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Commencement

Order of the Exercises

A link to virtual exercises is available at wmich.edu/commencement.

9 a.m.
College of Arts and Sciences
College of Aviation
Merze Tate College

Noon
Haworth College of Business
College of Health and Human Services

3 p.m.
College of Education and Human Development
College of Fine Arts
College of Engineering and Applied Sciences

Congratulations to all the December 2021 graduates.

PROCESIONAL
Western Brass Ensemble
Steve M. Wolfinbarger, D.M.A., Conductor

NATIONAL ANTHEM
Phi Mu Alpha Sinfonia, Delta Iota Chapter
Braiden McEachern, Conductor

ALMA MATER
Western, we sing to you, Brown and Gold,
Western, we bring to you faith untold,
You challenge and inspire,
Your hope is our desire,
We sing to you our Alma Mater, Brown and Gold.

PRESIDENT’S WELCOME
Edward Montgomery, Ph.D., President

GRADUATE SUCCESS VIGNETTE

CONFERRING OF DEGREES
Jennifer Bott, Ph.D., Provost and Vice President for Academic Affairs, and the University Deans

PRESENTATION OF GRADUATES

TRIBUTE VIGNETTE

CLOSING REFLECTIONS
Edward Montgomery, Ph.D., President

FIGHT SONG
Fight on, fight on for Western;
Take the ball, make a score, win the game.
Onward for the Brown and Gold;
Push ‘em back, push ‘em back, bring us fame.

Fight on, fight on for Western;
Over one, over all, we will reign.
Fight, Broncos fight!
Fight with all your might.
Western win this game!

RECESSIONAL
It is my great pleasure to congratulate the members of Western Michigan University’s Class of 2021. Earning their degree represents one of the major milestones in the lives of our graduates and demarcates their transition from being college students to WMU alumni.

I join with the families and friends who celebrate this immense accomplishment and who take no small sense of pride in how far their loved ones have come. Though they are beginning their new journeys at a time of many challenges, they can look forward to a vast array of opportunities spread out before them as they begin the next chapter in their lives.

Throughout their time with us as Broncos, our students have proven they possess the grit and determination to achieve success and reach their goals. The adversity we are experiencing today will no doubt help us all develop a deeper sense of compassion for others, reinforce our stores of resilience and bolster our resolve to push forward and build fuller careers and better lives. Our graduates were already looking toward the future, and we sorely need them to live up to their years of training and potential now as never before. Our world will call upon the leadership and potential of this generation of Broncos to make their mark and help lead us all forward.

I want to extend my heartfelt congratulations to all of our graduates. We know they did not get to this moment on their own, so I also want to thank the parents, spouses and partners, children, extended family members, friends, faculty, staff members and community partners who have played a significant role in supporting them through their pathways. Each one of the graduates has benefitted from a support network that has provided guidance, tough love, laughter and encouragement throughout the journey that is culminating with a diploma, greater understanding and a wealth of valuable experiences.

We are not focused on endings but on new beginnings. Graduates, as you move forward with your future plans in starting your career, continuing your studies or building a successful life, I know you will call on the expertise, passion and grit acquired through your experiences at WMU. Thank you for including us in your journey, and never forget as you take the knowledge and inspiration you built here around the world, you will always be part of the Bronco community.

Congratulations and warm regards,

Edward Montgomery
President
Congratulations and welcome to the WMU Alumni Association!
The grounds around Heritage Hall, home of the WMU Alumni Center, offer the perfect outdoor backdrop for graduation photos.
WMUalumni.org
Welcome to YOUR Alumni Association!

To our newest alumni,

Welcome to the WMU Alumni Association!

You are now part of a community of 250,000 Broncos who call Western Michigan University their alma mater. Congratulations!

Wherever life may take you, near or far from Kalamazoo, know your connection to WMU can remain as strong as ever. With Broncos in every state of the nation and in more than 100 countries around the world, you will never be far from fellow alumni.

