



THE GRADUATE SCHOOL

Vice Provost and Dean of the Graduate School, Dr. Deborah Perron Tollefsen

The Graduate School of the University of Memphis is the center of advanced study and research within the University. The basic objectives of The Graduate School are: (a) to preserve and disseminate knowledge now available in the humanities, the sciences, and the various professional areas represented by the departmental graduate faculties; (b) to extend knowledge through basic research; and (c) to prepare men and women to assume a more responsible and useful role in society.

DOCTOR OF EDUCATION

Amelia Baker Cole

Department of Higher and Adult Education
 AA, 1988, Tarrant County College
 AAS, 1990, Tarrant County College
 BBA, 2011, University of Memphis
 MBA, 2014, University of Memphis
 Dissertation: *“Talking Back as an Act of Resistance and Healing for Black Women Survivors of Prostitution”*
 Major Professor: Dr. Wendy Griswold

Austin Shamar Ferrell

Department of Instruction and Curriculum Leadership
 BSW, 2017, University of Louisville
 MPA, 2019, Belhaven University
 ME, 2020, University of Tennessee at Martin
 ME, 2022, University of Tennessee at Martin
 EdSpec, 2024, University of Tennessee at Knoxville
 Dissertation: “xxx”
 Major Professor: Dr. Celia Rousseau Anderson

Denise LaShaun Ridgell-Matthews

Department of Higher and Adult Education
 BS, 1990, University of Arkansas
 BS, 1992, University of Arkansas
 MBA, 2010, DeVry University
 Dissertation: *“African American Females in Executive Leadership”*
 Major Professor: Drs. Edith Gnanadass and Steven Nelson

Jessica Nichole Minton

Department of Instruction and Curriculum Leadership
 AS, 2006, Roane State Community College
 BA, 2008, Maryville College
 MS, 2010, University of Tennessee, Knoxville
 Dissertation: “xxx”
 Major Professor: Dr. William Hunter

Makeda Marie Porter

Department of Leadership and Policy Studies
 BS, 2013, University of Memphis
 MS, 2016, University of Memphis
 Dissertation: *“The Experiences of Black Women Doctoral Students in Educational Leadership”*
 Major Professor: Dr. Derrick Robinson

Heather Leigh Rippetoe

Department of Instruction and Curriculum Leadership
 BA, 1995, Belmont University
 MA, 2001, Tennessee Technological University
 MA, 2009, Vanderbilt University
 Dissertation: “xxx”
 Major Professor: Dr. Craig Shepherd

Presley Taylor Shilling

Department of Instruction and Curriculum Leadership
 BA, 2018, University of Memphis
 MAT, 2021, University of Memphis
 Dissertation: *“Enhancing Content, Pedagogy, and Student Achievement: An Examination of Professional Development Through the Lens of Middle School”*
 Major Professor: Dr. Jeffrey Byford

Tanara L. Teal-Tate

Department of Instruction and Curriculum Leadership
 BS, 2022, University of Memphis
 MPA, 2012, University of Memphis
 Dissertation: “xxx”
 Major Professor: Dr. DeAnna Owens-Mosby

Crystal Sarina Watts

Department of Leadership and Policy Studies
 BA, 2007, Tougaloo College
 ME, 2008, Mississippi College
 Ed.S, 2012, Arkansas State University
 Dissertation: “xxx”
 Major Professor: Dr. Charisse Gulosino

Joycelyn M. Wesley

Department of Leadership and Policy Studies
 BA, 2005, Clark Atlanta University
 MEd, 2012, The University of Mississippi
 Dissertation: “xxx”
 Major Professor: Dr. Charisse Gulosino

DOCTOR OF LIBERAL STUDIES

Wendy Butts

College of Professional and Liberal Studies
MA, 2016, Luther Rice College & Seminary
BA, 1995, Cedar Crest College
AA, 1994, Northampton Community College
Dissertation: *“A Comprehensive Examination of Historical Events Leading to Disinterment Practices and Repatriation Delays Involving the Muscogee (Creek) Nation and Etowah Mounds, With an Analysis of the Vermillion Accord as a Framework for Assessing How Repatriation is Hindered When Institutions Reject Indigenous ‘Respect’ Ideologies that Honor Ancestral Remains”*

Major Professor: Dr. Jeremy Killian

Nicholas Lee Rummell

College of Professional and Liberal Studies
BA, 2004, University of Cincinnati
BA, 2006, Kent State
MA, 2009, College of Charleston
Dissertation: “xxx”
Major Professor: Dr. Colin Chapell

DOCTOR OF MUSICAL ARTS

James A. Currence

Rudi E. Scheidt School of Music
BM, 2016, Shenandoah University
MM, 2018, Lynn University
Dissertation: *“A Study of Eugene Bozza’s Eighteen Etudes in the Form of Improvisation (1961) and New Preparatory Etudes for the Works of Bozza”*

Major Professor: Prof. Jeremiah Frederick

DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY

Mohammed Eid AbuHussein

Department of Electrical Engineering
BSc, AlBalqa Applied University, Jordan
MS, 2018, University of Memphis
Dissertation: *“See-Through Occlusion in Long Wave Infrared Images”*

Major Professor: Dr. Aaron Robinson

Md Fayaz Ahamed

Department of Mathematical Sciences
MS, 2015, Lappeenranta University of Technology, Finland
MS, 2021, University of Memphis
Dissertation: “xxx”

Major Professor: Dr. Thomas Hagen

Mohsen Akhane Senejani

Department of Civil Engineering
B.S Civil Engineering, 2012, Arak University, Iran
M.S Structural Engineering, 2015, Arak University, Iran
Dissertation: *“Development of Ground Motion Models in Central and Eastern United States for Use in the Coastal Plain Using Sediment Thickness”*

Major Professor: Dr. Shahram Pezeshk

Bakheet S. Almatrafi

Department of English
BA, 2016, Indiana University of Pennsylvania, Sutton Hall;
MA, 2021, Indiana University of Pennsylvania, Sutton Hall
Dissertation: “xxx”

Major Professor: Dr. Rebecca Adams

Michelle Alexander

School of Public Health
BS, 1995, Jackson State University
MS, 1998, Jackson State University
Dissertation: *“Examining the Mediating Effects of Hypertension on the Association Between Vitamin D and Cardiovascular Disease in Post-Menopausal African American Women: The Jackson Heart Study”*

Major Professor: Dr. Xinhua Yu

Rabin Banjade

Department of Computer Science
BTech, 2015, Tribhuvan University
Dissertation: *“Automatic Domain Model Extraction for Computer Programming”*

Major Professor: Dr. Vasile Rus

Keishana LeAnne Barnes

Department of Counseling Education Psychology and Research
BS, 2003, Vanderbilt University
EdM, 2003, Harvard Graduate School of Education
Dissertation: “xxx”

Major Professor: Dr. Denise Winsor

Linkon Bhattacharjee

Department of Civil Engineering
BS, 2014, Chittagong University of Engineering and Technology
Dissertation: “xxx”
Major Professor: Dr. Roger Meier

Ashley Diane Boles

Department of Counseling Education Psychology and Research
BA, 2008, Catawba College
MA, 2014, Campbell University
Dissertation: “xxx”

Major Professor: Drs. Melanie Burgess and Frances Ellmo

Kola Lanette Brown

Department of Counseling Education Psychology and Research
BA, 2006, University of Memphis
MA, 2011, University of Arkansas, Little Rock
Dissertation: “xxx”

Major Professor: Drs. Patrick Murphy and Melanie Burgess

Chelsea Joniece Buggs

Department of History
BA, 2016, University of Memphis
MA, 2018, University of Memphis
Dissertation: “xxx”
Major Professor: Dr. Aram Goudsouzian

DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY (Continued)

