



*Saginaw Valley State University*  
**Commencement**

1992 - 1993



**Saginaw Valley State University**  
2250 Pierce Road  
University Center, MI 48710

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# COMMENCEMENT

Saturday, May 8, 1993

1:30 p.m.

Ryder Center for Health and Physical Education  
Saginaw Valley State University

# ACADEMIC PROCESSION

The Marshal  
The Deputy Marshal  
Faculty and Administration  
Candidates for Master's Degrees  
Candidates for Baccalaureate Degrees  
Deans  
Vice Presidents  
Board of Control Members  
Candidate for Honorary Degree  
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 floor during the Processional or during the Commencement ceremony. Your cooperation is sincerely appreciated.

# ORDER OF EVENTS

## Saturday, May 8, 1993

**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

### PROGRAM (Selections from the following)

Antares ..... Elliot Del Borgo  
Fantasy on American Sailing Songs ..... Clare Grundman  
Linden Lea ..... Ralph Vaughan Williams  
Arr. John W. Stout  
Concert Suite From Dances With Wolves ..... John Barry  
Arr. Jay Bocook  
His Honor March ..... Henry Fillmore  
Three Ayres from Gloucester ..... Hugh M. Stuart  
Suite from the Planets ..... Gustav Holst  
Arr. Calvin Custer

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

**NATIONAL ANTHEM** ..... Deanna Bukoski, Vocalist

**PRESIDING** ..... Eric R. Gilbertson, J.D., President

### CONFERRING OF HONORARY DEGREE

Haruo Saito, Doctor of Science ..... Candidate presented by  
Charles B. Curtiss, Treasurer, SVSU Board of Control

### CONFERRING OF LANDEE TEACHING EXCELLENCE AWARD

Rosalie Riegle Troester, D.A. .... Presented by  
Professor of English ..... Crystal M. Lange, Ph.D.  
Associate Vice President for Academic Affairs

### CONFERRING OF WARRICK AWARD FOR EXCELLENCE IN RESEARCH

Gail E. Katak, Ph.D. .... Presented by  
Professor of Biology ..... Crystal M. Lange

### PRESENTATION OF MASTER OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION DEGREE CANDIDATES

Presented by ..... Wayne E. Mackie, Ph.D.  
Acting Dean, College of Business and Management

The graduates' names will be read by J. Chris Looney, M.A., Coordinator, Basic Skills in English.

### PRESENTATION OF MASTER OF ARTS IN TEACHING AND MASTER OF EDUCATION DEGREE CANDIDATES

Presented by ..... Ellen Curtis-Pierce, Ph.D.  
Dean, College of Education

### PRESENTATION OF MASTER OF SCIENCE IN NURSING DEGREE CANDIDATES

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

**CONFERRING OF MASTER'S DEGREES** ..... Eric R. Gilbertson

### PRESENTATION OF BACCALAUREATE DEGREE CANDIDATES

Honors Program  
Presented by ..... Crystal M. Lange  
College of Arts and Behavioral Sciences

Presented by ..... Judith B. Kerman, Ph.D.  
Dean, College of Arts and Behavioral Sciences

College of Business and Management  
Presented by ..... Wayne E. Mackie  
College of Education

Presented by ..... Ellen Curtis-Pierce  
College of Nursing and Allied Health Sciences

Presented by ..... Crystal M. Lange  
College of Science, Engineering and Technology

Presented by ..... Thomas E. Kullgren, Ph.D.  
Dean, College of Science, Engineering and Technology

**CONFERRING OF BACCALAUREATE DEGREES** ..... Eric R. Gilbertson

### INDUCTION INTO SVSU ALUMNI ASSOCIATION

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

Terrance E. Lerash, B.S.N. .... President, SVSU Alumni Association

Scott D. Fales ..... President, SVSU Student Government

### PRESENTATION OF DISTINGUISHED ALUMNI AWARD

Caroline G.M. Scott, M.D.-B.S. 1979 ..... Terrance E. Lerash

**CONCLUDING REMARKS** ..... Eric R. Gilbertson

**RECESSIONAL** ..... Pomp and Circumstance  
The audience is requested to remain seated until the program has been completed.

### RECEPTION

Immediately following the Commencement ceremony, the graduates, their families and friends, faculty and staff are invited to a reception to be held in the east end of James E. O'Neill, Jr. Arena.

## CANDIDATE FOR HONORARY DEGREE



### HARUO SAITO DOCTOR OF SCIENCE

Dr. Haruo Saito serves as president of SVSU's sister institution, Shikoku University, Tokushima, Japan. He was appointed to the position in April 1992 and also serves as president of Shikoku University Junior College.

Dr. Saito earned a bachelor's degree in physics from Osaka University, where he also completed his graduate work in solid state physics which culminated in his being awarded the doctorate. During graduate study he was a research associate and later became a professor at Osaka University.

From September of 1963 to November of 1964 Dr. Saito worked as a research physicist with the Oak Ridge National Laboratory in the U.S. while on leave from Osaka University. He resumed his faculty position with Osaka upon his return in 1968 and was named dean of the College of General Education in 1982. In 1987 he became director of the Research Center for the School of Education, Naruto University of Education. From 1988 to 1992 he was vice president of Naruto University and continues to hold the title of Honorary Professor there.

Saginaw Valley State University has maintained an exchange relationship with Shikoku University since 1982.

