



Jones Hall, Youngstown State University

JOBV DEUTSCH NUDELL

Spring Commencement Youngstown State University

Beeghly Center
Saturday Morning, June Twentieth
Nineteen Hundred and Ninety-Eight
Ten O'Clock

ALMA MATER

All hail to thee, O Youngstown,
Our Alma Mater fair;
In sunlight and starshine
We see thee in all thy glory.
The Red and the White, thy glorious colors,
Ever we praise and hold them
High to the breeze as the symbol of our
Most loyal allegiance.
This anthem, O Youngstown,
Our pledge of trust shall be
That thy sons and daughters
Shall keep faith with thee forever.

PROGRAM

- PRELUDE** "Chicago Tribune March" by W. Paris Chambers
"Americans We March" by Henry Fillmore
Youngstown State University Symphonic Wind Ensemble
Stephen L. Gage, *Director*
- ACADEMIC PROCESSIONAL** "Procession of the Nobles" by Rimsky-Korsakov
"Pomp and Circumstance" March No. 1 by
Sir Edward Elgar, arranged by Luckhardt
"March Processional" by Clare Grundman
- WELCOME** Leslie H. Cochran
President of the University
- NATIONAL ANTHEM** Allan Mosher, *Associate Professor of Music*
Dana School of Music
College of Fine and Performing Arts
- REFLECTION** Sr. Patricia Slater, SND
Newman Director
Catholic Campus Minister
- INTRODUCTION OF TRUSTEES** President Cochran
- GREETINGS AND INTRODUCTION OF THE SPEAKER;
PRESENTATION OF JOHN R. COLE TO RECEIVE
THE DEGREE HONORARY DOCTOR OF MUSIC** Y. T. Chiu
Chairperson, Board of Trustees
- ADDRESS** John R. Cole
Director of Supernumeraries
New York City Opera
- MUSICAL SELECTION** "A Tribute to Irving Berlin"
arr. by Warren Barker
- RECOGNITION OF GRADUATES ATTAINING UNIVERSITY HONORS** James J. Scanlon
Provost
- CONFERRING OF DEGREES** President Cochran
- PRESENTATION OF CANDIDATES
FOR DEGREES** James Rogers, *Chairperson,*
Graduate Council and Department of Counseling, representing School of Graduate Studies
Barbara H. Brothers, *Dean, College of Arts and Sciences*
Betty Jo Licata, *Dean, Williamson College of Business Administration*
Clara Jennings, *Dean, Beeghly College of Education*
Charles A. Stevens, *Dean, Rayen College of Engineering and Technology*
George McCloud, *Dean, College of Fine and Performing Arts*
John J. Yemma, *Dean, College of Health and Human Services*
- CLOSING REMARKS** President Cochran
- ALMA MATER** Dr. Mosher
- RECESSIONAL** "Stars and Stripes Forever" by John Philip Sousa

Y.T. Chiu, chairperson of the Board of Trustees, and Provost Scanlon will invest Mr. Cole with the hood. The audience is asked to be seated after the singing of the Alma Mater and to remain seated during the remainder of the program and the recessional.

Photographs requiring the use of flash equipment may not be taken while exercises are in progress.

Graduates and their guests are cordially invited to attend an informal reception immediately following the Commencement ceremony in the following locations: College of Arts and Sciences in DeBartolo Hall, Main Floor Lobby/Lounge; College of Business Administration in Kilcawley Center, Chestnut Room; College of Education in Kilcawley Center, Ohio Room; College of Engineering and Technology in Engineering Science, Main Lobby; College of Fine and Performing Arts in McDonough Museum; College of Health and Human Services in Cushwa Hall, Skylight Lobby; School of Graduate Studies—See undergraduate school or college of the major program.

UNIVERSITY HONORS SPRING 1998

Because the list of candidates for graduation honors had to be prepared ahead of time, it is tentative. The diploma, together with a certified transcript, is the proof of graduation with honors.

