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# Commencement 2000



*College of*  
**Natural Resources**  
UNIVERSITY OF MINNESOTA

# Commencement

*Sunday, May 7, 2000 – St. Paul Student Center*

Reception	Andrea Morse, Pianist
Processional	Academic Procession
Opening Remarks	Al Sullivan, Dean <i>College of Natural Resources</i>
Representing the University	Patricia Spence, Regent
Representing the Graduates	Lenny Schmitz, RRM
Representing the Alumni	Frank Svoboda
Sonata No. 52 in E-flat Major by Haydn	Andrea Morse
Presentation of Graduates	Al Sullivan, Dean
Representing the College	William K. Ganzlin, Director <i>Student Services Office</i>
	James A. Perry <i>Department of Fisheries and Wildlife</i>
	Alan R. Ek <i>Department of Forest Resources</i>
	Steven Daley Laursen <i>Natural Resources and Environmental Studies</i>
	Joseph G. Massey <i>Department of Wood and Paper Science</i>
Recognition of Graduates	Regent Patricia Spence
“Hail Minnesota”	Joe Massey & Andrea Morse
Closing Remarks	Al Sullivan, Dean
Recessional	Audience is asked to remain in their seats until the academic procession exits the Ballroom

# 2000 College of Natural Resources Graduates

## *Fisheries and Wildlife*

Karoline Marie Anderson

Rahim LeMar Artic

Doug R. Bastyr

Jennifer Marie Berg

Chad Prescott Bulen

Sara Kathleen Habig

Angela Marie Hendel

Gregory Steven Kloke

Danny Kurkiewicz

Lyndsey Ann Lang

Ryanne Elizabeth Larson

Melissa Anne Lindholm

Kelly A. Lynch

Parnell Alonzo Mahoney

Jon Anthony McGill

Sara Miech

Aubrey L. Nielsen

Erika M. Riggs

Matthew Erik Scott

Michele Christine Sellman

Jennifer Sieracki

Leigh Anne Tolstyga

Jessica Walus

Michelle Marie Workman

## *Forest Resources*

Nathan Ayshford	James Raymond Neeser
Wesley David Belanger	Darren William Neuman
John Carlson	Kenneth Norstrem
Lara Jo Gordon*	Dawn Michelle Opland
Ross Caleb Hargrove	Andrew Benjamin Reeves
Douglas Norman Kastendick	Sara Smith
Casey Lynn Krogstad	Stephen John Style

## *Recreation Resource Management*

Lara Jo Gordon*	Brett Christian Oberg
Shanna Hendrickson	Lenny W. Schmitz
Stephen J. Hennessy	Brian Valentine

## *Urban Forestry*

Jeffrey Richard Fitzmorris	Judith Wagner
Joseph Michael Morocco	Pierce Robert Wasmund
Olivia Jean Sprenger	

*Natural Resources and Environmental Studies*

Deanna Marie Brinkman	John Zenon Mackiewicz
Jonathan Mann Burkham	Jon Stephen Mattsson
Andrea Karen Cade	Casey Amber Nelson
Michelle Chaney	Evaline Nyaribo
Sarah Rebecca Chartrand	Sean William O'Connor
Lara Ann Christley	Patience L. Olson
Darol Fiala	A. Andrew Porupsky
Andrew T. Freeland	Stacey Puranen
Matthew Frederick Gerlach	Gregory Purcell
Kari Geurts	Kane Radel
Scott Michael Gjertson	Kavita Ramesh
William A. Goodnature	Cari Rae Rebischke
Christopher Michael Goodwin	Justin Lawrence Riss
Michael John Gordon	Jason Ryan Robinson
Mark Douglas Gustafson	Angela Renee Roe
Katrine Marie Halbach	Jennifer Lynn Rollings**◆
Stephanie Ann Hayes	Carl Frederick Rundberg
Kelly M. Hlte	Sarah Ann Santema
Christina Jacobson	Peter Lee Schensted
Shawn Michael Kelley	Sarah Marie Seubert

**Priscilla Alexis Shannon**

**Sarah Christine Siemann**

**Andrew Michael Skowlund**

**Aaron Andrew Spence**

**Toni L. Stevenson**

**Jennifer Laura Tompkins**

**Daryl Wierzbinski**

**James Van Gorder Wilson III**

**Susan Wolf**

**Sara Theresa Zimmerley**

## *Wood and Paper Science*

Jason Charles Augst	Mark Michael Jaroslowski
John Raymond Babiracki	Paul Vincent Johnston
Eric J. Bauer	Matthew Alan Lennartson
Hetal Bhakta	Angela Michelle Luther
Ross A. Blanshan	Corey Lee Peterson
Matthew Brodie Borham	Asgar M. Rahman
Michael J. Corbett	Matthew Colin Ryan
Patrick Michael Cowan	Briana Rachelle Rygg
Timothy James Dahl	Erik Per-Christian Schremp
Bradley A. Davis	Chad Thorstad Skordahl
Travis William Herritz	Cynthia D. Strand
Lee Matthew Hilton	Corey Walker Whitcomb
Abra Hovgaard*◆	Thomas Matthew Wurst

\* Distinction

\*\* High Distinction

◆ Honors - *summa cum laude*



# HAIL MINNESOTA

*Minnesota, hail to thee!*

*Hail to thee, our College dear!*

*Thy light shall ever be*

*A beacon bright and clear.*

*Thy sons and daughters true*

*Will proclaim thee near and far.*

*They will guard thy fame and adore thy name;*

*Thou shalt be their Northern Star.*

*Like the stream that bends to sea,*

*Like the pine that seeks the blue,*

*Minnesota, still for thee*

*Thy sons are strong and true.*

*From thy woods and waters fair,*

*From thy prairies waving far,*

*At thy call they throng with their shout and song*

*Hailing thee, their Northern Star.*