The first step to staying in touch with WMU is by updating your contact information at WMUalumni.org/InfoUpdate. You will automatically become a member of the WMU Alumni Association, which is free. Next, don’t forget to follow the WMU Alumni Association on social media. WMU’s University Advancement is working to build a bigger and better association to serve you and is eager to keep you updated about news on campus and other benefits available to you.

There are a number of ways to stay involved with WMU, and we hope you will take advantage of them as you begin your new journey.

On behalf of the WMU Alumni Association, I congratulate you and wish you all the very best in your next chapter in life. We can’t wait to see what you do next.

Onward for the Brown and Gold,

President, WMU Alumni Association

WMUalumni.org
The University

Ranked in the top 11% of all universities nationwide, WMU is a globally engaged university that promotes success for learners at all levels.

Western Michigan University prepares students from around the globe for a life well lived by helping them to pursue, thrive and prosper so they can make a meaningful impact on society.

Founded in 1903, WMU has undergone dramatic growth in size and stature during its almost 120 years of service. The University offers nearly 250 academic programs to more than 19,000 students pursuing degrees through the doctoral level. Graduate coursework includes disciplines that range from geosciences and atomic and nuclear physics to medieval literature and blind rehabilitation. Of the 114 graduate offerings available, 35 lead to a doctoral degree.

WMU has created an environment designed to help students thrive academically, emotionally and physically as they pursue their purpose. The University’s focus on well-being supports holistic success, empowering students to craft a life of meaning and fulfillment.

Visionary WMU graduates made history in June 2021 by donating $550 million to the WMU Foundation, the largest gift for a public institution of higher education in U.S. history. Known as the Empowering Futures Gift, it will fund scholarships, advance medical education and research, support faculty expertise, increase athletic competitiveness and make possible numerous student-centered initiatives.

In fall 2021, Western honored the legacy of Dr. Merze Tate by naming University College after the inspirational alumna who was the first Black woman to earn a bachelor’s degree from Western in 1927. Merze Tate College is the academic home for exploratory majors as well as several student support units.

The University also marked the opening of Business Technology and Research Park North, a land and economic development project that expanded Western’s original business park located at the Parkview Avenue Campus.

Other developments include the summer 2021 opening of the Aviation Education Center, which expands educational opportunities and doubles the number of students the program can accommodate. In January 2021, the newly constructed Arcadia Flats apartment complex welcomed its first upper-level student residents. And a fall 2022 opening is planned for a new student center and dining facility at the center of Main Campus.

WMU in 2020 once again received the Carnegie Community Engagement Classification, which recognizes higher education institutions across the U.S. for their outstanding commitment to transformative collaboration locally and beyond. WMU is one of only 119 national institutions, 13 doctoral-granting universities with “high research activity” and 11 in Michigan to receive this designation.

Among WMU’s hallmarks are engagement with the communities it serves, innovation and outreach to enhance economic development. Western plays an integral part in efforts to diversify the state’s economy as nine of 10 graduates are employed quickly, working in their field in jobs they like.

The campus community reflects Western’s reputation in the world and its commitment to diversity. The University attracts students from across the nation and 92 other countries. Minority students comprise 19% of the student population while international students make up 11%. Faculty members have been trained at some of the world’s finest institutions, providing a global perspective that enhances the learning environment.

Western offers higher education and professional development opportunities beyond its Main Campus, with more than 50 complete degree programs and graduate certificates online or through regional locations throughout Michigan. The University has a long history of sponsoring study abroad programs, has exchange agreements with international institutions and is a higher education leader in sustainability and educating former foster care youth.
In 1957, the year Western Michigan University became a university, art professor John Kemper made a sketch on the back of his faculty identification card that would eventually be adopted as the official seal of WMU.

The circular design by Kemper has remained the University’s official mark for more than 60 years. It has four components:

- **Five stars** that symbolize the main academic units in place when WMU gained university status—the schools of Applied Arts and Sciences, Business, Education, Liberal Arts and Sciences, and Graduate Studies.

- **A tree**, which signifies the University’s continuing growth. Its roots acknowledge the institution’s firm planting through its creation by the Michigan Legislature in 1903.

