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S E C O N D C E N T U R Y
C E L E B R A T I O N

*The Fifteenth of December
Two Thousand and Twelve at Ten O' Clock
Moody Coliseum*

*We celebrate the graduation of
thousands of SMU students as we continue to
commemorate the centennial years of
SMU's founding in 1911 and opening in 1915.*

*On this unique occasion, we salute our
graduates, who stand ready
to take the next steps into the future.*

*And we honor the students,
faculty, parents and friends who shaped
SMU's first 100 years and laid
the foundation for an
extraordinary second century.*



ORDER OF EXERCISE

CARILLON CONCERT

Quarter Past Nine in the Morning
David Y. Son, Associate Professor of Chemistry
Fondren Science Tower

PRELUDIAL CONCERT

THE GREAT FANFARE

PROCESSIONAL *

ACADEMIC PROCESSIONAL

Candidates for Graduation
Representatives of the Faculties
Platform Party

WELCOME

Paul W. Ludden
Provost and Vice President for Academic Affairs

INVOCATION

Stephen W. Rankin
Chaplain and Minister to the University

NATIONAL ANTHEM

John Stafford Smith and Frances Scott Key
The Imperial Brass led by Clifton H. Forbis
Associate Professor and Chair of Voice
Meadows School of the Arts

SPECIAL RECOGNITIONS

INTRODUCTION OF THE SPEAKER

R. Gerald Turner
President

GRADUATION ADDRESS

Caren H. Prothro
Chair, Board of Trustees

SPECIAL MUSIC

SMU Forever

Jimmy Dunne
Performed by SMU Belle Tones

CONFERRING OF DEGREES IN COURSE

Please refrain from applause until all candidates have been presented.

CANDIDATES FOR DOCTORAL DEGREES

Hooded by William M. Tsutsui, Dean of Dedman College of Humanities and Sciences
Marc P. Christensen, *Interim* Dean of Bobby B. Lyle School of Engineering
Assisted by James E. Quick, Associate Vice President for Research and Dean of Graduate Studies

CANDIDATES FOR PROFESSIONAL DEGREES

Presented by William B. Lawrence, Dean of Perkins School of Theology
C. Paul Rogers III, Dean *Emeritus* of Dedman School of Law

CANDIDATES FOR MASTER'S DEGREES

Presented by William M. Tsutsui, Dean of Dedman College of Humanities and Sciences
José Antonio Bowen, Dean of Meadows School of the Arts
Albert W. Niemi, Jr., Dean of Edwin L. Cox School of Business
Marc P. Christensen, *Interim* Dean of Bobby B. Lyle School of Engineering
David J. Chard, Dean of Annette Caldwell Simmons School of Education
and Human Development
Gary Keith Brubaker, Director of The Guildhall at SMU

CANDIDATES FOR BACCALAUREATE DEGREES

Presented by William M. Tsutsui, Dean of Dedman College of Humanities and Sciences
José Antonio Bowen, Dean of Meadows School of the Arts
Albert W. Niemi, Jr., Dean of Edwin L. Cox School of Business
Marc P. Christensen, *Interim* Dean of Bobby B. Lyle School of Engineering
David J. Chard, Dean of Annette Caldwell Simmons School of Education
and Human Development

THE FAREWELLS

Steven M. Edwards, President of the Faculty Senate
William H. Vanderstraaten '82, Chair of the SMU Alumni Association
Alexander E. Mace '13, President of the Student Body

UNIVERSITY HYMN

The Imperial Brass

BENEDICTION

William B. Lawrence
Dean of Perkins School of Theology

RECESSIONAL*

**The audience remains seated during the processional and recessional. The groups making up today's Academic Procession will be introduced by John Gibson, senior writer and producer in SMU Public Affairs.*

THE PLATFORM PARTY

Thomas E. Barry, *Vice President for Executive Affairs*

José Antonio Bowen, *Dean of Meadows School of the Arts*

Bradley W. Brookshire '76, *Member of the Board of Trustees*

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Paul W. Ludden, *Provost and Vice President for Academic Affairs*

Alexander E. Mace '13, *President of the Student Body*

David B. Miller '72, '73, *Member of the Board of Trustees*

Albert W. Niemi, Jr., *Dean of Edwin L. Cox School of Business*

Connie Blass O'Neill '77, *Member of the Board of Trustees*

Caren H. Prothro, *Chair of the Board of Trustees and Graduation Speaker*

James E. Quick, *Associate Vice President for Research and Dean of Graduate Studies*

Stephen W. Rankin, *Chaplain and Minister to the University*

Chris Regis, *Vice President for Business and Finance*

C. Paul Rogers III, *Dean Emeritus of Dedman School of Law*

Dennis M. Simon, *Platform Marshal and Associate Professor of Political Science*

Abigail Smith, *President of the SMU Staff Association*

William M. Tsutsui, *Dean of Dedman College of Humanities and Sciences*

Thomas W. Tunks, *Marshal Lector*

R. Gerald Turner, *President of the University*

William H. Vanderstraaten '82, *Chair of the SMU Alumni Association*

Paul J. Ward, *Vice President for Legal Affairs and Government Relations, General Counsel and Secretary*

GRADUATION SPEAKER

CAREN H. PROTHRO

Caren Prothro has provided leadership and support for civic initiatives contributing to Dallas' rise as an international center for business and culture, including SMU's growth as a global educational and research institution.

Mrs. Prothro has served as chair of the SMU Board of Trustees since 2010. She has been a member of the Board since 1992 and served as vice chair from 1996-2000. She serves as a co-chair of SMU's Second Century Campaign and its Campaign Leadership Council. Mrs. Prothro also is a longtime civic leader who helped spearhead the development of the Dallas Arts District and has served on the boards of numerous arts and philanthropic organizations as well as corporations. She was appointed by President George W. Bush to serve on the President's Committee on the Arts and the Humanities.

During her tenure as SMU Board chair, Mrs. Prothro has emphasized the importance of reaching the University's stated goal of having 100 endowed faculty positions and attracting nationally recognized experts to enhance SMU's reputation as a center for research and scholarship. She also has focused on drawing increased funding for merit-based scholarships that enable SMU to draw top students nationally and gaining support for major campus enhancements.

Mrs. Prothro, along with her late husband, C. Vincent (Vin) Prothro, has been a generous donor to SMU, supporting the Department of Biological Sciences of the Dedman College of Humanities and Sciences, the Perkins School of Theology and the Meadows School of the Arts. She and her husband continued a long-standing tradition of SMU support from the Perkins-Prothro family of Wichita Falls. That tradition includes Mr. Prothro's parents, Charles and Elizabeth Perkins Prothro, and his grandparents, Joe and Lois Perkins, who endowed the SMU theology school in the early 1940s and funded six buildings for the school, including Perkins Chapel.

Mrs. Prothro's community leadership positions include having served for nine years as vice chair of the AT&T Performing Arts Center Board of Directors and as a past chair of the Center's Development Committee. She also serves on the boards of the Dallas Salvation Army and the Hoblitzelle Foundation. She has served on the boards of the Dallas Museum of Art, J.P. Morgan-Chase Bank of Texas, the Visiting Nurse Association, the YWCA and the YMCA, and as chair of the Dallas Foundation Board.

Mrs. Prothro, a graduate of Mills College, has been honored for her leadership with numerous awards, including the Robert Dedman Award for Philanthropy, the Ruth Sharp Altshuler Award presented by the Dallas Children's Advocacy Center, the Linz Award for community service, the J. Erik Jonsson Ethics Award, the TACA Neiman Marcus Silver Cup Award, the Annette G. Strauss Humanitarian Award and the William B. Travis State of Texas Award for Volunteerism.

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Kelsey Williams '16
Sarah Wood '14

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Rebecca Thompson '13
Ally Van Deuren '15

ALTO 1

Abi Clark '13
Keelin Granahan '14
Sydney Kamp '15
Tracy Nelson '16
Melinda Ng '13

ALTO 2

Kasie Clark '14
Miranda Hanson '15
Cristina Perez '15
Emily Towler '16

DECEMBER 2012

CANDIDATES FOR GRADUATE AND PROFESSIONAL DEGREES
WITH HONORS

*The students listed below have anticipated Latin Honors based upon estimated academic information.
A souvenir version of the confirmed honors will be posted online at smu.edu/registrar in January.*

Somer Hayes
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Tapiwa Machaka

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Karl Huy Ninh
John Rafferty
Sonya Edwards Shahan
Jennifer Elizabeth Toy
Adam Christopher Young

CANDIDATES FOR BACCALAUREATE DEGREES
WITH HONORS

*The students listed below have anticipated honors based upon estimated academic information.
These honors include Honors in Business, Honors in Liberal Arts, Departmental Distinction and
Latin honors.
A souvenir version of the confirmed honors will be posted online at smu.edu/registrar in January.*

Santosh Adhikari
Larry C. Anthony
Dallas Ward Blagg
Alexa Nicole Brennan
Michelle Marie Broaddus
Bryan Russell Callison
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Zhongyuan Chen
Cecelia Ann Cobb
Misti Lynn Compton
Christopher Michael Corbeille
Michelle Christine Craig
Tina Marie Crisman
Hannah Marie Elsaadi
Kate Marie Gardner
Kimberley Jane Gardner
Gretchen McCaleb Greer
Krystal Brook Hallums
Allison Sterling Hardy
Jessica Rose Hart
Caroline Hayman
Jerra Nicole Haynes
Natasha Kamelia Iranzad
Janielle Nicole Kastner
Michael James Lundie

Jessica Rosa Maxey
Alaina Paige McLemore
Marissa Elena Ocampo
Christine Leigh Parrott
Victoria Nicole Petersen
Peter Sy Pham
Deena Gene Provance
Simon Elijah Raad
Matthew Nicola Rispoli
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Cristina Louise Sanders
Raven Alexandra Sanders
Jessica Lee-Agnes Schauwecker
Patrick Sherrill
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Gregory Robert Toth
Yu Wang
Jake Ryan Welker
Caroline Ann Wright
Ryan Alexander Youngquist

DECEMBER 2012

CANDIDATES FOR DEGREES

IN DEDMAN COLLEGE OF HUMANITIES AND SCIENCES

DEGREE OF DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY

Abhijeet Purushottam Bapat *Chemistry*

BS Nagpur University, India

Dissertation: "Dynamic-Covalent Star Nanostructures Prepared from Functional Block Copolymers Obtained by Reversible Addition-Fragmentation Chain Transfer (RAFT) Polymerization"