## THE 1992-93 LANDEE TEACHING EXCELLENCE AWARD



### ROSALIE RIEGLE TROESTER PROFESSOR OF ENGLISH

Dr. Rosalie Riegler Troester's teaching duties at SVSU go back to 1969 when she was a lecturer in English and Humanities for 12 years before joining the full-time faculty in 1981. She is a former chairperson of the Honors Program, a position she twice held in 1985-87 and 1988-92. A magna cum laude graduate in business administration from St. Mary's College in Notre Dame (IN), she earned a master's degree from Wayne State University and was awarded a D.A. from the University of Michigan in 1983.

A member of several professional organizations, Dr. Troester has received numerous honors, awards and grants, has delivered a number of scholarly papers, and has edited and written scholarly publications and books. Among the latter are *Voices From the Catholic Worker* (1993), *Historic Women of Michigan: A Sesqui-centennial Celebration* (1988), and the *Police Report Writing Handbook* (1984).

Dr. Troester has given numerous presentations on topics ranging from her research on the Catholic Worker Movement to African-American women writers and also on reading methods. She is active in community service organizations, including the Saginaw County Rape Crisis Center, the Saginaw YWCA, Junior League of Saginaw, American Association of University Women and the Tri-City Friends of the Michigan Women's Hall of Fame.

Dr. Troester and her husband, Edmund, live in Saginaw.

## THE 1992-93 EARL L. WARRICK AWARD FOR EXCELLENCE IN RESEARCH



### GAIL E. KANTAK PROFESSOR OF BIOLOGY

Dr. Gail E. Kantak has conducted extensive research throughout the Saginaw Bay watershed area. She has studied birds and plants in Bay County's Tobico Marsh, conducted research along the Saginaw River for the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency and researched the impact of Zebra Mussels for the Michigan Department of Natural Resources. Before coming to SVSU, she conducted zoological and botanical research in the Niobrara River Valley, on the Yucatan Peninsula of Mexico, in Wyoming's Grand Teton National Park, along the Atlantic Ocean's continental shelf off America's east coast, on Apostle Island in Lake Superior and in Australia and New Zealand.

A native of Milwaukee, Dr. Kantak earned a bachelor of science degree in biological studies from Michigan State University, and was awarded master's and Ph.D. degrees in zoology from the University of Wisconsin-Madison.

Among the professional societies that Dr. Kantak belongs to are the American Ornithologists Union, the American Society of Mammalogists, the Cooper Ornithological Society and the Ecological Society of America. She also holds memberships in the Michigan Academy of Science, Arts and Letters and the Wilson Ornithological Society. For an ecologist, Dr. Kantak has an impressive record of seven publications—research that required extensive field investigation spanning a number of years.

Dr. Kantak, who has been a member of the SVSU faculty since 1984, lives in Midland.

## 1993 DISTINGUISHED ALUMNI AWARD



### CAROLINE G.M. SCOTT

Dr. Caroline Scott enrolled in an accelerated degree program at SVSU in 1976, following ten years of motherhood and volunteer work. In 1979 she earned the Owsley Award for outstanding work in biology and collected a bachelor's degree in biology and chemistry.

Dr. Scott received acceptance to three medical schools and chose MSU for its hands-on approach to medicine. She completed a three-year family practice residency at Saginaw Cooperative Hospitals, Inc. and now is associated with Heritage Family Physicians with offices in Birch Run and Saginaw. She is affiliated with St. Luke's and Saginaw General hospitals and St. Mary's Medical Center in Saginaw. Her professional memberships include the Saginaw County Medical Society, Saginaw Academy of Family Physicians, American Medical Women's Association, American Medical Association, Michigan State Medical Society, American Academy of Family Physicians and Michigan Academy of Family Physicians.

In September of 1992 Dr. Scott received the Outstanding Female Physician award at the first reception hosted by Saginaw Cooperative Hospitals honoring women in the local medical community. Among other honors she has been accorded are the George Adler Award for outstanding resident—emergency medicine and the Outstanding Volunteer Physician Educator—Family Practice award. She now serves as the first woman president of the 89-year old Saginaw County Medical Society.

Dr. Scott is a native of London, England. She and her husband, Gerard, came to Saginaw from Dublin, Ireland in 1966.

# CANDIDATES FOR MASTERS DEGREES

## COLLEGE OF ARTS AND BEHAVIORAL SCIENCES

*Judith B. Kerman, Dean*

### M.A. — Master of Arts (Criminal Justice/Political Science)

Babcock, Mark W.  
McQuirter, Mable L.

## COLLEGE OF BUSINESS AND MANAGEMENT

*Wayne E. Mackie, Acting Dean*

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

Anand, Neelam  
Arnst, Paula R.  
Avant, Antonio  
Babinec, Michael A.  
Bannan, Cynthia Neill  
Deterding, John Paul  
Dillenbeck, Robert E.  
Ebenhoeh, Richard Lee  
Frays-Kreft, Constance M.  
Hinkins, Dana Ann  
Holys, John Edward

Johnson, Ollie Antoinette  
LaMarre, Sharon Ann  
Lee, Song-Chun  
Marlinga-Gallagher, Adrienne C.  
Metz, Thomas N.  
Ostrander, Wesley Burl  
Reyes, Monica B.  
Symons, Samuel Michael  
Van Ochten, Gary Joseph  
Walsh, David Joseph  
Wang, Yun-Yun  
Williams, Julie Lynn

## COLLEGE OF EDUCATION

*Ellen Curtis-Pierce, Dean*

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

Anderson, Mary Katherine  
Averitt, Cynthia Louise  
Bauer, Leann Marie  
Beauchaine, Yvonne  
Bender, Suzanne Marie Hugo  
Bowman, Lorena Marie

Browneller, Lisa Jo  
Chodnicki, Rose Ann  
Couillard, Mary Kathleen  
Eckert, Karla Eileen  
Fleming, Marianne

