



Commencement

SATURDAY, MAY 7

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EDINBORO
UNIVERSITY

GRADUATE STUDENT ADDRESS

By Matthew Bresnahan

Master of Arts, Communication Studies

Good Afternoon. Thank you to President Werner, Provost Hannan, distinguished Council of Trustees, faculty, family, friends and, of course, the class of 2016. The day has finally come upon us, the graduate commencement ceremony. Congratulations to the class of 2016. We did it!

I am beyond honored to be standing, well, sitting here before you as the representative for the class of 2016 in our penultimate moment. When I was chosen to be the speaker, I was humbled, honored and terrified all at the same time. Try as I might when I put pen to paper, I was frozen in fear. 'What if I'm not good enough? My speech has to be perfect for this special moment,' I thought.

Perfect or not, I want you to take away three things from this speech: Take a chance on yourself; failure and frustration are temporary mindsets, not crutches; and realize that it is not about you, it's about people.

First, take a chance on yourself. Though we passed through the rigors of higher education at least once with an undergraduate degree, graduate school has a way of making a person feel inadequate.

In graduate school, much as in life, everybody has challenges and struggles they must overcome if they want to succeed. Whether the challenge is self-doubt, being stuck in a library for hours on end to get that last paper written, or just dealing with difficult people and situations, it is tough, daunting, but not insurmountable. Take a chance on yourself.

Second, failure and frustration are temporary mindsets, not crutches. As we graduate from Edinboro University today, most of us have big plans in mind, but we may not know how to carry them out yet. The fear of not knowing what lies ahead is unsettling, but also exciting. Fear of failure freezes us in our tracks. However, we cannot let fear of the future be debilitating in the present.

We must use our failures as learning experiences. Failure and frustration might seem permanent in the moment, but they are fleeting. Every time we fall, we must get right back up and fight to the end. Know that you may fail and that you will be frustrated. Let the uneasiness and discomfort drive you to step outside your comfort zone. Never give up.

Third, it is not about you, it's about people. It is easy to become bogged down in what's going on in your life. It's easy to make yourself the center of a singular focus, but I learned a powerful lesson in life: It's about people, not me.

Challenges and hardships might linger, but a support system will help you weather the storm. I would not be here today if not for my support system, starting with my parents. They have nurtured and believed in me, even when I didn't believe in myself. We all appreciate the support of our family and friends who helped us along the way. I am also grateful to my campus media family. I am not alone, and neither are any members of the class of 2016.

At Edinboro, we are family. We push and encourage each other to keep improving and keep striving. As you leave here today, surround yourself with positive people. You might be surprised by the confidence they instill and what you can accomplish.

In the face of adversity, we are tested, but do not run from adversity. Chase it. Learn from it. Grow, adapt and keep striving to be better. Congratulations.

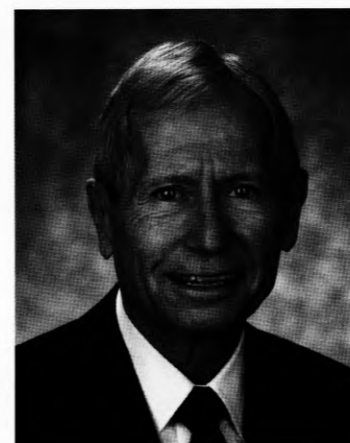


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EDINBORO UNIVERSITY PRESIDENT



Dr. David J. Werner

David J. Werner, Ph.D., became the interim president of Edinboro University in January 2016, bringing to the University decades of experience as a higher education administrator, educator and researcher.

Dr. Werner is chancellor emeritus of Southern Illinois University Edwardsville (SIUE). He comes to Edinboro most recently from Indiana University of Pennsylvania, where he served as the interim president from August 2010 to June 2012 and as provost during the spring semester of 2008. He also served as interim president of Mansfield University during the 2005-06 academic year.

He was chancellor of Southern Illinois University Edwardsville from 1997 to 2004 and began his professional career at the University as an assistant professor in 1968. Prior to his seven-year tenure as chancellor, he served as the institution's provost for a decade and dean of its School of Business for 12 years.

Dr. Werner also was a professor of management information systems and management in the School of Business at SIUE from 1974 to 2004. Following his retirement as chancellor, he spent a semester as a visiting researcher in human resources and public policy development at Ryukoku University in Kyoto, Japan.

Under his leadership, SIUE experienced significant enrollment growth. It also transitioned from a mostly commuter campus to include an increased mix of residential students living in on-campus apartments and residence halls.

Dr. Werner holds a Bachelor of Science in Industrial Engineering from St. Louis University, and both a Master of Science and Ph.D. in Industrial Engineering and Management Science from Northwestern University.

In 2015, he was awarded an honorary Doctorate of Humane Letters from SIUE.

Dr. Werner and his wife, Kay (Buxton) Werner, have been married for 44 years, and have three sons and three grandchildren.

UNDERGRADUATE COMMENCEMENT CEREMONY

McComb Fieldhouse, 10:00 a.m.

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| CONVOCATION | Michael J. Hannan, Ph.D. <i>Provost and Vice President for Academic Affairs</i> |
| ACADEMIC PROCESSIONAL | Edinboro University Pipes and Drums |
| STAR SPANGLED BANNER <i>Francis Scott Key</i> | Alexandra Workinger-Guy, soprano; Corrina Barnett, mezzo-soprano; Kenneth Vinston, tenor; Jacob Gibson, baritone; Jalen Reed, baritone <i>Music Students</i> |
| WELCOME | David J. Werner, Ph.D. <i>Interim President</i> |
| TRUSTEE GREETINGS | Daniel E. Higham <i>Secretary, Edinboro University Council of Trustees</i> |
| AWARDING OF HONORARY DOCTORATE <i>Daniel E. Meyer</i> | David J. Werner |
| MESSAGE TO THE GRADUATES | Daniel E. Meyer <i>Music Director, Erie Philharmonic Orchestra</i> |
| STUDENT ADDRESS | Daniel E. Catizone <i>Bachelor of Fine Arts, Fine Arts – Studio Arts</i> |
| PRESENTATION OF CANDIDATES | Michael J. Hannan Scott E. Miller, DBA <i>Dean, School of Business</i> Alan J. Biel, Ph.D. <i>Dean, School of Education</i> Scott E. Miller <i>Interim Dean, College of Arts, Humanities and Social Sciences</i> Nathan P. Ritchey, Ph.D. <i>Dean, College of Science and Health Professions and Vice President for Strategic Initiatives</i> |
| CONFERRING OF DEGREES | David J. Werner |
| ALUMNI GREETINGS | Scott Irlbacher <i>President, Alumni Association Board of Directors</i> |
| ALMA MATER | Alexandra Workinger-Guy, Corrina Barnett, Kenneth Vinston, Jacob Gibson and Jalen Reed |
| RECESSIONAL | Edinboro University Pipes and Drums |

*The audience is asked to stand during the Processional and Recessional
and to join in the singing of the National Anthem and the Alma Mater.*

MACE BEARER

Dr. David Hurd



Leading the academic procession and representing his faculty colleagues by carrying the Ceremonial Mace at today's Undergraduate Commencement is Dr. David Hurd of Edinboro University's Geosciences Department.

Dr. Hurd's distinction as Mace Bearer is symbolic of the central role that faculty play in the academic and personal development of Edinboro University students. The University recognized Dr. Hurd's impressive commitment to his students by naming him Faculty Member of the Year in 2016.

After earning a Bachelor of Science in Geology from Iowa State University in 1984, Professor Hurd continued his education with a Master of Science in Science Education from the University of Nebraska in 1991 and a Doctor of Philosophy in Education from Cleveland State University in 1997. Prior to coming to Edinboro University in 1992, he taught physical sciences at both the college and high school levels.

In addition to his invaluable contributions in the classroom, Dr. Hurd is director of the Edinboro University Planetarium. He is responsible for implementing programs in space science for K-12 and post-secondary students, and the general public. Every year, thousands visit the planetarium for educational programming.

Dr. Hurd is considered a pioneer in the field of producing and implementing tactile astronomy materials for the visually impaired, and has worked with NASA to bridge the divide between the research community and special needs students.

He famously partnered with John Matelock, formerly of EU's Office for Students with Disabilities, and Dr. Cass Runyon of the College of Charleston to author "A Tactile Guide to the Solar System" (2008). With support from NASA's Lunar Science Institute, Dr. Hurd wrote and directed the production of a primer on lunar cratering, titled "Getting a Feel for Lunar Craters" (2011). More recently, Hurd wrote and directed the production of a tactile book highlighting the Mars Science Laboratory and Curiosity Rover. Two further volumes, "Getting a Feel for Eclipses" and "Small Bodies, Ocean Worlds and the Lure of Our Solar System," are presently in production in association with NASA and will be released in 2016 and 2017, respectively.

Dr. Hurd shares a personal connection to those with disabilities, as two of his four sons have significant disabilities. His personal experiences, character and academic passion have shaped his desire to see expanded opportunities in learning about science.

Dr. Hurd's 24-year career as an educator, researcher and author has served his students, colleagues and the entire University community with distinction. He exemplifies the dedication and commitment of our faculty to educational excellence and to our students' success.

COMMENCEMENT ADDRESS



Daniel E. Meyer

Daniel E. Meyer is the music director of the Erie Philharmonic Orchestra and the Asheville Symphony Orchestra in Asheville, North Carolina. He has reinvigorated both orchestras with innovative programming and a dedication to create and sustain enthusiastic audiences for classical music.

He is the former resident conductor of the Pittsburgh Symphony Orchestra and was music director of the Pittsburgh Youth Symphony Orchestra (PYSO) from 2002 to 2009. During his tenure with the PYSO, Meyer led the orchestra on their first-ever tour to China and an international tour to Vienna, Prague, Leipzig and Budapest.

Meyer also has conducted the Cleveland Orchestra, Staatsoper Stuttgart Orchestra, Utah Symphony, Rochester Philharmonic Orchestra, Eugene Symphony, Fort Worth Symphony, San Antonio Symphony, Jacksonville Symphony, Fort Wayne Philharmonic, Richmond Symphony, Syracuse Symphony, Lexington Symphony, and numerous other orchestras throughout the United States. Summer festival appearances have included the Cleveland Orchestra at Blossom, the Aspen and Grand Teton Music Festivals, the Chautauqua Festival and the Brevard Music Center.

A passionate advocate for music education and community engagement, Meyer has developed a series of youth concerts based on popular children's books to promote music and literacy.

He has been awarded the Orchestral Conducting Honors Award from Boston University, the prestigious Conducting Prize from the Aspen Music Festival, and the Bank of America Award for Excellence in Orchestra Education for his groundbreaking work with the Pittsburgh Symphony Orchestra.

The Erie Philharmonic uses Edinboro University's Louis C. Cole Auditorium – Memorial Hall as its rehearsal space, and Meyer and his orchestra contribute significantly to cultural life in Edinboro by opening their rehearsals to the public. They have also presented a number of free concerts at EU in recent years, including the highly successful "Spielberg Scores" Pops concert that was one of the highlights of Homecoming 2015.

Edinboro University is indeed fortunate to count Daniel Meyer as a friend.

A native of Cleveland, Meyer studied conducting at the Hochschule für Musik in Vienna as a Rotary Ambassadorial Scholar, and is a graduate of Denison University, where he recently received the Distinguished Alumnus Citation, and the University of Cincinnati College-Conservatory of Music. He composed and conducted works for ensembles at both schools, including a Stabat Mater for soprano, chorus and orchestra.

Meyer is married to violist Mary Persin, and they have a son, Leo.

