



FALL 2016

COMMENCEMENT

SATURDAY
DEC. 17

ORDER OF EXERCISES & NAMES OF CANDIDATES

MONTANA STATE UNIVERSITY

BOZEMAN, MONTANA

ACADEMIC REGALIA

The academic regalia—consisting of cap, gown and hood—originated in about the twelfth century. It was primarily worn for warmth. Subsequently, the material of the gown and the lining and shape of the hood represented economic and social as well as academic status.

In the United States, the majority of the academic regalia now worn is in accordance with the general provisions of the Intercollegiate Code of 1895. Under this code, bachelors' gowns are made with pointed sleeves; masters' gowns are made with long, closed sleeves with an arc near the bottom; doctors' gowns are made with round, open sleeves. Usually gowns are black, although some American and foreign universities use colors.

Bachelors' and masters' gowns are untrimmed. Doctors' gowns are faced down the front with velvet with three velvet bars across the sleeves. The velvet facing and bars may be black or they may be the color of the field of study. A woman may wear a white collar with a bachelor's gown.

Hoods are black. The doctor's hood is four feet in length; the master's three and one-half feet. Hoods are lined with the official colors of the university. The velvet borders of the hoods, which are three and five inches wide for the masters' and doctors' degrees respectively, identify the fields of study to which the degrees pertain.

The black mortarboard cap is standard in the United States. It is an essential part of the academic dress and is to be retained on the head throughout all academic exercises except during prayer. In particular, the cap is not to be removed at any point in the conferment of a degree.

A long tassel is fastened to the middle top point of the cap and lies as it will thereon. Students graduating with highest honors wear a gold tassel on their caps. A blue tassel identifies those graduating with honors.

Students from Montana State University who have served a period of active duty in the U.S. Armed Forces are wearing a red, white, and blue honor cord during Commencement ceremonies in recognition of their service to our country.

For all academic purposes, the colors associated with the different subjects are as follows:

Agriculture, Maize
Architecture, Blue Lilac
Arts and Letters, White
Business, Sapphire Blue
Dentistry, Lilac
Economics, Copper
Education, Light Blue
Engineering, Orange
Fine Arts, Brown
Forestry, Russet
Humanities, Crimson
Library Science, Lemon
Medicine, Green
Music, Pink
Nursing, Apricot
Oratory, Silver Gray
Pharmacy, Olive Green
Philosophy, Dark Blue
Physical Education, Sage Green
Public Health, Salmon Pink
Science, Golden Yellow
Theology, Scarlet
Veterinary Science, Gray
Law, Purple

ORDER OF EXERCISES

ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-FIFTH GRADUATING CLASS
SATURDAY, DECEMBER 17TH · TWO THOUSAND SIXTEEN · BRICK BREEDEN FIELDHOUSE

PROCESSIONAL

Michael Babcock, Ph.D., Grand Marshal
Flourish for Wind Band by Ralph Vaughn Williams
Pomp and Circumstance No. 1 by Edward Elgar
MSU Wind Symphony, Nathan Stark, D.M.A., Conductor
Star Spangled Banner by Francis Scott Key
Led by Hannah Lane, Bachelor of Arts in
Music Education

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Waded Cruzado, Ph.D., President of
Montana State University

PRESENTATION OF CANDIDATE AND CONFERRING OF HONORARY DEGREE

Waded Cruzado, Ph.D., President of
Montana State University
Robert Mokwa, Ph.D., Interim Executive Vice President for
Academic Affairs and Provost

MESSAGE TO THE CANDIDATES FOR DEGREES

John Heminway, Honoris Causa
College of Arts and Architecture

ALUMNI WELCOME TO THE CLASS

Kerry Hanson, MEd, Vice President of Alumni Relations,
MSU Alumni Foundation

PRESENTATION OF CANDIDATES FOR DEGREES

Robert Mokwa, Ph.D., Interim Executive Vice President for
Academic Affairs and Provost

CONFERRING OF DOCTORAL DEGREES

Waded Cruzado, Ph.D., President of
Montana State University
Karlene Hoo, Ph.D., Dean, The Graduate School

CONFERRING OF MASTER DEGREES

Waded Cruzado, Ph.D., President of
Montana State University
Karlene Hoo, Ph.D., Dean, The Graduate School

CONFERRING OF BACHELOR DEGREES

Waded Cruzado, Ph.D., President of
Montana State University
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Academic Affairs and Provost
Charles Boyer, Ph.D., Vice President for Agriculture,
Dean, College of Agriculture
Royce Smith, Ph.D., Dean,
College of Arts & Architecture
Kregg Aytes, Ph.D., Dean, Jake Jobs College of Business
and Entrepreneurship
Alison Harmon, Ph.D., Interim Dean, College of Education,
Health and Human Development
Brett Gunnink, Ph.D., Dean, College of Engineering
Nicol Rae, Ph.D., Dean, College of Letters and Science
Helen Melland, Ph.D., R.N., Dean, College of Nursing
Robert Hietala, M.S.W., Dean, Gallatin College

