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# Xavier University, 1986, 148th Commencement Exercises, The Undergraduate Colleges

Xavier University, Cincinnati, OH

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Xavier University 1986  
148th Commencement Exercise  
The Undergraduate Colleges  
Saturday, May the Seventeenth  
10:00 a.m.





# COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES

## PROCESSIONAL

Grand Marshal:

Karl P. Wentersdorf, Ph.D., Professor, Department of English

Candidates for Degrees

University Faculty

Board of Trustee Members

Participants in Ceremony

Academic Administration

President

Master of Ceremonies:

Roger A. Fortin, Ph.D., Associate Vice President for Academic Affairs

## INVOCATION

Sister Elaine Wellinger, H.M., M.S.

University Chaplain & Director of Campus Ministry

## THE NATIONAL ANTHEM

(Audience will kindly rise and sing.)

O say, can you see, by the dawn's early light  
What so proudly we hailed at the twilight's last gleaming —  
Whose broad stripes and bright stars, thro' the perilous fight  
O'er the ramparts we watched were so gallantly streaming!  
And the rocket's red glare, the bombs bursting in air  
Gave proof thro' the night that our flag was still there;  
O! say, does that star-spangled banner yet wave  
O'er the land of the free, and the home of the brave?

## PRESENTATION OF HONORARY DEGREES

**Honoree**

**Robert G. Kluener**

Chairman of the Board of Trustees  
of Xavier University

**Doctor of Humanities (*honoris causa*)**

**Presented by**

**Edward J. VanDerbeck, M.S., C.P.A.**

Chairman & Associate Professor  
Department of Accounting and Law

**Honoree**

**Edward J. Maruska**

Executive Director of The Cincinnati Zoo

**Doctor of Science (*honoris causa*)**

**Presented by**

**Stanley E. Hedeem, Ph.D.**

Professor, Department of Biology

**Honoree**

**Loret Miller Ruppe**

Director of the Peace Corps

**Doctor of Humanities (*honoris causa*)**

**Presented by**

**E. Paul A. Colella, Ph.D.**

Associate Professor,  
Department of Philosophy

## **CONFERRING OF HONORARY DEGREES**

Frank V. Mastrianna, Ph.D., President

## **VALEDICTORY ADDRESS**

Lisa Marie Kern

## **COMMENCEMENT ADDRESS**

Loret Miller Ruppe  
Director of the Peace Corps

## **PRESENTATION OF UNDERGRADUATE DEGREES**

The College of Professional Studies  
Milton A. Partridge, Ed.D., Executive Dean

The College of Business Administration  
Daniel W. Geeding, Ph.D., Associate Dean

The College of Arts and Sciences  
Charles J. Cusick, Ph.D., Dean

## **CONFERRING OF DEGREES**

Frank V. Mastrianna, Ph.D., President

## **BENEDICTION**

Reverend John J. LaRocca, S.J., Ph.D.  
University Chaplain  
Chairman and Associate Professor, Department of History

## **ALMA MATER XAVIER**

(Audience will kindly rise and sing)

Dear Alma Mater Xavier!

Undying troth we pledge to you  
That we the living shall hold true  
The faith of those of years now gone  
Inviolate kept and thus passed on.

So may the truth within us dwell  
And may this song our voices swell  
Until resounds o'er hill and dell  
Dear Alma Mater Xavier.

## **RECESSIONAL**

### **MUSICAL ACKNOWLEDGMENTS**

The Ohio Valley Brass Quintet  
and

Harriet Beebe, Soprano  
Lecturer, Department of Music

# The College of Professional Studies

Dr. Milton A. Partridge, Executive Dean

## Associate in Science

December 21, 1985

William Lafayette Howard II

May 9, 1986

Gayle Ferris Schofield

## Bachelor of Science in Social Work

December 21, 1985

Margaret Ann Bunker

May 9, 1986

Kerry Anne Ahearn  
Mary Angela Duffner  
*Magna Cum Laude*

Amy Lynn McMahon  
Marcia Ann Seibert  
*Magna Cum Laude*

## Bachelor of Science in Nursing

August 16, 1985

Pamela A. Miller

May 9, 1986

Deborah Ann Abeln  
*Cum Laude*  
Carol Cress Abrams  
Freida Marie Andrews  
Carol Ann Bashford  
Mark Ray Brim  
Nancy Schneeman Carter  
Susan Ann Collins  
*Cum Laude*  
Jo Ann Culbertson  
Connie Carol Dishon  
Susan Kay Enneking  
Joan Martin Fitzsimmons  
*Cum Laude*  
Susan Marie Futvoye  
Kathleen Ann Gilligan  
*Magna Cum Laude*  
Mark J. Hanneken  
Marcia Anne Hilse  
Pamela Jo Isaacs

Pamela Marie Isfort  
Deborah Ann Johnson  
Marilyn M. Leal  
Barbara Ann Liming  
William Henry Lonneman, Jr.  
Cheryl Ann Maue  
Marla Marie Mecklenborg  
Belinda Sue Moffett  
Glennie Daphene Mosley  
Nancy Margaret Niemeier  
Rita M. Poland  
*Magna Cum Laude*  
Barbara Lee Rader  
*Summa Cum Laude*  
Anne Clinton Russell  
Joan MacEachen Schaffield  
*Cum Laude*  
Marsha R. Straus  
William Jeffery Trees

## Bachelor of Science in Mortuary Science

August 16, 1985

Brian Edward Foos

December 21, 1985

David Isaac Jacobson

May 9, 1986

Mitchell W. Babcock  
James Cecil Birchfield  
Donald Eric Douthit

Brian R. James  
Thomas M. Keiser, Jr.