EDINBORO UNIVERSITY FACULTY MARSHALS

Dr. Heather-Lee Baron – *Middle and Secondary Education and Educational Leadership*

Ms. Shelle Barron – *Art*

Dr. John Cussen – *English and Philosophy*

Dr. Karen Eisenhart – *Geosciences*

Dr. Jean Faieta – *Counseling, School Psychology and Special Education*

Dr. Ken Felker – *Health and Physical Education*

Dr. Martin Fox – *Biology and Health Services*

Dr. Qun Gu – *Chemistry*

Dr. Karim Hossain – *Physics and Technology*

Dr. Kosin Isariyawongse – *Business and Economics*

Dr. Peter McLaughlin – *Psychology*

Dr. Mary Jo Melvin – *Early Childhood and Reading*

Ms. Audra Neumann – *Academic Support and Student Affairs*

Dr. Anne Quinn – *Mathematics and Computer Science*

Dr. Ronald Raymond – *Journalism and Public Relations*

Mr. Umeme Sababu – *History, Anthropology and World Languages*

Dr. Roy Shinn – *Speech, Language and Hearing*

Dr. Margaret Smith – *Social Work*

Mr. Shaun Taylor – *Music and Theatre*

Dr. Timothy Thompson – *Communication Studies*

Dr. Amy Weschler – *Nursing*

Mr. John Widner – *Baron-Forness Library*

Dr. Lee Williams – *Sociology*

Dr. Theodore Yeshion – *Political Science and Criminal Justice*

HONORARY DOCTORATE RECIPIENTS

Charles R. Webber, *May 1981*
 Louis J. Tullio, *May 1983*
 Milton Eisenhower, *May 1985*
 Dr. Gertrude Barber, *May 1988*
 Mary Porreco, *May 1988*
 M. Lawrence Antoun, SSJ, *May 1989*
 Joseph DiMaggio, Jr., *May 1989*
 G. Andrew Fleming, *May 1990*
 Walter Hendl, *May 1990*
 I. King Jordan, *May 1991*
 Chuck Jones, *December 1991*
 Raymond Shafer, *May 1992*
 Charles Kennedy, *May 1992*
 Mary Beth Kennedy, *May 1992*
 Richard Nygaard, *May 1993*
 Náim Akbar, *December 1993*
 Mahmoud Haroon, *December 1994*
 Eiji Oue, *May 1995*
 Louis Porreco, *December 1995*
 Thomas Hagen, *May 1996*
 Paul O'Neill, *December 1997*
 Michael Zahorchak, *December 1997*
 Fred Rogers, *May 1998*
 Donald DiPlacido, *December 1998*
 Dr. Yvonne Thornton, *May 1999*
 Dr. James E. Barker, *December 1999*
 F. Eugene Dixon, Jr., *September 2000*
 Sir George A.O. Alleyne, M.D., *December 2000*
 Dr. John Hope Franklin, *December 2000*
 Joyce A. Savocchio, *December 2001*
 Donald M. Alstadt, *May 2002*
 K. Leroy Irvis, *May 2002*
 Mike S. Zafirovski, *December 2002*
 David N. Matthews, *December 2003*
 William E. Strickland, Jr., *May 2004*
 Dr. David William Steadman, *December 2004*
 Cheryl G. Vicary, *December 2005*
 Thomas C. Vicary, *December 2005*
 Edward G. Rendell, *May 2006*
 Sharon Stone, *March 2007*
 Dorothy Dexter Pogue, *May 2007*
 Dr. Frank G. Pogue, *May 2007*
 Michael J. Redlawsk, *May 2008*
 Patrick J. Santelli, *May 2010*
 Kathleen A. Dahlkemper, *May 2012*
 Dr. Muriel A. Howard, *May 2013*
 Major General (Retired) Mari K. Eder, *December 2013*
 Thomas J. Ridge, *May 2014*
 Betty Ferguson, *December 2014*
 Sen. Robert Casey, Jr., *May 2015*
 Hugo A. Keim, M.D., *December 2015*
 Alicia B. Keim, *December 2015*

HONORS

The following degree candidates have earned at least 60 credits as undergraduate students of Edinboro University and have attained the following cumulative averages: *Summa Cum Laude*, 3.8 to 4.0; *Magna Cum Laude*, 3.6 to 3.79; and *Cum Laude*, 3.4 to 3.59.

SUMMA CUM LAUDE

Jonathan Mark Arthur
 Jennifer R. Barry
 Zachary M. Bell
 Kyle Thomas Boocks
 Kiana Nichole Brayton
 Kelsey L. Britton
 Meghan E. Brown
 Lydia Suzanne Browne
 Valerie Irene Chandler
 Emily P. Chrisman
 Erin Elizabeth Connel
 Laura Lyn Craig
 Robert A. Diehl
 Lauren Elizabeth Dilla
 Allison Nicole Drake
 Charlotte Shea Drozda
 Megan Elizabeth Dulion
 Reilee Hunter Dupratt
 Rachele Marie Eckels
 Emily J. Ekstrand
 Lillian G. Engro
 Elizabeth Ann Freeman
 Breanna Lynn Gardner
 Jacob T. Gibson
 Rachel Deanna Gilbert
 Bailey Marie Goldbaugh
 Mackenna N. Grubiss
 Brianna M. Grzybowski
 Emily Margaret Hamm
 Abbey Marie Hlista
 Kathleen Marie Iszkula
 Denise Elizabeth Jablonski
 Erin M. Keating
 Anna Sigrid Kirk
 Halley A. Kottwitz
 Kara Elizabeth Kucharski
 Megan Mae Leas
 Sa La Lee
 Carly Marie Lenart
 Amber Rose Litwiler
 Marie A. Loose
 Alyssa Kai Luke
 Erika Lyn Maleski
 Erin Danielle McCue

Michael Todd McGaughey, Jr.
 Dana L. Meredith
 Elizabeth Emercine Narkevic
 Haley A. Novak
 Alexandros Ntimeris
 Chloe Rose Olsen
 Scot Page
 Kelly Amanda Payer
 Taylor Marie Proper
 Katrina L. Putnam
 Kara L. Pytlarz
 Susan M. Ritteger
 Janet R. Ross
 Elizabeth Nellana Rudzki
 Andrew D. Rupp
 Junya Sazuka
 Tyler Amelia Schmidt
 Christina M. Schuler
 Bethany D. Scott
 Valerie L. Snyder
 Alan D. Soltys
 Meredith A. Supinski
 Kelly D. Sweny
 Joshua Ronald Szall
 Alexis E. Tarnowski
 Jesse A. Thrush
 Brittany Dahnelle Tobin
 Kendall E. Travers
 Riley J. Wentzler
 Diane M. Wheeler
 Marissa Kathryn Wilkosz

MAGNA CUM LAUDE

Breanna F. Anderson
 Shawn E. Armstrong
 Corrina M. Barnett
 Samantha Joan Bertolino
 Kaelyn Renee Betts
 Jocelyn Mae Blasting
 David Borisenko
 Kayla R. Briggs
 Megan Taylor Buletko
 Ashley Nicole Clark
 Brandi Ann Copeland
 Megan Elizabeth Deutsch

Michael J. Fenner
Marisa Kay Foreback
Brenda Elizabeth Geraci
Rebecca K. Gettle
Crystal G. Glover
Rachel Elizabeth Goldstrom
Sydney L. Gornic
Kelsey Paige Greathouse
Juanita Elaine Hale
Jansen K. Hartmann
Bethany G. Heidle
Lauren Alice Hemphill
Stuart C. Jackson, Jr
Sarah Elizabeth Jaffe
Julia E. Jagielo-Miller
Kelly Nicole Janidlo
Cheyenne Lynn Kressley
Ivy Dawn Kuberry
Reilly Rae S. Lembo
Gregory R. Liller
Melissa M. Linville-Thatcher
Haley N. Marett
Rebecca E. Martin
Fawn Nicole Martz
Jessica Marie Matthews
Danielle Maria McCumber
Karissa M. McCune
Lindsay Ann Mink
Lennea Marie Mook
Emily G. Morales
Andrew A. Moronski
Kaitlyn N. Mosher
Danielle Nicole Mullen
Hughandra Halisa Newbold
Marigny Collins Normann
Miranda G. Nowakowski
Tyler D. Nowosielski
Danielle Nicole Oaks
Sarah R. Parent
Samantha Ann Piccolino
Alysha Lynn Pitt
Matthew Alan Potts
Carolyn L. Robinson
Matthew Vincent Roll
Jillian K. Rose
Gary Scott Ross, Jr.
Garrett Mark Scott
Jessica A. Sell
Sara Olive Sheehan
Aarron J. Smith
Bretton Jacob Smith
Zachary T. Steele

Bryce J. Straffin
Adam R. Swartzfager
Angela L. Toth
Samantha Travis
Megan M. Trinh
Katie LaVonne White
Eric T. Willey
Brandy Sue Williams
Melissa A. Williams
Charity Sue Yarzebinski
Pei Jun Yu
Anthony Charles Zaffuto
Caroline C. Ziemianski

CUM LAUDE

Samuel J. Adamski
Meghan E. Akins
Emyle Caye Becker
Danielle J. Bliley
Kevin Andrew Bonicky
Warren T. Bosch, Jr.
Neil M. Brett
Stephanie Buczkowski
Sam Omar Burton
Daniel E. Catizone
Dana R. Cerroni
Kevin William Costello
Devin S. Cousins
Sara R. Cowan
Brandi Linné Cubitt
Desirae Fawn Doty
Lindsey N. Downing
Kira E. Ebert
Kelly J. Eckman
Cassandra B. Enterline
Margaret R. Falkner
Melissa F. Fawcett
Taylor Ann Fenstermacher
Nicole M. Fiorenzo
Elizabeth Ann Folckemer
Corbin Sterling Fowler
Matthew S. Fuller
Alexandra E. Gibson
Alec Howell Goodwin
Justin T. Greenly
Gregory A. Happ, Jr.
Kristen E. Hays
Rachael Morgan Hicks
Amber R. Hobbins
Caitlin M. Hollarn
Katie L. Holmes
Cydney A. Hrycko

Emily Ann Huzinec
Nnamdi Ike
Deondray K. Ivey
Nathan A. Jacob
Zachary Thomas Jakubowski
Katie L. Jones
Brittany N. Kindle
Katlyn C. King
Tiffany A. Kitner
Mary Kleiger
Trenton Lagunas
Constance Jane Lyons
Mallory R. Marta
Candice Nicole Martone
Katherine Scarlett McAtee
Victoria L. McKinney
Brittany K. Milligan
Marielle Moss
Yukiko Nomoto
Ashley Olinger
Michaela Ann Ordiway
Luiza Osmak
Marissa E. Pardini
Alexander M. Parker
Richa R. Patel
Elizabeth Berow Paz
Thomas M. Pellegrino, Jr.
Jennifer Lee Phillips
Mickayla Lynn Poland
Anthony Reed, Jr
Kristin A. Richardson
Stephanie L. Rickert
Noheli Ruiz
David C. Russell
Sarah Paige Saternos
Jesse Everett Scanga
Timothy R. Schaefer, Jr
Stacey N. Slifko
Alexis M. Smith
John Randolph Sochor
Michael D. Spicuzza
Dilyn A. Stevenson
Emily Christine Stiles
Sydney Ann Sullivan
Mary Janet Symons
Twauna Terrell
Ian L. Thiry
Renee D. Thomas
Brittany N. Thorpe
Andrew P. Vest
Holly M. Volkman
Kelly Marie Williams

Ashley L. Wilson
Dara Riane Wilson
Anna Victoria Workman

Dr. Robert C. Weber Honors Program

HONORS DIPLOMA

Alexa J. Alpern
Breanna F. Anderson
Jocelyn Mae Blasting
Lydia Suzanne Browne
Laura Lyn Craig
Casey Zane Dimoff
Megan Elizabeth Dulion
Cassandra B. Enterline
Justin T. Greenly
Bethanie Loraine Horchar
Julia E. Jagielo-Miller
Katlyn C. King
Megan Mae Leas
Sa La Lee
Carly M. Lenart
Alyssa Kai Luke
Fawn Nicole Martz
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Whitney E. Mulrain
Laura A. Mummert
Elizabeth Emercine Narkevic
Marigny Collins Normann
Miranda G. Nowakowski
Tyler D. Nowosielski
Richa R. Patel
Anthony Albert Perez
Matthew Alan Potts
Elizabeth Nellana Rudzki
Bethany D. Scott
Meredith A. Supinski
Megan M. Trinh
Katie LaVonne White
Charity Sue Yarzebinski
Pei Jun Yu

