

UNIVERSITY *of* WISCONSIN LA CROSSE

Dear friends, alumni and distinguished guests:

From our storied beginnings in 1909, when the La Crosse Normal School was founded, to our place of prominence today in 2019, the University of Wisconsin-La Crosse has grown into one of the best public universities in the country. Thus we can be proud of many things—in particular, today's graduating class.

Earlier this year, *U.S. News & World Report* ranked UWL No. 4 among public universities in the Midwest who offer undergraduate and master's programs, the highest ranking of any UW institution in this category. And we also are ranked in *Kiplinger Magazine*'s list of the Top 100 Values in American Public Higher Education, further recognition of our strong national leadership in advanced education.

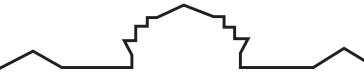
A commitment to excellence exists throughout the UWL campus, and the accomplishments listed on page 5 showcase some of our most notable achievements. But the greatest testament to our tradition of academic excellence is the group of outstanding students who make up today's graduating class. Each one of them is a point of pride, and we're so very grateful for that.

So on behalf of the staff and faculty here at UWL, it's my pleasure to thank you for joining us today to celebrate the crowning achievement of the university experience. The future holds great promise for our graduates, and I hope you are as proud of them as we are!

Best wishes,



Joe Gow
Chancellor



One Hundred Ninth Annual Spring Commencement

University of Wisconsin-La Crosse

Sunday, the twelfth of May, two thousand nineteen

10 a.m. ceremony

School of Education | College of Business Administration | College of Liberal Studies

2 p.m. ceremony

School of Education | College of Science and Health

Processional

"Pomp and Circumstance"	Edward Elgar UWL Brass Ensemble
"Trumpet Voluntary"	Purcell/arr. Harold Walters
Processional Narration	Terry Wirkus, <i>Academic Technology Services</i>

Ceremony

Welcome	Joe Gow, <i>Chancellor</i>
Graduating Class Student Introduction	Vitaliano Figueroa, <i>Vice Chancellor for Student Affairs</i>
Student Address	
10 a.m. Ceremony	Fadil Jonuzi
2 p.m. Ceremony	Jessica Ahrens
Presentation of Candidates for Degrees	Betsy Morgan, <i>Provost & Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs</i>
Conferring of Degrees and Awarding of Diplomas	Joe Gow, <i>Chancellor</i> Bob Hetzel, <i>Vice Chancellor for Administration and Finance</i> Barbara Stewart, <i>Vice Chancellor for Diversity and Inclusion</i> Greg Reichert, <i>Vice Chancellor for University Advancement/President of the UWL Foundation</i>
School of Education	Marcie Wycoff-Horn, <i>Dean</i>
College of Business Administration	Laura Milner, <i>Dean</i>
College of Liberal Studies.....	Kimberly Vogt, <i>Interim Dean</i>
College of Science and Health	Mark Sandheinrich, <i>Dean</i>
Graduate Studies	Meredith Thomsen, <i>Director</i>



New Alumni Welcome

10 a.m. Ceremony Linda Kastantin, '91, *UWL Alumni Association Board of Directors*

2 p.m. Ceremony Angie Kellogg, '92, *UWL Alumni Association Board of Directors*

Singing of Alma Mater

The Alma Mater

Morning sun greets many banners
On its westward way,
Fair to us above all others
Waves maroon and gray.

Colors dear, flag we love
Float for aye;
Old La Crosse to thee,
May we all be ever loyal
To thy memory.

Closing Remarks Joe Gow, *Chancellor*

Recessional

"Trumpet Tune and Air" Purcell/arr. Elgar Howarth

"Triumphal March from Aida" Verdi/arr. Claire Johnson

"Sonata from Die Bankelsangerlieder" ed. Robert King

Please remain seated during the recessional and until all graduates and faculty have exited.

Mace Carriers

Eric Kraemer, College of Liberal Studies

Michele Thorman, College of Science and Health

Commencement Interpreter Colleen Cudo

Name Reader Terry Wirkus, *Academic Technology Services*
Kristine Wirkus

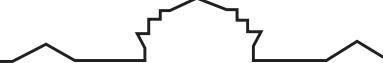
Commencement ushers are members of the Vanguard organization.

Note: Sound-enhancement earphones are available for hearing-impaired guests. Ask an usher if you would like to use the earphones.

Please return them to an usher after the ceremony.

A reception for graduates and their family and friends will be held immediately following the ceremonies.

Please proceed to South Hall to meet your graduate. A map of the La Crosse Center can be found on page 28.



Academic Dress

The academic apparel worn by faculty and staff in the processional has its origins in the universities of the Middle Ages. Because the universities grew out of church schools, both faculty and students were regarded as part of the clergy, and wore clerical clothing based on monastic dress.

The head covering developed from the skull cap worn to protect tonsured heads in cold weather. In the universities, the skull cap acquired a point at the top which gradually evolved into a tassel. In Europe, the bonnet with a tassel is still worn, but has been replaced in America by the mortar board cap or tam with a tassel.

The style of the gown may have been borrowed from the Benedictine monk's habit. In the Middle Ages, those with bachelor's and master's degrees could be distinguished by the simplicity or elaborateness of their gowns. The master's gowns were often furred, a decoration surviving as the three velvet bars now used on the sleeves of the doctoral gown.

The hood was originally worn over the head in bad weather, and otherwise dropped onto the shoulders. First worn by faculty and students, the hood is now added to the apparel of those with master's and doctoral degrees. The color of the velvet trim on the hood indicates the scholarly field, for example, dark blue (philosophy), golden yellow (science), light blue (education), pink (music), apricot (nursing), drab (business), and white (arts). The colors of the satin lining are those approved and authorized by the college or university from which the degree was earned.

Medallion Symbolizes Academic Excellence

Wearing a medallion or seal of office has been a symbol of academic excellence since the Middle Ages. The seal marked official documents then; heads of institutions wore the seal around the neck to keep it in their possession. The chancellor's medallion features a design and materials that reflect UW-La Crosse. The mokume-gane or "wood grain metal" used is a specialty of the campus jewelry studio.

Mace Shows Quest for Truth

Once a weapon in medieval combat, the mace was adopted by universities as a symbol of the power of the quest for truth. The mace is carried in the commencement ceremony by a distinguished senior faculty member. William R. Fiorini, a UWL art professor, designed and made the medallion and mace, which were used for the first time at the inauguration of Chancellor Judith L. Kuipers in September 1992.

The mace and medallion were given to the University by Mary Hebbard and Ruth Nixon-Davy, professors emeriti. Silver plaques on the medallion box and mace stand acknowledge these gifts.

Symbols of Academic Achievement

Many undergraduate students are wearing items that reflect high academic achievement. Commencement Honors are designated by silver cords, and are worn by students who have at least a 3.50 cumulative grade point average. Those wearing gold cords have earned Commencement Highest Honors with at least a 3.75 average. Members of the Golden Key International Honour Society are wearing a medallion on a blue and gold neck ribbon. The organization is open to the top 15 percent of graduating seniors in various fields of study. Discipline-specific honor organizations are represented by a variety of other cords.

International Flags and Sashes

The international flags displayed on the commencement platform represent the home countries of international students attending the University. Sashes are worn by graduates who studied abroad. Each sash represents the country in which the student studied.

Even more reasons to be a proud UW-La Crosse graduate ...

