

1984

Ceremonial Script, December 16, 1984

Eastern Michigan University

EASTERN MICHIGAN UNIVERSITY

COMMENCEMENT

Sunday, December 16, 1984

Bowen Field House

Assemble in Warner Building by 2:30 p.m.
Procession begins at 2:45 p.m.

President:	President John Porter
Grand Marshal:	Sandra E. McClennan
Marshals of Faculty:	Richard D. Goff and Gwendolyn Reichbach
Marshals of Graduates:	Charles T. Anderson, Charles Duncan, Harold E. Padelford and Robert J. Willoughby.
Speaker:	Thomas S. Monaghan, Chairman of the Board, Domino's Pizza.
Honorary Degree Recipients:	Theodore G. Tangalakis and A. Alfred Taubman
Clergy:	Sue Homeyer, Campus Minister, Holy Trinity Chapel.
Music:	University Concert Winds and Ernest M. Brandon.

FACULTY robing will be in Room 239, Warner (Use Front entrance).
BACHELOR'S DEGREE STUDENTS will robe in Room 117, Warner (USE EAST entrance).
HONOR STUDENTS assemble in Room 111, Warner.
MASTER'S AND SPECIALIST'S DEGREE STUDENTS to robe in Gym, Second Floor, Warner
(Use EAST entrance).
PLATFORM PARTICIPANTS (President, Regents, etc.) will assemble in Room 241,
Warner (Use FRONT entrance).
Doors to Bowen Field House will open at 1:45 p.m.
Call 487-2237 for information about access and participation for handicapped.
Public parking available on all University lots and the parking structure.

OTHER INFORMATION:

1. Reserved parking in the lot adjacent to McKenny Union will be available to Regents, President, special program participants and their guests attending the President's Luncheon at 12:30 p.m. (Reserved parking card included with luncheon invitation).
2. Platform participants will leave McKenny Union at 2:00 p.m. for robing and photographs at Warner Gymnasium.
3. University transportation will be provided from McKenny to Bowen for all visiting guests attending the President's Luncheon. (Leave for Bowen Field House at 2:10 p.m. and return to McKenny immediately after the program). Families and guests of platform participants will be seated in a reserved section in Bowen Field House.
4. First Aid Station will be available in Bowen Field House (lower level).

PROCESSION

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Left-Row 2

McClennen (Mace)

- Color Guard -

Anderson
Duncan

Student Marshals

Padelford
Willoughby

Honor Students
Undergraduates
Master's
Specialist's

Left-Row 3

Deans & College Flags

Drummond (Arts & Sciences)
Kerby (Business)
Westerman (Education)
King (Human Services)
Rudisill (Technology)

