

# UNIBETSEDÅT GUÅHAN

# FANUCHÅNAN 2018 COMMENCEMENT CEREMONY

Sunday, December 16, 2018

# UNIVERSITY OF GUAM Fanuchånan 2018 Commencement Ceremony Unibetsedåt Guåhan Serimona Graduhasion

Sunday, December 16, University of Guam Calvo Field House, Two o'clock in the Afternoon

#### Prelude

#### Processional

**Grand Marshal** Anita Borja Enriguez, DBA

Senior Vice President, Academic & Student Affairs

> **Student Marshals** Charles Onedera Ferdene DelaCruz

#### **Graduating Class**

Mace Bearer and Faculty Marshal Mary Therese F. Cruz, Ph.D.

President, Faculty Senate
Emeritus Marshal

Lawrence F. Kasperbauer, Ph.D. Society of Emeritus Professors and Retired Scholars

**Emeritus Faculty** 

#### **Faculty Senate**

Faculty

#### **Board of Regents**

#### Platform Guests

#### **Presentation of Colors**

**National Anthem** Sabrina Borja, Nikki Canape Kayla Del Rosario, Brett O'Connor

> **Guam Hymn** Richard Luis Borja

Invocation Most Reverend Michael J. Byrnes, S.T.D. Coadjutor Archbishop of Agaña

> **Opening Address** Thomas W. Krise, Ph.D. *President*

**Presentation of Class Gift** Rita Taitano, Jonas Mendiola, Roseanne Torres

## **Class Address**

Ms. Mia Sara Dizon Madlambayan B.A. Psychology and Sociology *Class Valedictorian* 

#### Legislative Certificate

**Commencement Address** Mr. Julian Aguon Human Rights Lawyer and Founder of Blue Ocean Law

Conferral of Degrees In Course Thomas W. Krise, Ph.D. President

#### **Presentation of Candidates**

Lawrence F. Camacho Dean, Enrollment Management and Student Success

James D. Sellmann, Ph.D. Dean, College of Liberal Arts and Social Sciences

Lee S. Yudin, Ph.D. Dean, College of Natural and Applied Sciences

Annette T. Santos, DBA Dean, School of Business and Public Administration

Alicia C. Aguon, Ph.D. Dean, School of Education

Margaret Hattori-Uchima, Ph.D. Dean, School of Nursing and Health Sciences

#### **Presentation of Graduate Candidates**

Monique Storie, Ph.D. Acting Director of Graduate Studies

University Alma Mater All students, led by Romel Bismonte

#### Benediction

Pr. Mesikt Idechong Ypao-Ordot SDA Church Pastor/ *Guam SDA Clinic Chaplain* 

#### Recessional

Music UOG Jazz Ensemble Dr. Stephen Bednarzyk *Conductor* 

# **MESSAGE FROM THE CHAIRPERSON**



The Board of Regents extends its sincere congratulations to the graduates of this Class of Fanuchånan 2018.

It is our great honor to see this class of ambitious, innovative, and well-prepared graduates enter the workforce. We know the road to a degree is never an easy one, but the investment you have made here at UOG will pay lifelong dividends. We hope your experience here has expanded your perspective, grounded your values, and inspired your future.

Wherever your journey takes you, we hope you will remain an active and engaged part of the Triton family and our island of Guam and that you will continue to seek the Triton mission to enlighten, to discover, and to serve.

We look forward to hearing of your many accomplishments to come.

Mr. Christopher K. Felix Chairperson, Board of Regents

# **MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT**



Today is an important day! This Fanuchånan Commencement marks the finish line for a commitment you made to yourself and for a commitment that the University of Guam made to you. Congratulations on achieving this important goal!

That commitment was to complete the necessary work to earn a degree – a degree that represents your understanding of not only your subject area, but how to analyze and make meaningful contributions to our island, nation, region, and world.

It is with pride that we recognize this great accomplishment and now welcome you into our family of Triton alumni. Our alumni are dispersed throughout Micronesia and the world and hold many influential roles as government officials, corporate executives and entrepreneurs, leaders in health care, education, science, and more. Your path from this point will become a proud part of UOG's story as well.

Congratulations and BIBA UOG!

