

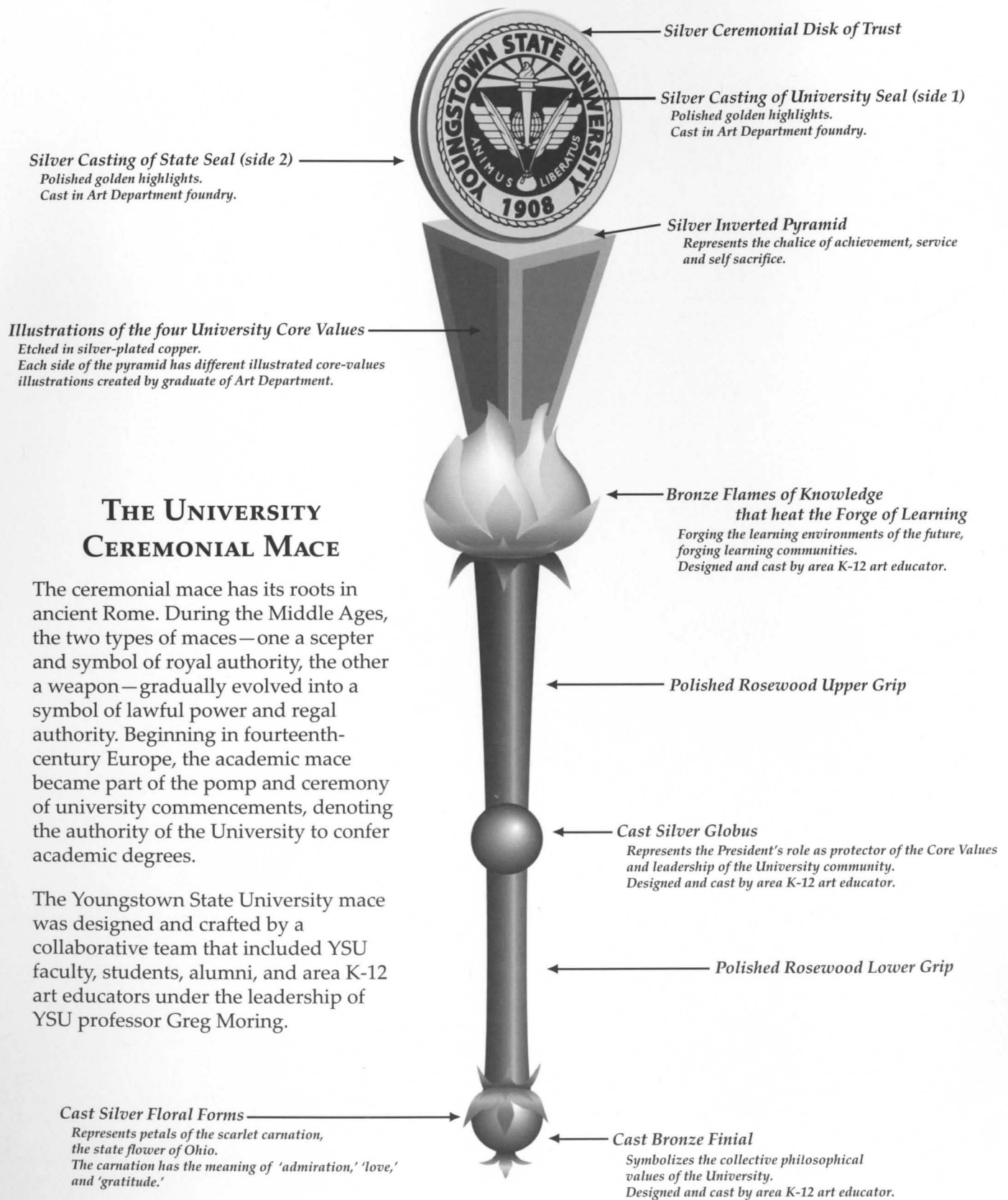


UNDERGRADUATE
COMMENCEMENT

YOUNGSTOWN STATE UNIVERSITY

SATURDAY, MAY NINETEENTH
TWO THOUSAND AND TWELVE
TEN O'CLOCK, BEEGHLY CENTER

THE UNIVERSITY CEREMONIAL MACE



Silver Ceremonial Disk of Trust

Silver Casting of University Seal (side 1)
Polished golden highlights.
Cast in Art Department foundry.

Silver Casting of State Seal (side 2)
Polished golden highlights.
Cast in Art Department foundry.

Silver Inverted Pyramid
Represents the chalice of achievement, service
and self sacrifice.

Illustrations of the four University Core Values
Etched in silver-plated copper.
Each side of the pyramid has different illustrated core-values
illustrations created by graduate of Art Department.

THE UNIVERSITY CEREMONIAL MACE

The ceremonial mace has its roots in ancient Rome. During the Middle Ages, the two types of maces—one a scepter and symbol of royal authority, the other a weapon—gradually evolved into a symbol of lawful power and regal authority. Beginning in fourteenth-century Europe, the academic mace became part of the pomp and ceremony of university commencements, denoting the authority of the University to confer academic degrees.

The Youngstown State University mace was designed and crafted by a collaborative team that included YSU faculty, students, alumni, and area K-12 art educators under the leadership of YSU professor Greg Moring.

Bronze Flames of Knowledge
that heat the Forge of Learning
Forging the learning environments of the future,
forging learning communities.
Designed and cast by area K-12 art educator.

Polished Rosewood Upper Grip

Cast Silver Globus
Represents the President's role as protector of the Core Values
and leadership of the University community.
Designed and cast by area K-12 art educator.

Polished Rosewood Lower Grip

Cast Silver Floral Forms
Represents petals of the scarlet carnation,
the state flower of Ohio.
The carnation has the meaning of 'admiration,' 'love,'
and 'gratitude.'

Cast Bronze Finial
Symbolizes the collective philosophical
values of the University.
Designed and cast by area K-12 art educator.

Commencement Speaker



Nanette Lepore

Nanette Lepore founded her eponymous brand in New York City's Garment Center in 1992. Known for her signature prints, bold colors and flawless fit, Nanette Lepore has become a premier name in contemporary American fashion.

Born in Youngstown, Ohio, Lepore produced her first couture look at

the tender age of nine, outfitting a neighbor in a floral bedspread, beaded choker, and face paint. The girl posed in the family's front yard behind a hand-lettered sign declaring "Lepore," and thus began Nanette's lifelong love for fashion.

After completing her undergraduate studies at Youngstown University, she packed her bags and headed east to New York City's venerable Fashion Institute of Technology. She earned her degree in design, married painter Robert Savage, and set out to pay her dues in design studios around town. Bolstered by a \$5,000 loan from her father to start her own label, Lepore set out to create a brand that women around the world would come to adore.

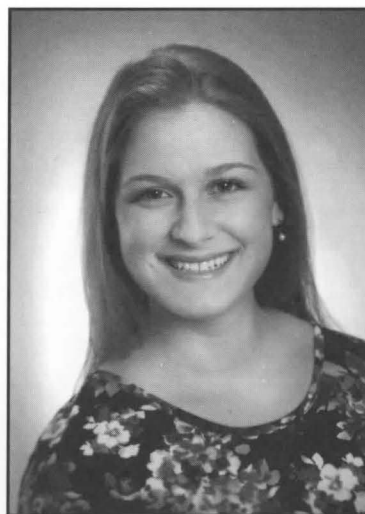
Today, Lepore continues to design in her atelier in New York City alongside her husband, who directs the business side of the worldwide brand as its president. Manufacturing the majority of her line in New York City, Lepore is an outspoken advocate for New York City's Garment Center.

Inspired by her worldwide travels and free spirit, Lepore's designs are adored among style-makers, celebrities, and VIPs including Blake Lively, Taylor Swift, Scarlett Johansson, Lauren Conrad, Natalie Morales, Kelly Rutherford and Arianna Huffington.

The brand offers women's apparel, swimwear, handbags, footwear, and fragrance. Nanette also designs oonagh, a playful line of luxe basics.

Nanette Lepore has grown into an international brand with boutiques in the United States, Europe, and Asia. There are currently nine stores in New York, Los Angeles, Bal Harbour, Chicago, Las Vegas, Boston, London, and Tokyo, with further expansion in Asia planned for 2012 and 2013.

Commencement Student Speaker



Kaitlyn Fabian

Today's student commencement speaker, Kaitlyn Renee Fabian, is Youngstown State University's first graduate in the new Bachelor of Arts in dance management degree program, and does so with the highest honor, summa cum laude. She is also receiving a certificate in entrepreneurship.