Goff

Faculty Marshals

Reichbach

Left-Row 2

Wilbanks - Seal
Fountain - Charter
Romkema - Keys
Smith - Colors
Collins - Book

Left-Row 3

Connell

Bennion

Right-Row 3

White
McCloud
Brandon

Boone
McKelvey
Homeyer

Right-Row 2

Bowen
Gorsline

Murray
McDaniel

Right-Row 3

Beagen

Left-Row 1

Ellington
Board
Taubman
Kinzel
Tangalakis

Simmons
Titsworth
Derezinski
Milford
Monaghan

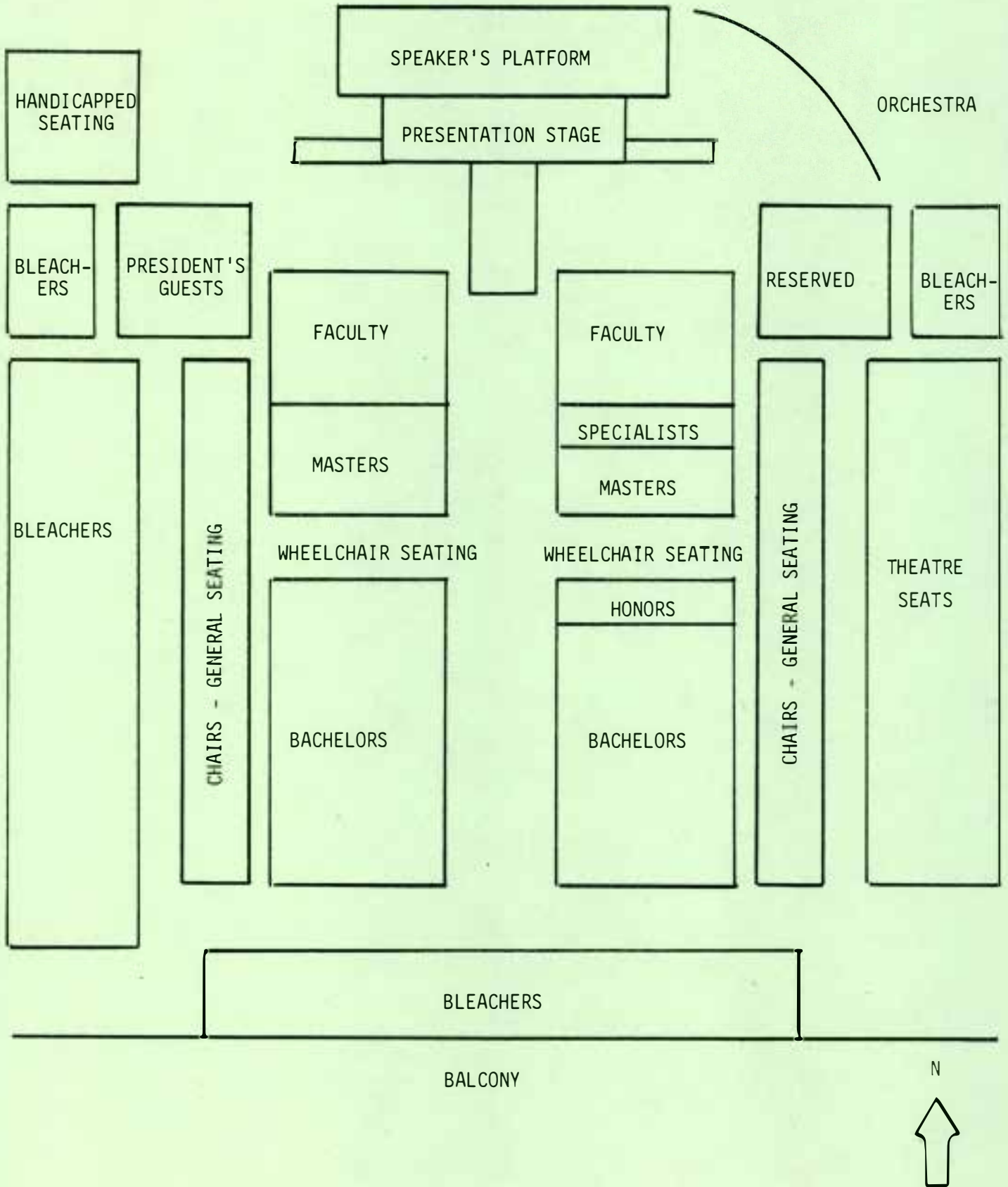
Right-Row 1

Robb

Porter

EASTERN MICHIGAN UNIVERSITY
BOWEN FIELD HOUSE
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 HANDICAPPED ENTRANCE



STAGE SEATING CHART

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Mace	Left	Right	Left	Right	Left	Right	Arts & Sciences Flag	Education Flag	Business Flag	HHS Flag	Technology Flag
	•Ellington •Board •Taubman •Kinzel •Tangalakis •Robb		•McClennan •Wilbanks •Fountain •Romkema •Smith •Collins		•Drummond •Kerby •Westerman •King •Rudisill •Connell						
	Row 1		Row 2		Row 3						
	•Porter •Monaghan •Milford •Derezinski •Titworth •Simmons		•Brandon •Homeyer •McCloud •McKelvey •White •Boone		•Beagen •Gorsline •McDaniel •Bowen •Murray •Bennion						

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COMMENCEMENT SCRIPT

WINTER COMMENCEMENT

Sunday, December 16, 1984

Bowen Field House

2:45 p.m.

PROCESSIONAL

(University Concert Winds)

GRAND MARSHAL (Sandra E. McClennen) enters center aisle, ascends stage, turns left and remains standing beside the table at the front holding the mace. When the procession is over the Grand Marshal places the mace in its cradle, goes to her chair and remains standing.

COLOR GUARD enters center aisle, ascends stage, turns left and right and remains in "hold" position. Flags are posted after the national anthem.

PLATFORM GUESTS enter center aisle, ascend stage and remain standing in front of their chairs.

PRESIDENT enters and assumes the lecturn.

PRESIDENT PORTER: MEMBERS OF THE BOARD OF REGENTS, DISTINGUISHED FACULTY, GRADUATES, PARENTS AND FRIENDS, WELCOME TO EASTERN MICHIGAN UNIVERSITY'S 1984 WINTER COMMENCEMENT. PLEASE JOIN ERNEST BRANDON, A PROFESSOR OF MUSIC, IN SINGING OUR NATIONAL ANTHEM. WE WILL BE ACCOMPANIED BY THE UNIVERSITY CONCERT WINDS, CONDUCTED BY J. WHITNEY PRINCE, ASSISTANT PROFESSOR OF MUSIC.

(Men remove caps. Mr. Brandon assumes the lecturn. Colors are dipped - held - during the national anthem.)

MR. BRANDON: (National Anthem)

(Remain standing. After the national anthem, ROTC Color Guard posts flags and leaves stage. Mr. Brandon returns to his chair and remains standing. President Porter assumes the lecturn.)

PRESIDENT PORTER: SUE HOMEYER WILL OFFER THE INVOCATION THIS AFTERNOON. MS. HOMEYER SERVES AS A CAMPUS MINISTER THROUGH HOLY TRINITY CHAPEL.

(President Porter steps back, Ms. Homeyer assumes the lecturn.)

MS. HOMEYER: (Invocation)

(Ms. Homeyer returns to her chair. President Porter assumes the lecturn.)

PRESIDENT PORTER: PLEASE BE SEATED. I WOULD LIKE TO TAKE THIS OPPORTUNITY TO INTRODUCE THE DISTINGUISHED MEMBERS OF OUR BOARD OF REGENTS ON WHOSE AUTHORITY DEGREES ARE GRANTED. PLEASE HOLD YOUR APPLAUSE UNTIL ALL HAVE BEEN INTRODUCED.

