Commencement

Saturday, May 2, 2015

EMBRY-RIDDLE AERONAUTICAL UNIVERSITY
Prescott, Arizona
PROGRAM

MASTER OF CEREMONIES ............................................. Ms. Michelle M. Day
Assistant Director, Western Region, Alumni Relations

FACULTY PROCESSIONAL ..................... Tomaso Albinoni: Concertó a Cinque

GRADUATE PROCESSIONAL ................. Pomp and Circumstance

POSTING OF COLORS ....................... Air Force and Army ROTC Color Guard

NATIONAL ANTHEM ........................................ The Altitunes

INVOCATION .......................................................... Mr. Thomas D. Driscoll
Class of 2015

WELCOME ............................................................ Dr. Frank Ayers
Chancellor

COMMENCEMENT ADDRESS .................. Mr. David B. O’Maley
Member, Board of Trustees

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Class of 2015

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MAJ H. Fritz Beck, U.S. Army
Col Fred J. Cone (Retired), U.S. Marine Corps

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Dr. Brent D. Bowen, Dean – College of Aviation
Dr. Ronald A. Madler, Dean – College of Engineering
Dr. Philip E. Jones, Dean – College of Security & Intelligence
Dr. Timothy B. Holt, Director of Dual Enrollment Programs –
College of Aeronautics, Worldwide Campus

PRESENTATION OF CLASS ......................... Dr. Richard W. Bloom
Chief Academic Officer

CONFERRING OF DEGREES ..................... Mr. David B. O’Maley
Member, Board of Trustees

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BENEDICTION.......................................................... Mr. Adan A. Magana, III
     Class of 2015

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Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University
Spring Commencement
Includes graduates from Prescott, AZ, Daytona Beach, FL
and Worldwide Campuses

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE

COLLEGE OF ARTS & SCIENCES

Candidates for the Degree of Bachelor of Science
in Aviation Business Administration

Patrick Conner Chavez.......................................Lake Charles, Louisiana
Richard Byron Formo ...........................................Flagstaff, Arizona
Peter Austin Hall ..............................................Newhall, California
Tejeshwar Kapahi ..............................................Bangalore, India
Lisanne Lea Kippenberg ....................................Munich, Germany
Travis Aaron Langham .......................................Los Angeles, California
Jennifer M. Larsen ...........................................Riverside, California
Brooke Agalelei Lanimaka Magalei ....................Kahuku, Hawaii
Hussain Mohammad Makkawi .............................Dhahran, Saudi Arabia
Danielle Nichole McCarthy ................................Billings, Montana
Benjamin L. Montgomery, IV ...............................Coolidge, Arizona
Brent Ni ..........................................................San Jose, California
Vishra V. Patel ................................................Pomona, California
Fabio Alves Pena ..............................................Sao Paulo, Brazil
Brandon T. Provasi ..........................................Valencia, California
Amanda Lauren Snyder ....................................San Diego, California
William C. Stark ..............................................Odessa, Missouri
Alexander Garrett Tock ....................................San Diego, California
Kevin T. Toohy ..............................................Bartlett, Tennessee
Nicholas Lorenzo Uzunyan ...............................Chatsworth, California
Candidate for the Degree of Bachelor of Science in Aviation Environmental Science

Luke P. Riley ............................................................... Reno, Nevada

Candidate for the Degree of Bachelor of Science in Global Business

Vishra V. Patel .................................................... Pomona, California

Candidates for the Degree of Bachelor of Science in Interdisciplinary Studies

Clifford William Branch, III ........................................ Phoenix, Arizona
Paul Eric Lechner ...................................................... Isanti, Minnesota
Andrew Collins Portello ......................................... Granite Bay, California
Sebastian R. Lugli ................................................. Buellton, California

Candidates for the Degree of Bachelor of Science in Space Physics

Matthew Ryan Kennedy........................................... Seattle, Washington
Alexander Lee Konyha ........................................... Glendale, Arizona
Samantha J. Massa .................................................. Red Bluff, California
Chelsea M. Page ..................................................... Albuquerque, New Mexico
David S. Stiles ....................................................... The Dalles, Oregon
Matthew C. Stone ................................................... Granite Falls, Washington

Candidates for the Degree of Bachelor of Science in Technical Management

Matt Martinez ........................................................... Conway, Arkansas
Kelli M. Postel ......................................................... Phoenix, Arizona
Sean L. Tackett ....................................................... Phoenix, Arizona
COLLEGE OF AVIATION

