

CONVOCAATION

2005-2006 ACADEMIC YEAR
PACIFIC LUTHERAN UNIVERSITY
TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 6, 2005
OLSON AUDITORIUM 9:00 AM



PROGRAM

ACADEMIC PROCESSIONAL

(Audience is requested to be seated for the processional.)

PROCESSIONAL OF JOY—Lawrence J. Meyer
Members of the Pacific Lutheran University Symphony Orchestra and Wind Ensemble
Jeffrey L. Bell-Hanson, *Associate Professor of Music*, conducting

UNIVERSITY MARSHAL: Norris A. Peterson, *Professor of Economics*
FACULTY MARSHALS: Colleen M. Hacker, *Assistant Dean, Professor of Physical Education*
and Dennis M. Martin, *Professor of English*

INVOCATION AND SCRIPTURE

Nancy J. Connor, *University Pastor*
Micah L. Pearson, *President, University Congregation*

GREETINGS

Cynthia Wilson Edwards, *Chair, Board of Regents*
William A. Painter, *President, Associated Students of PLU*

STUDENT AND FACULTY RECOGNITIONS

Laura F. Majovski, *Vice President for Admission and Student Life*
James L. Pence, *Provost*

ANTHEMS

Members of the Choir of the West and University Chorale
Kathryn M. Lehmann, *Associate Professor of Music*, conducting
L. Richard Nance, *Associate Professor of Music*, conducting

CONVOCATION ADDRESS

Loren J. Anderson, *President*

FORMAL OPENING OF THE 2005-2006 ACADEMIC YEAR

President Anderson

HYMN

Praise the Source of Faith and Learning
Thomas H. Troeger
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PRAYER FOR THE UNIVERSITY AND BENEDECTION

Dennis G. Sepper, *University Pastor*

RECESSIONAL

(The audience is requested to remain seated until the procession has exited the auditorium.)

The university community will gather in Centennial Square for the
Annual Involvement Fair following the Convocation ceremony.
All are invited to attend.



ACADEMIC APPAREL

THE COLOR CODE IS AS FOLLOWS:

Agriculture	Maize
Arts, Letters, Humanities	White
Commerce, Accountancy, Business	Sapphire Blue
Dentistry	Lilac
Economics	Copper
Education	Light Blue
Engineering	Orange
Fine Arts, including Architecture	Brown
Forestry	Russet
Journalism	Crimson
Law	Purple
Library Science	Lemon
Medicine	Green
Music	Pink
Nursing	Apricot
Optometry	Sea Foam Green
Oratory (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 Science	Cream
Social Work	Citron
Theology	Scarlet
Veterinary Science	Gray

HONORARY DEGREE HOODS:

Doctor of Divinity	Red
Doctor of Law	Purple
Doctor of Humane Letters	White

(The chevron on the Pacific Lutheran University Honorary Degree hood carries the black and gold institutional colors.)

The significance of the apparel is indicated especially by the sleeves and hoods. The bachelor's gown has pointed sleeves; the master's gown has long, closed sleeves; the doctor's gown has bell-shaped sleeves and velvet trimmings.

The bachelor's hood is three feet in length; the master's, three and one-half feet; and the doctor's, four feet. Hoods are lined with the color or colors of the institution from which the individual received his or her degree. The colored velvet border of the hood, which is two inches, three inches, and five inches wide for the bachelor's, master's, and doctor's degrees, respectively, indicates the faculty or field to which the degree pertains.

