FALL CONVOCATION

OF THE

ONE-HUNDRED and FOURTH COMMENCEMENT

Sunday, December 13, 2015
12:00 p.m. & 4:30 p.m.
FedExForum
The University of Memphis is a community that is Driven By Doing. The Senior Class Gift Program has become yet another unique opportunity for graduating seniors to DO something meaningful to support the great work that is happening all around campus.

Our mission is to educate University of Memphis students about the importance and impact of student giving and to promote a philanthropic spirit among graduating seniors. Students have an opportunity to start their legacy of giving to the University through a collective effort to give back to their alma mater. Your support of this program has helped to fund a need-based, four-year renewable scholarship for a deserving incoming freshman student – yet another shining example of how students are making a difference at the U of M.

By contributing to the Senior Class Gift, you have left behind a bit of your own personality and have taken your first steps toward becoming a proud U of M alum. Thank you for showing your support for the university that has not only given you an education – but a Tiger family for life. The Senior Class Gift Program is the bridge that connects your philanthropic spirit as a student to your continued support as a proud Tiger alum. Congratulations Graduating Seniors!

**Students Today. Alumni Forever.**

There is still time to make your Senior Class Gift!

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THE TENNESSEE BOARD OF REGENTS

The Tennessee Board of Regents is among the nation’s largest higher education systems, governing 46 post-secondary educational institutions. The TBR system includes six universities, 13 two-year colleges and 27 colleges of applied technology, providing programs across the state to 188,000 students.

MEMBERS OF THE BOARD

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HISTORICAL HERITAGE

For the last 104 years, the University of Memphis has been a catalyst for progress in the city, the state of Tennessee and the surrounding Mid-South region. As a doctoral degree-granting metropolitan research university, we are committed to excellence at all levels: undergraduate, graduate and professional. The University of Memphis’ roots date back to 1912 when it began as West Tennessee State Normal School and its main purpose was to educate public school teachers. While our name has changed several times throughout the years, the University has continued to be guided by the principles of academic integrity, sound management and equal opportunity. In 1968, it saw its first doctoral graduate, and since its doors first opened has conferred over 160,000 degrees.

The main campus lies in the heart of a widespread metropolis and combines the convenience of a large city with the atmosphere of a residential neighborhood. Additionally, the University consists of several satellite campuses, including Collierville, Dyersburg, Millington and Jackson, Tenn. In 2011, the University of Memphis obtained the Lambuth University campus and now offers four-year degrees at what is now the University of Memphis Lambuth campus.

As the flagship of the Tennessee Board of Regents system, the University of Memphis awards more than 4,000 degrees annually. Divisions of the study include the College of Arts & Sciences, Fogelman College of Business & Economics, the College of Communication and Fine Arts, the College of Education, Health and Human Sciences, Herff College of Engineering, Kemmons Wilson School of Hospitality and Resort Management, Loewenberg College of Nursing, University College, Graduate School, Cecil C. Humphreys School of Law, the School of Communication Sciences and Disorders and the School of Public Health.

The University offers 17 bachelor’s degrees in more than 50 majors and 70 concentrations, master’s degrees in more than 55 subjects, doctoral degrees in 23 disciplines, a specialist’s degree in education, the Juris Doctor and an ever-changing online degree program. Reflecting on its commitment to the highest levels of excellence in teaching and national prominence in research, the University of Memphis has five Centers of Excellence and 26 Chairs of Excellence. Its full-time faculty number more than 850. Our wireless campus educates more than 22,000 students each year. Our faculty have won national awards ranging from Emmys and Grammys to the prestigious Peabody Award. In later years, the campus has seen recent changes and additions including the opening of a newly designed University Center, opening of the FedEx Institute of Technology, the Kemmons Wilson School of Hospitality and Resort Management, the John Wilder Student Services Tower and the Michael D. Rose Theatre Lecture Hall. The Cecil C. Humphreys School of Law is now housed in the historic U.S. Customs House and Post Office in downtown Memphis, a significant achievement for both the city and the University. While instruction, service and research are our primary emphases, the University also commits its resources to the social, cultural and economic welfare of the region through partnerships with many public and private organizations. As we move toward our next 100 years, the University of Memphis is poised to enhance its national and international reputation as one of America’s great metropolitan research universities.

STUDENT GOVERNMENT ASSOCIATION

The Student Government Association is the voice of students at the University of Memphis. The SGA is comprised of three branches of government: executive, judicial (Student Court) and legislative (Senate). Elections are held in April. The SGA funds travel for individual students and organizations, including trips to conferences relating to the student’s field of academic interest and leadership conferences. It sponsors Frosh Camp to help incoming first-time freshmen establish friendships, learn about what is offered on campus, begin the adjustment to college life, and have a successful first year. The SGA also sponsors the Mr. and Ms. U of M contest during football Homecoming each fall. Student senators present resolutions as bills to the Student Senate for benefit of the general student body.

2015-2016 Officers

David Knowles, President
Raven Douglas, Vice President
Kevan Hatamzadeh, Speaker of the Senate
Cole Roe, Chief Justice
Caleb Lies, Speaker Pro Temp
Robert B. (Rob) Carter is Executive Vice President, FedEx Information Services and Chief Information Officer of FedEx Corporation. He is a member of the five-person Executive Committee, which plans and executes the corporation’s strategic business activities. Carter also serves as Co-CEO of FedEx Services, the shared service entity responsible for Sales, Marketing, Information Technology and Customer Service.

Carter joined FedEx in 1993 and has over 35 years of systems development and implementation experience. Carter is responsible for setting the technology direction of the FedEx applications, infrastructure, networks and data centers that provide around the clock and around the globe support for FedEx product offerings.

He earned his bachelor’s degree in computer and information science from the University of Florida and his master’s degree from the University of South Florida.

Carter has been awarded many industry accolades, including, Fast Company’s Most Creative People in Business 2014 and 2010, Fortune Magazine’s Executive Dream Team, Information Week’s Chief of the Year Award in 2000, 2001 and 2005, and a seven-time recipient of CIO Magazine’s 100 Award. Carter is also a charter inductee into the publication’s CIO Hall of Fame.

Carter serves on the Board of Directors of First Horizon Corporation (NYSE: FHN) and Pilot Flying J.
ACADEMIC DRESS

The following information is to help our visitors identify the costumes seen in the commencement procession:

Academic dress evolved from religious habit worn by faculty in the ancient universities who were members of religious orders. For centuries these gowns distinguished students from their fellow citizens; sometimes this distinction in dress symbolized unfortunate controversies between “town and gown.” The European habit of using academic robes came to this country in the eighteenth century with the founding of what is now Columbia University. In 1895, American universities and colleges standardized their styles of academic costumes, and this system, with occasional modifications, is still in force. Today, the various colors, trimmings, and patterns of gown, hood, and cap are all traditional and symbolize both the degree and field of learning.

GOWNS: American academic gowns are usually of black material, and their pattern varies with the degree held. The bachelor gowns are relatively simple in design with a closed front and long, pointed, open sleeves. Master’s gowns have an open front with long, closed sleeves, the arms extending through a slit at the elbow, giving the appearance of short sleeves. Doctoral gowns are the most elaborate with velvet panels down the open front and three velvet bars on the bell-shaped sleeves.

HOODS: The hoods, differing in length for the three degrees (bachelor’s, master’s, and doctor’s), are lined with the colors of the institution that granted the degree. Hoods are also trimmed with the color that heralds the major field of learning.

CAPS: A square mortarboard is the approved headgear. The tassel, fastened to the middle point of the top of the cap, is black or the color appropriate to the subject; it may be gold if the holder has a doctor’s degree. The University of Memphis has adopted the practice of having candidates for the bachelor degree wear the tassels on the right front side before degrees are conferred and shift them to the left at the moment when the degrees are awarded to them.

In the last few years, many universities have decided to return to a distinctive gown design. For instance, Columbia’s is now slate gray, Rochester’s a dandelion yellow, Northwestern’s is purple. The doctoral gown, with facing of black velvet, now has sleeve bands in the color of the wearer’s discipline. Some have replaced the mortarboard with a soft velvet tam with a gold tassel.

Following is a list of the hood and tassel colors that represent several categories of learning:

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<th>Arts, Letters, Humanities</th>
<th>White</th>
<th>Health Administration</th>
<th>Green</th>
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<td>Architecture</td>
<td>Violet</td>
<td>Journalism</td>
<td>Crimson</td>
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<td>Audiology</td>
<td>Forest Green</td>
<td>Law</td>
<td>Purple</td>
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<td>Speech Pathology</td>
<td>Royal Blue</td>
<td>Music</td>
<td>Pink</td>
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<td>City &amp; Regional Planning</td>
<td>Scarlet Red</td>
<td>Nursing</td>
<td>Apricot</td>
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<td>Commerce, Accountancy, Business</td>
<td>Sapphire Blue</td>
<td>Philosophy</td>
<td>White</td>
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<td>Communication Arts</td>
<td>Silver Gray</td>
<td>Physical Education</td>
<td>Light Blue</td>
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<td>Economics</td>
<td>Copper</td>
<td>Public Administration</td>
<td>Peacock Blue</td>
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<tr>
<td>Education</td>
<td>Light Blue</td>
<td>Public Health</td>
<td>Salmon</td>
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<td>Engineering</td>
<td>Orange</td>
<td>Science</td>
<td>Golden Yellow</td>
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<tr>
<td>Fine Arts</td>
<td>Brown</td>
<td>Social Work</td>
<td>Citron</td>
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All hoods are edged with the above colors. These same colors may be used for the facing and sleeve bars of doctoral gowns and tassels on bachelors' and masters' caps.

