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October 24, 2014

Dr. Gregory Starrett  
Faculty President

Dear Gregg:

In accordance with the faculty policy concerning award of posthumous degrees, I am forwarding a request from the College of Liberal Arts & Sciences to award an undergraduate degree at the December 2014 commencement:

Brett Gilmartin, Bachelor of Science degree, major in Physics, minor in Japanese

The justification for the awarding of the degree is attached. I endorse this request and ask that it be considered for faculty approval at the next Faculty Executive Committee meeting.

Sincerely,

Joan F. Lorden  
Provost and Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs

Attachments

cc: Nancy Gutierrez, Dean, College of Liberal Arts & Sciences  
Glenn Boreman, Chair, Department of Physics and Optical Science  
Chris Knauer, Registrar





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College of Liberal Arts & Sciences

**Office of the Dean**

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**MEMORANDUM**

**TO:** Joan F. Lorden, Provost

**FROM:** Nancy A. Gutierrez *Nancy A. Gutierrez*  
Dean, College of Liberal Arts and Sciences

**DATE:** October 22, 2014

**SUBJECT:** Posthumous Degree Recommendations

I am writing to recommend the posthumous award of degrees to the following students from the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences:

Joshua A. Buck, B.A. Anthropology

Brett Gilmartin, B.S. Physics

Both students were duly enrolled in the University at the time of their death and had completed more than 90 hours toward their respective degrees. The requests were supported by the chairs of the Departments of Anthropology and Physics & Optical Sciences, Janet Levy and Glenn Boreman. Their nominating letters are attached. My recommendations have also been endorsed by a unanimous vote of the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences Faculty Council.



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MEMORANDUM – 29 September 2014

TO: Nancy Gutierrez, Dean, College of Liberal Arts and Sciences

FR: Glenn Boreman, Chair, Department of Physics and Optical Science

CC: Charles Brody, Associate Dean, College of Liberal Arts and Sciences

RE: Request for posthumous degree for Brett Gilmartin

Brett Gilmartin (800572532) died on Friday, August 1, 2014. He was a physics major with senior-class standing.

Consistent with the wishes of the family, I request your consideration of a posthumous degree for Brett, to be awarded at the fall 2014 Commencement ceremony.

Thank you for your consideration of this request.