



*F*ALL
COMMENCEMENT
YOUNGSTOWN STATE UNIVERSITY

SUNDAY, DECEMBER SIXTEENTH
TWO THOUSAND AND ONE
TWO O'CLOCK, BEEGHLY CENTER

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	"Stars and Stripes Forever March" John Philip Sousa YSU Symphonic Wind Ensemble Dr. Stephen L. Gage, <i>Conductor</i>
ACADEMIC PROCESSIONAL	"Suite #1 in Eb Major" by Gustav Holst "Pomp and Circumstance" from March No. 1 by Edward Elgar "March Processional" by Clare Grundman
WELCOME	David C. Sweet <i>President</i>
NATIONAL ANTHEM	Dr. Misook Yun <i>Assistant Professor of Music, Dana School of Music, College of Fine and Performing Arts</i>
REFLECTION	Reverend Brian Mulcahy, O.P. <i>Director, Newman Center, Youngstown State University</i>
INTRODUCTION OF TRUSTEES	President Sweet
GREETINGS AND INTRODUCTION OF THE SPEAKER; PRESENTATION OF STEVE D. BULLOCK TO RECEIVE THE DEGREE HONORARY DOCTOR OF HUMANE LETTERS	Eugenia C. Atkinson <i>Chairperson, Board of Trustees</i>
ADDRESS	Steve D. Bullock <i>Founder and Principal, The Bullock Group</i>
MUSICAL SELECTION	"Sleigh Ride" by Leroy Anderson
RECOGNITION OF GRADUATES ATTAINING UNIVERSITY HONORS	Tony Atwater <i>Provost and Vice President for Academic Affairs</i>
CONFERRING OF DEGREES	President Sweet
PRESENTATION OF CANDIDATES FOR DEGREES	Peter J. Kasvinsky, <i>Dean of the School of Graduate Studies</i> Ikram Khawaja, <i>Interim Dean of the College of Arts and Sciences</i> Betty Jo Licata, <i>Dean of the Warren P. Williamson, Jr. College of Business Administration</i> Joseph Edwards, <i>Interim Dean of the Beeghly College of Education</i> Charles A. Stevens, <i>Dean of the William Rayen College of Engineering and Technology</i> George McCloud, <i>Dean of the College of Fine and Performing Arts</i> John J. Yemma, <i>Dean of the Dominic A. and Helen M. Bitonte College of Health and Human Services</i>
WELCOME FROM YSU ALUMNI SOCIETY	Pat Billett <i>President, YSU Alumni Society</i>
CLOSING REMARKS	President Sweet
ALMA MATER	Professor Yun
RECESSIONAL	"The Liberty Bell March" by John Philip Sousa "Washington Post March" by John Philip Sousa
COLLEGE RECEPTIONS	Kilcawley Center, Chestnut Room

The Black Alumni Chapter of the YSU Alumni Society and the YSU Black Faculty and Staff Association will hold a reception for graduates in the Alumni House from 4:00 p.m. until 5:30 p.m. today.

Eugenia C. Atkinson, Chairperson of the Board of Trustees, and Provost Atwater will invest Mr. Bullock with the hood.

The audience is asked to be seated after the singing of the Alma Mater and to remain seated during the recessional.

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

Commencement Speaker and Candidate for the Degree Honorary Doctor of Humane Letters

Today's commencement speaker, **Steve D. Bullock**, spent 38 years with the American Red Cross, culminating in his appointment as acting president following the departure of Elizabeth Dole. Drawing on his extensive experience in the Red Cross, Mr. Bullock formed The Bullock Group in 2000, which brought together a team of nonprofit management experts to provide management consulting services to nonprofit and public institutions.

Mr. Bullock's service to the American Red Cross included directorship of the St. Paul Chapter and a variety of positions in the national organization. Prior to assuming the interim presidency, he had been chief executive officer of the Cleveland Chapter, which, under his leadership, grew to become one of the nation's largest and most successful Red Cross chapters.

In addition to his professional work, Mr. Bullock has served on numerous boards of trustees in both the nonprofit and business sectors. He is currently a

trustee of the Greater Cleveland Roundtable, University Hospitals Health Systems, Cleveland Today, and the Ohio Motorists Association. Mr. Bullock also serves as a director of National City Bank, as a member of the Secretariat and the Mandel Center for Nonprofit Organizations, and as an adjunct professor of nonprofit management.

