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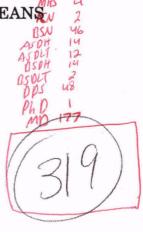
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LAKEFRONT ARENA

UNIVERSITY OF NEW ORLEAN

6801 Franklin Avenue

Saturday, May 13, 1989 10 A.M.



# SCHOOL OF ALLIED HEALTH PROFESSIONS New Orleans and Shreveport

#### SCHOOL OF DENTISTRY

**New Orleans** 

#### SCHOOL OF GRADUATE STUDIES

New Orleans and Shreveport

# SCHOOL OF MEDICINE IN NEW ORLEANS SCHOOL OF MEDICINE IN SHREVEPORT SCHOOL OF NURSING

New Orleans

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#### Program

#### **PROCESSIONAL**

#### **PRESIDING**

Robert F. Dyer, Ph.D. Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs Louisiana State University Medical Center

#### **OUR NATIONAL ANTHEM\***

Peggy Polk Senior Student Louisiana State University School of Medicine in New Orleans

#### INVOCATION

Hector Vila, Jr.
Senior Student
Louisiana State University School of Medicine in New Orleans

#### WELCOME AND INTRODUCTIONS

Perry G. Rigby, M.D. Chancellor Louisiana State University Medical Center

#### **ADDRESS**

Gerald S. Berenson, M.D.
Professor of Medicine
Louisiana State University School of Medicine in New Orleans

#### CONFERRING OF DEGREES

Allen A. Copping, D.D.S.
President
The Louisiana State University System

#### BENEDICTION Mr. Vila

#### RECESSIONAL

"The audience is requested to remain seated until the graduates have left The Arena"

<sup>\*</sup>Audience Participation Invited

School of Allied Health Professions Presented by Stanley H. Abadie, Ph.D., Dean

#### **Bachelor of Science in Medical Technology**

Sheila Marie Felton

**Bachelor of Science in Occupational Therapy** 

Kim Maria Murrill

**Bachelor of Science in Rehabilitation Counseling** 

Victoria Lynn Smith

**Master of Communication Disorders** 

Scarlet Lynn Marie Angelette

Program: Audiology

Patricia Ann McCarthy Program: Audiology

#### Master of Health Sciences

Cynthia Anne Eicher

Department: Medical Technology

Major Professor: Donald J. Lartigue, Ph.D.

James Mark Hatchell

Department: Cardiopulmonary Science Major Professor: Ogden H. Hall, Ph. D.

Patsy Carol Jarreau

Department: Medical Technology

Major Professor: Donald J. Lartigue, Ph. D.

Michael Bruce Lattier

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Major Professor: Nancy K. Harkess, Ph.D.

Winifred Macfarlane

Department: Cardiopulmonary Science

Major Professor, Raymond S. Edge, Ed. D.

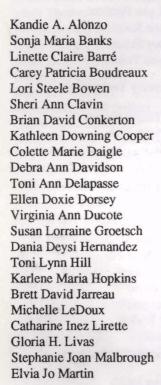
# School of Nursing Presented by Helen A. Dunn, Dr. P.H., Dean

#### Associate of Science in Nursing

Jeannette Cavataio Suarez

Juli P. Yeager

#### **Bachelor of Science in Nursing**



Caroline Spence McCarthy Sylvia Renee Moralez Shawn Borges Nunmaker Kristine Doris Pakarinen Kim Marie Pepperman Cynthia Smith Putnam Kelly René Quinn Lisa Ann Richard Leslie Ann Robenstine Monica Ann Sagrera Charles Benford Sauls Beth Yvonne Scheer Sharon Maria Simon Stacey Elizabeth Simon Dianna Marie Smith Kelly Ann Smith Yvonne Marie Sturm Andrea Sylvester Karen Ann Vincent Rosalind Rose Willard Nneka Celeste Williams Vonder Sirwonder Williams Gregory C. Wood



