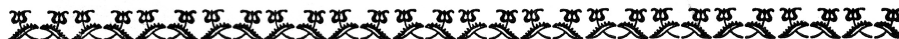


*The Thirtieth Annual*

*Commencement*



Wilkes  
College



*Ralston Field*

WILKES-BARRE, PENNSYLVANIA

*Sunday Afternoon, May 22, 1977*

AT TWO O'CLOCK

## HYMN TO JOY

### I.

Joyful, joyful, we adore Thee,  
God of glory, Lord of love;  
Hearts unfold like flowers before Thee,  
Opening to the sun above.  
Melt the clouds of sin and sadness,  
Drive the dark of doubt away;  
Giver of immortal gladness,  
Fill us with the light of day!

### II.

All Thy works with joy surround Thee,  
Earth and heaven reflect Thy rays,  
Stars and angels sing around Thee,  
Center of unbroken praise;  
Field and forest, vale and mountain,  
Flowery meadow, flashing sea,  
Chanting bird and flowing fountain,  
Call us to rejoice in Thee.

### III.

Mortals, join the happy chorus  
Which the morning stars began;  
Father love is reigning o'er us,  
Brother love binds man to man.  
Ever singing, march we onward,  
Victors in the midst of strife:  
Joyful music leads us sunward  
In the triumph song of life.



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# ORDER OF EXERCISES

## PROCESSIONAL

Dialogues ..... *Francois Couperin*

PROFESSOR H. CUTLER FALL, *Organist*

*(The audience is requested to rise as the procession enters the area)*

INVOCATION ..... THE REVEREND DOCTOR JULE AYERS

HYMN ..... HYMN TO JOY

## CHARGE TO THE GRADUATES

Board of Trustees ..... ATTORNEY JOSEPH J. SAVITZ  
*Chairman*

Faculty ..... PROFESSOR CHARLES B. REIF  
*Chairman, Biology Department*

Students ..... PEGGY A. WALCZYK  
*Member, Class of '77*

# ORDER OF EXERCISES

THE PRESENTATION OF AWARDS

THE CONFERRING OF DEGREES

AND CERTIFICATES ..... ROBERT S. CAPIN, *President*

ALMA MATER ..... *Eleanor C. Farley*

*(The words of the song may be found on the last page of this program.)*

*The audience is requested to stand and join in the singing.)*

BENEDICTION ..... PROFESSOR ROY E. WILLIAMS

RECESSIONAL

Ricercare ..... *Johann Pachelbel*

*(The audience is requested to remain standing during the recessional.)*

# AWARDS

## DEAN'S SCHOLARSHIP

AWARDS ..... JOANNE MARIE ENLOT  
JEFFREY SCOTT METZGER

These awards are given by the Deans to the man and woman graduate having attained the highest academic average for the four years at Wilkes College.

*Presentations by* DEAN JANE K. LAMPE and  
DEAN GEORGE F. RALSTON

HUMANITIES AWARD ..... JUDSON KIMBLE EVANS  
JACQUELINE A. REINHARD

This award, established in 1958 by Miss Annette Evans, a member of the Board of Trustees, honors the man or woman in the graduating class who has demonstrated outstanding scholarship in the humanities.

*Presentation by* ALFRED S. GROH  
Chairman, Theatre Arts Department  
Trustee, Annette Evans Foundation

NATURAL SCIENCES AND  
MATHEMATICS AWARD ..... JEFFREY SCOTT METZGER  
WILLIAM C. NARDONE

This award is given in recognition of scholarship within the Division of Natural Sciences and Mathematics.

*Presentation by* CHARLES B. REIF  
Chairman, Biology Department

# AWARDS

## SOCIAL SCIENCES AWARD ..... ANNETTE GOODMAN

The Hugo Mailey Memorial Award is given annually to that graduating senior in the social sciences who has best demonstrated overall abilities in scholarship, intellectual curiosity, and community or college service during his or her career at Wilkes College.

*Presentation by* ROBERT C. RILEY  
Chairman, Psychology Department

## ALUMNI AWARD FOR LEADERSHIP ..... STEVEN ESRICK

This award is given annually by the Wilkes College Alumni Association to the member of the graduating class considered by a special committee to have made the strongest contribution to student life and the student activities program of the college.

*Presentation by* ARTHUR J. HOOVER, '55  
Director of Alumni Relations

## INTERNATIONAL STUDENT AWARD ..... PANAYIOTIS KALARITIS

This award, established in 1972 in memory of Nada Vujica, is given annually to a deserving international student of the graduating class.