BACCALAUREATE DEGREE HONORS

Summa Cum Laude

Amy Lou Annico
Erin Kristin Barker
Jackie Renay Barton
Michelle Lee Baum
Cynthia Lea Booher
Marilyn Katherine Bowers
Tara Victoria Bremick
Amy Marie Bulford
Kathleen Louise Campbell
Catherine S. Clagett
Erin Colleen Clifford
Jacquelyn Beth Coles
Christy Ann Conn
Daniel Charles Cook
Marcy Ann Cook
Tanya Michelle Craver
Lisa Kathleen Cremeans
Jonathan DeJesus
Ronald John Dorbish
Dawn Marie Durant
Carol Jeanne Fairbanks
Joseph William Folk
Nicholas F. Gallo
Jason Paul Griffin
Patrick Chris Haley

Stephen Paul Henry
Sepanta Jalali
Zorana Jovanovic
Marceile Lou Kaiser
Janet Ellen Kampfer
Jamie Elizabeth Kestner
Aneta Sylwia Kowalski
Valerie Ann Kral
Todd Stefan Krispinsky
John Hutchison Lees
Daniel Robert Lewis
Therese M. Logie
Wendy Ruth Love
Maria Rose Lucarelli
Vincent Gilbert Lucarelli
Mike Wayne Lufaso
Isaiah Jonathan Mackler
Andrew Michael Milano
Gina Marie Pallo
JoEllen Pastore
Tammie Ann Plunkett
Pamela Lynne Prater
LuAnn Kay Preusser
Nicole Marie Ranttila
William Arnold Ratell

Teri Lynn Rauch
Hollie Anne Reed
Dorothy Maloney Rhiel
Nancy Lee Schepka
Eric Louis Botho Schneider
Candice Joy Scott
Mark Anthony Shamrock, Jr.
Kimberly Pauline Sheward
Ruth Ann Simon
M. Bridget Smith
Michelle Judith Sonnenlitter
Susan Marie Spencer
Christina A. Stanhope
John Joseph Stefancin
Mandy Lynn St. John
Sherri L. Suchora
April Lynn Swihart
Robert Percy Tate
Jason Michael Toth
Michael C. Villano
Agatha Wadolowski
Laurie Ann Wasserman
Jennifer L. Williams
Christina Marie Yanssens
Bobbi D. Yoder

Magna Cum Laude

Amy Lynn Akstulewicz
Amber Layne Ausnehmer
Becky Michelle Bartolec
Shannon Lee Beach
Tricia Lynn Bires
Lauren Diane Blausler
Renee Marie Boron
Lynn Ann Boyd
Tonnette Lynne Bufford
Christopher Daniel Cann
Gladys A. Chito
Jodi Lyn Conser
Dominic Frank Conti
Melanie Ann Czopur
James Patrick Dambrogio, Jr.
Jill Marie DeMain
Brenda Sue Doyle
Leeanna Raquel Egnor-Smith
Lindsay Margaux Evanoff
Craig M. Forsythe
Bobbie Jo Gorby
Emmi Rebecca Gordon
Kristen Noel Haines
Dana Michelle Heid
Julia Renee Hess

Hollie Dawn Hnat
Erin Rae Holmes
Marsha Emilie Hull
Joan Iacobacci
Joy Cherin Kermani
Hana Ana Kilibarda
Louise Arline Kline
Robert A. Komara, III
Luanne Dee Kosek
Shadin Rashad Mahmood
Gregory Joseph Malys
Megan Ursula McLean
James Clay Meese
Mark Jeffrey Merritt
Michael W. Merritt
Pamela J. Mihalik
Alexander W. Miller
Peter Daniel Muthard
Tracy Lynn Palumbo
John J. Pavlic
Lori Ann Pluchinsky
Carrie Susanne Reed
Melissa Kershner Rentz
Sinisa Bozica Sajic
Leigh Ann Samargia

Michael L. Schenk
Christopher John Scott
Jason Alan Scott
Melanie S. Shoaf
Divya Singh
Carrie Ellen Smith
Melissa Ann Solinger
Tracey Marie Strickland
Patricia A. Suchora
Elisabeth Hawkins Syrianoudis
Jennifer Melissa Torr
LaTeeshia Kerrail Traylor
Melissa Ann Valentine
Robert L. Vargo
Linda J. Walker
Michael Paul Way
Cynthia L. White
Jeremy Ray Whitting
Mariann Wilfong
Stacey Lynne Williams
Steven Francis Winans
Devin Wade Witt
Kimberly Ann Wright
Jennifer J. Yobe
Jason Allen Zapka

