HONORS DAY CONVOCATION

SOUTHERN METHODIST UNIVERSITY

MONDAY EVENING AT FIVE-THIRTY O'CLOCK

THE TWENTY-SIXTH OF APRIL

TWO THOUSAND AND FOUR

MCFARLIN MEMORIAL AUDITORIUM
CARILLON CONCERT AND CALL TO CONVOCATION
Lorn L. Howard, Professor Emeritus of Electrical Engineering, Chief Marshal Emeritus

PROGRAM

THE ACADEMIC PROCESSION
Paean – Herbert Howells
Larry Palmer, Professor of Harpsichord and Organ and University Organist

WELCOME
Ross C Murfin, Provost and Vice President for Academic Affairs

INVOCATION
James E. Caswell, Vice President for Student Affairs

INTRODUCTION OF SPEAKER
R. Gerald Turner, President of the University

CONVOCATION ADDRESS
Ellen Pryor, Homer R. Mitchell Endowed Professor in
    Commercial and Insurance Law, Dedman School of Law

RECOGNITION OF HONOR SOCIETY INDUCTEES
Ross C Murfin

PRESENTATION OF DEPARTMENTAL AND SCHOOL AWARDS
Ross C Murfin
Announced by
    Thomas W. Tunks, Associate Provost for Educational Programs
Greeted by
    Jasper Neel, Dedman College
    Carole Brandt, Meadows School of the Arts
    Albert W. Niemi Jr., Edwin L. Cox School of Business
    Stephen A. Szygenda, School of Engineering

RECESSIONAL
Batalha de 6 Tom (The Battle Between Good and Evil) – Anonymous Portuguese
    (17th Century)
Larry Palmer

Reception immediately following ceremony
Umphrey Lee Center, Grand Ballroom
Third Floor
Honor Societies

Hyer Society

Ball, Rachel Michelle
Barbee, Lindsay Daye
Bragg, Elizabeth Lauren
Burke, Julia Christine
Butts, Lydia Beth
Cass, Casey Charles
Cato, Julia Wise
Cheadle, Caylan DeBow
Clayton, Grant Thomas
Cliff, Hillary Erin
Correll, Michael Arthur
Covington, Ryan Jeffrey
Grymes, Andrea Helen
Hance, Jonathon Keath
Harrison, Andrea Joy
Harwood, Mallory Elyse
Hogg, Brian Jeffrey
Jeffrey, Sarah Jacqueline
Jhaveri, Mohammad Hanif
Jones, Anna Elizabeth
Kamali, Firouzeh
Leahy, Lauren E.
Nguyen, Victor Van
Nicol, Kimberly Anne
Parvin, Zachary Aaron
Reaud, Ryann Adele
Salem, Dara
Schmidt, Melinda Wrenn M.
Shyung, Jason
Techasith, Tust
Trekel, Emily Dawn
Underwood, Courtney Anne
Voicu-Comendant, Elisa
Voss, Kirk Austin
Yu, Bryan Chu
Zihala, Christine Marie

Phi Beta Kappa*

Allen, Andrea Lynn
Aronson, Julia Atlas
Bacon, Clay Wayne
Bowman, Hilary Ann
Caruth, Adele Leigh
Chester, Susannah Balentine
Clayton, Grant Thomas
Davis, Amber L.
Deutsch, Nicholas Neil
deWetter, Noelle Frances
Dickerson, LaCretia Ann
Ferry, Richard J.
Gavounas, Katherine E.
Gist, Taylor Lee
Graham, Ashleigh Kathleen
Harrison, Andrea Joy
Howard, Catherine Gabriel
Hummert, Lyndsay K.
Humphrey, Ira Maurice
Jain, Andrea Rene
Jeffrey, Sarah Jacqueline
Jenkins, Dawn Michelle
Jordan, Emily K.
Kamali, Firouzeh
Kamar, Nadia Ann
Klein, Katrina Theiss
Krutulis, Brittany Leigh
Lambert, Maria L.
Leon, Christina Reddy
Loveless, Gabrielle D. R.
Marshall, Amber Nicole
McBride, Patrick Lee
Methvin, Jennifer Janelle
Mohr, Michael Hooman
Moss, Alicia E.
Muyaert, Stephanie Jullien
Nall, Aaron Paul
Nicol, Kimberly Anne
Osborne, McKenzie Gaillard
Phng, Lilin
Price, Meredith Elizabeth
Prust, Gary Emil
Reaud, Ryann Adele
Russell, Meredith Allison
Salem, Dara
Schindler, Kyle Morris
Shearn, Michael J.
Thomas, Jessica J.
Thomas, Sarah Katherine
Thuston, Tade Harris
Underwood, Courtney Anne
Williams, David Anthony
Wyatt, Sarah Elizabeth
Yancey, Allyson Taylor
Zon, Jennifer T.

