UNIVERSITY OF HOUSTON
FALL 2023 COMMENCEMENT

Cullen College of Engineering
Saturday, December 16, 2023 • Fertitta Center
Cullen College of Engineering

Commencement Ceremony
Saturday, December 16, 2023, 2:00 p.m.
Fertitta Center

Message from Renu Khator, President p. 3
Message from Diane Z. Chase, Provost p. 5
University of Houston System Board of Regents p. 6
    President’s Cabinet p. 6
    University of Houston Deans p. 7
    University of Houston History p. 8
    Commencement Traditions p. 9
    Ceremonial Symbols p. 11
    Academic Honors p. 12
    Summa Cum Laude – 4.0 GPA Graduates p. 12
    President’s Medallion p. 13

Cullen College of Engineering
Message from Pradeep Sharma, Interim Dean p. 15
    Order of Program p. 16
    Graduates p. 17

The Honors College
Message from Heidi Appel, Dean p. 31
    Honors College Graduates p. 33

Alumni Association
Message from Michael Sachs, Alumni Association President p. 37
Message from the President

Dear University of Houston Graduates,

Congratulations on receiving your college degree. Today, your longtime dream becomes a reality, and I join your family and friends in celebrating this milestone with you. I am a big believer in the power of dreams and resiliency. To graduate from college, despite the challenges of the past few years, is a testament to your unwavering commitment and ability to dream big.

Whether you’re the first in your family to graduate from college or hail from collegiate scholars, your hard work and determination have brought you to this milestone. You are a generation who faced a global pandemic yet stayed focused on your studies and goals. You excelled against the odds, and this adversity has prepared you to face the professional world with more grit than any generation before. I applaud you for all that you have achieved.

Please take time to thank your professors, advisors, family and friends who supported you on this journey. It takes community to accomplish your goals, and I ask that you stay humble and give back to those in need as you go on to even greater heights.

You have received a Tier One education from the University of Houston. This is the home of industry leaders, nationally top-ranked academic programs, world-renowned faculty, an NCAA Final Four basketball team, cutting-edge research and so much more. I know in my heart that you are now ready to compete and become leaders in your chosen careers. Now, work hard, dream big and shine on.

Go Coogs!

Warmest regards,

Renu Khator

Renu Khator
President, University of Houston
Message from the Provost

Dear Fall Graduates,

You've traveled a long road to reach this moment, but here you are! Congratulations on earning a degree from the University of Houston.

Whether you’re the first in your family to graduate from college or perhaps a second-generation Cougar, today’s ceremony marks a significant moment in your lives. It’s also special for the University of Houston as your success has been our priority since you first stepped foot on campus.

Now, you embark on new journeys. Some of you may be entering the workforce. Others may be headed to graduate school. No matter your destination, please remember those who helped you get to this point.

Stay in touch with peers, professors and staff members and remind them that their guidance supported your academic journeys. Also, thank your spouses, siblings, parents, grandparents and others in attendance today for their daily inspiration.

Of course, be sure to truly recognize the one person responsible for today’s celebration—you! You balanced classes, work, family and other obligations. It wasn’t easy, but you did it. Now, you are poised to reap the rewards of a degree from UH.

Although you are leaving this wonderful campus, you will remain a member of our University family. You now carry the proud tradition of past UH graduates and will represent our institution in your professional endeavors. Be proud of your time here, and let others know that you are now and forever a Cougar.

Once again, congratulations!

Sincerely,

Diane Z. Chase
Senior Vice President for Academic Affairs and Provost, University of Houston
University of Houston System

**BOARD OF REGENTS**

Tilman J. Fertitta, *Chairman*
Alonzo Cantu, *Vice Chairman*
John A. McCall, Jr., *Secretary*
Durga D. Agrawal
Gregory C. King
Beth Madison
Jack B. Moore
Tammy D. Murphy
Ricky Raven
Mielad Ziaee

University of Houston

**PRESIDENT**

Renu Khator

**PRESIDENT’S CABINET**

Diane Z. Chase  
*Senior Vice President for Academic Affairs and Provost*

Raymond S. Bartlett  
*Senior Vice President for Administration and Finance*

Bettina Beech  
*Chief Population Health Officer*

Eloise Brice  
*Vice President for University Advancement and Alumni*

Dona Hamilton Cornell  
*Vice President for Legal Affairs and General Counsel*

Susie Gronseth  
*President, UH Faculty Senate*

Lisa K. Holdeman  
*Vice President for Marketing and Communications*

Michael Johnson  
*Chief of Staff*

Ramanan Krishnamoorti  
*Vice President for Energy and Innovation*

Elwyn C. Lee  
*Vice President for Neighborhood and Strategic Initiatives*

Daniel M. Maxwell  
*Interim Vice President for Student Affairs*

Claudia Neuhauser  
*Interim Vice President for Research*

Michael Pedé  
*Associate Vice President for Alumni Relations*

Chris Pezman  
*Vice President for Intercollegiate Athletics*

Jason Smith  
*Vice President for Government and Community Relations*

Stephen J. Spann  
*Vice President for Medical Affairs and Founding Dean, Tilman J. Fertitta Family College of Medicine*
University of Houston Deans

Heidi Appel
The Honors College
Leonard M. Baynes
UH Law Center
Andrew Davis
Founding Dean
Cullen Foundation Endowed Dean’s Chair
Kathrine G. McGovern College of the Arts
Jim Granato
Hobby School of Public Affairs
Catherine Horn
Elizabeth D. Rockwell Chair
College of Education
Athena N. Jackson
Elizabeth D. Rockwell Endowed Dean’s Chair
University of Houston Libraries
Sarah C. Larsen
Vice Provost and Dean of the Graduate School
Interim Dean
Graduate College of Social Work
Teri Elkins Longacre
Senior Vice Provost and Dean
Undergraduate Student Success – Integrated Studies
Daniel P. O’Connor
College of Liberal Arts and Social Sciences
Patricia Belton Oliver
ACSA Distinguished Professor
Gerald D. Hines College of Architecture and Design

Paul A. Pavlou
Cullen Distinguished Chair
C. T. Bauer College of Business
F. Lamar Pritchard
Humana Endowed Dean’s Chair in Pharmacy
College of Pharmacy
Dennis Reynolds
Barron Hilton Distinguished Chair
Conrad N. Hilton College of Global Hospitality Leadership
Pradeep Sharma
Interim Dean
Hugh Roy and Lillie Cranz Cullen Distinguished University Professor
Cullen College of Engineering
Stephen J. Spann
Founding Dean
Tilman J. Fertitta Family College of Medicine
Kathryn M. Tart
Founding Dean
Humana Endowed Dean’s Chair in Nursing
Andy and Barbara Gessner College of Nursing
Michael Twa
Humana Endowed Dean’s Chair in Optometry
College of Optometry
Dan E. Wells
Distinguished Professor of Science
College of Natural Sciences and Mathematics
The University of Houston was established as the Houston Junior College in 1927. As the college grew, it prospered and officially became the four-year University of Houston in 1934. Two years later, the college attained land for a permanent campus, and in 1939 it constructed its first building, the Roy G. Cullen Building. The University became a state institution in 1963.

The University includes 14 academic colleges, one school, and the multidisciplinary Honors College that teach a wide array of subjects – from math, arts and engineering to law, pharmacy and business. What started as a campus with a single building has grown into a world-class university, offering more than 270 undergraduate and graduate programs to more than 46,000 students annually.

UH is a Carnegie-designated Tier One public research university, and its public service and community activities, such as cultural offerings, clinical services, policy studies and small business initiatives, serve a diverse metropolitan population. Likewise, the resources of the Gulf Coast Region complement and enrich the University’s academic programs, providing students with professional expertise, practical experience and career opportunities.

In keeping with the University’s commitment to excellence, UH raised the benchmark of academic achievement when Phi Beta Kappa, the nation’s oldest and most prestigious academic honor society, awarded UH the approval to start a chapter in 2015. This designation welcomed UH to an elite group of the nation’s most esteemed colleges and universities.
Commencement Traditions

Academic costumes of today have a history of nearly eight centuries. In medieval Europe, all townspeople wore long flowing robes and gowns. The materials and colors were governed by royal decree. Gradually, distinctive gowns were developed for the various professions, trades and guilds. Scholars wore robes and hoods to protect their shaved heads. Later, skullcaps were worn on the head, and the hoods became a cape that could be pulled over the head during unpleasant weather.

As additional universities were founded, distinctive forms of the gown and hood were adapted by their faculties for bachelor’s (apprentices of the arts), master’s (teachers) and doctoral (teachers who had completed postgraduate studies). When caps and hats came into fashion in the 15th century, the hoods became ornamental, draped over the shoulders and down the back.

The academic hat was first worn as a symbol of the master’s degree and existed in various forms. The mortarboard style comes to us from Oxford University. When academic costumes came to America in 1754, styles were quite varied. In Europe, they still are; however, in our country, usage has been standardized by the Intercollegiate Code of Academic Costume.

