

Saginaw Valley State University  
23rd Annual  
**COMMENCEMENT**

Friday, May 6, 1988  
Saturday, May 7, 1988



**SAGINAW VALLEY STATE UNIVERSITY**  
2250 Pierce Road • University Center, MI 48710



# **COMMENCEMENT**

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8:00 p.m.

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1:30 p.m.

Cardinal Gymnasium

Saginaw Valley State University

## **ACADEMIC PROCESSION**

The Marshal  
The Deputy Marshal  
Faculty and Administration  
Candidates for Masters Degrees  
Candidates for Baccalaureate Degrees  
Deans  
Vice Presidents  
Board of Control Members  
Candidates for Honorary Degrees  
President

The audience is requested to stand during the Processional, the singing of the National Anthem, and the Recessional.

A professional photographer will take portraits of the graduates during Commencement. Proofs will be supplied and photo orders may be made if desired.

Personal pictures may be taken from your seat. In order to preserve the view of each member of the audience, we ask that no photographs be taken from any area of the gymnasium floor during the processional or during the Commencement ceremony. Your cooperation is sincerely appreciated.

# ORDER OF EVENTS

Friday, May 6, 1988

The Colleges of  
Arts and Behavioral Sciences  
Education

MARSHAL ..... Thomas Gillespie, Ph.D., D.Sc.

DEPUTY MARSHAL ..... David E. Barker, Ph.D.

PRE-COMMENCEMENT CONCERT ..... SVSU Concert Band  
William B. Wollner, M.A., Director  
Charles T. Brown, Ph.D., Conductor

PROGRAM (Selections from the following)

*Second Suite in F* ..... Gustav Holst  
*A Festive Overture* ..... Alfred Reed  
*The Black Horse Troop* ..... John Philip Sousa  
*Allerseelen* ..... Richard Strauss  
Arr. Frederick Fennell  
*Satiric Dances* ..... Norman Dello Joio  
*Chorale and Shaker Dance* ..... John Zdechlik  
*Jesu, Joy of Man's Desiring* ..... Johann Sebastian Bach  
*Selections from Cats* ..... Andrew Lloyd Webber  
Arr. John Edmondson

PROCESSIONAL (Please stand and remain standing for the National Anthem.)  
*Pomp and Circumstance* ..... Sir Edward Elgar

NATIONAL ANTHEM ..... Fred Szczepanski, vocalist

PRESIDING ..... Jack M. Ryder, Ph.D., President

INVOCATION ..... The Venerable Charles M. Stuart, D.Min.

CONFERRING OF HONORARY DEGREE

Rhea E. Miller, Doctor of Fine Arts ..... Candidate presented by  
William K. Barnett, Ph.D., Dean, College of Arts  
and Behavioral Sciences

CONFERRING OF LANDEE AWARD FOR OUTSTANDING TEACHING

Eric F. Petersen, Ph.D., Professor of History ..... Presented by  
Robert S.P. Yien, Ph.D., Vice President for Academic Affairs

CONFERRING OF WARRICK AWARD FOR EXCELLENCE IN RESEARCH

Hsuan Shen Chen, Ph.D., Professor of Physics ..... Presented by  
Robert S.P. Yien

Order of Events, Friday, May 6, 1988 (continued)

REMARKS ..... Jack M. Ryder

CONFERRING OF MASTER OF ARTS DEGREES  
IN CRIMINAL JUSTICE/POLITICAL SCIENCE

Candidates presented by ..... William K. Barnett

*The graduates' names will be read by Mr. John W. Spreeman, SVSU Staff*

CONFERRING OF MASTER OF ARTS IN TEACHING AND MASTER OF  
EDUCATION DEGREES

Candidates presented by ..... David E. Nelson, Ph.D., Dean,  
College of Education

CONFERRING OF BACCALAUREATE DEGREES

Honors Program

Candidates presented by ..... Robert S.P. Yien  
College of Arts and Behavioral Sciences

Candidates presented by ..... William K. Barnett  
College of Education

Candidates presented by ..... David E. Nelson

INDUCTION INTO SVSU ALUMNI ASSOCIATION

Albert J. Beutler, Ph.D. .... Executive Director of Development  
and SVSU Foundation

Timothy L. Lipan, B.A. .... President, SVSU Alumni Association

Lisa A. Tucker ..... President, SVSU Student Government

PRESENTATION OF DISTINGUISHED ALUMNI AWARD

David H. Roche ..... Timothy L. Lipan

ALMA MATER ..... Fred Szczepanski

BENEDICTION ..... The Venerable Charles M. Stuart

RECESSIONAL ..... *Pomp and Circumstance*

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## CONFERRING OF HONORARY DEGREES

Linneaus C. Dorman, Doctor of Science ..... Candidate presented by  
Thomas E. Kullgren, Ph.D., Dean, College of Science,  
Engineering and Technology

Robert H. Tiderington, Doctor of Laws ..... Candidate presented by  
James L. Mitchell, D.B.A., Dean, College of Business  
and Management

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Candidates presented by ..... James L. Mitchell

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## CONFERRING OF BACCALAUREATE DEGREES

Honors Program

Candidates presented by ..... Robert S.P. Yien  
College of Business and Management

Candidates presented by ..... James L. Mitchell  
College of Nursing and Allied Health Sciences

Candidates presented by ..... Crystal M. Lange, Ph.D., Dean, College of  
Nursing and Allied Health Sciences

College of Science, Engineering and Technology

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## RECEPTIONS FOR THE COLLEGES OF BUSINESS AND MANAGEMENT, AND SCIENCE, ENGINEERING AND TECHNOLOGY

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## PINNING CEREMONY FOR GRADUATES OF THE COLLEGE OF NURSING AND ALLIED HEALTH SCIENCES

3:30 p.m., Saginaw Valley State University Theatre

## RECEPTION FOR THE COLLEGE OF NURSING AND ALLIED HEALTH SCIENCES

Immediately following the Pinning Ceremony, the graduates, their families, faculty and staff are invited to a reception to be held in Doan Center.

## CANDIDATES FOR HONORARY DEGREES



### RHEA E. MILLER DOCTOR OF FINE ARTS

Rhea E. Miller, former Director of Music Education for the Saginaw Public Schools, is a native of Eaton Rapids, Michigan. She graduated from Albion College in 1919 with a Bachelor of Music degree, majoring in both piano and voice. She entered the field of public school music at the Township High School in Metamora, Illinois.

In 1922 she became the Supervisor of Music at Marshall, Minnesota. At the end of her three year tenure there five of her choral groups won first place awards at the state district music contests.

In 1924 Miss Miller entered the University of Michigan to complete her A.B. degree. In September, 1926, she joined the Music Department of the Saginaw Public Schools, teaching vocal music and piano in the first three grades of the west side schools. She also directed the Girls Glee Club at Arthur Hill High School.

Her interest in orchestra and orchestral music stimulated the promotion of the elementary string program. City-wide Sunday afternoon concerts for the string players and their parents were arranged to encourage and further an interest in orchestral music. When the Cleveland, Detroit or Minneapolis Symphony Orchestras scheduled appearances in Saginaw, all elementary children were taken to the City Auditorium for afternoon matinee concerts.

