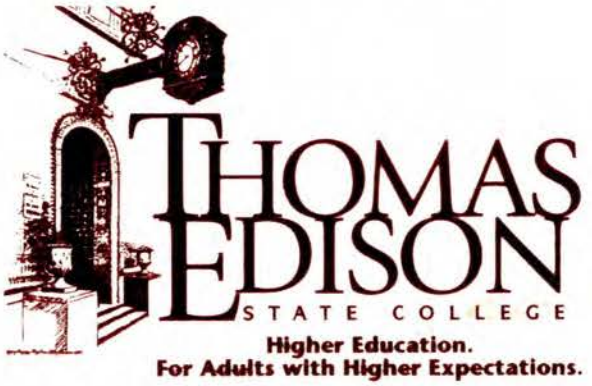
The Twenty-Ninth Annual Commencement

October 13, 2001
2 p.m.

War Memorial
Trenton, New Jersey



A TRADITION OF EXCELLENCE: THOMAS EDISON STATE COLLEGE

Thomas Edison State College, one of America's preeminent educational institutions, provides adults with access to the best choices in higher education. Cited as "one of the brighter stars of higher learning" by *The New York Times* and one of the top 20 colleges and universities in the nation in the use of technology to create learning opportunities for adults by *Forbes* magazine, Thomas Edison State College enables adults to build on their past achievements as a bridge to their future success.

The College offers the highest quality education to adults who have the inspiration, self-discipline and energy to complete a college degree despite the many conflicting demands of career, family and community. Founded in 1972, this world-renowned institution offers 15 associate, baccalaureate and master's degrees in 100 major areas of study. Thomas Edison State College provides adults from every state in the U.S. and more than 79 countries with a wide variety of ways to complete a quality degree.



The College, its leadership and programs are a tribute to its illustrious history. A city, state and federal landmark, the College's Kelsey Building is listed on the national Register of Historic Places and is recognized as one of the most important visual landmarks of the State House Historic District. Originally built by Henry Cooper Kelsey, a banker and politician with an appreciation for the arts, the Kelsey Building was dedicated to his wife, Prudence Townsend Kelsey, who died in 1904. The building was dedicated in 1911 as the School for Industrial Arts. In 1979, when Thomas Edison State College was looking to move from office space it had outgrown in the Forrestal Center outside of Princeton, N.J., the state was looking for an appropriate tenant for the landmark Kelsey Building, while the city sought to preserve the building's historic use as a school. All three concerns were brought together when state Senate President Joseph P. Merlino persuaded Gov. Brendan T. Byrne that along with five adjoining townhouses, the Kelsey Building, was ideal for College expansion.

Today, Thomas Edison State College's presence has expanded throughout the capital city. The College's Trenton, N.J. campus embraces the Kelsey Building at 101 W. State St., the Academic Center at 167 E. Hanover St., the Kuser Mansion at 315 W. State St.—home of the John S. Watson Institute for Public Policy, and five restored historic townhouses adjacent to the Kelsey Building. This facility comprises five nineteenth-century townhouses that have been restored to their original architectural style. They house the College's newly designed distance learning support, development and delivery facilities, as well as electronic classrooms, computer labs and educational conference and training rooms.

Thomas Edison State College, however, isn't contained by bricks and mortar. The College's reach is felt by all those who strive to create a better future for themselves and for their communities. In the true spirit of inspiration and innovation, Thomas Edison State College will continue to reinvent the future of higher education throughout the new millennium.

The Twenty-ninth Commencement of

THOMAS EDISON STATE COLLEGE

Dr. Jerry Ice
Vice President Emeritus
Presiding

Order of Ceremony

Processional	*"Pomp and Circumstance"* by Sir Edward Elgar
Opening Remarks	Dr. Jerry Ice Vice President Emeritus
"America, the Beautiful"	by Samuel A. Ward and Katherine Lee Bates Princeton Pro Musica, Frances Slade, Artistic Director
Welcome and Introduction	Carole A. Nerlino-Cerepak Chairman, Board of Trustees Thomas Edison State College
Greetings	The Honorable Douglas Palmer Mayor, City of Trenton
Conferring of Honorary Degrees	Dr. George A. Pruitt President, Thomas Edison State College
Doctor of Humane Letters *honoris causa*	Urban G. Whitaker Former Director and Founder The Learning Center
Doctor of Humane Letters *honoris causa*	Chief Roy Crazy Horse Executive Director Powhatan Indians of Delaware Valley, Coalition of Eastern Native Americans
Doctor of Humane Letters *honoris causa*	Maurice T. Perilli Chairman of the Board, Roma Federal Savings Bank
Doctor of Humane Letters *honoris causa*	Deborah T. Poritz Chief Justice, Supreme Court of New Jersey
Musical Presentation	"Gloria" by Antonio Vivaldi, Princeton Pro Musica, Frances Slade, Artistic Director
Conferring of Degrees	Dr. George A. Pruitt
Presidential Charge	Dr. George A. Pruitt
Response for Graduates	Carla Tisdale-Walker
Induction into the Alumni Association	Howard Butt President, Alumni Association Thomas Edison State College
Closing Remarks	Dr. Jerry Ice
Singing of the Alma Mater	Princeton Pro Musica Frances Slade, Artistic Director
Recessional	Fugue in E-flat Major, "St. Anne" (BWV522,2) by J. S. Bach

Everyone is asked to stand during the Processional, the singing of the Alma Mater and the Recessional.