The lining of the hood indicates the university granting the degree—for The University of Memphis, blue and gray. Among other institutional colors represented at this commencement are those for Arkansas, red and white; Chicago, maroon; Columbia, light blue and white chevron; Duke, royal blue with white chevron; Emory, navy blue with gold chevron; Harvard, crimson; Illinois, navy blue with two orange chevrons; University of Iowa, old gold; Kansas, navy blue with cardinal chevron; Northwestern, purple with gold chevrons; Ohio State, scarlet with silver gray chevron; Rice, silver above blue; Texas, white above orange; Vanderbilt, black and gold; Virginia Tech, orange and maroon; Wisconsin, bright red; Yale, royal blue.
COMMON CENTS CAMPAIGN

Congratulations, Graduates! Thank you to those who supported the Common Cents Student Giving Campaign! Your gifts to the McWherter Library Laptop Project will have a lasting impact at the University of Memphis. Your support influences future University of Memphis classes who will be inspired by your leadership. To view the entire list of student donors, visit www.memphis.edu/commoncents.

UNDERGRADUATE
CANDIDATES FOR DEGREES

GRADUATION WITH DISTINCTION

Based on a grading system of “A” as 4.0, three designations of graduation honors are recognized.*

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<th>Honor</th>
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<td>Cum laude</td>
<td>3.25 - 3.49</td>
<td>White Cord</td>
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GRADUATION WITH HONORS

Students may earn Honors distinction by meeting requirements of the campus-wide University Honors Program and/or fulfilling requirements for departmental honors programs. These requirements involve a combination of special honors coursework, independent study, and usually an honors thesis or project. Students who successfully complete University Honors Program requirements are awarded their degrees with honors (e.g., University Honors or University Honors with Thesis). Students completing departmental honors programs are awarded their degree with honors in their area of concentration (e.g., With Honors in English).

*Note: The commencement program is a roster of candidates, not an official list of graduates. Appropriate degrees and honors will be awarded to candidates who successfully complete all requirements by established deadlines. The posting of the earned degree on the official university transcript is the institution’s affirmation of possession of the degree.

Because of time limitations imposed in preparing this program for commencement, listing for graduation with distinction was based on a minimum of forty-two (42) semester hours at the University of Memphis and the grade point average as of the term prior to the final semester.
FIRST CEREMONY

12:00 P.M.

DOCTORAL HOODING CEREMONY

CECIL C. HUMPHREYS SCHOOL OF LAW
COLLEGE OF COMMUNICATION AND FINE ARTS
UNIVERSITY COLLEGE
COLLEGE OF ARTS & SCIENCES
FIRST CEREMONY PRESIDENT'S PLATFORM PARTY

LEFT SIDE
1. Dr. Karen Weddle-West, Provost
2. Dr. Robert J. Jackson, Associate Vice Provost IT, CIO Information Technology Services
3. Dr. Rosie Phillips Bingham, Vice President for Student Affairs
4. Mr. David Knowles, President, Student Government Association
5. Mr. Kim Barnett, President, National Alumni Association Board of Directors
6. Dr. Wade Jackson, President, Faculty Senate
7. Dr. Jeffrey Allen Murdock Jr., Soloist
8. Dr. Rajiv Grover, Dean, Fogelman College of Business & Economics
9. Dr. Tim Ryan, Associate Professor, Kemmons Wilson School of Hospitality and Resort Management
10. Dr. Lin Zhan, Dean, Loewenberg College of Nursing
11. Dr. Ernest Rakow, Dean, College of Education
12. Dr. Richard Joseph Sweigard, Dean, Herff College of Engineering
13. Dr. Marian Levy, Assistant Dean, School of Public Health
14. Dr. Sylverna V. Ford, Dean, University Libraries

PRONOUNCERS
1. Dr. M. David Rudd, President
2. Mr. Robert B. Carter, Speaker & Executive Vice President and Chief Information Officer for the FedEx Corporation
3. Dr. Andrew Meyers, Vice President for Research and Executive Director, University of Memphis Research Foundation
4. Dr. Jasbir Dhaliwal, Chief Innovation Officer of the University of Memphis and Vice Provost/Dean of the Graduate School
5. Dr. Thomas Nenon, Dean, College of Arts & Sciences
6. Dr. Joanne Gikas, Assistant Dean, University College
7. Dr. Richard R. Ranta, Dean, College of Communication and Fine Arts
8. Dr. Linda Jarmulowicz, Dean, School of Communication Sciences and Disorders
9. Ms. Melanie Murry, University Counsel
10. Ms. Tammy Hedges, Vice President for External Relations
11. Dr. Linda Jarmulowicz, Dean, School of Communication Sciences and Disorders
12. Dr. Jasbir Dhaliwal, Chief Innovation Officer of the University of Memphis and Vice Provost/Dean of the Graduate School
13. Mr. Peter Letsou, Dean, Cecil C. Humphreys School of Law

Pronouncer
Mr. Jacob Allen
Assistant Professor, Musical Theatre

Pronouncer
Ms. Tammy R. Jones
Instructor, English
PROGRAM

Pre-Commencement Concert features Prelude and Fanfare selections performed by:

University of Memphis Graduate String Quartet
University of Memphis Graduate Brass Quintet
University of Memphis Woodwind Quintet

Dr. Albert T. Nguyen, Conductor

PRESIDING ............................................................................................................................................................................... Dr. Karen Weddle-West, Provost

PROCESSIONAL*
Pomp and Circumstance March No. 1 ........................................................................................................................................ Sir Edward Elgar

Arranged by Dr. James Richens

PRESENTATION OF COLORS* .................................................................................................................................................... The Color Guard

United States Army, Air Force and Navy Reserve Officers Training Corps

THE STAR SPANGLED BANNER* ................................................................................................................................................ Francis Scott Key

Dr. Jeffrey Allen Murdock, Jr., Soloist

SALUTATIONS TO THE CLASS
President, Student Government Association ............................................................................................................................. Mr. David Knowles

THE PRESIDENT'S WELCOME .................................................................................................................................................. Dr. M. David Rudd

ADDRESS .................................................................................................................................................................................. Mr. Robert B. Carter

PRESENTATION OF THE CANDIDATES ....................................................................................................................................... The Academic Deans

CONFERRAL OF DEGREES IN COURSE ..................................................................................................................................... Dr. M. David Rudd

University of Memphis Alumni Association .................................................................................................................................. Mr. Kim Barnett

PRONOUNCER ................................................................................................................................................................................ Mr. Jacob Allen and Ms. Tammy R. Jones

The Doctoral Degrees
The Law Degrees
The Specialist and Masters Degrees
The Baccalaureate Degrees

THE ALMA MATER* .......................................................................................................................................................................... J. W. Brister

Dr. Murdock, Soloist

RECESSIONAL*
Die Bankelsängerleider ................................................................................................................................................................. Anonymous

*Please stand as you are able

Guests are requested to remain in guest seating during the ceremony; and, after the Alma Mater, to remain in place until the Platform Party has departed.
THE GRADUATE SCHOOL

Chief Innovation Officer of the University of Memphis and Vice Provost/Dean of the Graduate School, Jasbir Dhaliwal, Ph.D.

The Graduate School of The University of Memphis is the center of advanced study and research within the University. The basic objectives of The Graduate School are: (a) to preserve and disseminate knowledge now available in the humanities, the sciences, and the various professional areas represented by the departmental graduate faculties; (b) to extend knowledge through basic research; and (c) to prepare men and women to assume a more responsible and useful role in society.

