School of Information Studies

GRADUATE AND DOCTORAL CONVOCATION

May 2023





Alma Mater

WHERE THE VALE OF ONONDAGA

MEETS THE EASTERN SKY

PROUDLY STANDS OUR ALMA MATER

ON HER HILLTOP HIGH.

FLAG WE LOVE! ORANGE! FLOAT FOR AYE,

OLD SYRACUSE, O'ER THEE.

LOYAL BE THY SONS AND DAUGHTERS

TO THY MEMORY.

- Junius W. Stevens, Class of 1895



The iSchool is a globally recognized leader in advancing knowledge and developing creative, thoughtful and technically capable leaders in the information field.

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CONVOCATION AWARDS

Master's Award for Applied Data Science

Trishla lain

Presented by: Michael Fudge

Master's Award for Information Systems

Purvi Shrivastava

Presented by: Michael Fudge

Master's Award for Library and Information Science - Campus

Marissa Caico

Presented by: Renate Chancellor

Master's Award for Library and Information Science - Online

Genevievre Grav

Presented by: Sebastian Modrow

Master's Award for Library and Information Science - School Media

Logan Savage

Presented by: Rebecca Schaffer Mannion

Angela De Silva Inspirational Achievement Award

Darien Ostrander

Presented by: Rebecca Schaffer Mannion

Antie Lemke Book Award

Sara ElBakry

Presented by: LaVerne Gray

John R. Weitzel Memorial Award for Information Systems Research

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Presented by: Kelvin King

Graduate Leadership Award

Ruth Xing

Presented by: Megan Oakleaf

Doctoral Prize

Sarah Bratt (2022)

Presented by: Jian Qin

Isabel Muñoz (2023)

Presented by: Bei Yu

STUDENT ADDRESS

Ruth Xing

JEFFREY KATZER PROFESSOR OF THE YEAR AWARD & ADDRESS

Ingrid Erickson, Associate Professor Presented by: Jatish Chavan

OUTSTANDING PART-TIME FACULTY OF THE YEAR AWARD

Mark Borte, Adjunct Professor

Presented by: Joshua Matthew Davidoff

RECOGNITION OF GRADUATES

Master's and CAS Presented by: Michael Fudge, Professor of Practice PhD Presented by: Bei Yu, Professor

CLOSING REMARKS

Matthew Clark, Assistant Dean of Advancement

ALMA MATER

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Convocation Awards

MASTER'S DEGREE AWARDS

This award recognizes one student in each graduate program who exemplifies excellence in graduate study, through class projects, research and other forms of scholarship.

Master's Award for Applied Data Science

Trishla lain

Master's Award for Information Systems

Purvi Shrivastava

Master's Award for Library and Information Science

Marissa Caico and Genevievre Gray

Master's Award for Library and Information Science - School Media

Logan Savage

ANGELA DE SILVA INSPIRATIONAL ACHIEVEMENT AWARD

This award recognizes a school media graduate who has overcome obstacles and persisted to earn a degree, and shares Angela's determination and resilience.

Darien Ostrander

ANTJE LEMKE BOOK AWARD

Named for Professor Emerita Antje Lemke, this award recognizes an outstanding student in the Master of Science in Library and Information Science program who exhibits a passion for learning and dedication to service.

Sara ElBakry

JOHN R. WEITZEL MEMORIAL AWARD FOR INFORMATION SYSTEMS RESEARCH

Established in memory of former faculty member John Weitzel, this award is presented to students who exhibit excellence in information systems through coursework or research projects.

Esther Thomas

GRADUATE LEADERSHIP AWARD

This is the most prestigious award given by the iSchool to an outstanding graduate student who demonstrates all-around excellence as a student, has made contributions to the school through service on committees or in student organizations, and who serves as a role model for other students.

Ruth Xing

IEFFREY KATZER PROFESSOR OF THE YEAR AWARD

Established in honor of former professor and Interim Dean Jeffrey Katzer, this award recognizes outstanding teachers in the School of Information Studies.

Ingrid Erickson, Associate Professor

OUTSTANDING PART-TIME FACULTY OF THE YEAR AWARD

This award recognizes outstanding part-time teachers in the School of Information Studies.

Mark Borte, Adjunct Professor

IN MEMORIAM

The empty chair on stage serves as a reminder of iSchool faculty, staff, alumni, students and friends who are no longer with us.

CLASS OF 2023

Candidates for Degrees

DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY IN INFORMATION SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY

Sarah Bratt

Advisor: Jian Qin

"Research Data Management Practices and Impacts on Long-Term Data

Sustainability: An Institutional Exploration"

Mahboobeh Harandi

Advisor: Kevin Crowston

"Occasional Groups in Crowdsourcing Platforms"

Yingya Li

Advisor: Bei Yu

"An NLP Analysis of Health Advice Giving in the Medical Research Literature"

Isabel Muñoz

Advisor: Steve Sawyer

"Marginalization in the Future of Work: The Role of Intersectional Identities and Platforms in the Trajectories of Online Freelancers"

Yisi Sang

Advisor: leff Santon

"Algorithmic Benchmarking and Modeling of Character Understanding in Narrative Stories"

Subhasree Sengupta

Advisor: Jasmina Tacheva

""Envisioning Digital Sanctuaries": An Exploration of Virtual Collectives for Nurturing Professional Development of Women in Technical Domains"

Sarika Sharma

Advisor: Steve Sawyer

"The Institutionalization of Data Integration"

Qunfang Wu

Advisor: Bryan Semaan

"Conversations About Crime: Re-Enforcing and Fighting against Platformed Racism on Reddit"

DOCTOR OF PROFESSIONAL STUDIES IN INFORMATION MANAGEMENT

Tina AlSadhan

Advisor: Joon S. Park

"Leveraging Information Security Continuous Monitoring (ISCM) to Enhance Cybersecurity"

MASTER OF SCIENCE IN APPLIED DATA SCIENCE

Rasika Sunil Acharva Ioshua Gaze Pranav Addipalli Haiwang Ge Tyler Afflick Alexander Geiger Marley Akonnor Morgan Gere Beniamin Allen Nicolas Giancola

Abhiiit Shamkant Gokhale Abdulrahman Alzahrani

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Gina Clark lames Hurst

Sara Cliffel Katherine Hurtado-da Silva

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Courtney Lahood Griffin Lahre

Simranieet Singh Lamba

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Lagarthucin Legrand

Hongdi Li

Sky Ming Li

Huiyu Li Nicholas Lichtsinn

Nora Lin

Sonny Lizarraga lazmin Logrono

Lisa London

Eric Ludwig

Josue Luna Zheng Lyu

Bhavya Madhavan

Ayush Malakar

Raymundo Marquez

Kyle Mcgee Christopher McKinley

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