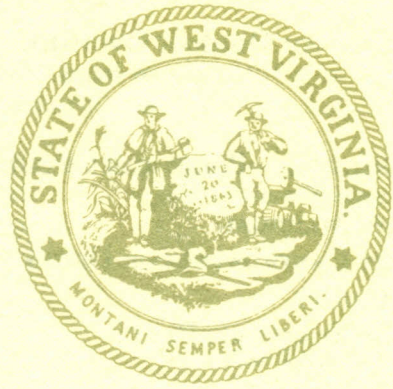


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NINETY-FOURTH YEAR OF
WEST VIRGINIA STATE COLLEGE
INSTITUTE, WEST VIRGINIA

The Ninetieth
Annual Commencement

MAY THE SEVENTEENTH
A.D. NINETEEN HUNDRED EIGHTY-FIVE
AT SIX THIRTY O'CLOCK IN THE EVENING
HARRISON H. FERRELL HALL LAWN

Order of Exercises

Dr. Thomas W. Cole, Jr.
President, West Virginia State College, presiding

PRELUDE—An Outdoor Overture *Aaron Copland*
Concert Band—Michael Newman, Conductor

PROCESSIONAL—Pomp and Circumstance *Edward Elgar*
arr. Lucien Calliet

THE MARSHAL
THE CANDIDATES FOR DEGREES
FACULTY
THE PLATFORM PARTY

THE NATIONAL ANTHEM
Concert Band
(The audience will remain standing until after the invocation.)

THE INVOCATION Dr. S. Ray Thomas
Pastor, First Presbyterian Church of Dunbar

SPECIAL MUSIC—Praising Song *Marvin Curtis*
Concert Choir—Truman Dalton, Conductor

THE INTRODUCTION OF THE SPEAKER President Thomas W. Cole, Jr.

THE COMMENCEMENT ADDRESS The Honorable Julian Bond
Senator, State of Georgia

SPECIAL MUSIC—Olympic Fanfare and Theme *John Williams*

RECOGNITION OF RETIREES—

Faculty:

Mr. Chester A. Burris
Mrs. Charlotte T. Ginestra
Dr. Sophia P. Nelson

Staff:

Mrs. Freda W. Burkett Mrs. Violet D. Johnson
Mr. James C. Duckwyler Mrs. Virginia M. McClanahan
Mr. Robert Howard Mrs. Elnora W. Thompson

THE CONFERMENT OF HONORARY DEGREE—

Sophia P. Nelson
Professor of English, Retired
West Virginia State College
DOCTOR OF LETTERS

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AWARD OF HONORS James D. Thomas
Assistant Vice President for Academic Affairs

ASSOCIATE DEGREE PROGRAMS

HIGHEST HONORS

Sheila Burton Cobb	James Jeffrey Ranson	Jane Calvert Winkler
Roger Dale Jordan	Franklin D. Scarberry, Jr.	

HIGH HONORS

Norma Gordon Egnor	Mark Andrew Moss	Susan Rae Singletary
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HONORS

Teresa Renea Barker	Joseph Leo Louthier	Carolyn Hall Smith
Jack Stevens Clark	Jeffery Allen Meadows	Dennis Christopher Swann
Melinda Rae Eads	Lisa Ann Nelson	Charles M. Tyler
Angela Joanne Griffith	Ira Preston Richardson	Debra Kay Walker
Diana Lynn Jeffries		

BACCALAUREATE DEGREE PROGRAMS

SUMMA CUM LAUDE

Laura Jean Aliff	Mary McCann Holder	Fazale R. Rana
Virginia C. Allinder	Bobbie Louise Hubbard	Connie Renee Sharp
Donald Lee Dunn	Nusara H. Kayurapun	Douglas Ray Skeen
Jane Ellen Ghareeb	Karen J. Linville	Amy Elizabeth Starks
Sherry Lynn Hodges	Rebecca Lorene Wickline Maddy	Rena Rae Williams