DOCTOR OF MUSICAL ARTS

Heather Ann Martin Bixler – Rudi E. Scheidt School of Music
BMU, 1987, Indiana University, Bloomington
MMU, 1991, The Juilliard School
Dissertation: "Meeting at a Crossroad: Classical Music and Traditional Irish Music Taught in the Same Space"
Major Professor: Dr. Janet K. Page

Daniel Chu Brown – Rudi E. Scheidt School of Music
AA, 1998, Wallace State Community College
BM, 2002, University of Alabama at Birmingham
MM, 2004, University of Alabama, Tuscaloosa
Dissertation: "A Political Interpretation of C. F. D. Schubart’s Poem ‘Die Forelle’ and the Musical Settings of the Same Title by Schubert and Franz Schubert"
Major Professor: Dr. Randal Rushing

Cody Steven Hunter – Rudi E. Scheidt School of Music
BM, 2009, University of Wisconsin-Stevens Point
MM, 2011, University of Minnesota, Twin Cities
Dissertation: "The History and Current Use of Bassoon Speaker Keys"
Major Professor: Dr. Lecolion Washington

Long Long Kang – Rudi E. Scheidt School of Music
BFA, 2000, National Taiwan University
MM, 2005, Mannes School of Music, The New School
Dissertation: "Pablo de Sarasate and His Magic Flute Fantasy: A Performer’s Analysis and Performance Guide"
Major Professor: Dr. Janet K. Page

Hankuy Lim – Rudi E. Scheidt School of Music
BM, 1990, Seoul National University
MM, 1996, Westminster Choir College, Rider University
Dissertation: "Giuseppe Verdi’s ‘Messa de Requiem’: Issues for Conductors in Performance Practice"
Major Professor: Dr. Larry Edwards

Jamie Lynne Weaver – Rudi E. Scheidt School of Music
AA, 2006, McLennan Community College
BM, 2008, Baylor University
MM, 2010, Baylor University
Dissertation: "The Art of Practicing for the Elementary and Middle School Violinist: Some Problems and Solutions for Teachers"
Major Professor: Dr. Janet K. Page
DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY

Rooh Ul Amin – Department of English
BA, 2001, University of Peshawar
MA, 2003, University of Peshawar
Dissertation: “Situating the Self: Identity and Power Relationships in a Pakistani ESL Classroom”
Major Professor: Dr. Sage L. Graham

Megan Lee Avery – Department of Psychology
BA, 2009, University of Memphis
MS, 2011, University of Memphis
Dissertation: “Using Latent Variable Mixture Modeling to Understand Trauma-Related Outcomes”
Major Professor: Dr. Meghan McDevitt-Murphy
(August, 2015)

Reginald Bell, Jr. – Department of Communication
BA, 2004, Birmingham-Southern University
MDIV, 2007, Emory University
Dissertation: “Living Your Best Life: Identities of Televangelist Joel Osteen and His Imagined Audience”
Major Professor: Dr. Antonio de Velasco

Roy Dean Dowdy – Department of History
BS, 1995, Troy State University
MS, 2001, Troy State University
Major Professor: Dr. Stephen K. Stein

Heather L. Fleming – Department of Chemistry
BS, 2009, University of Memphis
MS, 2013, University of Memphis
Dissertation: “High Performance Liquid Chromatography Tandem Mass Spectrometry for Trace Analysis in Environmental Samples”
Major Professor: Dr. Paul S. Simone, Jr.

Amber M. Hendricks – Department of English
BA, 2005, Mississippi Valley State University
MA, 2006, Northwestern State University
Dissertation: “Today’s not Yesterday, and All Things Have an Ending” – Stevie Wonder’s Proximate Soul and the Black Arts Movement”
Major Professor: Dr. Reginald Martin

Henry You-Chee Hua – Department of Psychology
BA, 2007, University of California, Berkeley
MS, 2012, University of Memphis
Dissertation: “Effects of Spaced Practice on Learning Musical Intervals”
Major Professor: Dr. Philip Pavlik

April Kathleen Lenoir – Department of English
BA, 2007, University of Southern Mississippi
MA, 2009, State University of New York, Binghamton
Dissertation: “Haunted by History: Specters of the Past in Literature of the Global South”
Major Professor: Dr. Theron C. Britt

Haiying Li – Department of Psychology
BA, 1999, Hebei Normal University
MA, 2003, Hebei Normal University
Dissertation: “The Impact of Pedagogical Agents’ Conversational Formality on Learning and Learner Impressions”
Major Professor: Dr. Arthur C. Graesser

Akramalsadat Mostafanejad – Department of Earth Sciences
BS, 2005, University of Tehran
Dissertation: “Treatise on Seismicity and Velocity Structure of the Northern Mississippi Embayment”
Major Professor: Dr. Charles A. Langston

Cecilia Anyango Nyamwandha – Department of Earth Sciences
BS, 2006, University of Nairobi
Diploma, 2010, Abdus Salam International Center for Theoretical Physics
Dissertation: “A Joint Local, Regional and Teleseismic Tomography Study and Shear Wave Splitting Beneath the Mississippi Embayment and the New Madrid Seismic Zone”
Major Professor: Dr. Christine A. Powell

Paul Otieno Ogwari – Department of Earth Sciences
BS, 2005, University of Nairobi
MS, 2011, University of Memphis
Dissertation: “Pore-Pressure Diffusion Based on Analysis and Characterization of Microseismicity in Central Arkansas”
Major Professor: Dr. Christine A. Powell
DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY

Farimah Salami – Department of Biological Sciences
  BS, 2003, Ferdowsi University of Mashdad
  MS, 2008, University of Arak
  Dissertation: "Molecular Role of Dab2ip GTPase Activating Protein in Brain Development"
  Major Professor: Dr. Ramin Homayouni

Vivek Mayura Shandilya – Department of Computer Science
  BE, 2005, Bangalore University of Engineering and Technology
  MS, 2011, University of Memphis
  Dissertation: "A Network Security Game Model"
  Major Professor: Dr. Sajjan Shiva

Harry Roger Young, Jr. – Department of History
  AA, 1999, Gloucester County College
  BA, 2001, Rowan University
  MA, 2003, Rutgers University
  Major Professor: Dr. Aram Goudsouzian
The faculty of the School of Law is proud to present for conferral of the Juris Doctor degree the men and women who have successfully met all of the requirements for graduation as established by the School of Law. These graduates are not only prepared to enter into the practice of law, but they also are prepared for a lifetime of leadership in the legal profession. The School of Law endeavors to instill in each graduate a sense of responsibility to improve the access to legal services for all persons and every segment of society. Above all, the School of Law endeavors to impress upon each graduate the necessity for maintaining the high ethical standards that are expected of lawyers in today’s society. The graduates are entering a profession that is vital to the preservation of a free and democratic society, and they are well prepared for the challenges that lie ahead.

JURIS DOCTOR

James C. Ball III  
BA, 2001, Mississippi State University

Joseph Wallace Smith  
BBA, 2012, The University of Memphis

Larry Williams, Jr.  
MBA, 1999, The University of Memphis

Jarred Scott Conway  
MBA, 2011, Freed-Hardeman University

BS, 2010, Upper Iowa University

Reuven M. Stein  
BA, 2004, Hebrew Theological College

BS, 1998, Tuskegee University

Chase Hamilton Miller  
BA, 2011, University of Oklahoma

Joseph Christopher Stiles  
BS, 2002, Lee University
COLLEGE OF COMMUNICATION AND FINE ARTS
Dean Richard R. Ranta, Ph.D.

The College of Communication and Fine Arts is ultimately centered on visual and audible symbols whose rational and emotional values it is the mission of the College to create and explore. In the belief that perception is largely shaped by experience, the College of Communication and Fine Arts offers a range of symbolically rendered experiences, both individual and collective, in the hope of broadening and sensitizing the perceptions of its students.

Through its various professional courses of study, it prepares students to work toward careers in architecture and design, the fine or applied arts, communication, or the performing arts, whether as practitioners, teachers, artists, or consultants. The College offers four degrees by which to accomplish its purposes:

MASTER OF ARTS
The candidates for this degree have majored in art history, communication or journalism.

Kimberly Alexandria Exford
BA, 2010, University of West Georgia

Russell D. Luna
BS, 2009, Middle Tennessee State University

Lauren Brooke Turner
BA, 2011, University of Tennessee, Chattanooga

William Douglas Gillon
BJ, 2005, University of Missouri, Columbia

Trevor Dennis Stack
BA, 2009, University of Memphis

Rachel Laine Wilhite
BA, 2010, Mississippi State University

COLLEGE OF COMMUNICATION AND FINE ARTS
Dean Richard R. Ranta, Ph.D.

Heather Elizabeth Hall
BFA, 2009, The University of Memphis

Sheila N. Johnston
BS, 2003, Texas Christian University

Colin David Kidder
BA, 2005, College of Santa Fe

Susan C. Sanders
BA, 2004, Freed-Hardeman University

Kimberly Alexandria Exford
BA, 2010, University of West Georgia

Russell D. Luna
BS, 2009, Middle Tennessee State University

Lauren Brooke Turner
BA, 2011, University of Tennessee, Chattanooga

William Douglas Gillon
BJ, 2005, University of Missouri, Columbia

Trevor Dennis Stack
BA, 2009, University of Memphis

Rachel Laine Wilhite
BA, 2010, Mississippi State University
MASTER OF FINE ARTS
The candidates for this degree have majored in art or theatre.

Toni Michelle Roberts
BFA, 2010, University of Mississippi

MASTER OF MUSIC
The candidates for this degree have concentrated in conducting, performance, composition, musicology, Orff Schulwerk, pedagogy, music education, or jazz and studio music.

