



UNIVERSITY OF
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Daniel Felix Ritchie School
of Engineering & Computer Science

AWARDS & GRADUATION CELEBRATION

Friday, June 14, 2024

Elizabeth Eriksen Byron Theatre

Robert and Judi Newman Center for the Performing Arts

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WELCOME AND OPENING REMARKS

Dean Michelle Sabick, Ph.D.

STUDENT REFLECTION

Sunjoi Gandhi

RITCHIE SCHOOL AWARDS

Michelle Sabick, Ph.D.

Breigh Roszelle, Ph.D.

Dave Krennek, P.E.

Chris GauthierDickey, Ph.D.

Haluk Ogmen, Ph.D.

DOCTORAL HOODING RECOGNITION

Michelle Sabick, Ph.D.

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PLEDGE OF THE COMPUTING PROFESSIONAL

Chris GauthierDickey, Ph.D.

DATA SCIENCE, CYBERSECURITY, AND SYSTEMS ENGINEERING GRADUATE RECOGNITION

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CLOSING REMARKS

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RITCHIE SCHOOL AWARDS

Faculty Teacher of the Year

The Faculty Teacher of the Year Award is given to a tenured or tenure track faculty member, lecturer, or adjunct recognized by students and colleagues for excellence in teaching and incorporating innovative teaching methods to improve the learning experience of undergraduate and/or graduate students.

Faculty Scholar of the Year

The Faculty Scholar of the Year Award is given to a Ritchie School faculty researcher recognized by the Ritchie School community for creative work that has been impactful and enhanced the reputation of the school for scholarly activity.

Excellence in DEIJ

The Excellence in Diversity, Equity, Inclusion and Justice (DEIJ) Award is given to a member of the Ritchie School community for advancing our efforts to the school culturally diverse and reflective of inclusive excellence.

Citizen of the Year

The Citizen of the Year Award is given to a faculty member, graduating student, staff member, or alumnus for going above and beyond to enhance the perception and image of the Ritchie School to DU and to the greater community through community service, university committee work, and/or volunteer work.

Staff Member of the Year

The Staff Member of the Year Award is given to a staff member for work done beyond job requirements to improve the work environment and the general culture of the Ritchie School.

Graduate Student Scholar of the Year

The Graduate Student Scholar of the Year Award is given to an active Ritchie School graduate student for excellence in both the quality and productivity of research with an emphasis on publications and breakthrough research.

Graduate Teaching Assistant of the Year (Engineering)

The Graduate Teaching Assistant of the Year (Engineering) Award is given to an active Ritchie School graduate teaching assistant for excellence in fostering a strong learning environment and going beyond the general job requirements to improve the classroom teaching environment.

Graduate Teaching Assistant of the Year (Computer Science)

The Graduate Teaching Assistant of the Year (Computer Science) Award is given to an active Ritchie School graduate teaching assistant for excellence in fostering a strong learning environment and going beyond the general job requirements to improve the classroom teaching environment.



RITCHIE SCHOOL AWARDS

Undergraduate Student Scholar of the Year

The Undergraduate Student Scholar of the Year Award is given to an active Ritchie School undergraduate student for excellence in both the quality and productivity of research.

Colorado Engineering Council

Each year, three engineering students are nominated for the Colorado Engineering Council Silver Medal Award, one of the highest honors an engineering student at the University of Denver can receive.

Student Service

The Student Service Award is given to a graduating undergraduate or graduate student who has worked to impact the student experience at the Ritchie School.