- **U.S. News & World Report's 2019 America's Best Regional Universities in the Midwest lists UWL the state's top and the No. 4 public university in the Midwest among institutions providing undergraduate and master's programs. It's the 18th consecutive year UWL has remained at the top.**
 - **UWL is No. 13 among four-year public institutions nationally with the highest, five-year repayment rates for Pell Grant recipients.** Eighty-two percent receiving Pell Grants in the 2010 or 2011 fiscal years had paid toward their principal five years later. Also, UWL students who began repaying federal student loans during 2015 have the lowest loan default rate over a three-year period among all other UW System institutions. Only 1.6 percent of UWL students defaulted on their loans, compared to the 5.1 percent UW average.
 - **Students in fall 2018 set a record enrollment for UWL: 10,569.** Retention of first-year students from fall 2017 to 2018 was 86 percent, up from 83 percent the previous year. The national retention rate is 81 percent.
 - **UWL retains and graduates a higher percentage of its students than any other comprehensive university in the UW System.**
 - AffordableCollegesOnline.org, a leading online organization that lists affordable colleges, ranks UWL **No. 6 among the Top LGBTQ-Friendly Colleges for 2018-19.**
 - **UWL is tied for No. 22 on the list of the 2019 Most Affordable Online Colleges for Educational Leadership** for its Master of Education – Professional Development Educational Leadership Emphasis program.
 - **The La Crosse County Conservation Alliance awarded UW faculty member Niti Mishra and several students the Conservation Project of the Year Award.** The honor recognizes their work to survey an invasive flowering plant degrading regional wetlands and wildlife habitat.
 - **UWL Professor Keely Rees was named a Wisconsin Women's Health Foundation 2019 Champion in Women's Health.** The honor recognized five statewide dedicated to improving the lives of the state's women and their families.
 - **'15 Alumna Tianna Vanderhei brought home the 2018 Miss Wisconsin title.** Her platform — "B.O.S.S. – Building Our Soft Skills, Strengthening Our Future" aims to help people learn to be the boss of their future. Experiences searching for her own future on campus sparked the idea.
 - **The UWL College of Business Administration has once again received an international seal of approval from AACSB International** — The Association to Advance Collegiate Schools of Business. The prestigious re-accreditation is valid for five years.
 - **UWL's American Marketing Association chapter is the fifth largest collegiate chapter in the world.** That's out of more than 320 chapters worldwide.
 - **A \$2 million gift is transforming science at UWL.** The largest single gift ever to campus supports research and scholarship in environmental studies and education, wildlife habitat protection, wildlife
- protection, conservation and ecological technology. With the gift, the new \$82 million science classroom and labs building that opened in fall 2018, has been named the Prairie Springs Science Center.
- **UWL was one of two Wisconsin schools to make Kiplinger's Personal Finance's list of the top 100 best values in public colleges for 2018.** UWL ranked No. 45 for out-of-state students and No. 64 for in-state students.
 - **Rentcollegepads.com ranks UWL No. 11 out of 500+ colleges nationwide on a list of safest campuses** ... the only Wisconsin campus in the top 25.
 - **The American Institute for Economic Research pointed to UWL when listing La Crosse as the No. 19 best college town in America** — the only Badger State city in the top 20.
 - **College Factual ranks UWL No. 1 out of 17 Wisconsin colleges and universities reviewed when it comes to offering a quality education to veterans studying biology.** UWL also ranks No. 89 out of 820 nationally, which puts UWL in the top 15 percent of all schools in the nation.
 - For the last 19 years, students and others have been able to hear firsthand from world leaders in physics. **The UWL Distinguished Lecture Series in Physics brings Nobel Laureates to campus each year** — a one-of-a-kind series regionally. The department graduates more physics majors than any other bachelor's degree granting institution nationwide.
 - **UWL's biochemistry major received national accreditation in 2017,** just as demand for biochemists in Wisconsin is up. Now accredited by the American Society for Biochemistry and Molecular Biology — a first in the UW System — UWL's program is helping meet that demand.
 - **The \$55 million, student-funded Student Union that opened in 2017 has received LEED Gold Certification** for energy and environmental design. Both Centennial Hall and Eagle Hall received the prestigious certification when opening in fall 2011.
 - **Men's track & field won its record 18th indoor NCAA III title and its record 15th outdoor title in 2017** ... the university's 70th and 71st overall national titles. UWL hosts the 2018 NCAA III Women's and Men's Outdoor Track & Field Championships.
 - **UWL's physician assistant program earned a 100-percent pass rate on the Physician Assistant National Certifying Exam.** That, small class sizes, and partnerships with the Gundersen Medical Foundation, Mayo Clinic School of Health Science and Marshfield Clinic keeps the program attractive.
 - For 18 out of the past 19 years, UWL student-athletes posted the **highest combined GPA in the Wisconsin Intercollegiate Athletic Conference.** They finished with a cumulative 3.204 GPA in 2017-18.





CANDIDATES FOR GRADUATION

Associate Degree Candidates

10 a.m. ceremony

Birkett P. Bilderback
Sophia J. Connell

Nicholas Holly
Paul R. Johnson
Kenneth G. Kromenaker

Stacy L. Miller
Allison B. Wilke

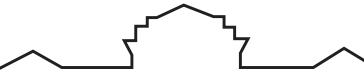
BACCALAUREATE DEGREE CANDIDATES

College of Business Administration

10 a.m. ceremony

Dain C. Arrestad	Matthew S. Berg	Bethany F. Burton	Adam J. Dux*
Michael A. Aase	Michael R. Berghefer	Dominic A. Carini	Jeffrey S. Even, Jr+
Reedan S. Abid	Caleb J. Beyer+	Jennifer C. Challoner	Hunter W. Evers
Leah M. Achterberg	Sadie M. Bishop	Brian K. Chapman	Gage P. Everson
Matthew J. Alexander*	Sara M. Bittner+	Shokorino T. Choga	Ellen R. Fallon*
Hannah M. Alitz	Christopher J. Bloch	Dylan B. Chown	Forrest G. Fenlon
Hamoud S. Alshalan	Jasmine R. Bogart-Falbo	Logan S. Chrisler	Austin R. Figlinski
Alyssa S. Amann	Nathan A. Bolen+	Anna E. Cleary	Jacob A. Fix*
Blake R. Anderson	Keaton J. Bonine	Hunter T. Cottrell	James D. Flynn
Haley Anderson	Jessie J. Booth**	Steven E. Dales+	Ashlyn E. Fonstad
Kylie J. Anderson	Keith A. Borlick	Haley S. Davis	Paige N. Forde**
Laurens N. Anderson	Beth M. Borski	Hanna C. Day	Megan M. Fraher
Sean Anderson*	Matthew F. Borta*	Dalton Decker	Scott Frey
Brittany L. Armstrong	Charles A. Brandt	Benjamin J. DeGroot*	Alexandra L. Frieburg
Logan D. Armstrong	Emma R. Brauer*	Camilina A. Diaz	Adam R. Fryer
Taylor R. Austen	Briara A. Braun	Nicole Dockendorf*	Easton R. Gaber
Noah J. Bakunowicz	Alexander M. Breunig	Julianna Dodd*	Rachel Gallo**
Dayna M. Ball**	Kelsey E. Breunig**	Sarah E. Doern	Jiahao Geng
Brett J. Banker	Hannah K. Brown+	Carolyn R. Dolan	Kyle S. Gerke
Alex Barnard	Anthony J. Bruno	Vincent P. Dombrowski	Caleb M. Gillis
Jonathan P. Barnes**	Benjamin J. Buchanan	Madeline S. Dorman**	Natalie M. Gjermo
Nicole A. Bari**	Hunter A. Budack	Cassandra J. Douglas	Abby R. Glaus*~
Daniel R. Beck	Nicholas P. Buisman	Nicholas A. Douglas	Louis F. Gnida+
Epiphanie Belanger*	Emma L. Bunker	Leevon C. Drievold	Amy R. Grant
Molly A. Benavides	Jessica L. Burch*	Elizabeth R. Dufeck	Taylor L. Greening**
Trenton R. Beninghaus	Krystal L. Burrows	Lacy J. Duren	Madison M. Grimm*