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

Goodman, Ila Jean  
Haggarty, Gerard J.  
Hausbeck, Theresa Marie  
Holly, Jayne Lynn  
Huber, Judith C.  
Hulliberger, Sherry Lynn  
Ikamas, Bonnie Jo  
Johnson, Laura  
Keranen, Barbara L.  
Knapp, RoseMary  
Kodman, Sarojini  
Koss, Susan T.  
Lewis, Lori Jean  
Lounsbury, Heather Lynn  
Mann, Frances Kay  
Miller, Christine C.  
Milligan, Sally Lyn  
Mills, Janeen Marion  
Monette, Daniel R.  
Nichols, Katrina Carrington  
Osminski, Janice Patricia

Paisley, Elizabeth Jo  
Parker, Constance Lee  
Pasant, Carol Ann  
Pascuzzi, Stacey Ann Cronin  
Paulus, Ann Marie  
Phillips, Janet Faye  
Piering, Donette Marie  
Pommerenk, Lois Jane  
Revard, Cheryl Lynn  
Rice, Madelyn Frances  
Sheppard, Jerome Steven  
Sonders, Susan Marie  
Stagray, Toni L.  
Stevanus, Denise Ann  
Sturgeon, Janet Marie  
Tarnosky, Ann M.  
Tuckey, Barbara Lee  
Tuckey, Shirley Jean  
Wagner, Joanne Lynn  
Weir, Barbara Ann  
Wilkowski, Tami Leigh  
Zastrow, Ann Marie

### M.Ed. — Master of Education

Anderson, Judy Ann  
Bacholzky, John Harry  
Bienkowski, Sharon Marie  
Black, Debra Sue  
Burkhardt, M. Bernadette  
Carr, Michael Patrick  
Cassady, Michael Eugene  
Covert, Anne Martha  
Cruz, Lucia  
Flannery, Mary Ellen  
Furnas, Sheryl Ann  
Gawrysiak, Janet J.  
Gawrysiak, Mitchell C.  
Greenwold, Debra Jean  
Harris, Michael A.

Karle, Judith Ann  
Kletke, Dale Bruce, Jr.  
Lee, Margaret Ann  
Lounsbury, Virginia Lynn  
Milnor, Delores Regina  
Nuss, Glenn Gregory  
Osborne, Theresa Anne  
Parker-Roberson, Doris Jean  
Phillips, Diane Teresa Hensler  
Priest, Jeanne A.  
Szajenko, Luba Ewdokia  
Townsend, Jeanne Crandall  
Vanderbeek, Lynn Wyman  
Wall, Randy L.  
Willis, Sandra Kay

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

**M.S.N. — Master of Science in Nursing**

Ball, Kathryn Dowd  
Brown, Deborah Kay  
Bryant, Janet Elizabeth  
Falkenberg, Deborah Carole  
Kennison, Barbara A.  
Kirchman, Sue Anne  
McFarlane-Stuner, Mary M.  
Topham, Patricia Ann  
Weir, Faye Jean  
Wineman, Christine E.

**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 completed approved theses that represent creative work in their fields, and maintained a minimum 3.40 SVSU grade point average.

**Jennifer Auer**

*International Extradition: Implications of Extra-legal Methods*  
Dr. Eric Gilbertson, Thesis Advisor

**Natalie Lama**

*Factors Affecting Reaggregation of Stratum Corneum Cells*  
Dr. James Pate, Dow Chemical Company  
Dr. Richard Trdan, Thesis Advisors

**Janis Miller-Wood**

*Male Characterization in the Fiction of Tillie Olsen*  
Dr. Rosalie Troester, Thesis Advisor

**Daniel Nappo**

*The Qualities of Leadership: A Comparative Study of Confucius, Chuang-Tzu, and William Shakespeare*  
Dr. Drew Hinderer, Thesis Advisor

**Jennifer Pedota**

*Pay Differentials and the Glass Ceiling: A Case Study of the Accounting Profession in the Tri-Cities*  
Dr. Hong Youl Park, Thesis Advisor



Honors Program Graduates (continued)

**Bruce Ricker**

*A P-Code Interpreter*

Dr. Morteza Marzjarani, Thesis Advisor

**Robin Samyn**

*Purification of High Molecular Weight IgM Using Size Exclusion Chromatography and Affinity Chromatography*

Dr. Brian Gourlie, Dow Chemical Company

Dr. David Dalgarn, Thesis Advisors

**Heidi Smith**

*The Mature Female Character in the Fiction of Colette*

Dr. Lynn Herkstroeter, Thesis Advisor

**Laura Tarrant**

*Written Communication Within the Dow Chemical Company*

Dr. Phyllis Hastings, Thesis Advisor

**James Volmering**

*Influence of Yttrium Oxide Surface Area on the Physical Properties of Sintered Aluminum Nitride*

Dr. Theresa Guiton, Dow Chemical Company

Dr. Enayat Mahajerin, Thesis Advisors

**Andrew Wheeler**

*The VSAM KSDS: A Guide to Performance Considerations in File Definition*

Dr. Gretchen Mooningham, Thesis Advisor

**COLLEGE OF ARTS AND BEHAVIORAL SCIENCES**

*Judith B. Kerman, Dean*

**B.A. — Bachelor of Arts**

Abbott, Laura Ann

Adams, Kristine Renee

Ahrens, Andrew Edward

Alexander, B.J.

summa cum laude

Alexander, Jennifer Jo

Anderson, Tamera Sue

Auer, Jennifer K.

summa cum laude

Austin, Marsha Lynn

Bailey, Earl Leroy, III

Bailey, Jennifer Michelle

magna cum laude

Baker, Gloria Jean

Ballagh, Andrew William

magna cum laude

Bara, Shawn Anthony

Barry, Kathy Lynn

Benjamin, Scott Walther

Berthiaume, Brian Michael

Bessinger, Kelly Elizabeth

Borders, Todd Eric

Bovee, Thomas Anthony

Boyd, Brian James

Bradfield, Lynette Marie

Brasseur, Gary Vincent, Jr.

