



Armour College of Engineering

Academic Unit
Commencement Ceremony

May 15, 2021
Chicago, Illinois





Order of Exercises

Greetings from the Dean

Kenneth Christensen
Carol and Ed Kaplan Dean, Armour College of Engineering

Department Chair Speeches

John Georgiadis
Chair, Department of Biomedical Engineering

Sohail Murad
Chair, Department of Chemical and Biological Engineering

Brent Stephens
Chair, Department of Civil, Architectural, and Environmental Engineering

Jafar Saniie
Chair, Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering

Sumanta Acharya
Chair, Department of Mechanical, Materials, and Aerospace Engineering

Faculty Congratulations

Konstantinos Arfanakis
Professor of Biomedical Engineering

Nader Aderangi
Professor of Chemical Engineering

Thomas Wong
Professor of Computer and Electrical Engineering

Victor Perez-Luna
Professor of Chemical Engineering

Order of Exercises (continued)

Faculty Congratulations (continued)

Francisco Ruiz
Professor of Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering

Abhinav Bhushan
Professor of Biomedical Engineering

Edoarda Corradi Dell'Acqua
Professor of Civil, Architectural and Environmental Engineering

Ali Cinar
Professor of Chemical Engineering

Brent Stephens
Department Chair of Civil, Architectural and Environmental Engineering

Zuyi Li
Associate Director of the Robert W. Galvin Center for Electricity Innovation

Presentation of the Degree Candidates in Armour College of Engineering

- Ph.D. Candidates
- Master's Degree Candidates
- Bachelor's Degree Candidates

*Congratulations to
all of the
Armour College of Engineering
graduates!*



Armour College of Engineering Degree Candidates

Doctor of Philosophy in Architectural Engineering

Akram Syed Ali

Torkan Fazli

Doctor of Philosophy in Biomedical Engineering

Carles Javierre Petit

Chengyue Li

Nazanin Makkinejad

Xiaoxiao Qi

Abdur Raquib Ridwan

Nida Tanataweethum

Chengyao Wang

Doctor of Philosophy in Chemical Engineering

Fernando Tancredo Pereira Borges

Kuili Fang

Xing Jin

Doctor of Philosophy in Civil Engineering

Yongdoo Lee

Tung Quoc Truong

Juneseok Yang

Ji Zhang

Doctor of Philosophy in Computer Engineering

Kushal Virupakshappa

Doctor of Philosophy in Electrical Engineering

Feng Guo
Jiayu Han
Parham Hekmati
Sami Khairy
Sheng Lei
Iris Lorente Gomez
Boyang Wang

Zi Wang
Zhengyu Xia
Lei Yan
Mingyu Yan
Guojun Yang
Chen Zhang

Doctor of Philosophy in Environmental Engineering

Zhice Hu

Xiaolong Wang

Doctor of Philosophy in Materials Science and Engineering

Kathy Ho
George Kim

Linhan Li

Doctor of Philosophy in Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering

Katherine Asztalos
Xiaowei He
Avijit Karmakar

Amir Ashkan Mokhtari
Jaymin Harshadkumar Patel
Volodymyr Riabov

Master of Biological Engineering

Ashley Brooke Mathius

Ana Maria Serratosa

Master of Biomedical Imaging and Signals

Stacy Geen T. Aguinaldo
Dristi Rajib Chaudhuri
Nanjeeba Chowdhury

Mark Theodore Dhom
Marcus James Favila
Kimberly Tobias Reglos

Master of Chemical Engineering

Sagnik Aich
Andrew Jack Beahan
Anastasios Bouikidis
Miguel Angel Calderon
Emmalee Grace Ciriacks

Eric James Cunningham
Thao L. Dang
Courtney Marie Darling
Erin Kathleen Efimoff
Nitesh Ashok Gaikwad

Master of Chemical Engineering (continued)

John Joseph Hayes
Advait Anil Joshi
Alexander Thomas Julian
Devdhi Kasana
Dong Min Kim
Alireza Kondori
Katarzyna Agnieszka Kosierb
Zachary Ladin
Sadaf Maghsoudipour
Ruth Negru

Mike Nguyen
Hannah Ruth Olsen
Dennis Owusu
Seyedparham Pourmirjafari
Firouzabadi
Maryam Rana
Asma Abdallah Shuaibi
Someswara Pavankumar Sistla
Jake Alexander Tracey
Mehr Un Nisa Zaheer

