

# ILLINOIS COLLEGE

## *Annual Commencement*



ONE HUNDRED AND NINETY-SECOND YEAR  
JACKSONVILLE, ILLINOIS

SUNDAY, THE SIXTEENTH OF MAY  
TWO THOUSAND AND TWENTY ONE  
ONE O'CLOCK IN THE AFTERNOON  
VIRTUAL CEREMONY

# Commencement Ceremony

DR. BARBARA A. FARLEY, PRESIDENT, PRESIDING

WELCOME ..... *President Farley*

INVOCATION ..... *Dr. Timothy McGee,  
Chaplain and Coordinator of Interfaith and Inclusion Initiatives*

GREETINGS FROM BOARD CHAIR ..... *Steven R. Mills '77,  
Chair, Board of Trustees*

RECOGNITION OF FACULTY AND STUDENT HONORS ..... *Dr. Catharine O'Connell,  
Provost and Dean of the College*

CONFERRAL OF DEGREES IN COURSE ..... *Provost O'Connell*

ALUMNI ASSOCIATION WELCOME ..... *Keith O. Bradbury '73,  
President, Alumni Association*

CHARGE TO THE CLASS OF 2021 ..... *President Farley*

BENEDICTION ..... *Chaplain McGee*

# Degrees to be Conferred

AS APPROVED BY THE FACULTY AND THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES

## Bachelor of Arts

### KAILEY MARIE ACRA

Communication & Rhetorical Studies  
*Dupo, Illinois*

### ASHER JASON

#### AUGUSTUS-MARSHALL

Business Administration  
*Vacaville, California*

### ELLIOT GRAY BROWN

History  
*Champaign, Illinois*

### BENJAMIN DEAN ALLI

Criminal Justice  
*Centralia, Illinois*

### ANNABETH CHLOE BATSON

Business Administration  
*Steeleville, Illinois*

### KENNEDY MORGAN CARNES

Education  
*Bethalto, Illinois*

### NICHOLAS J. AMODEO

Actuarial Science  
Mathematics  
*Winfield, Illinois*

### JESSICA LANELLE BELZER

Accounting  
Finance  
*Belleville, Illinois*

### STEPHEN LEE CARR

History  
*Jacksonville, Illinois*

### ELLIE MARIE ANGLIN

Education  
*O'Fallon, Illinois*

### BRITNY A. BERGHEGER

Sociology  
Psychology  
*Rock Island, Illinois*

### SHADOW LONDON-JETT CHANTHADOUANGSY

Business Administration  
*Athens, Tennessee*

### SUBHI KHALIL ANSHASI

Finance  
Accounting  
*Kuwait City, Kuwait*

### BRETT MICHAEL BETTIS

Business Administration  
*Jacksonville, Illinois*

### KIRKLAND MICHAEL CHAPPELL

Sports Management  
*Jacksonville, Illinois*

### JOHN-DAVID ROLLAND ANTOINE

Business Administration  
*Springfield, Illinois*

### SPENCER MACKENZIE BLOOME

Communication & Rhetorical Studies  
Art & Design in Visual Studies  
*Litchfield, Illinois*