Thomas W. Krise, Ph.D. President

# **BOARD OF REGENTS**



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## Academic Dress and Procession

The history of academic dress dates to the Middle Ages when many scholars were also clerics and wore costume of the monastic orders. In 1321, the University

Cambridge of adopted specific styles and color combinations. American universities colleges and desired to adopt a standard code for academic dress for colleaes and universities in the United States. The standards continue to be followed by the American Council of Education.

The costumes worn today are all traditional and their colors, trimmings and patterns interpret the degree, the field of learning, and the institution that conferred the degree. The bachelor's gown has long pointed sleeves and is designed to be worn closed; the master's gown has an oblong sleeves open at the wrist. The rear part of

its oblong shape is square cut and the front part has an arc cut away. The doctor's gown has bell-shaped sleeves, is faced with velvet and has three bars across the sleeves. The color of the velvet is distinctive of the degree.

The hood tells the story. The type of degree bachelor's, master's, doctor's, is indicated by the width of the velvet edging and the length of the hood, the doctor's hood being the longest and of a fuller shape. The color of the velvet edging denotes the field of learning and the lining denotes the school that conferred the degree.

The color of the tassel, worn on the left side of the mortarboard, indicates the field of study and is gold for those with a doctor's degree. The colors you will see today in the hoods and gown of our faculty represent the various fields of learning: white, arts, letters, and humanities; drab, business administration; light blue, education; apricot, nursing; dark blue, philosophy;



and golden yellow, science.

The academic procession is led by the grand marshal, who is the President of the Faculty Senate, A traditional order to procession is followed: First come the candidates for degrees according to the order in which the degrees are to be conferred; next, members of the faculty led by the faculty marshal, the honorary degree recipient and the other members of the platform party followed by the president of the university. The order is reversed for the recessional

You will note that some of today's graduates are wearing a gold stole. This stole

indicates that the wearer is graduating with academic honors.

## The Mace

Historically, the mace was a heavy, spiked club used during the Middle Ages to break armor in battle. Today, the mace is an ornamental staff borne as a symbol of authority before a public official or legislative body. The mace of the University of Guam is made of ifil wood into which are carved ifil leaves. Ifil wood was chosen because of its performance, strength and value, all of which reflect the major characteristics of the University of Guam. The mace, designed by Forrest G. Rogers, was carved and donated to the University of Guam by the Department of Corrections.

# **COMMENCEMENT ADDRESS** Mr. Julian Aguon Human Rights Lawyer and Founder of Blue Ocean Law

Julian Aguon is a human rights lawyer breaking new ground at the intersection of international indigenous rights and environmental law. A native son of Guam, Julian founded his own law firm at the age of 28 to advocate for the myriad peoples of the Pacific region. His firm, Blue Ocean Law, works across multiple jurisdictions and develops innovative legal strategies to advance the self-determination struggles of native and non-self-governing peoples.

Barred in Guam, Palau, and the Marshall Islands, Julian has provided counsel for governments, civil society organizations, and national liberation movements. His projects have included working with the Marshall Islands to seek redress for the harms of nuclear testing, fighting to protect the land rights of the indigenous peoples of the Northern Mariana Islands, and providing lawmakers from small



Julian Aguon Human Rights Lawyer and Founder of Blue Ocean Law

island states with legal and regulatory tools to better protect their natural resources.

Currently, Julian is working with the Pacific Network on Globalisation to ensure protection of indigenous rights as the emergent deep sea mining industry lays claims throughout Melanesia - in Fiji, Papua New Guinea, Tonga, and Vanuatu. In his own Guam, Julian serves as legal counsel to the Legislature and was appointed Special Assistant Attorney General to defend the decolonization process, specifically the right of the native inhabitants of Guam to freely choose their political status. Julian was named a "human rights hero" by the Petra Foundation for his work advancing the rights of his own and other Pacific peoples.

Julian also lectures at the University of Guam and the William S. Richardson School of Law, where he teaches International Law and Pacific Island Legal Systems. He has published numerous books and law articles on a range of international law and human rights issues. Julian's most recent article, published in the Harvard Environmental Law Review, identifies the potential social and environmental impacts of deep sea mining and advocates for a comprehensive and rights-protective regulatory regime.

