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**One Hundred-Eleventh
ANNUAL
COMMENCEMENT**

Ten o'clock a.m.
Saturday, May 3, 1997
Stanley J. Marshall
Health, Physical Education and
Recreation Center
Brookings, South Dakota

COMMENCEMENT PROGRAM

Precommencement Concert

"A Celebration Fanfare" by Alfred Reed

"His Honor March" by Henry Fillmore

"The Observing Visitor" by Patrick Conway

SOUTH DAKOTA STATE UNIVERSITY SYMPHONIC BAND

PROFESSOR JAMES MCKINNEY, DIRECTOR

Processional

"Pomp and Circumstance" by Edward Elgar/arr. by Jim Coull

SYMPHONIC BAND

The National Anthem

"Star Spangled Banner" by Francis Scott Key/arr. by Jim Coull

SYMPHONIC BAND AND THE AUDIENCE

Introductions

DR. ROBERT T. WAGNER, President of the University

Honorary Marshals

DR. SHARON A. HOFLAND, Professor of Nursing

DR. DARRELL M. JENSEN, Dean, College of Education and Counseling and
Professor of Education

Musical Selections

"Symphony #3 Slavyanskaya" ed. by John R. Bourgeois

I. Allegro

SYMPHONIC BAND

Commencement Address

MS. GINA PEDERSON, Candidate for Graduation

Recognition of Faculty and Student Honors

DR. CAROL J. PETERSON, Vice President for Academic Affairs

Recognition of Army and Air Force Officers

LTC JAN GRIESEN BROCK, Army ROTC

LTC KEVIN GRABER, Air Force ROTC

Induction into Alumni Association

DEB DEBATES, President, Alumni Association

Authorization of Degrees

THE HONORABLE DAVID GIENAPP, Board of Regents

Presentation of Honorary Degrees

ROBERT E. FISHBACK, Doctor of Public Service

DONALD G. MOORE, (Posthumous) Doctor of Science

Lyle E. Schroeder, Doctor of Public Service

Presentation of Graduating Class

THE GRADUATE CLASS

DR. MARGE HEGGE, Distinguished Professor of Nursing and
Member of Graduate Council

THE UNDERGRADUATE CLASS

DR. JAMES J. DOOLITTLE, Chairman of the Academic Senate

Conferring of Degrees and Presentation of Diplomas

PRESIDENT WAGNER AND COLLEGE DEANS

Recessional

"Music for a Ceremony" by John J. Morrissey

SYMPHONIC BAND

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ROBERT E. FISHBACK

CITATION FOR THE HONORARY DEGREE DOCTOR OF PUBLIC SERVICE

Mr. Robert Fishback is a quiet, but very influential leader in our community and state. He is viewed as a strong, wise businessman and a personable, caring individual who is always truthful in his approach. We can easily determine from the 21 support letters from academicians, politicians, employees, colleagues, business people, and his church pastor what a positive impact Mr. Fishback has had on the community in which he lives and works. Some of these same persons commented “. . . most of us do not know the half of Bob’s involvement or influence, as he chooses to support causes in an anonymous manner.”

Mr. Fishback has touched many people through his commitment to both education and families. He believes strongly that education is one of the most important avenues to achieving a good quality of life. He has always been tremendously proud of South Dakota State University and its ideals and precepts.

Through Mr. Fishback’s work, since 1961, at First National Bank in Brookings, he has helped the citizens of Brookings and farm families from surrounding areas realize the dream of home ownership, staying on the family farm, owning their own businesses, or sending a child to college.

Perhaps a more visible sign of Mr. Fishback’s commitment to families is demonstrated through the extent of family-friendly policies he has implemented at First National Bank.

The well-being of individuals, families, and the communities within which they live is of paramount concern to Mr. Fishback. He is involved in numerous organizations, some of which are specific to Brookings and others which are more regional in nature. He provides internships and employment opportunities for students, acting in a mentor capacity. Many years ago he purchased a large block of land south of McCrory Gardens in Brookings. His reason: to protect and enhance the east entrance to our city. Today this prime property is a park-like area that not only complements McCrory Gardens but enriches and beautifies our city. Mr. Fishback also controlled property south and west of the local hospital and he has held that property for elderly housing or health care oriented use only.

Clearly, the Brookings community and the State of South Dakota have been the major beneficiaries of Bob Fishback’s tireless efforts. To show our appreciation for this person of resourcefulness, humanitarian concern, personal dedication, and intellect, South Dakota State University confers on Robert E. Fishback the degree, Doctor of Public Service, *honoris causa*.

DONALD G. MOORE

CITATION FOR THE POSTHUMOUS HONORARY DEGREE DOCTOR OF SCIENCE

Dr. Donald G. Moore's association with South Dakota State University began over 25 years ago when he was a graduate student in the Plant Science Department here. After attaining his Ph.D., Dr. Moore remained at SDSU in the capacity of Soil Scientist at the Remote Sensing Institute (RSI). Of special note were his efforts in the development of the Visiting International Scientist Program and various international remote sensing projects. Providing technical and humanitarian assistance to developing countries while maintaining cultural sensitivity was of special importance to Dr. Moore. His professional and social interaction with scientists from around the world extended beyond RSI to the larger SDSU and Brookings communities.

Dr. Moore left SDSU in 1981 to continue his career at EROS Data Center, but he continued frequent contact with his former SDSU colleagues. He was consulted frequently for advice and ideas and hosted many of our international visitors and various SDSU classes. At the EROS Data Center Dr. Moore continued to develop international projects and became known as a leading scientist in the application of remote sensing and related technologies to global humanitarian efforts. His ability to apply space technology to help save and improve lives in low income and food deficit countries gained him a world-wide reputation. His efforts and vision have been incorporated in humanitarian and resource development projects conducted in Latin America, Africa, and Europe. During his tenure he developed and managed a \$20 million research, development, and technology program at the EROS Data Center. The program applied remote sensing and geographic information systems to agriculture monitoring, natural resource management, and famine mitigation.

During the last eight years of Dr. Moore's career at EROS Data Center, he conceived and successfully managed the EROS Data Center International Program. Dr. Moore initiated work through EROS to aid developing countries, specifically Africa. He did a phenomenal job in working with the U.S. Agency for International Development on projects dealing with famine early warning, food insecure populations, and land resource evaluation and development. Shortly before Dr. Moore's untimely death, he had initiated EROS's involvement in projects to conserve biodiversity in the rain forests of Madagascar and in expanding mapping technologies in Latin America.

John Lewis, Director, Office of Agriculture and Food Security, Bureau of Global Programs, USAID, said upon hearing of Dr. Moore's death, "... He put our Famine Early Warning Systems program in the forefront of all competing approaches saving, easily, millions of lives with his improvements."

In recognition of this innovative and inspirational scientist, South Dakota State University is proud to confer posthumously on Donald G. Moore the degree, Doctor of Science, *honoris causa*.

LYLE E. SCHROEDER

CITATION FOR THE HONORARY DEGREE DOCTOR OF PUBLIC SERVICE

During Mr. Schroeder's tenure as President and Chief Executive Officer of Sioux Valley Hospital in Sioux Falls (1961-1997), he nurtured an educational environment that provided educational opportunities, location, facilities, and supplies that allowed for the education of a wide variety of professionals and paraprofessionals to meet the needs of the people of the State of South Dakota and the Upper Great Plains. His leadership in the field of health education has had a direct impact on many SDSU programs (Nursing, Pharmacy, Nutrition and Food Science, Child Development) and consequent impact on virtually every health care facility in the state and region.

In 1974, an effort having significant impact upon the health care system was the initiation of a joint program between SDSU and Sioux Valley Hospital for the training of hundreds of food service workers and managers for South Dakota hospitals, nursing homes, and state institutions. In addition to the Dietary Managers Program, the SDSU Dietetics Program utilizes facilities and staff expertise at Sioux Valley Hospital for the experiential portions of students' education. In 1977 all SDSU College of Nursing clinical experiences were moved from Minneapolis/St. Paul to Sioux Valley Hospital, followed shortly by the establishment of clinical experiences for SDSU Pharmacy students. More recently, Child Development majors have been placed in practicum experiences at Sioux Valley's day care facility and with their child life specialists. Mr. Schroeder's leadership in facilitating our students to learn and practice at Sioux Valley Hospital has been mirrored by the staff at Sioux Valley Hospital who are willing to support internships, practicums, shadowing experiences, and other types of experiential learning.