BACCALAUREATE AND ASSOCIATE DEGREES

SCHOOL OF BUSINESS

Scott E. Miller, DBA, *Dean*

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE

Business Administration

#Sarah M. Angelo
Victor J. Avery
Casey Alan Baker
Grant Leon Baxter
Samantha Joan Bertolino – *Magna Cum Laude*
David Borisenko – *Magna Cum Laude*
Kiana Nichole Brayton – *Summa Cum Laude*
Neil M. Brett – *Cum Laude*
Aaron F. Brown
Daniel L. Bunevich
Joshua S. Cashdollar
Brandon D. Cole
Lisa A. Combs
Matthew Lee Davenport
Sawyer O. Dininny
Sean P. Donnelly
Angelica E. Dy
Thomas J. Einwechter
Cassandra B. Enterline – *Cum Laude*
Tracy L. Foessett
Nicole M. Graham
Kyle D. Green
Juanita Elaine Hale – *Magna Cum Laude*
Melissa Lynn Harvey
Earvin Edwin Hereford
Stephen James Hunt
M'Antayla Monet Jackson
Alyssa K. Johnson
Katie L. Jones – *Cum Laude*
Mary Kleiger – *Cum Laude*
Tyler N. Lewis
Michael James Linz
Kyle A. Matula
Karissa M. McCune – *Magna Cum Laude*
Danielle Nicole Mullen – *Magna Cum Laude*
Dakota Phillip Nadolny
Joseph Nicholas Naples
Miranda G. Nowakowski – *Magna Cum Laude*
Alexandros Ntimeris – *Summa Cum Laude*
Colleen Riordan O'Leary
Nicole Ann O'Neil
Dominic J. Patrick
Thomas M. Pellegrino, Jr. – *Cum Laude*
Jordan Carl Perilli

Samantha A. Pfeiffer
Justin M. Phillips
Rachael M. Pollard
Andrew Kun Pur
Devin Cooper Read
Susan M. Ritteger – *Summa Cum Laude*
Gary Scott Ross, Jr. – *Magna Cum Laude*
Junya Sazuka – *Summa Cum Laude*
Mackenzie M. Schneider
Bethany D. Scott – *Summa Cum Laude*
Rachel Scot Scurpa
Michael Joseph Shansky
Andrew J. Stafford
Zachary T. Steele – *Magna Cum Laude*
Tori Kaylene Steffy
Anthony B. Stuart
Edward Albert Taylor
Bradley Stephen Thompson
Cody J. Tomlinson
Valerie M. Vukson
*Terri L. Waller
Diane M. Wheeler – *Summa Cum Laude*
Marissa Kathryn Wilkosz – *Summa Cum Laude*
Caroline C. Ziemianski – *Magna Cum Laude*

Economics

Eric J. Brine
Robert A. Diehl – *Summa Cum Laude*
Bradley Dillon Hudson
Yukiko Nomoto – *Cum Laude*
Pei Jun Yu – *Magna Cum Laude*

ASSOCIATE OF SCIENCE

Business Administration

Nancy Ann E. Baldwin
Christopher W. Camery
Marianna R. Djavadyan
Adam S. Duckett
Joseph P. Fischer
Joseph Vincent Gualtieri
Erika Marie Jacobs
Kelli A. Kunz
Daniel R. Medina
Karisa Ann Messinger
Wendy L. Zimmer
Joseph S. Zukowski, Jr.

SCHOOL OF EDUCATION

Alan J. Biel, Ph.D., *Dean*

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN EDUCATION

Early Childhood Education

Chasity N. Bova
Megan Elizabeth Deutsch – *Magna Cum Laude*
Reilee Hunter Dupratt – *Summa Cum Laude*
Margaret R. Falkner – *Cum Laude*
Kelly Nicole Janidlo – *Magna Cum Laude*
Brittany N. Kindle – *Cum Laude*
Jacob C. Potts
Amber M. Prost

Early Childhood (P-4) and Special Education (P-8)

Kayla R. Briggs – *Magna Cum Laude*
Megan Taylor Buletko – *Magna Cum Laude*
Valerie Irene Chandler – *Summa Cum Laude*
Desirae Fawn Doty – *Cum Laude*
Lindsey N. Downing – *Cum Laude*
Allison Nicole Drake – *Summa Cum Laude*
Megan Elizabeth Dulion – *Summa Cum Laude*
Emily J. Ekstrand – *Summa Cum Laude*
Nicole M. Fiorenzo – *Cum Laude*
Elizabeth Ann Freeman – *Summa Cum Laude*
Shelby Rae Fuchs
Brenda Elizabeth Geraci – *Magna Cum Laude*
Kara Elizabeth Kucharski – *Summa Cum Laude*
Constance Jane Lyons – *Cum Laude*
Erika Lyn Maleski – *Summa Cum Laude*
Dana L. Meredith – *Summa Cum Laude*
Kaitlyn N. Mosher – *Magna Cum Laude*
Chloe Rose Olsen – *Summa Cum Laude*
Luiza Osmak – *Cum Laude*
Jessica Susanne Powers
Carolyn L. Robinson – *Magna Cum Laude*
Jillian K. Rose – *Magna Cum Laude*
Mary Janet Symons – *Cum Laude*
Ashley L. Wilson – *Cum Laude*

Middle Level Education

Meghan E. Akins – *Cum Laude*
Dana R. Cerroni – *Cum Laude*
Ashley Nicole Clark – *Magna Cum Laude*
Caitlin M. Hollarn – *Cum Laude*
Deondray K. Ivey – *Cum Laude*
*Kelsey L. Matuszak
Mychal A. Molnar
Sara K. Prenni
Andrew L. Uram
Katie LaVonne White – *Magna Cum Laude*

Secondary Education – Chemistry

Gerard V. Eibel, III

Secondary Education – Comprehensive English

Sara R. Cowan – *Cum Laude*

Secondary Education – Social Studies

Andrew D. Rupp – *Summa Cum Laude*

Social Studies – Special Education 7-12

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| Arts, Letters, and Humanities – <i>White</i> | Nursing – <i>Apricot</i> |
| Business – <i>Drab</i> | Oratory – <i>Silver Gray</i> |
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| Economics – <i>Copper</i> | Philosophy – <i>Dark Blue</i> |
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| Forestry – <i>Russet</i> | Science – <i>Golden Yellow</i> |
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Summa Cum Laude – *Gold Stoles*
 Magna Cum Laude – *White Stoles*
 Cum Laude – *Red Stoles*
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 Departmental Honor Graduate – *Red Cords*

THE CEREMONIAL MACE

The ceremonial mace, a symbol of presidential authority, is carried at the head of the academic procession by the Mace Bearer. A gift of the Alumni Association, the mace was designed and executed by Professor Henry Katzwinkel and Dr. Seymour Blinderman, former chairman of the Art Department. It was first used at the inauguration of Edinboro State College by President Chester T. McNerney, in 1967.

The mace, twenty-seven inches in length, is topped by a sterling silver sphere studded with circular cabochon rubies, secured by bezels. The collar of the mace is inlaid with ebony, alternated with silver relief fleur-de-lis design elements. Cultured pearls mounted in cups encircle the bottom of the collar. The shaft of the mace is composed of Brazilian rosewood sections, separated by sterling silver rings. The mace is terminated by a cast sterling silver finial; the five cultured pearls represent the existing curricula. The rib-like cone form is terminated by a small silver sphere symbolizing the world.

The metal working processes incorporated in the ceremonial mace include turning, forging, inlaying, stone setting, and lost wax centrifugal casting.

PRESIDENTIAL MEDALLION

The first presidential medallion was presented to former President Foster F. Diebold during the May 1981 Commencement ceremonies. Designed and executed by Professor Henry Katzwinkel, the sterling silver medallion consists of a three and one-half inch pectoral pendant featuring on its face the figure of a Gordon Highlander with pipes. To the right of the piper is the Cross of St. Andrew. To the left is the Cross of England. Flanking the figure is the date 1857, the opening year of the University, and garland thistles. In the background are the hills of Scotland, and beneath the piper is an open book, a symbol of knowledge. On the reverse side is the sunken crest of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

The pendant descends from a shield containing a triple-towered castle. The collar of the medallion is comprised of a series of two-inch shields, alternately bearing three different designs: the meigle, an interlacing knotwork peculiar to the Pictish school of Celtic art; the Tudor rose design; and "ESC" in interlocking letters on a background of tabby weaving. Connecting each of the collar shields is a Cross of St. George, representing the union of Scotland and England. The entire medallion was fabricated and cast in the *cire perdue* (lost wax) process.

Surrounding the silver medallion is a gold crafted circle which reads "Edinboro University of Pennsylvania." Professor Katzwinkel added this piece to the medallion especially for the Inauguration of President Frank G. Pogue in 1997, and it is now a permanent fixture to the medallion representing the school's status as a University.

ACADEMIC VESTMENTS

The gown, the cap, and the hood, representing the major components of the academic dress, are a ceremonial inheritance from the medieval universities of the eleventh and twelfth centuries, where dress was the outward sign of privilege and responsibility. The academic dress worn by those participating in today's academic processional symbolizes the level of their academic attainment and the institution they attended.

Gown

Although the gown is more frequently black, certain universities have authorized the use of colored gowns. The bachelor's and master's gowns are fashioned from black serge. The yoke for the bachelor's gown is designed to be worn closed and features long, flowing and pointed sleeves. The master's gown is designed to be worn open or closed. Its sleeves are very long with square ends, and the front part has an arc cut away. The arms protrude through a slit at the elbow. The gown for the doctor's degree is made of wool, serge, or silk with an open front faced with wide velvet panels. The sleeves are loose and bell-shaped with three bars of velvet in black or the color of the discipline in which the doctorate was obtained.

Cap

The standard cap is the mortarboard, usually the color of the gown. The tassel is black for the baccalaureate and master's degree and is worn over the left front quarter of the cap. The tassel for the doctor's mortarboard is of gold thread. Undergraduates wear the tassel on the right side of the cap until the moment the degree is conferred by the president.

Hood

The most outstanding feature of the academic dress is the hood. It is usually worn only for the master's and the doctor's degrees. The doctor's hood is longer than the master's hood and has distinguished panels. The college or the university granting the degree is indicated by the color of the hood lining. The velvet trim of the hood indicates the field in which the degree was granted.

GRADUATE COMMENCEMENT CEREMONY

Louis C. Cole Auditorium, 2:00 p.m.

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| CALL TO ASSEMBLY | Edinboro University Pipes and Drums |
| CONVOCATION | Michael J. Hannan, Ph.D. <i>Provost and Vice President for Academic Affairs</i> |
| STUDENT PROCESSIONAL | Edinboro University Pipes and Drums |
| FACULTY PROCESSIONAL | Edinboro University Pipes and Drums |
| FACULTY MARSHALS | Melissa K. Gibson, Ph.D. <i>Communication Studies</i> |
| | Roy E. Shinn, Ph.D. <i>Speech, Language and Hearing</i> |
| STAR SPANGLED BANNER | Alexandra Workinger-Guy, soprano; Corrina Barnett, mezzo-soprano; Kenneth Vinston, tenor; Jacob Gibson, baritone; Jalen Reed, baritone <i>Music Students</i> |
| WELCOME | David J. Werner, Ph.D. <i>Interim President</i> |
| TRUSTEE GREETINGS | Daniel E. Higham <i>Secretary, Edinboro University Council of Trustees</i> |
| STUDENT ADDRESS | Matthew Bresnahan <i>Master of Arts, Communication Studies</i> |
| PRESENTATION OF CANDIDATES | Michael J. Hannan Alan J. Biel, Ph.D. <i>Dean, School of Graduate Studies and Research and Dean, School of Education</i> |
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| CONFERRING OF DEGREES | David J. Werner |
| RECESSIONAL | Edinboro University Pipes and Drums |

The audience is asked to stand during the Processional and to join in the singing of the National Anthem.