# DEGREES IN COURSE FANUCHÅNAN 2018 COMMENCEMENT

# COLLEGE OF LIBERAL ARTS AND SOCIAL SCIENCES Dr. James D. Sellmann, Dean

#### Candidates for Degree in Course

## Bachelor of Arts (B.A.)

Katherine Theresa Consuelo Dunn Communication: Mass Media and Journalism and Communication Studies Tracks Santa Rita

Lauren Erika Lee Communication: Communication Studies and Public Relations Tracks Tamuning

Alexandria Paulino Communication: Mass Media and Journalism Track Ordot

Matthew James Santiago Miguel Communication: Mass Media Studies Track Mangilao

Rita Sarah Ngirchechol Taitano Communication: Public Relations Track Chalan Pago

Marie Lourdes Nicole S. Ibardolasa English: English for Education Emphasis Dededo

Janine Marie Duenas Taitano English: English for Education Emphasis Yigo Ryo L. Espinosa English: Language Emphasis Yigo

Franklin Vincent Taitano Castro English: Linguistics/ESL Emphasis Sinajana

Nikki Marie Pama Java English: Linguistics/ESL Emphasis Dededo

Raylene Nicoria Santos Manley English: Linguistics/ESL Emphasis Yigo

Nicholas C.G. Perez English: Linguistics/ESL Emphasis Agana Heights

Samantha Gayle Cristobal Placides English: Linguistics/ESL Emphasis Dededo

Gabrielle Libao Villa English: Linguistics/ESL Emphasis Dededo

Monica Galvez Aquino English: Literature Emphasis Yigo Kiana Lamar Brown English: Literature Emphasis Mangilao

Yunee Kim English: Literature Emphasis Tamuning

Christina S. Lee English: Literature Emphasis Harmon

Maia Pauline D. Reyes English: Literature Emphasis Tamuning

Joanne F. Almajose Fine Arts: Art Track Tumon

Gino Anthony Garcia Datuin Fine Arts: Art Track Mangilao

Yugo Mizuno Fine Arts: Art Track Tamuning

Lady Dominique Canape Fine Arts: Music Track Mangilao

Kayla Mari Del Rosario Fine Arts: Music Track Dededo

Richard Bacani Baluyut History Dededo

#### Bachelor of Arts (B.A.) Cont...

Jeannie M. Calvo Pacific-Asian Studies: Chamorro Studies Track Chalan Pago

Carlin Nicole Agulto Montano Pacific-Asian Studies: Chamorro Studies Track Yigo

Darrin John San Gil Pangelinan Pacific-Asian Studies: Chamorro Studies Track Mangilao

Cierra S. Camacho Political Science Yona

Michelle Briones Dulana Political Science Dededo

Juzely Chanel Duran Political Science Dededo

Megumi Cindy Hikichi Political Science Dededo

Oran Malcolm Hill Political Science Yigo

Brett William Lizama O'Connor Political Science Chalan Pago Dylan J. Sablan Political Science Dededo

Gechelle Tripoli Asuncion Psychology Dededo

Katherine Hannah Blocksom Psychology Chalan Pago

Amanda Joy Borja Psychology Chalan Pago

Chartee Corin Williams Brennan Psychology Chalan Pago

Donnica-Jane Cabuhat Psychology Dededo

Apryl Marie Clark Psychology Barrigada

Pualani Jean Lansing Psychology Barrigada

Janalu Lizama Salvador Psychology and Sociology: Gender and Family and Social Problems Studies Concentrations Santa Rita Samantha Jean Cruz Uncangco Psychology and Sociology: Gender and Family and Studies Concentration Chalan Pago

Mia Sara Dizon Madlambayan Psychology and Sociology: Social Problems Studies Concentration Yigo

Brianne Therese Leon Guerrero Dunstan Sociology: Gender and Family, Social Problems and Development Studies Concentrations Chalan Pago

Kabrini Joy Concepcion Muña Sociology: Gender and Family, Social Problems and Development Studies Concentrations Santa Rita

Gia Cristina Righetti Sociology: Gender and Family Studies Concentration Sinajana

