

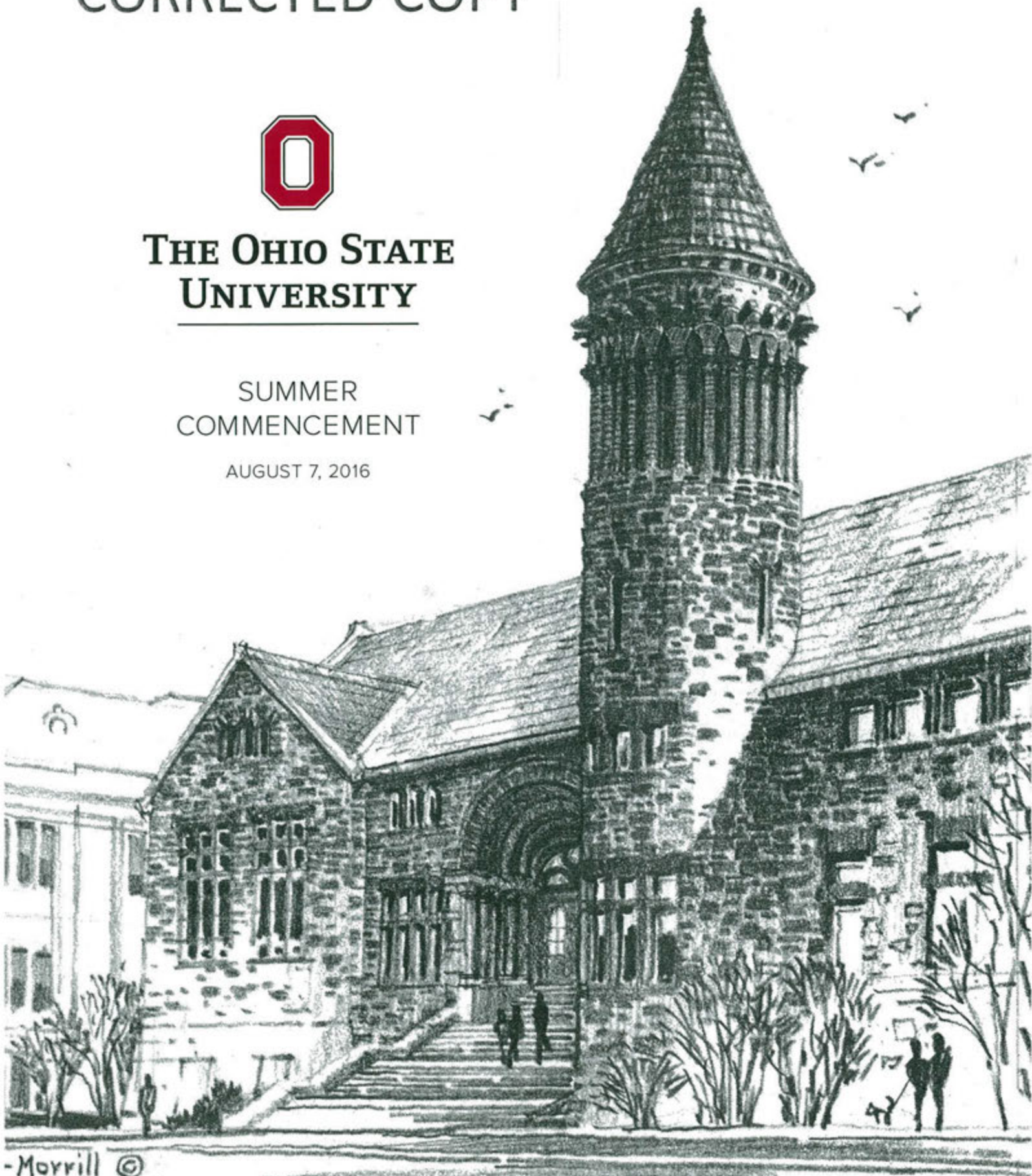
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**THE OHIO STATE  
UNIVERSITY**

SUMMER  
COMMENCEMENT

AUGUST 7, 2016



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# POMP, CIRCUMSTANCE, AND OTHER SONGS OF A LIFETIME

—by Professor David Citino, 1947–2005, Late University Poet Laureate  
(Originally presented as the 2000 Winter Commencement address)

If you're like me, you've got a big head,  
not to mention a funny robe, full of music—  
poems and melodies, the tunes  
we move to, shower and shave by,  
study, write to. Not just the incidental,

but the momentous music keeping time.  
Our histories are measures of song.  
Listen to your heart: drums of Africa,  
sea-spume of blind, far-sighted Homer,  
Sappho's honeyed love lyrics. Often,

music speaks for us, one note saying  
a thousand words. Like Rodolpho  
in Puccini's *La Boheme*, *Sono un poeta*.  
I am a poet. *Che cosa faccio?* What  
do I do? *Scrivo*. I write. This ceremony

is loud music—pomp and circumstance  
of the life you began freshman year  
or that first day of graduate school.  
In my head I press Play, and the CD  
of *Big Days* kicks on. I leap and linger

over moments too sweet, nearly, for words.  
I'll never escape rhymes from the nursery.  
Up above the world so high, like a diamond  
in the sky. We knew from the start  
our universe was aglow with wonder.

Italian, Latin, English songs in nasal accents  
of Cleveland. *Gaudeamus igitur*, *Juvenes  
dum sumus*. So, let us rejoice, while  
we are young. Youth is that gift we can't  
comprehend while we're young. This ceremony

means you all are less young than you were.  
Don't let the heavy knowledge gained  
from your studies deprive you of the gifts  
of youth, to be able to rejoice at the drop  
of a hat, to care for, be moved by others.

Now I hear golden hits of five decades.  
Big Mama Thornton, and that so-called King  
(King of what, fried butter sandwiches?)  
who stole away her hound dog. You ain't  
never killed a rabbit, you ain't no friend

of mine. As with those profs and TAs,  
course after course, you had to produce—  
kill some rabbits—to earn respect.  
And at times OSU may have seemed  
like Heartbreak Hotel, down at the end

of Lonely Street, so difficult was it  
to do your best. Tennessee Ernie Ford,  
"Sixteen Tons": St. Peter don't you  
call me 'Cause I can't go. I owe  
my soul to the company store.