MACE BEARER



Dr. John Ziegler

Leading the academic procession and representing his faculty colleagues by carrying the Ceremonial Mace at today's Graduate Commencement is Dr. John Ziegler of Edinboro University's Middle and Secondary Education and Educational Leadership Department.

Dr. Ziegler's distinction as Mace Bearer is symbolic of the central role that faculty play in the academic and personal development of Edinboro University students.

After earning a Bachelor of Science in Elementary Education at Mansfield University in 1972, Dr. Ziegler continued his education with a Master of Science in School Guidance and Counseling from

West Chester University in 1976, a Master of Science in Educational Administration and Supervision from St. Bonaventure University in 1981, and a Doctor of Education in Administration and Leadership Studies from Indiana University of Pennsylvania in 2000.

Dr. Ziegler joined the Edinboro faculty in 2009, and has been program advisor for the Principal K-12 – Post Master's certificate program since 2012. He serves on the Edinboro University-wide Curriculum Committee, the Council for the Accreditation of Educator Preparation Assessment Committee, and is Chair of the Edinboro University School of Education Candidate Quality and Dispositions and Middle and Secondary Education and Education Leadership Department Curriculum Committees.

He has presented at 10 major conferences in the past seven years and has published numerous articles for the Pennsylvania Association of Supervision and Curriculum Development, Pennsylvania Elementary and Secondary School Principals, the American School Board Journal, and the Mid-Atlantic Education Review. He was a contributing author for the textbook "Successful Grant Writing for School Leaders" by Kenneth Henson.

More recently, Edinboro University achieved national distinction in 2013 and 2014 when two of Dr. Ziegler's online graduate courses, Introduction to Educational Leadership (EDLR 700) and Research in Education (EDUC 788), received the Quality Matters (QM) seal of approval. Dr. Ziegler now serves as a certified master reviewer and a subject matter expert for online course developers seeking national recognition by the QM network and routinely conducts preparatory program reviews for the PA Division of Professional Education and Teacher Quality.

Dr. Ziegler is a member of the Pennsylvania Association of Colleges and Teacher Educators, Pennsylvania Association of Supervision and Curriculum Development, National Association of Secondary School Principals, Pennsylvania Elementary and Secondary Principals Association, International Reading Association, Keystone Reading Association, and the Butler Lawrence Mercer County Reading Council.

He is married to Dr. Linda Ziegler and has two adult children, Jennifer and Jack.

Dr. Ziegler's 43 years of experience as a teacher, counselor, school administrator, and tenured associate professor define a professional career that serves his students, colleagues and the entire University community with distinction. He exemplifies the dedication and commitment of our faculty to educational excellence and to our students' success.

CORDS DISTINCTIVE OF GRADUATE HONORS

Alpha Epsilon Lambda – Red and Gray

Alpha Epsilon Lambda (AEL) recognizes the academic and leadership accomplishments of graduate and professional school students. The name is based upon the society's mission of recognizing Academic Excellence and Leadership.

Chi Sigma Iota - Epsilon Chi Chapter – Blue and White

Chi Sigma Iota (CSI), an international honor society, values and recognizes academic and professional excellence in counseling. The organization promotes a strong professional identity through professional counselors, counselor educators, and students who contribute to the realization of a healthy society by fostering wellness and human dignity.

Delta Alpha Pi – Blue and Gold

Delta Alpha Pi recognizes academic excellence and leadership of graduate and undergraduate students with disabilities. The name represents Disability, Achievement and Pride and recognizes student scholars and promotes the development of their skills in leadership, advocacy and education.

Phi Alpha – Blue and Gold

Phi Alpha Honor Society provides a closer bond among students of social work and promotes humanitarian goals and ideals. The organization fosters high standards of education for social workers and invites into membership those who have attained excellence in scholarship and achievement in social work. The cord is the recognition of academic excellence.

Sigma Theta Tau – Orchid and White

Sigma Theta Tau International Honor Society of Nursing (STTI) recognizes excellence in scholarship, leadership and exceptional achievement in nursing. The organization supports the learning, knowledge and professional development of nurses committed to making a difference in health worldwide.

Veterans – Red, White and Blue

Edinboro University honors the accomplishments of those who have served our nation in its Armed Forces, and commemorates not only the achievement of graduating from the University, but also the efforts and sacrifices of our student veterans' service to our nation.

GRADUATE DEGREES

SCHOOL OF GRADUATE STUDIES AND RESEARCH

Alan J. Biel, Ph.D., *Dean*

EDUCATIONAL SPECIALIST

School Psychology

Dr. Edward Snyder, *Program Head*

Stephanie Ann Cattr
Samantha Lee Bookamer
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Skarlett Christiane Stuchell

MASTER OF ARTS

Art

Dr. Penelope Orr, *Program Head*

Matthew Stephen Cosgrove
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Kristen Michele Trott
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Communication Studies

Dr. Andrew R. Smith, *Program Head*

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Alaina Vivian Goode
Anna Hoesl
Hope Stephanie Mancini
Audriana Lynn Marmuscak
Alexander Bryant Reed
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Kimbria Ann Shoop
Colton Roy Sponseller
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Counseling

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*Andrea Hackett
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MASTER OF EDUCATION

Early Childhood Education

Dr. Karen Lindeman, *Program Head*

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Educational Leadership

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Educational Psychology

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Middle/Secondary School Instruction

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Robert Alexander Brigham
Paige Rebecca Brizek
Leslie Parker Clark
Jordan Michael Collum
Jeremiah Foster Conley
Stacey Lynn Dangle
Eric Costa Dimitri
Amanda LeighAnn Ferguson
Margaret Jean Ferguson
Amanda Jean Hoffman
Kari Celeste Iliff
Jacob Jasper Inge
Merri Ellen Luebbert

Krista Lauren Kirsch
Luke Joseph Miller
Colleen Marie Olinger
*Andrea M. Patton
Jessica Lynn Samol
Bethany Michelle Vergotz

Reading

Dr. Kristin Webber, *Program Head*

Lindsay Rose Benner
Karen Louise Breisinger
Carissa Nicole Brunst
Erica Nicole Conosciuto
Rachael Lynne Davis
Kelly Marie Falotico
Julia Marie Fitz
Katherine Louise Guth
Shea E. Hazel
*Jamie Lynn Hunter
Lauren Nicole Hopwood
Amy L. Keeler
Krista Alyse Kellander
Grace Garnett King
Kylie Dawn Kling
Kimberly Sue Maloney
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Megan Danielle Matko
Emily Kathleen McQuown
Melanie Beatrice Mischler
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Amanda Marie Politi
Stacy Lee Rathmann
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Casey Elaine Shee
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Amanda May Wadsworth
Cailin Marie White

Special Education

Dr. Erik Bentsen, *Program Head*

Brittany Sue Buzzell
Erin Katherine Figley
Jillian Marie Marks
Loretta Louise Murphy
Marcy Lynne Repine
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MASTER OF FINE ARTS

Fine Arts

Charles Johnson, *Program Head*

Peter Thomas Antor
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Joseph Josiah King
Joshua G. Mitchel
Sara Elizabeth Morales-Morgan
Jason Anthony Piccoli
Neil Casper Simak

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#Danielle M. Mitchell
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#Christina M. Peterson
#Katrina L. Siders
#Kathryn Smith
#Stephanie L. Swope
#Valerie A. Wowk
#Brian R. Yorns

MASTER OF SCIENCE IN NURSING

*Consortium with Clarion University of Pennsylvania,
Edinboro University of Pennsylvania*

Dr. Colleen Bessetti-Barrett, *Program Head*

#Jenefer L. Barry
#Cynthia A. Chuzie-McDowell
#Angela N. Damore
#Melissa A. Eckman
#Elizabeth A. Gillette
#Kaitlyn M. Karl
#Nicole M. Lang

MASTER OF SOCIAL WORK

Dr. Elaine Rinfrette, *Program Head*

Jennifer Rae DeVore
Kaylee Ann Durnell
Marcy Lynn Fleurima
Thomas O'Brien Gray
Kathryn Elizabeth Keith
Brittany Margaret Ludman
Adekunle Ojelade
Jill Marie Olszewski
Justin Joseph Zimmerman

#=Students who will complete degree requirements during Summer 2016.

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OUTSTANDING GRADUATE STUDENTS

Master of Arts in Art

Art Education – Mallory Vallieres ✓

Master of Fine Arts

Ceramics – Sara Morales-Morgan ✓
Metals – Peter Antor

Master of Arts in Communication Studies

Hannah Schurr ✓

Master of Arts in Counseling

Art Therapy – Deirdre Foll ✓
Clinical Mental Health Counseling –
Randy Kulesza
Rehabilitation Counseling – Nichole Flick
School Counseling – Monica James

Master of Education in Early Childhood Education/Elementary Education

Early Childhood Education – Marie Beaton ✓

Master of Education in Educational Leadership

Gregory Oliver ✓

Master of Education in Educational Psychology

Kristen Arlet

Master of Education in Middle and Secondary Instruction

Bethany Vergotz

Master of Education in Reading

Melanie Mischler ✓

Educational Specialist in School Psychology

Nicole Phillips

Master of Arts in Social Sciences

Nina Schreiner ✓

Master of Education in Special Education

Marcy Repine ✓

Master of Arts in Speech-Language Pathology

Anne McPherson ✓

SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

Presentation of diplomas takes time and yet has special significance for each individual and family. Members of the audience are asked to remain in their seats until the end of the ceremony so that they do not disrupt the program or interfere with the special moments of others. Commencement is our most important occasion, and we ask you to respect its significance to the university community and to those who are being honored.

Professional photographers have been employed to photograph each graduate receiving a diploma. To avoid congestion and to maintain decorum in the ceremony, we ask that family members refrain from approaching the platform to take pictures.

Thank you for your cooperation. We hope that you will enjoy the ceremony and celebrate the achievements of our students.

Students and their families are encouraged to share their best Commencement photos and shout out their best wishes on Twitter and Facebook using the hashtag **#boroUgrad**.

The Campus Bookstore, located on the lower level of the Frank G. Pogue Student Center, will be open today from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

The Commencement ceremony will be filmed and streamed via the Internet at edinboro.tv. Commencement DVDs can be purchased from Edinboro University Television following the ceremony or online at eupdvd.com.

EDINBORO UNIVERSITY ALMA MATER

The musical score is written for piano and voice. It consists of five systems of music, each with a vocal line and a piano accompaniment. The lyrics are: "Hail to Thee our Alma Mater glo-ri-ous; fresh wreaths we bring to bind thy brow. Trials have passed and Thou hast stood vic-tor-ious, never fair-er, nev-er state-li-er than now; O Ed-in-bo-ro, Ed-in-bo-ro, ev-er prais-ing Thee in song, While class speeds class, as swift years pass, to Thee our hearts be-long." The score is in 4/4 time and features a variety of musical notations including notes, rests, and dynamic markings.

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The background of the cover is a deep red color. At the top, the top edge of a graduation cap is visible, with four colored bands (yellow, blue, green, blue) extending downwards. A gold tassel hangs from the center of the cap. The text is in white, and the university's crest is in gold. A plaid pattern is visible at the bottom left.

Commencement

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 17

2016



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EDINBORO UNIVERSITY PRESIDENT



Dr. H. Fred Walker

H. Fred Walker, Ph.D., became the 18th President of Edinboro University on July 1, 2016.

Dr. Walker came to Edinboro from the Rochester Institute of Technology (RIT), where he served as Dean of the College of Applied Science and Technology since 2008. In his role as Dean, he successfully led the college in the development and completion of a strategic plan that included bringing all units within the college into fiscal sustainability, growth of college enrollments and academic program offerings, increasing the doctoral attainment of faculty members from 33% to 95+%, formation or reformation of two schools and multiple centers and departments, conversion from academic quarters to

semesters, replacement of the institution-wide information system, and renovation of general education, all while sustaining a complex set of international operations. He also was co-leader of the institute-wide efforts in enhancing student success, on-time graduation, and overall student retention.

