



**HONORS DAY CONVOCATION**  
**SOUTHERN METHODIST UNIVERSITY**

**MONDAY THE TWENTIETH OF APRIL**  
**TWO THOUSAND AND NINE**  
**AT HALF PAST FIVE IN THE EVENING**  
**McFARLIN MEMORIAL AUDITORIUM**



## **CARILLON CONCERT AND CALL TO CONVOCATION**

Lorn L. Howard, Professor *Emeritus* of Electrical Engineering, Chief Marshal *Emeritus*

### **PROGRAM**

#### **THE ACADEMIC PROCESSION**

*La Pantomime; La Forqueray*

Jean-Philippe Rameau

from *Pièces de Clavecin en Concert*

Ellen Lovelace, violin; Stuart Cheney, viola da gamba; Larry Palmer, harpsichord

#### **WELCOME**

Paul W. Ludden, Provost and Vice President for Academic Affairs

#### **INVOCATION**

Judith Henneberger, Associate Chaplain

#### **SPECIAL MUSIC**

*Bist du bei mir*

J.S. Bach

Megan Mazur, soprano; Larry Palmer, harpsichord

#### **INTRODUCTION OF SPEAKER**

R. Gerald Turner, President of the University

#### **CONVOCATION ADDRESS**

*Fail Fast, Fail Early*

Geoffrey C. Orsak, Dean of the Bobby B. Lyle School of Engineering

#### **RECOGNITION OF UNIVERSITY HONORS PROGRAM**

Dr. David D. Doyle, Jr., Assistant Dean of Dedman College, Director of the University Honors Program, Adjunct Assistant Professor in the Clements Department of History

#### **RECOGNITION OF HONOR SOCIETY INDUCTEES**

Paul W. Ludden

#### **RECOGNITION OF NATIONAL FELLOWSHIP AWARDS**

Kathleen Hugley-Cook, Director of the Office of National Fellowships and Awards

#### **PRESENTATION OF DEPARTMENTAL, SCHOOL AND UNIVERSITY AWARDS**

Paul W. Ludden

#### **ANNOUNCED BY**

Thomas W. Tunks, Associate Provost

#### **GREETED BY**

Cordelia Candelaria, Dedman College

José Antonio Bowen, Meadows School of the Arts

Albert W. Niemi, Jr., Edwin L. Cox School of Business

Geoffrey C. Orsak, Bobby B. Lyle School of Engineering

David J. Chard, Annette Caldwell Simmons School of Education and Human Development