Gerald D. Hines College of Architecture and Design

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Degree</th>
<th>Tassel</th>
<th>Hood</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Bachelor’s</td>
<td>Violet</td>
<td>Violet</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Master’s</td>
<td>Violet</td>
<td>Black</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

Kathrine G. McGovern College of the Arts

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Degree</th>
<th>Tassel</th>
<th>Hood</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Bachelor’s</td>
<td>Brown</td>
<td>Brown</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Master’s</td>
<td>Brown</td>
<td>Pink</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Doctoral</td>
<td>Pink</td>
<td>Black</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

C. T. Bauer College of Business

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Degree</th>
<th>Tassel</th>
<th>Hood</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Bachelor’s</td>
<td>Dark Blue</td>
<td>Drab</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Master’s</td>
<td>Drab</td>
<td>Black</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Doctoral</td>
<td>Dark Blue</td>
<td>Dark Blue</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

College of Education

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Degree</th>
<th>Tassel</th>
<th>Hood</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Bachelor’s</td>
<td>Light Blue</td>
<td>Light Blue</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Master’s</td>
<td>Light Blue</td>
<td>Black</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Doctoral</td>
<td>(Ed.D.): Light Blue</td>
<td>(Ph.D.): Dark Blue</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>Red</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

Cullen College of Engineering

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Degree</th>
<th>Tassel</th>
<th>Hood</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Bachelor’s</td>
<td>Orange</td>
<td>Orange</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Master’s</td>
<td>Orange</td>
<td>Black</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Doctoral</td>
<td>Dark Blue</td>
<td>Red</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

Conrad N. Hilton College of Global Hospitality Leadership

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Degree</th>
<th>Tassel</th>
<th>Hood</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Bachelor’s</td>
<td>Navy</td>
<td>Navy, Red and White</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Master’s</td>
<td>Navy, Red and White</td>
<td>Black</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Doctoral</td>
<td>Dark Blue</td>
<td>Red</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>
University of Houston

Commencement Ceremony

UH LAW CENTER

Master's Degree
Hood: Purple
Tassel: Black

Doctoral Degree
Hood: Purple
Tassel: Black

COLLEGE OF LIBERAL ARTS
AND SOCIAL SCIENCES

Bachelor's Degree
Tassel: Citron

Master's Degree
Hood: Citron
Tassel: Black

Doctoral Degree
Hood: Dark Blue
Tassel: Red

TILMAN J. FERTITTA FAMILY
COLLEGE OF MEDICINE

Doctor of Medicine Degree
Hood: Kelly Green
Tassel: Red

COLLEGE OF OPTOMETRY

Master's Degree
Hood: Gold
Tassel: Black

Doctor of Philosophy Degree
Hood: Royal Blue
Tassel: Red

Doctor of Optometry Degree
Hood: Seafoam Green
Tassel: Red

COLLEGE OF PHARMACY

Bachelor's Degree
Tassel: Olive

Master's Degree
Hood: Olive
Tassel: Black

Doctor of Philosophy Degree
Hood: Royal Blue
Tassel: Red

Doctor of Pharmacy Degree
Hood: Olive
Tassel: Red

COLLEGE OF NATURAL SCIENCES
AND MATHEMATICS

Bachelor's Degree
Tassel: Golden Yellow

Master's Degree
Hood: Golden Yellow
Tassel: Black

Doctoral Degree
Hood: Dark Blue
Tassel: Red

ANDY AND BARBARA GESSNER
COLLEGE OF NURSING

Bachelor's Degree
Tassel: Apricot

Master's Degree
Hood: Apricot
Tassel: Black

GRADUATE COLLEGE
OF SOCIAL WORK

Master's Degree
Hood: Citron
Tassel: Black

Doctoral Degree
Hood: Citron
Tassel: Red

HOBBY SCHOOL OF PUBLIC AFFAIRS

Master's Degree
Hood: Peacock Blue
Tassel: Black

UNDERGRADUATE STUDENT SUCCESS –
INTEGRATED STUDIES

Bachelor's Degree
Tassel: White
Ceremonial Symbols

The Seal
Throughout history, seals have been used to authenticate official documents. The University of Houston and UH System seals both bear the Official Seal of Arms of General Sam Houston, as handed down to him from his noble ancestors. It includes the escutcheon in the center of the seal — consisting of checkered chevrons denoting nobility — and three martlets, gentle lowland birds that symbolize peace and deliverance. A winged hourglass is placed above the shield. Surmounting this is the motto “In Tempore,” meaning “In Time.” The greyhounds indicate speed of giving aid. The UH seal was first adopted in 1938 as the present campus was established. Although the look of the seal has evolved over the years, the first version was etched into the floor of the Roy G. Cullen Building.

University Mace
The University Mace, which is carried in academic processions, is a staff symbolizing the University’s authority and unity. The tradition of the academic mace began in the late 14th century when two ancient instruments, the royal scepter and the battle mace, were combined to form a university president’s symbol of authority.

The Alma Mater
All hail to thee,
Our Houston University.
Our hearts fill with gladness
When we think of thee.
We’ll always adore thee
Dear old varsity.
And to thy memory cherished,
True we’ll ever be.

Words and music by Harmony Class of 1942
University of Houston

Commencement Ceremony

Academic Honors

Academic honors are based on the requirements of the catalog year students entered the University. The final designation for honors is determined by the Provost’s Office upon final completion of all degree requirements.

Undergraduates who have graduated with the stated academic honors have achieved the following grade point averages earned in the last 54 hours completed at the University of Houston.

- **3.90 TO 4.0** Summa Cum Laude (with Highest Honors)
- **3.70 TO 3.89** Magna Cum Laude (with High Honors)
- **3.50 TO 3.69** Cum Laude (with Honors)

This roster does not include the names of degree holders who chose to withhold information under the Federal Education Rights and Privacy Act.

Summa Cum Laude – 4.0 GPA Graduates

The following graduates are recognized for achieving Summa Cum Laude with a 4.0 cumulative grade point average while also completing their degree within four years of starting their first semester in college at the University of Houston.

**FALL 2023**

- **Anahy Baca**
  Bachelor of Science in Retailing and Consumer Science
  **Cullen College of Engineering**

- **Kayla Huhn**
  Bachelor of Arts in English
  Bachelor of Arts in Spanish
  **College of Liberal Arts and Social Sciences**

- **Malak Khalil**
  Bachelor of Science in Political Science
  **College of Liberal Arts and Social Sciences**

- **Emily Nguyen**
  Bachelor of Business Administration in Finance
  C.T. Bauer College of Business

- **My Tran**
  Bachelor of Business Administration in Management Information Systems
  C.T. Bauer College of Business

- **Trinity Tran**
  Bachelor of Science in Teaching and Learning
  College of Education
President’s Medallion

THE HONORABLE SYLVESTER TURNER

Mayor of the City of Houston

Sylvester Turner is the 62nd mayor of Houston, a position he has held since 2016. Born and raised as one of nine children in the Acres Homes community of northwest Houston, Turner was a natural-born leader. During high school, he was president of Student Council, a member of the science, chess and Mu Alpha Theta clubs, and class valedictorian. He earned his bachelor’s degree in political science from the University of Houston in 1977 and graduated from Harvard Law School in 1980.

Since taking office, Turner has passed seven balanced budgets, led the city’s remarkable rebound from Hurricane Harvey, championed historic pension reform, created the Hire Houston Youth program and launched Houston’s first Climate Action Plan – a comprehensive strategy for Houston to lead the global energy transition. One of Turner’s signature priorities is Complete Communities — an initiative to revitalize and improve Houston’s most underserved neighborhoods. In complement of the initiative, in 2018 he announced a $30 million joint agreement with Harris County to transform seven streets around UH and Texas Southern University.

Before becoming mayor, Turner served for 27 years in the Texas House as the representative for District 139. During his tenure, he served on the House Appropriations Committee, Legislative Budget Board, as Speaker Pro Tem and on several budget conference committees.

Turner has received numerous honors including the Ohtli Award, the Mexican government’s highest honor; Rice Kinder Institute’s Stephen L. Klineberg Award; the United States Conference of Mayors Local Arts Leadership Award; and the President Bush Medal for Empowerment of People with Disabilities, among others.

He’s been a proud and vocal supporter of UH, recognizing its symbiotic relationship with the city. For his unwavering dedication and service, Turner has been awarded UH’s Distinguished Alumni Award, the Elected Public Official of the Year award and its Pioneer of Public Service Award. The Sylvester Turner Academic Distinction Scholarship and the Sylvester Turner Scholarship Endowment Fund within the College of Liberal Arts and Social Sciences were established in his honor.

The President’s Medallion is awarded at the sole discretion of the President to individuals and organizations that have distinguished themselves by their support of the University of Houston and the community.
Dear Cullen College Graduates,

Congratulations!

The road to reach today’s tremendous milestone was not an easy one and required thousands of hours studying, researching, interning, giving back to the community, and so much more. As you approach the stage today, take pride in knowing that you are among the best, brightest, and most committed Cullen College students the world will ever know, and I am beyond proud of all that you have accomplished during your time at the University of Houston.

As you leave our labs and classrooms, I encourage you to ask questions and challenge the status quo. By asking questions, we introduce the need for change. As UH Cougars, you have the power to create lasting impacts and perhaps, if we are lucky, leave the world a better place than we found it.

Although you represent a wide variety of backgrounds and disciplines, today you all have one thing in common–you are all part of our Cullen College family, now and always. Remember to work hard and to support each other where you can. Everything else will fall into place.

I look forward to seeing the impact your bright futures and career will have on our world. Please stay in touch and keep me updated on your successes: dean@egr.uh.edu.