Dr. Walker began his career as an Assistant Professor at the University of Southern Maine (USM) in 1995. USM, a member of the University of Maine System (UMS), is a public, regional, comprehensive university with satellite campuses located throughout the state. Dr. Walker progressed through all of the academic ranks, earned tenure, and assumed multiple leadership positions at the campus level, within all of the satellite campuses, and within the UMS, particularly in academic programming, shared governance, and as a liaison for collective bargaining.

Dr. Walker earned a Bachelor of Science degree in Industrial Technology and a Master of Business Administration at California State University Fresno. He earned a Master of Engineering in Industrial and Systems Engineering and a Doctor of Philosophy degree in Industrial Education and Technology from Iowa State University. He has completed 14 professional certifications administered by the American Society of Quality and has written 13 major books in the field of quality and reliability engineering.

Additionally, Dr. Walker spent nine years in the U.S. Navy, working throughout the United States, Asia, Africa, and Australia in airborne electronics systems (avionics). He concluded his U.S. Naval career as an information systems administrator before being honorably discharged in 1992.

President Walker is married to Dr. Susan H. Newman, an audiologist who serves children and young adults. They have five adult and school-age children and enjoy outdoor activities such as walking/hiking, bicycling, kayaking, and skiing.

UNDERGRADUATE COMMENCEMENT CEREMONY

McComb Fieldhouse, 10:00 a.m.

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| CONVOCATION | Michael J. Hannan, Ph.D. <i>Provost and Vice President for Academic Affairs</i> |
| ACADEMIC PROCESSIONAL | Edinboro University Pipes and Drums |
| STAR SPANGLED BANNER <i>Francis Scott Key</i> | Alexandra Taliani, soprano <i>Senior Music Major</i> |
| WELCOME | H. Fred Walker, Ph.D. <i>President</i> |
| TRUSTEE GREETINGS | Dennis R. Frampton <i>Chair, Edinboro University Council of Trustees</i> |
| STUDENT ADDRESS | Kyle M. Turk <i>Bachelor of Arts, History</i> |
| PRESENTATION OF CANDIDATES | Michael J. Hannan Roy E. Shinn, Ph.D. <i>Interim Associate Dean, College of Science and Health Professions</i> Scott E. Miller, DBA <i>Dean, School of Business</i> Alan J. Biel, Ph.D. <i>Dean, School of Education</i> Scott E. Miller <i>Interim Dean, College of Arts, Humanities, and Social Sciences</i> |
| CONFERRING OF DEGREES | H. Fred Walker |
| ALUMNI GREETINGS | Scott Irlbacher <i>President, Alumni Association Board of Directors</i> |
| ALMA MATER | Alexandra Taliani, soprano; Lindsey Walker, soprano; Shelby Hutton, soprano; Kaitlyn Hallock, alto; Alyssa Scheppner, alto; Ryan Sibbald, tenor; Aaron Rath, tenor; Austin Blair, baritone; Matthew Lowther, baritone |
| RECESSIONAL | Edinboro University Pipes and Drums |

*The audience is asked to stand during the Processional and Recessional
and to join in the singing of the National Anthem and the Alma Mater.*

MACE BEARER

Dietrich Wegner

Leading the academic procession and representing his faculty colleagues by carrying the Ceremonial Mace at today's Undergraduate Commencement is Dietrich Wegner of Edinboro University's Art Department.

Professor Wegner's distinction as Mace Bearer is symbolic of the central role that faculty play in the academic and personal development of Edinboro University students.

A Maryland Institute College of Art graduate with a Bachelor of Fine Arts in Sculpture in 2001, he continued his education with a Master of Fine Arts degree in Sculpture from The Ohio State University in 2003.



Professor Wegner has worked as an internationally exhibited artist for more than 20 years.

Dietrich Wegner was born in Adelaide, Australia, to parents who worked for an organization doing global social work similar to the Peace Corps. His parents' work brought his family to Egypt and then Houston, Texas. He now resides in Edinboro, where he has a photography and sculpture studio and teaches courses throughout Edinboro's undergraduate and graduate art program. His artworks turn our perception of reality upside down, explore our notions of contentment and security, and provoke us to consider how our identities evolve and how we declare them.

Professor Wegner has exhibited widely throughout Europe and North America, including Banksy's *Dismaland* in England, as well as exhibitions at the Leopold Museum in Vienna, De Meerse in the Netherlands, the Carnegie Museum of Art, Athens Institute of Contemporary Art, the Columbus Museum of Art, the Bellevue Arts Museum in Seattle, and Diverse Works Art Space in Houston. He frequently exhibits in international art fairs in Basel, New York, Miami, and Los Angeles. His work has been discussed and reviewed on CNN and the BBC, in *Sculpture Magazine*, *Art Papers*, *Eikon International Magazine of Photography and New Media*, *Art Ltd*, *LA Weekly*, and *Art Map*, as well as in numerous college art and sociology textbooks. Wegner was awarded an Artist Fellowship by the Pennsylvania Council on the Arts. His work is found in over 30 art collections in five countries. He is represented by the Carrie Secrist Gallery in Chicago and the Robert Berman Gallery in Los Angeles.

Dietrich Wegner's career as an educator and his experiences as an artist have served his students, colleagues and the entire University community with distinction. He exemplifies the dedication and commitment of our faculty to educational excellence and to our students' success.

EDINBORO UNIVERSITY FACULTY MARSHALS

Dr. Lisa Brightman – *Early Childhood and Reading*
Dr. Daniel Burdick – *Music and Theatre*
Dr. Kevin Courtright – *Criminal Justice, Anthropology, and Forensic Studies*
Ms. Diane Crandall – *Art*
Dr. John Cussen – *English and Philosophy*
Dr. Jean Faieta – *Counseling, School Psychology, and Special Education*
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Dr. Ronald Raymond – *Journalism and Public Relations*
Mr. Umeme Sababu – *History, Politics, Languages and Cultures*
Dr. Bethany Scullin – *Middle and Secondary Education, and Educational Leadership*
Dr. Margaret Smith – *Social Work*
Dr. Timothy Thompson – *Communication Studies*
Dr. Amy Weschler – *Nursing*
Mr. John Widner – *Baron-Forness Library*
Dr. Lee Williams – *Sociology*
Dr. Brian Zimmerman – *Geosciences*

HONORARY DOCTORATE RECIPIENTS

Charles R. Webber, *May 1981*
Louis J. Tullio, *May 1983*
Milton Eisenhower, *May 1985*
Dr. Gertrude Barber, *May 1988*
Mary Porreco, *May 1988*
M. Lawreace Antoun, SSJ, *May 1989*
Joseph DiMaggio, Jr., *May 1989*
G. Andrew Fleming, *May 1990*
Walter Hendl, *May 1990*
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Charles Kennedy, *May 1992*
Mary Beth Kennedy, *May 1992*
Richard Nygaard, *May 1993*
Náim Akbar, *December 1993*
Mahmoud Haroon, *December 1994*
Eiji Oue, *May 1995*
Louis Porreco, *December 1995*
Thomas Hagen, *May 1996*
Paul O'Neill, *December 1997*
Michael Zahorchak, *December 1997*
Fred Rogers, *May 1998*
Donald DiPlacido, *December 1998*
Dr. Yvonne Thornton, *May 1999*
Dr. James E. Barker, *December 1999*
F. Eugene Dixon, Jr., *September 2000*
Sir George A.O. Alleyne, M.D., *December 2000*
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Mike S. Zafirovski, *December 2002*
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William E. Strickland, Jr., *May 2004*
Dr. David William Steadman, *December 2004*
Cheryl G. Vicary, *December 2005*
Thomas C. Vicary, *December 2005*
Edward G. Rendell, *May 2006*
Sharon Stone, *March 2007*
Dorothy Dexter Pogue, *May 2007*
Dr. Frank G. Pogue, *May 2007*
Michael J. Redlawsk, *May 2008*
Patrick J. Santelli, *May 2010*
Kathleen A. Dahlkemper, *May 2012*
Dr. Muriel A. Howard, *May 2013*
Major General (Retired) Mari K. Eder, *December 2013*
Thomas J. Ridge, *May 2014*
Betty Ferguson, *December 2014*
Sen. Robert Casey, Jr., *May 2015*
Hugo A. Keim, M.D., *December 2015*
Alicia B. Keim, *December 2015*
Daniel E. Meyer, *May 2016*

HONORS

The following degree candidates have earned at least 45 credits as undergraduate students of Edinboro University and have attained the following cumulative averages: *Summa Cum Laude*, 3.8 to 4.0; *Magna Cum Laude*, 3.6 to 3.79; and *Cum Laude*, 3.4 to 3.59.

SUMMA CUM LAUDE

Shawn Evan Armstrong
Megan D. Bowman
*Kelsey L. Britton
*Darlene Marie Brottish
Brianna Kathleen Brusco
Micah Nathanael Cattell
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Tammie Gallagher
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Peyton M. Hanlon
Rachel M. Hardy
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Lauren Nicole Hippo
Jessica Lynn Inks
*William M. Jones, IV
Megan Velvet Kunst
*Carly Marie Lenart
Daniel E. Mercer
Cassia Joy Scheid
Brianna M. Smerkar
Alexandra Rose Taliani
Melissa Nicole Winfield

MAGNA CUM LAUDE

Victoria Lee Bille
*Brandi Ann Copeland
Elizabeth Mary Donikowski
Masayuki Habukawa
Joseph C. Herman, Jr.
Motofuku Homma
Gina Marie Huss
Alexandra B. Leopold
*Charles R. McConnell
Sarah Abigail McEwen
Adam Nathaniel Paluh
*Alysha Lynn Pitt
*Ellan Vannin Victoria Regan
Alysia N. Ryan
*Gabrielle Nicole Sally

Adina Aloni Segal
*Joshua Ronald Szall

CUM LAUDE

Victoria Ann Adams
*Liana M. Agnew
Keri E. Bedillion
*Adam R. Bernosky
Lauren Nicole Bottoni
*Ashley A. Boutiller
Jonathan R. Camp
Alex J. Caratelli
*Shaun Lewis Choffel
*Desirae Fawn Doty
Aninon J. Egbejule
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Christopher C. Gloekler
Adam C. Haibach
*Tyler Michael Helffrich
Deondray K. Ivey
Farzad Jalali
Angela Christian Johnson
Joshua M. Kaufer
Patricia J. Kidd
Cody A. Krahling
*Joshua P. Lawyer
John J. Oleksak
Emmanuel Overare
*Marissa E. Pardini
Matthew Richard Roche
Michael Harold Sansoucie
*Jesse Everett Scanga
Jordyn N. Shipley
Nicholas W. Simpson
*Twauna Diamonique Dru Terrell
Shannon Victoria Truesdale
Kyle Matthew Turk
Bradley Dean Weyandt
Sarah Marie Wilbert

ASSOCIATE DEGREE WITH DISTINCTION

Taylor Ewing
Amber Yeane

Edinboro University Honors Program

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Brianna Kathleen Brusco
Sara M. Duckworth

Katrina R. Duperree
Chelsea Hamilton
Megan Velvet Kunst
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Kyle Matthew Turk
Melissa Nicole Winfield

OUTSTANDING DEPARTMENTAL GRADUATES

Art

Megan Velvet Kunst ←

Biology and Health Services

Alysia N. Ryan

Business and Economics

Joseph C. Herman, Jr.