REGENTS' SCHOLARSHIP

Andrew D. Guinn
 Daniel J. Hibbard
 Elizabeth M. Zimmerman
 Margaret A. Ellsworth
 Christina M. McDuffie

PRESIDENT'S SCHOLARSHIP

Zachary R. Alger
 Katherine S. Allen
 Daniel A. Baker
 Erik J. Bergs
 Michelle N. Boucher
 Megan D. Braze
 Heather A. Brook
 Allison L. Cambronne
 James N. Crosetto
 Grace E. Cummings
 Lesley D. Danielson
 Elaina L. Daza
 Justin R. Diercks
 Krista M. Dunham
 Kimberly N. Ellis
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 Joy V. Farrell
 Kerri R. Feider
 Andrew J. Floodeen
 Elizabeth L. Ford
 Meredith R. Forrey
 Kimberly L. Rederickson
 Anna L. Fulton
 Geoffrey M. Gabler
 Elizabeth M. Gasperini
 Austin L. Goble
 Callie E. Gunderson
 Rachel A. Hatlen
 Priya R. Hempel
 Mary K. Hould
 Meredith L. Kanago
 Jacklyn M. Kellogg
 Gabrielle J. Kirkendall
 Sarah N. Knutson
 Jenna A. Lindus
 Natalie A. McCarthy
 Abby M. McHugh
 Lauren D. Meyer
 Katrina L. Monroe
 Jessica A. Moore
 Ryan F. Nicholas
 April M. Nyquist
 Kathryn R. Oliver
 Krisit C. Riedel
 Lisa C. Rogers
 Mackenzie F. Sample
 Timothy D. Sigburg
 Amy L. Spieker
 Christina Tieu
 Karen R. Van Nostran
 Kimberly M. Whitton
 Kari C. Williams
 Kasey H. Zink

NATIONAL MERIT AWARD

Andrew D. Guinn

WASHINGTON SCHOLAR AWARD

Meredith L. Kanago
 Abby M. McHugh

WASHINGTON ACHIEVER SCHOLARS

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 Clover Winch

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WANG CENTER GRANTS

Andrew N. Austin
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UNDERGRADUATE RESEARCH FELLOWS***Division of Social Sciences******Severtson/Forest Foundation Fellows***

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School of the Arts

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Division of Humanities

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ACADEMIC PROMOTIONS

To Professor

Kenneth D. Blaha, *Department of Computer Science & Computer Engineering*

Jan P. Lewis, *School of Education*

Erin McKenna, *Department of Philosophy*

Douglas E. Oakman, *Department of Religion*

To Associate Professor

Jeffrey A. Clapp, *Department of Theatre*

Gregory W. Johnson, *Department of Philosophy*

Svend J. Rønning, *Department of Music*

Michelle L. Ceynar Rosell, *Department of Psychology*

Priscilla A. St. Clair, *Department of Economics*

Tenure Achieved

Jeffrey A. Clapp, *Department of Theatre*

James M. Clapper, *School of Business*

Gregory W. Johnson, *Department of Philosophy*

Donna M. Poppe, *Department of Music*

Svend J. Rønning, *Department of Music*

Michelle Ceynar Rosell, *Department of Psychology*

Kathleen Z. Russell, *Department of Social Work*

Priscilla A. St. Clair, *Department of Economics*

Neal W. Sobania, *Department of History*

FACULTY AWARDS

Regency Advancement Awards

Charles A. Bergman, *Department of English*

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Celine A. Dorner, *Department of Mathematics*

Duncan Foley, *Department of Geosciences*

Kate Grieshaber, *Department of Music*

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Ann C. Kelleher, *Department of Political Science*

Paul R. Manfredi, *Department of Languages & Literatures*

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Leon E. Reisberg, *School of Education*

Samuel E. Torvend, *Department of Religion*

Teru Toyokawa, *Department of Psychology*

Gregory J. Williams, *School of Education*

David A. Wolff, *Department of Computer Science & Computer Engineering*

Wang Center Grants

Alicia J. Batten, *Department of Religion*

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Amanda E. Feller, *Department of Communication & Theatre*

Gregory W. Johnson, *Department of Philosophy*

Rona D. Kaufman, *Department of English*

JoDee G. Keller, *Department of Social Work*

Anna Y. Leon-Guerrero, *Department of Sociology & Social Work*

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 Tamara R. Williams, PhD, *Chair, Department of Languages & Literatures (Spring 2006)*
 Charles D. York, PhD, *Chair, Department of Marriage and Family Therapy*