Miss Miller provided continual incentives for high standard performances by junior-senior high school instrumental organizations. She encouraged them to appear in parades and school concerts. Annual scholarships to the Interlochen Music Camp, given by the Morley Foundation, were awarded to deserving junior-senior high school students from each school.

In the field of choral music, Miss Miller gave encouragement to elementary and junior-senior choirs and other choral groups. She engaged nationally recognized choral conductors for appearances at the annual junior-senior choral festivals in the City Auditorium. Their presence inspired students as well as teachers.

Miss Miller strengthened her own music credentials by attending summer sessions at Columbia University and a number of three-week workshops in choral music at St. Olaf College. She was recognized state-wide as an authority in music education for the classroom teacher. Miss Miller developed a unique program of eurhythmics, which was demonstrated throughout the state, for elementary children.

During her tenure in the Saginaw Public Schools, Miss Miller was active in community musical activities, including the Tuesday Musicale. She served as a long-time board member and president of the Saginaw Community Concerts Association. She also served on the board of the Saginaw Art Museum, at which time she presented Sunday Afternoon Wind Concerts given by individuals or small groups of music students from Albion College, Central Michigan University and Saginaw.

Miss Miller holds a life membership in the Music Educators National Conference. She retired from the Saginaw Public Schools in 1965 and is living in Saginaw. She has been a strong supporter of the fine arts at Saginaw Valley State University.

## CANDIDATES FOR HONORARY DEGREES (continued)



### LINNEAUS C. DORMAN DOCTOR OF SCIENCE

Linneaus C. Dorman joined the Dow Chemical Company in 1960 in the Special Assignments program. He has earned several promotions during his employment with Dow, moving successively to the E. C. Britton Laboratory, Pharmaceutical Research, the Central Research Plastics Laboratory and the Central Research Polymer Research Laboratory. His position titles have included Research Chemist, Senior Research Chemist and Senior Research Specialist.

In 1983 he was named Associate Scientist, recognizing the many significant contributions he made in several areas of research, especially in the biomedical field. Dr. Dorman holds more than twenty U.S. patents, and has been recognized for his research on mineral-filled poly(amino acid) composites. His role in the development of a latex-based pregnancy test reagent, the development of new methods in solid-phase synthesis and his work on peptide synthesis also has achieved recognition. Much of his work is known and respected internationally and is covered by foreign patents.

Dr. Dorman has written numerous scientific papers. He holds membership in several professional organizations and honorary societies. Included are the American Chemical Society, in which he has held local, regional and national offices; the National Organization of Black Chemists and Chemical Engineers; the American Association for the Advancement of Science; the Black Executive Exchange Program of the National Urban League; and the Society for the Advancement of Material and Process Engineering.

Honor society memberships include Pi Kappa Delta, Phi Lambda Upsilon and Sigma Xi. He was a Dow Research Fellow at Indiana University in 1959-60, and he won the Dow Chemical Central Research Inventor of the Year Award in 1983.

Dr. Dorman also has been active in civic organizations, among them the Midland Jaycees, the Midland Commission on Community Relations, the Saginaw Valley State University Board of Fellows, the Midland Rotary Club, the Midland Black Coalition, the Midland Foundation, the United Negro College Fund, Inc. and the Midland Center for the Arts Board of Directors. He is a life member of NAACP.

Dr. Dorman is an emeritus member of the Saginaw Valley State University Board of Fellows, a board of community leaders advisory to the President and Board of Control of the University. He served as secretary, vice chairman and chairman of the Board for two years.

Born in South Carolina, Dr. Dorman earned a Bachelor of Science degree in chemistry from Bradley University and a Ph.D. degree in chemistry from Indiana University. He and his wife Phae are the parents of two children, Evelyn Suzanne and John Albert III.



### ROBERT H. TIDERINGTON DOCTOR OF LAWS

Robert H. Tiderington is Chairman of the Board and Chief Executive Officer of Fischer-Flack Inc. The firm was created through the merger of the Flack-Pennell Company, purchased by Mr. Tiderington in 1955, and the J. George Fischer Company, which he purchased in 1971.

Mr. Tiderington is a graduate of Cooley High School in Detroit. He also attended the Business Institute there. His business career began with his employment as a stockman and delivery driver for Detroit Ball Bearing Company in 1935. In 1941, following his marriage to Charlotte Hughes, he transferred to the Saginaw Branch of the Detroit Ball Bearing Company. Soon after, he was promoted to manager of that operation.

Mr. Tiderington has been very active in community affairs. He is past president of the Saginaw Downtown Lions Club, the Saginaw Club, and of the Saginaw Township Board of Education. He also served as president of Junior Achievement of Saginaw County and of the United Way of Saginaw County.

He currently serves on the directing boards of St. Luke's Hospital, Saginaw Cooperative Hospitals Inc., and the Navy League. He is secretary-treasurer of St. Luke's Healthcare Association and president of the Home for the Aged and of the Japanese Cultural Center and Tea House.

Other organizations that have benefited from Mr. Tiderington's board service include Family Federal Savings and Loan Association, United Way of Michigan, Saginaw County Chamber of Commerce, Samaritan Center of Saginaw Valley and Saginaw Valley Rehabilitation Center. He is past vice president of the Michigan State Chamber of Commerce.

His current memberships include the Saginaw Club, Saginaw Country Club, Torch Club, Germania of Saginaw, Hidden Valley and Otsego Ski Club, Elf Khurafeh Shrine, Royal Order of Jesters Court E74, and the Bay City Consistory. He is Past Master of Pioneer Lodge #79 F&AM, and continues to be an active member of the organization.

Mr. Tiderington is a member of Saginaw Valley State University's Cardinal Club and Coaches Corner.

The Tideringtons are parents of three sons, Robert H. III, James E. and Thomas E.

## THE 1987-88 FRANC A. LANDEE AWARD FOR EXCELLENCE IN TEACHING

### ERIC F. PETERSEN PROFESSOR OF HISTORY



Eric F. Petersen, recipient of the 1987-88 Franc A. Landee Award for Excellence in Teaching, began his teaching assignments with Saginaw Valley State University in 1969 as an assistant professor of history and advanced to professor of history in 1978. He specializes in U.S. history and American social history and has developed courses examining the arms race/military preparedness, as well as the social and political effects of U.S. participation in 20th century wars, including the Korean War and the war in Vietnam.

Students comment that Dr. Petersen's classes are interesting, that he puts great detail into his lectures and obviously enjoys teaching and his subject. His classes are popular and have high enrollments at all levels.

Recognized as an innovator, Dr. Peterson has taught several courses off campus and was among the first to teach a television course. He originated a television course on the Vietnam War.

Dr. Petersen earned his Bachelor of Arts degree in history from St. Olaf College. His Master of Arts and Ph.D. degrees in history were completed at the University of California-Los Angeles. He has completed summer institute fellowships at Vanderbilt University, the University of Michigan and the University of Connecticut.

Research papers authored by Dr. Petersen have been presented at professional meetings and conferences throughout the United States. His work has been published in scholarly journals such as the "Pacific Historical Review," the "California Historical Quarterly" and the "Southern California Quarterly." He also has authored a number of unpublished papers.

Dr. Petersen is extremely active as a faculty advisor, both in the history department and for students with undeclared majors. He also has served on several honors-thesis committees and the Honors Program Committee, and twice chaired the history department.

