

2011

COMMENCEMENT

EXERCISES

May 8, 2011

# Order of the 2011 Spring Commencement Exercises

#### **Processional**

Evansville Brass Quintet

Pomp and Circumstance, Edward Elgar, Composer

#### **Grand Marshal**

Thomas M. Rivers, Professor of English, Director of Master of Arts in Liberal Studies Program

#### Marshals

Laurie M. Berry, Director of Residence Life

Paul K. Doss, Professor of Geology

Sandy K. Frank '90, M'96, Registrar

Mary Jo Harper, Director of Student Financial Assistance

Sangwoo Heo, Professor of Mathematics

Pamela F. Hopson, Director of Multicultural Center

Jane A. Johansen, Professor of Business Communication

Nancy L. Johnson '83, M'95, Director of Alumni and Volunteer Services

Leslie E. Nunn, Professor of Business Law

Eric H. Otto, Director of Admission

Philip L. Parker, Director of Career Services and Placement

Tracy A. Sinn '92, M'11 Assistant Registrar

Carmen F. Stoen, Director of Student Development Programs

Linda M. Trible, M'03 '08 Associate Registrar

Andrew J. Zellers '05, Assistant Registrar

#### Welcome and Introductions

Linda L. M. Bennett, President

### Reflection

Barbara A. Davis, Professor of Nursing

### The Commencement Address

J. Brad Ellsworth '81, President of Vectren Energy Delivery of Indiana - North

#### Presentation of Candidates for Honorary Degrees

Linda L. M. Bennett, President

Assisted by Ronald S. Rochon, Provost

J. Brad Ellsworth '81, Doctor of Civil Law

Presented by W. Harold Calloway, Trustee

George F. and Margaret M. Rapp, Doctor of Science; Doctor of Laws

Presented by Jeffrey L. Knight, Trustee

Harolyn G. Torain '71, Doctor of Laws

Presented by Lauren K. Raikes '11, Trustee

#### Presentation of Distinguished Professor Award to Barbara A. Davis

Adrian P. Gentle, Chair, Faculty Senate, Associate Professor of Mathematics

#### Presentation of President's Medal to Steven L. Geiss '11

Linda L. M. Bennett, President



### Conferral of Degrees

Linda L. M. Bennett, *President*Assisted by Ronald S. Rochon, *Provost* 

### Presentation of Graduates

J. Wayne Rinks, Associate Professor of Communications

### **Doctoral Degrees**

Linda L. M. Bennett, President

### Awarding of Hoods

Jeri L. Burger, Assistant Professor of Nursing

Nadine A. Coudret, Dean, Professor of Nursing

Barbara A. Davis, Professor of Nursing

Mellisa A. Hall, Assistant Professor of Nursing

Roberta E. Hoebeke, Associate Professor of Nursing

Judy L. Kuric, Assistant Professor of Nursing

Karen L. Parker, Assistant Professor of Nursing

Mayola Rowser '95, M'99, Assistant Professor of Nursing

Ann H. White, Associate Dean, Professor of Nursing

### Master Degrees

Linda L. M. Bennett, President

#### Awarding of Hoods

Peggy F. Harrel, Director of Graduate Studies

Assisted by Brian D. Posler, Assistant Provost for Undergraduate Studies

#### **Baccalaureate Degrees**

#### College of Business

Mohammed F. Khayum, Dean, Professor of Economics

#### Bower-Suhrheinrich College of Education and Human Services

Julie H. Edmister, Dean, Professor of Education

#### College of Liberal Arts

Michael K. Aakhus, Dean, Professor of Art

#### College of Nursing and Health Professions

Nadine A. Coudret, Dean, Professor of Nursing

### Outreach and Engagement

Linda L. Cleek '82, M'00, Interim Dean, Director of Continuing Education

### Pott College of Science and Engineering

Scott A. Gordon, Dean, Professor of Biology

### Associate Degrees

Ronald S. Rochon, Provost

#### Recessional

Evansville Brass Quintet

# J. Brad Ellsworth to Deliver Commencement Address

Today's Commencement speaker is the Honorable J. Brad Ellsworth, former 8th District Congressman and Vanderburgh County Sheriff.

Mr. Ellsworth is a 1976 graduate of Harrison High School; a 1981 graduate of the University of Southern Indiana with a bachelor's degree in sociology; and a 1993 graduate of Indiana State University with a master's degree in criminal justice.

Mr. Ellsworth put himself through college at USI, working at Sears. He was a member of Sigma Tau Gamma and helped raise funds for the first fraternity house built on campus by selling strombolis at the West Side Nut Club Fall Festival and washing trucks at the Evansville Courier & Press. He also participated in intramural sports and the Eagle Gran Prix. At an Alumni-in-Residence lecture he gave at USI in 2005, he said that after peacefully breaking up a fight at a fraternity party, he had an epiphany: He wanted to go into law enforcement.

In 1982, he began a career with the Vanderburgh County Sheriff's office. Over the next 24 years, he held every merit rank and was twice decorated for heroism in the line of duty. While a sergeant supervising the Narcotics Section, he instituted the first Drug Abuse Resistance Education (DARE) program in Evansville-Vanderburgh County public and parochial schools. He was elected sheriff in 1998 and served the maximum of two consecutive four-year terms.

