

## Fall 2020 Commencement

Texas A&M University-Commerce

#### **GRADUATE CEREMONY**

**Doctoral and Masters** 

Friday, December 11, 2020

#### **UNDERGRADUATE CEREMONIES**

Saturday, December 12, 2020

College of Agricultural Sciences & Natural Resources
College of Business
College of Education & Human Services
College of Humanities, Social Sciences & Arts
College of Innovation & Design
College of Science & Engineering

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Texas A&M University-Commerce Regents Professors:
Augustine Arize, Professor of Economics & Finance
Julia Ballenger, Professor of Educational Leadership
Betty Block, Professor of Health & Human Performance
Ben Jang, Professor of Chemistry
Bao-An Li, Professor of Physics & Astronomy
Srinivas Nippani, Professor of Economics & Finance
Mildred Golden Pryor, Professor of Management
Sang Suh, Professor of Computer Science

Texas A&M University-Commerce Mayo Professors: David Brown, Professor of Early Childhood Education Mildred Golden Pryor, Professor of Management Name Announcers:

Katie London, Alumna/Radio Announcer Fred Fuentes, Executive Director, Office of Latinx Engagement & Outreach

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Paige Bussell, Chair; Gary Coe, Ray Dittrich, Rhonda Ferguson, Robert Goodwin, Kimberly Green, Raymond Green, Russ Gregg, Mason Little, Robert McWhorter, Conner Moreno, Derryle Peace, Eddie Pinkcard, Amy Sims

#### John Sharp, M.P.A. Chancellor, The Texas A&M University System

John Sharp was appointed chancellor of The Texas A&M University System by the Board of Regents on September 6, 2011. As chancellor, Sharp leads one of the nation's largest university systems, which has an annual budget of \$6.3 billion. Enrollment at the A&M System's 11 universities and health science center has grown to more than 151,000, and externally funded research expenditures are in excess of \$1 billion.

Sharp brings with him more than three decades of public service. He came to the A&M System from Ryan & Company, where he was a principal with the largest state and local tax consulting firm of its kind in Texas. He earned a Bachelor of Arts degree in political science from Texas A&M University in



1972, where he was a member of the Corps staff of the Corps of Cadets and was elected student body president. Upon graduation, he was commissioned as a second lieutenant in the United States Army Reserves. He belongs to American Legion.

In 1976, Sharp received a master's degree in public administration from Southwest Texas State University while working full-time with the Legislative Budget Board in Austin. In 1978, he opened a one-man real estate firm in Victoria, Texas, and became a successful small business owner.

That same year he was elected to the Texas House of Representatives and was named "Outstanding Freshman" by Texas Monthly. He won a seat in the Texas Senate in 1982, where he served on the powerful Senate Finance Committee, and was elected to the Texas Railroad Commission in 1986.

Sharp was elected state comptroller in 1990 and re-elected in 1994. When he took office, he quickly began working to fulfill his pledge to "make government work more like our most successful businesses." Eight years later, he reinvented Texas state government and turned it into a high-quality, low-cost customer service operation that has saved taxpayers billions, helped avert a state income tax and served as a model around the world.

#### Dr. Mark Rudin, President, Texas A&M University-Commerce

Dr. Mark Rudin was appointed President of Texas A&M University-Commerce by The Texas A&M University System Board of Regents on August 16, 2018. Dr. Rudin has a Bachelor of General Health Science (1983), Master of Science in Health Physics (1985), and Doctor of Philosophy in Medicinal Chemistry with a Concentration in Health Physics (1989) from Purdue University.

Student success, expanded research, and economic development are among Dr. Rudin's top priorities as President. His vision for A&M-Commerce includes adapting traditional models to meet the needs of all students and providing skills development in preparation for post-graduation employment.

Prior to assuming the presidency at A&M-Commerce, Dr. Rudin served as the Vice President for Research and Economic Development at Boise State University.

During his eleven-year tenure at Boise State, he played a central role in expanding research activity and developing collaborative partnerships with both public and private entities.

Dr. Rudin previously served at the University of Nevada, Las Vegas in a variety of administrative roles before being named Interim Vice President for Research and Graduate Dean. He also served as a Technical/Administrative Assistant with the U.S. Department of Energy and as a Senior Program Specialist/Project Engineer with EG&G Idaho, Inc. Dr. Rudin's career in education began in Idaho where he served as an instructor in the Department of Health Physics at Idaho State University.