Briggs, Andrew James

Brown, Mary Ann

Burk, Jean A.

summa cum laude

Burton, Leland Ancile, Jr.

summa cum laude

Byron, Ralph E.

cum laude

Calkins, Michael B.

Christe, Andrew Gerard

cum laude

Connors, Michael Todd

summa cum laude

Crunk, Herbert Ray

David, Debra Sue

Davis, Stacy La-Vonne

DeMaet, Karleen Ann

DeSander, Mark Timothy

Dietz, Stephanie Ann

Don, Darcie Ann

Dowker, Janet Lee

magna cum laude

Ducolon, Brian D.

Dziedzic, David Alex, Jr.

Endsley, Kelli J.

Eugenio, Arlene Tiu

Farris, Robert Leslie

Fein, Rachel Marie

summa cum laude

Finch, Kendra Kay

cum laude

Flores, Olivia R.

Florey, Jennifer Lou

Foley, Francis John

Fox, Susan Jean

magna cum laude

Franklin, Vernida Renée

Garica, Adam

Gibbs, Katherine

Gilbert, Jenelle L.

Gillis, Kevin William

magna cum laude

Gotham, Daniel R.

Granger, Amy Jo Robb

Grillon, Christina Lynn

cum laude

Gustafson, Barbara K.

magna cum laude

Hagle-Leiterman, Laura Jean

Haske, Connie Michelle

summa cum laude

Hawes, Darrin E.

Henke, Jennifer Sue

Hitchingham, Lisa M.

Houston, Mary Cathryn

Humphrey, Charles Stephen

cum laude

Jones, Scott Michael

Karas, Michael Arthur

Kartz, John D., Jr.

Kelly, Judd Thomas

Kelso, Sheri Anne

Kennard, Lynda S.

cum laude

Kern, Jodi Michele  
King, Peter Martin  
Klemish, Christine Lea  
magna cum laude  
Korpala, Nicholette J.  
Kraenzlein, Scott Richard  
Krentz, Keith Kenneth  
Kruszka, Jeffrey Harold  
Kuhn-Grossmeyer, Beth Ann  
summa cum laude  
LaBrecque, Nicole Georgene  
Lach, Amy Lynn  
Laisure, Marybeth  
Lauzano, Sondra Marie  
Lawrence, Robert G.  
Loeschner, Susanne Lorainne  
cum laude  
London, Mary A.  
Maleck, Carole Ann  
Marcoux, Shawn Deanna  
Markovich, Ellen Marie  
Markwardt, Robert Lee, Jr.  
Martin, Tracie Margorie  
Matz, Amy Sue  
cum laude  
Maul, Scott Allen  
McIntyre, Rhonda Lynn  
Meehan, Thomas Edwin  
magna cum laude  
Meissner, Jeffrey Douglas  
cum laude  
Miller, Aaron William  
Miller-Wood, Janis  
summa cum laude  
Moore, Elizabeth Marie  
Moore, Paula Marie  
cum laude  
Moore-Lijewski, Alexandra D.  
cum laude  
Morton, Audrey Lynn  
magna cum laude  
Nanney, Ronald William  
Nappo, Daniel John  
summa cum laude  
Nickless, Cathy Lynn  
cum laude  
Niemann, Stephen Lewis  
cum laude  
Niemiec, Joseph Edward  
Norris, Sharon Lynn  
Paquette, Michelle Marie  
Paras, Jeffrey Michael  
Peruski, Dawn Marie  
Piskor, Sharon Lee

Pittman, Linda Montgomery  
Poole, Patricia Kay  
magna cum laude  
Powers, Christina Lynn  
Price, Randy Len  
Prinzo, Carmine Joseph  
Pryor, Vonda Kay  
Rahn, Danielle Sue  
Reetz, Wendi Renee  
Reh, AnneMarie Kenny  
cum laude  
Reiss, William Joseph  
Richards, Robert Grant  
Richmond, Dolores Kay  
Richmond, Scott Louis  
cum laude  
Rodammer, David Lee  
cum laude  
Roggenbuck, Marcy Ann  
Rosencrans, Christine Gay  
Rousseau, Kathleen I.  
Russell, Janel Danette  
cum laude  
Schuch, Terri Lynn  
Schulte, Rudolph Andrew, II  
magna cum laude  
Schultz, Kimberly Ann  
Seder, Michelle Lynn  
Sharon, James R.  
Shaw, Donna Marie  
Simons, Brady Allen  
Sledge, Bonnie Ruth  
Smith, Heidi J.  
summa cum laude  
Sommers, Mary Louise  
Spradlin, James David  
Sterling, Monica Sue  
Stockwell, Thomas Henry  
magna cum laude  
Strecker, Jennifer Ann  
Stump, Lisa Marie  
Sturtz, Eric Martin  
Suchodolski, Kim Steven  
Swift, Mary Whalen  
Tatum, Dawn Linear  
Torok, Laura Ann  
Townsend, Thomas J.  
Troyer, Kimberly A.  
Turner, Derek Allen  
Uphold, Russell Lynn  
Vasquez, Mary Ann  
Voss, Kevin John  
Walker, Juanita Burden