Adviser: Brent S. Sumerlin

Kelly Dean Carter *Religious Studies*

BS, MA Abilene Christian University

MDiv Regent College

Dissertation: "The Trinity in the Stone-Campbell Movement: Historical/Theological Analysis and Constructive Proposal"

Adviser: Bruce D. Marshall

Yuriy Ilchenko *Physics*

BS, MS Odessa State I.I. Mecnikov National University

Dissertation: "Measurement of the Top Quark Mass in Dilepton Final States with Neutrino Weighting Method at the DØ Experiment"

Adviser: Robert L. Kehoe

Kaushal Kishore *Economics*

BS C.M. College

MA Southern Methodist University

MS Indian Statistical Institute

Dissertation: "Strategic Foundations of Non-Preferential Taxation"

Adviser: Santanu Roy

Zhihua Liang *Physics*

BS Tsinghua University, China

Dissertation: "Precision Calculation for Hadronic Jet Production at Particle Colliders"

Adviser: Pavel M. Nadolsky

Leslie A. Reeder-Myers *Anthropology*

BA Tufts University

MA Southern Methodist University

Dissertation: "Modeling Landscape and Culture During the Early Occupation of the Santa Barbara Channel"

Adviser: Torben C. Rick

Kurt Charles Stein *Computational and Applied Mathematics*

BS University of Central Arkansas

MS Southern Methodist University

Dissertation: "Complete Radiation Boundary Conditions: Corner and Edge Closure Conditions"

Adviser: Thomas Hagstrom

Hilari Celeste Tiedeman *Computational and Applied Mathematics*

BS Southwestern University

MS Southern Methodist University

Dissertation: “Multilevel Schur Complement Preconditioning for Multi-Physics Simulations”

Adviser: Daniel R. Reynolds

Matthew Price Turner *Anthropology*

BA Texas A&M University

MA Southern Methodist University

Dissertation: “Policy, Permissiveness and Personal Circumstance: An Anthropological Understanding of Domestic Violence in Quito, Ecuador”

Adviser: Carolyn M. Smith-Morris

Kayla Jolene Walker Edin *English*

BA Seattle Pacific University

MA Portland State University

Dissertation: “Women Out of Place: Creativity and Constraint in Nineteenth and Twentieth-Century Literature”

Adviser: Ross C. Murfin

Miao Zang *Statistical Science*

BS Renmin University of China

Dissertation: “Bayesian Meta-Analysis in Pathway Enrichment Analysis”

Adviser: Xinlei Wang

IN BOBBY B. LYLE SCHOOL OF ENGINEERING

DEGREE OF DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY

Xu Bai *Computer Science*

BS Tsinghua University, China

MS University Of Manchester, United Kingdom

MS Southern Methodist University

Dissertation: “Reasoning Software Process Modeling and Simulation: A Stakeholder-Oriented Approach”

Adviser: Li Guo Huang

Prabu Balu *Mechanical Engineering*

BSME Madurai Kamaraj University

MSME Annamalai University

Dissertation: “Experimental and Numerical Studies on Laser-based Powder Deposition of Slurry Erosion Resistant Materials”

Adviser: Radovan Kovacevic

Yvonne Bijan *Systems Engineering*

BS Colorado State University

MS Colorado Technical College

Dissertation: “Methodology for Engineering Requirements for Complex Systems”

Adviser: Andrew Junfang Yu

Esmail Faramarzi *Electrical Engineering*

BSEE, MSEE Amirkabir University of Technology

Dissertation: “Blind Deconvolution and Super-Resolution of Low-Resolution Images and Videos”

Adviser: Dinesh Rajan

Jeffery Williams *Applied Science*

BA, MA University of West Florida

Dissertation: “A Methodology for Design of a System Development Program Organization”

Adviser: Jerrell T. Stracener

DEGREE OF DOCTOR OF ENGINEERING

Zaidan Khalaf Alenezi *Engineering Management*

BSE University of Tulsa

MS Southern Methodist University

Dissertation: “Practical Applications of Cognitive Radio”

Adviser: Stephen A. Szygenda

Christopher Lee Davis *Engineering Management*

BS, MS Southern Methodist University

Dissertation: “Comparison of the Analytic Hierarchy Process and Incomplete Hierarchy Process for Identifying Customer Preferences in the Texas Retail Energy Provider Market”

Adviser: Eli Olinick

IN PERKINS SCHOOL OF THEOLOGY

DEGREE OF DOCTOR OF MINISTRY

Keva Lee Green

Project: Leading Laity to Develop a Comprehensive Evangelism Strategy for Intentionally Making Disciples

Jonathan Freeman Mellette

Project: The Character-Driven Sermon: A Homiletical Implementation of Character Identification Theory

Mark J. Welshimer

Project: Come Together: Sharing Faith with Various Friends through Signature Passions

DEGREE OF MASTER OF DIVINITY

Gary William Brewton

Adam Christopher Young

DEGREE OF MASTER OF THEOLOGICAL STUDIES

Rachel M. Kincannon

Brian Kelly McClane

Jonathan Ingalls Kouba

Jennifer Elizabeth Toy

Cassie Taylor Lewis

DEGREE OF MASTER OF CHURCH MINISTRIES

Sari Ruth Frey

Sonya Edwards Shahan

Sheena Jane Logan

IN DEDMAN SCHOOL OF LAW

DEGREE OF DOCTOR OF THE SCIENCE OF LAW

LAW

Yutthana Srisavat

DEGREE OF MASTER OF LAWS

COMPARATIVE & INTERNATIONAL LAW

Nadeer Hassan Abdelmonem Yones

Hamad Almuslem

Ahmed Eisa Aboemarah

Mohammad Mutrek Alqahtani

Bader Nasser Al - Rasheed

Abdulslam Alshayer

Mubarak Obaid Al-Hajri

Fernanda Figueiredo

Abdulrahman Khalid Alabdulkarim

Agnese Roze Rivaux

Turki Khalaf Alduhayman

Iftikhar Saeed

Sharif Saeed A Alghamdi

Pongsuk Samranpongsuk

DEGREE OF MASTER OF LAWS
LAW

Dearfe Justina Daniel-Wariya

TAXATION

Jamie Terence Katzen

DEGREE OF JURIS DOCTOR

Carissa Michele Angel
Alison Leigh Ayrea
Brian Joseph Baumer
William Matthew Green
Somer Hayes
Reasha Christine Hedke
Alison Ryan Hollender

Chris Tapiwa Machaka
Karl Huy Ninh
Chibundu Nnake
John Rafferty
Juan Alfredo Saenz, Jr.
David Schwartz
Fiza Zaidi Syed

IN DEDMAN COLLEGE OF HUMANITIES AND SCIENCES

DEGREE OF MASTER OF ARTS

Alhassan Mohamed Alnami *Economics*

Benjamin Lee Brown *History*

Thesis: "Public Land and the Settlement of West Texas: The Texas Free Grass Debate, 1884-1887"

Carrie Alyce Dullye *Applied Economics*

Paul Michael Dusek *History*

Thesis: "Patronage Power: Rural Electrification, River Development, and Lyndon Johnson (1937-1939)"

Jiaan Lin *Applied Economics*

Dennis Ayodeji Onabajo *Applied Economics*

Claire Ellen Simpson *Psychology*

Thesis: "Visual Attention to Facial Cues and Prosodic Comprehension in Schizophrenia"

Dustin Thomas Stonecipher *History*

Thesis: "Two Sides to the Same Coin: Understanding Hollywood's Native Versus Alien Portrayal of Mexicans and the Border in American Border Films"

Meara Louise Weitzman *Psychology*

Thesis: "Concordance and Synchrony of Emotional Response in Blood-Injection Injury Phobia"

DEGREE OF MASTER OF SCIENCE

Ou Bai *Statistical Science*

Mahnprit Singh Jutley *Computational and Applied Mathematics*

Mitchell Alan Williams *Geology*

Thesis: "Thermal and Structural Assessment of the Pirouette Mountain Geothermal Prospect, Southern Dixie Valley, Nevada"

Lin Zhu *Physics*

Thesis: "The Performance of FPGA in the Cryogenic Environment for a Liquid Argon Time Projections Chamber"

