ALMA MATER

Alabama, listen, Mother,
To our vows of love,
To thyself and to each other
Faithful friends we'll prove.

Faithful, loyal, firm and true
Heart bound to heart will beat
Year by year, the ages through
Until in Heaven we meet.

College days are swiftly fleeting,
Soon we'll leave thy halls
Ne'er to join another meeting
'Neath thy hallowed walls.

Faithful, loyal, firm and true
Heart bound to heart will beat
Year by year, the ages through
Until in Heaven we meet.

So, farewell, dear Alma Mater.
May thy name, we pray,
Be reverenced ever, pure and stainless
As it is today.

Faithful, loyal, firm and true
Heart bound to heart will beat
Year by year, the ages through
Until in Heaven we meet.

—Helen Vickers, 1908
One Hundred Seventy-Eighth

SATURDAY, AUGUST 9, 2008 • COLEMAN COLISEUM
COMMENCEMENT CEREMONY DECORUM AND COURTESY

The faculty and staff at The University of Alabama congratulate you on your academic achievement and wish to ensure the commencement ceremony will be a fitting conclusion to this phase of your education!

The University of Alabama Commencement ceremony is, by its very nature, a festive occasion. The festivity manifests itself in many ways including the dress of the students; the faculty adorned in academic regalia; and the warmth, joy and satisfaction of accomplishment. The ceremony is also marked by seriousness where the actual conferring of degrees signifies long, hard work on the part of everyone involved: students, faculty, administrators, parents and spouses. As a consequence of the serious nature of the ceremony, students and guests are expected to maintain a measure of decorum consonant with the occasion.

The University community requests that audience participation be of respectful celebration honoring the commitment to learning and the fulfillment of dreams shared by all degree candidates that today walk across the stage. This element of respectful celebration also extends to the parents, guardians and spouses whose labor and support brings pride to the fulfillment of these dreams, and to the family members aspiring to one day have their moment of “walking across the stage.”
ORDER OF EXERCISES

Processional
Alabama Wind Ensemble
Dr. Kenneth B. Ozzello, Conductor

The National Anthem
James H. Seay III
Music Major
(Graduate Level)

The Invocation
The Reverend Scott C. Thayer
First Christian Church

Welcome
Dr. Robert E. Witt
President
The University of Alabama

Conferring of Degrees
Dr. Robert E. Witt

National Alumni Association Greeting
Wilbur W. Masters
President

The Alma Mater
James H. Seay III

The Recessional
Alabama Wind Ensemble

Commencement Marshal
Dr. Carolyn Callis
Head and Associate Professor
Clothing, Textiles, and Interior Design

Ceremony Interpreted for the Deaf and Hearing Impaired by
Susan Gordon
Ellen Bowman
Since its founding in 1831 in Tuscaloosa as the first public university in the state, The University of Alabama has been committed to providing the best, most complete education possible for its students. Our commitment to that goal means that as times change, we sharpen our focus and methods to keep our graduates competitive in their fields. By offering outstanding teaching in a solid core curriculum enhanced by multimedia classrooms and campuswide computer labs, The University of Alabama anticipates the future while maintaining a traditional college atmosphere. Extensive international study opportunities, internship programs, and cooperative education placements help our students prepare for successful futures.

The over 200 buildings on our 1,000-acre campus include four original structures that survived the 1865 burning of the University by Union troops. One of those, the observatory where F. A. P. Barnard pioneered the study of astronomy in Alabama, is now the home of the Computer-Based Honors Program, in which undergraduate students apply computer technology to research across the curriculum. The span of the University’s history and its trajectory into the future are also embodied in the University Libraries, Museums, and Special Collections, 11 facilities in which artifacts of the past and sophisticated information technology combine to provide resources for students, scholars, and the public.

Offering degrees in over 75 majors, the University gives its more than 25,000 students a wide range of choices and offers courses of study at the bachelor’s, master’s, specialist, and doctoral levels.

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The Academic Procession

The processional signifies the beginning of the commencement ceremony. The Commencement Marshal presides over the Academic Procession; leads the platform party to the stage; escorts the honorary degree candidate and the special recognition recipients to the presidential podium for honorary degree conferral or special recognition citation reading; and signifies the closing of the ceremony by leading the platform party from the stage. The Commencement Marshal is the bearer of the ceremonial mace. As the processional music begins, the procession led by the candidates, followed by faculty, then the platform party, will enter the arena floor and go to their designated seating. The audience should rise once the processional music has begun and remain until after the invocation.