- **A stone arch** that symbolizes a gateway to knowledge as well as solid growth, while the missing keystone indicates the University’s growth is incomplete, with much more remaining to be accomplished and discovered.

- **A pyramid**, which stands for the building of knowledge and features a flame at its apex to signify enlightenment—WMU’s true purpose.

Prior to the current design, four different seals represented the University under its various names. The first two emblems were circular and modeled on components of Michigan’s state seal. The two subsequent seals were rectangular and featured depictions of campus buildings.
Academic Colleges, Units and Institutes

**College of Arts and Sciences**
- Department of Biological Sciences
- Department of Chemistry
- School of Communication
- Department of Comparative Religion
- Department of Economics
- Department of English
- Department of Gender and Women’s Studies
- Department of Geography
- Department of Geological and Environmental Sciences
- Department of History
- Department of Mathematics
- Department of Philosophy
- Department of Physics
- Department of Political Science
- Department of Psychology
- School of Public Affairs and Administration
- Department of Sociology
- Department of Spanish
- Department of Statistics
- Department of World Languages and Literatures
- Institute of the Environment and Sustainability
- Institute for Intercultural and Anthropological Studies

**College of Aviation**
- Department of Aviation Sciences

**Haworth College of Business**
- Department of Accountancy
- Department of Business Information Systems
- Department of Finance and Commercial Law
- Department of Management
- Department of Marketing
- Department of Military Science and Leadership

**College of Education and Human Development**
- Department of Counselor Education and Counseling Psychology
- Department of Educational Leadership, Research and Technology
- Department of Family and Consumer Sciences
- Department of Human Performance and Health Education
- Department of Special Education and Literacy Studies
- Department of Teaching, Learning and Educational Studies

**College of Engineering and Applied Sciences**
- Department of Chemical and Paper Engineering
- Department of Civil and Construction Engineering
- Department of Computer Science
- Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering
- Department of Engineering Design, Manufacturing and Management Systems
- Department of Industrial and Entrepreneurial Engineering and Engineering Management
- Department of Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering

**College of Health and Human Services**
- Department of Blindness and Low Vision Studies
- WMU Bronson School of Nursing
- School of Interdisciplinary Health Programs
- Interdisciplinary Health Sciences Program
- Department of Occupational Therapy
- Department of Physical Therapy
- Department of Physician Assistant
- School of Social Work
- Specialty Program in Alcohol and Drug Abuse
- Department of Speech, Language and Hearing Sciences

**Merze Tate College**

**WMUx**

**The Graduate College**

**Haenicke Institute for Global Education**

**Lee Honors College**

**University Libraries**

**Institutes**
- Medieval Institute
- Lewis Walker Institute for the Study of Race and Ethnic Relations
- Mallinson Institute for Science Education
Honors Accessories

WMU acknowledges honors accessories worn with a graduation gown signify milestones of success during a student’s studies. WMU salutes graduates wearing cords, fourragères, medals, pins, stoles and sashes.