## **Candidates for Graduate Degrees** Doctoral Degrees - Friday, December 11, 2020

Acosta, Inelda, EdD

BS, Baylor University, 1999 MEd, The University of Texas at Arlington, 2008

Dissertation: Administrators' Assessment of Bilingual Teachers' Fidelity

and Implementation of Bilingual Instructional Models

Major: Educational Administration

Dr. Ava Muñoz Major Advisor:

Basham, James Howard, PhD

BA, Northeastern State University, 1998

MA, Dallas Baptist University, 2002

The Impact of the Influences, Goals, and Priorities School Dissertation:

Truancy Intervention on Students' Motivation, Commitment,

and Goal Orientation

Counselor Education and Supervision Major:

Major Advisor: Dr. Michael Schmit

Brummett, Jordan Jeffrey, PhD
BS, Oklahoma State University, 2006

MS, Texas A&M University-Commerce, 2013 Clarifying the Definitional Boundaries and Essential Dissertation:

Characteristics of Effective Home-Based Counseling:

Counselor Education and Supervision Major:

Major Advisor: Dr. Linda Ball

Calderaro, Lauren Marie, EdD

BBA, University of Houston, 1989

MEd, Lamar University, 2009
The Lived Experiences of Veteran Career and Technical
Education Teachers at a Specialized Career High School Dissertation:

Regarding Student Career Readiness

Educational Administration Major:

Major Advisor: Dr. Ray Thompson

Carmody, Shannon T., EdD

BS, Abilene Christian University, 1995

MEd, Regis University, 2010

Dissertation: Reinventing Technology Professional Development: A Case

Study Examining Perspectives of Veteran Secondary Teachers

Supervision, Curriculum, and Instruction Major:

Dr. Sherri Colby Major Advisor:

Caskey, Judith Ann, EdD

BA, Baylor University, 1969

MS, Baylor University, 1970

How Sole Rural Elementary Principals Use Distributed Dissertation:

Leadership Practices to Build Capacity of Teacher Leaders:

An Interpretive Qualitative Study

**Educational Administration** 

Major Advisor: Dr. Julia Ballenger

Clark, Kara A., EdD

BA, Texas A&M University, 2006

MEd, Lamar University, 2011 Should I Stay or Should I Go? The Influencing Factors Dissertation:

Determining Teacher Retention at Quinlan ISD Educational Administration

Major:

Major Advisor: Dr. Ray Thompson

Cotton-Royal, Lorry Varonica, PhD

BS, Texas A&M University-Commerce, 1992

MS, Texas A&M University-Commerce, 1998 Rural School Counselor Professional Learning Community: Perceptions and Perceived Impact on Professional Identity Dissertation:

Counselor Education and Supervision

Major Advisor: Dr. Chester Robinson

El Khatib, Nabiha, PhD

Major:

BA, Lebanese University, 2010 BA, Lebanese University, 2015

MA, Lebanese University, 2015

Multimodal Processing of Humorous Tweets

Major:

Dissertation:

Major Advisor: Dr. Salvatore Attardo Fish, Matthew C., PhD

BA, North Central University, 2009 MA, Dallas Theological Seminary, 2013

Dissertation: Exploring Counselor Perceptions of Stress and Burnout

When Working With Children of High Conflict Divorce:

Implications for Training

Counseling Major: Major Advisor: Dr. Erika Schmit

Fuentes, Mayra L., EdD

Major:

BBA, The University of Texas at Arlington, 2006

MEd, Dallas Baptist University, 2010

Motivational Influences of First Generation Latinas Dissertation: When Enrolling and Staying in Community College

Higher Education

Major Advisor: Dr. Sarah Rodriguez

Garcia-Jacinto, Israel, EdD JD, Universidad Iberoamericana, 2005

MEd, Lamar University, 2011

Dissertation: Principals' Perceptions Ábout a New System of District Core Values

Educational Administration Major:

Major Advisor: Dr. Ava Muñoz

Gist, Megan Jeanne, EdD

BA, Northwestern State University of Louisiana, 1998

MEd, Texas A&M University-Commerce, 2004

Dissertation: Beginning Teacher Perception of Campus and District

Onboarding Practices in a Fast-Growth Texas School District Educational Administration Major:

Major Advisor: Dr. Melissa Arrambide

Haggerty, Veronica Rochelle, EdD

BS, East Texas Baptist University, 2003

MEd, The University of Texas at Arlington, 2011

Dissertation:

