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COMMENCEMENT
for the
ONE HUNDRED FORTY-SIXTH YEAR



11:00 A.M.
MAY 5, 1996
NORTH QUADRANGLE
BLOOMINGTON, ILLINOIS

Illinois Wesleyan University



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Program

President Minor Myers, jr., *Presiding*
Chaplain William L. White, *Mace Bearer*

Prelude	Illinois Wesleyan Wind Ensemble Steven W. Eggleston, <i>Conductor</i> <i>Professor of Music</i>
Folk Song Suite	<i>Ralph Vaughn Williams</i> (1872-1958)
*Processional Crown Imperial	<i>William Walton</i> (1902-1983) <i>arr. W. J. Duthoit</i>
**"America The Beautiful"	MATERNA <i>Samuel A. Ward</i> (1848-1903)
O beautiful for spacious skies, For amber waves of grain, For purple mountain majesties Above the fruited plain! America! America! God shed his grace on thee, And crown thy good with brotherhood From sea to shining sea.	<i>—Katherine Lee Bates</i> (1859-1929)
*Invocation	<i>Helen Carey, O.S.B.</i> <i>Visiting Professor of Religion</i>
Presidential Welcome	President Minor Myers, jr.
Trustee Welcome	<i>Craig C. Hart</i> <i>President, Board of Trustees</i>
Scripture Reading Psalm 140	Eric Lawrence Doolittle '96
Remarks of Class President	George Tomecki '96
Remarks of Faculty	<i>Thomas A. Griffiths</i> <i>Professor of Biology</i>
Tributes to Retiring Faculty and Staff	Provost Janet M. McNew
Announcement of Honors	President Minor Myers, jr.
Special Music Brass Quintet No. 2	Franklin Park Brass <i>Arthur Frackenpohl</i> (1924-)
	Timothy Michael Culbertson, '96, <i>tuba</i> Kevin Matthew Geraldini '96, <i>trombone</i> Andrew D. King '96, <i>horn</i> Christopher Judd Joyce '96, <i>trumpet</i> Brian David Seitz '96, <i>trumpet</i>

Awarding of Honorary Degree
James R. Donnelley
Vice Chairman of the Board
R.R. Donnelley & Sons Company

President Minor Myers, jr.

Address

James R. Donnelley

Conferring of Degrees

President Minor Myers, jr.

Bachelor of Science in Nursing

Donna L. Hartweg
Professor and Director
of the School of Nursing

Bachelor of Fine Arts

Miles Bair
Professor and Director of the School of Art

John Ficca
Professor and Acting Director
of the School of Theatre Arts

Robert A. Kvam
Associate Professor and
Director of the School of Music

Bachelor of Music and Bachelor of Sacred Music
Bachelor of Music Education
Bachelor of Arts and Bachelor of Science

Robert A. Kvam
Robert A. Kvam
Provost Janet M. McNew

*Alma Wesleyana

NATIONAL HYMN
George William Warren
(1828-1902)

From hearts aflame, our love we pledge to thee,
Where'er we wander, over land or sea;
Through time unending loyal we will be—
True to our Alma Mater, Wesleyan.

When college days are fully past and gone,
While life endures, from twilight dream till dawn,
Grandly thy soul shall with us linger on—
Star-crowned, our Alma Mater, Wesleyan!

—*Professor W. E. Schultz*
(1887-1964)

*Benediction

William L. White
University Chaplain

*Recessional

Procession of Nobles

Illinois Wesleyan Wind Ensemble
Nicholas Rimsky-Korsakov
(1844-1908)
arr. Erik W.G. Leidzén

*Audience will please stand

The School of Nursing

Candidates for the degree

Bachelor of Science in Nursing

* Kristina Lynn Ashley
Dina Marie Dmytrenko
Sheila Farraher
Tanya Dee Gall
* Leslie Jacqueline Gracz
** Amy Lynn Greenhill
Shih-yi Hsu
Sheena Theresa Jacob
Sherri Mae Kennell
***§ Tonya Lynne Khoury
Lisa Lynn Kodat
Sarah Ella Leitch
Amanda J. Lieberum
* Emilie Ruth Matthews
* Phyllis Jean McCabe
Michelle Dawn McDonald
Sylvia Muñiz
* Kimberly J. Norton

* Sarah Louise Ozment
John William Pamperin
Bradley Meyer Peck
Cynthia Lynne Powell
Jennifer M. Prewitt
** Wing Pun
Kathleen Mary Reardon
Tiffany K. Rollings
Jody Kay Shepard
B. Grace Shull
Aimee Jo Smith
* Bonita J. Stealy
* Marcie Marie Tempel
** Sarah Ann Patricia Testa
* Jodi Renee Van Deursen
Jori S. Ward
Kristen Marie Winkler
Laura Christine Younger