Mr. Bullock has been recognized many times for his outstanding leadership and service to the community. He received the Leadership in Nonprofit Management Award from the Mandel Center for Nonprofit Organizations and the American Red Cross Tiffany Award, the highest award bestowed on a Red Cross staff member. He has also received recognition for his commitment to diversity and education.

Mr. Bullock received his MBA from the College of St. Thomas and his Bachelor of Arts from Virginia Union University. He has completed executive management programs at Northwestern University.

CANDIDATES FOR DEGREES

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

SCHOOL OF GRADUATE STUDIES

Master of Arts

Tammy L. Reeher, B.A.
Indiana University of Pennsylvania
English

Michelle Lee Spagnoletta, B.S.
Bowling Green State University
English

Master of Business Administration

Charles Randall Daub, B.S.
The Ohio State University
General

Brian Emerson Dick, B.A., M.A.
Grove City College
Slippery Rock University
of Pennsylvania
General

Melinda M. DiGregorio,
A.A.B., B.S. in B.A.
Youngstown State University
General

Diane Gardner, B.S. in B.A.
Slippery Rock University
of Pennsylvania
General

Michael Robert Keating, B.A.
St. Mary's University
Management

Jeffrey A. Patterson, B.S. in B.A.
Youngstown State University
Management

Rodney B. Petrosky, B.S.
Pennsylvania State University
General

Michele R. Porter, B.S. in B.A.
Youngstown State University
General

Donna Jeanne Reindel, B.A.
Baldwin Wallace College
Management

Anthony T. Rocci, B.S. in A.S.
Youngstown State University
Management

Robert A. Roth, B.A.
The University of Akron
General

Kathryn Ann Sherman, B.S. in B.A.
Youngstown State University
Executive

John Michael Sokol, B.S., M.S. in Ed.
Youngstown State University
General

Leah Patricia Taylor, B.S.
Pennsylvania State University
General

Christopher David Vrabel, B.S. in B.A.
The Ohio State University
General

Louie G. Woods, B.S.
The Ohio State University
General

John Patrick Worthington, B.B.A.
Cleveland State University
Management

Master of Health and Human Services

Patricia A. Koltonski, A.A.S., B.S.N.
Youngstown State University
Health & Human Services

Jennifer Ann Moore, B.S.
The Ohio State University
Health & Human Services

Pamela Denise Sweeney, B.S.W.
Ferris State University
Health & Human Services

Master of Music

Jessica Lynn Chisholm, A.B.
Youngstown State University
Music, History & Literature
Thesis: *Danger and Charm:
The Paradox of Chivalric
Humanism in the Life and
Works of Gilles Binchois
(c. 1400-1460)*

Veronica Lynne Doyle, B.A.
The University of Akron
Music, History & Literature
Thesis: *American Art Music
of the Vietnam Era: The
Interrelationship of Music
and Society*

Eve Spangler, B.A.
Edinboro University
of Pennsylvania
Music Education

James Robin Wilding, B.M.
University of Cape Town
Performance

Master of Science

Keytam Salem Awad, B.S.
Youngstown State University
Biology
Thesis: *Association of Cell
Cycle Protein Kinases with
the Cytoskeleton of Cultured
Myoblasts*

Charles S. Colucci, B.S. in A.S.
Youngstown State University
Criminal Justice

SCHOOL OF GRADUATE STUDIES (continued)

Dana Lyn Di Gennaro, B.S.
Youngstown State University
Mathematics

Thesis: *Graceful and
Harmonious Labeling of the
Disjoint Union of a Cycle and
a Path*

Joseph A. Isaac, B.S.
Youngstown State University
Biology

Thesis: *Vegetation Survey of
the Carbon Limestone
Sanitary Landfill in Poland
Township, Mahoning County,
Ohio*

Kimberly S. Ludt, B.S.
Youngstown State University
Biology

Thesis: *The relationship between
organochlorines, eggshell
thickness, and reproductive
success of Hooded
Mergansers, Lophodytes
cucullatus*

Tricia Leigh Miller, B.S.
The University of Akron
Criminal Justice

Hud L. Risley, B.S.
Youngstown State University
Chemistry

Thesis: *Chemical Synthesis of
Terpenoid O-Glycosides*

Sandra Lynn Zolla, B.S.
Youngstown State University
Biology

Thesis: *Measuring the effects
of Carbon Catabolite
Repression on the qa-y gene
of Neurospora crassa*