- Katie Marie Califano
Department of Counseling Education Psychology and Research
BS, 2015, Butler University
MA 2020, Ball State University
MS, 2020, Ball State University
Dissertation: “xxx”
Major Professor: Dr. Rosie Phillips Davis
- Kevin William Campbell
Department of Psychology
BA, 2012, University of California, Los Angeles
MA, 2017, San Diego State University
Dissertation: “xxx”
Major Professor: Dr. James Murphy
- Meng Cao
Department of Psychology
BE, 2012, Wuhan University of Technology, China
MS, 2017, Central China Normal University, China
Dissertation: “xxx”
Major Professor: Dr. Philip Pavlik
- Lokesh Chandra Das
Department of Computer Science
BS, 2014, University of Dhaka
MS, 2022, University of Memphis
Dissertation: “xxx”
Major Professor: Dr. Myounggyu Won
- Nirmol Chandra Das
Department of Business Administration
MSBA, 2022, University of Memphis
Dissertation: “xxx”
Major Professor: Dr. Konstantin Sokolov
- Francesco Dell’Aira
Department of Civil Engineering
BS, 2016, University of Catania (Italy)
MS, 2019, University of Catania (Italy)
Dissertation: “xxx”
Major Professor: Dr. Dr. Claudio I. Meier
- Shakiba Eslamimehr
School of Public Health
MS, 2016, Southern Illinois University, Evansville
MS, 2019, University of Tennessee Health Science Center
Dissertation: “*Prenatal Acetaminophen Use and Offspring’s Respiratory Health Outcomes*”
Major Professor: Dr. Wilfried Karmaus
- Lauren Elizabeth Fennimore
Department of Psychology
AA, 2014, Northeast Texas Community College
BS, 2016, Texas Woman’s University
MA, 2018, State University of New York at New Paltz
Dissertation: “xxx”
Major Professor: Dr. Elizabeth Meisinger
- Sequoya Anita Fitzpatrick
Department of Psychology
BA, 2017, SUNY Oswego
MA, 2019, SUNY Brockport
Dissertation: “xxx”
Major Professor: Dr. Randy Floyd
- Ibrahim Khalaf Freewan
Department of Electrical Engineering
BE, 2018, University of Mississippi
Dissertation: “*Reducing Latency and Increasing Reliability in Wireless Networks*”
Major Professor: Dr. Aaron Robinson
- Henrietta Giles
Department of Communication and Film
BS, 1984, University of Tennessee at Martin
MS, 2015, Middle Tennessee State University
Dissertation: “xxx”
Major Professor: Drs. Antonio de Velasco Katherine G. Hendrix
- Saghar Gomrok
Department of Chemistry
B.S., 2010, Shiraz University, Iran
M.Sc., 2013, Shiraz University, Iran
M.Sc., 2018, University of Memphis
Dissertation: “xxx”
Major Professor: Dr. Yongmei Wang
- Tori Horn
Department of Psychology
BA, Psychology, 2015 Winthrop University
MA, 2018, The New School for Social Research
Dissertation: “xxx”
Major Professor: Dr. James Whalen
- John Michael Hollander
Department of Psychology
MA, 2018, University of North Carolina Wilmington
Dissertation: “xxx”
Major Professor: Dr. Andrew Olney
- Navid Mohammad Imran
Department of Computer Science
BS, 2016, South Dakota State University
MS, 2022, University of Memphis
Dissertation: “xxx”
Major Professor: Dr. Myounggyu Won
- Melanie Jacobs
Department of Counseling Education Psychology and Research
BSN, 1982, Arkansas Tech University
MSN, 2012, University of Memphis
Dissertation: “xxx”
Major Professor: Dr. Susan Nordstrom
- Lacy Ellen Jamison
Department of Psychology
BA, 2015, University of Memphis
MS, 2019, University of Memphis
Dissertation: “xxx”
Major Professor: Dr. Kathryn Howell
- Hayden Tyler Johnson
Department of BioMedical Engineering
BS, 2019, University of Memphis
MS, 2022, University of Memphis
Dissertation: “xxx”
Major Professor: Dr. Aaryani Sajja
- Kiran Shankar Kamble
School of Public Health
MBBS, 1992, Mumbai University - Grant Medical College
AFIH, 2002, Central Labour Insitute, Government of India
MPH, 2010, Harvard University - T.H. Chan School of Public Health
Dissertation: “xxx”
Major Professor: Dr. Satish Kedia
- Harish Chandra Kaushik
Department of BioMedical Engineering
BE, 2015, Chattisgarh Swami Vivekandand Technical University
MTS, 2017, National Institute of Technology
Dissertation: “xxx”
Major Professor: Dr. Amir Hadadzadeh

DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY (Continued)

- Md Mohsan Khudri
Department of Business Administration
BS, 2010, University of Dhaka
MS, 2011, University of Dhaka
MA, 2020, University of Memphis
Dissertation: "xxx"
Major Professor: Dr. Andrew Hussey
- Dinesh Kumar Kinjangi
Department of Mechanical Engineering
BTech, 2013, JNTU, Kakinada, India;
MTech, 2016, University of Petroleum and Energy Studies,
India
Dissertation: "xxx"
Major Professor: Dr. Daniel Foti
- Benjamin Ledesma
Department of Civil Engineering
BS, 2016, Universidad de Concepcion
Dissertation: "*From Theory to Practice: Investigating
Groundwater-Surface Water Interactions in the
Real World*"
Major Professor: Dr. Claudio Meier
- Alexandria Heilmann Littlejohn
Department of Counseling Education Psychology and Research
BLS, 2016, University of Memphis
MS, 2020, University of Memphis
Dissertation: "xxx"
Major Professor: Dr. Suzanne Lease
- Madison Rose Lord
Department of Counseling Education Psychology and Research
BS, 2017, Georgia College & State University
BA, 2017, Georgia College & State University
MS, 2020, Georgia State University
Dissertation: "xxx"
Major Professor: Dr. Andrew Hussey
- Iratishe Reuben Madaki
Department of English
BA, 2015, Taraba State University
MA, 2021, University of Memphis
Dissertation: "xxx"
Major Professor: Dr. Evelyn Wright
- Anuradha Mahanama
Department of Earth Sciences
BSc, 2015, University of Sri Jayewardenepura
MS, 2019, Bowling Green State University
Dissertation: "xxx"
Major Professor: xxx
- William Bryan Mitchner
Department of Counseling Education Psychology and Research
BS, 2010, Murray State University
MS, 2013, Murray State University
EDS, 2016, Murray State University
Dissertation: "*Mental Health Counseling: A Qualitative
Exploration of working with Arabian
International Students in a Cultural, Religious,
and Ethnically Humble Way*"
Major Professor: Dr. Patrick Murphy
- Jamal Hayat Mosakheil
Department of Computer Science
MS, 2018, St. Cloud State University
Dissertation: "xxx"
Major Professor: Dr. Kan Yang
- Taylor Rae Napier
Department of Psychology
BS, 2016, Gardner-Webb University
MS, 2018, University of Memphis
Dissertation: "xxx"
Major Professor: Dr. Kathryn Howell
- Sahil Nokhwal
Department of Computer Science
BTech, 2013, Kurukshetra University
MS, 2017, Northwest Missouri State University
Dissertation: "*Overcoming Catastrophic Forgetting: Geometric
Techniques in Class-Incremental Learning*"
Major Professor: Dr. Nirman Kumar
- Kehinde Mayokun Ogunade
Department of Business Administration
BS, 2015, Federal University of Agriculture, Abeokuta
MACC, 2019, University of New Mexico
Dissertation: "xxx"
Major Professor: Dr. Nirmalee Raddatz
- Priti Oli
Department of Computer Science
MS, 2021, University of Memphis
Dissertation: "xxx"
Major Professor: Dr. Vasile Rus
- Babasoji Emmanuel Oyemakinde
Department of Business Administration
MS, 2017, State University of New York at Buffalo
Dissertation: "xxx"
Major Professor: Dr. Albert Okunade
- Kiran Pandey
Center for Earthquake Research and Information
BS, 2013, Tribhuvan University
MS, 2017, Tribhuvan University
MS, 2022, University of Memphis
Dissertation: "*Preparatory Processes Associated with Induced
Labquakes in Triaxial Experiments*"
Major Professor: Dr. Thomas Goebel
- Diem Trang Pham
Department of Computer Science
BS, 2009, Vietnam National University
ME, 2013, Soongsil University
MS, 2016, University of Memphis
Dissertation: "xxx"
Major Professor: Dr. Vinhthuy Phan
- Nikolas Forest Priest
Department of Counseling Education Psychology and Research
BA, 2004, Indiana University – Bloomington
MFA, 2007, University of North Carolina - Chapel Hill;
AOS, 2011, Swedish Institute College of Health Sciences
Dissertation: "xxx"
Major Professor: Dr. Suzanne Lease
- Madaki Iratishe Reuben
Department of English
BA, 2015, Taraba State University
MA, 2021, University of Memphis
Dissertation: "xxx"
Major Professor: Dr. Evelyn Wright
- Ali Riahisamani
Department of Civil Engineering
BS, 2015, University of Isfahan, Isfahan, Iran
MS, 2018, Isfahan University of Technology, Isfahan, Iran
Dissertation: "*Commercial Motor Vehicles (CMV) Drivers'
Behavior in Transition from Automated to Manual
Driving in Highly Automated Vehicles (level 4)*"
Major Professor: Dr. Sabyasachee Mishra
- Katherine Wright Rote
Department of Counseling Education Psychology and Research
BS, 2003, University of Tennessee, Knoxville
Med, 2008, Tennessee State University
Dissertation: "xxx"
Major Professor: Dr. Leigh Williams

DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY (Continued)

- Madhumita Roy
Department of Mathematical Sciences
MS, 2018, IIT KGP
MS, 2022, University of Memphis
Dissertation: *“Long Time Behavior of Wave and Plate Model”*
Major Professor: Dr. Irena Lasiecka
- Ulysses Carrillo Savage
Department of Psychology
BA, 2014, University of California, San Diego
BS, 2014, University of California, San Diego
MA, 2021, University of Memphis
Dissertation: “xxx”
Major Professor: Dr. James Murphy
- Lauren Ashley-Marie Dahlke Schenck
Department of Psychology
AA, 2013, Lewis and Clark Community College
BA, 2016, Christian Brothers University
MS, 2019, University of Memphis
Dissertation: “xxx”
Major Professor: Dr. Frank Andrasik
- Lisa Sikkink
Department of English
BA, 2004 Minnesota State University, Mankato
MA, 2007, Washington State University
Dissertation: “xxxx”
Major Professor: Drs. Joshua Phillips and Darryl Domingo
- Colin James Smith
Department of Counseling Education Psychology and Research
BA, 2018, James Madison University
MS, 2020, Radford University
Dissertation: “xxxx”
Major Professor: Dr. Sara K. Bridges
- Jasper D. St Bernard II
Department of Philosophy
BA, 2013, University of Wisconsin -- Stevens Point
MA, 2018, University of Memphis
Dissertation: “xxx”
Major Professor: Dr. Andre E. Johnson
- Tejaskumar A Suhagia
Department of Chemistry
MS, 2017, Tennessee Tech University
Dissertation: “xxx”
Major Professor: Dr. Nathan DeYonker
- Pierre Louis Vincent Esq
Department of Communication and Film
BA, 1980, Howard University;
MPA, 1992, Golden Gate University
MA, 1988, Syracuse University
JD, 1988, Syracuse University College of Law
Dissertation: “xxx”
Major Professor: Dr. Andre E. Johnson
- Tera Brownlee Warfield
Department of Counseling Education Psychology and Research
BA, 2010, University of Tennessee, Knoxville
MS, 2013, University of Memphis
Dissertation: “xxx”
Major Professor: Dr. Frances Ellmo
- Joseph Michael White
Department of Counseling Education Psychology and Research
BA, 2014, University of Iowa
MA, 2019, University of Denver
Dissertation: “xxx”
Major Professor: Dr. Richard Lightsey
- Ryan Patrick Wickman
Department of Computer Science
BS, 2020, University of Memphis; MS, 2021, University of Memphis
Dissertation: *“Archive-free Quality-Diversity Optimization through Diverse Quality Species”*
Major Professor: Dr. Xiaofei Zhang
- Elisabeth Rachel Wiley
Department of Chemistry
BS, 2017, University of Memphis
MS, 2021, University of Memphis
Dissertation: “xxx”
Major Professor: Dr. Daniel Baker
- Chengzhou Wu
School of Public Health
BS, 2014, Yantai University
MS, 2017, Nankai University
Dissertation: “xxx”
Major Professor: Dr. Xichen Mou
- Yixin Zhang
Department of Earth Sciences
BS, 2015, Missouri University of Science and Technology
Dissertation: “xxx”
Major Professor: Dr. Christine Powell

DOCTOR OF SOCIAL WORK

- Justin C. Singleton
Department of Social Work
BS, 2007, Lander University
MSSW, 2010, University of Tennessee Knoxville
Dissertation: “xxx”
Major Professor: Dr. Elena Delavega



COLLEGE OF ARTS & SCIENCES

Dean, Abby Parrill-Baker, PhD

The aims and purposes of The College of Arts and Sciences are (1) to provide students with a store of factual knowledge; (2) to introduce them to varying sets of principles; (3) to stimulate them to think about and to evaluate these facts and principles; and (4) to encourage them to order their own affairs and those of society with the talent, insight and discrimination which they develop. We have been privileged to pursue these aims with the following students who are candidates for the seven degrees which we offer:

MASTER OF ARTS

The candidates for this degree have majored in Anthropology, Criminal Justice, Earth Sciences, English, History, Philosophy, Political Science, Romance Languages, School Psychology or Sociology.

Purba Bhattacharjee
BS, 2022, University of Chittagong

Ashley T. Moseby
BA, 2020, University of Arkansas, Little Rock

Tiffany Burkes
BA, 2020, University of Arkansas, Little Rock

Alexsandra Talisa Murphy
BA, 2021, University of Memphis

Emmanuel Danyell Cullins
BA, 2022, University of Memphis

Samira Rahman
BA, 2018, National University

Esther Hinson
BA, 2016, University of Ghana

Aliya Weaver
BA, 2020, University of Tennessee, Martin

Matthew Marable
BA, 2020, West Virginia University, Morgantown

MASTER OF CITY AND REGIONAL PLANNING

Afsana Tarannum
BArch, 2017, University of Asia Pacific
MURP, 2022, Bangladesh University of Engineering and Technology

MASTER OF FINE ARTS

Liberty Joan O'Neill
AAS, 2018, University of South Florida, Tampa

MASTER OF NONPROFIT MANAGEMENT

Vanessa Cassandra Clark
MBA, 2013, Belhaven University
BSBA, 2011, University of Phoenix

MASTER OF PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION

Edward Martin Kennelly
BA, 2019, Mississippi University for Women

MASTER OF SCIENCE

The candidates for this degree have majored in Bioinformatics, Biology, Data Science, Chemistry, Computer Science, Earth Sciences, Mathematical Sciences, Physics and Psychology.

Johnpaul Chiemelie Anamege
BS, 2019, University of Louisiana, Monroe

Pooja Bheemanapally
BTech, 2022, CVR College of Engineering

Alexander Munroe Carnall
AA, 2009, Cisco College
BS, 2012, University of Texas - Pan American
MS, 2019, University of Memphis

Alok Kumar Das
BS, 2004, Bangladesh
MS, 2022, University of Memphis

Travis Ried Erickson
BS, 1999, University of Mary Washington

Luis Iván Bazán Flores
BS, 2016, Benemérita Universidad Autónoma de Puebla
MS, 2018, University of Aberdeen

Taylor A Flowers
BA, 2017, Southern Connecticut State University
MSED, 2018, University of Pennsylvania

Tiffany D. Geistkemper
BS, 2021, Iowa State University

Josias Omar Gomez
MS, 2016, King University

Abhishek Gudala
BTech, 2021, Anurag Group of Institute

Vamsy Raj Gudala
BTech, 2017, Jawaharlal Nehru Technological University Hyderabad

Alyssa Riley Huffman
BS, 2021, University Southern Mississippi

John Kenneth Kennon
MAT, 2017, University of Memphis

Abhisiktha Kondapartha
Btech, 2022, Jawaharlal Hehru Technological University

Mandarin Mathouchanh
BS, 2014, University of California, Davis

Javier Ignacio Saavedra Moreno
BS, 2018. Universidad Católica del Norte

James Derek Morris
BA, 2019, University of Memphis

Hannah Alexis Nelson-Lannom
BS, 2021, University of Memphis

Kazi Ohiduzzaman
BS, 2014, International Islamic University Chittagong

Chidozie Opata
BS, 2008, University of Port-Harcourt, Nigeria
MS, 2015, University of Port-Harcourt, Nigeria

Sagar Pathak
BE, 2014, Kathmandu University

Masourmeh Rahim
BS, 2016, Payame Noor University
MS, 2022, University of Zanjan

Thomas Rogers Rinehart
BS, 2019, University of Tennessee, Martin

Elizabeth Halle Smith
BA, 2020, Vassar College

Ji Wan Son
BA, 2022, University of Memphis

Saiprakash Reddy Sunkireddy
BTech, 2021, Gandhi Institute of Technology and Management
BET, 2021, Gitam University

Raka Sunderland
BS 2004 Chemistry, University of Florida
MS 2006 Education, University of Pennsylvania

Blake Ryan Telfer
BA, 2020, University of Memphis

George Michael Williford
BA, 2013, Rhodes College

Selena Diane Wood
BA, 2019, Christian Brothers University

Shiyuan Zhang
BE, 2015, Tianjin Polytechnic University
MS, 2019, Ningbo University

MASTER OF SOCIAL WORK

Darnesha Sharron Martin
AS, 2018, Southwest Tennessee Community College
BA, 2021, LeMoyné-Owen College

Julia Grace McManus
BSW, 2022, University of Memphis

Markita Norman Green
BS, 2018, Southwest Tennessee Community College
BA, 2020, University of Memphis

Ava Louise Quinn
BSW, 2022, University of Arkansas, Fayetteville

BACHELOR OF ARTS

The candidates for this degree have majored in African and African American Studies, Anthropology, Criminology and Criminal Justice, Economics, Earth Sciences, English, History, International Studies, Philosophy, Political Science, Psychology, Social Work, Sociology or World Languages.