KEEN Entrepreneurial Mindset of the Year

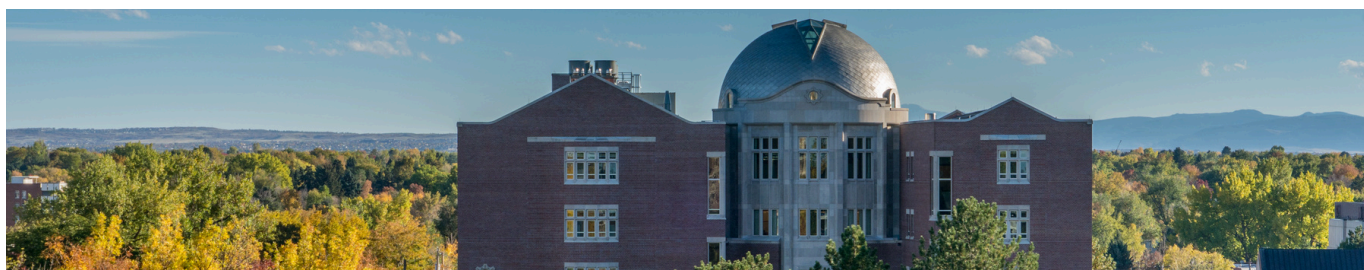
The KEEN Entrepreneurial Mindset of the Year Award is given to an engineering or computer science student demonstrating a passion for Innovation and the Entrepreneurial Mindset.

Departmental Awards

The Mechanical and Materials Science Engineering Department, the Electrical and Computer Engineering Department, and the Computer Science Department present awards each year.

Dean's Award

The Dean's Award recognize someone who did something special, but the recognition of their accomplishments do not fit into an award category.



DOCTORAL HOODING RECOGNITION

The Doctoral Hooding Recognition is a special acknowledgment for students receiving doctoral degrees. During the event, a faculty member speaks about the doctoral candidate's work and accomplishments, then places the doctoral hood over the head of the graduate, signifying the student's success in completing the doctoral program.

The following three doctoral candidates have selected to participate in this year's Doctoral Hooding Recognition:

Thor Andreassen

Dissertation: *Digital Twins of the Living Knee:
From Measurements to Model*

Advisor: Kevin Shelburne, Ph.D.

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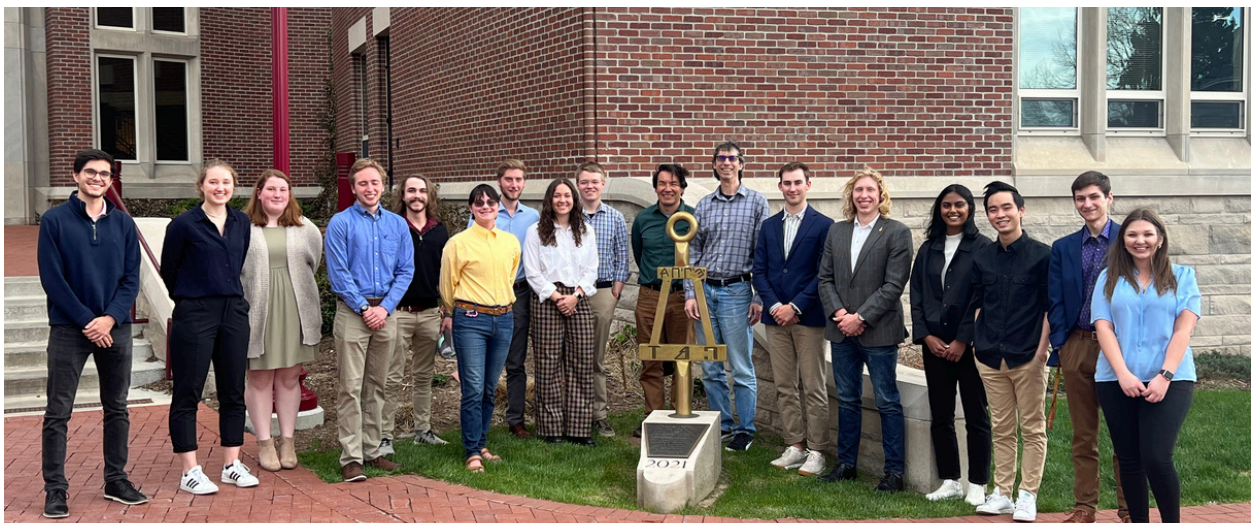
TAU BETA PI RECOGNITION

Tau Beta Pi is the oldest engineering honor society and the second oldest collegiate honor society in the United States. It honors engineering students who have shown a history of academic achievement as well as a commitment to personal and professional integrity.

