FLORIDA ATLANTIC UNIVERSITY GRADUATE COMMENCEMENT



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FLORIDA ATLANTIC UNIVERSITY

Florida Atlantic University, a member of the State University System of Florida, was established in 1961 and opened its doors to students in 1964. In addition to its 850-acre campus in Boca Raton, FAU has campuses in Fort Lauderdale, Davie, Palm Beach Gardens and Fort Pierce.

The University's nine colleges - the Schmidt College of Arts and Humanities, and the other Colleges of Business, Education, Engineering, Liberal Arts, Nursing, Science, Social Science, and Urban and Public Affairs - offer 52 bachelor's, 41 master's, 3 specialist's, 1 associate's, and 14 doctoral degrees. As of August 1993, the University had awarded 53,527 degrees, serving more than 130,000 individuals through its instructional programs.

In December 1967, Florida Atlantic University was elected to regular membership in the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools, at which time the Commission on Higher Education of that Association granted full accreditation to all of the University's programs. In accordance with Association regulations, this accreditation was reaffirmed in 1973, 1983, and again in 1993.

In the fall of 1993, the University had 16,500 students and 1,000 faculty members.

Dr. Anthony James Catanese President and Professor

Dr. Richard Osburn
Acting University Provost and Chief Academic Officer

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Vice President for Development and Alumni Affairs

FLORIDA ATLANTIC UNIVERSITY PRESIDENT

Dr. Anthony James Catanese



Dr. Anthony James Catanese joined FAU as the University's fourth President in January, 1990. Dr. Catanese was previously the Provost of Pratt Institute in New York City; Dean of the College of Architecture at the University of Florida; Dean of the School of Architecture and Urban Planning at the University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee; Associate Dean of the School of Engineering and Environmental Design and James A. Ryder Professor at the University of Miami; and Professor and Director of the Center for Planning and Development at the Georgia Institute of Technology. Dr. Catanese also was a Senior Fulbright Professor at the Pontificia Universidad Javeriana in Bogota, Colombia.

Dr. Catanese previously maintained a private practice in design, planning, and development. His consulting contracts numbered over fifty clients, including coastal zone planning and development in Hawaii and native land claims in Alaska. As a developer, he built several projects for the single family and multi-family market in the Atlanta region.

Dr. Catanese has been a public servant as well. He was appointed by President Jimmy Carter to the National Urban Policy Task Force. He served as chairman of the Milwaukee City Plan Board and the Gainesville City Plan Board. Dr. Catanese was president of the Park West Development Corporation, a not-for-profit organization that planned and developed a major area in Milwaukee. He is currently a member of the Board of Environmental Education Foundation of Florida, appointed by the Governor, and the Presidents Commission of the National Collegiate Athletic Association.

Dr. Catanese received the Ph.D. degree from the University of Wisconsin-Madison in Planning and Land Economics; the Master's Degree in Planning and Public Administration from New York University; and the Bachelor's Degree in Planning and Civil Engineering from Rutgers University. He has done advanced studies in real estate finance, computers, and transportation.

A prolific writer, Dr. Catanese has authored eleven books, eighteen chapters in books, over sixty-five articles in journals, and thity-five research monographs. Two of his books, *Planners and Politics: Impossible Dreams* and *Urban Planning*, have been best sellers in their fields.

COMMENCEMENT SPEAKER

Justice Philip J. Montante

Philip J. Montante, Jr. received a Master's of Education degree from Florida Atlantic University in 1967 before receiving his Doctor of Jurisprudence degree from Samford University in Alabama. He has practiced law for more than twenty years and in 1990 was appointed United States Federal Immigration Judge from Miami.

Judge Montante has served in several capacities during his legal tenure. He has been an assistant state attorney, special assistant to the attorney general, chief judge of the municipal court of Margate, and a city attorney. He was appointed as a member of the President's Commission on White House Fellowships for 1980 and again for 1993. Judge Montante has also published many works and has been named to Who's Who in American Law. He has also recently been named cochair of the Immigration Courts Committee of the American Bar Association National Conference of Special Court Judges.

Judge Montante has continued to serve south Florida universities and colleges. He was a member of the advisory board and adjunct instructor in the Institute for Legal Assistants in FAU's Division of Continuing Education since its inception in 1976 until 1990. According to his colleagues at FAU, Judge Montante was easily accessible, always willing to assist the students, and a visionary regarding the future of the legal profession.

Judge Montante lives with his wife and four children in Boca Raton.

