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ALERUS CENTER

PRESIDENT ANDREW P. ARMACOST, PRESIDING

CEREMONY FOR DOCTORAL & MASTER'S DEGREES

Saturday, May 11 — 9 a.m.

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PRE-CEREMONY CONCERT

Roxanne Gessler, Pianist

PROCESSIONAL

“Pomp and Circumstance” — Edward Elgar
Please stand during the Processional.

“AMERICA THE BEAUTIFUL” — Samuel Ward

Grant Anderson, Soloist

GREETINGS FROM THE STATE BOARD OF HIGHER EDUCATION

Casey Ryan, SBHE

PRESENTATION OF THE CHESTER FRITZ DISTINGUISHED PROFESSORS

Naima Kaabouch, Chih Ming Tan
Chester Fritz information found on page 16

CONFERRAL OF HONORARY DEGREES

Denise Flanagan, Doctor of Letters
Chuck Klosterman, Doctor of Letters
Lynn Luckow, Doctor of Letters
Bob Mau, Doctor of Letters
Honorary Degree information found on pages 18-19

COMMENCEMENT SPEAKER

Chuck Klosterman
Speaker information found on page 18

CONFERRAL OF DOCTORAL & MASTER'S DEGREES

ALUMNI GREETINGS

Nancy Pederson
UND Alumni Association & Foundation

“ALMA MATER” — Franz Joseph Haydn

The Assemblage
Led by the song leader, Grant Anderson
Please stand
Hail to thee, O Alma Mater!
Hail to thee with heart and tongue!
Pride we feel and love yet greater
While we raise our grateful song.
Home of lofty thought and learning,
Beacon o'er our western land,
Shrine whence still the ever-burning
Torch is passed from hand to hand.

RECESSIONAL

Roxanne Gessler, Pianist

CEREMONY FOR UNDERGRADUATE DEGREES

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PRE-CEREMONY CONCERT

University of North Dakota Wind Ensemble
James Popejoy, Conductor

PROCESSIONAL

“Pomp and Circumstance” — Edward Elgar
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Grant Anderson, Soloist

GREETINGS FROM THE STATE BOARD OF HIGHER EDUCATION

Sadie Hanson, SBHE

COMMENCEMENT SPEAKER

Chuck Klosterman
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RECESSIONAL

University of North Dakota Wind Ensemble
James Popejoy, Conductor
“March Recessional” - Nino Marcelli

ACADEMIC PAGEANTRY

The pageantry of American colleges and universities, including such ceremonies as commencement, has been inherited from the medieval universities of the 11th and 12th centuries. Academic life as it is known today began in the Middle Ages, first in the church and then in the guilds. The teaching guild was the Guild of the Master of Arts, in which the Bachelor was the apprentice of the Master and the dress was the outward sign of privilege and responsibility.

The ceremony you will witness today will be less formal than would have been the case even a few decades ago. Still, many traditions have been

continued. To maintain continuity with the past, University of North Dakota faculty, the stage officials and the degree candidates will wear academic dress.

Principal features of academic garb are the gown, cap and hood. Early it became necessary for universities to set rules to preserve the dignity and meaning of academic dress. Both Cambridge and Oxford since the 15th century have made academic dress a matter of university control even to its minor details, and have repeatedly published revised regulations. American universities agreed on a definite system in 1895.

ACADEMIC DRESS

THE GOWN

The flowing gown comes from the 12th century. While it originally may have been worn as protection against the chill of unheated buildings, it has today become symbolic of the democracy of scholarship, for it covers any trappings of rank or social standing underneath. It is black for all degrees, with pointed sleeves for the bachelor's degree recipient, long closed sleeves with a slit at the arm or wrist for the master's degree, or full bell double sleeves for the doctoral degree. Bachelor's and master's degree gowns have no trimming. For the doctoral degree, the gown 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.

THE CAP

The academic cap is a sign of freedom of scholarship, and of the responsibility and dignity with which scholarship endows the wearer. Ancient poetry records the cap of scholarship as square to symbolize the book. The color of the tassel denotes the discipline. At the University of North Dakota, the tassel colors associated with academic divisions are:

white, College of Arts & Sciences; **drab** (subdued orange), Nistler College of Business & Public Administration; **black and white**, John D. Odegard School of Aerospace Sciences; **light blue**, College of Education & Human Development; **orange**, School of Engineering & Mines; **purple**, School of Law; **green**, School of Medicine; **apricot**, College of Nursing; **black**, School of Graduate Studies & Professional Disciplines. For undergraduate students, the tassels hang on the right side of the cap until they receive their degrees, at which time the tassel is moved to the left. For master's and doctoral students, the tassel hangs on the left side of the cap and is not moved.

THE HOOD

The hood is trimmed with one or more chevrons of a secondary color on the ground of the primary color of the college. The color of the facing of the hood denotes the discipline represented by the degree; the color of the lining designates the university or college which granted the degree. The official colors of the University of North Dakota, selected by the student body in preparation for the institution's first commencement in 1889, are the pink and green of the prairie rose.

CEREMONIAL OBJECTS

THE MACE

The mace was initially modeled after a 12th century implement of war. In earlier days, the mace, or heavy staff, was borne by or carried before a magistrate or other dignitary as an ensign of authority. A mace is placed as the symbol of royal authority on the treasury table in the British House of Commons at the opening of each session and is removed at its close. In the U.S. House of Representatives, it is a rather plain staff mounted in a marble pedestal at the right hand of the Speaker. The mace of the University of North Dakota symbolizes authority to carry out its mission, especially the granting of degrees. Made from the oak of the University's first building, "Old Main," the mace is carried by a marshal during academic processions and is placed at a prominent spot on the stage during commencement.

THE MEDALLION

A medallion or seal of office worn by the head of an educational institution is a practice that also dates to the Middle Ages. In those times, a seal was used to mark documents as official. Possession of the seal was so

important that it was usually worn around the neck for safekeeping. The wearing of the seal eventually became a symbol of authority. One side of the medallion worn by the president bears an engraving of the University's official seal and the names of all former presidents are included on the chain of office.

THE CHARTER

The University of North Dakota was founded six years before North Dakota became a state. The original, handwritten charter, enacted in 1883 by the Dakota Territorial Assembly, is preserved in UND's archives. One facsimile is displayed in the President's Office and another is used at commencements and other special occasions.

