The University of Louisiana at Monroe

Summer-Fall Commencement Exercises
Two Thousand and Thirteen

Fant-Ewing Coliseum
Saturday, December 7, 2013
10:00 A.M.
WELCOME TO OUR GUESTS

We welcome you to the commencement ceremony at the University of Louisiana at Monroe. Commencement is the solemn yet joyful culmination and recognition of the graduates’ years of study. It is an important and meaningful occasion for the University and its faculty, staff, and students.

In keeping with the solemnity of this time-honored tradition, all guests and participants are asked to avoid unnecessary conversation and moving about during the exercises. We also request that all in attendance refrain from making any noise other than that of applause as the graduates receive their degrees.

To further enhance the decorum of the event, guests are asked not to enter the floor area of the arena for the purpose of taking pictures during the ceremony. Following the awarding of degrees, the audience is asked to remain seated until the graduates, who follow the administration and faculty, begin to exit.

Again, welcome to our campus and to this most momentous and memorable occasion.

Although every effort is made to ensure that this program is accurate with respect to degrees awarded and honors conferred, ULM’s printing schedule makes complete accuracy impossible. Therefore, neither a name listed herein nor participation in the commencement ceremony guarantees the awarding of a degree or the conferring of honors. The Registrar’s Office retains each student’s permanent academic record, which indicates these official designations.
EXPLANATION OF DEGREES AND DIPLOMAS
AWARDED AND ACADEMIC COLORS

The University of Louisiana at Monroe awards the associate, bachelor’s, master’s, specialist, and doctoral degrees. Diplomas indicate only the degree designations as listed in this program except in the case of professional degrees as specified by the Louisiana Board of Regents. An asterisk (*), unless otherwise noted, indicates the student is receiving multiple degrees.

The colors represented in the academic regalia worn by the faculty and candidates are of special interest to those attending the commencement exercises. The standard followed is that of the Intercollegiate Code of Academic Costume, as revised by the American Council on Education in 1986. The interior colors of the hood, as seen from the back, symbolize the colors of the wearer’s alma mater. The colors shown in the trim of the academic apparel, including the trimmings of doctors’ gowns, edgings of hoods, and tassles of the caps, signify the subject area of the wearer, as shown below:

Agriculture ......................... Maize
Arts, Letters and
Humanities ....................... White
Commerce, Accountancy
Business ......................... Drab
Dentistry ............................. Lilac
Economics ....................... Copper
Education ...................... Light Blue
Engineering ................... Orange
Fine Arts, including
Architecture .................... Brown
Forestry .............................. Russet
Journalism ....................... Crimson
Law ................................. Purple
Library Science .................. Lemon

Music ................................. Pink
Nursing ............................. Apricot
Speech .............................. Silver Gray
Pharmacy ..................... Olive Green
Philosophy ..................... Dark Blue
Physical Education ... Sage Green
Public Administration,
including Foreign
Service ....................... Peacock Blue
Public Health ............ Salmon Pink
Science ................. Golden Yellow
Social Work .................... Citron
Theology ....................... Scarlet
Veterinary Science .......... Gray
HONORS REGALIA

Maroon and gold honor cords are worn by cum laude, magna cum laude, and summa cum laude ULM graduates whose names appear on the Distinguished Graduates insert in the program. White honor cords are worn by associate degree graduates who have been awarded Honors and High Honors by ULM. Medallions on blue ribbons are worn by members of The National Honor Society Phi Kappa Phi which includes membership in all academic disciplines and is limited to the top 7.5 percent of the junior class and top 10 percent of the senior class and graduate students. Medallions are worn by members of Mortar Board and indicate academic achievement as well as outstanding community and University service. Red and blue honor cords are worn by members of the Phi Alpha Theta History Honor Society. Pins and tri-colored black, sky blue, and white cords are worn by members of Omicron Delta Kappa national honor society for academic achievement. Lilac cords are worn by members of Sigma Theta Tau International Honor Society for Nursing. Medallions are worn by members of Phi Alpha Social Work Honor Society. Maroon and white honor cords are worn by members of the Kappa Omicron Nu National Family and Consumer Sciences Honor Society. Purple and white honor cords are worn by members of the Phi Alpha Social Work Honor Society. Green and gold cords are worn by members of Sigma Lambda Chi International Honor Society for Construction. Red and purple knotted cords are worn by members of Alpha Epsilon Delta National Premedical Honor Society. Silver and rose-pink cords are worn by members of Kappa Mu Epsilon National Honor Society in Mathematics. Green and blue cords are worn by members of Tau Omicron Chi Toxicology Honor Society. Single-strand gold cords are worn by members of Lambda Pi Eta National Honor Society in Communication. Gold, royal, blue, and silver cords are worn by members of Sigma Gamma Epsilon National Earth Science Honor Society. Royal blue and gold ribbons are worn by members of the international business honor society Beta Gamma Sigma. Purple and green honor cords are worn by members of the international education honor society Kappa Delta Pi. Red and yellow honor cords are worn by members of the national Spanish honor society Sigma Delta Pi. Red, gold, and white honor cords are worn by members of Alpha Lambda Delta National Honor Society. Red and black cords are worn by members of Sigma Tau Delta International English Honor Society.