MAGNA CUM LAUDE

Patty Roberts Carpenter	Deborah Ann Mitchell Jewell	Mary Gorby Murphy
Janet Gail Chancey	Scott Michael Klein	Timothy Alan Robinson
Kim Elizabeth Crim	Amy Casdorph Kokesh	Bill A. Stevens
Donald Edward Hudnall, Jr.	Judith Byrne Lake	Kenneth Allen Stewart
Joseph William Jarvis	Patricia Loving Lawrence	Judith Carol Watson

CUM LAUDE

Carol Darby Cochran	Susanne Hamon	Jack Harold Legg
Mark Allen Darby	Gary Wayne Hancock	Donna Reyne McFarland
Ardella Lee Drodgy	Vicki Renee Killby	Edith Jane Sisung

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THE CONFERRING OF DEGREES—

The Candidates for Degrees will be presented to Dr. Ancella R. Bickley, Vice President for Academic Affairs, in the following order:

Candidates for Associate Degrees by Dean Harry V. Scott

Candidates for Bachelor of Arts Degree by Professor Helen Cropley

Candidates for the Bachelor of Science Degrees by Professor Barbara Oden

After the conferring of the degrees by President Cole, the names of graduates will be announced by Mr. John L. Fuller, Registrar.

Candidates*

FOR THE DEGREE OF ASSOCIATE IN APPLIED SCIENCE

Tina Marie Adkins	Donna Lou Hunt	Daniel Jesse Peterson
Robin Suzette Adkison	Jennifer Gaye Ingram	Brian E. Pitchford
Kandy Rae Allred	Brenda Kay James	Archie Eugene Quigley, Jr.
Melissa Ann Atkins	Diana Lynn Jeffries	James Jeffrey Ranson
Teresa Renea Barker	Russell Allan Jones	Gregory Thomas Reynolds
Charles Dwayne Barr	Roger Dale Jordan	Ira Preston Richardson
Joseph William Barta, IV	Robert Joseph Keiffer	Mona Louise Robinson
Jeffrey Lee Berg	Beverly Ann Kessel	Franklin D. Scarberry, Jr.
John Todd Blair	Suzanne Kincaid	Betty Jean Seals
Timothy Russell Boggress	Joseph Todd Knight	Cynthia Lynn Simmons
Cecil B. Bonham, Jr.	Daniel Troy Lathey	Susan Rae Singletary
Robert Dean Brabbin	Meda Lorraine Latimore	Carolyn Hall Smith
Thomas R. Buscher	Cathy Lynn Lawrence	Thomas Franklin Stamper, Jr.
Gregory Campbell	Jeff Scott Loker	Kenneth Ray Starcher
Cathy Ann Casto	Joseph Leo Louther	Beth Ann Surber
Jack Stevens Clark	Timothy Lee McCallister	Dennis Christopher Swann
Sheila Burton Cobb	Charles Edward McLane	Kimberly Lovejoy Taylor
Brian Edward Conley	Jeffery Allen Meadows	Robert Keith Thomasson
John Michael Cooper	Jeffrey Allen Mellinger	Charles M. Tyler
Alison Leigh Darnell	Charles David Moore	Debra Kay Walker
Joseph Leonard Davenport	Joseph Lawrence Moore	Carolyn Sue Waskey
Melinda Rae Eads	Mark Andrew Moss	Jennifer Gail Whited
Norma Gordon Egnor	Raymond Lee Murphy	David Lee Williams
Angela Joanne Griffith	Lori Ann Myers	Jill Alida Williams
Dena Lenea Hall	Lisa Ann Nelson	Jane Calvert Winkler
Sarah Lynn Hardman	Virginia N. Neri	Randy Lee Young
Janet Frances Hatcher	Gary David Owens	Paul Richard Zitzelsberger
Kimberly Leeann Hennis	George Daniel Perdue	

*A name on the program does not assure that final degree requirements have been met.