You have been digging deep in mines  
of knowledge. We all owe our souls  
to Ohio State, company store of learning,  
shared experience—precious ore  
we have in common forever.

Now I hear Domenico Modugno's  
fervent urging to wish, sing, fly,  
*Volare*, *Wo-oo*. *Cantare*, *Wo-o-o-o*.  
My grandfather was a peasant farmer,  
a *contadino* in Calabria in the toe

of Italy. He knew it's the human lot  
to dream of flying. Lucky, lucky,  
lucky me, I'm a lucky son-of-a-gun.  
I work eight hours, I sleep eight hours,  
That leaves eight hours for fun.

Hey! He sailed in steerage across  
the Atlantic, came to Cleveland, where  
he stayed long enough to work 52 years  
for the B&O Railroad, before lying down  
to rest in good Ohio soil. So many of us

here today came from elsewhere,  
or ancestors did. From Tennessee, Italy,  
Africa, Asia, Appalachia—even,  
President Kirwan, the wilds of Kentucky  
and Maryland. Women and men with backs

supple as birch trunks. The courage  
it took to pick up stakes and begin again  
in a new world! Think of the work  
those older ones did. For you. You all  
are facing a change right now.

This sheepskin is your passport.  
You're bound for emigration to  
the next song of your life. Ohio State  
is the ark on which you've been sailing.  
You've been the precious cargo.

But, as Noah once said, I can see  
clearly now the rain is gone. The ark,  
our university, was filled to overflowing  
with the diversity of us. Diversity.  
Networks and talk shows devalue the word.

(continued on inside back cover)





# THE OHIO STATE UNIVERSITY 413<sup>TH</sup> COMMENCEMENT

SUMMER 2016 • AUGUST 7, 2016 • 2 P.M. • JEROME SCHOTTENSTEIN CENTER

## Presiding Officer

Michael V. Drake  
President

## Prelude—1:30 to 2 p.m.

Faculty Brass Quintet

## Welcome

Javaune Adams-Gaston  
Senior Vice President for Student Life

## Processional

## National Anthem

Graduates and guests led by  
Cindy Lopez  
Class of 2016

## Invocation

William K. Dixon  
Chaplain  
Department of Chaplaincy and Clinical  
Pastoral Education  
Wexner Medical Center

## Commencement Address

Jeni Britton Bauer  
Founder and Chief Creative Officer  
Jeni's Splendid Ice Creams

## Conferring of Honorary Degree

Recipient presented by  
Alex Shumate, Chair  
Board of Trustees

Jeni Britton Bauer  
Doctor of Business Administration

## Conferring of Distinguished Service Awards

Recipients presented by  
Alex Shumate

Raimund E. Goerler

John H. Litchfield

## Conferring of Degrees in Course

Colleges presented by  
Bruce A. McPheron  
Executive Vice President and Provost

## Awarding of Diplomas

## Welcome to New Alumni

James E. Smith  
Senior Vice President of Alumni Relations  
President and CEO  
The Ohio State University  
Alumni Association

## Alma Mater—Carmen Ohio

Graduates and guests led by  
Cindy Lopez

*Oh! Come let's sing Ohio's praise,*

*And songs to Alma Mater raise;*

*While our hearts rebounding thrill,*

*With joy which death alone can still.*

*Summer's heat or Winter's cold,*

*The seasons pass, the years will roll;*

*Time and change will surely show*

*How firm thy friendship—Ohio.*

## Recessional



Excerpts from the commencement ceremony will be broadcast on WOSU-TV, Channel 34, on Monday, August 8, at 5:30 p.m.

# COMMENCEMENT ADDRESS

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*Jeni Britton Bauer*

DOCTOR OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

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Hailed as a culinary genius and pioneer of the artisan ice cream movement, Jeni Britton Bauer has been perfecting her craft as a wildly imaginative ice cream maker and visionary entrepreneur for 20 years. As the founder of Columbus-based Jeni's Splendid Ice Creams, her name has become synonymous with innovation, creativity and delicious desserts.

Ms. Britton Bauer worked in a French pastry shop and studied fine art and art history at Ohio State before opening Scream, her first ice cream stall in Columbus' North Market, in 1996. At Scream, she crafted unique flavors from scratch every day, laying the foundation for the opening of Jeni's Splendid Ice Creams, also at the North Market, in 2002.

With a vision that ice cream could be better and more interesting, Ms. Britton Bauer continues to set the standard for quality artisanal ice cream.

Today, her ice creams are served up in 23 scoop shops in eight cities — from Nashville to Los Angeles — and in more than 1,100 stores across the country.

Inspired by her grandmother's 10-acre garden, where she picked berries for jams and collected maple sap for syrup as a child, Ms. Britton Bauer uses whole ingredients and dairy from grass-grazed cows in her recipes, rather than synthetic flavorings and commodity ice cream mix. Jeni's hands-on team flavors its ice creams with carefully sourced, often local ingredients, including wildflower honey, whole fruits, vegetables and herbs from nearby farms.

Salty Caramel, Brambleberry Crisp and other signature flavors anchor a menu that also includes limited-edition flavors inspired by the seasons, pop culture and world trends.

Ms. Britton Bauer is the author of *The New York Times* best-seller *Jeni's Splendid Ice Creams at Home*. With more than 100,000 copies in print, the cookbook dubbed an "ingenious homemade-ice-cream bible" by *The Wall Street Journal* earned Ms. Britton Bauer a 2012 James Beard Award, America's most coveted honor for food and culinary arts writing. Her follow-up, *Jeni's Splendid Ice Cream Desserts*, was published in 2014. And last year, she was named one of *Fast Company's* Most Creative People in Business.

An active community member, Ms. Britton Bauer co-founded Local Matters, a fresh-food-for-all Columbus-based nonprofit, and she serves on the boards of the Wexner Center for the Arts and Columbus College of Art & Design.

