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...to those who dedicate their lives to
the high calling of instruction

to all students who shall here
learn to earn a living
and to live a cultured life

not as two processes
but as one ...
PROGRAM

PRELUDE.................................................................................................................. Palladium Brass Quintet

PROCESSIONAL
March #2.................................................................................................................. Elgar
Please rise when the academic procession enters
and remain standing through the invocation.

PRESIDING.................................................................................................................. Chancellor Del D. Weber

THE NATIONAL ANTHEM
The Star Spangled Banner.......................................................................................... Key
Please join in singing, led by
Mr. Michael Lewis, Graduate Assistant, Music Department.

INVOCATION................................................................................................................. Reverend Phil Owen
United Ministries for Higher Ed.

WELCOME.................................................................................................................. Chancellor Del D. Weber

REGENTS’ WELCOME................................................................................................. Regent Charles Hassebrook
Member, Board of Regents

WELCOME TO ALUMNI ASSOCIATION...................................................................... Mr. Harold Kosowsky
President, UNO Alumni Association

PRESENTATION OF THE CHANCELLOR’S MEDAL
To Mr. Jim L. Leslie........................................................................................................ Chancellor Del D. Weber

INTRODUCTION OF COMMENCEMENT SPEAKER......................................................... Chancellor Del D. Weber

COMMENCEMENT ADDRESS....................................................................................... Dr. Ulrich Littmann
Former Executive Director of the Fulbright Commission in Germany
"The Scholar, the Country, and the World"

CONFERRING OF HONORARY DEGREE...................................................................... Chancellor Del D. Weber
Doctor of Humane Letters to Dr. Ulrich Littmann

INTRODUCTION OF ACADEMIC DEANS.................................................................. Dr. Ernest J. Peck
Vice Chancellor, Academic Affairs

PRESENTATION OF CANDIDATES AND
CONFERRING OF DEGREES......................................................................................... Chancellor Del D. Weber
Doctor of Philosophy,
Bachelor’s
Arts and Sciences, ................................................................. Interim Dean John Flocken
Engineering and Technology, ........................................................ Interim Associate Dean Gary B. Keefer
Education, .................................................................................................................. Dean Richard B. Flynn
Business Administration, ................................................................. Interim Dean Judith Watanabe
Continuing Studies, ................................................................................................. Dean Mary Bruning
Public Affairs and Community Service, .................................................. Assistant Dean Joanne A. Lofton
Fine Arts, ................................................................................................................ Dean Karen White
Human Resources and Family Sciences, ...................................................... Associate Dean Bill Meredith

REMARKS.................................................................................................................... Chancellor Del D. Weber

BENEDICTION............................................................................................................. Reverend Phil Owen

RECESSIONAL
Rondeau .................................................................................................................. Mouret

For the safety and convenience of our guests and out of respect for our graduates, we ask that members of the audience refrain from leaving their seats, congregating near the stage or exiting prior to the close of our ceremonies. A professional photographer and videographer will record graduates as they cross the stage. These photos and tapes are available from the vendors. Thank you for your cooperation.
platform party