Master of Science in Education

Dorothy Kathryn Blomstrom,
B.S. in Ed.
Youngstown State University
Master Teacher—Elementary,
Early Childhood Education

Kamal D. Chatman, B.S. in Ed.
Kent State University
Educational Administration

Marie Denise Dockry, B.S. in Ed.
Youngstown State University
Counseling

Guy Anthony Esposito, B.S. in Ed.
Bowling Green State University
Educational Administration

Debra Lee Grace, B.A.
Kent State University
Counseling

Jeffrey Todd Hammond, B.S.
Ohio University
Educational Administration

Stephanie Sue Headland, B.S.
Malone College
Educational Administration

Gretchen Lynn Hull, B.S. in Ed.
Youngstown State University
Educational Administration

Diane E. Hunsbarger, B.S. in Ed.
Youngstown State University
Educational Administration

Kelly Ann Hutchison, B.S. in Ed.
Youngstown State University
Master Teacher—Elementary,
Reading Specialist

Tina M. Johnson, B.S. in Ed.
Youngstown State University
Master Teacher—Elementary,
Reading Specialist

Heidi Sue Johnston, B.A.
Thiel College
Master Teacher—Elementary,
Curriculum

Janet Kempe, B.S. in Ed.,
M.S. in Ed.
Youngstown State University
Educational Administration

Vanessa Marie Kopiak, B.A.
Westminster College
Educational Administration

Nathan Thomas Lowery, B.S.
Geneva College
Educational Administration

Melissa Mastell, A.B.
Youngstown State University
Counseling

Tamara Tarr McClurkin, B.A.
Washington & Jefferson College
Educational Administration

Julie Ann Meyer, B.S. in Ed.
The Ohio State University
Master Teacher—Elementary,
Curriculum

Loretta Lynn Moldovan, B.S. in Ed.
Kentucky Christian College
Master Teacher—Elementary,
Reading Specialist

Melanie Lynn Olsen, B.S.
Miami University
Counseling

Francine E. Packard, B.B.A.
Kent State University
Counseling

Laura Jean Parise, B.S. in Ed.
Youngstown State University
Educational Administration

Nancy Jo Perkins, B.S. in Ed.
Youngstown State University
Special Education

Jennifer Irene Policy, B.S.
Youngstown State University
Master Teacher—Secondary,
Curriculum

SCHOOL OF GRADUATE STUDIES (continued)

Katherine Cecilia Rabel,
B.S. in Ed.
Youngstown State University
Educational Administration

Karen Sue Rhodes, B.S. in Ed.
The Ohio State University
Master Teacher—Special
Education, Early Childhood

Cathy Louise Sellers, A.B.
Youngstown State University
Counseling

Robert Lewis Sims, B.M.
The Ohio State University
Educational Administration

Joann L. Smith, B.S. in Ed.
Youngstown State University
Master Teacher—Elementary,
Curriculum

Martha Arlene Smith, B.S. in Ed.
Youngstown State University
Master Teacher—Special Education,
Early Childhood

Sindy S. Sowry, B.S. in Ed.
Kent State University
Special Education

Jennifer Lynn Tulino, B.S. in Ed.
Edinboro University of
Pennsylvania
Master Teacher—Special Education,
Early Childhood

Carol Ann Vollnogle, B.S. in Ed.
Youngstown State University
Special Education

Kathryn Marie Warren, B.S. in Ed.
The University of Akron
Master Teacher—Elementary,
Curriculum

Kristin Kay Webber, B.S. in Ed.
Kent State University
Master Teacher—Elementary,
Reading Specialist

Janis Jo Foglio Williams,
B.S. in Ed., M.A. in Ed.
Kent State University,
College of Mt. St. Joseph
on the Ohio
Educational Administration

Diana Louise Zidian, B.S. in B.A.
Youngstown State University
Master Teacher—Elementary,
Reading Specialist

Master of Science in Engineering
Samuel Dean Spain, B.E.
Youngstown State University
Chemical Engineering