Teacher Perceptions for a Successful Student Transition From Junior High to High School at an Urban North Texas Public

School District: A Narrative Inquiry

**Educational Administration** Major:

Major Advisor: Dr. Nathan Templeton

Hill, Sylvia, PhD

BA, University of Maryland University College, 1991

MA, Regis University, 2005

A Phenomenological Inquiry into the Lived Experiences of Dissertation:

Persons Diagnosed with Dissociative Identity Disorder

Major: Counseling Major Advisor: Dr. Linda Ball

Hope, Amber, EdD

BS, Texas A&M University-Commerce, 2007

MEd, Concordia University, 2011

Parent Perspectives of Parental Involvement and Barriers at the Middle and Elementary Levels in a Suburban School District: Dissertation:

A Multiple Regression Quantitative Study Educational Administration

Major:

Major Advisor: Dr. Julia Ballenger

Jackson, Jericah, EdD

BS, Baylor University, 2002

MEd, Sam Houston State University, 2010

How School Administrators Use Teacher Effectiveness Data to Dissertation:

Build Teacher Capacity: An Interpretive Qualitative Study

Educational Administration Major:

Major Advisor: Dr. Julia Ballenger

Jones, Alton Derek, PhD

BA, University of Mary Hardin-Baylor, 1997

MDiv, Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary, 2002

Dissertation: Environmental Jeremiad: Western Writers' Reconfiguration

of the American Jeremiad

Major: **Énglish** 

Major Advisor: Dr. Karen Roggenkamp

King, Tiffanie Nicole, EdD

BS, University of Houston, 2003

MS, Tarleton State University, 2008 Dissertation:

Principals' Perceptions of a District-Developed Grow Your Own Principal Preparation Program: A Q Methodology Study

Educational Administration Major:

Major Advisor: Dr. Ava Muñoz

Knox, Natalie M., PhD

BS, Texas State University, 2013

MA, St. Edward's University, 2016 Self-Harm: A Consideration of Predictive Factors Dissertation:

Counselor Education and Supervision Major:

Major Advisor: Dr. LaVelle Hendricks

Looney, Lolita Renee, EdD

BS, The University of Texas at Arlington, 1999

MEd, University of North Texas, 2009 The Critical Conditions, Leadership Modes, and Specific Dissertation:

Essential Actions Described as Necessary by Effective Secondary

School Principals Who Have Achieved Improvement: A Narrative Inquiry

Educational Administration Major: Dr. Nathan Templeton Major Advisor:

Martin-Walker, Alyssa Danielle, EdD

BS, The University of Louisiana at Monroe, 2014 MEd, The University of Louisiana at Monroe, 2015

Perceptions of Nutrition and Academic Performance in Dissertation:

College Freshman: A Phenomenological Qualitative Study

Higher Education Major: Major Advisor: Dr. Katie Koo

McCasland, David S., EdD

BSOE, Wayland Baptist University, 1994 MEd, Dallas Baptist University, 2001 MEd, Dallas Baptist University, 2009

Examining if a Character Education Program Would Reduce Cheating and Plagiarism in Higher Education Dissertation:

Higher Education Major: Major Advisor: Dr. Madeline Justice

Minyard, Sally Jane, PhD

BA, Dallas Baptist University, 2010 MA, Dallas Baptist University, 2014 MEd, Dallas Baptist University, 2014
Between Discord and Progress: Suffrage Periodicals

Dissertation:

and the Woman's Rights Movement, 1869-1890

Major: English

Dr. Karen Roggenkamp Major Advisor:

Miramontes-Eldredge, Dana L., EdD BAAS, University of North Texas, 1992 MEd, University of North Texas, 1995

Dissertation:

College- and Career-Ready: The Effect of Career and Technical Education on College Readiness as Demonstrated

By Performance on the SAT **Educational Administration** 

Major: Dr. Ray Thompson

Major Advisor:

Moore, Marianella Silva, EdD

BS, Inca Garcilazo De La Vega University, 1990 MEd, Stephen F. Austin State University, 1998 MEd, Texas A&M University-Texarkana, 2004

MA, Texas A&M University, 2005 What Leadership Practices Do Principals of Dissertation:

Elementary Campuses Feel Influence Bilingual Programs?