### ISAAC KRISTOPHER COLLINS

Business Administration  
*Springfield, Illinois*

### MCABRAHAM KWABENA APPIAH-KUBI

Business Administration  
*Kumasi, Ghana*

### ANDREW JOSEPH BRIDGES

Criminal Justice  
*Nilwood, Illinois*

### SEAN PATRICK CORLEY

Environmental Studies  
*Trenton, Illinois*

### JULIET ANNE ARNOLD

Business Administration  
*Bluff Springs, Illinois*

### JORDAN RACHEL BROEKER

Agribusiness Management  
*Washington, Missouri*

### JADEN MICHAEL CRAIGMILES

Business Administration  
*Kane, Illinois*

**AUSTIN CROWDER**

Education  
*Jacksonville, Illinois*

**JAIME FILIO-CRUZ**

Sociology  
*Canton, Illinois*

**ZACHARY JAMES HACKERT**

Political Science  
*Jacksonville, Illinois*

**LAQUARIUS ANTOINE DAVIS**

Business Administration  
Sports Management  
*Hopkinsville, Kentucky*

**GRANT M. FLYNN**

Agribusiness Management  
*Jacksonville, Illinois*

**BROOKE ELISABETH HADLEY**

Business Administration  
*Springfield, Illinois*

**SARAH JANE DAWDY**

Criminal Justice  
*Jacksonville, Illinois*

**JOSIAH DANIEL FOLLIS**

Business Administration  
*Nokomis, Illinois*

**JORDAN ZION HALL**

Theatre  
Business Administration  
*Fairview Heights, Illinois*

**DAVID A. DELLIT**

Economics  
*Peoria Heights, Illinois*

**GUENEVERE MCKENNA  
BLACK FORD**

English  
*Jacksonville, Illinois*

**LYNDI DIANE HALL**

Accounting  
*Versailles, Illinois*

**MARGARET ROSE DOOLEY**

Business Administration  
History  
*Pendleton, Indiana*

**JOSEPH ROBERT FOSCHI**

Criminal Justice  
History  
*Crescent City, Illinois*

**REILLY ISABELLA HANCOCK**

Environmental Studies  
*Loves Park, Illinois*

**KATHERINE ELIZABETH ELMORE**

Agribusiness Management  
Biology  
*New Berlin, Illinois*

**MOLLY ELIZABETH GEARIN**

Environmental Studies  
*Saint Louis, Missouri*

**ZOE MCKENZIE HARTZ**

Accounting  
Finance  
*Jacksonville, Illinois*

**DEANDRE RASHEED ENOCH**

Communication & Rhetorical Studies  
*Chicago, Illinois*

**SUSANA D. GONZALEZ MARTINEZ**

Spanish  
*Chicago, Illinois*

**ERIC JOSEPH HASQUIN**

Accounting  
Finance  
*Staunton, Illinois*

**MEGAN ANN EXNER**

Agribusiness Management  
*Kirkland, Illinois*

**JOSHUA SCOTT GRANT**

Business Administration  
*Rochester, Illinois*

**JARED CHRISTOPHER HAYNES**

Agribusiness Management  
*De Land, Illinois*

**EMILY FANNING**

Economics  
Agribusiness Management  
*Jacksonville, Illinois*

**LAYNE MORGAN GREGORY**

English  
Education  
*Pittsfield, Illinois*

**MEGAN LYNN HETTENHAUSEN**

Business Administration  
Communication & Rhetorical Studies  
*Okawville, Illinois*