Master of Science in Management

Michaela C. Benson, *Lawrenceville, N.J.*
Marcellus Anthony Bierman, *New Egypt, N.J.*
Raymond Arthur Birchler Jr., *Lavallette, N.J.*
***Janet Brenner,** *Margate City, N.J.*
Vincent Antonio Brown, *Burlington, N.J.*
Lisa Marie Carlucci, *Princeton, N.J.*
Louis Michael Caron, *Burlington, N.J.*
Diane Consalvo Chierchie, *East Brunswick, N.J.*
Cia Cianci, *Greenville, Pa.*
***Martin Conway,** *Tujunga, Calif.*
Elizabeth A. Crocker, *Hawthorne, N.J.*
Berneta L. Dupree, *Long Branch, N.J.*
Jeffrey Joseph Eget, *Ewing, N.J.*
***Mario Enriquez,** *Pembrook Pines, Fla.*
Douglas Edward Fee, *Howell, N.J.*
Lilyan McConomy Ferraro, *Levittown, Pa.*
Bright Foo, *Maynard, Mass.*
Sandra Cochran-Fritz, *Lapeer, Mich.*
***Christine Gamboa,** *Vineland, N.J.*
Nancy H. Gasen, *Hilton Head Island, S.C.*
Travis Goodwin, *Edmonds, W.A.*
George Gonzalez, *Old Bridge, N.J.*
James Grayson Grant, *Woodstown, N.J.*
Janine Gregor, *Lakewood, N.J.*
Eileen Mary Horton, *East Windsor, N.J.*
Sezlyn N. Johnson, *San Diego, Calif.*
Nicholas Anthony Landolfi, III, *Tinton Falls, N.J.*
Rosemary R. Lane, *Oceanport, N.J.*
Lida Leff, *New York, N.Y.*
Gordon Neil Leichter, *Pittsford, N.Y.*
Beverly Levy, *Yardley, Pa.*
Dorthy Davis Martin, *Graniteville, S.C.*
John T. McDonald, Jr., *Maple Shade, N.J.*
Robert L. McGowan, *Manahawkin, N.J.*
Shawn Michael McInerney, *Belvidere, N.J.*
Deborah Megaro, *Howell, N.J.*
Kurt Richard Mey, *Oak Ridge, N.J.*
Slavko Paul Miling, *Verona, N.Y.*
***Richard Newman,** *Egg Harbor Township, N.J.*
Laurence Douglas Nibbling, *Atlantic Highlands, N.J.*
Thomas Reinert, *New Albany, Ind.*
Fred Wilhelm Remen, *Loxahatchee, Fla.*
Lynne Herchelle Riggins, *Washington, D.C.*
***David Rouan,** *Mineral Ridge, Ohio*
Marie Pureza L. Ruiz, *Kearny, N.J.*
Michael Joseph Simko, *Summit, N.J.*
Sheila Smallwood, *Absecon, N.J.*
Scott Francis Snair, *Old Bridge, N.J.*
***Kathleen Soucek,** *Edison, N.J.*
Mary Elizabeth Stanko-Strack, *Lanoka Harbor, N.J.*
Stuart B. Teller, *Nutley, N.J.*
***James Thayer,** *Wallkill, N.Y.*
Carla Tisdale-Walker, *Voorhees, N.J.*
***Frank Toscano,** *Kendall Park, N.J.*
Gerald Totaro, *Belle Mead, N.J.*
***Donald Troutman,** *Mobile, Ala.*
***Kris Tucker,** *Mt. Laurel, N.J.*
Matthew B. Verdun, *Monroe Township, N.J.*
Gregory Vidnanski, *Perth Amboy, N.J.*
Lola Walker, *Newark, N.J.*
Ronald White, *Katy, Texas*
Mark Scott Wyatt, *Jamison, Pa.*
Eric Jay Zaslavsky, *Morganville, N.J.*

** Degree to be completed in December 2001*

Bachelor of Arts

Nechama Abowitz, *Brooklyn, N.Y.*
Marjorie Anne Abrams, *Hamilton, N.J.*
Althea Marisa Alexander, *Trenton, N.J.*
Emily Suzanne, Alhadeff, *Baltimore, Md.*
William Earl Ammon, *Summit, N.J.*
Patricia S. Amussen, *Hawthorne, Nev.*
Marsha Lee Anderson, *Stockton Springs, Maine*
Keith A. Andrews, *Quakertown, Pa.*
Sharon Leah Anemer, *Brooklyn, N.Y.*
Stephanie Ann Angelucci-Southern, *Haddon Heights, N.J.*
Devorah M. Anisfeld, *Toronto, Canada*
Miriam Applegrad, *Brooklyn, N.Y.*
Eric Paul Arneson, *Glenview, Ill.*
Malka Liba Aronson, *Monsey, N.Y.*
Maureen Elizabeth Aubrey, *Califon, N.J.*
Frances Susan Auchmoody, *Hamilton Township, N.J.*
Dominique Brigitte Aulgur, *Bel Air, Md.*
Miriam Louise Austin, *Burley, Idaho*
Marlene Baccaro, *Flanders, N.J.*
Lyn F. Ballam, *North Pole, Alaska*
Kimberly Kay Bals, *Lincoln, Neb.*
Chaya Leah Basch, *Lakewood, N.J.*
Pearl D. Basch, *Brooklyn, N.Y.*
Aida Bidnick, *Des Moines, Iowa*
Rachel A. Bashevkin, *Lawrence, N.Y.*
Michal T. Baumann, *Miami Beach, Fla.*
Peter Hobson Beasley, *Orlando, Fla.*
Sally Ann Beckett, *Fort Myers, Fla.*
Joe Bednarsh, *Fair Lawn, N.J.*
Muriel Belz, *Berchem, Belgium*
Tiffany H. Bendorf, *Ocean Springs, Miss.*
Jennifer Lynn Berardo, *Ocean, N.J.*
Vera Berdichevsky, *Lakewood, N.J.*