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PROGRAM

Processional

Pomp and Circumstance No. 1 in D Major by Edward Elgar

Presiding

Dr. Stephen Voss, University Marshal

National Anthem

Star Spangled Banner by Francis Scott Key, led by Allen Wilkerson

Introduction and Remarks

Dr. Anthony James Catanese, President

Commencement Speaker

Justice Philip J. Montante

Special Recognition Award

Dr. William B. Stronge

Mr. Simon Reyes Martinez Cordoba, Rector Escuela Superior de Gestion Comercial y Marketing Madrid, Spain

Conferral of Honorary Education Specialist Degree

Dr. Jerry Lafferty

Doris Agnon

Conferral of the Graduate Degrees

Dr. Anthony James Catanese, President Assisted by: Dr. Richard Osburn Dr. John T. Jurewicz

Announcing the Candidates

Dr. Karl F. Ijams, Dean of Student Affairs

Closing Remarks

Dr. Anthony James Catanese, President

Recessional

DECEMBER 1993 GRADUATES

DOCTOR OF EDUCATION

COLLEGE OF EDUCATION

Linda S. Forst

"The Effects of Two Acquaintance Rape Prevention Education Programs on Rape-Supportive Beliefs among College Students" Major Professor: Dr. Arthur Burrichter

Susan Cappo Gunn

"Identification of Performance Outcome Required of Human Resource Development Professionals in Order to Develop Quality Programs Consistent with the Malcolm Baldridge Award Criteria"

Major Professors: Dr. Lucy Guglielmino, Dr. Arthur Burrichter

DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY

COLLEGE OF BUSINESS

Randi L. Sims

"The Match between an Individual and an Organization:
Antecedents and Consequences of an Ethical Fit"
Major Professor: Dr. Thomas Keon

DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY

COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING

Filiz Basbug

"Wavelet Transformation Based Digital Signal Processing" Major Professor: Dr. Nurgun Erdol

Larry Brown

"Fault-Tolerant Distributed Shared Memories" Major Professor: Dr. Jie Wu

DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY

COLLEGE OF SCIENCE

William S. Cassel

"Developmental Differences in Memory, Recall, and Suggestibility Two Years Later: Should Young Children be Considered 'Aye' Witnesses" Major Professor: Dr. David Bjorklund

Yang Wang

"The Multiple Scattering Approach to the Electronic Structure of Ordered Solids, Impurities, and Alloys" Major Professor: Dr. J. S. Faulkner

DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY

COLLEGE OF URBAN AND PUBLIC AFFAIRS

Pamela Tarquinio Brannon

"A Policy Implementation Analysis: Nurse Aide Certification in Florida" Major Professors: Dr. Donald Clare, Dr. Savina Schoenhofer

David C. Gnage

"Employment Rates and Average Wage of Target Jobs Tax Credit Participants in Florida Compared to Selected Job Training Partnership Act Participants by Target Groups" Major Professor: Dr. Khi Thai

THE SCHMIDT COLLEGE OF ARTS AND HUMANITIES

Dean Sandra K Norton

MASTER OF ARTS

Pamela S Anderson Charles Thomas Brusca Ann Marie Carney Katherine Rebecca Chandler Daniel Kribbs Corbett Josephine Shih Gordy Scott D Laird Martha Moss Lamb Darren Joseph Mcmanus Michael Thomas Musa Rekna Nori Ruth Elizabeth Reeves Martin AL Schneider Pamela Pevahouse Smith Katherine Valerie Tancredi David T Volz

MASTER OF FINE ARTS

Beverly Beckman Blanchette

Deborah Kondelik Sanchez

Richard D. Sebastian, Jr

COLLEGE OF BUSINESS

Dean Stanley J. Hille

MASTER OF ACCOUNTING

Maria Melissa V Alcalen Karen Dolores Bober Kathleen M Eckert Troy Joseph Enos Thomas William Panton II Cynthia Jeanne Simonson Judith Anne Wayt

MASTER OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

Clyde Lennox Anderson
Bradford James Cabibi
Michael Clarence Carroll
Sylvia Lorena Chan
Kimberly Kathryn Creek
Debra Jill Darby
Carlos Echevarria
Richard Francis Fenton Jr
Cheryl Marie Ferguson
Michele Dawn Fisher
Michael Victor Forte
Rafael Gomez

Errol Clement Gordon
James Michael Gosnell
Christopher Thomas Hanna
Susan Anne Hawken
Judith Elizabeth Herman
Michael James Hodde
David Arthur Holt
Darren Paul Levine
Stephen B Maiden
Geraldine Marchessault
Steven Douglas McKinney

