Commencement [Program], December 18, 2021

University of Northern Iowa
The University of Northern Iowa's purpose is to enrich lives, communities, and the world through our students, faculty, staff, and alumni. We achieve our purpose by striving to help every member of the University of Northern Iowa community reach their educational, professional, and personal life goals.

UNI fulfills its purpose by providing a high quality learning environment that empowers our students to build strong senses of purpose, community, and responsibility. We also fulfill our purpose through innovative approaches to advancing knowledge, promoting creativity, and solving problems in partnership with the people, schools, communities, and industries we serve.

Commencement offers an opportunity to pause and celebrate the accomplishments of our students and the important work we do to prepare graduates for lives of purpose through their careers and in their homes and communities.

To the graduates of the Class of 2021 – CONGRATULATIONS! You make us all Panther Proud. We wish you great success and hope you stay engaged with your Alma Mater.

To the faculty and staff who prepared our graduates for success throughout their lives, thank you for your dedication to helping each student reach their educational, professional, and personal goals.

Panther Proud!

Mark A. Nook, President
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The University of Northern Iowa honors the ancestral stewards of the land on which our university rests. Among these stewards are the Báxoje or Bah Kho-Je (Iowa), oθaakiiwaki‧hina‧ki (Sauk) and Meškwahki‧aša‧hina (Fox), Očhéthi Šakówiŋ (Sioux), Umóⁿhoⁿ (Omaha), and Hocąk (Ho-Chunk), as well as those tribal nations who are contemporary caretakers of land in Iowa, including the Meskwaki: Sac and Fox Tribe of the Mississippi in Iowa.
A partial list of the degree colors to be found on the edge of the hood or the trimming on the doctoral gown is as follows:

- Apricot - Nursing
- Drab - Business
- Orange - Engineering
- Blue, dark - Philosophy
- Green - Medicine
- Pink - Music
- Blue, light - Education
- Green Sage - Physical Education
- Purple - Law
- Brown - Fine Arts
- Lemon - Library Science
- Scarlet - Theology
- Citron - Social Science
- Maize - Agriculture
- White - Arts and Letters
- Copper - Economics
- Maroon - Family
- Yellow Golden - Science and Consumer Sciences

The Academic Procession

The procession begins with the entrance of the candidates for degrees. Led by faculty marshals, the candidates for the degree of Bachelor of Arts, both the Teaching Program and the Liberal Arts Program, Bachelor of Fine Arts, Bachelor of Liberal Studies, Bachelor of Music and Bachelor of Science enter in groups, representing each of the undergraduate colleges. They are followed by the candidates for the highest degrees.

Students wearing a bronze medallion are those graduating summa cum laude (with highest honors), which represent the top three percent of each college by grade point average; or those graduating students receiving a Purple and Old Gold Award, given to those students who have excelled in scholarship or who have shown conspicuous achievement in particular areas.

The procession continues with representatives of the faculty.

The President’s Party forms the final section of the academic procession. Headed by the commencement marshal, it includes the president; members of the Board of Regents, State of Iowa; administrative officers; the academic deans; and honored guests.

The individuals leading the procession of the graduates, the faculty and the president’s party carry a mace which is a symbol of office. Those individuals are the student body president, the chair of the faculty and the university commencement marshal. Over long tradition, a mace is a symbol of authority and official celebration. The university mace is the largest of the three maces and it embodies the history and dignity of the entire university. The president wears a jeweled “Chain of Office” symbolizing the wearer is the leader of the institution. The silver chain includes links with the names of previous presidents of the institution, as well as previous names of the university.

The academic costumes worn trace their origin to the Middle Ages when long-sleeved hooded gowns were necessary for warmth in the unheated stone colleges. Over the centuries, much diversity occurred, and to bring some order, in the United States in 1894 an intercollegiate system of academic costume was agreed on, now adhered to by American institutions. According to this code, both the styling and colors of the regalia have significance.

The design of the gown indicates the degree. The bachelor’s is a simple gown with a full sleeve. The master’s gown is much like it except for the long sleeve which hangs loose. The doctoral gown is fuller and more elaborate. It has velvet edging and three velvet stripes on the full sleeve. The color of this velvet may be black or in the color appropriate to the degree.

Hoods, which are worn over the gowns, are similar for all degrees, although differing slightly in length. The candidates for the bachelor’s degrees usually do not wear the hood. The hood has a velvet edging which indicates the area of the degree, and the inside or lining of the hood is satin in the colors of the college or university granting the degree.
Academic Honorary Organizations

Students who are members of academic honorary organizations will be identified by the color of cord they are wearing as follows:

**Alpha Delta Mu**
*Silver and Black*

Alpha Delta Mu recognizes and honors scholarship and professional development in the knowledge and practice of Social Work.

**Alpha Kappa Delta**
*Teal*

Alpha Kappa Delta recognizes scholarship and professional development in the area of Sociology.