(Regents rise as your names are called.)

CHAIRMAN RICHARD ROBB OF YPSILANTI
VICE CHAIRMAN BETH WHARTON MILFORD OF YPSILANTI
WARREN BOARD OF KALAMAZOO
ANTHONY DEREZINSKI OF GRAND RAPIDS
GERALDINE ELLINGTON OF DETROIT
DOLORES KINZEL OF EAST LANSING
WILLIAM SIMMONS OF SOUTHGATE AND
GENEVA TITSWORTH OF DEARBORN HEIGHTS.

(Regents, please be seated.)

AND, NOW I'D LIKE TO INTRODUCE THE VICE PRESIDENTS
AND DEANS OF EASTERN MICHIGAN UNIVERSITY.

(Vice Presidents and Deans please stand.)

LEADING OUR PROCESSION TODAY IS GRAND MARSHAL DR.
SANDRA MCCLENNEN (Dr. McClennen stands.) DR. MCCLENNEN
IS A PROFESSOR OF SPECIAL EDUCATION AND CURRENTLY SERVES
AS PRESIDENT OF THE FACULTY COUNCIL.

(Dr. McClennen sits down.)

DR. PORTER: OUR FACULTY MARSHALS ARE DR. RICHARD GOFF, PROFESSOR OF HISTORY AND PHILOSOPHY AND GWENDOLYN REICHBACH, ASSISTANT PROFESSOR OF HUMAN, ENVIRONMENTAL AND CONSUMER RESOURCES.

DR. PORTER:
(Continued)

OUR STUDENT MARSHALS ARE DR. CHARLES ANDERSON, PROFESSOR OF CHEMISTRY, CHARLES DUNCAN AND HAROLD PADELFORD, PROFESSORS OF BUSINESS AND INDUSTRIAL INDUSTRIAL EDUCATION AND ROBERT WILLOUGHBY, A PROFESSOR IN OUR DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, PHYSICAL EDUCATION, RECREATION AND DANCE.

(Marshals rise and sit down as their names are called.)

AND NOW, MAY I INTRODUCE TO YOU MEMBERS OF OUR FACULTY WHO REPRESENT THE ACADEMIC DEPARTMENTS OF THE UNIVERSITY ON WHOSE RECOMMENDATION CANDIDATES FOR DEGREES ARE PRESENTED. FACULTY MEMBERS, PLEASE RISE AND BE RECOGNIZED.

(Faculty rise and sit down.)

EASTERN MICHIGAN UNIVERSITY EMPHASIZES SIX AREAS OF STUDY: THE ARTS AND HUMANITIES, BUSINESS, EDUCATION, HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES, THE SCIENCES AND TECHNOLOGY. TODAY AT THIS WINTER COMMENCEMENT WE ARE SALUTING OUR COLLEGE OF BUSINESS.

WE ARE VERY PROUD OF OUR COLLEGE OF BUSINESS, OUR GRADUATES AND OUR FACULTY. WE'VE DESIGNED OUR PROGRAMS TO REFLECT THE CHANGING PRIORITIES OF SOCIETY IN GENERAL AND SPECIFICALLY THE NEEDS OF BUSINESS IN SOUTHEASTERN MICHIGAN.

WOULD THE FACULTY AND GRADUATES OF THE COLLEGE OF BUSINESS PLEASE STAND AT THIS TIME. (Pause.)

I HOPE YOU WILL TAKE TIME TO LEARN MORE ABOUT OUR COLLEGE OF BUSINESS. A SPECIAL BROCHURE HAS BEEN PREPARED FOR THIS OCCASION AND HAS BEEN DISTRIBUTED THROUGHOUT THE AUDIENCE. (Pause.)

DR. PORTER:
(Continued)

TODAY I AM PLEASED TO WELCOME OUR SPEAKER AND HONORED GUESTS WHO HAVE DEMONSTRATED THEIR COMMITMENTS TO BUSINESS AND EASTERN MICHIGAN UNIVERSITY THROUGH THEIR PROFESSIONAL AND PERSONAL CONTRIBUTIONS.

THIS YEAR, OUR COMMENCEMENT SPEAKER IS A MAN WHO LAUNCHED HIS CAREER AND BEGAN BUILDING THE WORLD'S LARGEST PIZZA DELIVERY COMPANY FROM A SPOT JUST DOWN THE STREET.

THOMAS S. MONAGHAN IS THE FOUNDER, CHAIRMAN OF THE BOARD AND PRESIDENT OF DOMINO'S PIZZA AND OWNER OF THE PENNANT-WINNING DETROIT TIGERS.

MR. MONAGHAN WAS BORN IN ANN ARBOR AND RAISED IN AN ORPHANAGE AND FOSTER HOMES. AFTER GRADUATING FROM ANN ARBOR HIGH SCHOOL, HE ATTENDED FERRIS STATE COLLEGE BEFORE ENLISTING IN THE MARINE CORPS IN 1956. AFTER RECEIVING AN HONORABLE DISCHARGE IN 1959, HE RETURNED TO ANN ARBOR, ENROLLED AT THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN, AND WORKED AT THREE JOBS TO SUPPORT HIMSELF.