1. Dr. Del D. Weber
   Chancellor
   University of Nebraska at Omaha

2. Dr. Ernest J. Peck
   Vice Chancellor, Academic Affairs and
   Dean of Graduate Studies

3. Dr. Ulrich Littmann
   Commencement Speaker
   Honorary Degree Recipient

4. Regent Charles Hassebrook
   Member, Board of Regents
   University of Nebraska

5. Mr. Jim L. Leslie
   Chancellor's Medal Recipient

6. Mr. Harold Kosowsky
   President
   UNO Alumni Association

7. Reverend Phil Owen
   United Ministries for
   Higher Education

8. Dr. Mary A. Mudd
   Interim Vice Chancellor
   Educational & Student Services

9. Ms. Joanne A. Lofton
   Assistant Dean
   Public Affairs & Community Service

10. Dr. Gary B. Keefer
    Interim Associate Dean
    Engineering & Technology

11. Dr. Judith Watanabe
    Interim Dean
    Business Administration

12. Dr. Richard Thill
    Associate Dean
    Graduate Studies & Research

13. Dr. Mary Bruning
    Dean
    Continuing Studies

14. Dr. Bill Meredith
    Associate Dean
    Human Resources & Family Sciences

15. Dr. John Flocken
    Interim Dean
    Arts & Sciences

16. Dr. David Corbin
    President
    Faculty Senate

17. Dr. Richard B. Flynn
    Dean
    Education

18. Mr. Robert Runyon
    Director
    University Library

19. Dr. Karen White
    Dean
    Fine Arts

20. Mr. Thomas Gouttierre
    Dean
    International Studies & Programs

Faculty Marshal:
Dr. Deborah Smith-Howell
Arts & Sciences

Ushers:
Staci Croom
Rita Henry
Sharon Darling
Dawn Hurlburt
Mark Goldsberry

Reader:
Steve Adair

UNO Ambassadors:
Burke Allgood
Ekoka Molindo
Tammy Ra Jackson
William Owens

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ACADEMIC REGALIA

Identification of the hood and robe as academic apparel is believed to have originated at the English universities of Oxford and Cambridge during the twelfth and thirteenth centuries. The hoods are a carry-over from the times when monks, who operated these universities, wore them to protect their shaved heads in winter. The robe is an adaptation of the shoulder cape also worn by these same monks while collecting alms.

Use of the academic robe came to the United States in 1754 with the founding of what is now Columbia University. In 1895, a commission of University officials adopted a universal code of design and color for the academic garb. This code has undergone several revisions in subsequent years.

Styling of the robes varies for the bachelor's and master's degrees with the width of sleeve borders and length of the hood increasing with each advanced degree. Hoods are normally not used for bachelor's degrees today. Instead, the tassel colors are used to indicate the degree program.

GRADUATION TASSEL COLORS

| College of Arts and Sciences          | Master of Arts,                         | White                          |
|                                      | Master of Arts for Teachers of Mathematics, | White                          |
|                                      | Master of Science,                      | Golden Yellow                  |
|                                      | Bachelor of Arts,                       | White                          |
|                                      | Bachelor of Science,                    | Golden Yellow                  |
| College of Engineering and Technology |                                               | Orange                         |
|                                      | Associate,                             | Grey-Blue                      |
| College of Education                 |                                               | Light Blue                     |
|                                      | Specialist in Education,                | Light Blue                     |
| College of Business Administration   | Master of Business Administration,       | Drab (Nugget)                 |
|                                      | Master of Business Administration: Executive MBA, | Drab (Nugget) |
|                                      | Master of Professional Accounting,       | Drab (Nugget)                 |
|                                      | Bachelor of Science in Business Administration, | Drab (Nugget) |
| College of Continuing Studies         |                                               | Drab (Nugget)                 |
| College of Public Affairs and Community Service | Master of Public Administration, | Peacock Blue                   |
|                                      | Master of Social Work,                  | Citron                         |
|                                      | Bachelor of Science in Criminal Justice,  | Golden Yellow                  |
|                                      | Bachelor of Science in Public Administration, | Peacock Blue |
|                                      | Bachelor of Science in Social Work,      | Citron                         |
|                                      | Bachelor of Science in Urban Studies,    | Golden Yellow                  |
| College of Fine Arts                 | Master of Music,                        | Pink                           |
|                                      | Bachelor of Arts in Art History,         | Pink                           |
|                                      | Bachelor of Arts in Dramatic Arts,       | White                          |
|                                      | Bachelor of Fine Arts,                  | White                          |
|                                      | Bachelor of Music,                      | Pink                           |
| College of Human Resources and Family Sciences |                                               | Maroon                         |

UNIVERSITY HONORS PROGRAM

The University Honors Program is an all-University program which provides maximum educational opportunities for students of high ability through special multidisciplinary seminars and participation in an academic level not generally possible in usual curricular offerings.

The program is an outgrowth of the Arts and Sciences Honors program and was initiated in 1978. It is governed through the office of the Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs and administered through the Honors Coordinator. UNO colleges which implement honors programs include Arts and Sciences, Business Administration, Education, Fine Arts and Public Affairs and Community Service.

As part of their Honors Program requirements, students undertake a research project that results in a Senior Honors Thesis. Students and their theses topics are listed at the end of the list of graduates. Students who have been designated in this booklet as Honors Program students have fulfilled the academic requirements of this program.

MEDALLION COLORS

Students receiving their baccalaureate degree with honors will be presented medallions in the colors designated.

| Summa Cum Laude                        | Red/White |
| Magna Cum Laude                        | Red/White |
| Cum Laude                               | Red       |

OMICRON DELTA KAPPA

Active student members of the UNO Circle of Omicron Delta Kappa, the National Leadership Honor Society, shall be recognized by the blue, white and black honor cords, the official colors of the society.

PI GAMMA MU

The blue and white cords with the blue tassels honor the graduating members of Pi Gamma Mu, International Honor Society in Social Science.
GRADUATE COLLEGE
This list includes the names of persons who are candidates for degree as of July 28, 1995.

DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY

Ravi Krishnachary Devalapura, BE, Bangalore University, 1987; ME, Bangalore University, 1989; MS, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 1992; Ph.D. in the Interdepartmental Area of Engineering (Civil Engineering) at the University of Nebraska-Lincoln, "Development of Prestressed Clay Brick Masonry Walls"; Dissertation Co-Advisers: Dr. Gary L. Krause and Dr. Maher K. Tadros

Karen Kangas Dwyer, BS, University of Nebraska-Lincoln; MA, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1989; Ph.D. in Community and Human Resources at the University of Nebraska-Lincoln, "Communication Apprehension and Individual Learning Style Preference: Correlations and Dimensions"; Dissertation Adviser: Dr. James A. Thorson

Earl H. Faulkner, BA, Hastings College, 1985; MA, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1989; Ph.D. in the Interdepartmental Area of Psychological and Cultural Studies at the University of Nebraska-Lincoln, "Quality of Life: A Comparative Study of Institutional and Community-Based Care for Adults with Mental Retardation"; Dissertation Adviser: Dr. Joseph C. LaVoie

Deborah M. Irvin, BA, Temple University, 1970; MS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1989; Ph.D. in the Interdepartmental Area of Psychological and Cultural Studies at the University of Nebraska-Lincoln, "Psychosocial and Cultural Predictors of Alcohol Use Among African American and Caucasian Adolescents"; Dissertation Co-Advisers: Dr. Stanley Vasa and Dr. John W. Maag

Wade Andrew Robinson, BS, University of Nebraska at Kearney, 1989; MA, University of Nebraska at Kearney, 1992; Ph.D. in Administration, Curriculum and Instruction at the University of Nebraska-Lincoln, "ACT Variables, Athletic Participation and College Graduation Rates"; Dissertation Adviser: Dr. Ward Sybouts

Stephen L. Schwiesow, BAED, Wayne State College, 1979; MSED, Wayne State College, 1982; School Psychology, "Child Abuse Reporting: Characteristics of the Type of Abuse, Gender, and Disclosure on Likelihood of Reporting by Iowa SchoolPsychologists"; Field Project Adviser: Dr. Norman H. Hamm

DOCTOR OF EDUCATION

Patricia Ann Frampton, BA, Union College, 1975; MS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1979; Ed.S., University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1990; Ed.D. in Community and Human Resources at the University of Nebraska-Lincoln, "Reported Predictors of Conflict Behaviors Among Seventh Grade Middle School Students"; Dissertation Co-Advisers: Dr. Peter T. Suzuki and Dr. Ann Coyne

Gerald C. Fritz, BGS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1990; Communication

DOCTOR OF EDUCATION

John Louis Beckenhauer, BS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1992; Biology, "Phosphorothioate-Oligonucleotide-Mediated Mutagenesis in Drosophila melanogaster"; Thesis Adviser: Dr. Bruce A. Chase

Paul G. Bellus, BS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1993; Communication, "The Rhetoric of Poverty and Supreme Court Discourse: A Content Analysis of Selected Supreme Court Opinions from 1989 -1994"; Thesis Adviser: Dr. Robert E. Carlson

Mary G. Catton, BSN, Bishop Clarkson College of Nursing, 1986; Health, Physical Education and Recreation

Michael G. Clegg, BS, University of Nebraska at Kearney, 1993; Health, Physical Education and Recreation

Lars Eide, BA, University of Oslo, 1992; Economics, "An Evaluation of the Toll Ring in Oslo, Norway"; Thesis Adviser: Dr. Donald N. Baum

Margaret Mary Esser, BS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1993; Biology, "Using the Polymerase Chain Reaction to Identify mRNAs Specific to Development in Dictyostelium mucoroides"; Thesis Adviser: Dr. A. Thomas Weber

Rodney L. Fraser, BSCJ, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1981; Geography, "Change Detection of Wetlands in the Sandhills of Nebraska Using Landsat MSS Imagery"; Thesis Adviser: Dr. Jeffrey S. Peake

SPECIALIST IN EDUCATION

David Michael Kaslon, BSED, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1979; MS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1983; Educational Administration and Supervision, "Assessing the Effects of Cooperative Learning on Student Opinions of Mainstreamed Special Education Students"; Field Project Adviser: Dr. Thomas A. Petrie

Timothy Roger Maher, BA, Creighton University, 1990; MS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1993; School Psychology, "A More Stringent Criterion for Mental Disability Verification: Implications for Iowa and the Green Valley Area Education Agency"; Field Project Adviser: Dr. Norman A. Hamm

Mary Elizabeth Brown Kentis, BA, University of Nevada, 1967; MFA, Catholic University of America, 1983; Health, Physical Education and Recreation