MUSICAL SELECTION

Alma Mater by Mabel Kinney Hall
Quartet, Daniel Chaussé, Bachelor of Arts in Music
Education; Joseph Kilen, Bachelor of Arts in Music
Education; Rachel Wambeke, Bachelor of Arts in Music
Education; Hannah Lane, Bachelor of Arts in Music
Education
Wind Symphony, Graduates and Guests
Words on back cover

RECESSIONAL

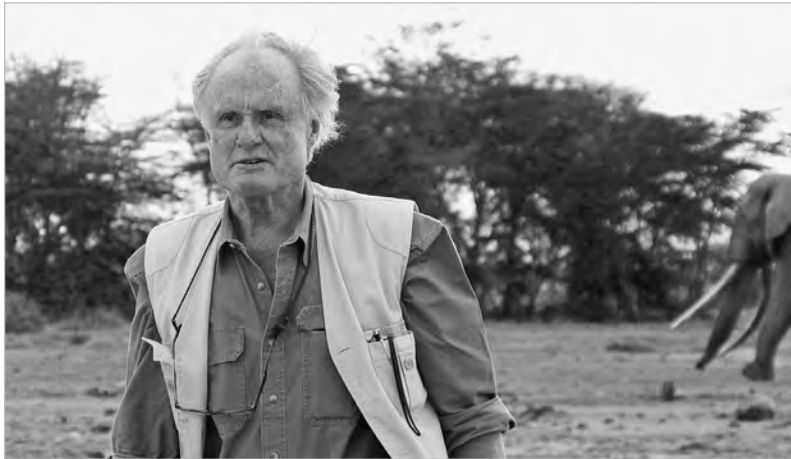
March from 1941 by John Williams
MSU Wind Symphony, Nathan Stark, D.M.A., Conductor



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JOHN HEMINWAY

HONORARY DOCTORATE OF ARTS



John Heminway is a “filmmaker’s filmmaker.” His career, that spans more than four decades, includes more than 100 films about science, the environment and Africa, in particular. The quality of his work has earned him two Emmys, two Peabody Awards and a duPont-Columbia University journalism award. His 2013 broadcast of “Battle for the Elephants,” produced with Katie Carpenter and J.J. Kelley, was voted the best conservation film at the Jackson Hole Wildlife Film Festival in 2013. The sequel to the film, “Warlords of Ivory,” in which Heminway exposed how the illicit ivory trade funds militias and terrorist groups by placing GPS trackers into fake ivory tusks, re-launched National Geographic Channel’s Explorer Series, was nominated for an Emmy and was honored at a special ceremony at the United Nations.

In addition to his filmmaking work, he has written books about both Africa and Montana including “Yonder: A Place in Montana,” a memoir about living in the West Boulder Valley.

Heminway has served on the boards or advisory councils of many environmental causes, including the African Wildlife Foundation, where he was board chairman for nine years, Trout Unlimited, American Prairie Reserve, White Oak Conservation Center, Tusk, and Elephant Family. In 2013, famed paleoanthropologist

Richard Leakey appointed Heminway chairman of Wildlife Direct, an organization founded by Leakey and dedicated to changing laws and behavior related to wildlife crime in Kenya and elsewhere in Africa.

A native of New York City, Heminway, his wife and daughter have lived in Bozeman for the past decade. He has served as an adjunct lecturer at the MSU School of Film and Photography, as well as a supporter of MSU’s chapter of Engineers Without Borders and its work in Kenya, hosting screenings of his films as fundraisers for the group. He is a member of the MSU Honors College External Advisory Council and a supporter of Montana PBS. A member of the Directors Guild of America, the Writers Guild of America the Royal Geographic Society, and the Explorers’ Club, among others, Heminway has made significant and positive contributions to MSU, to Montana, to his profession and wildlife on the continent of Africa.



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Doctor of Philosophy in Mathematics

Elizabeth G. Arnold

Advisor: Elizabeth Burroughs, Ph.D.

Dissertation Title: *Investigating the Teaching of Statistics with Technology at the High School Level Through the Use of Annotated Lesson Plans*

Daniel Kanewske

Advisor: Tianyu Zhang, Ph.D.

Dissertation Title: *Stress Tensor Symmetry Preserving Model Applied to the 2-D Viscoelastic Flow of a Biofilm*

Nathan McClanahan

Advisor: Tianyu Zhang, Ph.D.

Dissertation Title: *Separating the EPS in a Biofilm: Models and Simulations of Movement of the EPS Within*

Danielle Nichole Pettry

Advisor: Jennifer Luebeck, Ph.D.