Candidates

FOR THE DEGREE OF ASSOCIATE IN SCIENCE

Ilse Frieda Kessler

Randall Arthur Taylor

FOR THE DEGREE OF ASSOCIATE IN SCIENCE IN CHURCH MUSIC

Nora Jane Snyder

FOR THE DEGREE OF ASSOCIATE IN INDUSTRIAL TECHNOLOGY

Donald Ray Anderson

FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF ARTS

Virginia C. Allinder

Kathy Lynn Boyd

Holly Denise Brown

Kim Elizabeth Crim

Thomas Lee Dudley

Myrna Kay Frame

Mark William Goldman

Marie Antoinette Gore

Phillip Stanley Hale

Susanne Hamon

Bobbie Louise Hubbard

Joseph William Jarvis

Gary Robert Justice, Jr.

Scott Michael Klein

Donna Reyne McFarland

Rebecca Lorene Wickline Maddy

Carol Rosalee Nichols

Douglas Ray Skeen

James Maxwell Sutherland

Rena Rae Williams

FOR THE REGENTS BACHELOR OF ARTS DEGREE

Phillip Abram, Jr.

Marshall Nester Adkins

Esther Smithson Brannon

Jacqueline Buckley

Susan Armstrong Cafoncelli

Beth Ann Maltba Dew

Donald Lee Dunn

Jerry Lee Early

Charles E. Frame

Carroll Benson Green

James Franklin Hawley, III

Sandra Osborne Henderson

Mary McCann Holder

Natalie Ann Howard

Gregory C. Legg

Jack Harold Legg

Charles Michael Levelle

Melissa Ann Cunningham Maker

Robert Paul Montgomery

Lillian Dugan Morris

Louisa Ponce

James Arthur Rollins

Michael Young Rutherford

Connie Renee Sharp

Lawrence J. Smith

David Dwight Spence

Debra Louise Toppings

Annette Lynn Martin Turner

Ellen Ruth Witherite

Candidates

FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN COMMUNICATIONS

David Lee Dotson	Clovia Yvette Jones	Michael Todd Raynes
Stephanie Rene Ferrell	Karen J. Linville	Jeffrey Stuart Saulton
Bruce Owen Given	Terri Leigh Outlaw	Stephen Preston Webster
Eric Raymond Hughes		

FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF SCIENCE

Steven Bragg	Kevin Patrick Groome	Akram Hassan Mahmoud
David Allen Brown	Gary Wayne Hancock	Kevin Lee Petty
Ansia Nadia Dial	Donald Edward Hudnall, Jr.	Fazale R. Rana
Sharon Ann Fountain	Nusara H. Kayurapun	Amy Elizabeth Starks
Jane Ellen Ghareeb	Amy Casdorff Kokesh	Scott Andrew Wical
Gloria Ann Greer	Jacob O. McClung, Jr.	

FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

Brent Alan Baker	Gene Kimberly Harpold	Rexford Dennis Pauley
Mary Janine Blake	Cecil Ruckman Hill, Jr.	Darla Janclaire Persinger
Debra Ann Boggess	Mark Earl Hodges	Lisa Ann Rice
James Ernest Bowles	Pamela Sue Holstine	Cynthia Alberta Robinson
Kelly Rae Brewer	Martha Ann Jackson	Jesse Wade Samples
Tammy Lynn Brockman	Deborah Ann Mitchell Jewell	Pamela LaVonda Saunders
Cathy Lynn Brubaker	Deborah Faye Justice	Scott Campbell Sheltz
David Allan Burke	Vicki Renee Killby	Dwain Walter Shingleton
John Michael Christenson	Douglas Eric Kovach	Edith Jane Sisung
Reba Gail Clark	Judith Byrne Lake	Regina Daphne Smith
Marvin L. Clayborn	Annie Francine Lane	Torrence Gay Smith
James West Collier	Patricia Loving Lawrence	Vickie Jean Spurlock
Angela Evette Cyrus	Michele Doreen Lewis	Joyce Ann Stephens
Mark Allen Darby	Jeffrey Lee Lynch	Bill A. Stevens
John Mitchel Duffy	John Richard Miller	Denise Aileen Terrell
Earnestine Evans-Nash	John William Moon, Jr.	Vicki Lynn Tincher
Joseph Dean Fisher	Mary Gorby Murphy	Gaynell Jacqueline Whaley
Jerry Elton Fowler	Chris A. Myers	Charles Douglas Williams
James Alston Fultz	Arlene Marie Nabors	Joseph Thesselonia Williams
Gary Wayne Grimm	Karen Renee Oldaker	James Douglas Wolfe
Deborah Ann Grubb	Debra Ann Pauley	Russell Alan Workman