Faculty Advisors: Matthew Gordon, Ph.D., Jason Roney, Ph.D.

Samuel Adams
Zachary Bayler
Madeline Bohn
Hannah Bosak
Milana Diaz
Stormy Hegg
Elliott Ische
Eric Jacobs

Clayton Mosher
Ella Ross
Steven Said
Noe Sheridan
Daniel Silva Rios
Darius Soo Hoo
Bryce Swearingen



GRAND CHALLENGES SCHOLARS PROGRAM

With a mission of advancing technical and scientific knowledge and capabilities to improve quality of life for our global society, the Ritchie School of Engineering and Computer Science is a natural fit for the Grand Challenges Scholar Program. The program is a unique opportunity for our students to gain the expertise, knowledge, and social, ethical and environmental awareness needed to become leaders in addressing the National Academy of Engineering's Grand Challenges.

Our students have the unique opportunity to work with a team of fellow Grand Challenges Scholars towards sustainability, security, health, and joy of living advancements while focusing on the five core Grand Challenges competencies.

- Talent Competency: mentored research/creative experience on a Grand Challenge-like topic
- Multidisciplinary Competency: understanding multidisciplinary of engineering systems solutions developed through personal engagement
- Viable Business/Entrepreneurship Competency: understanding, preferably developed through experience, of the necessity of a viable business model for solution implementation
- Multicultural Competency: understanding different cultures, preferably through multicultural experiences, to ensure cultural acceptance of proposed engineering solutions
- Social Consciousness Competency: understanding that engineering solutions should primarily serve people and society reflecting social consciousness

We extend our heartfelt congratulations to the following students for successfully completing the Grand Scholars Challenge Program at the Ritchie School of Engineering and Computer Science:

Zachary Bayler

Brooke Bernier

Stormy Hegg



ORDER OF THE ENGINEER

"Upholding devotion to the Standards and Dignity of the Engineering Profession"

The Order of the Engineer was initiated in the United States to foster a spirit of pride and responsibility in the engineering profession, to bridge the gap between training and experience, and to present to the public a visible symbol identifying the engineer. The Engineer's Ring in the United States is a stainless-steel ring, worn on the fifth finger of the working hand by engineers who have accepted the Obligation of an Engineer in a Ring Ceremony.

Obligation

I am an Engineer. In my profession, I take deep pride. To it, I owe solemn obligations.

As an Engineer, I pledge to practice integrity and fair dealing, tolerance and respect, and to uphold devotion to the standards and the dignity of my profession, conscious always that my skill carries with it the obligation to serve humanity by making the best use of Earth's precious wealth.

As an Engineer, I shall participate in none but honest enterprises. When needed, my skill and knowledge shall be given without reservation for the public good. In the performance of duty and in fidelity to my profession, I shall give the utmost.



PLEDGE OF THE COMPUTING PROFESSIONAL

"Intended to promote and recognize the ethical and moral behavior of graduates of computing-related degree programs as they transition to careers of service to society."