Andrew Anthony Henton, *summa cum laude*
Abigail Grace Hosea, *summa cum laude*,
University Honors

Marty Lee Hughes, *summa cum laude*
Ethan Barrett Kuespert, *summa cum laude*
Sandra Deanne Little, *summa cum laude*

Johnathan Craig Nguyen, *summa cum laude*
Myahkia Xyande'la Watson, *summa cum*
laude, University Honors with Thesis,
Undergraduate Research Scholar

Brian Jeffrey Bomar, *magna cum laude*
Takiyah Kalani Brown, *magna cum laude*
Amena Fazaldad Chaudhry, *magna cum*
laude

Matthew A. Davis, Jr., *magna cum laude*
Erin K. Dodrill, *magna cum laude*
Jenna Alyse Helmers, *magna cum laude*,
University Honors

Brianna Morelli, *magna cum laude*,
University Honors
Halston Bree Shackelford, *magna cum laude*
Joseph A. Templeton, *magna cum laude*

Shandreikka Leonarshaye Johnson, *cum*
laude
Tyler S. Kimbrough, *cum laude*
Miakyara Pitts, *cum laude*

Codi C. Thomas, *cum laude*
Yaquelin Villatoro Avendano, *cum laude*
John Joseph Wakely, *cum laude*

Jewel L. Walker, *cum laude*
Reagan Lynn Warwick, *cum laude*
Tonnie Lavaja Woods, *cum laude*

Khallee Trev'yette Becton
Sami Charles Blumenthal
Nathanial Denham Bowman
Holden Michael Brewer
Tavarus Deshun Buckley
Zakaria Z. Carpenter
Makayla J. Carter
Donovan R. Chamberlain
Reazen Mo'Nay Chatman
Jannifer Frances Conard
Michael Atwell Conder
Patrice Hope Conner

Dakota Skye Cook
Airreal Godiva Douglas
Leanne Marie Elkins
Kyla Simone Graham
Lakendra A. Greer
Melody S. Hernandez
Ada Joanne Hobbs
Madison Raine Irby
Hector Danilo Irizarry
LaFlatis Jackson-Greene
Toni M. Jenkins
Chantal Monee Johnson

Roddarius Chakwan Johnson
Tyeneshia ZaQuan Johnson
Carolyne Kenner
Jacob Douglas Malone
Brittney Diane Miller
Kenneth Aubrey Miller
Jasundra Denishane Morris
Marquisa Q. Norman
Paula Lynn Parks
Cameron Marie Perry
Endasia Jacoria Puckett
Amillyon N. Riley

Seth Gabriel Rutledge
George Phillip Sala
Evan Ryan Smith
Kaylin Dionna Smith
Gabriel Joseph Tanguay
Luke James Tankersley
Andrew C. Turk
Kimberly Velasquez
Phat Tan Vo

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE

The candidates for this degree have majored in Biology, Chemistry, Computer Science, Mathematical Sciences, Physics or Sociology.

Grace Thienan Nguyen, *cum laude, University*
Honors

Tina Sonia Wadhwa, *cum laude, University*
Honors with Thesis

Sean Alec Campodonico
Taylor Madison Currie

Charles Wesley Ford III
Kylina Maribel Gallegos

Hoang Thien Nguyen
Gillian Arlene Stelly

Sunsiray S. Whitmore

COLLEGE OF COMMUNICATION AND FINE ARTS

Dean, Dr. Debra Burns



The College of Communication and Fine Arts is ultimately centered on visual and audible symbols whose rational and emotional values it is the mission of the College to create and explore. In the belief that perception is largely shaped by experience, the College of Communication and Fine Arts offers a range of symbolically rendered experiences, both individual and collective, in the hope of broadening and sensitizing the perceptions of its students. Through its various professional courses of study, it prepares students to work toward careers in architecture and design, the fine or applied arts, communication & film, or the performing arts, whether as practitioners, teachers, artists, or consultants. The College offers seven degrees by which to accomplish its purposes:

MASTER OF ARCHITECTURE

The candidates for this professional degree have majored in architecture.

Zeinab Eftekhari
BARCH, 2020, Islamic Azad University

MASTER OF ARTS

The candidates for this degree have majored in Art History, Communication & Film or Journalism and Strategic Media.

Kerista Fiske
BA, 2017, University of Wisconsin-Madison
MLIS, 2019, University of Wisconsin-Madison

Aimie Mikhelle Spears
BA, 2010, Virginia Tech
MA, 2017, Virginia Tech
MA, 2019, Arkansas State University

Shaterra Pryor
BS, 2018, Austin Peay State University

MASTER OF MUSIC

The candidates for this degree have concentrated in Conducting, Performance, Composition, Musicology, Orff Schulwerk, Pedagogy, Music Education, or Jazz and Studio Music.

Clifton Alexander Jackson
BM, 2018, University of Memphis

Eric Charles Sorensen
BM, 2017, University of Hawaii

BACHELOR OF ARTS

Candidates for the oldest of the traditional baccalaureate degrees are students who have majored in Advertising; Art with concentrations in Visual Arts, Fashion Merchandising, Fashion Design, and Global Art Histories; Communication with concentrations in Communication Studies and Film & Video Production; Creative Mass Media, and Sports Media; Public Relations, and Public Relations with a concentration in Strategic Social Media.

Riley Shaw DeBardelaben, *magna cum laude* David Landon Schmidt, *magna cum laude* Graydon Paul Sentell, *magna cum laude*
Raghdan Baha Hajjeh, *magna cum laude*

Eric Robert Lentz, *cum laude*

Brianna Kamil Reid, *cum laude*

Jannina Isabella Barber
Mycah Canee Bates
Absalom R. Bolling

Madeline Grace Buie
Chloe Elizabeth Fry
Phoebe Lou Murin

Erin O'Donnell
Jonathan Robertson
Evelyn Mercedes Quinteros

Riley R. Ramsey
Tracie Roberts
Zachary Alexander Wall

BACHELOR OF FINE ARTS

Candidates for this degree have majored in Architecture; Interior Architecture; Interior Architecture; Art with concentrations in Art Education, Graphic Design, Studio Arts and Photography; Theatre with concentrations in Performance, Design and Technical Production, Musical Theatre, or Dance. These graduates have been provided with greater opportunities for specialized study in their chosen field than could be possible under other baccalaureate programs.

Faza Hussain, *cum laude*

Oscar Alfredo Garcia

Brian Yang

BACHELOR OF MUSIC

Candidates for this professional degree have majored in Music with concentrations in Performance; Composition; Music History; Jazz and Studio Performance or Jazz and Studio Composition/Arranging, and Music Education Choral or Music Education Instrumental, or in Music Industry with concentrations in Music Business, and Recording Technology. These graduates have been provided with a greater opportunity for specialized study in a field of music than would be possible under other baccalaureate programs.

Christopher Mathew Gilchrist, *magna cum laude*

Kedrick Leroy Cottrell II, *cum laude*



COLLEGE OF EDUCATION

Dean, Dr. Michael T. Miller

The most historic college at the University of Memphis, the College of Education is nationally accredited and seeks to prepare teachers, education related professionals, and other licensed human service professionals to become effective leaders within their chosen career. The College holds the distinction of being one of the few in the nation to meet, without a weakness, National Council for the Accreditation of Teacher Education (NCATE) standards. In addition to high-quality classroom instruction, most programs are field based. Practical experiences and opportunities for participation in exciting hands-on training and research exist at our award winning Campus School, the Barbara K. Lipman Early Childhood School and Research Institute, our local Professional Development Schools, the nationally known Center for Research in Educational Policy, and internship programs in various community businesses and agencies, all where experts in the student's field of study and University faculty work together to provide valuable on-the-job experience. The College offers off-campus courses at our Collierville, Jackson, and Dyersburg campuses and is a state leader in alternative online degree and licensure programs. Undergraduate programs administered by the College lead to the Bachelor of Science in Education and consist of three basic areas of work: General Education, Professional study, and study within one of 12 areas of Specialty. It is the work within a specialty that determines a student's major. Graduate level studies at the College include 29 Master's and 17 Doctoral degree programs. And, in administering 33 teacher licensure programs, The College of Education is the largest producer of teachers in Tennessee.