During her four years at YSU, Fabian was a Leslie H. Cochran University Scholar and a member of the YSU Honors program. As part of her public service as a University Scholar, she served as the Relay for Life team captain in 2011 and 2012. Among her other awards are membership in the National Society of Collegiate Scholars and the Honor Society of Phi Kappa Phi, the Kocinski Award for the outstanding senior dance student, and inclusion in Who's Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges. At the University's recent honors banquet, she was named a member of the Clarence P. Gould Honor Society.

A dedicated dancer since the age of 10, Fabian was a valedictorian of her class at Boardman High School. She came to YSU as an undeclared major with a dance minor until the dance management major was established in her junior year. She held leadership positions in the YSU Dance Ensemble, served as a student choreographer for the group, and served an internship with the Ballet Western Reserve in fall 2011. Fabian was hired last fall as dance enrichment instructor for the new Visual and Performing Arts program at Chaney High School in Youngstown, a position she hopes to continue after graduation, as well as continuing her teaching at a local dance studio. She plans to establish her own Christian-centered dance studio in the future.

SPRING 2012
BACCALAUREATE DEGREE HONORS

Because the list of candidates for graduation honors had to be prepared in advance, it is tentative. The diploma, together with a certified transcript, is the proof of graduation with honors.

Summa Cum Laude

| | | |
|----------------------------|---------------------------|----------------------------|
| Jason Thomas Anderson | Erin Marie Griehs | Alexandria Marie Ornelas |
| Julia R. Andrews | Cheryl Lynn Guyer | Rachael Ann Paras |
| Lauren Marie Baker | Lyndsie Ann Hall | Amit Anil Parikh |
| Sarah Elizabeth Baker | Kristin Marie Helle | Christa Marie Parks |
| Susan E. Bayus | Alexis Lauryn Hribar | Brian Paul Peppel |
| Jessica Lynn Bestic | Ashley Ann Huffman | Jamie Lee Petrus |
| Jill Marie Bica | Kevin C. Hulick | Kelli Marie Phillips |
| Kelly A. Brothers | Kathryn Rose Hyden | Matthew J. Piskur |
| Mary Katherine Campbell | Samuel George Jacobowitz | Kristen Elise Placer |
| Katherine Denise Carpenter | Ryan Justin James | Leesa Vaughn Plaskett |
| Amanda Marie Carpin | Timothy John Jaykel | Alan Joseph Podolsky |
| Brittany Nicole Chalfant | Ricky Lee Kaiser | Samantha Marie Popovec |
| Jennifer Lynn Chandler | Marc Allen Kanetsky | Tammy Reed Powell |
| Julie Marie Connell | Kyle Glen Kemats | Christopher Michael Prater |
| Justin Raymond Crissman | Carol Wardrop Kines | Boonkit Purt |
| Jeremy Joseph Cummins | Aaron A. Kuntz | Danielle Lynn Rudloff |
| Rahul Chetan Damania | Nicole Lynn Lariccia | Ellie Rose Sanders |
| Timothy A. Daniels | Zi-Qi Liew | Ajleeta Sangtani |
| Christine Marie Darin | Lindsay Lee Lipp | Amy Elizabeth Schmid |
| Jennifer Lynn Demler | Elise Hunter MacLeod | Marsha Elaine Schott |
| Crystal Lee Denman | Aaron Thaddeus Margraff | Evelyn Faith Silvis |
| Donald Joseph DeSanto II | Tara Murray McCart | Julie Ann Sinkuc |
| Lindsay Erin DeVecchio | Lauren Blazer McComas | Bradley Richard Slabe, Jr. |
| Alyssa Marie DiBernardi | Courtney Marie McCullough | Jenna Marie Smaldino |
| Alissa Ann Dreier | Gregory Michael McCumber | Mario F. Sracic |
| Jonathan Mark Eddy | Deborah Ann McCurdy | Kavya Parvathi Sreevalsan |
| Katie Danielle Engle | Justin Richard McIntyre | Michelle Marie Stipetich |
| Jerod Charles Everly | Patrick Daniel McLaughlin | Lucas Beilby Stokes |
| Kaitlyn Renee Fabian | Callie Rochelle Means | Spenser Jack Sulzener |
| Lindsey J. Farris | Kristen Lee Mihalko | Breanne Elizabeth Szmaran |
| Tyler Douglas Fenstermaker | Desimir Mijatovic | Rosemary Lee Szparagowski |
| Maria A. Fleming | Elisabeth Ann Miller | Matthew J. Veneskey |
| Michael Anthony Frasso | Elizabeth Virginia Miller | Travis James Watson |
| Allison Rae Fuline | Maryssa Ann Moczan | Beth A. White |
| Ashley Lynn Fuller | Leah Kathryn Mohl | Andrew Scott Wilde |
| Anna B. Garback | Eric Moore | Scott Brandon Wilms |
| Brian David Garcar | Monica R. Morell | Randi Michele Yazvac |
| Sean Patrick Geizer | Annette Yvonne Moy | Jennifer Lyn Zdelar |
| Sarah L. Goodspeed | Jennifer May Moy | Chelsey Anne Zoldan |
| Jacqueline Nicole Graham | Barbara J. Neiswanger | |

PROGRAM

| | |
|---|--|
| PRELUDE..... | "Stars and Stripes Forever March" by John Philip Sousa YSU Wind Ensemble Stephen L. Gage, <i>Director of Bands/Professor of Music</i> Dana School of Music, College of Fine and Performing Arts |
| ACADEMIC PROCESSIONAL..... | "Suite #1 in E \flat Major: I. Chaconne III. March" by Gustav Holst "Pomp and Circumstance" from March No. I by Sir Edward Elgar "March Processional" by Clare Grundman |
| WELCOME..... | Cynthia E. Anderson <i>President</i> |
| COLOR GUARD..... | The Youngstown State University Army Reserve Officers' Training Corps |
| NATIONAL ANTHEM..... | Trevor Coleman <i>Baritone, Senior, Dana School of Music</i> |
| STUDENT REFLECTION..... | Kaitlyn Fabian <i>Graduating Senior, College of Fine and Performing Arts</i> |
| PRESIDENT'S REMARKS | President Anderson |
| INTRODUCTION OF TRUSTEES | President Anderson |
| GREETINGS AND REMARKS..... | Sudershan Garg <i>Chair of the Board of Trustees</i> |
| INTRODUCTION OF SPEAKER..... | President Anderson |
| COMMENCEMENT ADDRESS..... | Nanette Lepore <i>Designer</i> |
| MUSICAL SELECTION | "76 Trombones" Meredith Wilson/arr. Iwai |
| REMARKS AND PRESENTATION OF CANDIDATES FOR DEGREES | Ikram Khawaja <i>Provost and Vice President For Academic Affairs</i> |
| CONFERRING OF DEGREES | President Anderson |
| PRESENTATION OF NANETTE LEPORE TO RECEIVE THE HONORARY DOCTOR OF ARTS DEGREE | President Anderson |
| PRESENTATION OF CANDIDATES FOR DEGREES..... | Joseph Mosca, <i>Dean of the Dr. Dominic A. and Helen M. Bitonte College of Health and Human Services</i> Shearle Furnish, <i>Dean of the College of Liberal Arts and Social Sciences</i> Martin Abraham, <i>Dean of the College of Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics</i> Betty Jo Licata, <i>Dean of the Williamson College of Business Administration</i> Mary Lou DiPillo, <i>Interim Dean of the Beeghly College of Education</i> Bryan DePoy, <i>Dean of the College of Fine and Performing Arts</i> |
| WELCOME FROM YSU ALUMNI SOCIETY..... | Ms. Shelly LaBerto <i>President, YSU Alumni Society</i> |
| CLOSING REMARKS | President Anderson |
| ALMA MATER..... | From Symphony No. 1, by Johannes Brahms/arr. Fleming Mr. Coleman |
| RECESSIONAL | "Liberty Bell March" by John Philip Sousa "Fairest of the Fair March" by John Philip Sousa "National Emblem March" by E.E. Bagley |

The audience is asked to be seated after the singing of the Alma Mater and to remain seated during the Recessional.
During this special ceremony, please be respectful of others and maintain a quiet atmosphere.