Lyle Schroeder has been honored as Sioux Falls Business Citizen of the Year (1992); was inducted into the South Dakota Hall of Fame (1994); and was honored with the Spirit of Sioux Falls Award in 1996.

Leader, visionary, doer, example, friend, team player, cheerleader, innovator, forthright, affable, direct, approachable – these words are used to describe Lyle Schroeder. He has made a difference. South Dakota State University, Sioux Valley Hospital, the City of Sioux Falls, the State of South Dakota, and the regional health care professions are better off because of the vision, the benefactions, and the contributions of Mr. Schroeder. Therefore, South Dakota State University takes great pleasure in conferring upon Lyle E. Schroeder the degree, Doctor of Public Service, *honoris causa*.

DOUGLAS D. MALO

DISTINGUISHED PROFESSOR OF PLANT SCIENCE

Dr. Malo is regarded by his dean, department head, colleagues, students, and friends as one of the most respected and effective educators in the State of South Dakota.

Dr. Malo's level of publication has continued at a high level throughout his tenure at SDSU, even though he has carried a 20% appointment as Departmental Teaching Coordinator and has been consistently called upon to fill elected and appointed administrative roles. To his credit, Dr. Malo has 22 refereed research and teaching articles, 36 abstracts, and more than 200 nonrefereed articles and reports. Of special importance is that he has been asked to give invited presentations to his peers on 30 occasions.

Dr. Malo has always maintained an active role in his professional societies. He has held national office on several occasions, including several prominent positions in the American Society of Agronomy, Soil Science Society of America, and the National Association of Colleges and Teachers of Agriculture. At the State level he has held all the elected and appointed positions in the Professional Soil Scientists of South Dakota. He has also played prominent roles in the South Dakota Chapter of Soil/Water Conservation Society of America.

At SDSU, Dr. Malo has served twice as chairman of the Academic Senate. He has advised the Soil Judging Team, Little I, Student Senate, Ag Bio Prexy Council, and the Career and Academic Planning Center. He has served on multiple university-wide committees.

Dr. Malo has been Principal Investigator or Co-PI on successful research grants totaling more than \$600,000 and teaching grants of more than \$50,000. He has produced 15 videos for classroom instruction, 4 completed research theses, 40 presentations at national meetings, 2 copyrighted works, 5 slide sets, and published lecture and lab manuals.

With a 60% active teaching appointment and a 20% appointment as the Plant Science Department's Teaching Coordinator, this is where his impact has been most felt at SDSU. Dr. Malo's student-oriented approach to education has included use of photographic and video technology; use of computer software in the classroom; maintenance of a newsletter to keep students informed of happenings and job opportunities; a student assessment program; a statewide, week-long, hands-on tour for graduate students to gain understanding of the state's resources; and use of interactive television. Dr. Malo teaches seven courses annually. Of these, five were personally developed and two are taught interdepartmentally.

Dr. Malo has received substantial unsolicited recognition for his efforts as a teacher and educator. On 15 different occasions, students and peers have chosen to recognize him for his teaching. Although this recognition culminated in 1995 with NASULGC's National Award for University Teaching Excellence, Dr. Malo contends that it is the students' consistent recognition of his efforts that makes the job worth doing.

In recognition of his contributions to the academic community and to the citizens of South Dakota, we are proud to award the title of "Distinguished Professor of Plant Science" to Dr. Douglas D. Malo.

CONFERRING OF GRADUATE DEGREES

PRESIDENT ROBERT T. WAGNER, PH.D., L.H.D.

The Candidates Will be Presented By

Marge Hegge, PH.D.

Distinguished Professor of Nursing, Graduate Council Member

DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY

- Cindi Penor Ceglian, (B.S., South Dakota State University, 1972; M.Ed., 1980), *Sociology*
Dissertation: Using Structural and Process Role Theories to Explain Stepmothers' Relations with Stepchildren.
Donald Arwood, major professor
- Youngkoo Cho, (B.S., Chonbuk National University, Korea, 1979; M.S., University of Arizona, 1993),
Agronomy
Dissertation: Seed Vigor Effects on Growth Characteristics Associated With Seed Yield and Diallel Analysis of Seed Vigor in Soybean.
Roy Scott, major professor
- Mark Alan Edwards, (B.S., East Central University, 1990; M.S., University of Oklahoma, 1993), *Sociology*
Dissertation: Parental Involvement of African-American Fathers in Dual-Earner Families.
Diane Kayongo-Male, major professor
- Peter Kim Froelich, (B.S., South Dakota State University, 1980; M.S., 1984), *Sociology*
Dissertation: An Investigation of Organizational Decision Making, Bounded Rationality, and the Exercise of Discretion in Judicial Decisions to Confine Juvenile Offenders.
James Satterlee, major professor
- Mayla Ghazi, (B.S., American University of Beirut, 1962; M.S., 1964), *Agronomy*
Dissertation: The Effect of Some Closely Related Steroidal Alkaloids on the Germination and Radicle Elongation of Lettuce Seed.
Eugene Arnold, major professor
- Tracy Dorse Hill, (B.S., Michigan State University, 1990; M.S., South Dakota State University, 1992),
Biological Sciences
Dissertation: Life History and Bioenergetics of Chinook Salmon in Lake Oahe, South Dakota.
Walter Duffy, major professor
- Kalumbu Malekani, (B.S., The University of Zambia, 1985; M.S., Aberdeen University, 1989), *Chemistry*
Dissertation: Organic Architecture of Humin.
James Rice, major professor
- Gerald John Nelson, (B.A., St. Cloud State University, 1982; B.S., 1987; M.A., Mankato State University, 1991), *Chemistry*
Dissertation: The Chemotaxonomic Study of *Phellinus tremulae* and *Phellinus igniarius*: A Study of Fatty Acids, Alpha, Omega-Dicarboxylic Acids, Steroids and Phenylheptanes.
David Lewis, major professor
- Rosemarie Anita Nold, (B.S., South Dakota State University, 1988; M.S., Kansas State University, 1990),
Animal Science
Dissertation: Muscle Characterization of Twelve Muscles, Sensory Characteristics, and Carcass Traits of Boars, Barrows, and Gilts Fed High and Low Protein Diets and Slaughtered at 100 or 110KG.
John Romans, major professor
- D. Allen Stateler, (B.S., University of Florida, 1991; M.S., 1993), *Animal Science*
Dissertation: Effect of Level and Source of Crude Protein on Site and Extent of Digestion and Microbial Protein Synthesis in Feedlot Cattle.
Robbi Pritchard, major professor

MASTER OF ARTS

Thomas Bartl, (B.A., Winona State University, 1994), *Communication Studies and Theatre*
Sally Marie Miller, (B.A., South Dakota State University, 1992), *English*
Julie A. Noonan, (B.M.E., South Dakota State University, 1995), *Communication Studies and Theatre*
Cecilia Ragaini, (Bachelors, University Degli Studi Dipise, 1990), *English*
Susan Helfert Shaw, (B.A., Northern Michigan University, 1978), *English*
Renee Lynn Van Der Werff, (B.A., Dakota Wesleyan University, 1990), *English*