Robert David Meghrian
Melinda L Meissner
Charles Joseph Mitchell
Quang Thanh Nguyen
Kevin Bernard Ossip
Diane Marie Schaible
Christoph Felix Scherhag
David B. Schultz
Patricia Lynn Shupert
Paul Thomas Solomon
Steven A Walsh
Risa Rochelle Zimmerman

COLLEGE OF EDUCATION

Dean Jerry Lafferty

EDUCATION SPECIALIST

Sandra Pauley Bushby Dorothy Ann Brescia Paula Schweitzer Herbst Rohn Kessler

Ronnie M. Schorehart Peggy Sue Tingle

MASTER OF EDUCATION

Gladys M Allen Jenny Maloney Angel Victoria Monique Ausby Susan Stark Baillie Carrie Ann Blum Darcy Weckerle Bracknell Christy Lu Bradford Nancy Ann Bradley Patricia Kay Bros John Larkin Bros II Mary Anne Cassell Joel Lee Chamness Ana Isabel Chang

Mary Elizabeth Crossman Bush

Fred John Deal Leslie Anne Doran John Paul Drag, Jr. Victoria Edna Farrington Sandra Jeanne Fierle Ann J Galetta Rosalind Ann Goffin

Debra Lynn Goldberg Randy Allen Graff Kelly Maureen High Carolyn Morton Holness Susan G.T. Howard Mark David Hueter Adelle Uri Javery J Lisa Jimenez Arlene Reed Klaasen E Paige Carter Lavigne

Cynthia Laxner Cheryl Leventhal Craig Jay Lustgarten Cheryl S. McCarthy Sheryl Lynn Merritt Susan I Milian

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Jan M Schmidt Vyan Dion Smith Jill Arlene Spolan

Patricia Mcgregor Steinmetz

Li Su

Shawn Marie Tepe Mary Loughan Terwilleger Janet Fulford Tortorigi Cheryl M. Ufkin

Gwendolyn N Upshaw-Facison Alejandra Adriana Vakenza Catharine Hansell Ward

Allene C Watkins

Jennifer Elaine Weekman

Melissa Williams Vivian Eleanor Wilson Christina Labelle Zabko

COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING

Dean Craig S. Hartley

MASTER OF COMPUTER ENGINEERING

Suhas Venkata Achanta Almaz A Boughannam John Bowers Pavani Chilamakuri

Anita Kanikaswamy Javanathan Muhunthan Diana Renee Norwood Henry Pesulima Victor A Stankevich Venkat Rao Vallabhaneni Stephen J Winter

MASTER OF COMPUTER SCIENCE

Wilker Altidor S Naidu Annahaneni Michael Rogero Brown Carol A Burdziak Murali Krishna Devarakonda Timothy Allen Dimacchia Theodora Lee Heavey Ananth P. Iyer Suresh V Kumar

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Jerry L Sandvos Girish M Shah David Michael Silvers Venu Thadisetti Miroslav Michael Vanicek Sihong Wang Xiaotong Wang James D Wilkinson Rathnakar R Yelandur

MASTER OF ENGINEERING

Mustafa Abdullah Emilia M Be Gangadhara R Bhageshpur Rafael J. Caballero Sergio Fernandez Michael Alan Ford T Lakshminarasimh Krishnapura Mark Edward Lacour Katherine Alexandra Lelis Stephen Bruce Lloyd Moises Zea Medina Diana Rojas Morandi James Joseph Oosterhoudt Noah Paul Orlen Vijay Shankar Ramamoorthi Somaskanthan Selvendran

MASTER OF SCIENCE

Agustus Worrial John

MASTER OF SCIENCE IN COMPUTER ENGINEERING

Bassam Abou-Haidar Ahmad Akhtar Jaweed Ali Prashanth Kumar Banuru Sanjeev Birbal Chauhan Mario Ernesto De Armas Jian Du Liyan Fan David S Franklin Charif Jaouhar

Harbinder Singh Khera Vasudhevan Madabushi Hemant B More Mangirish Jayawant Phadnis

Srinivas Satyanarayana

MASTER OF SCIENCE IN COMPUTER SCIENCE

Ranga R Anumulapally

Anne Helene De Gramont Mohan S Reddy William Philip Shaouy

MASTER OF SCIENCE IN ENGINEERING

MD Mesbahuddin Ahmed Nibal T Aziz Philippe Bedu David Joseph Brunell Patrick Pierre Buchmann Pratik Vishnubhai Desai Michelle Marie Dupuis Ling Hang Viswanathan R Iyer Giridhar V Jeedigunta Srikanth Kanneganti Kaivan Abrahim Karimi Stuart Jay Kaskawits Hiep Hieu Khuc Srikanth Krishnamoorthy

Jianqiang Lu

Kamen Stoytchev Nechev

Bharath Reddy Neravetla

Xin Qiu Suresh Babu Ramakrishna Vinod Jayasankar Reddi Zafar Salam Randall Owen Shopoff Barbara Signo

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Li Wei

Buna Joe Wilder Jr.