Clarise A. Gultch	Blake C. Kirsch	Joseph M. Nauman, Jr*+	Colin R. Sauter
Cole J. Gustin	Luke S. Kirschbaum	Jack M. Neale	Sydney A. Schemenauer**
Michael A. Habeck	Jillian R. Klatt	Jake E. Neiderhauser*	Cameron S. Scheuren
Justin M. Haessly	Jamie A. Kozelka+	John R. Nejedlo	Candace L. Schleisner
Drew T. Hamilton	Jake T. Kraimer*	Hoang D. Nguyen	Michael R. Schmeiser
Allison L. Hampton	Keegan P. Lang	Luke Nicholas	Braden K. Schmidt
Molly E. Hanson	Tanner J. Langen	Cody D. Nord	Ryan P. Schmidt*+
Elizabeth J. Harkins	Madison D. Larrabee	Emma K. Nowak	Haley M. Schmitz**
Shantel J. Hartzell**	Breana L. Larson	Mackenzie J. Nutzmann	Brady J. Schneider
Jarred D. Heer+	Hunter M. Laschenski*	Brooke L. Oakes	Craig T. Schneider
Elana R. Heier*	Benjamin J. Lattimer*	Kevin T. O'Brien	Mitchell D. Schneider
Brandon W. Hein	Samantha E. Lemke	Levi J. O'Brien	Lucas W. Schroeder
Corey A. Helberg	Paul J. Leuck*+	Nicole F. Olson	Carson T. Schulz
Lee A. Hertzfeldt**	Keri H. Lichtfuss	Alec A. Paplham	Nicole E. Schuurmans
Nicholas J. Hilderbrand	Jacob R. Linder	Nicholas R. Patchen	Casey C. Severson
Andrew J. Hilgemann	Jack B. Ludwig	Natalie M. Patton*	Troy T. Sharpe
Tallie J. Holcomb**	Michael Marchese	John P. Peckham	Ryan T. Shavlik
Samuel J. Hoopingarner	Parker M. Marsalli	Alyssa A. Pegoraro	Margaret L. Sheely**
Monica E. Hubrich*	Kirk E. Martin*	Jared A. Pelot	Jordan T. Shimek
Harrison W. Ireland*	Steven W. Martine	Justin R. Persch	Megan A. Sigurdson
James T. Isler	Jacob M. Mathiebe	Derek A. Peterson**	Cole Simpson
Samuel C. Ives**	Allison L. Mazur	Nicholas J. Peterson	Kaitlin D. Slama
Ashley P. Iwinski	Forrest J. Mazzei	Marcus A. Plaehn+	Ross J. Smith
Nicholas M. Janco	Mark R. McChesney	Mikayla L. Pleuss	Steven R. Smith
Collin J. Janssen*	Elijah H. McGeehan+	Matthew J. Pook	Isaak A. Solum
Timothy D. Jarog	Kade K. McGilvray	Reed L. Powell**	Christian J. Sontag
Aleksandra Jaszczyk	Mark G. McKee	Jack K. Purvis	Hannah D. Steinberger
Derek B. Johnson	Travis J. McKeon	Joshua J. Raabe	Lee R. Stephenson
Jake C. Joling*	Claire McNamara	Julia C. Ricco	Kassidy N. Steyer**
Valerie M. Jones*	Evan M. McNeilus*	Scott D. Ring	William J. Stolski
Fadil Jonuzi*	Shane M. McNulty+	Alex B. Robson	Grant T. Sutton
Ethan T. Jude	Mitchell A. Middlebrook	Kelli R. Robson	Mitchell H. Sutton+
Christopher A. Kammer	Mary K. Middleton	Kyle P. Roenius	Hannah J. Swetlik+
Katelyn M. Karcz	Jeremy M. Miller*	Kamryn J. Ronca	Kathryn A.
Cole J. Karczewski*	Thomas P. Miller**	Kaitlyn M. Rosenwald	Swiecichowski*~
Jordan K. Kasa*	Garrett A. Montalvo**	Matthew C. Ross	Steven M. Switalla
Allyson M. Kaul	Jay T. Moritz	Molly M. Rudd	Ashley T. Takacs
Joshua J. Ketterhagen	Amanda L. Mosher	Jenna N. Sabel*	India R. Tauchen
Madeline M. Keute	Charlotte R. Muetzelburg*	Ryan W. Sailer	Jackson L. Telderer
Tyler D. Kirk	Marina K. Murray*+	Tyler J. Sargent+	Nolan J. Tilton



College of Business Administration continued

Douglas R. Tocco	Benjamin R. Vogt	Makenzie R. Wells	Michela Wood
Evan D. Toerpe	Lang Vu	Thomas M. Wesling	Tyler J. Wozny+
Benjamin J. Tollander	Aaron N. Wagner	Kyle T. West+	Maria L. Yanna
Matthew W. Tracey	Larry J. Waldburger, II	Benjamin R. Weyers	Mark Yeakel*
Kayla M. Travia*	Margaret K. Walsh	Michael D. Wheatley*	Aaron M. Yorkson
Benjamin A. Trudeau	Alexandra M. Walters*	Meghan E. Wieseckel	Ethan T. Young**
Bailey F. Valencia	Jacob B. Walters	Bennett C. Williams	Lindsey N. Yuds
Sean J. Van	Hannah N. Wangerin	Ryan K. Williams	Zachary R. Ziebol
Loren D. Van Camp	Taylor M. Watzke	Stevie A. Winer	Domas Zukauskas
Nicholas D. Van Kampen	Daniel P. Welch	Kyle M. Wogahn	
Zachary B. Veit	Delbert I. Welch, Jr	Alexa A. Wood	