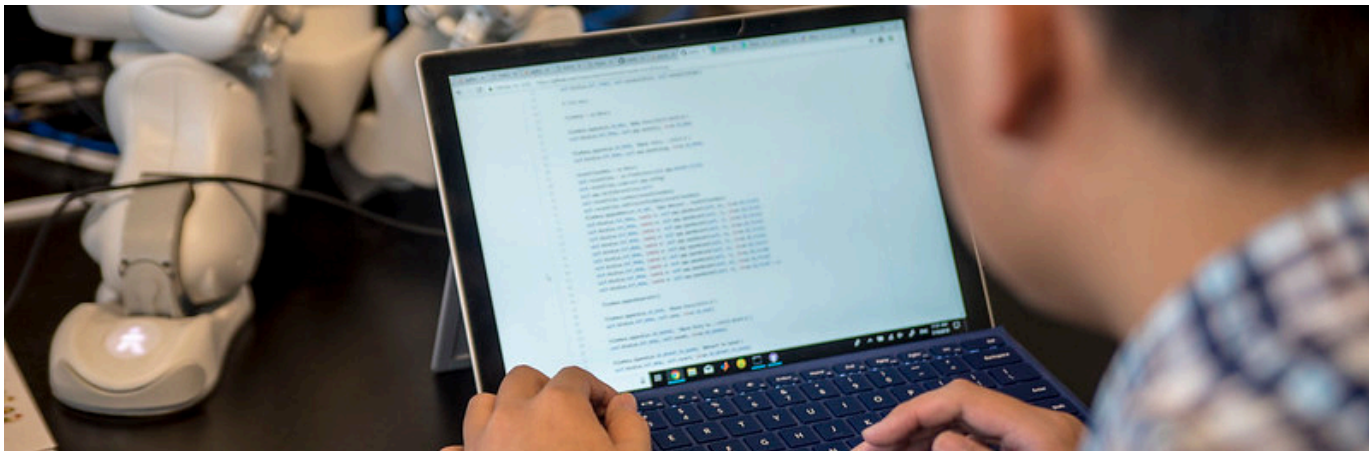
The Pledge of the Computing Professional is an organization to promote the notion of computing as a recognized profession at the time of graduation for students in Computer Science and related programs. The Pledge is modeled after the Order of the Engineer – a long-standing rite-of-passage for graduates from engineering programs.

Oath

I am a Computing Professional. My work as a Computing Professional affects people's lives, both now and into the future. As a result, I bear moral and ethical responsibilities to society.

As a Computing Professional, I pledge to practice my profession with the highest level of integrity and competence. I shall always use my skills for the public good. I shall be honest about my limitations, continuously seeking to improve my skills through life-long learning.

I shall engage only in honorable and upstanding endeavors. By my actions, I pledge to honor my chosen profession.





SPECIAL PROJECTS

2023-2024

ENGINEERING SENIOR DESIGN PROJECTS

Providing Accessible, In-Home Care with Parallel Bars

Team: Shooq Alasousi, Eric Jacobs, Oliver Nickel, Ana Vences
Sponsor: *Agile Orthopedics*

Peripheral IV Catheter Needle Tracking with Vein Visualization Technology

Team: Abdihalim Bihi, David Ki, Johnathan McHorse, Toby Werthan
Sponsor: *B-BRAUN*

Building Opportunities with Tactile Geometry

Team: Hannah Bosak, Ryan Choi, Savannah Palmer, Bryce Swearingen
Sponsor: *Blind Institute of Technology*

DU Mobility Solutions

Team: Ethan Burnett, Kevin Fuentes, Evan Hill, Clay Mosher, Evan Snell
Sponsor: *Craig Hospital*

Rugged and Ready: Data Recording in Extreme Environments

Team: Brooke Bernier, Phillip Chiem, Reagan Hardy, Brian Lee, Mason Niccoli
Sponsor: *daqscribe*

Beyond Electricity: A Peristaltic Wound Pump for Global Health Challenges

Team: Joseph Pham, Charlie Podiak, Bryan Sharp, Lucy Ward
Sponsor: *Design Outreach*

Optical Biosensor

Team: Hiroto Bauer, Alex Kondracki, Raul Medina-Estrada
Sponsor: *Dr. Sangho Bok*



