



DOANE UNIVERSITY  
*Commencement 2022*



## *Commencement Ceremonies*

### *Non-Residential Programs*

MAY 8, 2022 • 10 A.M.



### *Crete Residential Programs*

MAY 8, 2022 • 2:30 P.M.

### *The Flags*

Flags are from a variety of countries in addition to the Christian flag. The international flags represent some of the countries of origin of graduates, alumni, and current students. The United States and Nebraska flags are carried by members of Omicron Delta Kappa, a national leadership honorary.



### *The Mace*

Representing the authority bestowed upon the president by the Board of Trustees, the mace features a bronze of the college seal atop a four-foot sculpted piece of walnut. The mace is carried by Thomas Duden, Adjunct Instructor in Criminal Justice and signifies the official opening and closing of the ceremony.



### *Marshals*

Marshals lead the processional and recessional, and direct the logistics of the ceremony. Faculty marshals are Dr. Kim Jarvis, Professor of History, and Dr. Mark J. Meysenburg, Professor of Information Science & Technology. Junior marshals are members of Omicron Delta Kappa, a national leadership honorary: Tiffany Carnahan, Fremont, NE; Hayden Klaus, Bellevue, NE; Zekiel Krejci-Hyde, Louisville, NE; Ava Kuhl, Columbus, NE; Abrianna Miller, Friend, NE; Sabrina Renderos-Bonilla, Crete, NE; and Blake Skoumal, Omaha, NE;



### *Photography and Videography*

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## Doane University Banners

The Doane University banner bears the college seal, created by Thomas Doane, Esq., and David Brainerd Perry, the first president of the college. The woman (science) trims the lamp of knowledge to light the book (Bible).

The star and cross are Christian symbols indicating Doane's Congregational heritage. Science faces west to signify westward movement of learning. The triangle denotes strength through three aspects of life: spiritual, physical, and intellectual.

*Undergraduate banners represent foundational areas of study in the liberal arts and sciences tradition and the academic divisions of the university:*

Fine Arts and Humanities.....	White
Science, Mathematics, and Information Science and Technology.....	Yellow
Education.....	Blue
Social Science.....	Citron
Economics and Business.....	Drab
Academic Information Services.....	Yellow, white, and blue

*Graduate banners represent the higher education tradition:*

Doctorate of Education.....	Blue
Education Specialist.....	Blue
Master of Education.....	Blue
Master of Arts in Counseling.....	Burgundy
Master of Arts in Management.....	Drab
Master of Business Administration.....	Drab
Master of Science in Instructional Design and Technology.....	Gold



## Honor Cords

Medallions are worn by students graduating from the Honors Program, orange cords are worn by students graduating with honors, and National Honor Society memberships are signified by colored honor cords:

Alpha Kappa Delta.....	Teal
<i>Sociology</i>	
Alpha Lambda Delta.....	White, gold, and red
<i>Academic</i>	
Alpha Psi Omega.....	Midnight blue and amber
<i>Theatre</i>	
Beta Beta Beta.....	Red and green
<i>Biology</i>	
Cardinal Key.....	Crimson and gold
<i>Service</i>	
Delta Mu Delta.....	Purple and gold
<i>Accounting/business</i>	
Delta Phi Alpha.....	Black, gold, and red
<i>German</i>	
Kappa Alpha Omicron.....	Forest green and snow white
<i>Environmental science</i>	
Omicron Delta Epsilon.....	Blue and gold
<i>Economics</i>	
Omicron Delta Kappa.....	Sky blue and silver
<i>Leadership</i>	
Phi Alpha Theta.....	Red and light blue
<i>History</i>	
Phi Sigma Iota.....	Purple and white
<i>All languages</i>	
Pi Kappa Delta.....	Silver and red
<i>Forensics</i>	
Pi Lambda Theta.....	Gold
<i>Education</i>	
Pi Sigma Alpha.....	Red, white, and black
<i>Political science</i>	
Janice Hadfield Scholar Leader.....	White
<i>Nontraditional students</i>	
Psi Chi.....	Platinum and dark blue
<i>Psychology</i>	
Sigma Delta Pi.....	Red and gold
<i>Spanish</i>	
Sigma Tau Delta.....	Red and black
<i>English</i>	

## *About Doane University*

Doane University is the oldest private liberal arts institution in Nebraska. Founded in 1872 as Doane College, its original campus in Crete is home to traditional, residential undergraduates. Doane has grown over the last 150 years, and this original campus no longer holds everything the school has to offer.

Doane is recognized nationally for the high quality of its continuing education programs. Offering 10 undergraduate majors, seven masters programs and one doctoral program, Doane is proud of its nontraditional students who attend classes in Lincoln, Omaha and online.

Doane has also been named a “Top National Liberal Arts College” by U.S. News & World Report several years in a row, and is listed among the “Best Midwestern Colleges” by The Princeton Review for 2021.

Doane’s mission is to to create distinctive educational experiences, rooted in the liberal arts, to prepare our students for careers and lives grounded in inquiry, ethics, and a commitment to lead and serve in the global community.

## The Doane Hymn

A hymn of praise we lift to Thee, O God, whom we re - vere. For  
5 build on Christ" this mot - to blest, En - graved on Mer - rill's stone, is  
Doane, Thy ho - ly gift to us our Al - ma Ma - ter dear. Her walls are fitt - ing  
10 writ - ten, too, in ev - ery heart that loy - al beats for Doane. Keep our soul vis - ion,  
mon - u - ments to those who reared them there. And strong lives nur - tured  
then, O Christ, For aye un - dimmed and free, that we may ho - nor  
14 in her halls be - speak their an - swered prayer. "We Thee.  
God and Doane by build - ing still on \_\_\_\_\_

❁ **STEVE JOEL, Ph.D. '76, SUPERINTENDENT  
OF LINCOLN PUBLIC SCHOOLS** ❁

**STEVE JOEL, Ph.D. '76** became superintendent of Lincoln Public Schools in 2010. Previously, he served for ten years as superintendent in Grand Island, Nebraska, and eight years in Beatrice, Nebraska. A native of Long Island, New York, he has degrees from Doane College, the University of Nebraska-Lincoln, and Kansas State University.