Candidates for the Degree of Bachelor of Science in Aeronautical Science

Dillon Sark Leigh Aerick ..........................................Sparks, Nevada
Colin Quincy Allen .................................................San Francisco, California
Fahad Ali Alshahrani ..............................................Riyadh, Saudi Arabia
Evan Maxwell Anderson ..........................................San Diego, California
Justin M. Baird .....................................................Montrose, Colorado
Osama Issa Barakat, Jr. .........................................Las Vegas, Nevada
Sean Michael Bresnan ............................................Honolulu, Hawaii
Nathan Cobey Brown .............................................Quincy, California
Matthew Stephen Coultas ......................................Cave Junction, Oregon
Michael Emmanuel Cruz ........................................Syracuse, New York
Jared Alan Diller ..................................................Wreston, Colorado
Tasha Lynn Foster ..................................................Redmond, Oregon
Nicholas Dean Hansen ..........................................Volo, Illinois
Nathan S. Haslett ..................................................Apopka, Florida
Joshua Roy Naoki Heth ........................................Hawaii Kai, Hawaii
Elias Daniel Hiatt ................................................Bellevue, Washington
Christine Melissa Hopkins ......................................Olds, Alberta, Canada
William Raymond Howell ......................................Dove Creek, Colorado
Alex Michael Johnson ..........................................Rocklin, California
Shelby Rose King ..................................................Westminster, Colorado
Tevynn Drake James Laws ..................................Albuquerque, New Mexico
Peter J. Ledstrom ................................................Henderson, Nevada
Tyler Christopher Luttrell ....................................Camarillo, California
Jonathan James Maul .............................................Fairfield, California
Josef Thomas Merkert .........................................Escondido, California
Jason E. Mitchell ....................................................Hemet, California
Jared S. Moore ...................................................Farmington, New Mexico
Griffin W. O. Moses-Hanson .................................Mount Laurel, New Jersey
Christian Sergei Mullen ........................................Hinsdale, Illinois
Marcos M. Munoz ................................................Green River, Wyoming
Gustavo Ocegueda ..............................................Santa Ana, California
Ryan O’Donnell ...................................................Lake Oswego, Oregon
Brandon Michael Pape ..........................................Phoenix, Arizona
Candidates for the Degree of Bachelor of Science in Aeronautical Science (continued)

Robert Matthew Phillips .................................. Holtville, California
Denis Robert Power .................................. South San Francisco, California
Justin Thomas Saltalamacchia .......................... Port Jervis, New York
Jakub Saly .................................................. Santa Clara, California
Zachary N. Sargert ........................................ Santa Rosa, California
Jacob Anthony Schoelkopf .................................. Brush, Colorado
Dustin John Vincent ........................................... Tucson, Arizona
Brendan M. Weissberg ....................................... Mission Viejo, California
Nathan A. West ................................................... Austin, Texas
Samuel Joseph Wolf ........................................ Uniontown, Washington

Candidates for the Degree of Bachelor of Science in Aeronautics

Ali Hassan Al Hommod .................................. Safwa, Saudi Arabia
Brent Michael Blackmore ............................ Lake Elsinore, California
Lorenzo Louis Lorica Coylekentall .................... Temecula, California
Christopher Kolesar Danforth .......................... Scottsdale, Arizona
Robert L. Fairchild ........................................ Peoria, Arizona
Jennifer Ann Formella .................................... Homer Glen, Illinois
Jake Michael James Free .................................. Prescott, Arizona
Daniel L. Fuller ........................................ North Las Vegas, Nevada
Philip D. Furlong ........................................ Canton, Ohio
Savannah Elizabeth Garn ................................ Salt Lake City, Utah
Jordan Nicholas Giangiulio ................................ Austin, Texas
Francisco Joseph Gonzales ............................ Wrightwood, California
Scott A. Green ........................................ Hays, Kansas
Paul A. Hightower ......................................... Mesa, Arizona
Thomas Gerald Hinojosa ................................ Knightsen, California
Gareth Eldon Kellogg .................................. Prescott Valley, Arizona
Ariya Le ................................................ Las Vegas, Nevada
Jaeseung Lee ........................................ Phoenix, Arizona
Jose Fernando Lopez .................................. Chihuahua, Mexico
Matthew Eli Miller ....................................... Frankfort, Kentucky
Guy Thomas Paden ..................................... Anchorage, Alaska
Candidates for the Degree of Bachelor of Science in Aeronautics (continued)

Alexander William Parrish ........................................ Louisville, Kentucky
Andrew Ian Robertson .................. Weymouth, England, United Kingdom
William Garrett Robertson ............................................. Malakoff, Texas
Jackson McKenna Smalley ........................................ Glendale, Arizona
Tyrel Dennis Smith ...................................................... Lufkin, Texas
Michael A. Spencer ..................................................... Ewa Beach, Hawaii
Michael Daniel Stein .................................................. New River, Arizona
Richard Anthony Swerski ................................ South Brunswick, New Jersey
Eric Allen Terry .......................................................... Phoenix, Arizona
Ryan S. Urban ............................................................. Buckeye, Arizona
Jarrod N. Willhite ...................................................... Norman, Oklahoma
Yan To Yeung .............................................................. Hong Kong, People’s Republic of China

Candidates for the Degree of Bachelor of Science in Air Traffic Management

Savannah N. Bonty .................................................... Nicasio, California
Micah Vornhagen Fernandez ..................................... Brentwood, California
Tyler J. Harrison .......................................................... Rye, Colorado
Brian Gregory Kever .............................................. Puyallup, Washington
Samuel P. Nanson ...................................................... Redlands, California
Ian R. Reid ................................................................. Vail, Colorado
Dylan L. Waller ........................................................... Las Vegas, Nevada

Candidates for the Degree of Bachelor of Science in Applied Meteorology

Travis Steven Swaggerty ........................................ Sierra Vista, Arizona
Davis Ethan White .......................................................... Paris, Texas

Candidates for the Degree of Bachelor of Science in Aviation Maintenance

Bashar Esmail .............................................................. San Francisco, California
Darren David Evans ................................................... Tucson, Arizona
David E. Ramos ......................................................... Bellflower, California
Bokwon Sim .............................................................. Changwon, Republic of South Korea
Candidates for the Degree of Bachelor of Science in Aerospace Engineering