THE UNIVERSITY FLAG

The University flag features the UND flame logo set on a white background. The flag is used at ceremonial events and is carried by the honorary faculty flag marshal to lead the commencement procession. The flag is displayed on the stage during the commencement ceremony along with the mace and charter.

THE AWARDING OF DEGREES

The awarding of degrees and academic distinctions listed in this program is contingent upon successful completion of the various program requirements. Commencement ceremonies at UND are planned through Ceremonies & University Events in the Division of Marketing & Communications.

CEREMONY FOR DOCTORAL & MASTER'S DEGREES SATURDAY, MAY 11 — 9 A.M.

SCHOOL OF GRADUATE STUDIES: DOCTORAL DEGREES Chris Nelson, Dean

AEROSPACE SCIENCES Robert Kraus, Dean

DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY

Tyler Ray Linder

Sullivan, IL

Aerospace Sciences

Dissertation: Exploring Ambiguous Asteroid
Taxonomic Classification

Advisor: Ronald Fevig

Sean Peter McCloat

Ithaca, NY

Aerospace Sciences

Dissertation: Modeling the Architecture and Water
Content of Exoplanet Systems by Pebble Accretion:
The PPOLs Model

Advisor: Sherry Fieber-Beyer

Natalie Midzak

Philadelphia, PA

Atmospheric Sciences

Dissertation: Advances in Smoke Retrievals Using
Lidar: Techniques and Applications

Advisor: Jianglong Zhang

ARTS & SCIENCES Brad Rundquist, Dean

DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY

Gamra Motlaq Albogami

Grand Forks, ND

Communication

Dissertation: Public Instagram Accounts of Saudi
Women Public Figures in a Context of Social Change

Advisor: Pamela Kalbfleisch

Tami Jo Nettum Lieberg

Willmar, MN

Criminal Justice

Dissertation: Law Enforcement and Traumatic
Experiences: A Qualitative Study with Administrators

Advisor: Roni Mayzer

Tiffany Tara Sonterre

Grand Forks, ND

Communication

Dissertation: Black Lives Matter: Protesting as a Form
of Communication

Advisor: Pamela Kalbfleisch

EDUCATION & HUMAN DEVELOPMENT Cheryl Hunter, Dean

DOCTOR OF EDUCATION

Betsy Lynn Ahearn

San Diego, CA

Educational Practice and Leadership

Dissertation: Preparing Teachers to Differentiate
Instruction: A Systematic Review

Advisor: Shannon Grave

Rachel Katherine Bachmeier

West Fargo, ND

Educational Practice and Leadership

Dissertation: Exploring the Role of Restorative
Practices Facilitators in the Secondary School Setting:
Self-Efficacy, Collective Efficacy, and Systemic
Implementation Recommendations

Advisor: Jared Schlenker

Charles Russel Dalusong

Gallatin, TN

Educational Leadership

Dissertation: Career Technical Education:
Perceptions of Medical Career Pathway Students
Regarding Preparation for Post-Secondary Goals

Advisor: Jared Schlenker

Laura Marie Fernandez

Hillsborough, NJ

Educational Practice and Leadership

Dissertation: Access to Books for Lower
Socioeconomic Students: Creating a Book Sharing
Intervention

Advisor: Shannon Grave

Beth Marie Heyne

Bismarck, ND

Educational Practice and Leadership

Dissertation: Equipping Leaders to Meet the Essential
Needs of Early Childhood Educators in North Dakota:
Sustaining an Engaged and Highly Qualified Early
Care & Education Workforce

Advisor: Julie Robinson

Melanie Jenkins

Manti, UT

Educational Practice and Leadership

Dissertation: A Qualitative Case Study of Students'
of Color Perceptions and Experiences of Academic
Success in College Algebra at Snow College

Advisor: Radomir Mitic

SCHOOL OF GRADUATE STUDIES: DOCTORAL DEGREES

DOCTOR OF EDUCATION, *continued*

Lacey Jo Long

Bismarck, ND

Educational Practice and Leadership

Dissertation: Examining the Shared Knowledge and Collaboration When Working with Students with Sensory Disabilities

Advisor: Shannon Grave

Westin Michaud

Esko, MN

Educational Practice and Leadership

Dissertation: Exploring Player–Coach Relationships through Competitive and Healthy Environments in Collegiate Sports

Advisor: Jared Schlenker

Amy Elizabeth Rohlk

Grand Forks, ND

Educational Practice and Leadership

Dissertation: Continuous Improvement in North Dakota Schools: Impact of MTSS Essential Tier 1 Components in Red River Valley Education Cooperatives Schools Identified for Targeted or Comprehensive Support and Improvement

Advisor: Jared Schlenker

Jackie Lyn Zuiderhof

APO, AE

Educational Practice and Leadership

Dissertation: DoDEA K-12 Student Perceptions Towards Adjusting to Math Curricula Discrepancies Among Base Schools

Advisor: Woei Hung

DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY

Karrianna Iseminger

Grand Forks, ND

Educational Foundations & Research

Dissertation: Restoring the Occupational Therapy Spirit in Hand Therapy Practice

Advisor: Joshua Hunter

Adekunle Lawal

Greenville, TX

Teaching and Leadership

Dissertation: STEM Teacher Shortage in American Schools: A Case Study Exploring the Recruitment of STEM Majors into Teacher Education Programs

Advisor: Julie Robinson

Richard Michael Morgan

Thompson, ND

Educational Foundations & Research

Dissertation: Physical Wellness of the Collegiate Athlete

Advisor: Steven LeMire

Brenna Swanson

Lawton, ND

Teaching and Learning

Dissertation: An Exploration of Education Strategies in National Board of Health and Wellness Coaching Programs

Advisor: Cheryl Hunter

Danielle Marie Villano

Grand Forks, ND

Teaching and Leadership

Dissertation: Advancing Nutrition and Dietetics Students' Preparation for Clinical Practice Through Simulation-Based Learning Experiences

Advisor: Kathy Smart

Benjamin Wolden

Colfax, ND

Teaching and Learning

Dissertation: Clinical Reasoning Development Following A Simulation-Based Learning Experience in Doctor of Physical Therapy Education:

Advisor: Bonni Gourneau

ENGINEERING & MINES

Brian Tande, Dean

DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY

Eberechi Orié Ichi

Grand Forks, ND

Civil Engineering

Dissertation: NIR-Spectroscopy with Data-Driven Application for Inspection and Prediction of Combined Fouling and Moisture Contamination in Railroad Ballast

Advisor: Sattar Dorafshan

Shereen Subhi Ismail

Grand Forks, ND

Computer Science

Dissertation: A Hybrid Framework to Secure IOT Sensor Networks Based on Blockchain and Machine Learning

Advisor: Hassan Reza

Fangtian Li

Jinan, ND

Chemical Engineering

Dissertation: Performance Assessment of Wastewater Treatment Processes: Evaporation, Microplastic Settling, Biosolid Air Drying and Gasification

Advisor: Yun Ji

Yao Parnell Ntifafa

Midlothian, VA

Chemical Engineering

Dissertation: Additives Impact on Wet Strength and Size Development in Papermaking-PAE, ASA, and AKD Cases

Advisor: Yun Ji

Chenyu Wu

Grand Forks, ND

Petroleum Engineering

Dissertation: The Application of Machine Learning Algorithms on CO₂ EOR

Advisor: Kegang Ling

SCHOOL OF GRADUATE STUDIES: DOCTORAL DEGREES

NURSING & PROFESSIONAL DISCIPLINES

Maridee D. Shogren, Dean

DOCTOR OF NURSING PRACTICE

Shelby Boettner

Aberdeen, SD
Nursing Practice
Advisor: Elizabeth Gotay

Jennifer Jean Goodman

Cheyenne, WY
Nursing Practice
Advisor: Afton Zediker

Philip Heuer

Bemidji, MN
Nursing Practice
Advisor: Elizabeth Gotay

Erin Kellie Iverson

Minot, ND
Nursing Practice
Advisor: Kenneth McRae

Kolton Lane Jacobson

Proctor, MN
Nursing Practice
Advisor: Mary Jane Rivard

Richelle Johnson

Minot, ND
Nursing Practice
Advisor: Kenneth McRae

Kaushiki Kapoor

Princeton Junction, NJ
Nursing Practice
Advisor: Brian Higgerson

Michaela Kay Lund

Warroad, MN
Nursing Practice
Advisor: Patricia Parker

Joseph Onyambu Ondicho

Ramsey, MN
Nursing Practice
Advisor: Patricia Parker

Jodi Marie Stauss Stassen

East Grand Forks, MN
Nursing Practice
Advisor: Patricia Parker

MEDICINE & HEALTH SCIENCES

Joshua Wynne, Dean

DOCTOR OF PHYSICAL THERAPY

Kassandra Gail Anshutz

Eagle River, AK
Physical Therapy
Advisor: Steven Halcrow

Paige Elizabeth Argent

Minot, ND
Physical Therapy
Advisor: Mohamed Elhamadany

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Grand Forks, ND
Physical Therapy
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Dyer, IN
Physical Therapy
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Physical Therapy
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Physical Therapy
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Physical Therapy
Advisor: Richard Morgan

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Physical Therapy
Advisor: Gary Schindler

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Physical Therapy
Advisor: Gary Schindler

Brooke Marie Flicek

Lonsdale, MN
Physical Therapy
Advisor: Cynthia Flom-Meland

Riley Alan Grube

Benson, MN
Physical Therapy
Advisor: Cynthia Flom-Meland

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East Grand Forks, MN
Physical Therapy
Advisor: Cynthia Flom-Meland

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Yakima, WA
Physical Therapy
Advisor: Steven Halcrow

Kyle Stuart Henningsgard

Buxton, ND
Physical Therapy
Advisor: Gary Schindler

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Grand Forks, ND
Physical Therapy
Advisor: Steven Halcrow

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Waskish, MN
Physical Therapy
Advisor: Gary Schindler

Morgan Johnson

Hutchinson, MN
Physical Therapy
Advisor: Steven Halcrow

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Grand Forks, ND
Physical Therapy
Advisor: David Relling

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Physical Therapy
Advisor: Richard Morgan

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Physical Therapy
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Physical Therapy
Advisor: Richard Morgan

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Barnum, MN
Physical Therapy
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Physical Therapy
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Northome, MN
Physical Therapy
Advisor: Gary Schindler

SCHOOL OF GRADUATE STUDIES: DOCTORAL DEGREES

DOCTOR OF PHYSICAL THERAPY, *continued*

Victoria Korbely Maiz
Eagan, MN
Physical Therapy
Advisor: Mohamed Elhamadany

Riley J. Mattheis
Linton, ND
Physical Therapy
Advisor: Gary Schindler

Alexis Pettersen
Glendive, MT
Physical Therapy
Advisor: Mohamed Elhamadany

Connor D. Remus
Williston, ND
Physical Therapy
Advisor: Gary Schindler

Cade Daniel Salentine
Crookston, MN
Physical Therapy
Advisor: Steven Halcrow

Ashley Jean Schuster
Sheyenne, ND
Physical Therapy
Advisor: Cynthia Flom-Meland

Logan Thomas Senior
Grand Forks, ND
Physical Therapy
Advisor: David Relling

Blake Gregory Sjostrom
Malta, MT
Physical Therapy
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Dickinson, ND
Physical Therapy
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Hunter T. Sylte
Gillette, WY
Physical Therapy
Advisor: David Relling

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Duluth, MN
Physical Therapy
Advisor: David Relling

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Valley City, ND
Physical Therapy
Advisor: Cynthia Flom-Meland

OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY DOCTORATE

Jace Eugene Allard
Rawlins, WY
Occupational Therapy
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SCHOOL OF GRADUATE STUDIES: DOCTORAL DEGREES

OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY DOCTORATE, *continued*

Rachel Koenig

Fargo, ND
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Josie Sylte

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Riley P. Thomas

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Advisor: Breann Lamborn

Kennedy Marie Tooke

Mills, WY
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Argusville, ND
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Advisor: Jane Loscheider

SCHOOL OF GRADUATE STUDIES: MASTER'S DEGREES

Chris Nelson, Dean

AEROSPACE SCIENCES

Robert Kraus, Dean

MASTER OF ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT

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San Diego, CA
Earth System Science & Policy