Nicholas Seth Gaskill
BM, 2012, Arkansas State University

BACHELOR OF ARTS
Candidates for the oldest of the traditional baccalaureate degrees are students who have majored in art history; journalism with concentrations in either advertising, broadcast news, public relations, internet journalism or newspaper/magazine; or communication with concentrations in broadcast and electronic media, communication, communication studies or film and video production.

Anna Joy Batchelor, summa cum laude
Nicholas John Naveiras, summa cum laude

Joseph Alan Camp, magna cum laude
Joshua Tyler Cannon, magna cum laude
Brooke Fearnley, cum laude
Samantha Marie Gordon, cum laude

Megan Kathleen Cook, magna cum laude
Catherine Elizabeth Person, magna cum laude
Hannah Nicole Johnson, cum laude
Emilee McGuinn, cum laude

Aidan Porter, magna cum laude, University Honors
Ian Robert Ripple, magna cum laude
Robert Thomas Porter, cum laude
Taryn Tucker, cum laude
BACHELOR OF ARTS

Ashley Allen
Patrick Richard Anglade
Camilla Susanna Buoni
Derek Jamal Cannon
Samantha Curry
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Kitaen DeRai’ Jones
Jessie Joyce
Austin Kemker
Connor King

Jonathan Knox
Darius Brandon Lee
Jasmine Le’Shele Lester
Melissa Manasco
Briana Nicole Mason
Nicole Christine Moreno
Emily Alice Murphy
Kristin Marilyn Polizzi
Devon Givonté Robertson
Courtney Dechele Stafford
Matthew Thomas
Semere Seyoum Woldekidan
Heather B. Zepponi

BACHELOR OF FINE ARTS

Candidates for this degree have majored in architecture; interior design; or art with concentrations in either art education; graphic design; ceramics, painting, sculpture, and printmaking; or photography; or theatre and dance with concentrations in either performance, design and technical production or dance. These graduates have been provided with greater opportunities for specialized study in their chosen field than could be possible under other baccalaureate programs.

Ashlen Battistelli, magna cum laude
Kelcey Elmore, magna cum laude
Jacob Lacher, magna cum laude
Anna Maria Maranise, magna cum laude

Emily Kate Price, magna cum laude
Emily Sindem-Redding, magna cum laude,
University Honors, Honors in Architecture

Hayley A. Tillery, magna cum laude
Olena Zharova, magna cum laude

Thomas Sully Allen, cum laude
Joseph M. Bendall, cum laude
Samuel Blackwell, cum laude

Amber Lynn Iacopelli, cum laude
Rachel A. Lawson, cum laude
Malory Marlin, cum laude

Keona McClough, cum laude
Brooke Smith, cum laude

Charles Allen Bayer II
Derek Mark Anthony Bridgewater, Jr.
Adam C. Clark
Laura Curry
William Thomas Gallagher

Terrell Harmon
Anna Jean Irace
Chelsea Joyner
Lauren Nicole Kuhn
Zachary Chase Morgan

Jessica Ingrid Otis
Rebecca Pace
Kia Hope Peppard
Kathryn A. Sloan
BACHELOR OF MUSIC

Candidates for this professional degree have majored in music with concentrations in performance; sacred music; composition; music history; or school music; jazz and studio performance or jazz and studio composition/arranging or in music industry with concentrations in music business, and recording technology. These graduates have been provided with a greater opportunity for specialized study in a field of music than would be possible under other baccalaureate programs.

Zachary D. McCoy, summa cum laude
William Hammer, cum laude

Misty Danielle Ingram
Rashid Lawal
Gloria Marisol Lou
Joshua Thomas McKemey
Jeffery Miles Naylor
Matthew L. Taylor
As The University of Memphis’ college of lifelong learning, University College works with students on the development and completion of individualized and interdisciplinary degree programs. Through its Division of Baccalaureate Programs, it offers a wide variety of interdisciplinary concentrations and individualized degree opportunities leading to the Bachelor of Professional Studies and the Bachelor of Liberal Studies. Through its Division of Paralegal Studies, it offers a baccalaureate concentration in Paralegal Services. Through its Regents Online Degree Program, it offers online majors in Organizational Leadership, Information Technology, and Interdisciplinary Studies. Through its Division of Graduate Studies, it offers the interdisciplinary Master of Arts in Liberal Studies, the Master of Professional Studies, and the Master of Science degree in Merchandising and Consumer Science.

MASTER OF ARTS IN LIBERAL STUDIES
These candidates have completed a required core of Liberal Studies courses, an interdisciplinary Coordinated Study of Liberal Studies courses from The College of Arts and Sciences and The College of Communication and Fine Arts, and a Special Project in Liberal Studies.

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MASTER OF PROFESSIONAL STUDIES
The Master of Professional Studies with a concentration in Strategic Leadership is an interdisciplinary graduate degree for leaders in the workplace; the degree includes course-work in leadership, communication, strategic planning and assessment, organizational structure, and research/data analysis.

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MASTER OF PROFESSIONAL STUDIES

The Master of Professional Studies is an interdisciplinary graduate degree in the social sciences and professions with concentrations in Strategic Leadership, Human Resources Leadership, and Training and Development. The degree includes coursework in leadership, communication, strategic planning and assessment, organizational structure, e-learning technologies, management and design of training materials, and research/data analysis.

Catherine Michelle Gianella Barber
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Josh Ray Enochs
BPS, 2009, University of Memphis

Kenneth Dean Franklin, Jr.
BBA, 1995, University of Memphis

Fredrick Jerome Matting, Jr.
AAS, 2008, Southwest Tennessee Community College

BPS, 2010, University of Memphis

Brittany Marie Moore
BA, 2009, Rhodes College

Erica Delise Taylor
BPS, 2008, University of Memphis

Marlene Vera
BCOJ, 2008, University of Puerto Rico, Arecibo
BACHELOR OF LIBERAL STUDIES

L Shiann Ross, summa cum laude

Hilary Dawn DeLuco, cum laude

Hannah Elizabeth Garrard, cum laude

Kaylor Roberts, cum laude, University Honors

Delton Balentine, cum laude
Amanda Leigh Baskin, cum laude
Bibiana Abonce
Tunya Yvette Alexander
Andre D. Allen
Molly Parkinson Artz
Xavaier L. Baldwin
Bridget N. Barr
Chelsea-Lynn Nicole Bogda
Ryan Jamal Burchfield
Stoney B. Butler, Jr.
Lenetrice Canady
Jerrica Jerrisa Carr
Brandy Michelle Carter
Craig Caufield
Bettie M. Coleman
Glendon N. Coombs, Jr.
Ginger Raquel Cope
Irene Mary Coriaty
Lesa Brooke Corley
Ryan M. Cramer
Hannah Kate Cunningham
Kimberly Homer Daily
Natalie Daniels
Jessica Taylor Duncan
Desiree Patrice Dyson
Melanie D. Ellis
Rachel Ellison
Joy E. Eye
Isaiah Christopher Farris
Carolyn E. Friedman
Laquintin Garner
Vickissious Tosonya Harrell
Jessica Amber Harris
Kimberly D Collier Hearns
Brandon Rashad Henderson
Christia H. Henderson
Chasitie Nichole Hobson
Marvin Davis Hunter
Muhamad Ibrahim
Amelia Dominique Ingram
Tara L. Ingram
Pennis L. Istre
Eva S. Jones
Tevin Terrell Jones
Morgan Ingram Kail
Susanne Nan Koenig
Matthew Ryan Krull
John Lynn III
Vaughn Mackarthur Maness, Jr.
Trevin McClora
Alicia Danielle Moore
David Martin Morelli, Jr.
Dorothy Rosetta Morris
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Jude J. Nowicki
John Patton
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Tumira D. Wicks
Arthurene Sheryl Williams
Darricka Lynn Wilson
Auriel Woods
Aarica Danielle Words
The aims and purposes of The College of Arts and Sciences are, summarized in these words that serve as part of our official statement in the catalog issue of the University Bulletin: “The program of liberal studies aims (1) to provide students with a store of factual knowledge; (2) to introduce them to varying sets of principles; (3) to stimulate them to think about and to evaluate these facts and principles; and (4) to encourage them to order their own affairs and those of society with the talent, insight, and discrimination which they develop.” We have been privileged to pursue these aims with the following students who are candidates for the seven degrees which we offer:

**MASTER OF ARTS**

The candidates for this degree have majored in anthropology, criminal justice, earth sciences, English, history, philosophy, political science, romance languages, school psychology, or sociology.