HE ENTERED THE PIZZA BUSINESS IN 1960, WHEN HE AND HIS BROTHER JAMES BORROWED \$500 AND OPENED A SMALL STORE ON WEST CROSS STREET IN YPSILANTI. BY 1973, HE HAD 60 STORES IN OPERATION. TODAY, DOMINO'S IS THE LARGEST PIZZA DELIVERY FIRM IN THE COUNTRY WITH MORE THAN 1,000 STORES IN ITS CHAIN.

MR. MONAGHAN SERVES ON THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF CLEARY COLLEGE IN YPSILANTI AND WTVS-CHANNEL 56 IN DETROIT.

DR. PORTER:

HE IS A MEMBER OF THE CHAMBERS OF COMMERCE IN DETROIT, ANN ARBOR AND YPSILANTI, AND IS AFFILIATED WITH THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN'S PRESIDENTS' CLUB AND THE ANN ARBOR PRESIDENTS' ASSOCIATION. HE IS ALSO A DIRECTOR OF THE MICHIGAN NATIONAL BANK, ANN ARBOR, AND GELMAN SCIENCES INC. OF ANN ARBOR.

IT IS WITH GREAT PLEASURE THAT I WELCOME BACK TO THE CAMPUS OF EASTERN MICHIGAN UNIVERSITY, TO DELIVER OUR COMMENCEMENT ADDRESS, MR. THOMAS MONAGHAN.

(President Porter is seated. Mr. Monaghan assumes the lecturn.)

MR. MONAGHAN:

(Commencement Address)

(Mr. Monaghan returns to his chair. President Porter assumes the lecturn.)

PRESIDENT PORTER:

THANK YOU FOR YOUR WARM AND INSPIRING MESSAGE. (Pause)
WE ARE CONTINUING THE TRADITION OF HONORING THOSE PERSONS WHOSE CONTRIBUTIONS, MERITORIOUS PUBLIC SERVICE OR OTHER NOTEWORTHY ACHIEVEMENTS HAVE BROUGHT THEM TO THE HIGH ESTEEM OF THEIR COMMUNITIES. IT IS OUR PRIVILEGE TO HONOR THREE SUCH INDIVIDUALS TODAY WHO HAVE MADE SIGNIFICANT CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE BUSINESS FIELD AND THE YPSILANTI COMMUNITY.

(Dr. Collins places hoods on his chair and picks up top hood. Dean Kerby picks up the certificate and diploma from under his chair. Both rise with Mr. Monaghan and escort him to a position three feet to the right and one foot back of President Porter.)

PRESIDENT PORTER:

TO CONFER THE DEGREE, DOCTOR OF BUSINESS, UPON TODAY'S SPEAKER, THOMAS MONAGHAN, I CALL UPON THE HONORABLE BETH WHARTON MILFORD. REGENT MILFORD WILL BE ASSISTED BY DR. COLLINS AND DR. KENT KERBY, DEAN OF OUR COLLEGE OF BUSINESS.

(President Porter steps to his left and Regent Milford assumes the lecturn.)

(Dean Kerby hands the citation to Regent Milford. At the appropriate time, Dr. Collins assists with the hooding and Dean Kerby hands the diploma to Mr. Monaghan.)

REGENT MILFORD:

RESPECTED BUSINESSMAN, INNOVATOR, AND ENTREPRENEUR,
THROUGH YOUR ESTABLISHMENT OF THE WORLD'S LARGEST PIZZA
DELIVERY CHAIN, YOU HAVE PERSONIFIED SUCCESS IN AMERICAN
BUSINESS. AS OWNER OF THE DETROIT TIGERS BASEBALL TEAM,
YOU HAVE FOSTERED EXCELLENCE IN ATHLETIC ENDEAVORS AND
BROUGHT ENTERTAINMENT TO THE PEOPLE OF DETROIT AND
SOUTHEASTERN MICHIGAN.

EASTERN MICHIGAN UNIVERSITY IS THUS PROUD TO CONFER UPON
THOMAS S. MONAGHAN THE DEGREE, DOCTOR OF BUSINESS, WITH
ALL RIGHTS, PRIVILEGES AND RESPONSIBILITIES PERTAINING
THERE TO. IN TOKEN THEREOF, I CAUSE YOU TO BE VESTED
WITH THE HOOD OF THIS DEGREE AND PRESENT YOU THIS
DIPLOMA.

(Regent Milford then hands the citation to Mr. Monaghan. Dr. Collins and Dean Kerby escort Mr. Monaghan to his chair. Dean Kerby and Regent Milford return to their chairs. President Porter assumes the lecturn.)

(Dr. Collins picks up a hood on his chair. Dean Westerman picks up the certificate and diploma under his chair. Both escort Mr. Tangalakis to the right of President Porter.)

PRESIDENT PORTER:

THEODORE TANGALAKIS IS AFFECTIONATELY KNOWN AS "TED"
TO EASTERN MICHIGAN UNIVERSITY STUDENTS PAST AND PRESENT
AND IS OWNER AND PROPRIETOR OF CAMPUS DRUGS ON CROSS
STREET IN YPSILANTI, AS WELL AS OWNER OF SEVERAL OTHER
BUSINESSES ON CROSS STREET.