SPRING 2012
BACCALAUREATE DEGREE HONORS *(continued)*

Magna Cum Laude

| | | |
|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| Syed Taahir Ali | Rakin Ahsanul Hoq | Rebecca Catherine Pykare |
| Abdulaziz Nasser Almoajil | Melissa Lynn Huffman | Christopher Collin Reed |
| Jared Scott Ankerman | Cristie Marie Jacobs | Kristina Leigh Rendle |
| John Christopher Baniewicz | Audra Elaine Javersak | Rachel Noel Ritchey |
| Tyler Joshua Bayless | Christopher Paul Jones | Jeanette Rivera |
| Nicholas Joseph Belcastro | Tahnee Ann Jones | Kara Roche |
| Kristopher James Brown | Traci Angela Kalafut | Anna Marie Rueberger |
| Joseph Edward Budny | Haley Darlene Kapferer | Lindsey Nicole Russo |
| Jared L. Buker | Geno Frank Kordic | Juliana Catherine Seelman |
| Joseph Dominic Carbon | Marc Patrick Kosec | Lindsey Nicole Shaffer |
| Philip Michael Thomas Ciprian | Matthew Gregory Kowal | Navpreet Singh |
| Ashley Marie Coler | Sarah Anne Kramer | Cami Rae Sowry |
| Antonio Joseph Copploe | Meredith Anne Kreiger | Shannon Marie Sparks |
| Abby K. Coppock | Rohan S. Kulkarni | Lisa M. Stafford |
| Mark Allen Cornman | Erin Olivia Lanney | Kristyn Lynn Stanislav |
| Audrey Nicole Davidson | Emily Jane Lawson | Brandi N. Stillman |
| Jennifer Lynn DeMarco | Alyssa Nicole Lockhart | Kelly Marie Storkel |
| Brandy Nichole Dunbar | Suzanne L. Marsco | Ashley Marie Teagarden |
| Ryan Paul Fiscus | Christopher Alan Matzye | Robin Joy Ten Eyck |
| Todd J. Francis | Melissa Marie McClelland | Melissa Ann Timko |
| Jessica Michele Fryda | Allison Nichole McMillen | Veronica Sofia Torres Oquendo |
| Ryan Thomas Gelesky | Kelly Suzanne Mehalco | Molly Elizabeth Toth |
| Jonathon James Geramita | Zachary Prem James Miller | Cassandra Marie Valentini |
| Kevin Michael Gibson | Joy Lynne Mistovich | Rohin Vij |
| Michelle Nicole Gonos | Poornima Oruganti | Megan Rose Vocature |
| Marcy Elizabeth Gussenhofen | Adrian Paulino | Lindsay M. VonSchwarz |
| Catherine Meredith Henson | Shawn Michael Penwell | Amy Marie Warner |
| Nicole Kristen Heywood | Alexander Michael Petruska | Elisabeth Julianne Whipkey |
| Greta Hogan | Lisa Dianne Pitcairn | John Andrew Wilaj, Jr. |
| Tarah Althea Holness | Eileen Louise Javersak Propri | Kayla Marie Wilson |

SPRING 2012
BACCALAUREATE DEGREE HONORS *(continued)*

Cum Laude

Michael James Adamson
Melissa Lea Airhart
Francesca Marie Baldarelli
Katie Laurine Ball
Alexander Parkhill Barlekamp
Joshua Mark Bartek
Alexis Morgan Begezda
Kelly A. Best
Adrienne Lynne Bish
Walter A. Bishop III
Nicholas Chapman Boniface
Alexandra Cardarelli
Lauren Nicole Carlozzi
Alma G. Ciriello
Saundra Lee Clarke
Joseph Vincent Copploe II
Joyce M. Cutright
Katelyn Elizabeth Daniels
Progga Das
Ashlea Ann DelSignore
David James DePanicis
Emily Kay Dickinson
Courtney Dawn Dixon
Michael Christopher Donahue
Katelynn Sue Douglas
Tyler James Dubina
Michael James Dyer
Douglas Jack Eisenbraun
Matthew David Folsom
Mellissa Lynn Gapsky
Gaile Elizabeth Gaydosh
Jenna Lee Gibbs

Katlin Jean Gonzalez
Gary T. Gray
Audria Louise Grubbs
Nita Kumari Gupta
Aaron Hamilton
Kimber Andrea Hauge
Dawn Marie Helterbran
Matthew James Henson
Justine Nichole Hinkle
Kaitlin R. Infante
Cynthia A. Innocenzi
John Michael Jerome
Chad Allen Jones
Stephanie Anne Kielar
William D. Klein
Kimberly Lynn Klonowski
Briana Koval
Matthew L. Kukura
Nina Marie Leonelli
Albaro Jose Lepe
Mary Liakaris
Melissa Lynn List
Brianna Theresa Lockett
Sarah Ann Manuel
Julianne Marie Matthews
Timothy W. May
Dena Marie McCarthy
Jeremy Christopher McGhee
Taylor Jeffrey McMullin
Mihiri Tharanganee Meepegama
Rey John Tumanda Mejo
Amanda Leigh Mihaly

Andrea Lynn Mihin
David Michael Minnie, Jr.
Jennifer Marie Mitchell
Joseph Calvin Myers
Megan Elizabeth Nackino
German Antony Natal
Richard Paul Okello
Joshua Andrew Pastor
Giovanna Pinto
Jessica Lynn Pollis
Robert James Ragan, Jr.
Patrick Alan Reed
Stacy Nicole Reeder
Julie Catherine Rice
Brandy Lee Rider
Rachel Rose Ringer
Jeannie M. Robinson
Natalie Anne Scott
Brittany Gene Seman
Courtney Tara Skiba
Summyre-Starr Buchanan Sloan
Sarah Cailin Smith
Scott Jeffrey Stoddart
John Wesley Swisher
Lezlie J. Thorndike
Michelle Lynn Treharne
Jonathon M. Veigh
Stacey L. Vickers
Kathryn Marie Wolf
Melissa Marie Workoff
Robert Allen Young

**SPRING 2012
ASSOCIATE DEGREE HONORS**

With High Honors

Larry D. Ashburn
Benjamin Lee Burnette
Elizabeth Faith Burnette
Candace M. Campana
Brent Allen Cole
Kristen Danielle Harroff

Brandi Nicole Hess
Lucas Scott Kuhar
Zachary Howard Miles
Michael Roy Mott
Abigayle Lee Rice

Bradley Root
Samantha Renae Rough
Melissa A. Seidel
Andre Anthony Silvers, Jr.
Paul Edward Wilson

With Honors

Jenna Kimberly Bertolone
Linda S. DiCarlo
Jamielynn Elizabeth Doyle
Ashia Renae Evans
Adam William Gibson
Charles D. Halverstadt
Victoria Kay Hatton

Pepper Dylan Long
Scott Andrew Martin
Richard Dennis Murphy
Lisa Michelle Necastro
Amanda Jean Rudzik
Samantha Lynn Russell
Nicholas Edward Shaulis

Devin K. Smith
William Robert Smith, Jr.
Brittany Ruth Tomaiko
Tracey A. Willmitch
Thomas Lloyd Yeager
Tosha L. Zinn

SPRING 2012
HONORS PROGRAM GRADUATES

Michael J. Adamson
Chemical Engineering
Purity Tests for the Conversion of Vegetable Oil to Biodiesel Based on Waste Product Production

Jason Anderson
Chemistry
Secondary Metabolites of Stereocaulon Alpinum

Julia R. Andrews
Integrated Language Arts Education
Considering the Female Lead in War Literature: The Examples of Catherine Barkley and Scarlett O'Hara

Lauren M. Baker
Nursing
Caring Theory in the Art of Nursing

Mary K. Campbell
Political Science
A Modest Paper: Political Satire From Jonathan Swift to Stephen Colbert

Katherine D. Carpenter
Political Science
Unifying Europe: Integrating Post Communist States into the European Union

Brittany N. Chalfant
Chemical Engineering
Aerogels for Next Generation NASA Space Suits

Timothy A. Daniels
Music Education
Trumpet Performance Practice: Ornamentation and Improvisation from 1630-1975

Crystal L. Denman
Accounting
Reconciliation of the United State's Navy Fund Balance with Treasury: The Keystone for Statement of Budgetary Resources Audit Assertion

Jonathan M. Eddy
Computer Information Systems
Supporting the Future: A Pragmatic Approach to Technology and Technology-Based Learning at Youngstown State University

Kaitlyn R. Fabian
Dance Management
Divine Dancing: Movement with a Higher Calling

Anna B. Garback
Geography
Symbolism and Landscape in Public Structures: A Political Analysis of Washington, D.C., London, and Paris, 1770-1900

Brian D. Garcar
Integrated Math Education
Implementation of the Mathematics Common Core Standards in Geometry

Sean P. Geizer
Music Theory
Ironic Dualism in Schubert's "Der Lindenbaum"

Erin M. Griehs
Accounting
Comparative Fraudulent Practices-International Differences Between the United States and the European Union

Audria L. Grubbs
Electrical Engineering
Hybrid Exterior Site Pole

Tarah A. Holness
Political Science
The Politics Behind the Black Beauty Standard

Ricky L. Kaiser
Chemistry
Galleria mellonella as a virulence model for the dimorphic fungus, Penicillium marneffeii