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NEW FACULTY APPOINTMENTS

Kathleen S. Anderson, MFA (Northwestern University), *Visiting Assistant Professor of Theatre*
 Bradford W. Andrews, PhD (The Pennsylvania State University), *Visiting Assistant Professor of Anthropology*
 Enrique P. Barot, MFA (Iowa Writers' Workshop, University of Iowa), *Assistant Professor of English*
 Laura Basile, MS (University of San Diego), *Clinical Assistant Professor of Nursing*
 Michael D. Behrens, MA (University of California), *Visiting Assistant Professor of Biology*
 James Brown, DMA (The State University of New York at Stony Brook), *Assistant Professor of Music*
 Penelope N. Brownell, PhD (Brown University), *Visiting Assistant Professor of History*
 Scott Chalmers, PhD (Lutheran School of Theology), *Visiting Assistant Professor of Religion*
 Clark V. Chilson, PhD (Lancaster University), *Assistant Professor of Religion*
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 Gwendolyn Darks, MSN (Pacific Lutheran University), *Clinical Assistant Professor of Nursing*
 Brian E. Desmond, PhD Candidate (University of California, Santa Barbara), *Assistant Professor of Theatre*

Shanmugalingam Easwaran, PhD (Clemson University), *Assistant Professor of Computer Science & Computer Engineering*
 Amanda E. Feller, PhD (California Institute of Integral Studies), *Assistant Professor of Communication*
 Jon E. Grahe, PhD (University of Toledo), *Associate Professor of Psychology*
 Michael J. Halvorson, PhD (University of Washington), *Assistant Professor of History*
 Robert C. Hauhart, PhD (University of Virginia), *Visiting Assistant Professor of Sociology*
 Brendan J. Hogan, PhD Candidate (The New School for Social Research), *Assistant Professor of Philosophy*
 Brenda L. Hossen, PhD (University of St. Michael's College), *Visiting Assistant Professor of Religion*
 Bret L. Keeling, PhD (University of Washington), *Visiting Assistant Professor of English*
 Donald E. Lacky, PhD (Washington State University), *Instructor of Mathematics*
 Annekathrin Lange, PhD (Brown University), *Visiting Assistant Professor of Languages & Literatures*
 Mary E. Moran, MSW (University of Georgia), *Visiting Assistant Professor of Social Work*
 Ulrik B. Nissen, PhD (University of Aarhus), *Visiting Assistant Professor of Religion*
 Betty J. Noll, MSN (Pacific Lutheran University), *Clinical Assistant Professor of Nursing*
 Akiko Nosaka, PhD (The Pennsylvania State University), *Assistant Professor of Anthropology*
 Carmaña Palerm, PhD (Stanford University), *Assistant Professor of Languages & Literatures*
 Daniel J. Peterson, MDiv (Pacific Lutheran Theological Seminary), *Visiting Assistant Professor of Religion*
 Edwin C. Powell, PhD (University of North Texas College of Music), *Assistant Professor of Music*
 Carol A. Ptak, MBA (Rochester Institute of Technology), *Visiting Professor/Executive in Residence, School of Business*
 Steven G. Roberts, MS (Seattle Pacific University – Family Nurse Practitioner Pathway), *Clinical Assistant Professor of Nursing*

Elizabeth M. Skendzic, PhD (Texas A&M University), *Visiting Assistant Professor of Biology*
 Jason E. Skipper, MA (Miami University), *Assistant Professor of English*
 Neal W. Sobania, PhD (University of London), *Executive Director of the Wang Center*
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 Troy A. Storfjell, PhD (University of Wisconsin), *Assistant Professor of Languages & Literatures*
 Marianne G. Taylor, PhD (University of Michigan), *Assistant Professor of Psychology*
 Scott E. Taylor, PhD (Florida State University), *Visiting Assistant Professor of Languages & Literatures*
 Vidya Thirumurthy, PhD (State University of New York), *Assistant Professor of School of Education*
 Laurie L. Turner, MS (Washington State University), *Director of Athletics*
 David B. Ward, MS (Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University), *Visiting Assistant Professor of Marriage and Family Therapy*
 Janet M. Weiss, PhD (Stanford University), *Assistant Professor of School of Education*
 Tom T. Wells, PED (Indiana University), *Visiting Assistant Professor of Physical Education*
 Robert M. Wells, MA (Georgetown University), *Assistant Professor of Communication*
 Genevieve R. Williams, MLIS (University of Washington), *Assistant Professor of Information & Technology Services*
 Stephen T. Woolworth, PhD (University of Washington), *Assistant Professor of School of Education*
 Neal A. Yakelis, PhD (University of Michigan), *Assistant Professor of Chemistry*