# COLLEGE OF NATURAL AND APPLIED SCIENCES Dr. Lee S. Yudin, Dean

#### **Candidates for Degree in Course**

#### Bachelor of Science (B.S.)

Kn Ante Nethon Biology Dededo

Zachary Ray Quiogue Biology Yigo

Jong Keon Shin Chemistry: Chemistry-Biology Dual Track Dededo

James L. Pascua Computer Information Systems Dededo Gabrielle Mari Cruz Aguilar Computer Science Dededo

Xin Luo Computer Science Tamuning

Tiara Lynn Villanueva Mendiola Computer Science Dededo

Nicholas Kekaikamana O'-A-Kino'laho'Omau Sheeler Computer Science Barrigada Hyett Lawana Sanchez Consumer and Family Sciences Mangialo

Claudette Dahilig Aganon Mathematics and Computer Science Yigo

# SCHOOL OF BUSINESS AND PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION Dr. Annette Taijeron Santos, Dean

## **Candidates for Degree in Course**

#### Bachelor of Busines Administration in Accounting (B.B.A.A.)

Allston A. Abraham Accounting Mangilao

Antoinette Ardos Accounting Tamuning

Roy C. Castro Accounting Yigo

Wei-Chun Chen Accounting Mangilao Troy Richardson Chiwi Accounting Mangilao

Diane Aninzo Mañalac Accounting Dededo

Angelica Punu Quiambao Accounting Mongmong

Nicholas M. Rivera Accounting Barrigada Stephanne Debita San Nicolas Accounting Dededo

Vanese Arielle Calpito Sanchez Accounting Tamuning

Venisha Schunter Accounting Yigo

Alyssa Mariz Cuento Talabong Accounting Dededo

#### Bachelor of Busines Administration in Accounting (B.B.A.A.) Cont...

Mardave Jose Lunod Toledo Accounting Mangilao

Kyle Albert Bolor Torres Accounting Dededo Danielle Blas-Baleto Sherwin Accounting and Entrepreneurship and Human Resource Mangement Concentrations Santa Rita Kate Valerie Y. Banes Accounting and Finance and Economics Concentration Agat

Sirena Mantanona Garrido Accounting and Finance and Economics Concentration Yona

#### Bachelor of Business Administration (B.B.A.)

Cristina Lyn B. Espiritu Accounting Concentration Yigo

Eduardo Nicholas Ampare II Entrepreneurship Concentration Dededo

Min S. Choi Entrepreneurship Concentration Barrigada

Malory R. Cruz Entrepreneurship Concentration Ipan, Talofofo

Jerlyn Nichole Lagasca Deseo Entrepreneurship Concentration Dededo

Jed Allen Sardoma Espino Entrepreneurship Concentration Dededo

Evan Marshall Hizon Entrepreneurship Concentration Dededo

Charles Patrick Santos Onedera Entrepreneurship and Human Resource Management Concentrations Sinajana

Merrick Mendros Orot Entrepreneurship Concentration Dededo Gerelyn Krystal Sonido Entrepreneurship Concentration Mongmong

Karyss Esguerra Cabuhat Finance and Economics Concentration Yigo

Marcie Ann Cruz Finance and Economics Concentration Maina

Shirlynnda Lebehn Finance and Economics Concentration Mangilao

Alejo Lujan Finance and Economics Concentration Chalan Pago

Regina Rae T. Manuntag Finance and Economics Concentration Dededo

Gabriel William Flores Martinez Finance and Economics Concentration Mongmong

Joann Margaret L. Nicolas Finance and Economics Concentration Dededo Kaitlyn Amber Sablan Roberto Finance and Economics Concentration Mangilao

Azia Rose Sayama Finance and Economics Concentration Yona

Keith Taliugyan Finance and Economics Concentration Yap

Lawrence Tiwelital Finance and Economics Concentration Yap

Midson Tom Finance and Economics Concentration Dededo

James H. Underwood III Finance and Economics Concentration Sinajana

Judy J. Wilbur Finance and Economics Concentration Mangilao

#### Bachelor of Business Administration (B.B.A.) Cont...

Christopher Thomas Lujan Aguon Human Resource Management and Finance and Economics Concentrations Yona