Commencement Marshal
Dr. Carolyn Callis

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The caps and gowns worn by graduates, faculty and platform party are based on the academic costumes used in universities of the fourteenth or fifteenth centuries, particularly at Oxford and Cambridge. These academic costumes, sometimes referred to as academic regalia, are based on the early European universities costumes, and these have been used in the United States since colonial times. In 1895, American universities responded to a growing problem of varying academic costumes by creating an Intercollegiate Code to establish standardized academic costumes. Black is the most common color of academic gowns.

In the fall of 1999, a new doctoral gown was authorized for all University of Alabama students earning a doctorate degree. Designed to distinguish University of Alabama doctoral degree graduates, this new doctoral gown was introduced for the 21st century. The new doctoral gowns were worn for the first time at the May 2000 ceremony.
The doctoral gown includes two crimson University of Alabama seals on the front panel of the gown, while the traditional doctoral bars are piped with crimson. The new doctoral gowns place The University of Alabama among a select group of universities who have their own doctoral gowns including Harvard, Yale, Stanford and Princeton.

The members of The University of Alabama Board of Trustees wear doctoral gowns of charcoal gray trimmed in black velvet. The Commencement Marshal wears a crimson doctoral gown trimmed in red velvet. Graduates may be identified by the color of the tassel on the black mortar board which signifies the School or if they are receiving an advanced degree, the color of the band on the hood, which signifies the field of study.

Doctor of Education ................................................................. Light Blue
Doctor of Musical Arts ............................................................... Pink
Doctor of Public Administration ................................................. Peacock Blue
Doctor of Philosophy ................................................................. Dark Blue
Juris Doctor ................................................................. Purple
Arts and Sciences ................................................................. White
Commerce and Business Administration ................................... Tan
Communication ................................................................. Red
Education ................................................................. Light Blue
Engineering ................................................................. Orange
Human Environmental Sciences ............................................... Maroon
Nursing ................................................................. Apricot
Social Work ................................................................. Yellow

The University of Alabama awards degrees with honors to undergraduate students in all schools and colleges who throughout their academic careers consistently achieved meritorious scholastic standing. These designations are summa cum laude, magna cum laude and cum laude. Summa cum laude is the highest academic distinction awarded. Honor graduates are listed at the beginning of each college or school's section of the program. These graduates wear stoles in the traditional colors of their school or college. Silver cords indicate participation in the University Honors Program. Royal blue and gold cords indicate participation in the International Honors Program. Computer Based Honors is represented by the purple honor cord.

At the conclusion of the ceremony, the audience will rise for the singing of the “Alma Mater” and the recessional. The words to the “Alma Mater” are printed on the back cover of the program. The recessional is led by the platform party, followed by the faculty and the candidates. Candidates should meet their family members and guests at predetermined designated areas outside the coliseum.

The University of Alabama conditionally confers degrees upon all candidates for the degrees of Educational Specialists through undergraduate. Candidates for Doctor of Education, Doctor of Musical Arts, Doctor of Public Administration and Doctor of Philosophy degrees are actual degree recipients and will receive their diploma at the ceremony. Diplomas for all other candidates who successfully meet degree requirements will be mailed to their permanent address of record upon the completion of final grade submission and degree verification, approximately one month after the ceremony. Honors designations are calculated on previous semesters grade point average. The honor announced, depending upon calculation of final grade point average, may change or in some cases the degree candidate may not actually graduate with an honor designation.

Enhanced audience platform viewing is provided by the University of Alabama Athletic Department’s Jumbotron and the Center for Public Television. Our sincere appreciation is extended to the Athletic Department for the use of this technology and to the Center for Public Television for the production.

An interpreter for hearing impaired spectators will be stationed on the stage.

Drinking fountains and restroom facilities are located on the main concourse area of the Coliseum.
The Alabama Wind Ensemble

The Alabama Wind Ensemble, founded in 1985, is a select 50-member group of advanced wind and percussion players dedicated to the performance of the finest concert wind music. The group has performed at national and regional conventions of the College Band Directors National Association and the Music Educators National Conference seven times and has been invited twice to present concerts for the prestigious World Association of Symphonic Bands and Ensembles international conferences. The 2007-2008 season was highlighted by the world premiere of Ira Hearshen’s composition titled “Enterprise.” The piece (commissioned by The University of Alabama) was performed in Enterprise as part of the memorial service marking the one-year anniversary of the storm that destroyed Enterprise High School and took the lives of eight students. World-class soloists, conductors and composers who have appeared with the ensemble include James Barnes, Roger Bobo, Brian Bowman, Nigel Clark, Frederick Fennell, Frederick Hemka, Karl Husa, Alex Klein, Christian Lindberg, Eugene Rousseau, Eric Ruske, Arturo Sandoval, Dale Underwood and Allen Vizzutti.