IN MEADOWS SCHOOL OF THE ARTS

DEGREE OF MASTER OF ARTS

Virginia Malloy Curry *Art History*

DEGREE OF MASTER OF MUSIC

Dameron Iven Growe *Voice Performance*

Stephanie K. Magnus *Music History & Literature*

Jessica Ann Ratterree *Music Education*

DEGREE OF PERFORMER'S DIPLOMA

Melissa Marie Alberque *Viola Performance*

IN EDWIN L. COX SCHOOL OF BUSINESS

DEGREE OF MASTER OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

Dennis Kwaku Adu-Gyane *Information and Operations; Finance*

Lindsay Alyse Allen *General Business*

Robert Stewart Allen *Finance*

Jason Ryan Belleville *Finance*

Charlie M. Bogan *Finance*

Marc Somers Bullock *Management; Strategy & Entrepreneurship*

Jorge Cambero *Strategy & Entrepreneurship; Business Analytics*

Christopher Jacob Cerny *Finance; Business Analytics*

Ravi Sankar Chilamkurti *Finance*

Patrick Stanley Coddou *Strategy & Entrepreneurship*

Marcus Brandon Conciene *Finance*

Barend Johannes Cronje *Finance; Business Analytics*

Jonathan Travis DeLord *Marketing*

Joseph Patrick Edsell *General Business*

Charlie Fang *General Business*

Sean Thomas Fox *Finance*

Eric Alan Fultz *Finance; Business Analytics*

Wayne David Funk *Finance; Business Analytics*

Amyn Gillani *General Business*

Randoll Eric Gilpin *General Business*

Ebonee Sha’Ron Gocha’ <i>Strategy & Entrepreneurship</i>	Aaron Robert Mooi <i>Strategy & Entrepreneurship</i>
Bhaskara Rao Gorantla <i>General Business</i>	Patrick Thomas Mowles <i>Finance</i>
Lee Norris Grover II <i>General Business</i>	Gilberto Rene Múzquiz <i>General Business</i>
Ankit Gupta <i>Information and Operations; Business Analytics</i>	Pablo T. Nava <i>Management; Strategy & Entrepreneurship</i>
Martha Geneva Haddock <i>General Business</i>	Chinyere Marjorie Ogbonna <i>Management; Strategy & Entrepreneurship</i>
Ryan Michael Haggerty <i>Finance</i>	Brian Keith Oney <i>General Business; Finance</i>
Nadim Ghassan Hamed <i>Finance</i>	Parind Surendra Poi <i>Finance</i>
Edward James Henry <i>Strategy & Entrepreneurship</i>	Eric Kenneth Pregler <i>Finance</i>
Molly Mann Hughes <i>Finance</i>	Goffrey Scott Price <i>Finance</i>
David Todd Inmon <i>Finance</i>	Joseph J. Ravitsky <i>Finance</i>
Shraddha Rama Jaiswal <i>Marketing; Strategy & Entrepreneurship</i>	Kadambari Prabhakara Reddy <i>Finance</i>
Chinmay Prakashbhai Jayaswal <i>Finance; Strategy & Entrepreneurship</i>	Kell James Aroney Rozman <i>Business Analytics</i>
Jorge A. Jimenez <i>Business Analytics</i>	Juan Alfredo Saenz, Jr. <i>Finance</i>
Mark Christopher Kisting <i>Finance</i>	Brian Christopher Skarbek <i>Business Analytics; Finance</i>
Michael Shane Labunski <i>General Business</i>	John Thomas Somerville, Jr. <i>Finance</i>
Jessica Joan Langford <i>Strategy & Entrepreneurship</i>	Gregory Clayton Stamson <i>Management; Strategy & Entrepreneurship</i>
Tara Marie Ledbetter <i>Management</i>	Dalles Michael Stiles <i>Finance</i>
Tarra Lea Loera <i>Finance</i>	Song Sun <i>Finance</i>
Jeffrey Adam Madsen <i>Finance</i>	Marlo Antoinette Sutton <i>Management</i>
Richard Bryce Marti <i>Management</i>	Natalie Trevino <i>General Business</i>
Ashley Marie Martin <i>Information and Operations; Strategy & Entrepreneurship</i>	Sandeep Wagle <i>Finance</i>
Shannon Elizabeth Miller <i>Finance</i>	Erich Gene Weller <i>Strategy & Entrepreneurship</i>
Laura Elizabeth Mills <i>Strategy & Entrepreneurship</i>	Robert James Wellman <i>Marketing</i>
	John Braxton Wright <i>Strategy & Entrepreneurship</i>
	Rachel Beth Zimmerman <i>Management; Strategy & Entrepreneurship</i>

DEGREE OF MASTER OF SCIENCE IN ACCOUNTING

George Anthony Cvitanovic	Stephanie Elizabeth Renzi
Glen James Ellis III	Lisa Ann Spadaccini
Joseph Anthony Matschulat	Yi Yang Yu
Christine Ann Murphy	

DEGREE OF MASTER OF SCIENCE IN ENTREPRENEURSHIP

Umair Ansari	Leslie Michie Kagami
Lydia Nadine Babbitt	Martin Kagwa Ndeda
David Martin Chandler	Jacob Randal Steiner
Benjamin Price Coffee	Ravi Verma

DEGREE OF MASTER OF SCIENCE IN MANAGEMENT

George Harlan Billingsley	Richa Derashri
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IN BOBBY B. LYLE SCHOOL OF ENGINEERING

DEGREE OF MASTER OF ARTS

Rachel King Baumann *Sustainability and Development*
Kevin L. Dilliard *Sustainability and Development*
Norma Jane Rosowski *Sustainability and Development*
Rita Kathleen Ware *Sustainability and Development*

DEGREE OF MASTER OF SCIENCE

Edward Korankyi Adjei *Software Engineering*
Ibraheem Abdullah Aktar *Security Engineering*
Adel Radhi S. Alharbi *Security Engineering*
Ahmed Abdualkarim Alhussen
Telecommunications
Abdullah Mohammad Alnujaidi *Systems Engineering*
Sumaiyah M. Alomair *Computer Science*
Ebtsam Fayeze Alshehri *Operations Research*
Hatim Ibrahim Alsuweilem *Systems Engineering*
Abdulaziz Saud Altowijri *Systems Engineering*
Salem Abdulaziz S. Alturky *Telecommunications*
Sanjay Dashrathsinh Brahmbhatt
Telecommunications
Terrence Brehm *Systems Engineering*
Marcus Anthony Devante Bryant
Telecommunications
Shawna L. Burns *Software Engineering*
Timothy D. Burroughs *Telecommunications*
Carlos V. Caceres *Operations Research*
Alexandra Caitlyn Carr *Operations Research*
Bing Chen *Systems Engineering*
Magen June Ellis *Systems Engineering*
Jeffrey Endres *Systems Engineering*
Seth Rylan Gainey *Systems Engineering*
Sreejith Gopinadhan *Telecommunications*
Gregory Scott Guyotte *Software Engineering*
Brody Kyle Hanson *Systems Engineering*
James Harbor *Software Engineering*
Kaniz Fatema Hira *Telecommunications*
Sajid Aamir Islam *Operations Research*
Shanmukhasrinivas Kandala
Telecommunications
Janmejai Sachindra Kaushik
Telecommunications
Safdar Ali Saeed Khan *Telecommunications*
Spencer William Kilpatrick *Operations Research*
James Mitchell Laury *Systems Engineering*
Jeronimo López Terrazas *Operations Research*
Rebecca Gale Loureiro *Systems Engineering*
Casey Joe Mattingly *Manufacturing Systems Management*
Steven McCullough *Systems Engineering*
Alton Leland Moore *Manufacturing Systems Management*
Jerome Moore *Systems Engineering*
Matthew D. Neumann *Security Engineering*
Kevin Manh-Hung Nguyen *Software Engineering*
Foram Dhruven Panchal *Software Engineering*
Emad Kifayat Parkar *Telecommunications*
Talha Anverhussein Patel *Telecommunications*
Robert L. Perkins *Telecommunications*
Aziz Mahmoud Qari *Systems Engineering*
David Edward Randall *Software Engineering*
Armando Roberto Rodriguez *Systems Engineering*
Tarun Sadhnani *Telecommunications*
Koussay Shaar *Manufacturing Systems Management*
Veena Yadav Shantha Kumar
Telecommunications
John Robert Sharp *Software Engineering*
James Matthew Sikes *Packaging Electronic and Optical Devices*
Woonyoung Sung *Telecommunications*
Pundalik Janardan Sutar *Telecommunications*
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Sushil Vijay Tejwani *Telecommunications*
Duc Tran *Software Engineering*
Quynh-Nhu Michelle Tran *Systems Engineering*
Jee Uhl *Security Engineering*
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DEGREE OF MASTER OF SCIENCE IN ELECTRICAL ENGINEERING

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DEGREE OF MASTER OF SCIENCE IN MECHANICAL ENGINEERING

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Thesis: "Size and Mixture Ratio Effect on the Electric Field Sensitivity of PDMS Microspheres"

IN ANNETTE CALDWELL SIMMONS SCHOOL OF EDUCATION & HUMAN DEVELOPMENT

DEGREE OF MASTER OF ARTS IN DISPUTE RESOLUTION

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Jamie Lynn Hilliard
Barry Mikel Kleckner
Elizabeth Ann McElhaney

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Karen Beth Goad
Hannah Ruth Guajardo
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Sarah Felicia Martinez
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Francis Thomas Smith III
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Vanessa Maria Teixeira
Caroline Susan Thompson
Sarah Kathryn Turpin
Flavia Vlasa-Flores
Melinda Anne Wilkinson
Jefferson Charles Wiseman
Tara Michelle Worthen
Sara Nicole Wrenn

DEGREE OF MASTER OF LIBERAL STUDIES

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Abraham Ehimen Elimimian
Yvonne Lena Francoise Glass *Human Rights and Social Justice*
Philip Ross Haigh *Human Rights and Social Justice; Global Studies*
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Ronald B. Jenkins *Environmental Sustainability*
Michael Theodore Jenks
La' Cori Cordell Johnson
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Frederick Randy McKinnon

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Blanche Elizabeth Overton
Mihaela Elizabeth Plesa *Global Studies*
Kimberly Vacilyn Prince Scott
Tricia Marie Skinner *Creative Writing*
Randall Eric Trevino *American Studies*
Claire C. Van Den Berg
Lila L. Velasquez *Communication, Media, and Technology*

DEGREE OF MASTER OF SCIENCE IN COUNSELING

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IN THE GUILDHALL AT SMU, LINDA AND MITCH HART eCENTER

CERTIFICATE IN DIGITAL GAME DEVELOPMENT

Stephen Chin *Specialization in Level Design*
Drew M. Danielson *Specialization in Level Design*
Matthew Duncan *Specialization in Level Design*
Ryan Ellis *Specialization in Software Development*
John Goyette *Specialization in Level Design*
Ruoyao Ma *Specialization in Software Development*
Craig Daniel Prince, Jr. *Specialization in Art Creation*
Andrew Simms *Specialization in Level Design*

MASTER OF INTERACTIVE TECHNOLOGY

Luke C. Bagwell *Digital Game Development - Software Development*
Thesis: "Procedural Generation of Interactive Buildings"

Jeffrey Alan Bickel *Digital Game Development - Level Design*
Thesis: "Increasing Level Quality With Informed Procedural Generation"

John Daniel Brady *Digital Game Development - Level Design*
Thesis: "Architecture and Level Design: The Constraints and Affordances of Building a Single Player Level Based on Historic Reference"

Joy Brownmiller *Digital Game Development - Level Design*
Thesis: "In-Game Lighting and Its Effect on Player Behavior and Decision-Making"

Timothy F. Burch *Digital Game Development - Art Creation*
Thesis: "Environmental Art Assets as Visual Narrative Devices for Environmental Storytelling"

Adriana Leigh Clonts *Digital Game Development - Production*
Thesis: "Motivating Game Developers Based on Their MBTI Personality Types"

Stephan Delmer *Digital Game Development - Software Development*
Thesis: "Behavior Trees for Hierarchical RTS AI"

Clay Boott Duveneck *Digital Game Development - Art Creation*
Thesis: "Impact of Player Gender on Preferred Body Proportions of Male Avatars"

Jordan C. Ewing *Digital Game Development - Art Creation*
Thesis: "How Differing Texture Treatments Coupled With Color Theory Can Evoke Emotional Response From the Viewer/Player"

Charlene Freda *Digital Game Development - Art Creation*

Thesis: "Interpretation of Character Traits Using Silhouette and Anatomy"