Sincerely,

Pradeep Sharma
Interim Dean of the Cullen College of Engineering
Hugh Roy and Lillie Cranz Cullen Distinguished University Chair
PROCESSIONAL  
Moores School of Music  
Honorary Grand Marshal  
College Banner Bearer  
Grand Marshals  
Faculty  
Candidates for Graduation  
Platform Party

CALL TO ORDER  
Jagannatha Rao  
Senior Associate Dean, Undergraduate Programs and Distance Learning

PRESENTATION OF COLORS  
Houston Battalion ROTC Color Guard

NATIONAL ANTHEM  
Moores School of Music

WELCOME AND INTRODUCTION OF PLATFORM PARTY  
Pradeep Sharma  
Interim Dean and  
Hugh Roy and Lillie Cranz Cullen Distinguished University Professor

PRESENTATION OF ACADEMIC AND SPECIAL HONORS  
Senior Associate Dean Rao

DEGREE PRESENTATION  
Interim Dean Sharma

CONFERRAL OF DEGREES  
Interim Dean Sharma  
Suresh Khator  
Senior Associate Dean, Graduate Programs and Computing Facilities  
Senior Associate Dean Rao

CLOSING REMARKS  
Interim Dean Sharma

ALMA MATER  
Moores School of Music

RECESSIONAL  
Moores School of Music
Summer 2023 – Graduates

Doctor of Philosophy in Biomedical Engineering

Behrang Fazli Besheli
Robust Detection of High-frequency Oscillations in Noisy Intracranial EEG Recordings for Early Identification of Seizure Onset Zone: Applications within Intraoperative and Postoperative Theaters
Advisor: Dr. Nuri F. Ince

Christian Rutan Woods
Identification and Application of Novel Therapeutic Targets for PRPH2-Associated Disorders
Advisor: Dr. Muayyad R. Al-Ubaidi

Doctor of Philosophy in Chemical Engineering

Pak Wing Chen
Enhanced Methane Conversion Over Four-Way Catalyst for Stoichiometric Natural Gas Vehicles Emission Control
Advisor: Dr. Michael P. Harold and Dr. Lars C. Grabow

Sima Mafi
Growth and Toxicity of Amyloid-β Polymorphs
Advisor: Dr. Peter G. Vekilov

Khadar Basha Shaik
Tuning Phase Assembly of Block Copolymer Films for Large Strain Deformation and High-throughput Membranes
Advisor: Dr. Alamgir Karim and Dr. Anil Bhowmick

Garima Singh
Design of Antibiotic Pulse Dosing to Eradicate Persisting Bacteria
Advisor: Dr. Michael Nikolau

Maninderjeet Singh
Elucidating the Structure-property Relations of Dielectric Polymer Films for Capacitive Energy Storage
Advisor: Dr. Alamgir Karim

Doctor of Philosophy in Civil Engineering

Taher Chegini
A Large-scale Urban Hydrological Modeling Framework
Advisor: Dr. Hong-Yi Li

Bhagirath Joshi
Carbon Nanofiber Aggregate for Civil Infrastructure Subjected to Multi-Hazard
Advisor: Dr. Yi-Lung Mo

Doctor of Philosophy in Electrical Engineering

Alexander R. Craik
Continuous and Discrete Decoding of Overt Speech with Electroencephalography
Advisor: Dr. Jose Luis Contreras-Vidal

Md Ashiqur Rahaman Khan
Properties of Glassy Carbon Films Formed by Helium Ion Bombardment of Polymeric Precursors
Advisor: Dr. John C. Wolfe

Pavana Prakash
Towards Mobile-Device Friendly Federated Learning: Efficiency, Privacy and Personalization
Advisor: Dr. Miao Pan

Eyad Mahmoud Ahmad Shtaiwi
Reconfigurable Intelligent Surfaces: Channel Estimation and Applications in Future Wireless Networks
Advisor: Dr. Zhu Han and Dr. Ahmed Abdelhadi

Alexander Gabriel Steele
Non-invasive Electrospinography for a Novel Spinal Cord Computer Interface
Advisor: Dr. Jose L. Contreras-Vidal

Mingjian Tuo
Enhancing Frequency Stability of Low-Inertia Grids with Novel Security-Constrained Unit Commitment Approaches
Advisor: Dr. Xingpeng Li

Lening Wang
Achieving Low-Cost and High-Efficient Robust Inference and Training for Convolutional Neural Networks
Advisor: Dr. Xin Fu

Doctor of Philosophy in Environmental Engineering

Riya Ann Mathew
Effects of Heterogeneous Fouling Layers on the Photoactivity and Aggregation of Titanium Dioxide Nanoparticles
Advisor: Dr. Stacey M. Louie

Sonal Seth
Probabilistic and Optimization Models for Transportation Infrastructures with Uncertainties
Advisor: Dr. Qianmei (May) Feng

Doctor of Philosophy in Industrial Engineering

Poria Dorali
Analytics Approaches to the Development of Diabetic Retinopathy Screening Policies
Advisor: Dr. Gino J Lim and Dr. Taewoo Lee

Doctor of Philosophy in Materials Science and Engineering

Kapil Chandrashekar Surve
Molecular Origins of Aging of High Performance Polymers under HPHT Conditions
Advisor: Dr. Ramanan Krishnamoorti and Dr. Anil K. Bhowmick

Chaoshan Wu
Mixed Ionic-Electronic-Conducting Interlayer Design for High-Performance Solid-State Lithium-Metal Batteries
Advisor: Dr. Zheng Fan and Dr. Yan Yao
DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY IN MECHANICAL ENGINEERING
Shahmeer Baweja
Understanding Structure-Property Linkages in Magnesium Alloys via Size-Dependent Crystal Plasticity Modeling
ADVISOR: Dr. Shailendra P. Joshi

Sagar Gaur
Analytical Modeling and Finite Element Analysis of Segmented Magnetic Linear Actuator for Simulation Based Design
ADVISOR: Dr. Matthew A. Franchek

Masoumeh Gharaati
Investigating the Effects of Helical-shaped Blades on the Wake Characteristics and Performance of Vertical Axis Wind Turbines using Large Eddy Simulations
ADVISOR: Dr. Di Yang

Mehrdad Jaloli
Managing Blood Glucose Concentration in Type 1 Diabetes with Deep Learning-Based Methodologies
ADVISOR: Dr. Marzia Cescon

Sina Nazifi Takan Tappeh
Mechanics of Ice Adhesion on Extremely Durable Icephobic Coating
ADVISOR: Dr. Hadi Ghasemi

DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY IN PETROLEUM ENGINEERING
Ibrahim Omar Eltaleb
New Models and Analysis Techniques for Diagnostic Fracture Injection Tests
ADVISOR: Dr. Mohamed Y. Soliman

Wenxiu Song
Analysis Techniques for Measuring Compressible Flow in Low Permeability Samples
ADVISOR: Dr. Michael T. Myers

MASTER OF SCIENCE IN BIOMEDICAL ENGINEERING
Joe R. Alanis
Attiya Syeda Hussani
Hodge Otona Ogede

MASTER OF CHEMICAL ENGINEERING
Arturo Ayala
John E. King IV

MASTER OF SCIENCE IN CIVIL ENGINEERING
Archana Chintala
Parikshit Ravishankar Ghodake
Aitor Alim
Emiliano Jimenez Delgado
Sai Yashodhan Karmarkar
Priyanka Shrestha

MASTER OF SCIENCE IN COMPUTER AND SYSTEMS ENGINEERING
Mounika Sivani Gadde
Koushikram Gali

MASTER OF SCIENCE IN CONSTRUCTION MANAGEMENT
Laila Najim

MASTER OF SCIENCE IN CYBERSECURITY
James Alexander Simmons V

MASTER OF SCIENCE IN ELECTRICAL ENGINEERING
Massiagbe Fatoumata Diabate
Yizhen Ke

MASTER OF SCIENCE IN ENGINEERING DATA SCIENCE
Anurag Aileni
Himanshu Badera
Sai Praveen Dasari
Sai Kiran Immadisetty
Saisriram Kondramutla

Chakith Manne
Sridhar Reddy Muppa
Sai Ramya Nagulapati
Sai Siddhartha Parvathaneni
Sai Suma Podila

MASTER OF ENGINEERING MANAGEMENT IN ENGINEERING MANAGEMENT
Ahmed Abdulkareem
Bayan Abdelhakim Bani-Hani

MASTER OF SCIENCE IN ENVIRONMENTAL ENGINEERING
Martin T. Nguyen

MASTER OF INDUSTRIAL ENGINEERING
Sahba Baniasadi
Vinay Kumar Pogula
Ranusha Mahesh Bandara Wattegedara

MASTER OF SCIENCE IN FORESIGHT
Muhammad Ahmed Abdulla
Krishan Almheiri
Hans Kuhnlenz
Daegon Lee

MASTER OF SCIENCE IN GLOBAL RETAILING
Cameron Modesta Torres

MASTER OF SCIENCE IN HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT
Lilian Chinweikpe Abaa-Okorie
Donnie Lancelin
Taylor Lachelle Mitchell
Elizabeth Osuna
Zarassa R Wyatt
MASTER OF SCIENCE IN MATERIALS SCIENCE AND ENGINEERING
Alphan Berkem

MASTER OF SCIENCE IN MECHANICAL ENGINEERING
Nadine Saab
Henna G. Calderon
Sreekanth Ramesh
James W. Settles

MASTER OF SCIENCE IN PETROLEUM ENGINEERING
Sandarbh Gautam

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN BIOENGINEERING
Sean A. Chakraborty
William Walker