**ANTHONY CARTER HILLEY**

Agribusiness Management  
*Pisgah, Alabama*

**JESSICA JOANNE JORDAN**

Agribusiness Management  
*West Union, Illinois*

**BROOKLYN TAYLER LAHEY**

Mathematics  
*Jacksonville, Illinois*

**SYDNEY ELIZABETH HIMMELMAN**

Mathematics  
*Geneseo, Illinois*

**OLIVIA ROSE JORDAN**

English  
Education  
*Moweaqua, Illinois*

**MORGAN KAY LALLISH**

Accounting  
Business Administration  
*Fairview Heights, Illinois*

**TANNER JEFFERY HUEGEN**

Business Administration  
*Breese, Illinois*

**MUHAMMAD IBRAHIM KAMAL**

Economics  
Finance  
*Faisalabad, Pakistan*

**PAIGE NICOLE LEAHY**

Business Administration  
*Oak Forest, Illinois*

**SEAN MICHAEL HYNES**

Business Administration  
*Jacksonville, Illinois*

**RYAN JOSEPH KAUFMANN**

Business Administration  
*Jacksonville, Illinois*

**MEGAN ANN LEY**

Mathematics  
Economics  
*Havana, Illinois*

**ABBY MARIE ISHAM**

Communication & Rhetorical Studies  
*Springfield, Illinois*

**MUAMER KERMO**

Criminal Justice  
Sociology  
*Zenica, Bosnia and Herzegovina*

**MICHELLE M. LINDSAY**

Business Administration  
*Somerville, Massachusetts*

**KAITLYNN IRENE JACOBY**

Music  
Psychology  
*Springfield, Illinois*

**SAMUEL TERRENCE KILLDAY**

Agribusiness Management  
*Winchester, Illinois*

**ASHLEY CHEYENNE LOFTON**

Finance  
*Chicago, Illinois*

**MONTGOMERY JAMES JENNINGS**

Criminal Justice  
*Cypress, California*

**BRIAN DAVID KINDT**

Business Administration  
*Chesterfield, Missouri*

**ROBERTO A. LOPEZ**

Communication & Rhetorical Studies  
*Bloomington, Illinois*  
*IN MEMORIAM*

**CLAY PATRICK JOHNSON**

History  
*Springfield, Illinois*

**JASAUN MAKHI KING**

Communication & Rhetorical Studies  
*Belleville, Illinois*

**MEGAN ESTHER LOVELAND**

Accounting  
Business Administration  
*London Mills, Illinois*

**ERNEST SHA'KEL JOHNSON**

Business Administration  
*Morgantown, West Virginia*

**JOSEPH RAY DOTE LAGAHID**

International Studies  
Spanish  
*Waukegan, Illinois*

**SERENITY GAYLE LOWE**

Business Administration  
*Edwardsville, Illinois*

**MICHAEL MORYA MAHUNG**

Business Administration  
*Evanston, Illinois*

**OLIVIA T. MOLETTE**

Accounting  
*Chicago, Illinois*

**BEAU RILEY PARKEVICH**

Sports Management  
*Jacksonville, Illinois*

**AUSTEN MICHAEL PIPER MANLEY**

Criminal Justice  
*White Hall, Illinois*

**CORINNE MICHELLE MONROE**

Sociology  
*Normal, Illinois*

**LEVI A. PARKEVICH**

Education  
*Jacksonville, Illinois*

**JAMES ALLEN MARCINKOWSKI**

Business Administration  
*Sycamore, Illinois*

**GRACE ELIZABETH MOORE**

Communication & Rhetorical Studies  
Business Administration  
*Mount Sterling, Illinois*

**WILLIAM CHRISTIAN PEAK**

Agribusiness Management  
*Jacksonville, Illinois*

**EMILY MARIE MAUL**

Education  
*Jacksonville, Illinois*

**LUCAS ALAN MOTLEY**

Political Science  
*Palmyra, Illinois*

**SERGIO PEÑA**

Communication & Rhetorical Studies  
*Aurora, Illinois*

**CONNOR M. MCANDREW**

Business Administration  
*Springfield, Illinois*

**NOAH BRAYDEN NELSON**

Business Administration  
*Peoria Heights, Illinois*

**ALYSSA MARIE PFEILER**

Political Science  
*Springfield, Illinois*

**ARIANNA MCGUIRE**

Political Science  
*Plainfield, Illinois*

**AUSTIN JAMES NEWTON**

Business Administration  
*Lincoln, Illinois*

**SEAN M. PICKERILL**

Criminal Justice  
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**RICHARD JACOB MCQUEEN**

Communication & Rhetorical Studies  
*Swansea, Illinois*

**MADISON EMILE NICKRENT**

Education  
*Bloomington, Illinois*

**STEVEN ROBERT PRICE**

Mathematics  
*Dawson, Illinois*

**ELIZABETH P. MEYER**

Accounting  
Business Administration  
*Caseyville, Illinois*

**ALYSSA ROSE OLAGBEGI**

Sociology  
*Atlanta, Georgia*

**ALEXANDRA E. PYLE**

Business Administration  
Communication & Rhetorical Studies  
*Pawnee, Illinois*