Gillian McCombs, Dean and Director of Central University Libraries

Vicki Hill, Director of the Altshuler Learning Enhancement Center

#### **RECESSIONAL**

*Fandango*

Asako Hirabayashi

Ellen Lovelace, violin; Larry Palmer, harpsichord

*Reception immediately following the ceremony  
on the Academic Quad.*

## UNIVERSITY HONORS PROGRAM STUDENTS

Ashley Ackerson	Stephanie Elaine Hamilton	Amy M. Revier
Travis Acreman	Cynthia Kate Hawks	Amanda Christine Reznicek
Devon J. Adams	Hillary Christine Higgins	Laura E. Roberts
Farhad Shawn Amini	Meredith A. Humphreys	Sarah E. Robertson
Martha Aranda	Lauren K. Irwin	John Russell Robinette
Robin L. Austin	Meredith Alicia Joe	Megan L. Rosser
Roy Brian Baccus	Caitlin Aston Johnston	Dana E. Rowland
Katherine C. Bartush	Katherine Burdette Jones	Leticia Isabel Salinas
Jennifer E. Basel	Seena M. Jose	Mitchel R. Samels
Matthew Baumann	Katrina Josephson	Kristin Leigh Schultz
Patrick Johnathon Beard	Leigh Meredith Klaus	Andrew Thomas Shaw
Frederick Ford Beckley	Daniel Klick	Rachel Ellen Shirey
Bahaa Ahmad Bedair	Rachel L. Kovac	Caroline Elizabeth Shirley
William D. Bilyeu	Lauren J. Lahey	Allie St. Clair Showalter
Amanda Lanae Blakely	Margaret Claire Layman	Christopher A. Simpson
Caitlin Ennis Booker	Lauren J. Lester	Joella Marie Skyles
Laura Marie Bradley	Lauren Ashley Leturno	Ross Campbell Smeltzer
Benjamin Thomas Briscoe	Victor John Linck III	Jesse Joseph Smith
Ashley L. Bruckbauer	Madeleine Ynes Linnard	Patrick Bennett Smollen
Bradley Ryan Brunoehler	Elizabeth Fletcher Lintel, Jr.	Lauren Sommers Smyth
Sara Calodney	Travis Jay Mabrey	Amber Spradley
Mary Catherine Channell	Benjamin C. Manthey	Davis Brotherton Stitt
Benjamin G. Chen	Charles Keith Marshall, Jr.	Emily M. Stuart
Andrew Dayton Coffing	Andrew S. Matza	Gary J. Suderman
Samantha Rose Colletti	Peter C. McCaffrey	Emil W. Tajzoy
Jamie Hullverson Corley	Kara Marie McClain	Jennifer L. Tashman
Shannon R. Crowell	Brittany Susan McCluskey	Donald Ray Taylor II
Ava Kersi Damri	Madeline Marie Mikolajczak	Taylor Lynn Thornley
William Jonathan Daugherty, Jr.	Jacqueline Elise Miller	John Wesley Toth
Sarah Nicole Devito	Victoria Bryant Miller	Anh V. Tran
Kathleen M. Drablos	Marilyn A. Montgomery	Casey My Linh Tran
Madison A. Dyal	Rachael J. Morgan	Ken M. Ueda
Erin Lynn Eidenshink	Caitlin Jane Myers	Zachary G. Upcheshaw
Dylan Owen Espley-Jones	Markus Neubauer	Samantha J. Urban
Michael Allan Evans	Stephanie Kaula Ochoa	Joel Vasquez
Jeffrey Alan Eyink	Christy Noel Osborne	Christy Anna Vutam
Carleigh C. Fite	Regan Carmack Owen	Amanda H. Walker
William Presley Fletcher III	Gerardo Daniel Palos	Whitney A. Wayne
Kristopher A. Freberia	Gia K. Paoli	Laura Elizabeth Wazny
Kevin Michael Frey	Jessica Lynn Parr	John Clay Weidman
Antony Philip Falconer Gemmell	Erika Nicole Paul	Nicholas Paul Westerman
Julia Gossard	Jessica Noelle Pecena	Jessica Jean Wikstrom
Kathryn Denae Gotcher	Lindsey R. Perkins	Daniel Philip Wilderotter
Caitlin Suzanne Guenther	Benjamin Colby Powell	Juliana Nicole Williamson
Ashley L. Gunter	Michelle Ann Provenzano	Henry McKemie Wyche, Jr.
Steve Hader	Jennifer Page Pustmueller	Keith Paul Young III
	Justin Manuel Ramirez	Katherine Reeve Yount
	Shelby Lynn Reeves	

## HONOR SOCIETIES

### ROBERT STEWART HYER SOCIETY

Devon Jean Adams  
Megan Rose Altman  
Caitlin Ennis Booker  
Stephen N. Brown  
Ava Kersi Damri  
Osman De Leon Munoz  
Danielle Demmon  
Kathleen M. Drablos  
Erin M. Elliott

Danyelle Jazmin Faulker  
Caroline Amanda French  
Paul Jay Gardner III  
Tiffany Allison Griffin  
Katrina Josephson  
Shelby Susan Justl  
Auburn J. Layman  
David Luttrell  
Caroline Alyssa Merideth

Emily Moravec  
Rachael J. Morgan  
Santiago Eduardo Nunez  
Lindsey Perkins  
Brittany Ashton Raetzman  
Sommer Saadi  
Emil W. Tazjoy  
Karron Danae Youngkin