Jeannette Aileen Lant, BA, University of Northern Colorado, 1982; Health, Physical Education and Recreation

Scott Wayne Hyland, BS, University of Mary, 1990; BS, University of Mary, 1993; Health, Physical Education and Recreation

John Carl Johanson, BS, University of South Dakota, 1991; Psychology, "Effects of Gender and Perceived Identifiability on Whistle-Blowing Behavior"; Thesis Adviser: Dr. James M. Thomas

Mary Elizabeth Brown Kentis, BA, University of Nevada, 1967; MFA, Catholic University of America, 1983; Health, Physical Education and Recreation
Lisa Anne Linder-Stephenson, BS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1985; Biology, "The Thymic Myoid Cell of the Western Plains Garter Snake, Thamnophis radix (Reptilia: Colubridae): Histochemical, Immunohistochemical, and Electron Microscopical Observations"; Thesis Adviser: Dr. James D. Fawcett

Diane Louise Miller, BSE, Missouri Southern State College, 1992; Health, Physical Education and Recreation

Nicholas L. Nownes, BA, California State University, Northridge, 1993; English

Charles Joseph Oborny, BA, Creighton University, 1992; Health, Physical Education and Recreation

Victor James Paul, BGS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1989; Communication, "The War in the Gulf: Access and Photographic Coverage During the Crisis"; Thesis Adviser: Dr. Michael Sherer

Matthew Erin Plowman, BA, Dana College, 1993; History, "Doors Left Open then Slammed Shut: The German Colonization of Southwest Africa and the Anglo-German Rivalry, 1883-1915"; Thesis Adviser: Dr. Richard Overfield

Pamela Jo Thompson, BA, University of Northern Iowa, 1989; Agency Counseling, "A Comparative Study of Counseling Theories & Techniques Used by Practicum Students and Former Graduates"; Thesis Adviser: Dr. Joe L. Davis

Kathleen Anne Vampola, BGS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1992; Communication, "A Study of Broadcast-Industry Personnel's Sources of Occupational Stress and Interest in Worksite Stress Management Techniques"; Thesis Adviser: Dr. Michael L. Hilt

Rachel Ann Wolk, BA, University of Minnesota, 1992; Health, Physical Education and Recreation

Jane Ruth Yetley-Hittner, BA, William Penn College, 1983; Health, Physical Education and Recreation

Ellen Marie Zinn, BS, University of Minnesota, 1993; Health, Physical Education and Recreation

**MASTER OF SCIENCE**

Elena Vladimirivna Ageeva, BSED, Tyumen State University, 1983; School Counseling/Secondary Level

Barbara Jo Allgood, BS, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 1974; Resource Teaching and Learning Disabilities

Renee Lynn Arbogast-Bowman, BS, Missouri Southern State College, 1990; Agency Counseling

Paul E. Barnes, BSED, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 1988; School Counseling/Secondary Level

Scott Allen Beckler, BSED, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 1990; Secondary Education

Jamie Lea Beran, BSED, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1989; Elementary Education

Bharti Bhatia, BSEE, Jamia Millia Islamia, 1990; Computer Science

Emerita Mercedes Bouzon, BSED, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1980; Secondary Education

April Lynn Bridwell, BSED, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1993; Elementary Education

Joyce Ann Bruning, BS, Kansas State University, 1987; Resource Teaching and Learning Disabilities

Charles Jay Burney, BAED, Wayne State College, 1984; Educational Administration and Supervision

Vincence Marie Bushnell, BSED, University of New Mexico, 1973; Teaching the Mentally Retarded

Yao Cai, BE, Shanghai Institute of Mechanical Engineering, 1983; Computer Science, "Pattern Classification Based on Multi-Hyperellipsoid Clustering"; Thesis Adviser: Dr. Qiuming Zhu

Ronald Anthony Capleton, BA, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1983; Agency Counseling

Elizabeth Jean Carey, BA, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1990; School Psychology

Kathleen Ann Cecil, BS, University of Southern Mississippi, 1975; Reading

In-Soon Cha, Bachelor, Pierson Theological College & Seminary, 1991; Urban Studies

Ann Celeste Keller Chambers, BS, Northeast Louisiana University, 1975; Health, Physical Education and Recreation, "Tobacco Control Activity of Iowa Dental Hygienists"; Thesis Adviser: Dr. David E. Corbin

Mary Margaret Connell-Langenfeld, BSED, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1989; Behavioral Disorders

Diane Kay Moomey Cox, BAED, University of Nebraska at Kearney, 1974; Secondary Education

