University of Wollongong

GRADUATION CEREMONY

9:45 am Thursday, 1 October 1998

Commerce

ARMS OF THE UNIVERSITY

The principal elements incorporated in the Arms of the University are the blue of the sea, the gold of the sand and the red of the Illawarra flame tree. The open book often used for educational institutions has also been included.

The blazon is: "Azure a Book expanded Argent bound and clasped Or on a Chief of the last three Cinquefoils pierced Gules".

THE UNIVERSITY MACE

In the medieval tradition, the mace is a symbol of the University and the Chancellor's authority as its head, and is carried before the Chancellor on formal occasions such as graduation ceremonies. It is carried on the right shoulder of the mace bearer.

The University of Wollongong mace is constructed from stainless steel and the head is a stylised form of the Illawarra Flame Tree flower from the University's coat of arms. The exterior surface of the mace has a rough finish, symbolising the heavy industrial area of Wollongong, whilst the stamen of the 'flower' is smooth and highly polished to indicate the University's position as a centre for the city and the region. The mace also contains three timber inserts made from one of the three original Moreton Bay figtrees which were a feature of the campus and were estimated to be 500 years old.

The mace was both designed and made by Gino Sanguineti, a local artist, and presented to the University in 1988.

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IN

THE UNIVERSITY HALL

COMMERCE

ORDER OF PROCEEDINGS

THE PROCESSION AND OPENING

The Congregation is requested to stand as the procession, including the Academic Staff, the Council and the Chancellor, enters the Hall.

PROCESSIONAL ANTHEM:.....Gaudeamus Igitur

NATIONAL ANTHEM:.....Advance Australia Fair

CHORAL ITEM: .....Contrapunto bestiale

Composed by: Adriano Banchieri (1568-1634).
Performed by: Members of the University Singers and Creative Arts Vocal Students.
Directed by: David Vance, BA (Hons) UNSW, BMus (Hons) Syd, LMusA, Sub-Dean, Faculty of Creative Arts, Music Development Officer.

OPENING

The Chancellor, Mr M H Codd, AC, BEc(Hons) (Adel) will open the proceedings.

CONFERRING OF DEGREES AND AWARDING OF DIPLOMAS

Candidates will be admitted to degrees and awarded diplomas and certificates by the Chancellor. The Congregation may applaud as the name of each graduate is announced.

MUSICAL INTERLUDE:.....Cadiz

Composed by: Isaac Albeniz (1860-1909)
Performed by: Scott Borg, guitar

OCCASIONAL ADDRESS

Ms Fiona Abercrombie will deliver the Occasional Address.

Ms Fiona Abercrombie is currently the General Manager - Business Systems Transfield Pty Ltd with responsibility for all Information Technology requirements and Business Process Improvements within Transfield's Australasian engineering, construction and infrastructure operations. Fiona has held this level of position since 1993, implementing computer systems and business improvements in Dubai, London, East Germany and New Zealand.

THE THANKS

Ms Deanna Sacco, Bachelor of Commerce graduate, will deliver the vote of thanks.

CONCLUSION

The Chancellor will close the proceedings.

The Congregation is requested to stand as the procession retires.