Educational Administration Major:

Major Advisor: Dr. Ava Muñoz

Morrison, Sarah Elizabeth, EdD

Dissertation:

BA, Southeastern Oklahoma State University, 2009 MEd, Southeastern Oklahoma State University, 2015

Secondary Principal Leadership and the Impact on

Engaging Hands-On Learning Strategies

Major: Educational Administration

Dr. Ray Thompson Major Advisor:

Ndomahina, Reuben Kinie, PhD

BS, Northwest Missouri State University, 1986 MBA, Texas A&M University-Commerce, 1992 MS, Texas A&M University-Commerce, 2012

Dissertation:

Exploring How West African Immigrant Parents' Acculturation Attitude and Lived Experiences Influence Their Second-Generation Adult Children's Use of Counseling and Guidance

Services: A Transcendental Phenomenological Study Counselor Education and Supervision

Major: Major Advisor: Dr. Amir Abbassi

Orr-Hogg, Sandra, EdD

BBA, University of North Texas, 1986

MS, Texas A&M University-Commerce, 2006

Dissertation: Teachers' Perceptions of the RTI Process in Elementary School

Supervision, Curriculum, and Instruction Major:

Major Advisor: Dr. Sherri Colby

Otubanjo, Oluwaseun Mandela, PhD

BS, The University of Texas at Arlington, 2011

MS, University of Phoenix, 2013 MBA, Tarleton State University, 2015

MS, Texas A&M University-Commerce, 2019 Do Majority Group Members Experience the Minority

Dissertation: Spotlight Effect?

Éducational Psychology Major: Major Advisor: Dr. DeMarquis Hayes

Perry, Shawn Stephen, EdD

BS. Midwestern State University, 2001 MEd, University of North Texas, 2007

Principal Leadership Beliefs: Grit and Principals' Sense Dissertation:

of Self-Efficacy

Educational Administration Major:

Dr. Ray Thompson Major Advisor:

Proctor, Angela Marie, PhD

BA, Harding University, 1997 MS, Harding University, 1999

Dissertation: Using Follow-Up Coaching to Increase Self-Efficacy in

Foster and Adoptive Parents Using Trauma-Informed

Approaches With Their Children

Educational Psychology Major: Major Advisor: Dr. Kelly Carrero

Ready, Zelmarian Daniels, EdD

BS, Alcorn State University, 1983 MS, Alcorn State University, 1989

An Analysis of District Tardy Policies for Schools From a Dissertation:

2019 Texas Education Agency Campus Comparison Group

Educational Administration Major: Major Advisor: Dr. Melissa Arrambide

Stutler-Spurlock, John David, EdD

BA, Marshall University, 1993 MA, Marshall University, 1999

MA, The University of Texas at Arlington, 2009

MA, Texas A&M University-Commerce, 2015 Instructors' Self-Perception of Teaching Effectiveness in Dual Credit English 1301: An Opportunity for Reflection and Growth Dissertation:

Major: Higher Education

Major Advisor: Dr. JoHyun Kim

Talat, Madiha, EdD

BS, Indiana University, 2006

MEd, University of Georgia, 2011

A Comparative Analysis of School Board Members' and Dissertation: School Principals' Perceptions of Islamic School Board

Effectiveness in the United States of America

Educational Administration Major:

Major Advisor: Dr. Ray Thompson

Thomas-Lewis, Nicole A., EdD

BBA, Cleveland State University, 2006

MA, Texas A&M University-San Antonio, 2013 Leadership in High-Poverty Schools in Districts of

Dissertation: Innovation: Principals' Perspectives

Educational Administration Major: Dr. Kriss Kemp-Graham Major Advisor:

Whitley, Sandra Hawk, EdD

BS, The University of Texas at Dallas, 1987

MEd, Texas A&M University-Commerce, 2003 Dissertation: An Exploration of Campus Administrators' Perceived Self-

Efficacy in Conducting Instructional Feedback Conferences

with Teachers After Practicing with Virtual Reality

Educational Administration

Major: Major Advisor: Dr. Melissa Arrambide

Wichman, Laura E., EdD

BS, Tarleton State University, 2009 MS, Tarleton State University, 2012

Dissertation: Phenomenological Study of First Term to Second Term

Persistence of First Time in College Community College Students

Higher Education Major: Major Advisor: Dr. Dimitra Smith Wilson, Joy R., EdD

BA, The University of Texas at Arlington, 2002 MBEd, Southern Methodist University, 2008 MEd, The University of Texas at Arlington, 2011

