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UNIVERSITY OF MINNESOTA

SCHOOL OF DENTISTRY

Graduation Ceremony

MAY 18, 2001

2:00 P.M.

NORTHROP MEMORIAL AUDITORIUM

The Ceremony

Prelude

Music: Spitfire Overture,
Newark Siege, The Rejoicing from Music for the Royal Fireworks

Processional

The ceremony will begin with a processional of the dignitaries, faculty, and
graduating dental hygiene and Doctor of Dental Surgery students
Music: Pomp and Circumstance

Welcome

Peter J. Polverini, Dean

Greetings and Congratulations

Frank B. Cerra, Senior Vice President & Provost, Academic Health Center

Speaking for the Graduates

Jessica F. Lang, President, Dental Hygiene Class of 2001
Bruce M. Trimble, President, Doctor of Dental Surgery Class of 2001

Graduation Address

“For Better or For Worse”

Anthony J. DiAngelis, D.M.D., M.P.H.
Chief of Dentistry, Hennepin County Medical Center,
Professor, Department of Preventive Sciences, University of Minnesota School of Dentistry

Conferring of Degrees

The Honorable Patricia B. Spence, Regent

Presentation of the Dental Hygiene Graduates

Presentation and Hooding of the Dental Graduates

Thomas D. Larson, Associate Dean, Academic Affairs
Kathleen J. Newell, Director & Associate Professor, Dental Hygiene
Gale L. Shea, Director, Enrollment Management
Richard D. Nadeau, Associate Clinical Dental Specialist, Patient Management
Edgar F. Ziegler, Associate Clinical Dental Specialist, Operative Dentistry

Recessional

Guests are asked to remain seated until the graduates and
participating faculty have left the auditorium
Music: The Earl of Oxford's March

Seated On Stage

Peter J. Polverini, Dean
The Honorable Patricia B. Spence, Regent
Frank B. Cerra, Vice President & Provost, Academic Health Center
Anthony J. DiAngelis, Chief of Dentistry, Hennepin County Medical Center
Richard D. Nadeau, Associate Clinical Dental Specialist, Patient Management
Edgar F. Ziegler, Associate Clinical Dental Specialist, Operative Dentistry
Thomas D. Larson, Associate Dean, Academic Affairs
Kathleen J. Newell, Director & Associate Professor, Dental Hygiene
Gale L. Shea, Director, Office of Enrollment Management
Barbara F. Brandt, Assistant Vice President of Education, Academic Health Center
Gary C. Anderson, Senior Associate Dean
William H. Douglas, Interim Department Chair & Professor, Oral Sciences
James R. Holtan, Department Chair & Professor of, Restorative Sciences
Leslie V. Martens, Department Chair & Professor of Preventive Sciences
Tamer A. El-Gendy, Master of Science Degree Candidate, Prosthodontics

Faculty Processional

Jeanne M. Anderson, Bashar Bakdash, John P. Beyer, Beth E. Brosky, Melissa A. Cozart,
Ralph DeLong, James E. Hinrichs, Donna J. Mattscheck, Karlind T. Moller, Craig B. Phair, Michael D.
Rohrer, Daniel E. Rose, Noah A. Sandler, Stephen K. Shuman, Michael J. Till, John C. Wittenstrom

Dental Hygiene and Dental Faculty Escorts

Edward C. Combe, Professor, Oral Sciences-Biomaterials
Gary E. Cook, Associate Clinical Dental Specialist, Restorative Sciences-Prosthodontics
Marilyn J. Ellefson, Clinical Professor, Preventive Sciences-Dental Hygiene
Robert J. Gorlin, Regents' Professor Emeritus, Oral Sciences-Oral Pathology and Genetics
Steven Janczak, Assistant Clinical Dental Specialist, Restorative Sciences-Prosthodontics
Ioannis Koutlas, Assistant Professor, Oral Sciences-Oral and Maxillofacial Pathology
Joseph Lapinski, Clinical Assistant Professor, Restorative Sciences-Clinical Systems
Loris Lokkesmoe, Clinical Assistant Professor, Preventive Sciences-Dental Hygiene
Robert R. Miller, Clinical Assistant Professor, Restorative Sciences-Patient Management
Nelson L. Rhodus, Distinguished Associate Professor, Diagnostic/Surgical Sciences-Oral Medicine,
Diagnosis, and Oral and Maxillofacial Radiology
Wook Jin Seong, Associate Clinical Dental Specialist, Restorative Sciences-Prosthodontics
Karen R. Smith, Clinical Assistant Professor, Preventive Sciences-Dental Hygiene