College of Fine Arts

Candidates for the degree

Bachelor of Fine Arts

Art

Erik Steven Barnlund
* Zachary John Fleming
Mary Tracey Hendel
Erin Christine Loy
Jeffrey Donald Millies

Caroline A. Sachay
Carrie Elizabeth Teigeler
James Jeffrey Thorman
** Rachel Ilene Kidis

Theatre Arts

Tesha Lynn Buss
** Timothy James Cimfel
Matthew Ditzler
Jeffrey M. Gallenbeck

Peter Koenig
Brendan James Komala
Leigh Katherine Kuyper
Christopher M. Novak

§Phi Kappa Phi Members

*** Summa Cum Laude

** Magna Cum Laude

* Cum Laude

Music Theatre

Andrew Sidney Battles
* Mary Elizabeth De Lano
** Sarah Jane Hayes
* Mara Hesel
* Heather Ann Lane
Amy K. McInerney

Heather Marie Olt
Megan Holly Smith
* Margaret Anne Spangler
Janice Lynn Teliczan
** Rachael Lynnea Warren

Bachelor of Music

Moshe Rashaan Adams
** Joseph J. Balestreri III
Yvette Rose Cataneo
Stephanie Cox
** Elizabeth Jayne Denault
Timothy P. Eytalis
* Christopher B. Frey
Dima N. Gharaibeh
Suzanne Madeleine Gokey
Ami Kathryn Goodnough
Margaret Anne Hamby

Daniel Keith Hobbs
* Sara Elizabeth Jokisch
Brian H. Joosten
* Shannon Christine Killey
Daniel Kenneth Marcotte
** Harunosuke Morinaga
Melinda Gayle Murray
Theodore Patrick Nicholson
Brian David Seitz
***§ Heather Prinn Williams
**§ Shannon McLean Winter

Bachelor of Sacred Music

Eric Lawrence Doolittle

Bachelor of Music Education

Leila Marie Bauer
Lisa A. Beninato
* Cara Marie Dutko
* Kevin Matthew Geraldi
* Andrew D. King
Tara King
** Adam Brian Kramer
* Jason Roy Landes
* Jonathan James Lauff
April Alice Lord

* Janel Lynn Pietrandoni
Robert A. Rokos
* Lori Roberta Rowe
Brian Matthew Scott
Sarah Anne Storrs
Thomas J. Tropp, Jr.
David A. Virkus
***§ Heather Prinn Williams
Sarah Lynn Wujek
* James Joseph Younger