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

Weaver, Deena Marie  
cum laude  
Weinand, Carol Anne  
cum laude  
Wells, Scott David  
summa cum laude  
Wieland, Debra A.  
cum laude

Winzer, Raimon G.  
Wirth, Kimberly Ann  
Wortley, Douglas Allen  
Younkman, Eileen Elizabeth  
cum laude  
Zieke, Frances Mary Joan  
summa cum laude

## B.S.W. — Bachelor of Social Work

Anthony, Gerard Stanley  
Arndt, Kimberly K.  
magna cum laude  
Baranowski, Marlene Kay  
cum laude  
Billow, Wilma F.  
summa cum laude  
Bollenbacher, Jennifer Louise  
Bollman, Juliann Redmond  
Bowden, Nancy Faith  
cum laude  
Callahan, Patricia Ann  
cum laude  
Church, Ann Marie  
summa cum laude  
Counterman, Tina Marie  
magna cum laude  
Damm, Lloyd Paul Milton  
summa cum laude  
DeLine, Pamela J.  
cum laude  
Dole, Connie A.  
summa cum laude  
Dore, Tracey Sue  
cum laude  
Dunigan, Delores Aileen Harris  
Eaton, Emma D.  
cum laude  
Gano, Lisa Marie  
summa cum laude  
Garvin, Ann Marie  
magna cum laude  
Gave, Susan Esther  
Gawne, Monika Karen  
Goodman, Celeste Ray  
cum laude  
Hamling, Karin M.  
magna cum laude  
Horiski, Stacey Marie

Jablonski, Jennifer Anne  
cum laude  
Krause-VanOchten, Maria Susan  
Lawrence, Amber Marie  
Lawrence, Pamela Therese  
LeClair, Jane Ann  
Leyrer, Patricia Ann  
cum laude  
Lipp, Mary L.  
Marr, Wayne D.  
Martinez, Rosalinda  
McAllister, Darneal Marie  
McClelland, Ronda Kay  
McCoy, Tina Marie  
cum laude  
Michalski, Rebecca Jo  
cum laude  
Miller, Sally K.  
Mortensen, Tamara L.  
Orange, Tommie, Jr.  
magna cum laude  
Parrent, Deanna Marie  
cum laude  
Parsell, Cassandra Ann  
Penberthy, Shannon  
Pryor, James Alfred, Jr.  
cum laude  
Purigoski, Cheryl Marie  
magna cum laude  
Rassette, Paul Thomas  
magna cum laude  
Rousse, Brenda Kay  
summa cum laude  
Seawood, Jeanie Margaret  
Stadler-Lamblin, Sherri Kay  
Thurman, Kelynn Jo  
cum laude  
Villanueva, Angela Marie

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

Wolschlagel, Nancy Lynn  
magna cum laude  
Wyman, Susan E.  
cum laude

Zelno, Andrew R.  
magna cum laude

**COLLEGE OF BUSINESS AND  
MANAGEMENT**

*Wayne E. Mackie, Acting Dean*

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

Albosta, Lori Kay  
Ancel, Ricky Todd  
Armstrong, Patricia Ann  
summa cum laude  
Badrak, Brian Keith  
Baker, Brenda Jo  
magna cum laude  
Beach, Angela Kay  
Bernier, Tammy Lynn  
summa cum laude  
Birchmeier, Sheila Ann  
summa cum laude  
Bitters, Bethany Ann  
cum laude  
Blankenship, Shanon Marie  
Boyd, Cathleen Lynn  
Bruske, John Joseph  
Buchmann, Susan Marie  
Buda, Kathy Lynn  
Burkitt, Mark V.  
Burzyck, LeAnn Marie  
Capling, Jill Lynn  
Case, William Paul  
summa cum laude  
Chapin, Dana Kristin  
Claus, James Kenneth  
Colosky, April Lynn  
Conzelmann, Jean Marie  
Cottrell, Duane Anthony  
Czewski, Tracy Ann  
magna cum laude  
Daley, Tammy J.  
DeFour, Barbara A.  
Delestowicz, Mary B.  
Dennis, Angela Ann  
Dennis, Paul Andrew

Doud, Dawn Marie  
magna cum laude  
Dowd, Caren Ellen  
DuPuis, Darcy Kay  
Dudewicz, Michael L.  
cum laude  
Ducanson, Susan Jean  
Dutcher, Connie J.  
magna cum laude  
Essenmacher, Scott Mark  
Everett, Joan Carolyn  
magna cum laude  
Fales, Scott Dale  
Farwell, Karla Swanson  
Fialkowski, Barbara Ann  
Foco, Darlene Ann  
Garety, Michael William  
Gilkey, Dennis P.  
Gilson, Barbara Lynn  
Gottschalk, Sherry Mae  
Graham, Tahauna Elaine  
Grochowski, Tamera Denese  
Hale, Lee H.  
Hang, Fu  
Hanson, Kristi Lynn  
Healy, Shirley Ann  
magna cum laude  
Heinlein, Donna Jean  
Hetzner, Adele Lynn  
magna cum laude  
Heyn, Philip Martin  
summa cum laude  
Heyn, Rachel Christine  
Hofmann, John Allan  
Holdwick, Tammy Sue  
cum laude

