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Nova extends a cordial welcome to each person attending the Twenty-third Annual Commencement Exercises, including friends and relatives of each degree candidate, University students, faculty and staff, and friends and supporters of the University.

SUNRISE MUSICAL THEATRE
FOR THE
PERFORMING ARTS
City of Sunrise, Florida

Sunday, the Third of May
Nineteen Hundred and Ninety-two
THE ACADEMIC PROCESSION

Marshal
Candidates for the Bachelor's Degree
Members of the Faculty
Trustees
Distinguished Guests
University Officials
Commencement 1992
Undergraduate Programs
May 3, 1992 - 2:00 P.M.
ORDER OF EXERCISES

Prelude

Processional

Crown Imperial .......................................................... Walton

Convening the Commencement .............................................. August C. Paoli
Member, Board of Trustees

Presiding Officer ...................................................... Abraham S. Fischler, Ed.D.
President

America, the Beautiful .................................................. Bates/Ward

O beautiful for spacious skies, O beautiful for patriot dream
For amber waves of grain, That seest beyond the years,
For purple mountain majesties Thine alabaster cities gleam,
Above the fruited plain! Undimmed by human tears!
America! America! America! America!
God shed His grace on thee, God mend thine every flaw,
And crown thy good with brotherhood Confirm thy soul in self control
From sea to shining sea! Thy liberty in law!

Invocation ......................................................... Dr. Mack King Carter
Pastor
Mt. Olive Baptist Church, Fort Lauderdale

This Is My Country .................................................. Raye/Jacobs
Arr. Ades

Climb Every Mountain ............................................... Richard Rodgers
Arr. Lojeski

Nova University Community Singers
Peggy Joyce Barber, Director
Dale Tucker, Accompanist

Opening Remarks ..................................................... Abraham S. Fischler, Ed.D.
President
Outstanding Academic Achievement Awards

Behavioral Sciences ...................................................... Allan H. Schulman, Ph.D.
Director of Behavioral Sciences

Awarded to Linda Eshelman, Marcela Ocampo,
Gary Olsen, Cynthia Rice and Elaine Rybka

Business and Administrative Studies ................................ Jane W. Gibson, D.B.A.
Director of Business and Administrative Studies

Awarded to Lee Bliss, Gary Fecteau, Clifford Hangley,
Julie Kleene, Joseph Mora and Cindy Salomone

Education .................................................................... Cleveland O. Clarke, Ed.D.
Director of Education Programs

Awarded to Robert Brzezinski, Joan Corriher, Cynthia Fails,
Kathrine Hinden, Kim Kitchin, Larry Onischuck
and Cinda Ridpath

Liberal Arts .............................................................. Stuart Horn, Ph.D.
Director of Liberal Arts

Awarded to Nedra Borders, Janice Griffin
and Claudine LaFrance

Math, Science and Technology ....................................... Naomi D'Alessio, M.S.
Acting Director of Math, Science and Technology

Awarded to Robert Miller

Computer and Information Sciences ............................ Edward R. Simco, Ph.D.
Dean of the Center for Computer and Information Sciences

Awarded to Hubert Adams

Hospitality Management ............................................. Donal A. Dermody, M.S.
Director of Hospitality Management

Awarded to Louis Robbins

The James Farquhar Award ........................................... Philip H. DeTurk, Ed.D.
Dean of Nova College

Awarded to Craig Smith
Valedictory Address

Louis Robbins

1992 Distinguished Alumni Achievement Award

Richard G. Miller, M.B.A. and
Edwin Manson, Ed.D.

Vice-President for University Relations and Development and
Director of Alumni Relations

Awarded to Beverly Pope

Conferring of Honorary Degree

Doctor of Humane Letters on Maya Angelou

Ray Ferrero, Jr.
Chairman, Board of Trustees

Hooding Committee

Marshall B. Lytle II and David H. Rush
Members, Board of Trustees

Commencement Address

Maya Angelou
Reynolds Professor of American Studies
Wake Forest University, North Carolina

Presentation of Graduates

Ovid C. Lewis, J.S.D.
Vice-President for Academic and Student Affairs

Center for Computer and Information Sciences
Edward R. Simco, Ph.D.
Dean

Hospitality Management
Donal A. Dermody, M.S.
Director

Nova College
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Conferring of Degrees
Abraham S. Fischler, Ed.D.