Dr. Petersen and his wife Sally reside in Midland. They are the parents of two sons, Ethan and Seth.

## THE 1987-88 EARL L. WARRICK AWARD FOR EXCELLENCE IN RESEARCH



### HSUAN SHEN CHEN PROFESSOR OF PHYSICS

Dr. Hsuan Shen "Frank" Chen joined Saginaw Valley State University as an instructor of physics in 1969 and attained the rank of professor in 1979. Prior to his work at SVSU he taught and served as a research assistant at the University of Minnesota.

Dr. Chen has earned international attention for his research in optics and holography. He has more than forty published papers on various aspects of holography and applied optics. Many have appeared in international journals and results of his studies have been presented at conferences worldwide. In 1982 he conducted seminars on rainbow holography at various sites in the People's Republic of China.

Because of his acclaim, three visiting scholars from the People's Republic of China arrived in 1981 to work with Dr. Chen for a two year period. Dr. Chen currently is working with Professor Chen Ming-Yi, vice chairman of the Department of Fine Mechanical Engineering at the Shanghai University of Science and Technology.

Much of Dr. Chen's work has involved analysis of the astigmatic process that is utilized in astigmatic rainbow holography, a U. S. invention. He also has developed methods for applying laser technology to the production of computer-generated holograms - three-dimensional images of objects. Practical applications of his work include the ability to test materials for certain properties without having to physically damage or dissect the materials and the ability to produce three-dimensional images of internal organs.

Dr. Chen has involved students and research associates in his work and as the co-author of papers. Area secondary school physics teachers, fellow university physics faculty members and researchers also are the beneficiaries of his study.

The quality of Dr. Chen's work has led to numerous grants. Included are the Atomic Energy Commission Research Grant in Nuclear Physics, three National Science Foundation grants and three SVSU research grants. In 1987 Dr. Chen completed a two year research program funded by Control Data Corporation and managed by the University of Michigan. The total award was over \$70,000.

Dr. Chen is recognized as one of the top ten U.S. researchers in optical holography. His colleagues at SVSU awarded him the 1986 Faculty Association Research Award.

Dr. Chen is a member of the Optical Society of America. In 1983 he was honored as distinguished faculty member by the Michigan Association of Governing Boards and Michigan House Concurrent Resolution No. 150.

In addition to his teaching and research, Dr. Chen serves as director of the SVSU Observatory, which houses a 16 inch Schmidt Cassegrain Reflector and a number of smaller telescopes.

Dr. Chen earned a Bachelor of Science in physics from the National Taiwan University, where he received a merit scholarship in natural science. His Master of Science degree in physics was awarded by National Tsing Hua University, and he earned a second master's degree in computer engineering from the University of Michigan. He completed requirements for his Ph.D. in physics at the University of Minnesota. He also completed post-doctoral study in the University of Michigan's department of physics and was first a visiting scholar, then a visiting research scientist in the electro-optics laboratory at the U. of M. Dr. Chen, his wife Catherine and their two sons, James and John, reside in Midland.

## 1988 DISTINGUISHED ALUMNI AWARD

### DAVID H. ROCHE



David H. Roche received a Bachelor of Arts degree from then Saginaw Valley College in 1970, with majors in accounting and economics. While attending SVC, he served as vice president of Student Government and president of the student senate. As an undergraduate, he was awarded the Wall Street Journal student achievement award.

In 1971 Mr. Roche completed requirements for the Master of Business Administration degree at Michigan State University. He was inducted into Beta Alpha Psi, a national accounting honors society.

From 1971 to 1976 Mr. Roche was employed with Touche Ross & Co., Certified Public Accountants, as a member of the audit staff. He earned his CPA certificate in 1974.

Mr. Roche joined the Saginaw Township-based Michigan Sugar Company as controller in 1976. He was promoted to vice president-administration and assistant secretary in 1980. He also is a trustee of the U.S. Beet Sugar Association headquartered in Washington, D.C.

A Saginaw native, Mr. Roche has served on the Saginaw County Chamber of Commerce board of directors since 1983. He sits on the advisory board of St. Mary's Medical Center and has served as a division campaign co-chairman for United Way of Saginaw County.

Mr. Roche has actively supported the local activities of Boy Scouts of America and is active with Indian Guides. He is involved with various school and church activities in Saginaw Township, including the township "Support Our Schools" committee. In 1985 he served on the Educational Needs Study Committee for the Saginaw Township Community Schools. Currently he serves as a member of the strategic planning sub-committee of finance for the school district.

The Saginaw Valley Chapter of Professional Secretaries International named him "Executive of the Year" in 1987.

A past board member of the SVSU Alumni Association, Mr. Roche has taught accounting part-time at SVSU. He is the thirteenth person to receive the Distinguished Alumni Award, which is based on service to the community, the University and the SVSU Alumni Association.

Mr. Roche and his wife Rae Ann are the parents of three children, Melissa, David and Sarah. They reside in Saginaw Township. He is the son of Helen G. Roche of Saginaw and the late David C. Roche.



## CANDIDATES FOR MASTER'S DEGREES

### COLLEGE OF ARTS & BEHAVIORAL SCIENCES

*William K. Barnett, Dean*

#### M.A. – Master of Arts in Criminal Justice/Political Science

Bouckaert, Bethany Kay  
King, Roseanna Kay  
McMorris, Michael Anthony  
Snelling, Linda Ann

### COLLEGE OF BUSINESS & MANAGEMENT

*James L. Mitchell, Dean*

#### M.B.A. – Master of Business Administration

Arbabi, Akram Nouri  
Bekemeier, David Frederick  
Bond, Patricia Carol  
Ciesla, Mary Beth  
Conn, David Edward  
Fisher, Brian Allen  
Gilkey, Charles Glenn  
Haag, Danny Lyle  
Harman, William Clair, Jr.  
Humbarwadi, Shivkumar Dundappa  
Jenkins, Keith Laurence  
Johnson, Bradford Pearson

Kaczynski, Cheryl Lynn  
Kajaria, Ajay Gokaldas  
Kocks, Daniel Scott  
Lupcke, Martin William  
McQuirter, Dwight G.  
O'Farrell, Pamela A.  
Olgren, Leland Nels  
Shook, James Curtis  
Spreeman, John W.  
Tilot, Gregory James  
Webb, Thomas M.  
Wiseman, Betty S. Tatar

### COLLEGE OF EDUCATION

*David E. Nelson, Dean*

#### M.A.T. – Master of Arts in Teaching

Allen, Orlin Garth  
Appleford, Lynn A.  
Barth, Beverly Anne  
Bauman, Sandra Jean  
Beck, Valerie Jean  
Biglane, Linda M.  
Boettcher, Julie Marie  
Britt, Suzanne B.  
Buchinger, Lori Ann  
Burnell, Patricia Dueueke  
Carroll, Linda Joy  
Chapman, Alice Lynn  
Chipman, Jeanne D.