MASTER OF SCIENCE

Shannon Ray Anderson
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Space Studies

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Space Studies

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Space Studies

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Space Studies

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Franklin, WI
Aviation

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Grand Forks, ND
Aviation

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Aanan Henry Schlieff
Lowry, MN
Atmospheric Sciences

Cameron Michael Schmitt
Fort Dix, NJ
Space Studies

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Cullowhee, NC
Space Studies

Yeqian Xu
Grand Forks, ND
Earth System Science & Policy

ARTS & SCIENCES

Brad Rundquist, Dean

MASTER OF ARTS

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Communication

William Roy Bess
Tucson, AZ
Forensic Psychology

Katelyn Boeke
New Lisbon, WI
Forensic Psychology

Helene Marie Castagnaro
Peoria, AZ
Forensic Psychology

Madison L. Engel
Wasilla, AK
Forensic Psychology

Isabella Fredenburg
Cambridge, MN
Forensic Psychology

Kathleen M. Grgurich
Farmington, MO
Forensic Psychology

Madison Marie Gudim
Andover, MN
Forensic Psychology

Taylor Hackbarth
Adair, IA
Forensic Psychology

Ravyn Hicks
Hollywood, MD
Forensic Psychology

Kim Elizabeth Higgs
Grand Forks, ND
English

Hannah Aileen Husom
Brook Park, MN
Forensic Psychology

Muhammad Shamsul Islam
Grand Forks, ND
English

Andrea Jansson
Göteborg
Communication

Jodi L. Kassner
Conrad, MT
Forensic Psychology

Hailey Elizabeth Madsen
Petersburgh, NY
Forensic Psychology

Diana Marie Maglione
Holbrook, NY
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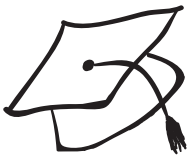
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CHESTER FRITZ DISTINGUISHED PROFESSORS

Naima Kaabouch

Professor of Electrical Engineering & Computer Science

Naima Kaabouch is the director of the Artificial Intelligence Research Institute for the UND College of Engineering & Mines and leads the Cybersecurity & Data Chain group for the Research Institute for Autonomous Systems.

Since 2006, Kaabouch has taught several electrical engineering at the undergraduate and graduate levels. She helped develop the UND's Ph.D. programs in Electrical Engineering and Computer Science, as well as M.S. programs in Data Science and Cybersecurity. These programs helped create the substantial enrollment growth that established the School of Electrical Engineering & Computer Science as the largest department in the College of Engineering & Mines.

Kaabouch has won awards in teaching, research and service at UND, including the 2016 Outstanding Faculty Scholar award and a Presidential Scholars Star Faculty award in 2010.

Several her projects that involved undergraduate engineering students have won several awards, including four in the NASA Robotics Competition dating back to 2011.

As a researcher of artificial intelligence, wireless communications, cybersecurity and autonomous systems, Kaabouch is the principal, co-principal investigator, and investigator on several federal and state grants, including projects supported by the Department of Defense, National Science Foundation, Federal Aviation Administration and NASA, among other entities.

Her work in these fields has secured more than \$35 million in research funding for projects bridging theoretical research with practical applications.

Across her career, Kaabouch has authored or co-authored more than 230 peer-reviewed journal and proceedings papers, as well as 13 book chapters, one patent, two provisional patents and five research handbooks.

Kaabouch served as chief editor of the Journal of Electrical and Electronic Engineering as well as the International Journal of Embedded Systems. She also served as the Guest Editor for several journals, including the Journal of Future Internet and the Journal of Drones, and an associate editor of the Journal of Handheld Computing Research.



Chih Ming Tan

Professor of Economics & Finance

Chih Ming Tan is the Page Endowed Chair in Applied Economics at the Department of Economics & Finance, as well as the Associate Dean for Research at the Nistler College of Business & Public Administration.

Since joining UND in 2013, Tan has taught economics and finance. From 2016 to 2022, he served as the director of the Master of Science in Applied Economics and Predictive Analytics program.

Tan's research in econometrics examines financial inequality and mobility, economic growth and global health. He teaches macroeconomics and econometrics courses at the undergraduate and graduate level.

Regarded as a seminal expert in his field, Tan has authored 20 peer-reviewed journal articles during his time at UND, half of which have been published in the highest-quality journals concerning economics, including The Economic Journal, Journal of Macroeconomics and Journal of Applied Econometrics. His citations from these and other journal publications number in the thousands.

Tan has been a principal investigator on several grants and received a Meritorious Research Award from the Nistler College of Business & Public Administration in 2016.

Since 2018, Tan has served as associate editor for the China Economic Review. He is an affiliate scholar of the Stone Center for Research on Wealth Inequality and Mobility at the University of Chicago, a network member of the Human Capital and Economic Opportunity Global Working Group at the University of Chicago, and a senior fellow of the Rimini Center for Economic Analysis in Italy.

Tan is a referee for numerous journals and has evaluated proposals for grant agencies including the National Science Foundation, the Economic and Social Research Council (UK), and the Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council (Canada).



UNIVERSITY OF NORTH DAKOTA LAND ACKNOWLEDGEMENT STATEMENT

Today, the University of North Dakota rests on the ancestral lands of the Pembina and Red Lake Bands of Ojibwe and the Dakota Oyate - presently existing as composite parts of the Red Lake, Turtle Mountain, White Earth Bands, and the Dakota Tribes of Minnesota and North Dakota.

We acknowledge the people who resided here for generations and recognize that the spirit of the Ojibwe and Oyate people permeates this land. As a university community, we will continue to build upon our relations with the First Nations of the State of North Dakota - the Mandan, Hidatsa, and Arikara Nation, Sisseton-Wahpeton Oyate Nation, Spirit Lake Nation, Standing Rock Sioux Tribe, and Turtle Mountain Band of Chippewa Indians.

CHESTER FRITZ DISTINGUISHED PROFESSORS

The Chester Fritz Distinguished Professorships were established with an endowment gift from the late UND benefactor Chester Fritz, 1892-1983. Revenue from the endowment provides for cash stipends to one or more full-time UND faculty members, who thereafter may use the title “Chester Fritz Distinguished Professor.” Nominations are solicited from members of the Vice President for Academic Affairs Academic Cabinet and the Chester Fritz Distinguished Professors; these are evaluated by a committee chaired by the graduate dean and composed of three Chester Fritz Distinguished Professors and faculty representatives from each academic college not represented by a Fritz Professor. The recommendations are reviewed by the Vice President for Academic Affairs and forwarded to the President for final decision.