Mindy Berger, *Lakewood, N.J.*
Pamela Nechama Berger, *Northbrook, Ill.*
Leah Toby Bergstein, *Monsey, N.Y.*
Shira L. Berkowitz, *Baltimore, Md.*
Zisi R. Berkowitz, *Lakewood, N.J.*
Ronaele Kathleen Berry, *Sacramento, Calif.*
Randall Scott Betten, *Riverside, Calif.*
Virginia Jean Bicking, *Camden, N.J.*
Allen Bien, *Skillman, N.J.*
Steven Dwane Bittinger, *Oakland, Md.*
Warren Korban Blackburn, *Goose Creek, S.C.*
Shelly Blau, *Baltimore, Md.*
Talila Blinder, *Atlanta, Ga.*
Simi Bloch, *Lakewood, N.J.*
Barbara Jean Bock, *Jefferson, N.H.*
Brocha Bodner, *Brooklyn, N.Y.*
Malka Bomrind, *Brooklyn, N.Y.*
Christine Michele Boney, *Beach Haven Gardens, N.J.*
Kirk Andrew Booker, *Wilmington, Del.*
Sheila Ann Borchert, *Bloomfield, N.J.*
Bruce Alan Borenstein, *Grover Beach, Calif.*
Susan E. Boyd-Shelly, *Ewing, N.J.*
Judith Boylan, *Lakewood, N.J.*
Thomas John Brady, *Wall Township, N.J.*
Raizy Brander, *Brooklyn, N.Y.*
Fraidy Brander, *Brooklyn, N.Y.*
Alan Gaston Brassard, *Durham, N.C.*
Elizabeth Yvette Braun, *Rego Park, N.Y.*
Yitty Braun, *Lakewood, N.J.*
Emeline Elizabeth Briley, *Collingswood, N.J.*
Shoshana Brudny, *Lakewood, N.J.*
Linda Jean Erkert-Bullock, *Newtown, Pa.*
Chana Shira Bulman, *Toronto, Canada*
Ardena Leigh Busby, *Whiting, N.J.*
Leslie Knapp Byers, *Drexel Hill, Pa.*
Kathryn Campano, *Chatham, N.J.*
Juana Cantador, *Branchburg, N.J.*
Laura M. Capriotti, *Bordentown, N.J.*
Nevada Carabelli-Doherty, *East Windsor, N.J.*
Maria Luisa Cardenas, *Millville, N.J.*
Brian Keith Carione, *Clayton, N.J.*
Rosina M. Carosa, *Trenton, N.J.*
Linda E. Carroll, *Hackettstown, N.J.*
Richard Scott Cassenti, *Mount Holly, N.J.*
William Gary Cassin, *Jacksonville, Fla.*
Lesley Castellini, *Tinton Falls, N.J.*
Michele Castrorao, *East Brunswick, N.J.*
Lucille Theresa Cerami, *Fairfield, N.J.*
Aliza Devorah Chait, *Spring Valley, N.Y.*
David Oliver Chapman, *Fairbanks, Alaska*
Ellen Marie Cheeka, *Piscataway, N.J.*
Shoshana Rochel Chesney, *Chicago, Ill.*
Doris Katherine Chiappetta, *New Fairfield, Conn.*
Marlene Ann Christensen, *Point Pleasant, N.J.*
Andrea Churner, *Plainsboro, N.J.*
Theresa V. Cifelli, *Holmdel, N.J.*
Janet Whorf Cisco, *Denville, N.J.*
Paulette Aycock Claire, *Atascadero, Calif.*
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Shera R. Cohen, *Monsey, N.Y.*
Rebecca D. Cole, *Red Oak, Okla.*
Beth Louise Compagnucci, *Trenton, N.J.*
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Louis Reade Cruz, *San Diego, Calif.*
Mary Gloria Dalton, *Basking Ridge, N.J.*
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Edward Robert Davenport, *Cranford, N.J.*
Michael Davis, *Indianapolis, Ind.*
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Vivienne Dellmina Dawson, *Hackensack, N.J.*
Lisa Ann Dello Stritto, *Fair Lawn, N.J.*
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John Allen Devanney, *Bel Air, Md.*
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Kellyann M. Dinneen, *Redondo Beach, Calif.*
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Laurie Jeanne Downs, *Brick, N.J.*
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Aviva Miriam Drucker, *Highland Park, N.J.*
Dennis Arthur DuBois, *Colonia, N.J.*
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Steven Anthony Hasselbach, *Bordentown, N.J.*
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Daniel Lee Hausser, *Jackson, N.J.*
Lisa Michelle Havens, *Naples, Fla.*
Mindy Chana Hecht, *Brooklyn, N.Y.*
Aviva D. Heckscher, *Jerusalem, Israel*
Scott Arthur Herreman, *Atco, N.J.*
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Bryan Yong Hong, *Monterey, Calif.*
Gwendolyn Hooks, *Plainfield, N.J.*
Matthew William Hopkins, *Cedar Grove, N.J.*
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Marco Leonidas Hurtado-Olazo, *South Orange, N.J.*
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Towa Iczkovits, *Zurich, Switzerland*
Ayisha Malikah Ingram, *Newark, N.J.*
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Leah Rochel Jankelovits, *Brooklyn, N.Y.*
James Robert Jankowski, *Atco, N.J.*
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Christine Ann Jordan, *North Plainfield, N.J.*
Julie Annette Kadrmas, *New York, N.Y.*
Chaya Baila Kaganoff, *Jerusalem, Israel*