Cleve, Juliann M.  
Coppa, Judith Phyllis  
Dahn, Mary L.  
DiGiglio, Ellen Katherine  
Dietz, Marilyn Anne  
Doederlein, Karen Ann  
Ecklund, Camille R.  
Flippin, Elaine Hartson  
Giffels, Lawrence Edward  
Gotham, Patricia A.  
Harrison, Louise  
Horen, Debra Ann  
Hultman, Charlene Mary

### College of Education Master of Arts in Teaching (continued)

James, Marcia  
Jorns, Karen A.  
Kandt, Nancy E.  
Kansa, Constance Mary  
Kirsch, Linda A.  
Kneisler, Mary Lou  
Kunitser, Mary Kay  
Laskowski, Daralene Rae  
Lewis, Kimberly Alice  
Lockwood, Sara Jayne  
Nadolski, Loretta A.  
Nietling, Margaret Lucille  
Page, Susan Diann  
Pagels, Doris E.  
Patterson, Marie A.  
Pawloski, Judith Ann  
Payne, Joanne Eileen  
Peck, Deborah Lynn  
Perrin, Sandra Lynn  
Perry, Deborah Kay  
Pickelmann, Janet Marie

Preseau, JoAnn Elizabeth  
Rosso, Mary Lee  
Sabedra, Brenda Jean  
Saums, Elizabeth Jane  
Schwanbeck, Carol Ann  
Strawn, Helen L.  
Tantony-Olstyn, Janice Fay  
Taratuta, Margot Fry  
Tatum, Linda Ann  
Tuthill, Gail Marie  
Tuttle, Diana Jean  
Vande Veegaete, Mary Elizabeth  
Vanover, Raymond Thomas  
Viges, Isabel C.  
Vincent, Ruth Ann  
Warner, Peggy Ann  
Warren, Kathleen Ellen  
White, Nancy Joan  
Witchger, Ann Gerstacker  
Wojtowicz, Rosemary R.  
Zoller, Paula Marilynn

#### M.Ed. – Master of Education

Anthony, Barbara Ann  
Boersma, Marvin J.  
Carlson, Joan Carolyn  
Cieslinski, Gale Tomlin  
Doyle, Margaret Ann  
Durance, Shirley Jane  
Durrett, Donald J.  
Fodell, Mary Peelle  
Frampton, Thomas E.  
Graczyk, Eugene Richard  
Graczyk, Janet Ann  
Grambau, Lauri Kay  
Ham, Wilmer  
Kawala, Joseph S.  
Kleinebreil, Vera-Ellen  
Kling, Thomas James

Lehman, Donald E.  
Lozen, Mary Beth  
Madden, Susan Lynn  
McNary, Linda  
Meseck, Gayla Gay  
Miller, Robert Thomas  
Piering, Vernon Charles  
Platt, Gretchen M.  
Reid, Virginia A.  
Stamper, Valerie A.  
Stephan, Janice E.  
VanEckoute, Margaret Elizabeth  
VanSteenkiste, Maurice Don  
Wedell, Dennis Wayne  
Wojie, Debra Ann

## CANDIDATES FOR BACCALAUREATE DEGREES

### HONORS GRADUATES

The three honors categories for undergraduate students are:

Summa Cum Laude .....	3.80 to 4.00 G.P.A.
Magna Cum Laude .....	3.60 to 3.79 G.P.A.
Cum Laude .....	3.40 to 3.59 G.P.A.

In order to graduate with academic honors a student must have completed 62 credit hours at SVSU.

### HONORS PROGRAM GRADUATES

Honors Program Graduates have completed an approved thesis that represents creative work in their fields, and have maintained a minimum 3.4 SVSU grade point average.

#### Catherine I. Choate

*The Pardon Which Clouded the Presidency of Gerald R. Ford*

Dr. Eric F. Petersen, Thesis Advisor

#### Jeffery A. Griebel

*Aggregate Merger Activity An An Economic Indicator*

Dr. Wayne E. Mackie, Thesis Advisor

#### David A. Perez II

*The Supreme Court and the Exclusionary Rule*

Dr. Donald J. Bachand, Thesis Advisor

#### Joda C. Serbus

*A Qualitative Study of the 7 to 10-year old's Perceptions of a Pet's Death*

Ms. Carol L. Rembor, Thesis Advisor

#### Susan R. Suing

*The White Indians: A New Perspective*

Dr. John V. Jezierski, Thesis Advisor

#### Patricia E. Tucker

*The Lisle Letters and the Problem of Tudor Despotism*

Dr. Robert C. Braddock, Thesis Advisor

#### Roberta L. Uhland

*Cultural Insights: Strategies in Foreign Language Instruction*

Dr. Lynn H. Herkstroeter, Thesis Advisor

## COLLEGE OF ARTS & BEHAVIORAL SCIENCES *William K. Barnett, Dean*

### B.A. – Bachelor of Arts

Abdul-Jabbar, Khalid

Adams, Helen M.

Summa Cum Laude

Adelman, Frederic Gregg

Albrecht, Paul Alfred

Aldossary, Ahmed Salman

Allen, Robert Lee

Anderson, Renée Marie

Baer, Cheryl A.

Cum Laude

Bargeron, Paula Ann

Barron, Linda Katherine

Summa Cum Laude

Beard, Scott Douglas

Bilitzke, Patricia J.

Magna Cum Laude

Bishop, Linda A.

Bishop, Mary Elizabeth

Bishop, Thomas Ward

Bixler, Cynthia Ann

Summa Cum Laude

Blondin, Kathleen Anne

Summa Cum Laude

Bluhm, MaryKaye

Borrello, Monica Leone

Magna Cum Laude

Bosco, John Elyous

Magna Cum Laude

Brackrog, Michael Scott

Breeden, Mary Jane

Broadworth, Lee Joseph

Brogan, Kimberly Sue

Brown, Lisa Ann

Brown, Wendy Marie

Buntz, Yvonne Marie

Burnett, Develon Charmaine

Buszek, Stephen Mitchell

Magna Cum Laude

Butcher, Cherié Jean McLean

Cum Laude

Cameron, Alice Helene

Carmien, Jerome Alan

Chapie, Greg M.

Chartier, Diane R.

Magna Cum Laude

Childers, David Claude

Summa Cum Laude

Choate, Catherine Irene

Cum Laude

Clemens, Mary Marcia

Summa Cum Laude

Conley, Lynn L.

Summa Cum Laude

Cruce, Lynn Marie

Summa Cum Laude

Cummings, Allison Ann

Curtis, James Edmund, Jr.

Davis, Hepsie H.

Magna Cum Laude

Deming, Trisha Anne

Engelhardt, Duane Joseph

Summa Cum Laude

Ester, Kenneth Jason

Evins, Douglas Edward

Ford, Gerald Edward

French, Mark Allen

Gigliotti, Paul Barczay

Gillman, Jeffrey

Gorzela, Frank E.

Goupil, Stefanie Kaye

Grunwell, David Scott

Hagen, Jolene Barbara

Summa Cum Laude

Harris, Kathleen Ann

Hazzard, Richard T.

Summa Cum Laude

Hendrick, Laura Marie

Magna Cum Laude

Herriman, Kimberly K.

Heyn, Sandra Ann

Summa Cum Laude

Hibbard, Kelly Marie

Hus, Maureen R.

Jevicks, Andrew Allen

Magna Cum Laude

Johnson, Daniel Lee

Jones, Allen Preston

Kenny, Penny Louise

Summa Cum Laude

Kerr, Jeffrey S.