Candidates

FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN CRIMINAL JUSTICE

Laura Jean Aliff	Leo Thomas Catsonis	Joseph Kevin Mendenhall
Robert Scott Arthur	Sherri Rene Cutlip	Timothy Alan Robinson
Zelda Rae Berkley		

FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN EDUCATION

Donald R. Allen	Robert H. Daley, III	Jeffrey Dale Rodgers
Kimberlee Kay Asbury	Ardella Lee Droddy	Elizabeth Ann Sampson
Diatricia Neline Bell	Sherry Lynn Hodges	Mary Jane Shelton
Robert Farley Burdette	Carla Marie Johnson	Chelcy Curtis Thornton
Lisa Suzette Carnell	William Andrew Kimble	Judith Carol Watson
Angela Hope Carney	James William Mahan	Sharon Kay Whitehair
Patty Roberts Carpenter	Timothy Emil Rector	Charles Laban Woodrum
Carol Darby Cochran	Claudia Marie Riffe	

FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN INDUSTRIAL TECHNOLOGY

Ramona Yvonne Brown	Raymond Justice, Jr.	Aligholi Nafchi Raissi
Daniel W. Foster		

FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN RECREATION SERVICE

James Stanley Brothers	Deborah Diana Griffith	Robin Renee Monday
Janet Gail Chancey	Carla J. Hammonds	Benjamin Fredrick Phillips
Thomas Raynard Crump	Patricia Rena King	Kenneth Allen Stewart
Gregory Lamont Folks		

FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN SOCIAL WORK

Teresa Ann Lawlor	Sandra Joyce Prather	Teresa Lyn Woodrum
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Order of Exercises

COMMISSIONEES IN THE ARMY OF THE UNITED STATES—

LTC Quewanncoi C. Stephens

Professor of Military Science

BROOKS, Darrell R., Second Lieutenant, US Army Reserve, Hopkins, South Carolina

CAMPER, Ashley F., Second Lieutenant, US Army Reserve, Saint Albans, West Virginia

ROBINSON, Alaric V., Second Lieutenant, US Army Reserve, Newton, Mississippi

SMITH, Kenneth J., Second Lieutenant, US Army Reserve, Columbia, South Carolina

THOMAS, Dale D., III, Second Lieutenant, US Army Reserve, Saint Albans, West Virginia

TRUELOVE, Sammie L., Jr., Second Lieutenant, US Army Reserve, Caledonia, Mississippi

WILLIS, Eric T., Second Lieutenant, US Army Reserve, Mountain View, California

GRADUATING OFFICERS

GROOME, Kevin P., Second Lieutenant, US Army Reserve, Charleston, West Virginia

PETTY, Kevin L., Second Lieutenant, US Army Reserve, Charleston, West Virginia

REESE, Dale M., Second Lieutenant, US Army Reserve, Newton, Mississippi

SHELTZ, Scott C., Second Lieutenant, US Army Reserve, Hurricane, West Virginia*

*Distinguished Military Graduate

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COMMENTARY President Thomas W. Cole, Jr.

THE STUDENT RESPONSE Douglas Ray Skeen

THE ALUMNI PLEDGE P. Ahmed Williams
President, West Virginia State College Alumni Association

To join hands with other alumni in perpetuating the ideals of my college, nurturing its growth and promoting its program, to serve with honor in my chosen profession and to make of myself a symbol of the best traditions of my college—this is my commission and my challenge.