### Honor Cords

- **Alpha Delta Sigma**
  - Red and White
- **Alpha Eta Rho**
  - Red, Black and Gold
- **Alpha Kappa Delta**
  - Gold
- **Alpha Kappa Mu**
  - Blue and White
- **Alpha Lambda Delta**
  - Red, White and Gold
- **Alpha Phi Omega**
  - Royal Blue and Gold
- **Aviation Student Council**
  - Gold and Green
- **Beta Alpha Psi**
  - Black and Red
- **Beta Gamma Sigma**
  - Blue and Gold
- **Certified Nonprofit Professional**
  - Purple and White
- **Chi Sigma Iota**
  - Blue and White
- **Delta Alpha Pi**
  - Royal Blue and Gold
- **Eta Kappa Nu**
  - Gold with Red Tassels
- **Eta Sigma Gamma**
  - Green and Gold
- **Food Marketing Association Executive Board**
  - Red
- **Gamma Theta Upsilon**
  - Brown, Gold and Light Blue
- **Golden Key**
  - Royal Blue and Gold
- **Iota Iota Iota**
  - Lavender
- **Kappa Delta Pi**
  - Purple and Green
- **Kappa Omicron Nu**
  - Cream and Burgundy
- **Lambda Pi Eta**
  - Red and White
- **Lavender Ceremony Graduate**
  - Lavender
- **Lee Honors College**
  - Brown and Gold
- **Order of Omega**
  - Gold and White
- **Phi Alpha**
  - Gold
- **Phi Alpha Theta**
  - Red and White
- **Phi Beta Kappa**
  - Blue and Pink
- **Phi Chi Theta**
  - Purple and Gold
- **Phi Epsilon Kappa**
  - Black and Gold
- **Phi Kappa Phi**
  - Navy and Gold
- **Phi Sigma Pi**
  - Purple and Gold
- **Phi Sigma Pi**
  - Purple and Gold
- **Phi Theta Kappa**
  - Royal Blue and Gold
- **Pi Alpha Alpha**
  - Light Blue and Yellow
- **Pi Delta Phi**
  - Blue, White and Red
- **Pi Kappa Lambda**
  - Gold and White
- **Pi Mu Epsilon**
  - Gold, Purple and Lilac
- **Pi Sigma Alpha**
  - Gold
- **Psi Chi**
  - Navy and Silver
- **Sigma Tau Delta**
  - Red or Red and Black
- **Sigma Theta Tau**
  - Orchid and White
- **Student Dietetic Association**
  - Green
- **Tau Alpha Pi**
  - Green and Gold
- **Tau Beta Pi**
  - Orange and White
- **Tau Sigma**
  - Maroon and Gold
- **TRIO Program SSP**
  - Red and Black
- **TRIO Future Educator Success Program**
  - Red and Black
- **Veterans**
  - Red, White and Blue
- **University Honors**
  - Gold
  - (Cum Laude, Magna Cum Laude, Summa Cum Laude)
- **Western Student Association**
  - Executive Branch
  - Judicial Branch
  - House of Representatives
  - Senate
- **WMU Bronson School of Nursing**

### Fourragère

- **Study Abroad**
  - Black, Gold and Silver

### Medals

- **Epsilon Mu Eta Foundation Scholars**
- **Medallion Scholars**
- **Phi Kappa Phi**
- **Phi Beta Kappa**

### Pins

- **Alpha Kappa Delta**
- **College of Aviation Wings**
- **Matriculation Ceremony**
- **Seita Scholars**
- **Student Athletes**
- **University Innovation Fellows**
- **Western Student Association**

### Stoles/Sashes

- **Alpha Pi Mu**
- **Financial Management Association International**
- **HCOB Student Leadership Advisory Board**
- **Kappa Kappa Psi**
- **National Student Speech Language Hearing Association**
- **Seita Scholars**
- **Student Athletes**
- **University Innovation Fellows**
- **Western Student Association Executive Branch**
Academic Regalia

The use of academic dress stems from costumes worn in universities in the 14th and 15th centuries, particularly at Cambridge and Oxford in England. Since colonial times, it has been worn in the United States and was standardized by an Intercollegiate Code in 1895.

The major distinguishing characteristics of the gowns are the sleeves, styled in the following fashions: bachelor, long pointed; master, oblong; and doctor and specialist, bell shaped. The doctor’s gown has a velvet collar, facing and three bars on the sleeves. The specialist’s gown differs from a doctor’s in that it has no sleeve bars.

Masters, specialists and doctors wear hoods lined with the official colors of the University from which the degree is granted. They vary in size and shape to indicate the several degrees. The doctor’s hood is the largest and most lavishly decorated. The color of the velvet that circles the opening of the hood shows the degree earned—silver for doctor of audiology, light blue for doctor of education, dark blue for doctor of philosophy, peacock blue for doctor of public administration.

Caps are mortar boards with the tassel worn over the left front quadrant. The tassel’s color indicates the academic program area.