## Bachelor of Science

August 16, 1985

Gary M. Argentati  
Laura Ruth Hatcher

Joy Wilson Thaler  
*Cum Laude*

December 21, 1985

Linda Sue Cochran  
David Arthur Doyle  
Michael Alan Doyle  
*Cum Laude*

Bill R. Patrick  
Lois Richmond  
Mary Sue Salyers  
Joan Marie Tenhundfeld

May 9, 1986

Bernadette Mary Asbrock  
Vernette T. Barnhorst  
*Summa Cum Laude*  
Walter Vincent Bernard III  
Elizabeth Marie Braun  
*Magna Cum Laude*  
Mathew Brodbeck  
Teresa Lynn Butz  
Bridget M. Corrigan  
Elizabeth Ann Costello  
Jeanne Kay Fischer  
Mitza Teresa González  
Gabrielle Keady Gundrum  
Suzanne Eileen Hipskind  
*Cum Laude*  
Laurie Anne Hogan  
Jill Renee Hollandsworth  
*Magna Cum Laude*  
Elizabeth Katherine Homan  
Janet Lee Kohrs  
Joseph Walter Lambert

Maria Assumpta Lammers  
Mary Frances Mango  
Susan Diane Meyerratken  
Roberta Ann Millson  
Rosa B. Montgomery  
David Lee Moonitz  
*Cum Laude*  
Mary Elizabeth Murray  
Daniel James Quinn  
Amy Margaret Rieman  
Elizabeth Marie Rieman  
Tim Thomas Rizzo  
Andres Rodriguez  
Christine Marie Scheper  
Hans David Schmidt  
Elizabeth Anne Schuh  
Jerilyn Marie Strassburger  
Carla Renee Underwood  
Frederick Joseph Wallenfelsz  
Doreen Marie Zamoiski

# The College of Business Administration

Dr. Daniel W. Geeding, Associate Dean

## Associate in Business Administration

August 16, 1985

Setsuko Tsujimoto

December 21, 1985

David Lawrence Barker

May 9, 1986

Christopher Charles Bachman  
Helen L. Blanken  
Sallie Ann Coonan

Timothy George Haines  
Richard Charles Hoffman

## Bachelor of Science in Business Administration

August 16, 1985

Mark Harold Aylmore  
Richard Robert Beiting  
Elizabeth Lee Blakley  
Luz Maria Delgado  
John Wayne Grether  
Thomas Joseph Jaeger  
Mary Catherine Jakobi  
James J. Kaufman  
John Joseph Kelley

Jay Anthony Koepfle  
*Summa Cum Laude*  
Ada L. Lee  
Kenneth Robert Meyer  
Mark A. Odil  
Michael D. Phillips  
Teri Ann Schrader  
Martha Mary Shepherd  
Mary Elizabeth Ann Williams

December 21, 1985

Dominick Afriyie  
Ludwig Hans Apel  
Mary Ann Beletic  
Thomas Henry Boehmer  
Patrick Lee Brown  
*Cum Laude*  
Edward Robert Burns  
Barbara Loretta Delaney  
Patrick John Delaney  
Eric Christopher Ernst  
Thomas Vincent Fahey  
George Christopher Fisher  
John Robert Fraser  
Thomas Drew Freeman  
*Magna Cum Laude*  
Kevin Charles Groene  
Richard Frank Hafner  
John Philip Herberth  
Steve Anthony Janasov  
Anthony Franklin Kelly

Barbara Louise Kordis  
Kelli Lynn Moses  
Cecilia Carol Muth  
James Joseph Robisch  
Elizabeth A. Rodgers  
Constance Marie Ryan  
Janet Rose Schrode  
Richard A. Schwartz  
Richard Fitzgerald Stewart  
James Carlos Texidor  
John Franklin Tilford  
*Cum Laude*  
John Michael Turner  
Christopher John Ulmer  
Alvaro Villa  
John Joseph Wadell  
*Summa Cum Laude*  
Michael Philip Weber  
Jerry L. Whitaker



May 9, 1986

David William Alt  
Schelley Mae Amey  
Teresa Ann Anderson-Little  
Kimberly Ann Appelmann  
*Cum Laude*  
Lauren Louise Arnold  
Jane Maria Baldauf  
Kathleen Ann Baranuk  
Sean Joseph Barrett  
Thomas Joseph Bauer  
Nicholas Raymond Baumgartner III  
Michael Joseph Beatty  
Daniel Mark Beck  
David John Beckman  
Eileen Grathwohl Beckman  
*Summa Cum Laude*  
Mary Ann Beiting  
*Magna Cum Laude*  
Anthony Arthur Blome  
Barbara Jean Boyd  
Paul Matthew Brinker  
Thomas Foley Broderick  
Kathleen Francis Bruning  
James V. Carran  
William James Carroll  
Robert Joseph Cloran  
Lisa Carol Collins  
Thomas Andrew Custer  
Scott Arthur Daigle  
Maurice Marvin Daniel  
Verna Theresa Danielson  
Patrick Anthony Day  
Patrick Paul Dempsey  
Gloria Ann Marie Dennert  
Linus Paul Diedling  
Gregory Louis Dittrich  
*Cum Laude*  
Alexander Mark DiTullio  
Julie Ann Dornbusch  
Michael William Dulle  
Robert Francis Eder  
Karen S. Enderle  
*Magna Cum Laude*  
Joseph Michael Erskine, Jr.  
Scott William Fallar  
Michael Doyle Farmer  
Glenn Patrick Fette  
James S. Fovozzo  
Mary Lee Franke  
Denise Eleanor Fraser