### PHI BETA KAPPA\*

Megan Rose Altman  
Desiree Dana Brooks  
Natalia Joanna Bubien  
Leigh Katharine Camp  
Kimberly Faith Carlson  
Matthew Stefan Carter  
Angela Marie Chavez  
Benjamin G. Chen  
Katlyn Marie Crawford  
Shannon R. Crowell  
Chester J. Donnally  
Joshua Michael Duke  
Erin Lynn Eidenshink  
Rebecca A. Elrod  
Kathryn Allison Fields  
Alexander Frolov  
Paul Jay Gardner III  
Antony Philip Falconer  
Gemmell  
Sara G. Gingrich  
Brett Matthew Goodman  
Jill C. Gregory  
Ali Hussein Haidar

Heather Marie Hall  
Alexandra Madeleine Hill  
Ching-Ying Huang  
Meredith A. Humphreys  
Paul Louis Johnston  
Charanya Krishnaswami  
Melinda M. Lang  
Auburn J. Layman  
Lauren J. Lester  
Caroline Camden Neville  
Lewis  
Adrienne Leigh Lichliter  
Madeleine Ynes Linnard  
Patrick E. Littlefield  
Jupin Malhi  
Charles Keith Marshall, Jr.  
Kyle Louis Merino  
Erica Belle Mikawa  
Sarah Meredith Monsein  
Jessica Kay Moseley  
Ryan Elizabeth Mulvenna  
Katrina R. Myers  
Elena Alexandrova Nikolova

Ali H. Palejwala  
Danielle M. Parkinson  
Chauncey Aleace Parks  
Jessica Noelle Pecena  
Jennifer Whitcomb Pierce  
Jennifer Hannah Raad  
Patrick Johannes Raschle  
Jessica Nadine Robin Ringeisen  
Sarah E. Robertson  
Cheyenne Jayne Rogers  
Leticia Isabel Salinas  
Nicole S. Schultz  
Kathleen Leigh Sheehan  
Andrea Nicole Sizemore  
Jordan C. Strauss  
Jaipreet S. Suri  
Emile W. Tazjoy  
Leslie E. Todd  
Ken M. Ueda  
Maia Elizabeth VanDyke  
Afton N. Weimer  
Ronald Regan Winters  
Keith Paul Young III

### KAPPA TAU ALPHA\*

Blair A. Bernier  
Ashley L. Bruckbauer  
Sarah Steele Cook  
Jamie Hullverson Corley  
Brittany G. Edmonston  
Erin Lynn Eidenshink  
Elizabeth Woodson Fairchild

Kathleen Moira Farmer  
Taylor Christina Hatfield  
Jamie Laura Leon  
Kathryn Lynne Lott  
Rachael J. Morgan  
Caitlin Jane Myers  
Kelli A. Naylor

Sarah Rachel Nolen  
Morgan R. Paisley  
Kaitlin Taylor Rosenzweig  
Whitney Leigh Stenger  
Gary J. Suderman  
Amy Elizabeth Ward  
Laura Elizabeth Wazny

**PI KAPPA LAMBDA\***

Lizabeth K. Arevalo

Benjamin K. Easley

Elizabeth Marie Parker

**BETA GAMMA SIGMA\***

Megan Rose Altman  
Kyle G. Bennett  
Taylor Hardin Callaway  
Sarah Ann Camodeca  
Esmeralda Castro  
Justin A. Childres  
Chase Evans Cooley  
Thomas C. Davis  
Botan Sherzad Fattah  
Danyelle Jazmin Faulkner  
William James Fitzgerald  
Caroline Amanda French  
Brett Matthew Goodman  
Mauri Alper Gustafson  
Sohail S. Hamirani  
George Brian Hensley  
Thien Le Thanh Ho  
Justin D. Hunt

Bryan Alexander Koch  
Charanya Krishnaswami  
Jonathan L. Lane  
Jason Tri Le  
Grant Michael Lewis  
John Henry Matthews IV  
Lauryn Elizabeth May  
Stacy Lee McElreath  
Caroline Alyssa Merideth  
Kevin Chase Murphree  
Tien Hoang Thuy Nguyen  
Andrew Kent O'Neal  
Michael G. O'Neill, Jr.  
Ziara Randell Osborne  
Courtenay Ruth Paris  
Sung Ho Park  
Jennifer Whitcomb Pierce  
Brittany Ashton Raetzman