MUSIC—*Alma Mater* *Spencer-Wade*
P. Ahmed Williams, Conductor

RECESSIONAL—The Sinfonians *Clifton Williams*

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ELECTED TO ALPHA KAPPA MU—NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY

Laura J. Aliff	Deborah Ann Jewell	Fazale R. Rana
Virginia C. Allinder	Nusara Kayurapun	Timothy Alan Robinson
Janet Gail Chancey	Scott M. Klein	Edith J. Sisung
Jane Ellen Ghareeb	Amy Casdorph Kokesh	Douglas Ray Skeen
Sherry Lynn Hodges	Karen J. Linville	Judith Carol Watson
Mary McCann Holder	Rebecca L. Wickline Maddy	Jane Calvert Winkler
Bobbie L. Hubbard	Mary Gorby Murphy	

ELECTED TO ALPHA DELTA MU—NATIONAL SOCIAL WORK HONOR SOCIETY

Teresa Ann Lawlor Teresa Lyn Woodrum

ELECTED TO ALPHA KAPPA DELTA—NATIONAL SOCIOLOGY HONOR SOCIETY

Carol Nichols

ELECTED TO ALPHA MU GAMMA—NATIONAL COLLEGIATE FOREIGN LANGUAGE HONOR SOCIETY

Joseph William Jarvis	Douglas Ray Skeen	Denise Aileen Terrell
Akram Hassan Mahmoud		

ELECTED TO BETA KAPPA CHI—SCIENTIFIC HONOR SOCIETY

Steven Bragg	Gloria A. Greer	Fazale R. Rana
Mark William Goldman	Amy Casdorph Kokesh	

ELECTED TO KAPPA DELTA PI—AN HONOR SOCIETY IN EDUCATION

Ardella Lee Drodgy
Sherry Lynn Hodges

Mary Jane Shelton
Nora Jane Snyder

Judith Carol Watson
Sharon Kay Whitehair

ELECTED TO PHI ALPHA THETA—INTERNATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY IN HISTORY

Robert H. Daley, III
Sherry Lynn Hodges

Scott Michael Klein
Jeffrey Dale Rodgers

Douglas Ray Skeen

ELECTED TO PI SIGMA ALPHA—AN HONOR SOCIETY IN POLITICAL SCIENCE

Scott Michael Klein

ELECTED TO PSI CHI—NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY IN PSYCHOLOGY

Mark William Goldman

Susanne Hamon

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ACADEMIC DRESS COLORS

One of the colorful aspects of a college commencement ceremony is the colors of the academic dress. These colors have a significance deeply rooted in the tradition of the academic life.

The colors of the tassels worn by candidates for baccalaureate degrees represent the fields of knowledge in which the degrees will be conferred. At West Virginia State College the following colors are used to designate the various fields of study.

Bachelor of Arts	White
Bachelor of Science	Yellow
Business Administration	Maize
Communications	Yellow
Criminal Justice	Velvet Blue
Education	Light Blue
Industrial Technology	Orange
Recreation Service	Yellow
Social Work	Citron
Associate Degrees	White

The colors of the hoods of faculty and guests are those of the institution conferring the degree.

GRAND MARSHAL—

Associate Professor Thomas R. Cabbell

ASSISTANT MARSHALS—

Associate Professor R. Charles Byers
Associate Professor Clyde P. Campbell
Associate Professor Odaris Farmer
Associate Professor Charlotte Finney
Associate Professor Rosa Pickel
Associate Professor Steven West

ALMA MATER
OF WEST VIRGINIA STATE COLLEGE

ERNEST WADE '30

MARTHA SPENCER '31

There is a place we love so dear—
Its name we'll ever praise and revere
'Tis West Virginia State we love—
Just one more step from there is Heav'n above.

REFRAIN:

West Virginia's praise we'll sing—
Lift our voices 'till heavens ring—
As we gaily march along—
We'll sing a song—
For Alma Mater
How we love her
Pride of all our loyal hearts—
From her we will never part—
Thoughts of thee will ne'er be few
Alma Mater we love you.

We'll love her more as days go by,
And send her praises to the sky;
To place her over all the rest,
And keep her e'er the dearest and the best.

Shadowed 'neath a deep blue sky;
Is STATE for whom we'll live and we'll die—
Arise! O men of God and sing;
We're loyal, and to her we'll always cling.

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