Kappa Tau Alpha*

Alexandre, Jessica
Coe, Lisa Becker
Cutshall, Winston Stuart
Diaz, Norberto Jr.
Fox, Courtney Elizabeth
Gerard, Suzanne Rene
Grayson, Christine Morgan
Kanneman, Julia Layne
Merriam, Katherine Lee
Neubach, Sarah Allison
Roebuck, Jeremy Ryan
Simmons, Erin Elizabeth
Springfield, Kathryn Lawson
White, Chad S.
## PI KAPPA LAMBDA*

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* Students who have received invitations to join but may not have been inducted.
AWARDS

DEDMAN COLLEGE

Robert and Nancy Dedman Outstanding Senior Student: Amy Anne Dominguez
Margaret Terry Crooks Award for Outstanding Student in Creative Writing:
   Susan Ashley Sides
David R. Russell Memorial Poetry Award: 1st Place – Luke M. Peacock;
   2nd Place – Sarah Elizabeth Wyatt
SMU Fiction Prize: 1st Place – Susan Ashley Sides; 2nd Place – Daniel A. Townsend
Shakespeare Prize for Fall: James T. Stevens
Shakespeare Prize for Spring: Rebecca Lawrence Harkinsson
Ann Early Award in Women’s Studies: Amy Anne Dominguez
Criteria Award for Distinction in Rhetoric: Katy J. Blakey; Yesenia Olide;
   April Sunshine Prior

HUMANITIES

ENGLISH
Pascal Covici Jr. Prize for Outstanding Essay in American Studies: Jeremy Ryan Roebuck
Belle Mayer Bromberg Prize for Excellence: Jeremy Ryan Roebuck
George Bond Poetry Prize: David Wallace Spielman
Lon Tinkle Award in Creative Writing: Aliza-Marie Shier

FOREIGN LANGUAGES AND LITERATURES
Megan Laird and Raiberto Comini Italian Language Award: Elizabeth Anne Thornhill
Philip H. Solomon Awards in Foreign Languages and Literatures:
   Chinese: Ashley Lauren Denton
   French: Sarah Jacqueline Jeffray
   German: Blake P. Haws
   Italian: Andrea Nicole Brodsky
   Japanese: Pablo Alberto Lastra
   Latin: Michelle L. Chesna
   Russian: Lam B. Duong
   Spanish: Norberto Diaz Jr.

HISTORY
Herbert Pickens Gambrell Award for Outstanding Academic Achievement: Richard J. Ferry
Stanton Sharp Award for Outstanding Service and Academic Achievement:
   Jessica Danielle Pease
Henry S. Jacobus Junior Paper Prize in History: Amelia Moorman

LATIN AMERICAN STUDIES
Latin American Studies Outstanding Student Award: Kelly Amanda Butler

PHILOSOPHY
Isaac Gustave Bromberg Award for Outstanding Work in the Humanities: Andrea Rene Jain
Hoskins Philosophy Essay Award: John Daniel Cummins

RELIGIOUS STUDIES
Isaac Gustave Bromberg Award for Outstanding Work in the Humanities:
   Amy Anne Dominguez
Department of Religious Studies Writing Award: Richard J. Ferry
Harvey Paul Alper Award for Outstanding Work in an Eastern Religion: Andrea Rene Jain
SOCIAL SCIENCES

ANTHROPOLOGY
Edward I. and Peggy C. Fry Award for Academic Excellence in Undergraduate Anthropology: Amy Anne Dominguez

ECONOMICS
Economics Department Award for Excellence: Destiny Michelle Duron
Dallas Economists' Club Nominee Award: Kyle P. Burke
Josef Hadar Award: Kamal Chakravarti; Mireya Jorba Aliacar
Wallace F. Lovejoy Memorial Award: Meredith Elizabeth Price