Marc A. Kanetsky
Biology
Escherichia coli in Restaurant drinking water

Kyle G. Kemats
Chemistry
Removal of Protecting Groups from Synthesized 1, 2, 3 Triazoles

Lindsay L. Lipp
Chemical Engineering
Proteomics of butanol fermentation from cellulosic sources by Clostridium beijerinckii

Aaron T. Margraff
Integrated Math Education
Groups Admitting a Fixed Point Free Automorphism of Order 4

Tara M. McCart
Mathematics/History
Statistical Analysis of the History of Ethnicity and Labor in Youngstown 1910-2010

Lauren B. McComas
Integrated Language Arts Education
Crash Course Pedagogy: A Survival Guide for Preservice Teachers

SPRING 2012 HONORS PROGRAM GRADUATES

Gregory M. McCumber
Chemical Engineering
CO₂ Absorption using Na₂ CO₃ Samples

Justin R. McIntyre
Political Science
Arriving at Justice: A Comparative Study of the Treaty of Versailles and the Nuremberg Trials

Joy L. Mistovich
English
Translation of "Uqbar" by Jorge Luis Borges From Castellano (Spanish) into English

Christa M. Parks
Nursing
An Evaluation of International Volunteer Health Care Opportunities

Lisa D. Pitcairn
Nursing
An Evaluation of International Volunteer Health Care Opportunities

Robert J. Ragan
Electrical Engineering
Smart Badge

Evelyn F. Silvis
Music Education
Flute Performance Presenting Works from the 16th-20th Centuries

Jenna M. Smaldino
Nursing
Caring Theory in the Art of Nursing

Mario F. Sracic
Mathematics
Finding Aut (G), Inn (G), and Out (G) for Various Groups G

Michelle M. Stipetich
Civil Engineering
Integrated Design Project-Transportation

Breanne E. Szmara
Accounting
Sustainability - The Challenge for Accountants

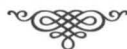
Jennifer L. Terek
Chemical Engineering
Biodiesel Process and Production

Travis J. Watson
Political Science
A Constitutional Case for the Affordable Health Care Act

Scott B. Wilms
Finance
Studying Abroad: A Guide for YSU Students

Randi M. Yazvac
Integrated Mathematics
*Model of Chitin Synthase Gene Expressions in *Penicillium marneffeii**

Chelsey A. Zoldan
Psychology
The Effect of Perspective Taking on Emotions



SPRING 2012 YSU PIN AWARD RECIPIENTS

The YSU Pin is the University's most prestigious award, presented to graduating seniors. Established in 1948 by then University President, Dr. Howard W. Jones, the Pin recognizes our outstanding, well rounded, graduating seniors. Congratulations to the following seniors who have received this award.

Deborah McCurdy

Jeremy McGhee

Justin McIntyre

Richard Okello

Lesley Anne Roddy

BITONTE COLLEGE OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Because the list of candidates had to be prepared in advance, it is tentative. The diploma, together with a certified transcript, is the proof of graduation.

Associate of Applied Science

Larry D. Ashburn
Waleed Hassan Awaji
Darrick Cordale Ball, Jr.
Bobbie Jo Bayus
Jenna Kimberly Bertolone
Jeanne Marie Borbely
Markandeya Haridas Bradley
Jocelyn A. Braun
Noel Lynn Brennan
Rhonda G. Brocious
Saad Abdulwahab Buhalm
Teresa Anne Buckner
Felicia Nichole Chirico
Linda S. DiCarlo
Kori Elizabeth Dorko
Jacqueline D. Ferguson
Laine Elizabeth Glass
Rabia Al Rahman Harris
Victoria Kay Hatton
Michael Shane Heldreth
Brandi Nicole Hess
Sarah Renee Holbrook
Travis Daniel Hostetter
Allan Michael Irizarry-Graves
Jasmine Denise Jones
Erin Melissa Karp
McKenzie Nicole Kordes
Melanie Laughlin
Adrian Lynn McLaughlin
Toni L. McWilson-Mitchell
Anita L. Means
George Henry Myers
Lisa Michelle Necastro
Sara Ann Neff
Emily Elizabeth Paris
Ericka La'Shawn Peake
Abigayle Lee Rice
Jamie Leigh Rollo
Samantha Renae Rough
Amanda Jean Rudzik
Samantha Lynn Russell
Katrena Aleen Schlueter
Amy C. Scott
Melissa A. Seidel
Shaun Michael Serich
Leah Marie Simpson
Devin K. Smith
Patricia Sheree Stewart
Brittany Ruth Tomaiko
Melanie Renee Vance

Shannon Denise Wellington
Sirithia Louise Williams
Tracey A. Willmitch
David Justin Yohman
Kelli Nicole Young
Emily Elisabeth Zehall
Amanda M. Zlenka

Bachelor of Science in Applied Science

Zachary Robert Baker
Hannah C. Banks
Chad Mathew Bari
Tyler Joshua Bayless
Maggie Mae Bogdan
Michael Whitman Bollas
Sarah Ann Bursley
Eean Gabriel Clark
Rachael Ann Conway
Stephen Barrett Cook
Mark Allen Cornman
Anita Melissa Craig
Joyce M. Cutright
Jennifer Suzanne Daly
Courtney Dawn Dixon
Errin R. Donahue
Steven W. Donahue
Tyran Darnell Eargle
Amy Joy Eckhart
Amanda Rose Farmer
Ryan Joseph Fink
Angelo Jon Fornataro
Derrick Deoantra Forrest, Jr.
Amanda L. Gittings
Sarah Nicolle Grape
Alex Brandon Greskovich
Gerald Stephen Guerriero
Kayla M. Hanuschak
Ronald Eugene Haun II
Elyse Michelle Hawout
Kristin Marie Helle
Justine Nichole Hinkle
Erin Kate Hirschbeck
Greta Hogan
John C. Houser
Eric Michael Hughes
Cristin J. Hyland
Mathew Todd Jamison
Christine Marie Jenkins
Tiphonie Brigitte Kalista
Stephanie Anne Kielar
Alison Lynn Kinkela
Amanda Marie Kochmit

Justin Edward Koper
Andrew George Kory
Shannon Leigh Kushnereit
Christopher Michael LaCivita
Jacob Robert Lape
LaTasha Chantay Lee
Jennifer Lynn Lehman
Anjalina Necole Lyons
Julianna Marie Malleske
Larry Anthony Manaro
Joseph T. Marando
Erika Leigh Marshall
Patti L. Massery
Christopher Alan Matzye
Melissa Marie McClelland
Tiffany Rose McElroy
John Phillip McHenry
Mihiri Tharanganee Meepegama
Kelly Suzanne Mehalco
Jaclyn Nicole Mehalic
Mark Mehley
Robert Preston Miles
Carol-Ann Elizabeth Miller
Shelyse Nekolle Morgan
Russell John Moser II
Samantha Jean Murphy
Laura Anne Napier
Amy Lee Naypaver-Hanuscak
Kelly Ann Nichols
Ashley Marie Nunnari
Conner Terrance O'Halloran
Stephanie Carmella O'Leary
Candiss Nicole Owens
Samantha Page
Brian Paul Peppel
Michael Joseph Philibin
Shirley Ann Pisano
Leesa Vaughn Plaskett
Miranda Elaine Ransom
Heather Lynn Reichard
William Harris Rogner
Anna Marie Rueberger
Cassandra H. Ruffin
Lindsey Nicole Russo
Janelle E. Saldana
Mary M. Schmalzried
Monica Scherl-Enterline
Amy C. Scott
Scott Paul Sentner
Justin Michael Sicilian
LaWanna LaTrese Sims

BITONTE COLLEGE OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES *(continued)*

Melanie Anne Spencer
Brittney Elizabeth Sposito
Travis J. Spurlock
Philip Michael Stackhouse
Kristyn Lynn Stanislav
Ryan Patrick Stan
Alexander Lee Story
Erin Anne Straniak
Lauren Marie Straniak
Geneva Martina Strelka
Roman P. Swerdan
Katie Denise Tolone
Joseph Daniel Tucker
Iryna Ustyanovska
Jason Damian Vicens
Megan Rose Vocature
Beth A. White
Celeste Jewel White
Amy Jo Whittaker
James Jay Carlisle Wiezbiski
Melinda Nichole Williams
Ralph Adam Wilson
Lynn Renee Yocum
Derick A. Young
Joel M. Younkins