Cum Laude

Kish, Thomas Andrew

Kostick, Julie Ann

Kovacs, Louis Charles, III

Krupp, Pauline Guerrero

LaCross, Timothy Lee

Lampman, Janice Katherine

Cum Laude

Leachman, Matthew John

Summa Cum Laude

Liedel, Joseph E.

Loster, Gary L.

Loughridge, Lori Jean

Lyon-Bailey, Barbara Evelyn

Magnus, Teresa Lynn

Cum Laude

**College of Arts and Behavioral Sciences  
Bachelor of Arts (continued)**

Mahoney, Anne Marie  
Mahoney, Brian J.  
Manser, Elizabeth Marie  
Marlow, Betty McCune  
Martzowka, Sandra Lynn  
Maury, Donald Paul  
McAllister, Darren Dominic  
Medley, Elizabeth Anne  
Miller, Barbara Ann  
    Magna Cum Laude  
Montgomery, Ocie Belle  
Morand, Randi Jay  
Morrisey, Richard T.  
Morrow, Cheryl Lynn  
Murray, Louis D.  
    Summa Cum Laude  
Nelson, Laura Ann  
Nelson, Theophilus A.  
Neumann, Amy Jo  
Nickodemus, Dean Frederick  
    Cum Laude  
Noha, Joseph Michael  
Ott, Kathleen Adatte  
    Summa Cum Laude  
Ott, Kevin Martin  
Panknin, Cynthia Ann  
Pease-Montoya, Christine E.  
    Summa Cum Laude  
Perez, David Allan  
    Cum Laude  
Pigee, Sherrrod Darrel  
Price, Lizzie Ann  
Quinn, Sally Lou  
Rahl, Larry Dale  
Reese, Theodore George  
Reeves, Edward Eugene  
Renwick, Kathleen Sue  
    Summa Cum Laude

**B.S.W. – Bachelor of Social Work**

Aldrich, Virginia Catherine  
Anderson, Scott K.  
    Summa Cum Laude  
Andrews, Bethany Ann  
Bacon, Peggy Ann  
    Magna Cum Laude  
Barnett, Lois K.  
    Summa Cum Laude  
Benz, Charmaine Marjorie  
Bremer, Jill Louise  
    Magna Cum Laude  
Britton-Jarvis, Sheila Marie  
    Magna Cum Laude  
Collison, Charles Clarence  
    Cum Laude

Richardson, Desiree Elaine  
Robbins, June  
Sadowski, John Paul  
Satek, Dawn Marie  
Schock, Kevin Micheal  
Sciambi-Baird, Carolyn Joyce  
    Summa Cum Laude  
Shultz, Jean G.  
Smith, Charles Ira  
Smitley, Kirsten Lee  
Sparks, Annette Johnson  
    Cum Laude  
Stark, K. Lindsay  
Streib, Karen Joyce  
Studebaker, Cynthia L.  
    Cum Laude  
Sturm, William George  
Sugden, Lori Ann  
Suing, Susan R.  
    Summa Cum Laude  
Taylor, Charles Christopher  
Thamm, David Michael, Jr.  
    Summa Cum Laude  
Thamm, Edward Michael  
    Summa Cum Laude  
Theaker, Tina Lee  
Theriault, Sandra Lynn  
Tucker, Patricia Emily Ruth  
    Summa Cum Laude  
Turner, Zachary  
Waldron, Kathryn J.  
    Summa Cum Laude  
Weidman, Anthony Carl  
Whitaker, E. Michele  
Wilson, Mark Lee  
Wolter, Paul Joseph  
Yenior, Allen Charles  
    Summa Cum Laude  
Zak, Michael Stanley

Diener, Pamela Sue  
Donaldson, Richard Vincent  
Dorsch, Kathern Lee  
Drake, Helen Hemmer  
    Summa Cum Laude  
Ellis, Scott Douglas  
    Magna Cum Laude  
Festian, Sandra Jane  
Flores, Velia  
Fox, Carita Marie  
Gillies, Joseph Winslow  
    Magna Cum Laude  
Guigar, Diane Roberta  
    Summa Cum Laude  
Haines, Ann G.

**College of Arts and Behavioral Sciences  
Bachelor of Social Work (continued)**

Henne, Judith Lynn  
Hughes, Holly Jean  
    Summa Cum Laude  
Jones, Barbara S.  
Kocsis, Cheryl Ann  
    Cum Laude  
LaLonde, Janet Sue  
Lopez, Gary Ernest  
Lutri, Mary E.  
    Summa Cum Laude  
Morris, Cynthia Lee  
    Summa Cum Laude  
Negri, Karen Lee  
    Summa Cum Laude  
O'Brien, Dianne H.  
    Magna Cum Laude  
O'Neal, Betty L.  
Osentoski, Dorene Sue  
Preville, Robert Arthur  
    Cum Laude

Pruitt, Vera Renee  
Riggs, Lisa Kay  
Robertson, Diane Michelle  
Roth, Ellen Marie  
Schwind, Michelle Marie  
Spychalski, Cynthia Kay  
    Summa Cum Laude  
Tacey, Carol Louise  
    Magna Cum Laude  
TerBush, Frederick Dale  
    Magna Cum Laude  
Trevino, Jane  
    Magna Cum Laude  
Troester, Dennis Patrick  
    Cum Laude  
Trudeau, Michele Ann  
Webber, Colleen Ann  
    Magna Cum Laude

**COLLEGE OF BUSINESS & MANAGEMENT  
James L. Mitchell, Dean**

**B.B.A. – Bachelor of Business Administration**

Anderson, Catherine A.  
Arbogast, Glen Arthur  
Barriger, Andrew G.  
Beach, Teresa D.  
    Cum Laude  
Bellor, Patricia Ann  
Beyer, Russell Joseph  
Binder, Kenneth Roy  
Bitterman, Kevin David  
    Cum Laude  
Bliesener, Rebecca K.  
Boulton, Steven Charles  
Bourdon, James Allan  
    Cum Laude  
Bridges, Devaroe Wade  
Brown, Martha Jean  
Burkhard, Kathleen Marie  
Byam, Amy Lynn  
Cameron, Clayton Michael  
Cerva, Jan M.  
    Summa Cum Laude  
Clark, Linda Lee  
Coffin, Victoria Lynn  
Conley, Mark H.  
Connelly, Kenneth Joseph, II  
Conner, Eric Dean

Crane, Melinda Lee  
    Cum Laude  
Dabrowski, Michael Valentine  
Dasher, Amy Susan  
Demers, Cheryl Marie  
Dickerson, Thomas James  
Dittenber, Dale Calvin  
Divo, Scott Michael  
Drey, William John  
Eggers, Beth Jane  
Ellison, Gina Marie  
Flynn, Paul John  
Gill, Guy John  
Gladney, Maxine  
Goins, Earl  
Gorney, Mark Thomas  
    Cum Laude  
Gottschling, David Jon  
Griebel, Jeffrey A.  
    Magna Cum Laude  
Hammis, Carolyn M.  
Harger, Harvey Daniel  
Hart, Richard Fred, Jr.  
Hartley, Barbara Ellen  
Hensel, Dale Anthony  
Hermann, Brian Scott

College of Business and Management  
Bachelor of Business Administration (*continued*)