# School of Dentistry Presented by Jack H. Rayson, D.D.S., Dean

#### Associate of Science in Dental Hygiene

Pamela Kaye Baudoin Christine Courtney Cefalu Nancy Lee Crandall Susan Jennifer Day Claire Cherie LaCoste Margaret Smith Lane LaSonda Lynn Mayberry Terry Leigh Nicosia April Lynn Pelicano Patricia Yongue Petit Elizabeth Lynn Prechter Angela Anne Sciortino Angela Mary Simon Melissa Lynn Trahan

#### Associate of Science in Dental Laboratory Technology

Shelley Louise Alfortish Diana Carolina Betancourt Cynthia Marie Joubert

Laurence Thatch Norton III Michael Philip Péré David Vela

#### Bachelor of Science in Dental Hygiene

Bobbie Ann Alberes
Jeanne Marie Baumann
Kathleen Elizabeth Bopp
Wendy Sue Casamento
Julie Ann Faller \*
Melissa Paige Fekete
Abbie Jean LeBlanc

Cynthia Ann Lindner
Michelle Mary Mendoza
Toni Marie Montelaro
Shannon Elizabeth Orfanello
Leah Luke Peno \*
Julie Catherine Potter
Lori Anne Walker

#### **Bachelor of Science in Dental Laboratory Technology**

Tovan Nguyen

Patricia Ann Smith



#### **Doctor of Dental Surgery**

Paul Matthew Anzalone David Monroe Arrington Roy Gene Bassett, Jr. Robert Frederick Beyer III Stephen Wayne Boatright Gerald Dodd Brister, Jr. Mark Thomas Brulte. Steven Scott Byrd Ricky Glenn Caples Greer Grace Cieutat Elwyn Lee Crawford Martin D. Davison Christopher Elton Doucet Glenn Carl Dubroc, Jr. Dwight DeBusk Duckworth Grace M. Ferdinandsen Herbert Raymond Flood II Gregory John Folse Gretchen Gibson Jeffrey Earl Griffin Tony Leon Guilbeau William Gregg Hill Keeth Marvin Lane, Jr. Barry James LeJeune

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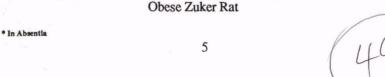
#### **Doctor of Philosophy**

Fadel Husain Alarrayed\*

Program: Physiology

Major Professor: Dr. Johnny Porter

Dissertation Title: Glucocorticoids and Hypercholesterolemia in



#### **Doctor of Medicine**

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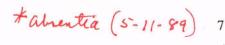
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#### **ACKNOWLEDGEMENT**

Music appropriate to the occasion of commencement, both vocal and instrumental, has been provided, traditionally, by members of the faculties, student bodies, and staff of the Louisiana State University Medical Center, and appreciation is hereby extended to those performing in today's ceremonies. All participants in this program, candidates for degrees, their families, and other special commencement guests, are sincerely requested to honor America in the singing of OUR NATION ANTHEM, the lyrics of which follow:

O say can you see by the dawn's early light What so proudly we hailed at the twilight's last gleaming

Whose broad stripes and bright stars
Through the perilous fight

O'er the ramparts we watched Were so gallantly streaming

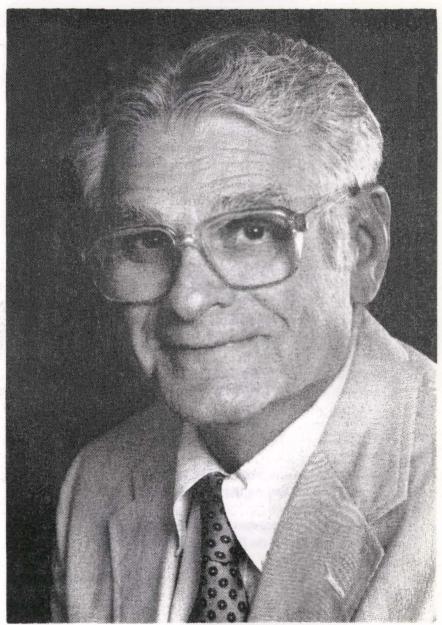
And the rocket's red glare The bomb bursting in air

Gave proof through the night That our flag was still there

O say does that star-spangled banner yet wave O'er the land of the free and the home of the brave

Francis Scott Key

#### THE COMMENCEMENT SPEAKER



Gerald S. Berenson, M.D.