Brian M. Acosta .................................................. Stockton, California
Benjamin James Anderson ................................. Kearney, Nebraska
Bryant Avalos .................................................. San Fernando, California
Tyler Dean Bates ............................................... Cypress, California
Brenda Marie Becker ........................................... Marengo, Illinois
Dadija Lidija Irena Bliudzius ............................... Sinking Spring, Pennsylvania
Matthew Thomas Brown ..................................... Prescott Valley, Arizona
Meghan Alycia Callaway ................................... Glendale, Arizona
Michelle Elaine Clifford .................................. Winnebago, Illinois
Christina Renee Davis ...................................... Beaumont, California
Haley Kathleen Davis ....................................... Portland, Oregon
Jackson Collin Dixon-Galbreath .......................... Lakewood, Washington
Lorenzo Vito Galicia .......................................... Phoenix, Arizona
Michael John Gallante, II .................................. Phoenix, Arizona
Stephen Michael Hahn ..................................... Centennial, Colorado
Nathan Louis Hall ............................................. Sunset, Utah
Aaron Tyler Hartley ........................................ Lake Forest, California
Tristan Randall Hieronymus .............................. Moses Lake, Washington
Andrew James Howe ....................................... Shoreview, Minnesota
Michael Allen Howeth ..................................... Big Bear Lake, California
Nicholas Zachary James ................................ Oak Creek, Wisconsin
Jared Travis Johnson ....................................... Chicago, Illinois
Jonathan Glenn Johnson .................................. Berthoud, Colorado
David McKray Jones ....................................... Hurricane, Utah
Parag D. Kikla ................................................ Cupertino, California
Taylor A. Knight ............................................. Oregon City, Oregon
Michael E. LaBarbera ...................................... Dana Point, California
Ryan P. LaSalle ............................................... Loveland, Colorado
Matthew Robert Lape ..................................... Cincinnati, Ohio
Cassidy L. Luedtke ......................................... Muskego, Wisconsin
Steve Ryan Marquez ....................................... La Verne, California
Samarth Marudheri Chandrashekar ...................... Bangalore, India
Jessica L. McKenna ......................................... Saint Louis, Missouri
Candidates for the Degree of Bachelor of Science in Aerospace Engineering (continued)

Klyte D. Mills ............................................ Las Cruces, New Mexico
Samuel R. Murphy ................................. Greenville, Wisconsin
Micah A. Newgent ................................... Prescott, Arizona
Alexander J. Noyes ............................... Moses Lake, Washington
Aaron C. Pigott ....................................... Honoka’a, Hawaii
Adrienne E. Rector ..................................... Centreville, Virginia
Garrison Stewart Robertson ........................ Tacoma, Washington
Navneet Singh ........................................... Patna, India
Nicholas Kevin Smith ............................ Litchfield Park, Arizona
Aaron Taylor ........................................... Kansas City, Missouri
Pranav P. Tharakan .................................... Laveen, Arizona
Ciara Baaba Thompson ............................ Chicago, Illinois
Jennifer J. Transue .................................. Ocean City, New Jersey
Kevin Michael Vicencio .......................... Pleasanton, California
Steven Keith Voravongseng ........................ Honolulu, Hawaii
Conner Jackson Warren ............................ Poulsbo, Washington
Cameron Iwahisa Watanabe ........................ Honolulu, Hawaii
Ashley C. Weidman ................................... Bakersfield, California
Michael J. Wirges, Jr. ............................... San Diego, California
Russell Haeber McCaleb, III ..................... Phoenix, Arizona

Candidates for the Degree of Bachelor of Science in Computer Engineering

Rebecca Ann Foth ...................................... Milwaukee, Wisconsin
Robert J. Layton, Jr. ................................. Chino Valley, Arizona
Timothy Ian Murphy ............................... Diamond Springs, California
Aaron J. Petrek .......................................... San Marcos, California
Christopher S. Vanik ............................... Dolores, Colorado
Candidates for the Degree of Bachelor of Science in Electrical Engineering

Kurt Parayno Andrada ................................................... Hilo, Hawaii
Brigette Tayler Cochran ............................................. Indio, California
Jeffrey Alec Ferguson ........................................... Huntington Beach, California
Trent Feilmeier Gardner .......................................... Tehachapi, California
Sidney Taylor Jones ............................................ Edgewood, New Mexico
Michael Thomas Leick ............................................ Prescott, Arizona
Adan A. Magana, III ............................................ Bossier City, Louisiana
Dalton Randolph ................................................... Bonita, California
Patrick A. Reber ................................................. Tucson, Arizona
Trent William Wargo ........................................ Milton, Pennsylvania
Min Yoon ........................................................... Torrance, California