RECESSIONAL FANFARE.....*"Ensaladas"C16th Spanish*

FACULTY OF COMMERCE

Associate Diploma in Computer Applications

Claudia Carbone
Neal Robert Snowden

Diploma in Computer Applications

Wei Jen Lan
Sue Anne Paterson
Adam Jason Williams
Brett Andrew Wilson

Bachelor of Commerce

Nurul Idayu Ab Hadi
Nurhana Ab Manan
Halimatul Abdul Kadir
Roziha Abdul Khalin
Erica Abu Talib
Mohammad Aamer Afghan
Narelle Ahadizad
Fenny Aminan
Chien Hway Ang
Hanan Audi
Ian Barry Robert Ayrton
Syazlina Bahardin
Edward Mark Bedzinski
Khazalin Nafsiah Binti Ahmad Ghuzal
Nurdita Fadzlinda Binti Ahmad Rasidi
James Warren Bonamy
Jacqueline Ann Brown
Megan Anne Brown
Noreen Adleena Bt Ahmad Fuad
Rohaiza Bt Kamsan
Haliza Bte Tupar
Geoffrey William Byrne
Scott Andrew Capelin
Chong Kin Chan
Mui Mui Karrie Chan
Ngan Lei Annie Chan
Yuen Man Venus Chan
Richard Chang
Hsin-Yi Chao
Pui Yee Penny Chau
Chin-Hsiang Chen
Yi Yin Chen
Donald Cheung
Ya-Yun Chiu
Bo Seung Choi
Dodi Dorothea Cockinos
Todd Travers Connolly
Michael Patrick Corkeron
Alan Davies
Lukasz Kamil De Pourbaix
Jennifer Helen Dickerson
Antonija Nedjeljka Dzida
Cassandra Lee Fenton
Adam Troy Fischbeck
Andrew Chee Yuen Fong
Shu-Mei Elaine Foo
James Nicholas Govers
Suzana Gulevski
Kate Josephine Hampshire
Zoe Frances Hancock
Boon Chin Har
Kelly Lee Harper
Craig Anthony Henry
Ka Po Helen Heong
Gai Lynette Hills
Li-Hsin Ho
Fouad Ichrakie
Emmanual Matthew Ikart
Ismas Isurifazly Ismail
Anwar Hussain M. Jaffar
Cindy Margaret James
Matthew Richard Johnson
Tanya Christaine Jujou
Samantha Louise Knight
Yen-Chun Kuo
Mabel Mei Po Lam
Me Sook Lee
Yun-Ju Lee
Jackie Mai Leong
Lidiawati Lidiawati
Eun Jong Lim
Chun-Ling Lin
Sze-Nga Christie Lin
Leung Liu
Suki Suk Man Ma
Juliette Nicole Macauley
Andy Malakooti
Benedict Joseph Mandile
Lucas Mara
Marsilah Anum Marham
Clinton James Marks
Melinda Gai Martin-Khan
Toloa Kaiasi Mataele
Jenny Ann Matosin
Melinda Jane McCabe
Daniel Haig McClelland
Ravi Robin Melwani
Zaklina Milevski
Raymond Michael Miller
Rachelle Mitchell
Mohamed Azlan Mohamed Isa S
Nicole Musielak
Kogilesh Nadarajah
Tracy Ellise Newhouse
Huyen Bich Nguyen
Afniza Nurul Azmi
Kerry Maree O'Brien
Rod Nathan Palmer
David Anthony Parrish
Rohan Stuart Patterson
James Stanley Pepper
Helene Psarakis
Ming Hua Qian
Michelle Quinn

Musical Interlude

Sean James Rea
Christopher J Roulstone
Mery Saveska
Stewart Meirion Simpson
Alison Sinclair
Julie Anne Speechley
Adam James Stanshall
Gowri Subramaniam
Aldo Julius Subrata
Santi Susanto
Tat Fai David Sze
Yuzo Takeuchi
Melinda Anne Taylor
Sharlene Ruth Taylor
Karen Sin Bee Teow
Kwok Kuen Ting
Natalie Lynn Tipping
James Chi Tong
Yuk Sin Tong
Mui Hwee Too
Fu-Yin Tung
Zissis Jason Varsamidis
Sook Koon Voon
Li-Te Wang
Robert William Whitfield
Peter Royston Williams
Brett Andrew Wilson
Pui Chi Kenji Wong
Shun Cheong Wong
Pui Shan Woo
Farn Farn Woon
Yanto
Rachel Jane Zylstra

"with merit"

