UNIVERSITY OF NORTH FLORIDA



FALL COMMENCEMENT CEREMONY

Friday, December 18, 1992 7:30 p.m. Veterans Memorial Coliseum Jacksonville, Florida

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1992 Fall Commencement Ceremony

President Adam W. Herbert, Ph.D., Presiding

PRELUDE	The UNF Concert Band
	"In All Its Glory," James Swearingen
	"Fairest of the Fair," John Philip Sousa
	James D. Butler, M.M. Conductor
PROCESSIONAL	The UNF Concert Band
	"Pomp and Circumstance," Edward Elgar
THE "NATIONAL ANTHEM"	The UNF Concert Band
"The S	tar Spangled Banner," Francis Scott Key, Arr. by John Philip Sousa
WELCOME AND INTRODUCTIONS	President Herbert
GREETINGS.	Charles Winton, Ph.D., President, UNF Faculty Association Lavon Banks, President, Student Government Association
PRESENTATION OF AWARDS	Linda Sweat, President, UNF Alumni Association
Fall Term Senior Service Award Distinguished Alumni Achievement Award	
INTRODUCTION OF COMMENCEMENT SPEAK AND RECOGNITION OF PRESIDENT EMERITUS	ER SPresident Herbert
COMMENCEMENT SPEAKER	Thomas G. Carpenter, Ph.D., UNF President Emeritus
MUSICAL INTERLUDE	
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**CONFERRAL OF DEGREESAssisted	by Kenneth Martin, Ph.D., Vice President for Academic Affairs
College of Arts and Sciences	James Crooks, Ph.D., Interim Dean
College of Business Administration	Edward A. Johnson, Ph.D., Dean
College of Education and Human Services	
College of Health	Joan Farrell, Ph.D., Dean
College of Computing Sciences and Engineering	Robert Roggio Ph D. Dean
CHARGE TO GRADUATES	
	President Herbert
	President Herbert The UNF Concert Band "Pomp and Circumstance," Edward Elgar
***RECESSIONAL	President Herbert The UNF Concert Band
***RECESSIONAL	

^{*} Please rise as the Processional begins and remain standing throughout the "National Anthem."

^{**} Please refrain from applause until all degree candidates have been presented.

Use designated areas to the left and right of the stage to take photographs.

^{***} Please stand throughout the Recessional.

As the founding president of the University of North Florida, Dr. Thomas Glenn Carpenter developed the vision for a comprehensive university that would address higher education needs in the First Coast region. He then assembled a highly competent and dedicated staff, which worked with him in developing a strong educational philosophy and curriculum. Under his leadership, the University was accredited by the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools and both the undergraduate and graduate business programs were accredited by the American Assembly of Collegiate Schools of Business. He also formulated an outstanding physical master plan, which continues to guide the development of the campus.

Simultaneously, Dr. Carpenter was extremely effective in gaining strong community support for UNF during its formative years. His record of community service was extensive and included service as a director of Memorial Hospital, Community Television, Barnett Bank, Jacksonville Council of Citizens Involvement, Salvation Army, YMCA and the Jacksonville Chamber of Commerce.

In addition to his exemplary service at UNF, Dr. Carpenter has served the State University System with distinction in senior-level positions at Florida Atlantic University and the University of West Texas.

It is especially appropriate UNF's founding president be recognized for his many contributions to that institution, to the State University System and to the First Coast region. His return to the Jacksonville area provides a unique opportunity for renewed involvement in the life of the University.

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William Tomlinson, Ph.D.
Kenneth Wilburn, Ph.D.
Delta Sigma Pi Fraternity
Zeta Tau Alpha Fraternity
Presidential Envoys

Graduates

The degree candidates listed in this program include students who applied to graduate during the 1992 Fall Commencement. Because grades are not posted until several days after the ceremony, graduation of the students and designation of honors are not necessarily conclusive.

Honors (4.0 Grade Point Average Scale)

1 - Summa Cum Laude (with highest honors) 3.8 - 4.0 2 - Magna Cum Laude (with high honors) 3.65 - 3.79

Willard Bates Bell

3 - Cum Laude (with honors) 3.5 - 3.64

COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES

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Sally Virginia Grodotzke
Priscilla Dodds Haretos
Holly Leake
Philip A. Lyons Jr.
James Alan McDonald
Danita Sain Stokes

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Tracy Leigh Newvine Jerry Dewayne Stewart

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Ned R. Fayson Jr.
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TRADITIONS OF THE COMMENCEMENT CEREMONY

Academic regalia date to European universities of the Middle Ages, when gowns and hoods were required for warmth in unheated buildings. Gowns were fur-lined adaptations of the priestly toga, and hoods were worn to protect the tonsured heads of the priests. The regalia now serve as a visible reminder of the historic antecedents of intellectual pursuits.