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Golda Kaminsky, *Brooklyn, N.Y.*
Rochel Kaminsky, *Brooklyn, N.Y.*
Sophia Johanna Karelsefelsenfeld, *Sherman Oaks, Calif.*
Jeanne Elisa Kataoka, *Hemet, Calif.*
Aviva Katz, *Lakewood, N.J.*
Liba M. Kempler, *Brooklyn, N.Y.*
Kathryn Jane Kennedy, *Flemington, N.J.*
Kenneth Bryan Kern, *Flemington, N.J.*
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Deena Zelata Kibel, *Cincinnati, Ohio*
Cathi Ann Kiger, *Indianapolis, Ind.*
Richard Michael Kildare, *Santa Barbara, Calif.*
Ryan W. Kim, *Baltimore, Md.*
Hyun Joo Kim, *Hasbrouck Heights, N.J.*
Kathie T. Kimchick, *Hamilton Square, N.J.*
Terrence Patrick King, *South Bend, Ind.*
Betty-Jean King, *Wall, N.J.*
Flossie Bell King-Davis, *Hillside, N.J.*
Ayelet Klein, *Los Angeles, Calif.*
Carol Ann Klein, *Lebanon, N.J.*
Esther Fraydy Klein, *Brooklyn, N.Y.*
Chava Esther Klinger, *Lakewood, N.J.*
Edward George Klybus, *Kearny, N.J.*
David Stanley Kollar, *Wilkes-Barre, Pa.*
Tova S. Koperwas Green, *Thornhill, Canada*
Ali L. Koretzky, *Baltimore, Md.*
Rachel Ostrov Krancer, *Far Rockaway, N.J.*
William Paul Krause, Jr., *Spotswood, N.J.*
Sara E. Krauss, *Brooklyn, N.Y.*
Michelle Gail Kreitner, *Brooklyn, N.Y.*
Tzila R. Krohn, *Jerusalem, Israel*
Roman Krupa, *Portland, Ore.*
Scott Preston Laff, *Lake Bluff, Ill.*
Angela Maria La Manna, *Toms River, N.J.*
Genna Sandy Larsen-Lansford, *Tulare, Calif.*
Suzanne Stapleton Latimer, *Mount Holly, N.J.*
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Esther Malka Lercher, *Brooklyn, N.Y.*
Chana Sarah Lerman, *Lincolnwood, Ill.*
Chana Lesin, *Lakewood, N.J.*
Miriam C. Levenson, *Elizabeth, N.J.*
Averelle Essie Levings, *Phoenix, Ariz.*
Bella Levitan, *Lakewood, N.J.*
Steve Levitt, *Maplewood, N.J.*
Delicia Dawn Lewis, *Poteet, Texas*
Angelique Marie Lhèrisson, *Trenton, N.J.*
Huiyi Li, *La Canada, Calif.*
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Gayle Arlene Maddox, *Trappe, Md.*
Diane Helene Magnuski, *Seattle, Wash.*
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Crea Maura Mallery, *Smithville, N.J.*
Joseph C. Mallon, *Fort Myers, Fla.*
Darryl Jerome Mapp, *Cherry Hill, N.J.*
Diane Elizabeth Marcks, *Palm Desert, Calif.*
Joe Mariani, *Lambertville, N.J.*
Rachel Bat-Tzion Marin, *Passaic, N.J.*
Amy Louise Marsh, *Freehold, N.J.*
John Frederick Marston, *Manassas, Va.*
Ann M. Martin, *Cinnaminson, N.J.*
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Robert Alan Matulich, *Long Beach, Calif.*
Susan Joy Mazeika, *Marlton, N.J.*
Brian McCarty, *Jersey City, N.J.*
Adele Rita McCloskey, *Cherry Hill, N.J.*
Michael James McCool, *Yardley, Pa.*
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Mark Mc Glone, *Lawrenceville, N.J.*
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Deborah Merolla, *Jackson, N.J.*
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Amanda Karen Miller, *Parlin, N.J.*
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Malka Liza Mizrachi, *Cincinnati, Ohio*
Magdalena Monet, *Flemington, N.J.*
Bethany Christina Morgan, *Bristol, Ind.*
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Douglas Robert Mroczek, *Los Angeles, Calif.*
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David S. Brooks, *Saint Elizabeth, Jamaica*
Gerard Joseph Brown, *Slatington, Pa.*
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David Christopher Carlucci, *Somerset, N.J.*
Joan Edith Centifonti, *Bordentown, N.J.*
Hsiao-Ling Chung, *Lawrenceville, N.J.*
Toni Gail Ciarlariello, *Flemington, N.J.*
Janet Moresco Clark, *Fanwood, N.J.*
Grace M. Clemente, *Denville, N.J.*
Trina M. Colt, *Titusville, N.J.*
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Joyce Yvonne Dandy, *Saint Catherine, Jamaica*
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Herman Albert Davis, *Somerset, N.J.*
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Silvia Dukes, *Cocoa, Fla.*
Lisa Dunfee, *Beltsville, Md.*
Salomie Adassa Ebanks, *Saint Elizabeth, Jamaica*
Michael Economos, *Staten Island, N.Y.*
Gene Lee Ellender, *Lake Charles, La.*
John D. Estep, *Quantico, Va.*
Dorothea J. Falco, *Oradell, N.J.*
Catherine M. Ferdetta, *Ewing, N.J.*
Caren Sollish Fitzpatrick, *Somers Point, N.J.*
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Helen Patricia Gaydos, *Aurora, Colo.*
Kathleen Marie Gehring, *Belle Mead, N.J.*
David Gary Gelona, *Northfield, N.J.*
Ronald P. George, *South Amboy, N.J.*
Cynthia Ann Geppert, *Charlotte, N.C.*
Mark Anthony Giordano, *Robbinsville, N.J.*
Miriam M. Gordon, *Manchester, Jamaica*
Edmund John Grassia, *Swedesboro, N.J.*
Marc Andrew Graybush, *Denville, N.J.*
Christina Marie Greenberg, *Mercerville, N.J.*
Robert Gary Haddix, *Sicklerville, N.J.*
Kim Hardy, *Fort Dix, N.J.*
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Eileen Edwina Hazard, *Irving, Texas*
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Patricia Holloway, *Iselin, N.J.*
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Morrison Peter Parillon, *Plainfield, N.J.*
Michaelle Marie Pascale, *Belle Mead, N.J.*
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Sharon Diane Ryan, *Howell, N.J.*
Donever Paul Salmon, *Saint Ann, Jamaica*
Roseann Schantz, *Holland, Pa.*
Heidi Schwab, *Mount Holly, N.J.*
Michelle Anne Sienko, *South Plainfield, N.J.*
Michael Milverton Simpson, *Manchester, Jamaica*
Michael Slabotzky, *Chicago, Ill.*
David Glen Smith, *Margate, N.J.*
Pareasa Rugeana Stevens, *Cincinnati, Ohio*
Suzanne Meryl Barr Streets, *East Windsor, N.J.*
Kathleen Dawn Strickland, *Sewell, N.J.*
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Sarah Jean Taylor, *East Windsor, N.J.*
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Laura Eve Thomas, *Plainfield, N.J.*
Kathy A. Tulenko, *Clifton, N.J.*
Shohreh Abrari-Venouss, *Somerset, N.J.*
Michael Anthony Ventura, *Absecon, N.J.*
Kalyanarama I. Venugopal, *Piscataway, N.J.*
Tina Irene Visingardi, *Colts Neck, N.J.*
Patrick Charles Walker, *Ocean Springs, Miss.*
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Fern Elizabeth Williams, *Pensacola, Fla.*
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Bachelor of Science in Nursing

