The University of Akron

Spring Commencement

May 6, 7 and 8, 2011
Edwin J. Thomas
Performing Arts Hall
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Spring 2011 Commencement Program

May 6 at 7 p.m.; May 7 at 10 a.m. and 2 p.m.; May 8 at 2 p.m.

Luis M. Proenza, President of The University of Akron, Presiding

Prelude Music

Fanfare for Brass Ensemble by Alexander Tcherepnin
Selections from Pictures at an Exhibition
by Modest Mussorgsky, arranged by Elgar Howarth
The University of Akron Brass Choir
Tucker Jolly, Conductor

Fanfare

Ceremonial Piece by William MacDavis
The University of Akron Brass Choir

Processional

(The audience will remain seated.)
Grand March by Giacomo Meyerbeer
Pomp and Circumstance by Sir Edward Elgar
Trumpet Voluntary by Jeremiah Clarke
The University of Akron Brass Choir

The National Anthem

(The audience is invited to stand and sing.)
Led by Michelle Cha
Graduate
College of Creative and Professional Arts
The University of Akron Brass Choir

Welcome and Introduction

Luis M. Proenza
President, The University of Akron

Greetings

Member
Board of Trustees

Music

The Great Gate of Kiev from Pictures at an Exhibition
by Modest Mussorgsky, arranged by Elgar Howarth
The University of Akron Brass Choir

Address to the Candidates

Luis M. Proenza
President, The University of Akron

America the Beautiful

(The audience will remain seated.)
Michelle Cha
The University of Akron Brass Choir

In the May 6 evening ceremony, there will be a presentation of degree candidates for the College of Business Administration, College of Polymer Science and Polymer Engineering, and College of Creative and Professional Arts.

In the May 7 morning ceremony, there will be a presentation of degree candidates for the College of Education and College of Health Sciences and Human Services.

In the May 7 afternoon ceremony, there will be a presentation of degree candidates for the College of Engineering, College of Nursing and Summit College.

In the May 8 afternoon ceremony, there will be a presentation of degree candidates for the Buchtel College of Arts and Sciences and Wayne College.

In the May 15 ceremony, there will be a presentation of degree candidates for the School of Law.
THE PRESENTATION OF DEGREE CANDIDATES

The presentation of candidates for Doctoral Degrees
The presentation of candidates for Master’s Degrees
The presentation of candidates for Baccalaureate Degrees
The presentation of candidates for Associate Degrees

*The Mysterious Barricades* by Francois Couperin
*Julia Florida*
*Danza Baslera* by Jorge Morel
*Grand Overture* by Mauro Giuliani
*Granada* by Issac Albeniz
*Nocturno* by Federico Moreno-Torroba
*Torija Recuerdos de la Alhambra* by Francisco Tarrega

Adam Sarata – Guitar

THE ALMA MATER

(The audience is invited to stand and sing. See Page 52.)
Led by Michelle Cha
The University of Akron Brass Choir

WELCOME OF THE ALUMNI ASSOCIATION TO THE CLASS OF 2011

May 6, Evening
Dan Ishee (’92)
National Alumni Board

May 7, Morning
Tim Miller (’75, ’76, ’82)
National Alumni Board

May 7, Afternoon
Sonda Burns (’77, ’83)
National Alumni Board

May 8, Afternoon
Sam DeShazior (’93)
National Alumni Board

STUDENT RESPONSE

May 6, Evening
Thomas A. Klenotic

May 7, Morning
Lynn M. Lalley

May 7, Afternoon
Nicole M. Averell

May 8, Afternoon
Marcus A. Phelps

THE AKRON BLUE AND GOLD

The University of Akron Brass Choir

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Luis M. Proenza

POSTLUDE AND RECESSIONAL

(The audience will be seated.)

*Suite* by Tylman Susato
The University of Akron Brass Choir

*Presentation of candidates is in the order of college founding date.*
Academic Processional & Ceremonial Customs

The pageantry of commencement is rooted in traditions that are centuries old. The following information is designed to assist you in understanding the significance of these ceremonial rites.

Processional
The academic processional is an official prelude to the commencement ceremony. The University marshal leads the procession, bearing the University Mace, which represents the authority of both the University and of the state. Following the University marshal are the members of the platform party including trustees, recipient(s) of honorary degrees, and the president of the University, who wears a medallion with inscriptions representing the history of the state and the University. Next come the members of the faculty followed by the degree candidates.

The marching order of candidates customarily reflects the historical order in which the various colleges or schools of the University were established. Led by marshals, the candidates for degrees march in with their respective colleges.

Academic Attire
The academic regalia worn at commencement is of medieval origin. The scholars of Bologna, Paris, Oxford, Cambridge, and Heidelberg dressed in a manner to distinguish themselves from the merchants and other townsfolk. When the universities first came into being in the 11th century, “learned clerks” robed themselves in gowns, caps, and hoods, thus signifying the distinction between “town” and “gown.” As additional universities came into being, their faculties adopted distinctive forms of the gown and hood for bachelor’s, master’s, and doctoral degrees.

These customs are reflected in today’s academic attire. In Europe, a professor generally wears the type of garment customary in the university where he or she is lecturing. In the United States, however, professors wear the gown and hood of the university where they earned their highest degree. All commencement ceremony participants at The University of Akron are attired in the appropriate academic apparel.

University marshals are distinguished by their blue and gold robes and Elizabethan caps.