He told students at the Alumni-in-Residence lecture that courses in sociology opened him up to cultural diversity and his involvement in the University's movement for independence from Indiana State



J. Brad Ellsworth '81

University taught him how to deal with controversy. While serving as sheriff, Mr. Ellsworth led the push to replace the overcrowded county jail, arguing that "a community is measured by how they treat the poorest, weakest, and least measure of their community."

The establishment of a motorcycle patrol and the state's most comprehensive web site to track and monitor sexual offenders; a change from eight to 12-hour shifts for sheriff's department employees; the consolidation of some departments with the police department; and the founding of a career academy for those interested in pursuing a job in law enforcement were among Mr. Ellsworth's accomplishments as sheriff. He also served as president of the Indiana Sheriff's Association.

Many civic organizations have honored Mr. Ellsworth for his work and volunteer activities. He was elected president of his Indiana Law Enforcement Academy class, received the FBI Community

Director's Award, and twice received the Sheriff's Silver Merit Award.

In 2002, Mr. Ellsworth was recognized for "his efforts for humanity as a civil servant" with the USI Alumni Association's Distinguished Alumni Award. The following year he was named a Sagamore of the Wabash by Governor Frank O'Bannon. He also holds an honorary Doctor of Laws degree from Indiana State University, conferred in 2009.

Mr. Ellsworth represented Indiana's 8th District in the U.S. Congress for two terms, from 2007 to 2010, and served on the House Agriculture, Armed Services, and Small Business committees. He cites the opportunity to visit U.S. troops in Iraq and Afghanistan on four separate occasions and helping individual constituents with their needs as his proudest moments in Congress.

Over the years, he has served on the board of directors of Operation City Beautiful (now Keep Evansville Beautiful), Old Courthouse Society, American Heart Association, Youth First, Youth Resources, and Evansville Association for the Blind, and has volunteered with Albion Fellows Bacon Center and Arc Crisis Center, among other organizations.

In March 2011, he accepted a position as president of Vectren Energy Delivery of Indiana – North (Vectren North) gas utility, based in downtown Indianapolis. His and his wife Beth have a daughter, Andrea, who is a teacher in Indianapolis.

During today's ceremony, Mr. Ellsworth will receive an honorary Doctor of Civil Law degree.

# Two Community Leaders to be Recognized

Dr. George F. and Margaret M. "Peggy" Rapp are New Harmony, Indiana, enthusiasts who ardently support the town and help preserve the history of New Harmony. He will receive an honorary Doctor of Science degree and she will be given an honorary Doctor of Laws degree in today's Commencement ceremony.

A native of New Harmony, Dr. Rapp grew up there while his father was superintendent of New Harmony Schools. With interests in education, the arts, philanthropy, and historic preservation, the Rapps have helped bring attention and recognition to his hometown.

Dr. Rapp earned his undergraduate degree at Indiana University (IU). He received his medical degree in 1957 from the Indiana University School of Medicine and completed an internship in Indianapolis.

He met and married Peggy MacNary from Hammond, Indiana. She received a Bachelor of Science degree in elementary education from Indiana University and taught in the Indianapolis public school system for several years after they were married.

They currently reside in Indianapolis where he was a clinical professor of Orthopedic Surgery at Indiana University School of Medicine. For 18 years, he served as chief of orthopedics at St. Vincent Hospital and for 20 years was director of the Scoliosis Clinic at Riley Children's Hospital. He made significant contributions to his profession through the design and development of artificial hips and advancements in the treatment of bone fractures. He is founder and former chairman of the board of Sofamor



Dr. George F. and Margaret M. "Peggy" Rapp

Danek, the world's largest manufacturer of spinal instrumentation.

Dr. Rapp has received numerous awards including the Otis R. Bowen Leadership Award in 2000 from the Indiana University School of Medicine for his service to the school; the Maynard K. Hine Medal in 1994 for his service to the Indianapolis campus of IU; and the Spirit of Philanthropy Award from Indiana University Purdue University at Indianapolis (IUPUI) for his role in significant fundraising efforts for the IU School of Medicine. The Rapps are members of the IU President's Club and he received the Distinguished Alumni Service Award in 2002 from Indiana University.

The Rapps fund scholarships for graduating seniors at New Harmony High School and support two donoradvised funds they created through the Posey County Community Foundation. They also have established two charitable lead trusts and provide direct gifts to the USI Foundation

to support the USI Annual Fund, Historic New Harmony, New Harmony Theatre, New Harmony Gallery of Contemporary Art, Society for Arts and Humanities, Schnee-Ribeyre-Elliott House renovation, and USI scholarships.

Mrs. Rapp is a gracious hostess who is known for her skill in developing community among individuals. She is a co-founder of the New Harmony Garden Club and co-founder of the Summer Hat Luncheon, a fund raiser for Historic New Harmony programs and services. She is on the USI/New Harmony Foundation Board and chairman of the beautification committee of New Harmony. She created the New Harmony Garden Tour and is a co-sponsor of the New Harmony annual Doll Tea Party. She also is co-founder of the implementation of surgical suites and housing facilities for IU Medical School Project at Moi University in Kenya.

She chaired the first Black Tie Gala event for the Heartland Film Festival and received the Spirit Award for her outstanding festival work. She is a lifetime trustee of the Indianapolis Museum of Art. She also received the Spooner Award for service to the Indianapolis Children's Museum Guild and was recognized with a service award from the IU Alumni Association.

Dr. and Mrs. Rapp are members of the Hoosier Salon Art Gallery Board of Directors. They were both honored for their 10 years of leadership of the salon's First Brush of Spring workshops. She is co-founder of the Hoosier Salon Gallery in New Harmony.