Communication Studies

Taylor E. Green

Counseling, School Psychology, and Special Education

Lauren Nicole Hippo

Criminal Justice, Anthropology, and Forensic Studies

Cody J. Haag

Early Childhood and Reading

Peyton M. Hanlon (BS)
Kayla M. Hilla (AS)

English and Philosophy

Cassia Joy Scheid (BA)
Jeffrey J. Regenor (AA) ←

Geosciences

Angela Christian Johnson

Health and Physical Education

Kelsey L. Britton

History, Politics, Languages and Cultures

Kyle Matthew Turk

Journalism and Public Relations

Santo R. Rizzo

Middle and Secondary Education, and Educational Leadership

Brianna M. Smerkar

Music and Theatre

Alexandra Rose Taliani

Nursing

Anne E. Springer

Physics and Technology

Masayuki Habukawa

Psychology

Melissa Nicole Winfield

Sociology

Elizabeth Morgan Mansfield (BA)
Christina M. Flanagan (AA)

BACCALAUREATE AND ASSOCIATE DEGREES

COLLEGE OF SCIENCE AND HEALTH PROFESSIONS

Denise Ohler, Ed.D., *Interim Dean*

BACHELOR OF ARTS

Biology

Matthew J. Fuller
*Carly Marie Lenart – *Summa Cum Laude*
Amber A. Schultz

Earth Sciences

Dillon Paul Devine

Geography

Jacob M. Engers
Thomas Michael Goodridge
Angela Christian Johnson – *Cum Laude*
*Joshua P. Kibbie
Simeon Lee Klimasewski
Nathan M. Marcinko
Lauren Seeley Pellegrino
*Benjamin Martin Powers
*Joel R. VanOrd
Connor Stuart West

Mathematics

*James R. Cooper, Jr.
Stephanie Marie Melchert

Physics

*Dennis A Grabiak

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE

Biology

*Saleh Alnaif
Aninon J. Egbejule – *Cum Laude*
Emmanuel Overare – *Cum Laude*
Alysia N. Ryan – *Magna Cum Laude*
Julie P. Schnell
Babar A. Shakoor

Chemistry

Sarah E. Hasenflu
Sampson A. Stahl
Mirnesa Vakufac
Ha V. Vo

Computer Science

Eric A. Anthony
Ryan Charles Javens
Vincent Michael Muro
*Stuart M. Pool
Anthony C. Sartoris
Robert J. Stivanson
Todd A. Tirums
Cory M. Wilson
Tristan J. Wyatt

Environmental Science/Biology

Allison N. Beck
*Timothy R. Guess
Megan Elizabeth Kelly
Julie P. Schnell

Geology

Shawn Evan Armstrong – *Summa Cum Laude*
Daniel T. Coyne
*Erin Stephanie Edwards
Zachary R. Hartin
*Thomas S. Johnson
*Alysha Lynn Pitt – *Magna Cum Laude*
*Stephanie Charlene Stewart
*Dino M. Stigliano
*Joshua Ronald Szall – *Magna Cum Laude*

Industrial and Engineering Administration

Daniel J. Cypher
Carl Harry Drake, Jr. – *Summa Cum Laude*
*Joseph Vincent Gualtieri
Farzad Jalali – *Cum Laude*
*William M. Jones, IV – *Summa Cum Laude*
Francisco Javier Lopez
John J. Oleksak – *Cum Laude*
*Melanie A. Peterman
*Edward K. Worthy

Mathematics

*David D. Olszewski

Medical Technology

*Brandi Linné Cubitt
*Shelby May Deets

Physics

Masayuki Habukawa – *Magna Cum Laude*
*Mark Edward McClintock
Kaylee Ann Perala
Cristi S. Thomas

Psychology

*Ashley A. Boutiller – *Cum Laude*
Samantha A. Cole
Lakshmi Annette Cruz
Elizabeth Dekraai
Rachel M. Hardy – *Summa Cum Laude*
Stephen W. Hoschar
Alexandra B. Leopold – *Magna Cum Laude*
*Victoria Jean Maxin
*Brianna Ruby McQueen
Julia N. Peters
*Megan R. Schroeder
Michaela Lynn Seeley
*Erin E. Skrabski
*Margaret M. White
Melissa Nicole Winfield – *Summa Cum Laude*

Social Work

*Joshua David Niedermeyer
Samantha Jo Peiffley
Pennie L. Rosario-Jones

Speech and Hearing Sciences

Sarah Beatrice Bram
*Douglas C. Eckbloom
*Kristin N. Gibbons
*Carly Marie Lenart – *Summa Cum Laude*
*Marissa E. Pardini – *Cum Laude*
*Justin S. Reib

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN NURSING

Amma Serwaa Ababio
Nadine F. Atah
Amber Marie Baker
Katherine E. Barclay
Mariah Babe Bookbinder

Stephanie L. Brooks
*Darlene Marie Brottish – *Summa Cum Laude*
Cathryne C. Chao
Lacey E. Hallewell
Rena S. Hayes
Andrew S. Hutchins
Danielle N. Jaroski
*Larry L. Knies
Adriana Marie MacWhirter
Michael W. Maykowski
Eric Daniel McCue
Sarah Abigail McEwen – *Magna Cum Laude*
Sarah M. McLean
Vasilisa K. Myers
Ashley E. Peters
Jessica M. Rush
Hilary E. Slother
Anne E. Springer
Russell Patrick Tattersall
Valerie Ann Tylkowski

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Applied Technology

Corey Edward Bailey
*Patrick M. Ball
Terry Lee Thomas

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Manufacturing Engineering Technology

Edis Hukic
*Francisco Javier Lopez
Alex J. Tegel
*Edward K. Worthy

ASSOCIATE OF SCIENCE

Pre-Pharmacy

Taylor C. Ewing – *With Distinction*

SCHOOL OF BUSINESS

Scott E. Miller, DBA, *Dean*

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE

Business Administration

Matias A. Aignasse
*Sarah M. Angelo
Wendy J. Bielak
Michaela M. Brooks
Rohan L. Brown, Jr.
Alex J. Caratelli – *Cum Laude*
*Jeffery D. Chernicky
Natalie O. Clark
Casey T. Dudkiewicz
Angeline M. Fraley
Justin M. Froess
Christopher C. Gloekler – *Cum Laude*
Tina M. Graves
Jacob Francis Heitzer
Joseph C. Herman, Jr. – *Magna Cum Laude*
Kiet T. Hua
*M'Antayla Monet Jackson
Patricia J. Kidd – *Cum Laude*

*Tyler Neal Lewis
Joshua A. O'Connell
Blake M. Quirk
Austin Patrick Reese
Heather Laura Reichenback
Cody V. Schweikart
Nicholas W. Simpson – *Cum Laude*
*Terri L. Waller

Economics

Allison A. Burton

ASSOCIATE OF SCIENCE

Business Administration

*Marianna R. Djavadyan
Seth Robert McCullough
*Maxwell Sebald
Kelly M. Whitney
Richard A. Young, III
*Joseph S. Zukowski

SCHOOL OF EDUCATION

Alan J. Biel, Ph.D., *Dean*

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN EDUCATION

Early Childhood Education

Ashley Nicole Bancroft
Lauren Nicole Bottoni – *Cum Laude*
Becca Marie Brink
Micah Nathanael Cattell – *Summa Cum Laude*
Mallory A. Davis
Nicole Patricia Egnot
Grace Marie Flynn
Tammie Gallagher – *Summa Cum Laude*
Peyton M. Hanlon – *Summa Cum Laude*
Jencie Ruth Hartberger – *Summa Cum Laude*
Jocilyn Marie Houk
Robert T. Michaels, III

Early Childhood (P-4) and Special Education (P-8)

Victoria Lee Bille – *Magna Cum Laude*
Casey Nicole Cribbs
Elizabeth Mary Donikowski – *Magna Cum Laude*

*Desirae Fawn Doty – *Cum Laude*
Brenda Kay Doubet – *Summa Cum Laude*
Breanna Lynn Elder
Brandon Louis Goetz
*Tyler Michael Helffrich – *Cum Laude*
Lauren Nicole Hippo – *Summa Cum Laude*
Jessica Lynn Inks – *Summa Cum Laude*
Jordyn N. Shipley – *Cum Laude*
Halle Alexandra Styndl
Shannon Victoria Truesdale – *Cum Laude*
Sarah Marie Wilbert – *Cum Laude*

Middle Level Education

Nathan P. Benzel
Mona J. Free – *Cum Laude*
Deondray K. Ivey – *Cum Laude*
*Kelsey L. Matuszak
Brianna M. Smerkar – *Summa Cum Laude*

Secondary Education – Biology

Madison Leann Irwin

Secondary Education – Comprehensive English

Emily Hope Chylinski
Gina Marie Huss – *Magna Cum Laude*
Alicia B. Weiss

Secondary Education – Mathematics

*Kristen M. Kovach
Derek J. Simmons

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN HEALTH AND PHYSICAL EDUCATION

*Ryan C. Bardwell
*Cory Thomas Beaumont
*Trevor J. Belz
*Adam R. Bernosky – *Cum Laude*
*Michael Bressanelli
*Kelsey L. Britton – *Summa Cum Laude*
Maria Elizabeth Concheck
Shelby K. Davis
Benjamin P. Eisel
*Lucas Erling Evans
Christopher A. Frye, Jr.
*Jamison M. Gaerttner
Luke Crawford Geer
Sebastian H. Gilley
*Sarah N. Graham
George A. Katsadas

Alexander Edwin Kline
*Tyler Anthony Lubas
*Michael S. Marchese, III
*Charles R. McConnell – *Magna Cum Laude*
Nicholas D. Mitchell
*Anna L. Purdy
*Tommy D. Scales, Jr.
*Max Charles Shokrollahzadeh
Marissa A. Teed
*Twauna Diamonique Dru Terrell – *Cum Laude*
*Hayden Oliver Thorpe
Joshua Karl Tomiczek
Philip L.B. Young

ASSOCIATE OF ARTS

Human Services – Developmental Disabilities Specialist

Rachel N. Pierce

ASSOCIATE OF SCIENCE

Pre-School Education

Sara M. Duckworth
*Jessica Leigh Franklin
Kayla M. Hilla
Nikole J. Kolodziejczak

COLLEGE OF ARTS, HUMANITIES, AND SOCIAL SCIENCES

Scott E. Miller, DBA, *Interim Dean*

BACHELOR OF ARTS

Anthropology

Ashley Marie Cratty
Mackenzie Kaylyn Waterston

Communication Studies

*Samantha M. Agnello
Ismiazyam Bidzinov
*Joseph C. Bowen
*Shaun Lewis Choffel – *Cum Laude*
*Brandi Ann Copeland – *Magna Cum Laude*
Marshall Walter Edward Dille
Elyse Marie Ferraro – *Cum Laude*
Taylor E. Green – *Summa Cum Laude*
*Bradley Lamond Hill
Joshua M Kaufer – *Cum Laude*

Joanna E. Loepp
*Danielle M. Moyer
*Emma May Moyer
Adam Nathaniel Paluh – *Magna Cum Laude*
Lauren Anne Parent
*Shelby L. Proctor
*Gabrielle Nicole Sally – *Magna Cum Laude*
*Jesse Everett Scanga – *Cum Laude*
*Christian Daniel Scherrer
Christopher Paul Schwartz
Connor E. Shields
*Christopher R. Steenrod

Criminal Justice

*Annetta L. Cable
Jonathan R. Camp – *Cum Laude*

Rebecca Linnell Carr
*Kristy M. Fike
Katerina Blake Findley
Carly Ann Flick
James M. Gdanetz
Cody J. Haag – *Summa Cum Laude*
Tayler L. Haas
Dylan Q. Hall
#Jonathan E. Jares
Edward Joseph Jennings
*Frank V. Joseph
*Marta Kurek
*Joshua P. Lawyer – *Cum Laude*
Jacob Shawn Leber
Mathew Stephen Lunardini
Brittany N. Miller
Ryan N. Platz
Leann R. Smith
Raymond Eugene Taylor, Jr.
James Richard Wilson, Jr.