Caps and Tassels
The cap, also called the mortarboard, may have been derived from the squarish cap worn by the masons of the Middle Ages, or perhaps was suggested by the shape of the books which occupied so much of the scholar’s time. In the United States, the cap is usually flat and square in shape. In Europe, one sometimes sees caps of other varieties. Attached to a button atop the mortarboard is a tassel; associate’s are often silver in color; bachelor’s and master’s are black or of a color appropriate to the college from which the candidate is being graduated; and doctor’s are usually golden.

Gowns
Originally, the gown may simply have been a type of overcoat to protect the teacher from the cold in unheated buildings. The cut or style appears to derive from ecclesiastical attire and most often is black. The associate’s and bachelor’s gowns generally have a closed front and open sleeves. The master’s gown more often has long, closed sleeves, from which the arms extend through a slit at the wrist. The doctor’s gown is faced down the front with velvet panels and has bell-shaped sleeves adorned with three velvet bars.

Hoods
A triangular fold of cloth worn over the back of the gown, the hood is faced with colors which denote the field of study represented by the wearer’s degree. The colors of the lining indicate the college or academic discipline in which the degree is granted. Recipients of the doctor of philosophy degree wear royal blue hoods, and their caps feature golden tassels. Those who have earned the doctor of education degree wear light blue hoods and tassels.

Colors
The various colleges and academic disciplines of The University of Akron are represented by the following hood and tassel colors:

- Black: Summit College, Bachelor’s
- Dark Brown: Creative and Professional Arts
- Drab: Business
- Gold: Polymer Science and Polymer Engineering
- Green: Health Sciences and Human Services
- Light Blue: Education
- Orange: Engineering
- Peach: Nursing
- Purple: Law
- Silver: Summit College and Wayne College Associate’s
- White: Arts and Sciences
Banners
The impressive backdrop for the ceremony consists of the banners of the twelve colleges and the Graduate School. Each banner bears the name and founding date of the college it represents. Banners were first instituted at The University of Akron in the spring of 1995.

The University Seal and the Presidential Medallion
A seal serves to confirm, ratify, or secure an emblem, symbol, or word that is used to certify a signature or authenticate a document. The use of official seals dates back to the Norman Conquest in 1066. During the next century, seals were used throughout England to authenticate documents. Persons of rank had unique seals befitting their status. Most seals were circular or oval-shaped and bore heraldic designs embossed on their faces.

The use of seals became part of academic tradition in the medieval university and continues to the present. The University of Akron, for example, displays its seal on diplomas presented to its graduates.

The coat of arms shown on the University’s seal includes an open book and quill, representative of the University’s original liberal arts curriculum. A lamp of learning shown against a city skyline depicts the University’s metropolitan setting. Three diagonal bars represent the private, municipal, and state stages of the University’s history. The phoenix, a mythical bird that is consumed by fire and rises from its ashes to achieve greater glory, is a tribute to the University’s rebirth following the devastating fire of 1899. The seal also displays the original Buchtel College motto, Fiat Lux (let there be light).

The University’s current Presidential Medallion, as designed in the year 2000 by renowned artist Don Drumm, consists of the University seal, set in a necklace of pewter. Originally, the Presidential Medallion was presented by the Alumni Association in 1970, commemorating the University’s centennial. The medallion is a symbol of the authority of the president, as bestowed by the Board of Trustees, that traditionally is worn by the president on important ceremonial occasions.

The Ceremonial Mace
The Ceremonial Mace was presented to The University of Akron by the Alumni Association on Founders Day 1970, in recognition of the University’s founding 100 years earlier as Buchtel College.

Since ancient times, maces have been symbols of authority for many academic and governmental bodies. The University of Akron’s Ceremonial Mace is carried by the University marshal at all formal academic occasions.

The most distinguishing feature of the Ceremonial Mace is the rising phoenix. A mythical bird that rose anew from its ashes to achieve even greater glory, the phoenix is a fitting symbol for the University whose predecessor, Buchtel College, suffered a disastrous fire in 1899 and was rebuilt through the generous support of alumni and the community.
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Wayne College
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University Interpreters

The commencement ceremonies will be interpreted by:

May 6, Evening
John Sederwall

May 7, Morning
Lori Palmer

May 7, Evening
Elizabeth E. Graham
Professor, Communication
College of Creative and Professional Arts

Sylvia E. White
Associate Professor, Communication
College of Creative and Professional Arts

May 7, Morning
Kathleen D. Clark
Associate Professor, Communication
College of Creative and Professional Arts

Heather Walter
Associate Professor, Communication
College of Creative and Professional Arts

May 7, Afternoon
Christine R. Curry
Director, Development

Julia Spiker
Associate Professor, Communication
College of Creative and Professional Arts

May 8, Afternoon
Thomas G. Beck
General Manager, WZIP-FM
Adjunct Assistant Professor, Communication
College of Creative and Professional Arts

Stacey J. Moore
Assistant Vice President for
Student Engagement and Success

University Orators

The names of candidates for degrees will be read by:

May 7, Morning
Kathleen D. Clark
Associate Professor, Communication
College of Creative and Professional Arts

Heather Walter
Associate Professor, Communication
College of Creative and Professional Arts

May 7, Afternoon
Christine R. Curry
Director, Development

Julia Spiker
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College of Creative and Professional Arts