Master of Computational Engineering

Benjamin Mcgrew

Master of Cyber Security Engineering

Abdulkhaliq Almurait
Aseem Vivek Bhat

Zonglin Zhan

Master of Electrical and Computer Engineering

Mariam M. Abdel Latif
Priyadharshini Alagiri
Ala Mohammed A Albin Saleh
Omar Alhayek
Shilpa Benarji
Gouthami Channakeshavamurthy
Manali Nitin Dandekar
Utkarsh Gupta
Rohit Halevoor Prasad
Gouri Rajkumar Hinge
Manasi Ravindra Jagtap
Akshith Rao Juvvadi
Ram Adityan Kamalakkannan
Rajat Jeetendra Kamble
Subramanya Prasad Kantharaj

Francisco Lacruz
Harshitha Panduranga
Adarsh Kiritbhai Patel
Vasudevan Perumal
Mofan Qin
Cheryl Lynn Russell
Aishwarya Javagal Satyanarayan
Shubham Yatin Save
Dhruv Bhavin Shah
Sai Pranav Suryakumar
Justin K. Thomas
Ching Wang
Zhengfang Wang
Lijuan Yang

Master of Electricity Markets

Kwang Jin Kim

Kun Suk Lee

Master of Engineering Management

Praveen Kumar Balasubramaniam

Sundaresh Senguttuvan

Guillermo Garcia Calabuig

Jimmy S. Shah

Suppavit Limsuvattanaphong

Zaid Shouli

Mayank Minda

Haonan Sun

Lucas Palacios

Bowen Zheng

Dongbo Peng

Master of Engineering in Advanced Manufacturing

Melanie Ofana Marie Acelor

Victor Guma

Ndambani

Master of Engineering in Architectural Engineering

Lingzhou Chen

Areej Siddiqui

Leutrim Demiri

Jacob D. Sorenson

Brianna Kristy Rose Galvan

Jiapei Tan

David Alexander Polzin

Haotian Yan

Alouki Shailesh Shah

Master of Engineering in Biomedical Engineering

Kian Madani Neishaboori

Alison Catherine Rogozinski

Poojitha Narayan

Haoxiang Shen

Parth Sureshbhai Patel

Pengsheng Zhai

Master of Engineering in Construction Engineering and Management

Enrique R. Acevedo

Ivan Hernandez

Shubham Dadaram D. Auti

William Stefan Herzing

Akshay Chandra

Maria De Jesus Hidalgo Ortiz

Jonathon Bentley Clarke

Samuel Davis Long

Layalee Zahdan Elzahdan

Mohana Medhi

Indu Gundavaram

Kari Elizabeth Miller

Hitesh Gupta

Ali Mirtaheri

***Master of Engineering in Construction Engineering
and Management (continued)***

Mounin Sanjay Parekh
Christian M. Pavlov
Rohitha Pegada

Saurabh Vijay Tekawade
Justin David Tringl
Yossan Yemane Zbello

Master of Engineering in Energy Systems

Syed Ahid Ali
Shreyas Bangalore Ravindra

Emmanuel Edem Umoinyang

Master of Engineering in Environmental Engineering

Natalia A. Gielczowski
Ryan L. Lakner
Monika Priyadharshin Manoharan
Ankita Sameer Patwa

Heather Elizabeth Pecho
Poorya Sabzehkar
Cheng Yu Tsou
Tingli Zhu

Master of Engineering in Manufacturing Engineering

Daniel Thomas Mowka

Master of Engineering in Materials Science and Engineering

Kaiyuan Li

Bradley Christopher Watson II

Master of Engineering in Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering

Omar Z. Abuosbie
Ashit Samirbhai Amin
Ayesha Anees
Katja Berthold
Kamil Joseph Bigos
Zachary James Bonson
Julia Marie Briden
Ricardo Bustillo Gutierrez
De Pineres
Ardrenae Danelle Cook
Jennifer Ashley Coss
Purushottam Deshmukh
Christopher Jae Dickson

Qinze Fan
Cole T. Fasnacht
Marawan Moanes Ghazali
Madison Brooke Harris
Theodore Nicholas Howell
Justin Johnson
Megan Johnson
Sydney Devan Kaplan
George Koshy
Xinran Luo
Abeer Naeem
Aditya Jagannath Naik
Sardorbek Nazarov

Master of Engineering in Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering (continued)

Prathik Nirmal Jain

Shannon M. O'Donnell

Michael Ogiela

Roshan Pandit

Harnik Hareshkumar Patel

Nand Devendrabhai Patel

Edi Qendro

Roopa Rajesh

Levin Songco Rosete

Nicholas Andrew Sadowski

Amanda Michelle Simran Sathiaraj

Diego Alfonz Deleon Serapio

Sagar Sanjay Shelar

Igor Shvytov

Pavan Krishna Siddarampuram

Karnam

Thomas Matthew Spillman

Fei Sun

Benjamin Thrun

Michael A. Tokarz

Brian J. Touhy

Carsten Brett Wahl

Mikel Joshua Woo

Yuchen Xiong

John Eugene Zalewski Jr.