College of Liberal Arts

Candidates for the degree

Bachelor of Arts and Bachelor of Science

Courtney Lee Adams	Elementary Education	Timothy Michael Culbertson	Music
Tara Adige	International Business/Economics	Keeley Lyn Cultra	Psychology
Junaid Ahmed	Political Science/Economics	** James Anthony Cwik	Chemistry
Jay Bradford Ahrendt	Economics	Jill R. Czarnowski	Theatre Arts
Silvia E. Alba	Sociology	** Tricia Dailey	Sociology/Political Science
***S Gwendolyn Marie Alexander	Economics/International Studies	Dawn A. Dall	Chemistry
* Michael McKinsey Alexander	Political Science	Fredrick Clyde Day Jr.	English
** Lori Antoinette Alhambra	Psychology	Amber Lee De Blicek	Business Administration
Luci Allen	Psychology	** Deborah Lynne Demchuk	History(Secondary Education)
Rebecca Rae Anderson	Business Administration	Eric Robert Diethert	Biology
Michael E. Antholine	Psychology	***S Pamela Jane Drexler	Spanish(Secondary Education)
***S Melissa Jane Attig	Mathematics	* Daniel A. Drye	History(Secondary Education)
Mark James Aubry	History(Secondary Education)	***S Christopher R. Durnell	International Business
** Anne Nicole Barker	English/Theatre Arts	Julie Ann Durrer	Sociology
Jed Michael Barker	Biology	Deidre M. Dyer	French
Quinn Patrick Barra	History	Mathew Carl Easterday	Psychology
Ramya Shivakumar Bavikatte	Political Science	James Edward Egli	Psychology
Michael Donald Bayani	Public Accounting	Joseph Richard Ehler	Risk Management
Shawn Michael Beaty	Mathematics(Secondary Education)	Benita Lynn Elias	History(Secondary Education)
***S Jason Christopher Beland	Biology	Lynn Marie Ellerbruch	International Studies
Joshua Raymond Birk	Psychology/English	** James David Erickson	Biology
Tara Lynn Blackwell	Health	Kenneth P. Enckson Jr.	Public Accounting
Linda Beth Borchweg	Mathematics(Secondary Education)	Shawn Keith Fatheree	Risk Management
Jason Anthony Borkowski	Theatre Arts	Christa Marie Ferris	Mathematics/Risk Management
Jodie Lynn Boudreau	English	* Craig Allen Fessel	Physics
Jason Michael Bowman	Natural Science	Jennifer Kay Field	History
Jesse T. Boyle	Business Administration/Economics	Jason Calvin Finke	Elementary Education
***S Jeremy Christian Bozarth	Computer Science	Gregory Morris Fitch	English
Anne M. Brackett	History	Daniel Joseph Flood	Political Science
Margaret C. Bradley	Spanish(Secondary Education)	William J. Flosi	Chemistry
Sarah Emily Bray	English	Michael Patrick Flynn	Mathematics
Branda Jean Breaden	Biology	Jill Ann Forbes	History
* Joey Ann Breckunitch	Christian Education	Esther E. Franco	Psychology
Jennifer Lyn Bredthauer	Psychology	Jeffrey Ryan Froman	Business Administration
Jacky Deanne Brent	Business Administration	***S Carolyn Marie Frus	Psychology/Religion
David Michael Brown	English	Kimberly Ann Fryzel	Biology(Secondary Education)
** Susan Elizabeth Brown	Economics/Business Administration	Erin Irene Gallagher	Theatre Arts/English
Staci Michelle Bryant	Political Science	***S Gregory M. Gallagher	Economics/Business Administration
Andrew Dale Buik:n	Mathematics	Tara Gearhart	History
Jeffrey Michael Burke	Physics/Economics	** Amy Louise Gebauer	Mathematics/Risk Management
Darnell Burtin	Physics	* Aimee Ann Geiger	Business Administration
* Traci Ann Butler	Public Accounting	Seth Benson Gelandar	Business Administration
Michael Joseph Capito II	History	Amy Katherine Gerdes	Political Science
* Vinod Cardoza	International Business/International Studies	* Marina Giverts	International Business/Russian
Robert N. Carney III	History	Michael Scott Glavin	Business Administration
Emily Chia-Chun Chang	Mathematics/Natural Science	Anjali Godbole	Psychology
Jerry Yihong Chang	Biology	* Mary Luz Gomez	Music/Psychology
* Faizal Walehd Chaudhury	Public Accounting/Economics	* Geoffrey Stuart Goodman	Political Science
*** Laura Marie Chik	Mathematics(Secondary Education)	Ryan Glenn Goodman	Risk Management
Kimberley Marie Churchill	Elementary Education	** Amber Nicole Grace	Spanish(Secondary Education)
Cynthia Ann Ciluffo	Sociology	Gail Dagang Gragasin	Public Accounting
Amanda Kaye Cirks	Spanish(Secondary Education)	Shawn Robert Gravelle	Mathematics
Christopher Robert Clayton	Biology	* Jennifer Hope Greenwald	History
* Traci Leigh Conrady	Psychology	Nancy Renee Gruber	Public Accounting
Sean Patrick Conroy	Public Accounting/Spanish	John Kyle Guthrie	International Studies/Political Science
Jennifer Marie Conzrino	Psychology	Michelle Halbardier	Business Administration
** Jonathan Matthew Corbett	Mathematics/Physics	Heidi Ann Hansen	Business Administration
Zachary Scott Correll	Psychology	Matthew Dennis Harder	Music
Amanda Marie Costa	Elementary Education	* Scott M. Harris	Business Administration/Spanish
Antwane Termaine Cowen	Political Science	Christopher J. Hastings	Business Administration
Katherine J. Crouch	Psycholinguistics	Todd Stuart Heidorn	History
*** Patrick J. Crowley	Mathematics/Physics/Computer Science	Lisa Marie Henderson	Sociology