Justin Manuel Ramirez  
Paul Allen Renton  
Brittney Leigh Roberts  
Rachel Allen Roberts  
Rita R. Rodriguez  
Richard Dawson Shamblin  
Sarah Michelle Stephens  
Nicole Ashley Taylor  
Julia Janine Tucker-Huth  
Kate Elizabeth Vanhee  
Zachary Paul Wehner  
Afton N. Weimer  
Courtney Christine Whiteford  
Daniel Philip Wilderotter  
Seung Ju Yoo  
Christopher Yung

**TAU BETA PI\***

Stephen N. Brown  
John Hamilton Forrest  
Ryan Wayne Horton

Angelle C. McBride  
James Andrew Petersen  
Stefanie Anette Tracy

Zi Yang

**UPSILON PI EPSILON\***

Tejas Chakravarthy  
Charles E. Colvin  
John Hamilton Forrest  
Rodolfo Alexander Gonzalez  
Tara Lynn Hemphill

Edmund B. Hourigan IV  
Jami Lyn Jeffcoat  
Kristina Elizabeth Jones  
Margaret Jean Lowrey  
Ryan Allen McCord

Jennifer Marie Miller  
Stephanie Marie Miller  
Ambrel Nicole Mitchell  
Gayatry Syamala Nair  
Darren Matthew Walsh

**PI LAMBDA THETA\***

Deborah C. Gunst

Salima Juma

Chelsie Dianne Thompson

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

## NATIONAL FELLOWSHIP AWARDS

Harry S. Truman Scholar: Warren Cardell Seay, Jr.  
Jack Kent Cooke Continuing Graduate Scholar: Esmeralda Duran  
Rotary Ambassadorial Scholar to Switzerland: Alexandra Madeleine Hill  
Rotary Ambassadorial Scholar to Dominican Republic: Katrina Josephson  
2008-2009 Fellow to the Center for the Study of the Presidency and Congress: Rachael J. Morgan  
2009-2010 Fellow to the Center for the Study of the Presidency and Congress: Cody Louise Meador

## DEDMAN COLLEGE OF HUMANITIES AND SCIENCES

Robert and Nancy Dedman Outstanding Senior Student: Rachel M. Gambulos  
Margaret Terry Crooks Award for Outstanding Student in Creative Writing: Matthew Stefan Carter  
David R. Russell Memorial Poetry Award: First Place - Olivia Anne Smith;  
Second Place - Mary Bridget O'Donovan  
SMU Fiction Prize: First Place - Jessica Vanessa Betancourt; Second Place - Kristy Lynn Martinez  
Thomas Arp Shakespeare Prize: Brittney D. Kerner  
Ann Early Award in Women's Studies: Katrina R. Myers  
*Criteria* Award for Distinction in First-Year Writing: Brian Cayce Bertrand;  
Emily Suzanne Habeck; Lacey D. Lee  
Hamilton Undergraduate Research Scholar: Sarah Maria Baldazo; Samantha Rose Colletti;  
Sara Gingrich; William Hart Grozinger; Brian Patrick Jacobowski; Young Hoon Lim;  
Kathryn Mounteney Pocklington; Laura E. Roberts; Veronica Michailo Tkachuk

## HUMANITIES

### ENGLISH

Pascal Covici, Jr. Prize for Outstanding Essay in American Studies: Melanie Diane Pruit  
Belle Mayer Bromberg Prize for Excellence: Peter C. McCaffrey  
George Bond Poetry Prize: Allison Jean Jordan  
Lon Tinkle Award in Creative Writing: Joshua Michael Duke

### FOREIGN LANGUAGES AND LITERATURES

Megan Laird and Raiberto Comini Italian Language Award: Maret Ellen Delf  
Philip H. Solomon Awards in Foreign Languages and Literatures:  
Chinese: Joseph Scott Holt  
French: Elena Alexandrova Nikolova  
German: Charles Keith Marshall, Jr.  
Hindi: Kathryn Mounteney Pocklington  
Italian: Leela Hynes Harpur  
Japanese: Min G. Choi  
Latin: Shannon R. Crowell  
Russian: James Andrew Hoeffner  
Spanish: Sarah Maria Baldazo