Joel has been honored with a wide variety of awards and distinctions including: Nebraska Superintendent of the Year and Leadership Excellence by the Educational Resource Development Institute. He is active in many community clubs and coalitions, and serves on a number of boards including the Lincoln Chamber of Commerce, Foundation for Lincoln Public Schools, Lincoln Community Foundation, The Career Academy, and President of the United Way of Lincoln and Lancaster County Board.

Joel's leadership has focused on comprehensive solutions to significant school and community issues. The immigration raid in Grand Island led to the formation of a community coalition to begin the arduous process of rebuilding community unity, and the tragic fire that resulted in a complete loss of the Lincoln Public Schools District Office allowed for the construction of a new facility. More recently, Lincoln has grown rapidly to include over 42,000 students and 8,000 staff members. With Joel's leadership, Lincoln Public Schools has adopted a comprehensive instructional technology plan and developed The Career Academy leading Nebraska into the next phase of K12 education.

Joel has also served as a consultant to school districts and businesses across the country in areas of strategic planning, team building and superintendent searches.





## *Non-Residential Programs*

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*Doctorate of Education*

*Master of Education in Educational Leadership*

*Master of Education in Curriculum and Instruction*

*Master of Education in School Counseling*

*Master of Arts in Counseling*

*Master of Arts in Management*

*Master of Business Administration*

*Master of Science in Instructional Design and Technology*

*Bachelor of Arts*

*Bachelor of Science*

*Bachelor of Science in Nursing*





## COMMENCEMENT CEREMONY

Processional*.....	Doane University Concert Band Jay W. Gilbert, D.M., <i>Conductor</i>
Invocation*.....	Quinn C. Stryker, '22A, <i>Stromsburg, NE</i>
<i>The Star Spangled Banner*</i> .....	Sarah E. Daly, '22, <i>Sidney, IA</i>
Welcome and Introduction of Speaker.....	Roger A. Hughes, Ph.D., '82 <i>President, Doane University</i>
Commencement Address.....	Stephen C. Joel, Ph.D., '76 <i>Superintendent, Lincoln Public Schools</i> <i>And, Away You Go</i>
Conferral of Graduate Degrees.....	Roger A. Hughes, Ph.D. Lorie L. Cook-Benjamin Ed.D, <i>Chief Academic Officer</i> Denise C. Ellis, M.S., <i>Registrar</i>

### DOCTORATE OF EDUCATION

Timothy J. Frey, Ph.D., *Dean, College of Education*

### MASTER OF EDUCATION IN EDUCATIONAL LEADERSHIP

Teresa G. Perkins, Ed.D. *Co-Director, Master of Education in Educational Leadership Program*  
 Bess S. Scott, Ph.D., *Co-Director, Master of Education in Educational Leadership Program*  
 Carrie L. Rath, Ed.D., *Assistant Professor and Director, Initial Program at the Advanced Level for Certification*

### MASTER OF EDUCATION IN CURRICULUM AND INSTRUCTION AND MASTER OF EDUCATION IN SCHOOL COUNSELING

Jodie A. Green, M.A., *Director, Master of Education in School Counseling Program*  
 Debra S. Stuto, M.Ed., *Director, Master of Education in Curriculum and Instruction Program*

### MASTER OF ARTS IN COUNSELING

Courtney R. East, Ph.D., *Director, Master of Arts in Counseling Program*  
 Jean M. Kilnoski, M.A., M.Ed., *Assistant Professor, Master of Arts in Counseling Program*

### MASTER OF ARTS IN MANAGEMENT AND MASTER OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

AJ Chauradia, Ph.D., *Chair, Graduate Business Programs*  
 Dana L. Miller, Ph.D., *Director, Developing Leader Coaches*

**MASTER OF SCIENCE IN INSTRUCTIONAL DESIGN AND TECHNOLOGY**

Debra K. Meier, Ph.D., *Director, Instructional Design and Technology Program*

AJ Chauradia, Ph.D., *Chair, Graduate Business Program*

<b>Conferral of Baccalaureate Degrees</b> .....	Roger A. Hughes, Ph.D. Lorie L. Cook-Benjamin Ed.D Timothy J. Frey, Ph.D. Denise C. Ellis, M.S.
<b><i>The Doane Hymn (page. 5)*</i></b> .....	Sarah E. Daly, '22, <i>Sidney, IA</i>
<b>Benediction*</b> .....	Quinn C. Stryker, '22A, <i>Stromsburg, NE</i>
<b>Closing Music</b> .....	Doane University Concert Band

*\* PLEASE STAND*

## *doctorate* OF EDUCATION

Lisa Marie Bickert • Lincoln, NE

*Dissertation:*

It Takes More Than a Village: How Self-Identified Minority Leaders Describe Their Paths to Leadership

*Dissertation Chair and Presenter:*

Catherine Sommervold, Ed.D., Director, Doctorate of Education Program

Tara Rae Cooper • Omaha, NE

*Dissertation:*

Formative Assessment as a Verb: Measuring the impact of the formative assessment process on student achievement and growth in mathematics

*Dissertation Chair and Presenter:*

Julie Kozisek, Ph.D., Professor of Education

Lynn M. Dennis • York, NE

*Dissertation:*

How Midwestern Kindergarten Teachers Use Developmentally Appropriate Play-Based Practices to Support the Standards.

*Dissertation Chair and Presenter:*

Julie Kozisek, Ph.D., Professor of Education

Brandi Rae Hennerberg • Diller, NE

*Dissertation:*

Elementary Teachers' Perception of Support During the COVID-19 Pandemic

*Dissertation Chair and Presenter:*

Emily Griesch, Ed.D., Assistant Professor of Education

John Michael Meyer • Ankeny, IA

*Dissertation:*

The Greater Good: Why long-serving registered nurses remain in direct patient care

*Dissertation Chair and Presenter:*

Steve Joel, Ph.D., Adjunct Professor of Education

Kristi Lee Mulliner • Lincoln, NE

*Dissertation:*

The Essence of Title I Success

*Dissertation Chair and Presenter:*

Marilyn Johnson-Farr, Ph.D., Professor of Education

Melissa Renee Weber-Arnold • Lincoln, NE

*Dissertation:*

Parental Demographic Characteristics Impacting Educational Equity: Creating Equitable Special Education Services

*Dissertation Chair:*

Dr. Marilyn Peterson

*Presenter:*

Catherine Sommervold, Ed.D.