MR. TANGALAKIS EARNED HIS BACHELOR'S DEGREE FROM ALMA
COLLEGE IN 1938 AND HIS MASTER OF SCIENCE DEGREE FROM
THE PHARMACY COLLEGE OF GRAND RAPIDS IN 1942.

PRESIDENT PORTER:
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A MEDICAL CORPSMAN DURING WORLD WAR II, TED SERVED WITH DISTINCTION AND WAS DECORATED FOR RESCUING MEN FROM A BURNING TENT. HE SERVED IN THE ARDENNES, RHINELAND AND CENTRAL EUROPEAN CAMPAIGNS AND, IN 1945, WAS THE FIRST MEDIC TO ENTER BELSEN CONCENTRATION CAMP.

UPON HIS RETURN FROM THE ARMY IN 1946, MR. TANGALAKIS OPENED CAMPUS DRUGS AND SOON ADOPTED EASTERN MICHIGAN UNIVERSITY AS HIS OWN. IN THE ENSUING YEARS, HE BECAME WIDELY RECOGNIZED THROUGHOUT THE UNIVERSITY COMMUNITY FOR HIS TIRELESS EFFORTS ON BEHALF OF EMU.

MR. TANGALAKIS IS A CHARTER MEMBER OF THE HURON CLUB, A MEMBER OF THE EASTERN MICHIGAN UNIVERSITY PARENTS ASSOCIATION, THE WEMU FINANCE COMMITTEE, THE CENTURY CLUB, THE DUGOUT CLUB AND THE BASKETBALL CLUB. HE ALSO SERVES AS A BOARD MEMBER OF THE "E" CLUB AND KAPPA PHI ALPHA FRATERNITY.

IN RECOGNITION OF HIS CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE COMMUNITY, AND EASTERN MICHIGAN UNIVERSITY STUDENTS AND ALUMNI, WE AWARD THEODORE TANGALAKIS AN HONORARY DOCTORAL DEGREE.

TO CONFER THE HONORARY DEGREE OF DOCTOR OF BUSINESS UPON THEODORE TANGALAKIS, I CALL UPON THE HONORABLE RICHARD ROBB. REGENT ROBB WILL BE ASSISTED BY DR. COLLINS AND DR. SCOTT WESTERMAN, DEAN OF THE COLLEGE OF EDUCATION.

(President Porter steps to his left and Regent Robb assumes the lecturn.)

(Dean Westerman hands the citation to Regent Robb. At the appropriate time Dr. Collins assists with the hooding and Dean Westerman hands the diploma to Mr. Tangalakis.)

REGENT ROBB:

ESTEEMED FRIEND AND PATRON OF EASTERN MICHIGAN UNIVERSITY, YOU HAVE BEEN A CONFIDANT AND INSPIRATION TO STUDENTS, FACULTY, AND ALUMNI FOR MORE THAN 30 YEARS. THROUGH YOUR EXTRAORDINARY CONTRIBUTIONS AND UNSELFISH DEVOTION, YOU HAVE ENRICHED YOUR ADOPTED UNIVERSITY AS WELL AS THE LIVES OF COUNTLESS NUMBERS OF STUDENTS.

EASTERN MICHIGAN IS THUS PROUD TO CONFER UPON THEODORE G. TANGALAKIS THE DEGREE, DOCTOR OF BUSINESS, WITH ALL THE RIGHTS, PRIVILEGES AND RESPONSIBILITIES PERTAINING THERETO. IN TOKEN THEREOF, I CAUSE YOU TO BE VESTED WITH THE HOOD OF THIS DEGREE AND PRESENT YOU THIS DIPLOMA.

(Regent Robb then hands the citation to Mr. Tangalakis. Dr. Collins and Dean Westerman escort Mr. Tangalakis to his chair. Dean Westerman and Regent Robb are seated. Dr. Porter assumes the lecturn.)

(Dr. Collins picks up the last hood, Dean McKelvey picks up the certificate and diploma under his chair. Both escort Mr. Taubman to the right of President Porter.)

PRESIDENT PORTER:

ALFRED TAUBMAN IS FOUNDER, CHAIRMAN AND CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER OF THE TAUBMAN COMPANY OF TROY, MICHIGAN. THE FIRM CURRENTLY MANAGES 19 SHOPPING CENTERS IN MAJOR METROPOLITAN AREAS FROM COAST TO COAST, INCLUDING BRIARWOOD MALL IN ANN ARBOR, THE FAIRLANE TOWN CENTER IN DEARBORN, LAKESIDE MALL IN STERLING HEIGHTS AND TWELVE OAKS MALL IN NOVI.

PRESIDENT PORTER:
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A NATIVE OF THE DETROIT AREA, MR. TAUBMAN WAS TRAINED IN ARCHITECTURE AND EDUCATED AT THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN AND THE LAWRENCE INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY.