Carl Anderson Freund  
Donna Hyatt Friedhoff  
Anne Mary Furnish  
Joseph Allan Gardner  
Paul Gerard Gartland  
Shelly Ann Gerhardt  
Paul Edward Gervason  
Robin Lynn Giglio  
William Ronald Glines III  
Stephen Robert Gregg  
Elizabeth Ann Groll  
Lori Beth Guidos  
Eric Dale Hadley  
Kathleen Ann Hadley  
Matthew Richard Haitz  
Mark Joseph Hardt  
Richard Charles Harris  
Timothy M. Heitzman  
Andrew Charles Held  
Sharon L. Henry  
Keith William Hepp  
*Cum Laude*  
Thomas Arthur Herbers  
*Cum Laude*  
Kenneth Reuben Hill  
Trevor D. Buchanan Hodge  
Linda Rae Horsley  
Kenneth William Huster  
*Cum Laude*  
Jeffrey Franklin Igleburger  
Boaz Jackson  
Lyn Joyce Jackson  
James R. Jacobs  
Michelle Carlette Johnson  
Antoini Martin Jones  
Janet Lee Jones  
*Summa Cum Laude*  
George R. Joseph  
Thomas Joseph Keitel, Jr.  
*Cum Laude*  
James Paul Kemp  
*Cum Laude*  
Timothy Andrew Kemper  
*Cum Laude*  
Bart Kagenda Kiggundu  
William Edward Klee  
Julie Ann Knor  
*Summa Cum Laude*  
Steven Thomas Koenig  
Michael Charles Konnos  
Andrew H. Krumme  
Thomas Gerard Kuhl  
Julie Rae Kuhn

Mark Andrew Kunkel  
*Cum Laude*  
Suzanne Margaret Lair  
Kristopher Joseph Lamping  
Ned A. Larrick  
Keith Joseph Larsen  
*Cum Laude*  
Ralph Otto Lee, Jr.  
Seug-Kyun Lee  
David William Lehnhoff  
Suzanne Marie Leiker  
*Cum Laude*  
Patrick Allen Lillard  
Jeffrey Steven Lingo  
Maria Anne Lipps  
Maria de Lourdes Lisboa  
Edward Lawrence Long  
Robert Fitzgerald Louis  
Francisco M. Luz  
*Cum Laude*  
John Francis Lynch, Jr.  
Mark Gerard Mackey  
Laura Ann Magner  
*Cum Laude*  
Brian Edward Maley  
Roderick Angus Malone  
Kevin Bryant Marlier  
Walter Hancock Martin  
Javier Alberto Maymir  
Philip Raymond McHugh  
Thomas Francis Migely  
Allan D. Miller  
Dain Terrence Monroe  
*Magna Cum Laude*  
Juan Carlos Mora  
Gary Robert Morris  
Rose Marie Noble  
Melissa Sue Oberhelman  
Timothy James O'Brien  
*Cum Laude*  
Thomas Joseph O'Neil  
John M. Papa  
Juan Carlos Penagos  
Jennifer Anne Pont  
Carlos Andres Quintana  
Anthony Jose Resendes  
John Anthony Rieger  
*Summa Cum Laude*  
James Thomas Ries  
Ana Maria Rivera-Berrios  
James Edward Robben  
Robin Maria Robinson  
Kenneth Mark Rodenas

Gary Russell Rodmaker  
*Cum Laude*  
Thomas Henry Rogers  
Thomas John Rolfes  
Brian Patrick Rowland  
Mary Beth Rudemiller  
Debra Lynn Ryan  
Lynne Marie Salem  
Hector Guillermo Santini  
William Walter Savage III  
Gina M. Scheper  
*Cum Laude*  
David Lawrence Schmidt  
*Magna Cum Laude*  
Daniel Joseph Schroeder  
William John Schulte III  
Cynthia Ann Schwieterman  
Nancy Jo Smith  
*Summa Cum Laude*  
Sharon Sue Smith  
*Cum Laude*  
Lisa Marie Soellner  
John William Somerville  
*Cum Laude*  
John Michael Splain  
Mark Lambert Steinhaus  
Charles E. Stevens  
Roger Joseph Strahm  
Peter Gerard Suess  
Noreen Mary Sullivan  
Richard Edward Surkamp, Jr.  
John Edward Tekulve  
William Henry Thorner  
Richard Steven Toland  
Teresa Catherine Toon  
Christopher Joseph Torbeck  
Elizabeth Therese Tye  
*Magna Cum Laude*  
Edward Louis Vargo  
Barbara Jane Ward  
*Summa Cum Laude*  
Lydia Veronica Ward  
Robert L. Weis II  
*Cum Laude*  
Matthew Joseph Welsh  
Richard M. Welsh  
Timothy John Whelan  
Pauline Ann Wiemels  
James Edward Wimberg  
Joan Marie Ziegler  
*Cum Laude*

# The College of Arts and Sciences

Dr. Charles J. Cusick, Dean

## Associate in Science

August 16, 1985

Carol Camper Clansy

December 21, 1985

Anthony D. Linkmeyer

May 9, 1986

Brian Anthony Hellmann

Theresa P. Maue

Amy Beth Splain

## Associate in Arts

May 9, 1986

Marilyn F. Kamps

## Bachelor of General Studies

August 16, 1985

Eileen Savage Favret

Mary Burks Tapke

Sharon Shannon Veser

December 21, 1985

Amelia Marcela Caballero

Michael John Frank

Deborah Ann Frederick

Lynne Morgan

Paul Irvin Pyles

Susan Ann Schengber

Margaret Wynn

May 9, 1986

Mary Katharine Ausdenmoore

Patricia Kay Bardos

Martin Louis Bruggeman

Rivanna Wilhelmina Cornett

David Neil Eaton

Susan D. Gilster

Sonia Maryann Jackson

Celeste Janine Kuhn

Jeffrey Scott Lemon

F. Sandra Martz

Daniel Martin Peterson

Julia Adams Preziosi

*Magna Cum Laude*

Marilyn Virginia Wagner

## Bachelor of Science

August 16, 1985

Teresa Leonor Muvdi Abufhele

Richard Nicholas Bachelier

Julie Ann Congedo

Karla Marie Feist

*Cum Laude*

Shelagh Jane Larkin

Alba Lydia Rivera

Son Long Trinh

Judith Marie Trischler

June C. Webb

December 21, 1985

Robert Joseph Benkert  
Thomas Francis Berning  
Cynthia Anne Betz  
John Michael Camardo  
Peter John Fehring  
Scott Arthur Fischer  
Maria T. Henry  
Lawrence Dale Higgins  
Thomas Edward Hutchinson