Lynda L. Darling, BPS, Bellevue University, 1991; Agency Counseling

Cheryl Heller DeWisperlare, BSED, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1986; School Psychology

Joan Marie Edwards, BSHE, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1978; MS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1981; Speech-Language Pathology

Lisa E. Eisenmenger, BS, College of Saint Mary, 1994; Elementary Education

Mary Kay Elias, BSED, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1984; Resource Teaching and Learning Disabilities

Mary Megan Elson, BS, Creighton University, 1993; Elementary Education

Janet L. Fleming, BAED, Wayne State College, 1985; Agency Counseling

Delores Spears Galloway, BS, Southern University, 1965; MS, University of Minnesota, 1969; Agency Counseling

Barbara Jean Gent, BA, University of Iowa, 1971; Elementary Education

Linda Ann Weise Gerken, BSED, Concordia Teachers College, 1971; Elementary Education

Stuart Alan Giller, BSED, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 1976; Secondary Education
Lori Rachel Rosenfield Glenn, BA, University of Central Florida, 1991; MPA, Angelo State University, 1993; Urban Studies

Marianne Teresa Greco-Whitcomb, BS, Creighton University, 1983; Speech-Language Pathology

Gina Kay Green, BA, Boise State University, 1994; Elementary Education

Daniel Aaron Greenhill, BS, Drake University, 1993; Industrial/Organizational Psychology

Leon D. Haith, BS, University of Nebraska at Kearney, 1981; BAED, University of Nebraska at Kearney, 1985; Educational Administration and Supervision

Margaret S. Hladik, BA, Saint Mary College, 1970; Secondary Education

Alisa Jo Hoffman, BSHR, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 1994; Secondary Education

Gayle B. Hope, BA, University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee, 1991; Agency Counseling

Deanna Michelle Hughes, BA, Indiana University, 1989; Speech-Language Pathology

James Patrick Jennings, BA, Midland Lutheran College, 1981; Educational Administration and Supervision

Jennifer Patterson Johnson, BHS, University of Missouri-Columbia, 1993; Speech-Language Pathology

Janet D. Katz, BSED, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1989; Reading

Daniel Mark Kingkade, BME, Drake University, 1975; Agency Counseling

Teresa Ann Knowlton, BA, University of Missouri-Kansas City, 1985; Secondary Education

Jeffrey Gordon Kuhr, BSED, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1993; Health, Physical Education and Recreation, "Behavioral and Medical Modifications Among Public Screening Participants with High Cholesterol Levels"; Thesis Adviser: Dr. David E. Corbin

Colleen Ann Kurmel, BS, Morningside College, 1982; Educational Administration and Supervision

Caralee Linden, BS, Iowa State University, 1988; Agency Counseling

Anne M. Lockard, BSED, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1994; Elementary Education

Joy Cavell Loges, BSED, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1994; Elementary Education

Alan T. Lunzman, BSED, Peru State College, 1985; Secondary Education

Michele Renae Madson, BA, University of Northern Iowa, 1990; Elementary Education

Stacey Renee Maloy, BSED, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1993; Elementary Education

Ann Marie Manchester, BSED, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 1993; Secondary Education

Corey Michael McGearry, BS, Methodist College, 1993; Agency Counseling

Jolynn Kae Meier, BSED, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 1991; Resource Teaching and Learning Disabilities

Rory Alan Meier, BSED, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 1986; Resource Teaching and Learning Disabilities

Sheila Marie Merkel, BSED, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 1993; Speech-Language Pathology

Misty Kay Miller, BS, Colorado State University, 1993; Speech-Language Pathology

Linda Mary Milliken, BA, Wayne State College, 1982; Educational Administration and Supervision

Michael Leland Mingo, BS, Drake University, 1986; Educational Administration and Supervision

Amy Lynn Mommsen, BS, Nebraska Wesleyan University, 1990; Elementary Education

Ron L. Moran, BA, Nebraska Wesleyan University, 1986; School Counseling/Secondary Level

Krista Lee Moravec, BSED, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1972; Resource Teaching and Learning Disabilities

Maria del Soccorro Neesman, BSED, University of Akron, 1981; Behavioral Disorders

Glenn M. Nelson, BAED, University of Nebraska at Kearney, 1981; Reading

Terry Anne Nelson-Kerrey, BSED, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 1981; Elementary Education

Janet Lee Nesmith, BSED, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1979; Behavioral Disorders

Julie Anne Nielsen, BSED, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1992; Elementary Education

Laurie Lee Nielsen, BSED, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 1987; Secondary Education

Maijd Nielsen, BA, Dana College, 1993; Secondary Education

Kimberly Piatt Noddle, BSED, University of Kansas, 1986; Elementary Education

Julie Marie Novak, BSED, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 1993; Speech-Language Pathology

