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Graduation Exercises

August 10, 2002

Clemson, South Carolina



Graduation

Saturday, August 10, 2002

Brooks Center Theatre and Tillman Hall Auditorium

ORDER OF CEREMONIES

(Audience will please stand as faculty and stage party march in and remain standing for the invocation.)

Invocation

Faculty Address

Introduction of Trustees

President James F. Barker

Recognition of the Deans of the Colleges

Vice President for Academic Affairs and Provost
Doris R. Helms

Conferring of Degrees and Delivery of Diplomas

President James F. Barker

Recognition and Presentation of Awards

Board of Visitors Graduate Teaching Assistant Award

Faculty Scholarship Award

Frank Breazeale, Organist

Kevin Davidson, Soloist

Dr. N. Dwight Camper, University Marshal

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The Academic Procession

The Academic procession is composed of the faculty, staff, officers, trustees, and honored guests of the University. Faculty enter by college and each college is preceded by its marshal, a senior faculty member, with the college baton, described under University Regalia.

The college banners are placed on the stage. Each banner is a combination of colors that declare the disciplines taught in that college. These colors, which were established by the American Council on Education, are as follows:

College	Colors	Discipline
Agriculture, Forestry, and Life Sciences	Maize Brown Golden Yellow	Agriculture Forestry Life Sciences
Architecture, Arts, and Humanities	Lilac Brown White Dark Blue	Architecture Arts Humanities Philosophy
Business and Behavioral Science	Drab Copper Peacock Blue Cream	Accounting and Business Economics Public Administration Social Sciences
Engineering and Science	Orange Golden Yellow	Engineering Science
Health, Education, and Human Development	Light Blue Apricot Cream	Education Nursing Social Sciences
Library	Lemon Yellow	Library
Staff	Purple and Orange	Academic Support
Faculty Senate	Purple and White	Instruction

Collegiate faculty follow their marshal in order of academic rank wearing academic costumes of medieval origin. Those who have received their degrees from institutions outside the United States wear costumes specified by the awarding institutions.

The academic costumes of faculty whose degrees are from United States' institutions are specified by a uniform code maintained by the American Council on Education. Caps are black and are usually mortar boards with tassels. Doctors of Philosophy wear gold tassels usually of metallic thread; other degrees wear black or discipline colors.

The bachelor's gown is simple and black with long, pointed sleeves. Masters' gowns, also black, are longer than bachelors. Older gowns have sleeves that terminate at the elbow while those since 1960 have sleeves extended to the wrist. Doctors' gowns are full, with bell-like sleeves. The front is marked by velvet panels and the sleeves are marked by three velvet bars. While most gowns are black with black velvet, one variation is to replace black velvet with velvet in the discipline color. A second variation is a colored gown usually of the university's colors.

All hoods specify the level of degree, the type of discipline studied and the awarding institution. First, degree level is signified by the size of the hood with bachelors' smallest, masters' larger, and doctors' quite large and of a different shape. Clemson does not award hoods to bachelors. The width of the velvet trim also conveys the degree. Secondly, the degree is indicated by the color of the trim edging the hood to form the throat over the gown. The most frequently seen is dark blue, which designates the doctor of philosophy (Ph.D.) degree. Finally, the color of the hood's lining specifies the awarding institution. The colors are displayed in combinations that are drawn from heraldry. Notice that the Clemson University hood is lined with purple through which is an orange chevron (a "V"). Although many combinations are duplicated by dozens of institutions, Clemson is presently the only institution with that registered combination.

The officers, trustees, and honored guests wear academic, ecclesiastical, or military regalia as set forth by their professions. They are preceded by the University Marshal. Clad in a gown of office in gold and purple, the marshal wears no hood and bears the University mace. At the ceremony's close, the faculty do not exit as a part of the recessional but are dismissed, along with students and guests, when the marshal leaves the coliseum.

The University Regalia

The University mace is the symbolic representation of the whole of Clemson University and must be present at any convocation where the University, through its delegated members, is acting officially. At any official convocation such as commencement, the University Marshal, carrying the mace, precedes the President into the assembly. The mace rests before the President's chair or speaker's stand throughout the ceremony, and its removal from the assembly at the close of a convocation is symbolic of the official withdrawal of the University and, thus, the close of the proceedings.

The decorative design of Clemson's mace is derived from the ceremonial maces carried by heads of state and church in the Middle Ages. Its basic clublike shape, however, is much more ancient, probably going back to man's prehistory. It is made of walnut wood and silver, with the seal of the University in gold and the University colors represented by insets of cornelian (orange) and amethyst (purple). Amethyst is also the state stone of South Carolina.