**FELICITAS MOJICA CHAVEZ**

Business Administration  
*Chicago, Illinois*

**BIBIYEMI SUBOMI OLAITAN**

Political Science  
*Saint George, Virginia*

**EMMA LYNN RAFTERY**

Accounting  
Finance  
*Barry, Illinois*

**JENNIFER SUE RATLIFF**

Agribusiness Management  
*Murrayville, Illinois*

**CYNTHIA DAWN STAAKE**

Agribusiness Management  
*Chapin, Illinois*

**MIGUEL ANTONIO TELLEZ**

Criminal Justice  
*Cicero, Illinois*

**ISAAC ALLAN RHINEHART**

Environmental Studies  
*Chandlerville, Illinois*

**DAKOTA PAUL STEVENS**

Business Administration  
Economics  
*Milford, Illinois*

**ADRIEN TEXIER**

Economics  
*Grasse, France*

**GRETCHEN MARIE RIGGLE**

Mathematics  
Actuarial Science  
*Divide, Colorado*

**MITCHELL E. STONEHOUSE**

History  
*Hernando, Mississippi*

**AYDEN ANNA THOMAS**

English  
*Mason City, Illinois*

**RAUL RUBALCAVA III**

Business Administration  
International Studies  
*Wylie, Texas*

**ERIK DAVID STOVER**

Agribusiness Management  
*Chesterfield, Illinois*

**LAURYN PAIGE THORNTON**

Finance  
Economics  
*Riverton, Illinois*

**CONNOR CHARLES RUTHERFORD**

Business Administration  
*Springfield, Illinois*

**KAYLIE STOWE**

Criminal Justice  
*Newburgh, Indiana*

**D'ARTAGNAN QUINN TODD**

Business Administration  
Accounting  
*Hamilton, Illinois*

**ALEXANDER JAMES SANTERELLI**

Business Administration  
*Riverton, Illinois*

**YANAN SUN**

Economics  
Finance  
*Chengdu, China*

**HUNTER JAMES TOEBEN**

Business Administration  
Agribusiness Management  
*Breese, Illinois*

**DAVID C. SEERING**

Economics  
*Gurnee, Illinois*

**JAYLIN MICHEAL SWAN**

Business Administration  
*Saint Louis, Missouri*

**AMY M. TOOTHAKER**

Education  
*Farmington, Illinois*

**TIFFANY JADE SHIRKEY**

Communication & Rhetorical Studies  
Business Administration  
*Dongola, Illinois*