George Michael Isfort  
Dianne Byrd Kuhnell  
Vincent Philip Meyer  
Robert Louis Pleatman  
*Cum Laude*  
Melissa Ann Rauckhorst  
Nancy Claire Suer-Leist  
Linda Kay Zeller  
*Magna Cum Laude*

May 9, 1986

LuAnn Aerni  
*Cum Laude*  
Maria Cecilia Albarracin  
Thomas Joseph Altmayer  
Beda Espedido Alvarez  
Lillian Aparicio  
Phinehas Putnam Barnes III  
John Marc Beck  
Charles John Beischel  
*Summa Cum Laude*  
Jacqueline Auger Bergman  
*Cum Laude*  
Christine Ann Bestfelt  
*Summa Cum Laude*  
Leann Theresa Boots  
Ann Maureen Brian  
*Magna Cum Laude*  
Timothy John Broderick  
*Cum Laude*  
Carol Ann Bross  
Amy Marie Brown  
Marian Margaret Burkart  
*Cum Laude*  
Terence Ryan Burroughs  
*Cum Laude*  
Mary Colleen Bustamante  
Christopher Patrick Caputo  
Mary Ann Carome  
*Magna Cum Laude*  
Timothy James Condron  
Kelly Anne Connor  
Mary Virginia Corrigan  
*Cum Laude*  
Marta Gisela Covas  
Ana Marie Cueva  
James Jerald DePiere  
David Michael Deyhle  
James John Diersing  
Gregory Carl Dietrich  
*Cum Laude*  
Dominic Anthony Dipuccio

Susan Jean Doggett  
Paul Christopher Dorsey  
Damian Andrew Dotterweich  
*Magna Cum Laude*  
Bridget Mary Downey  
Joseph Werner Dransfeld  
*Cum Laude*  
Steven Robert Dresher  
*Cum Laude*  
John Lee Drummonds  
Otto Richard Dueno  
Karen Anne Egan  
Waleed Samaan Fadayel  
Keith Donald Forwith  
Edmund Lee Franchi  
*Cum Laude*  
Mark Alan Frank  
Robert Charles Frey  
Douglas Alan Frierott  
Timothy Gerard Frommeyer  
Mary Jo Gagliardo  
Theresa Mary Geraci  
*Cum Laude*  
Carla Adelaide Guenther  
Patricia Ann Gura  
*Summa Cum Laude*  
Rafael Antonio Gutierrez  
Ruth Anita Hampton  
Natalie Louise Hayes  
James S. Henn  
Timothy John Heyd  
Kathleen Marie Hill  
Christopher Charles Holt  
Cathleen Ann Hrynik  
Omer Charles Hurlburt III  
*Cum Laude*  
Karl W. Joerling  
Ted Faramarz Kadivar  
Keith James Kaiser  
*Cum Laude*

Leigh Anne Kargl  
*Cum Laude*  
 Melissa Maier Keller  
 James Michael Kelly  
*Cum Laude*  
 Kenneth Mitchell Kemner  
*Cum Laude*  
 Michael Thomas Kindt  
 Nancy Ann Kleingers  
 Marla Kleinholz  
*Magna Cum Laude*  
 Karen Sue Kohl  
*Magna Cum Laude*  
 Andrew K. Kohlman  
*Magna Cum Laude*  
 Jennifer Madelaine Kramer  
*Cum Laude*  
 William George Kronenberger  
*Summa Cum Laude*  
 Roger William Krummen  
 Shelli Marie Lachmann  
*Magna Cum Laude*  
 Joseph Andrew Lieber  
 Benjamin Manalo Maraan II  
 Joseph Anthony Martini, Jr.  
 George Henry McCafferty, Jr.  
 Patricia Maria McGeever  
 James C. McGinnis  
 Linda J. Meacci  
*Summa Cum Laude*  
 Ruth Meirose  
 Carmen Irene Reyes Mendoza  
 James Edward Merkl  
 David Paul Miller  
*Summa Cum Laude*  
 Kenneth Mark Mims  
 Shaibal Mukerjee  
 Thomas Gerard Nerl  
 Mary Grace Neyer  
*Summa Cum Laude*  
 Bradley Leonard Noble  
 Camille Felisa Nolasco  
*Cum Laude*  
 Lynn Marie O'Connor  
 Joseph Gerard O'Gorman

Daniel James Olcott  
 Christopher Jerald Ott  
 Dennis John Pattinson  
 Ann Mary Payne  
 Theresa Marie Prasek  
 Joseph Karl Quinlan  
 Uma Sagi Raju  
 Rose Isherdai Ramgobin  
 Stephen Gregory Rechten  
 Theresa Marie Richey  
 Robert Maurice Rodmaker  
 Carmen Mildred Roldan  
 Sandra Jean Roseman  
 Mary Lynn Rudemiller  
 Paul Martin Rutt  
 Heidi M. Scherch  
*Cum Laude*  
 Ted Joseph Schoettinger  
*Summa Cum Laude*  
 Julie M. Schwind  
 Laura Rose Seiter  
*Cum Laude*  
 Michelle Renee Senich  
 Stephen Joseph Shack  
*Cum Laude*  
 Teresita Somoza  
 Barbara Ann Stegeman  
 Joseph Scott Stegman  
 Leann M. Steineman  
*Cum Laude*  
 Erin Patricia Sweeney  
 Joel John Tafuri  
 Jennifer Martinez Tandoc  
 Theodor Joseph Tegenkamp  
*Magna Cum Laude*  
 Lydia D. Texidor  
 Christine Haager Trapp  
 Janet Lee Vokas  
 Michael Landin Watts  
 Thomas Patrick Weithofer  
*In Memoriam*  
 Joseph R. Yoakum  
*Cum Laude*  
 Amy Susan Zimmerman