UNIVERSITY HONORS, continued

Cum Laude

Randy Jerome Abel
Kandice Rochelle Aikens
Linda Marie Bach
Pelin Batur
Theodore Lee Berry
Joseph Prospero Bertilacci
Michael Paul Black
Patrick T. Block
Thomas L. Bobic
Elodie C. Brazille
Shawn R. Brown
Eric J. Bryant
Gina Marie Buccino
Brenda Jeanet Burney
John William Calderwood, III
Brian Ernest Chaffin
Donald Joseph Chesnes
Tyler Stuart Clark
Shana L. Cohen
Jeneane Marie Colella
Lara Jean Colian
Julie Patricia Crossley
Sarah Elizabeth Dalton
Dawn Renea DeBucci
Daniel DelliBovi
Christina Marie DeTallo
Brian Vincent DiBias
David Allen Dobran
Melanie Renee Drake
Jason Christopher Dunn
Daniel Rudolph Duzan
Holley Fisher
Michael Lance Fitch
Sholeh Ghamami
Michael Joseph Gizzi

Shannon Marie Gladson
Dagmar A. Goleno
Veronica Therese Gregory
Jennifer Lynn Gunyula
Nicolas Jon Gurlea
Jennifer Dawn Hall
Michelle Lynn Hennessy
Rhonda Mae Henry
Danielle Renee Herrick
Marla Marie Hiner
Michael Paul Huzyak
Vicki Lynn Jupp
Marla Jo Kabalan
Angela Christine Kailer
Walter Herbert Keating
Michael Patrick Kenneally
Rachel Renee Kistler
Kristy Lynn Koletich
Stacy Ann Koontz
Dominic Peter Koulianos
Jason Benjamin Kovalcik
Sherri Mattern Kulewsky
Joseph Edward Kurilla, Jr.
Michelle Marie Landers
Regina Cecelia Leone
Nicole Marie Limongi-Wallace
Teresa Nagy Lord
Mark Lyda
Anthony Philip Magnetta
Shawn William Marko
Luis Javier Martinez
Janice K. Marzano
Christine Marie Miletta
Melissa Ann Mills
Thomas Wayne Mohney

Clarence Allan Newton
Marianne Norris
Wendi Michelle Pancake
Kimberly Jean Peters
Shawn Alan Phillips
Jeffrey William Powers
Thomas Lee Proverbs, Jr.
Frank Peter Pugliese
Lawrence E. Roberts
Angelica Elizabeth Robinson
Joe E. Ryan
Lynn Marie Schmalzried
Constance Emily Schwartz
Lisa A. Schwartz
Stephanie Anne Sekula
Angela Marie Simoni
Stephanie Anne Slogar
Linda Gail Smalley
Arthur Smith
Joyce Ann Snovak
Samuel Dean Spain
Amy Lynn Spin
David J. Stamolis
William S. Stanko
Thomas John Styraneck
Janice Marie Tomory
Beth Anne Turner
Angie Janel Urmson
Lucia Anne Vescera
Wendy Lynn Weaver
Sheri L. White
Karen Faith Willner
Matthew John Worthington
Thomas F. Zak

ASSOCIATE DEGREE HONORS

With High Honors

Cindy S. Heslop
Jessica Leigh Keck

Anna C. Knapp
Lynn Ann Nickels

Connie Sue Rudibaugh
April Renee Rollison

With Honors

Linda Marie Bach
Linda A. Baum
John F. Bischoff
Allison M. H. Carmichael
Patricia Ann Clark

Dawn Michelle de Leon
Kevin Kakascik
Stephanie Marie Kaster
Jean L. Kennehan
Bernadette Koginos

Carol M. Lamb
Jason A. Lucik
Kaylin Ann Masonbrink
Florence Ann Swegman

THE COMMENCEMENT SPEAKER
and
CANDIDATE FOR THE DEGREE
HONORARY DOCTOR OF MUSIC

Today's commencement speaker, John R. Cole, is director of supernumeraries at the New York City Opera. In that capacity, he is responsible for casting, hiring, and rehearsing all non-singing performers for the company. He also prepares productions of operas for live telecasts on the Public Broadcasting System as part of the "Live from Lincoln Center" series. His 1997 broadcast of *La Boheme* won an Emmy Award, as did his 1992 airing of *A Little Night Music*.

