### **PROGRAM**

#### Welcome

Cindy Wesley, Ph.D. Interim Associate Provost and Dean Graduate School and International Admissions

Presentation of Awards Closing

# **DEAN'S CITATION**FOR EXCELLENCE



The Graduate Dean's Citation for Excellence is awarded to students nominated by their school in recognition of superior academic achievement in graduate studies.

### **Bryan Johnson**

Master of Science Biological Sciences: Thesis Presented by: Judith Leatherman and James Haughian

### **Emily Schumacher**

Master of Science Biological Sciences: Thesis Presented by: Mitchell McGlaughlin and Scott Franklin

### **Amy Bartlow**

Doctor of Education Educational Studies Presented by: Jenni Harding and Christy McConnell

### **Ann-Elizabeth Nash**

Doctor of Philosophy Biological Education Presented by: Stephen Mackessy, Lauryn Benedict and Mitchell McGlaughlin

### **Erin Patchett**

Doctor of Philosophy Sport and Exercise Science: Sport Administration Presented by: Brent Oja

## OUTSTANDING THESIS/DISSERTATION/CAPSTONE



The Graduate Dean's Citation for Outstanding Thesis, Dissertation and Capstone is awarded to students recognized for outstanding research in graduate studies.

### **OUTSTANDING THESIS**

### **Adel Alanmi**

Master of Arts Art and Design Portfolio Presented by: Anna Ursyn and Lauren Eisen

### **OUTSTANDING DISSERTATION**

### **Braelin Pantel**

Doctor of Philosophy
Higher Education and Student
Affairs Leadership
Students of Size: An Exploratory Case
Study on a Hidden Climate
Presented by: Tamara Yakaboski,
Gardiner Tucker and Liz Gilbert

### **OUTSTANDING DISSERTATION**

### **Erin Patchett**

Doctor of Philosophy Sport and Exercise Science: Sport Administration Staff Conceptualization of and Engagement with Diversity and Inclusion in Collegiate Recreation: A Multilevel Exploration Presented by: Brent Oja

### **Jeffrey Paul**

Doctor of Philosophy
Counseling Psychology
Sexual Minority Identity and
Religious Styles: How Sexual Identity
Development and Religious Schemata
Explain Experiences of Religious and
Spiritual Struggles and Life Satisfaction
Presented by: Brian Johnson, William Woody
and Lu Tian