INTERNATIONAL STUDIES
Franklin Balch Award for Academic Excellence in International Studies: Destiny Michelle Duron

POLITICAL SCIENCE
Ora Nixon Arnold Award for Academic Excellence: Gabrielle D. R. Loveless
John Goodwin Tower Award: Sibusisiwe Thandiwe Mlambo

PSYCHOLOGY
Award for Outstanding Research by an Undergraduate in Psychology: Sarah Duliea Lyman
Psychology Department Senior Award for Outstanding Performance: Alicia E. Moss

SOCIOLOGY
Walter T. and Helen B. Watson Prize in Sociology: Tanny Ursula Graham

NATURAL AND MATHEMATICAL SCIENCES

BIOCHEMISTRY
Outstanding Graduating Senior in Biochemistry: Anand Sitaram

BIOLOGICAL SCIENCES
Outstanding Senior in Biological Sciences: Stephanie Jullien Muylaert

CHEMISTRY
Charles T. Kenner Award in Chemistry: Amanda Erin Henkes
Dr Pepper/Lazenby Award for Excellence in Chemistry: Huong Thanh Truong

GEOLOGICAL SCIENCES
Academic Excellence Award in Geological Sciences: LaCretia Ann Dickerson

MATHEMATICS
John Robert McCaw Merit Award: John Austin Curry; Justin Robert Young
Charles J. Pipes Award for Outstanding Performance: Michael J. Shearn

PHYSICS
Frank C. McDonald Memorial Award for Excellence in Physics: Joseph J. Mahoney;
Brandon Clay Reimer
Robert Stewart Hyer Scholar Award: Michael J. Shearn

STATISTICAL SCIENCE
Statistical Science Department Award for Academic Excellence: Lindsay Kathryn Baker

EDUCATION AND LIFELONG LEARNING
Outstanding Graduating Senior: Susan Margaret Kagan

DISCOURSE AUTHORS AWARD
Alan M. Skaggs
MEADOWS SCHOOL OF THE ARTS

ADVERTISING
Temerlin Advertising Institute Outstanding Senior in Management: Bethany Christina Padnuk
Temerlin Advertising Institute Outstanding Senior in Creative: Benjamin John Lipsett
Temerlin Advertising Institute Advisory Board Award for Academic Excellence: Lisa Becker Coe
American Advertising Federation Most Promising Honor Roll Student:
    Kimberly Michelle Sciallo

ART
Charley Aberg Travel Award: Sarah Michelle Sage
Stephen D. Wilder Travel Award: Kassie L. Taylor
Dan Wingren Award for Outstanding Senior: Franklin A. Stanley

ART HISTORY
Alessandra Comini Award for an Outstanding Undergraduate Art History Major:
    William W. Benton Keith
Art History Division Outstanding Senior Award: Nicole Lanie Berastequi

CINEMA-TELEVISION
Outstanding Academic Achievement Award: Winston Stuart Cutshall; Carah Dawn Ronan;
    Chad S. White; Pamela R. Young
Outstanding Creative Achievement in Cinema/Television Production: William Mueller Fisher II
Bill Parsley Memorial Award for Outstanding Creative Achievement: Larry Ray Causey II

CORPORATE COMMUNICATIONS & PUBLIC AFFAIRS
Outstanding Academic Achievement in Corporate Communications & Public Affairs:
    Suzanne Rene Gerard
Outstanding Corporate Communications & Public Affairs Student in Nonprofit
    Management: Tiffany Beth Fincher
Outstanding Corporate Communications & Public Affairs Student in Corporate
    Communications: Courtney Elizabeth Fox
Outstanding Corporate Communications & Public Affairs Student in Public Affairs:
    Norberto Diaz Jr.