Sustaining Learning and Leading in a K-8 Charter School Setting Using Collaborative Structures Dissertation:

Educational Administration Major:

Major Advisor: Dr. Julia Ballenger

## Specialist in School Psychology - Friday, December 11, 2020

Lacy Lea Noey

Isabel Santiago



### Master Degrees - Friday, December 11, 2020

Cassie Lynne Abbott Nina H. Abdelzaher Callie E. Abing Alyssa Hickox Abney Zachary Ryan Adams Avodele O. Adenugba Shishir Adhikari

Madhava Rama Subbarayudu Adigopula

Tolulope Vivian Akinola

Patricia Alaniz Mir Asad Ali Heba M. Alsaid

Dominique Ann Alvarado

Sarah E. Aly Anahy Amador ♥ Scott D. Ames Sai Tharun Amirineni Jasmine F. Anderson Vanessa Magali Andrade Sai Chaitanya Annapureddy Joshua Randall Arey Amy Roshan Arianpour Anthony Breyard Armstrong

Angie Denise Arsola Natosha L. Attaway Fabrice Attoungbre Alvssa Ann Auringer William Andrew Austin

Jacie B. Arnold

Oram Mohammed Azzuobi

Arielle L. Bailey Christopher W. Baker Nadia Ballarin Akanksha Banskota Jill Susanne Barnes Joseph William Barnett Blanche Crystelle Baron Dhiraj Man Singh Basnet

Audrey Anne Bass Samira Baten Jesse Batres Emily Kathryn Bauer Taryn N. Bazhaw Tammie Rae Bellotte Jessica Sheree Benford Ashli Nichole Bennett Amy E. Bermudez Kiranmai Bethamcherla

Andria S. Biggs

Erik Alfred Blakeslee Michaela Rene Bledsoe 🐿 Tasha Lee Blumenberg Todd Michael Bohannon Justin Robert Bolton Shelby Booker Furkan Borak Bonnie Lea Boshears Nicholas Craig Bowker Megan Marie Boyd-Robertson Christopher Darren Boyer

Jessica Breda Derrek Anthony Breeden

Breeana S. Bridges Frankie Broadstreet Benjamin Ross Brooks Audrey C. Brosz Jessica Johnson Brown **Justice Ann Brown** Mariah Denise Brown Maureen Dana Brown Sandy F. Brown

Samantha A. Browning Kimberly Ann Budnick Marlene Buenrostro John Casey Burkhardt

Spiwe Bushe Bryan W. Butler

Johana M. Cardenas Arciniegas Ellisha M. Caron

Lydia Marcella Carrascosa

Leigh A. Carver Nina Castro Lucero Erica Chapa Mrudula Cheguri Lyndsey Sue Cherry Stephanie Nicole Childers Odili P. Chukwuemeka Janet Chung

Douglas Bryant Cimino Karen M. Clark Tegan K. Clark

Wesley Don Cohoon Natasha Cole Andrew Rolando Collazo

Coleen M. Compton

Jordan T. Conley Arian K. Alford Mireya Lorena Contreras Samantha Alyss Cooper

Rachel Nicole Copeland Trezjon C. Cothran Kassi Shalayne Craig Silman Celeste Ivon Crispin Aaron J. Crochet Tomika T. Crosby Tiffany Renee Crossland Leah Ćrossno

Jason Peter Crowell Hector A. Cruz Kati L. Culpepper

Timothy Mark Cunningham Briya Rénise Dancer Raymond J. Daniel Mason Charles Darien Sanjit Kumar Das Teeny Das

Carolyn Marie Daugherty Amanda N. Dawson Samantha J. Deaton Lindsav Marie Deen Evelina Deleanu Keiara S. Denman Machaella A. Dennis Chirag Desai Prem Kumar Devandla

Eunice Asieduwaa Diabour Jasmine A. Dirks

April Nicole Dodd Radhakrishna Dodla Yusuf Dogan

Brandi Kelly Domkowski Jessica Leigh Donoho Ashley Christine Donovan Jessica Dorantes

Natalia Dostinova Brinley Alona Dougalas Kelly Éileen Doyle Leisha Yvonne Dupree Sarah Dupree Joachim Josiah Dupuis

Olivia Dyck Frederick Magana Echesa

Verlisa Edmond-Graham Billy Brett Eldridge Ebinehita Elimian Teresa Mary Enoch Yusuf Eren Laurie J. Ertle Johnny Espinoza