Barbara Ann Nylin, BA, Trinity College, 1994; Elementary Education

Jean Marie Pane, BSED, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 1991; Elementary Education

David James Patton, BA, Midland Lutheran College, 1991; Educational Administration and Supervision

Kris J. Pearrow, BSED, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1991; Elementary Education

Stephen D. Pelzer, BSED, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1991; Behavioral Disorders

F. Michael Pitt, BA, Buena Vista College, 1984; Educational Administration and Supervision
Lynn Couvillon Poly, BSED, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1990; Secondary Education
Laurie Ann Potter, BSED, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 1994; Elementary Education

Marjorie L. Reed, BSED, University of Wisconsin, 1988; Elementary Education
Kimberley Ann Rhen, BS, Iowa State University, 1991; Agency Counseling
Cheryl Bird Richardson, BSED, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1966; Resource Teaching and Learning Disabilities
Michael Eugene Richardson, BS, Texas A & M University, 1984; Computer Science

Julie Marie Shald, BSED, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 1988; School Counseling/Secondary Level
Rebecca Lynn Sharpe, BSED, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1993; Elementary Education
Kerry Lynne Simmons, BSED, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1994; Elementary Education
Kathleen Elizabeth Sindt, BSED, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 1994; Elementary Education
Alice Brooks Smith, BS, Creighton University, 1978; Elementary Education
Kendall Lee Stefensen, BSED, Peru State College, 1989; Educational Administration and Supervision
Kathleen Ann Stofko, BS, Creighton University, 1989; Computer Science
Laurie Ann Stowe, BAED, Nebraska Wesleyan University, 1972; Resource Teaching and Learning Disabilities

Amy Marie Sullivan, BSED, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 1994; Elementary Education
Steven John Swartout, BS, University of South Dakota, 1980; Educational Administration and Supervision
Pamela Dawn Taylor, BS, Methodist College, 1992; Agency Counseling
Shannon Adele Thoendel, BSED, Northwest Missouri State University, 1992; Elementary Education
Heather K. Thompson, BAED, Wayne State College, 1994; Elementary Education
Kara Marie Thompson, BSED, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 1993; Speech-Language Pathology
Kathleen M. Tinnes, BAED, University of Nebraska at Kearney, 1992; Elementary Education
Claudianna Hawkins Todd, BS, Winthrop College, 1966; Educational Administration and Supervision
Mary Hufford Vondra, BSN, Bishop Clarkson Memorial Hospital College of Nursing, 1984; Health, Physical Education and Recreation, "The Effects of Outdoor-Based Experiential Education on Team Building"; Thesis Adviser: Dr. Richard D. Stacy
Deanna Kathryn Waller, BS, Creighton University, 1992; Elementary Education

Elizabeth Lynne Wax, BA, University of Kansas, 1992; Speech-Language Pathology
Michelle Marie Welsh, BSHE, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1992; Elementary Education
Marsha Annette Wiese, BAED, Wayne State College, 1969; Secondary Education

Jolene Anne Wilkinson, BS, Nebraska Wesleyan University, 1980; Resource Teaching and Learning Disabilities
Brian W. Williams, BAED, University of Nebraska at Kearney, 1989; Behavioral Disorders
Debra Lynn Wilson, BSED, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1994; Elementary Education

MASTER OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION
LeAnn Marie Buesing, BS, Wayne State College, 1992
Suwanna Chotikaprakai, BS, Chulalongkorn University, 1992
Lori A. Friedman, BSBA, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 1989
Vicki Jo Hunzeker, BS, University of Nebraska at Kearney, 1979
Kevin Michael Kumsher, BS, Iowa State University, 1986
Dianne Emma Palik, BS, Wayne State College, 1981
Kimberly Ann Repichowskyj, BSB A, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1993
Robert B. Schmoll, BA, Dana College, 1983
Sunisa Techawichien, LLB, Thammasat University, 1991

MASTER OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION: EXECUTIVE MBA
Adrian Manuel Alvarez, BS, Bradley University, 1989
Lawrence E. Ciecior, BSEE, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 1971
Gregory Grant Crawford, BS Agr, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 1985
Katherine L. English, BSN, University of Texas at Arlington, 1976; MSN, University of Texas at Arlington, 1987
John Sibley George, BA, Wheaton College, 1978; BS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1983
Yolande S. Koval, BSBA, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 1978
Anita Marie Larsen, BSN, Midland Lutheran College, 1993
Kristin K. Lutz, BS, Peru State College, 1986
Serge R. Martinod, Diploma of Veterinary Doctor, University of Lyon 1, 1981; Doctor 3rd Cycle of Applied Ecology, Scientific and Medical University of Grenoble, 1983
Karen Lynn Pfieffer, BA, Creighton University, 1982
John Frederick Salzmann, BSIE, University of Missouri-Columbia, 1980
Steven James Sypal, BS, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 1982