## Bachelor of Fine Arts

December 21, 1985

Mary Josephine Faillace

May 9, 1986

Jeanne Marie Schwartz

*Cum Laude*

# Bachelor of Arts

August 16, 1985

Robert Joseph Egan, Jr.  
Sister Karen Deborah Furr, S.F.P.  
Teresa Anne Summe  
Lisa Dawn Thompson

Jeanne Marie Ulrich  
*Magna Cum Laude*  
Bess Stultz Wiley

December 21, 1985

Scott James Boyd  
Thomas Andrew Budke  
Mary Teresa Green  
Annette Louise Helmes  
Martha Ann Huschart  
Michael Raymond Huseman

Nancy Carol James  
Sonya Ann McDonnell  
Beth C. Moser  
*Magna Cum Laude*  
Susan Elizabeth Olberding  
Mary Elizabeth Partridge

May 9, 1986

Julie Therese Albers  
Janet Marie Amaddio  
Tracey Marie Andrews  
Daniel Earl Bach  
Julie Harriett Baker  
Kimberly Sue Baker  
Mary Beth Barnes  
Christopher Joseph Beer  
Robert A. Bieger  
Teresa Marie Bowling  
*Summa Cum Laude*  
Kenneth W. Brewer  
*Cum Laude*  
Julie Ann Brickner  
*Cum Laude*  
Carolyn Louise Brinkmann  
David Brown Brousseau  
*Cum Laude*  
Phillip Joseph Bruggeman  
Lynda Marie Brunemann  
Michelle Marie Burtscher  
Susan Elizabeth Casey  
Heather Anne Chapman  
Mary Regina Creed  
*Cum Laude*  
Lisa Kathleen Dillon  
*Cum Laude*  
Jonathan Bruce Dodd  
Michele Ann Drach  
*Magna Cum Laude*  
Marianne Catherine Dumbacher  
*Magna Cum Laude*  
Jennifer Lowe Friedrich  
John Howard Galvin  
*Cum Laude*  
Enid Garcia-Warner

Ann Marie Glenn  
Scott T. Gusweiler  
Louise Atkins Head  
John Joseph Helbling  
David Warren Kieft  
Brendan Gerard King  
Brian Michael King  
Mark Kenneth Kissling  
Robert Craig Knutson  
Kevin Anthony Koppmeier  
Theresa Ann Leininger  
*Cum Laude*  
Cathy Maria Mehn  
Nancy Susan Minning  
Sharon Louise Moorman  
John Patrick Murray  
Carolyn Marie Partridge  
*Magna Cum Laude*  
Edward Owen Patton  
Jennifer Ann Ratay  
Juan Rafael Requena Davila  
Elaine Marie Retzler  
Maria T. Roebker  
*Summa Cum Laude*  
Sahar Saedi  
Thomas Joseph Salatto  
Louis Michael Sand  
James J. Schaefer  
Steve Charles Schindler  
Renee Marie Shaver  
William Thomas Smith  
Kathleen A. Soete  
*Magna Cum Laude*  
John Klaus Stemmer  
*Cum Laude*  
Paula Marie Sullivan

John Abraham Tarvardian  
Karen Anne Tenover  
*Magna Cum Laude*  
Elizabeth Marie Thole  
*Magna Cum Laude*  
Stephen Jerome Tissandier  
Paula Louise Trenkamp  
*Magna Cum Laude*

John Andrew Tymoski  
Paul Joseph Weingartner  
Mary Elizabeth Willcox  
Darlene Kay Wisecup  
Janice Lynne Worland  
Amy Marie Worrall  
Deborah Xander

## University Scholars

### Bachelor of Science in Business Administration-University Scholar

May 9, 1986

Jill Marie Cashman  
*Magna Cum Laude*

### Bachelor of Science-University Scholar

May 9, 1986

Margaret Mary Divish  
*Cum Laude*  
Lisa Marie Kern  
*Summa Cum Laude*  
Thomas John Kunkel  
*Cum Laude*  
Douglas David Moll  
*Cum Laude*

Michele Elaine Neyer  
*Summa Cum Laude*  
Alisa Mary Catherine Ostendorf  
*Cum Laude*  
William Anthony Prysock  
Steven Bruce Thompson  
*Cum Laude*  
Damian Gilmary Wasserbauer

### Bachelor of Arts-University Scholar

May 9, 1986

Paul William Brehm  
*Cum Laude*  
Joseph Bengert Carry  
Willard Louis Harvey  
Kathleen Anne Hillenmeyer  
*Magna Cum Laude*  
Kevin Christopher Klemme  
*Cum Laude*  
Kathryn L. Koehler  
*Magna Cum Laude*

Michael John O'Neill  
*Cum Laude*  
Krista Marie Perry  
Laura Marie Ruwe  
*Cum Laude*  
Sally Skees  
Brian Thomas Stapleton

### Honors Bachelor of Arts

May 9, 1986

Thomas Henry Dinsmore IV

Jeffrey Allen Mesko

Robert Kendal Larson, Jr.

# AWARDS

## FENWICK AWARD

Ernest L. Fontana, Ph.D.