Chester Fritz attended UND from 1908 to 1910. He became an international trader in precious metals and lived most of his life in China and Europe. In establishing the endowment for the professorships — just one of his many gifts to UND — as an “investment in the future of my Alma Mater and of the people who make the future what it shall be.” He added, “I am especially indebted to the fine teachers who, in the end, have determined in large measure, how well I was able to learn and to use the knowledge that the University of North Dakota could provide.”

Chester Fritz Distinguished Professors currently serving on the faculty include:

Holly Brown-Borg, Biomedical Sciences
Sharon Carson, English
Colin Combs, Biomedical Sciences
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Jonathan Geiger, Biomedical Sciences
William D. Gosnold Jr., Geology & Geological Engineering
Birgit Hans, Indian Studies
Joseph Hartman, Geology & Geological Engineering
Mark R. Hoffmann, Chemistry
Naima Kaabouch, Electrical Engineering & Computer Science
Alena Kubátová, Chemistry
Glenda Lindseth, Nursing
Kent Lovelace, Aviation
James Mochoruk, History
Daphne Pedersen, Sociology
Thomas V. Petros, Psychology
Michelle Sauer, English
Wayne Seames, Chemical Engineering
Mary Ann Sens, Pathology
William F. Sheridan, Biology
Chih Ming Tan, Economics & Finance
Vasyl Tkach, Biology
Sean Valentine, Management
Roxanne Vaughan, Biomedical Sciences
Jack Weinstein, Philosophy & Religion
Michael Wittgraf, Music
Julia Zhao, Chemistry

Former faculty members who were honored with Fritz Professorships include:

Michael A. Anderegg, English
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Michael C. Beard, English
Robert Beck (deceased), Law
Richard Beringer, History
William V. Borden (deceased), English
Edward C. Carlson, Anatomy & Cell Biology
William E. Cornatzer (deceased), Biochemistry & Molecular Biology
Richard D. Crawford, Biology
Kenneth J. Dawes, Social Work
Sandra Donaldson, English
Manuchair Ebadi (deceased), Pharmacology, Physiology & Therapeutics, and Clinical Neuroscience
Ronald C. Engle, Theatre Arts
Albert J. Fivizzani, Biology
Mary Lou S. Fuller, Elementary Education
Michael J. Gaffey, Space Studies
Elizabeth Hampsten, English
David Hein, Pharmacology & Toxicology
Thomasine Heitkamp, Nursing
Carla Wulff Hess (deceased), Communication Sciences & Disorders
Richard L. Hill (deceased), Educational Administration
Gordon Iseminger, History
Warren Jensen, Aviation
Cindy L. Juntunen, Counseling Psychology
Harvey Knull, Biochemistry & Molecular Biology
David O. Lambeth, Biochemistry & Molecular Biology
Richard G. Landry, Educational Measurements & Statistics
Diane K. Langemo, Nursing Practice & Development
Donald K. Lemon (deceased), Educational Leadership
Robert W. Lewis (deceased), English
Steven Light, Political Science & Public Administration
Frank Low (deceased), Anatomy
Richard L. Ludtke, Sociology
Michael Mann, Chemical Engineering
Roger Melvold (deceased), Microbiology & Immunology
James E. Mitchell, Neuroscience
Thomas Mohr, Physical Therapy
Robert C. Nordlie (deceased), Biochemistry & Molecular Biology
Myrna R. Olson, Teaching & Learning
Lewis K. Oring, Biology
Leon F. Osborne (deceased), Atmospheric Sciences
Surendra S. Parmar, Physiology
Brian O. Paulsen, Art
Russell Peterson (deceased), Education
Michael Poellot, Atmospheric Sciences
Lewis J. Radonovich, Chemistry
Kathryn Rand, School of Law
Paul D. Ray (deceased), Biochemistry & Molecular Biology
John L. Rowe (deceased), Business & Vocational Education
Isaac Schlosser, Biology
Mary Jane Schneider (deceased), Indian Studies
Santhosh K. Seelan, Space Studies
Donald E. Severson (deceased), Chemical Engineering
Brij Singh, Basic Sciences
Virgil Stenberg, Chemistry
Jeffrey L. Stith, Atmospheric Sciences
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D. Jerome Tweton (deceased), History
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Stephen A. Wonderlich, Clinical Neuroscience
Sharon C. Wilsnack, Neuroscience
Charles A. Wood, Space Studies
Kevin D. Young, Microbiology & Immunology

COMMENCEMENT SPEAKER & HONORARY DEGREE RECIPIENT

Chuck Klosterman

Chuck Klosterman is a journalist, bestselling author and 1994 graduate of the University of North Dakota.

Growing up in Wyndmere, N.D., Klosterman majored in journalism with a minor in English at UND while writing for the student newspaper, The Dakota Student. He also wrote as an intern for the Grand Forks Herald while enrolled.

He went on to work as an entertainment writer for The Forum in Fargo, then later as a reporter and critic for the Akron Beacon Journal. It was during this time that Klosterman wrote "Fargo Rock City: A Heavy Metal Odyssey in Rural North Dakota," which was published in 2001 to critical acclaim.

Klosterman's success led him to New York City, where he worked as a senior writer and columnist for Spin magazine. He has since had a successful career as a journalist and author, writing for publications such as GQ, Esquire, The New York Times, The Guardian, Billboard, The Washington Post and ESPN. Klosterman also served as the Ethicist for The New York Times Magazine for three years.



Klosterman cites his upbringing in North Dakota and experiences at UND as influential in his development as a writer and critic. His 2008 novel, "Downtown Owl," is about the experience of growing up in rural North Dakota in the 1980s.

His works of nonfiction include "Fargo Rock City," "Sex, Drugs, and Cocoa Puffs," "Killing Yourself to Live," "Chuck Klosterman IV," "Eating the Dinosaur," "I Wear the Black Hat," "But What If We're Wrong? Thinking About the Present As If It Were the Past," "Chuck Klosterman X" and "The Nineties."

His novels are "Downtown Owl" and "The Visible Man." He also wrote a collection of short stories published in 2019, titled "Raised in Captivity."