Cole received his Bachelor of Music in Education from Youngstown State University in 1971 and his Master of Music in theory and composition from YSU in 1975. During that time, he served as vocal music director of high school choruses at Salem High School in Salem, Ohio. In 1978, he pursued post-graduate study at the Philadelphia College of the Performing Arts, doing additional work in conducting with Michael Korn and The Philadelphia Singers. Mr. Cole continued his teaching career as head of upper-school music at the Shipley School in Bryn Mawr, Pennsylvania, and then as head of upper-school music and theater at the Lennox School in New York City.

A prolific composer and active performer, Mr. Cole has written a triple fugue for organ, *Toccata*, which is currently being

performed at national and international recitals. Mr. Cole has also composed *The Paschal Vigil*, a two-hour Easter work for singers, actors, dancers, congregation, hand bells, and orchestra; *Cantata for Christmas*; *Baker's Dozen*, a one-act opera based on a play by Saki; and *Moby Dick*, an opera in two acts currently being considered for future production at the New York City Opera. He has had featured parts in Metropolitan Opera productions of *Ariadne auf Naxos*, *Don Giovanni*, *Der Meistersinger von Nurnberg*, and the world premiere of *The Ghosts of Versailles*, and has also performed with the Met in *Carmen*, *Boris Godunov*, *Tannhauser*, and *Turandot*. Mr. Cole has performed with the New York City Opera in *Carmen*, *La Boheme*, *Madama Butterfly*, and *I Pagliacci*.

As a conductor and stage director, Mr. Cole has six productions to his credit, including *The Song of Being*, a Christmas musical; Verdi's *Macbeth*; *Two by Two*, a musical by Martin Charnin and Richard Rodgers; *Follies*, a musical by Stephen Sondheim and James Goldman; and *Company*, a musical by Sondheim and George Furth.

Mr. Cole was married to Kristine Ann Dingle Cole, a 1971 graduate of YSU, from 1972 until her death in 1997.

CANDIDATES FOR DEGREES

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SCHOOL OF GRADUATE STUDIES

Master of Arts

Brian James Barnes, B.S. in Ed.
Youngstown State University
English

Lewis E. Caccia, Jr. A.B.
Youngstown State University
English

William DeGenaro, B.A.
University of Detroit Mercy
English
Thesis: *The Nature of Working-Class Literature: An Ecofeminist Critique*

Daniel G. Dieter, B.S.
Clarion University of Pennsylvania
English

Thomas P. Gleason, B.S.
United States Military Academy
History

Sharyn Lynn Hunter, B.A.
Westminster College
English
Thesis: *Can We Share This Umbrella? Expressivism in the First and Second Language Classrooms*

Nancy Ann Ketzler, B.A.
Otterbein College
History
Thesis: *American Prisoners of the Luftwaffe: Realities and Images*