DANCE
Award for Outstanding Achievement in Dance: Stephanie Leigh Wright

JOURNALISM
Outstanding Achievement in Print/Internet Journalism: Jessica Alexandre
Outstanding Achievement in Broadcast Journalism: Courtney Ann Cooper

MUSIC
The Undergraduate Award for Excellence in Music: Steven Bryce Merrill; Kristin Nicole Ohlson

THEATRE
Undergraduate Award for Academic Excellence in the Division of Theatre: Virginia Claire Fry;
    Genniva Greer Nichols

EDWIN L. COX SCHOOL OF BUSINESS

Outstanding BBA Senior Award: Greg Allan Boggus; Dustin Taylor Odham

ACCOUNTING
Outstanding Accounting Student Award: Christine Marie Zihala

FINANCE
Outstanding Finance Major: Mark Adam Coultas
Distinguished Finance Major: Kamal Chakravarti; Heather M. Hund; Mireya Jorba Aliacar
Outstanding Financial Consulting Major: Trevor Michael Cohen
Distinguished Financial Consulting Major: Finny Benny; Brian Sy Gan

INFORMATION TECHNOLOGIES AND OPERATIONS MANAGEMENT
Accenture Outstanding Senior: Kimberly Erin Harvey
Society for Information Systems – International Awards: Lindsey Megan Flyg; Minh C. Ly
Outstanding Programming Award: Hua Tao
Distinguished MIS Major: Kimberly Erin Harvey

MANAGEMENT AND ORGANIZATIONS
Nora Katherine Bilton Award: Joseph Mark Timineri

MARKETING
Outstanding Marketing Major: Jessica Marie Hughes; Lisa Ann Koetter
Distinguished Marketing Major: Tanny Ursula Graham; Mimi T. Le; Ashley Victoria McKeand
J.C. Penney Center for Retail Excellence Outstanding Student Award:
Rachael Kristen Hatcher; Stephanie Michelle Holland

REAL ESTATE, LAW, AND RISK MANAGEMENT
Outstanding Real Estate Major: Mark Steven Fabich; Lauren Christina Mussallem;
Ross Michael Robin

STRATEGY AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP
Outstanding Entrepreneurship Student Award: Leon Vincent Green; Brady Austin Knowlton;
Christine Marie Zihala

SCHOOL OF ENGINEERING

The E.H. Flath Award: Liana Valentina Vetter
The Mark Shepherd Award: Mackenzie B. Britton
The Ed M. Harrison Award: Casey Lea Houghton
The Technical Club Award for Most Outstanding Senior: John Austin Curry
The Technical Club Award for Most Outstanding Freshman: Reed E. Hanson

COMPUTER SCIENCE AND ENGINEERING
The Departmental Award in Computer Engineering: Andrew Thomas Rissig
The Departmental Award in Computer Science: Robert Neil Hart
The Rick A. Barrett Memorial Award: Nantha Kumar Surkunalingam

ELECTRICAL ENGINEERING
The Finley W. Tatum Award in Electrical Engineering: John Austin Curry;
Anna Christina Stelzenmuller
The Sally Blum Memorial Prize in Electrical Engineering: Jordan Ezra Yaker

ENGINEERING MANAGEMENT, INFORMATION AND SYSTEMS
The Departmental Award in Engineering Management, Information and Systems:
Liana Valentina Vetter
The Francisco Villagrán Molina Memorial Award: Kathryn E. Moffett

ENVIRONMENTAL AND CIVIL ENGINEERING
The Departmental Award in Environmental and Civil Engineering: Jacob Nathaniel Sutherlun
The Environmental and Civil Engineering Award for Excellence in Design:
Maria Beatriz Martinez; Jacob Nathaniel Sutherlun

MECHANICAL ENGINEERING
The Harold A. Blum Award in Mechanical Engineering: Meredith Leigh Bonin
The Sally Blum Memorial Prize in Mechanical Engineering: Brice S. B. Dumais; Timothy John Edwards; Binh Van Huynh; Daniel Albert Murray; Luis Alfonso Posada; Marcus Edward Rodriguez; Stephanie LaTrese Ross; Kejuanna Nicole Wright
PLATFORM PARTY
Carole Brandt, Dean of Meadows School of the Arts
James E. Caswell, Vice President for Student Affairs
Gerald J. Ford, Chair of SMU Board of Trustees
Nathan Montoya, Platform Marshal
Ross C. Murfin, Provost and Vice President for Academic Affairs
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BANNER BEARERS
Elbert B. Greyhounds Jr.; Kevin Hofeditz; Kathleen Hugley-Cook; Leo Pucacco

GUILD OF MARSHALS
Bradley Kent Carter, Chief Marshal
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