English

*Douglas C. Eckbloom
Adam C. Haibach – *Cum Laude*
Shawn T. Hoffman
Katelynn Patricia Lawson
*Danielle S. Lechner
*Katelyn Emily Payo
*Shelly H. Rice
Cassia Joy Scheid – *Summa Cum Laude*
Samantha N. Stubenhofer

German

*Kierstin E. Kemmerer

History

*Krysta E. Kelly
Matthew J. Kuna
Kyle Matthew Turk – *Cum Laude*

Individualized Studies

*Bijan A. Banks
*Zachary R. Baumgartner
Keri E. Bedillion – *Cum Laude*
Ashley D. Black
*Kory Lynn Boyd
*Meaghan L. Boyd
Dan W. Condrin
Kristine Ann Copeland
Rena M. Corey
*Kaitlin C. Dolak
Mireille Maria Elliott
Lydia Fox
Christopher M. Hatch

Shaqué C. Jones-Keyes
Cory S. Kohart
Dannielle V. McGahen
*Kamali Ian O'Brian
Trisha A. Parker
*Vincent Taylor Pickett
Maria Ann Redmond
*Christopher A. Reger
Matthew Richard Roche – *Cum Laude*
*Tessa K. Skurka
Jamie Lee Smittle
*Joseph D. Sullivan
*Terrika L. Towell

Journalism and Mass Communication

Cynthia A. Aulenbacher
*Marlenna M. Godfrey
Connor J. Hollenbeck
Aaron C. Rath
*Kaytlyn Elizabeth Smolen

Journalism and Public Relations

James P. Boyd, III
Shaylee J. Dillen
Tracy A. Geibel – *Summa Cum Laude*
Santo R. Rizzo
Leslie M. Shaeffer
William C. Stevens

Music

*Chantel L. Adkins
*Troy A. Evans
Alexandra Rose Taliani – *Summa Cum Laude*
Aaron Albert Taylor

Political Science

Alejandro F. Beach
Cassandra A. Jones
Erika Marie Krachkowski
Kevin Michael McRae
Bradley J. Nenno
*Liam M. O'Brien
Danielle M. Van Tassell

Sociology

*Farah Alicia Ali
*Stephanie M. Beveridge
Kristen M. Hall
*Stephanie M. King
Elizabeth Morgan Mansfield
*Ellan Vannin Victoria Regan – *Magna Cum Laude*
Cyle J. Schriver
Michaela Lynn Seeley
Melissa L. Strauch
Nicole A. Tatara

BACHELOR OF FINE ARTS

Fine Arts – Applied Media Arts

Victoria Ann Adams – *Cum Laude*
Zachary N. Atlas
*Jordan E. Bardo
Bryan B. Campbell
Daniel J. Donohue
Caitlin Noel Downs
Joshua T. Floravit
Chelsea Hamilton – *Summa Cum Laude*
*Calla L. Hinderliter
*Miranda M. Kanonczyk
Ashley S. Katz
Jesse D. Kaufer
Cody A. Kraehling – *Cum Laude*
Kirsten A. Lewin
Lauren N. Mong
*Michael Joseph Nebistinsky
Leah V. Oliver
*Christopher M. Orban
*Carissa R. Perez
Kristen Marie Perkins
Katheryn Marie Picard
Michael Harold Sansoucie – *Cum Laude*
Jaclyn E. Schiller
Travis M. Swoope
Elena Rosalie Tamburino
Sierra L. Ungard
Marisa Viana
Kolee K. Weaver

Fine Arts – Studio Arts

*Liana M. Agnew – *Cum Laude*
*Lewis R. Armstrong
*Ashley A. Boutiller – *Cum Laude*
Kayla Blake Comodor
Andrea Camille Darby
Katrina R. Duperree – *Summa Cum Laude*
Kathryn L. Farinola
Jenna R. Fedak
Motofuku Homma – *Magna Cum Laude*
Kelli L. Jorinscay

Megan Velvet Kunst – *Summa Cum Laude*
Daniel E. Mercer – *Summa Cum Laude*
Lisa Christine Molinengo
Adina Aloni Segal – *Magna Cum Laude*
Bradley Dean Weyandt – *Cum Laude*
Morgan Z. Will

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN ART EDUCATION

Megan D. Bowman – *Summa Cum Laude*
Brianna Kathleen Brusco – *Summa Cum Laude*
Bryan B. Campbell
Chelsea Hamilton – *Summa Cum Laude*
Megan Velvet Kunst – *Summa Cum Laude*
Rachel K. Portman

ASSOCIATE OF ARTS

Criminal Justice

Tyler M. Kasperski
Zachary R. Siegel
Heidi M. Truchanowicz
*Katie A. Uzarski

Human Services – Social Services

Kayla R. Bullock
*Abigail R. Burton
Adrian Cooper
*Zlata Dzambic
Lori Sophia Ferraro
*Christina M. Flanagan
Rose J. Harvey
*Januka D. Khadka
Megan M. Kriner
Starleen E. Matteo
Melissa L. Runiewicz
Amber M. Yeany – *With Distinction*

Liberal Studies

Tara L. Burrows
*Cristina R. Jennion
Cierra L. Layton
Viktor S. Otroda
Melanie Alexis Overturf
Jeffrey J. Regenor

#=Students who will complete degree requirements during Winter 2017.

*=Students who completed degree requirements during Summer 2016.

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COLORS DISTINCTIVE OF THE DISCIPLINES AND PROFESSIONS

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| Agriculture – <i>Maize</i> | Music – <i>Pink</i> |
| Arts, Letters, and Humanities – <i>White</i> | Nursing – <i>Apricot</i> |
| Business – <i>Drab</i> | Oratory – <i>Silver Gray</i> |
| Dentistry – <i>Lilac</i> | Pharmacy – <i>Olive Green</i> |
| Economics – <i>Copper</i> | Philosophy – <i>Dark Blue</i> |
| Education – <i>Light Blue</i> | Physical Education – <i>Sage Green</i> |
| Engineering – <i>Orange</i> | Public Administration – <i>Peacock Blue</i> |
| Fine Arts – <i>Brown</i> | Public Health – <i>Salmon Pink</i> |
| Forestry – <i>Russet</i> | Science – <i>Golden Yellow</i> |
| Journalism – <i>Crimson</i> | Social Work – <i>Citron</i> |
| Law – <i>Purple</i> | Theology – <i>Scarlet</i> |
| Library Science – <i>Lemon</i> | Veterans – <i>Red, White, and Blue</i> |
| Medicine – <i>Green</i> | Veterinary Science – <i>Gray</i> |

HONORS DESIGNATIONS

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| Summa Cum Laude – <i>Gold Stoles</i> |
| Magna Cum Laude – <i>White Stoles</i> |
| Cum Laude – <i>Red Stoles</i> |
| Associate Degree with Distinction – <i>Pin</i> |
| Edinboro University Honors Program Graduate – <i>Medallions</i> |
| Departmental Honor Graduate – <i>Red Cords</i> |

THE CEREMONIAL MACE

The ceremonial mace, a symbol of presidential authority, is carried at the head of the academic procession by the Mace Bearer. A gift of the Alumni Association, the mace was designed and executed by Professor Henry Katzwinkel and Dr. Seymour Blinderman, former chairman of the Art Department. It was first used at the inauguration of Edinboro State College by President Chester T. McNerney, in 1967.

The mace, twenty-seven inches in length, is topped by a sterling silver sphere studded with circular cabochon rubies, secured by bezels. The collar of the mace is inlaid with ebony, alternated with silver relief fleur-de-lis design elements. Cultured pearls mounted in cups encircle the bottom of the collar. The shaft of the mace is composed of Brazilian rosewood sections, separated by sterling silver rings. The mace is terminated by a cast sterling silver finial; the five cultured pearls represent the existing curricula. The rib-like cone form is terminated by a small silver sphere symbolizing the world.

The metal working processes incorporated in the ceremonial mace include turning, forging, inlaying, stone setting, and lost wax centrifugal casting.

PRESIDENTIAL MEDALLION

The first presidential medallion was presented to former President Foster F. Diebold during the May 1981 Commencement ceremonies. Designed and executed by Professor Henry Katzwinkel, the sterling silver medallion consists of a three and one-half inch pectoral pendant featuring on its face the figure of a Gordon Highlander with pipes. To the right of the piper is the Cross of St. Andrew. To the left is the Cross of England. Flanking the figure is the date 1857, the opening year of the University, and garland thistles. In the background are the hills of Scotland, and beneath the piper is an open book, a symbol of knowledge. On the reverse side is the sunken crest of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

The pendant descends from a shield containing a triple-towered castle. The collar of the medallion is comprised of a series of two-inch shields, alternately bearing three different designs: the meigle, an interlacing knotwork peculiar to the Pictish school of Celtic art; the Tudor rose design; and “ESC” in interlocking letters on a background of tabby weaving. Connecting each of the collar shields is a Cross of St. George, representing the union of Scotland and England. The entire medallion was fabricated and cast in the *cire perdue* (lost wax) process.

Surrounding the silver medallion is a gold crafted circle which reads “Edinboro University of Pennsylvania.” Professor Katzwinkel added this piece to the medallion especially for the Inauguration of President Frank G. Pogue in 1997, and it is now a permanent fixture to the medallion representing the school’s status as a University.

ACADEMIC VESTMENTS

The gown, the cap, and the hood, representing the major components of the academic dress, are a ceremonial inheritance from the medieval universities of the eleventh and twelfth centuries, where dress was the outward sign of privilege and responsibility. The academic dress worn by those participating in today’s academic processional symbolizes the level of their academic attainment and the institution they attended.

Gown

Although the gown is more frequently black, certain universities have authorized the use of colored gowns. The bachelor’s and master’s gowns are fashioned from black serge. The yoke for the bachelor’s gown is designed to be worn closed and features long, flowing and pointed sleeves. The master’s gown is designed to be worn open or closed. Its sleeves are very long with square ends, and the front part has an arc cut away. The arms protrude through a slit at the elbow. The gown for the doctor’s degree is made of wool, serge, or silk with an open front faced with wide velvet panels. The sleeves are loose and bell-shaped with three bars of velvet in black or the color of the discipline in which the doctorate was obtained.

Cap

The standard cap is the mortarboard, usually the color of the gown. The tassel is black for the baccalaureate and master’s degree and is worn over the left front quarter of the cap. The tassel for the doctor’s mortarboard is of gold thread. Undergraduates wear the tassel on the right side of the cap until the moment the degree is conferred by the president.

Hood

The most outstanding feature of the academic dress is the hood. It is usually worn only for the master’s and the doctor’s degrees. The doctor’s hood is longer than the master’s hood and has distinguished panels. The college or the university granting the degree is indicated by the color of the hood lining. The velvet trim of the hood indicates the field in which the degree was granted.

GRADUATE COMMENCEMENT CEREMONY

Louis C. Cole Auditorium, 2:00 p.m.

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| CALL TO ASSEMBLY | Edinboro University Pipes and Drums |
| CONVOCATION | Michael J. Hannan, Ph.D. <i>Provost and Vice President for Academic Affairs</i> |
| STUDENT PROCESSIONAL | Edinboro University Pipes and Drums |
| FACULTY PROCESSIONAL | Edinboro University Pipes and Drums |
| FACULTY MARSHALS | Melissa K. Gibson, Ph.D. <i>Communication Studies</i> |
| | Susan Hegel, Ph.D. <i>Speech, Language, and Hearing</i> |
| STAR SPANGLED BANNER | Alexandra Taliani, soprano <i>Francis Scott Key</i> |
| WELCOME | H. Fred Walker, Ph.D. <i>President</i> |
| TRUSTEE GREETINGS | Patricia J. Kennedy, Esquire <i>Edinboro University Council of Trustees</i> |
| STUDENT ADDRESS | William M. Bowers <i>Master of Arts, Communication Studies</i> |
| PRESENTATION OF CANDIDATES | Michael J. Hannan |
| | Alan J. Biel, Ph.D. <i>Dean, School of Graduate Studies and Research and Dean, School of Education</i> |
| | Scott E. Miller, DBA <i>Interim Dean, College of Arts, Humanities, and Social Sciences and Dean, School of Business</i> |
| | Roy E. Shinn, Ph.D. <i>Interim Associate Dean, College of Science and Health Professions</i> |
| | Erinn Lake, D.Ed. <i>Assistant Dean, School of Graduate Studies and Research and Assistant Dean, School of Education</i> |
| CONFERRING OF DEGREES | H. Fred Walker |
| RECESSIONAL | Edinboro University Pipes and Drums |

The audience is asked to stand during the Processional and to join in the singing of the National Anthem.