Matthew David Williams • Omaha, NE

*Dissertation:*

School as a Community Hub: An Intrinsic Case Study of Midwest Elementary School

*Dissertation Chair:*

Dr. Linda Kalbach

*Presenter:*

Catherine Sommervold, Ed.D.

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## *master of education* IN EDUCATIONAL LEADERSHIP

Lucas Apfelbeck • Elkhorn, NE

Leann Marie Boerema • Clinton, IA

Halie Brandt • York, NE

Scott Patrick Carlin • Hastings, NE

Chelsy Marie Cary • Gretna, NE

Laura Christine Chan • Omaha, NE

Morgan Clare • Lincoln, NE

Courtney Rae Berberich Cronk • Royal, IA

Leslie Ann Drees • Daykin, NE

Joshua Christopher Duncan • Omaha, NE

Kyle David Elsasser • Bancroft, NE

Kelsi Dawn Finley • Omaha, NE

Daniel Flynn • Lincoln, NE

Tyler D. Francis • Lincoln, NE

Rachel Ann Fyfe • Pella, IA

Miranda Galloway • Gretna, NE

Curtis G. Gocke • Plattsmouth, NE

Oscar José González • Omaha, NE

Erin Rose Hamilton • Beatrice, NE

Rachel Danlee Harger • Elkhorn, NE

Lindsey Holes • Omaha, NE

Shannon Elaine Janicek • Omaha, NE

Justin Johnson • South Sioux City, NE

Shawna Christine Johnson • Omaha, NE

Breanna M. Jones • Norfolk, NE

Breeamber N. Jordan • Omaha, NE

Autumn Christine Kunze • Grand Island, NE

Elizabeth Morgan Lollman • Hastings, NE

Kate Mackins • Bellevue, NE

Jessica L. Marsh • Crete, NE

Adan Martinez • Lincoln, NE

Leslie A. McIntosh • Syracuse, NE

Tara Lynn Moore • Lincoln, NE

Alex Niederklein • Hastings, NE

Michaela Overby • Omaha, NE

Amanda Leigh Paredes • Crete, NE

Stephanie L. Perrin • Bellevue, NE

Vicki Lynn Pribil • Omaha, NE

Stevie Raenna Reed • North Platte, NE

Kati Jo Robinson • Syracuse, NE

Jessica Roettger • Lincoln, NE

Katie Rose • Columbus, NE

Jacob Salomons • Lincoln, NE

Nicholas Lee Schram • Gretna, NE

Amy Schultz • Doniphan, NE

Ginny Dee Sellenrick • Lincoln, NE  
Krista Marie Sipes • St. Paul, NE  
Kristen Slechta • Hastings, NE  
Jennifer Elizabeth Smith • Carter Lake, IA

Jaimi L. Stelk • Hickman, NE  
Briana Marae Stewart • Waverly, NE  
Jaclyn Ternus • Columbus, NE  
Cody Thatcher • Lincoln, NE

Emma Torghelle • Lincoln, NE  
Andrew Drake Willis • Lincoln, NE  
Kathryn Marie Wojahn • Edinboro, PA

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*master of education* IN CURRICULUM AND INSTRUCTION

Abeer Al Doori • Lincoln, NE  
Lindsay Aliano • Omaha, NE  
Natalie Elizabeth Andersen • Sioux City, IA  
Shayla Helen Andersen • Omaha, NE  
Margaret Elizabeth Andreasen • Omaha, NE  
McKehna Logan Bartels • Daykin, NE  
Stacy Bauer • Omaha, NE  
Allisyn Lea Besack • Omaha, NE  
Katrina Blank • Alma, NE  
Amy Lynn Bombeck • Hastings, NE  
Sarah Corinne Borkowski • La Vista, NE  
Jamie Suzanne Brester • Lincoln, NE  
Mallory Ranae Cacy • Grand Island, NE  
Alexa R. Caldwell • Omaha, NE  
Vanessa D. Meloche • Firth, NE  
Kaitlyn Renee Drake • Bellevue, NE

Ashley French • Omaha, NE  
Shelba Kate Halbrook • Canton, NC  
Mary Katherine Harris • Omaha, NE  
Riley Jo Herringer • Papillion, NE  
Adam Seth Hoatson • Sutherland, NE  
Deffanie Hoffman • Omaha, NE  
Hannah Holst • Omaha, NE  
Dutton Wayne Hughes • Grand Island, NE  
Cade Huncovsky • Grand Island, NE  
Kari Lynn Kendall • Phillipsburg, KS  
Sydney Taylor Kliewer • Aurora, NE  
Haley Koch • Harlan, IA  
Stephanie Marie Lamb • Papillion, NE  
Kacy Rae Loos • Bellevue, NE  
Emma Gayle Magsamen • Lincoln, NE  
Madison Mallum • Lincoln, NE

Chelcey Marie Mannel • Gering, NE  
Cameron Moes • Lincoln, NE  
Jace A. Morgan • Kenesaw, NE  
Erik Mueller • Omaha, NE  
Zachary James Newkirk • Lincoln, NE  
Jenna Reissener • Omaha, NE  
Erin Saathoff • Hebron, NE  
Michael James Sanderson • Hastings, NE  
Sam Elise Bogdan Servellon • Wilmington, DE  
Nicole Lynn Sideris • Omaha, NE  
Claire Luanna Smith • Elkhorn, NE  
Jessica Starkey • Omaha, NE  
Lauren M. Travis • Lincoln, NE  
Amanda Vogt • Omaha, NE  
Brandon M. Watson • Lincoln, NE  
Amy D. Wynn • Auburn, NE