Master of Engineering in Structural Engineering

Daoud Abbasi

Meyahueltzin Esmeralda Angeles

George R. Beck

Jacob Nicholas Behnke

Calvin Russell Graham

Zachary Patrick Haney

Irvin Uriel Ortiz

Harmane Quddus

Master of Engineering in Transportation Engineering

Jingting Qiu

Chandrapal Suyeeba Yadav

Ming Yang

Yimin Yang

Master of Pharmaceutical Engineering

Gabrielle Collins

Tejaswini Ramakrishna Hegde

Ogechi Chinenye Okocha Rufus

Master of Power Engineering

Bright Frimpong-Duah

Justin Aaron Kulp

Master of Public Works

Paul Raymond Jacobs

Master of Science in Architectural Engineering

Mingyu Wang

Master of Science in Chemical Engineering

Mohammed Abdulmatlub Alyoubi
Abdulazez Saad Alzhrani
Abdullah Mohammed A. Asiri

Dongyue Chen
Hung-Ching Lee
Shibeike Yu

Master of Science in Civil Engineering

Mo'men Munther Yousef Alkufahy
Lakshmi Satya Bavya Bolisetty
Xiaochen Gao
Mihir Prakashbhai Patel

Farshad Rajeei
Da You
Yu Zhao

Master of Science in Computer Engineering

Muhmin Abdeljaber
Sharan Bommalapura Lokeshwara
Annabella Chong
Michael David Douros
Mikhail Gromov
Michael Jiezhao Hu
Nathan Mark

Aaron M. Porter
Guangqi Sun
Samhita Tripuraneni
Avaneesh Ujire Ganesh Krishna
Bhat
Nicholas Velcich
Xingjie Xu

Master of Science in Electrical Engineering

Sarah Adetomike Temiloluwa
Adeyemi
Kessen M. Barrett
Naikuan Chen
Phanimithra Gangalakurti
Changhwan Hong
Priya Kakarla Naga Lakshmi
Al P. Kwiatkowski
Zong-Ru Lee
Alexander Messina
Parmita Mondal
Jeja Lina Mui Wu

Timothy L. Ngo
Paul Ikechukwu Nwawolo
Dominic Thomas Persin
Vaibhav Rai
Khalil Sedki
Hui Shen
Zexing Tang
Kenneth Weissheimer
Paul Casimir Wilk
Tianlu Wu
Yuexin Wu
Tianrui Zhang

Master of Science in Manufacturing Engineering

Amjed Hameed Jasim

Master of Science in Materials Science and Engineering

Bingyu Liu
Andressa Yasmim Rodrigues Prado

Jie Zhang

Master of Science in Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering

Sourabh Dilip Bagi
Viranjan Bhattacharyya
Hamza Abdulgader H. Fagiha
Maciej Grybko
Heejin Kim
Sudarshan Muralidhara
Saim Qadeer

Julia Genevieve Paule Reny
Neeraj Kamlesh Shah
Maxime Stuck
Noah Wilson
Jie Zhang
Qiyuan Zhou

Master of Science in Medical Devices and Biomaterials

Claudio H. LoBraico

Master of VLSI and Microelectronics

Tyler R. Blount

Tejasri Illindala

Bachelor of Science in Aerospace Engineering

Mohammad Aljuboory
Gufrana Baig
Zachary James Bonson §§§
Emily Brandland
Kenneth Bunnell
Eduardo Damaso
Christopher Jae Dickson §§
Cole T. Fasnacht
Adonay Giron
Peter Patrick Kwiecinski
Adam Paul Laitinen
Corey J. Mcnamara
Junior Mejia

Anusha Mody
Ghazi H. Muhammad
Sardorbek Nazarov
Leanne Judy Nutter
Samuel Pantoja
Jay S. Patel
Trung Anh Pham
Mohammed Abdul Razzak
Edward W. Rosenthal
Levin Songco Rosete
Nicholas Andrew Sadowski §§
Diego Alfonz Deleon Serapio §
Igor Shvytov §