May 2001
Candidates for the
Bachelor of Science Degree In Dental Hygiene

- Akervik, Kayla R., St. Cloud, MN
- ◆ Bendoraitis, Dalia S., Menomonee Falls, WI
- Bril, Jennifer L., Apple Valley, MN
- Brodsky, Ruvin G., Aloha, OR
- Dragsten, Jennifer A., Monticello, MN
- Esterby, Stacy A., Hopkins, MN
- Hughes, Patricia A., Roseville, MN
- Huyink, Michelle J., Shoreview, MN
- Isebrands, Jennifer L., Wagner, SD
- Jilek, Kathleen A., Wausau, WI
- Johnson, Christine M., Ramsey, MN
- Kaiser, Amanda J., Blaine, MN
- Lam, Monica Dung H., Eagan, MN
- Lang, Jessica F., Stillwater, MN
- Larsen, Natalie A., International Falls, MN
- Marciniak, Corey S., St. Louis Park, MN
- Marks, Suzanne M., Roseville, MN
- McBreen, Michelle L., Sioux Falls, SD
- Melby, Anne M., Shoreview, MN
- Mosing, Louann M., Elko, MN
- ◆ Nelson, Jessica B., Big Lake, MN
- Nelson, Nancy A., Fridley, MN
- Nelson, Teresa J., Ramsey, MN
- Neubauer, Elizabeth A., Sleepy Eye, MN
- Nguyen, Anhthu V., Rosemount, MN
- Peterson, Rory L., Spokane, WA
- Radach, Kate C., Alexandria, MN
- Rehbein, Anneta M., Circle Pines, MN
- Schowalter, Julia Michelle, St. Paul, MN
- Stacy, Elizabeth A., New Brighton, MN
- Van Eperen, Jill J., Appleton, WI
- Wenning, Ann M., Holdingford, MN
- ◆ Wilson, Rebecca L., Shoreview, MN
- Young, Kelly K., Minneapolis, MN

◆ *Elected to Sigma Phi Alpha Honorary Dental Hygiene Society*

*May 2001
Candidates for the
Doctor of Dental Surgery Degree*

- Alm, Matthew J., B.S., Fargo, ND
 Bach, Hally J., Watertown, SD
 Bauer, Angela M., B.A., Mondovi, WI
 Bieganeck, Victor R., Minneapolis, MN
 Brenner, Corey J., B.A., Hawkins, WI
 Chu, Thao M., B.A., Blaine, MN
 DaCosta, Kristine C., B.A., Hibbing, MN
 Dalseth, Pascal P., B.A., Burnsville, MN
 de Llano, Ines, B.S., Fargo, ND
 ♦ DeVoe, Brian J., Maple Grove, MN
 Doerge, Shannon M., B.A., Rochester, MN
 Donabauer, Bradley J., B.A., Harwood, ND
 Dozier, Ian, B.S., Eagan, MN
 Ebenhoch, Cynthia L., B.S., Wauwatosa, WI
 Ehlers, Jason L., B.S., Sioux Falls, SD
 Elvecrog, John E., B.A., Eden Prairie, MN
 Enneper, Kendra K., B.S., Green Bay, WI
 ♦ Fallgatter, Alison M., B.A., Steele, ND
 Fedor, Lisa A., St. Cloud, MN
 ♦ Geiszler, Heather L., B.S., Grand Forks, ND
 Gessell, Jennifer J., B.A., Swanville, MN
 Grove, Brian E., B.A., White Bear Lake, MN
 Guirguis, Susan S., B.A., Alexandria, MN
 Halimi, Nadia, St. Paul, MN
 ** ♦ Halstead, Nathan G., B.A., Mankato, MN
 Hofer, Colleen J., B.A., Minot, ND
 Horn, Gesica T., B.S., Montevideo, MN
 Huffer Thurnau, Anne E., B.A., Owatonna, MN
 Ikola, Shawna K., B.A., Deer River, MN
 Irwin, David J., B.S., Ridgeland, WI
 ** ♦ Johnson, Jeremy G., B.S., Durand, IL
 Jordan, Brian D., Rochester, MN
 Kaufmann, Timothy W., B.B.A., Kewaskum, WI
 Kottas, Katherine C., B.A., Williamsburg, VA
 Kottke, Steven B., B.S., Duluth, MN
 Krische, Matthew Francis, B.S., Topeka, KS
 Lapinski, Thomas J., B.S., Minneapolis, MN
 Le, Mai-Trinh T., B.A., Moorhead, MN
 Lesch, James F., B.A., Dubuque, IA
 * ♦ Ling, Michael D., Shoreview, MN
 Lowder, Phillip D., B.S., Rigby, ID
 Luderitz, James R., B.S., Billings, MT
 Lund, Michelle D., B.A., Fargo, ND
 McHugh, Justin J., Minnetonka, MN
 ♦ McKenna, Tanner J., B.S., Madison, WI
 * ♦ McLellan, Corine N., B.S., Blaine, MN
 McNamee, Ann H., B.S., Apple Valley, MN
 Merrill, Jill N., B.S., Shoreview, MN
 Miller, James R., B.S., International Falls, MN
 Nelson, Grant D., B.S., Apple Valley, MN
 Nesvold, Jay A., B.S., Grand Rapids, MN
 Nguyen, Cam-Tu T., B.A., Chanhassen, MN
 * ♦ Olson, Anthony K., B.A., M.S., Bloomington, MN
 Olson, Suzette A., B.S., Baxter, MN
 Paczkowski, Jr., Gerald W., Two Rivers, WI
 Phillips, Elizabeth L.R., B.A., Plymouth, MN
 Pink, Thomas J., B.S., Maple Grove, MN
 Podratz, Adam W., Granite Falls, MN
 Porter, Todd A., B.S., Alexandria, MN
 Qureshi, Wafa A., Dhahran, Saudi Arabia
 Rohrer, Jeffrey A., B.A., Minneapolis, MN
 Schneider, Carl E., Hibbing, MN
 Schneider, Michelle L., B.S., Waterford, WI
 Schulz, Sara M., B.A., St. Paul, MN
 Splett, Michael J., B.S., White Bear Lake, MN
 Stenzel, Christopher J., B.A., Heron Lake, MN
 Stroope, Robert R., B.S., Rochester, MN
 Swanson, Justin S., Orono, MN
 Thurnau, Peter J., B.A., Owatonna, MN
 Trimble, Bruce M., B.S., Menomonie, WI
 Truchon, David J., Blaine, MN
 Tulkki, Michael J., Cold Spring, MN
 Ulstad, Brandon L., B.A., Madison, MN
 Vaillant, Matthew J., B.S., Red Wing, MN
 Vibeto, Bryan M., A.S., Minot, ND
 Wachlarowicz, Aaron J., B.A., Sauk Centre, MN
 Walker, Todd K., B.S., Idaho Falls, ID
 Warford, III, John H., B.S., Bismarck, ND
 Weber, Brian T., B.A., Sanborn, MN
 Weis, Timothy P., B.A., Northfield, MN
 White, Melanie E., B.A., Green Bay, WI
 * ♦ Wille, Travis W., B.S., Buffalo, MN