**KATELYN MARIE TABIT**

Agribusiness Management  
*Jacksonville, Illinois*

**SHELBY RENEE TRIBBLE**

Criminal Justice  
*Jacksonville, Illinois*

**MATTHEW RAYMOND SHOOK**

Accounting  
Finance  
*Woodstock, Illinois*

**CHEYANNE ELIZABETH TAYLOR**

Sociology  
*Lexington, Illinois*

**JACOB M. TRIM**

Sports Management  
Business Administration  
*Memphis, Tennessee*

**LAURYN RENEE TUETKEN**

Education  
*Hillsboro, Illinois*

**ZACHARY PAUL VESPA**

Sports Management  
Business Administration  
*Springfield, Illinois*

**SAMUEL CLAYTON WENDA**

Finance  
Accounting  
*Petersburg, Illinois*

**CORBIN NATHANIEL TULLIS**

Business Administration  
*Springfield, Illinois*

**GRACE A. VESTAL**

Communication & Rhetorical Studies  
English  
*Oak Park, Illinois*

**PYPER ELAINE WETTSTEIN**

Communication & Rhetorical Studies  
*Mount Sterling, Illinois*

**REBEKAH LYNN VAN BEBBER**

Accounting  
*Auburn, Illinois*

**BROOKE JESSICA WALKER**

Criminal Justice  
*Meredosia, Illinois*

**ARIANA NICOLE WHITE**

Business Administration  
*Pittsfield, Illinois*

**CALEB J. VANDEVELDE**

Business Administration  
*Winchester, Illinois*

**MAZI GEORGANN WALKER**

Agribusiness Management  
*Winchester, Illinois*

**SAMANTHA ELAINE WOODS**

Accounting  
*Bunker Hill, Illinois*

**NATHANIEL JOSEPH VANDYGRIFF**

Criminal Justice  
*Medora, Illinois*

**MAXWELL L. WALLACE**

English  
*Alton, Illinois*

**SETH DAVID VAUGHN**

Business Administration  
*Pana, Illinois*

**ASIA RENEÉ WATSON**

Business Administration  
Communication & Rhetorical Studies  
*Murphysboro, Illinois*