MASTER OF EDUCATION

Gary J. Antoine, (B.S., Sinte Gleska University, 1990), *Educational Administration*
Amelia E. Blackbear, (B.S., Black Hills State University, 1976), *Educational Administration*
Deborah A. Bordeaux, (B.S., Oglala Lakota College, 1990), *Educational Administration*
Dana Lynn Brave Eagle, (B.A., Dakota Wesleyan University, 1989), *Educational Administration*
Josephine Jody M. Brewer, (B.A., Oglala Lakota College, 1992), *Educational Administration*
Kimberly Kay Buryanek, (B.S., University of South Dakota, 1991), *Educational Administration*
Todd Kenneth Christensen, (B.S., Black Hills State University, 1991), *Educational Administration*
Cheryl Yvette Crazy Bull, (B.S., University of South Dakota, 1979), *Educational Administration*
Gary Alan De Vries, (B.S., Iowa State University of Science and Technology, 1978), *Agricultural Education*
Jill Lynette Drake, (B.S., Dana College, 1995), *Educational Administration*
Elizabeth Rachel Fox, (B.M., Lawrence University, 1987), *Curriculum and Instruction*
Cooper O. Garnos, (B.A., Dakota Wesleyan University, 1991), *Educational Administration*
Merallee Eileen Grinnell, (B.S., University of North Dakota, 1976), *Educational Administration*
Jennifer E. Harding, (B.S., Black Hills State University, 1993), *Educational Administration*
Ursula Claire Hymes, (B.S., Tuskegee University, 1989), *Curriculum and Instruction*
Gail Jeanette Jacobsma, (B.S., South Dakota State University, 1990), *Educational Administration*
Nancy Jo Keller, (B.A., Chadron State College, 1978), *Educational Administration*
Jennifer L. Kuepers, (B.A., Moorhead State University, 1995), *Educational Administration*
David J. Lantz, (B.S., Iowa State University of Science and Technology, 1982), *Agricultural Education*
George Edward Lee, (B.A., University of Hawaii-Manoa, 1973), *Educational Administration*
Dawn Nell Leftwich, (B.S., Black Hills State University, 1986), *Educational Administration*
Carole J. Little Wounded, (B.A., Fort Lewis College, 1976), *Educational Administration*
David Harold Melemseter, (B.A., Augustana College, 1986), *Educational Administration*
Sharei Lee Mousseaux, (B.S., Oglala Lakota College, 1987), *Educational Administration*
Michael Ralph Murphey, (B.S., University of South Dakota, 1978), *Educational Administration*
Eustace Thomas Night Shield, (B.S., Sinte Gleska University, 1984), *Educational Administration*
Sherry Dawn Red Owl, (B.S., University of South Dakota, 1980), *Educational Administration*
Steven David Richmond, (B.S., Black Hills State University, 1994), *Educational Administration*
Betty A. Robertson, (B.S., Black Hills State University, 1978), *Educational Administration*
Imogene M. Roy, (B.S., Oglala Lakota College, 1989), *Educational Administration*
Kathy E. Smith, (B.S., Chadron State College, 1987), *Curriculum and Instruction*
Kellie Collins Smoller, (B.F.A., Southern Methodist University, 1987), *Curriculum and Instruction*
Marlene D. Stout, (B.S., University of South Dakota, 1984), *Educational Administration*
Robert J. Two Crow, (B.S., Oglala Lakota College, 1985), *Educational Administration*
Elizabeth E. Wagner, (B.S., St. Cloud State University, 1986), *Curriculum and Instruction*
Charmaine M. Weston, (B.S., Oglala Lakota College, 1987), *Educational Administration*
Verna Lee White, (B.A., University of Montana, 1982), *Educational Administration*

MASTER OF SCIENCE

Naji Khalaf Ali Al-Mefleh, (B.S., University of Agriculture, Faisalabad, 1983), *Agricultural Engineering*
Karol Ann Anderson, (B.S., South Dakota State University, 1993), *Industrial Management*
Lorinda Kay Anderson, (B.S., Mankato State University, 1988), *Nursing*
Todd Michael Appel, (B.A., The College of St. Scholastica, 1996), *Microbiology*
Pairach Attapreedi, (B.E., King Mongkut's Institute of Technology, Thonburi, 1993), *Industrial Management*
Pamela A. Barickman, (B.S., Black Hills State University, 1992), *Counseling & Human Resource Development*
Chandraprakash L. Bhojwani, (B.S., South Dakota State University, 1994), *Industrial Management*
MaryJo Ann Boner, (B.S., South Dakota State University, 1994), *Dairy Science*
Kimberly Kay Brands, (B.S., Briar Cliff College, 1995), *Nursing*
Karen Evon Brovold, (B.S., South Dakota State University, 1994), *Economics*
James T. Brunz, (B.A., Augustana College, 1994), *Biology*
Sara J. Cepek, (B.S., St. Cloud State University, 1995), *Health, Physical Education and Recreation*
Susan D. Chamberlain-Hayman, (B.S., Black Hills State University, 1983), *Counseling & Human Resource Development*

Shao-Chieh Chang, (B.S., Baylor University, 1988), *Chemistry*
 Joy L. Cordier, (B.S., South Dakota State University, 1992), *Engineering*
 Lisa Joyce Cross, (B.S., South Dakota State University, 1994), *Counseling & Human Resource Development*
 Bryan Thomas Cummings, (B.A., Dakota Wesleyan University, 1995), *Health, Physical Education and Recreation*
 Michaela Rae Erickson, (B.A., Dakota Wesleyan University, 1992), *Counseling & Human Resource Development*
 Mary Cecelia Ewing, (B.S., South Dakota State University, 1973), *Nursing*
 John Lawrence Foley, (B.S., University of Wisconsin-Madison, 1984), *Biology*
 Todd Foster, (B.S., Dakota State University, 1986), *Counseling & Human Resource Development*
 Susan Lynn Fox, (B.S., South Dakota State University, 1994), *Microbiology*
 Catherine D. Friesen-Tabke, (B.A., Augustana College, 1990), *Nursing*
 Tong Fu, (B.S., Nankai University, 1989), *Chemistry*
 Terry Burdell Gaalswyk, (B.A., Northwester College, 1991), *Mathematics*
 Elaine Joy Garry, (B.S., South Dakota State University, 1979), *Industrial Management*
 Gary Grant Gibson, (B.S., University of Minnesota, 1992), *Counseling & Human Resource Development*
 Pradeep Gouni, (B.E., Osmania University, 1990), *Engineering*
 Mary Leah Logan Graham, (B.A., Jamestown College, 1975), *Nursing*
 Brenda M. Gran, (B.A., Dakota Wesleyan College, 1971), *Counseling & Human Resource Development*
 Patricia A. Hallman, (B.S., South Dakota State University, 1992), *Counseling & Human Resource Development*
 Ernie Lee Hansen, (B.S., South Dakota State University, 1994), *Animal Science*
 Darci J. Harper, (B.S., University of Mary, 1992), *Nursing*
 Diane E. Hart, (B.S., Mankato State University, 1968), *Counseling & Human Resource Development*
 Jeff Allen Heiberger, (B.S., South Dakota State University, 1993), *Engineering*
 Angela Christine Heibult, (B.S., South Dakota State University, 1994), *Counseling & Human Resource Development*
 Tonya Marie Hess, (B.S., South Dakota State University, 1982), *Counseling & Human Resource Development*
 Ann Margaret Hodgman, (B.S., University of Mary, 1988), *Nursing*
 Kelly Jo Hoffman, (B.S., South Dakota State University, 1986), *Nursing*
 Matthew Miller Holland, (B.A., Gustavus Adolphus College, 1993), *Wildlife and Fisheries Science Emphasis: Wildlife*
 Carleen Elizabeth Holm, (B.A., South Dakota State University, 1993), *Counseling & Human Resource Development*
 Jeff Michael Holm, (B.S., Mankato State University, 1993), *Health, Physical Education and Recreation*
 Matthew Allen Hotzler, (B.S., South Dakota State University, 1992), *Engineering*
 Kendra Jo Hubbard, (B.S., South Dakota State University, 1992), *Counseling & Human Resource Development*
 Lori Ann Huebner, (B.S., South Dakota State University, 1992), *Counseling & Human Resource Development*
 Amy Ann Iversen, (B.A., Dakota Wesleyan University, 1994), *Counseling & Human Resource Development*
 Beth Ann Iverson, (B.S., South Dakota State University, 1978), *Nursing*
 Kerri Renee Johnson, (B.A., Augustana College, 1994), *Counseling & Human Resource Development*
 Diane Teresa Johnson-Mitchell, (B.S., South Dakota State University, 1991), *Counseling & Human Resource Development*
 Marcia Sharon Kells, (B.A., The College of St. Catherine, 1975), *Nursing*
 Mohammed Anwaar Ullah Khan, (B.E., Osmania University, 1991), *Engineering*
 Nagesh Mayappa Kuriyavar, (B.E., Karnatak University, Dharwad, 1992), *Engineering*
 Madhu Sudhan Lagala, (B.E., Osmania University, 1991), *Engineering*
 Kristi Kay Langbehn, (B.S., South Dakota State University, 1995), *Nursing*
 Timothy Michael Langlo, (B.A., Augustana College, 1992), *Counseling & Human Resource Development*
 Benjamin Chit Htwe Lao, (B.S., South Dakota State University, 1990), *Engineering*
 Kjersten Lea Larson, (B.A., Augustana College, 1994), *Wildlife & Fisheries Science Emphasis: Fisheries*
 Steven John Lawler, (B.S., South Dakota State University, 1986), *Engineering*
 Vickie Lucinda Leibel, (B.A., South Dakota State University, 1980), *Counseling & Human Resource Development*
 Xinjie Lin, (B.Ag., Beijing Agricultural College, 1991), *Entomology*
 Todd Michael Loomis, (B.A., Mansfield University, 1992), *Wildlife & Fisheries Science Emphasis: Fisheries*
 Qi Luo, (B.S., Hunan University, 1992), *Microbiology*
 Sean Thomas Lynott, (B.S., Black Hills State University, 1990), *Wildlife & Fisheries Science Emphasis: Fisheries*
 Dave Edwin Malde, (B.A., Dakota Wesleyan University, 1974), *Counseling & Human Resource Development*
 Ann E. Martin, (B.S., Montana State University, 1994), *Health, Physical Education and Recreation*
 Brett McCabe, (B.S., Centenary College of Louisiana, 1995), *Health, Physical Education and Recreation*
 Robert James Neath Jr., (B.S., South Dakota State University, 1990), *Engineering*
 Lynette Marie Olson, (B.S., Union College, 1979), *Nursing*
 Lyle Henry Pater, (B.A., Southwest State University, 1993), *Industrial Management*
 Tao Peng, (B.E., Chongqing Institute of Architecture and Engineering, 1989), *Engineering*

