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*SUMMER
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UNIVERSITY OF NEW ORLEANS

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August 17, 1991
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Commissioner
Rehabilitation Services Administration
United States Department of Education

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Dr. Allen

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the graduates have left The Arena"*

*Audience Participation Invited, see page 10 for lyrics

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Degree: Microbiology
Major Professor: Dr. Dennis J. O'Callaghan
Dissertation: Characterization of Transcription in Equine Herpesvirus Type 1 Productive and Persistent Infections.

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Degree: Pharmacology
Major Professor: Dr. Joseph E. Manno
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Degree: Pathology: Clinical Chemistry
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Dissertation: Detection of HBV Related Virus in Non-A, Non-B Hepatitis Patient Serum.

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NELL C. CARNEY

Nell C. Carney is Commissioner of the Rehabilitation Services Administration (RSA) within the United States Department of Education.

Commissioner Carney was appointed by President Bush in April, 1989 and sworn into office by Vice-President Dan Quayle on July 31, 1989. She became the 12th Commissioner of the RSA, an agency which administers the rehabilitation authorities of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 and subsequent amendments through 1986.

Commissioner Carney earned her Bachelor of Science and Master of Science in Education and Psychology from George Peabody College at Vanderbilt University in Nashville.

Prior to her Presidential appointment, Commissioner Carney served as Executive Assistant Commissioner and later as Commissioner of the Virginia Department for the Visually Handicapped. She has also served as Vocational Rehabilitation Administrator in the Washington Department of Services for the Blind.

Commissioner Carney has received many awards and achievements throughout her career. She has been honored with a Certificate for Outstanding Contributions to State Government, a Governor's Citation for Outstanding Service and a Presidential Appointment to the Committee for Use of Blind and Severely Handicapped Made Products. Recently, she has been awarded the Outstanding Career Achievement Award by the State of Rhode Island, the Achievement of Excellence Award by the Rhode Island Governor's Committee on Services to Disabled People, and a Special Recognition Award by the National Rehabilitation Counseling Association.

Commissioner Carney has been listed in "Who is Who" among Federal Executives and the "Who is Who" among State Executives. She has received a Key to the City of Nashville and Kansas City. Commissioner Carney has been honored with the Outstanding Contribution Award, RSA Region III and RSA Region VIII. In addition to her honors and achievements, the Mayor of Nashville proclaimed Sept. 6, 1990 "Nell Carney Day."

Commissioner Carney is widely published and has made more than 100 major presentations in the past 24 months. She has authored or co-authored 11 publications. Commissioner Carney is well known for her in-depth knowledge of rehabilitation and her advocacy for people with disabilities. Her career spans two decades and includes teaching at elementary and secondary levels as well as administration of state rehabilitation programs.

The Commencement Speaker

MARTHA JAVIERAN NERO is the speaker for the 2008 Commencement ceremony.



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 NATIONAL 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



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 Educational presented a revised code which, for the most part, governs the style of academic dress today.

The Principal 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

Green: *Medicine*
Lilac: *Dentistry*

Apricot: *Nursing*

Blue: *Philosophy*
Yellow: *Science*



