder
Corinne Joy Solheid
Joan Elizabeth St. Onge
Abigail Strong
Shaunak Varma
Candace Leigh Ward
Destiny Westbrook
Genevieve Florence Wiehl
Sylvia Xistris

Degree candidates August 10, 2018

Gavin Ajami
Maria Antor
Georgina S. Barahona
Sebastian G. Escarfuller
Kaina Louis-Charles
David R. McWilliams
Devin A. Metoyer
Stephanie Negron
Kiarabet Quintana Ramos
Veronica Rodriguez
Erin Ross
Carolina Scaramutti
Michael A. Viamonte

Degrees conferred December 14, 2017

Sabria Matar Khalfan Al Marshoudi
Jaber Hassan S Alfaifi
Regla Rosmely Alfonso
Manu Bhalla
Theta Brown
Christine M. Castiglione
Monica Cristina Constain
Faride Godoy
Adrian Charles Kinkead
Rohit Mathur
Olorunleke Olumuyiwa Oni
Nisha Phogat
Katerina M. Santiago
Mohammed Abdulrazzaq M Shaikhomer
Deepshikha Singh
Mary H. Soares
Melissa Gibson Swain
Luz Marina Villamil
Terilyn Viray

* General Honors

(S) Summa Cum Laude
(M) Magna Cum Laude
(C) Cum Laude

MASTER OF SCIENCE

Degree candidates May 10, 2018

Laura Bloom
Sara Eve Bressler
Erika Marie Ellis
Armando Luis Garcia
Gregory Francis Geubelle
Emily Elizabeth Grass
Christopher Michael Greenland
Joaquin E. Jimenez
Kyle Daniel Klingbeil
Zachary Adam Kroeger
Diana Maria Lopategui Minaya
Steven Victor Lord
Matthew Bryce McClure
Melissa Lynne McCormack
Cory Shanahan Patrick
Alberto R. Ramos
Kenley Raney
William Peter Sawyer
Ibrahim Osama Sayed-Ahmed
Hannah Rae Shlansky
Marialaura Simonetto

Degree candidates August 10, 2018

Gabriela Beraja
Lisa Gloria Cornelio
Jennifer Gerring
Jesus E. Hidalgo
Elisabeth Jeffrey
Terrance James Lynn
Julio Macias Pimentel
Xavier Prado Julia
Kyle Blaine Russell
Sarah Jean Shemtov

MASTER OF SCIENCE IN BIOSTATISTICS

Degree candidates August 10, 2018

Jia Yi Chen
Jing Chen
Alexandra Gesla Debose-Scarlett
Lauren Ashley Foster
Jesus E. Hidalgo
Lizhong Liu
Siyao Liu
Maria Janet Metaweh
Emmalee Sears
Nikhil Tellakula
Niandong Yang
Weilu Zhao
Yeyang Zhu

MASTER OF SCIENCE IN PUBLIC HEALTH

Degree candidates May 10, 2018

Antonio J. Bustillo
Clark G. Gilford Jr.
Kaitlin Nicole Grosgebauer
Yindi Li
Blanca Silvia Noriega Esquivas
Isabelle Salvaterra
Chaonan Wang
Haihui Yu

Degree candidate August 10, 2018

Hannah Renae Speaks

Degrees conferred December 14, 2017

Susanne Doblecki Lewis
Guillermo J. Morales

PHILLIP AND PATRICIA FROST SCHOOL OF MUSIC

Established 1926

Presented by Shelton G. Berg, M.M., Dean

ARTIST DIPLOMA

Degree candidates May 10, 2018

Jordan V. Bidwell
Eric Christian Eakes
Lucas Goodman
Brandon Jose Guillen
Ksenija Komljenovic
Miclén Elwin LaiPang
Priscila Laura Navarro Navarro
Aaron James Ney
Nicole Marie Oswald

MASTER OF ARTS

Degree candidates May 10, 2018

Haihan Dong
Lerel Frederick
Logan E. Gardipee
Guanhua Hu
Erin Elizabeth Kulinski
Gabriel La Salette Menendez
Xiaolie Peng
Kimberly Melissa Simmons
Tianwei Ye

Degrees conferred December 14, 2017

Widalys Guzman
Charles Heiser
Theodore Ronald Schaper

MASTER OF MUSIC

Degree candidates May 10, 2018

Megan Abram
Auriette M. Alexander
Darrell Bruce Allen Jr.
Ana Patricia Alvarez Urena
Gabriela Maria Barnes
Benjamin David Beal
Janette Becerra
Andrew Harrison Binder
Alex Brown
Wei Ting Chang
Michael Clark
Linsey Dirk M. Coppens
Melissa Dalbora
Michael Raymond Dudley
Samuel Exline
Enrico Faliva