Bridget Anne Young, BSN, Creighton University, 1975

**MASTER OF MUSIC**

Teresa Marie Paal, BMED, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 1980; "Outreach to Underserved Children by Selected Community-Based Children's Choirs"; Thesis- Equivalent Project Adviser: Dr. Z. Randall Stroope

**MASTER OF PROFESSIONAL ACCOUNTING**

Dara Jean Spivack, BA, Indiana University, 1971; MLS, Indiana University, 1973

**MASTER OF PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION**

Timothy Benetti, BA, University of Northern Iowa, 1988

Jennifer Lee Cardwell, BA, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 1976

Janet Carlson Cole, BGS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1991

Clark Raymond Crinklaw, BS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1989

Norene Kay Hedrick, BA, Briar Cliff College, 1990

Lyn Meridew Holley, BA, American University, 1965

Joanna McGuirk Lindberg, BA, Creighton University, 1971

Chunghua Liu, BLA, South China Normal University, 1988

Jamison Lynn Lucchino, BA, Creighton University, 1992

Sybrina Lynn Moody, BS, Iowa State University, 1990

Jeffrey C. Peterson, BPS, Bellevue University, 1991

Kevin Allen Priest, BA, Hastings College, 1992

Lucy A. Reno, BGS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1992

Katherine Ann Saniuk, BA, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1983

Kathryn Ann Selle, BPS, Bellevue University, 1990

Malinda Ruth Stanley, BS, College of Saint Mary, 1990

Evell Yolanda Thomas, BSW, Creighton University, 1980

Ellen Freeman Wakefield, BGS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1991

Cheryl L. Walsh, BGS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1991

Michele E. Weitzel, BSBA, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 1986

Kenneth A. Zarybnicky, BA, Tarkio College, 1990

**MASTER OF SOCIAL WORK**

Teresa Dawn Atz-Mason, BS, University of Nebraska at Kearney, 1988

Jeanette Rose Banahan, BS, Emporia State University, 1983; BSW, Washburn University of Topeka, 1990

Jennifer Ann Barabas, BA, Dana College, 1992

Monica L. Blizek, BSSW, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1992

David Alvin Cockson, BA, Hastings College, 1973; M.Div., University of St. Thomas, 1987

Maria De Jesus Garcia Vazquez, BSSW, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1992

Beth Elaine Harms, BA, University of Northern Iowa, 1973

Sandra Ann Herzog, BSSW, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1991

Kylee Stuart Horrocks, BSSW, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1984

Shirley Ruth Jones, BA, Sioux Falls College, 1983

Katherine Regina Keenan, BS, University of South Dakota, 1989

Konnie Renee Kirchner, BSSW, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1991

Darla Ke McGhee-Mahon, BS, University of Nebraska at Kearney, 1980

Jennifer Chaya Meyerson, BA, University of Kansas, 1992

Joan M. Rutten, BA, Wayne State College, 1988

Lorraine Suzanne Seufert, BA, Briar Cliff College, 1981

Cynthia G. Hollister Sorensen, BS, Nebraska Wesleyan University, 1982

Ann Mallory Teal, BA, Eastern Montana College, 1991

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Tanya Jacqueline Beckerman Teri L. Sturgeon
Cum Laude
Angela J. Wall
Bachelor of Science
Magn Cum Laude
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Bachelor of Science in Business Administration
Summa Cum Laude
Becky Lynne Ridl Todd Michael Rynaski
Magna Cum Laude
Peter John Draigh Janet Claire Dyer Angela Marie Huttmann Rebecca Kathryn Swanson
Cum Laude
T. J. Corey Debra Lynn Patterson Cynthia S. Pokorny Kathleen Elizabeth Stage

COLLEGE OF CONTINUING STUDIES
Bachelor of General Studies
Summa Cum Laude
Robin Elizabeth Palmatier Tabatha Josephine Paulsen Rae Lynn Yanke
Magna Cum Laude
Magna Cum Laude Honors Extra Muros
Ilene W. Shandell Betty Ann Ucman
Cum Laude
James Maurice Carroll Robert David Headley Beverly Anne Layten Robin Kristin Min Heike Christiane Seeholzer Gregory Keith Wilson

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With Distinction
David James Engel

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Magn Cum Laude Lincoln Campus
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Cum Laude
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Magn Cum Laude
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Master of Music
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Bachelor of Science
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Bachelor of Fine Arts
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Bachelor of Science
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Billy Joe Reed

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Thad William Mott
Lara Louis Zawaideh

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**Bachelor of Science in Social Work**

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**COLLEGE OF FINE ARTS**

**Bachelor of Arts in Art History**

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**Bachelor of Arts in Studio Art**

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**COLLEGE OF HUMAN RESOURCES AND FAMILY SCIENCES**

**Bachelor of Science in Human Resources and Family Sciences**

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ULRICH LITTMANN, PH.D.