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*master of education* IN SCHOOL COUNSELING

Stacey Doan • Lincoln, NE  
Rachel Ann George • Seward, NE  
Debora Sue Glover • Grand Island, NE  
John Randall Harris • Wahoo, NE  
Charity Chidinma Iromuanya • Lincoln, NE  
Lori Renee Kelch • Crete, NE

Bailey Barbara Hirsch Krueger • Blair, NE  
Haley Eileen Munter • Milford, NE  
Brittany Taylor Nelson-Cox • Lincoln, NE  
Danielle P. Nyffeler • Omaha, NE  
Megan Marie Pellatz • Eagle, NE  
McKenzie Kay Potthoff • Lincoln, NE

Katherine Nichole Reisdorff • Lincoln, NE  
Cory Jacob Schweitzer • Central City, NE  
Jeffrey Joseph Sjuts • Omaha, NE  
Ann Elizabeth Spotanski • Seward, NE  
Shelley Ann Swartz • Lincoln, NE  
Katy Nicole Williams • Omaha, NE

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*master of arts* IN COUNSELING

Aleah Arleen Alt • Lincoln, NE  
Jesus A. Esquivel • Lincoln, NE  
Jillian Lee Giesselmann • Clarkson, NE  
Lauren Sue Hawkins • Lincoln, NE

Cheyenne Alexandria MacClain • Aurora, CO  
Farrell Marie Mueller • Lincoln, NE  
Kelsey K. Swartz • Exeter, NE  
Jamie Danielle Weatherly • Lincoln, NE

Anna Marie White • Lincoln, NE  
Lindsey Marie Wilksen • Panama, NE  
Crystal F. Wilson • York, NE

*master of arts* IN MANAGEMENT

Kaleb Arterburn • Lincoln, NE  
Lynne Cook • Lincoln, NE

Benedict James Hagedorn • Roca, NE  
Quinn Avery Selby • Turlcok, CA

Brandon Michael Leo Stalvey • Hastings, NE  
Quinn C. Stryker • Stromsburg, NE



*master of business administration*

Kelly R. Braswell-Burbach • Lincoln, NE  
Jessica Campbell • Lincoln, NE  
Kristin Carmichael • Hickman, NE  
Alexandrea Clendenin • Vista, CA  
Preston Charles Cuddy • Lincoln, NE  
Barbara Kathleen Cunningham • Omaha, NE  
Rebecca Leigh Daugherty • Lincoln, NE  
Carolyn Ann De la Cerda • Houston, TX  
Alexis Ehrhardt • Papillion, NE  
Jennifer Luree Golden • Lincoln, NE

Brianne Marie Gutknecht • Omaha, NE  
Michelle Andriese Dix Haynes • Tallahassee, FL  
Nancy Jennett • Lincoln, NE  
Bomo Christian Keme •  
Port Harcourt, Nigeria  
Meagan R. Kershner • Grand Island, NE  
Michael James Miriovsky • Lincoln, NE  
Jillian Mogensen • Wayne, NE  
Mohammad Moradi • Toronto, Canada  
Patrick Neff • Elkhorn, NE

Steven Roy Paulson • Gretna, NE  
Katherine L. Rea • Bradshaw, NE  
Samuel Ray Saldivar • Tecumseh, NE  
Misty Stoner • Lincoln, NE  
Errick Mathew Sturm • Griffin, GA  
Edward James Vanderplow • Lincoln, NE  
Susan L Hull Walsh • Omaha, NE  
Melissa Anne Warner • Lincoln, NE  
Chatrice M. White • Shelby, NE  
Jacob Wright • Beatrice, NE



*master of science* IN INSTRUCTIONAL DESIGN AND TECHNOLOGY

Tina Maria Koeppe • Lincoln, NE

Carina Sharese Rolf • Gretna, NE

## *bachelor of ARTS & bachelor of SCIENCE*

- ♦♦ Joshua Michael Bonine • Wahoo, NE  
*Bachelor of Science in Information Systems  
and Technology & Business Administration*
- Randall A. Esquivel • Omaha, NE  
*Bachelor of Arts in Professional Studies in  
Business Administration*
- Tanya Marie Frey • Lincoln, NE  
*Bachelor of Arts in Human Relations*
- Michael Ray Glynn • Beatrice, NE  
*Bachelor of Arts in Business Administration*
- ♦♦♦ Christopher Dean Graves • Omaha, NE  
*Bachelor of Arts in Business Administration*
- Rosa Angela Gutierrez • Grand Island, NE  
*Bachelor of Arts in Business Administration*
- Amanda Jo Heider • Lincoln, NE  
*Bachelor of Arts in Liberal Arts Studies*
- Emily Samantha Henshaw • Lincoln, NE  
*Bachelor of Arts in Graphic Design*
- Holly Hillebran • Lincoln, NE  
*Bachelor of Arts in Criminal Justice*
- Taylor Hovie • Grand Island, NE  
*Bachelor of Arts in Agribusiness*
- Christopher Lee Keifer • Randolph, NE  
*Bachelor of Arts in Organizational  
Communications*
- Madison Kelley • Beatrice, NE  
*Bachelor of Arts in Human Relations*
- Morgan Rene Lunders • Lincoln, NE  
*Bachelor of Arts in Public Administration*
- Janice L. Manka • Grand Island, NE  
*Bachelor of Science in Nursing*
- Nicholis Markham • Weeping Water, NE  
*Bachelor of Arts in Business Administration*
- Kelly Maronde • Sarcoxie, MO  
*Bachelor of Science in Nursing*
- Ayla McCarty • York, NE  
*Bachelor of Science in Nursing*
- ♦♦♦ Stephanie Lynn Pankoke • Lincoln, NE  
*Bachelor of Arts in Professional Studies in  
Business Administration*
- Dillon Parks • Milford, NE  
*Bachelor of Arts in Liberal Arts Studies*
- Mindi Jo Porto • Lincoln, NE  
*Bachelor of Arts in Liberal Arts Studies*
- ♦ Dirk Edward Rains • Lincoln, NE  
*Bachelor of Arts in Organizational  
Communications*
- Thomas Webster Saddler II • Lincoln, NE  
*Bachelor of Arts in Liberal Arts Studies*
- Zachary Dylan Schilling • Lincoln, NE  
*Bachelor of Arts in Human Relations*
- Jaicee Lynn Sobotka • Tobias, NE  
*Bachelor of Arts in Agribusiness*
- Jeremy John Sullivan • Martinsburg, NE  
*Bachelor of Arts in Professional Studies in  
Business Administration & Agribusiness*
- Regina Lee Sullivan • Lincoln, NE  
*Bachelor of Arts in Business Administration*
- ♦♦ Amy Lynn Theilen • Creston, NE  
*Bachelor of Arts in Professional Studies in  
Business Administration*
- Paige Lynn Vanmeveren • Lincoln, NE  
*Bachelor of Arts in Professional Studies in  
Business Administration & Accounting*
- Desirae Jo Wenzel • Lincoln, NE  
*Bachelor of Arts in Human Relations*
- Brennan Winkler • Lincoln, NE  
*Bachelor of Science in Nursing*
- Jenilee Marie Wright • Beatrice, NE  
*Bachelor of Arts in Agribusiness*
- Peggy Sue Wright • Lincoln, NE  
*Bachelor of Science in Information Systems  
and Technology*