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN BIOMEDICAL ENGINEERING
Naveed Ansari
Hannah Beatrice Y. Briones
Talal Isa
Leon Parker
Mohammad Umama Bin Qadir
Shivaani Suresh Kanna

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN BIOTECHNOLOGY
Yusuf Ansari
Hannah Beatrice Y. Briones
Talal Isa
Leon Parker
Mohammad Umama Bin Qadir
Shivaani Suresh Kanna

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN CHEMICAL ENGINEERING
Maria Paschalia Mountziaris

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN CIVIL ENGINEERING
Manan Bughio
Jorge Eduardo Castillo

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN COMPUTER ENGINEERING
Danny X. Huynh
Niraj Akshaykumar Patel
Neville Tom

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN COMPUTER ENGINEERING TECHNOLOGY
Angel J. Gomez
Paul T. Nicola

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN COMPUTER INFORMATION SYSTEMS
Thomas Ghebrehiwot Ghebray
Andrea Danielle Hargrove
Shar Khan Iqbal
Cuong Tan Le
Bin Liu
Oyetunde S. Oyewo

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN ELECTRICAL ENGINEERING
Alejandro Hinojosa
Thien M. Tao

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN CONSTRUCTION MANAGEMENT
Ybriani Basilio
Jose A. Cordero
Trey James Dahlstrand
Gabriel Garcia
Nathan M. Hoye
Erick S. Jervis
Marc Anthony Mendez
Ali Naushadali Momin
Rolando Rodriguez
Maziyar A. Siddiqui
William B. Thomas

Hunter M. Tomasino
Jose Adan Villatoro
Jared Bryan Willis

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN DIGITAL MEDIA
Julian Christopher Borner
Kenneth T. Doan
Stephanie Hoang Le
Manuel Juarez Martinez
Alex Norfleet
Ana Cecilia Ruiz
Hatice K. Sakar
Hang Thi My Vo
Chuer Zhou

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT
Eleanor J. Bell
Zahra V. Galvan
Noumi Khan
Ashten Jewels Majors
Kevin Nguyen
Stephanie Marie Rodriguez

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN MECHANICAL ENGINEERING
Casey Cookman
Dustin J. Freeman
Juan Manuel Garcia
Erick Gutierrez
Omar Hamad
Servando Peralta
Andrew L. Tran

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN MECHANICAL ENGINEERING TECHNOLOGY
Corey Joel Shinall

1 Summa Cum Laude · 2 Magna Cum Laude · 3 Cum Laude · 4 Banner Bearer (highest GPA)
Bachelor of Science in Retailing and Consumer Science
Anahy E. Baca
Riyadh Berrached
Camron Marques Johnson
Meagan Cosette McGraw
Charlotte Mae Neff
David Antonio Ortega
Peyton R. Sawyer

Bachelor of Science in Supply Chain and Logistics Technology
Johnson Chen
Huy Gia Nguyen
David Odel Welliver

Bachelor of Science in Technology Leadership and Innovation Management
McKenna D. Kemp
Rogelio A. Santos
Danielle Danae Walker

Fall 2023 – Candidates for Graduation

Doctor of Philosophy in Biomedical Engineering
Jefferson William Friguglietti
Novel 3D Cell Culture Technique
Utilizing a Silicon Titanium Diboride Micropatterned Substrate for Differentiating Mesenchymal Stem Cells Into Insulin Producing Cells
Advisor: Dr. Fatima Merchant

Doctor of Philosophy in Chemical Engineering
Aman Agrawal
Building Complex Protocells: The Role of Rainwater, Electric Fields, and Polymer Charge Density in the Formation and Organization of Coacervate Protocells
Advisor: Dr. Alamgir Karim

Chenhao Fang
Understanding the Impact of Sulfur on Pt/Al2O3 Catalyst
Advisor: Dr. Michael P. Harold

Mariah Jasmine Gallegos
Phase and Rheological Behavior of Colloidal Particles with Polymer-Induced Bridging Interactions
Advisor: Dr. Jacinta C. Conrad

Doctor of Philosophy in Civil Engineering
Khalad Elsayed Mohamed Elsayed
Smart Ultrafine Cement Grafts Development, Characterization, and Modeling Multiple Behaviors and Testing the Capturing of Carbon Dioxide (CO2) Using Recycled Additives
Advisor: Dr. Cumaraswamy Vipulanandan

Doctor of Philosophy in Electrical Engineering
Hao Deng
Design of High-Speed Time-Domain Hybrid SAR ADCs
Advisor: Dr. Jinghong Chen

Ravi Kumar Gaddala
Modeling and Stability Analysis of Parallel Connected Inverters in Microgrid Systems
Advisor: Dr. Kaushik Rajashekara

Chalapathi-charan Gajjela
Photothermal Mid-Infrared Spectroscopic Imaging and its Biomedical Applications
Advisor: Dr. Rohith K Reddy

Javier Garcia Gonzalez
Magnetic Based Methods for Underwater Localization and Navigation
Advisor: Dr. Aaron T. Becker

Juan Jose Gonzalez Espana
Brain-eNet: Towards an Enabling Technology for BCI-IoT Systems
Advisor: Dr. Jose Luis Contreras-Vidal

Yanyan Hu
Deep Learning Enhanced Multi-physics Joint Inversion
Advisor: Dr. Jiefu Chen

1 Summa Cum Laude - 2 Magna Cum Laude - 3 Cum Laude - 4 Banner Bearer (highest GPA)
Arnur Karbozov  
Integration of Renewable Energy Sources in Offshore Grid based on Multiport Active Bridge Converters  
**ADVISOR:** Dr. Kaushik Rajashekara

Xiaoliang Li  
Wireless System for Long-term and Real-time Monitoring of Subsurface CO2 Storage  
**ADVISOR:** Dr. Xiaonan Shan and Dr. Jiefu Chen

Rachel W. Mills  
A Visual Query-Driven Search Engine for Brain Tissue Image Analysis  
**ADVISOR:** Dr. Badrinath Roysam

Virendra Singh  
High Performance Control of PM Motor for Long Cable Subsea Applications  
**ADVISOR:** Dr. Kaushik Rajashekara

Kai-Chu Tsai  
Space-Terrestrial Integration under Uncertainty Using Machine Learning and Distributionally Robust Optimization  
**ADVISOR:** Dr. Zhu Han

Wen Xie  
Machine Learning and Unstructured Data Analytics for Digital Marketing  
**ADVISOR:** Dr. Zhu Han

Cunzhi Zhao  
Optimal Energy Management for Battery Energy Storage System-Integrated Microgrids  
**ADVISOR:** Dr. Xingpeng Li

**DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY IN MATERIALS SCIENCE AND ENGINEERING**

Ugur Aslan  
Ordered Block Copolymers and nanocomposite Capacitors  
**ADVISOR:** Dr. Alamgir Karim

James Willam Jenkinson  
Matrix Based 3-D Printing of Low Viscosity Nanomaterial Inks  
**ADVISOR:** Dr. Li Sun

Amy Nhu Le  
Upcycling of Polypropylene through Thermal Pyrolysis Using Mechano-Chemical Methods  
**ADVISOR:** Dr. Ramanan Krishnamoorti

Mina Shanbedi  
Fundamental Understanding of Triboelectric Nanogenerators, Carbon-Based Nanocomposites for Flexible Triboelectric Nanogenerators and Modified Hydrogel Polymer Supercapacitors for Energy Conversion and Storage Purposes  
**ADVISOR:** Dr. Alamgir Karim

Samuel J. Wallaert  
Control of Stiffness and Swelling Behaviors of Poly(methacrylic acid) Hydrogels via Chitosan-Based Macro-Crosslinkers and Calcium Ions  
**ADVISOR:** Dr. Alamgir Karim

**DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY IN MECHANICAL ENGINEERING**

Theophilus Ssebalabye Kaaya  
Dielectric Elastomer Tubular Actuators: Modeling, Control, and Biomedical Applications  
**ADVISOR:** Dr. Zheng Chen

Sandesh Risal  
Synergistic Alloy Steel Development using Multi-scale Computational Modeling and Machine Learning  
**ADVISOR:** Dr. Li Sun and Dr. Weihang Zhu

**Vamsi Yerraguravagari**  
Study of Processing Methods and Electromechanical Properties of Substrates for REBCO Tapes  
**ADVISOR:** Dr. Venkat Selvamanickam

**DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY IN PETROLEUM ENGINEERING**

Lotanna Vltus Ohazuruike  
Analytical Modeling and Experimental Characterization of Illitization of Smectite in the Bentonite Buffer of Nuclear Waste Disposal Systems  
**ADVISOR:** Dr. Kyung Jae Lee

Xinwei Xiong  
Analytical Modeling of Bentonite Swelling and Numerical Reactive Transport Modeling in Nuclear Waste Disposal System  
**ADVISOR:** Dr. Kyung Jae Lee

**MASTER OF SCIENCE IN AEROSPACE ENGINEERING**

Aamir Fadil Baksh  
Theophilus Ssebalabye Kaaya  
Gustavo Martinez

**MASTER OF SCIENCE IN BIOMEDICAL ENGINEERING**

Ekta Manoharbhai Chaudhari  
Hana Ghaleb Hamed  
Amena Jangda  
Melysenda Rae Lopez  
Manaal Mustansir  
Neda Ostadnejad  
Apryl Sanchez  
Elizabeth Renee Service  
Nadean Samr Zahra