College of Business and Management  
Bachelor of Business Administration

Hopkins, Gary Alan  
Hopkins, Karen Sue  
cum laude  
Hurley, Julie Ann  
Hutfilz, Gloria Jean  
Illig, Dayna Lynn  
Jackson, Theodore R., Jr.  
Kaeffring, Robert E.  
Kazmierski, Sharon K.  
Klebba, Sheila Marie  
Kostus, Anthony Scott  
summa cum laude  
Kraut, Thomas Edward  
LaMore, Michele Anne  
Larson, Laura Michelle  
Lemmon, Debra Ann  
Leslie, David Michael  
Loose, Jeremy Heath  
Lyon, Joyce K.  
summa cum laude  
Maday, Christopher Thomas  
Maples, Laura M.  
Markley, Steven Russell  
Marr, Kathleen Marie  
Martin, Jill Marie  
Martinez, Jessie Edward  
magna cum laude  
Merchant, Deanna Catherine  
Miklovic, Peter Gordon  
Moore, Michael James  
Morgan, Cheryl Lynn  
Mosher, Pamala Renée  
Munoz, Javier  
Murphy, Timothy Christopher  
Myczkowiak, Terry R.  
cum laude  
Nacarato, Samuel Joseph  
Nader, Richard Michael  
Noack, Rhonda L.  
Noey, Arthur David, III  
cum laude  
Partake, Chad Richard  
summa cum laude  
Pavlicek, Lynn Esther  
Pedota, Jennifer Ann  
summa cum laude  
Pegley, Kristi A.  
magna cum laude  
Perez, Nicolas Manuel  
Peters, Lucy Kay

Pirtle, Ovallie  
Prince, Tracy Lynn  
Prueter, Dawn J.  
Rau, Julie Annette  
Raz, Simin  
Rechtzigel, Lisa Marie  
Rendon, David  
Rick, Matthew C.  
Rivette, Kathleen A.  
magna cum laude  
Rogers, David Scott  
Ross, Susan Veronica  
Rude, Mark J.  
Ryzenga, Jon David  
summa cum laude  
Sauber, Patricia L.  
Schachtner, Gregory Jon  
Schaffer, April J.  
Schiefer, Scott Eugene  
Schneider, Kerry A.  
Schultz, Elizabeth Ann  
Scott, Lisa Marie  
Seamon, Stephen Joseph, II  
Servinski, Stephen Timothy  
Shlagor, Leshia Yvonne  
Sinclair, Savil Augustus  
Smith, James E.  
Stephens, Mark Francis  
Thomas, Jennele Kristene  
Thomas, Leslie Deshawn  
Tomsich, Michael Patrick  
Turner, Shawn Marie  
Upright, James Curtis  
Van Pelt, Robert J.  
Vinson, Juanita  
Vitti, William Anthony  
Wallace, Richard O., II  
Warheit, Stephen James  
Wegner, Daniel Richard, II  
summa cum laude  
Weiss, Jacqueline Ann  
Wenzel, Victoria Jo  
Williams, Bruce James  
Winkowski, Brian Mitchell  
Wisniewski, Mark F.  
Witzke, Douglas Karl  
Wressell, Carolyn Ann  
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Xiong, Chue S.

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

Youngstrom, David Robert  
magna cum laude  
Yuill, Paul George

Zielke, Matthew C.  
magna cum laude  
Zimostrad, Jason A.  
Zolinski, Wendy Lynn

## COLLEGE OF EDUCATION

*Ellen Curtis-Pierce, Dean*

### B.A. — Bachelor of Arts

Andres, Mary Lynne  
cum laude  
Asher, Mia Lisa  
Askevich, Darren Andrew  
Bailey, Jeffrey Frederick  
Barens, Charlene Ann  
Binder, Vickie Dianne  
magna cum laude  
Bond, Joyce Lynn  
summa cum laude  
Bowsby, David W.  
Buschlen, Christina E.  
magna cum laude  
Cabinder, Sue Ann  
Childs, Linda Joyce  
cum laude  
Collins, Kristine Ann  
Collision, Stephen Christopher  
Coughlin, Jeannine M.  
magna cum laude  
Cramer, Laurie Louise  
cum laude  
Cruz, Wendy Lea  
magna cum laude  
Dew, Jackie Lynn  
Durocher, Nancy Ann  
cum laude  
Edler, Sherri Lynn  
magna cum laude  
Feriend, Lorri Ann  
Forro-Robinson, Tina Marie  
cum laude  
Gadomski, Theresa Aileen  
cum laude  
Gary, Jennifer J.  
Gaskill, Donna Jean  
cum laude  
Hagerty, Richard Donald

Hamlin, Christopher Edward  
Hendershot, Tina Marie  
magna cum laude  
Hickey, Bridget Marie  
Hupcik-Whetstone, Barbara Ann  
summa cum laude  
King, Kevin Paul  
King, Natalee Edith  
magna cum laude  
Krach, James Michael  
Krogman, Brenda Renee  
cum laude  
Kruk, Natalie Ann  
magna cum laude  
LeFevre, Angela Marie  
magna cum laude  
Makrianis, James Robert  
cum laude  
Maust, Brenda K.  
summa cum laude  
McBride, Dennis James, Jr.  
Meyers, Molly Jo  
Mikusek, Barbara Elsa  
cum laude  
Morris, Patricia Lynn  
cum laude  
Nelander, Stacia Anne  
magna cum laude  
Pavlik, Susan Elizabeth  
Pomaville, Dinah L.  
Roop, Ronald John, II  
Ruggles, Julie Katherine  
Schriber, Kara Sue  
Schroeder, Theresa Marie  
cum laude  
Schulz, Kathleen A.  
cum laude  
Sheridan, Sandra Lynn

Snow, Kendall Kurtis  
Stanley, Steven Emil  
summa cum laude  
Suppes, Cammie Marie  
magna cum laude  
Tarrant, Amy C.  
Timm, Rayna  
Tod, Elizabeth H.  
summa cum laude