Constance Carol Archibald, *Milford, N.J.*
Judith Ann Bol, *Matawan, N.J.*
Ronda Lee Carter, *APO, AE*
Karen Ciccarone, *Newton, N.J.*
Jeanette Pamplin Croken, *Red Bank, N.J.*
Lurline Decambre, *Matawan, N.J.*
Constance Liurni Fort, *Belmar, N.J.*
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Gail C. Hogancamp, *Bordentown, N.J.*
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Paul Richard LaMothe, Jr., *Mercerville, N.J.*
Tracy Lea Lefkowich, *Jackson, N.J.*
Giovanna del Pilar Link, *Bordentown, N.J.*
Kellee Ann McCarthy, *Basking Ridge, N.J.*
Dylan Joseph McDonald, *Nicholville, N.Y.*
Jeffrey Lynn McGlamery, *Washington, D.C.*
Jennifer M. McHugh, *Nuangola, Pa.*
Anne M. Mikolay, *Middletown, N.J.*
David Justin Naylor, *Livingston, N.J.*
Suzanne Kristy Nizolek, *Sayreville, N.J.*
Laura M. O'Reilly, *Wall, N.J.*
David John Peterson, *Hackensack, N.J.*
Serge Henry Ridoux, *Sea Girt, N.J.*
David L. Roberts, *Hoboken, N.J.*
Jim Rubino, *Hillsborough, N.J.*
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Michael Shawn Walton, *Killen, Ala.*
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Associate in Science in Management

Diane Elizabeth Bean, *Smyrna, Tenn.*
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Jeanette Bobinski, *Bayonne, N.J.*
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Lynn Pribbernow, *Manchester, N.J.*
Denise Slater, *Roselle, N.J.*
Colleen D. Smith, *Palisades Park, N.J.*
Michele A. Tallman, *Belle Mead, N.J.*
Carlos Augusto Valderrama, *East Rutherford, N.J.*
Denise F. Verna, *Egg Harbor Township, N.J.*
Angela Karen Wright, *Neptune, N.J.*

Associate in Science in Natural Sciences and Mathematics Option

Leonard Latka, *Norristown, Pa.*
Dmitry O. Nikelshpur, *Brooklyn, N.Y.*
Cheryl Pannone, *Englishtown, N.J.*

Associate in Science in Public and Social Services

Dennis Fredrick Brown, *Tuckerton, N.J.*
Joseph Richard Cole, *Aberdeen, N.J.*
Michael Denny Divito, *Newfield, N.J.*
Michael Figueroa, *Belleville, N.J.*
James Carlson Hankins, *Burlington, N.J.*
Joseph Francis Kolakowski, *Milltown, N.J.*
Patrick J. Priore, *Fairless Hills, Pa.*
Adam John Schuler, Sr., *Hackettstown, N.J.*
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Associate in Science in Applied Science

Tanzy Lee Artruc, *Jobstown, N.J.*
Thomas Francis Becker, *Toms River, N.J.*
Michael Dominic Cardina, *Mount Holly, N.J.*
James Owen Coleman, *Browns Mills, N.J.*
Hubert Corder, *Tabernacle, N.J.*
Terry Jon Cresap, *Astoria, Ore.*
Steven Elsworth Fromm, *Mount Holly, N.J.*
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Dennis Lyle Lenhart, *Bordentown, N.J.*
Timothy Shawn Lewis, *Valrico, Fla.*
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Associate in Science in Applied Science and Technology

James Allan, *Benicia, Calif.*
Slahalden Ahmad Alsaid, *North Bergen, N.J.*
Heath Anthony Bennett, *Plano, Texas*
John Jasper Caldwell, *Vineland, N.J.*
Alicia Maria Combs, *Newfield, N.Y.*
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Deborah Kersey Drake, *Newsoms, Va.*
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John Edwin Ganaway, Jr., *Aiken, S.C.*
Curtis Dean Harper, *Benton, Ky.*
Charles Michael Hollis, *Ledyard, Conn.*
Franklin Douglas Jackson, *Charlotte, N.C.*
Francis Matthew Kern, *Toms River, N.J.*
Steven C. Lambert, *Idaho Falls, Idaho*
Michael Julien Langelier, *Groton, Conn.*
Ronald Edward LaPointe, *Derby, Conn.*
Kevin Charles Leonard, *Beach Haven, N.J.*
Raymond Lopez, *Chesapeake, Va.*
James Andrew McAdams, III, *Rye Beach, N.H.*
Eric Lantin Mendoza, *Hampton, Va.*
Martin Daniel O'Sullivan, *Gainesville, Fla.*
Brian Keith Rider, *Barnegat, N.J.*
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Ginny Sikri, *Plainsboro, N.J.*
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Arnold Fletcher Award

The Arnold Fletcher Award recognizes Thomas Edison State College baccalaureate graduates for exceptional achievement in nontraditional learning. Students selected for this award have demonstrated excellence and have earned a large number of credits using one or more of the innovative learning modes recognized by the College: Portfolio Assessment, Guided Study, testing programs, correspondence/independent study courses, credit for courses taught, military training programs evaluated by the American Council on Education, courses/training programs evaluated by the American Council on Education, licenses/certificates/registries, and Nursing Performance Examinations.

