

School of Natural Resources and Agricultural Sciences

Carol E. Lewis, Dean

BACCALAUREATE DEGREES

Shawn Biessel **

magna cum laude, B.A., Geography

Kevin William Breitenbach **

B.A., Geography

Jennifer A. Brorson

B.S., Natural Resources Management: Plant, Animal and Soil Sciences

Nickol Rochelle Dameron

B.S., Geography: Environmental Studies

Melissa Rose Deiman

cum laude, B.S., Natural Resources Management: Resources

Andrea Raye Devers

B.S., Geography: Environmental Studies. *Student Leadership Honors*

Emily Rose Dickson *

B.S., Natural Resources Management: Forestry

David John Hamm

B.A., Geography

Christopher W. Held *

B.S., Geography: Environmental Studies

Joshua Allan Kunz

B.S., Natural Resources Management: Plant, Animal and Soil Sciences

Yosuke Okada **

B.S., Natural Resources Management: Plant, Animal and Soil Sciences

Jessup J. Olson **

cum laude, B.S., Geography: Environmental Studies

James Gordon Riedman

B.S., Natural Resources Management: Forestry

Ryan Thomas Sloger

B.A., Geography

Emily E. Sousa **

B.S., Geography: Environmental Studies

Nicholas Thompson

B.S., Natural Resources Management: Resources

Christopher Van Dyck

B.A., Geography

Erik Wood *

B.S., Natural Resources Management: Plant, Animal and Soil Sciences

Master's Degrees

Natalie D. Howard **

M.S., Natural Resources Management. *B.A., Hollins University (Virginia), 1996*

Brian Jackson *

M.S., Natural Resources Management. *B.S., University of Wisconsin-Platteville, 1999*

Richard D. Ranft

M.S., Natural Resources Management. *B.S., University of Alaska Fairbanks, 2005*

Blaine T. Spellman

M.S., Natural Resources Management. *B.S., Shepherd University (West Virginia), 2004*

Quinn G. Tracy

M.S., Natural Resources Management. *B.A., University of Northern Colorado, 2002*

Stephen E. Winslow

M.S., Natural Resources Management. *B.S., University of Alaska Fairbanks, 2002*

Doctoral Degrees

Gregory L. Finstad

Ph.D. Range Ecology: Interdisciplinary Program

B.S., University of Alaska Fairbanks, 1981

Thesis: Applied Range Ecology of Reindeer (*Rangifer tarandus tarandus*) on the Seward Peninsula, Alaska

Environmental variation across reindeer ranges of the Seward Peninsula in Alaska was linked to differences in animal production. Reindeer producers can now identify high quality grazing areas and place animals to maximize body weight and rate of gain, thereby increasing meat production and economic development in rural Alaska.

Major Professors: Dr. Norman R. Harris and Dr. Knut Kielland