MASTER OF ARTS IN TEACHING

The candidates for this degree have majored in Instruction and Curriculum Leadership with emphasis in areas of Early Childhood, Elementary Education, Secondary Education or Middle/School Special Education.

Chloe Jana Hardy
AS, 2015, Southwest Tennessee Community College
BPS, 2019, University of Memphis
MS, 2024, University of Memphis

MASTER OF SCIENCE

The candidates for this degree have majored in the areas of Counseling, Educational Psychology and Research, Instruction and Curriculum Leadership, and Leadership and Policy Studies.

Alexander James Bates
BA, 2021, Mississippi State University

Christine Michelle Bouchard
BPS, 2021, University of Memphis

Lauren Kina'u Boyd
BA, 2016, University of Memphis

Edward Brasher
BS, 2008, University of Tennessee, Martin

Candace Gabrielle Brown
BA, 2015, University of Memphis

Cora Leigh Clark
BS, 2022, Mississippi State University

Makayla Sheree Clements
BA, 2022, University of Memphis

Spenser Paige Crutcher
BS, 2018, Middle Tennessee State University

Ariel Monique Dickerson
BS, 2019, Oglethorpe University

Isaiah Martin Feild
BA, 2019, University of Memphis

William Waterman Ferguson
BA, 2013, Warren Wilson College
MS, 2015, Wake Forest

Roseanne Fries
BA, 1985, University of Memphis
BFA, 1996, University of Memphis

Calvin Devon Gill Jr
BA, 2020, Christian Brothers University

Dionca Nicole Gray-Hall
BPS, 2013, University of Memphis
MA, 2020, Bethel University

Cayla Dionne Harden
BA, 2019, University of Memphis

MASTER OF SCIENCE (Continued)

Katrina Anquanette Hill
AS, 2005, Jackson State Community College
BS, 2007, The University of Memphis
MS, 2010, Trevecca Nazarene University

Savannah Faith Holmes
AA, 2020, Northwest Mississippi Community College
BS, 2022, University of Memphis

Michael Steven Jamison, Jr.
BS, 2011, Tennessee Technological University

Aysia Johnson
BFA, 2021, University of Memphis

Eddie Wayne Johnson
BA, 2018 University of Memphis

Angelica Rachelle Lightfoot
BS, 2020, University of Cincinnati

Aja Shanae Lloyd
BS, 2010, Arkansas State University
MSE, 2012, Arkansas State University
MS, 2016, Arkansas State University

Loren Rachel Madore
MSW, 2024, University of Memphis

Cynthia Lucia Morrison
BS, 2020, Bowling Green State University

Tiara Amini Oringe
BA, 2019, University of Arkansas at Little Rock

Curnisha Lashaw Parker
BS, 2021, University of Memphis

Najuk Patel
BA, 2020, University of Kentucky

Kinsey Mckay Prine
BA, 2021, University of Memphis

Stuart Toby Rosenberg-Janssen
BS, Drexel University, 2009
MAT, 2014, School of the Art Institute of Chicago

Cullen Robison Williams
BA, 2017, Rhodes College

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN EDUCATION

Zoe Claire Barrett, *magna cum laude*

Nicholas C. Finnie, *magna cum laude*

Hannah Grace Hardin, *magna cum laude*

Damaiyah Tiona Adkins

Emily Lynn Harrell

Jessica Morgan Rogers

Talina Angelica Sandoval

Danielle Elizabeth Curland

Cheridan Lydell Penn



COLLEGE OF HEALTH SCIENCES

Dean, Richard Bloomer, PhD

The College of Health Sciences provides students with a top-tier education focused on the fundamental principles of health, exercise, nutrition, and physical activity, while equipping students with the cutting-edge knowledge and skills needed to fulfill leadership roles in their chosen area of specialty. This often includes pursuing graduate study in the allied health-related sciences (e.g., physical therapy, occupational therapy, physician assistant, nutrition, and physical education) or PhD study in related areas. The Dietetics and Clinical Nutrition programs are fully accredited by the Accreditation Council for Education in Nutrition and Dietetics (ACEND). Faculty members within CHS are leaders in their respective disciplines and oversee state-of-the-art research programs in the health sciences. Six undergraduate, seven Master of Science, and two Doctor of Philosophy degree programs are offered within CHS. Minors in Nutrition, Health & Wellness; Personal Training; and Medical Assisting are also offered.

MASTER OF SCIENCE

The candidates for this degree have majored in the areas of Clinical Nutrition, Environmental Nutrition, Exercise, Sport, and Movement Sciences, Health Promotion, Nutrition Science or Physical Education Teacher Education.

Jacqueline Elise Copeland
BS, 2021, University of Memphis

William Corey Crosslin
BS, 2019, University of Memphis

Julie Aryn Edelman
BA, 2007, Wesleyan University

Benson Christopher Hazelwood
AS, 2018, Virginia Highlands Community College
BA, 2022, Rhodes College

Ayah Mohammad
BS, 2023, University of Memphis

Negin Mosalmanzadeh
BS, 2020, Varastegan Institute for Medical Sciences

Zoë K. Simpson
BSED, 2022, University of Tennessee, Knoxville

Yolanda Wilson
BS, 2020, University of Memphis

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE

The candidates for this degree have majored in the areas of Dietetics, Exercise, Sport and Movement Sciences, Healthcare Leadership or Health Sciences.

Priscilla Laney Downen, *summa cum laude*
Sydney Grace Nix, *summa cum laude*

Stephanie LeeAnn Barber, *magna cum laude*
Felicity L. Bost, *magna cum laude*
Michelle Lynn Frulla, *magna cum laude*
Timothy B. Marmino, *magna cum laude*
Breanna LaKee Mcfarland, *magna cum laude*

Hanifah Nathania Banks, *cum laude*
Michael Brandon Boren, *cum laude*
Jaleel Juan Buckner, *cum laude*
Arquel Naomi Claybon, *cum laude*
Lauren L. Dandridge, *cum laude*
Ella Rae Earnest, *cum laude*
Sarah Rose Hofmann, *cum laude*

Hannah Clare Riddick, *summa cum laude*

Jean Emily McVicar, *magna cum laude*
Stephany Montero Hernandez, *magna cum laude*
Makayla Gabriel Moody-Liggins, *magna cum laude*
Gabrielle A. Morgan, *magna cum laude*

Jake M. Lingerfelt, *cum laude*
Kelsey Johnnay Mack, *cum laude*
Emily Walton Meena, *cum laude*
Anna E. Merritt, *cum laude*
Ashley Nicole Pickens, *cum laude*
Elisha Ebonee Pritchett, *cum laude*
Samantha Grace Rayburn, *cum laude*

Alyssa Grace Trammell I, *summa cum laude*

Camryn Taylor-Arie Thompson, *magna cum laude*
Lindsey Marie Thron, *magna cum laude*

Rance F. Santiago, *cum laude, University Honors*
Caleb W. Tosh, *cum laude*
Ashlynn Williams, *cum laude*
Williona Ann Williams, *cum laude*
Anastacia Delana Wright, *cum laude*

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE *(Continued)*

Myrina Jamal Abukhalil	Ariana Monique Davis	Elise Amanda Kelley	Brianna Michelle Price
Leeyah Michal Albea	Lauren Elizabeth Dunn	Kourtnie Jean Kelley	Alexis Schmarje
Angelo Q. Arandia	Jasmine M. Edwards	Cameron Reid Lancaster	Taylor C. Sims
Lanya T. Bates	Ronija Charnell Epps	Kendria Rianne Lobbins	Cornesha Margie Smith
Jasmine Renee Beason	Valerie Espinoza	Kayla Danielle Mason	Elisa Roxana Soto
Lindsey Alise Buley	Sydney Ariel Fields	Hayli-Jordyn Madyson McClain	Brittany R. Stanley
Taylor Alexis Christian	Ciera Foster	Tiffany Ann McWhirter	Malcolm J. Taylor
Somer B. Cobbs	Alexis French	Tomesha Fasha' Mitchell	Brenarsheaire J. Thomas
Makeisha Rose Cockrell	Breanna Lynea Harris	Mary Emilie Nelson	Antonia Tenise Totten
Delethia Delois Coleman	Kennedy Faith Hinton	Annie Himanshu Patel	Lakesha Renea Williams
Alpheus Collier, Jr.	Ashley Ambria Howard	Cole Edward Peppers	Brittney Nicole Wilson
Nila Nigera Conley	Opal Jenkins	Shelby Nicole Perry	Monique Word
Delishia Cherkeira Cross	Natalie June Johnson	Samantha Ann Phillips	Antonia Quinnise Wright
Michael Christopher Davidson	Landon Matthew Keith	Alexis Aundrea Pledge	Chanel Nicole Yancy

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN EDUCATION

The candidates for this degree have majored in the areas of Physical Education Teacher Education.