Jeremy William Henrichs	Biology	** Elisabeth Ann McNair	Elementary Education
Scott M. Herbert	Biology	**§ Laura Kathleen McRoberts	Political Science
Tracy Lynn Hibel	English(Secondary Education)	Amy Louise Means	English
* Lesley Jill Hickman	Neuroscience	Winona Korreck Mefford	Music
Eric Seyferth Hilderbrant	Political Science	Brandon Scott Meline	Biology
Nathan A. Hilding	Business Administration	Sarah Danelle Meseke	Computer Science
Robert Arthur Hitchcock	Chemistry	** Rebecca Ann Meyers	Psychology
Daniel Keith Hobbs	French	Blake Matheson Mier	Business Administration
Brian K. Hoffmann	Risk Management	Kevin Scott Miles	Business Administration
Judy Marie Hoffmüller	Spanish Education	Benjamin John Miller	Political Science
Hiroshi Honjo	Public Accounting	**§ Jay-James Robert Miller	Chemistry
**§ Emily Gayle Hornickel	Public Accounting	Jennifer Rebecca Miller	Psychology
Charles Stuart Lee Huff	History	Jeremy Thomas Miller	History
***§ Diana Imaka	Economics	* Marc Alan Molls	Biology
Vernée Raquel Irving	Sociology	***§ Daniel Lee Moore	Biology
Carla Sue Jackson	Music/Elementary Education	***§ Erica Lynn Moore	Biology
Laura Susan Jacobs	Public Accounting	**§ Melanie A. Moore	Psychology
Thomas Henry Jacobson II	Public Accounting	Andrew William Morris	English
Frank Anthony Janello	Business Administration	Nicole Ann Mortier	Natural Science
* Greg Jansen	Public Accounting/Economics	Maureen Lorraine Moster	Public Accounting
David Christopher Jendras	Political Science	Sharon Michelle Mullen	Psychology
Michael T. Jensen	Political Science	Melinda Gayle Murray	French
* Erica V. Johnson	French/Spanish	***§ Jean Marie Mycnyek	Mathematics
* Sara Elizabeth Jokisch	Public Accounting	Sarah Beth Nafziger	English(Secondary Education)
Jason Dennis Jones	Biology	Mark Amadio Nardi	Business Administration
* Laura Christine Jonry	Elementary Education	Nancy Asha Nath	Business Administration
Christopher Judd Joyce	Music/English	Susan Marie Margaret Neff	Music/English
Dina Rodal Justes	Chemistry	**§ Kimberly Ann Nelson	Economics/Spanish
* Wendy Anne Kay	Elementary Education	Carla Jean Nicholas	Political Science
* Allison Rae Keers	Political Science/German	* Lauri Lynn Nichols	Mathematics/Computer Science
Shannon Michelle Kimsey	Psychology	*** Jorge Constantino Nimbriotis Ramirez	Economics
Robert Henry Kirch	Psychology	Brent Alan Nord	Risk Management
Jeff Rodney Kirkton	Risk Management	** Ellen Diana Norton	Business Administration
Brady Michael Knight	Business Administration	**§ Jeffrey Edward Nowak	Biology
Anthony John Kolojaj	Public Accounting	Meika Elise Nowak	Chemistry
Michael Andrew Kona	Risk Management/Economics	** Sarah Lorene Nuding	Psychology
Amit Kohari	Economics/Political Science	** Barry Edward Nuechterlein	Biology
* David Arthur Kotowsky	Business Administration	Chad Nugent	Risk Management
Alan Patrick Kuchefski	English(Secondary Education)	Catherine M. O'Connor	Elementary Education
Ambika Sonya Kumar	English	* Sean Timothy O'Neil	Public Accounting
Tina Jennifer Kurecki	Biology/English	Dennis Odishoo	Public Accounting
Pallavi Balan Kuriyedath	Business Administration/Economics	* Douglas M. Ogarek	Public Accounting
Kierke Ann Kussart	Sociology	* Jeffery L. Olson	Computer Science
Christopher Lowell La Jeunesse	History	* Eden Malinda Ostermeier	Mathematics(Secondary Education)
Philip Jeffrey Lading	English/Legal Theory	**§ Ann Virginia Pamperin	International Business/German
** Heather A. Lang	Psychology	Jennifer A. Pasyk	English(Secondary Education)
Amanda Janel Leifheit	Business Administration	Gina Rae Patinella	English(Secondary Education)
Kristen Marie Lewandowski	Psychology	Adam John Patterson	Business Administration/Philosophy
* Jie Li	Public Accounting	Daniel Lewis Patterson	Business Administration
Michael A. Liang	Business Administration/Economics	Gail C. Patterson	English
Jennifer Kay Lietzau	History	** David Junius Paul	History
* Emily Anne Lin	English(Secondary Education)	Joseph E. Peck	Public Accounting
Timothy Gary Lindberg	English	Gina Marie Pellegrino	Music/Philosophy
Tracy Renee Listowski	Business Administration	Nicholas Peter Peradotti	Business Administration
***§ Elise Helen LoBue	English/Women's Studies	* Anne Farrell Peterson	Political Science
James Anthony Loehr	Psychology	Christopher Lee Peterson	Mathematics
James Joseph Lukas Jr.	Biology	* Scott Mathew Peterson	Biology
Jeffrey James Lynch	Mathematics/Risk Management	Timothy Eric Peterson	English
Amy Elizabeth Magerkurth	Political Science	* Julie Carol Petrov	Biology
* Amy Louise Malefyt	English	* Betsy Teckla Phillips	English
Danen R. Mandle	Political Science	Geoffrey Lee Phillips	Computer Science
***§ Jill Erin Martin	Public Accounting	* Kerry Ann Podzamsky	English/History
* Laurel E. Martin	Economics/Political Science	** Tasha N. Popp	Math/Computer Science
Sean Wayne Masterson	History(Secondary Education)	Thomas Jay Posey	Business Administration
§ Natasha Lynn Mattingly	English	Hanifah Akilah Powe	English(Secondary Education)
Monica Mae Matzke	Spanish	** Cara Lynn Pribble	English
Timothy John McDonald	Political Science	Jennifer Lynn Pulsifer	Political Science
Rachel Sue McGinnes	English	Ryan David Raines	Business Administration
Phillip Jason McMillon	English(Secondary Education)	Nicole Ann Ralph	Elementary Education