The award is named in honor of Dr. Arnold Fletcher, vice president for Academic Affairs at Thomas Edison State College from 1973-1983.

The Nomination Committee is composed of the associate dean of Liberal Arts Degrees, associate dean of Business Degrees, associate dean of Applied Science and Technology Degrees, associate dean of Human Services Degrees, and the associate dean of the Nursing Degree Program. The vice provost and academic dean, has chosen the following students to receive the Arnold Fletcher Award at the October 13, 2001 Commencement.

Bachelor of Science in Human Services degree

Elizabeth Ann Cook, *Helena, Mont.*
Robert G. Gunter, *Huber Heights, Ohio*
David Joseph McCune, *Alliance, Neb.*

Bachelor of Arts degree

Nechama Abowitz, *Brooklyn, N.Y.*
Malka Liba Aronson, *Monsey, N.Y.*
Mindy Berger, *Lakewood, N.J.*
Yitty Braun, *Lakewood, N.J.*
Billy Wiles Cox, Jr., *Murfreesboro, Tenn.*
Sophie Tel Diaz, *Colleyville, Texas*
Sarah L. Donner, *Lakewood, N.J.*
Aviva Miriam Drucker, *Highland Park, N.J.*
Sara Hadassa Ehrman, *Chicago, Ill.*
Chaya Tobah Ellis, *Cleveland Heights, Ohio*
Sarah Engelstein, *Antwerp, Belgium*
Faige Flakser, *Brooklyn, N.Y.*
Esther D. Gewirtzman, *Brooklyn, N.Y.*
Leah H. Gold, *Brooklyn, N.Y.*
Lisa Michelle Gray, *Livermore, Calif.*
Miriam C. Halberstam, *Brooklyn, N.Y.*
Rivka Kaisman-Schwartz, *Lakewood, N.J.*
Golda Kaminsky, *Brooklyn, N.Y.*
Rochel Kaminsky, *Brooklyn, N.Y.*
Aviva Katz, *Lakewood, N.J.*
Esther Fraydy Klein, *Brooklyn, N.Y.*
Michelle Gail Kreitner, *Brooklyn, N.Y.*
Faygie B. Leiner, *Brooklyn, N.Y.*
Tziporah Lemmer, *Brooklyn, N.Y.*
Avital Lieberman, *Jerusalem, Israel*
Goldie Lipschitz, *Lakewood, N.J.*
Diane Helene Magnuski, *Seattle, Wash.*
Shaindy Miltz, *Brooklyn, N.Y.*
Batya R. Moskowitz, *Brooklyn, N.Y.*
Robert J. Muniz, *Hoboken, N.J.*
Mioko Okubo, *Fukui-ken, Japan*
Miriam Olshin, *Lakewood, N.J.*
Zahava Raizy Pollak, *Lakewood, N.J.*
Helene S. Pomerantz, *Brooklyn, N.Y.*
Bella Rubinfeld, *Brooklyn, N.Y.*
Perele Schleider, *Jerusalem, Israel*
Devorah Schwartz, *Lakewood, N.J.*
Elana Shanbaum Wajnblum, *Jerusalem, Israel*
Devorie Stareshefsky, *Lakewood, N.J.*
Rochy Esther Steinwurzel, *Jerusalem, Israel*
Dinah Sternbuch, *Jerusalem, Israel*
Rachel Sternbuch, *Jerusalem, Israel*
Warren Scott Summers, *Conyers, Ga.*
Hadassah Svei, *Lakewood, N.J.*
Rivky Tauber, *Lakewood, N.J.*
Malya Raizel Wajnaszlok, *Jerusalem, Israel*
Etty Weinberg, *Brooklyn, N.Y.*
Tziona Malka Weinberg, *Yehuda, Israel*
Pessie Weingarten, *Brooklyn, N.Y.*
Esther Weiss, *Brooklyn, N.Y.*
Matie Leah Weisz, *Brooklyn, N.Y.*
Devorah Dena Wikler, *Lakewood, N.J.*
Ruth Wolff, *Jerusalem, Israel*

Bachelor of Science in Business Administration degree

Eileen Edwina Hazard, *Irving, Texas*
Keith Owens Moeller, *Saint Cloud, Minn.*
Terry W. Robbins, *North Plainfield, N.J.*
Devorah Rochwarger, *Lakewood, N.J.*
Heidi Schwab, *Mount Holly, N.J.*
Kathy A. Tulenko, *Clifton, N.J.*
Patrick Charles Walker, *Ocean Springs, Miss.*

Bachelor of Science in Applied Science and Technology degree

Brian Daniel Barth, *Groton, Conn.*
James Neil Boerner, *Goose Creek, S.C.*
Scott Allen Burleigh, *Kingsland, Ga.*
Johnny Cardona, *Bronx, N.Y.*
Michael John Crapanzano, *Manahawkin, N.J.*
Thomas Scott Dean, *Ottawa, Ill.*
Warren Michael Farnworth, *Nampa, Idaho*
Scott David Gibson, *Saint Marys, Ga.*
George Edward High, *Port Richey, Fla.*
David Timothy Nix, *Goose Creek, S.C.*
Lawrence A. Page, Jr., *Kennewick, Wash.*
Salvatore Pisano, *LaGrange, Ky.*
Carlos Eduardo Satulovsky, *Mountain View, Calif.*
Peter William Schoettler, *Rock Hill, S.C.*

Bachelor of Science in Nursing degree

Ronda Lee Carter, *APO, AE*
Karen Ciccarone, *Newton, N.J.*
Barbara Greenling, *Marmora, N.J.*

Graduates wearing the gold double honor cords are the Arnold Fletcher Award recipients.