**Alpha Psi Omega**
*Blue and Gold*

Alpha Psi Omega is an honorary fraternity for students who have distinguished themselves through their academic artistic work in the theater.

**Beta Beta Beta**
*Red and Green*

Beta Beta Beta recognizes scholastic achievement in biology.

**Beta Gamma Sigma**
*Blue and Gold*

Beta Gamma Sigma encourages and honors academic achievement and personal excellence in the study and practice of business.

**Chi Sigma Iota**
*Blue and White*

Chi Sigma Iota is the international honor society for students, professional counselors and counselor educators established at Ohio University in 1985. Our mission is to promote scholarship, research, professionalism, leadership and excellence in Counseling, and to recognize high attainment in the pursuit of academic and clinical excellence in the profession of Counseling.

**Gamma Theta Upsilon**
*Light Blue, Light Brown and Gold*

Gamma Theta Upsilon promotes professional interest and enhances academic training in Geography.

**Kappa Delta Pi**
*Green and Purple*

Kappa Delta Pi promotes excellence in all areas of Education as well as personal and professional growth in teachers and future teachers.

**Kappa Mu Epsilon**
*Rose Pink and Silver*

Kappa Mu Epsilon recognizes scholarship and fellowship for students interested in Mathematics.

**McNair Scholars Program**
*Black and Gold Stole*

Through a grant from the U.S. Department of Education, the McNair Program prepares eligible participants for doctoral studies through involvement in research and other scholarly activities.

**Mu Kappa Tau**
*Royal Blue and Gold*

Mu Kappa Tau encourages and recognizes the scholarship, professional development, and personal integrity and excellence among students of Marketing.

**Omicron Delta Epsilon**
*Gold and Blue*

Omicron Delta Epsilon attempts to expose members to out-of-class Educational experiences in Economics.

**Omicron Delta Kappa**
*Sky Blue, White and Black*

Graduates wearing a white stole are members of Omicron Delta Kappa which is a junior-senior honorary organization which recognizes students who have demonstrated high levels of academic achievements, leadership in campus affairs, and community service.

**Phi Alpha Theta**
*Red and Light Blue*

Phi Alpha Theta encourages the study of History by providing recognition for papers and scholarly work.

**Phi Eta Sigma**
*Gold and Black*

Graduates wearing black and gold cords are members of Phi Eta Sigma which recognizes first-year students who have a cumulative grade point average of at least 3.5 on a 4.0 scale at the close of any full-time curricular period during their first year.

**Phi Upsilon Omicron**
*Yellow and White*

Phi Upsilon Omicron recognizes and encourages academic excellence and leadership development in the area of family and consumer sciences.

**Pi Kappa Lambda**
*Pink and Purple*

Pi Kappa Lambda is dedicated to the furtherance of music in Education and Education in music and recognizes and encourages scholarship and musicianship.

**Pi Sigma Alpha**
*Red, White and Black*

To stimulate productive scholarship and intelligent interest in the subject of government among students at institutions of higher learning in which chapters are maintained.

**Psi Chi**
*Light Blue and Gold*

Psi Chi encourages and honors undergraduate academic achievement and scholarship in psychology and psychological research.

**Sigma Delta Pi**
*Crimson and Gold*

Sigma Delta Pi promotes the study of the Spanish language and Hispanic culture and literature.

**Sigma Gamma Epsilon**
*Silver, Gold and Royal Blue*

Sigma Gamma Epsilon recognizes scholarship and professionalism in the area of Earth Science.

**Sigma Pi Sigma**
*Blue and Silver*

Sigma Pi Sigma members must attain high standards of general scholarship and outstanding achievement in the area of Physics.

**Sigma Tau Delta**
*Cardinal and Black*

Sigma Tau Delta recognizes high achievement in studies of English language and literature and encourages creative and critical writing.
University Ambassador Organizations

Through their mission, service, and dedication these organizations exist for the promotion and support of the university to others.

**Business Student Ambassadors**
Graduates wearing purple, gold and drab cords are members of Business Student Ambassadors. BSA aims to be the voice of the College of Business to prospective business students and campus visitors. This organization, composed only of a select group of business majors, will provide insight regarding those attributes that make UNI Business a best business school. Ambassadors provide tours of Curris Business Building and answer questions about the college from a current student point of view. Ambassadors represent UNI Business to alumni, business professionals, and other special campus guests. Additionally, Ambassadors serve on panels and help with special UNI visit days. Ambassadors play an integral role in the recruitment of prospective students as representatives of UNI Business.

**Connecting Alumni To Students**
Graduates wearing purple and black cords are members of Connecting Alumni To Students (CATS), the official student chapter of the UNI Alumni Association. These dedicated students represent the UNI student body to alumni and friends. CATS create and promote the lasting connections between past, present and future Panthers.