College of Liberal Studies

10 a.m. ceremony

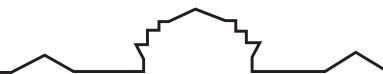
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Mariah J. Allard	Kiley R. Beth*	Emma G. Buss**	Victoria E. Dietel*
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Rachel L. Anderson	Hosanna R. Biffert+	Darby S. Campbell	Kelsey E. Dockry
Jenna R. Anfang	Frankie Bjork	Anders N. Carlson	Olivia R. Dorscheid**
Katelyn C. Asmus*	Claire J. Blau	Megan M. Carroll**	Serena P. Downey
Kathryn N. Aukerman*	Stephanie P. Boebel	Jason T. Cashman	Kathryn N. Draper
Jacob J. Ausman**	Carly A. Boles*	Lidia Chalova	Madeline M. Drayna
Amanda K. Bach	Colton R. Boley+	Jodi Chung**	Marshall W. Dworak
Joshua D. Baker	Breanna K. Bollig**	Melissa E. Clement**	Lucy A. Eggers
Erin C. Baldwin	Steven M. Bonin*	Carson J. Coffield**	Brianna G. Ehlinger*
Sarah J. Balfanz	Morgan A. Borchardt*	Ashley N. Colbert	Madison A. Elsen**
Michelle L. Ballweg**	Erica L. Borde	Ariel A. Colin	Megan R. Emerson
Madison K. Barber*	Jacob T. Bram	Hannah G. Cowan*	Kelsey A. Enderby
Lindsey I. Barlow	Lauren P. Brasington**	Carson J. Cox	Jacqueline A. England
McKenna Barrett	Chelsie M. Bray	Alyssa Crossley	Kira M. Erickson+
Anna L. Baumgartner*	Giorgia E. Brennan	Gabrielle M. Cummuta	Stefano A. Fabiano
Abigail J. Becker*	Kylee M. Britton	Jevon T. Davis*~	Emily N. Faivre
Cole J. Becker	Michaela M. Bromberek*+	Nicholas A. Dekeyser*	Emily Farebrother*
Morgan K. Becker*	Madalyn R. Brueggeman	Kyla A. Delaney**	Jacqueline E. Feiner*+
Kyle R. Beckwith	Breanna N. Bryan	Bethany J. Dempze**	McKenna Fellegy
Tyler J. Bennett	Jacob P. Burchfield	Sierra Denny+	Montana E. Fender*

David A. Fernández*	Sarah E. Herkert**	Bradley C. Koehler	Haley E. Maus
Michael W. Field	Jeremy T. Hersh	Thomas Kolinski	Jacob May
Matthew P. Fischer+	Natalie R. Herzog	Danielle E. Koshak	Rachel M. McGraham**
Lily C. Fitzgerald	Heidi J. Hesselberg*	Siiri E. Koski*	Sarah E. McKee
Lindsay R. Florey++	Margaret A. Hettrick*	Irene T. Kottmer**	Andrew G. McNab
Mackenzie O. Flynn*	Collin M. Heyerdahl	Laura E. Kramp**	Elizabeth K. Megard**
Skylar M. Fox*	Molly S. Hickey	Rachel E. Krause	Glory J. Melotte**
Mary Franitz*	Hope M. Hickman	Carli J. Kruckeberg+	Rachel M. Mergen
Alexandra E. Franzen	Jeffrey M. Hicks	Jessica A. Kuchta	Abigail M. Messer
Malik Q. Freeman	Miron T. Hinton+	Alyssa D. Kuhnke	Kaitlin M. Meye**
Sanya K. Frescura	Malik Hodges*	Patricia A. LaDue	Julia A. Mielke*
Christopher K. Ganrude	Leah E. Hofer*	Nicole L. L'Allier	Jenna M. Miles
Myles R. Garvey	Alexis Hofmann*	Autumn M. Larkin	Destiny Miller
David Gasper*	Gunnar A. Horstman	Kyle P. Larson*	Ellie M. Miller**
Claire E. Geertsen*	Jiayu Hou*	MacKenzie L. Larson*	Trent D. Milliken+
Allison A. Gehr	Madeline R. Hoy	Megan E. Learn	Philip G. Miron+
Alissa K. Gehrmann*	Christine L. Huggett**	Megan C. Lee+	Alexandra M. Mitchell**
Brandon P. Gerlach	Hunter Hulley	Samantha J. Leicht-Ruskey*	Taylor A. Morrison*
Michael J. Gierczak	Joseph T. Hurlburt*	Allison N. Lemke*~	Aaron M. Morse
Lauren R. Gilbertson**	Peter J. Hutchison*	Amanda J. Lettner**	Kali L. Moumblow*
Jori A. Given*	Jenna M. Ives	Kelsey C. Lien*	Sarah Mueller
Robert C. Gorde, Jr*	Kelsey L. Jadin*	Mara G. Limbeck**	Kylie S. Mullen**
Holly K. Gorrell	Kaytee A. Johns**	Sarah M. Lind*	Baley A. Murphy
Brady S. Grapentine**	Colette C. Johnson	Kayla M. Lippe**	Jordan M. Nagel
Christina A. Grev*	Lucas M. Johnson	Hunter R. Lisko**	Connor D. Nagy
Leah L. Griesbach**	Rachel L. Johnson*	Colleen A. Logterman	Hayley M. Nelson
Noah R. Grimm	Jordan T. Jones	Gabrielle M. Lokken*	Nicole M. Nerva*
Bayly J. Grosskopf	Micaela L. Julian*	Lauren M. Long*	Erin B. Nulty
Kevin R. Gruber*+	Joshua F. Kakes**	Kyle J. Lopata*	Jessica L. Nussbaum+
Emily A. Guttermansson+	Jordan N. Kaluzny	Caylin R. Ludke+	Jacqueline E. Obst*
Austin J. Haas**	Hannah M. Kaminski	Madelynn A. Makinster+	Lauren E. Orszula*
Olivia R. Hackbarth	McKenna S. Keach**	Robert J. Manders, III*	Edith M. Osorio
Jack J. Hackman	Cassandra J. Kemmel	Brock W. Mannerling	Abby K. Ostrovsky
Carson C. Hannes**	Christopher Khuong	Mary C. Mansker**	Soriene N. Ozcan+
Samantha L. Harding**	Karlie M. Kiel*+	Shelby K. Marsh	Nichole T. Padley
Laura N. Harper*	Rebekah G. Kienzle*	Jonathan R. Marthaler	Edward A. Palmer+
Ravyn L. Heckendorf~	Isabella C. Kilibarda	Hunter C. Mataya	Tyler A. Parker
Jordan Heise+~	Dustin P. King	Louise Mathijs**	Jenny E. Parlier
Cassandra L. Henry*	Natalia L. Kinney+	Megan N. Mathison*+	Kayleigh K. Pauley



College of Liberal Studies continued

Nicolette M. Pegarsch*	Devin M. Rogan	Kimberly Southorn+	Danielle M. Vetsch*
Brianna R. Perry*	Elizabeth M. Rosio	Justin J. Stanton	Nicholas W. Volbrecht
Jamie M. Peters*	Gabrielle A. Rossini	Eliza M. Staszak	Maddie E. Volk
Amanda L. Peterson**	Elijah M. Ruplinger*~	Angela M. Steffens	Michael Volkman
Jonathan R. Peterson	Alyssa M. Sachs**	Natalie A. Steinhauer*	Julie Vue
Kevin D. Peterson	Madeline T. Sandrin	Isabelle A. Stevens*	Alexandra N. Walder+
Samuel J. Peterson	Karly N. Schadt	Corey J. Stilwell	Abby M. Walkush**
Ashley E. Phillips	Courtney T. Schanau*~	Cassandra J. Stoick*	Skylar M. Walkush
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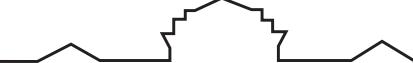
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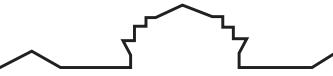
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Caitlyn R. Persinger
Kaila Potting
Valerie T. Prusak

Jeffrey M. Quednow
Abbigail R. Ristow
Kelsa M. Rubeck
Carly Schams
Jeremie Schiedermayer
Samuel L. Schwartz
Carley Seibel
Megan A. Stellplug
Sarah E. Stern
Christopher M. Suilmann
Tyler R. Thorsen
Haley R. Trom
Kody Vaassen
Rachael A. Wold



GRADUATE DEGREE CANDIDATES

Education Specialist Degree Candidates

10 a.m. ceremony

School Psychology

Lindsey Artymuik
Kalli Boland
Joseph Converse
Shelby Fitzgerald
Kayla Fleck
Katelyn Flynn
Michaela Keller
Kelsey Kohlbeck
Rachel Pfarr
Megan Rasmussen
Morgan Schilz
Kendal Ursin