# RECIPIENTS OF HONORS

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## *Raimund E. Goerler*

### DISTINGUISHED SERVICE AWARD

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As Ohio State's university archivist, Raimund E. Goerler dedicated more than three decades to preserving and sharing the history of Buckeye Nation. Under his leadership, the University Archives — a repository of documents, photographs and artifacts — became a model for other institutions nationwide.

Dr. Goerler received his undergraduate degree from the State University of New York at Buffalo, and his graduate degrees from Case Western Reserve University and Kent State University. In 1978, he joined Ohio State's University Archives. There, he brought significant collections, such as the papers of Jesse Owens and Woody Hayes, to the university, and developed a records retention program that was

adopted by public colleges throughout the state.

From 2000 until 2010, Dr. Goerler served as assistant director for Special Collections and Archives. In 2009, he also served as interim director of libraries, which involved overseeing the return of materials and staff to the newly renovated William Oxley Thompson Memorial Library while maintaining services for the campus community. He efficiently coordinated the rededication activities of the building, including its grand-opening gala.

During his tenure at Ohio State, Dr. Goerler established two world-renowned collections: the Byrd Polar Research Center Archival Program — one of the most important sites in the

world for historical polar information — and the Ohio Congressional Archives.

Additionally, Dr. Goerler developed an oral history program that continues to add reflections from faculty, staff and students to the university's official memory. Following his retirement in 2010, Dr. Goerler and his wife ensured the continuation of this program by establishing the Raimund and Sharon Goerler Endowment for Oral History in University Archives Fund.

A talented author and professor, Dr. Goerler has designed and taught highly popular classes about the history of the university, and he has written three books on the topic. After *An Illustrated History of The Ohio State University* was published, he donated the royalties to the University Archives.

## *John H. Litchfield*

### DISTINGUISHED SERVICE AWARD

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For more than 50 years, John H. Litchfield has demonstrated a passionate commitment to the food science and technology field. Drawing on his considerable experience working in both academia and industry, he has become an invaluable resource to Ohio State and to generations of new food science students.

After completing his undergraduate degree at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Dr. Litchfield began his career with Searle Food Corporation in Florida as chief chemist. He served as a first lieutenant in the U.S. Army, with assignment as food advisor, Berlin Command. By 1956, he had earned his graduate and doctoral degrees in food technology from the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign. Following completion of these degrees, he joined Swift & Company

in Chicago as a food technologist, which led to a faculty appointment in the Department of Food Engineering at the Illinois Institute of Technology. In 1960, he moved to Ohio and began a prolific, 33-year career as a chief researcher at Battelle.

His service to Ohio State began in 1970, when he served on a committee to propose the formation of a new Department of Food Science, and later chaired the department's Industrial Advisory Committee. In 1977, he became an adjunct professor in the Department of Human Nutrition and Food Management and went on to serve as an adjunct professor in the Department of Food Science and Technology — a position he still holds.

Every weekday, Dr. Litchfield can be found on campus working with students, teaching, advising and

coaching. As an instructor, he provides one-on-one laboratory assistance for food science students and has served on numerous thesis and dissertation committees. For 20 years, he has coached the Ohio State Food Science and Technology Team in the Institute of Food Technologists College Bowl and has led the team to six regional wins and three national championship victories. He also supports students through substantial donations every year to scholarships and funds at the university.

For his efforts, he has received multiple distinguished service awards, was voted Professor of the Year by the Food Science Club and has twice received the Meritorious Service to Students Award from the Agricultural and Natural Resources Council.

## A MESSAGE FROM PRESIDENT DRAKE

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Dear Graduates:

Congratulations on earning the diploma soon to be in your hands. Commencement is a joyous occasion at Ohio State as years of academic study are celebrated. This is a milestone achievement, one that gives the green light to begin your next chapter. While you anticipate what is ahead, also consider how much you have gained as an Ohio State student.

During your time on campus, you have absorbed a great deal of knowledge, the true currency of today's society. Inside the classroom, through a leadership position or by way of a research endeavor, you have learned more than is easily realized. That is certainly a feeling to cherish! In turn, thank you for embracing the university's values through those various opportunities. It is our students who create the ultimate fabric of Ohio State.

Today is your day, and I encourage you to acknowledge those individuals who helped make it happen. Whether they are sitting in the stands or congratulating you from afar, they have contributed to the success of your academic profile in many ways. So thank loved ones for the brown bag lunches that fueled you and thank teachers for the resources that guided you. Much of what you have accomplished can be traced back to the support of others along the way.

The university exists to develop tomorrow's lead problem solvers. I sincerely hope each of you will go forth and make a difference as an Ohio State graduate. Be curious enough to ask questions and passionate enough to find answers. This is the spirit of a Buckeye for life. Congratulations once again!

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Michael V. Drake". The signature is written in a cursive style with a long horizontal line extending to the right.

Michael V. Drake, MD  
President

# CONGRATULATIONS AND WELCOME TO THE ALUMNI ASSOCIATION

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On behalf of The Ohio State University Alumni Association, we write to offer our congratulations to the Class of 2016! It is exhilarating when this many Buckeyes gather in one place, and all who are here today share excitement for what you accomplished at Ohio State and what you will achieve in the future.

Commencement is your day: a celebration of your journey, and the lessons and experiences that accompanied your time on campus. As you look around, you will see that you did not undertake the journey alone. You drew upon an incredible wealth of knowledge, experience and support from your classmates, loved ones and the university that contributed to your ability to earn the diploma you hold in your hands today.

In the coming years, you will make many more exciting transitions — some may take you around the globe and introduce you to new people and ideas. Along the way, you will enjoy the benefits of an alumni network that connects five generations of Buckeyes who are making a difference in all parts of the world.

As of today, you are a member of the alumni association. We want you always to be passionate about your alma mater and continue to stay actively engaged through social media channels, volunteering, alumni clubs and societies and beyond. To learn more about the different membership levels and benefits within the alumni association, please visit [osu.edu/alumni/membership](http://osu.edu/alumni/membership).