Catrina Hall Esters Cortland Suzanne Esters Brittany Danielle Estrada Jacquetta L. Etheridge Christina D'Nese Evans Lance N. Farmer Robert J. Farrar Megen Linda Farriell Briceida Fernandez Ashley Olivia Fields Courtney A. Fields Joan Butler Fields Erika A. Fierst Tammy Lyn Finney Trishun Bond Fitzgerald Joana Flores

Laura Flores Amanda Marie Floyd Kennedi R. Foreman Stephanie M. Franklin Cassie L. Fuller Maria Rosario Galicia Eliezer I. Galo Rubisel Galvan Nikhitha Ganneboina Ashley Nicole Garcia Gisela Victoria Garcia Robyn M. Garcia Sara Garnett Emily Audrey Geiszler

Glyco George Mychal-Alex Gibbs Aaron Keith Gibson Caylin L. Gibson Devin L. Giles Ramneetpreet Kaur Gill Kristen Heileman Golla

Kasau Gomes Angelica P. Gomez Zuzi Elisabet Gomez Christian Gonzalez

Sandeep Kumar Reddy Gouni Matthew T. Grantz

Tobias D. Gray Beatriz Andrea Greenfield

Arneshia S. Grice Deborah Marie Grigsby Tara Suzanne Guerra Sowmya Gujjeti

Global Scholars/Learners

#### Master Degrees (continued)

Iris Lizbeth Gutierrez Amerti Gutu Heather A. Haas Tala Habbal Justin M. Hall Candice Rae Hardin Chanel F. Hardy Crystal J. Harrelson Sharon Rose Harris William H. Harris William H. Harris Shirly Sofia Hart Jacqueline S. Harty Hussam Eddin Hasan Seyed Mohammad Hashemi Beth Samuel Hastings Rory Tyler Hayford Ivy Haygood Matthew N. Haynes Lisa A. Heath Jonathan Dee Heer Anita Marie Helge Chawon Y. Hendricks Joseph LeCoy Herman II Bianca Cristine Hernandez Carlos Hernandez Heather Esther-Claire Hernandez Maria Trinidad Hernandez Jordan Heusinkveld Emelia E. Heysquierdo Laura Hermansen Hickl Kevin Wayne Hicks Lynetria L. High Ćhristopher P. Hill Steven Bruce Hill Jacqueline Ho Shelby M. Hoffmaster Justin Lee Hogan Nichole S. Hoggatt Eric Michael Hollas Meghan Kathleen Homan Sharon Howard Dovlet Hudayberdiyev Christen R. Hulland Angela S. Hunter Elizabeth Anne Hyatt Ogagaoghene Ibagere Ayobami Babajide Ilesanmi Melinda Diané Innis Hussien K. Jabai Alana M. Jackson Myeshia Manai Jackson Leslie A. Jaeger Tabitha P. James Kimberly Marie Jameson Kevin Christopher Jenkins Andrew S. Johnson Bethany Ann Jones Julie F. Jones Keith Valon Jones Stacy Jerome Jones Kassandra Marie Kaiser Vamsi Mallikarjuna Kalakuntla Vannessa Elexus Kantaphone Binod Karki Uttam Karki Shyam Sashank Karri Kashif P. Kashmiri Katie Katzenmaier Sravani Kaviti Julinda Kazazi Karie Lynn Kearney Shanna D. Kelly Dustin Taylor Kemp Alison Elizabeth Kilman Yun H. Kim Artisha Kimble Angela Lynn King Mitcheeko Tuere King Que'Shea D. King James T. Kinsey