Dissertation Title: *The Development of Specialized Content Knowledge Among Secondary Mathematics Pre-Service Teachers*

Doctor of Philosophy in Physics

Katerina Chatzioannou (Su)

Advisor: Nicolas Yunes, Ph.D.

Dissertation Title: *Spin-Precessing Compact Binaries: Gravitational Wave Modeling and Information Extraction*

Doctor of Philosophy in Statistics

Katharine Michelle Banner

Advisor: John Cherry, Ph.D., Co-Advisor: Megan Higgs, Ph.D.

Dissertation Title: *Is Model Averaging the Solution for Addressing Model Uncertainty? Methodological Insights, Tools for Assessment, and Considerations for Practical Use*

Michael David Lerch

Advisor: John Cherry, Ph.D., Co-Advisor: Megan Higgs, Ph.D.

Dissertation Title: *Statistics in the Presence of Cost: Cost-considerate Variable Selection and MCMC Convergence Diagnostics*

COLLEGE OF NURSING

Doctor of Nursing Practice

Kara Marie Addison

Advisor: Jennifer Sofie, Ph.D.

Dissertation Title: *Safety Improvement in Biological Therapy for Patients With Moderate to Severe Plaque Psoriasis: A Pilot Project & Quantitative Analysis*

Kara Holzwarth Falk

Advisor: Jennifer Sofie, Ph.D.

Dissertation Title: *Development & Implementation of a Panel Managed Preventative Health Services Protocol in a Rural Primary Care Clinic To Improve Patient Access to Care*



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Master Degrees

COLLEGE OF AGRICULTURE

Master of Science in Animal and Range Sciences

Melissa Rashelle Herrygers
Rebecca Kathleen Ozeran

Brooke Sierra Regan (*Su*)

Joao L. Rossi (*Su*)

Master of Science in Applied Economics

Zachary Andrew Bishop

Master of Science in Immunology and Infectious Diseases

Bennett Stephen Hisey

Master of Science in Land Resources and Environmental Sciences

Marianne Alford
Jason Eric Baldes (*Su*)
Michael Linn Bestwick (*Su*)
Warren Porth Darrell (*Su*)
Christian Douglas Larson

Robert M. Mediak
Shelley L. Mills
Lizzy Anne Montgomery
Elizabeth Anne Morgan (*Su*)
Zev J. Reuter

Amanda Marie Rothermal
Aaron James Scott-Klingborg (*Su*)
Ricardo A. Segovia
Lora Mae Soderquist
Erika Nicole Sturn

Master of Science in Plant Pathology

Elisa Kirk Boyd

Carmen Yvette Murphy

Master of Science in Plant Science

Hannah Margaret Estabrooks (*Su*)

Jakob Darby Kammeraad (*Su*)

COLLEGE OF ARTS AND ARCHITECTURE

Master of Architecture

Tyson Jon Abel	Eldon Mark Little	Amanda Victoria Rasmussen
Kaylyn Rene Brough	Cameron Harrison Livdahl	Urvi Dakshesh Shah
Taylor Wayne Cornwell	Lesley Anne Miller	Zoya Vladimirovna Shynkevich
Lesley R. Frazier	Sara Ann Morrison	John Henry Simianer
Quinton John Richard Gangle	Piper Lian New	
Tyler James Graff	Laurel Eve Podlich	

Master of Fine Arts in Art

Soon Kim	Larry Phan
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Master of Fine Arts in Science and Natural History Filmmaking

Erik Rochner Almklov	Roshan Chandra Patel (<i>Su</i>)	Mary Margaret McNeil Smith (<i>Su</i>)
Jared David Berent	Suzanne Duke Philippus	Annie B. White
Alain Whitman Douchinsky	Jeffrey Connor Reed	

COLLEGE OF BUSINESS

Master of Professional Accountancy

Kelly Melinda Balfour	Hannah Elizabeth Gilley	Michael Vincent Saputo
Melissa Diane Bradley	Taylor Margaret Jensen	Ritu Sharma

COLLEGE OF EDUCATION, HEALTH AND HUMAN DEVELOPMENT

Master of Education in Adult and Higher Education

William David Aderholdt	Charla Ann Merja
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Master of Education in Curriculum and Instruction