ENGINEERING SENIOR DESIGN PROJECTS

DU Cyclorotor

Team: Anthony Delgado, Will Howhannesian, Michael Kahler, Eyobel Kahsay, Cade Thornton
Sponsor: *Ritchie School of Engineering and Computer Science (Electrical and Computer Engineering)*

Surfing into Sustainability

Team: Milana Diaz, Lukas Fisher, Ryan Pineda
Sponsor: *Matthew Taylor*

Underwater Autonomous Vehicle

Team: Avery Doss, Charlie Hancock, Eliot Howell, John Leseur, Ella Ross, Cole Schweitzer
Sponsor: *DU SRI, Unmanned Systems Research Institute*

Skin Mounted Sensors for Total Hip Replacement Cup Alignment

Team: Samuel Adams, Zach Bayler, Madeline Bohn, Connor McCoy, Josh Mejia
Sponsor: *Eventum Orthopaedics*

Quantifying Tension During Vertebral Body Tethering

Team: Mattie Hyde, Adam Page, Noe Sheridan, Dylan Yapp
Sponsor: *Highridge Medical*

LARRS – Lunar Astronaut & Rover Recovery System

Team: Ryan Considine, John Denfeld, Leonel Gomez Flores, Kelby Modene, Adam Nobs, Daniel Silva Rios
Sponsor: *Lockheed Martin*

Charcot Reconstruction Surgery: Osteotomy Guide

Team: Stormy Hegg, Elliott Ische, Steven Said
Sponsor: *Paragon 28*



COMPUTER SCIENCE SYMPOSIUM & RESEARCH PROJECTS

Exploring the Digital Romance Frontier:
Empowering Older Adults in Online
Dating While Understanding Their
Perceptions

Muskan Fatima

Rising Tides - Recreating an Interactive
Java Programming Assignment in
Python

George Kreye (Thesis)

Designing Safer and Easier Multi-MAV
Swarm Interfaces

Joe Ontiveros Rodriguez

Developing a Mastery Learning Service
for ASSISTments

Hector Rodriguez

NYKU: A Social Robot

Matthew Hessler

Using Webcam-Based Eye Tracking
to Model Attention with
Neurodivergent Learners

Demi Jaiyeola

Defensive Perimeters

Aaron Kraft

Social Robots- Attachment and
Embodiment

Weston Laity

Less can be More! Enhancing
Detection Performance of
Lightweight Models

Nidhi Madabhushi

Is Your Playlist Gender-Biased?

Sunny Shrestha

Brush-E Bot: Your Toothbrushing
Companion

Maisey Toczek



CLASS OF 2024

BACHELOR OF ARTS

Applied Computing

Jailene Lisset Castillo
Murphy Li
Kevin J. Lynch

Game Development

Fiona Kathleen Bolen
Adrian Dahvin Kum
Logan Donald Skaletski

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE

Computer Science

Nicolas Abelanet
Rula Ali Al-Saloom
Preston Davis Alexander
Nick Stephen Andrews
Ethan Blair
Mike Allan Blanding
Blake Robert Booker
Luke T. Brennan
Isabella Cardenas
Zack Chen
Salvo Cimmino
Eden Cohen
Rosalyn E. Conry
Max Leonard Conry
Neb E. Eguale
Julia Greta Matilda Ekholm
Will Boyd Emery
Steven Michael Flaxman
David Lee Foster
Sunjoi Gandhi
Spencer Harris Gee
Calvin Francis Geissler
Scott Zachary Goldin
Austin Michael Grant
Landon E. Hershey
Tanner Dean Hoalst
Ahmed A. Hussein
Cole Alexander Jansky
Bryan Jiron
Anabelle Elizabeth Johnson
Daniel Kanaracus