Angelica Maria Garcia
Lanjiaba Ge
Rachel Ginebra
Sheena Gutierrez
Nathan Andrew Hatton
Taiesa Shaniece Heath
Hanako Sarah Henty
Arismendy Hernandez
Morena Kalziqi
Thomas John Kelley
Sewon Kim
Brandon Thomas Kreuder
Katherine Lantigua
Chengge Li
William Carey Locke
John Alexander Logan
Andrew Paul Loose
Omar Arturo Macias
Ryland Gibb Mandish
David Robert Marder
Juan Carlos Mata-Alvarez
Diego Mauricio Matallana Rodriguez
Laura L. Mazon
Laura Kathleen Modglin
Emiri Nourishirazi
Guillermo Andres Ospina Martinez
Andrew Scott Peal
Derek Pyle
Diana Samanta Rada Torres
Tomas Miguel Ramos-Martin
Lowell Alan Ringel
Molly Jeanette Rosen
Ian Sawyer
Youngbin Seong
Emmalouise Hartwell St. Amand
Jake Arminius Stricker
Kyle Anthony Swan
Rafael Torralvo Da Silva
Phillip Christopher Tsigolaroff
Liam Underwood
Alan Valladares
Benjamin James Whitman
Jonathon Winter
Leslie Zapiain
Daniel Kirk Zimmer

Degree candidates August 10, 2018

Tiara Jones
Mateja Marie Kalajian
Nicolette Marie Moreno
Peter Rivera

Degrees conferred December 14, 2017

Ruthanne Jeanette Cain
Eric Dewayne Jackson
Andrea C. Jennings
Sandra Yvonne Lopez Neill
Julian Michael Perez
Jannie Tran

MASTER OF SCIENCE IN MUSIC ENGINEERING TECHNOLOGY

Degree candidates May 10, 2018

Hunter T. Garcia
Sanket Sandip Kulkarni

BACHELOR OF ARTS IN MUSIC

Degree candidates May 11, 2018

Andrea Devito
Julia Mercedes
Kristen Marie Noa
Rachel Ohnsman

BACHELOR OF MUSIC

Degree candidates May 11, 2018

Alexander D. Ambrose
Michael Barcenas
Kent Eaton Barnhill (C)
Gabriel Benitez (C)
Claire Marie Bernardin
Brian Charles Bibb
Samuel Gordon Bierman
Aaron C. Blakely
Corbet Clare Campbell
Aldo Xavier Canals
Sofia Louise Carrillo
Jeffrey Robert Chapman
Tiari L. Cisterna
Alexandra Colaizzi (C)
Teela Justine Comeau (C)
Samantha Elizabeth Cordasco (C)
Daniel Correa
Zachary Marcus Di Lello (C)
Logan Patrick Elstermann
Emily Claire Ennis
Michael Richard Fenuccio (M)
Meghan Katherine Fitton (M)
Matthew Robert Flanders (C)
Kevin Angel Forte
Jacques Gadway
Chase Gasko
Jaske Goff
Marisa Lauren Goldman
Joana Laura Gonzalez
Emily Caroline Guilmette
Jacob Hart
Kekoaalii Randall Ho
Benjamin Collin Hon
Sarah Kelly Huesman
Adam Ikner (M)
Zola P. Johnson
Miclén Elwin LaiPang
Jack Lax
Caroline Elizabeth Lazar
Anh Tuong Le (M)
Muireann Lemus
Taiyou Lin

Nicholas Anthony Lorenzo
Kyle Benjamin Meerbott (C)
Mackenzie Anne Miller (S)
Carly Bianca Mindel (M)
Sarah Avery Mosden
Julia Chen Myers
Andrew N. Novoa
Jesse Ojanen (M)
Christian Pappas
Rosangel Perez Bencomo
Ashley Marie Pezzotti
Lauren Gayle Reiner (C)
Rachael Anne Romba
Charles David Rose
Katrina M. Schaefer
Tanner Ryan Schaper
Christopher Paul Schreck
Tess Isabel Schuit
Caroline Shaffer
Matthew Charles Shill
John Mitchell Small
Eitan Jonathan Snyder
Marc David Solomon (M)
Mia Louise Tamburrino
Christopher Thompson-Taylor
Robert S. Tindle (C)
Rebecca Tutunick (S)
Jose Luis Vazquez
Nicoletta Lee Vetsch
Jeremy Whitman (M)
Danting Xia
Sarah Lynn Young (M)

Degrees conferred December 14, 2017

Nicole Camejo
Christina Marie Davila
Michael Maverick Greenburg
Monica M. Larrea (M)
Dennis Lejardi
Chase M. Lim
Cristina Ann Mariani (C)
Nanami Morikawa
Daniel Pascale
Patricia Senseng Vega

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN MUSIC

Degree candidates May 11, 2018

Amanda Marie Abate (M)
Matthew Jude Chetcuti
Samuel Michael Feinstein *
Eric Martin Johnson
Jack Magann
Kim Hans Morton
Elliott Isaiah Robinson
Jamie Cecelia Robinson
Jason Brent Smith (C) *

SCHOOL OF NURSING AND HEALTH STUDIES

Established 1968

Presented by Cindy Munro, Ph.D., Dean

MASTER OF SCIENCE

Degree candidates May 10, 2018

Deloria Jackson
Kurt Strudwick
Paul Justin Vogel

Degree candidates August 10, 2018

Ineisa Antoinette Real
Christopher D. Rodriguez
Aja Monique Scott

Degrees conferred December 14, 2017

Hooshang Michael Bolooki
Vicente Javier Cordova
David Louis Jr.
Eric Landry Provo
Mary Balfour Stein-Ferrer