**MASTER OF CHEMICAL ENGINEERING**

Edgar Eduardo Cardona  
Ivana Pozzan  
Christina Nicole Remmes
 MASTER OF SCIENCE IN CIVIL ENGINEERING
David J. Cocuzzi
Julia Grace Curtis
Amirpasha Farahiaraghi
Molly A. Foster
Anna Marie Fussell
Phanesshwar Reddy Gangam
Omar Nazar Abdulhamid Khalid
Donald Chun Him Ng
Namratha Sakkeri Jyothi Kumar
Noran Hesham Shahin
Salma Hesham Shahin

 MASTER OF SCIENCE IN COMPUTER AND SYSTEMS ENGINEERING
Ifeanyichukwu Ikechukwu Anyika
Omar Baig
Chinmayee Boinapally
Sai Bhargav Reddy Bommareddy
Mrunmayee Sanjay Halkunde
Shalini Reddy Kamalapally
Prudhvi Kandimallla
Durga Deekshitha Karamsetty
Harsha Vardhan Karanam
Arun Kumar Kore
Venkata Narayana Murthy Maddala
Vijay Reddy Mucha
Shreyas Kumar Munikuntla
Sanket Kumar Nayak
Ridhi Reddy Nenturi
Archana Rangaraju
Harshavardhan Vallurupalli
Chaitanya Vegyarapu
Bhanu Prakash Velivela
Srihari Velpari
Tejaswi Yalala

 MASTER OF SCIENCE IN CONSTRUCTION MANAGEMENT
Dean Harry Abbiss
Sachin Ade
Abhilash Bachu
Vinay Chithari
Sydney Christensen
Bruno Costa Camargo
Rishika Raj Elupula
Pranith Gaddam
Poojitha Gummallla
Sandeep Chowdary Kalvakuri
Muhammad Muzammil Khan
Sasikala Kolli
Koushal Reddy Kotta
Nabil Enrique Martinez
Kyaw Soe Min
Azmath Ali Mohammed
Hubert Javier Mura Sanez
Sushma Nagaram
Nihanth Kumar Nerella
Navya Noothanakanti
Venkatesh Palaparthi
Barath Pasupathy Nathan
Harsha Teja Sankari
Christopher Shackelford
Sanjana Singi Reddy
Revathi Tellamekala
Byron Thomas
Srikanth Uppunuthula
Someswara Reddy Vonteddu
Sushanth Preetham Yetukuri

 MASTER OF SCIENCE IN CYBERSECURITY
Temidara G. Agbesanwa
Corwin Bennett
Rithik Boindala
Ivan Zlate Boranov
Ryan Micheal Garner
Reethika Gattu
Austin Taylor Haynes
Rutvik Jaini
Faryal F. Khan
Javier Ignacio Macias Araya
Jesse Joe Marquez
Enock A. Nyaemya
Malik Negash Omer
Akash Parasumanna Sridhar
Shafaque Shahid Qureshi
Hitik Rameshbhai Rajput
Nawaz Sorathia
Madiha Sultana
Julie Tran
Nghi Duc Truong
Carl Joanthany Whitaker
Areeba Asif Zahir

 MASTER OF SCIENCE IN ELECTRICAL ENGINEERING
Husam K. Al Ardah
Tobiloba Michael Atewoogun
Sai Vasudeva Bhagavatula
Anup Kumar Deka
Darsh Jayantkumar Desai
Mahir Foyusal
Abhiram Kulkarni
Tyler Lane
Ummay Habiba Mim
Quyen Vu Mai Nguyen
Jayasankar Sivakumar
Ryan Raymond Thackston
David James Zhang

 MASTER OF SCIENCE IN ENGINEERING DATA SCIENCE
Veeva Sampath Kumar
Reddy Alavalapati
Vamsi Krishna Reddy Batchu
Rohith Beijam
George M. Bittar
Leelaprasad Boddu
Manoj Bollam
Pranathi Botsa
Victoria Elizabeth Brooks
Abhishek Chandragiri
Kumar Gowtham Cheepu
Yashaswi Cherukoori
Varshith Kumar Reddy Dasari
Charan Devapata
Madhukar Emmidi
Jasinth Gajendran
Sai Abhiram Godasi
Dhiraj Kumar Reddy Gogati
Nitheesh Kumar Gorla  
Naga Lakshmi Prasanna Gottipati  
Vinod Kumar Gubba  
Rahul Krishna Gunneri  
Dedeepya Guntupalli  
Yashaswi Anuraag Babu Gurrapu  
Hruthika Jinna  
Nikhitha Reddy Kadapakonda  
Sai Kiran Kandulapati  
Vasudev Konde  
Gowtham Reddy Korru  
Sandhya Reddy Kottala  
Tra Huong Lai  
Jayasree Reddy Mallu  
Sri Divya Mandadapu  
Srilakshmi Mannam  
Venkata Surya Narayana  
Raju Mantena  
Subhash Mekapati  
Yogitha Iswarya Moganti  
Mohan Gopikrishna Muppalla  
Tirumalesh Nadella  
Mohan Mallikarjuna  
Reddy Nallapu  
Kamalakara Naga  
Santhosh Kumar Nama  
Minh Van Nguyen  
Manas Anand Nissankara  
Sathya Lahari Nuka  
Srinivasa Rao Panguluri  
Pravalika Pannala  
Vijaya Durga Pantham  
Laxmi Sowjanya Peddi  
Manivardhan Reddy Pidugu  
Aditya Rangineni  
Abdul Zakir Sayed  
Tejaswi Settipalli  
Lakshmi Nikitha Somireddy  
Sai Vikas Reddy Talasani  
Sreekanth Tangella  
Silvister Reddy Tirumalareddy  
Kiran Kumar Velinedi  
Venu Madhav Vema  
Sai Jagadeesh Yadavalli  
Adwiti Pranasya Yadavalli  

Lokesh Reddy Yenimireddy  
Pruthvirajsinh Lakhadhirsinh Zala  

**MASTER OF SCIENCE IN ENGINEERING TECHNOLOGY**  
Tatiana Magali Apolo Cardenas  
Lauryn Elizabeth Coffman  
Emmanuel O. Idowu  
Pei Yu Lin  
Drashti Sanjay Mojidra  
Jevea A. Moore  
Joseph Moorer  
Anh Quynh Nguyen  
Ayrielle Turner  

**MASTER OF ENGINEERING MANAGEMENT**  
Bunkola Rotimi Olayinka  

**MASTER OF SCIENCE IN ENVIRONMENTAL ENGINEERING**  
Lauren Naomi Blake  
Gabriela Angelica Mejia  
Laura Vanvliet  

**MASTER OF SCIENCE IN FORESIGHT**  
Joshua L. Brockway  
Richard D. Erwin, Jr.  
Gilbert Fernandez  
Jason Paul Gibson  
Jillian Ann Humphreys  
Mushfiqa Jamaluddin  
Bradley J. Pacella  
Ronni B. Turner  

**MASTER OF SCIENCE IN GLOBAL RETAILING**  
Dyanna Gonzalez Espinoza  

**MASTER OF SCIENCE IN HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT**  
Ope Simisola Akinbiyi  
Alexis J. Cabrera  
Isha Charania  
Mashayla Sharayne Nash  
Hailey Marie Pollard  
Shaunley Sharp  
Kristen Amber Silerio  
Maria Usmani  

**MASTER OF INDUSTRIAL ENGINEERING**  
Iqbal Jeelani Abdul Fattah  
Dileep Siva Sankar Amasa  
Venkata Manoj Are  
Olubunmi Omobola Bashiru  
Sanjana Challagundla  
Manvitha Chowdary Chinthagumpala  
Palash Desai  
Uday Kumar Doddi  
Sanjusha Gunda  
Elias Ajenifuja Ibrahim  
Sandesh Kumar Kamath  
Bilal Ahmed Khan  
Sai Rama Krishna Kurre  
Govind Madhav Sai  
Mohammed Ishan Iqbal  
Tarun Kumar Goud Mothe  
Vivek Varshan Rao Movid  
Noothan Mani Sai Revanth Mukka  
Harish Muthukumaraswamy  
Wakas Kifayattullah Parkar  
Venkata Sai Prithvi Raju Rudraraju  
Praneet Kumar Sudershnam  
Vasantharaj Theyagarajan  
Harshal Thombre  
Shiva Prasad Veeramalla  

**MASTER OF MECHANICAL ENGINEERING**  
Nicholas A. Kelly  

---

Fall 2023 Commencement
University of Houston
Cullen College of Engineering
Commencement Ceremony

MASTER OF SCIENCE IN MECHANICAL ENGINEERING
Avrey M. Alvarez
Sumanth Koushik
Bangalore Manikumar
Atik Kirankumar Chavda
Jahnvi Chintala
Prashan De Mel
Harold Joseph Griffin
Thuan Huynh My Le
Nghia Hoang Mai
Gustavo Martinez
Fakhar Uddin Siddique Mohammed
Dilip Ramesh
Syed Qumbar Rizvi
Fresheth Sotoudeh
Huy Quoc Truong

MASTER OF SCIENCE IN SPACE ARCHITECTURE
Adam J. Doll
Chi Lan Thi Huynh
Richard W. May
Logan Andrew Miller
Erin Quigley
Holly Sandberg

MASTER OF SCIENCE IN TECHNOLOGY PROJECT MANAGEMENT
Maisha Malihah Ahmed
Amira Al-Hilbawi
Farah Mohamed Hmedah Almatri
Victoria E. Avila
Kiran Chindaliya
Nikhitha Gampa
Saeed Ajit Kalugade
Elizabeth Lourdes Lakas Barrelier
Sushmitha Madunala
Zahra Rashidbayli
Akshay Gajanan Shanbhag
Hadi Sharifi
Rasha Jalal Shreim
Tyler S. Stafford