Muhammad Asim
Robert Benavente
Patcharaporn Boonkerd
Ngai Ling Elaine Chan
Li Teng Cheng
Saleana May Chenhall
Wai Lin William Chu
Kim Soon Chua
Melinda Jayne Clack
Monique Crotty
Roger Clyde Davey
Haya M.S. Dabbagh
Jishan Fang
Theodore Louis Foukkare
Catherine Margaret Gilchrist
Alastair John Imlay Gillespie
Fiona Gleeson
Tak Hing Ho
Helena Karin Elisabeth Hornebrant
Ka Shing Kwok
Chin Yeo Li
Kun Tan Lin
Wienly Luanny
Yu Ping Lui
Greg Norman Lundberg
Natalie Nguyen
Chew Gek Poea
Michelle Annette Rappaport
Surasak Ritthongpitak
Elizabeth Robyn Ross
Malcolm Arthur Rutledge
Deanna Teresa Sacco
Kristie Savell
Gregory John Shepherd
Anthony Edward Smith
Carmen Maria Spreitzer
Fotine Tsakaloglou
Fabrizio Carmelo Ucchino
Valdy
Scot Craig Walker
Anthony Patrick Wemyss
Clair Whitfield
David Michael Willcocks
Siu Yan Wong
Tsun Ho Gerald Wong

Bachelor of Commerce (Honours)

Gavin Philip Speak (Class II, Division I)
Suryati (Class I)
Simone Anne Williams (Class II, Division I)

Bachelor of Letters

Sungho Choi

Ebru Isik

CONFERRAL IN ABSENTIA

Those whose names appear in the program but who are unable to be present at the ceremony will be admitted to the degrees or awarded the diplomas or certificates for which they have qualified.

DEGREES CONFERRED BY THE UNIVERSITY COUNCIL SINCE THE MAY 1998 GRADUATION CEREMONIES

Master of Arts

Michael George Hayes	12 June 1998

Honours Master of Arts

Shalmalee Palekar	12 June 1998

Honours Master of Commerce

Neeru Sharma	7 August 1998

Honours Master of Engineering

I Gusti Putu Bagus Paramajaya	12 June 1998
Mozaffari Khamesh Gholamreza	12 June 1998

Honours Master of Science

Riccardo Fabio Biondini	7 August 1998

Doctor of Philosophy

Mehdi Ghomeshi	12 June 1998
Jie Zhou	12 June 1998
Ning Cui	12 June 1998
Hoedaya Danu	7 August 1998
Peter Keith Fagan	7 August 1998
Ali Akbar Karimi	7 August 1998
Wei-Jui Liu	7 August 1998
Javad Safaei Ghomi	7 August 1998
Abas Moradian Shahrbabaky	7 August 1998
Wei Guo Wang	7 August 1998

Doctor of Public Health

Yaghmaie Farideh	7 August 1998

THE CEREMONY OF GRADUATION

The University of Wollongong has offered university studies for more than 30 years and is known for its energy and innovation in fields ranging from creative arts to communications technology. This University looks towards the 21st century but, in the customs and ceremony of a graduation, it asserts its inheritance from the first Universities of the 12th and 13th centuries. For nearly 900 years, universities have educated and trained leaders of society and produced ideas and instruments of great social and scientific change. Yet, they proudly retain medieval traditions which still visibly celebrate both the achievements of the scholar and graduate and the universities' long commitment to the search for knowledge.

The academic titles and terms of address, the music and, especially, the academic dress distinguish and colour a graduation ceremony. The gowns are modified versions of medieval university dress: all masters and scholars were then members of the clergy. This university has chosen blue gowns for all diplomas and for the Bachelor and Masters degrees. The hoods, originally a useful head cover, are lined with different coloured silks and trims to denote the type of award - for example, the Bachelor of Arts hood is lined with gold silk and the Commerce hood with emerald green. The degree graduates wear blue, tasselled trenchers or mortar boards which were introduced in 17th century Oxford and Cambridge.

The dress for the doctoral degrees, for example Doctor of Philosophy (PhD) and Doctor of Creative Arts (DCA), is distinguished by red facing on the blue gowns and black velvet Tudor Bonnets with coloured tassels. The higher doctorates of Science, Letters and Laws have red gowns faced with blue and a Tudor Bonnet tasselled with silver, gold and purple respectively.

The Chancellor, gowned in black brocade trimmed with gold lace and braid, is the chief dignitary and leader of the university community. The Chancellor presides over meetings of the governing body, the University Council, and confers degrees and diplomas in Council's name.

A graduation ceremony is in many ways an historical pageant but is above all a celebration of individual achievement and the continuing role of the university.