### HISTORY

Herbert Pickens Gambrell Award for Outstanding Academic Achievement:  
Andrew Michael Henderson  
Stanton Sharp Award for Outstanding Service and Academic Achievement:  
Caroline Camden Neville Lewis  
Henry S. Jacobus Junior Paper Prize in History: Cynthia Kate Hawks

### LATIN AMERICAN AND IBERIAN STUDIES

Latin American and Iberian Studies Outstanding Student Award: Steve Hader

## MEDIEVAL STUDIES

Anne Whaling Book Prize in Medieval Studies: Shannon R. Crowell

## PHILOSOPHY

Isaac Gustave Bromberg Award for Outstanding Work in the Humanities: Christopher A. Simpson

Ehlin Hoskins Philosophy Essay Award: Christopher A. Simpson

Hausman Award for Excellence in the History of Western Philosophy: Ali Hussein Haidar

## RELIGIOUS STUDIES

Isaac Gustave Bromberg Award for Outstanding Work in the Humanities: Katrina R. Myers

Department of Religious Studies Writing Award: Jamila G. Benkato

Harvey Paul Alper Award for Outstanding Work in an Eastern Religion: Casey Adam Rogers

## SOCIAL SCIENCES

### ANTHROPOLOGY

Edward I. and Peggy C. Fry Award for Academic Excellence in Undergraduate

Anthropology: Olivia Shae Lauraine Ybarra

Outstanding Senior Student in Anthropology: Jessica Noelle Pecena

Lambda Alpha Iota Chapter Distinguished Achievement Award: Michael Christopher Guarino

### ECONOMICS

Economics Department Award for Excellence: Kyle Louis Merino

Dallas Economists' Club Nominee Award: Santiago Eduardo Nunez

Josef Hadar Award: Andrew S. Matza

Wallace F. Lovejoy Memorial Award: Samantha Rose Colletti

### INTERNATIONAL STUDIES

Franklin Balch Award for Academic Excellence in International Studies: Lesli Ann Benefield

### POLITICAL SCIENCE

Ora Nixon Arnold Award for Academic Excellence: Jordan C. Strauss

John Goodwin Tower Award: Rachael J. Morgan

### PSYCHOLOGY

Award for Outstanding Research by an Undergraduate in Psychology: Meredith A. Humphreys

Psychology Department Senior Award for Outstanding Performance: Deborah C. Gunst

### SOCIOLOGY

Walter T. and Helen B. Watson Prize in Sociology: Adele Marie Costigan

Outstanding Senior in Sociology: Pamela Carter Hogan

Outstanding Senior in Markets and Culture: Robin L. Austin

## NATURAL AND MATHEMATICAL SCIENCES

### BIOCHEMISTRY

Outstanding Graduating Senior in Biochemistry: Nicole S. Schultz

### BIOLOGICAL SCIENCES

Outstanding Senior in Biological Sciences: Rachel M. Gambulos

### CHEMISTRY

Charles T. Kenner Award in Chemistry: Jennifer E. Basel

Dr Pepper/Lazenby Award for a Graduating Senior in Chemistry: Anh V. Tran

### GEOLOGICAL SCIENCES

Goodell-Richards Academic Excellence Award in Geology: Andres Alfonso Ruzo



## MATHEMATICS

John Robert McCaw Merit Award in Mathematics: Lauren Danielle Couch; Kathryn Denae Gotcher; Patrick Bennett Smollen

Charles J. Pipes Award for Outstanding Performance in Mathematics: David James Gardner

## PHYSICS

Frank C. McDonald Memorial Award for Excellence in Physics: Ken M. Ueda

Robert Stewart Hyer Scholar Award: Amy Michelle Hand

## STATISTICS

Statistical Science Department Award for Academic Excellence: Emily Elizabeth Gray

## MEADOWS SCHOOL OF THE ARTS

### ADVERTISING

Temerlin Advertising Institute Award for Outstanding Academic Achievement in Advertising: Ashley L. Bruckbauer