Bachelor of Science in Nursing

Erica Patricia Alzate
Lauren Marie Baker
Joshua Mark Bartek
Carla Marie Blinsky
Sheniqua Shawntiel Brown
Ciara Nichole Ciccolelli
Andrew Corey Colegrove
Ashley Marie Coler
Julie Marie Connell
Johnny Joe Copley, Jr.
Jacqueline Croteau
Ashlea Ann DelSignore
Ava Clara DiRienzo
Rachel Marie Donavich Pethtel
Katelynn Sue Douglas
Jill Aryn Fabry
Danielle Marie Fill
Michelle Lynn Fill
Maria A. Fleming
Allison Rae Fuline
Ashley Noel Gentile
Jenna Lee Gibbs
Sarah L. Goodspeed
Kimberly Eleanor Granchie

Ashley Ann Huffman
Melissa Lynn Huffman
Karlie Jean Jackson
Matilda Evette Jackson
John Michael Jerome
Kari A. Jewell
Paulette Lynn Johnson
Jamie Lynn Jordan
John Joseph Kajtar, Jr.
Haley Darlene Kapferer
Meredith Anne Kreiger
Jason Roy Lasher
Emily Jane Lawson
Mary Liakaris
Leigh Ann Logan
Jillian Marie Malandro
Brittany Lynn Mancini
Suzanne L. Marsco
Kathryn Colleen Massacci
Courtney Marie McCullough
Renee Lynn McGraw
Yuvonka Alexis McKinney
Amanda Leigh Mihaly
Andrea Lynn Mihin
Jennifer Marie Mitchell
Christine May Morales
Monica R. Morell
Amanda Marie Morris
Joseph E. Myers
Megan Elizabeth Nackino
Eileen Michelle Newland
Leah Nicole Noel
Megan Leigh Oaks
Tasha Darcel Oliver
Cory John Ott
Christa Marie Parks
Christine W. Pavlick
Shannon Lynne Pease
Lisa Dianne Pitcairn
Samantha Marie Popovec
Tammy Reed Powell
Christopher Michael Prater
James Jeffrey Ramson
Stacy Nicole Reeder
Brandy Lee Rider
Tara Kay Rowley
Stephan A. Sammartino
Navpreet Singh
Jenna Marie Smaldino
Jordynne Elizabeth Snyder

Lecia Ruthann Spates
Spenser Jack Sulzener
Tiffany Ann Taylor
Nichole Ann Thomas
Melissa Ann Timko
Michelle Lynn Treharne
Corey Connelly Velk
Krista Joy Veres
Aliesha Rae Webber

Bachelor of Science in Respiratory Care

Katie Laurine Ball
Holly Ann Bauder
Stephanie Racheal Cole
Kristine Marie Cruz
Samantha Michelle Gigax
Joseph William Flood
Kimber Andrea Haug
Jeanette Rivera
Tiffani Arianne Romeo
Nicole Lyn Smith
Andrew Robert Wiesen

Bachelor of Social Work

Kristin Lee Acton
Monique E. Arocho
Adriana Lauren Bier
Carolyn A. Bishop
Melissa Kathryn Brown
Kristie Lynn Caldwell
Thelma L. Cruz
Stephanie R. Custer
Theresa A. Guju-Hursh
Emily J. Hale
Krystal L. Kinley
Mayra Enith Laboy-Perez
Patricia Ann Latimer
Kenya Allean Middlebrooks
Melinda Katherine Miller
November M. Palmer
Kyle James Pearson
Matthew J. Piskur
Tiffany L. Pribula
Rachel Noel Ritchey
Marsha Elaine Schott
LaWanna LaTrese Sims
Lawrence Joseph Syrowski
Cassandra Marie Valentini
Emma Garmah Welwolite
Samantha Jo Wetzl

COLLEGE OF LIBERAL ARTS AND SOCIAL SCIENCES

Associate of Arts

D'Treal Alexandra Bennett
Candace M. Campana
Cheyenne Nicole Cato
Jamielynn Elizabeth Doyle
Ashia Renae Evans
Jason Mar-Keith Gilmore
Janeen Nicole Hargrove
Daniel Adam Kalitich
Efrain Jose Maldonado, Jr.
Jennifer E. Marlowe
Tina Marie Mcully
Megan Star Peace
Jasmine Marie Radney
Leon Earl Robinson, Jr.
Tai Jaune MyKeil Robinson
Andrew James Sarich
Jasmine Ciera Smith
Nadiya M. Young

Bachelor of Arts

Erica Patricia Alzate
Richard F. Begalla
Jessica Lynn Bestic
Zachary Kyle Bierdeman
Adrienne Lynne Bish
Walter A. Bishop III
Daniel Scott Bogue
Mariana Catherine Bonish
Brandie Evette Brown
Kristopher James Brown
Joseph Edward Budny
Jared L. Buker
Walonda Rachelle Burney
Mary Katherine Campbell
Katherine Denise Carpenter
Alex James Chick
Adam Russell Chudnofsky
Alma G. Ciriello
Darla Camille Conti
Justin Raymond Crissman
Brian Cubellis
Christine Marie Darin
Gary Davenport
Jeanna Marie Denson
Lindsay Erin DeVecchio
Rachel A. Dicken
Travis Andrew Duncan
Aimee Nicole Dunn
Michael James Dyer
Katie Danielle Engle

Jennifer Maureen Enyeart
Jerod Charles Everly
Caitlin Louise Fitch
Anna B. Garback
Kelley D. Geiser
Ryan Thomas Gelesky
Samantha M. Gilmore
Brian Thomas Glenn
Katlin Jean Gonzalez
Cheryl Lynn Guyer
Ryan Hunter Hamilton
Justine Nichole Hinkle
Tarah Althea Holness
Danielle Patryce Hosey
Kevin C. Hulick
Anastasia Marie Ishac
Audra Elaine Javersak
Kayla Kristen Jeswald
Andrew Johnson IV
Couri Ann Johnson
Stephanie Nicole Jones
Traci Angela Kalafut
Alyssa J. Keegan
Angela Linn Klingensmith
Patricia Ann Latimer
Steven L. Learn
Ruth Ann Madden
Daphne Markakis
Ryan G. McAllister
Tara Murray McCart
Jeremy Christopher McGhee
Justin Richard McIntyre
Willie G. McKinney III
Paige Ashleen McWhorter
Amanda Nicole Miller
Joy Lynne Mistovich
Kelsey Brianne Mitten
Brittany Nicole Montgomery
Kathryn Laura Sunshine Moran
Alex Kenneth Neville
Michael David Pilch
Kristen Elise Placer
Julie Marie Plesich
Eileen Louise Javersak Propri
Michelle L. Protopapa
Jeannie M. Robinson
Brena Faustine Ross
Danielle Lynn Rudloff
Natalie Anne Scott
Lindsey Nicole Shaffer

Amanda Diane Sigler
Kasanya Janee Smith
Melissa Mary Smith
Rebecca Nicole Steh
Joshua David Stipanovich
Chrisanthi Tataris
Matthew Michael Tobin
Christine Denise Toporcer
Molly Elizabeth Toth
Kari Lynn Tridle
Cassandra Marie Valentini
Travis James Watson
Sara Elizabeth Weigel
Adam Joseph Zola
Chelsey Anne Zoldan
Julie Ann Zuckla

Bachelor of General Studies

Milagrigo Isabelle Aponte
Dawn Baran
Brandy Lynne Bates
Susan E. Bayus
Joshua Robert Boggs
Nicole Anne Burrelli
Melodie Ann Campana
Gregory A. Dissinger
Kevin Steve Elswick
Mark Daniel Fiest
Radad Nasir Hamayel
Jonathan Russell Hillman
Suzanne Khoury Ishac
James Jay Johnston III
Christy Helen Nicole Kalna
Kellie Kristen Kearney
Joshua Ryan Langenheim
Luis David Leon
Gwendolyn Joyce Lumpkin-Stubbs
Laura Lynn McIntyre
Sarah Ann Monroe
Dennis H. Pixley III
Maria L. Rivera
Justin Michael Silvestri
Julie Ann Sinkuc
Kristan Lynn Taiclet
Christopher J. Tamasovich
Caitlin Brie Todd
Antonette Marie Vasquez
Adrienne Zane Viano
Rashana White-Bey

COLLEGE OF SCIENCE, TECHNOLOGY, ENGINEERING, AND MATHEMATICS

Associate of Applied Science

Thomas Lee Anderson
Brett R. Barnhouse
James E. Clover
Peggy Sue Coppin
Christian Gabrielle Estes
Joshua Andrew Fellows
Eric Michael Filicky
Nicholas Andrew Gealy
Charles D. Halverstadt
James W. Hardy
Jonathan Daniel Harstine
Lucas Scott Kuhar
Pepper Dylan Long
Shamara L. Martin
Zachary Howard Miles
Richard Dennis Murphy
Barbara A. Pack
Bradley Root
Dominic John Rozzo
Nicholas Edward Shaulis
Andre Anthony Silvers, Jr.
Kevin David Smith
William Robert Smith, Jr.
David Eugene Wright