TAUBMAN IS THE MAJORITY SHAREHOLDER OF SOTHEBY'S HOLDINGS, INC., PARENT COMPANY OF SOTHEBY'S ART AUCTIONEERS. HE IS ALSO OWNER OF WOODWARD & LOTHROP, INC., A FASHION DEPARTMENT STORE CHAIN IN THE WASHINGTON, D.C. AREA; CHAIRMAN OF A & W RESTAURANTS, INC.; AND PRINCIPAL OWNER AND CHAIRMAN OF THE MICHIGAN PANTHERS FOOTBALL CLUB. MR. TAUBMAN IS A DIRECTOR AND MEMBER OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF THE UNITED STATES FOOTBALL LEAGUE AND IS A DIRECTOR OF MANUFACTURERS NATIONAL BANK OF DETROIT.

AMONG HIS MANY CIVIC, CULTURAL, EDUCATIONAL AND PHILANTHROPIC ACTIVITIES, HE IS NATIONAL CHAIRMAN AND TRUSTEE OF THE ARCHIVES OF AMERICAN ART OF THE SMITHSONIAN INSTITUTION, A TRUSTEE AND MEMBER OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF THE WHITNEY MUSEUM OF AMERICAN ART IN NEW YORK CITY, A MEMBER OF THE CITY OF DETROIT ARTS COMMISSION, A DIRECTOR OF THE DETROIT SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA, AND DIRECTOR AND MEMBER OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF OF DETROIT RENAISSANCE, INC.

TO CONFER THE DEGREE, DOCTOR OF BUSINESS UPON ALFRED TAUBMAN, I CALL UPON THE HONORABLE DOLORES KINZEL. REGENT KINZEL WILL BE ASSISTED BY DR. COLLINS AND DR. PAUL MCKELVEY, DEAN OF CONTINUING EDUCATION.

(President Porter steps to his left and Regent Kinzel assumes the lecturn. Dean McKelvey hands the citation to Regent Kinzel. At the appropriate time, Dr. Collins assists with the hooding and Dean McKelvey hands the diploma to Mr. Taubman.)

REGENT KINZEL:

DISTINGUISHED BUSINESSMAN AND ARCHITECT, THROUGH YOUR DEVELOPMENT OF THE CONCEPT OF THE ENCLOSED SHOPPING MALL, YOU HAVE DEMONSTRATED YOUR COMMITMENT TO THE PURSUIT OF EXCELLENCE THROUGH THE FREE ENTERPRISE SYSTEM. YOU HAVE BEEN A MAJOR FORCE IN THE RENAISSANCE OF DETROIT AND HAVE BEEN A TIRELESS CONTRIBUTOR TO THE ARTS, EDUCATION, AND HEALTH CARE IN THE DETROIT AREA AND IN THE NATION.

EASTERN MICHIGAN UNIVERSITY IS HONORED TO CONFER UPON, A. ALFRED TAUBMAN THE DEGREE, DOCTOR OF BUSINESS WITH ALL RIGHTS, PRIVILEGES AND RESPONSIBILITIES PERTAINING THERETO. IN TOKEN THEREOF, I CAUSE YOU TO BE VESTED WITH THE HOOD OF THIS DEGREE AND PRESENT YOU WITH THIS DIPLOMA.

(Regent Kinzel then hands the citation to Mr. Taubman, Dr. Collins and Dean McKelvey escort Mr. Taubman to his chair. Dr. Collins, Dean McKelvey, and Regent Kinzel are seated. Dr. Porter assumes the lecturn.)

PRESIDENT PORTER:

PRESENTATION OF CANDIDATES FOR THE SPECIALIST'S AND MASTER'S DEGREES WILL BE CONDUCTED BY DR. GEORGE MCCLOUD, ACTING DEAN OF THE GRADUATE SCHOOL. THE SPECIALIST'S DEGREES WILL BE CONFERRED BY REGENT GENEVA TITSWORTH. THE MASTER'S DEGREES WILL BE CONFERRED BY REGENT WARREN BOARD.

(President Porter is seated. Dr. McCloud assumes the lecturn. Regent Titsworth comes forward and stands at the left of Dr. McCloud.)

DR. MCCLLOUD:

WILL THE CANDIDATES FOR THE SPECIALIST'S DEGREE
PLEASE RISE.

(Candidates rise.)

REGENT TITSWORTH, EACH OF THESE PERSONS HAS COMPLETED
A PROGRAM OF ADVANCED STUDIES. THE FACULTY OF EASTERN
MICHIGAN UNIVERSITY RECOMMENDS THEM FOR SPECIALIST'S
DEGREES. I PRESENT THEM TO YOU NOW FOR THE CONFERRING
OF DEGREES.

(Dean McCloud steps back and Regent Titsworth assumes the lecturn.)

REGENT TITSWORTH:

INASMUCH AS YOU HAVE BEEN RECOMMENDED BY THE FACULTY,
CONTINGENT UPON COMPLETION OF ALL REQUIREMENTS, FOR
THE SPECIALIST'S DEGREE, AND BY VIRTUE OF THE AUTHORITY
VESTED IN ME BY THE BOARD OF REGENTS OF EASTERN
MICHIGAN UNIVERSITY AND THE STATE OF MICHIGAN, I CONFER
UPON YOU, THE SPECIALIST'S DEGREE TO WHICH YOU ARE
ENTITLED WITH ALL THE RIGHTS, PRIVILEGES, AND RESPONSIBILITIES
PERTAINING THERETO.