Temerlin Advertising Institute Award for Outstanding Academic Achievement in Creative: Matthew Dale Lindner

### ART

Charley Aberg Travel Award: Olivia Anne Smith

Stephen D. Wilder Travel Award: Leeanna Armentrout Morris

Dan Wingren Award for Outstanding Senior: Amy M. Revier

### ART HISTORY

Alessandra Comini Award for an Outstanding Undergraduate Art History Major: Christy Noel Osborne

Art History Department Outstanding Senior Award: Ashley L. Bruckbauer; Beatriz Cabrera

### CINEMA-TELEVISION

Outstanding Scholarly Achievement Award: Elizabeth Anne Johnston; Ryan M. Moore; Gary J. Suderman; Patrick Ian Winston

Outstanding Creative Achievement in Cinema/Television Production: Travis Jay Mabrey

Nash Parsley Memorial Award for Outstanding Creative Achievement: Sarah Rachel Nolen

### CORPORATE COMMUNICATIONS & PUBLIC AFFAIRS

Outstanding Academic Achievement in Corporate Communications & Public Affairs: Kathryn Lynne Lott; Amy Elizabeth Ward

Outstanding Corporate Communications & Public Affairs Student in Nonprofit Management: Jamie Laura Leon; Jessica Jean Wikstrom

Outstanding Corporate Communications & Public Affairs Student in Corporate Communications: Jessica Laurel Christianson; Elizabeth Woodson Fairchild

Outstanding Corporate Communications & Public Affairs Student in Public Affairs: Jamie Hullverson Corley; Kristin Leigh Schutz

### DANCE

Award for Outstanding Achievement in Dance: Kathleen M. Drablos; Jarrell Marie Hamilton; Christopher Daniel Jarosz

### JOURNALISM

Outstanding Achievement in Broadcast Journalism: Benjamin Thomas Briscoe

Outstanding Achievement in Digital Journalism: Caitlyn Jane Myers

Outstanding Achievement in Print Journalism: Erin Lynn Eidenshink

## MUSIC

The Undergraduate Award for Excellence in Music: Katie Diane Kirkpatrick; Timothy J. Roy

## THEATRE

Undergraduate Award for Academic Excellence in the Division of Theatre:

Stephen Travis Acreman; Caitlin Aston Johnston

## **EDWIN L. COX SCHOOL OF BUSINESS**

Outstanding BBA Senior Award: Samantha Rose Colletti; Lamar Humphries Dowling

Delta Sigma Pi Scholarship Key: Tien Hoang Thuy Nguyen

## ACCOUNTING

Outstanding Accounting Major: Bridget A. Perkowski

## FINANCE

Outstanding Finance Major: Santiago Eduardo Nunez

Distinguished Finance Majors: Katherine C. Bartush; Caitlin Suzanne Guenther;

John Victor Linck III

Outstanding Financial Consulting Major: Danyelle Jazmin Faulkner

Distinguished Financial Consulting Major: Tien Hoang Thuy Nguyen

## MANAGEMENT AND ORGANIZATIONS

Nora Katherine Bilton Award: Jessica Lynn Parr; Rachel Ellen Shirey

## MARKETING

Outstanding Marketing Major: Ziara Randell Osborne

Distinguished Marketing Majors: Colby Christopher Bolin; Madison A. Dyal; Eric M. Garza;

Sarah Michelle Stephens; Daniel Philip Wilderotter

J.C. Penney Center for Retail Excellence Outstanding Student Award: Kristin M. Benners

## REAL ESTATE, LAW AND RISK MANAGEMENT

Outstanding Real Estate Finance Majors: Matthew Charles Citron; Minna R. Peracha;

Grant Henry Pruitt

## STRATEGY AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP

Outstanding Entrepreneurship Students: William Casey Crear; Botan Sherzad Fattah;