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HONORARY DEGREES

Denise Flanagan

Denise Flanagan, director of budget for the U.S. Department of the Interior, is a North Dakota native and 1990 graduate of the University of North Dakota.

Flanagan grew up in Fargo, N.D., and went on to study public administration at UND. While enrolled, she worked in the Bureau of Governmental Affairs and was selected as a Harry S. Truman Scholar in 1988.

Flanagan went on to earn graduate degrees at Syracuse University and the Industrial College of the Armed Forces at National Defense University. In 1998, she returned to UND to participate in the Hultberg Lectureship Series.

Her federal career started as a 1991 Presidential Management Intern, and she has served her nation with pride over more than 30 years in the Department of the Interior, the Department of the Navy, the Office of the Secretary of Defense, the Defense Mapping Agency and the Office of Personnel Management. She is a Defense Leadership and Management Program Scholar and a Certified Defense Financial Manager and has been awarded two Superior Civilian Service Awards.

As director of budget since 2010, Flanagan leads the process of assessing the Department's resource needs while taking into consideration program performance, enterprise risk, legislative direction and funds control for \$32 billion annually in current and permanent funds, and for \$23 billion in revenues.

Her office publishes the Interior Budget in Brief and 19 congressional budget justifications a year to assist Congress and the public in understanding the details of the president's budget request.

Flanagan also served as director of financial management for the Office of Naval Research in the Department of the Navy, where she managed a research and development budget of \$2.6 billion that included the Navy's Science and Technology program.

During her tenure, the Financial Management Office received 11 awards from the Department of the Navy, the Department of Defense and the American Society of Military Comptrollers.



Lynn Luckow

Lynn Luckow is a nationally known senior advisor with a consulting practice that emphasizes nonprofit governance, strategy, impact, fundraising and philanthropy.

Luckow has previously served as president and CEO of Jossey-Bass Publishers, Craigslist Foundation and Northern California Grantmakers.

A native of Hettinger, N.D., Luckow graduated from UND in 1971 with a Bachelor of Arts degree in German, English and Creative Writing. As an undergraduate and following graduation, he worked in several roles for UND, including Assistant Director of High School Relations, Assistant Registrar, Academic Advisor and Director of Conferences & Institutes.

Luckow went on to earn a Master of Science degree in Higher Education Leadership & Student Development at Indiana University, Bloomington.

In his professional career, Luckow has served on or consulted to more than 50 nonprofit boards, including chairing the national boards of Chanticleer, the Kinsey Institute for Sex Research at Indiana University, Project Open Hand and the National 4-H Council.

In 2000, he received the Award for Excellence in National Board Leadership presented by the National Assembly of Health and Human Service Organizations.

Currently, Luckow serves on the board of the North Dakota Delta Upsilon Education Foundation and is co-chair of Delta Upsilon Fraternity's \$8 million "Honoring Our Legacy, Building Our Future" capital campaign, which has resulted in a new chapter house located at 421 Princeton Street on UND's campus.

As an advocate for youth leadership during high school years, Luckow is executive director (pro bono) of the Rotary Youth Leadership Academy for his San Francisco Bay Area Rotary District, hosting an annual weeklong camp for 200 students from 40 schools.

He received UND's Maxwell Anderson Award for Excellence in Arts & Letters in 1994 and has received Honorary Doctor of Human Letters degrees from Golden State University, Manhattanville College and Fielding Graduate University.



Bob Mau

Bob Mau's career has spanned more than 45 years of service and commitment to promoting and developing the oil and gas industry in North Dakota.

Born in Kenmare, N.D., Mau grew up on a family farm southwest of Mohall, N.D., and went on to study geology at Minot State College (now Minot State University).

His career in the oil industry started in the 1970s, when he worked on service rigs and pumping wells in the western North Dakota oilfields. From there, he went on to create several businesses, most of which supported oil and gas exploration. These businesses included Eagle Operating, Wolverine Drilling, Eagle Well Service and American Well Service; Mau currently serves as president of MW Industries, a drilling rig manufacturer located in Kenmare, N.D., and another of the companies that he founded.

Mau has served on several state and regional committees and boards in his field, including as chairman of the board for the North Dakota Petroleum Council and as a state representative on the Interstate Oil and Gas Compact Commission appointed by then-North Dakota Gov. John Hoeven.



In 2007, he received the Pioneer Award from UND's Energy & Environmental Research Center, an award that honors outstanding service to carbon capture, utilization and storage.

In 2013, Mau was inducted into the North Dakota Petroleum Council Hall of Fame. The Council's citation hails him as "one of the greatest supporters, leaders, and innovators of the Petroleum Council as it has transformed into the organization it is today." He is also the recipient of the Minot State University Alumni Association's Golden Award and has served on the North Dakota Chamber of Commerce Board of Directors.

Mau and his wife, Kathy, have four children and nine grandchildren.

HONORARY DEGREES AWARDED

Honorary degrees have long been awarded by institutions of higher learning to recognize lives of achievement. In 1909 UND presented its first honorary degree, a Doctor of Laws, to Webster Merrifield, who served the University for 25 years, including 18 as its third president.

Honorary degrees from UND particularly recognize those with an association with the University or with the state and region.

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1922, John Lee Coulter, Doctor of Laws
1925, F.P. Robertson, Doctor of Laws
1928, Howard Huston, Master of Arts
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1930, Guy C.H. Corliss, Doctor of Laws
1930, Vilhjalmur Stefansson, Doctor of Laws
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2023, Werner G. Nistler Jr., Doctor of Letters
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2024, Chuck Klosterman, Doctor of Letters
2024, Lynn Luckow, Doctor of Letters
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UNIVERSITY MARSHALS

A UND faculty member, chosen from the ranks of the Chester Fritz Distinguished Professors, carries the University flag and leads the commencement procession.

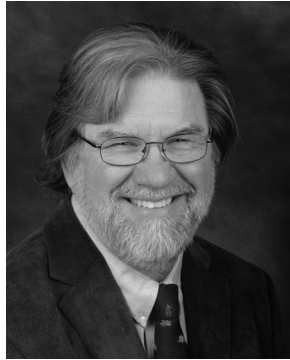
Honorary Faculty Flag Marshal
Saturday, May 11 — 9 A.M.