We are honored to welcome the Class of 2016 as our newest members and are committed to providing the services you want from your alumni association. Your success is driving Ohio State's motto *Education for Citizenship*, and we will work to support you throughout your life as you pay forward your time at this university.

Again, congratulations to you, your family, friends and all who have helped you reach this milestone in your life as you receive your diploma from The Ohio State University.

Sincerely,



Marchelle E. Moore  
Chair, Board of Directors  
The Ohio State University Alumni Association, Inc.



Jim Smith  
Senior Vice President of Alumni Relations  
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# YOU NEVER STOP BEING A BUCKEYE

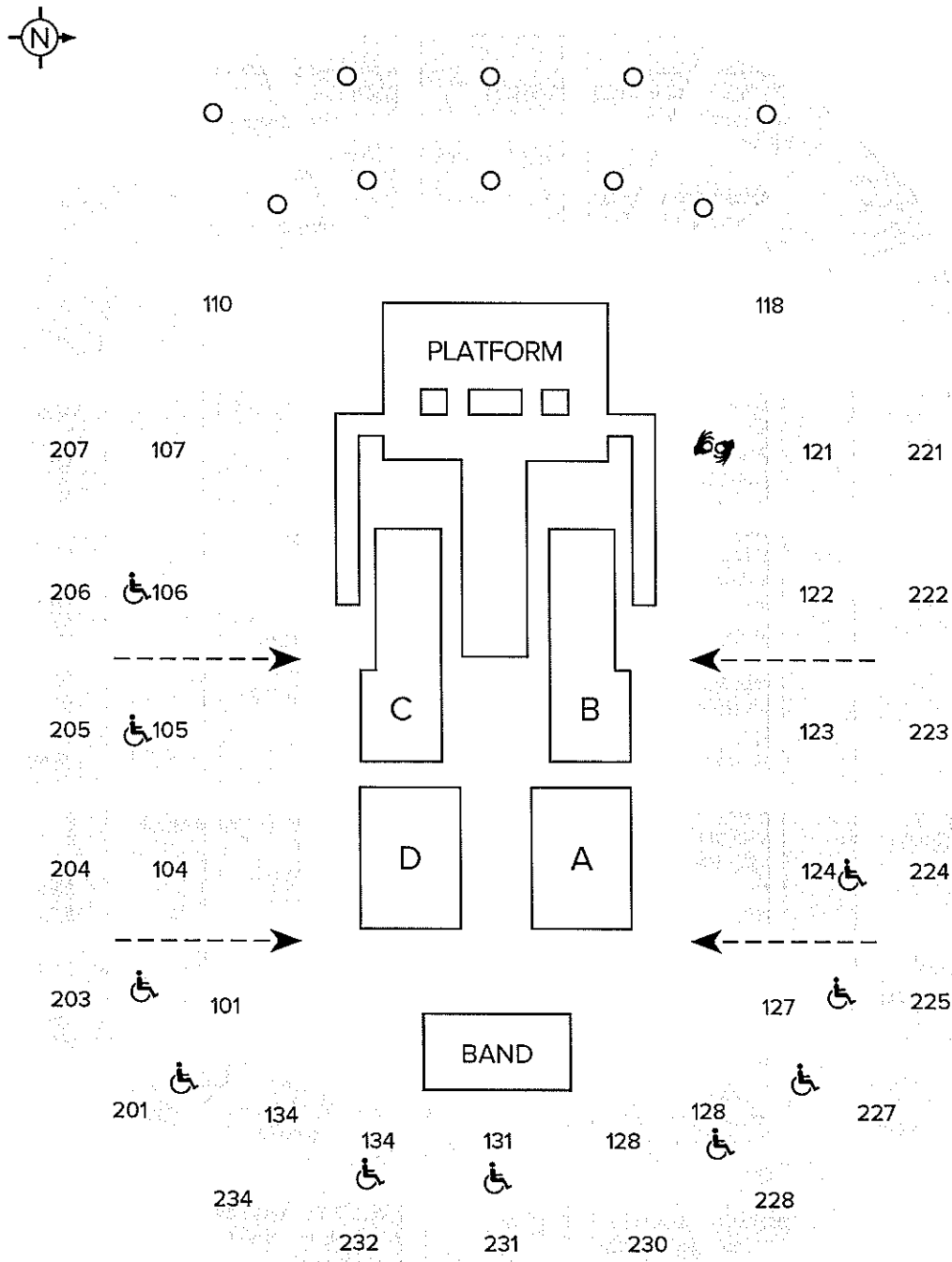
While you may graduate from being a student, you never stop being a Buckeye. Wherever you go next, The Ohio State University Alumni Association is here to help you write the next chapter of your Buckeye story.

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# ARENA SEATING



○ – These sections closed

A - Arts and Sciences
B - Social Work; Business; Arts and Sciences
C - PhD; Public Health; Pharmacy; Public Affairs; Medicine; Nursing; Education and Human Ecology
D - Master's; Food, Agricultural and Environmental Sciences; Engineering

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Wheelchair seating	

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This program is not an official graduation list.

This printed program lists students who were eligible to graduate for Summer Term 2016, as of 4:30 p.m., July 29, 2016, pending the outcome of final examinations and final grades. Therefore, it should not be used to determine a student's academic or degree status. The University's official registry for conferral of degrees is the student's permanent academic record, kept by the Office of the University Registrar, Student Academic Services Building, 281 West Lane Avenue, Columbus, OH 43210-1132.