***§ Srinivasan Ramanuja	Biology	Melody Ildiko Takács	English
Robert Joseph Rave	English	* William James Takahashi	Political Science/Economics
Sara Ann Raza	Philosophy	** Edward Michael Thelen	Public Accounting
Benjamin Reb	Economics/Business Administration	Jeremy Boyd Theobald	Psychology
Mindy Reinholz	English	George Tomecki	Biology
* Jason Conrad Richards	Mathematics	Anthony Tomkiewicz	Political Science
**§ Derek Adam Roach	Chemistry	Peter Edmund Traven	Public Accounting
* Scott David Robowski	Chemistry(Secondary Education)	Elizabeth L. Truax	Political Science
Joseph M. Rodgers	Natural Science	John Edward Truty	Business Administration
Brian James Roper	Chemistry	Alex T. Tsebelis	Business Administration
Frederick Scott Rosenberg	Economics	Christine Ann Tyderek	Public Accounting
* Neil Arie Rubenstein	Risk Management	John Robert Ulrich	Psychology
***§ C. David Rudd	International Business/Economics	** Holly Van Stechelma	Psychology
Michell M. Rude	International Business	***§ David Brent VanSchyndel	Biology
Stefani Madla Saño Jr.	Economics	Sridhar Veerapaneni	Economics
Anurag Sanyal	Economics/Mathematics	**§ Neal Robert Vermillion	Political Science/History
April D. Saunders	Sociology	Megan Susanne Vitale	Psychology
* Victoria M. Scala	English	Valerie Brook Waggoner	Biology
** Jeremy Nelson Scharnick	Mathematics	Katina Dawn Walline	Biology
*** Daniel A. Scholz	Economics/Physics	Jack Denny Walton III	Mathematics
Kristen Louise Schroff	Elementary Education	Ming Sun Wan	Economics
Michele Schuitema	History	* Dennis O. Wang	Biology
** Leslie S. Schwartz	Business Administration	* Craig A. Ward	Public Accounting
Edmund C. Schweitzer	Psychology	* Karen Lynn Webber	Business Administration
Gregory Brian Scott	Political Science	Amanda Marie Weber	International Studies/English
Jeffrey Peter Seagard	Computer Science	Michelle J. Weihs	Elementary Education
Josehlo Franco Seldera	English	Elizabeth Laura Weinstein	Psychology
Amanda Lynne Shapiro	Risk Management	Sarah Anne Weinstein	Psychology
* Samantha Anne Sheetz	Music/History	Christopher J. Welber	German/International Studies
Marcus D. Shelton	Physics	* Gina Lynn Schuck-Welch	Computer Science
** Elsie Yi Shen	Risk Management	David Kevin White	English
Christopher Milan Simich	Business Administration	Erica Lee Whitten	Political Science
Victor Simon III	Biology(Secondary Education)	* Ashley Namindra Wickrema	Economics/Mathematics
* David Richard Singleton	Biology	Marinere Dhakshike Wickrema	English
Jennifer Lin Siron	Business Administration	Joel John Wilczewski	Risk Management
Alicia Jeanne Smith	Political Science	Brigid Kathryn Wille	English
* Angela A. Smith	Economics	Amy Marie Williams	Physics
Christopher Bleich Sorensen	History	** Chad Eric Willis	Business Administration
Tracy Lynn Sorrentino	English	* John H. Wilmas Jr.	Biology
Pamela Stacey	Elementary Education	Brandon John Wilson	Philosophy/Business Administration
Seth Aaron Slamberger	Biology	David Samuel Winkler	Business Administration
Anthony Michael Stanfa	English	Robert B. Wojtak	Business Administration
Julie Mae Stefely	Natural Science	Han-Na Woo	Public Accounting
Jeffery L. Stein	Biology	* Ginger Anne Yarger	English
* Laura Elizabeth Stein	Biology	Lisa Michelle Yokley	Biology
**§ Scott Joseph Stevens	International Business	Dax Quentin Young	Psychology
***§ Amy Kristen Stewart	Political Science	Nathan Scott Youngren	Political Science
Bradford S. Stewart	Theatre Arts/English	Michal D. Zamecki	International Business
***§ Carl John Summers	Chemistry/Philosophy	**§ Michelle Marie Zatarra	Public Accounting
*** Leann Rachelle Swain	Sociology	* Jason Alexander Clinton Zenk	Public Accounting
Ryan Travis Sweeney	Biology/Business Administration	* Yiping Zhu	Physics/Economics
Matthew Thomas Swingler	Biology		