Master of Business Administration

10 a.m. ceremony

Deanne L. Andersen
Rebecca L. Zoellner

Master of Science

2 p.m. ceremony

Biology

Andrew K. Bradford
Brandon J. Harris
William Kiser
Andre J. Rowe
Theresa A. Simpson

Biology:

Aquatic Science Concentration

Douglas S. Appel
Elizabeth M. Hackner
Nicholas J. Reda

Biology:

Nurse Anesthesia Concentration

Caralynn E. Andrus+
Mackenzie L. Atkinson+
Joseph M. Autio+
Jaclyn M. Engstrom+
Jennifer Gannon+
Elizabeth H. Kuhn+
Brandon S. Percival+
Amanda Schneider+
Brandon T. Stout+
Mitchell J. Wilkins+

Biology:

Physiology Concentration

Aaron Karo
Logan T. Keding+
Alec G. Sime

Clinical Exercise Physiology

Blaine E. Arney
Amber M. Putnam

Community Health Education

Heidi L. Odegaard
Timothy D. Smith+
Jerel S. Villanueva+

Data Science

Kayla M. Bushweiler+
Benjamin D. Clavette
David Froslie
Grant N. Harris
Margaret Schweihs
James E. Wilson

Exercise and Sport Science:

Human Performance

Nicholas J. Bertone
Kyle J. Geiger
Deanna L. Gordon
Tyler T. Havel
Charlend K. Howard
Kyle Lownds
Erin R. McFarlane
John M. Schimenz++
Kelsey R. Szymanski
Marcia L. Taddy
Nicholas C. Tschida

Exercise and Sport Science:

Physical Education Teaching

Gabriel J. Barrios+
Joseph R. Bender+
Alex Bocian+
Quinn M. Cappetta+
Kathleen A. D'Andrea+
Natalie L. DiMeglio+
Todd A. Herricks
Paul E. Kroska+
Tara L. Rogowsky+
Brooke Sherburne+
Alyssa M. Trad+

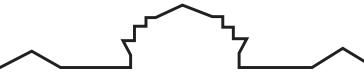
Microbiology

Amanda M. Anderson
Brittany J. Brown
Anna M. Hilger
Jeremy E. Mollinger
Matthew Mulroy
Laura K. Wright

Microbiology: Clinical

Microbiology Emphasis

Bradley B. Clyne
Brandon C. Hayes
Alicia K. Jaedike+
Shanna Mueller
Megan J. Nelson+
Michaela M. Otto
Aaron A. Simoni+



Physician Assistant Studies

Kelsey G. Alt
Taryn N. Ashley
Rebecca Bluhm
Luke A. Crance
Michelle C. Forsman
Alyssa R. Friesen
Jyoti Gautam
Beau Gerdin+
Mariah C. Grant
Lauren Gruber
McKenna K. Gruber
Elizabeth C. Hovden
Anna L. King
Christina R. Lindemann
Jacob W. McGrath
Justine M. Reuter
Elizabeth E. Rushing
Jill K. Sanchez

Recreation Management

Elizabeth E. Belville+
Samantha J. Carney+
Angela M. George
Shea M. Lawrence+
Joshua W. Milbrandt
Lysianne K. Peacock+
Michael J. Rusin+
Ryan P. Schmidt+
Sarah M. Stepanik
Thony Thao
Thomas Vetter+

Therapeutic Recreation

Allie R. Franklin
Patrick M. Killian
Maggie J. Moe
Samantha R. Petite
Corrin M. Rakowski

Master of Public Health

2 p.m. ceremony

Leah S. Bomesberger
Alexandra A. Larsen
Janessa L. VandenBerge
Cassandra E. Worner
Jason Tsim Nuj Yaj

Master of Software Engineering

2 p.m. ceremony

Brandon P. Holtorf
Jinhuan Lei
Marcus S. Lowe
Thomas S. Lynch
Matthew B. Paul
Nan Zhang

Master of Science in Education

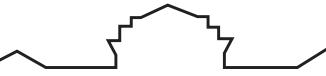
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Erin Kahnke
Victoria Klaas
Samantha McGarvey
Mikayla Mlsna
Alicia Olsen
Hannah Picel
Ashley Schuh
William Vogt

Student Affairs Administration in Higher Education

Jenna C. Aman
Kelsey A. Avey
Jessica Baran
Mitchel L. Berry
Ruben Cervantes-Garibay
Deanna L. Corry+
Kayla E. Doherty
Rachel Fenske
Kallie A. Friede
Matthew P. Gordy
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Danielle Jennings
Paige E. Kieler
Shelby L. Krug
Julie J. Maahs
Amanda C. Maher
Joann M. Martin
Micah Marie E. McCann
Howard P. McKee
Joni L. Muhlhausen
Paige C. Navis
Kirstin G. Nelson
Courtney E. Olson
Stacy L. Pederson
Alexia T. Pimentel
Jordan Price
Grace E. Riggert
Andrew D. Roberts
Katherine M. Schoenenberger
Kristine Seim
Michelle R. Shrader
Mandy B. Stasiek
Jasmine N. Tappin
Kathryn Thoen
Kayley Weinberg
Brian A. Whitmore
Ntxhee Xiong



GRADUATE DEGREE CANDIDATES

Master of Education – Professional Development

Learning Communities

Fall Creek

Rebecca E. Brueggen
Tyler M. Edmondson
Samantha L. Fleming
MaryJo E. Gingras
Megan E. Gresl
Sierra R. Hallingstad
Nicholas R. Hampton
Caitlin N. Hanney
Leah Justin
Lindsey Klein
Kelsey A. Kutzke
Allison N. McMillen
Amy M. Meyer
William J. Preuss
Lisa M. Thompson
Elizabeth A. Schauer
Tiffany D. Schulz
Lisa A. Stundahl
Julia E. Vradenburg

La Crosse

Jackson F. Baumgart
Ruth Anne Bent
Katie M. Beyer
Megan M. Derfus
Alysha J. Feldkamp
Katherine E. Fries
Christie M. Hogan
Mary S. Jagusch
Reid LaDew
Rachel E. Lee
Jennifer L. McMahon
Stephanie Milmoe
Zoe J. Simon
Stacy E. Stoecklein
Samantha M. Stout
Kyle Suprenand
Laura A. Suprenand
Cassandra J. Tolvstad
Cody J. Weadge

Monroe

Ashley E. Drasch
Karen L. Elmer
Braden L. Rindy
Jennifer J. Sanchez
Carolyn M. Schultz
Brenda K. Seagreaves
Rachel A. Struck
Ryan S. Strunz
Claire M. Tibodeau
Eric S. Wheeler
Jennifer A. Wheeler

EXTRAORDINARY DEGREE RECIPIENT

Alex Scott Hembrook September 17, 1996 – October 8, 2017

Alex was courageous, kind, loving and had a contagious personality. His lifelong dream was to become a high school Biology teacher. He majored in Biology, minored in Chemistry and took his grades to heart. If he received a 98%, he wanted to know where the 2% went.

No matter what he was up against, he faced it with unlimited optimism. Alex made a difference in so many people's lives, and brought so much peace to everyone around him.

Thanks to UW-La Crosse for honoring Alex in this way.