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN BIOMEDICAL ENGINEERING
Wesley M. Cherry 3
Aria Shankar
Tien H. Tran 2
Anh Thu Nguyen Tran 2

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN BIOTECHNOLOGY
Oluwatomiisin Adebowale
Sandra R. Aghanobi
Afrah Ahmed
Kamsiyochukwu Jeremy Akpu
Diana C. Alvarado
Andrew Kyle Brand Ardis 2

Karl Joseph Briegel
An T. Bui 3
Carlton Bennett Collins
Casie Nicole Denton
Caycel John Pada Desales 2
Mary Nabil Kamel Elmeniawi
Sean D. Epps 3
Antonia Guerra
Robert A. Guzman
Rachel C. Hobbs
Tajah Yahziah Huerta-White 2
Minnah Imtiaz
Travon Gerrard Jackson
Shumaila Usman Javed
Amna Amjad Khan 3
Marykay Maduike 1
Yesac Marcelo Maldonado 1
Jose A. Medina Ortiz
Adam Musleh
Syeda Doha Nayyar
Jason Perez
Nikoaloas Konstantinos Pirovolou
Madison A. Rains
Sir Morris Rene Reyes
Aaisha R. Singh 3
Swaminathan Sundaravel 3
Ky Vinh Tran
Tiffany Lynn Trevino
Nely D. Vargas
Angela Maria Varon Mantilla
William Q. Vo

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN CHEMICAL ENGINEERING
Braden M. Barnes
Andrei Lucian Coarfa
Fatima Elmouden
Christopher Andrew Martinez
Tyler Robert Wilson

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN CIVIL ENGINEERING
Hanadi Berjaoui 3
Justin Cardena

1 Summa Cum Laude - 2 Magna Cum Laude - 3 Cum Laude - 4 Banner Bearer (highest GPA)
Shinal Chaudhary  
Irving Cruz  
Ricardo Delgado Serrano  
Maria Paula Diaz Montoya  
An Ha Dinh  
David Philip Guevara  
Syeda Humna  
Arshad Hashmi  
Nathalie Karydakis  
Macedo Cruz  
Nhi Thi Hong Nguyen  
Jorge Ortiz Rogel  
Aaron Daniel Ozuna  
Owen J. Pate  
Karel Christopher Phillips  
Roman Jose Pinto  
Sadeq N. Razzaq Noe Sanchez  
Jonathan Roque Santillan  
Marisol Saucedo Ponce  
Gibel Mary Semaan  
Muhammad Haider Shah  
Oswaldo Jose Siciliano  
Keslin Tran  
Leo Tuan Tran  
Fernando Vasquez

**Bachelor of Science in Computer Engineering Technology**

Qamar Asad Abd-Al-Jamiil  
Cristian Joseph Gonzales  
Jesse Guzman  
Danny Ho  
Caleb Scott Irvine  
Zongdai Liu  
Carlos Humberto Sanabria  
Shad Mohamed Sheded

**Bachelor of Science in Computer Information Systems**

Puja Acharya  
Jarandon Adams  
Ayan Zakir Ahmed  
Raahima Syed Ahmed  
Omar Nizar Alashqar  
Jordan M. Allen  
Sydney I. Ani  
Julian I. Arevalo  
Luis Angel Arroyo  
Olufunmilayo Marian Awolowo  
Christopher L. Ayala  
Mary S. Ayish-Eyeson  
Josue Leopoldo Balderas  
Amber Balderas  
Oluwafunbi Balogun  
Jorge Barragan  
Francisco Barreiro  
Iyai Samuel Bassey  
Jesus Benitez  
Lior Berdichevsky  
Shaheer A. Bhanger  
Sydney Nicole Blackburn  
Paul Gregory Brzozowski  
Jaren Lorenzo Burks  
Alek J. Bustos  
Kaliev A. Carrier  
Karen Yazmin Castillo  
Nelson Chao

**Bachelor of Science in Computer Engineering**

Michael Alatorre  
Mugdha Sai Bhagavatula  
Osad Hakwati  
Tom Jacob  
Jonah S. Kamat  
Ritvik Lashkari  
Nhan T. Nguyen  
Sheldon R. Nienie  
Isaac Ortega  
Andrew Long Pair  
Aaron S. Pettigrew  
Gregor Cedric Guab Ras  
Sarita Sapkota Subedi  
Son Hoang Tran  
Steven Tu  
Mohammad R. Tuffaha  
Michael Gil Montero Valino

Edwin M. Charly  
Roj A. Chowdhury  
Marlon Ray Collins  
David Coronado  
Thinh Huynh Hung Dang  
Erfan Darehshoori  
Aryan K. Dham  
Demba Mawdo Abdourahmane Diallo  
Nam Doan  
Drake Bradford Dragonir  
Mahlet Worku Edeti  
Clay Thomas Ensinger  
Diego Escobar  
Melanie Escobedo  
Seth Isaiah Esparza  
Alexandra Excell  
Areesha Farooq  
Matthew E. Flores  
Walter Ariel Flores-Herrera  
James P. Freeborn  
Nevarren Dean Fripp  
George Lam Giang  
Sergio Gonzalez-Garcia  
Carlos Alexis Granados  
Jeremy Lowell Griffith  
Mudasir R. Haq  
Farwa S. Hasan  
Timothy D. Hemlin  
Robert Edmund Hernandez  
Cesar O. Hernandez  
Rebecca A. Higginbotham  
Rayomand Y. Hormuzdi  
Diego F. Huerta Grimaldo  
Hamra Hussain  
Mohammad Hussain  
Hannah Huynh  
Jahidul Islam  
Ubqua Tul Fatima Jilani  
Christian T.C. Johnson  
Jai Kapoor  
Muhammad Khan  
Mathews Kizhakkadathu Alexander  
Dhanesh Kumar  
Neeraj Kumar  
Pawan Kumar

1 Summa Cum Laude  
2 Magna Cum Laude  
3 Cum Laude  
4 Banner Bearer (highest GPA)
Johnny La
Parth K. Lad
Duy Van Le
Quang Le
Tommy Q. Le 2
Daniel-Joseph Lehmuth 1
Brandy Lojero 3
Daniel Daniel Lopez-Gonzalez 3
Kim Nguyen Luong 2
Megan Phuong Anh Mai
Blake Andrew Mann
Kevin Marquez 3
Miguel Angel Martinez
Kameron A. Mason
Aloshy Manuel Mathew
Johnson J. Millil
Kobe Bryant T. Mores 1
Itzel Munoz Monroy
Alain Nguyen
Andrew L. Nguyen
Deston Nguyen
Huy K. Nguyen
Joseph Anh Quang Duong Nguyen
Peter Q. Nguyen
Ryan A. Nguyen 3
Theresa Phuong Nguyen 3
Christopher Jacob Norman
Shya J. Oliver
Jose Guadalupe Ortega
Keziah Benjamin Ortiz
Dumkele Osegi
Sam Mohammed Othman
Chirag Patel
Krishnali Patel
Smart Kamleshkumar Patel
Gene Brian Pavillard
Peter M. Pham 1
Jameria S. Poncio
Lauren M. Potter
Quintaar Masooma Rafique
Ali Ashgar Anwer Hussain Rajgarah 3
Cory A. Rasberry
Udayan Rashid
Kevin Giuseppe Romanazzi 1
Yashua Saguin 2
Leira Salene
Martin Sanchez 2
Mira Hadi Sbeiti 3
Syed M. Shams
Hussain Kamran Siddiqui
Christine S. Simon
Clyde Tristan Steapp
Michael T. Stokes 2
Mohammad Zaid Tauqir 2
Brake Tewelde
Bryan H. To 3
Anthony L. Tran 7
Dat T. Tran
Vy A. Tran 7
Thuyen Nhat Truong 1
Rodolfo Udave 1
Jerick Kyle S. Urbina 2
Jacob Charles Vance
Sunayana Venumuddala 2
Jay E. Viera
Phat Minh Vo 7
Afras Ashfaq Wadiwala
Fatima Aylin Contreras 2
Ulises Contreras Carreon 3
Matthew H. Conyer
Justin Trevor Cooper
Alondra De Lara
Cristina Dehoyos
Kenny Darren Diep
Colton Wade Dieringer 2
Thien Hoang Do
Alonso Dosal
Veronica Espinoza
Joshua Farias
Matthew James Fazzino
Ruth Alejandra Flores
Mauricio Guevara
Johnny A. Gutierrez
Gerardo Guzman 7
Pedro Hernandez
Juan Manuel Hinojosa
Jonathan Ibarra
Chad H. Jahir
Alejandro Jimenez Ramirez
Aimee Rene Kalos 1
Mohamad N. Kandiel
Kaden C. Khammash 2
Ibad F. Khan
Chandler Wayne Kimball 2
Drupa K. Kora
Austin James Lacross 2
Nestor Leonides
Jun Mao 2
Tomas Emmanuel Martinez
Sheikh Bilal Mehmood
Nicholas M. Meineke 2
Aislinn B. Minier
John Arthur Montelongo
Jimmy Munoz
Robert M. Percival
Bryan Puac
Tariq B. Qazi
Joel Maximus Ramirez
Karla F. Recinos
Kaden James Reddington
Jessica Rhodes
Jermaine Marcus Riggs