Benediction
Dr. Mack King Carter
Pastor
Mt. Olive Baptist Church, Fort Lauderdale

Recessional

Epic March
Ireland

The following members and friends of the Nova University community are sharing their musical talents with us today: Brian McDonald, Dan Bogorff, Maria Kluttz, trumpet; John Funke, Kelly Kirkpatrick, Jonathan Flexman, Tracey Soto, horn; Dwight Delgado, Jamie Grinos, trombone; Paul Southwood-Smith, euphonium; Chris Stabile, tuba; Jason Weaver, Russell Dubs, percussion; Christine Jackson, Ken Gustafson, keyboards; Karen Kahn, string bass; Brenda Butler, voice; Mark Cavanaugh, conductor, arrangements, production.
BACHELOR OF SCIENCE
CENTER FOR COMPUTER AND INFORMATION SCIENCES
Presented by EDWARD R. SIMCO, Ph.D.
Dean
Assisted by EDWARD LIEBLEIN, Ph.D., Professor, Computer Science

COMPUTER ENGINEERING

Allen, Curtis E.
Duplan, Yves C.
Maududi, Saiyid M.
Nistikoulis, Petros
Stine, Louise A.
Tsao, Ting-I

COMPUTER INFORMATION SYSTEMS

Barbar, Elias
*Benedict, Lori E.
Bosco-Licamara, Michele
Collins, Orinthia A.
Copeland, Annette
Corbyons, Virginia C.
Dubler, Robert L.
Harris, Stephen B.
Hausman, John W.
Hayes, Bradley N.
Johnson, Quendolyn D.
Jones, Jacqueline G.
Jones, Laurie J.
King, John H.
Martin, Cheryl D.
Miller, Tanya S.
Milton, Yvonne
Osterman, Patricia M.
*Rimmington, Nedda M.
Scharg, Gary A.
Steiger, G. Valencia
Tirupsur, Ravindra
Valenti, Fred T.
Veltre, Paula M.
Williams, Karen Y.

COMPUTER SCIENCE

Adams, Hubert L.
Albright, Michael J.
Baerman, Annette T.
Brooks, Ronnie E.
Darman, Alan P.
Diaz, Gerardo A.
Perry, Eric T.
Rohlsen, Ronald A.
Sherman, Bruce G.
Steinhoff, James M.
Wiggins, Jeffrey A.

COMPUTER SYSTEMS

De Stefano, Beatriz
Vaccaro, Nicholas
Wright, Lorenzo F.

ELECTRICAL ENGINEERING

Starin, Scott H.
Steiger, Joel E.

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HOSPITALITY MANAGEMENT

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Director

Assisted by ABI ALMEER, M.P.S.
Associate Professor

Arellano, Luis
Beattie, William C.
Calvo, Raul
Foster, Clifton G.
Hershberger, Timothy
McCrystal, Michael Robert
Merchberger, Robert J.
Pedraza, Wanda
Robbins, Louis Jonathan
Samuel, Joanna J.
Santos, Eric
Scott, Ruth M.
Singh, Sulochana D.
Solages, Edwidge
Teich, Harry G.
Teran, Fatima D.
Warner, Marjorie J.
Watson, John Carl
APPLIED PROFESSIONAL

Abston, Julia E.
Fitzgerald, Thomas
Kopelman, Jodi L.
Marion, Aaron L.
Mora, George A.
Nedelman, Cara R.
*Rice, Cynthia P.
Thomasun, David A.

COMMUNITY PSYCHOLOGY

Adams, Raymond P.
Carmeli, Sherry S.
*Cerra, Tina Marie
Cukierman, Debora
Culligan, Staci
*Decker, Fay I.
DeMeyer, Nicole
Denn, Lori
Deonarine, Shireen S.
Ehrman, Michelle
Eshelman, Linda M.
Greiner, Lynn D.