# *Bachelor of Science*

## **SANI BAGNAH-ROGERS**

Computer Science  
*Brooklyn, New York*

## **ASHLEY ELITA BROASTER**

Health Sciences  
*Chicago, Illinois*

## **MONTANA JO GILBERT**

Biology  
*Pocahontas, Illinois*

## **HANNAH BROOKE BAKER**

Biology  
*Webb City, Missouri*

## **MAKENNA JAE BUTCHER**

Health Sciences  
*Waverly, Illinois*

## **KALISA BELL GOERTZ**

Psychology  
Criminal Justice  
*Rochester, Illinois*

## **DEVIN BREYANNA NICOLE BATTEFELD**

Psychology  
*Meredosia, Illinois*

## **DEVON ANTHONY BUTLER**

Kinesiology  
*Fairfield, Illinois*

## **TAYLOR MATTHEW HALTEMAN**

Biology  
*Webster Groves, Missouri*

## **ABENEZER JEMBERU BEKELE**

Computer Science  
Finance  
*Addis Ababa, Ethiopia*

## **SON Q. DIEP**

Computer Science  
*Champaign, Illinois*

## **JIONNA NICOLE HARMON**

Biochemistry  
*Chicago, Illinois*

## **MYCHAELA ELYSE BENNETT**

Biology  
*Mesa, Arizona*

## **MORGAN JAMES DIXON**

Computer Science  
*Mount Sterling, Illinois*

## **CADE CHRISTIAN HENNEMANN**

Physics  
*Pawnee, Illinois*

## **BROOKLYNN NICOLE BERRY**

Health Sciences  
Communication & Rhetorical Studies  
*East Peoria, Illinois*

## **COLIN MICHAEL EDWARDS**

Health Sciences  
*Peoria, Illinois*

## **GIANNA LORRAINE HINES**

Psychology  
*Auburn, Illinois*

## **ALYSSA G. BICE**

Health Sciences  
*Galesburg, Illinois*

## **SAMANTHA RENEE FAITH**

Biology  
*Springfield, Illinois*

## **YE HTET**

Computer Science  
Mathematics  
*Yangon, Myanmar*

## **SUNDAY NDOMA BOBORI**

Biochemistry  
*Ikom, Nigeria*

## **NICOLE RIANNE FISHER**

Biology  
*Springfield, Illinois*

## **ANN MARTHA MARIE IBBERSON**

Biochemistry  
*Virden, Illinois*

## **MIKHAIL J. BREWER**

Health Sciences  
*Chicago, Illinois*

## **GERIK RANDOLPH GARLINGTON**

Health Sciences  
*Mascoutah, Illinois*

## **JAMES EVAN IBBERSON**

Biology  
*Virden, Illinois*

**CHLOE KATHRYN KIRBACH**

Psychology  
*Springfield, Illinois*

**ARIT`EJA TASHANNA MILLER**

Health Science  
*Chicago, Illinois*

**JASPER M. RAINES-KILCOYNE**

Biology  
*Chatham, Illinois*

**MADISON NICOLE KLANKE**

Psychology  
*Vandalia, Illinois*

**MADELYN ARLENE MONGE**

Psychology  
*Roanoke, Illinois*

**SAVANNAH MARIA RANGEL**

Health Sciences  
*Danville, Illinois*

**KOLE A. LOWRY**

Biology  
*Saint Jacob, Illinois*

**MADISON NICOLE MORGAN**

Psychology  
Sociology  
*Mount Zion, Illinois*

**JOSEPH M. RATERMANN**

Biology  
*Breese, Illinois*

**JIAQI LU**

Biology  
*Shanghai, China*

**JONAH M. PATTIE**

Computer Science  
*Jacksonville, Illinois*

**LEAH NICHOLE REITHER**

Psychology  
*Beardstown, Illinois*

**KENDALL PAIGE LUSTIK**

Biology  
*Plainfield, Illinois*

**NATALIE GRACE PETHES**

Biology  
*Schaumburg, Illinois*

**SAVANNAH KAY RENKEN**

Biology  
*Springfield, Illinois*

**YIFAN MAO**

Physics  
Computer Science  
*Huainan, Jiangsu, China*

**SIRIKARN PHUANGTHONG**

Chemistry  
Physics  
*Bangkok, Thailand*

**KAYLEE ROSE REYNOLDS**

Psychology  
*Riverton, Illinois*

**SETH I. MCDANIEL**

Biology  
*Moweaqua, Illinois*

**JUSTIN LLOYD POLLARD**

Health Sciences  
*Roodhouse, Illinois*

**ARIEL MARIE RHOADES**

Biology  
*Mount Zion, Illinois*

**JOSEPH ALEXANDER MENDALA**

Biology  
*Oak Lawn, Illinois*

**MACKENZIE L. PREWITT**

Psychology  
*Jacksonville, Illinois*

**HANNAH JANE SAATHOFF**

Biology  
*Donnellson, Illinois*

**TYLER LOUIS MENG**

Biochemistry  
*Chatham, Illinois*

**MEGAN LYNN PRICE**

Biochemistry  
*Petersburg, Illinois*

**SHELBY LYNN SALZMAN**

Health Sciences  
*Brighton, Illinois*

**ANNIE RUTH SAXTON**

Environmental Studies  
*Alton, Illinois*

**KYNDAL ALYCE SMITH**

Psychology  
*Girard, Illinois*

**DALTON AARON WEST**

Biochemistry  
*Hettick, Illinois*

**SAMANTHA ANN SEGGERMAN**

Health Sciences  
Psychology  
*El Paso, Illinois*

**ANDREA LEIGH STONE**

Health Sciences  
*New Berlin, Illinois*

**SAVANAH T.L. WILBOURN**

Biology  
*Chicago, Illinois*

**EVAN MICHAEL SHADE**

Computer Science  
*Jacksonville, Illinois*

**JACOB STEPHEN THALLER**

Psychology  
Sports Management  
*East Peoria, Illinois*