Professor, Department of English

announced by

Theresa A. Leininger, President, Alpha Sigma Nu

## ACADEMIC HONORS

THE COLLEGE OF PROFESSIONAL STUDIES

THE COLLEGE OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

THE COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES

presented by

Roger A. Fortin, Ph.D., Associate Vice President for Academic Affairs

(Awarded at Honors Convocation, April 21, 1986)

Paul L. O'Connor, S.J., Scholarship .....	Kimberley A. Linko
The Mr. & Mrs. Fletcher E. Nyce Award .....	Maria T. Ollier
The Antonio Johnson Scholarship .....	Margaret A. Gooden
Excellence in Auditing Award .....	Anne M. Furnish
Excellence in Taxation Award .....	Carole A. Cooney
The Robert E. Stautberg Accounting Award .....	John R. Berninger
The Accounting Scholastic Improvement Award .....	Keith W. Hepp
The American Society of Women Accountants Scholarship .....	Patricia A. Harmeling
The Biology Award .....	Lisa M. Kern
Biology Prize in Memory of Dr. J.T. Clear .....	Ted Schoettinger
The Rev. Frederick N. Miller, S.J. Award .....	Karen S. Kohl
American Institute of Chemists Award .....	William M. Scheper
Ragland Latin Award .....	Jeffrey A. Mesko
Joseph A. Verkamp Award for Study of Greek .....	Patrick Burhenne
The John M. Zahurancik Prize .....	Robert K. Larson
Delta Sigma Pi Scholarship Key .....	Nancy J. Smith
The Robert G. Kluener Scholarship Fund .....	Daniel J. Carey
The WVXU-FM Public Service Award .....	Anita M. Bray
	Jerome P. Sweeney
The Pro Alma Matre Award .....	Damian Dotterweich
	Linda J. Meacci
	Theodor J. Tegenkamp
The John F. Niehaus Memorial Award .....	Shelli M. Lachmann
The John F. Niehaus Memorial Scholarship .....	Linda A. Krummen
The Craig Menderson Memorial Economics Award .....	Michele E. Neyer
The Department of Economics Award .....	Timothy M. Heitzman



The Raymond F. McCoy Education Award .....	Elizabeth M. Braun Christine Scheper
The Mary Dahlstrom Memorial Award .....	Anne M. Roebker
The National Intermediate Student Teacher of the Year (NEA) .....	Laurie Anne Hogan
The John Patrick Scully Athenaeum Prize .....	Mark K. Kissling
Sweeney Achievement Award .....	Kathleen Hillenmeyer Beth C. Moser
Mermaid Tavern Prize .....	Brian T. Stapleton
The Wall Street Journal Achievement Award .....	John A. Rieger
Robert G. McGraw '49 History Prize .....	Kevin C. Klemme
Louis J. Simon Memorial History Award .....	Susan E. Casey
The Rev. W. Eugene Shiels, S.J., History Award .....	John K. Stemmer
The John F. Niehaus Information Systems Award .....	Beth A. Cossins
The Mary O. Kennington Award .....	Carolyn M. Partridge
The Horst Kanter Award .....	Ellen M. Wimberg
The Management Award for Excellence .....	John R. Nordmeyer, Jr.
American Marketing Association, Cincinnati Chapter, Award .....	Julie A. Knor
The Richard A. Grosse, Jr. Memorial Scholarship Award .....	Mary Ann Beiting
The William V. Masterson Memorial Scholarship Award .....	Colleen M. Back Janet L. Jones Laura A. Magner John J. Wadell
The Walter A. Kumpf Outstanding Marketing Student Award .....	Julie A. Knor
The Comer-Reynolds Memorial Fund Award Best Student in Statistics .....	Stephen J. Shack
The Robert F. Cissell Memorial Fund Awards .....	Marian M. Burkart Keith J. Kaiser Thomas J. Kunkel Anne M. Valasek
Kramer-Miller Mathematics Award .....	Mary G. Neyer Michelle E. Neyer
The Richard J. Wehrmeyer Pi Mu Epsilon Award .....	William C. Wester III
Colonel Charles F. Williams Military Scholarship .....	Daniel M. Thomas
The Alliance Francaise of Cincinnati Award .....	Suzanne T. Egbers Barbara P. Graham Jeffrey R. Huth Dennis E. Kramer Stephen J. Tobin
The Joseph E. Bourgeois French Memorial Award .....	Maria D. Lockhorn
The Joseph E. Bourgeois German Memorial Award .....	David F. Dearworth
Martin G. Dumler Philosophy Award .....	Brian T. Stapleton
Archbishop McNicholas Philosophy Award .....	Paul St. Francis Blair
Dr. Frederick A. Hauck Physics Research Awards .....	Paul C. Dorsey Paul M. Rutt
Theodore A. Kent-Bozhidar Kantarjieve Physics Award .....	Randolph S. Kohlman Dona S. Spirtoff

George F. and Agatha M. Salter Political Science Award .....	Willard L. Harvey
The Edward C. Gasiewicz Prize in Political Science .....	James L. Avritt, Jr.
The Clarence J. Wagner Sociology Award .....	Paul J. Weingartner
Francis I. Hamel Prize in Psychology .....	Ana M. Reyes
Glen LaGrange Psychology Award .....	William G. Kronenberger
Catherine Brizzolara Psychology Award .....	Christine M. Bachman
The Otto Kvapil Drama Award .....	Phillip J. Bruggeman
The Rev. Victor B. Nieporte, S.J., Achievement Award in Theology .....	Thomas J. Kunkel
The Dr. William J. Topmoeller Theology Award .....	Patrick J. Nugent
The David William Snyder Theology Award .....	Melanie A. Koop

**ALPHA SIGMA NU-National Jesuit Honor Society**  
(Inducted 1985-86)

Carol S. Ash	Kathryn L. Koehler
Colleen M. Back	Shelli M. Lachmann
Mary Ann Beiting	Kimberley A. Linko
Ann M. Brian	Bridget MacMillan
Jean E. Bross	Michael F. Marcotte
Christi A. Brown	Margaret A. Mattimoe
Marian Burkart	Mary E. McCormick
Cheryl Carson	Linda J. Meacci
Jill M. Cashman	Douglas D. Moll
Carole A. Cooney	Ramesh K. Murthy
Marianne C. Dumbacher	Mary G. Neyer
Robert V. Erhart	Robert P. Noschang
Stephen L. Erskine	Timothy J. O'Brien
Kathleen M. Gallagher	Maria T. Ollier
James M. Gebel	Carolyn M. Partridge
Theresa M. Geraci	Lorna C. Patrick
Barbara P. Graham	Jene M. Reichardt
Mary Lynn Heimback	Mary Clare Rietz
Jean M. Hoover	Maria T. Roebker
Janet L. Jones	Paul J. Rupp
Cinda M. Kieffer	Joseph J. Sreenan
Julie A. Knor	Theodor J. Tegenkamp