The Rapps have two grown sons, John Gregory Rapp and James Douglas Rapp.

# Alumna from Class of 1971 to be Recognized

Harolyn G. Torain is an eminent graduate of the University of Southern Indiana (USI) who has worked for 32 years in school administration in Indianapolis and served USI as a member and officer of the Board of Trustees. Today she will receive an honorary Doctor of Laws degree.

The University was less than five years old when Mrs. Torain chose the regional campus for her college education. A successful student, she graduated with the first class in 1971 with a Bachelor of Science degree in biology. She later earned a master's degree in secondary education from Indiana University.

While working as an effective educator and school administrator in Indianapolis, Mrs. Torain was selected by Governor Evan Bayh in 1990 to sit on the USI Board of Trustees. She served on various board committees including the 1993 USI Presidential Search Committee, and she was secretary and vice chair of the board.

She wrote another chapter in USI's history in 1997 by becoming the first alumna to serve as chair of the Board of Trustees. She set the pace as the first woman, the first African-American, and the first person living outside the immediate Evansville area to lead the board. During her tenure, USI experienced rapid growth in enrollment, development of academic and student life opportunities, and expansion of academic, residential, and recreational facilities.

She was a teacher, department chair, and assistant principal in several Indianapolis schools during her



Harolyn G. Torain '71

distinguished career. She developed and implemented academic honors programs, a Saturday School program, and served as an advisor to the George Washington High School Evening Division. She relished helping middle school and high school students learn the importance of education, especially students who might not otherwise have considered college.

She funded the first Black Alumni Scholarship offered by the USI Black Alumni Society and continues support of it. The scholarship helps students who are having difficulties in achieving their dreams of finishing a college education and assists USI in the recruitment and retention of African American students.

In 2002, Mrs. Torain was recognized for her contributions to USI by receiving the prestigious Alumni Service Award from the USI Alumni Association.

A trusted volunteer, she is a former member of the USI/New Harmony Foundation Board. She is a community representative on the IUPUI - NCAA Division I Athletics Certification Commitment to Equity and Student-Athlete Well-Being Committee. She is active in the Kingsley Terrace Church of Christ congregation where she teaches classes and works on special projects. She supports the Indianapolis Museum of Art and the Citizens Commission for the Future of Indiana Courts. She is a member of Phi Delta Kappa, a professional association of educators.

She and her husband Stephen reside in Indianapolis. Their son Stephen Jr. is a design engineer at Ethicon Endo-Surgery, and he and his wife Ebonne live in Cincinnati, Ohio.

# Dr. Barbara A. Davis to Receive Distinguished Professor Award

Dr. Barbara A. Davis, professor of nursing, is the 2011 recipient of the Integra Distinguished Professor Award. Faculty colleagues selected Dr. Davis in recognition of her significant achievement in teaching, leadership, and service.

"She is an excellent teacher and researcher who motivates students to high levels of performance," said Dr. Nadine Coudret, dean of the College of Nursing and Health Professions. "She has been a major contributor to the development of our doctoral nursing program and the advancement of scholarship in our college."

Dr. Davis has taught in the undergraduate and graduate nursing programs. She is a mentor to five students who are completing capstone projects in the Doctor of Nursing Practice program. Dr. Ann White, associate dean, attributes to her guidance the successful implementation of projects that are changing nursing practice.

Having begun her nursing practice in emergency care, Dr. Davis has continued that interest in research. She is internationally known for development of the Consumer Emergency Care Satisfaction Scale (CECSS), a survey used to assess patient satisfaction with hospital emergency services. The tool has been tested in both urban and rural settings across the United States. She has led researchers from other countries to adapt it for their emergency settings. It is now used in Australia, Slovenia, New Zealand, and Sweden.

Articles by Dr. Davis have been published in an array of professional journals. She has presented at national



Dr. Barbara A. Davis

and international nursing conferences. She is a member of the editorial board of the Journal of Nursing Care Quality and serves four nursing journals as a peer reviewer. She is a site visitor for the Commission for Collegiate Nursing Education, the only national accrediting body for baccalaureate and graduate nursing programs. Professionals at healthcare organizations in the region seek her expertise. She has served as co-chair of the Nursing Research Council for Deaconess Hospital in Evansville. She is a research consultant for Methodist Hospital in Henderson, Kentucky, and a member of the Medical Reserve Corps in Hopkins County, Kentucky.

Her service to the University has included membership on the Faculty Senate, Institutional Review Board, and Graduate Council. At the college level, she has served on the Research Conference Planning Committee, Community Affairs Committee, Faculty Affairs Committee, and Tenure and Promotion Committee. Her many

contributions to the nursing program include involvement in curriculum planning and research related to student success. She was coauthor and editor in 2004 of the accreditation self-study report for the master's-level nursing program and coauthor this year of the accreditation self-study report for the doctoral program.

Dr. Davis earned bachelor's and master's degrees in nursing at the University of Kentucky. She completed a doctorate in nursing at Texas Woman's University.

In 1970, Dr. Davis began nursing practice as a staff nurse in the emergency room at Hopkins County Hospital in Madisonville, Kentucky. She assumed increasing levels of responsibility in positions at medical centers in Tucson, Arizona; Wausau, Wisconsin; and Lexington, Kentucky. Her career as a faculty member in higher education began in 1982 when she joined Murray State University as assistant professor. She was named associate professor at Marshall University in 1990 and was promoted to professor in 1994. In 2001, Dr. Davis relocated to her hometown of Madisonville to care for her aging father. She joined USI that year as associate professor and was promoted to professor in 2004. She plans to retire May 31.