Hilbert, David R.  
Hilbrandt, Cheryl Ann  
Hock, Sandra Kay  
Holbrook, Timothy Allen  
Hudson, Ralph Greg  
Johns, Sue Sheri  
Cum Laude  
Johnson, Drew Bradley  
Jorck, Bruce Kirk  
Keck, James Lamont, II  
Koehler, Jason Derek  
Krafft, Timothy John  
Kraszewski, Robert Douglas  
Krueger, Robert James  
Kuligowski, David Michael  
Lampman, Mark Charles  
Cum Laude  
Larson, Kathryn Marie  
Leahy, Mary Karen  
Lee, Janice P.  
Letzkus, Lauri Lynn  
Liebknecht, Barry LaVerne  
Loranger, Hovae Dean  
Lucius, Susan Kae  
Macdonald, Kathleen Michele  
Maciejewski, Kathryn  
Cum Laude  
Marciniak, Keleen Marie  
Marston, Kelly  
Mastroianni, Ronald Mario  
Summa Cum Laude  
Maxa, Kathleen Marie  
McAllister, Darren Dominic  
McCaffrey, Brian James  
McGuire, Terrence Michael  
McNish, Mark Wallace  
Mefford, Gordon Reynold, Jr.  
Miller, Janet Maria  
Magna Cum Laude  
Mullen, Karen Ann  
Murry, Deborah Evelyn  
Nalley, Russell Eugene, Jr.  
Naylor, Charles Nichols  
Nelson, Allan Patrick  
Neuenschwander, Annalee Subler  
Neumeyer, Kevin Lloyd  
Neuville, Brian Lee  
Noll, Deborah Joy  
O'Brien, Ann M.  
Cum Laude  
O'Leary, Terence K.  
Onan, Philip Douglas  
Orban, Mary Lynn  
Perreault, Lori Jo  
Piering, Karen Jean  
Plas, Janet M.  
Cum Laude

Porras, Ronald R.  
Prophet, Conrad  
Reese, Kevin Fitzgerald  
Reichard, Denis Jay  
Reitter, Matthew T.  
Reyes, Monica B.  
Ribble, Frank George  
Cum Laude  
Ricker, Patrick Vernon  
Summa Cum Laude  
Roozenburg, Jill Ann  
Roozenburg, Nancy Jean  
Ross, Lynn Renee  
Rousseau, Lori Lynn  
Rugenstein, Cheryl Anne  
Cum Laude  
Rupprecht, Teresa Lynn  
Summa Cum Laude  
Samuels, Troy Martin  
Schriber, Shawn Marie  
Schultz, Barbara Ellen  
Schultz, Robert Alan  
Schutt, Cheryl Lynn  
Summa Cum Laude  
Scott-Smock, Jane Ann  
Shedrick, Oscar Glenn  
Shemanski, Jean M.  
Shinedling, Michelle Liana  
Shreve, Lynn Marie  
Silvermail, Francine M.  
Smith, Mary Berkompas  
Cum Laude  
Sommers, Edith Margaret  
Spens, Richard Harold  
Sprauell, Mary Komika  
Summa Cum Laude  
Stickler, Robert E.  
Suing, Clifford C.  
Magna Cum Laude  
Sutherland, James Carlton, Jr.  
Talicska, David Neil  
Taylor, Tammy A.  
Thalman, Donald Erwin  
Tribble, Michael Timothy  
Vincent, Ruth Anne  
Vorwerck, Mark Benjamin  
Waack, William Andrew  
Wagle, Beverly Jean  
Cum Laude  
Walls, Harold Oscar, II  
Walraven, Jodi Lynn  
Webb, Shelly Ann  
Weber, Kennedy Inglis  
Weber, Michael Duane  
Werner, Jack Sutherland  
Wieck, Cari Ann  
Winterstein, Lee Earl

College of Business and Management  
Bachelor of Business Administration (*continued*)

Worden-Sanford, Victoria Lynn  
Yantz, Susan Dianne  
Zechmeister, Anne Elizabeth  
Summa Cum Laude

Ziegler, Scott Kenneth  
Zietz, Terry Steven  
Zolinski, Raymond Alan

**COLLEGE OF EDUCATION**  
*David E. Nelson, Dean*

**B.A. – Bachelor of Arts**

Andersen, Rita M.  
Magna Cum Laude  
Anthony, Ellen Marie  
Summa Cum Laude  
Armstead, Gregory Gene  
Summa Cum Laude  
Arnold, Sabriña Renée  
Arsenault, Kimberly J.  
Cum Laude  
Arundel, Dawn Ellen  
Cum Laude  
Baker, Corrine Mary  
Ball, Stephanie Lynn  
Banda, MaryLou  
Bell, Mary Nickodemus  
Cum Laude  
Bender, Suzanne Marie  
Summa Cum Laude  
Benner, Thomas Peter  
Magna Cum Laude  
Black, Annette Lynn  
Block, Marilyn Rose  
Summa Cum Laude  
Bockrath, Robin Helene  
Bowen, James Dennis, Jr.  
Bowman, Jo Ann  
Summa Cum Laude  
Burks, Cordia Louise  
Caswell, Holly Noel  
Cederberg, Margaret Ann  
Cum Laude  
Clark, Jill Ann  
Clark, Martha Lenora  
Cogan, Sharon Kathleen  
Magna Cum Laude  
Collins, Barbara Sue  
Cum Laude  
Contreras, Debra J.  
Costello, Elena A.  
Crawford, Lynda Louise  
Crosby, Terry Lynn  
Magna Cum Laude  
Dalton, Lori Jean

Davis, Brenda Laracey  
Magna Cum Laude  
Desonia-Simpson, Joy Marie  
Magna Cum Laude  
Deuscher, Stacie Ann  
Cum Laude  
DiBerardino, Sheila Cooper  
Summa Cum Laude  
Donnelly, Maureen Theresa  
Cum Laude  
Douglas, Maryann  
Summa Cum Laude  
Dyer, Darin W.  
Endsley, Jodi Lynn  
Frazier, Debra Sue  
Gage, Gregg Anthony  
Garcia, Linda Jean  
Gerard, Gregory Lynn  
Glynn, Patricia A.  
Godfrey, Janet Kay  
Magna Cum Laude  
Herron, Paula M.  
Cum Laude  
Howard, Elizabeth Eglitis  
Magna Cum Laude  
Hunter-Schultz, Jennifer  
Johnson, Patricia Ann  
Magna Cum Laude  
Kaczmarek, Colleen S.  
Summa Cum Laude  
Kaesmeyer, Daniel Ernest  
King, Jacqueline Marie  
Summa Cum Laude  
Koch, Kristy Kay  
Krause, Linda Sue  
Summa Cum Laude  
Lantz, John Leonard  
Magna Cum Laude  
Longhini, Kathleen Marie  
Cum Laude  
Marston, Karla  
McQuinn, Mary Margaret  
Miller, Connie Lynn