Kevin Juan Babauta Balajadia Human Resource Management Concentration Yona

Joanna-Fe V. Camacho Human Resource Management Concentration Dededo

Melissa Blas Campo Human Resource Management Concentration Dededo

Taylor Lauren Crisostomo Human Resource Management Concentration Tamuning

Jasmine Joy A. Floranda Human Resource Management Concentration Yigo

Psalmia Faith R. Guison Human Resource Management Concentration Barrigada

Marie Louise L. Jorolan Human Resource Management Concentration Mangilao Jonnie Lina L. Santos Human Resource Management Concentration MTM

Renz Iñigo Lopez Santos Human Resource Management Concentration Yigo

Ka Man Baby So Human Resource Management Concentration Ordot Chalan Pago

Christina Marie Laguaña Vasques Human Resource Management Concentration Dededo

Hannah May Caballes Aquino International Tourism and Hospitality Management and Finance and Economics Concentrations Dededo

Brian John Kami International Tourism and Hospitality Management Concentration Mangilao

Flori-Anne Dela Cruz Marketing and International Tourism and Hospitality Management Concentrations Dededo Franqolene Jean Arnaiz Marketing Concentration Dededo

Jinho Daniel Choe Marketing Concentration Tamuning

Cabrini Cruz Marketing Concentration Inarajan

Maria Angelica Babac Malasarte Marketing Concentration Mangilao

Oliver R. Marcos Marketing Concentration Dededo

Daniel Jay Sunga Ramos Marketing Concentration Chalan Pago

Anastassya Jade Pierson Organizational Behavior Concentration Yigo

#### Bachelor of Science (B.S)

Joseph J. Aguon II Criminal Justice Barrigada

Iohaan Rakin Anjolok Criminal Justice Mangilao

Timothea Jane Trinidad Atchico Criminal Justice Harmon

John K. Blas Criminal Justice Dededo

Riko San Nicolas Crisostomo Criminal Justice Inarajan

Edward D. Cruz\* Criminal Justice Yona

Gabrielle Gatdula Dahilig Criminal Justice Dededo

Keanu Carl Gatdula Dahilig Criminal Justice Dededo

Lawrence De Luna Guiao Criminal Justice Yigo

Sierra C. A. Hocog Criminal Justice and Public Administration Santa Rita

Christian Ray Josef Criminal Justice Dededo

Dion Adam Keys Criminal Justice Dededo Jonah Zachery Chargualaf Mendiola Criminal Justice Santa Rita

Amber Holly M. Osima Criminal Justice Dededo

Joseph Cody H. Patris Criminal Justice Mangilao

Jim Rebujio Criminal Justice Yigo

Peter John Reyes Santos Jr. Criminal Justice Agana Heights

William John Schunter III Criminal Justice Yigo

Bee Heartly N. Siba Criminal Justice Kosrae

Cheyenne Mary Grace Songsong Criminal Justice Chalan Pago

Amabella Keiko Soram Criminal Justice Pohnpei

Wade M. Stuckey Criminal Justice Santa Rita

Jonnie Tavares Criminal Justice Santa Rita Gianni Rae Damian Toves Criminal Justice Barrigada

Kuauhamakoa A.T. Aquino Public Administration Asan

Katrina Salas Charfauros Public Administration Tamuning

Sonega Iwetchong Gogue Public Administration Mangilao

Shaun M. Hosei Public Administration Mangilao

Darryl Jay U. Navarro Public Administration and Criminal Justice Dededo

Jessiree Alvarez Patao Public Administration Agat

Joann Fejeran Megofna Sablan Public Administration Mangilao

Tricia Lynn Quintanilla Shimizu Public Administration Mangilao

# SCHOOL OF EDUCATON Dr. Alicia C. Aguon, Dean

## **Candidates for Degree in Course**

#### Bachelor of Arts in Education (B.A.E.)

Hannah Nicole Bidaure Elementary Education Dededo

Eiko Ioanis Boaz Elementary Education Pohnpei

Richard Luis Borja Elementary Education Agana Heights

Amanda Rae Gofigan Chen Elementary Education Dededo

Rodrigo Domsin Elementary Education Pohnpei

Karla Jade Marin Fontbuena Elementary Education Yigo

Jocelyn Santos Green Elementary Education Dededo

Elsy Heldart Elementary Education Pohnpei Catherine Ario Lorio Elementary Education Santa Rita