MASTER OF SCIENCE IN NURSING

Degree candidates May 10, 2018

Osiene Lim Diesto
Pascale Fevrier
Jeffrey Hernandez
Latrice Milbourne
Nicole B. Parr
Leslly Johana Prado Rubi
Angelica Maria Sepulveda

Degree candidates August 10, 2018

Farrah Ashley Abergel
Aida Elizabeth Acuna
Lindsay M. Alcantara
Renzo Alderete
Ann Marie Anderson
Diana C. Aristizabal
Gretter Arnold
Jose Luis Baca
Rita Baroudi
Gabriel Benitez
Stephany Roxanne Berrios
Nafeesa Imtyaz Bhanji
Natalie Ann Blanco
Latrece N. Booker
Joseph A. Bornstein
Shanee Aviva Bouskila
Steven Spencer Boyd

Angela Bravo Matos
Kristen R. Bussa
Karen Cabezas
Barbara Cadet
Lyannette Calderon
Marlene Iona Campbell-Smith
Shadia Cardoso
Stephanie Marie Casares
Megan Anne Casey
Legna M. Castaneda
Mirlande B. Cazeau
Vanessa Faye Ceballos
Jesus O. Chacon
Antonio Chatila
Michelle Lakeman Chavoustie
Dieulune Cheres
Michelle Nicole Chirino
Loreta Colao
Angelique Marie Colon
Johanna Conde
Yanet Cordovi
Rachel Cueto
Alicia Elena Dabdoub
Sofia De La Camara
Joy Marie Cerilo Delgado
Gustavo Diaz
Svetlana V. Ekubova
Stephanie Marie Ferrare
Rafael Ferrer
Maria F. Francis
Maria Victoria Franco
Wilson Garcia
Raisa Genao
Sarai Gendriz
Kirsten Goetz
Dunia Gomez Alejo
Joanna Michelle Gonzalez
Whitney L. Grant
Melanie Mari Gregory
Dayna Rae Hagerty
Valerie A. Halstead
Christopher Mourra Handal
Erika R. Hayashihara
Vannessa Marie Hernandez
Neylen Hernandez Padron
Diana Dee Hillam
Victoria Horowitz
Jessica Iglesias
Diana Itacy
Sandra Jayussi
Marissa Noelle Johnson
Jeri L. Klemme Zaiac
Aissatou Konate
Sabrine Laue
David Sampaio Lima
Sarah Eva Lipsey
Elizabeth C. Llerena
Patricia Lopez
Raphael Joseph Lopez
Naida Lugo
Ignacio R. Medina
Abigail Georgina Meyers
Rachel A. Miller
Andrea Marie Miranda
Derli Montoya
Patricia C. Novoa-Vogt
Vanessa Odriozola

Mariana Cristina O'Neill
Karla Ong
Jessica Oporto
Eduardo Orozco
Maria Ospina
Natalie Del Carmen Padilla
Wilfredo Rolando Padron
Miguel Pedraja
Norma Pena
Meliza Mercedes Perea
Ronald D. Philogene
Alexis S. Points
Mariangel Prieto
Evelyn Quevedo Enriquez
Katherine Alexandra Quezada
Susana Ramirez
Edwin Simon Ramos
Gretchell M. Ramos
Julieth Andrea Rave
Precious Janay Reese
Lorena Fernandes Revoredo
Steffany Leni Reyes
Christina Mary Elise Reynolds
LaVette Nicole Richardson
Luz Eugenia Rincon
Kacie L. Robinson
Maylin Rodriguez
Stephanie Rodriguez
Kelly Melissa Roland
Lauren Ross
Kristen Eve Rothstein
Ricardo Ruiz
Enbal Sabag
Jennifer Cary Sada
Marjorie Achille Salomon
Alexander Diasalvador Sanchez Arbolaez
Anastasia Marie Santiago
Marielle E. Schmitt
Kaylin Laura Scott
Elizabeth Ann Scott-Shafer
Ekaterina Shapiro
Solange Sierra
Amanda Michelle Simon
Karina Suarez
Reynier Amel Tapanes Rodriguez
Mayte Torres Leon
Gloria Trivino
Jeanneth Isabel Usaga
Eileen Valdes Sanchez
Taylor Vanderark
Elizabeth Vazquez
Christopher Edison Villarraga
Diana Lourdes Villazon
Annette Watts
Roxanne Munoz Wittman
Ann-Marie A. Young
Cassandra Young

Degrees conferred December 14, 2017

Gail Elaine Hill
Rachelle Joseph
Antoinette Michel
Alexsandra Morales

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN HEALTH SCIENCE

Degree candidates May 11, 2018

Diego Acosta
Nicole Ashley Barylski (S)
Kaliyah Lillie Brown
Kassadi Danielle Bulich
Rhyann Norlen Burt
Valquiria Boghossian De Laurentio
Nicolle M. Denyer
Olumide Fajolu
Kristin Gmunder (S)
Erica Kelli Herrin (M)
Juliana Hudson
Jaclyn Lopez (C)
Jacob Douglas Marsden (M)
Kayla E. McGuinness
Antonio Mercurius
Jasmin Mossavi (M)
Antonella Pallante
Alexis Christine Reyes
Nikole Despina Rizzo (C)
Nina Rortvedt
Julia Margaret Schlosser (C)
Marina Jean Schreiber (S)
Jabari A. Sealy
Allison Elizabeth Villane (S)
Jaclyn Holly Wohn (S)
Danielle Johanna Wolfs

