Alfred University holds Senior Send-Off

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Alfred University President Zupan attended a reception Monday honoring the Class of 2018.

ALFRED, NY Alfred University on Monday hosted a reception for its senior students, who are set to receive their degrees at Commencement exercises Saturday morning, May 12.

The annual "Senior Send-Off" event, dubbed "A Knight on Us," was held at the Knight Club, Powell Campus Center. Seniors were treated to a pizza, chicken wings and beverages and were joined by President Mark Zupan along with faculty and staff. The event was sponsored by the Division of University Advancement.

Nearly 400 seniors are set to receive their undergraduate degrees on Saturday during the University&s 182nd annual commencement ceremony. Don McPherson and Alfred University alumnus master&s degree in glass science, 1984; Ph.D. in glass science, 1988 is the keynote speaker. McPherson is co-founder and chief science officer at EnChroma Labs, which has developed lenses that correct most forms of color-blindness.