Selections

Processional

Pomp and Circumstance: March No. 1 ................................................... Edward Elgar
Olympic Fanfare and Theme ............................................................. James Curnow

Recessional

The Olympic Spirit ............................................................................ John W. Williams
GRADUATE SCHOOL
DAVID A. FRANCKO, DEAN
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Stephanie Scogin Ledbetter - Athens
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Dissertation: Teacher Mentoring in the State of Alabama: A Case Study of Three Schools.
Dissertation Director: Dr. Douglas McKnight

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Educational Administration
Dissertation: Selecting Assistant Principals: The Influence of Applicant Gender, Years of Experience and Organizational Level of the Position.
Dissertation Director: Dr. David Hardy

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Timothy Mark Chambers - Suffolk, VA
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Dissertation: 5 Poems of Nicholas Barker for Chamber Ensemble.
Dissertation Director: Dr. Craig P. First

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Applied Statistics
Dissertation: Neural Network Control Charts for Poisson Processes.
Dissertation Director: Dr. B. Michael Adams

Billie Sue Anderson - Mobile
Applied Statistics
Dissertation Director: Dr. J. Michael Hardin

Jayendra Balasubramanian - Chennai, India
Chemical Engineering
Dissertation: Computer Simulations of FePt Nanoparticles.
Dissertation Director: Dr. John M. Weist

Zachary Leslie Barnes - Mobile
Educational Administration
Dissertation: Teaching Incompetency as a Cause for Dismissal in K-12 Schools.
Dissertation Director: Dr. David Dagley

Serena Haygood Blount - Northport
English
Dissertation Director: Dr. Richard A. Rand

Vivian Joelle Bonamy - Birmingham
Romance Languages
Dissertation: Yanito Codeswitching and Language Use in Gibraltar.
Dissertation Director: Dr. Michael D. Picone

Samantha Althea Elliott Briggs - St. Louis, MO
Instructional Leadership
Dissertation: Gender Based Learning: The Case of a Southern State’s Initiative.
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Mary Frances Campbell - Memphis, TN
Anthropology
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Finance
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Materials and Metallurgical Engineering
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Romance Languages
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Computer Science
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Dissertation Director: Dr. Ramana G. Reddy

Jian Zhong - Xinzhou, China
Materials Science
Dissertation Director: Dr. Raghvendra K. Pandey

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Karen Young Watts - Albertville
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Travis Danford Seese - Maylene
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Brandon Scott Pfister - Moorreestown, NJ magna cum laude
Kyle Frederick Phillips - Coker magna cum laude
Anne Elizabeth Pool - Tuscaloosa magna cum laude
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Chase Copeland Sims - Hamilton magna cum laude
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David Andrew Steakley - Huntsville magna cum laude
Jeremy Charles Steele - Vestavia Hills magna cum laude
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  - cum laude
- Rodrick David Black - Decatur
- Savannah Leigh Bonds - Douglas
- Katie Rae Brandon - Cullman
  - magna cum laude
- Lindsey F. Brown - Dalton, GA
- Jason C. Casey - Arab
- Anthony D. Doughty - Tuscaloosa
- Lauren M. Dyer - Northport
- Katherine M. Frisby - Memphis, TN
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- Jeffery B. Laney - Huntsville
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  - magna cum laude
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  - summa cum laude
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- Andrei Ponta - Tuscaloosa
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cum laude
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B2 Doctor of Musical Arts
B3 Doctor of Public Admin
B4 Doctor Of Philosophy
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B9 Education
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C2 Human Environmental Sciences
C3 Arts and Sciences
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Alabama, listen, Mother,
To our vows of love,
To thyself and to each other
Faithful friends we’ll prove.

Faithful, loyal, firm and true
Heart bound to heart will beat
Year by year, the ages through
Until in Heaven we meet.

College days are swiftly fleeting,
Soon we’ll leave thy halls
Ne’er to join another meeting
Neath thy hallowed walls.

Faithful, loyal, firm and true
Heart bound to heart will beat
Year by year, the ages through
Until in Heaven we meet.

So, farewell, dear Alma Mater.
May thy name, we pray,
Be revered ever, pure and stainless
As it is today.

Faithful, loyal, firm and true
Heart bound to heart will beat
Year by year, the ages through
Until in Heaven we meet.

—Helen Vickers, 1908