Degree candidates August 10, 2018

Alexandra Nicole Garcia (C)
Wang Shin Lei

Degrees conferred December 14, 2017

Allison Belanger
Kyle Robert Hepner
Stephanie Kenney (C)
Natalie Muniz

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN NURSING

Degree candidates May 11, 2018

Reinier Acosta
Amy Afsari
Lina Elisabeth Antonson
Samantha Asher
Atofa Baig
Vanisha Lauren Baker
Amanda Banas
Andreana Barnett
Nayara Barros
Lyndsey Bennett
Gina Elizabeth Berardi
Kayla June Boris
Edward Brennan
Maria Eugenia Briceno
Amanda Marie Cabrera

Geoffrey Kimball Calderone III (M)
Charmaine Elizabeth Campbell
Corinne Victoria Caro
Natalia Castro
Christopher Cheng
Alycia Yolanda Cordova
Sheila Kearney Cordtz
Maria Victoria Cortes
Tristian Kristoff Curtis
Carolyn Janelle Darby
Betsy M. Del Valle
Anna Desmarais
Briana Christine Doty
Ashley Lyn Forbes
Jasmine Gamiz
Maria-Gabriella Gavotto
Mikaela M. Greenwade (M)
Jason Hamrick
Sangella J. Harris
Kendall Leigh Herman
Mackenzie Leigh Hill
James Howell
Kiera Carolina Ingalls
Alexis Lyne Jezak
Haley Elizabeth Jones (M)
Baylee Wilson Kennedy (M)
Rebecca Kingsland
Maria Mercedes Kuilan
Adeline Claire Lange
Carl Stephen Leveille
Yesenia Licor
Haiyi Lin
Devin Liu
Sheila Lopez Pena
Alexis Brynne Lorenz
Alexis A. Lugo
Mirel Marquez Jimenez
Jenelle Cruz Mascardo
Jacqueline Marie Mazza
Akua Mensah
Grace Mensah
Gretert Montano Lavina
Jessica Nicole Morales
Khoa Nguyen
Yuna Patricia Nishimura
Nancy Odor
Benedict Ikenna Okafor
Paula Rocio Patino
Casey Elizabeth Pearce (C)
John Marc Perez
Karen Leticia Perez
Andieula Pierre
Chantel Pita
Tyler Chelsea Proctor
Carla Caridad Prophete
Haydee Lauren Rancel
Katherin Restrepo
Giselle Rodriguez-Henriquez
Kathryn Elizabeth Roman (C)
Heather Nicole Sanchez (M)
Zachary Silberberg
Minyong Simpson
Nicole Lynn Taplin (C)
Alexis Danielle Tellis
Ashley Elizabeth Temple
Brandi Thomas
Alexander Joseph Thompson

Amanda Torres
Alexandra Vanwagner
Jennifer Vuong
Siobhan Walker
Jordan Tyler Whitley
Simone Whyte
Melissa Marie Zafra
Anna Zapala
Azriel Zimmerman

Degree candidates August 10, 2018

Lisandra Hernandez
Claudia Rivero
Alison Tao

Degrees conferred December 14, 2017

Vanessa L. Archer
Eldia Auguste
Leannique Badinga
Jason Maxwell Bohrer
Stephanie Nicole Bonewald
Monique Renee Bradley
Claudia Bright
Jessi Bugden
Rabia Nayab Bukhari
Julia K. Cauchy
Michelle Jenna Clifford
Amber Nicole Colbacchini
Rose Dieulette Constantin
Jhuliana Sarai Contreras Villalobos
Sarah Cresap
Jasmine Debk
Maria Patricia Del Risco
Courtney Maria DeMarco
Cristina Diaz
Justin Patrick Diego
Natalee-Ann Charmaine Edwards
Miriam Estime
Ashley Marie Everett
Melissa Grace Fernandez
Adiley Ferrer Sallent
Elisabeth May Finholm
William Christopher Giunta
Jason Lee Green
Valerie Lissette Guzman
Kelsey Haycook
Margaret Herbert
Eduardo J. Herrera
Lauren Marie Herrera
Marie Kettle Isidort
Whitney Darnelle Joseph
Rupinder Kang
Daniel Thomas Kraus
Robert Charles Lohlein II
Audrey Lopez
Cristina Marie Lopez
Liliana Gonzalez Macera
Tosca T. Magnus
Hillary Rose Mallet
Jennine Marie Marley
Alexis Linda Marquez
Wanna Narelle Matayasuwan
Gabrielle Meeks