Pamela E. Peterson, (B.S., South Dakota State University, 1994), *Industrial Management*
 Sharon Lorraine Potts, (B.S., Grand View College, 1985), *Nursing*
 Babu Ramabadrán, (B.E., University of Madras, 1988), *Engineering*
 Angela Dawn Ray, (B.A., Winona State University, 1995), *Communication Studies and Journalism*
 Michael James Rechtenbaugh, (B.S., South Dakota State University, 1995), *Industrial Management*
 Julie Ann Schock, (B.A., Jamestown College, 1992), *Nursing*
 Margaret Gail Balster Smith, (B.S., Seattle Pacific University, 1978), *Nursing*
 Randal Lee Soma, (B.S., University of South Dakota, 1994), *Health, Physical Education and Recreation*
 Lee Ray Sutton Jr., (B.S., University of South Dakota, 1990), *Mathematics*
 Jennifer Lee Syverson, (B.A., Augustana College, 1994), *Counseling & Human Resource Development*
 Jay Alvin Tschetter, (B.S., South Dakota State University, 1991), *Health, Physical Education and Recreation*
 Madhusudhan Vakíl Champat, (B.E., Bangalore University, 1990), *Engineering*
 Dawn Marie Van Ruler, (B.A., University of Minnesota, 1991), *Nursing*
 Debra A. Whitcomb, (B.S., University of South Dakota, 1989), *Counseling & Human Resource Development*
 Trevor Charles Wiebe, (B.S., South Dakota State University, 1994), *Rural Sociology*
 Michelle Lee Meyer Wright, (B.S., South Dakota State University, 1992), *Counseling & Human Resource Development*

Heting Yan, (B.E., Changchun Geological College, 1983), *Engineering*
 Jonathan H. Ydstie, (B.A., Concordia College, 1979), *Dairy Science*
 Bhavani P R Yerrapalli, (B.E., Bangalore University, 1994), *Engineering*
 Lin Yu, (B.S., Beijing University, 1987), *Engineering*
 Yong Yun, (B.S., Jinan University, 1991), *Biology*
 Zheng Zhang, (B.S., Beijing Teachers College, 1982), *Geography*
 Shuquan Zhu, (B.S., Anhui Agricultural University, 1984), *Agronomy*
 Sara Jean Zimmer, (B.S., South Dakota State University, 1993), *Counseling & Human Resource Development*

DOCTOR OF PHARMACY

The Candidates will be Presented By

Danny L. Lattin, Ph.D.

Dean of the College

Catherine Brugger, (B.S., South Dakota State University, 1995)
 Robert Kwasniewski, (B.S., South Dakota State University, 1995)
 Susan Lorang, (B.S., South Dakota State University, 1995)
 Byron Olson, (B.S., South Dakota State University, 1995)
 Deborah Sherman, (B.S., South Dakota State University, 1995)

CONFERRING OF BACHELOR'S DEGREES

PRESIDENT ROBERT T. WAGNER PH.D., L.H.D.

College of Pharmacy

The Candidates Will Be Presented By

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Dean of the College

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN PHARMACEUTICAL SCIENCES

Carnita Rae Abraham
 Gregory Louis Bartels, *With High Honor*
 Annette Marie Brand, *With High Honor*
 Eric Marlo Brandriet
 Amanda Sue Bresnahan
 Christopher John Bultsma, *With Honor*
 Mark Anthony Burggraff
 Troy Douglas Burke, *With High Honor*
 Jennifer Cramer-Landis, *With Honor*
 Kelli Jo Doran, *With Honor*
 Marilee Dawn Eggebo, *With Highest Honor*
 Stephanie Kim Ellis

Angela Kay Erickson, *With Highest Honor*
 Guy Joseph Faber
 Linda Elizabeth Fogelberg
 Teresa Lea French
 Julie Ann Hansen
 Susan Lynn Hansen, *With Highest Honor*
 Wendy Lynn Harmsen, *With High Honor*
 Michele Ann Hawkins
 Kaye Dorothy Heers, *With High Honor*
 Matthew Dale Holt, *With Highest Honor*
 Jennifer Jo Johnson
 Jodi Lynn Kiel, *With High Honor*

Justin Dean Kindopp
Craig David Larson
Karen Marie Leiferman, *With High Honor*
Misty J. Meusbarger, *With Honor*
Anne Elizabeth Morstad
Darrel Lee Mutchler, *With Highest Honor*
James B. Nolz
Dale Justin Peters, *With Honor*
Lisa M. Petersen, *With Honor*
Leonard James Petrik
Hien Pham, *With High Honor*
James David Phipps, *With Highest Honor*

Jean G. Pinkelman
Carol Lynn Redman
Maria Catherine Schleppenbach
Stephanie JoAnne Schmit, *With High Honor*
Steven Richard Solem, *With High Honor*
Christopher L. Sonnenschein, *With Honor*
Sara Lynn Stenlund
Wendy Alison Sterling
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Janel Sue Torgerson
Rebecca Ann Wiederich, *With Honor*

College of Nursing
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BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN NURSING

Jolene R. Arne, *With Honor*
Jean Frances Ashley
Rebecca Renae Baer, *With High Honor*
Tamara Dawn Baer, *With Highest Honor*
Cindy Sue Bailey
Jean Marie Bailey
Jacqueline Lee Becht
Nicholas John Beckler
Mary Lou Berger
Gina Marie Bleyenbrug
Bobbi Jo Block
Larry Lee Blunt
Amy Jolene Bohl
Tim James Bossman
Thor Ole Brendtro
Mary Lee Brown
Alissa Ann Bult, *With Highest Honor*
Lynette Marie Burch, *With Honor*
Jenifer Elaine Butler
Colette Mary Carda DeVries
Patricia Ruth Cassell
Ann Marie Coovert
Melita Lisette Coto
Dawn Patricia Coulson
Benjamin Robert Cox
Stacy Lyn Dahms
Carol Lorraine Daniels
Larry Martin DeBuhr
Erica C. Dorr, *With Honor*
Laurie Jean Dunn, *With Honor*
Teresa A. H. Foster, *With High Honor*
Rebecca Anne Fox
Maria Teresita Gillette, *With Highest Honor*
Tonia Ann Gisi
Nancy Mae Glasgow
Kristi L. Glissendorf
Bobby Jean Goeman
Diane R. Halverson