Bachelor of Science in Construction Management

Michael Onyewuchi Abanaka
Heaven-Lee Acosta 3
Kaled Al-Akaila
Ethan Alvarez 3
Jose Luis Andrade Ortiz
Asiya Bashir Baig 3
Davis Glyndon Beal 3
Marvin Antonio Blanco
Cameron M. Brown 3
Claire Fuentes Camba
Jonathan Campos
Christopher Jordan Cantu 3
Camilo Andres Cardenas
Ignacio Castelan-Romero 3
Carlos Jose Castro
Sofoi Weiya Chang 1
Geoffrey Daniel Charbula
Bradley O. Clamen 2

1 Summa Cum Laude · 2 Magna Cum Laude · 3 Cum Laude · 4 Banner Bearer (highest GPA)
Bachelor of Science in Digital Media

Kevin E. Aguirre
Mohammad Amro
Xithlalic A. Barrios
Emmanuel Adonis Barsallo
Pavan Naren Bhakta
Oscar Campos
Chase Donovan Collins
Valente Aramis Escamilla
James O. Garcia
Hannah Marie Gonzalez
Rubayet Hasan Hridi
Julie Hong Ngoc Lai
Katherine Li
Angela A. Lozano
Laura Rae Ann Mcfarlane
Aidan M. Mcgowan
Juan P. Meneses Rubiano
Daniel Kasongo Mwarabu
James Khac Nguyen
Edwin Onkeo
Hector Orellana
Calvin Van Pham
Thanh C. Pham
Anthony D. Pham
Diego Picazo
Dylan J. Ramirez
Ronaldo Arturo Rauda
Ingrith Rodriguez
Melissa Leslie Rutangirwa
Nicholas Christian Salazar
Angelica Nicole Saldana
Johnathan T. Tran
Kyle B. Vu
Tamiko Wells

Bachelor of Science in Electrical Engineering

Alec L. Anderson
Linda T. Arris
Karen M. Beck
Hannah Abdul Bughio
Doan Trang Bui
Christina Cui
Rebekah S. Demers
Maryam M. Dharmaajwala
Baiamir Douglasovich Edgeller
Rasem Elhaij
Juan Miguel Gomez Guzman
Zachary T. Hillary
Christopher Alan Houle
Sumayyah Islam
Thuy D. Le
Mi T Le
Mansour O. Mansour
Bassel R. Marji
Abin Mathew
Farah S. Motowala
Kidus Markos Negash
Katelyn T. Nguy
Maylyne Y. Nguy
Brian Duc Nguyen
Erik Nuñez Albermann
Tristan C. Orr
Chandler Ray Pickett
Tarami Khalil Readus
Benjamin Thomas Reyes
Francisco E. Rivera
Sophie Dot Robertson
Yerlan Sagi
Renzo M. Samame
Michael E. Stone

Bachelor of Science in Electrical Power Engineering Technology

Fernando Garcia
Carson Samuel Mudie
Emmanuel Oluwafemi Oyebode
Reyna E. Rodriguez
Alejandro Roman-Fernandez
Laura Talamantes

Bachelor of Science in Human Resource Development

Farah S. Almaroof
Amor Liliheth Aguiler
Adam Azaz
Catherine Canchola
April S. Chaison
Kendra Pless Coughran
Janette Cuevas
Sara Daredia
Davis Dat Duong
Paola Milagros Fernandez
Elizabeth Flores
Stephany Flores
Crystal Gonzalez
Leslye J. Guerra
Sarah Helen Hammond
Shenequa Hammond Harrison
Wang Haoshu
Hector Emanuel Hidalgo
Manaal Amir Jamal
Wajd Khodr
Giselle Lara
Sabrina Isabela Marrero
Amina Meliani
Wajahat Mohiuddin
Deja M. Nelson
Nusaba Nur
Adrianeli Olvera
Bambintagsde Edwige Ouedraogo
Emily Elizabeth Paule
University of Houston
Cullen College of Engineering
Commencement Ceremony

Elizabeth Marie Ramos
Halle Madison Richardson
Emilio M. Rodriguez
Elaine Shi
Mary A. Stephen
Erica Torres
Shayla Tran
Kelly Mai Truong
Zayda Yaritza Umana
Jessica L. Valero
Azka Zarnab

Bachelor of Science in Industrial Engineering
Jonathan Alexander Ventura

Bachelor of Science in Mechanical Engineering
Mathews G. Abay
Shelby Elaine Abel
Rashid Bin Adam
Mohammed N. Al Kbateib
Tanner Mason Allen
Diego A. Alonso Aguilar
Yagazie A. Anokam
Raul Barboza
Christian Li Pacallagan Cabauatan
Fernando Cantu
Charles D. Chandrasaslan
Jesus E. Chapa, Jr.
Angelica Miranda Chavez
Tiffany V. Chen
Taylor Reece Clark
Timothy H. Dang
Jared L. Davis
Ravi N. Desai
Valerie Renee Dewalt
Larry L. Do
Brian L. Estrada
Cesar Fernandez
Zachary Fields
Patrick C. Gann
Andrew Dario Garcia
Rossy Fabiola Garcia

Luna Sofia Garcia Carvajal
Darby R. Gauntt
Sydney Nhu Gia Giang
Ofel G. Gonzalez
Salam Habra
Jorge A. Hernandez
Jordan M. Hernandez
Afif H Ibrahim
Clay A. Johnson
Zaid S. Khalil
Hassan Ali Khan
Kelly Liang
William Garrett Lipscomb
Daniel Eduardo Liscano
Thomas Luu
Rabin Maharjan
Mario A. Martinez
Michel Estrella Mascorro
Hanna Carolina Mata
Gregory Scott Montana
Madison G. Muldune
Nathan Nguyen
Ha Ngoc Nguyen
Aaron T. Nguyen
Tommy Vo Nguyen
Prasanna Siva Palanikumar
Gidel Samuel Pena Espino
Mynor Aparicio De Jesus
Pineda Garcia
Trenice Rasmus
Pablo Eleazar Robles
Steven M. Rojas
Christian Rossi
Zain Bilal Saeed
Ian Andrew Sandlin
N’golo Drissa Dahaba Sanogo
Esteban Schrick
Maria Sharina
Nabiha Kashif Siddiqui
Juan Silvestre Solis
Mark A. Taylor
Gavin Thompson
Alvaro Torres
Ulisses Torres
Jean C. Torres

Nicholas C. Touch
Eastman Wayne Townsend

Bachelor of Science in Mechanical Engineering Technology
Tulio Jesus Alamo
Jaime A. Alcocer
Mario Adrian Anguiano
David Saucedo Baltasar
Tallal A. Bhutta
Fabiola L. Bonilla
Daniel C. Chow
Dale Ryan Cummings
Kevin O. Diaz
Elias G. Garza
Oscar Abel Godinez
Genaro Guel
Benjamin Beck Hebert
Brian Nielsen Houlberg
Hyunbin Ko
Hunter P. Lambrechts
My Huong Thi Le
Samuel W. Leisey
Francisco Llano Aranalde
Julio C. Lopez
Titus Montgomery Manovich
Jennifer Cescily Moise
Robert Moore
Benjamin I. Mora
Brandon L. Nguyen
Kevin Nguyen
Nicholas M. Rando
Hasnan Anwar Rashid
Jeffrey Donald Redmann
Charles David Reynolds
Tucker R. Steele
Jesus Toscano
Nam Quoc Truong
Jesus O. Valdez
Carolina Vasquez
Lizbeth G. Vasquez
Carlos Alberto Vazquez

1 Summa Cum Laude • 2 Magna Cum Laude • 3 Cum Laude • 4 Banner Bearer (highest GPA)
BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN PETROLEUM ENGINEERING

Vanessa Randriamalala
Norberto Eden Torres-Madrigal 1
Andre Westbrook

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN RETAILING AND CONSUMER SCIENCE

Nada M. Awad 2
Nazrawe T. Aweke
Anagrace M. Briand
Maya Emilie Brown 2
Raul Chapa
Cameron C. Davis
Ryan G. Fitzgerald
Taylor Michelle Ford
Juan M. Gonzalez
Elaine Adrianna Jones
Owen M. Kim
Grayson Madeleine King
Sophie Rose Lewis
Lauryn M. Locksey
Yasbelin Lopez 3
Jane S. Morris 1
Amechi Marriion Ramsey
Payton A. Robertson 3
Paul J. Rodriguez
Madelyn Juliette Sanders
Jasmine Taylor Tran
Logan M. Vaughn 9
Taylor R. Welch
Ruby Nicole Zamarripa

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN SUPPLY CHAIN AND LOGISTICS TECHNOLOGY