Joe Allen Freeland *Digital Game Development - Level Design*

Thesis: "The Effects of Open Versus Linear Worlds on the Players Ability to Complete Objectives"

Aaron Michael Heysse *Digital Game Development - Software Development*

Thesis: "A Survey of Modern Rendering Techniques"

Loren D. Hoffman *Digital Game Development - Software Development*

Thesis: "Developing an Object Reflection System in C++"

Thomas Barret Hudson *Digital Game Development - Level Design*

Thesis: "The Effects of Varied Levels of Objective Direction on Player Immersion"

Joshua Kasten *Digital Game Development - Level Design*

Thesis: "Affecting Player Psychology Through Avatar Death"

Zachary Seth Garnet Lubell *Digital Game Development - Art Creation*

Thesis: "To Determine Whether Realistic Destructible Assets Are an Effective Tool in the Process of Designing for Player Immersion"

Ryan Allen McCord *Digital Game Development - Software Development*

Thesis: "Techniques and Aesthetics of Human Inverse Kinematics for Fighting Simulations"

Jacob Bradley Miller *Digital Game Development - Level Design*

Thesis: "Creating New Levels Based on Existing Material in Film: An Investigation Into Best Practices"

Richard Adam Molinari *Digital Game Development - Level Design*

Thesis: "The Effectiveness of Sound as a Tool to Guide Player Wayfinding in a Videogame Environment"

Demitrius James Pennebaker *Digital Game Development - Level Design*

Thesis: "Pigeon Superstition: The Value of Operant Conditioning in Games"

David Christopher Savage *Digital Game Development - Level Design*

Thesis: "Not As They Seem: Using Dissonance in Horror Games"

Gideon N. Shbeeb *Digital Game Development - Level Design*

Thesis: "Best Practices For Facilitating Player Navigation in Third Person Action Games Through Level Design"

Devon V. Singh *Digital Game Development - Level Design*

Thesis: "Player Enjoyment of Combat Aggression in Allied NPCs"

Benjamin David Skaggs *Digital Game Development - Level Design*

Thesis: "Finding a Balance Between Hardcore and Casual Gamers in Competitive Games"

Jonathan Sova *Digital Game Development - Level Design*

Thesis: "Adapting Console Mechanics for Mobile Audiences: Timed Action Sequences on Touch Screen Devices"

Gary Dallas Stowasser *Digital Game Development - Software Development*

Thesis: "Ray Tracing in Realtime"

Jose Jorge Talbott *Digital Game Development - Art Creation*

Thesis: "Resonate in the Mobile Space - A Study of User Interface Communication for Mobile Games"

Kaitlyn Van Dorn *Digital Game Development - Art Creation*

Thesis: "The Soundtrack: A Comparative Study on the Emotional Effects of a Musical Score"

IN DEDMAN COLLEGE OF HUMANITIES AND SCIENCES

DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF ARTS

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Christine Marie Cannon *International Studies*
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Elizabeth Da-In Chung *Biological Sciences; English*
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Haley Charlene Cooper *Economics*
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Victoria Lee Hunter *Psychology*
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Jacqueline Negrete *Foreign Languages: Spanish*
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Sciences
Vanessa Rae Stevens *Psychology*
Katherine O. Stillson *Anthropology*
Matthew Jordan Stokes *Political Science*
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Applications
Alhawra Abdullah Alshayeb *Economics with*
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Nolan Miles Harrell *Economics with Finance*
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 Ashkhen Danikovna Martirosyan *Biological Sciences*
 Jessica Rosa Maxey *Mathematics*
 Jonathan Edward Donald Miller *Economics with Finance Applications*
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 Benjamin Stuart Niere *Mathematics*
 Keara Elizabeth O'Brien *Mathematics*
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 Sahar Xochitl Pezeshki *Economics with Finance Applications*
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 Braden Wesley Reiner *Mathematics*
 Matthew Nicola Rispoli *Mathematics; Physics*
 Benjamin Romo *Mathematics*
 Cristina Louise Sanders *Biochemistry*
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 Caroline Kathryn Siple *Mathematics*
 Michael Wayne Smith *Mathematics*
 Gregory Robert Toth *Economics with Finance Applications*
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 Bernardo Zambrano Lobeira *Economics with Finance Applications*
 Pablo Patricio Zapata Aramburuzabala *Economics with Finance Applications*

DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF SOCIAL SCIENCES

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IN MEADOWS SCHOOL OF THE ARTS

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 Natalie Diana Coca *Corporate Communications & Public Affairs*
 Irene Maria Coto Osorio *Advertising*
 Katherine Elizabeth Cox *Advertising*
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 Scott Forster Daulton *Advertising*
 Shannon Katlin Delatorre *Art History*
 Brittany Nicole Dickey *Communication Studies*
 Alissa Kathleen Fitzpatrick *Journalism*
 Andy T. Garcia *Journalism*
 Kate Marie Gardner *Journalism*

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 Alaina Paige McLemore *Communication Studies*
 Elizabeth Schofield McLemore *Advertising*
 Laura Catherine Murphy *Journalism*
 Christine Leigh Parrott *Advertising*

Kelsie Maran Pedone *Advertising*
Sergio Miguel Pérez *Communication Studies*
Victoria Nicole Petersen *Advertising*
Remington Alexander Reece *Advertising*
Devin Colleen Regan *Communication Studies*
Raven Alexandra Sanders *Interdisciplinary
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Ian William Stageman *Advertising*
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Tierney Gayle Thomas *Art History*
Andrew Riley Wagnitz *Film and Media Arts*
Lauren Alexandra Werner *Corporate
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Albert Levi Drake III *Dance Performance*
Janielle Nicole Kastner *Theatre*

Kaitlyn Helene McDermitt *Dance Performance*
Richard Charlton Roberts IV *Theatre*
Calvin André Rollins II *Dance Performance*

DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF MUSIC

Bryan Russell Callison *Guitar Performance*
Uram Park *Voice Performance*
Alethea Joy Pettinger *Music Therapy*

Alyson Cornwell Ryall *Music Therapy*
Marielle Joy Sheppel *Music Therapy*

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Danny Roberto Blackburn *Real Estate Finance*
Dallas Ward Blagg *Finance*
Kirsten Brittany Bogert *Finance*
Jordan Pollard Bowles *Accounting*
Alexa Nicole Brennan *Accounting*
Clayton Allen Brown *Finance*
Anthony Robert Cangelosi *Real Estate Finance*
Zhongyuan Chen *Finance*
Misti Lynn Compton *Management*
Minya Dai *Accounting*
Qui Phu Dao *Finance*
Hannah Marie Elsaadi *Management*
William Harrison Floyd *Marketing*
Ryan Patrick Friedkin *Marketing*
Jing Gao *Accounting*
Ran Gao *Accounting*
Catalina Garza Segovia *Finance*
Ayla Irene Gill *Accounting*
Krystal Brook Hallums *Accounting*
Allison Sterling Hardy *Marketing*
Caroline Hayman *Accounting*
Ryan Joseph Higgins *Finance*
Ethan Lyn Hirschy *Finance*

Jessica Rose Hite *Marketing*
Maxwell Gerard Imber *Marketing*
Hussainali R. Jamal *Finance*
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Ziaur Rahman Omar *Accounting*
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Patrick Sherrill *Finance*
Kimberly Dawn Smith *Finance*
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Kelci Elizabeth Thomasco *Finance*
Yu Wang *Accounting*
Jake Ryan Welker *Accounting*
Joanne Kavanaugh Werthwein *Accounting*
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DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF SCIENCE

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Chance Anthony Dyson *Computer Science*

Juan Jaime Garza San Miguel *Management Science*

Alexander Taylor Halldin *Computer Science*

John Paul Herold *Computer Science*

Sergio Enrique Hueck Callejas *Management Science*

Harrison Bradley Jackson *Computer Science*

Levi Matthew Mellen *Management Science*

Broderick Canaan Mitchell *Management Science*

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Jeremias J. Tays *Computer Science*

Colin Saunders Waugh *Computer Science*

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**IN ANNETTE CALDWELL SIMMONS SCHOOL OF EDUCATION &
HUMAN DEVELOPMENT**

DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF SCIENCE

Katherine Elizabeth Cox *Applied Physiology and Sport Management*

Clifford Colby Israel *Applied Physiology and Sport Management*

Tory Allan Johnson *Applied Physiology and Sport Management*

Zachary James Line *Applied Physiology and Sport Management*

Heather Maree Steinbauer *Applied Physiology and Sport Management*

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CANDIDATES PARTICIPATING

**IN ANNETTE CALDWELL SIMMONS SCHOOL OF EDUCATION &
HUMAN DEVELOPMENT**

MASTER OF SCIENCE IN COUNSELING

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Alexandra Frascino
Amy Ghormley
Andrea Elizabeth Heston
Courtney Elise Johnson
Sara Jane Kenyon
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Kelly Ann Martin
Liesl English Mayerson

Alexandra Joana Podowski
Kali Elizabeth Rogers
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Jessica Lynn Simmons
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Karen Marie Stark
Caitlin Clare Sullivan
Connie Elizabeth Tyler
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IN DEDMAN COLLEGE OF HUMANITIES AND SCIENCES

Purity W. Ateku *Sociology*

IN MEADOWS SCHOOL OF THE ARTS

Jennifer Lauren Buntz *Communication Studies*

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AUGUST 2012

RECIPIENTS OF DEGREES

IN DEDMAN COLLEGE OF HUMANITIES AND SCIENCES

DEGREE OF DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY

Prabhu Seshaiyer Bhagavatheeswaran *Statistical Science*

MS Texas A&M University

BS University of Kerala, India

Dissertation: "Method of Moments Estimators for Hierarchical Logistic Regression Models"

Adviser: Ian R. Harris

Renat Ishmukhametov *Physics*

BS, MS Odessa State I.I. Mecnikov National University

Dissertation: "Measurement of Prompt Photon Cross-Section With the Atlas Detector"

Adviser: Ryszard Stroynowski

Wenting Li *Economics*

BA Zhejiang University, China

MA Southern Methodist University

Dissertation: "Health Investment and Consumer Choice: An Alternative Approach in a Neo-Classical Economics Framework"

Adviser: Rajat Deb

Long Luo *Statistical Science*

BS, MS Nankai University, China

Dissertation: "Using Hierarchical Rater Model to Adjust Effect Size"