Joseph H. Hartman
**Professor of Geology &
Geological Engineering**

Dr. Hartman joined UND in 1986 as a Research Paleontologist with the North Dakota Mining and Minerals Research Institute under Dr. Gerald Groenewold, with funding from the Philip M. McKenna Foundation. He remained with EERC until he joined the GGE faculty as an Associate Professor in 2001.

His research interests cover a number of topics, but emphasize the historical geology of Cretaceous (K) and Paleogene (Pg) strata of North America, including the evolution and extinction of continental mollusk, the K/Pg extinction boundary interval in India and elsewhere, and the chronology of sea-level change, particularly in North Dakota.

Dr. Hartman conducts field and museum research in North America, China, Madagascar, India, and western Europe to produce publications on evolution, taxonomy, biostratigraphy, paleobiogeography, climate change, science education, and the history of western exploration and paleontology. Joseph served as the first Director of GGE.



Honorary Faculty Flag Marshal
Saturday, May 11 — 2 P.M.

Daphne Pedersen
Professor of Sociology

Dr. Pedersen joined the UND faculty in 2004 and was named Chester Fritz Distinguished Professor in 2021. An engaged researcher and teacher, she received the UND Foundation/Bertin C. Gamble Award for Individual Excellence in Teaching in 2007 and the Faculty Award for Excellence in Teaching, Research or Creative Activity, and Service in 2018. She served as President of Alpha Kappa Delta, the international sociology honor society, and was Co-Editor of The Social Science Journal.

She currently serves on the editorial board of Teaching Sociology, the premier journal in her discipline devoted to teaching, and helps organize and lead an annual teaching and learning workshop for sociologists. Dr. Pedersen's research interests include the sociology of health, and how work and stress processes shape individual well-being.

A first-generation college student, Dr. Pedersen earned her undergraduate and doctoral degrees in Utah, and master's degree in Minnesota. She currently serves as Associate Dean in the College of Arts & Sciences.



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Whether the individual is the first or last to receive a degree in the graduation ceremony, the conferring of that degree is a very special event for every graduate and family. To this end, it is requested that everyone remain seated until the conclusion of the commencement ceremony.

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THE MACE OF THE UNIVERSITY

The ceremonial mace was first a practical weapon intended to protect the king and borne by the Sergeants-at-Arms, a royal bodyguard. The history of the civic mace begins about the middle of the 13th century. Since about the 15th century, universities have displayed a mace as a symbol of both internal authority and the independence of the scholarly tradition.

The mace of the University of North Dakota came into being at the direction of George W. Starcher, president from 1954 to 1971. In 1963 he approached Alvin Rudisill, chairman of the Industrial Arts Department, with the idea of creating a mace with materials from "Old Main," UND's first building. Condemned for decades for its severe structural deficiencies, Old Main was being demolished as administrative offices had moved to the newly completed Twamley Hall.

Rudisill turned to one of his students, Dennis Kulas, who was also pursuing a minor in art. Kulas crafted a mace in wood and then a second, when some thought the first might be too heavy for ceremonial use. The first one is the mace that has been carried at the front of all commencement ceremonies since.

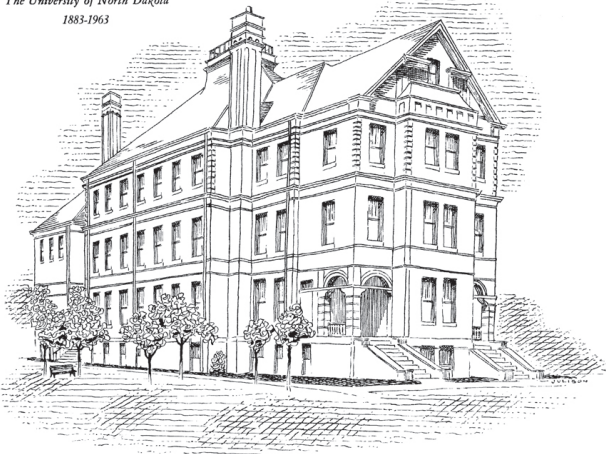
Kulas explained the artistic ideas he incorporated into his design:

"The theme used for making the mace was like a drop of water falling into a body of water, its effects sending out ripples throughout the water. Likewise, a little learning affects everyone by sending out knowledge to all four corners of the Earth, hence the design. The globe: symbolizing the Earth. The rings: symbolizing a drop of knowledge ever spreading throughout the Earth. The four spikes: emphasizing the four corners of the Earth."

The second mace used the same theme, but the globe was hollowed out to make it lighter by using recessed rings.



"Old Main"
The University of North Dakota
1883-1963



"Old Main," 1958

HILYARD JAMES DUTY

Hilyard James Duty was born in 1875 in Cook County, Ill., to Sarah and James Duty.

He and his family moved to St. Paul, Minn. when he was a young child. In 1885, his family was located in Fargo, N.D. In 1890, Hilyard enrolled at Hamline University in St. Paul, Minn., where he attended school for three years.

Then in 1894, Hilyard matriculated as a student at the University of North Dakota, where he took classes until 1900. During his time at UND, Hilyard was a member of the University band, the football team and the track team. During an intercollegiate field day at Wahpeton, N.D., in the spring of 1897, Hilyard place first in the one-mile run with a time of 5 minutes and 3 seconds.



In addition, during his time at UND, Hilyard advanced from private to corporal to sergeant in the military. He left UND in 1900, after five years of schooling, with no awarded degree. Following their extensive research, UND staff members Stacey Borboa-Peterson and Shelby King set out to rectify this historical injustice. In February 2024, President Andrew Armacost, Provost Eric Link and Dean of the College of Arts & Sciences Brad Rundquist retroactively awarded Hilyard James Duty a Bachelor of Arts degree, making him UND's first student and graduate of Color.

Hilyard went on to marry Jessie Adams of Fargo, N.D., and worked for the Northern Pacific Railroad. He passed away in July 1919.

IN MEMORY OF BRENT HERMANS

For nearly a decade, Brent graced our UND commencement stages, filling the air with his musical talent and pride for the University of North Dakota and its audiences.