The Presidential chain and seal is symbolic of the authority vested in the office of president by the governing body of the University. Only the University President may wear it, and while wearing it he speaks for the whole body of the institution. Clemson's chain and seal are made of silver and gold, and cornelian and amethyst.

The batons of the college marshals also descend from medieval "staffs of office" which were carried by the senior members of departments of state or church. They display the seal of the University and the symbolic color of the discipline to which the college belongs. Clemson's batons are made of walnut wood and silver with the various disciplines inset with enamel.

The University regalia were designed and executed by Mr. Robert Ebendorf. Mr. Ebendorf is twice winner of the Tiffany Award and one of the most acclaimed goldsmiths of our era. The enamel plaques for the batons were executed by the late Professor Marshall C. Bell, and the lapidary work was executed by the late Mr. C. C. Wilson of Clemson University.

COLLEGE OF AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY, AND LIFE SCIENCES

BONNIE HOLADAY, Dean, Graduate School

CALVIN LEE SCHOUTIES, Interim Collegiate Dean

Invocation: Brittany Luann Wright, Student Representative

Address: Dr. N. Dwight Camper, Professor of Plant Pathology and Physiology

CANDIDATES FOR THE DOCTOR'S DEGREE

DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY

Animal Physiology

Kathleen M. Dooley _____ Holly, MI
B.B.A., M.S., Western Michigan University; M.S., Clemson University
Dissertation: Effects of Vitamin D Supplementation on Phosphorus Utilization in Dairy Cattle
Advisor: Dr. R. J. Thurston

Applied Economics

Timothy Francis Goode _____ Jamestown, RI
B.S., Southern Illinois University-Carbondale; M.B.A., Salve Regina University
Dissertation: The Partitioned Aquaculture System: A Comparative Economic Analysis with Traditional Catfish Technology and Risk Analysis for Investment and Adoption of Technology
Advisor: Dr. M. D. Hammig

Dmitri Michaylovich Medvedovski _____ Moscow, Russia
B.S., Moscow State Academy of Management
Dissertation: Fathers, Families and Economic Behavior
Advisor: Dr. M. D. Hammig

Kristin Fuehler Stowe _____ Matthews, NC
B.A., Guilford College; M.A., Clemson University
Dissertation: Bankruptcy, Default and the Cost of Municipal Finance
Advisor: Dr. M. T. Maloney

Aquaculture, Fisheries, and Wildlife Biology

Quenton Clay Fontenot _____ Denham Springs, LA
B.S., Louisiana State University and Agricultural & Mechanization College
Dissertation: Effects of Temperature Recent Feeding History and Fish Size on the Otolith Size – Fish Size Relationship
Advisor: Dr. J. J. Isely

Hakan Turker _____ Ankara, Turkey
B.S., University of Ankara; M.S., Clemson University
Dissertation: Filtration Kinetics of Nile Tilapia in the Partitioned Aquaculture System
Advisor: Dr. A. G. Eversole

Entomology

Duangkhae Sitthicharoenchai _____ Bangkok, Thailand
B.S., M.S., Chulalongkorn University
Dissertation: Ecology and Behavior of Asian Cockroach, *Blattella asahinai* Mizukubo (Blattodea: Blattellidae), in Charleston County, South Carolina
Advisor: Dr. P. A. Zungoli

Forest Resources

Yihai Liu _____ Hunan, China
B.S., Northeast Forestry University; M.S., The Chinese Academy of Forestry
Dissertation: Statistical Evaluation on Properties of Parallel Strand Lumber
Advisor: Dr. A. W. Lee

Genetics

Shujing Rao _____ Hubei, China
B.S., M.S., Zhongshan University
Dissertation: Characterization of a Cypovirus from Cabbage Looper, *Trichoplusia ni* and Development of Systems for Cypovirus Demarcation
Advisor: Dr. G. R. Carner

Zoology

Ashley Neal Haines _____ Newport News, VA
B.S., Virginia Polytechnic Institute & State University
Dissertation: Investigations into Potential Routes for Transport of Passive Immunity in Elasmobranch Fishes
Advisor: Dr. J. P. Wourms

CANDIDATES FOR THE MASTER'S DEGREE

MASTER OF AGRICULTURAL EDUCATION

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MASTER OF SCIENCE

Agricultural and Applied Economics

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Genetics

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COLLEGE OF ARCHITECTURE, ARTS, AND HUMANITIES

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MASTER OF ARTS

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Professional Communication

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DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY

Industrial Management

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Dissertation: Closed Loop Supply Chains in Process Industries: An Exploratory Study of Reuse Practices
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Dissertation: Comparison of Push and Pull Control Strategies for Supply Network Management in Make-to-Stock Environment
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Sociology	
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Ceramic and Materials Engineering