### Graduate Degree

**WHITE**  
Arts

**SILVER**  
Audiology (Doctoral only)

**SAPPHIRE BLUE**  
Business Administration and Accountancy

**WHITE**  
Development Administration

**LIGHT BLUE**  
Education (Doctoral and Specialist)

**ORANGE**  
Engineering

**BROWN**  
Fine Arts

**PINK**  
Music

**DARK BLUE**  
Philosophy (Doctoral only)

**GREEN**  
Medicine

**PEACOCK BLUE**  
Public Administration

**SALMON**  
Public Health

**GOLDEN YELLOW**  
Science

**CITRON**  
Social Work

### Bachelor’s Degree

**WHITE**  
Arts

**SAPPHIRE BLUE**  
Business Administration

**ORANGE**  
Engineering

**BROWN**  
Fine Arts

**PINK**  
Music

**APRICOT**  
Nursing

**GOLDEN YELLOW**  
Science

**CITRON**  
Social Work

We strive to make our commencement ceremony an inclusive experience for the extended members of our WMU family. In addition to providing American Sign Language interpretation, we are proud to serve our international community with live audio translation.

Considering the large population of students from Arabic, Mandarin and Spanish-speaking countries who are graduating today, we are providing their families and friends live audio translation of the ceremony in their language. If your graduate has not provided you with the instructions to call in, ask an usher for the telephone number and access code.

In future ceremonies, we will be pleased to serve our other various global communities.
WMU Leadership

Leadership at Western Michigan University includes representatives of the institution’s governing boards and its administration, as well as various campus organizations.

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Vice President

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Thomas Fisher
President
Hanna Fussman
Vice President of Organizing
Mohammad Al Yabrodi
Vice President of Contract Enforcement

American Federation of State, County, and Municipal Employees (AFSCME)

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President
David Prellwitz
Vice President
Kathleen Cain-Babbitt
Chief Steward

Michigan State Employees Association (MSEA)

Jeff Landers
Chief Union Steward
Tom Maida
Job Steward
Mike Walden
Job Steward

Police Officers Association (POA)

Michael Lininger
President

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President
Amber Hutson, B.S.
Vice President

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Jill Braman
Vice President

International Alliance of Theatrical State Employees (IATSE)

Alexis Morris
President
Eric Effinger
Executive Vice President

Western Student Association (WSA)

Jessica Westra
President
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First Vice President
Glenn Gould
Second Vice President
Ben Knudstrup
Third Vice President
Members of Honor Societies

**Lee Honors College**

Each of these outstanding graduates mastered challenging coursework, served as a community volunteer and pursued their passions by applying their knowledge to complete an original work of research or a creative activity, the honors thesis.