VISITING INTERNATIONAL SCHOLARS

Ulrik B. Nissen (University of Aarhus, Denmark), *Visiting Assistant Professor of Religion*
 Naiqiang Ma (Peking University, Beijing, China), *Visiting Research Scholar, Fulbright Language Teaching Assistant*
 Wu Xiao Ming (Sichuan University, Chengdu, China), *Visiting Research Scholar*

PRAISE THE SOURCE OF FAITH AND LEARNING

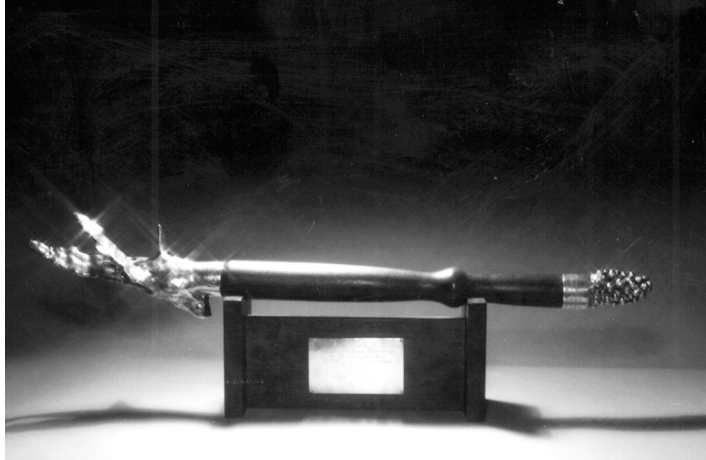
1 Praise the Source of faith and learn - ing who has sparked and stroked the mind
 2 God of wis - dom, we ac - knowl - edge that our sci - ence and our art
 3 May our faith re - deem the blun - der of be - liev - ing that our thought
 4 As two cur - rents in a riv - er fight each oth - er's un - der - tow

with a pas - sion for dis - cern - ing how the world has been de - signed.
 and the breadth of hu - man knowl - edge on - ly par - tial truth im - part
 has dis - placed the grounds for won - der which the an - cient proph - ets taught.
 till con - verg - ing they de - liv - er one co - her - ent stead - y flow,

Let the sense of won - der flow - ing from the won - ders we sur - vey
 Far be - yond our cal - cu - la - tion lies a depth we can - not sound
 May our learn - ing curb the er - ror which un - think - ing faith can breed
 Blend, O God, our faith and learn - ing till they carve a sin - gle course,

keep our faith for - ev - er grow - ing and re - new our need to pray:
 where your pur - pose for cre - a - tion and the pulse of life are found.
 lest we jus - ti - fy some ter - ror with an an - ti - quat - ed creed.
 till they join as one, re - turn - ing praise and thanks to you, their Source.

PACIFIC LUTHERAN UNIVERSITY MACE



For centuries, in academic and ecclesiastical processions, a mace has been carried by the marshal to symbolize the official opening and closing of a formal event.

At the base of the walnut staff is a silver pine cone, made from a casting of a cone found on the PLU campus. Its head has a descending dove, representative of the harmonious presence of the Holy Spirit within the learning community.

The cradle bears a plaque which will carry the names of the current and subsequent presidents, as well as the following inscription from Proverbs 4:7, "Wisdom is the principal thing; therefore, get wisdom; Yea, with all thy getting get understanding."

Designed and created by Tom Torrens, former PLU artist-in-residence.

The Mace was a gift from President-Emeritus and Mrs. William O. Rieke and family, presented at Commencement, 1976.