Cecilia M. Michelon, A.B.
Youngstown State University
English

Meredyth Joan Santangelo, B.A.
Kent State University
English

Master of Business Administration

Carol Ann Cisine, B.S. in B.A.
Youngstown State University
Management

Susan J. Croes, B.A.
Hiram College
Management

Nick S. Dragash, A.B.
Youngstown State University
General Business

Mark I. Garramone, B.S. in B.A.
Youngstown State University
General Business

Timothy Allan Hodgkiss, B.E.
Ohio University
General Business

Diane M. Houy, B.S. in B.A.
Youngstown State University
Marketing

Stefanie M. Martt, B.S.N.
The Ohio State University
General Business

Bret Lindsay McLean, B.S.E.
The Ohio State University
General Business

Charles Haven Mumford, B.A.
Hiram College
General Business

William G. Santor, Jr., B.E.
Ohio University
Management

Pushpa Soundararajan, B.S.
University of Illinois at Chicago
General Business

Geraldine Margaret Sullivan, A.B.
Youngstown State University
Marketing

Timothy Francis Thomas, B.S. in B.A.
Youngstown State University
Management

John Charles Leasure Tooill, B.E.
Youngstown State University
Finance

Gretchen VanSickle, B.S. in B.A.
Youngstown State University
Management

Master of Music

Kristina Michelle Call, B.M.
Mount Union College
Music Education

Carlos Henrique C.R. Costa, B.A.
University of Alabama-Huntsville
Performance

Leo A. Ficks, B.M.
Indiana University
Performance

Heidi Ann Nemeth, B.M.
Youngstown State University
Performance

Eric Byron Schrader, B.M.
Duquesne University
Music Education

Master of Science

Scott Edwin Clark, B.S.
Youngstown State University
Mathematics

Barbara Scott Coryea, B.S.
Westminster College
Mathematics

Ronnie C. Easter, B.S. in A.S.
Youngstown State University
Criminal Justice

SCHOOL OF GRADUATE STUDIES (continued)

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| <p>Cathy L. Gallo, B.S. in Ed.
Youngstown State University
Mathematics</p> | <p>Phyllis Rose Caruso, B.S. in Ed.
Youngstown State University
Educational Administration</p> | <p>A. Stanley Hargreaves, B.M., M.M.
Youngstown State University
Educational Administration</p> |
| <p>Andrea D. Leone, B.S.
Youngstown State University
Chemistry
Thesis: <i>Enantiomeric Composition of Chiral Pesticides in Soil and Air from the U.S. Cornbelt Region</i></p> | <p>Christina Maria Cheffo, B.S. in Ed.
Youngstown State University
Master Teacher-Secondary,
Curriculum</p> | <p>Carolyn Kramarich, A.B.
Youngstown State University
Counseling</p> |
| <p>M. Kathleen Leslie-Cripe, B.S.
Youngstown State University
Chemistry
Thesis: <i>Synthesis and Characterization of t-Octylcalix(5)arene Derivatized Capillary Gas Chromatography</i></p> | <p>Cathleen Elaine Constance, A.B.,
M.S. in Ed.
Youngstown State University
Master Teacher-Secondary,
Curriculum</p> | <p>John David Moore, B.S. in Ed.
Indiana University of Pennsylvania
Master Teacher-Special Education,
Gifted & Talented Education
Specialist</p> |
| <p>Wei Li, B.S.
Shandong University (China)
Chemistry
Thesis: <i>Studies Towards the Synthesis of New Carbohydrate-Derived Heterocycles</i></p> | <p>Jeanne Marie Constantino, B.S. in Ed.
Kent State University
Special Education</p> | <p>Pamela J. Moreschi, B.S. in Ed.
Youngstown State University
Master Teacher-Special Education,
Gifted & Talented Education
Specialist</p> |
| <p>Donald Wayne McConnell, B.S. in A.S.
Youngstown State University
Criminal Justice</p> | <p>Janine Ann Copp, A.B.
Youngstown State University
Counseling</p> | <p>Kathleen Murphy, B.S. in Ed.
Youngstown State University
Master Teacher-Special Education,
Early Childhood</p> |
| <p>Michael Bryan Tighe, B.S. in A.S.
Youngstown State University
Criminal Justice</p> | <p>Denise Ella Fagnano, B.S. in A.S.
Youngstown State University
Counseling</p> | <p>Darlene Ingrid Olsen, B.S. in Ed.
Kent State University
Master Teacher-Elementary,
Early Childhood Education</p> |
| <p>Master of Science in Education
Rayna Alberta Antol, B.S. in Ed.
Lock Haven University of
Pennsylvania
Special Education</p> | <p>Nancy L. (Ward) Farmer, A.A.S.,
B.S. N.
Youngstown State University
Educational Administration</p> | <p>Sandra M. Petruzzi, B.S. in Ed.
Youngstown State University
Special Education</p> |
| <p>Timothy A. Bakos, B.S.
Youngstown State University
Master Teacher-Secondary,
Curriculum</p> | <p>Sandra Lee Garchar, A.B.
Youngstown State University
Counseling</p> | <p>Jennifer Ann Reardon, B.A.
Kent State University
Counseling</p> |
| <p>Laura J. Broderick, B.S. in Ed.,
M.S. in Ed.
Youngstown State University
Educational Administration</p> | <p>Suzette D. Gregory, B.S. in Ed.
Youngstown State University
Special Education</p> | <p>Deborah J. Rogers, B.S. in Ed.
Youngstown State University
Master Teacher-Special Education,
Gifted & Talented Education
Specialist</p> |
| <p>Frances Sue Brooks-Sheftel, A.B.
Youngstown State University
Counseling</p> | <p>Andrea Rae Groubert, B.S. in Ed.
Youngstown State University
Special Education</p> | <p>Frank Richard Socie, A.B.
Youngstown State University
Counseling</p> |
| <p>Anthony J. Calderone, B.A.
Mount Union College
Educational Administration</p> | <p>Gary Allen Grzesk, Jr., B.A.
University of Wisconsin-Green Bay
Educational Administration</p> | <p>Ivan I. Solak, B.S. in Ed.
Youngstown State University
Educational Administration</p> |
| | <p>Jennifer L. Hagan-Kadel, B.S. in Ed.
Kent State University
Master Teacher-Special Education,
Gifted & Talented Education
Specialist</p> | |