Dr. Littmann was born in Wolfen, Bitterfeld, Germany. He specialized in history, economics, sociology and physics at the University of Gottingen where he received his doctoral degree in 1962. The subject of his dissertation was United States Black History. He has devoted most of his professional life to building vital, productive linkages among academic communities, not only in Germany and the United States, but also in Europe and other parts of the world. His name is legendary in international circles related to the Fulbright Program.

He began his distinguished career as executive officer of the International House at the University of Gottingen, moving on to become the chief of the German Program Unit at the German Fulbright Commission. He became executive director of the Commission in 1963 and held that position until his retirement in 1993. Recognized as an expert on international exchange programs, he served on a number of commissions and bilateral task forces that developed and enhanced exchange programs. The German Fulbright Program is now the largest of the 120 programs around the world. His numerous contributions have been recognized by German and United States universities. As a result of interactions with Dr. Littmann, a significantly higher number of students from Germany are now coming to study at the University of Nebraska at Omaha (UNO), both through sponsored and non-sponsored means. In addition, a formal link has been established between UNO and Rostock University.

Following the reunification of Germany, Dr. Littmann successfully promoted the exchange of former East Germans with the United States so that they could readily understand, learn and adapt to the democratic ideals of America. In conjunction with the United States ambassador to Germany, an Ambassadorial Scholarship Program was established for undergraduates from the former East Germany. Two of the first four scholarships were awarded to UNO. Such awards have continued and been augmented with Fulbright awards.

In recognition of his efforts as a builder of international academic relationships, it is with great pleasure and respect that Dr. Ulrich Littmann is awarded the honorary Doctor of Humane Letters degree.
The Chancellor's Medal of the University of Nebraska at Omaha was established to recognize the contributions of faculty and administrative staff which are a mixture of academic prowess, physical vigor, the ability to visualize social structure and an applied sense of humanity.

People are responsible for the growth of vitality of institutions. At the University of Nebraska at Omaha we are fortunate to have men and women who have accepted this charge. They have a belief in the University's destiny and this dedication has resulted in a kind of genius that merits special attention. The Chancellor's Medal is one means of recognizing these people. It is bestowed only to those within the University community who have demonstrated unusual excellence.
JIM L. LESLIE

Jim L. Leslie was born in Omaha, Nebraska. He received his BA (1963) in history from the University of Omaha. Mr. Leslie entered the professional world as a life insurance underwriter in 1964 at United of Omaha. He became director of work planning and evaluation in the personnel department in 1972. In 1973, he was appointed executive director of the University of Nebraska at Omaha (UNO) Alumni Association.

Since that time, Mr. Leslie has been instrumental in developing numerous Alumni Association programs, scholarships and awards. The most recent highlight has been the completion of the W.H. Thompson Alumni Center. Other Alumni Association accomplishments include the expansion of the Alumni Scholarship Program to 150 scholarships, the implementation of an on-line records system to monitor over 65,000 alumni records, the Annual Fund Drive expanded to over $1 million yearly, a reformatted alumni magazine that exceeds 50,000 copies quarterly and the initiation of the UNO Athletic Hall of Fame awards and banquet program.

Mr. Leslie has lent his leadership skills to other campus concerns. He is a member of the Chancellor's Executive Staff, served as chairman of the Non-Academic Grievance Committee for two years, participated in the Chancellor's Commission on Strategic planning, served as a member of the Campus Steering Committee for North Central Accreditation and has led the Tower Club Nominations Committee since 1992.

A member of various professional and civic organizations, his history of involvement is marked by a concern for education and community. Mr. Leslie served as the District Conference Chair for the Council for the Advancement and Support of Education (CASE) in 1981; he is the past president of the Omaha Jaycees from 1970 to 1971, the Gretna Optimist Club from 1986 to 1987 and the Gretna School Foundation from 1991 to 1992; and also has served as a board member of the Suburban Rotary, the Gretna Planning Commission and the Board of Trustees for the Mid-America Boy Scouts.
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