Thomas Irvin Banks



COLLEGE OF PROFESSIONAL & LIBERAL STUDIES

Dean, Joanne Gikas, EdD

The College of Professional & Liberal Studies, formerly University College, provides interdisciplinary educational opportunities in a flexible, relevant format for a diverse community of traditional and non-traditional adult learners. Established in 1975, the college is an innovator of new programs, a catalyst for interdisciplinary and multidisciplinary efforts throughout the campus, and a facilitator for the community to interact with the University. Students may also take advantage of the unique opportunity to petition for college credit for the knowledge, training, and skills acquired through professional experiences. The college offers individualized programs of study, allowing students to combine several areas of emphases in order to design their own degree. Additionally, we offer interdisciplinary degrees not traditionally offered by other colleges on campus. These include a Bachelor of Professional Studies and a Bachelor of Liberal Studies in over 20 concentrations including Child Development & Family Studies, Merchandising, Legal Studies, and also a Bachelor of Science in Commercial Aviation. Our Graduate Program offers a completely online Master of Professional Studies program with concentrations in Strategic Leadership, Human Resources Leadership, and Training and Development. Student may also design their own graduate individualized program of study through our Master of Arts in Liberal Studies degree as well as a Doctor of Liberal Studies degree.

MASTER OF ARTS IN LIBERAL STUDIES

The candidates have completed a required core of Liberal Studies courses, an interdisciplinary Coordinated Study of Liberal Studies courses from the College of Arts & Sciences and the College of Communication and Fine Arts, and a Special Project in Liberal Studies.

Celeste Riley

AA, 2016, Southwest Tennessee Community College

AS, 2019, Southwest Tennessee Community College

BA, 2022, University of Memphis

MASTER OF PROFESSIONAL STUDIES

The Master of Professional Studies is an interdisciplinary graduate degree in the social sciences and professions with concentrations in Strategic Leadership, Human Resources Leadership, and Training and Development. The degree includes coursework in leadership, communication, strategic planning and assessment, organizational structure, e-learning technologies, management and design of training materials and research/data analysis.

Melissa Renee Marshall
BS, 1993 Middle Tennessee State University

Lia Kenzie Roemer
BPS, 2022, University of Memphis

BACHELOR OF LIBERAL STUDIES

Jason Meran Maul, *summa cum laude*

Brayden E. Asadoorian, *magna cum laude*

Natalie Kathleen Smith, *cum laude*

Kierra Dawn Billbrew

Joseph Zion Cooper

Randy Christopher Jamerson, Jr.

Alayah Ty'Ran Neal

Samuel Dyshun Shiels

Skyler L. Stewart

Vintasha Ormoni Thompson

Aisha Vaughn

Talja Rene Walker

Amber N. Young

BACHELOR OF PROFESSIONAL STUDIES

Elizabeth Alejandra Poole, *summa cum laude*

Jonathan Von Carmichael II, *magna cum laude*

Victoria Alexis Gillert, *magna cum laude*

Toni Ganelle Hoover, *magna cum laude*

Don Russell Medlock II, *magna cum laude*

Christine Murphy, *magna cum laude*

Justin William Reed, *magna cum laude*

Yadira Abigail Wilson, *magna cum laude*

Carsyn Patrice Campbell, *cum laude*

Leslee Olivia Conley, *cum laude*

Dalton Chase Darbonne, *cum laude*

Caleb Daniel Johnson, *cum laude*

Riddhi D. Patel, *cum laude*

Spencer Myers Roberson, *cum laude*

Anna Elba Sampayo, *cum laude*

Demetrice Smith, *cum laude*

Katelynn Marie Stiebel, *cum laude*

Mary Grace Willis, *cum laude*

Kierica Nacoel Autry

Kimberly Mullins Blair

Herish Boyd

Cortni Townsend Brooks

Olivia Adrienne Burch

Jabir Quentin Clayborn

Gursimran Kaur Deol

Bailey Mae Eason

Susan D. Forkos

Christopher Taray Garrett

Jonathan Gonzalez

Sara Fatima-Zahra Guessoum

Irene Dolores Handley

Lisa Hightower

Clay Anthony Holliday, Jr.

Joye Hulbert

Madison Elise Jackson

Johnathan Michael Jones

Lane Elise Julian

Edward Moody King V

Jennifer Livingston

Taira Heidi Matthews

Clinton Dwain Miller

ChaSia Amaris Moorehead

Daisha S. Palmer

Samuel Richard Peterson

Charles J. Richards

Zorika M. Rufus

Michael William Sheehan

Austin Nicholas Soulsby

Maria Templeton

Lelia R. Thompson

Brandon Underwood

Victoria Lynne Wade

Erin Ashley Williams

Whitney Lynn Williams

Elena C. Wilson

Haley Beth Wright

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE

Jonathan Spence Person, *summa cum laude*

Jebb T. Smith, *magna cum laude*

Kyler Alan Coleman, *cum laude*

Benjamin Thomas Merriman, *cum laude*

Matthew D. Vincent, *cum laude*

Chandler Austin Vasquez



FOGELMAN COLLEGE OF BUSINESS & ECONOMICS

Dean, Bobby Garrett, PhD

The Fogelman College of Business & Economics (FCBE), an AACSB accredited institution, comprises six departments (School of Accountancy; Economics; Finance, Insurance and Real Estate; Management Information Systems; Management; and Marketing and Supply Chain Management) and academic programs at all levels – undergraduate, masters and doctoral. Fogelman College’s undergraduate, masters and doctoral enrollments are 2,620, 742 and 78, respectively, and it has 109 full-time and part-time faculty members. Approximately 90% of full-time faculty members hold doctoral degrees. The Fogelman College differentiates itself by providing a unique Complete Professional Program that holistically prepares students with the tools to achieve both personal and professional excellence. Through the Avron B. Fogelman Professional Development Center, FCBE provides training on ethics, healthy living habits, business etiquette, resume building, professionalism, philanthropic activities and more. In addition to the professional development differentiator, Fogelman College is also proud to distinguish itself based on the customized development of MBAs. Fogelman College offers a comprehensive portfolio of graduate programs including five different tracks to earn a MBA. These programs include the Customer-Driven MBA, International MBA, Executive MBA, Online MBA and Professional MBA. Furthermore, Fogelman College works very closely with Memphis area companies, many of them Fortune 500, to offer students invaluable hands-on learning experiences from professionals in these industries.

MASTER OF ARTS

Babasoji Emmanuel Oyemakinde
MS, 2017, University at Buffalo

MASTER OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

The candidates for this degree have majored in Business Administration with emphasis in the areas of Accounting; Biomedical Management; Economics; Finance, Insurance and Real Estate; Management, Information Systems; Marketing; Law or the Professional Program.