Mary Ennis Haney
Rachel Ann Hart
Maureen Kay Harty
Loray D. Havey, *With High Honor*
Gretchen Terese Heine
Sara L. Hicks, *With Highest Honor*
Erika Ann Hindt
Jill Cheri Hinrichs, *With High Honor*
Suzanne Michelle Hofer
Jennifer Ann Hoffman
Jeremy William Holmen
Mary Ann Jakowicz
Sara Marie Janzen
Amy Kay Johnson, *With Honor*
Amy Marie Johnson
Julie Lynn Johnson
Tara Lyn Kellenberger, *With Honor*
Shannon Christine Kirkman
Lori Machelles Korzeniewski
Tracy Marie Kramer
Karen Kae Kusler, *With Highest Honor*
Mary Jo Kveene
Patricia Ann Lewis
Lisa Marie Liden, *With Honor*
Kristie Kay List, *With Honor*
Angela Jean Lochridge
Cassie Lynn Loeschke, *With Highest Honor*
Victoria Ann Mack, *With High Honor*
Julie Ann Mallett
Timothy D. Matthew
Ann Marie Mayer, *With Honor*
Glenna Rae Mc Daniel
John Kenneth Mills
Carolyn M. Mittendorf, *With High Honor*
Ardis Ilene Moeller
Marilyn Ann Moorlach
Michelle Jean Moreau
Michelle Lynn Morris

Rebekah M. Padjen
 Cynthia J. Pallesen, *With Honor*
 Marilyn Ann Paplow, *With High Honor*
 Theresa Marie Peterson
 Michael Ryan Phipps
 Jannine Alma Purcell
 Nancee Croatt Quinn, *With Honor*
 Barbara Ann Rembold-Norman
 Tiara Rose Ruff
 Sara Ann Schaefer, *With Honor*
 Joyce Ann Scheitler
 Karen E. Schussler, *With High Honor*
 Wendy L. Shomion, *With Honor*
 James L. Sideras
 Kathy Ann Sigler
 Robert Lee Simon, *With Honor*
 Scott Allyn Simonich
 Carol Ann Smith, *With High Honor*
 Wanda Smith, *With Honor*
 Holly Jo Stair

Katheren C. Stanfield, *With High Honor*
 Lorie Lynn Stanton
 Brian Edward Stellinga
 Nikki Lee Stoffel
 David D. Stotz
 Amy Jean Svercl, *With High Honor*
 Trina Elizabeth Taszarek
 Melynda Ann Thelen
 Kari Ann Thu, *With Honor*
 Sarah Jane Timmerman
 Vernal Ann Trove, *With Honor*
 Kelli Kay VanDenOever, *With High Honor*
 Amy Sue Warkentin
 Kelly Jo Lavin Wasko
 John Philip Weber
 Karen Ruth Westegaard
 Shari Ann Yahne, *With High Honor*
 Mark Linn York
 Cynthia Renee Zalar

College of Family and Consumer Sciences

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BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN FAMILY AND CONSUMER SCIENCES

Jill Elaine Altermatt, *Early Childhood Education,*
With Honor
 Jodi Lisa Benson, *Early Childhood Education,*
With Honor
 Carrie Dawn Benton, *Nutrition and Food Science,*
With High Honor
 Tami Ann Breuer, *Nutrition and Food Science,*
With High Honor
 Tyler Davison Cork, *Hotel, Restaurant, and*
Institution Management
 Tanya Marie Crain, *Apparel Merchandising*
 Sheryl Rae Dearduff, *Human Development and*
Family Study
 Roxann Rae Feickert, *Human Development and*
Family Study, With High Honor
 Jennifer Joan Gaulke, *Early Childhood Education*
 Renee Jacqueline Greff, *Early Childhood Education*
 Tamara Jo Hammer, *Human Development and*
Family Study
 Michael Joseph Hart IV, *Human Development and*
Family Study, With High Honor
 Dee Anne Michelle Harvey, *Human Development*
and Family Study
 Sherry Dee Heldt, *Consumer Affairs*
 Leah Hopfinger-Petik, *Consumer Affairs,*
With High Honor
 Kristina Marie Hoffman, *Nutrition and Food*
Science, With High Honor

Keisha Leigh Iverson, *Human Development, Child*
& Family Study
 Callie Sue Jodozi, *Human Development and*
Family Study
 Teresa LuAnn Kaltved, *Interior Design*
 Stacey Lee Keimig, *Consumer Affairs*
 Stephanie Kay Korver, *Consumer Affairs*
 Gina Kathleen Kotilnek, *Human Development and*
Family Study
 Kari Lynn Landuyt, *Human Development, Child &*
Family Study
 Jane Christine Lunders, *Nutrition and Food*
Science, With Highest Honor
 Theresa Ann Mages, *Food Science, With Honor*
 Danyell Ann Martinson, *Consumer Affairs*
 Tara Lynn McKnight, *Human Development, Child*
& Family Study
 Chasity Ann Miller, *Human Development, Child &*
Family Study
 Valerie A. Montgomery, *Early Childhood Education,*
Human Development and Family Study
 Joy Annette Okerman, *Human Development, Child*
& Family Study
 Jeannie Cathleen Peterson, *Human Development,*
Child & Family Study, With High Honor
 Rebecca Marie Phelps, *Early Childhood Education*
 Heather Joy Plagmann, *Interior Design*
 Alison Leslie Pravecek, *Apparel Merchandising*

Teresa Lenora Quaschnick, *Consumer Affairs*
 Joy Lyn Reichert, *Nutrition and Food Science,*
With Highest Honor
 Amy Lynn Riedel, *Consumer Affairs*
 Tanya Jeanne Ringling, *Apparel Merchandising*
 Jennifer Ann Rohla, *Family and Consumer*
Sciences Education, With Honor
 Sarah Lynn Rosin, *Human Development, Child &*
Family Study, With Honor
 Melissa Ann Schaeffer, *Hotel, Restaurant, and*
Institution Management
 Karen Ann Schindler, *Interior Design*
 Laurie Lynne Schmidt, *Human Development,*
Child & Family Study
 Natalie Elaine Sieverding, *Human Development*
and Family Study
 Carol Marie Sorensen, *Nutrition and Food Science*
 Michael Allen Sorum, *Hotel, Restaurant, and*
Institution Management
 Christeen Ann Stromer, *Early Childhood Education*

Tanya Marie Thomas, *Nutrition and Food Science*
 Joanne Lynne Thompson, *Nutrition and Food*
Science
 Kristen Susan Thorson, *Nutrition and Food Science*
 Paul Vincent Traina, *Nutrition and Food Science,*
With Honor
 Todd Robert Trumm, *Hotel, Restaurant, and*
Institution Management
 Shelly Lynn Vahle, *Nutrition and Food Science,*
With High Honor
 Stephanie Ann Vander Vorst, *Apparel Merchandising*
 Angela Lee Vincent, *Human Development and*
Family Study
 Stacy Jo Voss, *Human Development, Child &*
Family Study
 Karla Kay Wells, *Hotel, Restaurant, and*
Institution Management
 Carrie Jean Whitaker, *Human Development and*
Family Study, With High Honor

College of Engineering
The Candidates Will Be Presented By
 DUANE SANDER, PH.D.
 Dean of the College

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN AGRICULTURAL ENGINEERING

Matthew William Gunlogson
 James Edward Kleven, *With Highest Honor*
 Lance Lee Malenke
 Bradley John Meyer, *With Highest Honor*
 Douglas Samuel Prairie, *With Honor*

Jammy A. Rawden
 Ronald Joseph Schlimgen
 Timothy Allen Schlotterback
 Steven Bruce Utech

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN CIVIL ENGINEERING

Chad Eric Bachman
 Craig Michael Bouska
 Christopher Wayne Bryan, *With Honor*
 Sara Jean Drake, *With Honor*
 Thad Micheal Drietz
 Jeffrey David Eckerle
 Lee William Elfering
 Steven Mark Jibben
 Kevin Michael Johnson
 Scott Leslie Lindquist
 Bruce Andrew Marinchek
 Scott Edward Martens
 William Patrick Murphy

Dominic John Nelson
 Jason Philip O'Mara
 Joseph Mark Paumen
 Julian Seth Pearson
 Cary Jason Pence
 Mohamad Zubir Raduan
 Paul Alan Sandman
 Eric James Sibson
 Shannon Lee VerHey
 Craig James Wells
 Michael Allen Will
 Brent Charles Wood

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN COMPUTER SCIENCE

Andrew Martin Carter, *With High Honor*
 Christopher John Engebretson, *With Honor*
 Brian Lee Gorter, *With High Honor*
 David Wayne Granum
 Linda Marie Kranz
 Bryce Allan McGowan

Ryan C. Quam
 Randa Najib Sawaya
 Alanna Dee Seefeldt
 Mark Allyn Solberg, *With High Honor*
 Daniel M. Wheeler Jr.
 Jeffrey David Worner

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN ELECTRICAL ENGINEERING

Aaron David Almendinger
Terrance Wade Boon
Jennifer Dawn Burk, *With High Honor*
Keith Wayne Carlson, *With Honor*
Crystal Ann De Bates, *With Honor*
Jayme Duane Gross
Abdulgader A. Habiballa
Jason Hughes Harper

Donald Andrew Janvrin
Martin G. Jobe
Monte Lee Klinkenberg, *With Honor*
Glenn Paul Luke, *With High Honor*
Jamie Lynn Schmidt
Lee Edward Thole, *With Honor*
Khun Kyaw Thwin Za

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN ENGINEERING PHYSICS

Keith Wayne Carlson, *With Honor*
Philip Raymond Germann, *With Honor*

David William Pullen, *With Honor*

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN MECHANICAL ENGINEERING

Michael Dean Blount
Jonathon Richard Giles
Chad Lee Hellowig, *With Highest Honor*
Derek William Hengeveld, *With Highest Honor*
Eric Jason Johnson
Erik Bradley Knudsen
Michael D. Maher
Troy Dean Mc Kenney
Mark W. McMasters
Charles Edward Moneke
Allan Bruce Nelson, *With High Honor*
Andy Ray Okerman
Stephen Craig Olson Jr.