Natalhie Aguilar  
BA, 2013, University of Memphis

Regan Elizabeth Chandler  
BS, 2013, University of Tennessee at Chattanooga

Jose De Jesus Magana  
BA, 2013, University of Memphis

Taylor J. Arnold  
BA, 2011, University of Arkansas

Dale Randolph Dean  
BA, 1993, Columbia College-Missouri

Ryan Mansour  
BA, 2015, University of Memphis

Bilge Akbalik  
BA, 2006, Middle East Technical University

Lorena De Frias  
BA, 2013, Michigan State University

Sarah Kathryn Marshall  
BS, 2007, James Madison University

Corey Lorenzo Barnes  
BA, 2006, Fisk University

Marie Allison Dennan  
BA, 2010, University of Memphis

Gregory Grant Monroe  
BS, 2012, University of Tennessee at Martin

Jonathan Michael Bauer  
MA, 2009, Union Theological Seminary

MPS, 2015, University of Memphis

JD, 2015, University of Memphis

Kellene Granada Davis  
BA, 2009, The University of Memphis

Kerry Lynn Jones  
BA, 2013, Louisiana State University

Kevin Michael Newton  
BA, 2012, University of Memphis

MS, 2015, University of Memphis

Ryan Falbisaner  
BA, 2009, Warren Wilson College

Yves Mai Orsino  
BA, 2013, University of Memphis

Daniel Guerra-Monje  
BA, 1998, Arkansas Tech University

Charmaine Ann Cruz Patino  
BA, 2014, Christian Brothers University

MA, 2001, University of Memphis

Hannah M. Patterson  
BS, 2013, Youngstown State University

Kerry Lynn Jones  
BA, 2013, University of Memphis
MASTER OF ARTS

Steven Jon Payne  
BA, 2004, Florida State University

Bobby Lynn Porter II  
BA, 2010, University of Memphis

Thomas Jordan Prentiss  
BA, 2011, University of Memphis  
JD, 2015, University of Memphis

Scott Roth  
BA, 1991, University of Nebraska, Kearney  
MA, 2010, Bellevue University

Kyra Kalina Sanchez Clapper  
BA, 2013, Christian Brothers University  
MA, 2015, University of Memphis

Eboni Corinne Sharp  
BA, 2014, Washington University in St. Louis

Destiny Ariel Smith  
BA, 2014, Rhodes College

Shayla Miquet Sullivan  
BA, 2014, University of Memphis

Anna Phillips Talley  
BA, 2012, Wellesley College

Gregory Alexander Woodberry  
BA, 2012, University of Tennessee, Knoxville

Maria Carolina Zarate  
BS, 1995, Southern New Hampshire University

MASTER OF CITY AND REGIONAL PLANNING

The candidates for this degree have placed emphasis on areas of study such as land use and transportation planning, land use regulations or urban design.

Travis Mitchell Allen  
BS, 2005, University of Wisconsin, La Crosse

Robert Monroe Baxter  
BA, 2012, Centre College

MASTER OF FINE ARTS

The candidates for this degree have majored in creative writing.

Brandon Christopher Dahlberg  
BA, 2012, University of Memphis

Matthew Scott Hellams  
BA, 2010, Lambuth University

Eric Myles McQuade  
BS, 2002, The Citadel
MASTER OF PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION
The candidates for this degree have majored in public administration with emphasis in the areas of non-profit administration or public policy and management.

Delilah Denise Hicks  
BS, 2006, Lane College  
Crystal E. Martin  
BS, 2002, University of California, Davis  
Dwayne Spencer  
BPS, 2013, University of Memphis  
Michael Joseph Smith  
BA, 2013, Christian Brothers University

MASTER OF SCIENCE
The candidates for this degree have majored in applied computer science, bioinformatics, biology, chemistry, computer science, earth sciences, mathematical sciences, physics, or psychology.

Oluwaseun Jessica Ajayi  
BS, 2011, Mississippi State University  
Alyssa J. Goggins  
BS, 2013, Eastern University  
Justin Michael Paul  
BS, 2012, Juniata College  
Sri Ram Gopal Annamreddi  
BE, 2011, Andhra University  
Matthew L. Greenwood  
BA, 2008, Sewanee: University of the South  
Keith Thomas Shubeck  
BA, 2010, University of Memphis  
Dylan Wayne Benningfield  
BS, 2013, Murray State University  
Anthony Christopher Grow  
BS, 2009, University of Memphis  
Alka Rani Singh  
BS, 2011, Guru Gobind Singh Indrapastha University  
Neeta Bharti  
BS, 2009, Gujarat University  
MS, 2010, Gujarat University  
Zade Ramses Holloway  
BA, 2012, University of Arkansas at Little Rock  
Melissa Anne Smigelsky  
BA, 2008, Wheaton College  
MA, 2012, Wheaton College  
Andrew K. Brock  
BSME, 2012, University of Memphis  
Maria Vy Luong  
BS, 2014, University of Memphis  
John Leonard Snyder, Jr.  
BS, 2010, University of Memphis  
BSET, 2010, University of Memphis  
John Michael Bursi  
BA, 2013, University of Memphis  
Courtney Maclin  
BA, 2011, Florida A&M University  
Tiffany Spight  
BS, 2002, Mississippi State University  
Kathryn Dee Coleman  
BAED, 2008, University of Mississippi  
Akramalsadat Mostafanejad  
BS, 2005, University of Tehran  
Anusha Sudini  
BTECH, 2012, Jawaharlal Nehru Technological University  
Brandon Chevez Curry  
BS, 2013, University of Memphis  
Dipesh Neupane  
BS, 2006, Tribhuvan University  
John Leonard Snyder, Jr.  
BS, 2010, University of Memphis  
BSET, 2010, University of Memphis  
Sindhuja Datla  
BTECH, 2010, Jawaharlal Nehru Technological University  
MS, 2010, Banaras Hindu University  
Tiffany Spight  
BS, 2002, Mississippi State University  
Ansley Victoria Geno  
BS, 2012 Union University  
Cecilia Anyango Nyamwandha  
BS, 2006, University of Nairobi  
Diploma, 2010, Abdus Salam International Center for Theoretical Physics
MASTER OF SOCIAL WORK

Christy Michelle Phelps
BS, 1992, Mississippi University for Women

BACHELOR OF ARTS

The candidates for this degree have majored in African and African American Studies, Anthropology, Criminology and Criminal Justice, Economics, English, Foreign Languages, Geography, History, International Studies, Philosophy, Political Science, Psychology, Social Work, or Sociology.

Andrea C. Bippus, summa cum laude
Megan Colleen Boatman, summa cum laude
JoAnna Boutdreaux, summa cum laude
Melanie Ann Clarke, summa cum laude
Allyn Gratzar, summa cum laude

Alison Grimmig, summa cum laude,
University Honors
Brandon Kimler, summa cum laude,
University Honors

Michael Jason McAlpin, summa cum laude
Brian Rex McMurry, summa cum laude
Jamie Lynn Padden, summa cum laude
Aoife Siobhan Whiteacre, summa cum laude,
University Honors

Andrew Pate Archer, magna cum laude
Judy L. Baker, magna cum laude
Jonathan Michael Barnhart, magna cum laude
Jared Michael Bartlett, magna cum laude
Logan Hightower Berry, magna cum laude,
University Honors
Mya R. Bright, magna cum laude
Lynsee Brinkerhoff, magna cum laude
Khadeijdra Carson, magna cum laude,
University Honors
Hannah Crain, magna cum laude, University
Honors with Thesis
Rebekah Elizabeth David, magna cum laude
Kinyuda Rena Daye, magna cum laude

Sarah Elizabeth DeLozier, magna cum laude,
University Honors
Chad Taylor Forsythe, magna cum laude
Claressa S. Glaspie, magna cum laude
Madeleine Marie Holdford, magna cum laude,
University Honors with Thesis
Kyle Watson Holley, magna cum laude
Joshua Blair Jacobs, magna cum laude
Joshua Michaiiah Jenkins, magna cum laude
Andrea S. Jimenez, magna cum laude
Sarah Beth Levins, magna cum laude
Marguerite Earp McGowan, magna cum laude
Christian Montague, magna cum laude
Karissa Gevene Nooner, magna cum laude

Andrew August Parsley, magna cum laude
Isabella Donna Porcaro, magna cum laude
Miguel Rocha, magna cum laude
Alexi Starmes, magna cum laude
Tyler Tilson, magna cum laude
Kaitlyn Michelle Vincent, magna cum laude
Amanda Marie Ward, magna cum laude
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University Honors with Thesis

Veronica Alexander, cum laude
Leslie Diane Austill, cum laude
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Austen Michael Carter, cum laude
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Shelby Diane Horton, cum laude
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Alexandria Renea Isabel, cum laude
William Walter Jones, cum laude,
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Meghan Liana Kaiser, cum laude
James Allen King, cum laude
Cassidy Layne Marsh, cum laude
Danielle Nelson, cum laude
Mitchell Scott O'Dor, cum laude
Katherine Ellen Raines, cum laude
William A. Simco, cum laude
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Daniel Watkins, cum laude
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Kiera Shuntai Lanier
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Marvin McNeal, Jr.
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BACHELOR OF SCIENCE
The candidates for this degree have majored in Biology, Chemistry, Computer Science, Geography, Geological Sciences, Mathematical Sciences, Microbiology and Molecular Cell Sciences, or Physics.