Adviser: Lynne Stokes

Kacy Lynn Mullen *Psychology*

BA Valparaiso University

Dissertation: "A Weekly Diary Study of Arguments and Intimate Partner Violence Among Couples Coping with Bipolar Disorder"

Adviser: Lorelei Simpson Rowe

Susan Pandey Joshi *Molecular and Cell Biology*

Dissertation: "The Subunit b-Dimer of the F1-ATPASE Influences Conformational Transition During Catalysis"

Adviser: Pia D. Vogel

Urmi Savla *Molecular and Cell Biology*

BS, MS University of Mumbai

Dissertation: "Characterizing the Role of Polycomblike in Polycomb Mediated Silencing"

Adviser: Richard S. Jones

Candyce Dene Luerssen Tart *Psychology*

BSNSG University of South Carolina - Columbia

Dissertation: "Evaluation of the Effects of Post-Session Administration of D-Cycloserine on Exposure Therapy Outcomes"

Adviser: Jasper AJ Smits

IN BOBBY B. LYLE SCHOOL OF ENGINEERING

DEGREE OF DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY

Zheng Gao *Electrical Engineering*

B.Engr. Dalian University

MS, University of Florida

Dissertation: “Design and Implementation of High-Voltage High Slew-Rate Linear Power Amplifiers for Medical Ultrasonic Transmitters”

Adviser: Ping Gui

Anand Lakshmanan *Electrical Engineering*

BSEE Pondicherry University, India

MSEE University of Wisconsin-Madison

Dissertation: “Design and Modeling of Standing-Wave Microstrip Array Antennas”

Adviser: Choon S. Lee

Mustafa Nail Musta *Mechanical Engineering*

BS, MS Middle East Technical University, Turkey

Dissertation: “Interaction of Steady Jets and Vortex Rings with an Array of Permeable Screens”

Adviser: Paul Krueger

DEGREE OF DOCTOR OF ENGINEERING

John T. Carson *Engineering Management*

BS, MSME Brigham Young University

Dissertation: “Operations Planning and Execution for Dynamic, Cyber-Physical Networks”

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IN PERKINS SCHOOL OF THEOLOGY

DEGREE OF MASTER OF DIVINITY

Ellen P. Dittman

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Summa Cum Laude

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DEGREE OF MASTER OF THEOLOGICAL STUDIES

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Staci Lorraine Stewart-Brian

IN DEDMAN SCHOOL OF LAW

DEGREE OF MASTER OF LAWS

COMPARATIVE & INTERNATIONAL LAW

Abdulmajeed Abdullah Albati

Mohammed I. Aldowish

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Waleed Saleh Alkhaldi

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DEGREE OF JURIS DOCTOR

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Dustin Lee Williams
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Ahmad Yousef Al Zaid *Economics*
Abdulwahab Ibrahim Alabatain *Applied Economics*
Shraman Banerjee *Economics*
Luis Alberto Garcia Garcia *History*
Nestor Jose Jimenez *Applied Economics*
Julie Marie Sarpy *Medieval Studies*
Thesis: "1346-1381: How the Black Death Caused England to Lose the Hundred Years War"
Lu Zuo *Applied Economics*

DEGREE OF MASTER OF SCIENCE

Changxing Chen *Statistical Science*
Marissa Jeanette Tyro *Chemistry*
Thesis: "Conformational Analysis of Cycloalkanes, Deoxyribonucleosides, and DNA: Puckering, Deformation, and Pseudorotation"
Huijuan Zhu *Statistical Science*
Xiujun Zhu *Statistical Science*

CERTIFICATE IN APPLIED ECONOMICS

Carlos Armando Ayala

IN MEADOWS SCHOOL OF THE ARTS

DEGREE OF MASTER OF ARTS

Valeria Alejandra Espitia Ducoing *Art History*
Kirsty Hutchins Harper *Art History*
JoAnna Reyes Walton *Art History*

DEGREE OF MASTER OF MUSIC

Benjamin Elliott Budish *Music History & Literature*
Nadejda Svetlomirova Getzova *Music Composition*
Emily Denise May *Music Education*

IN EDWIN L. COX SCHOOL OF BUSINESS

DEGREE OF MASTER OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

Farhad Abrishamkar <i>Strategy & Entrepreneurship</i>	John Richard Gonzalez <i>Finance</i>
Christopher Allen Alt <i>Finance</i>	Luke Poeschel Hamm <i>Finance</i>
Rivka Esther Altman <i>Real Estate</i>	Ryan Michael Hughes <i>Strategy & Entrepreneurship</i>
Lauren Lowell Anthony <i>Marketing</i>	Benton James Hyatt <i>Strategy & Entrepreneurship</i>
Raul Enrique Barreto <i>Information and Operations; Strategy & Entrepreneurship</i>	Jacob Carl Jackson <i>Management; Strategy & Entrepreneurship</i>
Gautam Harshawardhan Barve <i>Marketing; Strategy & Entrepreneurship</i>	Andrew Marshall Kaufman <i>Accounting</i>
John Michael Brazil <i>Finance</i>	Matthew Warren Kellogg <i>Marketing</i>
Brian Ashley Breithaupt <i>Finance; Strategy & Entrepreneurship</i>	Thomas Dean Lee <i>Management; Strategy & Entrepreneurship</i>
Christopher Allen Brown <i>Finance; Strategy & Entrepreneurship</i>	Michael Sean Leen <i>Marketing</i>
Christopher John Campolo <i>Strategy & Entrepreneurship</i>	Jonas David Levy <i>Finance</i>
James Cort Clark <i>Strategy & Entrepreneurship</i>	Barrett Niles Linburg <i>Finance; Real Estate</i>
Jonathan David Cochran <i>Finance</i>	Steven Michael Joseph Lobo <i>Business Analytics; Strategy & Entrepreneurship</i>
Anoshe Commissariat <i>General Business; Marketing</i>	Jill Annette Loudon <i>Management; Marketing</i>
Cosmin Cotet <i>Finance</i>	Wendell Eugene Love <i>Finance</i>
Sean Perri Crowley III <i>Strategy & Entrepreneurship</i>	Jordan Bryce Lugar <i>Finance; Real Estate</i>
Joshua Nathan Curlett <i>General Business</i>	Khalil Bin Malik <i>General Business</i>
Julio Dominguez <i>Finance</i>	Christopher Shawn Martin <i>Strategy & Entrepreneurship</i>
Alexander Charles Dougherty <i>Finance</i>	Patrick McLaren Mathews <i>Strategy & Entrepreneurship</i>
Bikash Dube <i>Finance; Financial Consulting</i>	Christopher John Mavros <i>Marketing; Strategy & Entrepreneurship</i>
Tug Allen Eiden <i>Finance</i>	Margaret Frances McDowell <i>General Business</i>
Justin Kyle Elliott <i>Finance; Real Estate</i>	Travis Edward McLeod <i>Marketing</i>
Michael Alan Feather <i>Marketing</i>	Sean Mackey Morgan <i>Finance; Real Estate</i>
Shauna Marie Ferguson <i>Management; Strategy & Entrepreneurship</i>	Stephen Alan Morris <i>General Business</i>
Christopher Kelly Fleming <i>Finance</i>	Richard Axel Nystrom <i>Finance</i>
James Henry Frazier IV <i>Finance</i>	Tiffany Ann Pang <i>Marketing</i>
Edward Christopher Galante <i>Finance</i>	Andrew Nolan Puryear <i>Finance</i>
David Alfredo Garza <i>Finance</i>	Sreekanth Ramayanam <i>Business Analytics; Finance</i>

Weston Ward Rice *Strategy & Entrepreneurship*
Bruce Wayne Rideaux *Finance; Strategy & Entrepreneurship*
Cody Alexander Riles *Real Estate*
Pamela Lee Roet *Finance*
Matthew Morgen Ross *Strategy & Entrepreneurship*
Terry Josiah Roueche *Business Analytics; Strategy & Entrepreneurship*
Daryl Wayne Rush, Jr. *Strategy & Entrepreneurship*
Christa Ferree Salgado *General Business*
Kyle William Schmidt *Business Analytics; Finance*
Joy Pamela Schwartz *Management*
Aaron Kirby Shiffler *Management; Marketing*
Matthew George Sidhom *Strategy & Entrepreneurship*
Randolph Corwin Snyder *Marketing*
Jimmy James Solis *Finance*
Tara Gayle Stevenson *General Business*
Jonathan Clark Storms *Finance*
Amberly Rose Stringer *Strategy & Entrepreneurship*

Jorge Manuel Suarez *Business Analytics; Strategy & Entrepreneurship*
Tyson Lynn Taylor *Management*
Marco Antonio Thornton *Finance; Information and Operations*
Theresa Lan-Chi Tran *Marketing*
Ashley Elizabeth Turner *Marketing*
Peter George van der Ziel *Management; Marketing*
Nicholas Scott Vander Linden *Marketing*
Jose Luis Velasquez *Information and Operations*
Penny M. Vo *Management; Strategy & Entrepreneurship*
Justin Matthew Webb *Finance*
Jeffrey Michael Wentz *Management; Information and Operations*
Bryan Patrick Whitworth *Finance; Real Estate*
Daphine Millette Wilson-Lane *General Business*
Christopher Scott Winn *Strategy & Entrepreneurship*
Richard Benjamin Yip *Finance*

DEGREE OF MASTER OF SCIENCE IN ACCOUNTING

Lauren Catherine Huffman
Billy Robert Machina

DEGREE OF MASTER OF SCIENCE IN ENTREPRENEURSHIP

Christian Armalavage

DEGREE OF MASTER OF SCIENCE IN MANAGEMENT

Francisco De Asis Valencia

IN BOBBY B. LYLE SCHOOL OF ENGINEERING

DEGREE OF MASTER OF ARTS

Michael Gene Paul *Sustainability and Development*

Joyce Forbes Stubblefield *Sustainability and Development*

DEGREE OF MASTER OF SCIENCE

Cody Brannon Bushnell *Systems Engineering*

Ryan Michael Denton *Systems Engineering*

Bhuvana Lakshmi Dharani *Telecommunications*

Zahra Gharibi *Operations Research*

Bryan Lynn Graham *Systems Engineering*

Derek Grimm *Systems Engineering*

Allen Jaworski *Systems Engineering*

Christopher Allen Kalina *Systems Engineering*

Ansu Mariam Alex *Telecommunications*

Marlon Christopher Nelson *Systems Engineering*

Blake Andrew Olson *Systems Engineering*

Sunny B. Patel *Systems Engineering*

Aimee Nicole Raymond Schroedter *Systems Engineering*

Apuroop Rayanam Remella *Telecommunications*

Travis Sentrell Rose *Systems Engineering*

Kristina Liv Chislett Rourke *Systems Engineering*

Maulik Chetankumar Shah *Systems Engineering*

Niket Rajesh Shah *Telecommunications*

Jordan Roger Silk *Telecommunications*

Pavankumar Surabathula *Telecommunications*

Emily Ann Svrcek *Systems Engineering*

Juan M. Tezanos *Systems Engineering*

Andrew Toth *Systems Engineering*

John Anthony Widhalm *Security Engineering*

DEGREE OF MASTER OF SCIENCE IN COMPUTER ENGINEERING

Saurabh Durgaprasad Gupta

Thesis: "A Fixed-Point Digit Serial Squaring Algorithm Using an Arbitrary Radix Number System"