David William Pullen, *With Honor*
Thad David Rosenberg
Jose Eloy Santiago
Diane Leigh Schulte, *With Highest Honor*
John Brian Shero
Anthony V. Sichmeller
Scott Cameron Sievers, *With Honor*
Shannon Ty Sivertsen
Chris R. Spiegelberg
Tenison A. Stone
John Wayne Syrstad
Kerry Ann Whitney

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN TECHNOLOGY

Michael Paul Bartholow
Harry Brian Boner
Brian Lee Brunton, *With Honor*
Jason James Dannenbring
Jon Richard Gullickson
Troy Shannon Huber
Jerry Lyle Kjenstad
Aaron Lee Kluck

Virgil Charles LaRocque, *With Honor*
Matthew William Miller
John Earl Putnam Jr., *With High Honor*
Christopher James Stoeckman, *With Honor*
Brad David Storm
Justin William Strausser
Lawrence Martin Wooten, *With Honor*
Lee Alan Young

College of Arts and Science
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BACHELOR OF ARTS IN ARTS & SCIENCE

Rayne Ryall Adamson, *Psychology, Sociology*
Robin Marie Alex, *Journalism*
Teresa Leann Anderson, *English*
Robin Rebecca Avery, *German*
Kelly Susan Bradbury, *English, With Highest Honor*
Renee A. Bramstedt, *Journalism*

Heather Dawn Burud, *Communication Studies and Theatre, With Honor*
Erin Kathryn Casey, *Sociology*
Linda D. Clark, *Economics, With High Honor*
Kevin James Dobbs, *English*
Kimberly Ann Dolan, *Communication Studies and Theatre*

Miranda Kay Doom, *Sociology, With Highest Honor*
 Patricia Mae Engle, *Political Science*
 Jennifer Rebecca Fordyce, *Art*
 Faith C. Gilbertson, *Communication Studies and Theatre*
 Christine M. Goering, *Sociology*
 Lisa Renee Groon, *Journalism, With Honor*
 Kristina Jeanne Haney, *Communication Studies and Theatre, English, With Honor*
 Sarah Christine Hansen, *Journalism*
 Melissa Mae Haywood, *History*
 Amorette Nicole Hinderaker, *Journalism*
 Julie Ann Jacobson, *Communication Studies and Theatre, With Honor*
 Heather Jensen, *Journalism*
 Karyn Rennea Johnson, *Economics*
 Martin David Johnson, *Geography, With High Honor*
 Scott William Johnston, *History*
 Natalie Jo Kaufman, *Sociology, Spanish, With Honor*
 Sara Jane Klug, *Music, With Highest Honor*
 Lisa Rae Larrington, *English*
 Tanya Marie Larson, *English*
 Deiedre Jane Leisure, *Spanish, Sociology*
 Mark William Lindell, *Communication Studies and Theatre*
 Krista Anne Malecek, *Economics, Spanish*
 Joseph F. Martin, *Mathematics*
 Robb Anthony Meert, *Economics, With Honor*
 Stephanie Rae Mitzel, *Music, With Honor*

Matthew Neil Moritz, *Athletic Training*
 Nicole DeAnn Mortimer, *English*
 Molly Margaret O'Connell, *Communication Studies and Theatre, English, With Honor*
 Shannon Lynn O'Connor, *Sociology, With Honor*
 Ryan Lloyd Olson, *English*
 David Andrew Perchinsky, *Sociology*
 Joel Wilson Raney, *English*
 Rebecka Lynne Richter, *Communication Studies and Theatre, Spanish*
 Michael Peter Ridgeway, *Journalism, Geography, With Highest Honor*
 Susan Schroeder, *Art*
 Jereme John Skiles, *Economics*
 Jennifer Karleen Stevens, *Sociology, With Honor*
 Danielle Lea Stickling, *Psychology, German*
 Jeffrey Alan Sunner, *Spanish*
 Summer Ann Swygman, *Economics*
 Robert David Teitgen, *History*
 Kellie Lynn Thorson, *Journalism*
 Kristen Susan Thorson, *Spanish*
 Tracey Ann Tschetter, *Sociology*
 Stephanie Ann Van Duyn, *Art, With High Honor*
 Tania Marie Voltin, *Political Science, With High Honor*
 Margaret Mary Walsh, *Spanish*
 Ryan David Welsh, *Journalism*
 Wendy Faye Wersinger, *Sociology*
 Carina JoAnn Woltjer, *Economics*
 Lynn M. Yost, *English*
 Kara Jean Zempel, *Communication Studies and Theatre, With Highest Honor*

BACHELOR OF MUSIC EDUCATION IN ARTS & SCIENCE

Shawn Thomas Cable
 Jennifer Lynn Fode, *With High Honor*
 Christopher Edward Foster

Eric Brian Manus
 Jeffery Roy Peabody, *With Honor*
 Jason Lee Tollefson

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN ARTS & SCIENCE

Michael Dean Amundson, *Health, Physical Education and Recreation*
 Sara Suzanne Amundson, *Clinical Laboratory Technology*
 Carrie Lyn Andersen, *Sociology, With Honor*
 Karen Margaret Anderson, *Clinical Laboratory Technology*
 William Christopher Andre, *General Studies*
 Joseph Allan Angerhofer, *Psychology*
 Vicky Lynn Aslesen, *Microbiology*
 Gregory Alan Aymar, *Economics*
 Tangee Elizabeth Bahl, *Psychology*
 Trent Lorence Bartels, *Economics*
 Dawn Michelle Bauman, *Sociology*
 Jennifer Loreen Behrens, *Communication Studies and Theatre*
 William Lee Beintema, *Economics*
 Christine V. Berg, *Economics, With Honor*
 Travis J. Bischoff, *Athletic Training, With Highest Honor*

Robert Douglas Block, *Sociology*
 Andrea Jean Boekelheide, *Political Science, With High Honor*
 Scott Allen Bohls, *History*
 Sarah Christine Bottge, *Clinical Laboratory Technology*
 Amy Marie Bowar-Raue, *Clinical Laboratory Technology, With Honor*
 Randall L. Brink, *Sociology*
 Ryan Lee Brink, *Athletic Training, Health, Physical Education and Recreation*
 Jean Ann Brodersen, *Communication Studies and Theatre, With Honor*
 Christopher Michael Brown, *History*
 Jenny Lynn Brown, *Psychology*
 Suny Rae Bruun, *Economics*
 Angela Lynn Bruxvoort, *General Studies*
 Joseph Benedict Caffrey, *Health, Physical Education and Recreation*
 Tayloe Munford Call, *Economics*