**Ethnic Student Promoters**
Graduates wearing purple and silver cords are members of Ethnic Student Promoters (ESP). ESP members are dedicated to creating, sustaining, and supporting diversity at UNI through the Office of Admissions. The promising students provide services to the University by assisting with the recruitment of new and diverse students, hosting events and visit days, and creating an inclusive environment.

**International Student Promoters**
Graduates wearing lavender and purple cords are members of International Student Promoters (ISP). ISP members are committed to promoting UNI and international education to prospective students around the world. They assist the Office of Admissions with a variety of recruitment and diversity efforts including communicating with interested international students and facilitating their smooth transition to UNI.

**National Residence Hall Honorary**
Graduates wearing royal blue and white cords are members of the National Residence Hall Honorary, an honorary organization recognizing the top one percent of leaders who live on campus. Members are inducted for showing continual service to the community, leadership within the residence halls, recognition of others in their endeavors, and outstanding scholarship during their tenure living on campus.

**Northern Iowa Student Government**
Graduates wearing gold or purple stoles are members of the Northern Iowa Student Government (NISG). Since 1916, various governing bodies comprised of students have represented the student body as a whole. NISG, as the student governing body has been called since 1989, is committed to improving the administration of student affairs, encouraging the greatest level of communication and cooperation, ensuring the protection of student rights, and providing excellence in education.

**Social and Behavioral Representatives**
Graduates wearing lavender and white intertwined cords are members of Social and Behavioral Representatives (SABRs). Students selected to be part of SABRs promote the mission of the College of Social and Behavioral Sciences. They educate prospective students about the role social science can play in improving society and they volunteer their time by serving non-profit agencies in the local community.

**Student Admissions Ambassadors**
Graduates wearing purple and gold intertwined cords are members of the Student Admissions Ambassadors (SAA). Since 1989, SAA has served the University in a variety of ways. From giving campus tours to prospective students, alumni and University guests, to serving as representatives of the student body at special events, SAA is recognized as one of the premier service organizations on campus.

**Team TC/TK**
Graduates wearing purple and white cords are members of Team TC/TK, UNI’s mascot program. These dedicated students have volunteered countless hours to help make sure TC and TK make it to hundreds of scheduled appearances all year long. They are the students who stand beside, and behind the mascots, and are our cornerstones to Panther Pride. Watch closely as the graduates cross the stage. When you spot who is wearing panther paws instead of shoes, you finally know who the faces behind the fur have been!
University Honors Program

Graduates wearing gold University Honors medallions are recipients of designations from the University Honors Program. The designation of University Honors with Distinction indicates the completion of at least thirty credit hours of honors-level course work throughout a student’s undergraduate study. The designation of University Honors indicates the completion of at least eighteen credit hours of honors-level coursework. Both designations require the completion of an undergraduate honors thesis. Students earning honors designations are noted throughout the commencement program along with their thesis titles.

Graduation with Honors
Three levels of honors are awarded to students on graduation from a bachelor’s degree curriculum. To receive an honor rating, the student must earn no less than 55 semester hours of credit at this university. The names of the students receiving honors are identified in the commencement program and on their academic transcript.

Summa Cum Laude
Students whose cumulative UNI grade point average places them in the top 3% of those students graduating from their academic major college/division will be awarded Summa Cum Laude. Recipients of this honor will wear a bronze medallion.

Magna Cum Laude
Students whose cumulative UNI grade point average places them in the top 4% through top 8% of those students graduating from their academic major college/division will be awarded Magna Cum Laude. Recipients of this honor will wear a purple cord.

Cum Laude
Students whose cumulative UNI grade point average places them in the top 9% through top 15% of those students graduating from their academic major college/division will be awarded Cum Laude. Recipients of this honor will wear a gold cord.

Legacy Graduates
The University of Northern Iowa has a long and proud tradition of multi-generational family graduates. The Legacy designation (%) in the commencement program signifies that a parent and/or grandparent is also a UNI graduate. Legacy information included in this program was submitted by the graduate.

Candidates listed in this program reflect information submitted by the published deadline of November 10, 2021. Listing in the program does not assure final honors designation or that degree requirements have been met.
University of Northern Iowa Commencement

December 18, 2021 | McLeod Center | 10:00 a.m.