Justin Charles Wilson

DEGREE OF MASTER OF SCIENCE IN ELECTRICAL ENGINEERING

Lei Chen

Thesis: "A Radiation-Tolerant Ring Oscillator Phase-Locked Loop in 0.13 um CMOS"

Ninad Prakash Karyekar

Thesis: "A 12-Bit, 100-MS/s Digital to Analog Converter in 0.13 um CMOS"

Xu Wang

Thesis: "Efficient Computation of Positive Trigonometric Polynomials With Applications in Signal Processing"

DEGREE OF MASTER OF SCIENCE IN ENGINEERING MANAGEMENT

Yousef Sulaiman Albader
Victoria Lynn Birch
Esther Casas
Antonio L. Contreras
Mario Vincent Dimattia

Tarek M. Elgembri
Tehreem Khalid
Michael David Martin
Gregory Thomas Wurst

DEGREE OF MASTER OF SCIENCE IN ENVIRONMENTAL ENGINEERING

Whitney Leigh Boger

DEGREE OF MASTER OF SCIENCE IN INFORMATION ENGINEERING AND
MANAGEMENT

Shivani Sisodia
Randi Thomas
Robert Tung

DEGREE OF MASTER OF SCIENCE IN MECHANICAL ENGINEERING

Shanshan Su
Thesis: "Conducting Heterointerface of Polar-Nonpolar Band Gap Insulators"

**IN ANNETTE CALDWELL SIMMONS SCHOOL OF EDUCATION &
HUMAN DEVELOPMENT**

DEGREE OF MASTER OF ARTS IN DISPUTE RESOLUTION

Johnny Raymond Armijo II
Todd Alan Ayrea
Lindsay Michael Baker
Rachel Marie Bruce
Tyler Govier Brush
Patrick Deering Keller
Denise Michelle Martens

Ashlee Renee Medina
Ralf Ulrich Mueller
Ramel Eshoo Nasser
Rebecca Ann Reyes Payan
Dalia Angelica Perez
Elizabeth Margaret Poppell
Kathy A. Shackelford

DEGREE OF MASTER OF EDUCATION

Jennifer Leah Bates
Susan Shalloe Black
Blair Brazelton Boghetich
Alexandra Dee Brown
Lauren Kennedy Dake
Kelly Matula Dickerson
Emily Ellen Fehlbaum
Kelly Jane Froemming
Patricia Len Johnson
Nima Surajlal Kapadia
Kristi Wynn Kellum
Tryna H. Knox
Buddie Kylyne Mahone
Anne Dill Maitland
Stephanie Ann Munves
Sarah Jean Parker

Kristan Paige Perryman
Marcy Rose Potón
Rebecca Louise Reid
Carrie Lyn Roach
Leigh Margaret Roland
Ana Gabriela Rosas
Kathryn Cecelia Schoeberlein
Molly Elizabeth Small
Iris A. Tavarez
Amory Courtney Walker
Xiaoyan Wang
Whitney Lyn Wheeler
Anna Irene Wills
Tricia Anne Wong
Whitney Taylor Youpa
Robert William Yttredahl

DEGREE OF MASTER OF LIBERAL STUDIES

Brittani M. Arrington
Janet Pui-kwan Chan
Tracy Lee Cobb
Allison Taylor Dewan
Peter Joseph Fleps
Pedro J. Gonzalez
Human Rights and Social Justice
Winifred H. Hinson *Human Rights and
Social Justice*
Alexander David John Jenkins *American
Studies*

Robert K. Knickerbocker
Allison Day McBee
Iris Nereida Ramirez *American Studies*
Jose Rios-Cortes
Matthew Walker Self
Meron Elias Squires *Global Studies; Human
Rights and Social Justice*
Mara Lee Webster *American Studies; Human
Rights and Social Justice*

DEGREE OF MASTER OF SCIENCE IN COUNSELING

Lauren Lynn Dunlap
Stephanie F. McGary
Margaret Collison Shonsey

IN THE GUILDHALL AT SMU, LINDA AND MITCH HART eCENTER

CERTIFICATE IN DIGITAL GAME DEVELOPMENT

Timothy F. Burch *Specialization in Art Creation*

MASTER OF INTERACTIVE TECHNOLOGY

David Jason Driggers *Digital Game Development - Software Development*
Thesis: "Multi-Perspective Rendering Optimizations With DirectX 10"

IN DEDMAN COLLEGE OF HUMANITIES AND SCIENCES

DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF ARTS

Samira Imam Abderahman <i>International Studies</i>	Logan Thomas Hutton <i>Anthropology</i>
Oliver John Allnatt <i>History</i>	Josue R. Jimenez <i>Economics</i>
Gerardo Almazo <i>International Studies</i>	Ian Christopher Kalis <i>Sociology</i>
Audra Elizabeth Ames <i>Psychology</i> <i>Summa Cum Laude</i>	Whitney Joy Kinsey <i>Anthropology</i>
Charles Michael Averett II <i>Public Policy</i>	Quincy Anne Lacerte <i>Sociology</i>
Derrius D’Royal Bell <i>Sociology</i>	Christine A. Lizarraga <i>Sociology</i>
Laura Marina Benavides <i>Chemistry</i>	Samantha M. Mahnesmith <i>English</i>
Holly Bock <i>History</i>	Maroua Mathlouthi <i>French</i>
David Adams Bushing <i>Economics</i>	Thomas Eugene McConathy <i>Economics</i>
Bennett Edwards Byrd <i>Economics</i>	Paul Edwin Mendes <i>History</i>
Candace Paige Cabello <i>Psychology</i>	Charley Ann Morgan <i>Psychology</i>
Suzette Marie Collado <i>International Studies</i>	Rebecca Ann Musgrove <i>English</i>
Blake Goddard Corrigan <i>Psychology</i>	Brendan D. Nix <i>Biological Sciences</i>
Caitlin Mary Crowley <i>English with a Creative Writing Specialization</i>	Mallory Jordan Nutt <i>Political Science</i>
<i>Summa Cum Laude, Honors in Liberal Arts</i>	Jessica Alyse Oliver <i>Economics</i>
Giacoma Dana Cusimano <i>Mathematics; Spanish</i>	Esperanza Nayelly Ortiz <i>Spanish</i>
Andrea Lauren Hewitt Davies <i>Anthropology</i>	Jorge Alejandro Padilla <i>Markets and Culture</i>
Breanna Marie Diaz <i>Political Science</i>	David Paul Pruitt <i>History</i>
Brian J. Farkas <i>Economics</i>	Hamilton Bounds Reynolds <i>Mathematics</i>
Barbara Ashley Fowlkes <i>English</i>	Keith W. Robinson, Jr. <i>Economics</i>
Erin Elizabeth France <i>Biological Sciences</i>	Rafee Ahmed Sadeque <i>History; Political Science</i>
Katrina Lyn Gamber <i>Psychology</i>	Jasmine Annette Smith <i>Psychology</i>
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Joseph Irving Gilbert <i>Philosophy</i>	Komal Kaur Suri <i>Biological Sciences</i>
Megan Michelle Goldschmidt <i>Anthropology; History</i>	Bryce E. Tennison <i>Markets and Culture; Psychology</i>
Ellen Christine Green <i>Psychology; Sociology</i>	Justin Jordan Thigpen <i>Psychology</i>
Richard Calvin Green III <i>History</i>	Ana Margarita Tricio Sesma <i>Psychology</i>
Jessica Nicole Hadfield <i>Psychology</i>	Megan Charlton Turney <i>Anthropology; Psychology</i>
Stephen Miles Hayden <i>Anthropology</i>	Zachary Clay Watson <i>Philosophy</i>
Maria Jose Hernandez Hernandez <i>Markets and Culture</i>	Michael Robert Whitacre <i>Economics</i>
	Terrance Jerome Wilkerson II <i>Sociology</i>

DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF SCIENCE

Fahad Faisal Alfi <i>Economics with Finance Applications</i>	Alejandro Colindres Kriete <i>Economics with Finance Applications</i>
Jenean Salameh Bahhur <i>Economics with Finance Applications</i>	Darby Sheehan Crowley <i>Economics with Finance Applications</i>
Jessica Ann Barner <i>Anthropology</i>	Andres de Villasante Garza <i>Economics with Finance Applications</i>

Jeffrey Allen Faulkner *Economics with Finance Applications*
Hilary Katherine Fort *Geology*
Belinda Grace Gopito *Environmental Sciences*
George Thomas Harwood *Economics with Finance Applications*
Aisha Javed *Economics with Finance Applications*
Jenny Ann Johnson *Geology*
Morgan Patrova Kennedy *Geophysics*
Rex Edmund Laird *Economics with Finance Applications*
Robert Timberlake Lambeth *Economics with Finance Applications*
Bridget Nicole Le *Biological Sciences*
Jonathon Scott Lee *Statistical Science*
Paulina Martínez Boehringer *Economics with Finance Applications*
George Frederick Mead Merck *Economics with Finance Applications*
Juan Pablo Muro *Economics with Finance Applications*
Katherine Elizabeth Olear *Mathematics*
Esperanza Nayelly Ortiz *Economics with Finance Applications*
James Anthony Rodriguez *Economics with Finance Applications*
Caroline Elizabeth Shaddock *Economics with Finance Applications*
Stephanie Jean Teague *Anthropology Summa Cum Laude*
Bryce Daniel Thaeler *Geology*
Karl August Thumm *Economics with Finance Applications*
Duyen Thai My Tran *Economics with Finance Applications*
Cindy Marie Trujillo *Biological Sciences*
Nathan O. Venz *Economics with Finance Applications*
John Newton Walker, Jr. *Economics with Finance Applications*
Ashley Brooke Wright *Chemistry Cum Laude*

DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF SOCIAL SCIENCES

Douglas Irl Graham

IN MEADOWS SCHOOL OF THE ARTS

DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF ARTS

Wendy Melissa Blackburn *Advertising*
Melissa Elizabeth Brown *Film and Media Arts*
Andrea Lauren Hewitt Davies *Art*
Isabella Cristina Fard *Art History*
Anna McKell Favrot *Advertising*
Lemuel Sean Frazier, Jr. *Advertising*
Crystal Dawn Glenn *Art History*
Michael Weston Henry *Film and Media Arts*
Lakeisha Renee James *Journalism*
Marguerite Cremin Kleinheinz *Art History*
Regina Lilian Lastra *Advertising*
Logan Jennifer May *Journalism*
Sara Malory Nimeh *Film and Media Arts*
Dana Marie Powell *Advertising Departmental Distinction: Advertising; Honors in Liberal Arts*
Chelsey Anne Rothe *Advertising*
Katlin Marie Smith *Journalism*
Jordan Robert Vinson Spencer *Advertising*
Caroline Erin Wells *Advertising*

DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF FINE ARTS

Wendy Melissa Blackburn *Theatre*

Kelly Marie Coppock *Art*

Isaac Andrew McGinley *Theatre*

DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF MUSIC

Cecilia Marina Daskas *Piano Performance*

IN EDWIN L. COX SCHOOL OF BUSINESS

DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

Mark Alec Agnew *Financial Consulting*

Sanjiv Singh Ahluwalia *Finance*

Magna Cum Laude, Honors in Business

Troy M. Alexander *Accounting*

Andrew Edward Berman *Finance*

Joshua Thomas Berman *Finance*

Phoebe Claire Berndt *Accounting*

Paul W B Boynton *Marketing*

Sarah Renea Bryan *Accounting*

Andres Jose Castella *Finance*

Christopher Michael Corbeille *Accounting*

James Alexander Cummins III *Real Estate*

Finance

Colin Thomas Duquette *Accounting*

Evan Jordan Frey *General Business*

Yangxi Fu *Accounting*

Charles Patrick Gallagher II *Finance*

Roberto Garcia *Accounting*

John Sanford Gates III *Finance*

Margery Elizabeth Harper *Accounting*

Jennifer Colleen Hudson *Accounting*

Anum A. Jangda *Accounting*

Andrew Winter Jopling *Accounting*

Ramon Eugene Kennelly *Accounting*

Ali M. Lakhani *Finance*

Michael J. Lutz *Finance*

Raquel R. Machado *Accounting*

Meagan Anne McCormack *Management*

Craig Jaron Menezes Sachdev *Marketing*

Kyungmin Moon *Marketing*

Tyler Robert Murray *Real Estate Finance*

Jacqueline Negrete *Risk Management and Insurance*

Sara Malory Nimeh *Accounting*

Andrew Elsworth Oesterling *Accounting*

Cum Laude

Narayan Bipin Patel *Finance*

Dana Marie Powell *Accounting*

Honors in Liberal Arts

Bailey Greyson Reed *Accounting*

Zia Zeldia Reeves *Finance*

Erica Elizabeth Rossi *Accounting*

Charles Victor Serafino II *Financial Consulting*

James Luton Shaub III *Financial Consulting*

Daniel Kanda Tshibamba *Accounting*

Jay Nathaniel Yoon *Finance*

IN BOBBY B. LYLE SCHOOL OF ENGINEERING

DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF SCIENCE

Major Michael Lewis *Management Science*
James Hayes McWilliams *Management Science*
Michael Harrison Moore *Management Science*
Hanh Hieu Nguyen *Management Science*

DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN MECHANICAL ENGINEERING

Andrés Ortiz **Theodor Charles Russell**

DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN ENVIRONMENTAL ENGINEERING

Nathan Edwards Daniel **Ashley Brooke Wright**
Cum Laude

IN ANNETTE CALDWELL SIMMONS SCHOOL OF EDUCATION & HUMAN DEVELOPMENT

DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF SCIENCE

Lee M. Butts III *Applied Physiology and Sport Management*
Kristine Eikrem Engeset *Applied Physiology and Sport Management*
Jordan T. Free *Applied Physiology and Sport Management*
Tiffany Jetai Hoffman *Applied Physiology and Sport Management*
Margus Hunt *Applied Physiology and Sport Management*
Lakeisha Renee James *Applied Physiology and Sport Management*
Monika Korra *Applied Physiology and Sport Management*
Blake Ericson McJunkin *Applied Physiology and Sport Management*
Cameron Charles Rogers *Applied Physiology and Sport Management*

SMU ENGAGED LEARNING

Student achievement through Engaged Learning, SMU's most prestigious undergraduate engagement program.

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Brittany Dickey, candidate for degree of Bachelor of Arts, Communication Studies

Student Engagement Project: *The Olympic Games for Justice and Peace*

Janielle Kastner, candidate for degree of Bachelor of Fine Arts, Theatre

Student Engagement Project: *Project Girl: The Performance*

Marissa Ocampo, candidate for degree of Bachelor of Arts, Anthropology and Foreign Languages:
French

Student Engagement Project: *La Isla Foundation: An Investigation of the Epidemic of
CKD Epidemic among Sugar Cane Workers in the La Isla and Candelaria Communities*



In 1911, a Methodist education commission made a commitment to establish a major Methodist university in Texas. More than 600 acres of open prairie and \$300,000 pledged by a group of Dallas citizens secured the university for Dallas, and it was chartered as Southern Methodist University. In appreciation of the city's support, the first building to be constructed on the campus was named Dallas Hall. It remains the centerpiece and symbol of SMU. When the University opened in 1915, it consisted of two buildings, 706 students, a 35-member faculty and total assets of \$636,540. The original schools of SMU were the College of Arts and Sciences, the School of Theology and the School of Music.

SMU is owned by the South Central Jurisdiction of the United Methodist Church. The first charge of its founders, however, was that it become a great university, not necessarily a great Methodist university. From its founding, SMU has been nonsectarian in its teaching and committed to the values of academic freedom and open inquiry.

Today SMU offers a comprehensive curriculum through Dedman College – the college of humanities and sciences – and six schools: Meadows School of the Arts, Edwin L. Cox School of Business, Bobby B. Lyle School of Engineering, Perkins School of Theology, Dedman School of

Law and Annette Caldwell Simmons School of Education and Human Development.

The University offers more than 100 undergraduate majors, master's degrees in more than 100 areas, professional degrees in two disciplines, Ph.D. degrees in 25 fields and 54 certificate programs. Enrollment for fall 2012 was 10,893, including 6,249 undergraduate students and 4,644 graduate and professional school students. SMU students come from all 50 states, the District of Columbia, Puerto Rico and 99 countries. About 74 percent of first-year students received some form of financial assistance for 2012-2013. About 37 percent of the student body are minorities; 76 percent of undergraduates and 50 percent of graduate students report religious affiliation; 17 percent are Roman Catholic, 11 percent are Methodist and 5 percent are Baptist. Also represented in the student body are other Protestant denominations and other religions, including Judaism, Buddhism, Islam and Sikhism.

In addition to preparing students for graduate and professional schools, or more directly for their life's work, the University strives to enhance their social, moral, intellectual and religious development so that they may lead worthy lives as individuals and citizens of the nation and of the world.

THE HISTORY OF ACADEMIC PROCESSION AND REGALIA

The academic procession and the regalia worn by the faculty and officers of the University symbolically represent the continuing link between the modern American university and the founding of the great medieval universities in Europe – chief among them Bologna, Paris and Oxford. As those institutions were derived from the Catholic Church, the universities adopted many of the ceremonial trappings of the church in their official public functions.

The mace of the University, a symbol of the authority vested in the president by the Board of Trustees and representing the covenant between the president and the faculty, is borne by the president of the Faculty Senate. Though the order of the procession varies from university to university, at SMU it proceeds from the chief marshal through the ranks of the faculty and the officers of the University to the president, who is preceded by the mace-bearer.

The caps and gowns worn in the procession also vary from place to place. There are variations in design to indicate the degrees held by the wearers, and many universities in America have introduced colorful gowns and other distinguishing details (in place of the customary clerical black from which all originated). The caps, too, vary according to the customs of the university from which the wearer received a degree. While most American universities adopted the “mortarboard” style of Oxford,

others have chosen styles based on other European institutions. The color of the tassel worn with the cap may be black for any degree, or the color may be that of the faculty of the major field of learning (e.g., Arts, Engineering, Law). Persons holding doctoral degrees and governing officials of institutions are entitled to wear tassels of gold metallic thread.

Within the great varieties of styles and colors in gowns and caps, there has been one universally accepted code for the hood worn trailing down the wearer’s back. Originally, it was like the hood on the habit worn by monks and very useful for protection against the weather and even for begging for alms. Nowadays, the hood through length and color shows the degree and the specialization of the wearer, and the university that granted the degree.

Through these colorful ceremonies, SMU symbolically displays the continuity of its educational purposes with the origins of organized learning in the Western world.

Thomas R. Arp
Associate Professor *Emeritus* of English

Lorn L. Howard (1917-2012)
Professor *Emeritus* of Electrical Engineering
Chief Marshal *Emeritus*

SOUTHERN METHODIST UNIVERSITY'S CUSTOM REGALIA

Candidates for degrees at SMU are robed in custom regalia, specially designed to incorporate SMU's colors and symbols.

The doctoral gown in dark blue includes velvet chevrons on each of the bell sleeves. The gown is marked by velvet panels down the front and around the neck. The front panels are embroidered in gold thread with the SMU seal, and gold braid outlines the chevrons and panels. It is cut much fuller than the other gowns and may be ornamented in color. Replacing the traditional mortarboard, an eight-sided, crimson red velvet tam with a gold silk tassel completes the regalia.

The master's gown, also in dark blue, has a front yolk outlined in red braid, and the SMU seal is embroidered in red on the left side. Like traditional master's robes, gowns are arranged so that the arm emerges from a long sleeve through a slit at the wrist. A mortarboard with a colored tassel representing the discipline in which the degree is earned also is worn.