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Stacey J. Moore
Assistant Vice President for
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May 6, 2011
Evening
Aigbe Akhigbe
Guy Bordo
Thomas Calderon
Akhilesh Chandra
James Divoky
Gary Frank
John Goodell
Suzanne Gradisher
William Guegold
Stephen Hallam
William Hauser
Naveen Jain
Scott Johnston
Eunsu Kang
Richard Kent
Laurie Lashbrook
Young Lin
Fredric Marich
John Matejkovic
Daniel McCarthy
Michele Morscher
Jayprakash Patankar
Robin Prichard
Penny Rakoff
Tom Smith
Mahesh Srinivasan
Melissa Stallard
Dave Szalay
Edward Zadrozny

May 7, 2011
Morning
Andrea Brewer
Eston Brown
Kristina English
Harold Foster
Jaclyn Gordon
Terry Hallett
Karen Herrington
Sandra Hudak
Karim Jordan
Sophia Kraus
Huey-Li Li
Peter Li
Deborah Marino
Debbie Memmeer
Patricia Parr
Rose Resler
Cynthia Reynolds
James Rogers
Pam Schulze
Priscilla Smith
James Steiger
Evelyn Taylor
Shernaz Vakil
John Vollmer
Jacqueline Wilbanks

May 7, 2011
Afternoon
Ala Abbas
Roland Arter
Stacia Biddle
Charlotte Burrell
Jae-Won Choi
Kelli Chronister
Steven Chuang
Marguerite DiMarco
Amy Dreussi
Sabine Gerhardt
Irene Glanville
S. I. Hariharan
Christine Heifner-Graor
Kelly Herold
Kathleen Horning
Tom Kellar
Lori Kidd
Raouth Kostandy
Richelle Laippy
Gergory Morscher
Carolyn Murrock
Carolyn Murrock
Scott Randby
Kathleen Ross- Alaolmolki
Rob Schwartz
Carrie Scotto
Linda Shanks
Carolyn Sutter
Janet Thompson
Kelly Webb
Craig Wise

May 8, 2011
Afternoon
Janet Bean
Julia Beckett
Tracey Jean Boisseau
Kim C. Calvo
Sara Carlson
Patrick Chura
James P. Cossey
Raymond Cox
Dennis Doverspike
Megan Ervin
Lesley Gordon
Jennifer Holz
Yu-Kwang Hu
Peter Lavrentyev
Matthew Lee
Kathy Liszka
Qin Liu
William Lyons, Jr.
Robert Mallik
Susanne Meehan
Timothy Norfolk
Robert Peralta
Francesco Renna
John Senko
Andrea Snell
David Steer
Linda Subich
Lance Svehla
William Thelin
Eric Wasserman
Douglas Woods
Matthew Wyszynski
Susan Young
Gerald Young
Wiley J. Youngs
Gang Zhao
WeiPing Zheng
Christopher J. Ziegler
Graduation
With Distinction

To graduate with distinction, students must have maintained specified levels of academic achievement directly related to quality points earned for all undergraduate courses taken. The maximum quality point ratio possible is 4.00.

To qualify for these honors distinctions, students must be receiving a baccalaureate degree, having earned a minimum of 64 credits at The University of Akron; or an associate degree, having completed a minimum of 32 credits at The University of Akron.

The honors levels for each group are described as follows.

Baccalaureate Honors Designation

Summa Cum Laude—
quality point ratio of 3.80 to 4.00

Magna Cum Laude—
quality point ratio of 3.60 to 3.79

Cum Laude—
quality point ratio of 3.40 to 3.59

Associates Honors Designation

With Highest Distinction—
quality point ratio of 3.80 to 4.00

With High Distinction—
quality point ratio of 3.60 to 3.79

With Distinction—
quality point ratio of 3.40 to 3.59

Excellence Scholars

Excellence Scholars have completed the graduation requirements of their baccalaureate majors with cumulative quality point ratios of at least 3.50. Representing the highest scoring applicants when they entered the University as freshmen, Excellence Scholars have maintained at least that quality point ratio throughout their undergraduate careers.

David E. Anderson
Scott W. Basco
Megan A. Beebe
Rebecca A. Beers
Karin E. Bodnar
Bruce L. Breedlove
Kelly J. Brown
Matthew F. Brown
Zachary M. Carman
Adam L. Carver
Lauren S. Chiec
Ashley Choe
Jessica E. Collins
David A. DiDomenico
Sarah G. Earley
Natalie R. Foster
Emily J. Fritz
Anthony E. Haddad
Jennifer B. Haver
Timothy J. Hendrix
Kaedra L. Herink
Matthew S. Holmer
Veronica K. Huber
Thomas J. Huth
James R. Iorfida
Pallavi Karunakaran
Thomas A. Klenotic
Emily C. Kreuz
Marissa R. Lora
Monica C. Mallinak
James L. Manz
Geoffrey L. Marple
Andrea N. McConnell
Jaclyn A. McGuire
Brittany N. Mott
Loue’ N. Nassar
Allison M. Oborn
Manoj K. Parimi
Anish Kumar Pattisapu
Scott A. Poland
Samantha R. Purcell
Emily D. Ramsey
Sundeap M. Rao
Hilary K. Ray
Amy L. Robenstine
Kimberly R. Saviers
Ashley M. Schweikert
Emily L. Shinko

Kathryn A. Shinko
Laura R. G. Smith
Ollivia A. Smith
Neelay S. Thakkar
Rachel K. Weyand
Kristin E. Yeager

Presidential Scholars

Presidential Scholars have completed the graduation requirements of their baccalaureate majors with cumulative quality point ratios of at least 3.25. Representing the top 10% of their high school classes when they entered the University as freshmen, Presidential Scholars have maintained at least that quality point ratio throughout their undergraduate careers.