Candidates for the Degree of Bachelor of Science in Mechanical Engineering

Kaylyn Marie Beseler ............................................ Woodinville, Washington
Jason Tan Chong .................................................... Hayward, California
Joshua Daniel Eis ................................................... Dewey, Arizona
Jessica Nichole Hodge .......................................... Burns, Oregon
Shevaan Ronald Jayasinghe ................................ Colombo, Sri Lanka
Claire S. Lucas ........................................................... Bigfork, Montana
Karen Dorothy Murphy ........................................... Idaho Falls, Idaho
Sofia Alexandra Newton .......................................... Prescott, Arizona
Gabriel G. Pentkowski ............................................ Phoenix, Arizona
Karl Morton Pruhsmeier ....................................... Temecula, California
Tanner P. Reznicek ................................................. Wickenburg, Arizona
Joan Sanmarti-Piqueras .......................................... Barcelona, Spain
Caleb Lewis Seek .................................................... Littleton, Colorado
Phillip T. Shaughnessy .......................................... Powell, Tennessee
Katelyn Marie Sonntag ........................................... Greenwood, Indiana
William A. Wautlet .................................................. El Paso, Texas
Candidates for the Degree of Bachelor of Science in Global Security and Intelligence Studies

Alan John Barry ............................................. Escondido, California
Dustin Matthew Batterberry ........................... Ferndale, Washington
Bradley Steven Belz ....................................... Evergreen, Colorado
Nicole Marie Bender ...................................... Snowflake, Arizona
Amanda Deshaie Bennett ............................ Bakersfield, California
Melissa Ashley Berg ..................................... Phoenix, Arizona
Russell Lynn Briggle .................................... Prescott, Arizona
Lauren Elizabeth Burke ............................... Gilbert, Arizona
Jesse Douglas Carte ...................................... Oxford, Florida
Jose Rapolla Cruz, III .................................. Santa Rita, Guam
Jessica Taylor Kopp DeOcampo .................. Marina, California
Stephen James DeVito ................................. San Diego, California
Thomas David Driscoll .................................. Glendale, Arizona
Kelly Feng .................................................. Troy, Michigan
Luis Eduardo Garcia, Jr. ............................... Laredo, Texas
Stefano Alessandro Guidetti ...................... Los Angeles, California
Lizabeth Ashley Hogue .................................. Medina, Ohio
Ryan Timothy Holt ..................................... Gilbert, Arizona
Shivam Mukesh Kashiwala .......................... Iselin, New Jersey
Jennifer Dora Kinder ................................. El Paso, Texas
Eddie Joe Knudtson ..................................... Kingman, Arizona
Ross Thomas Kohler ................................. Woodstock, Illinois
Benjamin J. Laurhammer ............................... Derby, Kansas
Tiffany L. Ledbetter ..................................... Lexington Park, Maryland
Ryan David Marr ....................................... Hampton, New Jersey
Sterling Maynard ........................................ Prescott, Arizona
Davey Gregory Meress ............................... Pinon Hills, California
Colin M. Merkley ....................................... Fallon, Nevada
Marc Anthony Nicholes ............................... College Station, Texas
Coleen A. Parker ................................. Colorado Springs, Colorado
Brenna N. Quinn ....................................... Peoria, Arizona
Ashley N. Ramirez .................................... Houston, Texas
Taylor Charles Reynolds .......................... Ahwatukee, Arizona
Candidates for the Degree of Bachelor of Science in Global Security and Intelligence Studies (continued)

Melea Nicole Rhodes............................................Graham, Washington
Derek N. Rousseau.............................................O’Fallon, Illinois
Jeffrey Wallace Routsong.....................................Murrieta, California
Madeleine Austin Roy-Thill................................ Prescott, Arizona
Paul Dalton Salisbury ...........................................Chandler, Arizona
Diana Sandbergh ........................................................
Kameron Michael Saranto-Mercado .............Winchester, Idaho
Matthew R. Sergent .....................................................Phoenix, Arizona
James B. Smith ..................................................Reno, Nevada
Riley B. Stevenson ...........................................Bakersfield, California
Jacob W. Suss ..........................................................Phoenix, Arizona
Sarah Trejo ..........................................................El Paso, Texas
Jazmine Lisa Vega .........................................................Miami, Florida
Tyson Cordell Williams ...........................................Danville, Virginia
Robert John Workman, III .................................Berthoud, Colorado
MASTER’S DEGREES

COLLEGE OF ARTS & SCIENCES

Candidates for the Degree of Master Business Administration in Aviation

Joshua C. Biggar ....................................................Phoenix, Arizona
Brett D. Cramer ................................................... Goodyear, Arizona
Josh Krisha .......................................................... Rocklin, California
James L. Sladeck ................................................. Foothill Ranch, California

Candidates for the Degree of Master of Science in Safety Science

Robert L. Alexander ................................................... Chicago, Illinois
Delgermaa Dorjsonin .............................................. Khuvsgul, Mongolia
Joseph Norman Duckett ........................................... Oswego, Illinois
Kyle Andrew Foote .................................................. Ketchikan, Alaska
Dalia Elena Gonzalez ............................................. Corpus Christi, Texas
Russell Wayne Romeo ........................................... Pensacola, Florida
Kelsey Stewart ........................................................ Houston, Texas
Heather N. Zulkanycz ............................................. Norco, California
COLLEGE OF AVIATION

Candidates for the Degree of Master of Aeronautical Science

Shawn Christopher Boyd ........................................ Pompano Beach, Florida
Jason D. Del Core ..................................................... Surprise, Arizona
Katherine Suzanna Garneau .................................... Arivaca, Arizona
Randy Michael Holt ................................................. Gilbert, Arizona
Jon James Rezzonico .............................................. Colorado Springs, Colorado

Candidates for the Degree of Master of Science in Occupational Safety Management

Dietrich Demetrius Edwards .................... Fayetteville, North Carolina
Danielle E. Litchfield .............................................. Chino Valley, Arizona
ACADEMIC HONORS

UNDERGRADUATE

Recognition of academic excellence is awarded to those students completing a baccalaureate program with at least 45 Embry-Riddle credit hours. The graduation honors level is calculated on the Cumulative Grade Point Average (CGPA) for all courses taken at Embry-Riddle. Candidates who currently possess a cumulative grade point average of 3.50 or higher are recognized as Candidates for Academic Honors.