**BRYTON RICHELLE WILSON**

Psychology  
*Bolingbrook, Illinois*

**SABRINA SIRAJ SHIVANI**

Biochemistry  
Business Administration  
Spanish  
*Memphis, Tennessee*

**OMAR URQUIZA**

Computer Science  
*Beardstown, Illinois*

**EMILY E. WOODS**

Psychology  
English  
*Mazon, Illinois*

**ANNA MARIE SIRAGUSA**

Psychology  
Sociology  
*Oswego, Illinois*

**ALLISON JO WARD**

Health Sciences  
*Taylorville, Illinois*

**JENNA-MARIE CLAIRE WRIGHT**

Biology  
*Effingham, Illinois*

**ALLEN GREGORY DANIEL SMITH**

Computer Science  
Business Administration  
*Joliet, Illinois*

**RONNI PATRICIA WEEMS**

Psychology  
*Lynnville, Illinois*

**MARIA VALENTINA MAE  
PENUNIA YAP**

Psychology  
*Hong Kong, S.A.R.*

**BRIANNA TELISA SMITH**

Psychology  
*Chicago, Illinois*

**JOSHUA CHARLES WELLER**

Biology  
Mathematics  
*Atwater, Illinois*

**ZIXIAO ZHU**

Computer Science  
*Chong qing, China*

# *Bachelor of Science in Nursing*

## **FAITH ELIZABETH BILLINGS**

Nursing  
*New Berlin, Illinois*

## **STEPHEN DOUGLAS HUNN JR.**

Nursing  
*Barrington, New Hampshire*

## **JORDYN ANN SCHONE**

Nursing  
*Winchester, Illinois*

## **KAYLA ROSE DANNAMAN**

Nursing  
*Greenville, Illinois*

## **MOLLY PEYTON KERN**

Nursing  
*Vandalia, Illinois*

## **JESSICA NICOLE SHUMAKER**

Nursing  
*Waverly, Illinois*

## **KARLIE JO DAVIS**

Nursing  
Psychology  
*Roodhouse, Illinois*

## **SAVANNA NICOLE LONG**

Nursing  
Psychology  
*Jacksonville, Illinois*

## **AMANDA KAY STARKWEATHER**

Nursing  
*Springfield, Illinois*

## **KAITLYN EMILY DRAKE**

Nursing  
*Winchester, Illinois*

## **ANDREA ELIZABETH MAYES**

Nursing  
*Petersburg, Illinois*

## **JIGNA SUNIL SUTHAR**

Nursing  
*Springfield, Illinois*

## **JENNIFER E. GOLEMBECK**

Nursing  
*Springfield, Illinois*

## **HALEI LAYNE ORRELL**

Nursing  
*Sandoval, Illinois*

## **BRITTANY ANN TALLACKSEN**

Nursing  
*Rockford, Illinois*

## **JESSICA LYNN HARPER**

Nursing  
*Streator, Illinois*

## **NORMA MIOXOTIL ORTIZ**

Nursing  
*Chicago, Illinois*

## **OLIVIA MARIE WALL**

Nursing  
*Saint Louis, Missouri*

## **EMILY BRIANNE HOCKING**

Nursing  
*Mount Vernon, Illinois*

## **TAYLOR LYNN RUNGE**

Nursing  
*Altamont, Illinois*

# Graduation Honors

## Phi Beta Kappa Society

Phi Beta Kappa, the nation's oldest and most prestigious honorary college society, was founded in 1776 by five students at the College of William and Mary. The society embraces the principles of freedom of inquiry and liberty of thought and expression. Invitation to membership in Phi Beta Kappa is a reflection of the highest scholastic achievement from among the leading candidates for college degrees in the liberal arts and sciences.

Phi Beta Kappa is a legacy bequeathed to Illinois College in 1931 by Charles Rammelkamp, then president of the College. His effort to gain recognition for the special qualities of an Illinois College education were rewarded when the first installation of the Illinois College Epsilon chapter of Phi Beta Kappa took place on April 6, 1932. Illinois College is one of only 11 in the state to offer membership to this distinguished society.

Nicholas J. Amodeo	<i>Winfield, Illinois</i>	Lucas Alan Motley	<i>Palmyra, Illinois</i>
Sunday Ndoma Bobori	<i>Ikom, Nigeria</i>	Sergio Peña	<i>Aurora, Illinois</i>
Molly Elizabeth Gearin	<i>Saint Louis, Missouri</i>	Sirikarn Phuangthong	<i>Bangkok, Thailand</i>
Ann Martha Marie Ibberson	<i>Virden, Illinois</i>	Megan Lynn Price	<i>Petersburg, Illinois</i>
Muhammad Ibrahim Kamal	<i>Faisalabad, Pakistan</i>	Ariel Marie Rhoades	<i>Mt Zion, Illinois</i>
Megan Ann Ley	<i>Havana, Illinois</i>	Sabrina Siraj Shivani	<i>Memphis, Tennessee</i>
Yifan Mao	<i>Huaian, Jiangsu, China</i>		

## Valedictorian

In recognition of the pursuit of academic excellence, the Pokora Prize for Academic Achievement is awarded each year at commencement to the valedictorian of the graduating class. The Pokora Prize for Academic Achievement, established by Richard Pokora '69 and his wife, Gwen, includes a cash award presented by the Provost of the College.