Danyelle Jazmin Faulkner; Caroline Elizabeth Neal

## **BOBBY B. LYLE SCHOOL OF ENGINEERING**

The E.H. Flath Award: Lauren Danielle Couch

The Mark Shepherd Award: Amy Renee Herbel

The Ed M. Harrison Award: Randi D. Peak

## COMPUTER SCIENCE AND ENGINEERING

The Departmental Award in Computer Engineering: John Joseph Howard

The Departmental Award in Computer Science: Benjamin Michael Koopferstock

The Rick A. Barrett Memorial Award: Tara Lynn Hemphill

## ELECTRICAL ENGINEERING

The Finley W. Tatum Award in Electrical Engineering: Patrick D. Anderson

The Sally Blum Memorial Prize in Electrical Engineering: Robert W. Berry; Timothy R. Heydari

ENGINEERING MANAGEMENT, INFORMATION AND SYSTEMS

The Departmental Award in Engineering Management, Information and Systems:

Kathryn Denae Gotcher

The Francisco Villagrán Molina Memorial Award: Tiffany Allison Griffin

ENVIRONMENTAL AND CIVIL ENGINEERING

The Departmental Award for Civil Engineering: Angellia Marie Chandler

The Departmental Award for Environmental Engineering: Valerie Diane Lemmons

The Dr. Laura J. Steinberg, Distinguished Freshman ENCE Award: Patricia Elise Coogan

The Environmental and Civil Engineering Award for Excellence in Design: Joshua Andrew Lincoln

MECHANICAL ENGINEERING

The Harold A. Blum Award in Mechanical Engineering: Mohammad J. Gharbieh

The Sally Blum Memorial Prize in Mechanical Engineering: Owen Ranson Clark;

Brett Grayson Denham; Shawn Wesley Flynn; Rachel L. Johnson; Ryan Christopher Strider

**ANNETTE CALDWELL SIMMONS SCHOOL OF EDUCATION  
AND HUMAN DEVELOPMENT**

Outstanding Pre-Service Educator: Deborah C. Gunst

Teacher Scholar Award: Alissa Leigh Windle

**CENTRAL UNIVERSITY LIBRARIES**

The Larrie and Bobbie Weil Undergraduate Research Award: Ashley L. Bruckbauer

**ALTSHULER LEARNING ENHANCEMENT CENTER**

Ben Thomas Excellence in Tutoring Award: Benjamin C. Hirvela; Santiago Eduardo Nunez

## **PLATFORM PARTY**

José Antonio Bowen, Dean of the Meadows School of the Arts

Cordelia Candelaria, Dean of Dedman College

David J. Chard, Dean of Annette Caldwell Simmons School of Education and Human Development

David D. Doyle, Jr., Assistant Dean of Dedman College, Director of the University Honors

Program, Adjunct Assistant Professor in the Clements Department of History

Dennis A. Foster, President of the Faculty Senate and Frenshy Professor of English

Kathy J. Hayes, Platform Marshal

Judith Henneberger, Associate Chaplain

Vicki Hill, Director of the Altshuler Learning Enhancement Center

Kathleen Hughley-Cook, Director of the Office of National Fellowships and Awards

Paul W. Ludden, Provost and Vice President for Academic Affairs

Meghan Mazur, Masters of Music student in Vocal Performance

Gillian McCombs, Dean and Director of Central University Libraries

Albert W. Niemi, Jr., Dean of Edwin L. Cox School of Business

Geoffrey C. Orsak, Dean of the Bobby B. Lyle School of Engineering

Carl Sewell, Chair of the SMU Board of Trustees

Thomas W. Tunks, Associate Provost

R. Gerald Turner, President of the University

## **BANNER BEARERS**

James G. Dunham, Gail Hartin, Kevin Hofeditz, Gary Moskowitz, Robert Pocklington

## **GUILD OF MARSHALS**

Thomas B. Fomby, Chief Marshal

Bradley Kent Carter, Chief Marshal *Emeritus*

Lorn L. Howard, Chief Marshal *Emeritus*

Wayne A. Woodward, Procession Marshal

School Marshals: Edward J. Fox, Richard S. Jones, Sukumaran Nair, Andrew Parker

Honor Society Marshals: Mark A. Chancey, Dennis M. Simon

Faculty Marshals: Charles E. Curran, William J. Pulte, John Ubelaker