Alex Khun
Lucy K. Kien
Julia Ann Kip
Joe Michael Koss
George J. Kreye*
Riley Aaron Kristjanson
Justin Martin Lefkowitz
Hank August Lewis
Ian Patrick Madigan
Robel Anbessawendm Mamo
Brian Alexander McCulloch
John E. McGillivray
Chad William Monteith
Coleter Vance Mount
Sneha Atul Patil
Marcus Paz
Ren Pratt
Conor G. Quinlan
Ibraheem Uzair Qureshi
Adam Richardson
Nikki I. Roberts
Lukas Rodwin
German Rojo
Gloria J. Saidi
Ashley Carolina Sanchez
Aden Sattler
Hayden Erich Schramm
Sapar Shayan
Cass Mary Sherman
Timothy James Sheu
Antonio A. Sigala
Michelle Fanning Skibicki

Annika Joy Sonne
Cooper Rowe Standard
Rebecca Gail Jaeger Stockel
Maximilian Strizhenko
Maya Renee Suehnholz
Sabrina Xiamei Towne
Ajit Vallamkonda
Ladarion D. Wells
Kyle Ryan Whetstone
Keisuke Yoshida

Game Development

Walter Byron Bryant
Payton Mattes
Claire Elizabeth Roman
Josh D. Rosen

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BACHELOR OF SCIENCE

Computer Engineering

Shooq Alasousi
Madeline Claire Bohn
Ryan James Considine
Ryan Choi
Kevin Mauricio Fuentes
Evan Hill
David Ki
Alex I. Kondracki
John Hinson Leseur
Josh Mejia
Cade Michael Thornton
Toby Werthan
Xavier Zuvekas

Electrical Engineering

Zach Bayler* **
Ethan Adam Burnett
Emma Clason
Avery Doss
Leo Gomez
Reagan Emilee Hardy
Eric Andrew Jacobs
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Mechanical Engineering

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Eyobel Kahsay
Connor John McCoy
Jimmy Murphy McGlynn
Kelby Modene
Clay Mosher
Mason Christopher Niccoli
Oliver Edward Nickel
Adam B. Nobs
Adam Robert Page
Savannah E. Palmer
Joseph Pham
Ryan N. Pineda
Charlie Benjamin Podiak
Ella Katherine Ross
Steven Chad Said*
Bryan David Sharp
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Darius Akeakamai Soo Hoo
Ana Yadira Vences
Lucy Fobes Ward

MASTER OF SCIENCE

Bioengineering

Ola Alsaadi

Thesis: *Exploration of Motion Capture System to Investigate Human Shoulder Kinematics*

Advisor: Dean Michelle Sabick, Ph.D.

Kelsey Erin Brantley

Advisor: Dr. Peter Laz

Computer Engineering

Farida Far Poor

Thesis: *A Study on Multimodal AI for Mild Cognitive*

Impairment Detection

Advisor: Dr. Mohammad Mahoor

Behrouz Sohrabi

Thesis: *AI Applications in Electric Grid Modernization*

Advisor: Dr. Amin Khodaei

Computer Science

Max Leonard Conway

Ben Diu

Ben E. Dossett

Thesis: *Bridging Design and Perception: Novel Tools and Technologies for Creating Effective Human-Robot Interactions*

Advisor: Dr. Kerstin Haring

James Elofson

Jurgen Heinz Famula

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Aniekan Ufot Inyang

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Urvashi Kishnani

Thesis: *Ensuring Security, Privacy, and Usability of E-Payment Applications for the Elderly Population: A Comparative Study of Interface Design and Authentication Mechanisms*

Advisor: Dr. Sanchari Das

Cybersecurity

Jason Frederick Back

Amanda Nicole Brown Diaz del Castillo

Audrey Renee Dessauer

Maria Orms

Angelica Denise Shelman

Alex Manuel Sifuentes

Ori Abraham Miller

Thesis: *Exploring Human-aware Navigation with Heterogeneous Multi-robot Systems and Extreme Environments*

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Naheem Olasunkanmi Noah

Thesis: *A Proposal to Study Shoulder-Surfing Resistant Authentication for Mixed Reality*