- Nick Christopherson and Scott & Barbara Hembrook

2019 Graduate Academic Achievement Award

Anna Hamer - School Psychology

William Kiser - Biology

Trent Rasmussen - Educational Leadership

Michael Rusin - Recreation Management

2019 Graduate Teaching Award

Andre Rowe - Biology



Master's Thesis and Project Titles

SCHOOL OF EDUCATION, PROFESSIONAL & CONTINUING EDUCATION

Master of Education - Professional Development

Fall Creek Learning Community

Rebecca E. Brueggen – *The Impact of Mindfulness in the Classroom*

Tyler Edmondson – *Understanding the Draw and Impact of Nature in Modern Society by Exploring Wild Nature Play and Wilderness Experience Programs*

Samantha L. Fleming – *Implementing Meaningful Reflection in the Classroom*

MaryJo E. Gingras – *Wilderness Experiences & Outdoor Adventures: The Self-Benefits and Transformative Potential*

Megan E. Gresl – *The Varying Factors of Motivation and Academic Achievement in the Classroom*

Sierra Hallingstad – *The Benefits of Brain Breaks and Movement in the Classroom*

Nicholas Hampton – *The Effects of Nature Based Activities and Recreation for Improving Mental Health*

Caitlin N. Hanney – *Why Positive Relationships Matter*

Leah K. Justin – *The Effects of Student Engagement on Academic Learning*

Lindsey Klein – *Positive Impact of Brain Breaks on Student Productivity, Motivation and Academic Achievement*

Kelsey A. Kutzke – *Increasing Intrinsic Motivation in Students*

Allison N. McMillen – *Successful Research-Based Methods to Increase Student Engagement and Learning*

Amy Meyer – *The Power of Relationships*

William J. Preuss – *Grading at the Middle School Level: Do Extrinsic Motivators Work or Hinder Children from Learning*

Elizabeth A. Schauer – *The Importance of Teacher Relationships: Building Community Between Regular and Special Educators*

Tiffany D. Schulz – *Classroom Community: What is it? Why is it Important? How do we get it? When do we know we have it?*

Lisa A. Stundahl – *The Impact of Mindfulness on a Child in a Classroom Setting*

Lisa M. Thompson – *The Impact of Implementing Mindfulness Within the Classroom*

Julia E. Vradenburg – *The Effect of Mindfulness on Student Well-Being*

La Crosse Learning Community

Jackson Baumgart – *Strategies to Increase Engagement in Middle School Science*

Ruth Anne Bent – *The Effects of Increased Target Language Use on Spanish Students' Language Acquisition*

Katie Beyer – *Do Self-Evaluation Tools Impact Student Participation, Achievement, and Proficiency?*

Megan Derfus – *The Effects of Co-Creating Learning Pathways on Learner Self-Efficacy and Proficiency of Standards*

Alysha Feldkamp – *The Impact of Reading Workshops on Student Literacy and Engagement*

Katherine Fries – *Music Literacy and Independent Musicianship in the Choral Classroom*

Christie Hogan – *The Effects of Mindfulness on Special Education Students*

Mary Jagusch – *Implementing Paired Reading Strategies in the Music Classroom*

Reid La Dew – *The Effects of Standards Based Assessment Practices on Mastery-Goal Orientation of High School Musicians*

Rachel Lee – *The Impact of Brain Breaks on Student Focus and Behaviors in the Classroom*

Jennifer Mc Mahon – *The Effects of Handwritten and Typed Repetition on Second Language Vocabulary Acquisition and Retention*

Stephanie Milmoe – *How Character Education Affects Social Interaction in Physical Education*

Zoe Simon – *The Impact of Reflection on Student Ownership in Their Education*

Stacy Stoecklein – *The Effects of Point Processing During Lecture on Student Engagement*

Samantha Stout – *The Effects of Movement on Self-Regulation in the Classroom*

Kyle Suprenand – *How Do Historical Reading Skills Affect Student Comprehension of Nonfiction Text*

Laura Suprenand – *The Effects of Authentic Science Lab Assessments on Student Comprehension*

Cassie Tolvstad – *How Mindfulness Affects Student Disposition During Academic Time*

Cody Weadge – *The Effects of Historical Thinking Strategies on 7th Graders' Analysis of Primary Historical Sources*

Monroe Learning Community

Ashley Drasch – *Effects of Student Choice on Engagement*

Karen Elmer – *Impacts of a Therapy Dog on Student Achievement and Engagement*

Braden Rindy – *Effective Use of Group Work in a Secondary Math Classroom*

Jennifer Sanchez – *Best Practices for Small-Group Elementary Math Instruction*

Carolyn Schultz – *The Impact of a Growth Mindset and Self-Efficacy on Student Engagement*

Brenda Seagraves – *Best Practices of Guided Reading*

Rachel Struck – *Engaging Students in Middle School Social Studies*

Ryan Strunz – *Best Practices in the Transition to a Five-Period Trimester*

Claire Tibodeau – *How to Best Use Portfolios to Engage Students in Middle School Social Studies*

Eric Wheeler – *Increasing Student Engagement via Flipped Learning*

Jennifer Wheeler – *Increasing Student Engagement in Spanish Class Grammar*

Master's Thesis and Project Titles

COLLEGE OF LIBERAL STUDIES

Master of Science in Education – School Psychology Education Specialist Projects

- Alyssa J. Anderson – *Educator Burnout: The Impact of Organizational Health*
Lindsey L. L. Bucki – *Affecting Self-Regulation in Traumatized Students: A Mindfulness Intervention*
Adalyn R. Green – *Building a Sense of Community: Protecting Students from Premature Burnout*
Anna G. Hamer – *Is Fidelity Not Enough? Student-Teacher Relationships and Intervention Effectiveness*
Erin J. Kahnke – *Stress and Burnout: The Impact of Effective Consultation for Teachers*
Victoria R. Klaas – *Mental Health: The Role of Parent Involvement for Secondary Students*
Samantha J. McGarvey – *Mental Health in the Classroom: Exploring Teacher Knowledge and Advocacy*
Mikayla K. V. Milsna – *Building Positive Student Outcomes: The Importance of School Climate*
Alicia J. Olsen – *Teacher Efficacy and Knowledge: Predicting Outcomes for English Language Learners*
Hannah M. Picel – *Dyadic Coping: The Impact of the Coach-Athlete Relationship on Stress*
Ashley M. Schuh – *Trauma-Informed Care: Its Impact on Knowledge, Attitudes, and Burnout*
William C. Vogt – *Training Paraprofessionals on Behavior Management to Increase Knowledge and Self-Efficacy*

Master of Science in Education – Student Affairs Administration in Higher Education

- Jenna C. Aman – *Living Leadership: Developing a Comprehensive Engagement Community at the University of Wisconsin-La Crosse*
Kelsey A. Avey – *International Student Assessment at the University of Wisconsin-Eau Claire*
Jessica Baran – *Climate Change: Addressing the Environment for Students of Color in a Chemistry Major at the University of Wisconsin-Madison*
Mitch Berry – *Our Story Begins with You: A First-year Orientation Program Centered on Dehegemonizing Whiteness*
Ruben Cervantes-Garibay – *Latinx Outreach and Recruitment for the University of Wisconsin-Eau Claire*
Deanna L. Corry – *Feeding the Future: Mitigating Student Food Insecurity at Wisconsin Indianhead Technical College*
Kayla E. Doherty – *Developing an Ecotourism Learning Abroad Framework*
Rae Fenske – *The "Invisible" Student: Providing Effective Student Support Services to Online Students*
Kallie A. Friede – *Intersectional Sexual Assault Prevention and Education*
Matthew P. Gordy – *Eagle Support: First-Year, First-Generation College Students*

