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AT SOMMERS-BAUSCH OBSERVATORY
MAY 6 2022, 8:30PM -10:00PM
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SPRING 2022



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COMMENCEMENT CEREMONY
MAY 05 AND MAY 06, 2022
FISKE PLANETARIUM

CEREMONY

OPENING REMARKS

Dr. Nils Halverson

ASTRONOMY PRESENTATION

Nick Conant and Alison Garscadden
(Thursday)

Nick Conant and Dr. John Keller
(Friday)

UNDERGRADUATE SPEAKER

Destry Dewitt (Thursday)
Zayna Sheikh (Friday)

DIPLOMAS

Dr. Seth Hornstein
Dr. Nils Halverson

SCHOLARSHIPS/AWARD SPEAKER

Dr. Seth Hornstein

CLOSING REMARKS

Dr. Nils Halverson

BACHELOR OF ARTS

SPRING 2020

VICTORIA CONCEPCION
KACIE DAVIS
JOHN ALBERT FAULHABER**
JOHNATHAN LEE

RICHARD SHEPPARD
ERIN SHIMODA
TAYLOR SITTERSON

FALL 2021

NICOLE KERLEY

SPRING 2022

GEORGE BLANEY
ALLIE CHRISTENSEN
JAMES CROWLEY
EMMA DAVIDSON
DESTRY DEWITT
BRIANNA DICKEY
KEVIN FELL
NOAH FERICH
ALISON GARSADDEN
BRIDGET GERLACH
ANTHONY GIORDANO
MELANIE GRAHAM
RHIANNON HARDING
CHRISTIAN HAUCK
SAMUEL RENE HEAD
WILLIAM HERNANDEZ
SPENCER HURT
STEPHEN IVY
BEN JOHNSTON**
KATHERINE KREBS
HEIDI KYLER
JACOB MATTHEWS

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ANTHONY McKINNON
DANIEL MENDOZA
ANNA NICA
VAUGHN O'HARA
GENEVIEVE PAYNE
ADRIENNE PICKERILL**
NICHOLAS RAHNE
ALEX RAYMOND
KARIN ROLEY*
MICHAEL ROTTER
MATTHEW SENSEMAN
ZAYNA SHEIKH
ELIJAH SHEPHERD
COLLIN SINCLAIR
JAKE VAN SICKLE
DANIEL VIBOCH
MAIRE VOLZ
MICHAELA WILSON
AMANDA WIMMER-FLINT
LINNEA WOLNIEWICZ

SUMMER 2022

BENJAMIN DOUGLASS
CONRAD MEYER-REED**

SPENCER LYNCH
NICHOLAS VAIL

*MAGNA CUM LAUDE
**SUMMA CUM LAUDE

DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY

SPRING 2022

LOREN MATILSKY

*"Dynamics of Rotation and Magnetism in the
Sun's Convection Zone and Tachocline"*

Advisor: Dr. Juri Toomre

ELIZABETH BUTLER

*"On Timely Behavior: Improving the Space
Weather Research/Operations Pipeline and Investigating
Solar Flare Ultraviolet Time Series"*

Advisor: Dr. Adam Kowalski

Undergraduate Scholarships

PERSPECTIVES ENDOWMENT

Jackson Avery, MacKenzie Dean, and Christina Lucas

BEN C. PARMENTER SCHOLARSHIP

Junyu Chen

SCHERPENSEEL AWARD

Olivia Blevins

SUSAN E. WESLEY SCHOLARSHIP

James Baldwin and Anna Pesce

THEODORE SNOW SCHOLARSHIP

Spencer Hurt

Graduate Fellowship Awards

CHANCE IRICK COOKE FELLOWSHIP

Tatsuya Akiba and Momchil Molnar

CARL HANSEN MEMORIAL FELLOWSHIP

Neil Bassett

RAY MACE SMITH GRADUATE FELLOWSHIP

Perianne Johnson and Kya Sorli

BEN C. PARMENTER MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

Emily Witt