Kaylee Raye Kipp Carrie Jane Kirkham Larisa Éllen Kliman Veronica M. Knight Bauza G. Kore Louis-Alexandre Roland Kouebi Lochana Reddy Koyya Jamarcus Gilbert Lacy Devante Deshun Lampkin James C. Lane Jacob A. Lawler Emily K. Lawrence Patrick R. Lawson Leilani P. Lealaimatafao Maurice D. Lee Taeler Jorden Leon Sarah Elizabeth Page Letterman Nai Li Brittani Parker Lindstrom Yan Liu Zhicheng Liu Paige Bennett Lock Susana M. Loera Alison Riley Lohrmann Jema Lopez Lomas Maria Hilda Lopez Zachary Martin Loveless Matthew D. Luman Deborah K. Lynch Alissa D. Lyon Brandon Járrell Mabry Erika Macias Matthew Paul Mackenzie Macon Andrew Magno Rishabh Mahajan Imesh Kumar Mahato Christopher Michael Mahler Afia Mahmuda Yvonne Marcos Monali Raj Marla Marie Victoria Martin Andrea Juanita Martinez Zulema Martinez Joseph Matthew Massey Luz Elizabeth Mata Medina Steven Joseph Mathai Kylie Lane Mathews Kathryn Serice McCracken Teresa Marie McDonough Lauren Lee McLaughlin Jackie McMinn Morgan Taylor McNatt Myka Kaye McPherson Martin G. Melchor Audrey Michelle Mendoza Alexia K. Mentzel Lauren Nicole Meyers Audrey A. Michaels Makayla P. Millbrook ♥ James V. Mills Jennifer Carolyn Minter Kristian Roxann Mireles Tajuddin Mohammad Andrew J. Montez Melyna Elizabeth Montoya Pamela Gail Moore Lisa Marie Moorehead Christine Michelle Morale Jones Patricia Alejandra Moran Carmello Moreno Destiny R. Morris Madeleine C. Morris Lee Alan Morrow Juquaya T. Moss Sean Christopher Munger Anupama Muppaneni Tiara L. Murdock Jennifer N. Murnan Thayer Albrecht Murphy Kaitlin Fox Murray Kristina L. Musachia

Consolata Mutuku Byron J. Myles Tiffany N. Mynatt Jida Nabulsi Fumiya Nakamura Bonnye Lynn Nance Erin M. Nashed Renata Natarajan Robert Navarro Brenna Leigh Neal Brantlee Paige Neff Sowmini Nekkanti Stephen Ty Neumann Trinh Bryan Phuc Nguyen Jasna Noble Landon S. Nordin Raejean J. Noschese Angela Rose Noto Tyme Chidi Nwaugha Beatrice A. Nyabera Kobi R. Oakes Yannick Ayukegba Obara Kara Gayle Obrien Kabiru Áina Ogunbiyi Loy Robert O'Kelley Robert Onyekachi Okoronkwo Veronica S. Olvera Sheeva Olyaie Cyriacus Ńnamdi Onuigbo Yaritza Ortiz Sarah Elizabeth O'Shaughnessy Sisha L. Palacio Sabin Pandey Arazely Paramo Liliana Paredes Katie M. Parson Naveema Parveen Sophia I. Pazmino Carmen Cecilia Pena 🛭 Felipe Perez Julia Ann Alexia Perez Martha S. Perez Katy Yajaira Perez Hernandez Vishruth Perla Leah K. Peters Jesse C. Peterson Amy Petrawski Andrea Petrovic Morgan Danielle Phelps Holly Michelle Pierce Ashlyn Brianne Pigg Aquila Angel Pilli Nathan Pineda Misan K. Pokharel Amberly E. Poland William Charles Posey Mayur Sanjay Potdar D'Quavian Jaquarus Powell Dustin D. Powell Kranti Prasain Jennifer R. Quinn Daisy Quintanilla Dennise Quintanilla Tyler J. Raine America Terrazas Rainey Suresh N. Raman Priscilla J. Ramirez Miriam F. Rangel Logan Marie Rattan Broderick Dayshun Reeves Jessica Sha-Rone Reyes Randy Juan Reynolds, Jr. Aimee A. Rich Sarah Jessica Riley Stephanie Lanier Ringgold Qanteria Necole Roberson Aide J. Rocha Ashton H. Rodriguez Amanda R. Romero