BEHAVIORAL SCIENCES

Allan H. Schulman, Ph.D., Director

Jones, Claudia D.
Knapp, Robert A.
Kohberger, Jennifer
Kurtzman, Jayne Roberta
Leveron, Bud
Lewis, Laura M.
Long, Sally M.
Mashburn, Terry L.
Perkins, Laura M.
Pipe, Alexandra C.
Pope, Mia
Potekin, Tasha D.
Quigley, Thomas C.
Satz, Marshia D.
Schenerman, Tina
Schoeller, Roberta D.
Seregely, Marilyn
Smith-Dahlgren, Peggy
Soto-Soliveria, Joyce
Stafirm, Dortheara April
Strowbridge, Kimberly A.
Talbert, Evelyn S.
Taschereau, Pierre

GENERAL PSYCHOLOGY

Ammirata, Frank N.
Blauer, Steven S.
Browning, Frances A.
*Curtis, Donna L.
Gnjia, Alan V.
Hamilton, Bradford I.
Heikkinen, David P.
Herrera, Gabriela
Mclean, Peggy L.
Muellner, Lisa A.
Nicolini, Cynthia L.
Ocampo, Marcela M.
*Olsen, Gary S.
Rybka, Elaine B.
Skrenes, Ruhiyah G.
Small, Patti S.
Webster, Gay A.

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BUSINESS AND ADMINISTRATIVE STUDIES

ACCOUNTING

Anzules, Alfredo E.
Arel, Mary C.
Ben-Aziz, Oren
Bryer, Brenda V.
Conti, Robert F.
Cordero, Rachel D.
Culver, Janeene T.
Cusano, John E.
Egan, Margaret A.
Frank, Christiana T.
Frasco, Brian C.
Gardner, Kiz L.
Hangley, Clifford
Henry, Elizabeth
Hill, LaDonna O.
Klene, Julie
Landis, Andrea H.
Nevarez, Mary G.
Pearson, Sharon E.
Poonaisingh, Steven
Rodriguez, Marian
Ruggieri, Fonte
Sanchez, Adriana
Schwarz, Katherine
Smith, Barbara Gibbon
Thalacker, Kristin Kay
Thomas, Mary E.
Tuccillo, Travis W.
* Vitale, Judie M.
Wood, Gregory R.

* Goldman, Richard T.
Goldman, Shelley Ann
Gomez, Audra S.

Grinik, Sandy N.
Hanna, John F.
Hannah, Tommie J.
Harley, Kevin S.
Hasan, Nadia G.
Hermansen, Scott C.
Hillegas, Joan L.
Humulock, Christopher P.
Irwin IV., Charles P.
Jenkins King, Sandraline
Joseph, Edwigh
Karlen, Scott M.
Kirby, Kelly G.
Kirby, Tara Kathleen
Klein, Stacy L.
Kleingartner, Elizabeth A.
Koenigsberg, Alan Scott
Lewis, Mark N.
Linsenberg, David A.
Lister, Heather A.
Llanes, Alfonso
Lopez, Marlene
Luciani, Mark
Luette, Dietmar
Lyons, Ronald G.
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Marcus, Doris F.
Marker, Wendy R.
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Messersmith, Carolyn M.
Mohall, Christopher L.

* Mora, Joseph
Nance, Patricia A.
Nemia, Carl L.
Peeler, Jonathan L.
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Tomberg, Michael A.
Vallejo, Moises A.
Walsh, Christopher J.
* Weibel Buholzer, Katharina
Wheatley Jr, Thomas
Wiest, C.M.
Zapata, Chris A.
Zuckerman, Joletta

HEALTH CARE SERVICES

Klans, Valerie M.
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PROFESSIONAL MANAGEMENT