Colleagues call Dr. Davis a natural mentor and respectfully refer to her as "Dr. Sage" for her seamless blending of scholarship, teaching, and service.

As recipient of the Distinguished Professor Award, Dr. Davis will receive a grant from Integra Bank and will select a student to receive a scholarship in her name next year. She will deliver the address at the fall Commencement in December.

# Steven L. Geiss to Receive President's Medal

Steven L. Geiss graduates today with a Bachelor of Science degree, *summa cum laude*, in biology. A University Honors Scholar, he is receiving the President's Medal, the highest award given to a graduate, in recognition of his academic performance and his exemplary co-curricular involvement at USI.

An Evansville resident and graduate of Reitz Memorial High School, Mr. Geiss holds the Edward F. Harrison Presidential Scholarship, a prestigious four-year scholarship. He was named to each semester's Honors List since his freshman year in 2007, maintaining a 4.0 grade point average throughout his college career. A faculty member in the Pott College of Science and Engineering refers to Mr. Geiss as a student who, as an active and interested participant in the classroom, asked pertinent questions and enhanced the classroom experience for all students.

His involvement in student life is as impressive as his excellence in academic work. Student life programs at USI exist to complement the academic curriculum. Involvement is a key tool in developing the whole student, and Mr. Geiss played an integral role in developing the full collegiate experience for himself and his fellow students. He has held offices and positions of responsibility with Student Ambassadors, College Mentors for Kids, AMIGO orientation leaders, the Honors Program, Pre-Professional Health Club, and Camp Eagle. He was a presenter in the Endeavor Undergraduate Research



Steven L. Geiss '11

and Creative Works Symposium and a conference assistant in the Department of Housing and Residence Life. He worked in the microbiology lab and served on the University Core Curriculum Committee. This spring semester he studied in the United Kingdom at Harlaxton College and discovered a love for traveling and experiencing new people and places.

While working with professionals in Student Affairs, Mr. Geiss managed challenging situations with integrity, professionalism, and maturity. A mentor in Student Life identifies him as a hard-working, productive student leader who is one of the most motivated, determined, intelligent, and well-rounded students at the University.

The list of awards Mr. Geiss has amassed is notable. He received the Top Student Leader Award from the vice president of Student Affairs, the Sherrianne Standley University Service Scholarship, and the Achievement Award for Excellence in cellular and molecular biology. He was named an Emerging Leader of the Year at USI and served on the Homecoming court. He participated on soccer and bowling intramural teams.

Recognized as one who offers great promise, Mr. Geiss will study medicine at the Indiana University School of Medicine in the fall. His career goal is to return to the Evansville area to practice medicine and raise a family after spending time helping the medically underserved in another country.

Other finalists for the President's Medal are Katharine A. Funke, Sonali A. Ghandhi, Sunny C. Huang, and Lauren K. Raikes. The Student Affairs Committee of the Faculty Senate selects the President's medal recipient. The Geiss interview was conducted via Skype because he was studying abroad during the spring semester. It was the first time a finalist interview was conducted on the Internet.

# UNIVERSITY OF SOUTHERN INDIANA

# Candidates for Degrees CLASS OF 2011

# Doctoral Degrees

### DOCTOR OF NURSING **PRACTICE**

Michelle R. Ashby, Mattoon, Illinois Nursing Practice

B. Renee Dugger, Newburgh Nursing Practice

Jennifer L. Embree, Campbellsburg Nursing Administration

Sheila Lynn Hauck, Newburgh Nursing Practice

Rhonda Joan Hettinger, New Albany Nursing Practice

Patricia L. Jackson, South Bend Nursing Practice

Tracy Thornhill Kinner, Evansville Family Nurse Practitioner

Isabella A. McCool, Evansville Nursing Administration

Pamela Yvonne Miller, Allendale, Illinois Nursing Practice

Marilyn Coffman Ostendorf, Newburgh Nursing Practice

Lori Ann Phillips, Mount Carmel, Illinois Nursing Practice

Gina Lynn Schaar, Evansville Nursing Practice

Constance Fay Swenty, Rolla, Missouri Nursing Administration

Colleen Ruth Walsh, Wayland, Massachusetts Nursing Practice

Barbara Ann Winningham, Indianapolis Nursing Practice

## Master Degrees

### MASTER OF ARTS IN LIBERAL STUDIES

Robert N. Calton, Evansville Mary Kathleen Cheshire, Chandler Harold S. Esty, Evansville Lucas Launius, Broughton, Illinois