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## College of Dentistry

Dean: Patrick M. Lloyd

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## College of Education and Human Ecology

Dean: Cheryl L. Achterberg

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Ayanna Michele Saunders, Hilliard  
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## College of Engineering

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Sarah Christine Drosos, Powell  
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Mike Reed Alquist, Brecksville  
Connor Matthew Bayzath, Chesterland  
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Justin Michael Gregorio, Monument, CO  
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Logan Patrick McCamish, Dublin

Steven Joseph Miller, Cincinnati  
Tyler Joseph Schultz, Aurora  
Tyler Austin Stone, Columbus  
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Natnail Tesfaye, Gahanna  
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Cameron George Wrabel, Norwalk

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*with Honors Research Distinction in Materials Science and Engineering*  
Abigail Jane Sutliff, Westerville  
*Cum Laude*

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Shuhan Li, Liuzhou, China  
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*with Honors Research Distinction in Mechanical Engineering*  
Keyue Zhang, Beijing, China

### Bachelor of Science in Welding Engineering

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## College of Food, Agricultural, and Environmental Sciences

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Laura Elizabeth Bond, Warren  
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John Virgil Johnson III, Westerville  
Lauren C. Kurtz, Reading  
Levi Alan Lamp, Zanesville  
Ryan David Ludwig, Worthington  
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Emily Anne Scott, Pataskala  
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Shelby Maranda Roach, Casstown  
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### **College of Medicine**

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Dean: **Bernadette M. Melnyk**

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Emmertine D. Duncan, Reynoldsburg  
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Laura Louise Hanna, Lancaster  
Hallie Beth Hesson, Galloway  
Suzanne James, Lima  
Kelley Renee Jones, New Lexington  
Claudia E. Levins, Mansfield  
Laurie Anne Mankins, Columbus  
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Christine Lynn Pollard, Pataskala  
Virginia M. Robinett, Orient  
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Erica Dawn Sergent, Marceline, MO  
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Brenda Renae Smith, Columbus  
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Brooke Ashley Gibbens, Rumson, NJ

Jay Prakash Seetharaman, Solon  
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*with Honors in Public Affairs*  
Aaron Michael Siedler, Holland

### **College of Public Health**

Dean: **William J. Martin II**

#### **Bachelor of Science in Public Health**

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### **College of Social Work**

Dean: **Thomas K. Gregoire**

#### **Bachelor of Science in Social Work**

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Margaret Ann Crandall, Columbus  
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Bayli La'Rae Friz, Delaware  
*Magna Cum Laude*  
Anita Jean Gearhart, Westerville  
*Cum Laude*  
Debra A. Hare, Columbus  
LeLana Marie Harris, Columbus  
Vicki Lynn Morgan, Galena  
*Cum Laude*  
Rachael Elizabeth Now, St. Marys  
Ariana Marie Piazza, Cleveland  
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Tami Lisa Schaar, Rushville  
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### **College of Veterinary Medicine**

Dean: **Rustin M. Moore**

#### **Doctor of Veterinary Medicine**

Amy Marie Levinsky, Boardman  
B.S.

Brittany Star Schultz, Bera  
B.S.

Jason Clayton Worman, Columbus

Kelsey Leigh Ozuk, Sylvania  
B.S.Agr.

## Candidates to be Commissioned in the Armed Forces

### United States Navy

#### Second Lieutenant United States Marine Corps

Christopher David Clark

### Graduates with Honors

Criteria for graduating with honors are listed below. Grade-point averages (GPA) are based on the student's penultimate semester.

**Summa Cum Laude** designates those who earned a 3.9 GPA or better.

**Magna Cum Laude** designates those who earned a 3.7 GPA or better.

**Cum Laude** designates those who earned a 3.5 GPA or better.

**With Honors in Business/Accounting** requires successful completion of a prescribed honors program of study and graduation with a 3.5 GPA or better.

**With Honors in Education and Human Ecology** requires successful completion of an honors experience contract and graduation with a 3.4 GPA or better.

**With Honors in Engineering** requires successful completion of an honors experience contract and graduation with a 3.4 GPA or better.

**With Honors in Public Affairs** requires successful completion of an honors experience contract and graduation with a 3.4 GPA or better.

**With Honors in the Arts and Sciences** requires successful completion of the Arts and Sciences Honors Contract and graduation with a 3.4 GPA or better.

**With Distinction** requires successful completion of an undergraduate thesis and a 3.4 GPA or better.

# Summary of Degrees and Certificates

Summer Term Commencement — 2016

College	Degree/Certificate	Degree/Cert. Total	Summer Term 2016 College Total
Graduate School	D.M.A.	1	250 Doctoral
	Ph.D.	249	
	Au.D.	3	
	D.N.P.	1	5 Professional
	D.P.T.	1	
	Ed.S.	1	
	M.Std.Law	1	
	M.A.C.P.R.	14	
	M.Arch.	2	
	M.A.	111	
	M.B.A.	62	
	M.C.R.P.	4	
	M.Dent.Hygn.	2	
	M.Educ.	5	494 Masters
	M.Env.Nat.Res.	6	
	M.F.A.	8	
	M.Global.Lead.	3	
	M.Math.Sci.	1	
M.Land.Arch.	4		
M.Mus.	3		
M.P.A.	6		
M.P.H.	15		
M.S.	227		
M.S.W.	19	749	
Arts and Sciences, College of the	B.A.	340	559
	B.A.Jour.	3	
	B.F.A.	1	
	B.Mus.	3	
	B.S.Design	3	
	B.S.Geog.Info.Sci.	4	
	B.S.	106	
A.A.	99	559	
Business, Fisher College of	B.S.Bus.Admin.	62	62
Dentistry	D.D.S.	5	8
	B.S.Dent.Hygn.	3	
Education and Human Ecology	B.S.H.D.F.S.	15	91
	B.S.H.E.	14	
	B.S.Hospitality Mgt.	7	
	B.S.Nutrition	4	
	B.S.Educ.	51	
Engineering	B.S.Arch.	3	45
	B.S.Aviation	1	
	B.S.Biomed.Eng.	1	
	B.S.Chem.Eng.	8	
	B.S.C.R.P.	1	
	B.S.Civil.Eng.	1	
	B.S.Comp.Sc.Eng.	17	
	B.S.Elec.Com.Eng.	5	
	B.S.Mat.Sci.Eng.	3	
	B.S.Mech.Eng.	3	
	B.S.Weld.Eng.	2	
	Food, Agricultural, and Environmental Sciences	B.S.Agr.	
B.S.Const.Sys.Mgt.		4	
B.S.Env.Nat.Res.		16	
Environment and Natural Resources, School of Agricultural Technical Institute	A.A.S.	10	59
	A.Science	4	
Medicine Health and Rehabilitation Sciences, School of	M.D.	3	13
	B.S.Hlth.Rehab.Sci.	10	
Nursing	B.S.Nursing	30	30
Pharmacy	B.S.Pharm.Sci.	5	5
Public Affairs, Glenn College of	B.A.	5	5
Public Health	B.S.P.H.	1	1
Social Work	B.S.Soc.Work	19	19
Veterinary Medicine	D.V.M.	4	4
<b>Total Degrees and Certificates</b>		<b>1650</b>	<b>1650</b>