SCHOOL OF GRADUATE STUDIES (continued)

Patrice A. Strojny, B.S. in Ed.
Youngstown State University
Master Teacher-Secondary,
Curriculum

Kelly L. Swiger, B.S. in Ed.
Youngstown State University
Master Teacher-Elementary, Middle
Grades

Louis Lamar Wainwright, A.B.
Youngstown State University
Counseling

Andrea Michelle Williams, B.S. in Ed.
Ohio University
Master Teacher-Special Education,
Early Childhood

Susie S. Yoo, B.A.
King Sejong University (South
Korea)
Counseling

Ruth E. Zitnik, B.S. in Ed., M.S. in
Ed.
Youngstown State University
Educational Administration

Master of Science in Engineering
Saud Alhajeri, B.S.
New York Institute of Technology
Mechanical Engineering

Mark Scott Jamison, B.E.
Youngstown State University
Materials Science

L. Ashley Porter, B.E.
Youngstown State University
Civil Engineering

Anthony Vincent Viviano, B.E.
Youngstown State University
Mechanical Engineering
Thesis: *An Investigation Into the
Design of Hollow Steel Accumulator
Rolls Using Finite Element Analysis*

Jon Dana Vollnogle, A.A.S., B.E.
Youngstown State University
Civil Engineering

SPRING 1998 HONORS PROGRAM GRADUATES

Amber Ausneher

Chemoprophylaxis, disease process and treatment of acute and subacute active infective bacterial and fungal endocarditis resulting from various agents

Jackie Barton

Sex and Power: Images of Women in Corporate America

Cynthia Booher

The Subversive Function of Humor in Anne Sexton's Transformations: A Linguistic Analysis

Renee Boron

Demonstrating Manufacturing Processes Using Robotics

Tanya Craver

Integrated Design Project

Brenda Doyle

Integrated Design of a Beverage Bottling Plant

Melanie Drake

A Childhood Asthma Clinic

Joseph Folk

The Design of a Super Mileage Vehicle

Nick Gallo

Laser Doppler Velocimetry

Erin Holmes

Youngstown Deserted: An Exhibit of Deindustrialization

Sepanta Jalali

Genetic Analysis of B-Blucoronidase Enzyme Deficiency

Zorana Jovanovic

New Acyl Derivatives of 1,2:5,6-Di-O-isopropylidene- α -D-glucofuranose

Robert Komara

Ion Core Parameters for the Ground State of Argon Plus

Valerie Kral

Facilities Design: Manufacturing Office and Plant Layout

John Lees

GPRIMS - A Database Utility for the Insurance Environment

Therese Logie

Flute Recital

Vincent Lucarelli

Elliptic Curve Method

Mike Lufaso

Synthesis and Characterization of Bridged Ferrucene Compounds

Isaiah Mackler

Why is the Reader Deaf? The Plight of Contemporary American Poetry

Andrew Milano

Development of Improved Methods of Extraction for Polycyclic Aromatic Hydrocarbons