Demi Leigh Brasfield, summa cum laude
David Jarrod Beachum, magna cum laude, University Honors
Sara Beth Brauningger, magna cum laude, University Honors with Thesis
Keli Cheng, magna cum laude
Olivia Michaela Freeman, magna cum laude
Keighla Cooley, cum laude
Austin Feldvebel, cum laude
Taylor Alexandar Johnson, cum laude
Jenny Leigh Mitchell, cum laude, University Honors

Keenan Wesley Diggs, summa cum laude
Eliana Raquel Gargette, magna cum laude, University Honors
Deanna Ko Joo, magna cum laude
Andrew August Parsley, magna cum laude
Robert Joseph Richmond, magna cum laude
Yaqoub Morshed, cum laude
Matthew Osborn, cum laude
John Thomas Pittner, cum laude

Karlie Amber Taylor, summa cum laude
Zenobia Maya Shiel, magna cum laude, University Honors with Thesis
Bradley Valentine, magna cum laude
Jacob Alan Walpole, magna cum laude
Jay Yarbro, magna cum laude, University Honors

Nathanael Philip Prather, cum laude
Matthew Tom, cum laude
Erin Sharlynne Viger, cum laude

Huda Sofyan M. Agez
Chuma P. Azogini
Nathan Billings
Rebecca Butler
Zachary Cathey
Jonathan Charles Chapman
David Jerry Cohen
Issac D. Coleman
Lanitra S. Coleman
Spencer Crews
Dalton L. Dawson
Forrest Walker Delgado
John Elmore
Raymon Farmer

Finley Flanagan
Andrew Jonathan Gibson
Ashley Norchelle Graham
Brittaney Karon Hicks
Andrew Douglas Hood
David A. Jacobs
Kendra Shava Johnson
Timothy Long
Christian Faith Moore
Levi D. Morgan-Osborne
Shayla Mariah Mosley
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Brandon Clint Newman
Caroline Noel

Chella L. Norvell
Maya Camille Ramos-Coffey
Victor K. Rockwell
Mayas Sakaan
Theodore Sell
James O’Farrell Shoemaker II
Vasheta L. Smith
Nathaniel Stokes III
Lauren Alinee Taylor
Aderoju Thomas
Jeremy Q. Thomas
Alexander Wray Williams
Dustin Wurth
Anna Carol Young
COLLEGE MARSHALS
College Marshal is an honored and traditional role performed by the faculty at Commencement. Each college in the University identifies at least two faculty members who organize and lead the candidates into the arena and to the stage during the ceremony. In recent years, the undergraduate student with the highest grade point average in the college has been invited to join the Faculty College Marshals in this distinguished leadership role.

ACADEMIC MARSHALS
College of Arts & Sciences
Dr. Ramin Homayouni, Dr. Jeni Loftus, Dr. David Dwiggins and Ms. Megan Colleen Boatman

College of Communication and Fine Arts
Dr. Bob Hetherington and Ms. Anna Joy Batchelor

University College
Dr. William L. Akey, Dr. Keith D. Sisson and Ms. Joyce P. Ruby

Graduate School Doctoral Hooding Marshal
Dr. James Kierulff

Cecil C. Humphreys School of Law
Dr. Lynda Black

THE UNIVERSITY OF MEMPHIS COMMENCEMENT ENSEMBLE
Dr. Albert T. Nguyen, Conductor

Violin
Bianca Balderama
Nancy Denise Ditto
Martin Palacios

Flute
Nicole Ann Jackson

Cello
Carrington Truehart
Double Bass
Rashid Lawal

Clarinet
Ivan E. Lee

Horn
Morgan Thomas
Anna Jarratt

Trumpet
Joshua Margheim
Jay Wilkerson

Trombone
Adam Byars

Euphonium
John Ingram

Tuba
Matthew Allen Smith

Percussion
Jessica Marie Williams
David Dickens
SECOND CEREMONY
4:30 P.M.

DOCTORAL HOODING CEREMONY
SCHOOL OF PUBLIC HEALTH
HERFF COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING
LOEWENBERG COLLEGE OF NURSING
COLLEGE OF EDUCATION
KEMMONS WILSON SCHOOL OF HOSPITALITY AND RESORT MANAGEMENT
FOGELMAN COLLEGE OF BUSINESS & ECONOMICS
SECOND CEREMONY PRESIDENT'S PLATFORM PARTY

LEFT SIDE
1. Dr. Karen Weddle-West, Provost
2. Dr. Robert J. Jackson, Associate Vice Provost IT, CIO Information Technology Services
3. Dr. Rosie Phillips Bingham, Vice President for Student Affairs
4. Mr. David Knowles, President, Student Government Association
5. Mr. Kim Barnett, President, National Alumni Association Board of Directors
6. Dr. Wade Jackson, President, Faculty Senate
7. Dr. Jeffrey Allen Murdock Jr., Soloist
8. Dr. Thomas Nenon, Dean, College of Arts & Sciences
9. Dr. Joanne Gikas, Assistant Dean, University College
10. Dr. Richard R. Ranta, Dean, College of Communication and Fine Arts
11. Mr. Peter Letsou, Dean, Cecil C. Humphreys School of Law
12. Dr. Rajiv Grover, Dean, Fogelman College of Business & Economics
13. Dr. Sylverna V. Ford, Dean, University Libraries

RIGHT SIDE
1. Dr. M. David Rudd, President
2. Mr. Robert B. Carter, Speaker & Executive Vice President and Chief Information Officer for the FedEx Corporation
3. Mr. David Zettergren, Vice President, Business & Finance
4. Dr. Andrew Meyers, Vice President for Research and Executive Director, University of Memphis Research Foundation
5. Mr. Bobby Prince, Chief Development Officer
6. Ms. Melanie Murry, University Counsel
7. Ms. Tammy Hedges, Vice President for External Relations
8. Dr. Linda Jarmulowicz, Dean, School of Communication Sciences and Disorders
9. Dr. Jasbir Dhaliwal, Chief Innovation Officer of the University of Memphis and Vice Provost/Dean of the Graduate Schools
10. Dr. Tim Ryan, Associate Professor, Kemmons Wilson School of Hospitality and Resort Management
11. Dr. Lin Zhan, Dean, Loewenberg College of Nursing
12. Dr. Ernest Rakow, Dean, College of Education
13. Dr. Richard Joseph Sweigard, Dean, Herff College of Engineering
14. Dr. Marian Levy, Assistant Dean, School of Public Health

Pronouncer
Mr. Jacob Allen
Assistant Professor, Musical Theatre

Pronouncer
Ms. Tammy R. Jones
Instructor, English
PROGRAM

Pre-Commencement Concert features Prelude and Fanfare selections performed by:

University of Memphis Graduate String Quartet
University of Memphis Graduate Brass Quintet
University of Memphis Woodwind Quintet
Dr. Albert T. Nguyen, Conductor

PRESIDING ……………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………….Dr. Karen Weddle-West, Provost

PROCESIONAL*
Pomp and Circumstance March No. 1 …………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………..Sir Edward Elgar
Arranged by Dr. James Richens

PRESENTATION OF COLORS*
United States Army, Air Force and Navy Reserve Officers Training Corps
The Color Guard

THE STAR SPANGLED BANNER* …………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………Francis Scott Key
Dr. Jeffrey Allen Murdock, Jr., Soloist

SALUTATIONS TO THE CLASS
President, Student Government Association…………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………Mr. David Knowles

THE PRESIDENT'S WELCOME ………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………Dr. M. David Rudd

ADDRESS ………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………Mr. Robert B. Carter

PRESENTATION OF THE CANDIDATES………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………The Academic Deans

CONFERRAL OF DEGREES IN COURSE ………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………Dr. M. David Rudd
University of Memphis Alumni Association ………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………Mr. Kim Barnett

PRONOUNCER ………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………Mr. Jacob Allen and Ms. Tammy R. Jones

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THE GRADUATE SCHOOL

Chief Innovation Officer of the University of Memphis and Vice Provost/Dean of the Graduate School, Jasbir Dhaliwal, Ph.D.

The Graduate School of The University of Memphis is the center of advanced study and research within the University. The basic objectives of The Graduate School are: (a) to preserve and disseminate knowledge now available in the humanities, the sciences, and the various professional areas represented by the departmental graduate faculties; (b) to extend knowledge through basic research; and (c) to prepare men and women to assume a more responsible and useful role in society.