Gabriella Ashley Milanes
Catalina Miranda Marin
Melaine Denisha Mittoo
Alexander Morales
Katrina Marie Moya
Andrea Amanda Negrini
Vivian Thuy-Trang Nguyen
Nicole Niefeld
Patrick Lester Dy Ong
Sasha Ortiz
Tony Paul
Paola Pena
Alain Lazaro Perez
Elise Renae Pope
Liz Prats
Michelle Grayson Railey
Natalia Restrepo
Angela Maria Rivera
Chanyae Lasean Saulsbury
Andrew Scharine
Marlee Eugenie Schreiber
Madison Leigh Shaw
David Michael Smith
Tiffany Tam
Gabrielle Thomas
Tamara Tskhvediasvili
Katherine Ann Vernon
Trina Wahle
Courtnee Marie Watson-Walke
Christian Gerard Weiser
Jamira Woods

Gabriela Sophia Pages
Sabrina Pastore
Carolina Perez
Josie Elizabeth Phifer (C)
Carleigh Morgan Schley
Devangi Shah (S)
Kelly Claire Szymanski (M)
Angelique Marie Turner (M)
Brianna Nicole Valdes
Aleanna Velasquez Vargas
Rachel Alexandra Wetstone (S)
Ashley Chaunté Wrushen
Mingya Xu
Kristiana Lee Yao (S) *

Degree candidate August 10, 2018

Kayla Sharie Strickland

Degrees conferred December 14, 2017

Sania Kamran (M) *
Yesenia Levi
Marju Santos

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN PUBLIC HEALTH

Degree candidates May 11, 2018

Stephan Thomas Ambrose (C)
Chelsea-Jane Arcalas (M)
Andrea Marie Avalos (M)
Liris Stephanie Berra (C)
Catarina Cadie Bloomfield
Barbara M. Bologni Di Mauro (C)
Amber N. Capobianco
Catherine Erin Carter
Julia Nealon Chong (S)
Lavenia Iris Donastorg (M)
Marissa M. Duga
Danielle L. Estis
Bethany Franz
Andrea Isabel Fundora
Chikaodinaka Gbenoba
Eve Meital Jaffe (M)
Kacey Jewel James
Jenna Mei Kaminsky
Alexander William Klar (S)
Jisue Lee
Rick Yeh Shiuan Lin (M) *
Geena Marzouca (M)
Natalia Morales
Leila Motamedi (M)
Raeleesha Afryea Norris (C)
Olumayowa Stephanie
Olabisi Olujohungbe (S)
Aiseosa Tracy Osaghae

UNIVERSITY OF MIAMI ALUMNI ASSOCIATION

On behalf of the University of Miami Alumni Association, congratulations to you and your family on this momentous occasion. You are joining a global alumni network of more than 182,050 alumni residing in all 50 states and 154 countries around the world.

Please visit alumni.miami.edu to request your official **alumni card**, and access your benefits and services, including:

- UM alumni digital directory; update your address, and network with fellow alumni
- Email services for life — keep your UM email address
- Alumni career resources
- Network with fellow alumni in the UM Alumni Association's Global 'Canes Communities, and learn about programs and events in your community
- Discounted rental spaces for meetings and special events at the Newman Alumni Center
- Discounts at the UM Campus Store, special UM basketball and baseball ticket offerings, and alumni rates for UM football season tickets
- Access to the University of Miami Library System and Wellness Center
- Discounted rates for auto insurance and short-term medical insurance
- The most current University of Miami and alumni news, events, and updates from around the world

Please stop by your home away from home, the Robert and Judi Prokop Newman Alumni Center, the next time you visit campus.

Again, congratulations on your accomplishments, and welcome to the 'Canes alumni family. It's great to be a Miami Hurricane!

For the University of Miami,



Patricia Brodeur

Interim Assistant Vice President, Alumni Relations

1-866-UMALUMS (862-5867)

alumni@miami.edu

alumni.miami.edu



THE GREAT SEAL OF THE UNIVERSITY OF MIAMI

The Great Seal of the University of Miami symbolizes exceptional scholarship, a limitless quest for knowledge, and an abiding commitment to service shared by University faculty, staff, and students. The Great Seal includes a stylized sun and palm tree, as well as a shield with the traditional symbols of education—a key, a book, and a torch. The key signifies the unlocking, discovery, or re-evaluation of

learning and knowledge; the book holds the Latin words for discovery, preservation, and dissemination of knowledge; and the torch symbolizes the spread and dissemination of learning. Below the shield is the University's Latin motto, from the Book of Esdras, *Magna Est Veritas*: Great Is Truth.



THE MACE

The academic mace, an enduring symbol of institutional authority and prestige, is a vestige from prehistoric times. First used as a battle weapon, the mace evolved into a ceremonial staff carried in processions of royalty, magistrates, and church or university officials.

The University of Miami's current mace, which dates back to 1986, was sculpted by former UM Professor of Art William Ward. He chose a contemporary design, one that reflects the University's timelessness and perpetual growth from a young institution to one of national prominence. The clean lines and polished silver surface are elegant, dignified, and reflective of colors, textures, and forms in the ever-changing environment. Ward indicated that timelessness is further

represented by the mace's geometric design. Rather than employing symbols like books, candles, or globes, he noted that "these geometric shapes are not tied to fad or style but are an integral part of our world. There are obvious relationships to mathematics and the sciences, and as the mace is rotated, some of the planes at the top resemble letters. Its complexity is like the unfolding plot of a good story."