#### Gerald S. Berenson, M.D.

Boyd Professor of Medicine Louisiana State University Medical Center

Dr. Berenson is currently Boyd Professor in the Department of Medicine, Louisiana State University School of Medicine in New Orleans, and Chief of the Section of Cardiology. He is a 1945 graduate of Tulane University School of Medicine, and was appointed assistant professor in the LSU Department of Medicine in 1954. In 1958, Dr. Berenson was promoted to associate professor. and achieved the rank of professor in 1963. He was appointed Boyd Professor in 1988. This title is reserved for those faculty in the LSU System who have attained national or international prominence for outstanding teaching, research, or other creative achievement. The distinction is regarded as the highest professional rank awarded by LSU. Dr. Berenson is a member of numerous local, regional, and national organizations including Alpha Omega Alpha, the Louisiana Heart Association, the American Heart Association, the American Society of Hypertension, the American College of Cardiology, the Society for Experimental Biology and Medicine, the New York Academy of Sciences and the American Association for the Advancement of Sciences. His major research interests are in the areas of cardiovascular disease, and he has received over 30 years of grant support for studies investigating the role of connective tissue in the development of cardiovascular disease, which is one of the longest continuously funded research grants from the National Institutes of Health. He has received over 15 years of federal grant support as a director of a Specialized Center of Research for Arteriosclerosis, and also served as director of a National Research and Demonstration Center for Arteriosclerosis. Dr. Berenson is nationally and internationally recognized for his teaching competence in the area of Cardiology, and for his investigations relating natural lesion development and risk factors, including blood pressure, nutrition, and genetics, in a major study involving the young people of the city of Bogalusa, La. Dr. Berenson has authored nearly 400 research publications in major research journals.

#### ACADEMIC HERALDRY: THE SYMBOLS OF LEARNING

The college or university commencement procession today, in this Nation and abroad, is a pageant, alive and bright with dress and ceremony inherited from the medieval European universities of the eleventh and twelfth centuries.

To preserve their dignity and meaning it early became necessary for those universities to set rules for academic dress. American universities agreed on a definite system in 1895 and set up a suitable code of academic dress for the colleges and universities of the United States. In 1932 The American Council on Education presented a revised code which, for the most part, governs the style of academic dress today.

The Principle features of academic dress are three: The gown, the cap, and the hood.

The Gown. The flowing gown comes from the twelfth century. It has become symbolic of the democracy of scholarship, for it completely covers any dress of rank or social standing beneath. It is gray for the associate degree, and black for all other degrees, with pointed sleeves for the Associate and Bachelor's degree; long, closed, sleeves for the Master's degree, with a slit for the arm; and round, open sleeves for the Doctor's degree. The gown worn for Associate, Bachelor's or Master's degree has no trimmings. The gown for the Doctor's degree is faced down the front with velvet and has three bars of velvet across the sleeves, in the color distinctive of the faculty or discipline to which the degree pertains. For certain institutions the official colors of the college or university may appear on the gown or its decorations.

The Cap. The freed slave in Ancient Rome won the privilege of wearing a cap, and so the academic cap is a sign of the freedom of scholarship and the responsibility and dignity with which scholarship endows the wearer. Old poetry records the cap of scholarship as a square to symbolize the book, although some authorities claim that the mortar board is a symbol of the masons, a privileged guild. The color of the tassel on the cap denotes the discipline, although a gold tassel may be worn with any Doctor's gown.

The Hood. Heraldically, the hood is an inverted shield with one or more chevrons of a secondary color on the ground of the primary color of the college or university. The color of the face of the hood denotes the discipline represented by the degree; the color of the lining of the hood designates the university or college from which the degree was granted.

# COLORS DISTINCTIVE OF CERTAIN DISCIPLINES AND PROFESSIONS

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