Nathan P. Abel (<i>Su</i>)	Melissa Ann Fell (<i>Su</i>)	Yugo Nakamura (<i>Su</i>)
Kezia Mikael Allen (<i>Su</i>)	Juan Pablo Fernandez (<i>Su</i>)	Bianca Inez Neri (<i>Su</i>)
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Jessica Ann Arnold (<i>Su</i>)	Michelle Emily Fullenkamp (<i>Su</i>)	Aaron Robson (<i>Su</i>)
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Martha Christine Ziga Bayliss	Juan Alejandro Gutierrez (<i>Su</i>)	Christopher John Schoning (<i>Su</i>)
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Ashley Blair Breton (<i>Su</i>)	Spencer Theodore Johnson	Lukasz Starosta (<i>Su</i>)
Wendy Kay Bruso (<i>Su</i>)	Alecia Emily Jongeward (<i>Su</i>)	Jared Douglas Sullivan (<i>Su</i>)
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Eric Gordon Chaon (<i>Su</i>)	Shanae T. Lawson	Frederick John Weismiller (<i>Su</i>)
Shane B. Christiansen (<i>Su</i>)	Jessica Danielle Lukens (<i>Su</i>)	
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R. Todd Cornell (<i>Su</i>)	Peter James Marvin (<i>Su</i>)	
Amanda Megan Eney (<i>Su</i>)	Brigitte R. Morris	

Master of Education in Educational Leadership

Cindy M. Brown
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Joe Colin Crider
Jeff Alan Friesen (*Su*)

Luke Wirth Furshong
Kristine Anne Leo (*Su*)
Sara Marie Loewen
Kari Vallevik McFarland (*Su*)

Sara Ann Boom Smith (*Su*)
Noah Daniel Vallincourt

Master of Science in Health and Human Development

Barbara Lee Allen
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Rebecca Hytovick Tidwell (*Su*)

Wei Zhu

COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING

Master of Engineering

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Master of Science in Chemical Engineering

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Shivam Sharda

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Tushar Kanti Routh

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Master of Science in Environmental Engineering

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Ashley Marie Madrid

Master of Science in Mechanical Engineering

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Austin James Lolatte (*Su*)

Master of Science in Optics and Photonics

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COLLEGE OF LETTERS & SCIENCE

Master of Public Administration

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Joanna Faye Whittle

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Master of Arts in English

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Master of Arts in Native American Studies

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Master of Science in Biochemistry

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Master of Science in Biological Sciences

Erica Lynn Garroutte (*Su*)

Laura J. Heil (*Su*)

Master of Science in Chemistry

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Devan R. Watt

Master of Science in Earth Sciences

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Holt John Hancock

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Katie Marie Tremaine

Kyle Vanpeurseem

Master of Science in Fish and Wildlife Management

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Jaelyn Ann McGuire
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Benjamin Y. Turnock

Master of Science in Mathematics

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Emily Joan Boyce (*Su*)
Marla Michelle Chapa (*Su*)
Krista Kay Freitag (*Su*)

Jake Miller Hall (*Su*)
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Katherine T. Ivester (*Su*)
Ashley Obstar (*Su*)
Tasha Marie Dearborn Padmos (*Su*)

Randi L. Stephens (*Su*)
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Master of Science in Microbiology

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Aline Pellizzaro

Benjamin M. White

Master of Science in Physics

Aislinn R. Daniels

Jacob Douglas Parker

Micah J. Price

Master of Science in Psychological Science

Katherine Morgan Hart

Ted Maldonado *(Su)*

Master of Science in Statistics

Kelsi Anne Espinoza

Matthew Jay Pettigrew

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Samuel C. Read

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Master of Nursing

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Rhyana Rose Whiteley

THE GRADUATE SCHOOL

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Master of Science in Science Education

Anthony Eugene Altieri *(Su)*Justine Elizabeth Fox *(Su)*Shannon Hague Luna *(Su)*Shauna L. Baron *(Su)*Andrew James Friedlund *(Su)*Deborah Hoyt Mansour *(Su)*Sarah Elizabeth Bauer *(Su)*Kathryn M. Gangel *(Su)*Angela B. Marshall *(Su)*Tracey Ann Bidwell *(Su)*Jason Robert Garver *(Su)*Allison Christine McClain *(Su)*Nathan Daniel Boegler *(Su)*R Brian Good *(Su)*Keith McKinniss *(Su)*Megan Annette Burgess *(Su)*Jacqueline Paige Hall *(Su)*Steven Michael Merriman *(Su)*Martha Altabeth Jordan Byrd *(Su)*Ryan Matthew Harvey *(Su)*Leslie Lashaun Moncur *(Su)*Ryan Joseph Call *(Su)*Ruth Lehmann Hutson *(Su)*Mary Dolores Noel *(Su)*Stephen Joseph Cannici *(Su)*Bryan David Idleman *(Su)*Maryellen Scully Omalley *(Su)*Amy Marie Chase *(Su)*Ange Duffy Jones *(Su)*Steven E. O'Neill *(Su)*Samuel Joseph Cohen *(Su)*Ann Elizabeth Knight *(Su)*Laura Ouborg *(Su)*Alyson Fisher Darconte *(Su)*Jennifer R. Konopacki *(Su)*Christina Lynn Pavlovich *(Su)*Allan J. Dinglasan *(Su)*Henry Bernard Lacey *(Su)*JoAnne G. Phillips *(Su)*Alexandra Burns Disney *(Su)*Renee Marie Lauterbach *(Su)*Jordan Robinson *(Su)*Dana L. Donlon *(Su)*Dan M. Leavell *(Su)*Alison Rockwell *(Su)*Robert Paul Ellenbecker *(Su)*Joseph P. Levitt *(Su)*Tina Kristine Rogers *(Su)*Andrew Fiala *(Su)*Amy Claire Listenik *(Su)*Lisa Mary Rossana *(Su)*Matthew Rath Fisher *(Su)*Amber Lea Lloyd *(Su)*Jessica R. Rowell *(Su)*Kimberly Sue Forsythe *(Su)*Margaret Rebecca Lowry-Brock *(Su)*Daniel William Rudolf *(Su)*