VanHorn, Tammy Jean  
cum laude  
Vickey, Josefa Q.  
Viele, Eric Stephen  
Walters, Kimberly E.  
Williamson, Christopher Eugene  
cum laude

### B.S. — Bachelor of Science

Cummings, Lisa Lynn  
Gary, Troy Bruce  
Gormley, Theresa Ann

Long, Peggy Lorraine  
Swanson, Judith Ann  
summa cum laude

## COLLEGE OF NURSING AND ALLIED HEALTH SCIENCES

*Crystal M. Lange, Dean*

### B.S. — Bachelor of Science

Benchley, Kathrynne Elaine  
Cook, Stephen Merritt  
Morris, Sandra Marie

Periard, Julie Elizabeth  
Schantz, Frances Lyn  
magna cum laude

### B.S.N. — Bachelor of Science in Nursing

Bauer, Matthew Joseph  
Beattie, Janet Marie  
cum laude  
Broka, Troy Alan  
Brown, Cynthia Rose  
Chatel, Barbara Reif  
cum laude  
Costello, Jennifer Anne  
Curtis, Michelle Renee  
Dueweke, Stacie Jo  
magna cum laude  
Dukelow, Kathleen Ann  
cum laude  
Garfinkel, Bethany Anne Messing  
summa cum laude  
Geiger, Rebecca Lynn  
Ham, Laura Jeanette  
Hickman, Jay Bryan  
Huston, Cathy L.

Karbowski, Mary Annette  
magna cum laude  
Kaven, Julie A.  
Kushner, Deborah Lynn  
Lazzaro-Kratzner, Nancy  
Marshall, Rochelle H.  
Meyer, Mary Beth  
Miller, Nancy Lynne  
summa cum laude  
Momany-Pfruender, Jeri J.  
summa cum laude  
Nowak, Yvette Patrice  
Oblender, Lisa Lynne  
Pawlanta, Kearsten Marie  
Phillips, Lynn Alene  
Prescher, Regina Michaela  
Rashott, Aileen Faith  
cum laude  
Ratajczak, Karolynne Sue

College of Nursing and Allied Health Sciences  
Bachelor of Science in Nursing (continued)

Rose, Barbara Susan  
Sprague, Nancy Mary  
cum laude  
Taylor, Nancy J.  
Tice, Sarah Colleen  
summa cum laude  
Tinglan, Bethany L.  
magna cum laude  
Tucker, Barbara L.

Wardin, Brenda J.  
magna cum laude  
Warnemuende, Laura Hazel  
Weyrowski, Ellen S.  
magna cum laude  
Wiacek, Wendy Sue  
Zaucha, Theron J.  
Zorn, Margaret J.  
cum laude

**COLLEGE OF SCIENCE, ENGINEERING AND  
TECHNOLOGY**

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**B.S. — Bachelor of Science**

Bartos, Bridget Helen  
Bell, Curtis S., Jr.  
Bickham, Stephen Richard  
Bonzak, Heather Ann  
cum laude  
Burk, Steven Robert  
Chapin, Wade Arnold  
Clark, Lynette Kay  
magna cum laude  
Cooper, Michael D.  
Corcoran, Eugene Thomas  
summa cum laude  
Crane, Stephen Andrew  
DeLano, Franklin Allen  
summa cum laude  
DeMonaco, Anna Marie  
cum laude  
Drayton, Jeffrey Charles  
DuChene, Allen G.  
Dykema, Michael Alan  
Eckerle, Karl F.  
Erskine, Annette Renée  
Geister, Stephanie Lynne  
summa cum laude  
Grandberry, Michael Charles  
Green, Susan C.  
Gwizdala, Albin Bernard, III  
magna cum laude  
Haberland, John Paul  
Hale, Cassandra Kaye  
Hoppe, Eric Edward

Jacobi, Kathleen M.  
Janks, Keith Allen  
Johnson, Bradford Pearson  
Jones, Jon-Paul P.  
Keinath, Mark B.  
Kelly, Roger Lee  
Kelly, Shirley Jo  
summa cum laude  
Kinney, Jason Earl  
Klump, Philip Martin  
Korth, Bryan J.  
Kushmaul, Marie Louise  
cum laude  
Lama, Natalie Françoise  
magna cum laude  
Laskowski, Francis D.  
Lassell, Robert Eric  
Mallery, William E.  
Martini, Cheryl Pauline  
Maxwell, Thomas George  
Mayers, Michael Scott  
Mayhew, Ellie Ann  
magna cum laude  
Moore, Jodi Lynn  
magna cum laude  
Neumeier, Scott Kevin  
cum laude  
Nunn, Jeffrey Allen  
O'Brien, Colleen Frances  
summa cum laude  
O'Connor, James Laurel, III

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

Ochodnicki, Lori Lynn  
Plume, Christine Marie  
Polzin, Gregory Michael  
magna cum laude  
Pufahl, Joseph Lawrence  
Purol, Sheila Marie  
magna cum laude  
Raimar, James Arthur  
Ricker, Bruce Lyle  
summa cum laude  
Robbins, Linda Sue  
Roedel, Mark Charles  
magna cum laude  
Ruzicka, David Allen  
Samyn, Robin Christy  
summa cum laude  
Sanderson, Rodney Michael  
Schrock, Thomas E.  
Schultheis, Katé Ann  
summa cum laude  
Schultz, Ernest Christopher  
Surian, Jennifer Ann

Tarrant, Laura Elise  
magna cum laude  
Terrian, Randy T.  
cum laude  
Wager, Fred Earl, IV  
summa cum laude  
Walls, Therese Renee  
cum laude  
Waters, Russell Dennis  
cum laude  
Weaver, Michael E.  
Wheeler, Andrew Ray  
summa cum laude  
Willard, Jeffrey Alan  
Willett, Shaundra Lee  
Wilson, Neil Richard  
magna cum laude  
Wolschlagel, Richard Patrick  
Woodford, Steven Lewis  
summa cum laude  
Wujkowski, Lisa L.  
York, Peggy Ann  
Zuehlsdorff, Brian C.