- Abdullah
- Abdul Hameed Khan
- Saudi Arabia
- Samiya Mohammed Ali
- Al Rabbi
- Kalamazoo, Michigan
- Rebecca Allen
- Stevensville, Michigan
- Ahmed Mohamed Salim
- Al Jahra
- Kalamazoo, Michigan
- Emma C. Baratta
- Sterling Heights, Michigan
- Jessica Marie Bissa
- Traverse City, Michigan
- Hugo Calderon Balcázar
- Springfield, Illinois
- Skylar D. Carleton
- Kalamazoo, Michigan
- Issac L. Carriazes
- Lawton, Michigan
- Alley Zin Xuan Chan
- Malaysia
- Jhye Tim Chi
- Kalamazoo, Michigan
- Sydney Collins
- Port Huron, Michigan
- Danielle R. Damato
- Clay, Michigan
- Casey Paige Dion
- New Lenox, Illinois
- Hailee Marie Firestone
- Edwardsburg, Michigan
- Sarah Elizabeth Gaffan
- Brighton, Michigan
- Hannah L. Garrod
- Paw Paw, Michigan
- Audrey M. Geysbeek
- Jenison, Michigan
- Joseph C. Ghahramani
- Kalamazoo, Michigan
- Madison E. Gildner
- Zeeland, Michigan
- Doni L. Graham
- Bloomfield Hills, Michigan
- Grace Q. Hearl
- Fowlerville, Michigan
- Mary K. Hurley
- Grandville, Michigan
- Fawzia Fazlu Khan
- Saudi Arabia
- Samuel H. Kiel
- Frankenmuth, Michigan
- Karla Suzanne Kline
- South Lyon, Michigan
- Madison J. Koresh
- Lapeer, Michigan
- Ryan C. Kruegel
- Plainfield, Illinois
- Margaret Grace Lundborg
- Batavia, Illinois
- Camille Angel Marshall
- Whitmore Lake, Michigan
- Caleb Dante McBride
- Oxford, Michigan
- Andrew J. McCabe
- Kalamazoo, Michigan
- Mackenzie D. McClain
- Belmont, Michigan
- Mill Menon-Perez
- Kalamazoo, Michigan
- Julia E. Mills
- Portage, Michigan
- Anika Mosharrat
- Bangladesh
- Megan N. Nippa
- Kalamazoo, Michigan
- Emily M. Odisher
- Quincy, Michigan
- Madeline Jane Paciorek
- Grand Rapids, Michigan
- Noelia Lourdes Perez
- Flint, Michigan
- Brindlee Peterson
- Kalamazoo, Michigan
- Cassie L. Philip
- Kalamazoo, Michigan
- Heather Cora Price
- Caledonia, Michigan
- Charlotte E. Ramser
- Ann Arbor, Michigan
- Anubhav Rawal
- East Lansing, Michigan
- Megan E. Robbins
- Grand Rapids, Michigan
- Alyssa K. Robinson
- Whitmore Lake, Michigan
- Nicolette A. Seelbinder
- Ortonville, Michigan
- Sachin Sharma
- Kalamazoo, Michigan
- Caleb W. Sheehan
- Katy, Texas
- MacKynze G. Slatinsky
- Newport, Michigan
- Ari M. Staiger
- Kalamazoo, Michigan
- Joseph M. Stoltz
- Iowa City, Iowa
- Mitchell Justin Susalla
- Howell, Michigan
- Matthew E. Szczepanski
- Wauconda, Illinois
- Aidan T. Wales
- Kalamazoo, Michigan
- Jared James Watson
- Plainwell, Michigan
- Crystal Lim Yuet Wen
- Kalamazoo, Michigan
- Madelyn A. Whiting
- Manhattan, Illinois
- Margaret Katherine Wilson
- Kalamazoo, Michigan
- Alison Yoelsma
- Portage, Michigan

**Alpha Delta Sigma**

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Mission: To recognize superior academic achievement, to promote intelligent living and a continued high standard of learning, and to assist students in recognizing and developing meaningful goals for their roles in society.

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INTERNATIONAL GEOGRAPHICAL HONOR SOCIETY
Mission: To recognize excellence in geographical literacy at both the undergraduate and graduate levels, to promote high scholarship and to encourage meaningful professional contributions to society and the world as a whole.

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Mission: To promote the pursuit of excellence in all fields of higher education and to recognize outstanding achievements by students and faculty.
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Graduate Degrees

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**Doctor of Education**

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Alexandra, Virginia  
Special Education and Literacy Studies  
"Understanding the Unique Role of Special Education Teacher and the Essence of the Special Education Teacher’s Life in the Inclusive Setting"  
Chair of Doctoral Committee: Elizabeth Whittem, Ph.D.

Rena M. VanDerwall*  
Kalamazoo, Michigan  
Special Education and Literacy Studies  
"Effects of Behavioral Skills Training on Preservice Teachers’ Ability to Code Articles"  
Chair of Doctoral Committee: Sarah Summy, Ed.D.

**Doctor of Philosophy**

Mishal Ahmed*  
Kalamazoo, Michigan  
Applied Economics  
"The Asymmetric Effect of Sentiment on Equity Returns"  
Chair of Doctoral Committee: Matthew Higgins, Ph.D.