Bachelor of Science in Aerospace Engineering (continued)

Benjamin Thrun §
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Carsten Brett Wahl

Mikel Joshua Woo §§§
Austin Jamal Worley
John Eugene Zalewski Jr. §§§

Bachelor of Science in Architectural Engineering

Meyahueltzin Esmeralda Angeles §
Megan Valeria Campbell §
Brianna Kristy Rose Galvan §
Zachary Patrick Haney §§§
Yasmeen Monique Hernandez
Katie Huang §
Youjin Kim §
Julie L. Kipta-Skutnik
Kohl Martin Morrison Linder §§

Brian Massura §
Lewis Ndikumana §
Christian M. Pavlov
David Alexander Polzin
Hae Ra Seo
Alouki Shailesh Shah §
Jacob D. Sorenson §§§
Justin David Tringl
Yossan Yemane Zbello

Bachelor of Science in Biomedical Engineering

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Nanjeeba Chowdhury §§
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Gabrielle Collins
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Reni Elizabeth John
Advait Anil Joshi
Alexander Thomas Julian §
Devdhi Kasana
Ibtisam Kesbeh
Leen Khartabeel
Joel Anthony Knize

Woojai Koh
Tran Le
Claudio H. LoBraico §§§
Ashley Brooke Mathius §
Abdelrahman Mohamed
Abdelmoneim Mohamed Mehina
Jeja Lina Mui Wu
Amreen Nasreen
Ruth Negru §
Sophia Rose Nelson
Yosemite C. Pinedo
Kimberly Tobias Reglos §§
Ameneka Saintoiry
Mohammed Sufiyan Saleem §§
Asma Abdallah Shuaibi §§
Zahir Vayani
Wallace Jane Wan Zeng Burns
Anna V. Wardzala §§
Venesha Williams
Joman Zayed

Bachelor of Science in Chemical Engineering

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Andrew Jack Beahan §§	Mike Nguyen §
Courtney Marie Darling §	Hannah Ruth Olsen §§§
Erin Kathleen Efimoff §§	Junwon Park §§§
Mohammed Farazullah	Heather Elizabeth Pecho §§
Brian Garcia §	Homayra Pria
Brenden G. Gerig §	Maryam Rana
Natalia A. Gielczowski §	Chantel Raygoza
Mark Avak Hagopian	Lizette Rios
Alexander Ryan Kern	Yashwant Kathirvel Senthil
Katarzyna Agnieszka Kosierb	Kathirvel
Zachary Ladin §§	Someswara Pavankumar Sistla §§
Ryan L. Lakner §§§	Jake Alexander Tracey §§§
Sadaf Maghsoudipour §§§	David Tseung §§§
Michal C. Mesyszyn	Mehr Un Nisa Zaheer

Bachelor of Science in Civil Engineering

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George R. Beck	Tomas Orduno
Jacob Nicholas Behnke §§	Irvin Uriel Ortiz §§
Christian Fernando Campos	Jiahui Pan
Jonathon Bentley Clarke	Jingting Qiu §
Jonathan Cruz	Daniel Jacob Rappoport
Justin Jordan Fuller	David Silva
Calvin Russell Graham §§	Nicholas Xavier Vitas
William Stefan Herzing	Stephanie Lynn Wasag
Jessica Marie Horton §§§	Liam Marcin Wolski
Luigi Linhares Michelin	Yimin Yang
Piotr Maciolek	Juan Pablo Zambrano

Bachelor of Science in Computer Engineering

Muhmin Abdeljaber §	Michael David Douros §§
Aaila Ali	Mikhail Gromov
Christopher Chin §	Cameron Haley §
David Cho	Michael Jiezhao Hu §
Annabella Chong	Leah Kosmin

Bachelor of Science in Computer Engineering (continued)

Manuel Salvador Lopez Garza §§
Nathan Mark §§§
Sean W. McGuffey
Geno Antonio Navarro
Timothy L. Ngo
Yen Binh Nguyen
Morayooluwa Oluwafifehansimi
Ogunsina
Shuke Pang

Jack Richard Pio §
Sandra E. Ponce-Morales
William Kaiser Scheffey
Philip F. Soderling
Samuel John Vandenheuvel
Nicholas Velcich
William William
Curry Williams III
Eunyoung Yang §§§