Logan T. Hermes – *Developing an Esports Program at UW-River Falls*

Danielle E. Jennings – *Creating a Unified, High-Impact Practice Experience Through On-Campus Employment*

Paige E. Kieler – *Beyond Take-Off: Study Abroad Recruitment & Support for Students of Color*

Shelby L. Krug – *Students of Color and Career Services: Bridging the Gap*

Julie J. Maahs – *Reducing Career Anxiety at Concordia College: A Holistic and Equitable Approach*

Amanda C. Maher – *Sustaining Our Future: An Environmental Education*

Joann M. Martin – *Improving Support for Low-Income Students to Prevent the Summer Melt Phenomenon*

Micah Marie E. McCann – *Let's connect: Adapting Blackboard as an Advising Tool to Improve Retention at Western Technical College*

Howard P. McKee – *Creating a Mental Health Focused Student Success Seminar*

Joni L. Muhlhausen – *Improving Financial Literacy Across University of Dubuque's Campus*

Paige C. Navis – *Education Abroad: Turning Students into Storytellers*

Kirstin G. Nelson – *It Was Just a Joke: Creating Awareness of Psychological Abuse in College Students*

Courtney E. Olson – *Single Parent Students: Navigating an Invisible Identity in College*

Stacy L. Pederson – *Decreasing Mental Health Stigma: A Proposal for UW-River Falls College Professionals*

Alexia Theresa Handog Pimentel – *Building Academic Identity for the Persistence of Students of Color in Doctoral Clinical Psychology Programs*

Jordan A. Price – *Preparing Students for Their Future: On Campus Jobs and Professional Development*

Grace E. Riggert – *How to Help When Helping Hurts? Secondary Trauma, Compassion Fatigue, and Burnout in Student Affairs*

Andrew D. Roberts – *Assessing the Epidemic: Substance Use Disorders Among Students at the University of Wisconsin-La Crosse*

Katherine M. Schoenenberger – *Accessing the Workplace: Preparing Students with Disabilities for the American Workforce*

Kristine Seim – *The Working College Model: Enhancing the University of Wisconsin-La Crosse Experience for Underrepresented Students*

Michelle R. Shrader – *Career Readiness in the College of Arts and Sciences at the University of Wisconsin-Eau Claire*

Mandy B. Stasiak – *Financial Literacy at UW-Stout: An Investment that Counts*

Jasmine N. Tappin – *"Still I Rise?" Leading Wisconsin Women of Color in Predominantly White Institutions*

Master's Thesis and Project Titles

Kathy Thoen – *Assessing the Students Educating and Embracing Diversity (SEED) Program at the University of Wisconsin-La Crosse*

Kayley Weinberg – *The Color of Higher Ed: Increasing Retention of Faculty & Staff of Color at Predominantly White Institutions*

Brian A. Whitmore – *Operation Fresh Start to Madison College: Pathways for Men of Color to Success in Higher Education*

Ntxhee Xiong – *Improving Relationships between Faculty, Staff, and Southeast Asian American (SEAA) College Students*

COLLEGE OF SCIENCE AND HEALTH

Master of Public Health

Leah Bomesberger – *Assessing Gaps in Dialysis Station Disinfection Practices at a Local Outpatient Dialysis Facility*

Alec Fitzsimmons – *The Development, Implementation, and Evaluation of a Literacy-Promotion Program in Pediatric Dental Care in a Rural Wisconsin Federally Qualified Health Center*

Alexandra Larsen – *Assessing Vaccination Status of First-Time College Students at the University of Wisconsin-La Crosse*

Janessa VandenBerge – *Assessment of Perceived Stress, Stressors, Coping Strategies, and Stress Mindset Among La Crosse County, Wisconsin Employees*

Cassandra Worer – *Assessing a Bystander Intervention Program for First-Year Students at the University of Wisconsin-La Crosse*

Jason Yang – *Assessing the Perceptions of Academic Success in Students of Color: A Phenomenological Hermeneutics Study*

Master of Science in Biology

William Kiser – *Suppression of Reed Canarygrass for Large-Scale Floodplain Forest Restoration Across Four Sites in Southeast Minnesota, USA*

Andre Rowe – *Biomechanics of Juvenile Tyrannosaurid Mandibles and Their Implications for Tyrannosaurid Bite Function*

Theresa Simpson – *Location Matters: An Eighteen Year Spatial and Temporal Analysis of the Recolonization of a Disjunct Population of Gray Wolves (*Canis lupus*)*

Master of Science in Biology – Aquatic Science

Doug Appel – *Zooplankton Sampling in Riverine Systems: A Gear Comparison in the Upper Mississippi River*

Nick Reda – *Capturing Speciation in Action: Rapid Population Divergence in the Caribbean Bioluminescent Ostracod, *Photeros annecohenae* (Myodocopida: Cypridinidae)*

Master of Science in Biology – Physiology

Aaron Karo – *Effects of the Stress-Related Neuropeptides Urocortins on Colonic Epithelial Barrier Function*

Alec Sime – *Optimization of Chondrogenic Potential in Transplanted Adipose-Derived Stem Cells for Treatment of Osteoarthritis*

Master of Science in Physical Education Teaching

Gabe Barrios – *Fundamental Motor Skills of Children with Down Syndrome*

Joe Bender – *Developing and Implementing Community-Based Adapted Physical Education Programs for Secondary Level Students with Disabilities*

Alex Bocian – *The Role of Physical Education in Establishing PA Habits Across the Lifespan: Perspectives of Parents of Children with Autism*

Quinn Capetta – *The Greater La Crosse Area Physical Activity Website*

Katie D'Andrea – *Examining Non-Disabled Student Attitudes Towards Persons with Disabilities Before and After an Interactive Disability Unit*

Natalie DiMeglio – *Considerations for Utilizing Paraprofessionals in Adventure Education*

Annie Draves – *Instructional Strategies and Behavioral Management Techniques for Elementary Age Students in an Inclusive Recreational Aquatic Program*

Paul Kroska – *Developing and Implementing a Two-Wheel Bike Training Program for Students with Disabilities*

Tara Rogowski – *Modifications for Successful Inclusion in Elementary Physical Education*

Brooke Sherburn – *Paraprofessional Perceptions of their Roles, Responsibilities, and Training within Physical Education*

Alyssa Trad – *Parental Trust in the Special Education System*

Master of Science in Therapeutic Recreation

Shawn Tredinnick – *Sensory Integration Therapy: The Effect It Has on Challenging Behaviors for Adults with Developmental Disabilities*

Master of Science in Recreation Management

Jade Nolden – *Reflection on the Process of Completing Animal Assisted Therapy Training and Certification*

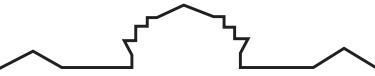
Michael Rusin – *Transportation's Impact on a Leisurely Trip for Individuals with Physical Disabilities Using a Wheelchair*

Sarah Stepanik – *Ward or Winterfell? The Impact of Game of Thrones Tourism on Irish Historic Sites*

Master of Software Engineering

Zaya Kong – *A Web Application for Restaurant Recommendations*

Jinhuan Lei – *Using Machine Learning to Play the Super Mario Kart Game*



2019 Outstanding Graduates

The Murphy Awards for Academic Excellence

recognize the university's top two graduating scholars, as chosen by the Scholarship and Awards Committee. A grant from the Murphy Foundation created the awards in 1980 to recognize outstanding and exceptional scholastic ability. As co-recipients, each student will receive \$1,500.