Lynn Nickels

Photography Study Guide and Website

Tracy Palumbo

HIV Testing in Pregnant Women

Sinisa Sajic

International Marketing Plan for the Whirlpool Corporation

Eric Schneider

Senior Recital: Eric Schneider—Trombone, Piano & Voice

Melissa Solinger

Administrative Jack or Jill of All Trades: The Student Affairs Professional in American Universities

Michelle Sonnenlitter

Dopamine Reuptake Mechanisms and Aging

Mandy St. John

The Enhancement of Professional Practice Through Self-Reflection

Christina Stanhope

A Changing Paradigm: The Decreasing Physicality of Photomontage

April Swihart

Environmental Impact Assessment of Aquifer Contamination and Remediation

Melissa Valentine

SELF (Self-Esteem and Learning Futures)

COLLEGE OF ARTS & SCIENCES

Associate in Applied Science

Danielle Marie Baker
Harry Deeley, III
Kenneth George Krecken
Linda Hayes Lewis
Kraig Allen McAdoo
Lynn Ann Nickels
Benola Ruffin
Deborah Irene Smith

Associate in Arts

Bonita Y. Forest
Tammy Sue Nicholas
Michaele Elisabeth Ruffner
Kevin Michael Woodruff

Bachelor of Arts

Randy Jerome Abel
Jennifer Michelle Arbogast
Cynthia Audia
Jackie Renay Barton
Danielle R. Battafarano
Kenneth Paul Baum, Jr.
Pamela Elynn Baumgardner-Toth
Juliette Bell
Theodore Lee Berry
Amy R. Billcheck
Cynthia Lea Booher
Elodie C. Brazille
Mary T. Briguglio
Kristen Elizabeth Brown
Lori Anne Byers
Tracy Lynn Cannell
Sean Christopher Caszatt
Catherine S. Clagett
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Jacquelyn Beth Coles
Shane Allen Conti
Mark Jason Cox
Andrea Marie Crook
Brian G. Dattilo
Catherine Lynn DeVillez
Richard Andrew Ellis
Nancy Sue Evans
John E. Fankhauser
Michael Lance Fitch
James Christopher Fleet

Michael James Fluent
Patricia Sue Freeman
Charles Vincent Gasior
Therese Lynn Gondel
Nick Grande, Jr.
Kristen Noel Haines
Dana Michelle Heid
J. David Henderson
Jalal Din Henderson
Michelle Lynn Hennessy
Julia Renee Hess
Bridget Jean Hoff
Erin Rae Holmes
Joan Iacobacci
Adam John Kadar
Brian Joseph Keklak
Michael Patrick Kenneally
Hana Ana Kilibarda
Kristy Lynn Koletich
John Paul Kowal, Jr.
Aneta Sylwia Kowalski
Darlene Lynn Krajnak
Peter Jason Kramer
Kathleen Corbett Kraynak
Robert Joseph Kutyl
Lisa Ann Langlais
Candice Sinistro La Rocca
Saada Georges Latouf
E. Randal Lesnak
Kofee LaCreen Lilly
Isaiah Jonathan Mackler
Manal Masry
James Clay Meese
Deborah Marie Miller
Raymond V. Moore
Shelly Lyn Morris
Daniel Carl Moss, Jr.
David W. Musolf
Omar A. Nagi
Christopher D. Nord
Christina AnnMarie Oleksiuk
Michael P. O'Toole
JoEllen Pastore
Jonathon Mills Pentecost
Caroline Cecile Perjessy
John Stephen Petrilla
LuAnn Kay Preusser

Nicole Marie Ranttila
Keri Leigh Reisman
Anthony P. Ritch
Anthony Mark Rosile
Alisa Diane Rouse
Donald Stephen Rudolph, II
John James Scardina Sabulsky
Constance Emily Schwartz
Swannie G. Scissum
Candice Joy Scott
Tamika Shawndale Shelton
Kimberly Pauline Sheward
Melissa Ann Solinger
Eric Daniel Solo
Cornelius Strozier
Tracy L. Subasic
Kimberly Denise Tate
Amy Rae Thigpen
David Matthew Toohey
Jason Michael Toth
Beth Anne Turner
Andrea Lynn VanAuker
Michael John Velman
Agatha Wadolowski
Mary Ann Ward-Perry
James William Webber
Sheri L. White
Kristine R. Wilkes
Christine Olisa Williams
Stacey Lynne Williams
Bobbi D. Yoder
Kari Ann Zenko