Sarah Jane Munjas, Lowell Sara K. Rhoades, Evansville

Shelby L. Robbins, Evansville

James L. Turpen, Chicago, Illinois

## MASTER OF BUSINESS **ADMINISTRATION**

William B. Adelman, Evansville

Anuradha Asthana, Evansville

Ryan C. Bacon, Evansville

Jeffrey A. Berger, Evansville

Michael Andrew Cathro, Clinton, Maryland

Preeti Chhabra, Evansville

Eric F. Friend, Evansville

Sean C. Groves, Newburgh

Jonathan Heath Hatfield, Morganfield, Kentucky

Brittany Lynn Hinderliter, New Harmony

Barbora Zahnasova Iacobsma, Evansville

Marisa J. Johnson, Evansville

Nathan Perry Moore, Newburgh

Ryan David Moore, Newburgh

Dana L. Myers, Evansville

Iace N. Redman, Mount Vernon

Matthew Jason Reffett, Evansville

Nicholas Daniel Rhew, Evansville

Jonathan Roberts, Chatham, United Kingdom

Michelle A. Roy, Evansville Derya Sapan, Bursa, Turkey

Courtney A. Schmidt, Terre Haute

Cale A. Schmit, Fort Branch

Laura J. Schmitt, Evansville

Brandon J. Thornburg, Evansville

Craig A. Weinzapfel, Evansville

Faith Rene Wells, Evansville

### MASTER OF HEALTH **ADMINISTRATION**

Meagan E. Broerman, Richland

Heather N. Coughlin, Evansville

Mitchell J. Couvillion, Newburgh

Molly R. Elfreich, Evansville

Rachael A. Farmer, Evansville

Katherine Rose Gretler, Evansville

James D. Julian, Mount Vernon

Lindsay M. Krom, Atlanta, Georgia

Joseph K. LaHue, English

Emily S. Lynn, Evansville

Craig Robert Phifer, Newburgh

Amanda R. Reddington, Madison

LaDonna Lea Sidenbender, Evansville

Nikki Michelle Viviano, Mount Vernon

David S. Waterman, Evansville

Robert William Zigenfus, Jr., Evansville

### MASTER OF PUBLIC **ADMINISTRATION**

Ianis Michelle Du Bois, Evansville

Amanda Kim Duvall, Newburgh

Zachary J. Heronemus, Evansville

Megan L. Mortis, Henderson, Kentucky

Adam W. Schaaf, Evansville

### MASTER OF SCIENCE IN EDUCATION

Buster C. Ashley, Owensboro, Kentucky Elementary Education

Rebecca R. Courtney, Tampa, Florida Elementary Education

Kristen H. Duckworth, Henderson, Kentucky Elementary Education

Mary J. Goedde, Evansville Elementary Education

N. Suzanne Hanna, Evansville Elementary Education

Amanda D. Hirsch, Wadesville Secondary Education

Kathleen Hollenbacher, Evansville Secondary Education

Jessica R. Ivy, Evansville Secondary Education

Kerri Rayne Jackson, Newburgh Elementary Education

Tiffany A. Jones, Henderson, Kentucky Elementary Education

Kary Michael Kahle, Chandler

Hitomi Kameyama, Shimotsuke-shi, Japan Secondary Education

Nicole E. Mahone, Evansville Elementary Education

Secondary Education

Ryan Keith Marvel, Evansville Secondary Education

Molly C. Melvin, Evansville Elementary Education

Shanna Lee Messersmith, Evansville Elementary Education

Tina M. Mosier, Crossville, Illinois Elementary Education

Susan M. Overton, Henderson, Kentucky Elementary Education

- Shelley M. Patton, Evansville Elementary Education
- Sarah Nicole Rader, Evansville Elementary Education
- Stephanie Jill Richie, Evansville Elementary Education
- Madelyn S. Russell, Evansville Secondary Education
- Allyson Nicole Satterfield, Henderson, Kentucky Elementary Education
- Kendra Ann Schultz, Newburgh Elementary Education
- Johnathan E. Spencer, Evansville Secondary Education
- Sarah Lynn Truax Versteeg, Murfreesboro, Tennessee Elementary Education
- Elizabeth Joan Wade, Evansville Secondary Education
- Pei Cheng Wei, TaiChung, Taiwan Elementary Education
- Richelle A. Williams, Fort Branch Elementary Education
- Holly Ann Wolsiefer, Evansville Secondary Education
- Sara Jane Young, Newburgh Secondary Education

# MASTER OF SCIENCE IN INDUSTRIAL MANAGEMENT

Sandra L. Banks, Newburgh

# MASTER OF SCIENCE IN NURSING

- Heather R. Aranda, Ozawkie, Kansas Nursing Management and Leadership
- Melissa L. Attebury, Evansville Family Nurse Practitioner
- Robetta M. Baker, Talcum, Kentucky Family Nurse Practitioner
- Jamee S. Baltzell, Newton, Illinois Family Nurse Practitioner
- Gregory G. Bingaman, Mishawaka Acute Care Nurse Practitioner
- Wen Cai, Fishers Acute Care Nurse Practitioner
- Rebecka S. Carroll, Henderson, Kentucky Nursing Education
- Amy M. Cavitt, Wingo, Kentucky Family Nurse Practitioner
- Ina Janette Chandler, Olaton, Kentucky Family Nurse Practitioner
- Emily K. Clark, Owensboro, Kentucky Family Nurse Practitioner
- Robyn B. Copeland, Madison Nursing Management and Leadership
- Roger A. Cox, Terre Haute Family Nurse Practitioner
- Julie A. Crowe, Owensboro, Kentucky Family Nurse Practitioner
- Marinetta J. Demoss, Evansville Nursing Education