Kapreshia Dion Acheampong
Mohned Ahmad Al-Aruri 1
Navid Nizar Ali
Esmeralda Sophia Arias
Deisy Guadalupe Arroyo 3
Ivan Arroyo Leon
Dalton C. Avalos 2
Carson S. Berlin 1
David Cervantes
Tauseef A. Chauhan
Landon Robert Coker 3
Montserrat Contreras
Vanessa Nicole Davis 2
Karina A. De La Rosa
Taylor Andrew Fusco
Giselle Gomez-Mendez
Desmond H. Gourrier
Hasan A. Hasan
Paulina Hernandez 3
Andrew Jenks Hibburn 2
Vuong B. Hong 1
Zain W. Hussnain
James Yunjin Hwang
Susan Yvette Incer 2
Fuad A. Jama
Aubakir Alex Kasymkanov
Chandler Myron Killian 2
Alec Gabriel King
Vijay Saket Kolla 1
Winston A. Liu 2
Brandon J. Lugo 1
Ndeye Sofia Marre
Bryan Martinez
Daniel Mendez 1
Munif Mansoor Momin
Daniel Morales 4
Salman Arif Muhammad
Khoi Xuan Ngo
Christopher T. Nguyen
John H. Nguyen 1
Laureen Adua Nkrumah Agyeefi
Marc Makadi Nzambi 2
Ovidio R. Pinto 3
Marcial Alessandro Portillo
Giuseppe Privitera 1
D’quincy Devaunte’ Rawls
Nathan Andrew Roberts
Adrian Rodriguez 1
David A. Rodriguez
Edsel G. Rubio Garrido 1
Saad Munawer Sadfy
Ayaz Mohammad Sadiq 2
Jessica Hitesh Shah
Muhammed Ala Shehadeh
Hasan Zaman Shinwari 2
Juan D. Solis Rios 1
Arun Suresh 2
Ali A. Syed
Tyriana Terrell
Kavin D. Tran 2
Jocelyn Vazquez 2
Rueben Velasquez 3
Vincent Yeh 3

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN TECHNOLOGY LEADERSHIP AND INNOVATION MANAGEMENT

Jacob D. Adair
Jacobe Alanis Alexander
Chisom W. Ani
Ashley Pamela Duncan 2
Niyati Guliani
Keith Alan Havran
Ikechukwu E. Ibe
Michael Xerxes Irani 1
Bertram Jenkins
Nicholas R. Jerry 3
Lan Jiang
Gloria Landaverte 2
Veronica Leon
Jennifer L. Medvetz 3
Justus L. Miles
Melyssa Navarro 2
Kevin M. Nguyen
Brisa Marie Perreault
Carlos Ray Perry II 2
Zachary Bryce Peyton 2
Corinne Alexandra Roberts
Cristian Orlando Romero 2
Joaquin J. Solis
Gabriel Sueiro
Paul Triantafyllides
Andrew Waldrip
Danielle Danae Walker

1 Summa Cum Laude - 2 Magna Cum Laude - 3 Cum Laude - 4 Banner Bearer (highest GPA)
Message from the Dean

Dear Fall 2023 Graduates,

I am thrilled to congratulate the first class of fall graduates during my tenure as the Dean of the Honors College. You are a group of highly motivated and talented individuals, and we celebrate your tremendous accomplishments. We know, as you do, that teamwork and collaboration make your impressive achievements possible. I hope that you view the faculty, staff and fellow students of the Honors College as members of your team — cheering you on as you begin your careers or continue your studies in graduate or professional programs. We know that you are well prepared to lead in your chosen field and will continue to contribute solutions to the grand challenges that we face.

During your time with us, the Honors College has challenged you to ask big questions in the Human Situation and in your upper division courses. You’ve been guided to go beyond the classroom and take part in the many offerings in research or service learning. You have been encouraged to find your place in this community and be bold in action to make UH, the Honors College and Houston a better place. You are not in the same place you were when you began this journey. I urge you to take stock of how far you’ve come since your first Human Situation lecture. Keep exploring and engaging with big ideas in your next chapter, whatever that may be.

Although you’re graduating, the Honors College will always be a part of you. I encourage you to keep in touch and share your personal and professional experiences with us. We take pride in your achievements. I also hope that you will give back to support future Honors College scholars. Continued support from alumni and friends is essential to the success and growth of the Honors College and the generations of students that will come behind you.

Go Coogs!

Heidi Appel
Dean
The Honors College Honors

The Honors College at the University of Houston offers students special opportunities to develop their academic abilities. Below are the Honors College designations.

**University Honors and University Honors with Honors in Major**
Students who complete the Honors College curriculum (36 hours) graduate with University Honors. If students also complete a senior honors thesis, they graduate with University Honors with Honors in Major.

**Collegiate Honors and Collegiate Honors with Honors in Major**
Students who fulfill the requirements for the honors program in the college of their major, including 21 hours of honors courses; who complete an Honors College minor, or who complete 21 hours of approved honors courses. If students also complete a senior honors thesis, they graduate with Collegiate Honors with Honors in Major.

**Membership in The Honors College and Membership in The Honors College with Honors in Major**
Students who affiliate with the Honors College during their undergraduate years and complete fewer than 21 hours of honors courses. If students also complete a senior honors thesis and fulfill the requirements of their major with distinction, they graduate with Membership in The Honors College with Honors in Major.

**Honors in Major**
Students who complete a senior honors thesis but are not members of the Honors College.
University Honors with Honors in Major

**College of Liberal Arts and Social Sciences**
Kayla Huhn
Angela L. Jardina

University Honors

**Gerald D. Hines College of Architecture and Design**
Isabella R. Raska

**C. T. Bauer College of Business**
Garance Alfon
Samay Hassan Azhar
Brianna Denise Chambers
Megan Chen
Enoc Curiel
Allison Nga Dang
Anjali Rajesh Dharamshi
Valentina Patricia Diemer
Ben Drewell
Alyssa Nadia Durrani
Kayla Amy Ehman
Sarah Elizabeth Evans
Andrea Mishelle Ibanez-Flores
Macy Carlisle Katapodis
Lindsay Michelle Klotz
Smriti Korampally
Mai Lan Vy Le
Calvin Mai
Jumana Motiwala
Steven Nguyen
Nithya Ramankulangara
Simone Semple
Perla Silva Perez
Francesca Hoang Su
Mark Jeffrey Theeuwes
Natalie Khiem Tran
Tam Truong

**College of Liberal Arts and Social Sciences**
Shrey Pranav Bhakta
Massimo Coletta
Maryam Helin Erdal
Maya Annika Garza
Juan Pablo Guardia
Melinda Herrera
Douha Karroum
Alicia Ashanti
Tatyanna Mcwilliams
Joseph Gray Mulligan
Sameen Hanif Nandolia
Yareli Olivares
Evie Louise Rickard
Helen Souza De Sampaio
Auburn Jodee Waid

**College of Education**
Trisha Ashish Shah

**Cullen College of Engineering**
Smithson Arrey-Tabot Arrey
Karen Majala Beck
Wesley Michael Salazar Cherry
Andrei Lucian Coarfa
Ravi N. Desai
An H. Dinh
William Garrett Lipscomb
Itzel Muñoz Monroy

**College of Natural Sciences and Mathematics**
Kabeer Ali
Amal Altatar
Meryem Mualla Atik
Melanie Bustos
Natalie Bustos
Aldona Cela
Katelyn Marie Javier Cortez
Ethan Davis
Vyshnavi Davuluri
Giselle M. Duarte
Desmond Etunnu
Justin John George
Juan Pablo Guardia
Amanda Harmon
Kaitlyn Hill
Sanjana Rebecca Jacob
Sophia Joy LaRochelle
Ayan Mammadova
Dafne Medrano
Arwa M. Naeem
Nha Nguyen
Alexis Ruiz
Noor Shabaneh
Filip J. Torres
Alexander Vela
Daniel Yebo Yisa
Collegiate Honors with Honors in Major

**COLLEGE OF NATURAL SCIENCES AND MATHEMATICS**
Nathan Edward Hanby

**College of Liberal Arts and Social Sciences**
Somtochi S. Anyalebechi
Christianna Avouris
Zaina Boriek
Tyler Austin Hermes
Rohit Shajan

**College of Education**
Fnu Nashita Kazim
Myra Qamar

**Cullen College of Engineering**
Baiamir Douglasovich Edgeller
Salam Habra
Arun Suresh
Mohammad Rami Tuffaha

**Hobby School of Public Affairs**
Rachel Lauren McGregor

**College of Natural Sciences and Mathematics**
Julio Cacho-Bravo
Lukas P. George
Momin Hamdani
Diana Huynh
Iman Jaka
Hafsa Latif
Gabriela Melissa Lovo Argueta
Joriale Kerwine Matsing Pessonka
Rael Merry Memnon
Preston Douglas Satterfield
Salomon E. Serur

Membership in The Honors College

**College of Liberal Arts and Social Sciences**
Christopher Eugene Railsback
Kendall C. Raymond

**Katherine G. McGovern College of the Arts**
Frank Thomas Eddy

**College of Education**
Rhea Devraj Nayak

**Cullen College of Engineering**
Minnah Imtiaz
Tarami Khalil Readus
Anh Thu N. Tran

**College of Natural Sciences and Mathematics**
Saul Duran

**Undergraduate Student Success – Integrated Studies**
Candace McCray

**Honors in Major**

**College of Natural Sciences and Mathematics**
Raul Caballero Montes
Message from the UH Alumni Foundation Board President

Let me be the first to welcome you to the UH Alumni Association. You are joining a global network of over 305,000 Cougars. With your participation, we can only grow stronger. As you embark on this next chapter, know that your Alumni Association is here to help you stay connected with your beloved alma mater. From volunteering at an event, joining an Association or Network, signing on to UH Link, to becoming a Life Member, the opportunities to engage are endless.

Please click the QR code below to enjoy all the activities that soon await you. In the meantime, savor this moment and continue to soar.

True we’ll ever be and Go Coogs!

Michael Sachs ('97)
UH Alumni Association Foundation Board President

Have You Completed Your Alumni Checklist?

https://houstonalumni.com/recent-grads/