*Presentation by* EDWARD R. BALTRUCHITIS  
Assistant Dean of Men

# AWARDS

## ARMED FORCES RESERVE OFFICER APPOINTMENTS

UNITED STATES AIR FORCE ..... DANE ALFRED DRASHER  
JOHN JAMES HARPER  
DAVID JOSEPH O'HOP  
MARK A. SYMANOWICZ

*Presentation by* RICHARD L. WING  
Lieutenant Colonel, U. S. Air Force

## PROFESSOR EMERITA ..... ANNE VANKO LIVA

Professor Anne Liva has served over a period of twenty years as an outstanding faculty member of the Music Department. Trained at the Juilliard School of Music, she enjoys a national reputation as a distinguished teacher of piano which has resulted in local and national recognition for the Wilkes College Department of Music.

In recognition of distinguished service in the field of music, Professor Liva has received both "the Service Award" and "the Best Teacher Award" from the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

*Presentation by* RICHARD P. SOTER  
Dean of Academic Affairs

## CLASS OFFICERS

LAWRENCE PHILIP COHEN ..... *President*  
CRAIG ALAN GORTON ..... *Vice President*  
PATRICIA T. REILLY ..... *Secretary*  
DIANNE SUSAN LACAVA ..... *Treasurer*

# MASTERS DEGREE CANDIDATES

## *Master of Science Degree in Chemistry*

\*Roy Edward Smith

## *Master of Science Degree in Education*

Robert B. Berrettini

Jane P. Grogan

Frank Joseph Gubitose

†Tanya April Hallez

## *Master of Science Degree in Mathematics*

\*Peter E. King

Mary Belin Rhodes

## *Master of Science Degree in Physics*

Thomas P. Orseck

## *Master of Science Degree in Education with a major in Biology*

Gerald D. Antonelli

Karen Metzger Baranoski

Donna Marie Stack

\*Inez S. Stefanko

\*Degree in absentia

†Sigma Xi

# MASTERS DEGREE CANDIDATES

## *Master of Science Degree in Education with a major in Elementary*

Mary Beth Appnell	*Colleen Propersi
*Judith Ann Bartuska	Edward Joseph Pupa
Peggy A. Burke	Ruth Ann Roberts
Karen Peppe Dwyer	Lois E. Sexton
Charlotte Christine Jachimczak	*Mary Regina Adams Sklaney
Mary Ann Hvozda Jarolen	*Maureen Clinton Stair
*Ilona Doloris Johnson	*Joyce Ann Tantalla
*Dale Richard Jones	Karen Lee Trethaway
Louise C. Key	*Laura Gordon Turner
*Kathryn Mary Kravitz	*Robert Thomas Vozniak
Rosalind S. Lieberman	Jill Louise Yanoshak
Sheila E. McLaughlin	Jean Rostock Zavacki

## *Master of Science Degree in Education with a major in English*

*Mary Ellen J. Kerestes Blazejewski	Cyrus O. Smith
Anne A. Graham	Margaret Newberry Toluba
*Linda Susan Jean Schesney	

## *Master of Science Degree in Education with a major in History*

Roger S. Beatty	Fred D. Walters
Joan Kozich	

\*Degree in absentia



# MASTERS DEGREE CANDIDATES

## *Master of Science in Education with a major in Mathematics*

\*Barbara C. Krywicki

\*Maureen B. Solomon

## *Master of Business Administration*

Charles R. Abate

Samuel Mawuena Kweku Anyomi

Jacob Paul Apaliski

Luther Bonning, III

§Charmaine Louise Broad

Charles C. Brown, Jr.

Thomas Joseph Conlin, Jr.

John J. Cusumano

Pam Evans

Blase L. Gavlick, II

Michael M. Gilbert

\*Algie G. Gilmore, Jr.

\*Linda A. Giordano

\*Bruce E. Gover

\*Thomas Christian Hansen, II

\*Gene A. Heath

Carl Edward Kaschenbach, III

\*Ikbal Esmail Kathiwala

\*J. David Lombardi

Richard Joseph Lukesh

William C. Marcato

William Patrick Montague, Jr.