Presiding ................................................................. Mark A. Nook, Ph.D.
President of the University

Commencement Marshal ................................................. John Vallentine, Ph.D.
Professor and Associate Provost for Faculty

Prelude Concert .......................................................... UNI Jazz Ensemble
Michael Conrad, D.M.A., Conductor

Processional ............................................................... UNI Jazz Ensemble

Academic Procession
Candidates for Degrees
Candidates from the Graduate College
Candidates from the College of Education
Candidates from the College of Humanities, Arts and Sciences

The Faculty
Members of the Faculty
Heads of the Departments

The President’s Party
Commencement Marshal
President
Members of the Board of Regents
Platform Guests
Officers of the University

The National Anthem ..................................................... UNI Jazz Ensemble

Presentation of the Colors ............................................... Mark Nook, Ph.D., President

Welcome ........................................................................Mark Nook, Ph.D., President

Recognition of Military Personnel ...................................... Mark Nook, Ph.D., President

Remarks to the Graduates ................................................ Samantha Bennett
Northern Iowa Student Government President 2021 - 2022

Awarding of Honors ...................................................... José Herrera, Ph.D.
Executive Vice President and Provost

Student Address ............................................................. Caleb Christine
Candidate for Bachelor of Science in Technology & Engineering Education
and Bachelor of Arts in Middle Level Education

Board of Regents Address ................................................ Mitt Dakovich
Regent, Board of Regents, State of Iowa

Presentation of Candidates ............................................... José Herrera, Ph.D.
Executive Vice President and Provost

Conferring of Degrees .................................................... Mark A. Nook, Ph.D., President

Reading of the Candidate Names ..................................... Nichole Zumbach Harken, M.A.
Instructor of Communication and Media

The audience is urged to refrain from cheering or applauding graduates as they are individually named. Your enthusiasm is understandable but may interfere with the rights of others to hear and will delay the program.

Alumni Induction .......................................................... Drew Conrad
Vice-Chair, UNI Alumni Association Board of Directors

Closing Remarks ........................................................... Mark A. Nook, Ph.D., President

UNI Alma Mater ............................................................. UNI Varsity Men’s Glee Club

Closing Selections .......................................................... UNI Jazz Ensemble
DOCTORAL CANDIDATES

**Kyrie D. Borsay**, EdD
Doctor of Education: Curriculum and Instruction

**Allison Kaye Pattee**, EdD
Doctor of Education: Curriculum and Instruction
Thesis Title: Identifying Ways to Support Preservice Teachers to Engage in Inquiry Work through Project Approach: A Self-Study

**Abby Lynne Weiland**, EdD
Doctor of Education: Curriculum and Instruction
Thesis Title: Exploring the Experiences of One Team of Teachers: Well-Being and Navigating the Demands of the Education Profession

**James Gregory Zabel**, EdD
Doctor of Education: Educational Leadership - Superintendency/Principalship
Thesis Title: Model Evidence Links (MELS) and the Impact of Critical Thinking on Open Ended Responses

SPECIALIST CANDIDATE

**Kyle Andrew-Kelly Wiebers**, EdS
Educational Psychology: School Psychology
Thesis Title: The Zones of Regulation in Schools

MASTERS CANDIDATES

**Ashley Viveca Aberle**, MA
School Library Studies

**Tara Lynn Amundson**, MA
School Library Studies

**Samantha Lynn Anderson**, MAE
Principalship

**Anna Helene Badovinac**, MAE
Principalship

**Sheena Bahr**, MA
School Library Studies

**Christopher Bemboom**, MA
Physical Education: Pedagogy

**Jessa L. Bokhoven**, MA
Community Health and Recreation

**Samuel James Brown**, MAE
Principalship

**Mykel Rose Carlson**, MA
Physical Education: Pedagogy

**Sara Clemons**, MA
Physical Education: Pedagogy

**Amanda Mae Cook**, MAE
Educational Psychology: Context and Techniques of Assessment

**Hannah Elizabeth Corbin**, MAE
Principalship

**Ashley Elizabeth Cottier**, MA
Teacher Leadership for International Educators

**Jill Marie Doyle**, MA
School Library Studies

**Rebekka Lee Eichelberger**, MA
Physical Education: Pedagogy

**Pasquale Esposito**, MA
Physical Education: Pedagogy

**Stephen Michael Estes**, MAE
Principalship

**Staci Paige Eversmeyer**, MA
Teacher Leadership for International Educators

**Laura Rose Fisher**, MAE
Principalship

**Edward Fortescue**, MA
Teacher Leadership for International Educators

**Emily Elizabeth Getz**, MAE
Principalship

**David Joseph Gintert**, MA
Physical Education: Pedagogy

**JaDee Jo Gloede**, MA
School Library Studies

**Vilma Rocio Gomez Prada**, MA
Community Health and Recreation
Thesis Title: Translation into Spanish, Cultural Adaptation and Content Validity of the Bristol COPD Knowledge Questionnaire

**Valeria Cristina Gonzalez-Ramos**, MA
Postsecondary Education: Student Affairs

**Sarah Elizabeth Gunsolesly**, MA
School Library Studies

**Emily Adrianne Hagebock**, MAE
Educational Psychology: Context and Techniques of Assessment

**Anthony James Harrington**, MAE
Principalship

**Fabiola Hernandez**, MAE
Principalship

**Jennifer Lynn Hillebrand**, MAE
Principalship

**Kate Hite**, MA
School Library Studies

**Jonathan D. Hoefer**, MAE
Principalship
Jade Toni Johnson, MA  
Leisure, Youth and Human Services

Joseph Thomas Johnson, MAE  
Principalship

Brenda M. Elvik Kaufmann, MAE  
Early Childhood Education

Rebecca Grace Kimbell, MA  
Physical Education: Pedagogy

Sidney Knapper, MAE  
Educational Psychology: Context and Techniques of Assessment