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David Branson Carlson, *History*
Dann Patrick Cecil, *Athletic Training*
Chad Alfred Chenoweth, *General Studies*
James Darrel Christensen, *Economics*
Marin Nichole Christensen, *Art*
Judith Ann Clark, *Art*
Lyndee N. Clemetson, *Psychology*,
With Highest Honor
Kendra Ann Cole, *Mathematics, Physics*,
With High Honor
Aaron Patrick Conklin, *Health, Physical Education
and Recreation, Athletic Training, With High Honor*
Terry Lee Coon, *Sociology*
Ross J. Cooper, *Athletic Training*
Melissa Jo Coyle, *Economics, With Honor*
Jennifer Ann Crawford, *Mathematics*
Heather Ann Curr, *Sociology*
Thomas Gerard De Blonk, *History*
Nadine Joyce De Marco, *Psychology*
Bradley John Deelstra, *Communication Studies
and Theatre*
Lora Leigh DenOuden, *Biology, Athletic Training*,
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Sandra Leah DeBates, *Clinical Laboratory
Technology*
Kris C. DeJong, *Psychology, With High Honor*
Heather Christine Dickson, *Geography*
David Edward Dobesh, *Journalism*
Tamyla Kaye Dominisse, *Health, Physical
Education and Recreation*
Linda Jeanne Dorpinghaus, *Chemistry*
Ryan Corey Elder, *History*
Wayne Jerry Ellingson, *Sociology*
Trevor Allen Ellwein, *Health, Physical Education
and Recreation*
Vicki Lyn Evers, *Sociology, With High Honor*
Roxann Rae Feickert, *Psychology*,
With High Honor
Michelle Raylene Ferrin, *Communication Studies
and Theatre*
Jason Thomas Fersdahl, *History, With High Honor*
Bradley Lorell Flint, *Art*
Christopher Lawrence Frank, *Microbiology,
Biology, With Honor*
Sandra Kay Franken, *Geography*,
With Highest Honor
Lisa Marie Freiborg-Peick, *Communication
Studies and Theatre, With Highest Honor*
Brian Scott Fritz, *Economics*
Coni Lynn Fritz, *Psychology*
Amy R. Fuhr, *Psychology, With Highest Honor*
Melissa Catherine Gabbert, *Chemistry*,
Biochemistry
Kristine Marie Gannon, *Clinical Laboratory
Technology*
Jason Dean Gauer, *General Studies*,
With Highest Honor
Brenda Joan Gengler, *Geography, History*,
With Honor
Amy Jo Gerlach, *Psychology*
Jennifer Leigh Gill, *Psychology, Sociology*
Tracy Ann Gisi, *Sociology*
Craig A. Goehring, *Chemistry*
Gregory Karl Goehring, *Sociology, With Honor*
Dale Alan Goering, *Health, Physical Education
and Recreation*
Melissa Marie Goering, *Communication Studies
and Theatre*
Sara Renae Goodroad, *Athletic Training*,
With High Honor
Kami Sue Greeno, *Athletic Training*,
With High Honor
Jarrod Jay Gustafson, *Economics*
Casey Brooks Haas, *Sociology*
Bernice A. Hackett, *General Studies*
Suzette Marie Hackl, *Athletic Training, Health,
Physical Education and Recreation, With High Honor*
Brian Lee Hamilton, *Economics*
Martin Edward Hanish, *Mathematics, With Honor*
Gaylen John Hansen, *Economics*
Stephanie Lynn Hansen, *Psychology*,
With High Honor
Larry Keith Harmon Jr., *Health, Physical
Education and Recreation*
Shane Steven Harrer, *Mathematics, With Honor*
Aaron J. Hartje, *Journalism*
Brian Lee Havlik, *General Studies*
Curt Jack Heezen, *Geography*
Sara Renee Heisinger, *Health, Physical Education
and Recreation*
Eric Lester Henneman, *Art*
Scott A. Hickenbotham, *Music Merchandising*
Shannon Rae Hickey, *Political Science*,
With Highest Honor
Amy Jean Hofer, *Psychology, With Highest Honor*
Patrick J. Honner, *Microbiology*
Daniel E. Houglum, *Athletic Training*,
With Highest Honor
Rachelle Rae Howard, *Health, Physical Education
and Recreation*
Jennifer Jo Hughes, *Communication Studies and
Theatre, With High Honor*
Jeffrey Jay Hurlbert, *Economics*
Cole LaVern Irish, *Biology*
Melanie A. Iverson, *Athletic Training, With Honor*
Heather Renee Jandel, *Economics*
Bobbi Jill Janssen, *Economics*
Jeff Andrew Jenson, *History, With Honor*
Michelle Lynn Jirsa, *Psychology, With Honor*
Kathryn Jean Johnke, *Communication Studies and
Theatre*
Erik Neil Johnson, *Health, Physical Education and
Recreation*
Ryan B. Johnson, *Economics*
Addison G. Johnston, *Communication Studies and
Theatre*

- Brent Matthew Jordahl, *Economics*
 Angela Christine Kaufmann, *Communication Studies and Theatre*
- Michele L. Kelliher, *Sociology*
 Richard Neal Kelzer, *Sociology*
 Jill Patrina Kendall, *Communication Studies and Theatre*
- Anne Beth Kenyon, *Economics, With Highest Honor*
 Michael Thomas Kesler, *Health, Physical Education and Recreation*
- Todd Michael Kiefer, *Psychology*
 Kristen M. Kinder, *Communication Studies and Theatre*
- Kristi Lee Kindt, *Journalism*
 Cody Lee King, *History*
 Alan G. Kingsley, *General Studies*
 Katie Christine Kittelson, *Political Science, History, With Highest Honor*
- Jeffrey Dean Kjenstad, *Sociology*
 Kelly Jean Kjenstad, *Political Science, With Highest Honor*
- Kristi Lynn Kjenstad, *Sociology*
 Eric William Klavetter, *Chemistry*
 Jacquelyn Kay Klein, *Economics*
 Kevin Gerrit Kleinjan, *Geography*
 Kristi Kay Kleinschmit, *Psychology, With Highest Honor*
- Ann Celeste Klinger-Opdahl, *Clinical Laboratory Technology*
- Gregory Allen Klug, *Biology*
 Jon B. Knutzen, *History*
 Sarah Lynn Kramer, *Biology, With Highest Honor*
 Carrie Ellen Kruse, *Sociology, With High Honor*
 James Troy Kruse, *History*
 Ryan Dean Kruse, *Sociology*
 Teresa LeAnn La Masters, *Chemistry, With High Honor*
- Catherine Susan Laible, *General Studies*
 Tracy Linn Larsen, *Athletic Training, Health, Physical Education and Recreation, With Honor*
- Julie Marie Lavin, *Sociology, With Honor*
 Rusty Lee Lenners, *Economics, With High Honor*
 David Allen Leraas, *Geography*
 Ryan John Lewis, *Sociology*
 Arlis Ann Ley, *General Studies*
 Jennifer Catherine Lhotak, *Psychology*
 Lana Mae Lienemann, *Athletic Training, With High Honor*
- Katherine Ann Limoges, *Health, Physical Education and Recreation*
- Eric Garner Lindberg, *Sociology*
 Van Wes Lindell, *Health, Physical Education and Recreation*
- Rebecca E. Loberg, *Athletic Training, With Honor*
 Albert James Lopez, *Psychology, With Honor*
 Amber Jean Lounsbery, *Health, Physical Education and Recreation*
- Lori Marie Louwagie, *Psychology*
 Cami Terese Lovely, *Art*
 Marcia Lynn Lusk, *Chemistry*
 Chad Richard Lynott, *Economics*
 Curtis Scott Mark, *Biology, Biochemistry*
- Andrew Peter Martin, *Psychology*
 Jason Cyril Massmann, *Sociology, Geography, With Honor*
- Benton Dale McCone, *General Studies*
 Lisa Kay Metzger, *Economics, With High Honor*
 Mark Joseph Meyer, *Mathematics*
 Randy Dean Miller, *Psychology*
 Emily Jo Milton, *Sociology*
 Stephanie Rae Mitzel, *Psychology, With Honor*
 Shannon Marie Moore, *Economics*
 Eric James Morrison, *Geography*
 Kara Jo Morrison, *Biology*
 Amy Lynn Moser, *Economics, With Honor*
 Jeffrey Paul Mueller, *Journalism, With High Honor*
 Kristine Joon Hee Myers, *Microbiology*
 Emelee Alice Nelson, *Sociology*
 Jan Alisa Neuberger, *Economics*
 Michael A. Niles, *History*
 Bradley James Noem, *History*
 Erin Reigh Noem, *Clinical Laboratory Technology, With Honor*
- Kyle Martin Norris, *Athletic Training, History, With High Honor*
- Stacey Sue Oestreich, *Sociology*
 Thomas James Offerdahl, *Chemistry*
 Lynn M. Olesen, *History, With Honor*
 Christian John Oleson, *Art*
 Tamara Lynn Olivier, *Journalism, With Honor*
 Melissa Dianne Otkin, *Economics*
 Lezlie A. Parrish, *Biology*
 Gina Sue Pederson, *Sociology, Journalism, With Highest Honor*
- Russell Ray Petersen, *Communication Studies and Theatre*
- Vone K. Phrommany, *Psychology*
 John Christopher Pietila, *Journalism, Political Science, With High Honor*
- J. Jay Prouty, *Economics*
 Catina Jo Quick, *Mathematics, Economics, With Highest Honor*
- Amy Lynn Rahlf, *Sociology*
 Dustin John Rath, *Biology, With High Honor*
 Nicole Ann Rawden, *Economics*
 Lee Alen Reese, *Political Science*
 Cheryl Joy Reiss, *Athletic Training, With High Honor*
- Nancy Jo Richmond, *Communication Studies and Theatre*
- Jerry Alan Ricke, *Microbiology*
 Martin Arthur Rieken, *General Studies*
 Michael Allen Roe, *Geography*
 Trevor C. Roiger, *Athletic Training, With Honor*
 Thomas John Rops, *History*
 Scott Brett Sabers, *Economics*
 Chad Robert Sachen, *Economics*
 Joshua Michial Sammons, *Athletic Training, With High Honor*
- John William Sannes, *Political Science*
 Timothy John Schaefer, *Economics*
 Christopher Jacob Schenkel, *Athletic Training, Health, Physical Education and Recreation*
 Mark Lee Schermerhorn, *Political Science*