<b>Total Degrees this Term</b>	(not including certificates)	<b>1,650</b>
<b>Total Degrees since 1878</b>	(not including certificates)	<b>730,873</b>
<b>Total Degrees during Last Decade</b>	(not including certificates)	<b>150,472</b>

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# THE ACADEMIC COSTUME

The colorful ceremonies of The Ohio State University commencements derive from practices originating in the Middle Ages. When European universities were taking form in the 12th and 13th centuries, the scholars were usually clerics, and consequently they adopted costumes similar to those of their monastic orders. Cold halls and drafty buildings called for caps and floor-length capes with attached hoods, and the sobering influence of the church probably influenced the staid character of the caps and gowns.

As the control of the universities gradually passed from the church, some

aspects of the costumes took on brighter hues. Old prints and engravings, however, reveal a strong similarity between the regalia worn in early universities and that of the present day.

In light of our nation's English heritage, academic costume has been in use in the United States since colonial times. To establish a standard of uniformity in regard to the practice, an intercollegiate commission was formed to prepare a code for caps, gowns and hoods that has since been adopted by all academic institutions.

Originally round, the shape of the cap is now the familiar mortarboard

square—a shape which, according to ballad folklore, resembles a scholar's book. Legend also has it that the privilege of wearing a cap was the initial right of a freed Roman slave; the academic cap, therefore, has become a sign of the freedom of scholarship. The flowing gown has become symbolic of the democracy of scholarship, for it covers any dress that might indicate rank or social status. The hood, reserved at The Ohio State University for those receiving doctoral and master's degrees, not only indicates the type of degree, but also is lined with the official colors of the university.

## The Gown

**Bachelor:** The bachelor gown is black, full cut with long pointed sleeves.

**Master:** The master gown is black, with long or short sleeves and an arc-shaped panel extended for each sleeve.

**Doctor:** The Ohio State University Doctor of Philosophy gown is scarlet with gray velvet panels on the front and three velvet bars on each sleeve. Other doctor gowns are black with velvet panels and bars, the color of which indicates the field of study.

## Honors Emblem

The Ohio State University honors emblem is a scarlet and gray tasseled braid worn over the gown. Students eligible for this curricular honor are those graduating *summa cum laude*, *magna cum laude*, *cum laude*, *with distinction* and *with honors*.

## The Hood

**Bachelor:** Three feet long with a two-inch-wide velvet edging.\*

**Master:** Three and one-half feet long with a three-inch-wide velvet edging.

**Doctor:** Four feet in length with a five-inch-wide velvet edging and panel at the sides.

The lining of all hoods, which is folded out, bears the official colors of the institution granting the degree. The color of the velvet indicates the field of study.

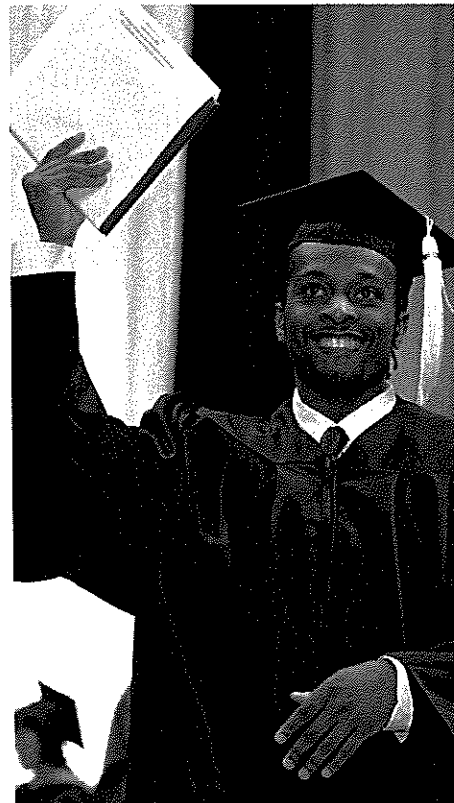
\* Not usually worn by candidates for a degree.

## Cap and Tassel

Candidates for degrees at The Ohio State University wear the black mortarboard with a tassel whose color is distinctive of the degree being received. The tassel colors are as follows:

Graduate School (PhD).....	Gray
(Others).....	Black
College of Arts and Sciences	
BA.....	White
BA Journalism.....	Crimson
BAE, BFA.....	Brown
BM, BME.....	Pink
BS, BS Design, BS Atmos.Sci., BS Geog.Info.Sci. ...	White
Fisher College of Business.....	Drab
College of Dentistry.....	Lilac
College of Education and Human Ecology	
Education.....	Light Blue
Human Ecology.....	Maroon
College of Engineering.....	Orange
Austin E. Knowlton School of Architecture.....	Blue-Violet
College of Food, Agricultural and	
Environmental Sciences.....	Maize
School of Environment and	
Natural Resources.....	Blue-Green
Moritz College of Law.....	Purple
College of Medicine.....	Green
School of Health and Rehabilitation Sciences.....	Green
College of Nursing.....	Apricot
College of Optometry.....	Seafoam Green
College of Pharmacy.....	Olive Green
John Glenn College of Public Affairs.....	Peacock Blue
College of Public Health.....	Salmon
College of Social Work.....	Citron
College of Veterinary Medicine.....	Gray

The gold tassel is worn frequently by those holding the doctoral degree and by college and university administrative officers.