Abiri, Majid Mark
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Alderman, Bobby G.
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Anderson, Willis W.
Antelo, Marta A.
Ashmore, Stephen H.
Atkinson, Steve W.
Aukamp, Anne F.
Barbee, Gail A.
Barbot, Chantale Valentine
Bates III, Maxwell R.
Bivins, Minnie J.
Blaco, Clyde E.
Blessitt, George B.
* Bliss, Lee S.
Blue, Wilson A.
Bly, Gary R.
Bouza, Agustin
Bowen, Lisa M.
Bray, David M.
Brooks, James R.
Brown, Michael W.
Buchta, Christie B.
Buck, Lawrence P.
Burns, Jeane K.
Butler, Judith D.
Byrne, Diane E.
Carangelo-Rodriguez, Lucretia
Carmichael, Judith A.
Carr, Bridget C.
Carreras, Jose P.
Castro, Andy
Cellucci, Mary Jane M.
Cespedes, Raissa M.
Cheek, James O.
Chew, Norma V.
Chisholm, Helen E.
Cisko, Mary L.
Clark, Dean C.
Clarke, Jennie L.
Codling, Jennifer E.
Cole, Eileen M.
Conant, Susan D.
Conner, Elizabeth C.
Cook, Lisa Burnette
* Coppens, Sue A.
Corvos, Ada V.
Cosculluela, Maria Cristina R.
Covington, Albert L.
Crawford, Tracey A.
Crismond, Carol A.
Criste, Gerald T.
Crofford, Janella A.
Crutchfield, James
Cruz, Jorge
* Cundiff, Adrienne K.
Dalziel, Dawn
Dauley, Linda
* Davis, Jimmy P.
Day, Robert S.
De La Paz, Idalia D.
* Defelix, Susan P.
Del Rio, Margaret A.
Delattibeaudiere, Avis
Delavoe, Anna L.
Delucca, Anne V.
Dennis, Albert R.
Desporte-Bryan, Marjorie S.
Dickson, William R.
Donovan, Nancy J.
Downey, Lori A.
Dumas, Marcus A.
Durkin, Lorrie S.
Ebner, Gary M.
Eddy Jr, Basil B.
Edwards, Althea L.
Eichelberger, John Dennis
Engelberger, Laura J.
Espindola, Johanna
Estrada, Ersira E.
Felix, Marie
Ferguson, Cathy D.
Florez, Jaime
Ford, John C.
Fowler, Rodney A.
Frey, Linda S.
Gaines, Euther L.
Gallego, Rafael
German, Michael D.
* Gilbert, Jennie S.
Gilgeous, Andre C.
Glemaud, Joseph R.
Golden, John P.
Goldstein, Jack E.
Gonzalez, Catherine
Gonzalez, Eva L.
Grant, Cecille A.
Grant, Suzanne S.
Gray, Jeffrey W.
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Schuebach Durkin, Lorrie
Schuhs, Ronald D.
Schwalb, Helene M.
Scott, Mark D.
Scrambling, Deborah P.
Seville, Georgia M.
Shapilo, Steven
Sharp, Steve W.
Sheppard, Winifred L.
Shipley, Veronica L.
Siekert, Laura L.
Sierra-Miranda, Anabel
Silberger, Terry A.
Silcox, Jill P.
Simonds, Michael G.
Sizemore, James J.
Skeete, Herman A.
Skelton, Petra K.
Smithson, William E.
Spencer, Darrell R.
Springstun, Donna O.
Stalter, Diana
Steele, Katherine A.
Stenger, Margaret A.
Stewart, Greg A.
Stewart, Yelena N.
* Stone, Maeghan A.
Strickland, Gail M.
Suarez, Victoria Maria
Sweat, Donald E.
* Swist, Scott D.
Taylor, Sidney E.
Tencza, Robert A.
Thacker, Kenneth S.
Thompson, Dennis
Thompson, Earnestine
Thompson, Joan F.
Thorsen, Sally K.
Tippins, Miriam M.
Tormey, John L.
Traina, Patricia A.
Trouillot, Chantale B.
Tucker, Carol A.
* Turano, Genevieve L.
Ulloa, Ramiro
Underwood, Tori A.
Valentine, Carol Y.
* Van Allen, Barbara F.
Veuilleux, Kendall S.
Vion, Patricia A.
Voll, Keith E.
Votto, Dawn C.
Walker, Loreen A.
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Weyrauch, Steven J.
White, Sara J.
Whitten, Torri
Wilcox, Alice M.
Wilder, Barbara I.
Wilkerson, Hannah F.
Williams, Grace A.
Williams, Ira K.
* Woodard, Laverne B.
Worsley, Mary E.
Yates, Frances W.
Zaliznock, Mary E.
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EDUCATION
CLEVELAND O. CLARKE, Ed.D., Director