Mona Adeli
Yazan N. Ahmad
Max R. Arnold
Amanda C. Beck
Mary Lynn Bode
Megan E. Bowsworth
Rachel S. Bright
Brock M. Cline
Carina M. Cooper
Rafilbin B. Dagupolo
Lauren N. Denham
Julia K. Dixon
Alexandra L. Feltes
Gabrielle A. Gaglione
Anna M. Ganios
Lucas C. Grafton
Brittany A. Gregg
Adam T. Grimm
Stephen M. Gross
Jakeb T. Hackley
Ashley M. Hale
Christopher J. Hare
Matthew J. Harrison
Katelyn M. Hausfeld
Zachary H. Hilliard
Sara E. Himmelman
Cory A. Hoch
Kristen L. Hohenadel
Kristopher J. Hopkinson
Emma Brianna Jenkins
Chad E. Joppeck
Mike O. Jurcak
Justin D. Kemp
Frank A. Kmiecik
Samantha J. Krissley
Sasa Kritzanic
Ashley L. Krusel
Ryan P. Kubilus
Lynn M. Lalley
Joseph M. Lambert
Aaron M. Lamp
Melinda E. Lipian
Brandon S. Long
Kimberly A. Lorentz
Erin N. Lottman
Michelle L. Matushevski
Ryan D. McQuillen
David R. Meranda
Kristen L. Metzger
Nicole R. Metzger
Gregory J. Moon
Robert D. Moser III
Nathanael D. Newhouse
Lauren E. Nicholas
Joshua W. Nine
Sierra N. Olson
Kate E. Pakenham
Michael J. Pakenham
Douglas J. Perkins
Amy L. Perry
Melissa M. Polcen
Lindsay R. Poremba
Farha S. Quadri
Brian A. Ramunno
Julia F. Repko
Zachary J. Riggs
Kaitlyn M. Rosen
Zachary J. Rospert
Lauren M. Rossi
Cali L. Roth
Jonathan C. Sandlund
Katherine R. Sawczuk
Brittany K. Seifer
Brittany J. Shirilla
Brett M. Sitzlar
Robert A. Soinski
Christopher M. Spolarich
Craig T. Swanson
Nichole M. Terrett
Cory B. Treharn
Michael A. Uhle
Andrew J. Veri
Lauren B. Vernice
Mary E. Wade
Sarah M. Walker
Megan A. Walsh
Christopher P. Weakland
Anthony J. Wheeler
Robert M. Wick
Joel A. Yarmesch
Aileen C. Yenco
Sara A. Yoders
Andrew J. Young
Nathan D. Zeigler
Yu Zhang
Heather C. Zucosky

University Scholars

University Scholars have completed the graduation requirements of their baccalaureate majors and of the Honors College with cumulative quality point ratios of at least 3.40. The Honors College encourages and assists exceptionally talented students to achieve high distinction in academic work from freshmen through senior levels and fosters respect and appreciation for superior intellectual achievement. University Scholars have completed honors courses, an honors colloquium sequence, and individually designed senior honors projects.