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GRADUATE

Recognition of academic excellence “with distinction” is awarded to those graduate students completing a Master’s program with a 4.0 Cumulative Grade Point Average. Candidates graduating with a Master’s Degree With Distinction include:

- Joshua C. Biggar
- Shawn Christopher Boyd
- Kyle Andrew Foote
- Josh Krisha
- Jon James Rezzonico

(The names on this program do not constitute an official graduation list.)
U.S. AIR FORCE COMMISSIONED SECOND LIEUTENANT OFFICERS

Tyler Dean Bates
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Dalton Randolph
Patrick A. Reber
Kameron Michael Saranto-Mercado
James B. Smith
Michael A. Spencer
Jacob W. Suss
Trent William Wargo
Davis Ethan White
Michael J. Wirges, Jr.
U.S. ARMY COMMISSIONED
SECOND LIEUTENANT OFFICERS

Phillip D. Furlong
Jennifer Dora Kinder
Ariya Le
Marc Anthony Nicholes
Robert Matthew Phillips
Brenna N. Quinn
Taylor Charles Reynolds

U.S. MARINE CORPS COMMISSIONED
SECOND LIEUTENANT OFFICER

Stefano Allessandro Guidetti
CHANCELLOR’S AWARD

The Chancellor’s Award honors an outstanding graduating senior scholar and leader who has an exceptional record of academic accomplishment and a high level of campus and community involvement while maintaining a minimum 3.5 Cumulative GPA. This is the highest award bestowed to our graduates.

Co-Recipients:
Ms. Lisanne L. Kippenberg and Ms. Ciara B. Thompson

Ms. Lisanne L. Kippenberg
Born in a small village outside Munich, Germany to an airline pilot and a flight attendant for Lufthansa Airlines, aviation was in her genes!

Lisanne Kippenberg, graduating summa cum laude with a 4.0 Cumulative GPA with a Bachelor’s degree in Aviation Business Administration and a minor in Aviation Safety, aspires to become a pilot for an airline in Europe and eventually pursue a management position within the aviation industry.

Lisanne is a member of the Honors Program and has been on the College Dean’s list her entire time at Embry-Riddle. Her extraordinary achievements have resulted in numerous scholarships, awards, and international recognition.

Throughout her Embry-Riddle career, Lisanne has shown incredible leadership and initiative while maintaining an impressive academic performance. She found time to mentor and support other students on campus as well as undertake leadership roles in several community organizations as a volunteer.

According to one of her professors, she is a trusted tutor (and highly sought after) for three of the most challenging classes: microeconomics, macroeconomics and managerial accounting. She also served as a research assistant to the Chair and faculty of the Business Department.
Lisanne was the President of the International Student Association, Vice President of Finance of the Aviation Business Networking Club, and Treasurer of Phi Beta Lambda Future Business Leaders of America. She was one of the award-winning competitors at several State and National Phi Beta Lambda Conferences. To fulfill her creative side, Lisanne was the chief photographer for the campus “Horizons Newspaper” publication.

Because her passion for Embry-Riddle is so evident and infectious, Lisanne accompanied the Enrollment Management staff on several recruiting events around the country to share her experiences with potential Riddle applicants.

In addition to all of her Embry-Riddle involvement, Lisanne found time to help local volunteer-dependent organizations. She regularly traveled over 80 miles round trip to clean cages and handle various animals at Out Of Africa Wildlife Park. She also assisted with an organization called “Sky Kids AZ” which shared the world of aviation and flight to children with special needs.

Lisanne’s passion is evident in all that she does—her extraordinary talents will ensure that she succeeds in any and all endeavors she undertakes.
Ms. Ciara B. Thompson
Ciara Thompson is graduating summa cum laude with a 3.97 Cumulative GPA with a Bachelors degree in Aerospace Engineering. While born in Chicago, Illinois, Ciara spent most of her childhood in Ghana, West Africa. Positive experiences and encouragement from her family heightened her interest in the technical fields and appreciation of the sciences.

Ciara’s mother introduced her to the world of aviation and enrolled the teenage Ciara in a vocation institute where she learned to build and fly a two-seater aircraft. With that profound experience, Ciara pursued her education in aviation at Embry-Riddle Prescott.

During her tenure at the Prescott Campus, Ciara has been the Chief Engineer for the Boeing AerosPACE program—a multi-university capstone aircraft design project. Selected by her project peers, she led a team of students representing four other universities. Her confidence in her management and leadership skills allowed her teammates to perform extremely well and make impressive progress with their project. According to one of her professors, Ciara ranks with the very best students and rookie engineers he has ever known!

Ciara has been a member of the Society of Women Engineers as well as a Campus Academic Mentor for the College of Engineering. She was a member of the Women’s Ambassador Program, Sigma Gamma Tau and Tau Beta Pi. Ciara has been the recipient of several honors, awards, and scholarships while attending Embry-Riddle including the NASA Space Grant for her work with the Computational Fluid Dynamics Research Group.