Associate of Technical Studies

Michael Christopher Anderson
Bernard Dylan Breiding
Joshua R. Brown
Benjamin Lee Burnette
Elizabeth Faith Burnette
Brandon Scott Bussard
Brent Allen Cole
Darrell Dawson
Kevin C. Deckant II
Patrick Michael Deemer
Bryan Andrew DeSellem
Robert Louis Evans
Benjamin Joseph Flint
Adam William Gibson
David Allen Green
Courtney Nicole Hayes
Jerome W. Johnson
Jeffrey Edward Kalbfell
Marcus Leonard Kraynak
Donald Wayne Lamp
Mark Douglas LaRue
Robert T. Lawlor
Scott Andrew Martin
Jonathan M. Miller
Michael David Milone
Matthew Michael Moschella

Michael Roy Mott
Robert Lee Nice
John Walter Ratka
Michael Ned Rudloff
John Robert Seman
Shane Ryan Singer
Michael E. Slaga
Dominic A. Smaldino
Wilson J. Smith
William Marshall Speece III
Ian Andrew Spooner
Travis T. Stauffer
Sean P. Swoyer
Paul Edward Wilson
Corby Alonzo Winterburn
Thomas Lloyd Yeager

Bachelor of Arts

Eric Karl Gaskell
Maria Jo Kiraly
Nicole J. Mitchell
Ziba Naseri
Bethany J. Velazquez

Bachelor of Engineering

Michael James Adamson
Melissa Lea Airhart
Justin Douglas Ambrosio
William Bryan Bakos
Andrew Jesse Bender
Thomas Gabriel Bowser IV
Sergey Brodskiy
Brittany Nicole Chalfant
Philip Michael Thomas Ciprian
Jessica Lynn Cole
Antonio Joseph Copploe
Dorlan Daniel Curtis, Jr.
Kevin Troy DeZarn
Mevan Chaturanga Dissanayake
Obinna Ekweremuba
Christopher Dean Fenstermaker
Tyler Douglas Fenstermaker
Kevin Ryan Fortune
Audria Louise Grubbs
John R. Harvey
Charles Brian Hunter
Kathryn Rose Hyden
Ryan Justin James
Mwita K. John
Christopher Paul Jones
Kimberly Lynn Klonowski
Nathan Allen Knapp
Joseph Daniel Knepper
Andrew D. Kolbus

Marc Patrick Kosec
Matthew Gregory Kowal
Lindsay Lee Lipp
Lawrence Michael Lynn
Gregory Michael McCumber
Ethan G. McLaughlin
Allison Nichole McMillen
Rey John Tumanda Mejo
Jennifer May Moy
Joseph Calvin Myers
German Antony Natal
Jamar Darnell Oliver
Matthew D. Perkins
Caitlin M. Pirchner
James V. Pupino III
Robert James Ragan, Jr.
Arsalan M. Rana
Sentel Jamar Rodgers
Nicholas J. Rodland
Breanna Rae Rohrman
Michael Thomas Sammartino
Thomas John Sinchak, Jr.
Michael Allen Stanish
Michelle Marie Stipetich
Brandon L. Strahin
Justin James Styer
John Wesley Swisher
Jennifer Lynn Terek
Marisa Rose Toppi
Raymond F. Vitelli
Kristin Vratkovich
John Andrew Wilaj, Jr.
Kathryn Marie Wolf
Melissa Marie Workoff

Bachelor of Science

Syed Taahir Ali
Abdulaziz Nasser Almoajil
Jason Thomas Anderson
Jared Scott Ankerman
John Christopher Baniewicz
Alexander Parkhill Barlekamp
Alexis Morgan Begezda
Nicholas Chapman Boniface
Joseph Edward Budny
Lauren Nicole Carlozzi
Saundra Lee Clarke
Joseph Vincent Copploe II
Marcus Russell Corlew
Mariam Jill Crow
Jeremy Joseph Cummins
Rahul Chetan Damania
Progga Das

COLLEGE OF SCIENCE, TECHNOLOGY, ENGINEERING, AND MATHEMATICS *(continued)*

Audrey Nicole Davidson
Gina L. DeCarlo
Jennifer Lynn DeMarco
Jennifer Lynn Demler
Donald Joseph DeSanto II
Michael Christopher Donahue
Tyler James Dubina
Lindsey J. Farris
Danielle Marie Fontaine
Michael Anthony Frasso
Jacqueline Nicole Graham
Gary T. Gray
Nita Kumari Gupta
Jyosna Gutta
Naomi Rose Harding
Galen Benedict Hayek
Dawn Marie Helterbran
Catherine Meredith Henson
Rakin Ahsanul Hoq
Heather Tiree Hynek
Samuel George Jacobowitz
Timothy John Jaykel
Ricky Lee Kaiser
Marc Allen Kanetsky
Kyle Glen Kemats
Geno Frank Kordic
Rohan S. Kulkarni
Aaron A. Kuntz
Elizabeth S. Labosky
Mario Albert Leone
Zi-Qi Liew
Brianna Theresa Lockett
Elise Hunter MacLeod
Adam Nicholas Magana
Julianne Marie Matthews
Tara Murray McCart
John N. Mela
Desimir Mijatovic

Kristi Violet Mraz
Rayshone Mohnic Oliver
Poornima Oruganti
Amit Anil Parikh
Joshua Andrew Pastor
Bryce Edward Paull
Jana Marie Payne
Alan Joseph Podolsky
Boonkit Purt
Christopher Collin Reed
Kara Roche
Ajleeta Sangtani
Michael Alan Scoff
Trevor Dean Scott
Brittany Gene Seman
Kevin D. Seydlorsky
Anoli Pratik Shah
Manveen Kaur Singh
Bradley Richard Slabe, Jr.
Shannon Marie Sparks
Mario F. Sracic
Kavya Parvathi Sreevalsan
Rosemary Lee Szparagowski
Caleb Josiah Tatebe
TaQuaesha N. Toney
Rohin Vij
Elisabeth Julianne Whipkey

Bachelor of Science in Applied Science

Joshua R. Allshouse
Adam M. Boris
Aaron Dean Brown
Michelle Annette Curl
David Howard Cutlip
Kevin Scott Davis, Jr.
Thomas Paul Davis
Todd William Decker, Jr.
Nathan Alan Demetra
Jonathan Mark Eddy

Daniel J. Eister
James L. Fatula
Jeremiah Daniell Folger
Cole Andrew Foust
David Michael Griffith
David J. Hamrock
Clifton Leroy Harding
Taketa Joi Hester
Cody James Hohmann
Allison Renee James
Derek Robert Johnson
Alexander Calvin Jones
Ryan Edward Kaczowka
Joshua Aaron Kotlar
Blair Lang
David Thomas Lepley
Sean Michael Ludt
Callie Rochelle Means
Stephen Andrew Mesik
Taylor Dayne Pakalnis
Michael Raymond Palmer
Shawn Michael Penwell
Kelli Marie Phillips
Joshua Michael Ratell
Juliana Catherine Seelman
Ryan James Sidell
Mattie L. Smith
Eric F. Sofranko
Jose Angel Soto
Matthew Tyler Sprankle
Brandi N. Stillman
Christian Joseph Stinellis
Mark Patrick Sullivan
Joshua Terrell
Robert Donald Truhan
Patrick Ryan VanHorn
Jonathon M. Veigh
Pamela S. Woolensack

WILLIAMSON COLLEGE OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

Associate of Arts

Tammy Marie Blazak
Anne Carson
Melinda Ann Eastlick
Kristen Danielle Harroff
Theresa C. Robin
Tosha L. Zinn

Bachelor of Science in Business Administration

Anita Joann Asher
Brittany Jo Baker

Scott Michael Batcho
Nicholas Joseph Belcastro
Kelly A. Best
Ashley Morgan Bleggi
Aaron David Bonaquist
Christopher Hastings Bryson
Anthony Jared Burrus
Justin David Butt
Brian Vincent Byce
Dominic Angelo Cascarelli
Jacqueline Renee Cohol

Timothy Michael Connell
Abby K. Coppock
Brian Christopher Dale
Anthony William DeLorenzo
Crystal Lee Denman
Emily Kay Dickinson
Janey Christine Dillon
Michael James Drummond
Ely Ldona Ducatel
Amanda M. Duchnak
Donald A. Edens