\*Eric Dunmore Murray

William Charles Nash

Brian L. Newirth

Michael Vincent O'Neill

Ralph John Orlando

\*Brian D. Parry

Richard G. Raspen

Kalyan Kumar Roy

Nancy Susan Schultz

Peter J. Senser

John J. Sharkowicz

\*James C. Shotwell

David M. Smith

Arlene Ann Sucheski

\*Thomas Joseph Ward

\*Degree in absentia

§Omicron Delta Epsilon

# GRADUATES

## BACHELOR OF ARTS

### *Summa Cum Laude*

Diane M. Amato

Maria Louise Leandri

Laura Ann Hadsall

Mary Alice Patsko

### *Magna Cum Laude*

Mary Ellen Alu

†Robert Jeffery Keller

Susan Celeste Brody

Eric Lee Klepac

Chester Frank Dudick, Jr.

Michael John Narbecki

Judson Kimble Evans

Sandra Shepard Piccone

Kathleen Marie Gildea

Jacqueline A. Reinhard

Annette Goodman

Richard A. Russo

Judith Keats Hatcher

Steven Brooks Standiford

Diane Katra

Deborah Switlavitch

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# GRADUATES

## BACHELOR OF ARTS — *Continued*

### *Cum Laude*

Linda Jean Abbey	Gerald Thomas Mehalick
Amy Louise Albanese	Mary Teresa A. Monick
Laurice Alexander	Gina P. O'Brien
Brian E. Boston	Mary Alice Prociak
Joseph W. Buckley	Donna Lynn Reese
Dane Alfred Drasher	Carol Lee A. Ruskoski
*Demetrius William Fannick	Gary Sandler
Jane C. Freas	Mark A. Symanowicz
Carol Ann Hasinus	Karen C. Szychowski
Christine Hudak	David W. Thomas
Alan F. Jackier	Art Veccity
*Sandra Kabeschat	Robyn Speak Walsh
Walter Harry Killian	Sharon A. Warren
John Edward Kosloski	Andrew M. Welki
Patricia Ann Kozick	Sharon Ann Wilkes
Suzanne J. Masloski	Theresa Williams
Maureen Bernadette Kenny McHale	

\**Degree in absentia*

# GRADUATES

## BACHELOR OF ARTS — *Continued*

Mark Robert Abbruzzese	Linda J. Busch
*Edward R. Ackerman	*Vincent Paul James Carbone
Paul Stephen Adams	Maureen G. Carey
Susan Elizabeth Apaliski	Nancy Groner Casagrande
Nelson J. Ashburner	Donald John Casey, Jr.
Gail Dawn Azain	David Paul Cherundolo
Holly G. Baab	*John Joseph Chwalek, Jr.
Liborio Samuel Baccanari	*Paula Jean Cipriano
Stephen M. Bachak	Sharon Marie Clune
Lon Arthur Balum	Maryanne C. Coach
Palma Marie Bianconi	Lawrence A. Conner, III
Connie Elizabeth Bisulca	Karen Ann Considine
Patrick Shawn Blessing	*William J. Conway
Randall William Bond	Lynne Ann Cooney
Thomas J. Bradshaw	Mary Patricia Cullinan
James Carmen Brande	Leonard J. Dalmás
Thomas B. Brek	*James Lloyd Davis
*David Paul Brown	Denise Ann Demko
Louann Brown	Theresa R. Domanski
Mary Ellen Burns	Paul Joseph Domowitch

\**Degree in absentia*

# GRADUATES

## BACHELOR OF ARTS — *Continued*

Gayle M. Donaleski	Ann Marie Theresa Gruzdas
Alexandra Charles Droussiotis	Daniel Mark Haduck
Regina M. Drugan	*Gloria A. Harris
*Andrew Bernard Durako, Jr.	William Clarence Harris
Mary Ellen Dwyer	Karen June Hendrickson
Debra Ann Dzieciol	John M. Henry, Jr.
Harold Scott Edmunds	Bryan R. Herron
Gloria Jean Endrusick	Elaine Homick
Lawrence H. Evans	Joyce Lynn Hooley
Ned John Evans	Deborah Kay Hughes
Ronald Gilbert Evans	Bueze Roland Igweze
Robert S. Fabbrini	Terrilynn J. Jackson
Dennis George Falcone	Mark J. Jacobs
Patti Fichtner	Diane M. Janoski
Kim Anne Flis	*Mark John Jarolen
Reneé Lynn Fogelson	Katherine I. Kaby
Kurt M. Franke	Rodney Leach Kaiser
*Edward Francis Gallagher	Joseph D. Kane, Jr.
Steven Fred Goldman	*Katia Karageorgopoulou
Francine L. Greenberg	John J. King, Jr.