PRESIDENTIAL CHAIN OF OFFICE

The specially-designed Presidential Chain of Office is an intricately-detailed sculptural interpretation of the University seal which is surrounded by a decorative bezel. The seal is attached to an elegant chain with engraved banners which bear the names of former chief executive officers and presidents of the campus. Engraved metal plates displaying the letters ULM are found above the banners on each side of the chain. This chain represents the history and tradition of the University and establishes an enduring legacy for the institution.

UNIVERSITY MACE

The University Mace is a time-honored symbol that represents the light that knowledge brings to humankind. Across the centuries, it has been recognized by scholars throughout the world as an emblem of education and enlightenment. The mace stands to the left of the podium and is present at all ceremonial occasions which celebrate academic excellence at the University. It not only represents the academic mission but also serves as a repository of the history of the institution, listing every name that the University has been officially designated during its evolution.

ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

Appreciation is expressed to the ULM Commencement Committee members, administrative staff, the Student Occupational Therapy Association, and faculty who either coordinate the activities of or participate in the graduation ceremony. Special thanks is also extended to Dr. Chris Michaelides, Associate Professor of French, who announces the names of the graduates at this Commencement.
Program

Saturday, December 7, 2013

Processional: “Pomp and Circumstance No. 1”.................................Sir Edward Elgar
The ULM Commencement Brass Ensemble
Dr. Derle R. Long, Conductor

Presentation of the Colors .................. Louisiana National Guard 528th Engineer Battalion
Monroe, Louisiana

“The Star-Spangled Banner”.................................................... Francis Scott Key
The Brass Ensemble

Invocation ................................................................. The Reverend Dr. John-Nelson Pope
Presbytery of the Pines

Special Music: "You'll Never Walk Alone" ........... Richard Rodgers and Oscar Hammerstein II
Russell Givens, Tenor
Coralie H. White, Accompanist

Recognition of Distinguished Graduates,
Faculty, and Guests ..........................................................Dr. Eric A. Pani
Vice President for Academic Affairs

Comments ...........................................................................Dr. Nick J. Bruno
President

Presentation of Honorary Degree Candidates and
Conferring of Honorary Degrees .......................................Vice President Pani
President Bruno

Presentation of Candidates ..................................................Vice President Pani

Conferring of Degrees and
Awarding of Diplomas ......................................................President Bruno

Dr. Michael A. Camille, Interim Dean, College of Arts and Sciences
Dr. Ronald L. Berry, Dean, College of Business Administration
Dr. Sandra M. Lemoine, Dean, College of Education and Human Development
Dr. Denny G. Ryman, Dean, College of Health Sciences
Dr. Benny L. Blaylock, Dean, College of Pharmacy
Dr. Eric A. Pani, Vice President for Academic Affairs
Assisted by Mr. Anthony D. Malta, University Registrar,
and Ms. Karen A. Crowley, Associate University Registrar

Recessional: The March from Aida .................................................Verdi
The Brass Ensemble

Audience remains seated until the graduates,
who follow the administration and faculty, begin to exit.
HONORARY DEGREE RECIPIENTS

GEORGE L. LUFFEY

George L. Luffey is an educator, community leader, and entrepreneur. Countless Louisiana lives have been enriched because of his efforts. Time and again, he has answered the call to service, pouring himself into this institution, our local community, and the state at large. The son of Syrian immigrants, George has left indelible marks on the business community through his entrepreneurial success, on the youth of our area through his contributions to sports and recreation, and on higher education as a result of his 18-year tenure on the Louisiana Board of Regents. The University of Louisiana at Monroe proudly recognizes George’s lifetime of service by conferring upon him the honorary degree of Doctor of Humane Letters.

JOHN H. MCCARTER, JR.

John H. McCarter, Jr., has been called a Renaissance man. A scientist, teacher, author, businessman, and patriot, his 90-plus years of living have been filled with rich, diverse achievements and experiences. A member of *The Greatest Generation*, John returned from World War II a highly-decorated soldier. He was the University of Louisiana at Monroe’s first geology professor and head of the Geology Department, which was established under his direction. For the last 55 years, John has been an independent petroleum geologist and consultant, as well as innovator of several “firsts” in oil and gas exploration and production in northeast Louisiana. The University of Louisiana at Monroe is proud to confer upon John the honorary degree of Doctor of Humane Letters in recognition of his lifetime of service.
CANDIDATES FOR UNDERGRADUATE DEGREES

COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES

Allen Lori A., A.G.S.
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~ Coitia, Lauren Elise, A.G.S.
Davis, Molly Kate, A.G.S.
~ Dercher, Ryan, A.G.S.
Gaines, Katharine Irene, A.G.S.
~ Golden, Monvanda Sun-tretta, A.G.S.
Green, Freddie Lee, A.G.S.
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Neupane, Puspa, A.G.S.
Omev, Md Khairul Parvez, A.G.S.
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~ Clark, Robin Lynn, B.S.
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~ Cooper, Dylan Thomas, B.S.
~ Copeland, Katie Frances, B.G.S.
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~ Cummings, Sharon Denise, B.A.
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~ Evans, Dana Louise, B.G.S.
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King, Mariana, B.S.
~ Garlington, Robert David, B.G.S.
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Markova, Zuzana, B.A.
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Marsters, Aaron Scott,  B.S.
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Meshell, Scott Allen,  B.B.A.
Millican, Blythe Marie,  B.B.A.
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Pipes, Daniel Louis,  B.S.
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Reddix, Rhynesha A'lexis Nicole,  B.B.A.
Reynolds, Kelicia RaShun,  B.B.A.
Richard, Henry Martin,  B.B.A.
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Russell, Jennifer Christine,  B.B.A.
Sayers, Cory Ray,  B.B.A.
Sevier, Lauren Leigh,  B.B.A.
Shepard, Tiffany Cherrelle,  B.B.A.
Smith, Baneita Lavonne,  B.B.A.
Smith, Jaquita Lashawn,  B.B.A.
Smith, Jordan Cale,  B.B.A.
Stewart, Ricky Lovell,  B.B.A.
Tamburo, Alyssa Danielle,  B.B.A.
Webber, Nastashia L.,  B.B.A.
White, John Wesley,  B.B.A.
Williams, Danielle Nichole,  B.B.A.
Wilson, Timothy Michael,  B.B.A.
Winborne, Dustin Wayne,  B.S.
Winborne, Justin C.,  B.S.
Winstead, Aubrey Leigh,  B.B.A.
Works, J. A. Trey, III,  B.B.A.

Alderman, Jeffrey Alan,  B.A.
Aswad, Whitley Lauren,  B.A.
Bailes, Storey Valarie,  B.A.
Barnard, Trevor Beau,  B.A.
Beeson, Lance Ryan,  B.S.
Benavides, Laura Kay,  B.S.
Binkley, Daniel Wade,  B.S.
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Bogati, Angela,  B.A.
Brickner, Melissa Parrino,  B.A.
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Carter, Ashley Delane,  B.A.
Cole, Brittany Ann,  B.A.
Collins, Christopher C.,  B.A.
Corbit, Rachel Lauren,  B.S.
Crow, Mary Elizabeth,  B.S.
Durham, Elizabeth Renee,  B.S.
Elledge, Brittany Lynn,  B.A.
Falk, Jared Blaine,  B.S.
Folse, Laura Elizabeth,  B.A.
Foster, Christa Michelle,  B.A.
Frederick, Iris Falon,  B.A.
Freemont, Jacinta LaShay,  B.A.
Fulco, Chase Michael,  B.S.
Gates, Brittany Elizabeth,  B.S.
Gautam, Adarsha,  B.S.
Givens, Ro'Quintessa Le'Dawnika,  B.A.
Reddix, Rhynesha A'lexis Nicole,  B.B.A.
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Smith, Jordan Cale,  B.B.A.
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Winborne, Justin C.,  B.S.
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Norris, Kirk Hamilton, B.A.
O'Neal, Kathleen Elise, B.S.
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Petch, Matthew David, B.S.
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~ Pierce, McClendon Brock, B.S.
~ Prud'homme, Melanie Janay, B.A.
Rainbolt, Kelsey Michelle, B.S.
~ Randle, Clarissa Danielle, B.A.
~ Razon, Stephanie Moncrief, B.A.
~ Riley, Katelyn Ann, B.A.
Riser, Kayla Marie, B.S.
Roberson, Kristian Lea, B.A.
~ Rugg, Rachal Annette, B.S.
Sason, Sharon, B.S.
Savoy, Joshua Jamil, B.S.
Shrestha, Sonika, B.A.
Sievers, Elizabeth Anne, B.S.
Smith, Kayla Leann, B.A.
~ Sonnier, Justin Shae, B.S.
Stovall, Ray Anthony, Jr., B.A.
Stracener, Kevin Kyle, B.S.
Takewell, Kimberly Michelle, B.S.
Taylor, Trevor Ryan, B.S.
~ Thornton, Mallory Anne, B.A.
Townsend, Laura Lee, B.A.
Travis, Billy Wayne, Jr. B.S.
Traxler, Lillian Marie, B.A.
~ Treadway, Brittany Chanet, B.A.
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Williams, Kimberly Na'Kisha, B.S.
Wilson, Joni BreAnn, B.S.
Wilson, Katie LeAnn, B.A.
~ Wink, Kirsten Elizabeth, B.A.
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