Yazan N. Ahmad
David E. Anderson
Joseph M. Augustyn
Nicole M. Averell
Matthew R. Baranyk
Scott W. Basco
Amanda C. Beck
Megan A. Beebe
Rebecca A. Beers
Mary Lynn Bode
Karim E. Bodnar
Samantha M. Bombeck
Megan E. Bosworth
Ashlee Bowman
Rachel S. Bright
Kelly J. Brown
Lauren N. Brown
Lauren R. Brown
Samantha V. Brown
Zachary M. Carman
Adam L. Carver
Lauren S. Chiec
Mihaela Ciupitu
Caleb L. Clark
Meredith H. Clark
Zachary R. Clifton
Brock M. Cline
Jessica E. Collins
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Shea M. Covert
Michael R. Coyle
Thomas J. Cramer
Megan L. Currier
Stephani E. Darr
Rachel A. Day
Randy K. Dean Jr.
Robert B. DeChurch
Lauren N. Denham
David A. DiCesare
David A. DiDomenico
Melanie S. Doychak
Sarah G. Earley
Jonathan D. Emerson
Alexandra L. Feltes
Joel G. Fink
Christian E. Foss
Natalie R. Foster
Nicholas M. Fritz
Gabrielle A. Gaglione
Brent D. Gamble
Thomas M. Gambone II
Anna M. Ganioti
Keith A. Genis
Schaun J. Ginesi
Lucas C. Grafton
Torie N. Gray
Brittany A. Gregg
Adam T. Grimm
Stephen M. Gross
Leslie R. Gunion
Jakeb T. Hackley
Katelyn M. Hausfeld
Jennifer B. Haver
Allan J. Hill
Cory A. Hoch
Kristen L. Hohenadel
Matthew S. Holmer
Kristopher J. Hopkinson
Kenneth F. Hunkus
Thomas J. Huth
James R. Iorfida
Emma Brianna Jenkins
Mike O. Jurcak
Justin D. Kemp
Trevor M. Kline
Frank A. Kmiecik
Samantha J. Knisley
Nicole M. Kramer
Emily C. Kreuz
Ashley L. Krusel
Sandra E. Kung
Scott A. Kuznarsky
Kerrie L. Kyser
Lynn M. Lalley
Adam L. Lamer
Andrea K. Lange
Jennifer L. Lilly
Melinda E. Lipian
Brandon S. Long
Marissa R. Lora
Kimberly A. Lorentz
Erin N. Lottman
Monica C. Mallinak
Joseph A. Manno
Rachel L. Manthe
Geoffrey L. Marple
Eileen A. Marquard
Michelle L. Matushevski
Stephen A. Mazza
Daniel J. McFarland
Jaclyn A. McGuire
Ryan D. McQuillen
David R. Meranda
Kristen L. Metzger
Nicole R. Metzger
Ryan P. Michaud
Emma Miller
Lauren Michelle Missik
Dean R. Morningstar
Robert D. Moser III
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Joseph D. Mummet
Lucas W. Murray
Loue' N. Nassar
Nathanael D. Newhouse
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Caitlin M. O'Neill
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Robert A. Pfingsten
Marcus V. Phelps
Carla E. Pizzino
Melissa M. Polcin
Lindsay R. Poremba
Adam J. Pramik
Brent R. Prazer
Matilyn J. Pribanick
Hannah M. Prince
Samantha R. Purcell
Joshua D. Putnam
Emily D. Ramsey
Brian A. Ramunno
Hilary K. Ray
Julia F. Repko
Jennifer L. Rhodes
Sarah J. Richardson
Zachary J. Riggs
Amy L. Robenstine
Baron K. Rogers
Kaitlyn M. Rosen
Zachary J. Rospert
Lauren M. Rossi
Michael W. Russ
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Kimberly R. Saviers
Katherine R. Sawczuk
Melanie M. Schneider
Ashley M. Schweikert
Melanie C. Sedor
Brittany K. Seifer
Kathryn A. Shinko
Brittany J. Shirilla
Vyshnavi Sivakumar
Brittany M. Skelly
Laura R. G. Smith
Holly K. Snyder
Mihaela D. Soogorean
Robert A. Soinski
Amy R. Striff
Kalyn T. Suplicki
Jorge A. Sylvester
Laura C. Thiry

Cory B. Treharn
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Douglas C. Underwood
David M. Vaughn-Thomas
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Amanda M. Viau
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**Distinguished Students**

The Distinguished Student Program recognizes and encourages excellence among academically talented students at Wayne College. Distinguished Students have completed their degree studies and the requirements of the Distinguished Student Program with a cumulative quality point ratio of at least 3.40.

Alison Christine Lacy
Kelsi S. Rohrer
Joseph Santiago

The Northeastern Ohio Universities Colleges of Medicine and Pharmacy (a consortium of The University of Akron, Kent State University, and Youngstown State University) will graduate its thirtieth class on May 21, 2011. Twenty-one of the students who will receive M.D. degrees conferred by NEOUCOM completed their B.S. degrees on the Akron campus.

Harita Bandlamudi
Katie Betts
Alyssa Bonta
Oriana Chen
Jason Esterle
Ryan Fawley
Elena Hissett-Reho
Alexandria Howard
Kristy Johnson-Myers
Jennifer Kannan
Nikhil Kumar
Maria Lim
Josef Lowe
Reema Mallick
Rakesh Mannava
Monica Mohile
Silpa Nekkanti
Mayuri Reddy
Mohammad Saha Sobhanie
Tonya Thomas
Dan Yoho

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May 6, 2011
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College of
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DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY

Yao-Tsung Fu
Polymer Engineering
BS, Tatung University, Taiwan;
MS, National Taiwan University
Dissertation: “Molecular Simulation of Dispersion and Mechanical Stability of Organically Modified Layered Silicates in Polymer Matrices”
Adviser: Dr. Hendrick Heinz

Anish Kurian
Polymer Science
BS, Mahatma Gandhi University, India; BT, Cochin University of Science and Technology, India
Dissertation: “Molecular Rearrangements at Polymeric Interfaces Probed by Sum Frequency Spectroscopy”
Adviser: Dr. Ali Dhinojwala

Xin Li
Polymer Science
BS, The University of Science and Technology of China
Dissertation: “Investigation of Non-Linear Rheological Behavior of Polymeric Liquids”
Adviser: Dr. Shi-Qing Wang

Andrey Victorovich Malkovskiy
Polymer Science
BSCE, Mendeleyev University of Chemical Technology of Russia
Dissertation: “Light Scattering of Nanostructured Materials”
Adviser: Dr. Alexei P. Sokolov

Chi-Chun Tsai
Polymer Science
BS, MS, National Chung-Hsing University, Taiwan
Dissertation: “Supramolecular Structure of Inclusion Complexes of β-Cyclodextrin with Poly(Ethylene Oxide)-Block-Poly(Propylene Oxide)-Block-Poly(Ethylene Oxide) Copolymers”
Adviser: Dr. Stephen Z. D. Cheng

Chien-Lung Wang
Polymer Science
BS, National Taiwan Normal University; MS, National Taiwan University
Adviser: Dr. Stephen Z. D. Cheng

Yingsheng Xing
Polymer Engineering
BE, Sichuan University, China;
ME, Beijing University of Chemical Technology, China
Dissertation: “Finite Element Analysis of Drop Deformation in the Entrance Region of a Cylindrical Tube”
Adviser: Dr. Chang Dae Han