❁ NON-RESIDENTIAL STUDENT AWARDS ❁

3.5 GPA Minimum Requirement

<i>Outstanding graduate in Agribusiness</i> .....	Jaicee Lynn Sobotka
<i>Outstanding graduate in Business Administration</i> .....	Stephanie Lynn Pankoke
<i>Outstanding graduate in Graphic Design</i> .....	Emily Samantha Henshaw
<i>Outstanding graduate in Human Relations</i> .....	Zachary Dylan Schilling
<i>Outstanding graduate in Information Systems &amp; Technology</i> .....	Joshua Michael Bonine
<i>Outstanding graduate in Liberal Arts</i> .....	Thomas Webster Saddler II
<i>Outstanding graduate in Nursing</i> .....	Janice L. Manka
<i>Outstanding graduate in Organizational Communication</i> .....	Dirk Edward Rains
<i>Outstanding graduate with a Double Major</i> .....	Joshua Michael Bonine
	<i>Information Systems and Technology &amp; Business Administration</i>
<i>Valedictorian</i> .....	Thomas Webster Saddler II



## *Crete Residential Programs*

MAY 8, 2022 • 2:30 P.M.



*Bachelor of Arts*  
*Bachelor of Science*





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<i>The Doane Hymn (page. 5)</i> *	Sarah E. Daly, '22, <i>Sidney, IA</i>
Benediction*	Maddy Sladky, '22, <i>Cedar Creek, NE</i>
Closing Music	Doane University Concert Band

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## *bachelor of ARTS & bachelor of SCIENCE*

- Taje Janieria Airington • Frisco, TX  
*Bachelor of Science in Engineering*
- Talitha Cume Airington • Frisco, TX  
*Bachelor of Science in Biochemistry*
- ♦♦♦Trevin Scott Alberts • Lincoln, NE  
*Bachelor of Science in Biology*
- David Arcos • Columbus, NE  
*Bachelor of Arts in Psychology*
- ♦Bailey Ayn Bagnell • Sidney, NE  
*Bachelor of Arts in Music*
- Cecilia Kathleen Barr • Lincoln, NE  
*Bachelor of Arts in Theatre & Art*
- Joseph D. Barr • Crete, NE  
*Bachelor of Arts in Liberal Arts Studies*
- Odgerel Batkhishig • Ulaanbaatar, Mongolia  
*Bachelor of Arts in Business Administration*
- Nathan James Batt • Sterling, CO  
*Bachelor of Arts in Law, Politics, and Society*
- Erin Renata Benal • Lincoln, NE  
*Bachelor of Arts in History & Political Science*
- Alexandra L. Binder • Table Rock, NE  
*Bachelor of Arts in Elementary Education*
- ♦♦♦Makenna Darlene Bird • Dorchester, NE  
*Bachelor of Arts in Psychology*
- Madison Paige Blackstone • Superior, NE  
*Bachelor of Science in Health and Human Performance*
- Elizabeth Anne Bose • Stamford, NE  
*Bachelor of Arts in Psychology*
- ♦Jazzmyn Ruth Boucher • Lincoln, NE  
*Bachelor of Science in Mathematics*
- Lillie Rebecca Bowman • Firth, NE  
*Bachelor of Arts in English Language Arts*
- \*Tessa May Brazda • Lincoln, NE  
*Bachelor of Science in Computer Science*
- Emily Bretting • Lincoln, NE  
*Bachelor of Arts in Educational Studies*
- Tressa Ann Bull • Burke, SD  
*Bachelor of Arts in Elementary Education*
- Alexis Noel Burke • Lakeport, CA  
*Bachelor of Science in Biology*
- Joseph Dennis Burt • Lincoln, NE  
*Bachelor of Arts in Business Administration & Accounting*
- ♦Kayle Lynn Byrd • Bellevue, NE  
*Bachelor of Science in Biology*
- Gabriel Dias Calixto • Sao Paulo, Brazil  
*Bachelor of Arts in Business Administration*
- Matthew Jacob Campbell • Pierre, SD  
*Bachelor of Science in Health and Human Performance*
- ♦Claire Lauren Carpenter • Henderson, NV  
*Bachelor of Arts in Elementary Education & Special Education*
- Sandra Cerceda-Esquivel • Westminster, CO  
*Bachelor of Arts in Sociology*
- Arath Rigoberto Chairez Escamillal • Arlington, TX  
*Bachelor of Arts in Accounting & Business Administration*
- Jean L. Chevalier • Crete, NE  
*Bachelor of Arts in English*
- Garrett P. Cornwell • Albion, NE  
*Bachelor of Arts in Liberal Arts Studies*
- Lane William Cornwell • Albion, NE  
*Bachelor of Science in Liberal Arts Studies*
- Thiago Lopes Costa • Santos, São Paulo, Brazil  
*Bachelor of Arts in Business Administration*
- Travis James Cowan • Denver, CO  
*Bachelor of Science in Engineering*
- \*Samuel Jameson Coy • Lincoln, NE  
*Bachelor of Science in Biology*
- Tyler John Crandon • Lincoln, NE  
*Bachelor of Arts in Economics & Business Administration*
- Taya Craven • Ashland, NE  
*Bachelor of Arts in Elementary Education & Special Education*
- Joslyn Rae Crow • Hershey, NE  
*Bachelor of Arts in Elementary Education & Special Education*
- ♦Sarah Elizabeth Daly • Sidney, IA  
*Bachelor of Arts in Music*
- Madison Rose Davis • Yutan, NE  
*Bachelor of Arts in Elementary Education*
- Connor Franklin Day • Newcastle, NE  
*Bachelor of Science in Biology*
- Carson Darrell Deisley • Crete, NE  
*Bachelor of Science in Physical Education & Health Education*
- ♦♦Kalen Ray Dockweiler • Callaway, NE  
*Bachelor of Arts in Agribusiness*
- Cody Dooley • Arlington, TX  
*Bachelor of Science in Liberal Arts Studies*
- Kiersten Kae Dose • Hampton, NE  
*Bachelor of Science in Health Sciences*
- Hunter Douglas Drake • Scottsbluff, NE  
*Bachelor of Science in Engineering*
- Danielle Rebecca Dubovy • Las Vegas, NV  
*Bachelor of Science in Engineering*
- Jared Easton • Glendale, AZ  
*Bachelor of Arts in Business Administration*
- Blaike Elizabeth Edeal • Lexington, NE  
*Bachelor of Arts in Elementary Education & Special Education*
- Jorge Andrés Fallas Quirósl • San Jose, Costa Rica  
*Bachelor of Arts in Business Administration*
- Guillermo Fontes Salazar • Monterrey, Mexico  
*Bachelor of Arts in Business Administration*
- Alex Gomez • Omaha, NE  
*Bachelor of Arts in Physical Education*
- Cedric Levon Gooch • Wylie, TX  
*Bachelor of Science in Biology*
- Matthew William Hagedorn • Norfolk, NE  
*Bachelor of Science in Engineering*
- Madysen Marie Handel • Chamberlain, SD  
*Bachelor of Science in Exercise Science*
- ♦♦Travis Donald Handler • Albuquerque, NM  
*Bachelor of Arts in Political Science & International Studies*
- Parker Dane Hansen • Norfolk, NE  
*Bachelor of Arts in Business Administration*
- Nathan Michael Harmon • Greta, NE  
*Bachelor of Arts in Economics*
- Skye Matthew Harnly • Lincoln, NE  
*Bachelor of Science in Engineering*