Alpha Sigma Lambda National Honor Society

Alpha Sigma Lambda National Honor Society was founded in 1945 to recognize adult students in higher education who have achieved academic excellence while fulfilling the many responsibilities of family, work and community services. The Thomas Edison State College Lambda Tau Chapter was established in 1997, the Twenty-Fifth anniversary of the College's founding. Below are listed the graduates selected for induction into the honor society.

Bachelor of Arts degree

Marlene Baccaro, *Flanders, N.J.*
Karen Lee MacDuff-Barnett, *Sweetwater, N.J.*
Vera Berdichevsky, *Lakewood, N.J.*
Barbara Jean Bock, *Jefferson, N.H.*
Leslie Knapp Byers, *Drexel Hill, Pa.*
Ellen Marie Cheeka, *Piscataway, N.J.*
Beth LeAnn Epperson, *Charlotte, N.C.*
Carol Lee Franklin, *Bay City, Texas*
Gail Marie Frizzell, *Branchville, N.J.*
Susan H. Gethard, *Barnegat, N.J.*
Kristina Maria Giberson, *Shamong, N.J.*
Nelson David Randolph, *Toms River, N.J.*

Bachelor of Science in Business Administration degree

Michael Joseph Bauer, *Deptford, N.J.*
Laura Irene Darrell, *Creamridge, N.J.*
Robert Thomas Dolsay, *Clifton, N.J.*
David Gary Gelona, *Northfield, N.J.*
Jeffrey Edward Healey, *Middletown, N.J.*
Morrison Peter Parillon, *Plainfield, N.J.*
Heidi Schwab, *Mount Holly, N.J.*
Laura Eve Thomas, *Plainfield, N.J.*
Barney C. Wheeler, *Hulmeville, Pa.*

Bachelor of Science in Human Services degree

Paulette Joyeux Knarr, *Browns Mills, N.J.*
Debra Lynn Schraer, *Paramus, N.J.*

Graduates wearing the garnet and gold honor cords are the Alpha Sigma Lambda Honor Graduates.

Acknowledgments

The staff of the College wishes to thank Princeton Pro Musica, Kate Reilly-Hovey, Managing Director and Frances Slade, Artistic Director for the musical presentations during the ceremony.

Academic Heraldry:
The Symbols of Learning

While the current code concerning the types of academic regalia to be used by colleges in the United States dates from 1959, distinctive academic dress dates from the medieval universities of the eleventh and twelfth centuries. The college or university commencement procession today is a pageant, alive and bright with dress and ceremony derived from the tradition of the oldest universities.

Academic life as we know it today began in the Middle Ages—in Bologna and Paris, Oxford and Cambridge, Edinburgh, Glasgow and Louvain—first in the church, then in the guilds. The teaching guild was the Guild of the Master of Arts, where the bachelor was the apprentice of the master, and the dress was color-coded and patterned according to the academic level and discipline. In the hierarchy of the academic world, the associate's degree is the modern entry point. Its equivalent in the guild of teachers was that of a junior apprentice. Twelfth-century records of Oxford University state this justification for academic dress: "It is honorable and in accordance with reason that clerks to whom God has given an advantage of the lay folk in their adornments within, should likewise differ from the lay folk outwardly in dress."

There are three principal features of academic dress: the gown, the cap and the hood. Their design and heraldry were, from as early as the eleventh and twelfth centuries in the great European universities, the outward sign of the bringing together of students and privileged persons under the same discipline.

To preserve their dignity and meaning, it early became necessary for these universities to set rules for academic dress. American universities agreed on a system in 1895 and set up a suitable code of academic dress for the colleges and universities of the United States. In 1932, and again in 1959, the American Council on Education revised the code which, for the most part, governs the style of academic dress today.

THE GOWN. The flowing gown comes from the twelfth century. Many think it was worn in olden times as protection against the cold of unheated buildings. It has become symbolic of the democracy of scholarship, for it completely covers any dress of rank or social standing. The associate's degree gown is grey. The gown is black for all degrees above the associate's, with pointed sleeves for the bachelor's degree; oblong sleeves for the master's degree; and bell-shaped sleeves for the doctor's degree. For the bachelor's and master's degree, the gown has no trimmings. For the doctor's degree, it is faced down the front with velvet and has three bars of velvet across the sleeves in the color distinctive of the faculty or discipline to which the degree pertains. More recently, the official colors of Thomas Edison State College, burgundy and cream, have been used in the gown and its decorations.

THE CAP. When Roman law freed a slave, he won the privilege of wearing a cap. Thus, the academic cap is a sign of freedom of scholarship and the responsibility and dignity with which scholarship endows the wearer. Old poetry records the cap of scholarship as square to symbolize the book, although some authorities claim that the mortar board is the symbol of the masons, a privileged guild. The color of the tassel on the cap denotes the discipline. The associate's cap is grey. Caps for master's and doctor's degrees are often black, but may appear in other colors, as well, depending on the rest of the regalia.

THE HOOD. Since almost all of the students and faculty in the medieval universities were clerics (minor church ecclesiastics) and were tonsured (i.e., had shaved heads), the hood served to cover the shaved head from the cold of unheated buildings. Eventually, the hood was superseded by the skull cap and evolved into a headdress more or less like those in use today. Heraldically, the hood is an inverted shield with one or more chevrons of a secondary color on the ground of the primary color of the college. The color of the facing of the hood denotes the discipline represented by the degree; the color of the lining of the hood designates the college or university from which the degree was granted.

THE MACE. The mace—a heavy staff or club fashioned entirely of metal with a metal head—was originally a weapon of war. In the sixteenth century, it became a ceremonial standard and a scepter of office. It resembled the original weapon and was carried before officials at ceremonial occasions. It is still in use in the British House of Commons, where it lies upon the table before the speaker as a symbol of the authority of the House.