Wei Zhao
Polymer Engineering
BE, ME, Sichuan University, China
Dissertation: “Flexible Transparent Electrically Conductive Polymer Films for Future Electronics”
Adviser: Dr. Mukerrem Cakmak

Zhenxin Zhong
Polymer Science
BS, South-Central University for Nationalities, China; ME, Chonbuk National University, South Korea
Dissertation: “Morphology and Internal Structure of Polymeric and Carbon Nanofibers”
Adviser: Dr. Darrell H. Reneker
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Diana E. Houle
Management
Jasbir Kaur Jassi
Management – Supply Chain
Management
Dinesh Kakade
Finance
Nathan E. Klettlinger
Finance
Michelle C. Kulik
Strategic Marketing
Matthew P. Kutner
Finance
Zhenjie Li
Management – Supply Chain
Management
Karen M. Licona
Finance
Carolyn S. Margieh
Strategic Marketing
Douglas Maseka
Finance
Bouphavanh Mathouravong
Finance
Bradley T. Maxwell
Management
Meredith A. May
Finance – International Finance
Daniel P. McClure
Finance
Jason A. Mellon
Finance – International Finance
Scott M. Merk
Management
Zachary I. Meshre
Strategic Marketing
Vivek Narayan
Management – Healthcare
Kerry L. O’Loughlin
Management – Supply Chain
Management
Prabakar Pai
Management
Michael R. Pillyod
Management
Jessica Jane Pomfret
Management
Stanley W. Prak
Finance
Mohammad Anisur Rahman
Electronic Business
Joseph T. Rich
Finance
Michael W. Roush
Finance – International Finance
Mark D. Ruesch
Finance
Aadesh Sachdeva
Management – Healthcare
Michael H. Scheetz
Management – Healthcare
Valerie A. Shields
Finance
John R. Sloan
Finance
Candace L. Smith
Management – Healthcare

Jeremy P. Taylor
Finance – International Finance
Nicholas T. Verderico
Management
Andrew M. Zanin
Finance

MASTER OF SCIENCE IN MANAGEMENT
Paul E. Clarke
Information Systems Management
Matthew J. Denapoli
Information Systems Management
Stephanie L. Ertl
Management – Human Resources
Yang Hao
Information Systems Management
Anthony J. Jakab
Information Systems Management – Accelerated
Karissa N. Kittel
Management – Human Resources
Hoda Mahfouz
Information Systems Management
Wen Pu Tsai
Management – Human Resources
Christian I. Udeochu
Information Systems Management

MASTER OF TAXATION
Haleigh M. Berg
Sarah E. Blaha
Emily E. Briesath
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Michelle L. Cunningham
Brittany S. Darnell
Nicole R. Ford
Abraham C. Joseph
Jason E. Lance
Mario Manna Jr.
Kristina D. Melomed
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MASTER OF ARTS
Vanessa C. Bordo
Theatre Arts – Arts Administration
Carmen Borzea
Communication
Brittney N. Breckenridge
Theatre Arts – Arts Administration
Alyse M. Brooks
Theatre Arts – Arts Administration
Beth Ann Capristo
Theatre Arts – Arts Administration
Mary S. Conway
Theatre Arts – Arts Administration
Zi-Yun Ding
Theatre Arts – Arts Administration
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Theatre Arts – Arts Administration
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Theatre Arts – Arts Administration
Tyler C. Hodges
Theatre Arts – Arts Administration
Brian M. Marshall
Theatre Arts – Arts Administration
Aaron A. Martin
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Anna T. Matthews
Theatre Arts – Arts Administration
Tricia M. Ostertag
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Communication
Catherine L. Remick
Theatre Arts – Arts Administration
Catherine I. Sterle
Theatre Arts – Arts Administration
Joshua M. Volchko
Communication
Brian J. Wolnik
Communication
Yi Yu
Theatre Arts – Arts Administration

MASTER OF MUSIC
Meleah R. Backhaus
Music – Accompanying
Trisha Brunchhart
Music – Choral Conducting Performance
Erica M. Deringer
Music Education – Instrumental
Angel M. Falu-Garcia
Music – Strings Performance
Lauren M. Feola
Music – Voice Performance
Carl R. Fernstrum
Music – Voice Performance
Raina M. Gonzalez-Homs
Music – Woodwinds Performance
Lindsay N. Henshel
Music Education
Te-an Hung
Music – Woodwinds Performance
Sarah N. Hutchins
Music – Voice Performance
Samuel R. Kitzler
Music – Choral Conducting Performance
Margaret M. Leddy
Music – Strings Performance
Christofer L. Lockwood
Music – Brass Performance
Stephen Thaddeus Preisner
Music – Brass Performance
Aaron C. Putka
Music Education
Timothy B. Solinger
Music – Brass Performance
Thomas V. Tully
Music Technology
Kelly L. Zunic
Music Education
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Matt C. Belair
Cum Laude
Gabriella L. Campbell
Summa Cum Laude
Stephen E. Cannon
Davida M. Coleman
Christopher D. Collins
Adam S. Crist
Jordan M. Dickey
Ryan A. Dunnie
Jonathan D. Emerson
Katie L. Falatok
Kiaaya D. Fritz
Keith A. Genis
Magna Cum Laude
John C. Granger
Hilary G. Hamilton
Adam J. Hanshaw
Timothy S. Herold
Sherri R. Herzog
Julie A. Hookway
Sandra A. Johnson
Sarah A. Kane
Joshua T. Klablok
Thomas A. Klenotic
Summa Cum Laude
Matthew T. Klouse
Abigail C. Kowicki
Sasa Krizanic
Kristina P. Kusuma
Chris A. Lovette
Stephen A. Mazza
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E. J. McCoy
Summa Cum Laude
Jeremy J. Moldvay
Jessica N. Morton
Emily L. Movens
Stella A. Ohaeri
Kathryn L. Podojil
Melissa M. Polcen
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Jason A. Rohr
Cum Laude
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Magna Cum Laude
Matthew J. Roy
Cum Laude
Daniel G. Schmidt
Justin T. Seigley
Summa Cum Laude
Rachel L. Shepard
Cum Laude
Marcella G. Simms
Katherine E. Snyder
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Cory B. Treharn
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Chad L. Tumino
Douglas C. Underwood
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Julie K. Verhovnik
Lisa M. Weisheit
Leah N. Wells
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Matthew J. Wenger
Shawna N. Wiggins
Cum Laude
Shelby L. Wilson
Magna Cum Laude
Zachary L. Wittensoldner
Nathan D. Zeigler
Magna Cum Laude