The University of Miami's current mace serves as a symbolic weapon to protect the ideals of truth, justice, and learning. During the commencement ceremony, it is carried at the head of the academic procession by the Grand Marshal, whose symbolic duty is the protection of the University, its people, and its processes.

THE UNIVERSITY OF MIAMI PRESIDENTIAL CHAIR

The University of Miami Presidential Chair, or *cathedra*, took its place on the commencement stage in 2016 as a symbol of the Office of the President. Traditionally representing the seat of learning, the *cathedra* was designed and crafted by master furniture maker Austin Matheson, an adjunct professor in the School of Architecture whose family history in South Florida predates the University's 1925 founding.

Matheson carved and joined what appear to be the seamless pieces of the chair from a single slab of highly prized and once-abundant Cuban mahogany wood. It was salvaged from a tree felled by a hurricane in nearby Coconut Grove. The fluidity of his design represents the idea that "We Are One U," while his use of a contemporary style and a few

traditional flourishes represent the University's rich past and promising future. "The chair is unique. It has no precedent. It stands alone," Matheson said.

Etched by laser, the Great Seal of the University of Miami is prominently displayed on the splat, or back, of the chair. More subtly, twin silhouettes of an ibis head, with its graceful beak, adorn each side of the crest rail. Known for its invincible spirit when hurricanes approach, the marsh bird has been the school mascot since the University opened its doors, just a month after the hurricane of 1926 devastated Miami. Like the chair, the ibis continues to be a symbol of our resilience and renewal as we approach our new century.

ACADEMIC HONORS AND REGALIA

The ceremonies of commencement immerse us in the rich tradition of academic honors and dress that reaches back to the early days of the world's oldest universities.

The University of Miami awards degrees in three basic divisions: the doctorate, master's, and baccalaureate, which can be traced to medieval times. The student receiving a "first degree in arts" was crowned with a wreath of laurel berries, hence "baccalaureate" and "bachelor." The master's degree was a license to teach (*Licentia docendi*), so the "master" was an appropriate title. The doctor was even better qualified to teach, for this degree required advanced study, independent research, and defense of a "thesis." These standards still apply to the doctorate, except for those conferred *honoris causa* (as honorary degrees) for meritorious service in public or private endeavor.

Some degrees are awarded with special recognition. For those who have achieved appropriate standards in their work, the words *cum laude* (with praise), *magna cum laude* (with high praise), and *summa cum laude* (with highest praise) are used. Students who have met formal scholarly demands, including both specified courses and high overall grade averages, may graduate with "General Honors." These achievements are recorded on diplomas and in official transcripts.

From medieval practice, academic dress has three items: cap, gown, and hood. In reviving the use of these items for the United States, an intercollegiate commission in 1895 drafted a code that most universities,

including the University of Miami, follow.

For all degrees, the mortarboard is the traditional cap. The tassel may be gold for a doctor or may indicate the field of study.

The bachelor's gown is black with long, pointed, open sleeves. The master's gown is black with a long, closed sleeve hanging below the elbow. The doctor's gown is black and is distinguished by three bars of velvet on a full sleeve.

The academic hood is the identifying symbol of the degree. Its length indicates which degree it represents: three feet for the baccalaureate, three-and-a-half for the master's, and four for the doctorate. The lining indicates the college or university that awarded the degree. University of Miami hoods are lined in orange, green, and white. The color of the velvet band represents the academic discipline. The most frequently seen colors are white for arts, yellow for science, pink for music, sapphire blue for philosophy, purple for law, scarlet for divinity, green for medicine, light blue for education, drab for business, orange for engineering, violet for architecture, gray for general studies, and apricot for nursing.

President Julio Frenk wears a black robe with four black velvet bars. The fourth chevron indicates this is the presidential regalia. The gown features orange and green piping as well as a doctoral hood lined in orange, green and white—reflecting the official University of Miami school colors.

THE MUSIC OF THE CEREMONY

UNIVERSITY OF MIAMI FANFARE

Great universities throughout the country begin their halftime performances with a special fanfare consisting of small portions of their school fight songs and alma mater. The fanfare signals the start of halftime festivities, exciting the crowd and encouraging loyal fans to remain in their seats during the band's performance. Following the Miami Hurricane's National Championship season in 2001-2002, David Lambert, D.M.A. '05, wrote a similar fanfare for the University

of Miami. "UM Fanfare" was premiered by the University of Miami Band of the Hour during the 2004 Miami Hurricane home football opener versus Florida State University. It has since been performed as a prelude to all Band of the Hour performances and has become a part of the University of Miami's commencement to announce the opening of the ceremony.

PRESIDENT'S PROCESSIONAL FANFARE

Commencement ceremonies are rich in history, tradition, and ritual. Over the years, the University of Miami has had a number of talented musicians and composers contribute to that history and tradition. The "President's Processional Fanfare – Toward Our New Century" was

commissioned by the Phillip and Patricia Frost School of Music for the inauguration of the University of Miami's sixth president, Julio Frenk. Written by Brian Balmages, M.M. '00, the fanfare premiered on January 29, 2016, at President Frenk's inauguration ceremony.