\**Degree in absentia*

# GRADUATES

## BACHELOR OF ARTS — *Continued*

Sue Ann Knight	Rick David Mahonski
Gayle Ann Kollar	*Michael Marianelli
Robert T. Komnath	Shirley Ann Mariani
Christine A. Koterba	*John J. Marks
James Charles Kowalek	Dorothy Kay Martin
Gregory Eugene Kraus	*Nancy J. Hudak Martin
Maryanna Kathleen Krishanda	§Nancy Joan Mathers
Joan M. Krochmaluk	Alice P. Maximiek
Robert Krusman	Claire Maziarczyk
Donna Marie Kumiega	Thomas Patrick McGann
Evelyn M. Labenski	*Daria G. McGeehan
Dianne Susan LaCava	*Nancy Elizabeth McHale
*Richard A. Lacy	Michael Menichini
*Drew Landmesser	*Michael George Mercuri
Susan Lee Latz	Jon Alan Metta
Bruce Lear	James Andrew Michaels
Karen Marie Line	*Glenn Robert Misner
Bernardine L. Lingousky	Dianne Claire Mital
Michael S. LoPresti	Donald A. Mitchell
*Cynthia J. Lynch	*Gregory D. Moore

\**Degree in absentia*

§*Omicron Delta Epsilon*

# GRADUATES

## BACHELOR OF ARTS — *Continued*

Victoria Augusta Moss	Patricia T. Reilly
Margaret Alice Mould	*Robert Day Rischman
Lorraine Faye Moyer	Richard David Roberts
Michael John Murtha	Sandra Marie Roman
Jan Margaret Nicholas	Janie Ilene Rosenberg
Thomas John O'Connell	David K. Ross
Karen Gaye Oltra	*Robert P. Rowlands
Deborah Ann Orbinati	Lisa Rozett
Carol R. Page	*Carlo J. Saporito
Nicholas E. Pappas	Joseph William Sekusky
Joanne Marie Pavlik	Jayne Robin Shafman
*Kathryn A. Pelak	*Richard Charles Simmers
Jan Petrilak	Eliza Kathryn Small
Mary Ann Theresa Petro	Donna Joy Smith
Dennis Phelps	Gloria Koritko Smurlo
Sherry Theresa Degilio Pietrzykoski	Eleanor Mary Sobota
John J. Pinelli	Ruth M. Sorber
Roy David Preefer	Lester Spaide
*Joseph Redding	Sharon Sprechini
*James D. Reilly, Jr.	Patricia Susan Steele

\**Degree in absentia*

# GRADUATES

## BACHELOR OF ARTS — *Continued*

Marianne Stefanowicz	*James Scott Weisenfluh
James J. Stehle	Catherine Jeanne Williams
Marcy E. Stern	Kim Marie Witherow
Marilyn Swantkowski	Cheryl Lee Worth
David John Thomas	Michael Francis Yanchuk
Kimberlee Noel Thomas	James John Yozwiak
William Joseph Tironzelli	June Zaleta
*Joseph John Tomashefski, Jr.	Richard John Zbyszeski
Patrick Anthony Ward	Deborah A. Zeffer
H. Michael Weida	John Michael Zubris
Ronald C. Wein	

\**Degree in absentia*



# GRADUATES

## BACHELOR OF SCIENCE

### *Summa Cum Laude*

Eugene George Albright, Jr.

Joanne Marie Englot

\*David R. Francis

Albert Michael Gaydos

Sandra J. Horensky

Gary A. Hughes

†Jeffrey Scott Metzger

Marie Theresa Sullivan

### *Magna Cum Laude*

Paul Berdy

†James A. Burnettii

Louise Anne Butkiewicz

Joan Chemnitius

Mary Ann Chopyak

Steven Esrick

Manuel John Evans

Robert G. Everhart

Jill Ann Fritz

James William Judge

Donna Lee Marchetti

William C. Nardone

David Scott Ramstad

Denise Susan Schaal

†Robert Schaefer

Joseph Anthony Serrenti

John Robert Sobashinski

Patrice Bridget Stone

†Thomas Michael Trotsky

†Thomas Peter Wahl

Anne L. Wall

David H. Wasilewski

\*Degree in absentia

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†Pre-Professional Degree Program