UNIVERSITY HONORS FALL 2001

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

Greg C. Adams
Alice da Silva Salema Bicudo
Nicole Lynn Butterfield
Marissa K. Calko
Kathleen Suzanne Clifford
Martha Rose Coulter
Nicholas Edward Durdil
Csongor George Faluhelyi
Adam Spencer Freeman
Tammy D. Gossman
Megan Testa Groves
Joseph James Guarino, III

Heidi Beth Hallas
Kylene Ann Halliday
Michelle Dawn Hettinga
Susan K. Holub
Melissa Lynn Kodash
Anna C. Koulianos
Brian C. Kren
John Michael Lamanna
Danielle Maricia Lawrence
Elaine G. Morgan
Barbara Sue Musgrave
Christine Marie Novicky

Robert Alan Pavalko, II
David Harry Rasley
Barbara Ann Reynolds
Angela Renee Robinson
Amory Mae Starkey
Laura Marie Stefko
Brian J. Tamburro
Melissa Sue Tracey
Sara L. Walters
Alexis Rae Yerage

Magna Cum Laude

Katie Anne Ausmann
Mary La-Chrisa Avery
Joseph Paul Bartyzel
Katherine M. Bates
Lisa Catherine Bockelman
Danielle Nicole Brown
Kristina Kay Catlett
Melissa Marie Centofanti
Nicole Centofanti
William T. Clemens
Darren Wayne Cope
Renee Marie Foerster
Brian Gartland

Patrice L. Hight
David James Lawrence
Jason Alan Majirsky
Kelly Louisa Marco
Megan Catherine McAtee
Michael Steven McGinley
Karen J. McGuire
Jeremy Craig Miller
David John Milush
Lisa C. Paugh
Marlene Marie Pogacnik
John James Rappach

Bonnie G. Raybuck
Sanford Carl Rinda, Jr.
Stella Rousou
Maysalun Nabil Samad
Melanie Elizabeth Sekowski
Robert Glenn Shallcross
Bradley Walter Smith
Heidi Celia Swift
Michael Joseph Thomas, Jr.
Mark James Watson
Jonathan Whitney Williams

Cum Laude

Rex Nathan Allen
Kelly Ann Booksing
Michael Lee Bowman
David J. Carmichael
Angela Michelle Coxson
Ronald L. Coxson
Tricia Lynn Crowe
Robert A. DeFrank
Carolyn Faucette
Theo O. Forosty
Brian P. Gaucher
Jill Marie Gregory
Elizabeth Anne Haas
Lauren Marie Hamilton

Lori Anne E. Hamilton
Jacob Matthew Haus
Andrew D. Hill
Brian Patrick Kale
Mary Ann Kalinich
Kathryn Jean Kitzmiller
Dawn Marie Knight
Christine Kortess
Audrey L. Latorre
Judy Lee
Marcy L. Lilley
Mark Andrew Mariani
Terri L. McKinney
Angela Miller-Parker

Matthew I. Minnick
Alycia Marie Neff
Daniel Anthony Nestich
Danielle Marie Novak
Jada Kawren Reed
Cathi Lynn Resatar
Lynn Marie Shuttleworth
Kimberly Sue Strange
Larissa Theodore
Joshua David Thomas
Christine Marie Tobey
Josef Frank Venerose
Isaac Philip Young
Mark Andrew Zura

With Honors

Daniel David Chuey
Samuel Seth Hill
William H. McIntyre

With High Honors

Maribeth Eckenrode
Phillip Paul Gleason, III
Nsikan Ebenege Usip

HONORS PROGRAM GRADUATES

Katherine M. Bates
Electrical Engineering
Design of a Conveyor Line

Kathleen S. Clifford
Biology
Femoral-Patellar Pain Syndrome

Kylene Halliday
Criminal Justice
Psychology
The Effects of Gender on Perceived Seriousness of Crime

Michelle Hettinga
Individualized Curriculum Program
International Management and Mediation: A Preliminary Study of Entombed Beach Litter On San Salvador Island, The Bahamas

Kathryn Kitzmiller
Chemistry
Pyrrole-2-Carboxylate Decarboxylase

David D. McCracken
Electrical Engineering
Digital Slot Machine Design & Build

Robert Pavalko, II
Music Education
Senior Violin Recital—Music from Each Era

Barbara Ann Reynolds
Sociology
Investigation of Domestic Violence in Trumbull County

Melanie Sekowski
Biology
DNA Sequencing of Qa1 S Gene in Neurospora Africana

Amory Starkey
Biology
The Effects of Caffeine on Syrian Hamsters

Laura Stefko
Accounting
Cohen & Company Internship



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COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES

Associate in Applied Science

Nicole Anne DelSignore
Phillip Paul Gleason, III
Ibrahim Mohammad Kassem
Nicholas Miller
Timothy E. O'Hara
James Allen Vross
Gregory M. Was
Vesterine Julitta White

Associate in Arts

Michael William Garwood
Michelle C. Massucco
William H. McIntyre

Bachelor of Arts

Larry Dennis Adams
James Ahmed
Molly Alvarez
Lisa Catherine Bockelman
David Allen Bomberger
Jason Edward Bungard
Anne Marie Canter
Melissa Marie Centofanti
Kara Nicole Chernushin
Kimberly J. Chianese
Kevin Michael Coss
Martha Rose Coulter
Ronald L. Coxson
Robert A. DeFrank

David Ryan Edwards
Kristy Lynn Foster
Joseph James Guarino, III
Kylene Ann Halliday
John P. Hazen
Timothy Jason Hephner
Terrence P. Hodge
Annabelle Victoria Hunt
Janine E. Kaletka
Susan E. Kelly
Judith Lorraine Kerr
Brian C. Kren
John Michael Lamanna
Marcy L. Lilley
Andrew Christopher Mapley
Debbie Marzula
Michael Patrick Missory
Cynthia Rachele Murcko
Brian O'Malley
Arthur Peter Ort
Matthew Tod Patrone
Stacy C. Pierce
Carrie Ann Ramos
Erick C. Redington
Barbara Ann Reynolds
Rachael Elizabeth Rosati
Stella Rousou
Katrina Elise Simms
Kimberly Sue Strange

Larissa Theodore
Barbara J. Tomko
Heather L. Trickett
Josef Frank Venerose
James Daniel Wojton

Bachelor of Science

Drew Jackson Belpedio
Heather Lynn Bionci
Steven A. Buffone
Selena Ann Class
Kathleen Suzanne Clifford
Robert G. Clyde
Daniel Lawrence Drum
Kathleen Marie Eberth
Csongor George Faluhelyi
Megan C. Floor
Anthony Allen Frazier
Megan Testa Groves
Cari Michele Havaich
Michelle Dawn Hettinga
Jeffery Allan Houtz
Brian Patrick Kale
Kathryn Jean Kitzmiller
Andrew T. Krysiak
William Patrick Losasso
Jason Alan Majirsky
Todd Matthew Makrucky
Mark Andrew Mariani

COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES (continued)

Teri Ann McCullick
 Michael Steven McGinley
 Dawn Marie Nguyen
 Christine Marie Novicky
 Mary Ellen Peachock
 Rian Elizabeth Quinn
 Jada Kawren Reed
 Jody Lynn Regula
 Matthew David Rickert
 Angela Renee Robinson

T.J. Rodgers
 Melanie Elizabeth Sekowski
 Bradley Walter Smith
 Christopher L. Snyder
 Amory Mae Starkey
 Richard L. Taylor, Jr.
 Matthew Timothy Tinkler
 Nicole Ann Marie Victor
 Jonathan Whitney Williams

Bachelor of Science in Applied Science

Tamara Sue Blank
 Theo O. Forosty
 Brian Gartland
 Eric Gonzalez
 Mary Ann Kalinich
 Sharon Louise Marsh
 Kerry Lee Petersen
 Aaron Thomas Schneider

WILLIAMSON COLLEGE OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

Associate in Arts

Rachele Lynn Best
 Ryan Phillip Boso
 Michael Anthony Caparso
 James DiBenedetto
 Mark O'Neil Heath
 Quincy Jones, Sr.
 Laura J. Schaller

Anthony Richard Daprile

Kara L. Daprile
 Suzette M. Darden
 Phillip Joseph Detec, III
 Brett Allan Dillon
 Michael A. Dota
 Adam M. Fadell
 Steven William Frank
 Robert P. Gizzi
 Holly Melissa Havens
 Patrice L. Hight
 Andrew D. Hill
 Keri Lynn Johnson
 Stephen Frederick Kapus
 Michael David Kline
 Christine Kortes
 Kelly Michele Lane
 Justina M. Lo Vaglio
 Holly E. Lutz
 Jessica Markovich
 Erinn Lee McCann
 Christopher J. McDowell
 Thomas C. McGahan, Jr.
 Stephen Dennis Mefferd
 Heather Lynn Meszar
 David John Milush
 Richard James Minniti, II
 Robert Charles Mrozek
 Hafsa Sabira Naeem
 Nicholas B. Najdusak
 Fon A. Nanji
 Sonja Marie Nevinski
 Danielle Marie Novak