Amy Christine Schmidt, *Communication Studies and Theatre*

Rebecca Sue Schmidt, *Psychology*

Randy D. Schmitz, *Chemistry*

Jonathan Robert Schneider, *General Studies*

Laurie Jean Schoon, *Economics*

Thomas Rainier Schoper, *Political Science*

Jeremy Craig Schroeder, *Psychology*

Kelly Erin Schuerman, *Economics, With Honor*

Lynette Ann Schultz, *Sociology*

Nicole M. Schultz, *Psychology, With Honor*

Jill Marie Schumacher, *Athletic Training, Health, Physical Education and Recreation, With Honor*

Shawna Rae Seas, *Health, Physical Education and Recreation*

Micky Jonathon Sehr, *Economics*

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Wade Warren Falk, *General Agriculture*
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Nancy Colleen Fiedler, *Animal Science, With Honor*
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Kyle Leonard Gilmour, *Animal Science*
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 Mark Joseph Grandgenett, *Biology*
 Corey Allan Haas, *Wildlife and Fisheries Science*
 Matthew Owen Heisel, *Biology*
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 Aaron Emil Hoffmann, *Wildlife and Fisheries Science*

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Science, With Honor
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SDSU FACULTY AWARD FOR EXCELLENCE IN TEACHING

In 1997 South Dakota State University received a fourth Larson Foundation grant of \$2,500, allowing the university to recognize unusually significant and meritorious achievement in teaching.

This year, three faculty members are recognized for excellence in teaching. The Larson Foundation Faculty Achievement Award Committee has selected:

DR. ROBERT J. LACHER, Professor of Mathematics and Statistics
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DR. LINDA M. SCOTT, Assistant Professor of Nursing

SEWREY FACULTY COLLOQUIUM 1996

The Charles L. Sewrey Faculty Colloquium was initiated in 1983 by the Academic Senate and provides an annual opportunity for SDSU faculty members to participate in an interdisciplinary event. Colloquia are intended to stimulate discussion of academic ideals and their relations to classroom and laboratory experiences. The following faculty members were selected for the honor of Sewrey Faculty Colloquium 1997 Speakers.

ROBERT WAGNER: *"Making Management Meaningful."*

RUSSELL STUBBLES: *"96W-Revisiting Wooden Country Grain Elevators."*

DEAN ISHAM: *"Developing a Computerized Interactive Visualization Skills Test."*

LARRY ROGERS: *"The Future of Rural America and the Problem of Education."*

KEVIN KEPHART: *"First Steps: Some Thoughts Toward a Coherent Internet Presence."*

DONALD BERG: *"'Reefer Madness' - Revisited: The Geography and History of Marijuana in America."*

STUDENT ORGANIZATION AWARDS

Since 1985, the Board of Regents has made a series of awards available to student groups in order to recognize meritorious efforts and achievements. Each campus is allowed to submit nominations in the categories of Academic Excellence and Organizational Leadership. The following organization have been recognized by the Board of Regents in 1997:

Award for Academic Excellence:

RHO CHI HONOR SOCIETY, TAU CHAPTER

Award for Organizational Leadership:

ACADEMY OF STUDENTS OF PHARMACY (ASP)

UNIVERSITY HONORS PROGRAM

The following student qualifies for graduation with "Honors Program Distinction":

SANDEE RENAE WILLIAMS *"Invariant Curves of Polynomial Differential Equations in the Plane."*

RECOGNITION OF SCHOLARSHIP

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THE ACADEMIC PROCESSIONAL

The academic processional which precedes the graduation ceremonies on college and university campuses is one of the old and colorful customs which link 20th century education with its early origins.

To signalize the achievements of their students, American institutions of higher learning conduct a formal ceremony to award the appropriate degrees earned at the conclusion of prescribed study. The action of taking the degree – associate, bachelor's, master's or doctor's – as well as the designation of the day itself – is Commencement.

Various explanations of the term "commencement" are possible. The most likely is that centuries ago the bachelor, originally an apprentice, began his apprenticeship upon that day; and with the degree of M.A. and Ph.D. – the masters and doctors commenced their work upon the day their degrees were conferred. So today, the student, having finished his/her preliminary training, sets out on a career.

The academic regalia worn at Commencement is of medieval origin. The scholars of Bologna, Paris, Oxford, Cambridge, Louvain and Heidelberg dressed in a manner to distinguish themselves from the merchants and other townsmen. Since the 11th century, when the rise of the universities began, "learned clerks" robed themselves in gowns, caps and hoods, thus marking a difference between "town and gown."

By this apparel they were recognized as belonging to the teaching guild which was the Guild of the Master of Arts. In this organization the bachelor was the apprentice of the master. This relationship was the forerunner of today's academic structure; which often includes graduate and/or teaching assistants (usually studying for advanced degrees).

In our time customs vary as to the wearing of academic gowns. In the older English universities the masters or dons continue to wear such garments while engaged in instructional duties; students are required to wear gowns while attending lectures or during tutorials. Ordinarily in Germany, Spain, and Austria academic regalia is worn only in certain stipulated occasions as in America today.

Generally in Europe, a professor wears the type of garment customary in the university where he/she is lecturing. In the United States our tradition differs; our professors continue to wear the gown and hood of the university where they received their highest degree.

The gown, in origin, may have been simply a type of overcoat to protect the teacher from the cold in the unheated buildings; the cut or style seems to be derived from ecclesiastical attire. It has usually been black. The gowns of bachelors and masters are usually without trimmings of any sort whereas those of doctors are faced down the front with velvet and adorned with three velvet bars on the sleeves.

The cap or "mortarboard" may have come from the squarish cap worn by the masons of the Middle Ages, or perhaps was suggested by the shape of the books which occupied so much of the time of scholars. Attached to a button on the "mortarboard" is a tassel; bachelor's and master's are black or color appropriate to the subject; those of doctors black or golden. The tassel is worn on the left side by those who are receiving or have received a degree.

The hood, a triangular fold of cloth worn over the back of the gown, is faced with colors which denote the field of study represented by the wearer's degree; the colors of the lining are those of the college or university from which the degree was granted. The length of the hood is correspondingly longer with each degree.

The wide velvet borders extending down the front of the doctoral gown, the velvet bar on the sleeves, and the borders of most hoods are colored according to scholarly field of the wearer. The most usual of these are:

White	Arts and Letters	Brown	Fine Arts	Sage Green	Physical Education
Copper	Economics	Lemon	Library Science	Gold	Science
Orange	Engineering	Light Blue	Education	Scarlet	Theology
		Blue	Philosophy		

At South Dakota State University the tassel color signifies the college in which the degree is earned:

Agriculture	Maize	Arts and Science, B.S.	Gold	Nursing	Apricot
Arts and Science, B.A. ...	White	Engineering	Orange	Pharmacy	Green
		Home Economics	Maroon		