WILLIAMSON COLLEGE OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

Robert Ben Emig
Matthew David Folsom
Nicholas Christopher Fournier
Mason Lane Fowler
Todd J. Francis
Carol Ann Franklin
Ashley Lynn Fuller
Ira Anthony Gaines
Daniel Patrick Gallagher
Gaile Elizabeth Gaydosh
Erin Marie Griehs
Kevin James Haase
Howard Charles Hargate III
Matthew James Henson
Nicole Kristen Heywood
Corey Michael Hitt
Edward William Horodyski II
Ashley Renee Jerome
Laura Marie Johnson
Tiffany Chiree Joseph
Chester R. Julian III
Christy Ann Keefer
Jeremy A. Kellerman
Michael Ryan Klem
Joshlyn R. Knipp
Anthony Martin Krygowski
Jesse Aaron Kurz

Albaro Jose Lepe
Chad William Macek
Timothy W. May
Arthur James McGlothen, Jr.
Kristen Lee Mihalko
David Michael Minnie, Jr.
Kevin Peter Mirich
Tina Marie Mistovich
Annette Yvonne Moy
Barbara J. Neiswanger
Jumana Musa Niser
Tara Nicole Ohle
Steven Michael Osborn
Lisa M. Over
Jonathan Paul Pakalnis
Rachael Ann Paras
Kimberly L. Parson
Jamie Lee Petrus
Alexander Michael Petruska
Lacie Anne Phillips
Jeremiah David Thomas Pitoscia
Joshua Ryan Powell
Misty Kealoha Powell
James D. Prestley
Richard E. Quinn
Patrick Alan Reed

Julianne Marie Reitenbach
Brandon Drew Ridgway
Frank William Rongone
Andrew William Russick
Rebecca Lynne Rzengota
Erin Kathleen Shea
Kristi M. Shopinsky
La Vonn DelReese Snipes
April Marie Stanislaw
Michael John Stembal
Lucas Beilby Stokes
Kelly Marie Storkel
Breanne Elizabeth Szmara
Sandy R. Thomas
Matthew Michael Tobin
Matthew J. Veneskey
Stephen J. Vidman
Scott James Wahlman
Nicholas Bryan Walters
Curtis DeWayne Webb II
John M. Weller
Ferlando Anthony Williams, Jr.
Scott Brandon Wilms
Tarah Rachelle Wright
Abigail May Zimmerman
Ashley Marie Zupko

BEEGHLY COLLEGE OF EDUCATION

Bachelor of Science in Education

Joanne Mustafa Amireh
Julia R. Andrews
Melissa Kiley Anzalone
Mary Jo E. Arditi
Walter B. Baber, Jr.
Ronald A. Balint
Hope Ann Bennett
Nathan E. Berry
Jill Marie Bica
Kelly A. Brothers
Joseph Dominic Carbon
Alexandra Cardarelli
Amanda Marie Carpin
Megan Marie Cartwright
Tracey L. Cauley
Jennifer Lynn Chandler
Megan A. Christie
Victoria Nicole Cook
Amanda Jean Daliman
Katelyn Elizabeth Daniels
Steven N. DeMaiolo
Kimberly D. DePizzo-Vanoverbeke
Alyssa Marie DiBernardi
Matthew A. Dieter

Alissa Ann Dreier
Deidre A. Drummond
Brandy Nichole Dunbar
Douglas Jack Eisenbraun
Wesam Mahmud Farah
Robert M. Fernback
Jamie Lynn Ficorilli
Jessica Rachelle File
Ryan Paul Fiscus
Kristina Marie Frech
Christine Carol Frenzel
Jessica Michele Fryda
Brian David Garcar
Jonathon James Geramita
Veronica Anne Getsy
Kevin Michael Gibson
Courtney Lynn Gonder
Marisa Lee Gugliotti
Lyndsie Ann Hall
Aaron Hamilton
Carly Christine Hammond
Katie Lynn Hart
Jonah F. Hetzel
Sarah Annie Hinerman
Carly Marie Hlas

Alexis Lauryn Hribar
Steven Jeffrey Hughes
Joyce Ellen Humphries
Cynthia A. Innocenzi
Cristie Marie Jacobs
Chad Allen Jones
Tahnee Ann Jones
Carl Scott Keller
Carol Wardrop Kines
Briana Koval
Matthew L. Kukura
Erin Olivia Lanney
Nicole Lynn Lariccia
Julie Lynn Lawrence
Nina Marie Leonelli
Cody Joseph Lewis
Alyssa Nicole Lockhart
Erica Nichole Loew
Michael Joseph Lyden
Sarah Ann Manuel
Aaron Thaddeus Margraff
Christopher M. Martin
Megan Marie McCallister
Dena Marie McCarthy
Lauren Blazer McComas

BEEGHLY COLLEGE OF EDUCATION

Brittany Brooke McCowin
Taylor Jeffrey McMullin
Elisabeth Ann Miller
Elizabeth Virginia Miller
Paul Thomas Jin Miller
Halle Minchin-Skook
Wendy Naomi Mirkin
Maryssa Ann Moczan
Leah Kathryn Mohl
Jessica Leanne Munoz
Amber Marie Murphy
Molly An O'Malley
Alexandria Marie Ornelas
Trisha Leigh Ott
Holly Lynn Palmer
Adrian Paulino
Rebecca Catherine Pykare

Carly Ann Redmond
Kristina Leigh Rendle
Rachel Rose Ringer
Jenna Renee Rinzella
Ellie Rose Sanders
Amy Elizabeth Schmid
Alexis Christine Schmidt
Amanda Marie Signor
Courtney Tara Skiba
Amanda Rae Sleva
Summyre-Starr Buchanan Sloan
Sarah Cailin Smith
Cami Rae Sowry
Lisa M. Stafford
Scott Jeffrey Stoddart
Tyler W. Strohecker

Ashley Marie Teagarden
Robin Joy Ten Eyck
Samantha Elizabeth Thomas
Veronica Sofia Torres Oquendo
Linnett Rae Vance
Nina Danielle Vaughn
Stacey L. Vickers
Lindsay M. VonSchwarz
Amanda Colleen Wickline
Andrew Scott Wilde
Brittany Anna Wilde
Nathan Alan Wilson
Jessica Lynn Yates
Randi Michele Yazvac
Jennifer Lyn Zdelar

COLLEGE OF FINE AND PERFORMING ARTS

Bachelor of Arts

Samuel David Ameen
Corban Charles Baker
Ryan L. Bissett
Andreen Alois Book
Andrea Rae Daniels
Kaitlyn Renee Fabian
Sean Patrick Geizer
Anthony Francis Gingras II
Masako Hayashi
Sara Ann Jackson
Ryan William Joyce
Daniel Ryan LaCella
Deborah Ann McCurdy
Michael A. Morrell
Richard Paul Okello
Julie Catherine Rice
Kyle M. Rivera
Reid Anthony Rouser
John Michael Schmalzried
Sean Allen Seidler
Daniel Thaddeus Smith
Jocelyn Marie Steiner
Chelsea Nicole Telega

Luke Richard Theall
Vijay K. Welch

Bachelor of Fine Arts

Francesca Marie Baldarelli
Zanoah Zorina Battles
Richard Ross Courtney
Jenna Lyn Germano
Marcy Elizabeth Gussenhofen
Kaitlin R. Infante
Brian M. Johnson
Marissa Juliet Jovenall
Melissa Lynn List
Maryssa Ann Moczan
Eric Moore
Jessica Lynn Pollis
Daniel Michael Rauschenbach
Christie L. Sindledacker
Lezlie J. Thorndike
Elizabeth Melania Vlad

Bachelor of Music

Sarah Elizabeth Baker
Natalie Anne Cates
Gianna Teresa Colella

Trevor Thomas Coleman
Joshua Henry Colson
Karen Ann Considine
Timothy A. Daniels
David James DePanico
Max Eamonn Doyle
Mellissa Lynn Gapsky
Haleigh Angel Gingras
Michelle Nicole Gonos
William D. Klein
Sarah Anne Kramer
Aaron Charles Lockhart
Patrick Daniel McLaughlin
Zachary Prem James Miller
Frederick Richard Moose
Giovanna Pinto
Evelyn Faith Silvis
Rebecca Frances Starosta
Amy Marie Warner
Cody Richard Williamson
Kayla Marie Wilson
Robert Allen Young
Nathan Michael Zunic

YOUNGSTOWN STATE UNIVERSITY

BOARD OF TRUSTEES

Millicent S. Counts

Delores E. Crawford

David C. Deibel

Sudershan K. Garg, *Chair*

John R. Jakubek, *Vice Chair*

Harry Meshel

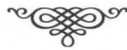
Joshua Prest, *Student Trustee*

Leonard D. Schiavone

Scott R. Schulick

Carole S. Weimer

Franklin S. Bennett, Jr., *Secretary*



YOUNGSTOWN STATE UNIVERSITY

EXECUTIVE OFFICERS

Cynthia E. Anderson, Ed.D.