Matthew Bud Lesan, MAE  
Principalship

Elsa Ruth Leyhe, MAE  
Educational Psychology: Context and Techniques of Assessment

Alexis Lynn Lindsay, MAE  
Special Education: Field Specialization

Valerie Lynn Loewenberg, MAE  
Principalship

Eric Wayne Lueders, MAE  
Principalship

Spencer Alan Lueders, MAE  
Principalship

Sarah Malone, MA  
School Library Studies

Jennifer Lyn Marquart, MAE  
Early Childhood Education

Carly Marten, MAE  
Principalship

% Jill McDonald, MA  
School Library Studies

Abigail Marie Meyer, MAE  
Special Education: Field Specialization

Ryan L. Moody, MAE  
Principalship

Abby Marie Mussmann, MA  
School Library Studies

Theresa Ann Nelson Williams, MA  
School Library Studies

Kristen Marie Noonan, MAE  
Principalship

Jaymie Micheal Odell, MAE  
Principalship

Abby Rose Osborne, MAE  
Principalship

Taylor Nicole Patton, MAE  
Educational Psychology: Context and Techniques of Assessment

Carolyn Marie Proesch, MA  
School Library Studies

Hailey Jo Rausch, MAE  
Principalship

Alexander Paul Rebling, MAE  
Principalship

Lana Roberts, MAE  
Principalship

Andrew Duane Roling, MA  
Teacher Leadership for International Educators

Joshua Alan Rolling, MAE  
Principalship

Stephanie Corena Schmidt, MAE  
Early Childhood Education

Kiersten Sue Schumacher, MAE  
Principalship

Lucas Merrill Sears, MA  
Physical Education: Pedagogy

Jennifer Shell, MA  
Physical Education: Pedagogy

Libby V. Sievert, MA  
Teacher Leadership for International Educators

Tara Lynne Simmons, MAE  
Early Childhood Education

Rashad Momplaisir Sorel, MA  
Leisure, Youth and Human Services

Grant Olin Thomas Sparstad, MAE  
Educational Psychology: Context and Techniques of Assessment

Elizabeth Claiborne Stevenson, MA  
Teacher Leadership for International Educators

Dana M. Sullivan, MAE  
Principalship

Joshua Charles Takayoshi, MA  
Teacher Leadership for International Educators

Collin Richard Thomas, MAE  
Educational Psychology: Context and Techniques of Assessment

Tony Niphon Thonesavanh, MA  
Teacher Leadership for International Educators

Stefanie Ann Throntson, MAE  
Principalship

Sarah Jane Toa, MA  
Teacher Leadership for International Educators

Megan Elizabeth Barloon Ung, MAE  
Principalship

Natalie Elizabeth Waddick, MAE  
Principalship

Brian Edward Walker, MA  
Physical Education: Pedagogy

Abigail Christine Whitenour, MA  
Physical Education: Pedagogy

Jennifer Marie Wiebel, MAE  
Principalship

Calli Maria Williams, MAE  
Principalship

Anna Mae Zeller, MAE  
Early Childhood Education

UNDERGRADUATE CANDIDATES

CURRICULUM AND INSTRUCTION

Chrystal Nicole Albertson, BA  
Elementary Education  
Middle Level Education Dual Major

Avery Elizabeth Allen, BA  
Elementary Education

Jarim Amely, BA  
Elementary Education

Rylee Marie Amos, BA  
Elementary Education  
Middle Level Education Dual Major

Alyssa Renee Anderson, BA  
Elementary Education

*** Summa Cum Laude  
** Magna Cum Laude  
* Cum Laude
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Kristian Bradley Wilson, BA
Biology

Brian Yarahmadi, BA
Biology

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Biology: Ecology, Evolution, and Organismal Biology

CHEMISTRY & BIOCHEMISTRY

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Biochemistry
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Biochemistry
University Honors

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Chemistry - Marketing

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Chemistry
Mathematics
Philosophy
Individual Studies: French Language and Culture

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Alisa Nicole Altman, BA
Communication Disorders

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Communication Disorders

Jacey Ray Bina, BA
Communication Disorders

Claire Elizabeth Blackman, BA
Communication Disorders

Grace Rose Brennecke, BA
Communication Disorders

Kaitlyn Mary Burkramer, BA
Communication Disorders
University Honors
Thesis Title: Assessing the Comfort Level of Speech-Language Pathologist in Assessing and Treating Deaf and Hard of Hearing Children

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Amelia Kay Folkedahl, BA
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Sydnee Ann Greiman, BA
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Mikaela Mae Reth, BA
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Emily Eileen Schneider, BA
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Paeten Rae Schultz, BA
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Gerontology: Social Sciences