**B.S.E.E. — Bachelor of Science in Electrical Engineering**

Giovanoli, Zbigniew  
Haselbeck, Charles William  
Gibson, Jeffrey W.  
magna cum laude  
Klass, Stephen Andrew

Mumford, Roger Lee  
cum laude  
Parrent, Matthew James  
Watz, Christopher F.

**B.S.M.E. — Bachelor of Science in Mechanical Engineering**

Bellhorn, Kevin C.  
cum laude  
Guerin, Thomas James  
magna cum laude  
Hare, Todd Mitchell  
Hostetler, Trent Randal  
Loiselle, Randy John  
Pretzer, Matthew Norman  
Pretzer, Wayne Arnold  
Reno, Matthew James

Richards, Carolyn Jean  
Rubis, Kenneth J.  
cum laude  
Schultheis, Otto J.  
Shangraw, Julie Ann Stewart  
cum laude  
Simon, Scott C.  
Taylor, Samuel Joe  
Turk, David Michael  
Volmering, James E.  
magna cum laude

## 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 and Behavioral Sciences

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

### College of Business and Management

B.A.-Economics ....	Copper
B.B.A. ....	Drab

### College of Education

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

### College of Nursing and Allied Health Sciences

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

### College of Science, Engineering and Technology

B.S. ....	Gold
B.S.E.E. ....	Orange
B.S.M.E. ....	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 and Behavioral Sciences

M.A. ....	White
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### College of Business and Management

M.B.A. ....	Drab
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### College of Education

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

### College of Nursing and Allied Health Sciences

M.S.N. ....	Apricot
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## ACADEMIC ATTIRE

Traditions for recognizing academic accomplishments with ceremony, color and distinctive dress have existed for several centuries, dating to European universities of the Middle Ages. The academic regalia worn by participants in today's commencement procession symbolizes the degrees held and the institutions where degrees were earned. The style of these caps, gowns and hoods evolved from costumes worn during early religious processions to distinguish church and university members from the laity.

Bachelor's and master's degree gowns traditionally are black, although some universities prescribe a school color for their graduates' gowns. The bachelor's gown has long pointed sleeves while the master's gown has a sealed oblong section at the wrist. Doctoral gowns are identified by bell-shaped sleeves with velvet crossbars.

The length of the academic hood, which drapes over the back of the gown, denotes the wearer's academic achievement. The hood's length, width, color of trim and the color or colors of the lining all are symbolic. Linings, exposed in the center of the hood, indicate the colors of the degree-granting institution. For Saginaw Valley State University the colors are cardinal red and royal blue. The trim—satin for a master's degree, velvet for a doctorate—reveals the wearer's major field of study. Width of the trim is two inches, three inches and five inches for the bachelor's, master's and doctor's degree, respectively. The master's hood is pointed; the doctor's hood is bell-shaped. The hood's length is three feet for the bachelor, three and a half for the master and four for the doctor.

The customary head covering is either the mortarboard or a soft beret modeled after the cap of Cambridge University. The tassel on the cap may be black or a color indicating the degree.

The SVSU Board of Control and the President wear regalia especially designed for them in SVSU's colors. Members of the governing board of an institution are entitled to wear doctoral gowns regardless of their academic degree.

## THE SEAL OF SAGINAW VALLEY STATE UNIVERSITY

The triangle within the SVSU seal symbolizes the geographical area formed by Bay City, Midland and Saginaw. It denotes the linking of three separate communities and surrounding areas through an institution dedicated to higher education.



Three symbols within the seal are of Egyptian origin. The figure at the top represents life, denoting 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 smoky pine that lights the pathway but one step ahead. Opposite the 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, as well as 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, about 7,000 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 construction projects totaling over \$60 million complement facilities built between 1966 and 1978 to provide an attractive, barrier-free campus. The Science Building and Maurice E. Brown Hall opened for 1986 fall semester classes. The Melvin J. Zahn Library opened early in 1987, and the Dorothy (Honey) and Ned S. Arbury Fine Arts Center and Marshall M. Fredericks Sculpture Gallery later that year. Other facilities include Pine Grove Apartments, a 40-unit student housing complex, and the Administrative Services Building. The Ryder Center was completed in fall 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.

The 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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## THE MACE

The mace carried by the marshal in the academic procession is a symbol of authority traditionally used in Britain and Canada for the opening of parliament. The name derives from the Latin *mateola*, meaning mallet or staff. In the Middle Ages, such staffs, with a metal ball at one end, were used as weapons.

SVSU's mace was designed by Victoria Gillespie, wife of SVSU Professor Thomas Gillespie. The handcrafted mace was constructed with a wooden handle and metal head. A message intended to be opened and read after 20 years was placed inside the metal head. However, a campus fire in 1985 prevented that historic occasion.

Although it was feared the mace had been totally destroyed by the fire, eventually the charred head was recovered. Mrs. Gillespie constructed a new handle, cleaned the head, replaced a red stone set in it and had a carpenter construct a box for storing the refurbished mace.

The mace is used each year during Commencement ceremonies, as well as on other auspicious occasions.