PLEASE COME FORWARD TO RECEIVE THE DIPLOMA APPROPRIATE
TO THE DEGREE WHICH HAS BEEN CONFERRED UPON YOU.

(Candidates are led to the stage by the marshal. Candidates present their name card to the reader who reads the name and any honors listed for the candidate.)

(Applause after last specialist's degree candidate received diploma.)

(Signal for seating -- if needed.)

(Dr. McCloud assumes the lecturn.)

(Regent Titsworth remains on lower stage. Regent Board approaches the lecturn.)

DR. MCCLOUD: WILL THE CANDIDATES FOR THE MASTER'S DEGREE PLEASE RISE.

(Candidates rise.)

REGENT BOARD AND REGENT TITSWORTH, I HEREBY PRESENT THE CANDIDATES FOR MASTER'S DEGREES. EACH OF THESE PERSONS HAS COMPLETED A PROGRAM OF ADVANCED STUDIES. THE FACULTY OF EASTERN MICHIGAN UNIVERSITY RECOMMENDS THEM FOR MASTER'S DEGREES. I PRESENT THEM TO YOU NOW FOR THE CONFERRING OF DEGREES.

(Dr. McCloud steps back and Regent Board assumes the lecturn.)

REGENT BOARD: INASMUCH AS YOU HAVE BEEN RECOMMENDED BY THE FACULTY, CONTINGENT UPON COMPLETION OF ALL REQUIREMENTS, FOR THE PRESENTATION OF MASTER'S DEGREES, AND BY VIRTUE OF THE AUTHORITY VESTED IN ME BY THE BOARD OF REGENTS OF EASTERN MICHIGAN UNIVERSITY AND THE STATE OF MICHIGAN, I CONFER UPON YOU THE MASTER'S DEGREE TO WHICH YOU ARE ENTITLED WITH ALL THE RIGHTS, PRIVILEGES, AND RESPONSIBILITIES PERTAINING THERETO.

REGENT BOARD:
(Continued)

PLEASE COME FORWARD NOW TO RECEIVE THE DIPLOMA APPROPRIATE TO THE DEGREE WHICH HAS BEEN CONFERRED UPON YOU.

(Candidates are led to the stage by the marshal. Candidates present their name card to the reader, who reads the name and any honors listed for the candidate.)

(Applause after last master's degree candidate receives diploma.)

(Signal for seating -- if needed.)

(Regents Board and Titsworth are seated. President Porter assumes lecturn.)

PRESIDENT PORTER:

AT THIS TIME WE WOULD LIKE TO RECOGNIZE THOSE UNDERGRADUATE STUDENTS GRADUATING WITH HONORS. THEY ARE SEATED TOGETHER AND WILL BE COMING FIRST TO THE STAGE TO RECEIVE THEIR DIPLOMAS.

STUDENTS GRADUATING CUM LAUDE PLEASE RISE. (Pause)
THESE STUDENTS HAVE ATTAINED A 3.5 TO 3.69 GRADE POINT AVERAGE. PLEASE BE SEATED.

STUDENTS GRADUATING MAGNA CUM LAUDE PLEASE RISE. (Pause)
THESE STUDENTS HAVE ATTAINED A 3.7 TO 3.89 GRADE POINT AVERAGE. PLEASE BE SEATED. STUDENTS GRADUATING SUMMA CUM LAUDE PLEASE RISE. THESE STUDENTS HAVE ATTAINED A 3.9 TO 4. GRADE POINT AVERAGE. PLEASE BE SEATED.

(For each category, honor students rise and sit down.)

PROVOST AND VICE PRESIDENT FOR ACADEMIC AFFAIRS, DR. RONALD COLLINS WILL PRESENT THE CANDIDATES FOR THE BACHELOR'S DEGREES. THE DEGREES WILL BE CONFERRED BY REGENTS WARREN BOARD, ANTHONY DEREZINSKI, GERALDINE ELLINGTON, AND WILLIAM SIMMONS.

(President Porter steps back. Dr. Collins assumes the lecturn. Regents Board, Derezinski, Ellington, and Simmons come forward.)

DR. COLLINS: WILL THE CANDIDATES FOR THE BACHELOR'S DEGREES PLEASE RISE.

(Candidates rise.)

REGENTS BOARD, DEREZINSKI, ELLINGTON, AND SIMMONS.
IT IS INDEED A HIGH HONOR AND DISTINCT PRIVILEGE, ON BEHALF OF THE FACULTY OF EASTERN MICHIGAN UNIVERSITY, TO PRESENT TO YOU MEMBERS OF THE UNDERGRADUATE CLASS FOR THE CONFERRING OF BACCALAUREATE DEGREES TO WHICH THEY ARE APPROPRIATELY ENTITLED.

(Dr. Collins steps back and Regent Ellington assumes the lecturn.)