Mahawa-Essa Mabossani Akara*  
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Geosciences  
"Understanding Potential Climate Change Impacts on Water Resources Within a Fractured Rock Watershed in Northern Togo"  
Chair of Doctoral Committee: Donald Reeves, Ph.D.

Omar Hammad S Albalawi*  
Portage, Michigan  
Industrial Engineering  
"State of the Art in the Knowledge of Current and Future Energy Production Systems in the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia"  
Co-Chairs of Doctoral Committee: Azim Houshyar, Ph.D. & Bob White, Ph.D.

Mustafa Adnan Yasin Al Dulaimi*  
Kalamazoo, Michigan  
Chemistry  
"Synthesis and Characterization of Novel Organic Ligands with Their Complexes of Platinum, Copper and Uranium"  
Chair of Doctoral Committee: Ekkehard Sirn, Ph.D.

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Electrical and Computer Engineering  
"Intelligent System for Laparoscopic Surgery Suturing Skill Assessment"  
Chair of Doctoral Committee: Janos Grannter, Ph.D.

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Kalamazoo, Michigan  
Industrial Engineering  
"Advanced Risk Model to Predict Surgical Site Infection Using Machine Learning and Risk-adjusted Control Charts"  
Chair of Doctoral Committee: Lee Wells, Ph.D.

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Kalamazoo, Michigan  
Civil Engineering  
"Deterioration Prediction Models for Condition Assessment of Concrete Bridge Decks Using Machine Learning Techniques"  
Chair of Doctoral Committee: Osama Abudayyeh, Ph.D.

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Kalamazoo, Michigan  
Electrical and Computer Engineering  
"Enhanced Energy Management System for Distribution Network with Multi-microgrids"  
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Electrical and Computer Engineering  
"Using of Evolutionary Optimization Algorithms in Hybrid Renewable Energy Systems"  
Chair of Doctoral Committee: Johnson Asamadu, Ph.D.

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Biological Sciences  
"The Impacts of Aging, Sedentarism, and Exercise on Neurotrophic Factor Expression and Innervation in the Heart and the Effects of Treatment with α-CGRP on Heart Function"  
Chair of Doctoral Committee: John Schecker, Ph.D.

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Interdisciplinary Health Sciences  
"Parametric Characteristics of the B6OMSI-RE"  
Chair of Doctoral Committee: Robert Hall Emerson, Ph.D.

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Psychology: Clinical Psychology  
"The Role of Youth Characteristics and Home Ecology in the Severity of Problematic Sexual Behavior and Conduct Problems"  
Chair of Doctoral Committee: Amy Damasher, Ph.D.

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Political Science  
"Cities Leading the Way: Municipal Climate Policy in the U.S."  
Chair of Doctoral Committee: Denise Keefe, Ph.D.

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Educational Leadership: Organizational Analysis  
"Dreamers: Stories of DACA Recipients in Higher Education during the 2016-2021 Political Climate"  
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Educational Leadership: K12 Leadership  
Chair of Doctoral Committee: Sue Poppinick, Ph.D.

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Counselor Education  
"Intragroup Marginalization Among Latinx Migrant Farmworker College Students"  
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Educational Leadership: Higher Education  
"Asian International Students in U.S. Higher Education: A Secondary Data Analysis of Satisfaction Levels and Willingness to Recommend Their Institution"  
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Educational Leadership: Higher Education  
"Understanding the Experience of Mid-level Community College Change Leaders"  
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Educational Leadership: Higher Education  
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Geosciences  
"Use of InSAR Technologies for Countrywide Monitoring of Ground Deformation in Qatar and Identification of Controlling Factors"  
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"Integrating International Graduate Students on Campus: The Perspectives of Student Affairs Professionals and Staff"  
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Counseling Psychology  
"Non-Affirmation as a Moderator Between Social Support and Quality of Life for Transgender Populations"  
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Civil Engineering  
"Performance Evaluation of Transportation Systems for Sustainability and Smart-growth of Cities: An Integrated Assessment of Health Impacts"  
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Applied Economics  
"Essays on the Impacts of Extreme Natural Events on Health"  
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