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Dissertation: “Applying Instructional Design to Museum Exhibits: A Case Study”
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Dissertation: “Calibration of Activated Sludge Model 1 Kinetic Parameters for Simulation of Collierville NW Treatment Plant Oxidation Ditch Using Big Bang-Big Crunch Optimization Algorithm”
Major Professor: Dr. Charles V. Camp

Walter Hodges Henley, Jr. – Department of Marketing and Supply Chain Management
BS, 1984, Belhaven College
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Dissertation: “Interactive Ad Segmentation: Using Regulatory Fit, Implementation Intentions and Social Referral Advertising to Increase PSA Response Efficacy”
Major Professor: Dr. Daniel L. Sherrell

Jakir Hossen – Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering
BSE, 2008, Rajshahi University of Engineering and Technology
MS, 2009, Bangladesh University of Engineering and Technology
Dissertation: “Classification of Moving Objects and Recognition of Human Activity Using Infrared Sensors”
Major Professor: Dr. Eddie Jacobs

Jeffrey P. Kaleta – Department of Business Information and Technology
BS, 1996, University of Maine
MS, 2010 Murray State University
Co-Major Professors: Dr. William J. Kettinger and Dr. Chen Zhang (August 2015)

Jignya M. Patel – Department of Business and Information Technology
BS, 2003, Natubhai V. Patel College of Pure and Applied Sciences
MBA, 2009, University of North Alabama
Dissertation: “Predicting Employees’ Work Exhaustion, Job Satisfaction, and Turnover Intention: The Role of Informed Job Resources and Personal Resources”
Co-Major Professors: Dr. William J. Kettinger and Dr. Robin S. Poston

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DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY

Alireza Shahjouei – Department of Civil Engineering
BS, 2006, Iran University of Science and Technology
MS, 2008, Iran University of Science and Technology
MS, 2015, University of Memphis
Dissertation: "Alternative Ground-Motion Model for the Central and Eastern North America Using a New Hybrid Broadband Simulation Technique"
Major Professor: Dr. Shahram Pezeshk

Adam Martin Winchell – Department of Biomedical Engineering
BE, 2003, Vanderbilt University
MS, 2009, University of Memphis
Dissertation: “Implementation and Assessment of Novel Functional Hemodynamic MRI Measurements in the Brain for Evaluation of Disease and Treatment”
Major Professor: Dr. Eugene C. Eckstein
The School of Public Health provides graduate education, community practicum experience, and research training to develop students’ capabilities and address the growing need for a proficient public health workforce. The School offers two master’s degrees. The Master of Public Health provides concentrations in five core disciplines: biostatistics, environmental health, epidemiology, health systems management, and social and behavioral sciences. The Master of Health Administration degree is one of only 70 programs accredited by the Commission on Accreditation of Healthcare Management Education (CAHME). Our mission involves the translation of knowledge and research into community practice to tackle pressing societal problems of social and environmental justice, health disparities, unhealthy lifestyles, and accessible systems that support the health of individuals, families, and communities. We emphasize both discovery and application with the goal of moving “knowledge into action” locally, nationally and globally. We are proud of the following graduates:

**MASTER OF HEALTH ADMINISTRATION**

The candidates for this degree have majored in health administration with emphasis in the areas of non-profit administration or health policy and management.

Ivan Russell Parker  
MPT, 2005, University of Tennessee Health Science Center  
DPT, 2006, University of Tennessee Health Science Center

**MASTER OF PUBLIC HEALTH**

The candidates for this degree have majored in public health with emphasis in the areas of biostatistics, epidemiology, environmental health, health systems management or social and behavioral health.

Donya Mehri Ahmadian  
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Nicholas Neal Carlson  
BA, 2012, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill  
Christie Michelle Gipson  
BSED, 2010, University of Memphis  
Sabrina Iqbal  
BDS, 2009, University of Dhaka  
Mary Powers  
BJ, 1979, Indiana University  
Carolyn Josephine Riordan  
BA, 2005, University of Denver  
Charles Robert Scheel  
BSED, 2013, University of Memphis  
Sabarinath Reddy Tetali  
MBBS, 2012, Hubei University of Chinese Medicine  
Amy Nicole Trimm  
BS, 2012, Christian Brothers University  
Marshall Franklin Varnum II  
BS, 2011, Bethel College  
Briana BerSha Woods  
BA, 2013, Vanderbilt University
The mission of the College of Engineering is to provide quality education, research, and service that responds to the needs and challenges of the Mid-South region; to promote the knowledge, skills, ethics, creativity, and critical thinking necessary for professional competence and lifelong learning, including an international perspective and a social awareness and to conduct quality scholarship and research across the College, including world-class research in selected areas. The following are the degrees offered with the appropriate concentrations within the respective areas:

**Masters of Science**

The candidates for this degree have majored in biomedical engineering, civil engineering, electrical and computer engineering, engineering technology or mechanical engineering.

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Kaitlynn Diane Shughart, cum laude

James Edward Smith, Jr.

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Holland Maye Aguayo, cum laude
Robert Shane Richardson, cum laude

Leonardo D. Contreras
Bryan Lee Dorsey
Noah Ketler

Ethan N. Porter
Richard P. Riley Provience
Logan Taylor Stanko
Jacob Patrick Wiley

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Landon Holmes, magna cum laude
Dustin B. McMillan, magna cum laude
Dereje Alebel Arega, cum laude
Cadarrius Jamal McGlown, cum laude
Jonathan Edward White, cum laude
Drew Witherington Butler
Victor Manuel De Los Santos
Marcus Ryan Miller
Joseph Clayton Smith

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Jonathan Edward White, cum laude

Adrian Baldizon
Seth Harrod
Troy Henshaw, Jr.

Brittany Nicole Howell
Justin Tyler Moseley
Alyssa Lynae Ozier

Ridhish Patel
David Anthony Valdez
Kristina Lauren Walter
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Starr Jewel Austin
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Carlo A. Garcia
Tuure Hollo

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Jason Andrew Talarico
THE LOEWENBERG COLLEGE OF NURSING
Dean Lin Zhan, Ph.D.

The Loewenberg College of Nursing (LSON) provides accessible and innovative higher education by preparing leaders who promote health in the global community through excellent teaching, rigorous research and collaborative practice/service. The Loewenberg College of Nursing (both undergraduate and graduate programs) is fully accredited by the Commission for Collegiate Nursing Education. The high quality education is reflected in graduates’ 95%-100% NCLEX pass rates and sought by world-renowned clinical settings. With advanced preparation for practice as family nurse practitioners, nurse educators, or nurse administrators, our MSN graduates are prepared to shape the future of healthcare in our nation.

Faculty of the LSON are proud to present the following graduates who have met all of the requirements for either the bachelor of science (BSN) or the master of science in nursing (MSN) degree:

MASTER OF SCIENCE IN NURSING

Jackie Lynn Barton
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AAS, 1996, State Technical Institute at Memphis  
BSN, 2012, Union University

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Regina Shika Ahiable, magna cum laude  
Allie Rae Aycock, magna cum laude  
Brenna Laneé Bounds, magna cum laude  
Sara Michelle Britendine, magna cum laude  
Sherri Alene Chambers, magna cum laude  
Azra Lily Cohodar, magna cum laude  
Kyndra DeZubiria, magna cum laude  
Kami D. Dykes, magna cum laude  
Emily Ruth Ellis, magna cum laude

Rosita Nnenna Ekem, summa cum laude, University Honors

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Stacey Elise Harkins, magna cum laude  
Rachel Cody Hubbard, magna cum laude  
Lorena Lerma, magna cum laude  
Linnetta Maharrey, magna cum laude  
Gabriel Nolan Newman, magna cum laude  
Amber Wortham Reece, magna cum laude  
Dawn Marie Richardson, magna cum laude  
Justin Lawrence Richardson, magna cum laude

Alyssa B. Hibberd, summa cum laude

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Victoria Lee Rogers, magna cum laude  
LeAnne Marie Schum, magna cum laude  
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Rachel Dawn Stewart, magna cum laude  
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Austin Haven, cum laude
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Morgan Margurite Mayo, cum laude
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Kellie Montoya
Kara Cannon Morgan

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Jennifer Erin Newman, cum laude
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Alejandra Vega
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THE COLLEGE OF EDUCATION
Dean, Ernest Rakow, Ph.D.

The most historic college at the University of Memphis, the College of Education is nationally accredited and seeks to prepare teachers, education related professionals, and other licensed human service professionals to become effective leaders within their chosen career. The College holds the distinction of being one of the few in the nation to meet, without a weakness, National Council for the Accreditation of Teacher Education (NCATE) standards.

In addition to high-quality classroom instruction, most programs are field based. Practical experiences and opportunities for participation in exciting hands-on training and research exist at our award winning Campus School, the Barbara K. Lipman Early Childhood School and Research Institute, our local Professional Development Schools, the nationally known Center for Research in Educational Policy, and internship programs in various community businesses and agencies, all where experts in the student’s field of study and University faculty work together to provide valuable on-the-job experience. The College offers off-campus courses at our Collierville, Jackson, and Dyersburg campuses and is a state leader in alternative online degree and licensure programs.

Undergraduate programs administered by the College lead to the Bachelor of Science in Education and consist of three basic areas of work: General Education, Professional study, and study within one of 12 areas of Specialty. It is the work within a specialty that determines a student’s major. Graduate level studies at the College include 29 Master’s and 17 Doctoral degree programs. And, in administering 33 teacher licensure programs, The College of Education is the largest producer of teachers in Tennessee.