THE MUSIC OF HENRY FILLMORE

Henry Fillmore, the American composer and bandleader best known for his marches, was an ardent supporter, friend, and benefactor of the University of Miami band. After retiring to Miami, he quickly adopted the Band of the Hour at the University of Miami as his own. As a result, he was named "permanent guest conductor" of the band, and in appreciation of his dedication, the University awarded Fillmore an honorary doctorate in music. Fillmore's prominence as a band composer and his tireless dedication to the field of music remain his

legacy. Benefiting most from his musical passion and artistry was the University of Miami band, to which he bequeathed most of his estate. The Henry Fillmore Band Hall, dedicated in 1959 along with the Fillmore Museum, is a symbol of that legacy.

The recessional music today is but a small part of his life's work. Each selection has a unique relationship to Miami and the University. "The Miami March" was dedicated to the community of Greater Miami, which enthusiastically supported Fillmore and his music.

HURRICANE STRONG

*Words and Music by Rey Sanchez, B.M. '80, M.M. '82
Professor of Music, Associate Dean for Strategic Initiatives and Innovation
Performed by the Phillip and Patricia Frost School of Music American Music Ensemble, under the direction of Daniel Strange*

The season is over, but our work has just begun;
Ready to make another change.
Our moment is closer now, and our time has finally come;
Nothing is getting in our way.

Southern wind across the land
Will never end, we'll always stand;

*Hurricane strong, Hurricane proud
Flying through the eye of the storm, singin'
Hurricane songs, Hurricane loud
Right where we belong.
'Cause it's all about the U;
We're Hurricane strong!*

We can stand in a driving rain and we shall not be moved;
No matter what may come our way.
We'll stand up for justice, for honor and for truth;
No matter how long it may take.

Southern wind across the land
With all its power in our hands!

*Hurricane strong, Hurricane proud
Flying through the eye of the storm, singin'
Hurricane songs, Hurricane loud
Right where we belong.
'Cause it's all about the U...*

*Hurricane strong, Hurricane proud
Flying through the eye of the storm, singin'
Hurricane songs, Hurricane loud
Right where we belong.
'Cause it's all about the U;
We're Hurricane strong!*

©2017 Rey Sanchez Music, SESAC

ALMA MATER

*William S. Lampe and Christine Asdurian
Arranged by Henry Fillmore*

Southern suns and sky blue water
Smile upon you Alma Mater
Mistress of this fruitful land
With all knowledge at your hand
Always just, to honor true
All our love we pledge to you
Alma Mater
Stand forever
On Biscayne's wondrous shore.

S
A
South - ern suns and sky blue wa - ter Smile up - on you, Al - ma Ma - ter

T
B
Mis - tress of this fruit - ful land, With all know - ledge at your hand,

S
A
Al - ways just, to hon - or true All our love we pledge to you.

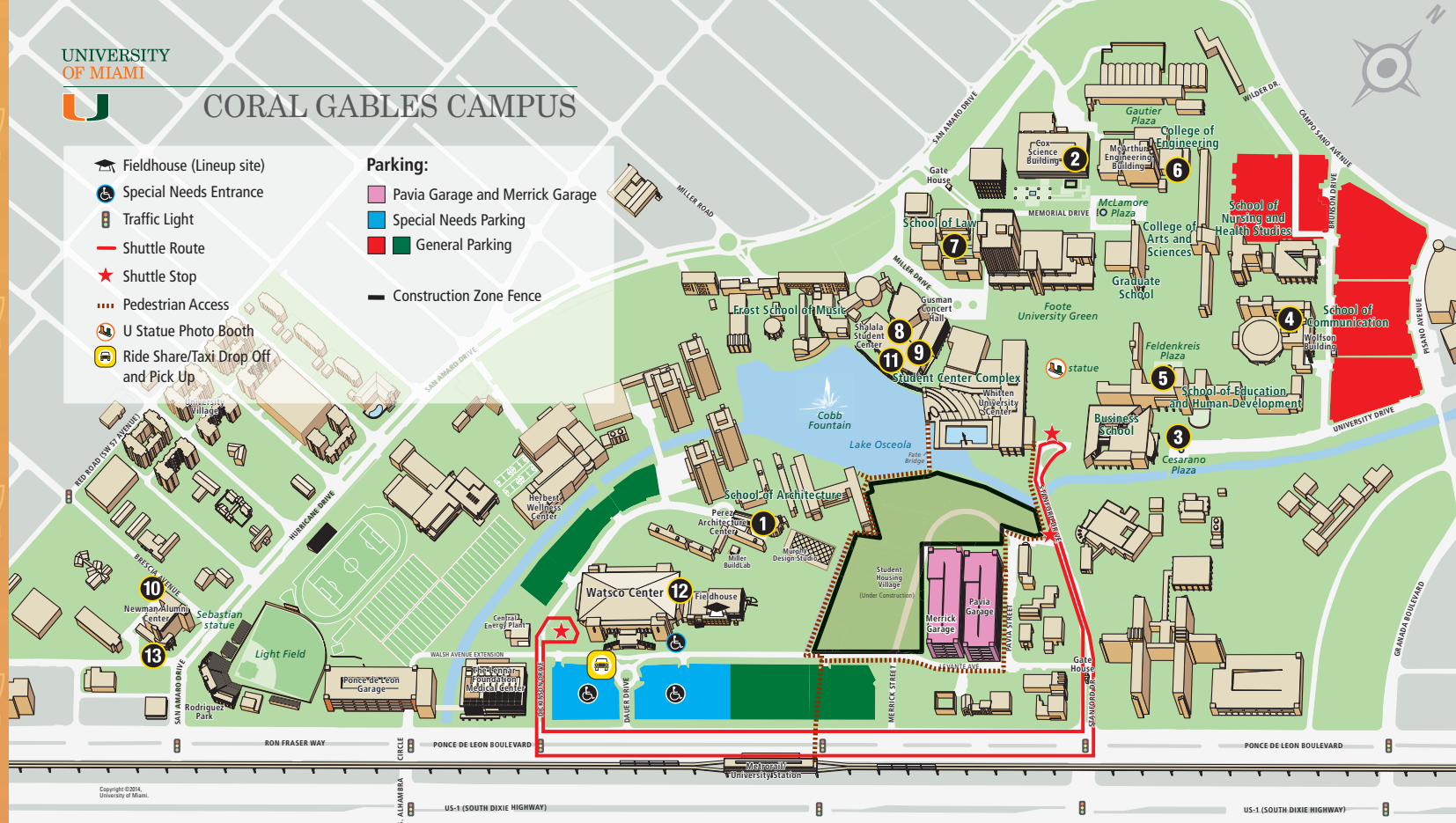
T
B
Al - ma Ma - ter Stand for - ev - er, on Bis - cayne's won - drous shore.