Bachelor of Science

Robert Thomas Adair, Jr.
Andrea Susanne Apisa
Amber Layne Ausnehmer
Linda Marie Bach
Yelena Badurik
Pelin Batur
Anand Mohan Chaturvedi
Robert Michael Cicchillo
Christy Ann Conn
Dominic Frank Conti
Ruth Ann Damm
Shannon Leah DiBell
Amy Dobozy

COLLEGE OF ARTS & SCIENCES (continued)

Mary-Margaret Ann Dolansky
Ronald John Dorbish
Melanie Renee Drake
Daniel Rudolf Duzan
Lindsay Margaux Evanoff
James Floyd Focht
Jason Paul Griffin
Jennifer Dawn Hall
Mishelle Lynn Harriger
Cheryl Lynn Hartwig
Brian James Harvey
Kelly Marie Hay
Lynne Margaret Hentosh
Brian D. Horvath
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ACADEMIC REGALIA AND CEREMONY

The gowns, hoods, and caps worn in academic ceremonies today are relics of clothing worn in medieval times by students and professors. In the early universities—Bologna, Paris, Oxford—the undergraduate students had no prescribed academic dress but wore their usual clerical or ecclesiastical habits. The professors wore more colorful academic regalia than their modern-day descendants. Probably the gowns and hoods were worn for warmth in the unheated halls where the lectures were delivered. From the sixteenth century on, there is a change to somber black and it is only in the hoods worn in academic processions today that the warmth and color of medieval academic pageantry is retained.

The hoods representing degrees granted by various colleges and universities have linings (turned to exhibit their hues to the fullest advantage) in the colors of the granting institutions. In addition, the facing of the hood represents by its color the discipline in which the degree has been granted: white for arts, letters or humanities; golden yellow for science; purple for law; green for medicine; lemon yellow for library science; orange for engineering; drab for commerce or business; light blue for education; pink for music; brown for fine arts; apricot for nursing; dark blue for philosophy; scarlet for theology; citron for social work; sage green for physical education.

Since 1895, in the United States, the colors and types of caps and gowns have been largely standardized; in 1932 the code was revised to some extent, and in 1960 it was revised once more. A few American universities have adopted gowns other than black in color, and in European universities there is more diversity in cut and in the cap than prevails in the United States. Trustees and administrators of American colleges and universities, too, may wear regalia which is

different from that commonly worn. The trustees of Youngstown State University wear a specially designed cardinal gown.

The bachelor's gown is worn closed; the master's gown is worn open or closed, depending partly on its tailoring; and the wearer of the doctor's gown has the privilege of wearing it open or closed. The sleeves of the three types of gowns are of different lengths and cuts, and in addition the sleeves of the doctor's gown have three horizontal velvet stripes. The doctor's gown also has a vertical facing of velvet in front. The stripes and facing may be either black or in the color representing the field in which the wearer has received the doctorate.

There are different opinions about the origin of the caps worn in academic ceremonies. One view is that the "mortar board" is in actuality adapted from the wooden square used by masons. Another is that it stems from the ecclesiastical or clerical head covering of the medieval period. The tassels worn on the caps may or may not be of the same types. In some institutions all masters' and bachelors' tassels are black; in others the tassels, which are the same as the colors of the facings of the hoods, reflect the degree received. The tassels worn by doctors may be black or gold thread.

There is something of the same adherence to tradition in commencement processions that exists in academic garb, although each institution has the right to adapt the ceremony to its own requirement. The chief marshals lead the line of march, followed by the president, the speaker, trustees, and other members of the party to be seated on the platform. Then follow the faculty and the candidates for degrees. The recessional at the end of the ceremony follows the same order.

Recipients of University Honors will receive special insignia, consisting of golden honor cords placed around the shoulders.