# GRADUATES

## BACHELOR OF SCIENCE — *Continued*

### *Cum Laude*

Raymond A. Best	Mark C. Morio
Mark R. Blauer	Tuan Anh Nguyen
Joseph Brenkosh	§David Adam Orischak
Mark Paul Buchinski	*Nghia V. Phan
Russell Robert Clelland	*Rita J. M. Pisarewicz
Richard J. Cronauer	Deborah Ann Sears
Nancy Anne Evans	Carl Samuel Sgarlat
Jo Ann Grout	Nancy Lynne Slawson
Jacqueline Alice Harmon	Leonarda Angela Sperrazza
John Frank Jastrem	Joan Marie Stempin
Roy Brian Levy	Peggy A. Walczyk
*Kenneth Martin	Lisa Joanne Waznik
Austin Patrick McElwee	†Joseph A. Yedinak
Earl William Monk	

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# GRADUATES

## BACHELOR OF SCIENCE — *Continued*

Gloria Marie Anne Agurkis

James F. Antonik

Andrew Gordon Bacharach

Judith Mary Balent

Guy F. Barbato

Anthony R. Baronio

\*Donald J. Belsky

Alan Berger

Ronald Bielecki

Judith Ann Bienkowski

Gary Bilski

Charles F. Bishop

Phillip Dunbar Blaum

Ellen Bonner

Ann Sophia Boris

\*Robert Owen Boston

Julia Ann Bowalick

\*Edgar Lewis Brill

\*Karen G. Briner

Carol Ann Bruno

Robert H. Burger

Shelley Ann Busa

Giacomina A. Buzzelli

Charles Bennett Calkins

Gwen Campbell

Maria Angela Casagrande

Angeline Brenda Chapasko

Anthony Leo Chiavacci

Nicholas Patrick Chiumento

Joseph Thomas Chmiola

Carol Anne Ciesielski

Lawrence Philip Cohen

Michael Conaboy

\*Terry Leigh Coombs

Leonard C. Costello, Jr.

Michael Andrew Cuprzinski

Charles Julius Deitz

Aileen Patricia Delaney

Dorothy Ellen Demko

Marianne Devlin

Emma Ruth Diestelmeier

Joseph A. Dougherty, III

Mary Louise Edford

Craig R. Edfort

\**Degree in absentia*

# GRADUATES

## BACHELOR OF SCIENCE — *Continued*

Judy Lynn Esslinger	William A. Helmbold
Susan Marie Evans	Donna Lee Hewlett
Deborah Ann Federo	James Ronald Hinkley
Jed Stuart Feibush	David Michael Hollock
Patricia Ann Fent	George David Hughes
Wendy Lee Ferrall	Deborah A. Hynoski
Susan Frances Fichera	Megan Moore Ide
Jeffrey Wayne Finkel	Steve Howard Jachzel
Louis Marc Fisher	†Bridget James
*John J. Gallo, Jr.	†Linda S. Jamiolkowski
Stephen David Ganski	Michael Stanley Jarolin
Kenneth Alan Geary	James M. Johnson
Neil Anthony Giacometti	Katherine I. Kaby
Pamela Louise Gingell	Mary Jan Kadlecik
*Beverly Jo Goretski	Panayiotis Kalaritis
Craig Alan Gorton	Stanley P. Karpinski
Peter John Grabko	§Michael Kassab
Joseph Francis Graham	George David Kaszuba
Donna J. Granahan	Dorothy Patricia Kaufman
David Charles Griffin	Robert Henry Kellar
Robert J. Gushka	Robert John Kennedy
John James Harper	Barbara A. Kilkenny

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# GRADUATES

## BACHELOR OF SCIENCE — *Continued*

Raymond P. Klapal	†John J. Maziarz
Georgine Marie Knight	Philomena Mazza
†Deborah J. Kocher	Richard E. Merchak
Maureen Marie Kocylowski	Richard Michael Mieszkowski
Suzanne L. Kotula	John R. Mindzak
Albert T. Kruzal	John J. Minetola, IV
Paulette Michele Kulesa	Edward J. Misakonis
Karen A. Kuzminski	*Richard A. Morelli
Michele Ann LaRose	†Stanley Edward Murzenski
William Joseph Lavage	Richard David Mutarelli
William J. Lavan, Jr.	Mike Neiman
Francis Thomas Lavelle	David Jude Ney
Rosanne Marie Lepore	Thomas J. Ohl
Scott David Lewis	David Joseph O'Hop
Nicholas Lozorak, Jr.	*Michele Ojeda
Ann Maczuga	*John J. Paluck, Jr.
Mary Kay Malloy	Thomas James Park, III
Leonard P. Malshefski, Jr.	Stanley A. Perch, Jr.
Deborah Ann Marchetti	John J. Perfetto
George Barry Marcil, III	Barry Allan Pezzner
Eugene Anthony Marinelli	Nancy Kaye Albright Plantz
Joseph Louis Matteo	Emanuel T. Posluszny