## Photography

Photographs may be taken from the stands at any time during the ceremony. However, only press photographers are permitted on the arena floor. Guests are asked to be courteous and respectful of all those wishing to take photographs.

## Complimentary Programs

A limited number of programs are available on a first-come, first-served basis. Requests should be sent to the Office of Commencement and Special Events, 1060 Blankenship Hall, 901 Woody Hayes Drive, Columbus, OH 43210-4016.

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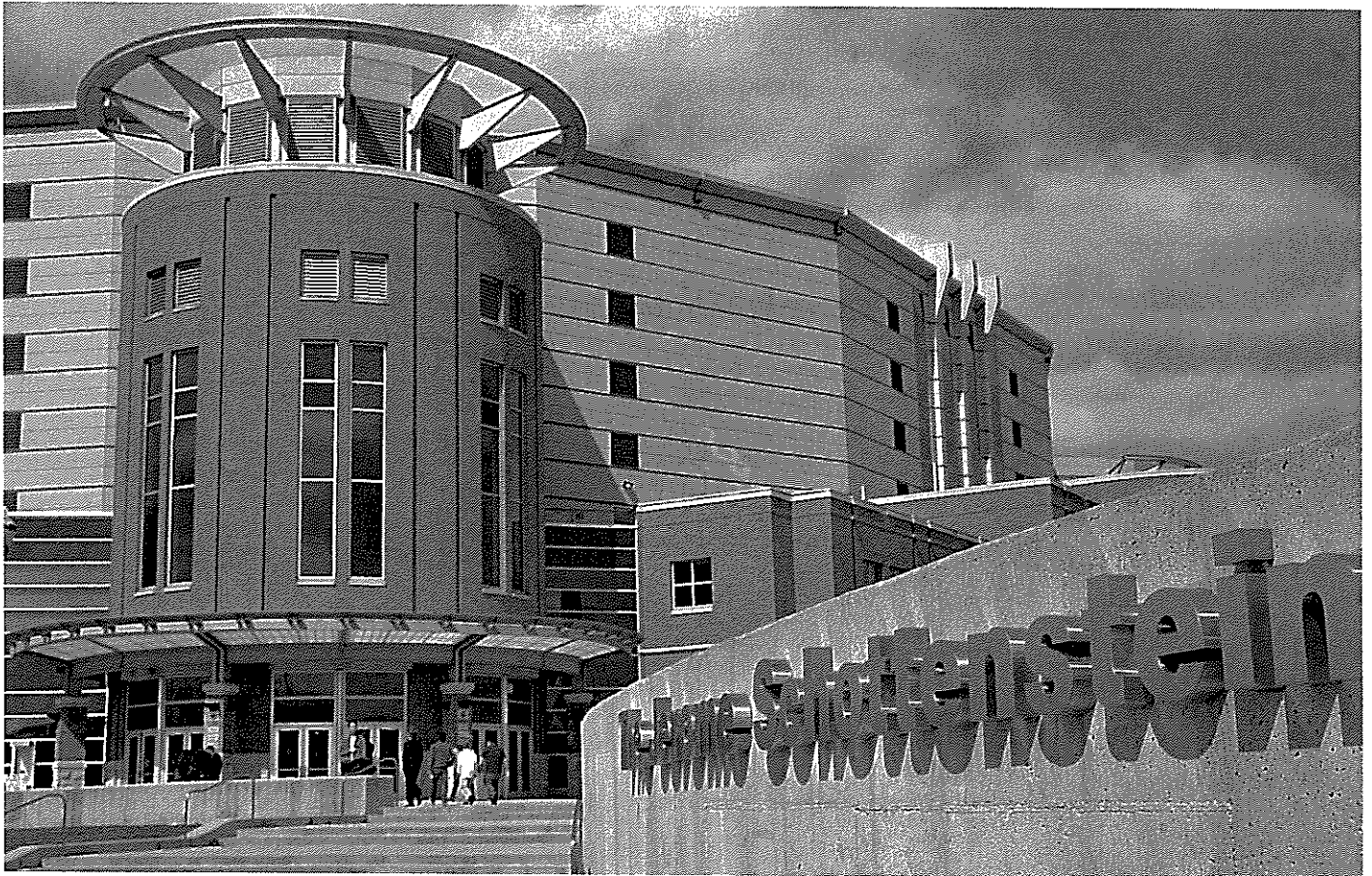
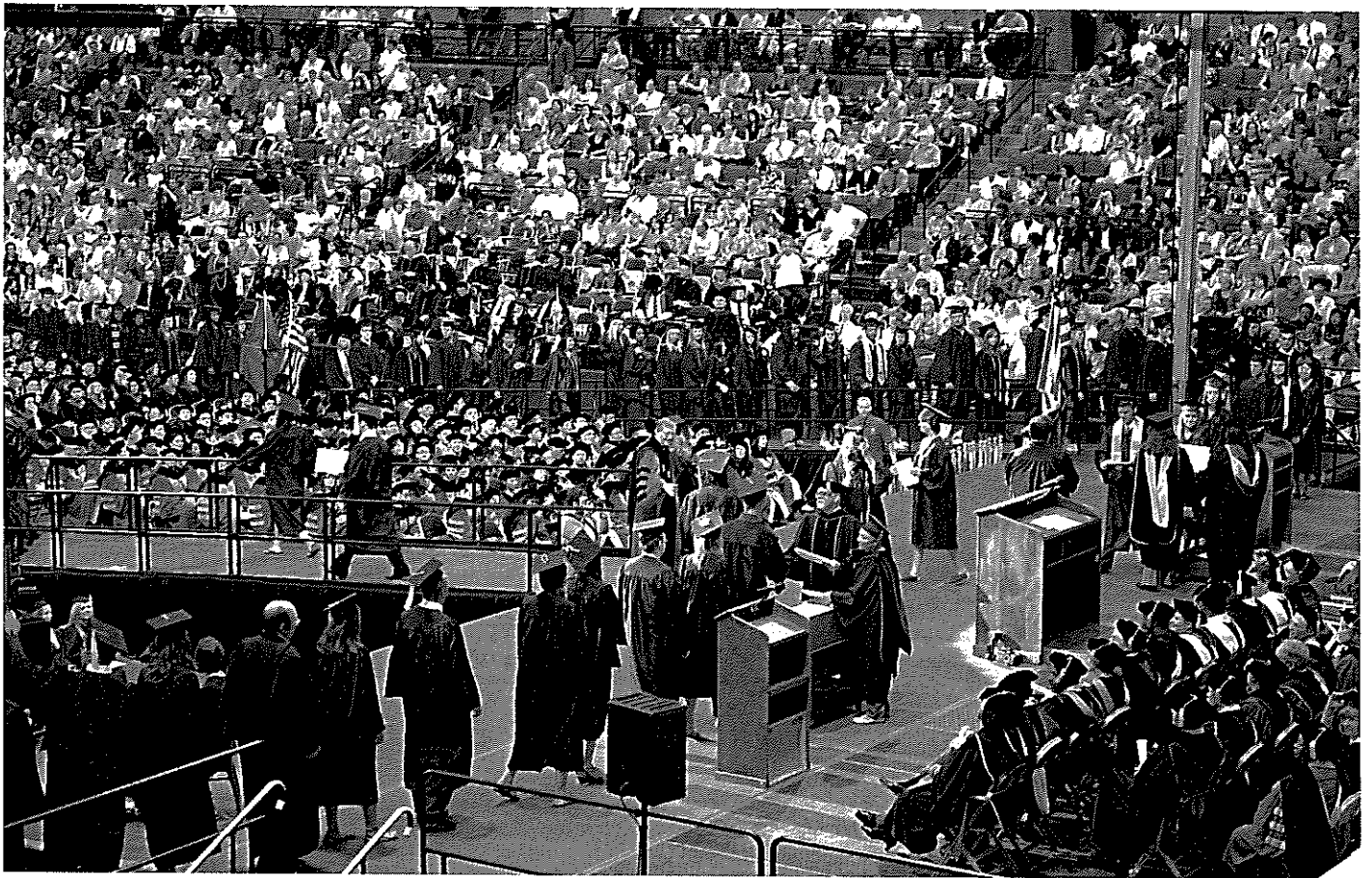
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## POMP, CIRCUMSTANCE, AND OTHER SONGS OF A LIFETIME