- Diane L. DeStefano, Mount Carmel, Illinois Acute Care Nurse Practitioner
- Leslie W. Ebelhar, Owensboro, Kentucky Family Nurse Practitioner
- Michelle Ann Elkins, Puryear, Tennessee Family Nurse Practitioner
- Natalie R. Elpers, Haubstadt Family Nurse Practitioner
- Myron J. Falkner, Raleigh, North Carolina Nursing Management and Leadership
- Sayeh Fesharaki, Reno, Nevada Acute Care Nurse Practitioner
- Jeffrey D. Fugate, Hazard, Kentucky Family Nurse Practitioner
- Brittney N. Fulcher, Henderson, Kentucky Family Nurse Practitioner
- Emily M. Giordano, Vincennes Family Nurse Practitioner
- Nikki L. Gulley, Marion, Illinois Nursing Education
- Tracy A. Guy, Martinsville Family Nurse Practitioner
- Kayla Nicole Hall, Mount Vernon Acute Care Nurse Practitioner
- Susan P. Hall, Palmview, Texas Family Nurse Practitioner
- Nichole D. Harbeson, Corydon Family Nurse Practitioner
- Sarah Elizabeth Hart, Evansville Acute Care Nurse Practitioner
- Tiffany L. Hayes, Corydon Family Nurse Practitioner
- Lisa J. Hensley, Evansville Nursing Management and Leadership
- Jean Hunt, Evansville Nursing Education
- Jessica Lyn Jones, Rockport Acute Care Nurse Practitioner
- Stephanie B. Krampe, Henderson, Kentucky Acute Care Nurse Practitioner
- Lana M. Labhart, Newburgh Nursing Education
- Marlena Langford, Haubstadt Acute Care Nurse Practitioner
- Karin L. Larger, Columbus, Ohio Acute Care Nurse Practitioner
- Michael R. Levy, Richardson, Texas Acute Care Nurse Practitioner
- Sarah Ellen Long, Boonville Acute Care Nurse Practitioner
- Ginamarie Lowery, Temecula, California Nursing Management and Leadership
- Susan Elizabeth Knott Lyons, Frederick, Maryland Acute Care Nurse Practitioner
- Joy Ann May, Newburgh Family Nurse Practitioner
- Gail A. McBride, Owensboro, Kentucky Family Nurse Practitioner
- Lacy Nicole McKeel, Almo, Kentucky Family Nurse Practitioner
- Michelle D. Meyer, Clinton Family Nurse Practitioner

- Andrea M. Miller, Oaktown Family Nurse Practitioner
- Amy J. Murphy, Harrisburg, Illinois Nursing Education
- Emily K. Murphy, Evansville Family Nurse Practitioner
- Laurie A. Niemet, Dublin, Ohio Family Nurse Practitioner
- Carlene Leann Oliver, Evansville Nursing Management and Leadership
- Jordan Ashley Overholt, Lafayette Family Nurse Practitioner
- Kendra L. Parus, Newburgh Acute Care Nurse Practitioner
- Moira J. Pyle, Round Rock, Texas Acute Care Nurse Practitioner
- Amber D. Raibley, Evansville Acute Care Nurse Practitioner
- Sue Ann Robertson, Calhoun, Kentucky Acute Care Nurse Practitioner
- Kara M. Rumley, Evansville Acute Care Nurse Practitioner
- Brenda Lynn Sassen, Denver, Colorado Family Nurse Practitioner
- Susan A. Seibert, New Harmony Nursing Education
- Angela R. Shick, Lawrenceville, Illinois Nursing Management and Leadership
- April Putnam Shoulders, Boonville Family Nurse Practitioner
- Nadiene Ann Skorcz, Tamaroa, Illinois Acute Care Nurse Practitioner
- Stephanie Ann Stager, Austin, Texas Acute Care Nurse Practitioner
- Bonnie L. Steffens, Murray, Utah Family Nurse Practitioner
- Deanna Lynn Tacderas, Carterville, Illinois Family Nurse Practitioner
- Cindy S. Taylor, Altoona, Iowa Nursing Education
- Mandy Dawn Wever, Bedford Family Nurse Practitioner
- Amber Kay Wheeler, Evansville Family Nurse Practitioner
- Mary Jane Whitton, Marion Nursing Management and Leadership
- Julie Angeline Winsett, Newburgh Family Nurse Practitioner
- Suzanne Marie Winzenburg, Knoxville, Tennessee Family Nurse Practitioner
- Cheri Rene Wood, Chandler Nursing Management and Leadership
- Julianne Wright, Mooresville Nursing Education