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# GRADUATES

## BACHELOR OF SCIENCE — *Continued*

Robert David Joseph Potorski	Randall G. Stein
*John G. Puchalsky	Joseph Stern
Jeffrey Donald Renoe	Leo Joseph Strumski
George R. Ribar	Helen M. Tanski
Laura Ann Rollman	Jay Garfield Thomas
Alice Anne Romanoski	*Deborah A. Titus
Karen McGirr Rose	Mary Ann Toth
Laurie Pezzner Rosenblum	Elaine M. Tubman
Thomas F. Rovinski	John G. Updyke
Gabriel Ruggiero	Stephen J. Vnuk
Sandra J. Sabbatini	Wanda M. Vnuk
Kathryn Lee Sabie	Kathleen Marie Warakomski
Robert Gordon Sauers, Jr.	Donna Marie Wasilewski
Linda Schall	Theresa Maria Weigel
Jeffrey Alan Schlicher	Donna Marie Weiss
Howard Schulman	Robert T. Wolak
David Mark Silver	Rachel Amy Young
David Keith Smith, Jr.	Timothy Rodney Young
Karen E. Snow	Mary Louise Zawatski
Roberta Sopronyi	Louis David Zboray
M. Roderic Spronck	Deborah A. Zdancewicz

\**Degree in absentia*

‡*Pre-Professional Degree Program.*

\**Degree in absentia.*

†*Denotes The Society of the Sigma Xi Research Acknowledgement.*

*The Society of the Sigma Xi is a national honorary science organization dedicated to the encouragement of research in the sciences. Members of the Senior Class who qualify for recognition are designated in the program.*

§*Denotes membership in Omicron Delta Epsilon.*

*Omicron Delta Epsilon is a national honorary society in economics.*

# STUDENT AWARDS

These awards were presented to students for outstanding achievement at a special luncheon on April 26, 1977 at the Dorothy Dickson Darte Center for the Performing Arts.

- Air Force ROTC American Defense Preparedness  
Association Medal ..... *Dane Drasher*
- General Dynamics AFROTC Award ..... *Ronald Harlow*
- BEACON Female and Male Athlete  
of the Year ..... *Mary Jo Frail and Donald McDermott*
- Biology Department Biological  
Research Award ..... *Louis Caputo,  
Deborah Kocher and Jeffrey Metzger*
- Biology Department Scholarship Award ..... *Jeffrey Metzger*
- Biology Club Sophomore Scholarship Award ..... *John Naiman*
- M. D. Brandwene Award ..... *Steven G. Pitts*
- Chemical Society Award for Outstanding  
Freshman Chemistry Major ..... *Lynn Jones*
- The W. F. Dobson Award in Accounting ..... *Denise S. Schaal*
- The Pennsylvania Institute of CPA's Award ..... *Patrice B. Stone*
- Accounting Club Award for Commerce and Finance .... *Jane E. Davis*



# STUDENT AWARDS

Commuter Council Senior Commendation

Awards ..... *David P. Cherundolo, Joseph F. Graham,  
Walter H. Killian, David J. Ney,  
Barry A. Pezzner, William Tironzelli*

Copernicus Award — Polish Union of

U. S. of N. A. .... *John Sobashinski*

Electrical Engineering Achievement Award ..... *Joseph A. Yedinak*

J. J. Ebers Memorial Award of the IEEE ..... *Stanley E. Murzenski*

Materials Engineering Achievement Award ..... *Thomas P. Wahl*

The Engineering Award ..... *Joseph A. Yedinak  
and Thomas P. Wahl*

English Department Award ..... *Judson Evans*

Environmental Science Department Academic

Achievement Award ..... *James Burnetti*

Faculty Women's Eleanor Coates Farley

Scholarship ..... *Denise Strickland*

Department of Art Artistic Merit Award ..... *Marilyn Swantkowski  
and Michael Weida*