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Barbara P. Graham	Dennis E. Kramer

Stephen J. Tobin

# MILITARY HONORS AND COMMISSIONS

## DISTINGUISHED MILITARY GRADUATES

2LT Cynthia A. Betz  
2LT Mathew Brodbeck  
2LT Robert C. Knutson

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Military Police Corps - May 16, 1986  
2LT Beth M. Reilly

Medical Service Corps - May 16, 1986  
2LT Patrick A. Day

Air Defense Artillery - May 16, 1986  
2LT Maurice M. Daniel  
2LT Thomas G. Elfers

Aviation - May 16, 1986  
2LT Steven T. Koenig

Armor - December 11, 1985  
2LT Walter H. Martin

Armor - May 16, 1986  
2LT Mark J. Hardt  
2LT Gary C. Topper

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Military Police Corps - May 16, 1986  
2LT Sterling R. Walker

Medical Service Corps - May 16, 1986  
2LT Otto R. Dueno

Aviation - December 11, 1985  
2LT Kimberly S. Rowe

Finance Corps - May 16, 1986  
2LT John M. Schultz

Armor - May 16, 1986  
2LT Franklin J. Perez

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## HONORARY DEGREE CITATIONS — May 17, 1986

### Robert G. Kluener

“The Xavier years are a time for preparing morally and mentally for the world ahead,” is the wise observation of one of Xavier University’s most distinguished and dedicated graduates, Robert G. Kluener.

The entire Xavier University community is indeed fortunate to be a part of the “world ahead” of Mr. Kluener, for he has provided distinguished leadership and dedicated service to his Alma Mater as Chairman of the Board of Trustees.

With Cincinnati roots that are deep, Mr. Kluener utilized well the strong foundation he developed as a motivated undergraduate more than forty years ago. After receiving his Bachelor of Science degree in chemistry, Mr. Kluener joined Cincinnati’s St. Thomas Institute as a biochemist. He later moved on to Schenley Laboratories, also as a biochemist. In 1953, he joined Campbell-Hausfeld, where he became president one year later and led the company through a remarkable period of expansion and productivity. In 1971, Campbell-Hausfeld was acquired by a prestigious Fortune 500 company.

Throughout his life, Mr. Kluener never misplaced his loyalty to his Alma Mater. In 1984, Mr. Kluener was awarded the Alumni Association’s Distinguished Alumnus Award for, “his exemplary life and his outstanding contributions to his community, his church and his university.” In addition, in 1981 Mr. Kluener served as honorary Chairman of the Mardi Gras Ball.

Mr. Kluener has also offered his services to other institutions. As Chairman of the Board of Trustees of St. Francis-St. George Health Service, Inc., he is a pragmatic activist for compassionate and affordable health care in a time of spiralling industry costs. He also received in 1982 the Astrolabe Award of Roger Bacon High School as an alumnus who makes “a significant contribution to humanity and reflects the school’s ideals and traditions.”

President Mastrianna, because he has provided distinguished leadership as Chairman of the Board of Trustees of Xavier University, and has demonstrated to an eminent degree a caring concern for his fellow man, and has lived a life replete with committed service to just causes, it is my pleasure to present to you, Mr. Robert G. Kluener, for the degree of Doctor of Humanities, *honoris causa*.

### Edward J. Maruska

Commitment, innovation, sensitivity, creativity — adjectives that describe the type of leadership Edward J. Maruska has provided as Executive Director of the world-famous Cincinnati Zoo since 1968.

It has been said that dreams and visions become reality when Mr. Maruska commandeers an organization. How can anyone question such a statement after visiting the Cincinnati Zoo.

During Mr. Maruska’s tenure as Executive Director, the Zoo has become a world leader in breeding endangered species, constructing quality exhibits, pursuing cooperative zoo-university research projects, and establishing an impressive educational program. Indeed, Xavier University students made nearly 1,000 visits to the Zoo during the past year. One need only visit the Children’s Zoo, or the recently opened Carnivore House, or the Insect World to see Mr. Maruska’s contribution to achieving national recognition. The Cincinnati Zoo’s success in breeding endangered species is world renown. We in Cincinnati have become accustomed to news of the birth of a baby gorilla or white tiger. That same news brings recognition from throughout the world to Mr. Maruska, the Zoo, and our City.

Mr. Maruska has also displayed leadership within his field. He is past president of the American Association of Zoological Parks and Aquariums and continues active involvement in special projects for that association. In 1976, Mr. Maruska was awarded the “Outstanding Service Award” from the A.A.Z.P.A. Mr. Maruska is also a member of scores of organizations pertaining to his profession. In addition, Mr. Maruska was selected in 1973 as “City of Cincinnati Conservation Man of the Year.” In 1974, he received the Cincinnati Ambassador Award from the Cincinnati Convention and Visitors Bureau.

President Mastrianna, since he has achieved world-wide recognition as a leader in his chosen field, and has enhanced the cultural welfare of the City of Cincinnati, and has contributed so much to the education of students at Xavier and other institutions, I am proud to present to you, Mr. Edward J. Maruska, for the degree of Doctor of Science, *honoris causa*.

## HONORARY DEGREE CITATION — May 17, 1986

### Loret Miller Ruppe

Jesuit education, at its finest, is exemplified by academic excellence, a commitment to service, and the development of future leaders. This is accomplished by dedicated and enlightened involvement in the many diverse facets of university life.