Michael Del Rosario Matanguihan Elementary Education Yigo

Desiree Vargas Oliverio Elementary Education Dededo

Joanna Kate P. Ponce Elementary Education Dededo

Anthony Clark P. Ponce Elementary Education Dededo

Jerlian Raymond Elementary Education Pohnpei

Sasha Rose Reyes Elementary Education Harmon

Brogan Elizabeth Sanchez Elementary Education Piti Laura Lynn Villagomez Elementary Education Dededo

Eury V. Quejado Jr. Physical Education/School Health (PK-12) Dededo

Sabrina Kristine A. Borja Secondary Education and Fine Arts: Music Track Yigo

Justin Michael De Vera Garcia Secondary Education: Consumer and Family Sciences Dededo

Nicholas Cruz Guerrero Secondary Education: General Science Mangilao

Jhaymie Lynn S. Bejerana Special Education Dededo

MaryAntonnette Manibusan Halmi Special Education Mangilao

# SCHOOL OF NURSING AND HEALTH SCIENCES Dr. Margaret Hattori-Uchima, Dean

## Candidates for Degree in Course

## Bachelor of Science (B.S.)

Gerald Tripoli Asuncion Health Science: Exercise Science and Health Promotion Concentration Dededo

Richonne V. R. Luzanta Health Science: Exercise Science and Health Promotion Concentration Agat

Giorgio B. Meneses Health Science: Exercise Science and Health Promotion Concentration Dededo

Sabrina Compton Rivo Health Science: Exercise Science and Health Promotion Concentration Yigo

Monique Lynnette Quintanilla Shimizu Health Science: Exercise Science and Health Promotion Concentration Mangilao Lewis Tudela Tenorio Health Science: Exercise Science and Health Promotion Concentration Tamuning

Rico J. Gogo Diaz Health Science: Pre-Physical Therapy Concentration Agana Heights

Tristen Teddy Untalan Hocog Health Science: Pre-Physical Therapy Concentration Dededo

Gabrielle K. Lagutang Health Science: Pre-Physical Therapy Concentration Tamuning

Nicole Katelyn Tarusan Legaspi Health Science: Pre-Physical Therapy Concentration Mangilao

Reianna Marie Jesus Mendiola Health Science: Pre-Physical Therapy Concentration Mangilao Brian J. Murray Health Science: Pre-Physical Therapy Concentration Mangilao

Aziz Edward Sabeti Health Science: Pre-Physical Therapy Concentration Dededo

Carlyn Oyong Fausto Health Science: Public Health Concentration Dededo

Paul John A. Legaspi Health Science: Public Health Concentration Mangilao

Virlene Joyce Echon Peralta Health Science: Public Health Concentration Dededo

Genevieve Yvonne Sugiyama Health Science: Public Health Concentration Harmon

## Bachelor of Science in Nursing (B.S.N.)

Rowee Lord E. Samson Dededo

## Bachelor of Science in Social Work (B.S.W.)

Joyce H. Borja Tamuning Jenolyn Hartman Mangilao Yvonne Y. Johnny Mangilao

# GRADUATE STUDIES Dr. Monique Storie Acting Director of Graduate Studies

**Candidates for Degree in Course** 

# GRADUATE PROGRAMS IN THE COLLEGE OF LIBERAL ARTS AND SOCIAL SCIENCES

## Master of Arts in Art (M.A.)

Kimberly Mann Waterville, Vermont BA Gordon College

## Master of Arts in English (M.A.)

Christopher M. Cabrera Dededo BA University of Guam Audrey Perez Mandapat Yona BA University of Guam Elizabeth Midil Rutun Tamuning BA Chaminade University of Honolulu

## Master of Science in Clinical Psychology (M.S.)

Olivia Jean Borja Chalan Pago BA Goshen College Monique Sayaka Nakamura Tamuning BS University of California Irvine & BA University of Guam Kento Yasukawa Tamuning BA University of Guam