Panagiotis Demetrios Bayiokos
BS, 2019, Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University

Ankita Sandeep Bhalerao
BCom, 2014, Nagpur University
LLB, 2017, Nagpur University

Bethany Erin Brashier
BBA, 2018, University of Memphis
BA, 2021, University of Memphis

Raul Jose Cardenas
BBA, 2013, Christian Brothers University

Shareese Lashelle Dean
BA, 2021, University of Memphis

Sean Denley
AAS, 2018, Southwest Tennessee Community College
BAS, 2020, Christian Brothers University

Terry R. Donald
BA, 2015, University of Memphis

Delon Shari Flanagan
BS, 2006, University of Tennessee, Chattanooga

Breann Maria Guerin
AA, 2015, Henry Ford Community College
BBA, 2017, Henry Ford Community College

Lisa Kerry-Ann Herrod
AA, 2009, Bryan & Straton College
BS, 2013, Dyouville College
BPS, 2020, University of Memphis

Mona Ekroll Jaidi
BS, 2021, University of Memphis

Nagarjuna Jamullamudi
BTech, 2011, Acharya Nagarjuna University
MS, 2016, University of Texas, Dallas

Andrew Kovacs
BBA 2020, Belmont University

Joseph Sean Krepela
BS, 2021, University of Memphis

Jeremiah Mooney
BS, 2013, Christian Brothers University
PharmD, 2020, University of Tennessee Health Science Center

Parth N. Morar
BA, 2022, University of Tennessee, Knoxville

Kaitlyn Makae Parks
BBA, 2022, University of Memphis

Rima Jayantibhai Patel
BS, 2016, East Tennessee State University
PharmD, 2024, University of Tennessee Health Science Center

MASTER OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION (*Continued*)

Veronica Atanasov Pehlivanov
BS, 2021, Rhodes College
MHA, 2024, University of Memphis

Rikin Darmendra Rama
MHA, 2024, University of Memphis

Morgan T. Schoep
BA, 2020, University of Tennessee, Martin

DeQuanda Lakeisha Smith
BA, 2016, University of Memphis

Olivia N. Thomas
BBA, 2023, University of Memphis

Nickolas Tilley
BA, 2020, University of Tennessee, Knoxville

Maura Wogksch
BS, 2010, Western Connecticut State University

MASTER OF SCIENCE

The candidates for this degree have majored in Accounting or Business Administration with areas of concentration in Finance or Information Systems.

Matthew Christopher Catlin
BA, 2023, University of Tennessee

Jelina Chudal
BBA, 2017, Kathmandu University

Tatiana Nicole Cowans
BA, 2020, University of Memphis

Manaswini Dumpa
BTech, 2015, Sri Padmavati Mahila Visvavidyalayam

Ying Hu
MBA, 2019, University of Memphis
MS, 2021, University of Memphis

Jenna Rochelle Keller
BBA, 2023, University of Memphis

Digvijaya Koirala
BBA, 2021, Kathmandu University

Salome Supriya Kore
MS, 2005, Osmania University

Nathaniel Wade Landwehr
BS, 2023, University of Alabama

Laasya Mallemputi
BTech, 2021, KKR and KSR Institute of Technology and Sciences

Justin Scott Matthews
AAS, 2011, Northwest Mississippi Community College
AA, 2020, Northwest Mississippi Community College
BBA, 2023, University of Mississippi

Deidra Patrice McCurdy
BBA, 2020, University of Memphis

Pardhu Talasila
BTech, 2020, Koneru Lakshmaiah Education Foundation

Jamica Taylor-Robinson
BBA, 2020, University of Memphis

BACHELOR OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

Chandler Crawford, *summa cum laude*
Shane Habin Han, *summa cum laude*

Anthony B. Aguilera, *magna cum laude*
Mika Berghaus, *magna cum laude*
Xavier Alexander Epps, *magna cum laude*
Yusuf Halim, *magna cum laude*

Benjamin Grant Atkinson, *cum laude*
Tyler Grant Beasley, *cum laude*

Charles Earl Armour III
Samir Bechchar
Lauren Alexis Brown
Timesha Lottia Cash
Aaliyah Janae' Causey
Shacorriea Monae Coleman
Taryn Ashley Donley
Caleigh Ann Douglas
Hanad Mohamed Egal

Laura Harmeier, *summa cum laude*
Asha Danielle Lee, *magna cum laude*
Eric Primo Chanza, *magna cum laude*
Preet Parenbhai Shah, *magna cum laude*
Connor Steele Singleton, *magna cum laude*

Emma Cole Duke, *cum laude*
Hannah Mackenzie Reeves, *cum laude*

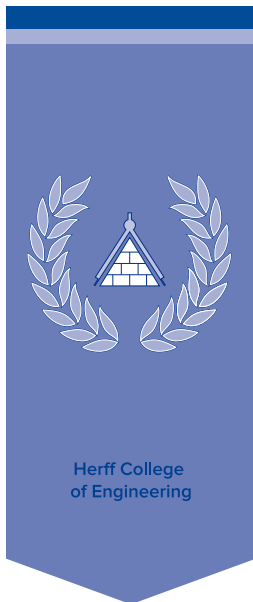
Ariel L. Fields
Arleniqua Victoria Fulton
Christi Jade Fultz
Isaiah Joseph Gammon
Pauline Ashley Gartrell
Marquis Ahmad Huffman
Macy Ciarra Hutchison
Kennedy Alexis-Rae Jenkins
Blake Jorden Johnson

Christopher Austin O'Connor, *summa cum laude*

Hayden Witherspoon, *magna cum laude*
Donyale Markeith Young, *magna cum laude*

Gabrielle L. Richardson, *cum laude*

Krysten Lanell Johnson
Kendall Hunter Kelly
Gabriel William Loesch
Josephine Marie McClain
Sophia Angelina Mendez
Hector Mendoza
Shammeika Lashon Moore
Jonathan D. Pernell
Dylan Jared Pita
Malik Richardson
Joshua Eli Robinson
Joseph Lee Roman
Syed Sameer Ali Shirazee
Coleby Ryan Stout
Voshon Lemont Tate
Astra Delilah Vaughan
DeMarcus Louis Williams



HERFF COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING

Dean, Okenwa Okoli, PhD

The mission of the College of Engineering is: to provide quality education, research, and service that responds to the needs and challenges of the Mid-South region; to promote the knowledge, skills, ethics, creativity, and critical thinking necessary for professional competence and lifelong learning, including an international perspective and a social awareness and to conduct quality scholarship and research across the College, including world-class research in selected areas. The following are the degrees offered with the appropriate concentrations within the respective areas:

MASTER OF SCIENCE

The candidates for this degree have majored in Biomedical Engineering, Civil Engineering, Electrical and Computer Engineering, Engineering Technology or Mechanical Engineering.

Hamza Dakhalalah
BS, 2020, Jordan University of Science and Technology

Gowthami Lakshmi Prasanna Dasari
BTech, 2021, Marri Laxman Reddy Institute of Technology and Management

Yogita Manasa Dintakurthi
BS, 2021, University of Memphis

Elijah A. Durkee
BS, 2022, University of Memphis

Juan Pablo Esparza
BS, 2022, University of Memphis

Remo Gay II
BS, 2012, University of Arkansas, Pine Bluff

Lewis Winston Harris III
BS, 2020, Middle Tennessee State University
BS, 2018, Middle Tennessee State University

Peter M. Le
BA, 2023, University of Memphis

Christopher M. Madlinger
BS, 2022, University of Memphis

Khayrun Nahar Mitu
BS, 2018, Shahjalal University of Science and Technology

Esther L. Pavao
AS, 2016, Jackson State Community College
BS, 2022, University of Memphis

Douglas Winston Powell
BS, 2002, East Carolina University
MA, 2004, East Carolina University
PhD, 2009, University of Tennessee Knoxville

Jermiah Denise Tate
BS, 2022, Xavier University of Louisiana

Gopi Krishna Sai Vankayalapati
Btech, 2017, Gokaraju Rangaraju Institute of Engineering & Technology

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN BIOMEDICAL ENGINEERING

Tibirni R. Yusuf, *summa cum laude*,
University Honors, Undergraduate Research Scholar

Nada Mohammad Herzallah, *magna cum laude*

Landon J. Murrell

Ryan Christopher Pursley

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN CIVIL ENGINEERING

Luke Anthony Guess, *summa cum laude* Jacob Andrew Hall, *summa cum laude*

Sergio Mauricio Benavides, *magna cum laude*

Meaghan Owens, *cum laude*

Aiden P. Grimes Alex Christian Robinson

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN ELECTRICAL ENGINEERING

Erik James Boyd, *magna cum laude*

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN MECHANICAL ENGINEERING

Landon J. Murrell Pedro Manuel Rodriguez, Jr. Geoffrey A. Warberg Marlon Aleeeke Young

KEMMONS WILSON SCHOOL OF HOSPITALITY & RESORT MANAGEMENT

Dean, Radesh Palakurthi, PhD, MBA



The Kemmons Wilson School of Hospitality & Resort Management's enduring ambition is to develop global hospitality and sport management leaders that excel in operations and senior corporate positions. The mission is to produce excellent leaders that will be thoroughly prepared to thrive in the challenging global environment of the 21st century hospitality industry. The mission is accomplished through pursuing four major priorities: Student Learning achieved through a contemporary curriculum that is enhanced with experiential learning, study abroad programs, leadership and team-building opportunities; Industry Engagement built through strategic partnerships for extending student placement, faculty development and curriculum improvements; Discovery through student and faculty scholarship aimed at disseminating and sharing knowledge and information for the benefit of the global hospitality community; and, Resource Development for continuously improving learning, scholarship, and service opportunities for students and faculty. The School's values emanate from the Kemmons Wilson philosophy which, foster a positive attitude and confidence developed through an array of competencies and hard work; instills entrepreneurial spirit achieved through seizing opportunities, intelligent risk-taking and dedication to work and capital ideas; maintains a life-long relationships through trust, honesty, and integrity; and by living a wholesome lifestyle that is achieved through a balanced approach to professional and personal commitments.