# MASTER OF SCIENCE IN OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY

Evan M. Asay, Haubstadt

Alycia C. Batson-Benefield, Evansville

Corrie Beth Beecher, Terre Haute

Jill Kristine Boeglin, Mariah Hill

Elise J. Bradley, Evansville

Whitney Nicole Case, Evansville

Christopher Sean Dawson, Evansville

Katie Louise Edwards, Mitchell

Sara Beth Fischer, Owensboro, Kentucky

Lelah Ann Hagan, Grandview

Jeffrey A. Hanson, Carmel

Christine Marie Harpenau, Saint Anthony

Katelyn R. Henderson, Fishers

Ryan Andrew Horrall, Mount Carmel, Illinois

Chasity Lynelle Hutchinson, Evansville

Stephanie N. King, Elberfeld

Kayla Renee Mason, Rockport

Brittany D. Mathis, Chandler

Erica Lynn Miller, Catlin, Illinois

John Byron Pierson, Evansville

Daniel L. Porter, Equality, Illinois

Chelsea N. Rogers, New Albany

Emily D. Spencer, Henderson, Kentucky

Bryley M. Stevens, Beaver Dam, Kentucky

Katie Lynn Teagarden, Speedway

Chelsea R. Thomas, Wadesville

Amy E. Torrence, Evansville

Skylar Nicole White, Patoka

Adrienne Leigh Anne Witte, West Salem,

Jamie Lee Yates, Newburgh

#### MASTER OF SOCIAL WORK

Bryan L. Baker, Evansville

Julie M. Bates, Mount Vernon

Sarah M. Becher, Ferdinand

Janice A. Bieker, Huntingburg

Christine A. Birge, Jasper

Misty Bass Blann, Lawrenceville, Illinois

Megan M. Bruner, Evansville

Lana R. Bunner, Rockport

Jessica L. Carter, Evansville

Sarah E. Elrod, Evansville

Melissa Eve Garcia, Boonville

Jennifer E. Hancock, Evansville

Jennifer L. Hassell, Mount Vernon

Kasindra Arnett Jones, Gray, Tennessee

Sarah K. Kaiser, Bruceville

Kathleen A. Kauffman, Frankfort

Tina R. Keltner, Evansville

Milka K. Kinyanjui, Evansville

Kelsey Jo Marfilius, Evansville

Andrew T. Martin, Evansville

Natascha N. Moore, Evansville

Terra Nichole Norman, Evansville

William Pekar, Fairfield, Connecticut

Syrrus Nicole Powell, San Francisco, California

Amanda Jo Pryor, Freelandville

Amanda R. Reed, Bicknell

Crystal M. Rinehart, Vincennes

Mary Catherine Risinger, Wilmette, Illinois

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- Jonathan D. Bell, Pittsboro Management
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- Amanda S. Byers-Barnes, Zionsville Elementary Education
- Brian M. Carr, Evansville
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- Brooke E. Icenogle, Greenwood Elementary Education
- Ashley Kaye Johnson, Boonville Kinesiology, cum laude
- Melinda R. Johnston, Argos Elementary Education
- Heather A. Jones, Boonville Elementary Education
- Allison Marie King, Mount Vernon Elementary Education, cum laude
- Larin Lee LaFontaine, Evansville Early Childhood Education
- Alyssa Beth Lambert, Evansville Elementary Education, magna cum laude
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- Michelle E. Lewis, Harrisburg, Illinois Elementary Education, *cum laude*
- Thomas C. Lovvorn, Plainfield Kinesiology
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- Sara A. Martin, Madison Kinesiology
- Rebecca Ann Mathauer, Ferdinand Elementary Education, magna cum laude
- Rachel M. May, Grayville, Illinois Elementary Education, summa cum laude
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- Christopher M. Nalin, Evansville Kinesiology
- Cassie L. Parsley, Rockport Sport Management
- Katherine L. Patchin, Newburgh Elementary Education
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- Brent D. Pettit, Batesville Exercise Science
- Hannah Michal Quirey, Evansville Elementary Education, *cum laude*
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- Simon Rawnsley, Evansville Kinesiology
- Amber M. Redfield, Evansville Kinesiology
- Emily L. Retter, Newburgh Elementary Education
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- Zachary J. Ryder, Vincennes Physical Education
- Rosanna M. Sartore, Evansville Elementary Education, *summa cum laude*
- Nathana L. Scheller, Evansville Elementary Education, *cum laude*
- Zachary M. Schilling, Jasper Physical Education
- Elizabeth W. Schmidt, Evansville Elementary Education
- Lee Schutz, Evansville Kinesiology
- Darnisha LaShay Sconiers, South Bend Exercise Science
- Allison D. Sherretz, Mount Vernon Early Childhood Education

- Ashley Lee Smith, Evansville Elementary Education
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- Travis Nathaniel Tison, Evansville Elementary Education, magna cum laude
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- Kylie M. White, Jasper International Studies
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# Commencement Traditions

### Presidential Medallion

During the Middle Ages, medallions signified membership in religious orders and guilds; in the Renaissance, membership in elite orders of knighthood and prominence in government office. Today, colleges and universities strike medallions to commemorate important events and achievements. Donated by the late Melvin Denner, professor emeritus of biology, and Anne Denner, former instructor in nutrition and biology, and their family, this medallion was fabricated by Honorcraft for the 1995 inauguration of H. Ray Hoops. Dr. Denner served as grand marshal at the University's first inauguration.

The University of Southern Indiana Presidential medallion signifies the authority invested in the president. The medallion's obverse carries, at its center, a three-inch reproduction of the University seal and, surrounding the seal, a half-inch rim. On the reverse appear the names and dates of appointment for the University's presidents. The president wears this medallion for all formal academic ceremonies. During today's ceremony, a replica of the Presidential medallion will be presented to Steven L. Geiss. This is the highest honor given to a graduating senior.

#### Gonfalons

Ceremonial flags called gonfalons originated in the Middle Ages for civil and military processions, often appearing beneath the steel head of a knight's lance. In Italy, gonfalons designated individual Italian republics; the chief magistrate or other high official served as gonfalonier carrying the banner.

At the University of Southern Indiana, gonfalons represent each

major academic unit; typically deans or department heads act as gonfaloniers. Here gonfalon colors derive from traditional hues associated with each college's academic disciplines. Our commencement gonfalons come as a gift from the USI Bookstore.

## University Seal

The University seal, designed by Nussmeier Engraving, bears the University's colors—red, white, and blue—with gold. The shield signifies the importance of higher education in defending citizens against ignorance. Between the two banners displaying the University's name appear a band and an open book bound together by the torch of knowledge. In the band, rays of light emanate simultaneously from a rising sun, symbolizing the young University, and from the torch, symbolizing the light of knowledge and the passion for scholarship. Trees on either side of the flame suggest not only the University's pastoral southern Indiana setting but also life, growth, and continuity.