Mc Jason Frias De Luna Dededo BS Far Eastern University

# GRADUATE PROGRAMS IN THE COLLEGE OF NATURAL AND APPLIED SCIENCES

## Master of Science in Biology (M.S.)

James E. Fifer Mangilao BS Trinity College Alisha Marie Gill Dededo BS Montana State University Matthew Mills Tamuning BS Georgia Southern University

## Master of Science in Environmental Science (M.S.)

Lauren Paige Swaddell Sinajana BA Hunter College of City University of New York

# GRADUATE PROGRAMS IN THE SCHOOL OF BUSINESS AND PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION

#### Professional Master of Business Administration (P.M.B.A.)

Hyunhi Chong Dededo BA University of St. Thomas

Donald J Cruz Sinajana BS University of Management and Technology Terry P. Cutshaw Mangilao BS University of Maryland University College

Jessica Marie O. Ligeralde Tamuning BS De La Salle University Tavia Diaz Manglona Mangilao BBA University of Guam

Alvin John Guevarra Tapales Tamuning BS Mapua Institute of Technology

### Master of Public Administration (M.P.A.)

Elway Sinsak Ikeda Chalan Pago BA University of Guam

Leo Peter Kashihara Manibusan Mongmong BS University of Guam Shannel Rose Mendiola Santa Rita BS University of Guam

Stefanie Joy Alejandro Quito Tumon BS University of Guam Kristal Rose Bocatija Taimanglo Chalan Pago BS University of Guam

# GRADUATE PROGRAMS IN THE SCHOOL EDUCATION

### Master of Arts in Counseling (M.A.)

Ramon Mesngon Castro, Jr.	Tiara Joemae L. Mailloux
Dededo	Dededo
BA University of Guam	BS University of Phoenix
Krizia Arianne L. Gozo	Lorie Ann Vida Montague
Barrigada	Mangilao
BA University of Guam	BS University of Guam

Marita Carlos Pareja Latte Heights BAE University of Guam

### Master of Education (M.Ed.) with Specializations

Robert Anthony Acfalle Alvarez	Rov
Administration and Supervision	Ad
Sinajana	De
BAE University of Guam	BB.

Rowena S. B. Guerrero Administration and Supervision Dededo BBA University of Guam Shawlon Tiana Bukikosa Abuan Reading Barrigada BAE University of Guam

#### Master of Education (M.Ed.) with Specializations (cont.)

Natasha C. Aguon Reading Barrigada BAE University of Guam

Christian T. Bais Reading Tamuning BAE University of Guam

Miklenne Nangauta Guzman Carbullido Reading Yona BAE University of Guam

Charity Castro Catunao Reading Agat BAE University of Guam

Lillian Marie Flores Cruz Reading Mangilao BAE University of Guam

Jerica Therese Dungca Reading Dededo BAE University of Guam

Edward M. Fasug Reading Colonia YAP BAE University of Guam

Erika L. Lorenzo Reading Agana Heights BAE University of Guam

Kristine Joy Abua Madrazo Reading Harmon BAE University of Guam

Camille Dorothy Q. Manzano Reading Dededo BAE University of Guam Mary Jane Taitague Nauta Reading Talofofo BAE University of Guam

Luella Lynn Orlando Reading Mangilao BAE University of Guam

Rovileen Rios-Aflague Reading Agat BAE University of Guam

Kristi Nicole Shimizu Reading Mongmong BAE University of Guam

Christina Maria Sablan Toves Reading Santa Rita BAE University of Guam

Jocelyn Toni Quitugua Borja Special Education Agana Heights BAE University of Guam

Ferdene Gale Domingo Dela Cruz Special Education Dededo BAE University of Guam

Rita-Rose Hualde Gilbert Special Education Dededo BAE University of Guam

Shannel Britney Meno Leon Guerrero Special Education Barrigada BAE University of Guam Gilbert Imanil Mangosong Special Education Yigo BA University of Guam

Julie Tapar Reyes Special Education Harmon BAE University of Guam

Rovee Ann A. Rios Special Education Santa Rita BAE University of Guam

Dominic James Tuncap Uson Special Education Agat BAE University of Guam

Joy Rivera Woodward Special Education Barrigada BAE University of Guam

Rachel Morgan Macapinlac Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages Barrigada BA Davis & Elkins College

Linno D. Roxby Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages Dededo BAE University of Guam

Patrick Paul Tanaka Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages Tamuning BAE University of Guam

Every effort is made to ensure this printed program is accurate with respect to degrees and honors conferred. However, printing schedules make complete accuracy impossible. A certified transcript is the official proof of graduation.