- Fieldhouse (Lineup site)
- Special Needs Entrance
- Traffic Light
- Shuttle Route
- Shuttle Stop
- Pedestrian Access
- U Statue Photo Booth
- Ride Share/Taxi Drop Off and Pick Up

- Parking:**
- Pavia Garage and Merrick Garage
 - Special Needs Parking
 - General Parking
 - Construction Zone Fence



Reception and Parking Information

The Spring commencement ceremonies will be held in the Watsco Center on the Coral Gables campus. Parking is conveniently located adjacent to the Watsco Center and at Pavia and Merrick Garages with shuttle service to the Watsco Center. Guests attending receptions also may park in the red lots. Special Needs parking is available at the Watsco Center in the blue lots. No handicap or other parking passes are required for any commencement guests. Parking at Ponce Garage is strictly reserved for patients of The Lennar Foundation Medical Center.

Receptions will be held at the following locations on the designated dates and times:

- | | | |
|---|---|---|
| <p>1 School of Architecture
Jorge M. Perez Architecture Center
Irvin Korach Gallery
<i>Graduate Degree Recipients</i>
May 10, 2018 • 3 p.m.
<i>Undergraduate Degree Recipients</i>
May 11, 2018 • 3 p.m.</p> | <p>5 School of Education and Human Development
Merrick Breezeway
George Feldenkreis Fountain
May 11, 2018 • 3:15–5:15 p.m.</p> | <p>11 UOnline
Shalala Student Center
Activities Room
May 9, 2018 • 3–5 p.m.</p> |
| <p>2 College of Arts and Sciences
Cox Science Center Portico
May 11, 2018 • 10:30 a.m.</p> | <p>6 College of Engineering
McArthur Engineering Building
May 11, 2018 • 12 p.m.</p> | <p>12 Graduate School
<i>Doctoral Degree Candidates</i>
<i>Hoarding Rehearsal and Reception</i>
Watsco Center, Hurricane 100 Room
May 9, 2018 • 4–6 p.m.</p> |
| <p>3 Miami Business School
Cesarano Plaza
<i>Graduate Degree Recipients</i>
May 10, 2018 • 3 p.m.
<i>Undergraduate Degree Recipients</i>
May 11, 2018 • 1:30–3:30 p.m.</p> | <p>7 School of Law
School of Law, Bass Bricks
May 12, 2018 • 12 p.m.</p> | <p>13 Rosenstiel School of Marine and Atmospheric Science
<i>Undergraduate Degree Recipients</i>
Newman Alumni Center
May 10, 2018 • 6–8 p.m.
<i>Graduate Degree Recipients</i>
Rosenstiel School Commons
4600 Rickenbacker Causeway
Miami, FL 33149
May 9, 2018 • 2:30 p.m.</p> |
| <p>4 School of Communication
Frances L. Wolfson Building
Courtyard
May 11, 2018 • 3 p.m.</p> | <p>8 Phillip and Patricia Frost School of Music
Shalala Student Center
Activities Room
May 11, 2018 • 3–5 p.m.</p> | |
| | <p>9 School of Nursing and Health Studies
Shalala Student Center
Grand Ballroom
May 12, 2018 • 8:30 a.m.</p> | |
| | <p>10 Division of Continuing and International Education
Newman Alumni Center
Tower Room
April 30, 2018 • 6 p.m.</p> | |

Stop by the U Statue at the Rock on Friday, May 11, between 10 a.m. and 4 p.m. for a complimentary photo!

UNIVERSITY
OF MIAMI



An Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action Employer



30% Recycled Paper

17-157