Lisa Ann Paulus

Sara J. Pickin
 Marlene Marie Pogacnik
 Tiffin A. Poulton
 David Harry Rasley
 Marjorie Joann Rassega
 Marcy Ann Reinbolt
 Cathi Lynn Resatar
 Janice K. Shahan
 Robert Glenn Shallcross
 Jeffrey Alan Shirilla
 Laura Marie Stefko
 Travis Matthew Stewart
 Pamela Ann Teague
 David Paul Temelkoff
 Michael Joseph Thomas, Jr.
 Lori Lynn Thornton
 Doxie E. Tolios
 Melissa Sue Tracey
 Beth A. Valerio
 Anthony Ronald Vross
 Mark James Watson
 Jason A. Wenderoth
 Tiffanie M. Williams
 Jeremy David Wilson
 David Lee Wood
 Nancy Kathleen Woodford
 Alexis Rae Yerage
 Isaac Philip Young^o
 Jeffrey D. Yurtin
 Robert A. Zabel
 Igor Zolotushkin

Bachelor of Science in Business Administration

Mesa N. Abdelrasul
 Gloria J. Aey
 Jennifer Lynn Allen
 Shawn J. Ash
 Katie Anne Ausmann
 Lesley Ann Bagnoli
 Nicholas J. Bartholomew
 Todd Alan Baxter
 Matthew Angelo Bees
 Alicia Marie Behner
 Aaron F. Bero
 Amanda Jay Best
 Donald Charles Borsic
 Michael Lee Bowman
 Michael George Burke
 David Carlyle Cable
 Robert Paul Canter, Jr.
 David J. Carmichael
 Win Chan Chuang
 William T. Clemens
 Brooklyn Marie Collier
 Jonathan Nicholas Conrad
 John Joseph Dancak

BEEGLY COLLEGE OF EDUCATION

Bachelor of Science in Education

Patrice Darnett Allen
 Rex Nathan Allen
 Jeannette Lynn Androsek
 Traci J. Ash-Miller
 Mary La-Chrisha Avery

Darlene M. Basista
 Alice da Silva Salema Bicudo
 Kelly Ann Booksing
 Steven Richard Bosel
 Carie Lynn Brode-Watson
 Danielle Nicole Brown

Kimberly Bruno
 Jeffrey Allen Bryan
 Kimberly Jo Bryan
 Kristina Kay Catlett
 Brenda A. Cochran
 Christopher Michael Conway

^oDegree awarded posthumously

BEEGHLY COLLEGE OF EDUCATION (continued)

Angela Michelle Coxson
Tricia Lynn Crowe
Stacey Lynn Cufur
Christina Marie Culver
Kathy Ann Davies
Shannon Rae Dermer
Victoria Lynn DiBias
Lisa Dawn Doll
Loriann S. Drummond
Amanda Sue Dyke
Kenneth J. Flood
Michael Alan Fobes
Renee Marie Foerster
Tammy J. Foley
Megan Marie Francisco
Paul Kenneth Furman
Tammy D. Gossman
Megan Anne Greene
Kristie Lynn Gregory
Tammy R. Grieco
Jennifer Grist
Sean Michael Grunenwald
Matthew Michael Guarnieri
Elizabeth Anne Haas
Lauren Marie Hamilton
Nick Hazimihalalis

Themelina J. Hazimihalalis
Susan K. Holub
Jamie Marie Hovanec
Kelly Marie Hughes
Carrie Lynn Hurd
Terra Lee Huston
Joseph A. Ignazio, Jr.
Kimberly Marie Jacobson
Bruce Stephen Jones
Pamela Diane Jones
Dawn Marie Knight
Melissa Lynn Kodash
Anna C. Koulianos
David James Lawrence
Judy Lee
Stephanie Marie-Carme Ligenza
Sheila Lynn Magura
Kelly Louisa Marco
Megan Catherine McAtee
Kathleen Marie McCartney
Terri L McKinney
Robert Anthony McQuoid
Melanie Kaye Miller
Tabatha Lee Miller
Matthew I. Minnick
Elaine G. Morgan