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Christopher Land Shaw *(Su)*
Anna Christine Shearer *(Su)*
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William Joseph Sparks *(Su)*
William M. Stockton *(Su)*
Taryn Powers Surabian *(Su)*

Charles Eric Swafford *(Su)*
Heather Rebecca Swanson *(Su)*
Martin Tawil *(Su)*
Kristin Joanna Tesiny *(Su)*
Annie Wentz Tete *(Su)*
Alexander John Tisch *(Su)*
Burke Jared Torgerson *(Su)*
Linda M. Townley *(Su)*
Sarah Keefer Venturi *(Su)*

Emily Stewart Vercoe *(Su)*
Kristin Nicole Waverka *(Su)*
Julie Marie Welde *(Su)*
John Laurence Wilkie *(Su)*
David John Howard Wilson *(Su)*
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Melissa Yourey *(Su)*

Bachelor Degrees

COLLEGE OF AGRICULTURE

Bachelor of Science in Agricultural Business

Matthew Lein Derosier
Rebecca Lorraine Lake

Casey Lee Palmer

Cody Joseph Seccomb

Bachelor of Science in Agricultural Education

Dana Leigh Dale*

Katie J. Mitchell*

Bachelor of Science in Animal Science

Andrew William Arnold
Austin Joseph Gabelt*
Erin Lindsay Gowen
Lillian Doyle Hamilton
Jami Colleen Johnson*

Eric D. Lawver
McKenzie Nichole Lessard**
Kayla Marie Lowery
Alexander Cody Malcolm
Danielle Kegan Meissner**

Cole Daniel Ryan
Jesse Rose Staffanson*
Leah Marie Thurman
Michael Ray Whitmore*
Caroline Isabel Wild**

Bachelor of Science in Biotechnology

Karl Everet Owen

Krysta M. Quale**

Lynnzie Mae Tompkins

Bachelor of Science in Environmental Horticulture

Andrew Abate
Lucas William Beyer
Taylor Renae Carter
Maggie Jo Crowley*
Nathan Wayne Hood

Tanner Joseph McAvoy**
Sara Marie Park
Elizabeth Rose Ritchie*
Annalise Celine Scheppers
Matthew Dirk Schumacher

Cara M. Still*
Carson Jordan Thomas
Devon Paula Wagner

Bachelor of Science in Geospatial and Environmental Analysis

Edward Monroe Johnson

Bachelor of Science in Land Rehabilitation

Joseph Florio Rizzi*

Bachelor of Science in Microbiology

Timothy Eugene Anderson*

Sarah Jane Labelle

Elisa Kay Santori*

Bachelor of Science in Natural Resources and Rangeland Ecology

Brandon Randall Melkon Gould

Casey Ryan Griffis

Emily HC Halverson

* *Graduated with honors*

** *Graduated with highest honors*

† *Graduated from Honors College*

Bachelor of Science in Plant Science

Kendra Marie Hertweck

Megan Sunshine McGill**

Bachelor of Science in Sustainable Food and Bioenergy Systems

Torryn Krista Frazee*

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COLLEGE OF ARTS AND ARCHITECTURE