Bachelor of Science in Computer and Cybersecurity Engineering

Kevin Joseph Dillon
Mikhail Gromov
Mahougnon C. Houssou

Safa Moady
Sean Murphy
Dharmendra Shah

Bachelor of Science in Electrical Engineering

Norina Mae Balderas
Kessen M. Barrett §§
Miroslaw Burba
Brian Chen
Ian Michael Duke
Michael C. Efraim
Shawn Finnigan
Robert Stanly Hall
Michael C. Hoblit
Kian Madani Neishaboori
Linh Hai Mai §
Yangqing Mao §§§
Raul J. Martinez §§
Tristan Meredith

Jorge Isaac Montes
Eric Moy §
David Anthony Navarro
Sarah Marie Oshana
Dominic Thomas Persin
Raymundo Quinones §
Joseph James Ricker §
Ronny Mike Rivera
Khalil Sedki §
Benjamin James Wagner §§§
Atirah Kc Winford
Cheng Wu
Jordache Nelson Yuen
Wenxuan Zhang

Bachelor of Science in Engineering Management

Victoria Jibola Adetoun
Gufrana Baig
Rukayat Gabrielle Bello
Ryan M. Cantlin
Hong Lei
Dhvani V. Makadia
Tayseer M. Mozaffar

Manpreet Panjraht
Viren Patel §
Kristoffer Dakota Stancy
Christopher John Toohey
Justin David Tringl
Haiqin Zhao §

Bachelor of Science in Materials Science and Engineering

Igein Laurence Aikpokpo
Gufrana Baig
Alexandra Baran
Yonguk Lee §§§

Ghazi H. Muhammad
Carmen Paquette §§
Bradley Christopher Watson II §

Bachelor of Science in Mechanical Engineering

Michael Caris Maniego Abagon
Jeffrey Adame
Abdulazeez O. Ajenipa §
Priscilla Ini Akpabio
Akber Amin Ali
Salam Alsinan
Ayesha Anees
Katja Berthold §§
Kamil Joseph Bigos
Jacob Joseph Blaauw
Matthew T. Boots
Julia Marie Briden §§§
Regan L. Briggs
Barry Brookins
Ricardo Bustillo Gutierrez
De Pineres
Zhuo Xi Cao
Roberto Samuel Carselle
Rabin Choi
Ardrenae Danelle Cook §
Jennifer Ashley Coss
Michael L. Courtney
Ashour Esha
Wofai Uket Ewa
Michael John Findlay
James Patrick Fox
Dhanisha Jothi Geerdharry §§
Rebecca Geiger §
Michael A. Griffin
Mehmet Gunes
Poshak Saran Guru Moorthy
Ryan Haas
Madison Brooke Harris

Massara Haseeb
Jonathan Hernandez
Kohki Hori
Theodore Nicholas Howell §§§
Austin Ibarra
Sydney Devan Kaplan §§§
Hyung Jun Kim
Nicholas John Kunath
Adrian Daniel Kurnyta
Sarah E. Lamb §§
Hajrudin Henry Latic §
Aleksandar Lazic
Tanner Joseph Lorenz
Xinran Luo §§
Nicolas P. Lynn
Adrian Manrique
Roberto Marin
Sarah Esther Mendelsberg §
Miposse Mensah Missinou
Jocelyn Alejandra Mondragon
Ghazi H. Muhammad
Abeer Naeem §§
Shannon M. O'Donnell §§§
Michael Ogiela §
Laura P. Omena §§§
Jaime L. Osakada
Manuel E. Osorio
Danny Ou §§
Franz Jerald Pangilinan
Manousos Panagiotis Papadakis §
Jeffrey R. Pe
Bartosz Podsiadlo
Matthew James Politis

Bachelor of Science in Mechanical Engineering (continued)

Emily Michelle Prentice §
Marcos Puma
Edi Qendro
Roopa Rajesh §§§
Brian Saboriendo §
Timothy E. Schlatterer §§§
Benjamin Sekutera §§
Lucas Sekutera §§
Zaid Shouli

Abigail Sickbert
Robert Smith
Thomas Matthew Spillman
Jonathan Abdy Vera
Alexander Joseph Vidourek §§§
Jacquelyn Marie Weber
Katherine Wilkie
Alek Woltjer §§§
Michael Joseph Zapotoczny

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Special Honors Key:

† = Honors | § = cum laude | §§ = magna cum laude | §§§ = summa cum laude

This program lists the names of expected degree candidates and honor recipients, which will be officially awarded only upon verification that all relevant requirements have been met. Due to COVID-19 related constraints, verification is expected to be completed on or before Saturday, May 22, 2021.