Laura Kaiser graduates with a Bachelor of Science in chemistry and mathematics. Kaiser made the Dean's List each semester and conducted a variety of undergraduate research in chemistry and biochemistry during college. She was named Outstanding Student of the Year in Physical Chemistry and Outstanding Student of the Year in Inorganic Chemistry, along with receiving an Outstanding Work in Mathematics certificate. Kaiser was involved in a variety of campus organizations, including Wind Ensemble, Women's Choir, Golden Key International Honour Society and Eta Phi Alpha Honor Society, among others. She plans to pursue a doctorate in organic chemistry with an environmental focus. The 2014 valedictorian of Loyal High School is the daughter of John and Beth Kaiser, Unity, Wisconsin.

Sara Krueger graduates with a Bachelor of Science in history education and broadfield social studies education. Krueger was on the Dean's List each semester. She received a grant from the La Crosse Public Education Foundation to develop high school curriculum for the "Hear, Here" local history project, as well as an undergraduate curriculum grant for "Hear, Here" middle school curriculum development. Krueger was treasurer for Kappa Delta Pi International Honor Society in Education and received the Don and Norma Vinger Scholarship. She plans to teach middle or high school social studies in the Green Bay area. The 2014 graduate of Rhinelander High School is the daughter of Amy and Dan, Jr., Krueger, Rhinelander, Wisconsin.

The Jake and Janet Hoeschler Award for Excellence

recognizes a College of Business Administration graduate for academic accomplishment and leadership on campus and the community. Janet Hoeschler, a 1940 graduate, established the award in 1992 to signify a business-university partnership. Recipients receive \$1,500.

Shantel Hartzell graduates with a Bachelor of Science with majors in accountancy and finance. Hartzell served as secretary, vice president and president of Beta Alpha Psi and participated in numerous campus committees, including Building Exceptional Students Together and Student Inclusivity Network. She received the Ronald Stratton Scholarship twice, the Strohm Ballweg Accounting Scholarship and the Murphy Scholarship.

Hartzell plans to pursue CPA certification and work in accountancy or finance. The 2014 Stanley-Boyd High School valedictorian is the daughter of Shane and Dana Hartzell, Gilman, Wisconsin.

The Strzelczyk Award in Science and Health

recognizes an outstanding senior in the College of Science and Health for academic achievement, along with campus and community service. Robert, '54, and Judy Strzelczyk, who funded many physical therapy projects and scholarships, endowed the award in 1996. Recipients receive \$1,000.

Thomas Schultz graduates with a Bachelor of Science in biology, with a minor in chemistry. Schultz received a grant for undergraduate research and participated in the American Society for Biochemistry and Molecular Biology Conference. He served on the Student Senate and was a member of Spanish Club. Schultz ran on the men's cross country and indoor and outdoor track and field teams, receiving the prestigious Elite 90 award, as well as All-American honors five times and numerous conference and regional honors. Schultz received the A. Vincent and Janet B. Weber Scholarship in Biology and Daron Williams Pre-Med Scholarship. He plans to attend medical school. The 2015 graduate of Darlington High School is the son of Kerry and Joanne Schultz, Darlington, Wisconsin.



The John E. Magerus Award for the Outstanding Graduating Senior from the College of Liberal Studies

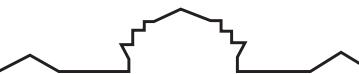
recognizes an outstanding graduate for academic accomplishments, leadership, and campus and community involvement. The award is named for Magerus, who retired in 2004 after 28 years of teaching and serving as an administrator in the college. Recipients receive \$1,000.

Gabriela Aguilar earned a Bachelor of Arts in communication studies, with a Spanish minor, in December. Aguilar was on the gymnastics team from 2015-18, including the 2016 National Collegiate Gymnastics Association championship team. She was a scholastic Academic All-American in 2017 and 2018, received the 2017 UWL Gymnastics True Grit Award and the 2018 UWL Gymnastics Most Inspirational Award, along with being on the conference championship teams in 2016 and 2018. Aguilar was a member of Golden Key Honor Society and Lambda Pi Eta Communication Studies Honor Society. She is a communications associate with the national Association for Latin Independent Producers in California. The 2015 St. Michaels Catholic Academy graduate is the daughter of Michael and Yvette Aguilar, Austin, Texas.

The Rosandich Graduate Thesis Award

recognizes the best graduate thesis, based on originality, impact and written quality. The award is funded through the generosity of Thomas P. Rosandich, '54, president of the U.S. Sports Academy in Daphne, Alabama. The recipient receives \$1,000.

Nicholas Faulds earned a Master of Science in Exercise and Sport Science – Physical Education Teaching in August 2018. Faulds took part in the physical activity mentoring program of individuals with disabilities from June 2017-August 2018. He was supervisor of the Adult Fitness Program from September 2017-August 2018. Faulds received the Lillian Neale Scholarship for his involvement in different adapted physical activity programs on campus. He currently teaches adapted physical education at the California School for the Blind. The 2012 graduate of Keshequa Central High School in Nunda, New York, is the son of Sam and Lisa Faulds, Mount Morris, New York.



2019 Alumni Awards

Alumni from the past four decades have earned the top awards bestowed by the UWL Alumni Association. The alumni are being honored for distinguished service and successful careers. They will return to campus in fall to speak with students and be honored at a brunch.

The Maurice O. Graff Distinguished Alumnus Award

Recognizes outstanding achievement of alumni who have brought honor and distinction to the university. Long-time administrator Maurice O. Graff instituted the honor in 1977.

Sharon Weston Broome, '78

- Respected politician. Former Louisiana State Senator and State Representative; first woman to hold pro tempore positions in both. Currently, Mayor-President of the City of Baton Rouge and East Baton Rouge Parish.
- Bachelor's in mass communications.

Lynda Kohler, '83

- Admired advocate for families and children dealing with disabilities and disadvantages in southeastern Wisconsin. Currently, president and CEO of SHARP Literacy Inc. in Milwaukee.
- Bachelor's in recreation leadership.

Rada Distinguished Alumnus Award

Recognizes alumni who have graduated within the last 20 years, achieved professional distinction and taken part in humanitarian activities. Professor emeritus Ron Rada and his wife, Jane, created the award in 2002.

Sulaimon "Wale" Elegbede, '05

- Esteemed business and servant leader. Founding board member of La Crosse Interfaith Shoulder to shoulder Network to curb growing anti-Muslim sentiment. Currently, head of the Project Management Office and senior project manager for Center for Regenerative Medicine at Mayo Clinic.
- Bachelor's in information systems.

Corey Sjoquist, '96 & '03

- Influential college admissions counselor in the state of Wisconsin. Currently, director of the UWL Admissions Office, where he has worked since 1996.
- Bachelor's in mass communications; master's in college student development and administration.

Parker Distinguished Multicultural Alumni Award

Recognizes outstanding alumni who have contributed greatly to improve multiracial culture and understanding on campus and in their careers. History Professor Emeritus James Parker initiated the award in 1997.

Angela Kellogg, '92

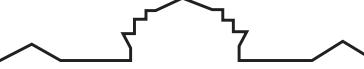
- Renowned student services administrator; advocate for diversity and inclusion. Currently, senior academic planner for the Office of Student Success at UW System Administration.
- Master's in college student personnel.

Burt and Norma Altman Teacher Education Award

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