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B.A., B.S., Alfred University; M.S., Worcester Polytechnic Institute
Dissertation: Cerium as a Surrogate in the Plutonium Immobilization Waste Form
Advisors: Dr. E. C. Skaar
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Chemical Engineering

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B.S., Ohio University
Dissertation: Effect of Solvent Quality on the Frictional Forces between Polymer Brushes
Advisor: Dr. S. M. Kilbey

Joongjai Panpranot _____ Bangkok, Thailand
M.S., West Virginia University
Dissertation: Mesoporous Silica Supported Cobalt-Based Catalysts
Advisor: Dr. J. G. Goodwin, Jr.

Chemistry

Henry George Giesber III _____ Augusta, GA
B.S., Georgia Southern University
Dissertation: The Hydrothermal Synthesis, Crystal Growth and Characterization of Metal Borates
Advisor: Dr. J. W. Kolis

Vittorio Montanari _____ Milano, Italy
M.S., University of Milano
Dissertation: Novel Fluorocarbon-Iodine (III) Reagents, The Fluoroalkylation of Amino Acids and the Preparation of Fluoroalkyl-Modified Bioactive Peptides
Advisor: Dr. D. D. Desmarteau

Huayun Yu _____ Hubei, China
B.S., Wuhan Institute of Chemical Technology
Dissertation: L-(N-Carbamoyl)Alkylcuprates; Acylation, Conjugate Addition, SN_{2'} Substitution and Their Synthetic Application
Advisor: Dr. R. K. Dieter

Computer Engineering

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B.S., Clemson University
Dissertation: An Evaluation of the Integration of Reconfigurable Hardware with the Network Interface in Cluster Computer Systems
Advisor: Dr. W. B. Ligon

Electrical Engineering

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Dissertation: Design, Analysis and Experimentation: The Fundamentals of Continuum Robotic Manipulators
Advisor: Dr. I. D. Walker

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B.S., Istanbul Technical University; M.S., Clemson University
Dissertation: Robust and Efficient Techniques for Audio-Visual Speech Recognition
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Environmental Engineering and Science

Jin Hur _____ Busan, Korea
B.S., Seoul National University; M.S., University of Michigan
Dissertation: Effects of Humic Substance (HS) Heterogeneity on Pyrene Binding to Dissolved and Mineral-Bound HS
Advisor: Dr. T. Karanfil

Industrial Engineering

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 B.Eng., King Mongkut's Institute of Technology; M.S., Clemson University
 Dissertation: Analysis of Scheduling and Frozen Intervals in Dynamic Rescheduling
 Advisor: Dr. W. G. Ferrell

Mathematical Sciences

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 B.A., Alfred University; M.S., Clemson University
 Dissertation: Addressing Formulation Size, Strength, and Mathematical Structure in Modeling Discrete Decision Problems
 Advisor: Dr. W. P. Adams

Kevin Richmond Hutson _____ Hope, AR
 B.A., Hendrix College; M.S., Clemson University
 Dissertation: Stochastic Minimum Spanning Trees
 Advisor: Dr. D. R. Shier

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 B.S., University of Charleston; M.S., Clemson University
 Dissertation: Using a Circadian Rhythms Model to Identify Optimal Shift Work Schedules
 Advisor: Dr. M. M. Kostreva

Mechanical Engineering

Kent Allen Day _____ Statesville, NC
 B.S., Florida Institute of Technology; M.S., Virginia Polytechnic Institute & State University
 Dissertation: A Fundamental Analysis of the Handling Characteristics of Winston Cup Race Cars
 Advisor: Dr. E. H. Law

Textiles, Fiber and Polymer Science

Xiaojun He _____ Shanghai, China
 M.S., B.S., China Textile University-Shanghai
 Dissertation: Simulation and Experimentation in Melt Spinning of Liquid Crystalline Polymer Reinforced Composite Fiber
 Advisor: Dr. M. S. Ellison

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B.Ed., M.Ed., Sri Nakharinwirot University
Dissertation: How Thai Students Use Word Processors to Approximate Edited American English
Advisor: Dr. B. N. Bailey

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B.S., M.A., East Carolina University
Dissertation: Effects of Participation in an Inquiry Science Workshop on Elementary Teachers' Classroom Practice
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Educational Leadership

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B.S., Piedmont College; M.Ed., North Georgia College
Dissertation: Population Ecology, Institutional, and Network Perspectives on the Diffusion of Innovation: Melding Theoretical Constructs
Advisor: Dr. R. A. Marion