Beneath this band, an open book emphasizes the importance of teaching and learning; academia populi and academia populo indicate that the University of Southern Indiana is a scholarly academy founded and supported by the people, for the people. Finally, the laurel branches to the right and left of the book represent victory: the light of learning overcomes the darkness of ignorance.

## University Mace

In the Middle Ages, bodyguards of French and English monarchs carried ceremonial maces. Later, the mace became an important symbol of office in civil processions and academic pageantry. At the University of Southern Indiana, the grand marshal,

a distinguished member of the faculty, carries the mace.

A replica of Richard Owen's walking cane serves as the staff for the University mace. A respected geologist and professor of natural science at Indiana University, Owen was the first president of Purdue University. He was a son of Robert Owen, the Welsh industrialist who established New Harmony, Indiana, as a center for education and enlightened social reform in the early 1800s. The 32-inch-tall wooden cane was presented to Richard Owen in 1874; and through the generosity of his descendant, the late Kenneth D. Owen, that cane, lent to USI, served as the grand marshal's staff in all commencement exercises from 1985 to 1995.

Designed and fabricated by Nicholas Logsdon of Indianapolis, the goldplated mace bears at the top, above the cane's golden head, an open orb with a replica of the University seal. The orb's free-flowing design symbolizes interrelationships among all academic disciplines. Immediately below the cane's orb, three two-inch, golden rings bear the names and appointment dates of the University presidents. The names of Kenneth Dale Owen, Jane Blaffer Owen, and James A. Sanders, donors of the mace, appear on a finial near the bottom of the cane replica.

Designed and created by alumnus Kenny Fisher '77, the replica of the cane and its base are made of walnut from the Owen mansion built in New Harmony during the 1830s.

## Academic Regalia

The academic costume dates from medieval days when university students wore woolen and fur garments for warmth in damp and drafty buildings. Most of those studying were clerics in holy orders; they wore a cloak to which was attached a hood that could be pulled up to cover their tonsured heads. Simplified today, the costume serves to remind us that its wearer is a member of an ancient and venerable profession; it also indicates by its color and design the wearer's degree and the institution by which the degree was conferred.

In the United States, black has been the traditional color for academic gowns, but some institutions authorize holders of their doctorates to wear colors of the institution. The bachelor's gown is distinguished by its long, open sleeves; the master's by its closed, slitted sleeves; the doctor's by its full sleeves trimmed with bands of velvet, which may be black or a color denoting the field in which the degree was taken.

The mortarboard cap, proper for all degrees, is black. Tassels, usually black, are worn over the left front quarter of the cap. Holders of the doctorate may wear tassels of gold thread.

Academic hoods vary in length according to the degree attained and are lined with the colors of the institution by which the degree was granted. The honorary doctoral hoods of the University of Southern Indiana are black, lined with blue satin with red satin chevrons. They are edged with white velvet. Retired members of the University faculty and administrative staff can be recognized in today's ceremony by the red, white, and blue cords worn with their regalia.

### **Hooding Ceremony**

Academic hoods vary in length according to the degree attained and are lined with the colors of the institution by which the degree was granted. Hooding signifies the induction of the graduate into the fellowship of the academy, a welcoming gesture by those who represent the high standards of scholarship and creative achievement. During today's ceremony, doctoral and master's degree candidates will receive hoods distinctive to their degrees.

## Baccalaureate Scholarship Honors

The baccalaureate degree candidate graduating with the highest scholarship index is graduated summa cum laude. Baccalaureate students graduating with a scholarship index of 3.80 or higher are graduated magna cum laude. Those with a scholarship index between 3.60 and 3.80 are graduated cum laude. These achievements are set forth on the individual diplomas. Honor students can be recognized in the Commencement Exercises by colored stoles and tassels. Gold indicates summa cum laude; red, magna cum laude; and blue, cum laude.

Because students enrolled in doctoral and master's degree programs are expected to maintain a minimum grade-point average of 3.0, and most achieve much higher levels, scholarship honors at Commencement are given only to baccalaureate students.

## University Honors Scholars

The designation of University Honors Scholar is awarded to students who successfully complete the Honors Program. They can be recognized in today's ceremony by the white honor cords worn with their regalia.

## Alumni Association Pins

Graduates in today's ceremony are receiving lapel pins with the University logo as a gift from the University of Southern Indiana Alumni Association. Organized with the first graduating class in 1971, the association commemorates 40 years in 2011.

# Photography During Ceremony

A commercial photographer will take a photo of each graduate as he/ she receives his/her diploma on stage. A second posed photograph will be taken after each graduate departs from the stage. Graduates will receive proofs of the photos from which duplicates can be ordered. Family members who wish to take still or video photographs during the ceremony are asked to use the designated area on the floor. For safety and security reasons, security guards will ask those who block aisles in the stands or occupy the area behind the stage to move. Your cooperation ensures the dignity of the Commencement ceremony.

### Commemorative DVD

In response to requests from graduates and families, a high-quality commemorative DVD of today's ceremony is being produced by the USI Office of Instructional Technology Services in cooperation with the USI Alumni Association. The DVD covers the platform ceremony, including each graduate receiving a diploma cover. To order a DVD (\$20 each), call 800/813-4238 or 812/464-1924, or order online at https://www.usi.edu/commencement/ssl/dvds.asp.



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