# GRADUATING WITH HONORS FANUCHÅNAN 2018 COMMENCEMENT

## Valedictorian

Mia Sara Dizon Madlambayan

# Summa Cum Laude

Gechelle Tripoli Asuncion Mia Sara Dizon Madlambayan Katherine Hannah Blocksom Desiree Vargas Oliverio Wei-Chun Chen Jong Keon Shin

# Magna Cum Laude

Gabrielle Mari Cruz Aguilar Flori-Anne Dela Cruz Aziz Edward Sabeti Hannah Nicole Bidaure Oran Malcolm Hill Dylan J. Sablan Amanda Joy Borja Evan Marshall Hizon Venisha Schunter Sabrina Kristine A. Borja Christina S. Lee Bee Heartly N. Siba Kiana Lamar Brown Diane Aninzo Manalac Genevieve Yvonne Sugiyama Roy C. Castro Brett William Lizama O'Connor Samantha Jean Cruz Uncangco Troy Richardson Chiwi Kaitlyn Amber Sablan Roberto Jenica Martir Velasquez

# Cum Laude

Monica Galvez Aquino Sirena Mantanona Garrido Charles Patrick Santos Onedera Kate Valerie Y. Banes Lawrence De Luna Guiao Anthony Clark P. Ponce Jhaymie Lynn S. Bejerana Psalmia Faith R. Guison Angelica Punu Quiambao John K. Blas Dion Adam Keys Jim Rebujio Lady Dominique Canape Yunee Kim Stephanne Debita San Nicolas Amanda Rae Gofigan Chen Gabrielle K. Lagutang Hyett Lawana Sanchez Riko San Nicolas Crisostomo Nicole Katelyn Tarusan Legaspi Ka Man Baby So Edward D. Cruz Regina Rae T. Manuntag Amabella Keiko Soram Gino Anthony Garcia Datuin Jonah Zachery Chargualaf Mendiola Rita Sarah Ngirchechol Taitano Jerlyn Nichole Lagasca Deseo Carlin Nicole Agulto Montano Alyssa Mariz Cuento Talabong Jasmine Joy A. Floranda Brian J. Murray Midson Tom

# ARMY RESERVE OFFICERS' TRAINING CORPS Newly Commissioned U.S. Army Officers

#### SECOND LIEUTENANT JOYCE HOCOG BORJA

Academic Major: Bachelor of Social Work Branch: Air Defense Artillery Corps Accessed: Active Duty

# THE NATIONAL ANTHEM

Lyrics by Francis Scott Key

Oh! Say, can you see, by the dawn's early light, What so proudly we hailed at the twilight's last gleaming? Whose broad stripes and bright stars, thro' the perilous fight, O're the ramparts we watched were so gallantly streaming. And the rockets' red glare, the bombs bursting in air, Gave proof thro' the night that our flag was still there. Oh!, Say does that star-spangled banner yet wave O're the land and of the free and the home of the brave?

# THE GUAM HYMN / FANOGHE CHAMORU

Ramon Manalisay Sablan, M.D. (1934) Translated to Chamorro by Lagrimas Untalan

Fanoghe Chamorro put it tano'-ta Kanta I matuna-na gi todu I lugat. Para I honra, para I gloriha Abiba I isla, sin parat. Para I honra, para I gloriha Abiba I isla, sin parat. U todu I tiempo I pas para hita Yan ginen I langet na bendesion. Kontra I piligru, na'fansafu ham Yu'os protehi I isla Guåhån. Kontra I piligru, na'fansafu ham Yu'os protehi I isla Guåhån.

# UNIVERSITY ALMA MATER

Music by R. Mannoni

On the shore of the Western Pacific Stands our Alma Mater true. We'll long retain the memories Of the days we spent with you. In the warmth of the island magic, We will return some day. Join in and sing a song of praise.

Hail, oh hail. Hail, oh hail. Our University.

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