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## *bachelor of ARTS & bachelor of SCIENCE*

- Christian Claus Harring • Salem, NE  
*Bachelor of Arts in Exercise Science*
- Keith Hayden • La Salle, CO  
*Bachelor of Science in Health and Human Performance*
- Griffin M. Henkel • Lincoln, NE  
*Bachelor of Arts in Liberal Arts Studies*
- Jeremy Douglas Henning • Highlands Ranch, CO  
*Bachelor of Arts in History & Sociology*
- Claire Elizabeth Holling • Crete, NE  
*Bachelor of Science in Physical Education & Health Education*
- Levi J. Houlton • Omaha, NE  
*Bachelor of Science in Information Systems*
- Nathaniel J. Hunke • Crete, NE  
*Bachelor of Arts in Business Administration*
- Ally Rose Ibsen • Fremont, NE  
*Bachelor of Arts in Psychology*
- Brianna Ingalls • Gothenburg, NE  
*Bachelor of Arts in Sociology*
- Jess Nicole Jensen • Osmond, NE  
*Bachelor of Arts in Music*
- Kasey Zane Johannssen • Fremont, NE  
*Bachelor of Science in Engineering*
- Brock Alan Johnson • Lincoln, NE  
*Bachelor of Science in Mathematics*
- Jacob Scott Johnson • Chandler, AZ  
*Bachelor of Arts in Business Administration*
- ♦♦ Leah N. Johnson • Omaha, NE  
*Bachelor of Arts in Elementary Education*
- Cecily Jackelyn Kaluza • Vallejo, CA  
*Bachelor of Science in Environmental Science*
- Blake Ryan Kastanek • Cortland, NE  
*Bachelor of Science in Engineering*
- ♦ Myah Elizabeth Keenportz • Grand Island, NE  
*Bachelor of Arts in Elementary Education*
- Cody D. Keller • Milford, NE  
*Bachelor of Science in Biochemistry*
- Skyler James Kelley • Spokane, WA  
*Bachelor of Arts in Business Administration*
- Kendricks Niles Kemp • Atlanta, GA  
*Bachelor of Science in Engineering*
- Linc Behrens Kleager • Glenwood Springs, CO  
*Bachelor of Arts in Accounting & Business Administration*
- Sarah Nicole Klobuchar • Brookfield, WI  
*Bachelor of Arts in Sociology*
- Emma Marie Kneiff • Newcastle, NE  
*Bachelor of Arts in Psychology*
- Brynn Elizabeth Korinek • Cairo, NE  
*Bachelor of Arts in Psychology*
- Anna Marie Korte • Grand Island, NE  
*Bachelor of Science in Health and Society*
- Mason Jeffery Krause • Lyndon, KS  
*Bachelor of Science in Engineering*
- Tyson Alan Landenberger • Diller, NE  
*Bachelor of Arts in Business Administration*
- Anthony Laravie • Omaha, NE  
*Bachelor of Science in Engineering*
- ♦ Joshua Michael Lasauskas • Omaha, NE  
*Bachelor of Science in Engineering*
- ♦♦ Ryan Patrick Lasauskas • Omaha, NE  
*Bachelor of Science in Engineering*
- \* Aztryd Anahi Lima • Crete, NE  
*Bachelor of Arts in Spanish*
- MaKenna Joy Lindgren • Lincoln, NE  
*Bachelor of Arts in Music*
- Jake Douglas Long • Crete, NE  
*Bachelor of Arts in Sociology*
- William Ralph Louis • Colorado Springs, CO  
*Bachelor of Arts in History*
- Cade William Mahan • Lincoln, NE  
*Bachelor of Arts in Business Administration*
- Max Alois Masin • Ponca, NE  
*Bachelor of Science in Information Systems*
- \* Britany Elizabeth McCarty • Byron, IL  
*Bachelor of Arts in Graphic Design*
- Derek Landan McCormick • Loveland, CO  
*Bachelor of Science in Computer Science*
- Maxwell Arthur McKeown • Lincoln, NE  
*Bachelor of Science in Engineering*
- Aidan Mendoza • Littleton, CO  
*Bachelor of Arts in Liberal Arts Studies*
- Gabrielle Lynn Menghini • North Platte, NE  
*Bachelor of Arts in English*
- Robert Charles Mercier • Lincoln, NE  
*Bachelor of Arts in Business Administration*
- ♦ Noah Graham Milam • Falls City, NE  
*Bachelor of Science in Biochemistry*
- Aaron Miller • Papillion, NE  
*Bachelor of Arts in Psychology*
- Austin Stephen Miller • Lincoln, NE  
*Bachelor of Science in Engineering & Mathematics*
- Haley Renee' Miller • Plattsmouth, NE  
*Bachelor of Science in Biology*
- Marcos Bryan Miranda • Russellville, AR  
*Bachelor of Arts in Business Administration*
- Matthew Jacob Mittlieder • Omaha, NE  
*Bachelor of Arts in Film and Media Production*
- Maya R. Mohr • Lincoln, NE  
*Bachelor of Arts in Psychology*
- Peyton G. Mohr • Odell, NE  
*Bachelor of Arts in Business Administration*
- Patrick Wayne Mortensen • Center, CO  
*Bachelor of Science in Environmental Science*
- Ben Moxness • Scribner, NE  
*Bachelor of Science in Exercise Science*
- ♦♦ Sean Luke Murray Copeland Langlin • Panama City, Panama  
*Bachelor of Science in Engineering*
- Brandon Michael Naidas • Omaha, NE  
*Bachelor of Arts in Psychology*
- Dustin Alan Nelson • Dorchester, NE  
*Bachelor of Science in Information Systems*
- ♦ Nathaniel M. Nelson • Lincoln, NE  
*Bachelor of Science in Engineering*
- Sheeah Norval • Lincoln, NE  
*Bachelor of Science in Biology & Spanish*
- ♦ Jameson William Officer-Thurston • Omaha, NE  
*Bachelor of Arts in Film and Media Production & Graphic Design*