Molly Elizabeth Gearin                      *Saint Louis, Missouri*

## Latin Graduation Honors

Latin graduation honors are determined by the cumulative grade point average earned while taking Illinois College classes. The grade point average is based on grades received at Illinois College alone. Only students with four or more semesters at Illinois College are eligible for Latin graduation honors.

The minimum cumulative grade point standards for graduating from Illinois College with honors are as follows:

:: <i>Summa Cum Laude</i>	3.90
:: <i>Magna Cum Laude</i>	3.75
:: <i>Cum Laude</i>	3.60

## *Summa Cum Laude*

Nicholas J. Amodeo	<i>Winfield, Illinois</i>	Emily Marie Maul	<i>Jacksonville, Illinois</i>
Juliet Anne Arnold	<i>Bluff Springs, Illinois</i>	Andrea Elizabeth Mayes	<i>Petersburg, Illinois</i>
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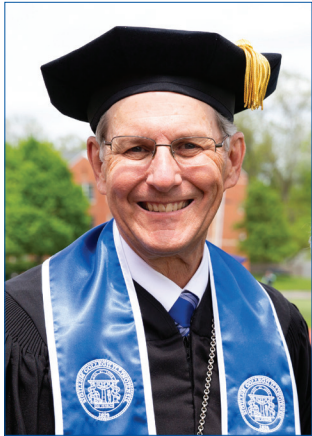
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**Steven R. Mills** serves as the chair of the Illinois College Board of Trustees. He has been a College trustee since 2000 and was elected chair in 2017. He earned a bachelor's degree in mathematics from Illinois College in 1977.

In 2012, Mills retired from a distinguished career with Archer Daniels Midland Company, having served in various executive roles, including chief financial officer and executive vice president for strategy and development. He then joined Amyris, a biotechnology company, located in the San Francisco Bay area, serving as chief financial officer until 2014. He currently consults with and serves on the boards of several corporate and non-profit organizations. Illinois College benefits greatly from Mills' vast professional experiences and his commitment to the College's mission and vision.

Steven and **Betsy Huss Mills '77**, also a member of the Class of 1977, live in St. Louis and maintain strong ties to Central Illinois. Believing deeply in the value of the high-quality, liberal arts education offered by Illinois College, they established the Steven R. Mills '77 and Elizabeth Huss Mills '77 Scholarship Funds to assist students from their hometowns of Bement/Monticello and Beardstown in attending IC. They also open doors for student inquiry through the Steven and Elizabeth Mills Experiential Learning Fund which provides important resources that make it possible for students to pursue internships, student-faculty research collaborations, community service projects, and to participate in travel programs.

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**Keith Bradbury** has served as president of the Illinois College Alumni Association Board for the past two years. He also served previously on IC's Alumni Board from 1998 to 2003. Bradbury, of Jacksonville, Illinois, earned a bachelor's degree in history from Illinois College and was a member of Pi Pi Rho Literary Society as a student. He recently retired as bank president from Community State Bank in Franklin, Illinois, after 33 years in banking. He is past chairman of the Passavant Area Hospital Board of Directors and has been on the board of Network Knowledge (PBS) for over 20 years.

Bradbury was awarded the Distinguished Service Award by the Illinois College Alumni Association in 2009, the Distinguished Citizenship Award by the Order of the Elks and the Distinguished Service Award by the Kiwanis Club. He has also been inducted into the Jacksonville Area Chamber of Commerce Ag-Industry Hall of Fame and was the 2019 recipient of the organization's Circle of Excellence award. Bradbury resides in Jacksonville, Illinois, where he raised two sons with his late wife, **Nancy Utter Bradbury '75**. They shared a lifelong passion for helping others and giving back to the community.

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