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Interactive Digital Studies

Hailey Grace Finch, BA
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*Bailey Elaine Waldo, BA
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Sierra Rose Wiebensohn, BA
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Communication: Public Relations

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Communication
**Samantha Marie Goodman, BA**
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Environmental Science

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Jinaya Catherine Houston, BA
Communication

Benjamin Allen Hummel, BA
Communication

%Emily Nicole Kent, BA
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Matthew Joseph Larson, BA
Communication/Digital Media: Digital Media Production

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Trenton John Meggers, BA
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Joshua Ray Michel, BA
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Rebecca Leigh Miller, BA
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Madalyn Rae Post, BA
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Interactive Digital Studies
Graphic Technology

Zoey Segriff, BA
Communication

Dylan Levi Sires, BA
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**COMPUTER SCIENCE**

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Computer Science

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Computer Science

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Computer Science

Chenjie Gao, BA
Computer Science

Ju Hann Goh, BA
Computer Science

Philip James Hansen, BA
Computer Science

Azam Khalil Hasan, BA
Computer Science

Seth Allen Howard, BA
Computer Science

Anna Kang, BA
Computer Science

Sarah Ileeene Kirschbaum, BS
Computer Science

Nathan Richard Lindo, BS
Computer Science
University Honors

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Computer Science

James Alfred McClain, BA
Computer Science

Alexander Jonathan Nie, BA
Computer Science

Yicheng Pan, BA
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Justin Carl Tarantino, BA
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Matthew Ray Thein, BA
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Isaiah Kothe Weston, BA
Computer Science

%Janet Irene Wiley, BS
Computer Science

Ye Liang Yip, BA
Computer Science

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Computer Science
University Honors with Distinction
Thesis Title: Trouble Brewing - An Exploration in Parasocial Relationships with Fictional Characters

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Earth Science

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Environmental Science
David Alan Hindman, BA  
Environmental Science  
Communication: Digital Media Production  
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Environmental Science: Environmental Life Sciences  
Geography: Environmental Systems and Sustainability  
University Honors  
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Environmental Science  
Madison Marie Ries Mckenna, BS, BA  
Environmental Science: Environmental Earth Science  
Earth Science  
Sofia Cristina O’Neil, BA  
Earth Science - Teaching  
Tabitha Jane Robinson, BA  
Environmental Resource Management: Resource Administration  
Gretchen Renae Steffensmeier, BS, BA  
Environmental Science: Environmental Life Sciences  
Biology

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English Teaching  
Spanish  
University Honors with Distinction  
Thesis Title: ‘What Man Arro?: An Exploration of the Narrator of the Canterbury Tales  
Abby Annalyse Danowsky, BA  
Spanish  
Textile and Apparel  
Emma Kathleen Davis, BA  
English Teaching  
Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages - Teaching  
University Honors  
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English Teaching  
Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages - Teaching  
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Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages - Teaching  
Jennifer Lynn Ellingson, BA  
Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages  
Josh Francis, BA  
English  
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English Teaching  
Benjamin Godard, BA  
English  
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English Teaching  
Middle Level Education Dual Major  
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English  
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English  
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English  
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English  
Breanna Todd Knight, BA  
English  
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English  
Alexis Meek, BA  
English  
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Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages - Teaching  
University Honors  
Thesis Title: Preparing Tomorrow’s Teachers: A Program Analysis of Teacher Education in Iowa and its Role in Preparing Preservice Teachers for Emergent Bilinguals  
Alexa Merida Seifer, BA  
Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages - Teaching  
Samantha Faye Niles, BA  
English Teaching  
Bailey Cristine Potratz, BA  
Spanish - Teaching  
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Spanish  
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English  
Kailey Dee Schmidt, BA  
English Teaching  
Lauren Ashley Sigafus, BA  
English Teaching  
Alexis Smith, BA  
English Teaching  
*Megan Smith, BA  
Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages  
Family Services  
University Honors  
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Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages - Teaching  
Ashley Jean Webb, BA  
English Teaching  
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Thesis Title: An Hour and a Half From Nowhere: A Collection of Rural Fantasy Stories
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History - Teaching  
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English  

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Music Performance: Instrumental  
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Music: General Studies in Music  
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Music Education: Choral/General  
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Music Education: Instrumental/General  

**PHILOSOPHY & WORLD RELIGIONS**  
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Philosophy  
Mathematics  
Individual Studies: French Language and Culture  
Chemistry  
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The Study of Religion  
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The Study of Religion  
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The Study of Religion  
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Philosophy  
%Adam David Wilson, BA  
The Study of Religion  
Criminology  

**PHYSICS**  
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Physics - Teaching  
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Physics  

**SCIENCE EDUCATION**  
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Middle Level Science Teaching Dual Major  
Middle Level Education Dual Major  
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Middle Level Science Teaching Dual Major  
Middle Level Education Dual Major  