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## *bachelor of ARTS & bachelor of SCIENCE*

- Taylor Jo Perry • Omaha, NE  
*Bachelor of Arts in Elementary Education & Special Education*
- Reagan Marie Petersen • Syracuse, NE  
*Bachelor of Science in Biochemistry*
- Markus Abram Pieper • Lincoln, NE  
*Bachelor of Science in Biochemistry*
- Ännika Jean Pingel • Pella, IA  
*Bachelor of Science in Health and Human Performance*
- Matthew Robert Pracht • Broken Bow, NE  
*Bachelor of Arts in Social Science & History*
- Cameron G. Quick • Wahoo, NE  
*Bachelor of Arts in Agribusiness*
- Maria Lizeth Ramirez-Reyes • Nebraska City, NE  
*Bachelor of Arts in Sociology*
- Brandon Michael Rezac • Dwight, NE  
*Bachelor of Science in Environmental Science & Biology*
- Bryant Jeffrey Rief • West Point, NE  
*Bachelor of Arts in Special Education*
- Halie Rohe • Malcolm, NE  
*Bachelor of Arts in Psychology*
- Daniella Ruiz-Martinez • Omaha, NE  
*Bachelor of Arts in Health and Society*
- ♦♦♦Emma McKay Ryan • Minden, NE  
*Bachelor of Arts in Art*
- Genna Rae Ryan Piasecki • Castle Rock, CO  
*Bachelor of Science in Engineering*
- Henrique Dielle Sakoda • Sao Paulo, Brazil  
*Bachelor of Arts in Business Administration & Economics*
- Sienna May Schaefer • Lincoln, NE  
*Bachelor of Arts in Elementary Education*
- Kennedy Elise Scheele • Plymouth, NE  
*Bachelor of Science in Biology & Spanish*
- Ashley Pearl Schulze • Battle Creek, NE  
*Bachelor of Science in Health and Human Performance*
- Lilly May Shatford-Adams • Owens Cross Roads, AL  
*Bachelor of Science in Biology*
- Hunter Elliott Sherrard • Aurora, CO  
*Bachelor of Arts in Business Administration & Agribusiness*
- Madison Elayne Shoemaker • Kearney, NE  
*Bachelor of Arts in Psychology & Spanish*
- Allison Kay Skala • Cozad, NE  
*Bachelor of Arts in Business Administration & Exercise Science*
- Madison Ann Sladky • Cedar Creek, NE  
*Bachelor of Science in Biochemistry*
- Noa Renae Snyder • Marquette, NE  
*Bachelor of Arts in Political Science & Law, Politics, and Society*
- Riley Spicer • Lincoln, NE  
*Bachelor of Arts in Social Science & History*
- Payton Jean Stalder • Omaha, NE  
*Bachelor of Arts in Psychology*
- Nathan Christopher Starkl • Medicine Hat, Alberta Canada  
*Bachelor of Arts in Business Administration*
- Jackson Daniel Stensgard • Maricopa, AZ  
*Bachelor of Science in Biology, Environmental Science & Health Sciences*
- Joey Lauren Stenson • Denver, CO  
*Bachelor of Arts in Psychology*
- ♦♦Delainey Sue Stewart • Fairbury, NE  
*Bachelor of Arts in Elementary Education & Special Education*
- Zachary William Stieb • Loup City, NE  
*Bachelor of Science in Health and Human Performance*
- Ellery Abigail Stuart • Papillon, NE  
*Bachelor of Arts in Business Administration*
- Walker Lincoln Stuhr • Petersburg, NE  
*Bachelor of Science in Engineering*
- ♦♦Tyler Hamilton Sullivan • Gretna, NE  
*Bachelor of Science in Engineering*
- Jonathan Joseph Szwaja • Loveland, CO  
*Bachelor of Science in Engineering*
- Kalli-Ann Namie Takafuji • Honolulu, HI  
*Bachelor of Arts in Elementary Education & Special Education*
- Shane Alexander Telesz • Parker, CO  
*Bachelor of Science in Biology*
- ♦Alexa Marlene Thompson • Lincoln, NE  
*Bachelor of Arts in Music*
- Jack D. Tillman • Omaha, NE  
*Bachelor of Arts in Economics*
- John Blake Toedtli • Brighton, CO  
*Bachelor of Arts in Economics*
- Samantha Marie Urena • Los Angeles, CA  
*Bachelor of Arts in Sociology*
- Katelyn Jean VanLaningham • Wilber, NE  
*Bachelor of Arts in Sociology*
- Alicia Marie Vint • Onalaska, WA  
*Bachelor of Arts in Special Education*
- Anthony Wayne Wallander Jr. • Corona, CA  
*Bachelor of Arts in Educational Studies*
- Lauren Marie Walther • Bellevue, NE  
*Bachelor of Arts in Theatre*
- ♦♦♦ Madisyn Jo Warrelmann • Lincoln, NE  
*Bachelor of Arts in Social Science & History*
- Adam Wasserman • Fairbury, NE  
*Bachelor of Arts in Business Administration*
- Kade B. Wehrs • Lincoln, NE  
*Bachelor of Science in Biochemistry*
- Lukas Michael White • Poplar Bluff, MO  
*Bachelor of Arts in Psychology*
- Leon Donte Wiggins III • Colorado Springs, CO  
*Bachelor of Arts in Liberal Arts Studies*
- Brittany Nichole Wilke • Plattsmouth, NE  
*Bachelor of Arts in Elementary Education & Special Education*
- Ciera Jo Wilkinson • McCool Junction, NE  
*Bachelor of Arts in Elementary Education & Special Education*
- Jordan David Wisner • Anaheim, CA  
*Bachelor of Arts in Business Administration*
- Nicole Rose Woebbecke • Albion, NE  
*Bachelor of Arts in Psychology*