MASTER OF SCIENCE

Kailey Michelle Hilderbrand
BLS, 2022, University of Memphis

Marcus DeShon Nunnally II
BS, 2022, University of Memphis

Victoria Grace Jackson
BS, 2022, University of Memphis

Samantha Mia Van Sickle
BS, 2022, University of Memphis

BACHELOR OF ARTS

Trey Olivier McArthur, *summa cum laude*

Zane C. Oquin, *magna cum laude*

Cullen Frederick Hiatt

Grayson Michael Weatherly

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE

Andrew Amani Mason, *cum laude*

Shelbee Dionne Brown
Gabriel Adriano Christensen

Khristian Alexander Golden
James Kelly Heathcoat

Justin Blake James McDowell
Jake Pierce Rich

Brandon Lamont Thomas

LOEWENBERG COLLEGE OF NURSING

Dean, Dr. Linda Haddad



The Loewenberg College of Nursing (LCON) provides accessible and innovative higher education by preparing leaders who promote health in the global community through excellent teaching, rigorous research and collaborative practice/service. The Loewenberg College of Nursing (both undergraduate and graduate programs) is fully accredited by the Commission for Collegiate Nursing Education. The high quality education is reflected in graduates' 95%-100% NCLEX pass rates and sought by world-renowned clinical settings. With advanced preparation for practice as family nurse practitioners, nurse educators, or nurse administrators, our MSN graduates are prepared to shape the future of healthcare in our nation. Faculty of the LCON are proud to present the following graduates who have met all of the requirements for either the bachelor of science (BSN) or the master of science in nursing (MSN) degree.

MASTER OF SCIENCE IN NURSING

Sloan Lundberg Anderson
BS, 2013, University of Tennessee, Martin
BSN, 2020, University of Tennessee Health Science Center

Brittany Starlette Hart
BPS, 2018, University of Memphis
BSN, 2020, University of Memphis

Abigail Brister Channell
AS, 2019, Copiah-Lincoln Community College
BSN 2021, Mississippi University for Women

Cameron Paige Russell
BSN, 2015, University of Tennessee

Terin Harris Farmer
BS, 2011, Middle Tennessee State University
BSN, 2016, University of Memphis

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN NURSING

Rhonda Gillette Dabney, *cum laude*

Mary Jane Anderson Knight, *cum laude*

Ebony Chideraakanene Ozobu, *cum laude*

Jordan Earl Bedford
Christine Marie Davis

Catina L. Jones
Andrea Michelle McKinnie

Laura L. Parker

Kia Najla Robinson



THE SCHOOL OF COMMUNICATION SCIENCES & DISORDERS

Dean, Linda Jarmulowicz, PhD

The School of Communication Sciences and Disorders promotes effective communication and function of related systems for all individuals through excellence in education, research, and practice. The school houses two nationally ranked and accredited professional graduate programs, a research-focused PhD, and an undergraduate program. The master's degree in speech-language pathology (M.A.) and the clinical doctorate in audiology (Au. D.) emphasize theoretical and applied aspects of communication disorders and prepare graduates for clinical careers within the fields and for further graduate study. At the research level, the Doctor of Philosophy (Ph.D.) program emphasizes the theoretical and applied aspects of communication disorders that prepare graduates for academic research and teaching positions within the field and for postdoctoral graduate study. The Bachelor of Arts (B.A.) in American Sign Language and Deaf Studies prepares students to be advocates of the language, the culture, and people who are Deaf or Hard of Hearing. We are proud of the following graduates:

MASTER OF ARTS

Anne Evelyn Adams
BA, 2022, Union University

Phoebe Kennedy Anderson
BS, 2021, Virginia Commonwealth University

Olivia Jane Averitt
BS, 2022, University of Alabama, Huntsville

Brittney Diana Beecham
BS, 2022, University of Tennessee, Martin

Jessica Beth Cantrell
BS, 2000, Lipscomb University
MA, 2005, Trevecca Nazarene

Paige Hannah Clark
BS, 2020, University of Tennessee, Martin
MS, 2022, University of Tennessee, Martin

Anna Elisabeth Eagle
BA, 2021, Roanoke College

Karla Lanae Hines
BA, 2022, Vanderbilt University

Franklin Jacob Koch
BA, 2014, University of Tennessee, Martin

Joyce Kelly McCormick
BA, 2017, University of Texas at Austin

Rebecca Cheyanne-Starr McCown
AS, 2018, Jackson State Community College
BA, 2020, University of Memphis

Maggie Lynn Nuckols
BS, 2022, Berry College

Sophia Garland Tusan
BA, 2022, Mississippi College

Angela Don Willbanks
BA, 2018, Arkansas State University



SCHOOL OF PUBLIC HEALTH

Dean, Dr. Ashish Joshi

The School of Public Health, nationally accredited by the Council on Education for Public Health, provides both graduate and undergraduate education, practicum experience, and research training to develop capabilities and address the growing need for a proficient public health workforce. The School offers a Bachelor of Science in Public Health (BSPH); three master's degrees (Master of Science in Biostatistics; Master of Public Health; and Master of Health Administration); and three doctoral degrees (Biostatistics, Epidemiology, and Social & Behavioral Sciences). The Master of Public Health provides concentrations in five areas: Biostatistics, Epidemiology, Urban Health, Social & Behavioral Sciences, and Generalist. The nationally-ranked Master of Health Administration and online Executive MHA are accredited by the Commission on Accreditation of Healthcare Management Education (CAHME) and are the only CAHME-accredited programs in Tennessee. Our mission involves the translation of knowledge and research into community practice to tackle pressing societal problems of social and environmental justice, health disparities, unhealthy lifestyles, and accessible systems that support the health of individuals, families, and communities. We emphasize both discovery and application with the goal of moving “knowledge into action” locally, nationally, and globally. We are proud of the following graduates:

MASTER OF HEALTH ADMINISTRATION

The candidates for this degree have majored in Public Health with emphasis in the areas of Biostatistics, Epidemiology, Environmental Health, Health Systems Management or Social and Behavioral Sciences.

Geneth Kay Wolfer
 BS, 1974, Andrews University
 DO, 1980, Kansas City University
 JD, 2002, University of Tennessee College of Law
 MBA, 2016, Tennessee Technological University
 MPS, 2017, Tennessee Technological University
 MPH, 2023, University of Tennessee, Knoxville

MASTER OF PUBLIC HEALTH

The candidates for this degree have majored in Public Health with emphasis in the areas of Biostatistics, Epidemiology, Environmental Health, Health Systems Management or Social and Behavioral Sciences.

Luma Akil
 MS, 2009, Jackson State University
 PhD, 2013, Jackson State University

Ezinwa Chidinma Anyanwu
 BS, 2014, Lugansk State Medical University, Ukraine

Stefani Ashbridge
 BA, 2014, Weber State University

Garrett Wilson Helburn
 BS, 2022, Texas Christian University

Tyler Marie Kiles
 BA, 2012, The University of Texas, Austin
 PharmD, 2016, University of Houston College of Pharmacy

Robyn Elizabeth Partin
 BS, 2006, University of Kansas
 MS, 2008, University of Memphis

Tharani Ramesh Chithra
 BE, 2013, Anna University, India

Jamecia Darme' Richardson
 BS, 2018, University of Memphis
 BHS, 2020, Baptist Health Sciences University

Sarah Elizabeth Logan Thurmond
 BA, 2021, University of Alabama

Jennifer Turchi
 BS, 2005, Clemson University
 MS, 2007, Clemson University
 MA, 2009, The University of Iowa
 PhD, 2014, The University of Iowa

Cristobal Valdebenito
 BA, 2014, The Ohio State University
 MA, 2020, University of Wisconsin, Milwaukee

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