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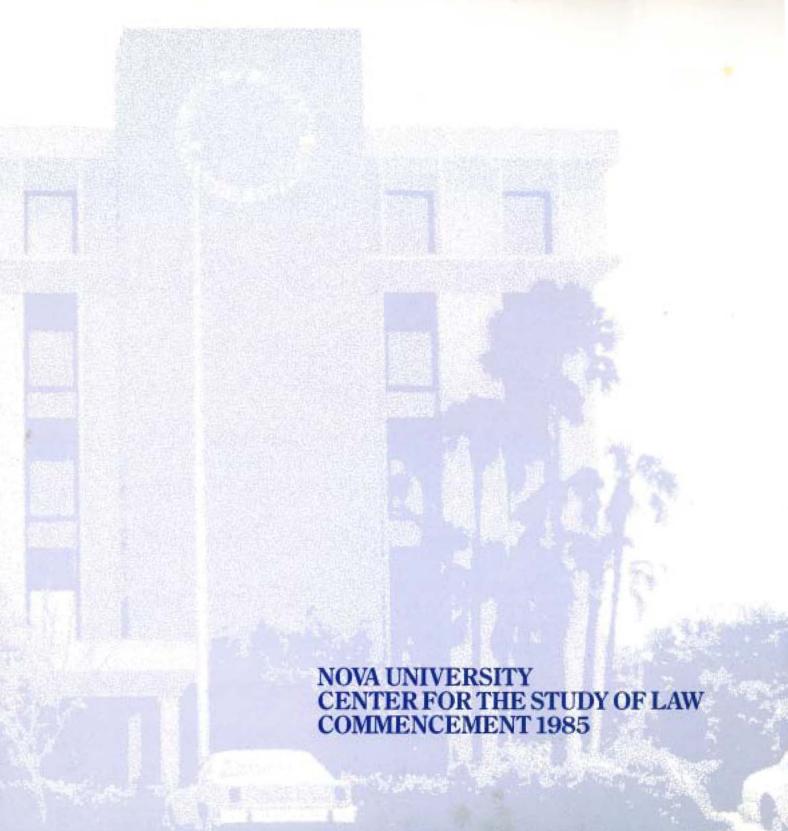
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WELCOME

Nova University extends a cordial welcome to each person attending this Ninth Annual Law School Commencement – a part of the Sixteenth Annual Commencement Exercises of the University. We are here to celebrate the accomplishments of the degree candidates and to extend to them the congratulations of their friends and relatives and of University students, faculty and staff, and friends and supporters of the University.

SUNRISE MUSICAL THEATRE
FOR THE
PERFORMING ARTS
West Commercial Blvd.
at 100th Avenue
City of Sunrise, Florida
Sunday, the Twenty-Sixth of May
Nineteen Hundred and Eighty-Five

THE ACADEMIC PROCESSION

Marshal
Candidates for the Juris Doctor Degree
Members of the Faculty
Advisory Board of Governors
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Distinguished Guests
Commencement Officials

HONORS TO BE CONFERRED

Doctor of Laws (Honoris Causa) Honorable Peter T. Fay

THE ROAD NOT TAKEN

Two roads diverged in a yellow wood And sorry I could not travel both And be one traveler, long I stood And looked down one as far as I could To where it bent in the undergrowth;

Then took the other, as just as fair, And having perhaps the better claim, Because it was grassy and wanted wear; Though as for that the passing there Had worn them really about the same,

And both that morning equally lay In leaves no step had trodden black. Oh, I kept the first for another day! Yet knowing how way leads on to way. I doubted if I should ever come back.

I shall be telling this with a sigh Somewhere ages and ages hence: Two roads diverged in a wood, and I— I took the one less traveled by, And that has made all the difference.

ORDER OF EXERCISES

Processional
Convening the Sixteenth Commencement
Presiding Officer Dr. Abraham S. Fischle President, Nova Universit
The National Anthem Audience and Nova University Community Singer
Invocation
"The Road Not Taken" Poem by Robert Fros Music by Randall Thompso
"Battle Hymn of the Republic"
Opening Remarks
Introduction of the Commencement Speaker Bruce Rogow, Acting Dean, Law Center
Commencement Address
Conferring of Degrees
Conferring of Honorary Degree of Doctor of Laws to Judge Peter T. Fay
Hooding Committee
Closing Remarks Dr. Alexander Schun Chancellor, Nova University
Benediction
Recessional

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The caps, gowns and hoods of the academic procession date back to the Middle Ages, when they were common dress for scholars. Monks and students were them to keep warm in the damp and drafty twelfth-century castles and halls of learning.

The Bachelor's gown has a pleated front and long, pointed sleeves. The Master's gown, which may be worn open, is distinguished by its long, square sleeves, closed at the end and slit near the elbow to permit the forearms to come through. The Doctor's gown, which also may be worn open, is trimmed with velvet panels down the front, with three velvet bars on its bell-shaped sleeves. The hood is the key to the costume. With a tassel of the same material as the gown, it is lined in silk with a color or colors of the institution conferring the degree. The length of the hood indicates the degree; four feet for the Doctor, three-and-a-half feet for the Master, and three feet for the Bachelor. The hood is sometimes omitted on the Bachelor's gown. The width of the velvet border also indicates a degree. The widest border belongs to the Doctor's gown.

The color of the hood's border indicates the field of learning to which the degree pertains. The doctor's hood may bear a single chevron on the lining. Two narrow chevrons indicate a Bachelor while the Master may have a single chevron, or have the hood divided equally in two colors.

The various fields of learning are indicated by color as follows: arts, letters, humanities—white; commerce and accountancy—drab; economics—copper; education or pedagogy—light blue; engineering—orange; fine arts, including architecture—brown; law—purple library science—lemon; medicine—green; philosophy—dark blue; science—golden yellow.

During the processional, candidates for the Bachelor's Degree wear the tassels on their mortarboard hats on their right. Upon receiving their diplomas, the tassels are moved to the left.