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❁ CRETE RESIDENTIAL STUDENT AWARDS ❁

<i>Alpha Lambda Delta Katherine Buell Award</i> .....	Makenna Darlene Bird
<i>Alumni Senior Award</i> .....	Robert Charles Mercier, Haley Renee' Miller
<i>Dr. David H. Smith Memorial Research</i> .....	Kade B. Wehrs
<i>Dawes Oratorical Award</i> .....	Walker Lincoln Stuhr
<i>Doane Band Award</i> .....	Bailey Ayn Bagnell
<i>Doane Scholar</i> .....	Trevin Scott Alberts, Sarah Elizabeth Daly, Travis Donald Handler, Leah N. Johnson, Myah Elizabeth Keenportz, Joshua Michael Lasauskas, Ryan Patrick Lasauskas, Aztryd Anahi Lima, Sean Luke Murray Copeland Langlin, Emma McKay Ryan, Delainey Delainey Sue Stewart, Tyler Hamilton Sullivan, Madisyn Jo Warrelmann
<i>Doane Theatre Award</i> .....	Lauren Marie Walther
<i>Helen Doane Perry Outstanding Student Award</i> .....	Travis Donald Handler, Haley Renee' Miller
<i>Kaitlyn Erickson Pro Musica Award</i> .....	Alexa Marlene Thompson
<i>Kerry Strayer Memorial Scholarship</i> .....	Jess Nicole Jensen
<i>Levi &amp; Hazel Wilson Fellowship Award</i> .....	Travis Donald Handler, Samantha Marie Urena
<i>Makosky Prize</i> .....	Noah Graham Milam
<i>Mary L. Chapin Art Award</i> .....	Emma McKay Ryan
<i>Marianne Clarke At-Large</i> .....	Jean L. Chevalier
<i>Mike Danaher Award</i> .....	Alexandra L. Binder
<i>Modern Languages Award</i> .....	Travis Donald Handler
<i>Natural Resources and Environmental Sciences Achievement Award</i> .....	Brandon Michael Rezac
<i>Nebraska Society of CPAs' Foundation Fifth-Year Scholarship</i> .....	Joseph Dennis Burt
<i>Nebraska Society of CPAs' Foundation General Scholarship</i> .....	Arath Rigoberto Chairez Escamilla
<i>Noyce Project SERVE Scholar</i> .....	Jazzmyn Ruth Boucher
<i>Outstanding Engineering Achievement Award</i> .....	Sean Luke Murray Copeland Langlin
<i>Outstanding Senior in the College of Business Award</i> .....	Kalen Ray Dockweiler
<i>Robert D. Muckel Tri Beta Award</i> .....	Lilly May Shatford-Adams
<i>Ruth Mary Stevens Prize</i> .....	Trevin Scott Alberts
<i>Sanderson Award</i> .....	Matthew Jacob Campbell, Allison Kay Skala
<i>Sharon Wilch Woman Athlete of the Year Award</i> .....	Allison Kay Skala

❁ FACULTY & STAFF AWARDS ❁

<i>Student Congress Staff Award</i> .....	Anita Harkins, Luis Sotelo
<i>Student Congress Faculty Award</i> .....	Brandi Hilton-Hagemann, Nathaniel Wilson
<i>Thomas Doane Outstanding Faculty Award</i> .....	Brian Pauwels
<i>Thomas Doane Outstanding Staff Award</i> .....	Kelsee Meissner



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