Ramakrishna Yalamanchili

COLLEGE OF NURSING

Dean Anne Boykin

MASTER OF SCIENCE IN NURSING

Monique Biondolillo Sharon Brown Cutler Renee Lacroix Hogan Julia Ann Howell Patricia Blanchette Kronk Vivian Soeder Moore Patricia Ann Swasey

COLLEGE OF SCIENCE

Dean Charles E. Carraher

MASTER OF ARTS

Michael D. Bonevento Thomas Roger Coyle Mercedes Fernandez Regina Ann Finnegan Janice Giangrande Kerry Alan Ortega

John W. Platt,III Alan W Weider Linda B Wodarczyk

MASTER OF BIOLOGICAL SCIENCE

William David Lee

Prakash S. Pathmanathan

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Deborah Dorothy Boege Anthony Travis Dorsey Saidah Hasan Khalil Mary Lou Morales Downing William A Rueckert

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Yubin Ye

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Karen Beth Feinstein

Janine M Wooden

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Dean James S. Fisher

MASTER OF ARTS

Jenni Bergal John Rocco Capra Jered Byron Carr,Jr. Janet Davidson Donnelly Susan Marie Hohner Ishrat Mahzabeen Michele Lorraine Pejovic

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David W. Morgan University Registrar Stephen H. Voss, Ph.D. University Marshal

Marshals for the Candidates

The Schmidt College

of Arts and Humanities:

Ann Peyton, Ph.D.

College of Business:

Thomas Springer, Ph.D.

College of Education:

Lucy Guglielmino, Ed.D.

Ann Lynch, Ph.D.

College of Engineering:

Lester LeBlanc, Ph.D.

College of Nursing:

Cathy Appleton, Ph.D

College of Science:

Stephen Locke, Ph.D.

College of Social Science:

Jack Vincent, Ph.D.

College of Urban and Public Affairs:

Ruben Askew, J.D.

ACADEMIC REGALIA

Lending color to the pageantry of the Academic Commencement are the academic robes and hoods worn by the faculty and delegates. This regalia reaches back into the medieval ages when it served a functional as well as an ornamental role, separating the learned men from other groups and offering warmth and protection.

In late nineteenth century America, a conference was held by representatives of colleges and universities to bring more order and system to the custom of academic dress. Since then, there have been periodic conferences to revise or reconfirm existing practices.

Essentially, holders of the bachelor's degree wear black robes unadorned. Holders of the master's degree wear hoods which are lined with the colors of the college conferring the degree and trimmed with the color representing the subject in which the degree was earned. The doctoral robe is adorned with velvet and also is worn with the hood suitably ornamented.

Holders of degrees from foreign universities or religious orders wear the entire academic costumes as decreed by the conferring institution.

The following list reflects the colors which will be found on the hoods worn in the Academic Procession at the Commencement, and the subject each represents.

Accounting, Business Administration	
Art, Letters, English, History, Humanities	White
Communications	Crimson
Dramatic Arts	
Economics	
Education	
Engineering	Orange
Fine Arts	
Journalism	Crimson
Law	
Library Science	
Mathematics, Psychology	Gold
Music	
Nursing	Apricot
Philosophy	
Physical Education	Sage Green
Physics	Gold
Political Science	
Public Administration	
Science	Gold
Social Work	

The History of the Mace

The mace, generally made of wood and clad in metal, was used as a weapon during the Middle Ages. Later, as more powerful military arms were developed, the mace became a symbol of authority.

During the 12th century, guards of the English and French kings were the first to bear ceremonial maces. The tradition grew and by the end of the 16th century, the mace was used by officials in cities and towns throughout England. Today, the ceremonial mace is carried in the British Houses of Parliament, before ecclesiastical dignitaries, and in university convocations.

The Florida Atlantic University mace carried in today's commencement procession was designed and handcrafted by FAU art professor William Latimer and is made of mahogany and silver. The carved staff, encircled with silver rings, is topped by a silver owl with outspread wings. The design signifies the dignity, determination and wisdom of FAU's mascot, the burrowing owl.

President Catanese cordially invites all the graduates and their guests to a reception immediately following the Commencement Exercises in lobby of the University Center.