Jessica Rosario-Valentin

Jennifer S. Ross

Linda Ross Bryan A. Rowland Charlotte Lanette Rowland Jaire Ami Ruffin Garrett T. Rushing Fredrick Andrews Samuel Aaron Michael Sanchez Mary J. Sanchez Douglas A Santeramo Amy Lee Santiago Quinones Shannon L. Saruwatashi Nathan Alin Scarcelli Susan Leih Schlarmann® Amin Schouman Jennifer Anne Schumann Nicholas Ian Scott Paris D. Scott Cody Don Seago Whit Thomas Seaton Morganne Elizabeth Senders Gladys Jepchirchir Serem Anna Marie Sewell Shoal Michael Sharrock Natalie M. Shellenberger Shelby Lenea Shelton Alex R. Shillow Romas Shrestha Liliana Silva Nancy Silva Martha Gabriela Silva Rivera Lindsay Nicole Simmons Jada Simone Singleton Misty D. Sisemore Richard E. Smith Hillary D. Snider Brandon Joseph Snyder Lilly A. Soto Lamphet Sounthapanya Valerie Lisa Southivong Joy Jamari Spann Sravya Giridhar Srikaram Joshua J. Stanley Megan Leanne Stensland Denise Noreen Stevens Jillian Shaye Stevens Craig Stevenson Joseph David Stiles Shondon Lashon Stoker Bryan Anthony Stromberg Mohanapriya Subramanian Amanda Nicole Summerlin Peter Richard Sutherland Theresa Aimee Anyce Sweeden Sarah Leann Tadesse Amy Marie Taggart Isabel C. Talley Felicia Lorraine Tamez Andy Ee Huan Tan Brian Earl Taylor Heather D. Taylor Macie Michelle Taylor William Benjamin Terry Isaac V. Thomas Quenesha Q. Thomas Jennifer G. Thompson Portia J. Thompson Marketta R. Timmons Carla Andrea Toledo Hailey M. Tramel Ashley Lynn Trammell Cam Vo Ngoc Tran Cat Tran Dowhin Maria Guadalupe Trevino Heather Jeanine Tull Alisha Denise Turner Sai Narasimha Anurag Vadarevu Calvin Scott Vanhuss Lynette Michele Varrassi Tessa Allison Vasquez Tambela Sharmaine Vaughn

#### Master Degrees (continued)

Rama Krishna Reddy Vemireddy Vivek Venugopal Charles M. Vergeldedios Caron J. Vinson Tanner Antonio Volpe Charles Bradford Voss Celia Anne Walding Scott Andrew Walker Claudia Patricia Wallace Renee Christine Wallace Jenny Walstrom

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The Honors College at Texas A&M University-Commerce is a learning community of students that strive to gain a better understanding of the world around them and of themselves. Honors College students challenge themselves through completion of an interdisciplinary honors curriculum, housing in a residential community, and service to the community. The Honors College experience culminates in the completion and successful defense of an honors thesis led by esteemed faculty.



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Haley Marie Marshall

Bachelor of Science with Honors

Thesis: An Assessment of the Thoroughbred Racing Industry

Constituents in the United States

Agribusiness Department: Advisor: Dr. Jose Lopez

### **College of Business**

Elora Justina Das

Bachelor of Business Administration with Highest Honors

Sharing Economy: What Works and What Doesn't? Thesis:

Department: Marketing and Business Analytics

Advisor: Dr. Son Bui Kayleigh Ann Caudle

Bachelor of Business Administration with Honors

College Students' Ways of Handling Finances: A Study of Thesis: Selected Students from Texas A&M University-Commerce

Department: Accounting & Finance

Advisor: Dr. Sri Nippani

#### **College of Education & Human Services**

Amanda Lashea' Davis

Bachelor of Arts with Honors

Exploring the Effects of Racial Trauma from Slavery and the Thesis. Treatment Practices of African American College Students

Psychology and Special Education Department:

Advisor: Dr. Lavelle Hendricks Jaci Elizabeth Fulton

Bachelor of Social Work with High Honors Thesis.

An Exploration of Undergraduate Research Readiness:

A Look Back at Research Skills

Social Work Department: Advisor: Dr. Rebecca Judd

### College of Humanities, Social Sciences & Arts

Emma G. Anderson

Thesis:

Bachelor of Science with Highest Honors New Life: The Creative Process of Public Art

Followed Through a Mural

Department: Liberal Studies Advisor: Dr. Hunter Hayes Emma S. Harris

Bachelor of Arts with Highest Honors

Bringing the Beowulf Back: A Study in Literary Adaptation Thesis:

Department: Literature & Languages Dr. Kathryn Jacobs Advisor:

### **College of Science & Engineering**

Seongmin Choi

Bachelor of Science with Honors

Thesis: Online Statistical Data Reduction and Analysis

in Distributed Computing

Computer Science and Information Systems Department:

Advisor: Dr. Dongeun Lee William Callison Young

Bachelor of Science with Honors

Thesis: Routes of Persuasion and Attitude Change

Toward Corporal Punishment

Department: Computer Science & Information Systems

Advisor: Dr. Raymond Green



Summa Cum Laude—3.90-4.00 Magna Cum Laude—3.70-3.89 Cum Laude—3.50-3.69 The level of distinction is based on the hours attempted at Texas A&M University-Commerce

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