MACE BEARER

Dr. Charlotte J. Molrine



Leading the academic procession and representing her faculty colleagues by carrying the Ceremonial Mace at today's Graduate Commencement is Dr. Charlotte J. Molrine, a professor in the Speech, Language, and Hearing Department at Edinboro University.

Dr. Molrine's distinction as Mace Bearer is symbolic of the central role that faculty play in the academic and personal development of Edinboro University students.

Professor Molrine in 1978 received a Bachelor of Arts in Interdisciplinary Studies from Stephens College, which included one year of off-campus study at Pontificia Universidade Católica do Rio de Janeiro. In 1982, she completed a Master of Arts in Speech-Language Pathology at what was then Edinboro State College and went on to be awarded a Ph.D. in Speech-Language Pathology at Kent State University in 1998.

Dr. Molrine joined the Speech, Language, and Hearing Department in 1988 after working as a speech-language pathologist with patients with acquired brain injury. She is the former graduate Speech-Language Pathology program head (2001-2012) and chair of the department (2006-2012). She served as the vice president for Government Relations (2006-2008) and the president (2009) of the Pennsylvania Speech Language Hearing Association and was instrumental in pursuing legislation to update the profession's licensure act and in working with the Pennsylvania Department of Education to create the educational Specialist in Speech Language Pathology Certification for school-based speech-language providers. In recognition of these accomplishments, she was recognized by the Pennsylvania Speech Language Hearing Association with Honors of the Association in 2015.

In 2012-13, she was a Fulbright Teaching and Research Scholar at the University of the West Indies, St. Augustine, Trinidad, where she successfully launched the first graduate Speech-Language Pathology program in the Caribbean. She continues to help students and colleagues from the Caribbean further their education and delivery of speech-language pathology services to populations with unmet needs. Her interest in global relations, research and service outreach stems from living, working and traveling in several countries, including Brazil, the United Kingdom, Vietnam, Cambodia, Australia, New Zealand and Bonaire. She hosted a service-learning trip to Peru in 2016 for students in the Speech and Hearing Sciences program. She has reported on cross-cultural perceptions of artificial nutrition and hydration at end of life. Her current research focuses on the cognitive-communicative deficits experienced by persons with Lyme disease.

Dr. Molrine is married and has three children. She enjoys fly-fishing, quilting and gardening.

Professor Molrine's years of experience as an educator and scholar define a professional career that has impacted the lives of countless students, colleagues and the entire University community with distinction. She exemplifies the dedication and commitment of our faculty to educational excellence and to our students' success.

CORDS DISTINCTIVE OF GRADUATE HONORS

Alpha Epsilon Lambda – Red and Gray

Alpha Epsilon Lambda (AEL) recognizes the academic and leadership accomplishments of graduate and professional school students. The name is based upon the society's mission of recognizing Academic Excellence and Leadership.

Chi Sigma Iota - Epsilon Chi Chapter – Blue and White

Chi Sigma Iota (CSI), an international honor society, values and recognizes academic and professional excellence in counseling. The organization promotes a strong professional identity through professional counselors, counselor educators, and students who contribute to the realization of a healthy society by fostering wellness and human dignity.

Delta Alpha Pi – Blue and Gold

Delta Alpha Pi recognizes academic excellence and leadership of graduate and undergraduate students with disabilities. The name represents Disability, Achievement and Pride and recognizes student scholars and promotes the development of their skills in leadership, advocacy and education.

Phi Alpha – Blue and Gold

Phi Alpha Honor Society provides a closer bond among students of social work and promotes humanitarian goals and ideals. The organization fosters high standards of education for social workers and invites into membership those who have attained excellence in scholarship and achievement in social work. The cord is the recognition of academic excellence.

Sigma Theta Tau – Orchid and White

Sigma Theta Tau International Honor Society of Nursing (STTI) recognizes excellence in scholarship, leadership and exceptional achievement in nursing. The organization supports the learning, knowledge and professional development of nurses committed to making a difference in health worldwide.

Veterans – Red, White and Blue

Edinboro University honors the accomplishments of those who have served our nation in its Armed Forces, and commemorates not only the achievement of graduating from the University, but also the efforts and sacrifices of our student veterans' service to our nation.

GRADUATE DEGREES

SCHOOL OF GRADUATE STUDIES AND RESEARCH

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MASTER OF ARTS

Art

Dr. Jay Hanes, *Program Head*

Janet Justine Hockman Sheridan
Dana Lauren Smith

Communication Studies

Dr. Andrew R. Smith, *Program Head*

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William Michael Bowers, III
Cody James Boyer
*Meagen Heather Finnerty
Jasmine L. Jones
*Jessica D. Kruiise
*Alexandria Evan Thomas
Charmaine Delores Wilson

Counseling

Dr. Adrienne Dixon, *Program Head*

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Douglas Keith Boyd, Jr.
Jane Marie Brajkovich
Danielle Marie Charboneau
Caitlin Elizabeth Chasar
Karen Ann Corry
Stacy L. Cummings
Katie Yeager DePanfilis
*Caleb Andrew Elder
Jamilia Deshae Gates
Samuel Edward Glossner
*Stephanie Renee Graybill
Alexandria Rae Hasbrouck
Caitlyn Caron Heffren
Maura Kathryn Hunter
Monica Rae James
Ashlee Elizabeth Mook
Ashley Aaron Overbeck
Charity Elizabeth Patterson
Sean Richard Perhacs
Madelyn D. Simmons
Ashley Nicole Sumosky
*Jordyn Taylor Trisket
Jamie Lynn Zewe

Social Sciences

Dr. Jerra Jenrette, *Program Head*

*Aaron Patrick Duafala
Jordan C.T. Koper
Nora Anne Schillinger
*Christopher Thomas Watson

Speech Language Pathology

Dr. Mary Beth Mason-Baughman, *Program Head*

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*Olivia Marie Falcone
*Jasmine Mary Forster
*Allison June Gibbens
*Andrea Tasia Hackett
*Colleen Irene Hardiman
*Caroline M. Heilmann
*Sarah Hunt
*Kelly Christine Kohr
*Natalie May McCloskey
*Rachel McDonald
*Anne G. McPherson
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*Lydia Jeanette Moon
*Kelsey Erin Nuhfer
*Heidi Elizabeth Pavlikowski
*Sarah Bristow Peters
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*Emily Renee Werner

MASTER OF EDUCATION

Early Childhood Education

Dr. Karen Lindeman, *Program Head*

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Kristen D. Penatzer
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Cheryl Ann Trabert
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*Cody Leigh Patton
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Educational Psychology

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*Leah Caldwell Kirnan
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Christina Marie Salvia
*Richard A. Terella
Kathryn Elizabeth Thomas
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Reading

Dr. Kristin Webber, *Program Head*

Jennifer Renee Aulenbacher
Michelle Lynne Bleil
Dana Ann Bolvin
*Jessica Renea Bridge
*Terry Lynn Brock
Meagan Irene Brockway
*Danielle Marie Bronowicz
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Ashley Marie Cartwright
*Susan Eileen Cavada
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Danielle Jean Cullen
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Kari Leigh Anne Drabert
Megan Liane Duda
Pamela Suzanne Durnell
*Breanne Carlee Forcier
Amber Mikala Jackson
Amber C. Kaczmarczyk
Emily Sarah Klein
*Krystie Leigh Kramer
Amy Christine Kuvshinikov
Jennifer Ann Lindenberger
Kristin Renae Long
Lea Marie Lostetter
Megan Marie Martin
*Jena Marie Matthews
Chelsea Nicole Messinger
Amanda Mable Morrish
Amanda Rayne Moslak
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*Keeley Janelle Naulty
*Haley Elizabeth Ottaway
*Megan Elizabeth Pallo
*Jamie Nicole Palmerio
*Kristen Leigh Palmerio
*Courtney Lauren Parisi
*Monica Ann Parsell
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Special Education

Dr. Meghan Ferraro, *Program Head*

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MASTER OF SOCIAL WORK

Dr. Elaine Rinfrette, *Program Head*

*Rochelle Maxine Allen
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*Shawna Nicole Ayers
Aaron Vito Bail
*Tosha Dayle Baker
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*Lori Lee Calvario
*Dominique Desiré Campos
*Julia Lynn Cantrell
*Helen Audra Chafin-Hobert
*Amy Mercer Chapman
*Kristin Marie Christie
*Kala Loray Churchman
*Alyssa R. Clark
*Victoria Kolbe Colonette
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*Janay Elizabeth La Ville Crump
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*Kara Lee Davis
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*Caitlin Marie D'Itri
*Stephanie Lynn Dixon
*Brandolyn Latrice Drake
*Laurel Renae Fanning
*John Paul Farrell
*Rebecca Feick
*Haley Michele Fitzwater
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 Alecia Shanese Norfleet
 *Shanta Patrice Nowell
 *Adekunle Ojelade
 *Kathleen Dawn Barefield Painter
 *Nicole Marie Paonessa
 *Carmel Papworth-Barnum
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*Megan Ann Pfeifer
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 *Marah Corrine Pierce
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OUTSTANDING GRADUATE STUDENTS

Master of Arts in Art Education

Dana Lauren Smith

Master of Arts in Communication Studies

Taylor Aniela Birk

Master of Arts in Counseling

Jane Marie Brajkovich

Master of Education in Early Childhood Education

Susan Lynn Lang

Master of Education in Educational Leadership

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Master of Education in Reading

Kristen Renae Long

Master of Arts in Social Sciences

Nora Anne Schillinger

Master of Education in Special Education

David Ray Henderson

Master of Social Work

*John Paul Farrell

SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

Presentation of diplomas takes time and yet has special significance for each individual and family. Members of the audience are asked to remain in their seats until the end of the ceremony so that they do not disrupt the program or interfere with the special moments of others. Commencement is our most important occasion, and we ask you to respect its significance to the University community and to those who are being honored.

Professional photographers have been employed to photograph each graduate receiving a diploma. To avoid congestion and to maintain decorum in the ceremony, we ask that family members refrain from approaching the platform to take pictures.

Thank you for your cooperation. We hope that you will enjoy the ceremony and celebrate the achievements of our students.

Students and their families are encouraged to share their best Commencement photos and shout out their best wishes on Twitter and Facebook using the hashtag **#boroUgrad**.

For your safety, please make note of the location of your nearest exit. McComb Fieldhouse is equipped with four (4) exits, one (1) on each side of the stage and two (2) at the rear of the gymnasium.

A Safety Marshal is stationed at each of these exits. In the event that you need assistance or have an emergency, please notify the nearest Safety Marshal. In the event that we must evacuate the building, please use the nearest exit and assemble at our evacuation point in the rear parking lot. For all other emergencies, specific instructions will be announced.

The Campus Bookstore, located on the lower level of the Frank G. Pogue Student Center, will be open today from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

The Commencement ceremony will be filmed and streamed via the Internet at www.edinboronow.com. Commencement DVDs can be purchased from Edinboro University Television following the ceremony or online at eupdvd.com.

EDINBORO UNIVERSITY ALMA MATER

The musical score is written for voice and piano in 4/4 time. It consists of five systems of music. The lyrics are: "Hail to Thee our Alma Mater glo - ri - ous; fresh wreaths we bring to bind thy brow. Trials have passed and Thou hast stood vic - to - ri - ous, ne - ver fair - er, nev - er state - li - er than now; O Ed - in - bo - ro, Ed - in - bo - ro, ev - er prais - ing Thee in song, While class speeds class, as swift years pass, to Thee our hearts be - long." The score includes a piano introduction and accompaniment throughout.

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