During the summer of 2013, as an undergraduate researcher at the University of Tennessee, in collaboration with the Joint Institute for Computational Sciences, Ciara worked with a graduate student and faculty mentor to simulate the electrophysiological effects of the heart which she presented at the 2013 Grace Hopper Women in Computing Conference in Minneapolis, Minnesota.
Ciara attributes her success at Embry-Riddle to the supportive community that instills encouragement and involvement. Ciara’s professors and classmates are extremely confident that she will succeed in accomplishing all of her goals beginning with her professional career as a member of the controls team at Northrop Grumman in California. Eventually, Ciara would ideally like to teach at a university and enhance the cultural and economic progress of developing nations in her home country.
ED KING COMMUNITY SERVICE AWARD

The Ed King Community Service Award honors a graduating senior who has made an outstanding contribution of time and talent to the local community and the university and has a minimum 3.0 Cumulative GPA.

Recipient: Ms. Haley K. Davis

As a fifth year Aerospace Engineering major graduating Magna Cum Laude with a 3.76 Cumulative GPA, Haley Davis is a perfect example of an individual giving it her all.

Haley started her career at Embry-Riddle as a successful Air Force ROTC cadet and would have made an excellent officer, however, she was given an opportunity by AFROTC to step down and pursue an alternate direction. Haley took full advantage of this opportunity so that she could serve others before herself. She credits her time in the ROTC with teaching her to emphasize the core values of integrity first, service before self, and excellence in all we do.

During her first year at Embry-Riddle, Haley got involved in the local community as an active and energetic volunteer with numerous organizations and for the duration of her college career has donated in excess of 4,700 hours of outstanding community service. In each of these organizations, Haley worked in a variety of capacities mentoring young children and especially high school students. Most importantly, Haley encouraged many less fortunate and hopeless young people to dream big and set goals for their future.

Three organizations that helped shape Haley’s college career were Young Life, Big Brothers/Big Sisters and Chi Alpha. Between her Air Force ROTC experiences and the impact these specific organizations create within the community, Haley changed her future direction from being an Air Force pilot to an individual that would be directly involved in serving people.
In the Fall of 2014, Haley had the opportunity to join other Chi Alpha students representing Embry-Riddle at the White Mountain Apache Reservation in eastern Arizona. That experience touched Haley so deeply that she has chosen to accept a one-year internship with the Apache Youth Ministries where she will tutor and teach high school students.

Haley plans to continue making a positive impact on the people around her and use the many skills learned at Embry-Riddle to stimulate and encourage the hopes and dreams of all young people she encounters.
Distinguished Faculty Award

Dr. Stephen Bruder, Associate Professor
Computer and Electrical Engineering, College of Engineering

Dr. Stephen Bruder joined the Computer, Electrical, and Software Engineering Department in 2013 after previously serving as the Chief Technology Officer of Applied Technology Associates in Albuquerque, New Mexico. Dr. Bruder’s past experience in industry and as a tenured faculty member at New Mexico Tech provided him with a wealth of technical knowledge, but he also brings a passion for education and communicating this knowledge to his students. They consistently praise his organization, enthusiasm, command of the material, and ability to communicate difficult technical concepts to the class. Additionally, he has received numerous positive comments for his availability, approachability, and commitment to student learning both inside and outside the classroom.

Dr. Bruder is a very active researcher and scholar with over 50 publications and conference presentations to his credit. Recently, he co-authored a paper entitled “Utilizing OFDM RF Signals for Aiding Inertial-Based Navigation Systems” which he presented at the ION ITM 2015 Conference. Also, he completed a book chapter with a co-author on the topic of inertial navigation which will be published by Springer this year.

Dr. Bruder has been active in outreach and service activities since his arrival on the Prescott campus. Dr. Bruder was instrumental in securing the donation of a large 3-axis angular rate-table from Boeing in order to begin the development of a navigation systems research lab. Obtaining this equipment provided the college with an important capability that Embry-Riddle did not previously possess.

Dr. Bruder earned both a Master of Science degree and Doctor of Philosophy degree in Electrical and Computer Engineering from Queen’s University, Kingston Ontario, Canada, and a Bachelor of Science degree from the University of the West Indies.
OUTSTANDING GRADUATES

Aeronautical Science ................................. Michael Emmanuel Cruz
Aeronautics .................................................. Scott A. Green
Aerospace Engineering ............................... Kevin Michael Vicencio
Air Force ROTC ........................................... 2d Lt Shivam Mukesh Kashiwala
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Announcing the Graduates
Mr. Larry K. Stephan
Dean of Students
Shivam Kashiwala was born on February 19, 1993 to Mukesh and Kalpana Kashiwala in New Jersey. His sister, Krishna Kashiwala, currently attends Northeastern University in Boston, Massachusetts.

In 2011, Shivam graduated from John F. Kennedy Memorial High School in Iselin, New Jersey where he held leadership positions in numerous organizations including Student Council and Future Business Leaders of America (FBLA).

Shivam began his career at Embry-Riddle, as a student and a cadet in the Air Force ROTC program. He has attained many experiences, scholarships and accomplishments at Embry-Riddle and in Detachment 028. As a result of Shivam’s outstanding achievements, he has been honored with numerous awards, including receiving a Boeing Scholarship, being named a Boeing Scholar, ProjectGO Scholarship to study Arabic in Morocco, and Military Officers Association of America Award.