NOTE ON PHOTOGRAPHY

In order to maintain an orderly and dignified ceremony, one which our graduates can remember with pride and enjoyment, guests are requested to remain seated during the entire ceremony and recessional and to refrain from taking pictures of the candidates until after the exercises are completed.

The University has contracted with Bob Knight Photo Marketing, P.O. Box 59-3072, Miami, Florida, 33159, to take a full color, close-up photograph of each candidate with the President, and graduates will be contacted about purchasing the photographs on a later date.

Your cooperation will ensure that the commencement exercises will run smoothly and that the ceremony itself will become a fitting occasion to mark this significant milestone in the lives of our graduates.

COLLEGE HIGHLIGHT

The College of Science

When Florida Atlantic University first opened its door in 1964, its charter class of 850 upper-division students was distributed among five colleges: Business Administration, Education, Humanities, Science, and Social Science. Those enrolled in the College of Science could choose among the Departments of Biological Sciences, Chemical and Physical Sciences, and Mathematics. Eventually, Chemistry and Physics became separate departments, and new programs were created in Geology and Psychology. During the past eight years, the College has developed Medical Technology and Preprofessional programs and has established the Center for Complex Systems, a world-class brain science training and research facility, and the Center for Alloy Research, which this year hosted a NATO scientific conference that attracted scholars from 11 countries.

The College of Science first took root in one of the University's seven original buildings which in 1965 was named the Stanton D. Sanson Science Building, in honor of the prominent Miami financier who made it his mission to convince state political and business leaders that education was the cornerstone of all future progress.

Construction of the five-story Biological Sciences Building was completed in 1967, providing desperately needed space for classrooms, laboratories and offices. More space was made available for an expanding enrollment and staff with the completion of the 110,000-square-foot Science and Engineering building in 1990.

With nearly 2,100 full- and part-time students, the fastest growing of FAU's nine colleges is again tightening at the seams. A new Physical Sciences Building--construction on which will begin Spring 1994 --will provide additional space for students and faculty within about two years.

Dr. Charles E. Carraher became the fifth dean of the College of Science in 1984. One of the fathers of organometallic-based polymers, Dr. Carraher is a prolific author who has published more than 500 scientific articles and has written or edited some 30 books. He is credited as co-inventor on several U.S. patents. In 1992, he was named the outstanding chemist in the southeast United States by the Florida Section of the American Chemical Society.

The faculty in the College of Science was awarded nearly \$1.9 million in grants for research during the 1992-93 academic year, and already this fall has attracted \$700,000 in sponsored research.

Among the College's faculty are two of the University's 10 Eminent Scholar Chairs: Dr. Scott Kelso, holder of the Glenwood Creech Chair in Science and Dr. Peter L. Lutz, holder of the John Thomas Ladue McGinty Chair in Marine Biology.

Dr. Kelso, who heads the Center for Complex Systems, earlier this year published evidence that the human brain has a much higher degree of internal communication and coordination than previously realized. The findings could someday lead to preventative and therapeutic approaches to stroke and other catastrophic brain changes. Dr. Lutz, who came to FAU in 1990 from the University of Miami's Rosenstiel School of Marine and Atmospheric Sciences, has studied extensively the brain of the sea turtle and now is involved in research to save the marine environment of Florida Bay.

In spring 1990, Dr. Arnold Mandell, a professor of mathematics became the first Prize Fellow of the John D. and Catherine T. MacArthur Foundation to join the State University System of Florida. Just two months ago, Dr. Sebsebe Demissew became the first Fulbright Fellow to visit FAU. An assistant professor of botany at the University of Addis Ababa in Ethiopia, Dr. Demissew will work through June 1994 with Dr. Daniel Austin on a comparison of American and African members of the morning glory family, the source of cultivated sweet potatoes for food. Dr. Austin, a noted expert on exotic plant species in Florida, earlier this year was elected a Fellow in the highly prestigious Royal Linnaean Society of London. He is the only scholar from the State University System of Florida to be inducted into the 205-year-old organization to which evolutionist Charles Darwin once belonged.

Always resourceful, the College was one of only two state agencies in South Florida to be recognized in the 1992 Davis Productivity Awards under the category of Exemplary Agencies. Over a two-year period, the College increased its total student credit hours by 50 percent while massive budget cuts prohibited any growth in personnel and forced a 30 percent cut in expense funding for equipment.

A shining example of student superiority is the FAU Chemistry Club, which has earned several national awards for creativity and achievement from the American Chemical Society. The club's traveling Chemistry Magic Show has become a hit with school children and FAU students alike.