August 1995 Graduates

Marta Anne Conlon	History	Matthew Thomas Nelson	History/Political Science
Paul Jerome Dolan	Economics	Jason E. Ryan	Risk Management
Michael Anthony Flack	Music Education	Christine Ann Stewart	English
Brandon Grant Fluegel	Risk Management		

Commencement Honors

The Harold C. Hodges President's Club Award in Natural Sciences and Mathematics
The Robert S. Eckley President's Club Award in Social Sciences
The Nikki Kaye Pape President's Club Award for Excellence in Writing
The Hope Ellen Pape President's Club Award in Fine Arts
The Caroline F. Rupert Nursing Award
The Katherine Riedelbauch Baker Music Award
The Hester Merwin Ayers Award for Exceptional Achievement in Art
The John L. Clark Award
The Larry Shue Memorial Drama Award
The William T. Beadles Award for Exceptional Achievement in Business Administration
The Technos International Prize

Graduation with Research Honors

Gwendolyn Alexander, *Economics*

"Exchange Rate Variability and its Effect on Trade: A Case Study of the CFA Franc Zone"
Project Advisor: Pam Lowry, Assistant Professor of Economics

Jennifer Bredthauer, *Psychology*

"A Minimum-Deviation Model of Performance"
Project Advisor: James D. Dougan, Assistant Professor of Psychology

Susan Brown, *Economics*

"Automobile Leasing Versus Installment Loan Credit: A Comparative Analysis"
Project Advisor: Robert Leekley, Associate Professor of Economics

Jonathan M. Corbett, *Mathematics*

"Macroelements and Orthogonal Multiresolutional Analysis"
Project Advisor: Tian-Xiao He, Associate Professor of Mathematics

Patrick J. Crowley, *Mathematics*

"The B-Spline Wavelet Recurrence Relation and B-Spline Wavelet Interpolation"
Project Advisor: Tian-Xiao He, Associate Professor of Mathematics

James A. Cwik, *Chemistry*

"Pursuit of a Chiral Amino Aldehyde Intermediate in the Synthesis of (+)-Obafuorin, a β -Lactone Antibiotic"
Project Advisor: Jeffrey A. Frick, Assistant Professor of Chemistry

Tricia A. Dailey, *Sociology*

"Someone to Care: An Ethnographic Study of the Full Gospel Christian Church"
Project Advisor: Christopher Prendergast, Associate Professor of Sociology

James D. Erickson, *Biology*

"Hyoid Morphology of *Tarsius syrichta*: Implications for Phylogeny"
Project Advisor: Thomas A. Griffiths, Professor of Biology

Kimberly A. Fryzel, *Biology*

"Radioimmunoassay Analysis of Testosterone Levels in Clutches of House Wren (*Troglodytes aedon*) Egg Yolks"
Project Advisor: R. Given Harper, Assistant Professor of Biology

Amy Gebauer, *Risk Management*

"A Solution to the Shortage of Capital in the Property Insurance Industry"
Project Advisor: David T. Russell, Instructor in Business Administration

Jennifer Greenwald, *Women's History*

"The Great Woman Heart': The Women's Congress at the World's Columbian Exposition, 1893"
Project Advisor: April Schultz, Assistant Professor of History

Lesley Hickman, *Neuroscience*

"Immunolesions Using Site Specific Injections of 192-IgG Saporin into the Basal Forebrain Fail to Affect Radial Arm Maze Performance in the Male Rat"

Project Advisor: Wayne A. Dornan, Associate Professor of Psychology

Heather A. Lang, *Psychology*

"The Effects of Visual Field Size on Search Performance"

Project Advisor: Johnna K. Shapiro, Assistant Professor of Psychology

Kristen Lewandowski, *Psychology*

"The Effects of Blocking on Selective Attention in Visual Search"

Project Advisor: Johnna K. Shapiro, Assistant Professor of Psychology

Jay-James R. Miller, *Chemistry*

"The Synthesis of an Organophosphorus Analog of Acetylcholine"

Project Advisor: Jeffrey A. Frick, Assistant Professor of Chemistry

Daniel Moore, *Biology*

"Habitat Edge and Nest Predation in House Wrens"

Project Advisor: R. Given Harper, Assistant Professor of Biology

Lauri Nichols, *Computer Science*

"PowerFAIDS: Building a Road to Financial Aid Efficiency"

Project Advisor: Susan Anderson-Freed, Professor of Computer Science

Jeffery L. Olson, *Computer Science*

"Improved Data Migration and Processing for Projecting the Financial Aid Budget"