Bachelor of Music Education

Zachary Michael Maurer

Bachelor of Fine Arts

Megan Rose Culbertson**

Katherine Mary Murphy**

Rosanna Jean Tallon**

Miles Joseph Johnson*

Jordyn Marissa Raffety*

Emily Rose Ketteler**†

Damon Reese Stevens**

Bachelor of Arts in Art

Emma Lucy Anderson*

Michael Joseph Bober**

Nicholas Allen Krob

Bachelor of Arts in Environmental Design

Brett Thomas Bishop

Melissa Kay von Borstel

Bachelor of Arts in Film and Photography

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Patrick Raymond Rooney

Logan Wright Bonwell*

Gabriel Edward Jacobs*

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Allison Shelly

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Jesse R. Matthew

Scotland J. Steele*

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Bachelor of Arts in Music

Anna Grace Borden

Bachelor of Arts in Music Technology

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COLLEGE OF BUSINESS

Bachelor of Science in Business

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Meagan Karen Davis*
Tyler James DeBuse
Hans Peter Dierenfeldt
Joseph Martin Dito
Dylan Thomas Dufner
Brandan Daniel Jesse Eachon*
Zachary Thomas Eash*
Bridger Paul Eaton
Jacob Charles Ebersole*
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Dillon G. Fraley
Patrick D. Franqui
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Quinn Thomas Garrod*
Christopher Scott Gay
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Ashley Marie Henry
Heather Marie Hirsch
Zachary James Hoffman
Sam Stewart Humphries
Zachary West Hutchins
Gilad Irwin Israel Rosen
Amelia Harper Jakob
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Yizhou Jin
Mihwa Kim*
Robert Joseph Lacasella
Yao Lei
Kelsey Dale Little
Jack Weber Lundin*
Zachary Thomas Merrill
Ashlynn E. Meuchel*
Collin Lee Moriarty*
Kyra Dell Morrissey*
Brian Lee Morse*
Skylar D. Munzing
Brianna Lynn Neater
Michael Edwin Alexander Newsome*
Craig Michael Ollinger
Maria Faye Olson

Denis Hancock Payne
Whitnee S. Pearcey*
Jacob Thomas Pekoc
James Reed Powell*
Molly Rose Previte
Thomas Dean Ray
Kailey Jo Ruff
Thomas Patrick Burkhalter Ruyle*
Jonathon Paul Scauzzo
Adrienne E. Sipes
Kelsi Taylor Slingsby
Parker Windell Squires
Luke T. Stenzel
Jesse E. Steorts
Nickolas Leland Stordahl
Ryan J. Swain
Abdulrahman Hussam Tarabishi
Grant Shepard Thompson
Henry Adams Vinson*
Weiqi Wang
Jeffery Todd Wanken
Derek William Weitzel**
Xinyu Wu
Ming Yao
Rocky Yassin
Frank Peter Zarzeka III
Turner Reid Zsupnik

COLLEGE OF EDUCATION, HEALTH AND HUMAN DEVELOPMENT

Bachelor of Science in Community Health

Allyssa Michele Butler
Catherine Josephine Cramer*
Tricia Alyn Dratwick*
Tara Kathleen Foley*
Maci BriAnn Holst*
Alex Katherine Hulbert
Rashelle A. Johns

Shanna Lee Johnson
Chase D. Kusilek
Casey James Lamb Kickingwoman
Jamie Lynn Leafy
Lauren Leslie Maes*
Sara Anne McNamara
Rachelle Kathleen Morehead

Nicole Lucille Orth*
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Shelby Rae Spillum
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Bachelor of Science in Early Childhood Education and Child Services

Amanda Joy Jarvis*

Phoebe Rene Leverett*

Emily Marie Miller*

Bachelor of Science in Elementary Education K-8

Conner David Brooks*
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Loni Virginia Downton*
Tamara Joy Droge**
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Desiree L. Dunbar**
Victoria Lynne Evans*
Anna Elizabeth Ewen*
Carolyn A. Fiorillo**
Samantha Jane Garcia
Kati Lyn Greear*
Katrina Dawn Guse*
Allison Elise Hicks*
Jasmine Etta Hommes

Savannah Rose Horwood**
Megan C. Houdeshell**
Paige Elizabeth Jette*
Alix Jordan Kern*
Kristin L. Knote*
Kayla Rae Kraft*
Alexis A. Lahana**
Kristin Leigh Landre*
Arielle Estelle Mack*
Kiona Marie Melton**
Jennifer Mary Morris*
Kate Lynn Marie Morrison**
Daniel Michael Neff
Sarah Elizabeth Newton*
Ryan Marshall Pekins**

Kelsey C. Pfennigs*
Cori L. Phillips**
Krystal Lynn-Spiess Wertman*
Katherine Elizabeth Stanfield**
Faith Olivia Steinbacher*
Sadie Katherine Straughn
Abigail Nicole Tunby*
Kathryn Aileen Walker**
Bradi Lee Watkins
Riley Dean Weeks
Stephanie N. White**
Emily E. Winn*
Kaycee Lyn Zieske**
Victoria Allison Zins

Bachelor of Science in Family and Consumer Sciences

Laci Anne Mottice*

Rachel Lauren Rainville*

Bachelor of Science in Food and Nutrition

Marissa Fay Collier
Ali Nicole Coster
Glenn Allen Falcon*

Kyle Ethan Lavender*
Claire Morgan Mayo
Meredith Jean McDonald*

Ashlee Marie O'Dell*

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Bachelor of Science in Health and Human Performance