**TECHNOLOGY**  
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Technology Management  
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Manufacturing Engineering Technology: Advanced Manufacturing  
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Electrical Engineering Technology (EET)  
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Construction Management  
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Manufacturing Engineering Technology: Metal Casting  
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Construction Management  
Caleb Allen Christine, BS  
Technology and Engineering Education - Teaching  
Middle Level Education Dual Major  
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Construction Management  
Lukas David Groe, BS  
Construction Management  
Nicholas Richard Gronowski, BS  
Construction Management  
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Construction Management  
Ryan Arthur Hemann, BS  
Construction Management  
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Technology Management  

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** Magna Cum Laude  
* Cum Laude
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Technology and Engineering Education - Teaching

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Manufacturing Engineering Technology: Manufacturing Design

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Technology Management

Jed Quentin Peterson, BS
Construction Management

Kathryn Michelle Rech, BA
Graphic Technology Interactive Digital Studies

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Construction Management

Jacob Ryan Schmelzer, BS
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Samuel Wesley Schmidt, BS
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Manufacturing Engineering Technology: Advanced Manufacturing Technology Management

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Construction Management

Xiangyu Sun, BS
Manufacturing Engineering Technology: Advanced Manufacturing

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Construction Management

Carrie Leann Tarpy, BA
Graphic Technology Technology Management

Alex David Theisen, BA
Technology Management

Jacob Allen Thorpe-Swihart, BS
Construction Management

Luke Charles Werner, BS
Manufacturing Engineering Technology: Advanced Manufacturing

Nicholas S. Yeast, BS
Construction Management

THEATRE

Maren Elizabeth Borer, BA
Theatre: Performance

Nathan Michael Brock, BA
Theatre: Design & Production

Gabrielle Elise Cook, BA
Theatre: Performance

Olivia McQuerry, BA
Theatre: Design & Production

Karle J. Meyers, BA
Theatre: Specialized Studies

Hannah Smith, BA
Theatre: Drama and Theatre for Youth
University of Northern Iowa Commencement

December 18, 2021 | McLeod Center | 2:00 p.m.

Presiding .................................................. Mark A. Nook, Ph.D.
President of the University

Commencement Marshal ..................................... John Vallentine, Ph.D.
Professor and Associate Provost for Faculty

Prelude Concert ............................................. UNI Jazz Ensemble
Michael Conrad, D.M.A., Conductor

Processional .................................................. UNI Jazz Ensemble

Academic Procession
Candidates for Degrees
Graduates from 2020
Candidates from the Graduate College
Candidates from the College of Business
Candidates from the Division of Continuing Education and Special Programs
Candidates from the College of Social and Behavioral Sciences

The Faculty
Members of the Faculty
Heads of the Departments

The President’s Party
Commencement Marshal
President
Platform Guests
Officers of the University

The National Anthem ....................................... UNI Jazz Ensemble

Presentation of the Colors .................................. UNI ROTC Honor Guard

Welcome ..................................................... Mark A. Nook, Ph.D., President

Recognition of Military Personnel ......................... Mark A. Nook, Ph.D., President

Remarks to the Graduates .................................. Samantha Bennett
Northern Iowa Student Government President 2021 - 2022

Awarding of Honors ....................................... José Herrera, Ph.D.
Executive Vice President and Provost

Student Address .............................................. Darcie Van Voorst
Candidate for Master of Social Work in Social Work: Advance Trauma Informed Practice

Presentation of Candidates ................................. José Herrera, Ph.D.
Executive Vice President and Provost

Conferring of Degrees ..................................... Mark A. Nook, Ph.D., President

Reading of the Candidate Names ......................... Deirdre Bucher Heistad, Ph.D.
Professor and Executive Director, Undergraduate Studies

The audience is urged to refrain from cheering or applauding graduates as they are individually named. Your enthusiasm is understandable but may interfere with the rights of others to hear and will delay the program.

Alumni Induction .......................................... Drew Conrad
Vice-Chair, UNI Alumni Association Board of Directors

Closing Remarks .............................................. Mark A. Nook, Ph.D., President

UNI Alma Mater ............................................. UNI Varsity Men’s Glee Club

Closing Selections .......................................... UNI Jazz Ensemble

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Accounting

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Justin Garretson, MBA
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Dmitriy Dennis Holthaus, MAcc
Accounting

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Business Administration

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Na Lei, MBA
Business Administration

Yuen Bing Leung, MBA
Business Administration

Yuanyuan Li, MBA
Business Administration

Yuting Li, MBA
Business Administration

Zhongjie Li, MBA
Business Administration

Jinjin Lin, MBA
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Chen Liu, MBA
Business Administration