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Jordan R. Baranowski
Magna Cum Laude
Dan A. Baron
Brian M. Chima
Zachary R. Clifton
Magna Cum Laude
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Donte A. Durham
Eric C. Helmssteder
Joshua M. Kinney
Cum Laude
Shawn C. Mallory
Kristen E. Muzik
Michael J. Ploskonka
Justin M. Roberts
Summa Cum Laude
Nathan S. Shane
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Steven C. Spiethas
Jessica L. Whitfield
Kristy L. Yugovich

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Zachary E. Byers
Sadie T. Farris
Cum Laude
Paul W. Haberny III
Brett M. Hancock
Joshua A. Hippley
Jason G. Kelly
Eric B. Leopold
Cum Laude
Gregory R. Palya
Cum Laude
Brittany J. Shirilla
Summa Cum Laude

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Max R. Arnold
Nathaniel A. Ash
Magna Cum Laude
David T. Blike
Eric M. Brown
Zachary B. Campbell
Cum Laude
Mihaela Ciupitu
Cum Laude
Jennifer M. Coniglio
Magna Cum Laude
Melanie S. Doychak
Summa Cum Laude
Thomas A. Dragar
Summa Cum Laude
Matthew R. Eliason
John D. Falatok
Michael G. File
Andrew M. Ford
Eric Kelly Gardner
Michael D. Gedeon
John M. Gross(1)
Jonathan B. Hedden
Summa Cum Laude
Elise C. Helyes
Andrew R. Hill
Brian M. Hill
Kristen L. Hohenadel
Cum Laude
Amparo S. Iturriaga
Ryan J. Kelly
Justin D. Kemp
Cum Laude
Candice M. Kornowski
Justin F. Laubach
Magna Cum Laude
Teresa R. Loll
Artur Macur
Magna Cum Laude
Brittney L. Manfull
Brian T. Masturzo

(1) Separate Baccalaureate Degrees in Two Disciplines
Amy A. Mihelich
Joseph A. Misconin
Jeremy J. Morris
Michael J. Morton
Jessica N. Morton
Lucas W. Murray
Magna Cum Laude
Caitlin M. O'Neill
Cum Laude
Omar A. Omar
Kevin J. Pikus
Gary Daniel Pownell
Andrea R. Price
Mathew S. Provchy
Nicole A. Reis
Shawn M. Riley
Douglas G. Ritzenthaler
Daniel J. Ronsman
Mikhail V. Rychka
Jonathan C. Sandlund
Magna Cum Laude
Aaron M. Shaffer
Andrew L. Shaw
Brittany J. Shirilla
Summa Cum Laude
Daniel G. Simon
Andrew M. Snowball
Andre M. Walton
Jessica A. Yeargin
Kenneth M. Young

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Laura C. Bluco
Scott L. Bungard
Nicole M. Calabris
Jordan T. Carter
Jennifer M. Colella
Thomas G. Doverspike
Daniel J. Fearon
Noelle R. Filippi
Sarah M. Freer
Cum Laude

Nina M. Green
Zachary M. Harper
Cory A. Hewit
Rachel N. Holmer
Maria Josephine C. Izzo
David J. Kipifer
Andrea K. Lange
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Kristen M. Lash
Patrick R. Maier
Steven M. Menyes
Richard K. Molnar Jr.
Cum Laude

Jennifer M. Nagy
Daniel J. Novak
Sierra N. Olson
Cum Laude

Kyra L. Petrole
Carla E. Pizzino
Summa Cum Laude
Jessica F. Replogle
Magna Cum Laude
Jared M. Robinson

Kaitlyn M. Rosen
Magna Cum Laude
Jacquelyn P. Rowan
Courtney A. Rowe
Melanie S. Schenk
Eric M. Schubert
Anthony J. Schupp
Steven G. Sedlock
Marc E. Shefelton
Christopher M. Stimler
George C. Stobbs III
Thomas J. Sudol
Andrew J. Veri
Cum Laude

Veronica J. Waite
Jeffrey T. Wanner
Magna Cum Laude
Kenneth T. Williams
Magna Cum Laude
Jarrett H. Woodard
Katherine Elise Young