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Morgan Richard Bergeron*
Brandon David Boyd Brown*
Luke Arran Castellini**†
Courtland Ryder Chase
Quinn Cameron Collins
Chance Christian Crabtree
Kiana L. Dusek*
John Douglas Eby
Olivia Jean Effertz
Brandon Cole Endy
Michael Lawrence Furstenberg

Erik David Krabbenhoft
Zachary William Kughn
Riley Matthew Kurschner
Sarah Helen Kusek
Amanda Leigh Lindemuth*
Hanna Christina Mackie*
Conor Dean Matthews*
Richard Joseph Miller*
Elle J. Morrical*
Amy Lynn Perkins
Taylor Frances Phelps
Quincey A. Pope**

Jonathan Earl Reijgers*
Jamie Marie Ritter
Wade Robert Robinson*
Cassie Mckenzie Schulz
Angelica Dawn Silvestrone*
Elissa Marie Taylor**†
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THE LAND-GRANT HERITAGE

As land-grant institutions, Montana State University and the state's seven tribal colleges have a unique history and mission.

Land-grant universities such as MSU came into being under the federal Morrill Acts of 1862 and 1890. Over the years, land-grant status implied several types of federal support. The first Morrill Act provided grants in the form of federal lands to each state for the establishment of a public institution to fulfill the provisions of the act.

During the first half of the 19th century, the structure of colleges and universities were greatly influenced by European universities, which had educated many of America's leading professors. But these European universities were organized to serve a society which was not democratic. University education was for the male leisure classes, government leaders, and members of the clergy, legal and medical professions.

At first, American institutions, functioning in somewhat the same fashion, offered chiefly the classical and professional curricula. Although the importance of science was gaining recognition, scientific education was not widely available. But by the middle of the 19th century, the general and scientific press were making widespread demands for more agricultural and technical education. Agricultural societies in many states insisted that colleges be available where students could study agriculture.

Passage of the first Morrill Act in 1862 reflected this growing demand for agricultural and technical education. While a number of institutions had begun to expand upon the traditional classical curriculum, higher education was still widely unavailable to many agricultural and industrial workers. The Morrill Act was intended to provide a broad segment of the population with a practical education that had direct relevance to their daily lives. It also provided for military training, an

important consideration to President Abraham Lincoln, who signed the act in the midst of the Civil War.

Justin Smith Morrill, a representative and later a senator from Vermont, sponsored the land-grant legislation that bears his name and is generally credited as having secured its passage. Prior to Morrill's support for land-grant legislation, Jonathan Baldwin Turner, a Yale-educated farmer, newspaper editor and college professor, made education for the working class his cause in the mid-19th century. His "Plan for a State University for the Industrial Classes" advanced ideas that are now fundamental to the land-grant system, such as experimental research in agriculture.

An important federal addition to the land-grant mission was the agricultural experiment station program created by the Hatch Act of 1887. Today, the Montana Agricultural Experiment Station operates under MSU with the majority of its programs in Bozeman. Seven MAES centers across the state conduct research relevant to the challenges of Montana's agricultural and natural resource communities.

In 1914, the Smith-Lever Act created a Cooperative Extension Service associated with each U.S. land-grant institution to assist with educational outreach efforts throughout the states. MSU Extension serves all of Montana's