**College of Education**  
**Bachelor of Arts (continued)**

Miller, Lynn Marie  
Miller, Rebecca Joy  
Magna Cum Laude  
Morell, Eric Steven  
Mortimer, Christine Ann  
Magna Cum Laude  
Newmann, Heidi Lynn  
Oleniacz, Thomas Lee  
Summa Cum Laude  
Park, David Gordon  
Peruski, Diane Marie  
Petzak, Jeffery Allen  
Pickell, Lynn Marie  
Magna Cum Laude  
Potts, Clinton James  
Quellette, Sara Jo  
Rhode, Jean Marie  
Cum Laude  
Rittenberg, Beth Marie  
Cum Laude  
Rytlewski, Elizabeth A.  
Summa Cum Laude  
Schofield, M. Kathleen  
Magna Cum Laude  
Schweitzer, Judith Ann  
Summa Cum Laude  
Scott, Kimberly Ann  
Scribner, Sally Jean  
Cum Laude  
Selman, Bruce Charles  
Shannon, Troy Lynn  
Sheppard, Jerome Steven

**B.S. – Bachelor of Science**

Karbowski, Renee Antoinette  
Orban, Joseph Robert, IV  
Schroll, Paul August  
Wallace, Alicia Hayden  
Summa Cum Laude

Skiba, Jonathan Michael  
Sliger, Paul Frank  
Smith, Filipa Lamoine  
Smith, Patricia Lynne  
Stephan, Joseph Andrew  
Summa Cum Laude  
Sterling, Hollis M.  
Magna Cum Laude  
Stevenson, Amanda Jo  
Cum Laude  
Stine, Susan M.  
Summa Cum Laude  
Stricker, Alice Wilma  
Sweigart, Elaine Ruth  
Tallman, Jill Langford  
Cum Laude  
Tate, Robin Craig  
Teyner, Russell William  
Thompson, Ashley Lynn  
Toft, Gail Marie  
Magna Cum Laude  
Uhland, Roberta Lee  
Summa Cum Laude  
Umpfrey, Shelly Lynn  
Walker, Kaye Marie  
Magna Cum Laude  
Wells, Deborah Ann  
Westendorf, Marianne  
Cum Laude  
Wright, Michelle Denise  
Summa Cum Laude  
Zdanowski, Brian Michael

**COLLEGE OF NURSING & ALLIED HEALTH  
SCIENCES**  
*Crystal M. Lange, Dean*

**B.S. – Bachelor of Science**

Berry, Karen Sue Cum Laude	Friebe, Sherry Kay Groves, Patricia Schulte MacMillan, Arthur J. Ortiz, Rachele Marie Spiekerman, Lucinda Marie
Chlebowski, Lois E. Cum Laude	
Domingo, Angie Lynn Flores Cum Laude	

**B.S.N. – Bachelor of Science in Nursing**

Archer, Melissa Ann Bauer, Denise Marie Summa Cum Laude Booms, Lois Marie Chiroi, Peggy Sue Magna Cum Laude Collison, Holly Kay Magna Cum Laude Crawford, Todd Allen Davison, Ginger Lee Cum Laude Dickerson, Lisa Ann Dwyer, Marla Estell Finkbeiner, Barbara Jean Friebe, Lisa Ann Gaiser, Terri Ann Grove, Maxine Ruth Hansel, Patricia A. Hart, Cindy S. Hatam, Fatemeh Hewitt, Debra L. Cum Laude Jacobs, Mary Beth Summa Cum Laude Kapa, Judy Marlene Kennison, Barbara A. Magna Cum Laude Klenow, David Edward Krause, Jean Anne Krug, Rosemarie Ann LaLonde, Jeannine Marie Summa Cum Laude Lucius, Sheri Ann	Maher, Diana Lynn Cum Laude Mauk, Michelle Ann Meyers, Linda Sue Magna Cum Laude Murphy, Jill Ann Nacarato, Cecelia Ann O'Neill, Mary Catherine Ochmanek, Brenda M Summa Cum Laude Offenbecher, Lee J. Cum Laude Pfund, Susan Kay Reif, LeAnn Kay Rice, Inga Maria Richard, Laura Ann Magna Cum Laude Sanderson, Lisa DeLange Schafer, Tammi Lynn Serbus, Joda Colleen Summa Cum Laude Skrabut, Roger Joseph Smith, Daniel Raymond Smith, Sally R. Magna Cum Laude Smith, Tammy Ranae Spannagel, Debra Marie Spencer, Alan Michael Tucker, Leslie Lynn Summa Cum Laude Vaughn, Renae Lynn Magna Cum Laude Weber, Sue Ellen Williams, Cynthia L.
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**COLLEGE OF SCIENCE, ENGINEERING  
& TECHNOLOGY**  
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**B.S. – Bachelor of Science**

Anderson, Kandee Jo Lee  
Anderson, Mark A.  
Andrejewski, Susan I.  
Andres, John Michael  
Andrus, James Mark  
Baillargeon, Michelle Marie  
Summa Cum Laude  
Baker, Barry Glen  
Balwinski, Sharon Marie  
Barrons, Gregory Lewis  
Bartos, Brenda Rose  
Bender, Jill Ann  
Cum Laude  
Bishop, Barbara Jo  
Summa Cum Laude  
Blondin, Patricia Ann  
Summa Cum Laude  
Brown-Newell, Diane  
Buckholz, Darren  
Buczek, Sandra Lee  
Burkhard, Harley David  
Burkhart, Robert Theo  
Buzzard, Mark V.  
Magna Cum Laude  
Call, Bonni Marie  
Carelli, Paula Jean  
Chau, Jyh-Jiun Liou  
Chen, Li-Chao  
Summa Cum Laude  
Chen, Yufeng Fred  
Chua, Hee Yng  
Ciszewski, Thomas S.  
Crouse, Jon William  
Cum Laude  
Custack, Matthew Charles  
Feriend, William Frederick  
Ferrio, Kathy Lynn  
Fox, Kay Angela  
Summa Cum Laude  
Fox, Susan Ann  
Summa Cum Laude  
Freeman, Craig A.  
Fryzel, Shawn Ann  
Summa Cum Laude  
Gennrich, Susan Marie  
Goodell, Mitchell Wayne  
Gosaynie, Ned  
Gosen, Daniel John  
Cum Laude  
Gustat, Susan Marie  
Guzman, David Sanchez  
Haefner, Karl F.

Harm, Glenn Arnold  
Hausbeck, Todd Matthew  
Haynes, Tony Jean  
Henry, Robert Lloyd  
Summa Cum Laude  
Heyn, Daniel David  
Hock, Brian Jeffery  
Hoerauf, Geoffrey Michael  
Houck, Peter James  
Houlihan, Lisa Anne  
Hover, Gregory James  
Jablonski, Steven Douglas  
Jackson, Donald Wayne  
Jackson, Kathy Lynne  
Janowiak, Gary  
Cum Laude  
Johnson, Donald Scott  
Johnson, Elizabeth Edna  
Johnson, Erik James  
Keinath, Steven Scott  
Kennedy, Michael B.  
Summa Cum Laude  
Kowalczyk, Kathryn M.  
Cum Laude  
Kragenbrink, James Paul  
Kruska, James Scott  
Kuipers, John G.  
Kuznicki, Richard Elbert, Jr.  
Lapprich, Gary William  
Letherer, Steven Carl  
Cum Laude  
Loar, Sandy Kay  
Macklin, Larry Lee  
Maquet, Millicent B.  
Marshall, Charles C.  
Mavis, Daniel Dwane  
McDonald, Dennis Lee  
Nab, Edwin James, Jr.  
Naples, Paul R.  
Nash, Richard Paul  
Magna Cum Laude  
Northup, Lori Lee  
Oldenburg, Thomas John  
Otter, Teri Lee  
Pagels, William Edward  
Pakray, Ahmad  
Passon, Clifford W.  
Pawlak, Patrick J.  
Pham, Thi Vu  
Pierce, Robert L. Jr.  
Pierson, Robert B.  
Magna Cum Laude