Jing Liu, MBA
Business Administration

Jizhu Liu, MBA
Business Administration

Qiang Liu, MBA
Business Administration

Xiaohui Liu, MBA
Business Administration

Xiaojuan Liu, MBA
Business Administration

Xiaoshan Liu, MBA
Business Administration

Yingqun Liu, MBA
Business Administration

Zitian Liu, MBA
Business Administration

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Business Administration

Sum Wai Lo, MBA
Business Administration

Chung Man Ma, MBA
Business Administration

Mohit Mehta, MBA
Business Administration

Xiao Meng, MBA
Business Administration

Yafang Niu, MBA
Business Administration

Wenxin Qu, MBA
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Business Administration

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Business Administration

Guofan Sheng, MBA
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Haiying Wang, MBA
Business Administration

Zheng Wang, MBA
Business Administration

Chun Wing Wong, MBA
Business Administration

Chudong Wu, MBA
Business Administration

Yunzhao Xu, MBA
Business Administration

Shijia Yan, MBA
Business Administration

Yanjing Yang, MBA
Business Administration

Rosanna Yau, MBA
Business Administration

Li Zeng, MBA
Business Administration

Lin Zhang, MBA
Business Administration

Shikun Zhang, MBA
Business Administration

Yaping Zhang, MBA
Business Administration

Hong Zhao, MBA
Business Administration

Qiang Hui Zhong, MBA
Business Administration
UNDERGRADUATE CANDIDATES

ACCOUNTING

Tyler Robert Banker, BA
Accounting

Matthew William Beerman, BA
Accounting
Economics: Business Economics

Alek Boeding, BA
Accounting

Jordan Wayne Boekelman, BA
Accounting
Real Estate

Sydney Rose Boevers, BA
Accounting

Chelsea Nicole Burrows, BA
Accounting
Economics: Business Economics

Emily Ann Colwell, BA
Accounting

Allison Margaret Crump, BA
Accounting

Hannah Marie Dash, BA
Accounting
Presidential Scholar
University Honors with Distinction
Thesis Title: Spreading Awareness and Gaining Donor Support for UNI Dance Marathon

Luke Austin Delap, BA
Accounting
Finance: Financial Management

Thomas Joseph Digmann, BA
Accounting
University Honors

Lauren Marie Embleton, BA
Accounting
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Finance: Financial Management

Benjamin Flanagan, BA
Accounting

Blake Johnathan Frederick, BA
Accounting
Supply Chain Management

Jenna Rose Hauschild, BA
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Andrew John Hingst, BA
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Rebecca Leigh Hinz, BA
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Ethan James Kempema, BA
Accounting

Derek William LaBarge, BA
Accounting
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Thesis Title: Fraud and COVID-19: An Unintended Downside of Government Aid During the Pandemic

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Adam Richard McKown, BA
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Nathan Allan Mentzer, BA
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Yangyang Qin, BA
Accounting

Trae William Rogers, BA
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Accounting

Brianna C. Smith, BA
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Brenden Michael Suhr, BA
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Marcy Kim Uglum, BA
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Mason Otto Wirtz, BA
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BUSINESS TEACHING

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Management: Organizational Leadership

Laurel Anne Keenan, BA
Business Teaching

ECONOMICS

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Economics: Business Economics
Accounting

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Chelsea Nicole Burrows, BA
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Accounting

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Finance: Financial Management

Jared Michael Foster, BA
Economics: General Economics

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Supply Chain Management
Economics: Business Economics
Finance: Investments

% Legacy
Sarah Marie Madsen, BA  
Economics: Business Economics  
Finance: Investments  
University Honors  
**Thesis Title: Homeownership by Race: Factors that Explain the Homeownership Gap Between Blacks and Whites**

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Economics: Business Economics  
Finance: Financial Management

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Economics: Business Economics  
Finance: Financial Management

Danielle Lynn Schuman, BA  
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Kyle Joseph Sperfslage, BA  
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Finance: Financial Management

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Finance: Investments  
University Honors

Jacob Ross Stites, BA  
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Economics: Business Economics  
Accounting

Tyler Andrew Vauthier, BA  
Economics: General Economics

**FINANCE**

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Finance: Financial Management

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Real Estate  
Finance: Financial Management

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Finance: Financial Management

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Finance: Investments

Ying Jiang, BA  
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Finance: Investments

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Finance: Personal Wealth Management

Brock Mace, BA  
Finance: Financial Management

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Finance: Investments  
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Finance: Financial Management  
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Finance: Financial Management

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Finance: Financial Management

Luke Donald Merfeld, BA  
Finance: Personal Wealth Management

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Marketing: Advertising and Digital Media

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From the hallowed halls of learning, rising from the fertile land.

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BASS

Hail to thee, O state of plenty. Thou hast raised it proud and strong.
Guide to fame thy sons and daughters in the pattern of thy hand.

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True in spirit, strong in knowledge, UNI, we sing our homage.

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Hail to thee, O Alma Mater, our to-morrows shall be thine!

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