(continued from inside front cover)

I say, rather, the richness of us,  
precious difference, the grand multiplicity  
of selves that balance this globe  
and enable it to spin true. Grandson  
of peasant immigrants, I was given

the opportunity to earn a doctorate  
in English literature from Ohio State—  
because my family labored long nights  
around the kitchen table trying to learn  
this arduous English. I sat where

you're sitting twenty-six years ago.  
Bob Dylan and Smokey Robinson got me  
through. Yes, it took a prophet and Miracles!  
My son earned an OSU Ph.D. in history.  
Now you, graduates, are being honored—

by degrees. We've all come together  
around the kitchen table of Ohio State.  
Ohio, Round on the ends and high  
in the middle. For the years to come  
we'll sing together, Beautiful Ohio,

in dreams again I see, Visions of what  
used to be. These psalms, sacred thoughts  
of our tribes, 78's and 33's, tapes,  
CD's—they take up space in shelves  
of our skulls, our hearts. They remind us

we want a song beyond the run-  
of-the-mill thrill, the moment throbbing  
with pleasure or bathed in the blues.  
We ache for something grander than  
pure selfishness. Songs sung for one

alone are not true music. Arias shared  
are music of the spheres, ways of saying  
to another something from the soul.  
Of course the Buckeye Battle Cry  
is there. Drive, drive on down the field,

Men (and women!) of the Scarlet  
and Gray. Well, you drove on down  
the field, and you drove up and down  
the streets, around and around  
crowded lots, looking for a place to park,

and you searched our dark, ancient library  
for a decent place to study. My wife,  
Mary's, father marched in the first  
"Script Ohio," in 1936. He's here today  
with us, blowing his horn, I can't help

but feel, as is the sweet mother  
I lost last year, the one who gave me  
the stars. Today's music makes us think  
of the debts we owe, and never can repay.  
So many of us would not be here

were it not for the lullabies and songs  
of dear parents, their parents, theirs.  
Some are here today in the flesh.  
Many are not. We mourn them with cadences  
of our hearts. Think how many people

sang before us, gave us a name, a voice,  
taught us the right words. We must  
cherish them by remembering every song.  
When we sing to others, we honor  
our fathers and mothers, thank them

for this day of profound scarlet and gray  
pomp and circumstance. O, come  
let's sing Ohio's praise, And songs  
to Alma Mater raise. Alma mater.  
Ohio State is our sweet, nurturing mother.

We came of age here, with her help.  
Well, Mother, we love you, but, like,  
it's time we moved out, got a place  
of our own. You're standing there,  
Mom, gray hair, eyes scarlet

from crying. We won't forget you.  
Now, even though this ceremony  
means we're being weaned, taken off  
the nipple, let's take care to cherish her  
all our days. Let's remember

the words to the songs she taught us,  
and pass them on. We'll remember  
always, Graduation Day. Summer's heat,  
and winter's cold, The seasons pass,  
the years will roll, Time and change

will surely show How firm thy friendship,  
O-hi-O. We call that little number  
Carmen Ohio. Carmen means song  
in Latin. You've worked hard; she  
is your reward; today is your reward.

You're filled to overflowing with  
the notes, the poems we've written  
together. You know the score.  
Continue to work hard for yourselves,  
and one another. Find the ones who need

you to sing to, for them, in the world.  
Graduates, this joyful litany, this hymn  
our ancestors collaborated on with us,  
the calling of your name today is music  
to our ears. Sing that name proudly

all your days, as if your life depended  
on it. It does, you know. It has been  
an honor for me to speak—and sing—  
to you today. Thank you, graduates,  
and, again, Congratulations.



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