Doctoral and master's candidates wear hoods that are 3½ feet long and 4 feet long, respectively. The velvet trimming, in the same order, is 3 inches wide and 5 inches wide. The color of the trim identifies the faculty. A partial list of faculty colors follows: Arts, Letters, Humanities – White; Music – Pink; Business – Drab; Philosophy – Dark Blue; Engineering – Orange; Science – Golden Yellow; Fine Arts – Brown; Theology – Scarlet; Law – Purple. The lining of the hood – that portion most visible from the rear – indicates the institution awarding the degree. SMU's hood lining is blue with red chevron.

The bachelor's gown in dark blue has the traditional characteristics of a bachelor's robe, including full front pleats and balanced fluting. Its distinguishing characteristics are the long pointed sleeves. A red silk stole embroidered in blue with the SMU seal is worn across the shoulders. Bachelor's gowns are worn with a tassel and mortarboard.

SMU's regalia visually honor the University's traditions and spirit, which we celebrate this morning.

PRESIDENTIAL COLLAR AND MEDALLION



Chains of office, also known as collars, were used as badges of office in the Middle Ages. Today they are custom-designed metal necklaces worn by the president during academic ceremonies as part of his or her regalia.

The chain of office designed for the 10th president of SMU, R. Gerald Turner, is made of bronze, a strong and durable metal. The medallion of the necklace is dominated by the University seal design, just as the seal is the centerpiece in the floor of the Rotunda in Dallas Hall, SMU's historic first building.

The seal is an appropriate choice for the design of the medallion because it represents the president's responsibility to the sound education of each and

every student at SMU. Each first-year and transfer student passes through Dallas Hall and views the University seal on his or her processional entry into the University at Opening Convocation. Upon graduation, students reverse the process during the Rotunda Recessional ceremony at the conclusion of the Baccalaureate Service during May Commencement weekend.

The bail, joining the medallion and the chain, represents the institution's bond between the faculty and the student body. Equally, the 32-inch chain, a work of art whose two ends are clasped together, represents the joining of the desire to teach and the eagerness to learn demonstrated by SMU's faculty and students.

THE OFFICIAL UNIVERSITY MACE

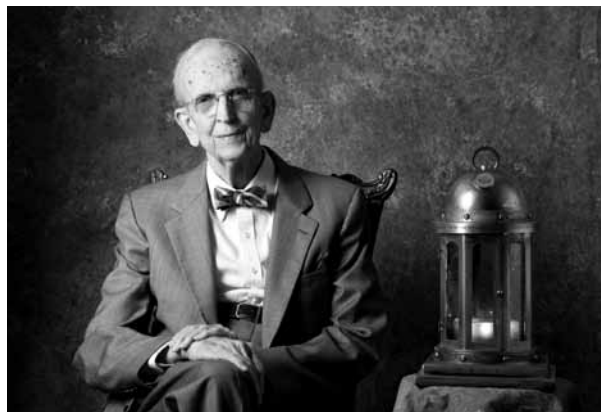


Staffs that call groups to order are as old as civilization itself. Today's ceremonial maces descend particularly from medieval armor-piercing clubs topped by bludgeoning balls. These fierce weapons swiftly acquired symbolic meaning. By the 14th century, a mace, carried at the front of formal processions, required bystanders to note the authority and integrity of the event. In the 16th century, this formidable weapon lost its battle utility but took a symbolic turn: the spiked head evolved into a decorative orb. The European tradition by which universities presented maces on solemn occasions to signify their independence and protective power was adopted by their successors worldwide. The mace-bearer, who is the president of the Faculty Senate, leads formal ceremonies carrying this visible reminder of the University's history and status.

The 22-pound mace currently in use at SMU is linked to the inauguration of President Willis M. Tate (1954-1972) and is known as the Tate Mace. The 57-inch staff is topped by a 10½-inch orb that represents not only the University's worldly authority but also echoes its distinctive neoclassical style. The orb is impressed with the seal of the University and is encircled with SMU's motto, *Veritas Liberabit Vos* ("The truth will make you free"). Surmounting the orb is a cross painted vividly in SMU red, a reminder of SMU's religious heritage.

The designer and manufacturer of the Tate Mace are unknown. The mace had become heavily worn from 50 years of use and handling, and in 2008 it was totally refurbished under the direction of Project Manager Fred Baner by SMU's Office of Planning, Design and Construction.

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The Howard Lantern is dedicated to Professor Lorn Lambier Howard, chief marshal *emeritus* of SMU from 1978-1987, in honor of his role in shaping the traditions and protocol of SMU's modern-day academic ceremonies. Designed in 2008 and crafted out of steel, aluminum and water glass, the lantern symbolizes the Rotunda of Dallas Hall, the University's oldest building and centerpiece of the campus. Engraved around the base is the University's motto, *Veritas Liberabit Vos*, which means "The truth will make you free."

Around the top band are the words to "Varsity," SMU's alma mater. Each year during the May Baccalaureate Service, this lantern is handed down by the senior class president to a representative of the junior class, a symbolic passing of the light that sustains our University. The Howard Lantern serves as a reminder of the important traditions that make up our corporate University life and the light of learning and intellectual curiosity that shines within the students, faculty and staff here at SMU.

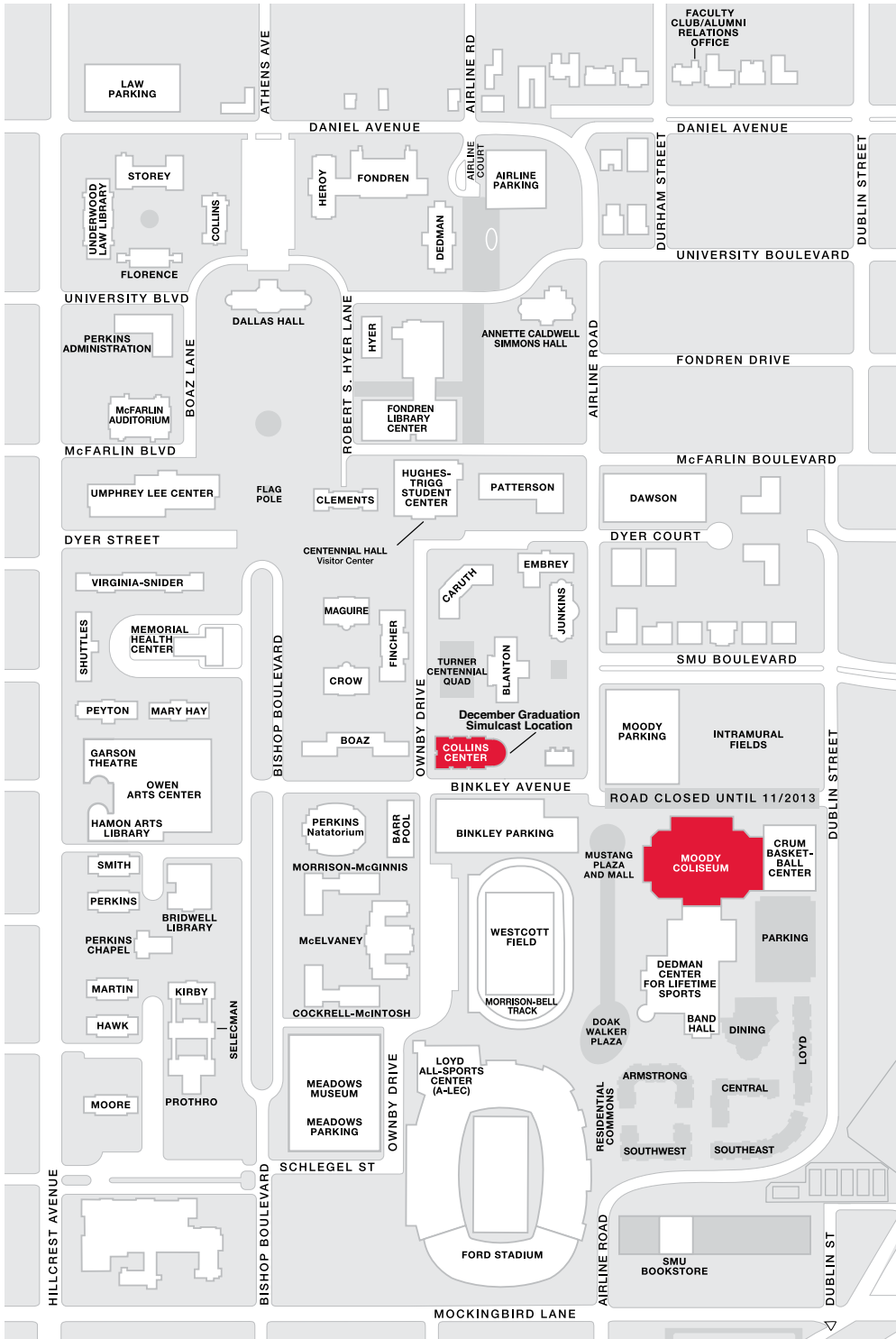
IN MEMORIAM LORN LAMBIER HOWARD NOVEMBER 28, 1917 – OCTOBER 8, 2012

Professor *emeritus* Lorn Lambier Howard joined SMU as professor of Electrical Engineering after receiving his doctorate from Michigan State University in 1959. Over the course of his 29 years of active tenure, he founded the Biomedical Engineering Program at SMU in cooperation with Southwestern Medical School and the University's first Electron Microscopy Laboratory and Thin Films Laboratory. He served as president of the SMU Faculty Senate, and during his 13-year term

as chief marshal to the University he commissioned a new University Seal and directed all SMU convocations and commencements.

Professor Howard also held the title of University Carillonneur from 1978-2012, playing the carillon housed in the Fondren Science building for each academic ceremony. He retired in 1988 as professor *emeritus* of Electrical Engineering.

SMU MAIN CAMPUS



THE STAR SPANGLED BANNER

*Oh, say can you see, by the dawn's early light,
What so proudly we bailed at the twilight's last gleaming?
Whose broad stripes and bright stars, through the perilous fight,
O'er the ramparts we watched, were so gallantly streaming?
And the rockets' red glare, the bombs bursting in air,
Gave proof through the night that our flag was still there.
Oh, say does that star-spangled banner yet wave
O'er the land of the free and the home of the brave?*

VARSITY

*Oh we see the Varsity,
Varsity, Varsity,
As she towers o'er the hill
Over there.
And our hearts are filled with joy,
SMU, SMU,
Alma Mater, we'll be true
Forever!*

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