Project Advisor: Susan Anderson-Freed, Professor of Computer Science

David J. Paul, *History*

"This Great and Sacred Trust: Robert R. Moton's Legacy at Tuskegee Institute, 1916-1930"

Project Advisor: Paul Bushnell, Professor of History

Anne F. Peterson, *Political Science*

"The Political and Economic Factors Affecting the U.S. Sugar Subsidy Program"

Project Advisor: Frank A. Boyd, Visiting Instructor in Political Science

Betsy Phillips, *Creative Writing*

"Descent into Chaos: Ways of Reading *St. Thecla*"

Project Advisor: Alison Sainsbury, Assistant Professor of English

Jason C. Richards, *Risk Management*

"The Role of the PBGC in Pension Guarantees: An Analysis of Efficiency and Effectiveness"

Project Advisor: David T. Russell, Instructor in Business Administration

Neil Rubenstein, *Risk Management*

"A Different Approach to Term vs. Whole Life Insurance"

Project Advisor: David T. Russell, Instructor in Business Administration

C. David Rudd, *International Economics*

"An Empirical Analysis of Dutch Disease: Developing and Developed Countries"

Project Advisor: Pam Lowry, Assistant Professor of Economics

Angela A. Smith, *Economics*

"Predicting the Divorce Decisions of Young Women Using the National Longitudinal Survey of Youth"

Project Advisor: Michael C. Seeborg, Robert S. Eckley Distinguished Professor of Economics

Amy Stewart, *Political Science*

"A House Divided: Party Polarization on Social Welfare Issues"

Project Advisor: Tari Renner, Associate Professor of Political Science

C. J. Summers, *Chemistry*

"Towards an Efficient Method of Detecting Cocaine Metabolite in Urine"

Project Advisor: David Bailey, Professor of Chemistry

C.J. Summers, *Philosophy*

"Two Problems in the Philosophy of Mind"

Project Advisor: Leonard J. Clapp, Assistant Professor of Philosophy

William J. Takahashi, *Economics*

"Cultural Wage Differentials Among United States Immigrants"

Project Advisor: Margaret Chapman, Professor of Economics

Marcie M. Tempel, *Nursing*

"Living With Unstable Coronary Artery Disease"

Project Advisor: Kathryn A. Scherck, Assistant Professor of Nursing

V. Brook Waggoner, *Biology*

"Estrogen Levels in House Wren (*Troglodytes aedon*) Egg Yolks"

Project Advisor: R. Given Harper, Assistant Professor of Biology

Craig Ward, *Accounting & Finance*

"Accounting for Derivatives"

Project Advisor: Mona Gardner, Adlai H. Rust Professor of Insurance/Finance

President's Cabinet

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Glenn J. Swichtenberg, Ed.D.	Dean of Student Affairs
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Mr. Donnelly joined R.R. Donnelly & Sons Co., in 1962, serving in various sales and marketing positions for a decade. He became director of the Financial and Legal Sales Division in 1972 and two years later assumed the post of vice president, Financial and Legal Sales Division. Mr. Donnelly became group vice president, Financial Services in 1983 and two years later became group president, Financial Services. In 1988, he was named group president, Corporate Development, and became vice chairman in 1990. Mr. Donnelly has been a director of the company since 1976, serving on the board's Executive and Finance committees.

He was in the U.S. Navy from 1957-60, where he was qualified in submarines and earned the rank of lieutenant.

Mr. Donnelly received a bachelor of arts degree from Dartmouth College in 1957 and a master's degree in business administration from the University of Chicago in 1962.

Mr. Donnelly, 60, is active in many community and civic organizations, including: Chicago Youth Centers (Advisory Board), Children's Memorial Hospital (director), John C. Griswold Foundation (director), Chicago Public Library Foundation (director), WTTW-Public Television (trustee and vice chairman), Lake Forest College (trustee), University of Chicago Council on the Graduate School of Business/Library Visiting Committee (member), and National Environmental, Educational, and Training Foundation (board member, vice chairman). He also is a member of the Economic Clubs of Chicago and New York and the Commercial Club of Chicago.

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As a leader of ACI, Mr. Donnelly has played a key role in launching the ACI-Chicago Scholars Program, which is aimed at expanding educational opportunity to inner-city youngsters. It is modeled on Detroit's Wade H. McCree, Jr. Incentive Scholarship Program, launched in 1986. Rebie R. Kingston, director of the Office of Guidance for the Detroit Public Schools and an IWU trustee, helped establish the McCree program and her office administers it. IWU, which joined the McCree program in 1994, is the only private university and non-Michigan campus in the McCree program.

Academic Colors and Regalia

Like judicial robes, the garments worn on academic occasions such as today's Commencement derive from the ecclesiastical garb of medieval England. The scholar in the Middle Ages, it must be remembered, was a clerk, and therefore required to wear the clerical gown and tonsure. Certainly, at Oxford and Cambridge, at least in the earliest times, the robes were monastic in origin, although the hood was adapted from a lay garment common to both sexes and all classes.