Hilda Richards Memorial Award ..... *Judith Hatcher  
and Claire Maziarczyk*

Fine Arts Service Award ..... *Maureen McHale*

# STUDENT AWARDS

Department of Foreign Languages and  
Literatures Awards ..... *Cheryl Kellar, Thomas J. Lubas,  
Anita Meehan and Diane Polachek*

Human Services Committee Awards ..... *Biology Club, Dana Hall,  
Grissom House, McClintock Hall  
and Student Nursing Organization*

IDC Outstanding Female and Male  
Dorm Student ..... *Mary Kay Malloy and Bruce Lear*

Outstanding IDC Representative ..... *Bruce Lear*

Letterwoman Scholarship Award ..... *Dotty Martin  
and Sharon Wilkes*

Correen Santoro Athletic Memorial ..... *Patricia Steele*

Department of Mathematics and Computer  
Science Award ..... *Joanne Englot, William Nardone  
and David Wasilewski*

Department of Nursing Award for Highest Academic  
Achievement ..... *Mary Ann Chopyak*

Department of Nursing Award for Highest Nursing  
Achievement ..... *Sandra J. Horensky*

Philosophy Department Award ..... *Charles S. Popky*

Physics Department Award ..... *William Nardone*

Student Government Appreciation Award ..... *Gina O'Brien*

Theater Department Award ..... *Linda Abbey and Victoria Moss*

# STUDENT AWARDS

Theta Delta Rho Sorority Executive Council

Awards ..... *Gloria Agurkis, Mary Jean Daniels,  
Ann Marie Kopec, Terri Mackavage, Jane Miller,  
Diane Polachek, Suzanne Pudlosky,  
Paula Strinkoski and Susan Suchocki*

Women's Activities Association Senior Awards ..... *Shirley Mariani,  
Sandra Sabbatini and Nancy Slawson*

Wilkes College Band Award for Outstanding

Senior Bandsman ..... *Nancy Evans*

*Who's Who Among Students in American  
Universities and Colleges . . .*

Linda J. Abbey

Paul S. Adams

Mary Ellen Alu

Lori Ann Ashbaugh

Guy Barbato

Giacomina Buzzelli

David P. Cherundolo

Lawrence A. Conner, III

Mary Patricia Cullinan

Joanne Englot

Steven Esrick

Nancy Evans

David W. Gregrow

Panos Kalaritis

Sue Ann Knight

Dianne S. LaCava

Bruce Lear

Michael S. LoPresti

Mary Kay Malloy

Dotty Martin

Nancy Joan Mathers

Victoria A. Moss

Stanley E. Murzenski

Gina O'Brien

Donna L. Reese

Patricia Reilly

Sandra Sabbatini

Nancy L. Slawson

Steven B. Standiford

Patrice Stone

Mary Ann Toth

David Wasilewski

Lisa Waznik

Kim Witherow

James Yosh

## MACE AND CHAIN OF OFFICE

The inauguration of President Michelini marked the first ceremonial use of two important insignia recently given to Wilkes College. The handsome mace and chain of office are the gifts of local donors.