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Brian Petty

Shahiq Qureshi

Thesis: *Evaluating the Effectiveness of Graph and Timeline-based Visualization Techniques for Search Engine Results: A Comparative Study*

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Thesis: *Investigating Privacy and Security Concerns of Older Adults in Telehealth Mental Healthcare Chatbots*

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Data Science

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Ahmed Al Ayoubi
Zayne Alsaif
Ginger Anderson*
Cazandra Aporbo
Uthayashankar Azhagiyaselvan Pollachi
Edmond Mwinbamon Balika
Logan Barger
Margaret Barker
Paulo Andres Stevens Barrera
Davin Barthold
Elizabeth Bob*
Brendon Bottle*
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Jacquelyn Renea Britton
Aaron C. Brommers
Lisa Diann Bryan
Moni Mownika Buddha
Peyton Capristo
Peer Cullum Carnes
Jehu B. Castellano
Grant Chandler
Connie Chang
Katie Chen
Ziqing Chen
Ben Citrin
Max Masinas Condong
Tori Copeland
Joel A. Corley
Matt J. Cuneo
Merihan Daniel
Michelle A. Davis
Antonio Dehesa Ortiz
Kapil Rameshbhai Desai
Kat Douglass
Adam Palmer Drew
Adriane Marie Farmer

Sammy Firestone
David Frances
Elizabeth B. Fugikawa*
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Alonna Guerrero
Hugh Robert Hall
Brian D. Hanson*
Lily Hartmann
Evan Thomas Hollier
Paul A. Homuth*
Yixuan Huang
Aaron Paul Hunsaker
Dan Jung*
Darina Kamikazi
Harlan Duane Kefalas
Kayla Kight
Margaret Anne King
Jeff Kirkpatrick
Dina Koes
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Corey Munk
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Elaine Ramos*
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Sanjay Sudheendra Rao
Bradley Robasky
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Sanjay Sanapoori
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Robert L. Silber
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Dave Sturgis
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William Tandio*
Edward Tang
Jake Scott Thoma

MASTER OF SCIENCE

Data Science (cont'd)

Ben Lee Thomas	Lee Alfred Washington
Spencer Tillman	Katrina Wheeler
Stuti Tiwari	Carlos Oscar Willis
Josef Marc Triman*	Ryan Wilson
Justin Uppal	Jessi M. Woods
Vivek Varadarajan	Moe Youan
Justin Vicars	Jimmy Zhang
Jackie Vogel	Laura Zipperian
James Vuillemot	Alexia Zupancic
Leo Walker	
Mitchell Walker	

Engineering with a Concentration in Engineering Management

Andy Van Avery
Advisor: Dr. Paul Rullkoetter

Electrical Engineering

Mahdi HNM Abdullah
Advisor: Dr. David Gao

Diba Ehsani
Thesis: *Quantum-Powered Battery Scheduling in Modern Distribution Grids*
Advisor: Dr. Amin Khodaei

Osama Mohammed A. Zangoti
Thesis: *Incremental Quantities Based Permissive Overreaching Transfer Trip Scheme for Protecting Inverter-Based Renewable Resources*
Advisor: Dr. Rui Fan

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Miles W. Alldritt

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Adam Jerlow

Griffith Kull

Jacob Laidlaw

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Sean Higinbotham

Dissertation: *Determinants of Knee Motion in Health, Disease, and Repair*

Advisor: Dr. Kevin Shelburne

Kingsford Koranteng

Dissertation: *Thermo-Mechanical Instabilities in Next-Generation Friction Materials in High-Speed Sliding Systems*

Advisor: Dr. Yun-Bo Yi

Chase Ryan Maag

Advisor: Dr. Paul Rullkoetter

Yizhan Zhang

Dissertation: *Molecular Dynamics Study of Characterization in Metal-Free Friction Materials*

Advisor: Dr. Yun-Bo Yi



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