In AFROTC, Shivam has served various leadership positions including the Wing Knowledge Management Officer. Shivam managed attendance for over 180 Cadets. In addition to the Cadet Wing, Shivam also held the positions of Activities Officer, Historian, Vice President, and President of the Steven M. Scherp Chapter of Silver Wings. Shivam also served as the Sabre Drill Team Commander.

In the College of Security and Intelligence, Shivam has been involved as ASIS International Marketing/Advertising Chair, Cyber Eye Branding Team Lead, and a Senior Campus Ambassador in Embry-Riddle Admissions overseeing 20 student employees. Shivam’s hobbies include dancing, DJ-ing, hiking, photography and traveling.
In addition to graduating with a Bachelor of Science in Global Security & Intelligence Studies, he will receive minors in Defense Studies and Middle-Eastern/Arabic Studies. Shivam will be continuing his career as a Nuclear and Missile Operations Officer in the United States Air Force.
COMMENCEMENT SPEAKER

David B. O’Maley

Mr. David O’Maley was elected to the Board of Trustees for Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University in March 2014.

O’Maley joined The Ohio National Life Insurance Company in March, 1992 as Executive Vice President and Chief Marketing Officer and was elected President and Chief Operating Officer in 1993. After his retirement, he was elected Chairman Emeritus in recognition of his significant leadership accomplishments which were transformational to the company.

O’Maley began his life insurance career in 1968 as an agent. He spent 24 years with Life of Virginia, serving as an agent, agency assistant manager and agency head. He became chief marketing officer in 1986 and was a member of the board of directors and the executive committee. He also served as president of the company’s securities broker dealer and two life insurance company subsidiaries.

A native of Long Island, New York, O’Maley received his bachelor’s degree in marketing from Florida Atlantic University in Boca Raton, Florida, and a master’s degree in financial services from The American College, Bryn Mawr, Pennsylvania.

O’Maley also serves on many corporate, foundation and community-based boards. Additionally he is founder of the Tri-State Warbird Museum, where he currently serves as volunteer Chairman. Opened in the spring of 2005, this historic aviation museum is dedicated to honoring those who fought for our freedom and America’s rich aviation history. The museum has the 3rd largest collection of flyable World War II aircraft.

An active pilot, O’Maley enjoys playing golf and spending time with his wife, Karen, and their 3 children, during his leisure time.
Dr. Frank Ayers is the Chancellor of the Prescott, Arizona campus, of Embry Riddle Aeronautical University. As Chancellor, he is responsible for leading more than 2,000 students, and 350 employees. He oversees a full range of academic, operational and professional activities, and sets strategic direction in academics, business operations, enrollment management, academic support, financial aid and student life. His other responsibilities include leadership at the University Cabinet level, philanthropic initiatives and external relationships with government and industry. He is also a Professor of Aeronautical Science.

Previously, he was chairman of the flight training department at the University’s Daytona Beach, Florida Campus. In that position, he managed a staff of 250 personnel, training more than 1,000 students annually, and flying more than 70,000 flight hours per year.

From 2003-2005, Ayers was principal investigator for the FAA Industry Training Standards (FITS) research program. In that capacity, he supervised a team of researchers at Embry-Riddle and the University of North Dakota, partnering with industry to develop scenario-based and flight training-based curricula. The FITS curriculum has been adopted by the FAA as the standard for general aviation training in the United States. For his efforts, Ayers was named the recipient of the University Aviation Association’s 2005 Frank E. Sorenson Award, for “the professional educator who has made substantial contributions to the field of aviation research and scholarship.”

Prior to joining Embry-Riddle, Ayers was in the U.S. Air Force for 26 years, serving as a B-52 instructor pilot, commander of a B-52 Training Squadron, group commander and chief of Joint Military Education Policy at the Pentagon, among other assignments. He earned an Airline Transport Pilot certificate, with type ratings in the Boeing 757 and 767, and is a certified flight instructor. Ayers has logged more than 6,000 flight hours in a wide variety of aircraft types.
Ayers received a B.A. in History from Virginia Polytechnic Institute, an M.S. in Aviation Management from Embry-Riddle and an Ed.D. from Nova Southeastern University.

Dr. Ayers is the 2013 inductee in the Virginia Polytechnic Institute, Aviation Hall of Fame, for notable achievement in the fields of aerospace and aviation.

Dr. Ayers is married to the former Deborah Jane Noss and they have two children, Michael and Clifden, and a daughter-in-law, Laura.
Richard Heist was named Embry-Riddle’s Provost and Senior Vice President in July 2007 and was also appointed a professor of engineering. On Jan. 1, 2009, he was named Executive Vice President and Chief Academic Officer of the Daytona Beach, Florida Campus. In January 2012, he assumed the duties of Chancellor for the Daytona Beach Campus; and, in January 2013, he was named the Chief Academic Officer for the Daytona Beach Campus of Embry-Riddle. In January, 2015, he was appointed the Senior Vice President for Academic Affairs and Provost for the University.