ELEMENTARY EDUCATION

Acosta, Jackie Melians
Adams, Tasmarias
Aikens, Earnestine E.
Alderman, Karen S.
Alonso, Teresita
Alvarez, Michelle L.
Amador, Raul
Anderson, Douglas J.
Anzules, Gissela O.
Armas, Alina
Aspillaga, Irma V.
Azpillaga, Susan Deborah
Babbs, Valencia D.
Baker, Shirley A.
Bantz, Martha W.
Baptiste, Donna E.
Barnes, Cheryl A.
Barnes, Janet M.
Barnett, Cheryl J.
Barreto, Julieta M.
* Bates, Angela G. Stevens
Beasley, Thelma
* Behringer, Lorrie Wright
Bell, Robin J.
Belle, Loralee Bagley
Benzeno, Eileen L.
Bertran, Maria P.
Binegar, Lisa A. Colley
Biondi, Sheryl L.
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Borges, Esther
Boyd, Gloria A.
Brito, Lazara B.
Brown, Eliza W.
Brown, Shirley A.
Browning, Nancy
Browning, Rhonda
Brzezinski, Robert E.
Bueno, Claudia
Burnett, Lorraine V.
Butler, Amanda B.
Butler, Denise M.
Butler, Linda R.
Butts, Margaret W.
Cabrera, Peter H.
Calcagno, Randee
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Cohen, Bonnie M.
Cohen, Jacqueline
* Coleman, Emma R.
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Collins, Lillian F.
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Crawford, Kim M.
Crawford, Traci L.
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Crum, Linda R.
Daley, Ena M.
Daphnis, Maxine S.
Darias, Esther V.
Datson, Tanis E.
Dayan, Linda L.
de Leon, Ileana
Deck, Charlotte E.
*Deibler, Joy L.
Demarco, Michele A.
Derrington, Shirley I.
Desiderio, Amy B.
DeTuya-Castro, Marta
Diamond, Kathryn C.
Diaz, Josefina C.
Dickey, Suzanne J.
Dumire, Robert Frank
Duran, Rosiel J.
Durnell, Tracy
Embree, Linda A.
Estepe, Nelida
Fails, Cynthia M.
Fernandez, Doria G.
Finigan, Lesley A.
Fleisher, Debra
Fong, Elizabeth
Foreman, Samantha A.
Fraga, Iris C.
Francisco, Victoria E.
Galan, Arleene
Gall-Keane, Linda
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Garcia, Eugenia M.
Garcia, Margaret O.
Garrote, Enicka M.
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George, Suzanne Tarrago
Gil, Marla Alford