President

Ikram Khawaja, Ph.D.

Provost and Vice President for Academic Affairs

Jack Fahey, M.S.Ed.

Vice President for Student Affairs and Ombudsperson

Eugene P. Grilli, M.B.A.

Vice President for Finance and Administration

Shannon Tirone, A.B.

Executive Associate to the President



YOUNGSTOWN STATE UNIVERSITY

DEANS

Martin A. Abraham, Ph.D.

Dean of the College of Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics

Bryan W. DePoy, D.M.

Dean of the College of Fine and Performing Arts

Mary Lou DiPillo, Ph.D.

Interim Dean of the Beeghly College of Education

Shearle L. Furnish, Ph.D.

Dean of the College of Liberal Arts and Social Sciences

Peter J. Kasvinsky, Ph.D.

Associate Provost for Research and Dean of the School of Graduate Studies and Research

Betty Jo Licata, Ph.D.

Dean of the Williamson College of Business Administration

Joseph L. Mosca, Ph.D.

Dean of the Dr. Dominic A. and Helen M. Bitonte College of Health and Human Services



MACEBEARER

Cheryl L. Bosley, RN, PhD, CNE

Dr. Bosley, associate professor in the Department of Nursing, has served YSU in a number of capacities in the past 24 years. Beginning in 1988, her career path at YSU has taken her from positions as an instructor, assistant professor, and coordinator in the Nursing Department to assistant dean and associate dean in the Bitonte College of Health and Human Services. In January 2008, Dr. Bosley was appointed by the provost to serve as YSU's first coordinator of academic advising at Youngstown State. In the fall of 2011, she returned to teaching full time and was recently awarded a sabbatical to investigate factors affecting minority student success in baccalaureate nursing programs. She has been the past recipient of YSU's Distinguished Professorship Award for Scholarship and the Excellence in Research Award of the XiXi Chapter of Sigma Theta Tau International. She also received recognition for 2011 Exemplary Practice in Assessment through the Office of the Provost and Office of Assessment. Dr. Bosley is a registered nurse with many years of experience as a critical care nurse and cardiovascular clinical nurse specialist. She received her MSN and PhD in nursing from Kent State University and recently received the distinguished designation of Certified Nurse Educator through the National League for Nursing.

READERS

Christine Cobb, M.A.

Associate Professor of Theater and Dance

Jeffrey L. Tyus, Ph.D

Assistant Professor of Communications

Youngstown
STATE UNIVERSITY

MARSHALS

David K. Asch, Ph.D., *Associate Professor of Biological Sciences*

Michael Crescimanno, Ph.D., *Associate Professor of Physics and Astronomy*

C. Susan deBlois, Ph.D., *Associate Professor of Educational Foundations, Research, Technology, and Leadership*

Jeanette M. Garr, Ph.D., *Professor of Civil/Environmental & Chemical Engineering*

Priscilla N. Gitimu, Ph.D., *Assistant Professor of Human Ecology*

Sylvia J. Imler, Ph.D., *Associate Professor of Counseling and Special Education*

Min Li, Ph.D., *Assistant professor of Sociology, Anthropology and Gerontology*

Kin P. Moy, M.S., *Associate Professor of Engineering Technology*

Barbara K. O'Connor, Ph.D., *Assistant Professor of Teacher Education*

Christian C. Onwudiwe, Ph.D., *Assistant Professor of Criminal Justice and Forensic Sciences*

Alfred W. Owens, Ph.D., *Professor of Communication*

Gabriel F. Palmer-Fernandez, Ph.D., *Professor of Philosophy and Religious Studies*

Matthew J. Paylo, Ph.D., *Assistant Professor of Counseling and Special Education*

Tod S. Porter, Ph.D., *Chair and Professor of Economics*

Peter A. Reday, Ph.D., *Associate Professor of Marketing*

David E. Stout, Ph.D., *Professor of Accounting and Finance*

Bonnie L. Thompson, M.S.N., RN, *Instructor of Nursing*

Jeffrey L. Tyus, Ph.D., *Assistant Professor of Communication*

William G. Vendemia, Ph.D., *Associate Professor of Management*

Richard L. Walker, M.S., *Chair and Professor Human Performance and Exercise Science*

Victor F. Wan-Tatah, Th.D., *Professor of Philosophy and Religious Studies*

Mary L. Yacovone, M.S., *Assistant Professor of Health Professions*

George Yates, Ph.D., *Associate Professor of Mathematics and Statistics*

Academic Regalia and Ceremony

The gowns, hoods, and caps worn in academic ceremonies today are relics of those worn in medieval times by students and professors. Probably the gowns and hoods were worn for warmth in the unheated halls where lectures were delivered. From the sixteenth century on, somber black garb became the norm, and it is primarily in the hoods worn in academic processions today that the medieval academic pageantry is retained.

The hoods representing graduate degrees granted by various colleges and universities have linings (turned to exhibit their hues to the fullest advantage) in the colors of the granting institutions. In addition, the facing of the hood represents by its color the discipline in which the degree has been granted: white for arts, letters or humanities; golden yellow for science; purple for law; green for medicine; lemon yellow for library science; orange for engineering; olive for commerce or business; light blue for education; pink for music; brown for fine arts; apricot for nursing; dark blue for philosophy; scarlet for theology; citron for social work; sage green for physical education.

There are different opinions about the origin of the caps worn in academic ceremonies. One view is that the "mortar board" is in actuality adapted from the wooden square used by masons. Another is that it stems from the ecclesiastical or clerical head covering of the medieval period.

There is something of the same adherence to tradition in commencement processions that exists in academic garb, although each institution has



the right to adapt the ceremony to its own requirement. The faculty leads the line of march followed by the candidates for degrees. Then follow the chief marshals, the president, speaker, trustees, deans, and other members of the party to be seated on the platform.

Recipients of University Honors receive golden honor cords placed around the shoulders. University Scholars wear a specially minted medallion on a red ribbon to denote their academic achievement.

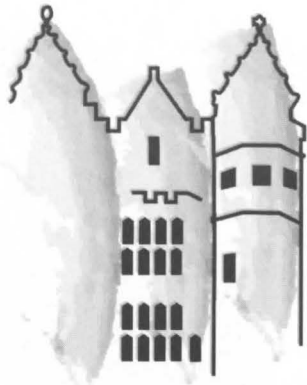
The Presidential Medallion

President Anderson wears a one-of-a-kind medallion that bears an embossment of the Youngstown State University seal on each of the small elements and on the large central piece. On the back of the central medallion are engraved the names of the University's six past presidents.

The presidential medallion was designed and created out of sterling and bronze by Wendell August Forge of Grove City, Pennsylvania.

The Youngstown State University Seal

The University's official seal was adopted in 1936. Designed by a student, the seal includes a torch, quills, wings, a globe, and the Latin words *animus liberatus*. In simple terms, those words summarize the transformation—or liberation—that occurs on this campus countless times each day. In English, they are translated *The Mind Freed*, or *The Spirit Freed*.



Youngstown State University— An Innovative Educational Leader


*F*ounded in 1908, Youngstown State University originally served 160 students with about a dozen faculty members and provided expanded educational opportunity for all people—store clerks and factory managers, steel industry workers, newly arrived immigrants, women and men, and both part-time and full-time learners.

This progressive spirit guided the development of the institution as it evolved from a YMCA technical institute, later as Youngstown College (1928), then as Youngstown University (1955) and, in 1967, as Youngstown State University, a member of the Ohio public higher education system.

Today, Youngstown State University is a leading comprehensive university, serving more than 14,500 full- and part-time students with 117 undergraduate programs, 41 master's degree programs, one specialist program, and three

doctoral degree programs. There are more than 450 full-time faculty and 800 professional and support staff members in seven colleges, schools and administrative departments.

In partnership with schools and the corporate and non-profit communities, Youngstown State University promotes diversity and excellence in teaching, research, and service to increase the educational attainment and economic and environmental vitality of the region.

Throughout its history, Youngstown State University has been cited as an innovative educational leader. It has also been recognized through numerous awards—both in academics and athletics—as one of the best urban, public, comprehensive universities in the United States. Each graduate we celebrate today is a YSU Success Story. They join more than 93,000 outstanding alumni members across the nation and around the world. 

Alma Mater

All hail to thee, O Youngstown,
Our Alma Mater fair;
In sunlight and starshine
We see thee in all thy glory.
The Red and the White, thy glorious colors,
Ever we praise and hold them
High to the breeze as the symbol of our
Most loyal allegiance.
This anthem, O Youngstown,
Our pledge of trust shall be
That thy sons and daughters
Shall keep faith with thee forever.