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Mousa Mohammed M AlKaltham
Cum Laude
James V. Arko Jr.
Holly G. Ashby
Anthony J. Bank
Ashley A. Bills
Justin T. Bragwell
Max D. Bressler
Carolina Castro Cota
Cum Laude

Joi N. Chevalier
Emily J. Cottrill
Juliane DeMarco
Joseph A. DelGallo
Magna Cum Laude
Gregory G. Gerycz Jr.
Phillip E. Gibson
Robert D. Griffiths Jr.
Jonathan L. Hostetler
Joshua C. Houk
Thomas J. Huth
Summa Cum Laude

Stephanie A. Inglezakis
Ashley L. Johnson
Cum Laude

Christy R. Kellish
Timothy S. Kline Jr.
Samantha L. Kromer
Cum Laude

David W. Little Jr.
Cum Laude

Erin N. Lottman
Magna Cum Laude

Darielle Louis
Adam Z. Marr
Eric W. Moore
Tanaya R. Moss
Katharine A. Noble
Cum Laude

Marie Antoinette Payne
Ralph M. Pezzotti
Dana A. Renicker
Cum Laude

Julia F. Repko
Summa Cum Laude

Greg T. Reynolds
Sarah L. Riley
Tyler J. Schwendiman
Viyshnavi Sivakumaran
Magna Cum Laude

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Sheena M. Fronk Magna Cum Laude
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April L. Hall
Jared P. Heller Summa Cum Laude
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Angel Trese Johnson
Jason LaVallee Cum Laude
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Morgan K. Moody
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Joshua D. Putnam Summa Cum Laude
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Jake W. Rapp
Haley J. Rohaley
Sharlee J. Sacha
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Kelly F. Strasko Cum Laude
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Bruce E. Welsh
Margaret G. Williams
Jaime M. Zitkovic

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Jeremie L. Benjamin
Joshua D. Boker
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Jordan M. Caraballo
Matthew C. Carlin
Lauren E. Cash
Porsha M. Chisholm
Ann M. Cinovec
Caleb L. Clark Cum Laude
Sarah E. Conner Cum Laude
Gina N. Coreno
Gary R. Cox
Adam Crowley
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Summa Cum Laude
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Cum Laude
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Kevin P. Stalder
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Nichole M. Terrett
Summa Cum Laude
Isaac Terron
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Summa Cum Laude
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Katherine E. Jackson
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Summa Cum Laude
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Dissertation: “The Usefulness
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Therapists and Couples”
Adviser: Dr. Patricia Parr

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Counseling Psychology
AA, Lakeland Community College;
BA, The University of Akron;
MA, Radford University, VA
Dissertation: “Conceptualizing
Poly-Victimization: Exploring
the Long-Term Effects Utilizing
Constructivist Self-Development
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Adviser: Dr. James R. Rogers, Jr.

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Dissertation: “Self-Regulated
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School Counseling

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Principalship

Marcy Maureen Pardee
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School Counseling

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Educational Foundations – Instructional Technology

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Principalship

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Educational Foundations – Instructional Technology

Jessica L. Bahney
Multi-Age Visual Arts

Shahed Barrak
Counseling – Community Counseling

Robert Battisson
Physical Education – Exercise Physiology/Adult Fitness

Carmen J. Bricillo
Physical Education – Sport Science/Coaching

Jerry A. Burris
Multi-Age Visual Arts

James R. Bursty
Adolescent to Young Adult – Integrated Mathematics

Amanda R. Cargoulid
Adolescent to Young Adult – Life (Biology) and Earth Science

Lisa Ann Cook
Special Education – Mild/Moderate Intervention Specialist

Kimi M. Davidson
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James L. Davis III
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Jeremiah G. Dickey
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Krystal D. Dowdy
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Physical Education – Exercise Physiology/Adult Fitness

Cheryl A. Evans
Adolescent to Young Adult – Integrated Language Arts

Cristina M. Foster
School Counseling

Megan M. Frame
Adolescent to Young Adult – Integrated Mathematics

Jennifer A. Frazee
Special Education – Mild/Moderate Intervention Specialist

Kathleen S. Gilbert
School Counseling

Robert M. Grant
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Carolyne Marie Herstich
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Brett J. Imhoff
Principalship

Allison L. Keller
Multi-Age Visual Arts

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Physical Education – Exercise Physiology/Adult Fitness

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Jesse R. Parthemore  
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Adolescent to Young Adult – Integrated Social Studies

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Cum Laude
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Magna Cum Laude
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Jennifer A. McCormack
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Matthew C. McGarry
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Benjamin M. Miller
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Summa Cum Laude
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Summa Cum Laude
Tanya D. Myers
Magna Cum Laude
Nathanael D. Newhouse
Summa Cum Laude
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Cum Laude
Brittany M. Nielsen
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Jasmien Overstreet
Abbey M. Paisley
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Ashley Jadianne Pfahler
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Summa Cum Laude
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Jennifer L. Rhodes
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Cum Laude
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Cum Laude
Meagan R. Wain
Summa Cum Laude
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Summa Cum Laude
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Krystle Wellert
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Jazmin S. Sylvester
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Jamie Lynne Alaburda
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BE, University of Tehran, Iran; MS, Tarbiat Modares University, Iran
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Dissertation: “Study of Amine Impregnated on Silica Support for CO2 Capture”
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Statistics
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Manganath Pavan Kumar
Velidandla
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Kristen M. Gerber  
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