**College of Science, Engineering and Technology**  
**Bachelor of Science (*continued*)**

Pressprich, John William  
Pussehl, Kevin Scott  
Putt, Robert Stanley  
Rabideau, Andrew Joseph  
Summa Cum Laude  
Racey, Joseph Howard, Jr.  
Rechsteiner, LoriAnne  
Retherford, John Charles  
Robinson, Richard Allen  
Ross, Robert Paul  
Magna Cum Laude  
Rytlewski, Thomas C.  
Cum Laude  
Savina, Michael Raymond  
Schmidt, Sabrina Marie  
Scholtz, Tracy Lynn  
Cum Laude  
Schram, Robert Charles  
Schultz, James Bernard, II  
Shephard, Nick Evan  
Sielsinski, Ronald David  
Smith, Todd Denson  
Summa Cum Laude

Stasser, Andrea Lynn  
Magna Cum Laude  
Stevens, Michael Edward  
Tanner, Philip A.  
Tetreau, Patrick Richard  
Cum Laude  
Thompson, James Leonard  
Trombley, Joseph Steven  
Turvey, Robert Ross  
Tymes, John Peter  
Summa Cum Laude  
Ulicki, Brian David  
Vieira-Brisson, Theresa L.  
Washabaugh, James Norman  
Wilson, Julie A.  
Yandall, Frederick Peter  
Cum Laude  
Zammit, Craig Francis  
Zink, Reba A.  
Zmierski, Rebecca F.  
Zuraw, Timothy John

## COLOR DESIGNATION OF DEGREES

The colors of tassels being worn by the candidates for baccalaureate degrees indicate the field of study. The color designations are as follows:

### College of Arts & Behavioral Sciences

B.A. .... White  
 B.S.W. .... Citron

### College of Business & Management

B.A. – Economics ..... Copper  
 B.B.A. .... Drab

### College of Education

B.A. .... Light Blue  
 B.S. .... Light Blue

### College of Nursing & Allied Health Sciences

B.S.N. .... Apricot  
 B.S. – Medical Technology ..... Gold

### College of Science, Engineering & Technology

B.S. .... Gold  
 B.S. – Engineering ..... Orange

The colors of velvet borders of the hoods worn by candidates for master's degrees also indicate the field of study. The color designations are as follows:

### College of Arts & Behavioral Sciences

M.A. .... White

### College of Business & Management

M.B.A. .... Drab

### College of Education

M.A.T. .... Light Blue  
 M.Ed. .... Light Blue

## ACADEMIC REGALIA

Academic regalia of robe and hood are believed to have had their beginnings at the English Universities of Oxford and Cambridge during the twelfth and thirteenth centuries. The hoods are a carry-over from the times when the monks, who operated the universities, wore them to protect their shaved heads in winter or to collect alms when worn as shoulder capes.

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 academic garb that has undergone various revisions, the latest in 1960. Styling of robes varies for the bachelor's, master's and doctoral degrees, and the width of border and length of hood increase with the type of degree. The color of the velvet border of the hood indicates the field of study, while the lining designates the colors of the institution granting the degree. In the case of Saginaw Valley State University, the colors are cardinal red and royal blue.

The mace carried by the marshal in the academic processional symbolizes authority. This mace survived the 1985 Saginaw Valley State College fire.

## THE INSIGNIA OF SAGINAW VALLEY STATE UNIVERSITY

The geographical area formed by Bay City, Midland and Saginaw is represented by the triangle within the Saginaw Valley State University seal. This depicts the merging of three separate urban communities, with a combined population of more than 400,000, into the metropolitan Saginaw Valley.

The three symbols within the seal are of Egyptian origin. The figure at the top stands for life or living, denoting the fact that education is an ongoing, life-long process and has a value that lasts forever.

The symbol at the lower left represents light — perhaps the inner light. It recognizes that “our knowledge is a torch of smokey pine that lights the pathway but one step ahead.” Standing opposite this light of knowledge in the lower right corner is a staff, which stands for strength. This may be regarded as an appeal for the endurance necessary to search for and find the truth, and the strength to speak and live it.

The year of the University's founding, 1963, appears below the triangle.



Saginaw Valley State University was founded in 1963 as a private institution to meet higher education needs in east-central Michigan. In 1965, Saginaw Valley College (SVC) became state-assisted. In 1975 the name was changed to Saginaw Valley State College (SVSC) and, in 1987, the institution achieved university status (SVSU).

There were just 119 students when classes began in 1964, but strong academic programs, reasonable costs and a variety of extra-curricular activities attracted growing numbers of students. Today, nearly 6,000 people from Michigan, several other states, and 16 nations are enrolled in more than 60 programs of study leading to bachelor's and master's degrees. International exchange and guest professors and students and an active international program bring the added dimension of other cultures to SVSU.

The primary mission of the University is to promote the intellectual and personal growth of students. A highly qualified faculty, most of whom hold terminal degrees, teach in both day and evening classes. The average class size is under 25 students, so instructors can give personal attention to individual needs. As an important part of its mission, SVSU fosters research and creative activities. The goals of the research program are to extend knowledge, inspire superior teaching, and contribute to the intellectual, social and economic well-being of the region.

Community service is another element of the University mission. SVSU sponsors continuing education courses, conferences, workshops, entrepreneurship and technology transfer efforts. Cultural events, many campus activities and the library are open to the public.

The University has a 782-acre campus located on M-84 (Bay Road) within the triangle formed by Bay City, Saginaw and Midland. Excellent transportation routes (I-75 access within three miles) connect the rural campus with urban centers.

SVSU is one of the most modern centers for higher education in the state. Recently completed and in-progress construction projects totaling over \$60 million complement facilities built between 1966 and 1978 to provide an attractive, barrier-free campus. The new Science Building and Maurice E. Brown Hall opened for 1986 fall semester classes. The Melvin J. Zahnow Library opened early in 1987, and the Fine Arts Center and Marshall M. Fredericks Sculpture Gallery later that year. Other new facilities include a 40-unit student apartment complex and the Administrative Services Building. Construction is continuing on an \$18.7 million health and physical education complex, with completion expected in the spring of 1989.

While these added facilities are important assets in meeting the University's mission, the essence of a university is not bricks and mortar, but the people who teach and learn within a building's walls. The employment and retention of highly qualified professionals to its teaching faculty and support staff is a primary goal of the University.

These new physical facilities, coupled with the commitment of SVSU personnel to serve the needs of the Saginaw Valley region, promise a bright future for the University and the people it serves.



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Alma Mater, hail to thee  
Hail to thee our college dear  
Thy light shall shine and guide the way  
Thy halls will e'er be near.  
Alma Mater, hail to thee  
Thy name will honored be.  
We follow thee, we look to thee  
To thee our guiding flame.  
May we always sing thy praises  
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