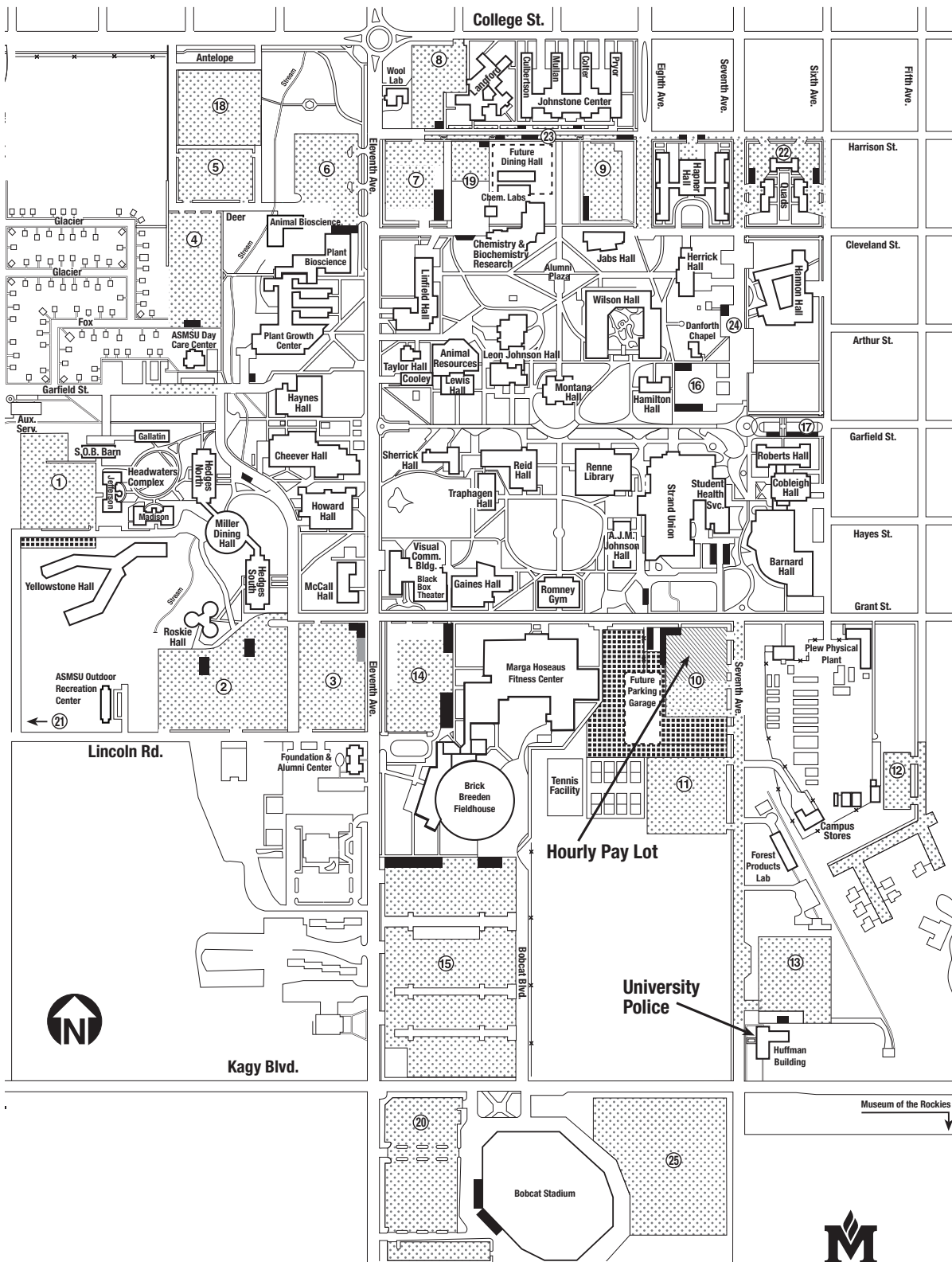
56 counties and five of the state's Native American reservations, providing an enormous range of services in areas that include: agricultural and natural resources, consumer education, nutrition and healthy lifestyles, community resource development and youth development programs for tens of thousands of Montana children through 4-H.

Since their establishment, land-grant colleges and universities have grown to represent a unique system of widely accessible higher education. There is now at least one land-grant institution in every state and territory of the United States, as well as the District of Columbia.

Today, America's land-grant universities continue to fulfill their democratic mandate for openness, accessibility and service to the people. Many of these institutions have joined the ranks of the nation's most distinguished public research universities. Through the land-grant university heritage, millions of students are able to study every academic discipline and explore fields of inquiry far beyond the scope envisioned in the original land-grant mission.

—Excerpted and modified from "The Land-grant Tradition," a publication of the Association of Public and Land-grant Universities.





MSU-BOZEMAN VISITOR PARKING MAP

LOT NAME BY NUMBER

① North Hedges	⑥ Greenhouse	⑪ South Gatton	⑬ Huffman	⑮ South Fieldhouse
② Roskie	⑦ West Linfield	⑫ Faculty Court	⑭ North Fieldhouse	⑯ West Stadium
③ South Hedges	⑧ Langford	⑬ Huffman	⑰ South Fieldhouse	⑳ Stadium East
④ South 12th St.	⑨ Lewis & Clark	⑱ East Linfield		
⑤ Deer Street	⑩ North Gatton (pay)	⑲ South Fieldhouse		
		⑳ Hamilton Rsrv.		
		㉑ Roberts Rsrv.		
		㉒ Antelope		
		㉓ Harrison		
		㉔ S. 7th Rsrv.		
		㉕ Stadium East		



VISITOR PARKING KEY

	Hourly Pay Lot
	Permit Required
	A.D.A./Handicapped
	Construction Area

FAIR MSU

Words by Mabel Kinney Hall

Music by Ilse-Mari Lee

Fling wide our colors bright and true,
Sunlight Gold and Ether Blue,
Fit emblem of our college days,
Proudly we our banner raise

Oh, MSU, right loyally
We offer songs of praise to thee
Long may thy power enduring be,
Alma mater, hail to thee.

STAND UP AND CHEER

Words by Edward A. Duddy

Music by Paul P. McNeely

Stand up and cheer,
Cheer long and loud for dear Montana State,
For today we raise
The blue and gold to wave victorious!

Our sturdy band now is fighting
And we are sure to win the fray
We've got the vim, we're here to win,
For this is dear Montana State.

Please join us in celebrating the commencement
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