At Embry-Riddle he oversees all academic, instructional, and research matters for the University. His responsibilities include all academic programs at the Bachelor’s, Master’s, and Ph.D. levels including the appointment, evaluation, management, and promotion of faculty; the evaluation and development of curricula; the growth of scholarly research; and overseeing the University Research Centers. He works with all three campuses in establishing and maintaining the quality of university-wide academic activities, ensuring accreditation compliance and sound academic policies. He works with the President, the University Cabinet, other university officers, and faculty to provide strategic academic direction for the University.

Prior to Embry-Riddle, Heist was with Manhattan College in Riverdale, New York, where he was the Dean of the School of Engineering, Director of the Nucleation Laboratory, and a professor of chemical engineering.

Before joining Manhattan College, Heist spent 26 years at the University of Rochester in Rochester, New York, where he was the Associate Dean for Graduate Studies for the College of Arts and Sciences and the School of Engineering and Applied Sciences, as well as a professor of chemical engineering and Director of the Center for Nucleation Research.
Heist has a solid record of research and scholarship in nucleation, nucleation-related phenomena, cavitation, aerosols and other ultra-fine particles, and educational applications of microcomputers. In addition, Dr. Heist has received many awards for excellence in undergraduate teaching.

He holds a Ph.D. from Purdue University, where his thesis research was in the fields of Physical Chemistry and Chemical Physics, and a B.A. from Catawba College, where he majored in Chemistry and minored in Physics.
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INTERNATIONAL FLAGS

Please join us in recognizing our diverse international student population who attend the Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University Prescott Campus. To honor the homeland countries of our global student community, flags representing their respective lands are carried in and displayed during the commencement ceremony. Included are flags and graduates from:

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Canada ............................................................. Christine M. Hopkins
Ecuador ....................................................................... Brian M. Acosta
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Ghana ............................................................................ Ciara B. Thompson
Hong Kong ............................................................ Yan To Yeung
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Award recipients vary each semester. Not all awards listed may be present in today’s graduating class.
NOTES ON ACADEMIC COSTUME

The colorful attire worn by the graduates, the faculty and officers of the University, on the occasion of these Commencement Exercises has historic roots in medieval times. Dressed as they are in cap and gown, the graduates and their professors form a part of long tradition, which dates back from Paris and Bologna to Oxford and Cambridge.

The precise origins on the several parts of the academic garb are not easy to discover. However, since the medieval students enjoyed the status of clerics during their university years, one is hardly far wrong in asserting that their attire found its inspiration in the clerical dress of medieval times. The gown seems to be an adaptation of the robe of friar or priest; the hood, of the monk’s on friar’s cowl; and the mortarboard cap of today, the end product of a curious evolution, recalls the skull cap of days when tonsured heads needed protection against drafts of medieval classrooms.

Academic attire began to appear quite generally on United States campuses in the late 1890’s. Since that time, its use has become universal for solemn university functions and its pattern highly uniform.

THE GOWN. The gowns are three in number and styling. That of the bachelor is a yoked, closed-front garment, with long, pointed sleeves; that of the master has sleeves long and closed, but slit just above the wrist to allow the hands to protrude; the gown of the doctor has full, bell shaped sleeves. Only the doctor’s gown is trimmed—with velvet panels down the front and three velvet bars on each sleeve.

Though black velvet is proper trimming for all doctor gowns, the color of the panels and sleeve bars is often varied, in order to indicate the faculty which granted the wearer’s degree—dark blue for Philosophy; light blue for Education; white for Arts and Letters; gold-yellow for Science; orange for Engineering; purple for Law; brown for Management. Black is also proper for the color of the gown; however, some universities have adopted distinctive colors for these gowns, and the wearer has the option of wearing their school color or black.

THE HOOD. The hood at first seems to have been worn over the head and was attached to the gown. When the skull cap was introduced, the hood was retained but detached and worn much as it is today. Each degree (master, doctor) has its special hood, which varies in length and, in the case of the doctor’s, also in pattern.

The color or colors with which the hood is lined are those of the college or university which granted the wearer’s degree—for example, Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University is known by the yellow gold chevron on the field of blue, with heraldic eagles in the chevron. The colored velvet binding or edging of the hood, in different widths for master and doctor, is the key to the faculty granting the degree. The colors follow the same scheme indicated above for the panels of the doctor’s gown.

THE CAP. The mortarboard has become the university-accepted style in the United States colleges and universities. Many European institutions retain distinctive forms of academic headdress.

The doctor, following graduation, has the right to wear a gold tassel on their mortarboard; black, however, is perfectly proper. A practice of varying the color of the tassel on the others has gained acceptance. Arts, white; Science, gold-yellow; Philosophy, dark blue; Education, light blue; Commerce, drab brown; Technology and Engineering, orange; Maintenance Technology, red; Law, purple; and Security and Intelligence, royal blue.
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Verse 1:
Eagles gather near, we lift our voices loud and clear
Soaring high, oh Alma Mater, threads of blue and gold
   United we soar, in vast open skies
Embry-Riddle, we hail thee, great memories we’ll hold

Refrain:
So here’s to you old ERAU
   Alma Mater true,
We pledge in love and harmony
   Our loyalty to you

Verse 2:
Singing thy praise, remembering the days
Coast to coast, around the world, our bond forever true
   Embracing our dreams, with pride far and wide
Embry-Riddle, we hail thee, great memories we’ll hold

Refrain:
So here’s to you old ERAU
   Alma Mater true,
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   Our loyalty to you