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Gonzalez, Linda D.
Graham, Carolyn D.
Granville, Cassandra G.
Greene, Juliet F.
Gunn, Victoria D.
Gutierrez, Lillian M.
Haines, Nadine Y.
Hamel, Cindy M.
Hamilton, Paula A.
Hanna, Michele W.
Hanono, Zoe
Harley, Youlando C.
Harrell, Brenda K.
Harris, Geraldine J.
Harris, Mary L.
Hernandez, Ileana M.
Hernandez, Leaore M.
Hernandez, Maria D.
Herrera, Laura
Herring, Sharon L.
Hicks, Donald G.
Hicks, Paveen
Hodges, Sheila
Holmes, Mable L.
Hooper, Marie R.
Horowitz, Cindy J.
Huennekens, Susan R.
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Jarzabkowski, Rebecca Nicole
John, Brian L.
Johnson, Cheryl C.
Johnson, Conesta
Johnson, Sandra T.
Johnson, Sharonne L.
Juarez, Maribel B.
Julbe, Ileana M.
Kennedy, Bonnie G.
Keppel, Patricia J.
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King, Adrianne
Kitchin, Kim M.
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Kopelowicz, Sheryl A.
Kuhn, Carol
Larsen, Linda M.
Lavery, Steven J.
Lazcos, Miriam E.
Lee, Emily
Lee, Sheryll A.
Leard, Gloria
Leshin, Lori C.
Lockhart, Bernadine S.
Lopez, Lourdes
Lopez, Margarita C.
Luevano, Lisa M.
Lynn, Kelly A.
Magnus, Charmaine M.
Maida, Debra J.
Mann, Rosetta E.
Marcial, Jacqueline S.
Martinez, Madeleine
Martinez, Maria O.
Martinez, Mayra L.
Masterson, Monica J.
Mayer, Monica
McAlpin, Yvonne Gomez
McCleod, Baby R.
McCord, Kelly M.
Mcgee, Diane W.
McGrath, Michelle
McKellar, Wanda Yvonne
McKinney, Terry B.
Medina, Eileen Wood
Meek, Martha K.
Mendez, Wendy M.
Mercer, Marion H.
Mercer, Michelle L.
Mesk, Thomas E.
Milfeld, Doreen F.
Miller, Leslie J.
Mills, Lizabeth M.
Mills, Shirley A.
Mingle, Benjamin R.
Miret, Robert M.
Mirto, Katherine V.
Mitchell, Marcia J.
Mitchell, Priscilla A.
Morrison, Margaret
Mottl, Joseph P.
Mozealous, Cynthia L.
Mulet, Elizabeth E.
Mullis, Connie F.
Mundy, Judy L.
Neohusta Hyatt, Greta
Neuman, David A.
Neuman, David A.
Nichols, Kimberly A.
Nolan, Marye E. Peynado
Oliver, Nancy C.
Onda, Amy A.
Ortega, Hildegar A.
Ortiz, Sylvia R.
O'Hara, Kerri D.
Pagnotti, John C.
Palmer, Cary A.
Parela, Lynn M.
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EXCEPTIONAL EDUCATION
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Pinder, Diane J.
Prestandra, Anamaria
Ratliff, Susan G.
Reardon, Kathleen M.
Replogle, Ruth
Requejo, Sandra B. Vecino
Reyes, Mercedes
Ross, Eduardo
Smith, Kimberly L.
Willet, Cynthia L.
Worth, Ronald D.

SECONDARY EDUCATION

Agudelo, Sixta Liliana
Ayres, Jon M.
Brown, Sylvia Wilcox
Cadieux, William R.
*Careccia-Wong, Rose
DeMarco, Jr. Anthony
Deutschman, Robert M.
Diaz, Luiz C
Distefano, Sara E.
Faranda, Diane
Feliciano, Faith A.
Glenn, Chandra R.
Lewis, Charmaine G.
Lorenzo, Christine
Metro, Samuel G.
Meyer-Howes, Melissa
Munoz, Guillermo
Onischuck, Larry A.
Owens, Douglas P.
Payne, Kimberly Ann
Perez, Daniel
*Podolan, Gina B.
Poirier, Nancy M.
Poole, Joyce E.
Ridpath, Cinda B.
Rigg, Avis L.
Seplow, Stephanie R.
Sussman, Linda S.
Thompson, D. Gail
Vincent, Angelina
Wallace, Bilson T.
*Wells, Jeanne
Welte, Thomas J.
LIBERAL ARTS
STUART HORN, Ph.D., Director

LEGAL STUDIES
* Brown, Hyacinth I.
  Cardona, Lizette
  Flora, Stacey S.
  Hessen, Kimberly S.
  Hubrig, Allan R.
  Kalakore, Lara S.
  LaFrance, Claudine M.
  *Lowry, Kim A.

GENERAL STUDIES
  Ouellette, Brian S.
  Riha, Cheryl A.
  Rodriguez, Raysa I.
  Scheufler, Michael L.
  Steuerwald, Desiree M.
  Tebeau, Melisa M.
  Wilson, Nancy L.

Borders, Nedra E.
Cicero, Maureen C.
Paolillo, James R.
Picerno, Dawn M.

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ACADEMIC REGALIA

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 wore 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, they move the tassels to the left.