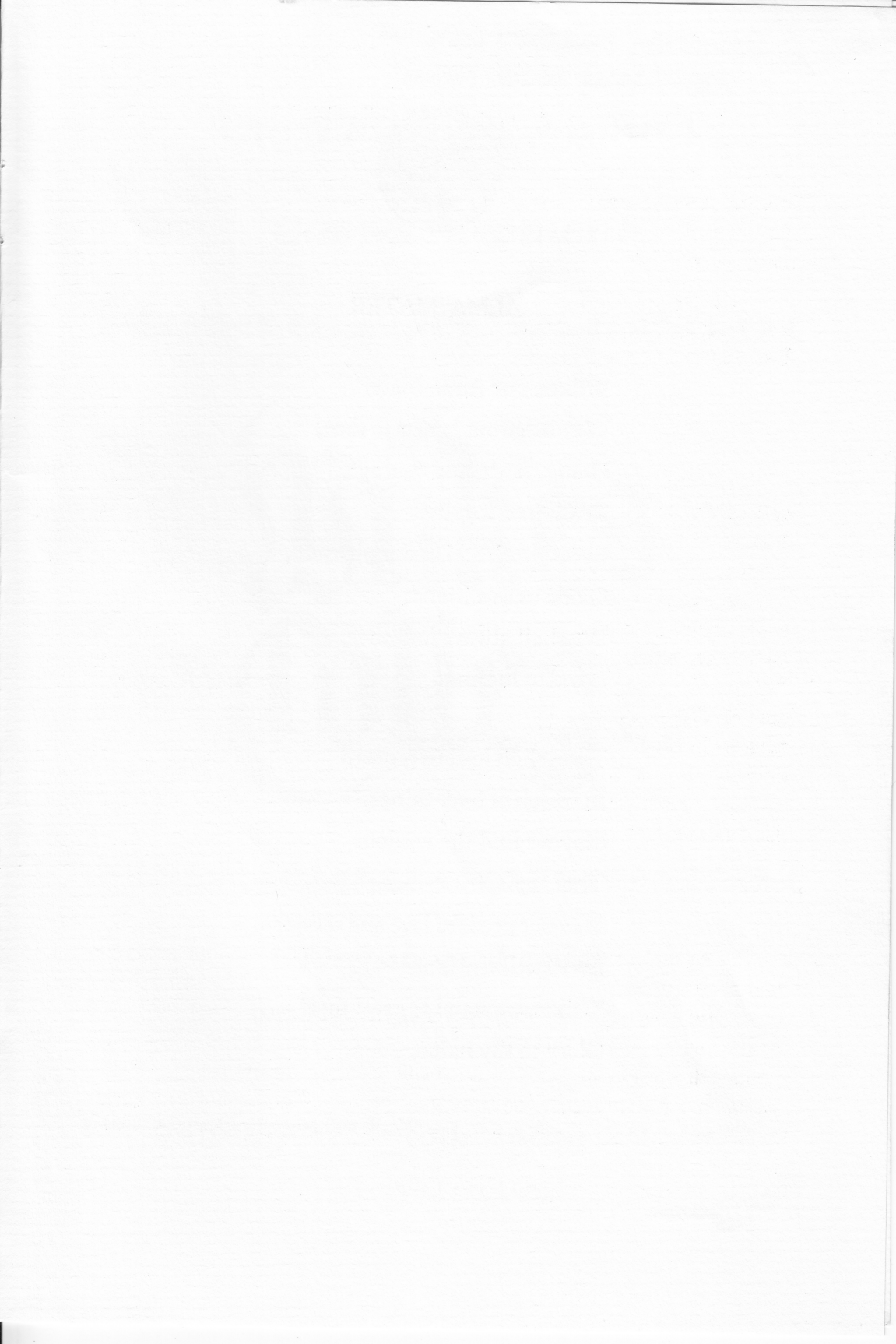
The two insignia were designed and executed by a nationally known gold and silversmith, Professor Kurt J. Matzdorf of the State University College, New Paltz, New York.

### *The College Mace*

THE MACE is made of sterling silver throughout. At the lower end of the hammered shaft is a gilt (gold-plated) knob. The upper end of the shaft displays the inscription "Wilkes College 1933." Above the short, hammered neck rises a bowl to indicate that Wilkes-Barre acted as a melting pot in forming a new and vigorous community of people of many different backgrounds. This theme is clearly stated in the gilt inscription around the upper part of the bowl: "Unity Amidst Diversity." Set into the top of the bowl is the gilt seal of Wilkes College. The top of the mace is a gilt flame-like structure to indicate the enlightenment to be gained from higher education. A piece of anthracite coal from a local mine is set in the center of this "flame" to commemorate the origin of the community and the College in its coal mining past.

### *The Chain of Office*

THE CHAIN OF OFFICE of the President of Wilkes College is four feet long and is made of sterling silver throughout. The links of the chain are alternating silver bowls and gilt flames repeating the motif of the mace. In the front hangs the gilt seal of Wilkes College suspended from a cluster of oak leaves with three acorns to suggest the strength and sturdiness of future generations. The back of the chain is a silver portrait of Eugene S. Farley, first president of Wilkes College, set in a cluster of gilt oak leaves to commemorate his strong leadership of the College.





## ALMA MATER

Wilkes, our Alma Mater,  
We pledge our hearts to thee,  
Honor, faith, and courage,  
Truth and loyalty.  
In our work and in our pleasure,  
Guide us as a friend;  
We shall always love thee,  
Loyal to the end.

Thou shalt lead us onward  
In search of finer things.  
May we find the wisdom  
That thy spirit brings.  
May our deeds of love and service  
Ever swell thy fame —  
Wilkes, we stand to greet thee!  
Glory to thy name.

— Words and music by Eleanor C. Farley