In American universities of the late 19th century, these medieval costumes were revived to lend color to academic functions. Efforts were made to establish a code that would set standards for academic dress. Gowns of masters and doctors are generally ankle length and closed in front. The master's gown has pointed sleeves that are slit at the elbows. The doctoral gown has wide lapels of velvet, either black or the color of the scholar's specialization. The sleeves are full and bell-shaped, with three velvet chevrons, either black or colored like the lapels. Gowns normally are black, although some universities have designed their own in the colors of the institution.

The hood, which drapes over the back of the gown, carries the greatest symbolism of all components of the academic costume. Its length, width and colors denote the wearer's highest academic achievement and institution. The master's hood is pointed; the doctoral hood is bell-shaped. The color of the border of the hood indicates the scholar's major field of study; the lining color or colors identifies the institution that conferred the wearer's degree. Hoods

were originally trimmed in fur, but now have satin borders for masters' and velvet for doctors' hoods.

The customary head covering is the mortarboard, or Oxford cap, with a tassel on the left side. Persons who possess the doctorate wear a tassel of gold metallic threads. The soft, large beret, modeled after the cap of Cambridge University, also has been adopted by some institutions.

The medieval university was much concerned with rank and privilege, and academic robes made visible the social and academic distinctions of the wearers. These distinctions have largely disappeared, and robes now indicate specialization. The following colors are associated with the degrees frequently represented in academic processions:

Arts, Letters, Humanities	
Business	
Economics	Copper
Education	Light Blue
Engineering	Orange
Fine Arts	Deep Brown
Health	Sage
Home Economics	
Law	Purple
Library Science	
Medicine	
Music	Pink
Nursing	Apricot
Philosophy	
Science	
Theology	

THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH FLORIDA

The University of North Florida (UNF), one of nine institutions within the State University System, is a comprehensive urban university that offers degree programs at the bachelor's, master's and doctorate levels. Established in 1965 as an upper division and professional graduate institution, the University began offering classes in 1972. In 1984, freshmen and sophomores were admitted.

The Florida Board of Regents appointed Dr. Thomas G. Carpenter UNF's first president in 1969. Dr. Curtis L. McCray succeeded him in 1982, following the interim presidency of Dr. Andrew A. Robinson Jr. from 1980-82. Dr. Roy E. McTarnaghan served as interim president for six months until the arrival of UNF's current president, Dr. Adam W. Herbert, in February 1989.

The University is accredited by the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools. National accreditation has been achieved in the professional disciplines of business administration, teacher education, computer science and nursing.

UNF has been identified as one of the most selective comprehensive universities in America. During the past five years, mean SAT scores of UNF's entering freshmen have increased by 100 points. The 1991-92 first-time-in-college freshmen had a mean SAT score of 1047 and a grade point average of 3.3. In 1990, the University welcomed the most culturally diverse student body in its history. In the freshman class alone, the number of minority students rose to almost 14 percent. The UNF community includes almost 300 students from 90 countries.

Academic programs are built on a strong foundation in the traditional arts and sciences. The University offers 45 undergraduate degrees in 70 majors, 25 master's degree programs in 39 fields and one doctoral degree through Colleges of Arts and Sciences, Business Administration, Education and Human Services, Health, and Computer and Information Sciences. UNF accepted degree candidates for its first doctoral program, the Doctor of Education, in fall 1990.

UNF demonstrates a continuing commitment to excellence in teaching, research and public service. The University's faculty is committed to providing high-quality instruction, with particular emphasis on undergraduate education. Members of the faculty are simultaneously engaged in and produce a level of creative scholarship, which demonstrates a determination to remain at the cutting edge of intellectual inquiry and practice in their respective disciplines. Through its centers and institutes, numerous continuing education programs and staff volunteer activities, the University is a major contributor to the total life of the First Coast region and the state of Florida.

Through the strong support of the University of North Florida Foundation Inc. and the generosity of both corporate leaders and dedicated citizens of Florida's First Coast region, UNF now has four fully funded Eminent Scholar Chairs valued at more than \$4 million: the Andrew A. Robinson Jr. Chair in Educational Policy and Economic Development, the Ira M. Koger Chair in American Music, the Prime F. Osborn Chair in Transportation and the National Paper Trade Association Endowed Research Chair in Wholesaling.

The University currently enrolls more than 8,700 students. It has 329 faculty and more than 1,300 full-time and part-time staff.