Loret Miller Ruppe, as Director of the Peace Corps, personifies what every Jesuit college and university hopes to impress upon the thousands of young men and women who devote four years of their lives to the honing of academic skills, the development of their character, the enlargement of their horizons and the enrichment of their faith.

Mrs. Ruppe, appointed as Director of the Peace Corps in 1981, is currently serving the second longest tenure of any Director since the Peace Corps' inception in 1961. In this post she has displayed a dedication to the service of others and has been a champion in her efforts to promote world peace and friendship. Since 1981, Mrs. Ruppe has directed the activities of more than 6,000 Peace Corp Volunteers per year who serve in 61 developing countries. A native of Milwaukee, Wisconsin, Mrs. Ruppe has had a long and distinguished career in community service, as a volunteer organizer and a civic leader with a number of local and national organizations.

Loret Miller Ruppe, from her unique perspective, has seen injustice, poverty, and the human condition at its worst in Central and South America, Africa, Asia and the South Pacific. Also from this unique perspective, and, no doubt, due to her talented leadership in the development and implementation of new and innovative programs, her selfless commitment to the service of others, and her expertise in the utilization of valuable human resources, she has seen injustices righted, poverty relieved, and the human condition improved by the thousands of Americans who share their unique skills and talents in the areas of health, education, nutrition, agriculture, forestry and rural development with those less fortunate.

President Mastrianna, because she has emphasized to an eminent degree the ideals of Jesuit education at its finest and because she has shown by example that all Americans can play an important role in the betterment of mankind, it is my pleasure to present to you, Mrs. Loret Miller Ruppe, for the degree of Doctor of Humanities, *honoris causa*.

## ONE MILLIONTH LIVING ALUMNA RECIPIENT

The 1986 commencement ceremonies provide a unique event in the four-century history of Jesuit education. This year the one millionth living alumnus/alumna will graduate from one of the twenty-eight Jesuit colleges or universities in the United States. Xavier University, like each of the twenty-eight institutions, is honoring a symbolic one millionth alumnus/alumna who exemplifies the ideals of Jesuit education — ideals which combine academic excellence with a value-oriented education that encourages caring concern and service to others. The 1986 Xavier University graduate receiving this honor is Theresa Leininger, an English and history major with a peace studies concentration. Ms. Leininger is president of Alpha Sigma Nu, the Jesuit honor society and the 1986 recipient of The Xavier University Alumni Association's Father Finn Award.

# HONOR GRADUATES

Honors are awarded on the basis of outstanding achievement in academic study. The student must have completed at least half of the degree requirements and half of the courses in the major field at Xavier University to be eligible for honors. These honors are inscribed on the student's diploma, printed in the commencement program and on the student's official University permanent record.

## Summa Cum Laude

Undergraduate students who have earned a quality point average of 3.90 on a 4 point scale in college work will be recognized as graduating *Summa Cum Laude*.

## Magna Cum Laude

Undergraduate students who have earned a quality point average of 3.75 on a 4 point scale in college work will be recognized as graduating *Magna Cum Laude*.

## Cum Laude

Undergraduate students who have earned a quality point average of 3.50 on a 4 point scale in college work will be recognized as graduating *Cum Laude*.



## THE SEAL OF XAVIER UNIVERSITY

The Seal or Heraldic Shield of Xavier University combines three principal ideas: St. Francis Xavier, patron of the University; the Jesuit Order of which he was a distinguished member; and the University. The five vertical stripes suggest the coat of arms of the Xavier family. A right arm wearing the Jesuit robe holds aloft the Crucifix, signifying St. Francis Xavier preaching Christ crucified. The three red sea shells signify the three journeys of Xavier into the Orient. Above the shield is the Jesuit seal and below is the Jesuit motto, A.M.D.G. [Ad Majorem Dei Gloriam]. The words Vidit Mirabilia Magna [he has seen great wonders] are from the Divine Office and in context say: "Such is he who having inquired into righteousness, has awakened to her admirable grandeur."

# ACADEMIC APPAREL HISTORY AND SIGNIFICANCE

The history of academic dress and its significance has its beginnings from the earliest days of the old universities. As early as the fourteenth century some colleges required scholars to wear long gowns. Specifications of academic apparel became greatly diversified in Europe.

American colleges and universities decided it beneficial to have a standardized intercollegiate academic apparel code for the United States. In May 1895, representatives from interested institutions met at Columbia University and adopted a code for academic dress.

The "Intercollegiate Bureau of Academic Costume" was formed in 1902 to serve as the information source in matters pertaining to academic dress. In 1932 the American Council on Education appointed a committee to revise the apparel codes established in 1895. Review and revisions to the 1895 academic apparel codes occurred in 1932 and 1959.

## Gowns

The gown for the bachelor's degree has pointed sleeves. It is designed to be worn closed. The gown for the master's degree has oblong sleeves which open at the wrist. The gown is designed with fasteners so that it may be worn open or closed. Black is the recommended color for both gowns. There are no trimmings on either of the gowns.

## Hoods

Hoods are worn for the master's degree. The material of the hood must be black and made of the same material as the gown. The master's hood should be three and one-half feet in length and lined with the official color or colors of the college or university conferring the degree. The edging is to be three inches of velvet or velveteen with the color being distinctive of the subject to which the degree pertains. The colors that pertain to Xavier's degrees are as follows:

Arts	White
Business	Yale Blue
Education	Light Blue
Science	Golden Yellow
M/Hospital Administration	Kelly Green
Public Administration	Peacock Blue

## Caps

Black mortarboards of the same material as the gown are to be worn with the tassel of the color pertaining to the degree fastened to the middle point of the top of the cap.

The names and honors of the graduates listed are for purposes of this program and do not represent a final certification of graduation. Xavier University is an academic community committed to equal opportunity for all persons regardless of age, sex, race, religion, handicap or national origin.

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