Cynthia Rachele Murcko
Barbara Sue Musgrave
Daniel John Nagle, Jr.
Christina Marie Neeley
Alycia Marie Neff
Scott J. Nemergut
Jacquelynn Elaine Novak
Timothy M. Pappagallo
Lisa M. Ramunno
John James Rappach
Mark Earl Robertson
Frederick Glenn Rogers, Jr.
Sarah Marie Root
Joe Rucci
Thomas Mark Schuler
Kelli Rene Shelar
Lynn Marie Shuttleworth
Melissa L. Streb
Angela Ann Sullivan
Heidi Celia Swift
Nathan A. Testa
Ann Marie Theiss-Inge
Adrienne Anne Unertl
Kristy J. Urey
Steven James Wyllie
Mark Andrew Zura

RAYEN COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING & TECHNOLOGY

Associate in Applied Science

Daniel David Chuey
Michael Floyd Ekis
Samuel Seth Hill
Kevin Scott Lazor
Nathan Curtis Lora
William Andrew Lovitz
John Thomas Moenich
Michael Joseph Polak, III
John Alton Williams

Bachelor of Engineering

Joseph Paul Bartyzel

Katherine M. Bates
Agni Eleni Cvercko
Michael James Elliott
Dawn Renee Fillian
Christopher Douglas Flenoury
Adam Spencer Freeman
David M. Keshock
Daniel E. Lowry, II
Jeffrey Alan Marnicio
David Daniel McCracken
Michael Gordon Smith
Samuel Edward Walker, Jr.

Bachelor of Science in Applied Science

Justin Donald Bittikofer
David Robert Brown
DeWayne Country Hickman
Lee T. Himes
Michael A. Kraml
Patrick M. Linehan
Frank Kenneth Pascoe
Sanford Carl Rinda, Jr.
Joshua David Thomas
Daniel Lee Wright

COLLEGE OF FINE & PERFORMING ARTS

Bachelor of Arts

Greg C. Adams
Heather Lynn Bloomquist
Angela Brennan
Nicole Centofanti
Justin Robert Galmish
Lori Anne E. Hamilton
Brian C. Hughes
Heather Lynne Logan
Daniel John Milush
Lisa C. Paugh

Bachelor of Fine Arts

Nicole A. Pompeii
Dana Nicole Revels
Kelly Jean Rogers
Elizabeth Marian Roman
Edward James Ross, III
Tamara Brianna Williams
Shelley D. Amrich
Juliann Byrom
Marissa K. Calko

Kelly L. Evans
Amanda Renee Guthrie
Robert M. Lanterman
Christina Marie Lewis
Jonathan Paul Marafiote
Shane Anthony McAndrew
Andrea Jo Simeone
Patricia Nicole Tahos
Ann Marie Theiss-Inge
James A. Varketta

COLLEGE OF FINE & PERFORMING ARTS

Bachelor of Music

Ann Theresa Bojadich
Joshua D. Chevront
Michael Anthony Crist
David Bruce Evans
Jason Michael Hannum

James Edwin Jeffrey, III
Carrie S. Koman
Kurt Christohper Kotheimer
Rajma McKenzie
Daniel Anthony Nestich
Yuichi Ogushi

Robert Alan Pavalko, II
Mackenzie Jo Pinto
Christopher M. Pribilski
Brian J. Tamburro
Samuel Robert Wagner, Jr.

BITONTE COLLEGE OF HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES

Associate in Applied Science

Randall Allen Aliff
Milagrito Isabelle Aponte
Brenda Marie Campbell
Lamar Cousin
Teri J. Coward
Sherri Lynn Deak
Stacy Jean Dorman
Maribeth Eckenrode
Janet L. Fair
Rose Ann Hrusovsky
Lisa T. Kollar
Christopher Adam Ligotti
Janeen Danielle Mack
Talli Lorraine Onesti
Andrea C. Repasky
Jasmine A'tae Sanders
Traci L. Sarcinella
David Jon Schialdone
Mark Roger Schreffler
Jacqueline Marie Thomas
Nsikan Ebenge Usip
Frederick Arthur Yungbluth, Jr.

Brad Michael Evans
Brian Joseph Felton
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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.