REGENT ELLINGTON: INASMUCH AS YOU HAVE BEEN RECOMMENDED BY THE FACULTY, CONTINGENT UPON COMPLETION OF ALL REQUIREMENTS, FOR THE PRESENTATION OF BACHELOR'S DEGREES, AND BY THE VIRTUE OF THE AUTHORITY VESTED IN ME BY THE BOARD OF REGENTS OF EASTERN MICHIGAN UNIVERSITY, I CONFER UPON YOU THE BACHELOR'S DEGREE TO WHICH YOU ARE ENTITLED WITH ALL OF THE RIGHTS, PRIVILEGES AND RESPONSIBILITIES PERTAINING THERETO.

PLEASE COME FORWARD TO RECEIVE THE DIPLOMA APPROPRIATE TO THE DEGREE WHICH HAS BEEN CONFERRED UPON YOU . . .
GRADUATES PLEASE BE SEATED UNTIL THE MARSHALS DIRECT YOU TO COME FORWARD.

(Candidates are led to the stage one row at a time by the marshals. Candidates present their name cards to the readers, who read the name and any honors listed on the card of the candidates.)

(Two Regents serve at one time -- relieved by alternates.)

(After the candidates receive their diplomas they return to their seats where they remain standing until their entire row has returned, whereupon marshals give the signal to be seated.)

(Regents are seated. President Porter assumes the lecturn.)

PRESIDENT PORTER: TO ALL OF THE 1,000 GRADUATES LEAVING OUR HALLOWED HALLS THIS WINTER I EXPRESS, ON BEHALF OF THE ENTIRE UNIVERSITY, OUR HEARTY CONGRATULATIONS.

THE REGENTS AND FACULTY WOULD ALSO LIKE TO CONGRATULATE THE FAMILIES OF OUR GRADUATES. WOULD THE PARENTS OF THE GRADUATES PLEASE STAND AND BE RECOGNIZED. (Pause)

PLEASE BE SEATED. WOULD THE SPOUSES AND CHILDREN OF THE GRADUATES PLEASE STAND AND BE RECOGNIZED. (Pause)
PLEASE BE SEATED.

YOUR ENCOURAGEMENT, GUIDANCE AND LOVE HAVE MADE IT POSSIBLE FOR THESE GRADUATES TO EARN THEIR DEGREES.

I NOW PRESENT THE HONORABLE RICHARD ROBB, WHO, AS CHAIRMAN OF THE BOARD OF REGENTS, WILL ADDRESS THE GRADUATES.

(President Porter returns to his chair. Regent Robb assumes the lecturn.)

REGENT ROBB: (Greetings to the graduates.)

(Regent Robb returns to his seat. President Porter assumes the lecturn.)

ERNEST BRANDON WILL NOW LEAD US IN SINGING OUR PLEDGE, EASTERN MICHIGAN UNIVERSITY'S ALMA MATER. THE WORDS WILL BE FOUND ON THE BACK COVER OF YOUR PROGRAM.

(President Porter steps back, Mr. Brandon assumes the lecturn.)

MR. BRANDON: OUR PLEDGE (Alma Mater)

Eastern, sacred Alma Mater, to your name we shall be true, Ever marching on to victory, we'll stand by to see you through. Softly floating on the breeze, verdant green with white of snow. This our banner we will carry in our hearts where'er we go.

(President Porter assumes the lecturn.)

PRESIDENT PORTER: I WISH TO THANK THE UNIVERSITY CONCERT WINDS, CONDUCTOR
WHITNEY PRINCE AND MR. BRANDON FOR THEIR PERFORMANCES
HERE TODAY. (Pause)
COMMENCEMENT IS A TIME FOR ENDINGS AND A TIME FOR
BEGINNINGS, A TIME FOR SADNESS AND A TIME FOR CELEBRATION.
AS YOU GRADUATE, I SINCERELY HOPE YOU WILL TAKE WITH YOU
THE KNOWLEDGE AND UNDERSTANDING REQUIRED TO EXCEL IN OUR
MODERN, COMPLEX WORLD, AS WELL AS WARM PERSONAL FRIEND-
SHIPS TO LAST THROUGH THE YEARS.
WE AT EASTERN MICHIGAN TAKE SPECIAL PRIDE IN YOUR ACCOMP-
LISHMENTS AND WISH YOU WELL IN THE FUTURE.
LADIES AND GENTLEMEN, AS WE PREPARE TO CONCLUDE THIS
COMMENCEMENT PROGRAM, WE REQUEST YOUR COOPERATION. IN
ORDER NOT TO INTERFERE WITH THE FORMAL RECESSION, PLEASE
REMAIN AT YOUR SEATS SO THAT YOU DO NOT BLOCK THE AISLE
. . . PLEASE WAIT UNTIL THE RECESSIONAL IS ENTIRELY
COMPLETED BEFORE LEAVING YOUR SEATS.
AND NOW, MS. HOMEYER WILL OFFER THE BENEDICTION.

(President Porter steps back. Ms. Homeyer assumes the lecturn.)

MS. HOMEYER: (Benediction)

(After Benediction, REPLACE CAP.)

(WAIT UNTIL ROTC COLOR GUARD IS IN PLACE.)

(Recessional is led by the Grand Marshal, followed next by the Color Guard
and then the President leading the stage participants . . . Return to Warner.)

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