Brent played piano at all UND commencement ceremonies, including Law School, School of Medicine & Health Sciences, and all General Commencement ceremonies adding grandeur to every moment. The recognizable tip of his hat behind the piano and his ever-present smile will truly be missed. With each note of "Pomp and Circumstance," he inspired the audience earning him thunderous applause from all in attendance.

Brent wasn't just a pianist; he embodied excellence and loyalty, a proud graduate of Grand Forks Red River and the University of North Dakota. We will forever cherish not only his musical talents but also his unwavering commitment to perform for our UND family on such momentous occasions.

Brent, your kindness and music will continue to inspire us.



May 10, 1967 - April 21, 2024

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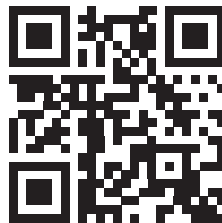
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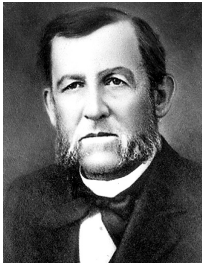


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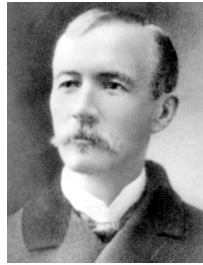
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- UND was founded in 1883 by the Dakota Territorial Assembly — six years before North Dakota became a state.
- The cornerstone for Old Main — UND's first building and where the Eternal Flame in the Old Main Memorial Plaza now stands — was laid in the fall of 1883.
- As part of its evolution into a full-fledged, multi-purpose University, UND added research and the instruction of graduate students (the first master's degree was awarded in 1895) before the end of the 19th century.
- Four faculty members met the 11 students who entered the University on opening day, September 8, 1884.
- Three U.S. Presidents have visited campus: Franklin D. Roosevelt, John F. Kennedy, and Ronald Reagan.
- The first class of eight students graduated on June 13, 1889.
- Unlike most state institutions of higher education west of the Mississippi, UND did not begin as an agricultural school or as a teachers college. It was organized initially as a College of Arts & Sciences, with a Normal School for the education of teachers.

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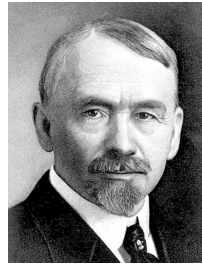
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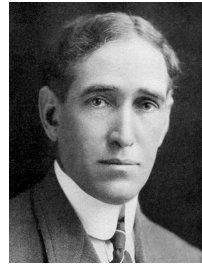
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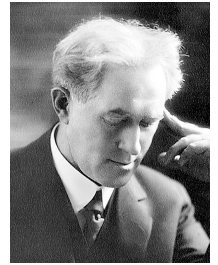
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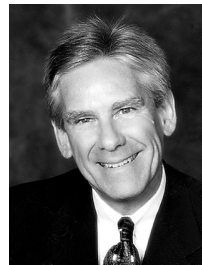
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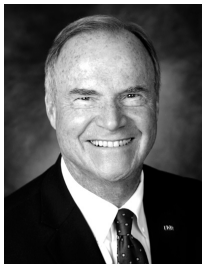
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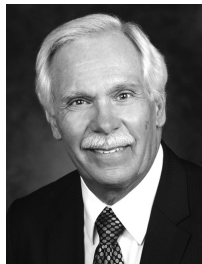
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CHARLES E. KUPCHELLA
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2020 — PRESENT

THE FIRST COMMENCEMENT

The following is excerpted from University of the Northern Plains, the history of the University of North Dakota written by Louis G. Geiger and published in 1958 as part of the University's 75th anniversary celebration.

A major milestone in student affairs, as well as in the University's history, was the graduation of the first college class in 1889. A faculty committee was appointed in February to plan the exercises. In April the student body met and chose the school colors, the pink and green of the prairie rose, "suggestive of our green prairies and rosy prospects." On June 13, a cool, fair day, the ceremony began at ten o'clock in the University assembly hall, which had been decorated with flags and flowers and a large "89" centerpiece. A capacity crowd of students and spectators (perhaps as many as 250) was on hand as the graduates — "the ladies ... dressed in white" and "the gentlemen ... neatly attired" — marched to their places on the stage to the accompaniment of music by [W. W.] Hall's Cadet Band. Special guests were the Regents, H. M. Mellette, governor of the Territory, several other territorial officials [North Dakota did not attain statehood until November 2, 1889], and Nehemiah Ordway, who as governor had signed the organic act of the University. [President Homer B.] Sprague presided and introduced the speakers. Mellette observed that it was a "Red River letter day." Ordway spoke with pride and feeling on the University's founding. One of the Regents relieved the occasion with a touch of unconscious humor when he explained: "As to the faculty we have done the best we could with the money at hand." Following the official commemoration of the occasion, the main part of the program began; there were essays and orations presented by each of the eight graduates, six from the college and two from the four-year normal course; Frances M. Allen (B.A.), Clinton S. DeGroat (B.S.), Ben E. Ingwaldson (B.S.), Cora Smith (B.S.), Marie Teel (B.S.), May Travis (B.A.), and Genevieve Arnold



The University of North Dakota graduated its first class on June 13, 1889. Seated: Frances M. Allen, B.A.; May Travis, B.A.; Genevieve Arnold, Normal Certificate; and Marie Teel, B.S. Standing: Irene Mares, Normal Certificate; Clinton S. DeGroat, B.S.; Cora Smith, B.S., and Ben E. Ingwaldson, B.S.



The Main Building and Ladies' Hall (later Davis Hall)

and Irene Mares (normal certificates). The orations, on current as well as literary and moral subjects, were printed in full in the Grand Forks newspapers.

Three of the college graduates were from Grand Forks; none had come from farther than Hillsboro. Not one had been born in North Dakota; Ben Ingwaldson had been born in Norway. In the class of 1890, of seven college graduates, four were from Grand Forks, three were women, and six took the science degree. A considerable proportion of the early graduates entered medicine, law, or teaching. Cora Smith, a member of the first class, took a degree in medicine at Boston University; Mary Crans of the second class completed the course in dentistry at the University of Michigan. Ben Ingwaldson went on to the University of Minnesota law school. North Dakota's first appointee to West Point, Joseph Travis, graduated in the class of 1890.

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The University of North Dakota is proud to recognize the accomplishments of its graduates and to extend best wishes to them, their families and loved ones.



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