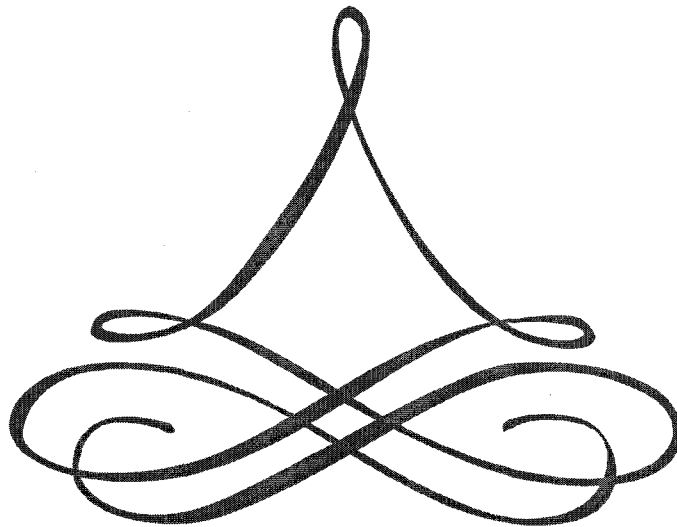
***May 2001
Candidates for the
Doctor of Dental Surgery Degree***

- *With Distinction— 3.75 Cumulative GPA or higher*
- **With High Distinction— 3.90 Cumulative GPA or higher*
- ◆ Elected to Omicron Kappa Upsilon National Dental Honor Society*

Academic Costume

The cap, gown, and sometimes hood, may be worn by anyone with a college degree or by a candidate whose degree is soon to be awarded.

The graduating dental hygiene students are wearing the black bachelor's degree gown and cap with a lilac tassel, the color designated for dentistry; those dental hygiene students with gold tassels have been elected to Sigma Phi Alpha, the national dental hygiene honor society. The graduating dental students are wearing the black doctor's degree gown with lilac velvet front facings and sleeve crossbars and a cap with a lilac tassel; those dental students with gold tassels have been elected to Omicron Kappa Upsilon, the national dental honor society. The faculty is wearing gowns and hoods indicating their highest degrees and caps with black tassels.



Acknowledgement

The School of Dentistry graduates express their appreciation to their families and friends for their support throughout their dental school education. With sincere gratitude the dental hygiene and dental graduates recognize the dental community for financial support of their graduation apparel. The 2001 classes thank the School of Dentistry Alumni Society for their commitment to making their graduation a very memorable occasion.

Ceremony musical performance by the Summit Hill Brass Quintet (Gwen Anderson, French horn; Scott Anderson, tuba; David Baldwin, trumpet; Lynn Erickson, trumpet; David Stevens, trombone).

This program is available in alternative formats upon request. Please contact: Wendie Schoessler,
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