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B.S., United States Military Academy; M.A., University of Northern Colorado
Dissertation: Diffusion of Workforce Development Innovations: Adoption of the South Carolina Enterprise Zone Act of 1995
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Dissertation: Leadership Styles of Female Superintendents in the 21st Century: Testing Feminist Assumptions
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Parks, Recreation, and Tourism Management

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B.S., University of Sheffield; M.Ed., Pennsylvania State University
Dissertation: Satisfaction and Intention to Re-visit: A Re-examination of the Relationship and an Analysis of Differences Between Satisfied Returners and Satisfied Non-returners
Advisor: Dr. F. A. McGuire

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B.F.A., M.A., University of Mississippi
Dissertation: Exploring the Influence of the Individual's Ability to Experience Flow While Participating in a Group Dependent Activity on the Individual's Satisfaction with the Group's Performance
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**Magna cum laude: A grade point ratio of 3.70 to 3.89

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Awards

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The Graduate Teaching Assistant Award was established to recognize the valuable contributions that graduate teaching assistants make to the education of Clemson undergraduate students. Two individuals are selected each year from nominations by students and endorsed by University faculty. A bronze medallion is presented to each recipient and the award carries with it a stipend of five hundred dollars.

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FACULTY SCHOLARSHIP AWARD

Established at Clemson University in 1959, this award is made annually by the faculty of Clemson University to the member of the graduating class who has the highest scholastic achievement. All graduates who have completed the requirements for the bachelor's degree since the last commencement exercise and who have completed at Clemson at least 75 percent of the work required for graduation shall be eligible for consideration.

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Historical Statement

Clemson University is named for Thomas Green Clemson (1807-1888), who left the bulk of his estate to the State of South Carolina for the founding of the institution.

Thomas Clemson was born in Philadelphia in 1807 and educated at the Royal School of Mines in Paris (1828-1832). His early profession was that of a mining engineer; however, circumstances diverted his interests into politics and the life of a southern planter, and he soon became an enthusiastic advocate of scientific agriculture. He had a career as a diplomat (charge d'affaires to Belgium, 1844-1852) and served as the first Superintendent of Agricultural Affairs in Washington (1860). As a scientist he published numerous articles in the fields of mining, chemistry and agriculture. His varied activities included his assistance in the founding of the Maryland Agricultural College, his support of the Morrill Act, his leadership in South Carolina after the Civil War, and his part in founding Clemson University.

Thomas Clemson was the son-in-law of South Carolina's John C. Calhoun, a political figure of national importance during the first half of the nineteenth century. Mr. Calhoun's home, Fort Hill, is preserved on the Clemson Campus as a national shrine.

The academic program at Clemson College began in 1893 with an enrollment of 446. The first "college prospectus" announced only two four-year curricula, supplemented by two two-year preparatory courses. Today the University has six major academic units. These are the College of Agriculture, Forestry, and Life Sciences, the College of Architecture, Arts, and Humanities, the College of Business and Behavioral Science, the College of Engineering and Science, the College of Health, Education, and Human Development, and the Graduate School.

Clemson University is accredited by the Commission on Colleges of the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools (1866 Southern Lane, Decatur, Georgia 30033-4097; telephone number 404-679-4501) to award the Bachelor's, Master's, Education Specialist, and Doctor's degrees. Various curricula are accredited by the AACSB-International, Accreditation Board for Engineering and Technology, American Council for Construction Education, American Society of Landscape Architects, Computing Science Accreditation Board, National Architectural Accrediting Board, National Association of Industrial Technology, National Council for Accreditation of Teacher Education, National League for Nursing, Planning Accreditation Board, NRPA/AALR Council on Accreditation, and Society of American Foresters.

Clemson is a land-grant institution. As such, it is engaged not only in its primary academic program, but does extensive research at the main campus and at five agricultural experiment stations located in the State. The University is also heavily committed to a varied program of public service, including the work of agricultural extension which has professional personnel located in each of the State's counties.

CLEMSON ALMA MATER

A. C. Corcoran, '19

Where the Blue Ridge yawns its greatness,
Where the Tigers play;

Here the sons of dear old Clemson
Reign supreme alway.

Chorus

Dear old Clemson, we will triumph
And with all our might,

That the Tiger's roar may echo
O'er the mountain height.

We will dream of great conquests,
For our past is grand,

And her sons have fought and conquered
Every foreign land.

Where the mountains smile in grandeur
O'er the hill and dale.

Here the Tiger lair is nestling
Swept by storm and gale.

We are brothers strong in manhood,
For we work and strive;

And our alma mater reigneth
Ever in our lives.

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