EDUCATION SPECIALIST

The candidates for this degree have placed emphasis on such areas of study as instruction and curriculum leadership, leadership and policy studies, higher and adult education, counseling, school psychology or educational psychology and research.

Misty Dawn Eddleman
BA, 1997, University of Arkansas, Pine Bluff
MA, 1999, Southern Methodist University
MAR, 2006, Memphis Theological Seminary
MASTER OF ARTS IN TEACHING

The candidates for this degree have majored in instruction and curriculum leadership with emphasis in areas of early childhood education, elementary education, secondary education, or middle school/special education.

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MASTER OF SCIENCE

The candidates for this degree have majored in the areas of clinical nutrition, counseling, educational psychology and research, instruction and curriculum leadership, health and sport sciences, or leadership and policy studies.

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BS, 2014, James Madison University

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BS, 1991, Islamic Azad University

Shelli Marie Bond
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Amber A. Bush
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BA, 2004, Southern Methodist University
JD, 2007, University of Memphis

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BA, 1998, University of Memphis

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BS, 2008, North Dakota State University

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BS, 2006, University of Mississippi

Erica Lauren Dawkins
BA, 2007, University of Tennessee, Knoxville

Demone Kentrell Dickerson
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Sophie Good Edwards
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Anne Franetovich
BS, 2012, University of Mississippi

Aysha Ghani
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BS, 2011, Lambuth University

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Erica Renee Hurt
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BLS, 2012, University of Memphis

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BA, 2009, University of Memphis

Stephanie Bullard Lancaster
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Amber Marie Lantz
BA, 2013, Mississippi State University

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BS, 2009, Murray State University

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BSED, 2013, University of Memphis

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Laura Catherine McFall
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BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN EDUCATION

Melanie Ann Clarke, summa cum laude
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Laura Lee Schifani, magna cum laude

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Lloyd Dixon, cum laude

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Lauren Kathleen Ray, cum laude

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Julie Anne Rinke, cum laude
Lauren Boyd Shaffrey, cum laude

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Kayla A. Boren
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Michael Christopher Cobins
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Ligaya Kimyara Dixon
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The Kemmons Wilson School of Hospitality and Resort Management’s enduring ambition is to develop global hospitality leaders that excel in operations and senior corporate positions. The mission is to produce excellent leaders that will be thoroughly prepared to thrive in the challenging global environment of the 21st century hospitality industry. The mission is accomplished through pursuing four major priorities: Student Learning achieved through a contemporary curriculum that is enhanced with experiential learning, study abroad programs, leadership and team-building opportunities; Industry Engagement built through strategic partnerships for extending student placement, faculty development and curriculum improvements; Discovery through student and faculty scholarship aimed at disseminating and sharing knowledge and information for the benefit of the global hospitality community; and, Resource Development for continuously improving learning, scholarship, and service opportunities for students and faculty. The School’s values emanate from the Kemmons Wilson Philosophy which, foster a positive attitude and confidence developed through an array of competencies and hard work; instills entrepreneurial spirit achieved through seizing opportunities, intelligent risk-taking and dedication to work and capital ideas; maintains a life-long relationships through trust, honesty, and integrity; and by living a wholesome lifestyle that is achieved through a balanced approach to professional and personal commitments.

BACHELOR OF ARTS

The Kemmons Wilson School of Hospitality and Resort Management offers a comprehensive Bachelor of Arts Degree in Hospitality and Resort Management. After completing our undergraduate degree program in Hospitality and Resort Management, our students are able to: demonstrate a high level of technical and managerial competency in global hospitality operations; exhibit enhance critical thinking, communication, and problem-solving skills for active and integrated learning; undertake basic research, analyze information, and apply knowledge and techniques acquired within an academic or professional context; develop interpersonal teamwork and leadership skills for a diverse hospitality workforce; and, conscientiously apply the profession’s code of ethics and continuously evaluate the social, multicultural, and environmental issues relevant to the hospitality industry.

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THE FOGELMAN COLLEGE OF BUSINESS & ECONOMICS
Dean Rajiv Grover, Ph.D.

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In addition to the professional development differentiator, Fogelman College is also proud to distinguish itself based on the customized development of MBAs. Fogelman College offers a comprehensive portfolio of graduate programs including five different tracks to earn a MBA. These programs include the Customer-Driven MBA, International MBA, Executive MBA, Online MBA and Professional MBA. Furthermore, Fogelman College works very closely with Memphis-area companies, many of them Fortune 500, to offer students invaluable hands-on learning experiences from professionals in these industries.

EXECUTIVE MASTER OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION
The candidates for this degree have majored in business administration with emphasis in the areas of concentration in executive strategy, innovation and global leadership.

- Reem Saleh AlGhanim
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- Howard Eaton
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- Noah Kirk Gray
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  BA, 2007, Victory University

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INTERNATIONAL MASTER OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION
The candidates for this degree have majored in international business administration.

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Adrienne Marie Meuse
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MASTER OF ARTS
The candidates for this degree have majored in Economics.

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MASTER OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION
The candidates for this degree have majored in business administration with emphasis in the areas of accounting; biomedical management; economics; finance, insurance and real estate; management, management information systems; marketing; law; the executive program or the professional program.

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Jane Evelyn Hill
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MASTER OF SCIENCE

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COLLEGE MARSHALS
College Marshal is an honored and traditional role performed by the faculty at Commencement. Each college in the University identifies at least two faculty members who organize and lead the candidates into the arena and to the stage during the ceremony. In recent years, the undergraduate student with the highest grade point average in the college has been invited to join the Faculty College Marshals in this distinguished leadership role.

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Dr. Carol Silkes

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Martin Palacios

Cello
Carrington Truehart
Double Bass
Rashid Lawal

Flute
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Clarinet
Ivan E. Lee

Bassoon
Andrew Carroll

Horn
Morgan Thomas
Anna Jarratt

Trumpet
Joshua Margheim
Jay Wilkerson

Trombone
Adam Byars

Euphonium
John Ingram

Tuba
Matthew Allen Smith

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Oh, say can you see by the dawn’s early light
What so proudly we hail’d at the twilight’s last gleaming,
Whose broad stripes and bright stars; through the perilous fight
O’er the ramparts we watch’d 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?

ALMA MATER

Stand Firm, O Alma Mater,
Through all the years to come;
In days of youth and beauty
Thy halls have been our home.
In time of preparation
Great lessons didst thou teach
Till now, O Alma Mater,
The stars we’ll strive to reach.
The University of Memphis community is proud and diverse. We stretch across the state and around the globe. As you leave campus to share your talents with the world, the U of M Alumni Association is right beside you, keeping you connected to your fellow Tigers.

The University of Memphis Alumni Association represents the interests of more than 128,000 alumni of the University. Our mission is to engage alumni, former students and friends in three challenges: advocating the ideals of the University, advancing its welfare and fostering life-long relationships with the institution. The Alumni Association supports academics at the University of Memphis with more than 55 student scholarships and eleven faculty and staff awards for Excellence in Teaching, Research and Advising. Outstanding alumni are recognized annually at the Distinguished Alumni Awards.

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The University of Memphis Vastly Enriches the Mid-South Economy
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The nation is struggling to climb out of the depths of one of the worst recessions on record and, understandably, the minds of families throughout the nation are fixed on economic issues. Should they invest in an education for their children? Will it pay to spend the family’s hard-earned money on tuition and the other costs associated with obtaining a college degree? The data on the economic importance of obtaining a college education are being put to the test.

Graduates and their parents can rest assured that obtaining a college degree continues to be an investment that pays off even in difficult economic times. The following charts contain employment and earnings information for different levels of academic achievement and clearly demonstrate that it pays to invest in higher education. According to the U.S. Census Bureau, the average annual earnings for people with a Bachelor’s degree were estimated to be $60,159 in 2012, nearly twice as high as the average of $32,630 for a high school graduate (Chart 1). College graduates can look forward to making more money than non-graduates in both strong and weak periods of economic growth.

Nearly all people with a college degree are employed, with only a small percentage unemployed in any economic period. Unemployment rates rise for everyone in a deep recession, but college graduates always have an advantage even in weak labor markets. The unemployment rate for people with a Bachelor’s degree was 4.3 percent versus 8.6 percent for a high school graduate (Chart 2). The combination of higher earnings and employment stability creates dramatically higher life-time earnings for college graduates (Chart 3).

Worklife earnings increase dramatically with educational attainment. Over a worklife, a college graduate who has earned a Bachelor’s degree will earn $2.4 million, 170 percent more than a high school graduate. An advanced degree generates life-time earnings estimates of $2.8-$4.2 million for graduates with Master’s, Ph.D., and Professional degrees. Clearly, the most foolproof way to make a dramatic increase in life-time earnings and tax revenues is the old fashioned way—invest in higher education.

![Chart 1. Average Annual Earnings by Educational Attainment](image1)

![Chart 2. Employment Status by Educational Attainment (2013)](image2)

![Chart 3. Worklife Earnings by Educational Attainment](image3)