



## *Tim Gunderson Awarded Diploma From Graduate School of Banking*

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Mark C. Fisher, President/CEO of United Community Bank, recently announced that Tim J. Gunderson, Assistant Vice President, United Community Bank Lake Park and Ocheyedan, was awarded a diploma at commencement exercises during the 70th annual session of the prestigious Graduate School of Banking at the University of Wisconsin-Madison.

The School, sponsored by the 18 state bankers associations comprising the Central States Conference of Banker Associations, and the University of Wisconsin-Madison, was established in 1945 to provide bankers with an opportunity for advanced study and research in banking, economics and leadership. Instruction at the Graduate School of Banking takes place during two-week resident sessions for three consecutive summers, along with comprehensive study between summer resident sessions. The curriculum focuses on the management of strategic issues faced by banking executives

and financial services industry professionals.

A native of Northwest Iowa, Tim grew up on a farm four miles east of Lake Park. He is a 1992 graduate from Harris-Lake Park Community School and graduated from South Dakota State University with his degree in Animal Science/Business Option. He joined the Lake Park United Community Bank Office in 2001, where he is involved in Commercial/Ag and Real Estate/Consumer Lending. He has successfully completed both the Iowa Bankers Association Commercial and Agricultural Lending Schools, and also the IBA Leadership Institute of Banking Program. Tim, his wife Jody and three children, Lilliana, Gracie and Jackson, reside three miles east of Lake Park. He is involved in the Northwest Iowa Youth Athletic Association and Lake Park Town and Country Boosters.

**Congratulations Tim, from all of us at United Community Bank!**



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