As early as the fourteenth Century, scholars of certain colleges were required by statute to wear "a decent habit" befitting a clerk and no evidence appears that there was much differentiation among undergraduates, bachelor's, master's and doctoral robes. All were black, commonly of lamb's wool; most were fur-lined for warmth, or at least fur trimmed; and the only mark of difference was in the fuller cut and ankle length of the master's gown. The cope, or closed cape, was also black and followed the style of the everyday mantle of the clergy.

Hoods were worn by all and probably had no academical significance at the beginning. By 1330-40 doctors began to adopt scarlet for their hoods, and by 1500, for their robes, with black retained by the masters of arts and bachelors of divinity. An act of Henry VIII in 1533 ratified the wearing of robes of other colors. Hoods were lined with silk and miniver fur, a custom surviving until the late seventeenth Century, but over the years distinctions were created to identify the various ranks and faculties.

Caps evolved in similar manner. The round velvet cap is still worn today in the full dress of doctors (except doctors in theology); the familiar square, or mortar-board, was copied in the early sixteenth Century from the thirteenth Century cap of the University of Paris. A third style also derives from Paris: a squared cap made by sewing four pieces of cloth with seams producing ridged edges, seen in modern times in the biretta of the clergy and the squared velvet cap of doctors of theology. The "who" and "how" of the wearing of caps produced numerous rulings, restrictions and change.

The Reformation repressed the brilliant silks, gold lace, costly furs and extravagant cut of academic robes, and the sober and more uniform styles are, for the most part, what we see today.

However, the growth of higher education in the United States during the nineteenth Century, when the great land grant colleges and universities were established under the Morrill Act, created a confusion of conflicting styles and colors. The easy identification of one's academic status by means of cut, fabric and color was no longer true.

In 1893 an intercollegiate commission presented a uniform code for caps, gowns and hoods to be worn in the United States. The mortarboard caps are the same for doctoral, master's and baccalaureate degrees, except that doctors' caps may be of velvet and may have a gold tassel. The bachelor's gown is marked by pointed sleeves, reaching to the knee, while the master's sleeve is squared at the ends, and longer. The doctoral robe is fullest, with rounded bell shaped sleeves marked by three velvet stripes.

The greatest symbolism of the academic costume is borne by the hood, which identifies the level of the degree, the faculty (or department of learning) in which it was earned, and the institution which awarded it. The size of the hood, its shape and the width of its velvet trim identify the level of the degree, with doctoral hoods naturally being the fullest, widest and longest. Faculty colors tell us the department. Today's graduates will be wearing white for the College of Liberal Arts, pink for the

School of Music, golden yellow for the sciences and brown for the fine arts. Faculty members in the processional may be wearing light blue for education, copper for economics, drab for business and accountancy, orange for engineering, purple for law, lemon for library science, green for medicine, apricot for nursing, dark blue for philosophy, sage green for physical sciences, cream for social sciences and scarlet for theology, among the many available. The colors are mandatory on hoods, but may also be used on the tassels and/or the velvet on doctoral gowns.

The university or college is usually identified by the color of the hood lining. Two colors are frequently used, since there are approximately 2,000 degree-granting institutions in the United States. A few, such as Harvard, Yale, Princeton and the University of Chicago, use a single color. Illinois Wesleyan's green and white was adopted in 1888.

The Illinois Wesleyan University Mace, first carried at the 1969 inauguration of Dr. Robert S. Eckley as fifteenth president of the University, is also a striking symbol of the institution. Made of bronze for power and endurance and of walnut for organic strength, its cupola represents the bell tower of Old North Hall, Illinois Wesleyan's first building, which was erected in 1856 and demolished in 1967 to make way for Sheean Library. The bell suggests the Hedding Bell, a campus landmark since 1931, when it was installed on the IWU campus after peeling for generations at Hedding College, now defunct. The staff of the Mace is made from the walnut of Old North Hall, and the names of Illinois Wesleyan's presidents are engraved on its bronze base.



Prior to and during the Commencement ceremony, the Illinois Wesleyan National Alumni Association will sponsor a hospitality tent serving complimentary beverages. The tent is located on the east side of the Quadrangle in front of Holmes Hall. A first-aid station is located in the tent. In the Shirk Center, these services will be available in the lobby.

On the Quadrangle, restrooms are located on the first floor of following buildings: Shaw Hall, Memorial Center and Holmes Hall. In the Shirk Center, the restrooms are located to the north of the main lobby.

Following the ceremony, you are invited to a short reception in the tents on the south and west sides of the Quadrangle. If the ceremony is in the Shirk Center, the reception will be in the Activity Center.