The mace of Thomas Edison State College was designed by the College and was inaugurated as the scepter of office at the October 1990 Commencement ceremony. It is a solid maple scepter with a two-sided medallion mounted to the head by a brass collar. There are three brass bands on the shaft, upon which the names of the College's three presidents and their terms are inscribed as follows: James Douglas Brown, Jr., 1972-1978; Larraine Rose Matusak, 1979-1982; and George A. Pruitt, 1982-present. The mace shaft and base are finished in mahogany.

Carried in the procession by Dr. Maxine Lentz, the academic dean, the mace symbolizes the authority of the Office of the President.

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Chief Roy Crazy Horse

For outstanding contributions to his own Powhatan Renape Nation and to society in general, Chief Roy Crazy Horse is being awarded the degree of Doctor of Humane Letters, *honoris causa*.

Chief Roy Crazy Horse is the Executive Administrative Director of the Powhatan Indians of Delaware Valley. He is also the Executive Director of the Coalition of Eastern Native Americans. He has distinguished himself as a leader of and role model for the Powhatan Renape Nation. He has worked unceasingly to educate his own people and others about the rich cultural heritage of the Powhatan Renape Nation and about Native Americans, in general.

Chief Roy Crazy Horse developed the first Indian family counseling service in New Jersey and is a founder of the New Jersey Native American Cultural Center. A respected author of books and articles on Native American issues, Chief Crazy Horse has taught in the Indian Studies department at Rowan State College and lectured at various colleges and universities throughout the Middle Atlantic States.

Jerry T. Ice

For outstanding contributions to higher education, Thomas Edison State College staff, and Thomas Edison State College students and alumni, Jerry T. Ice is being awarded the degree of Doctor of Humane Letters, *honoris causa*.

Jerry Ice has recently been appointed Executive Director of the Graduate School, United States Department of Agriculture (USDA), in Washington, D.C. As Executive Director, he oversees the work of the Graduate School's 18 business units, its National Independent Study Center, and its Leadership Development Academy.

Before taking up his duties at the Graduate School, Jerry Ice served Thomas Edison State College for some 18 years as Vice President and Provost, the College's chief academic officer. He is the architect of the College's current academic programs and degree offerings. All the academic policies and procedures that have served our students and the College so well bear his stamp.

Dr. Ice came to Thomas Edison State College from Indiana University of Pennsylvania (IUP), where he served as Associate Provost and Dean, School of Continuing Education and The Graduate School. Prior to his appointment to IUP, he held several administrative positions at Montclair State University, in New Jersey.

Dr. Ice received his Ed. D degree in Administration and Supervision from Fordham University. Many of his publications and presentations have focused on the educational needs and goals of adult learners, the primary population Thomas Edison State College serves. During his tenure at Thomas Edison State College, a number of programs have been implemented, including the National Institute for the Assessment of Experiential Learning, collaborative relationships with all the community colleges in New Jersey, and joint ventures with the University of South Africa, US Open University, and several institutions outside the state.

Maurice T. Perilli

For outstanding contributions to the business and civic communities, and for his dedicated service to Thomas Edison State College, Maurice Perilli is being awarded the degree of Doctor of Humane Letters, *honoris causa*.

Maurice Perilli is Chairman of the Board of Roma Federal Savings Bank, where he oversees the operation of the Purchasing Department, the Human Resources Department, Security, and the Building and Property staff. Mr. Perilli is also an active member of the Thomas Edison State College Foundation Board.

Maurice Perilli has had a varied and distinguished business career, having been involved in printing and publishing for more than forty years and having worked in banking for more than thirty years. His civic activities have included service as Vice Chairman of the Hamilton Township Planning Board, as Chairman of the Hamilton Township Zoning Board, and as Police Commissioner of Hamilton Township. Mr. Perilli has also served on numerous boards for hospitals, charities, service organizations, and civic and religious organizations. Since December of 1993, he has also been a dedicated member of the Thomas Edison State College Foundation Board, where he has made invaluable contributions to our College and its students.

Deborah T. Poritz

For outstanding contributions to the legal community and to the citizens of the State of New Jersey, the Honorable Deborah T. Poritz is being awarded the degree of Doctor of Humane Letters, *honoris causa*.

Deborah Poritz is Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of New Jersey and has served in this office since 1996. In 1977, Chief Justice Poritz received her law degree from the University of Pennsylvania Law School and proceeded to join the office of the New Jersey Attorney General in the Division of Law, Environmental Protection Section. Since that time, and before becoming Chief Justice of the Supreme Court, she has distinguished herself as an attorney, as a gubernatorial advisor, and as the first female Attorney General for the State of New Jersey.

Chief Justice Poritz received her bachelor of arts degree, magna cum laude, from Brooklyn College, where she was elected to Phi Beta Kappa. She then studied English and American Literature at Columbia University and continued graduate studies at Brandeis University. Before pursuing her law degree, she taught composition and literature at Ursinus College.

Urban G. Whitaker

For outstanding contributions to higher education, and for his dedicated service to Thomas Edison State College, Urban Whitaker is being awarded the degree of Doctor of Humane Letters, *honoris causa*.

Urban Whitaker has long been involved in experiential learning and career development. He served as practitioner, teacher, and administrator in cooperative education and other experiential learning programs at San Francisco State University. He also is Emeritus Professor of International Relations and Dean of Undergraduate Studies at San Francisco State University. He has developed materials in a number of media on prior learning and assessment of career-transferable skills, and is the author of Assessing Learning: Standards, Principles and Procedures.

Urban Whitaker, who holds a Ph.D. from the University of Washington, has consulted for numerous colleges and has performed multiple roles for the Council for Adult and Experiential Learning (CAEL) including author, member of the Board of Directors, regional manager, and presenter. Urban Whitaker was a charter member of the faculty for the Thomas Edison State College Institute of Experiential Learning and Assessment in 1989, and he has served on the Institute faculty every year since then.

America, the Beautiful
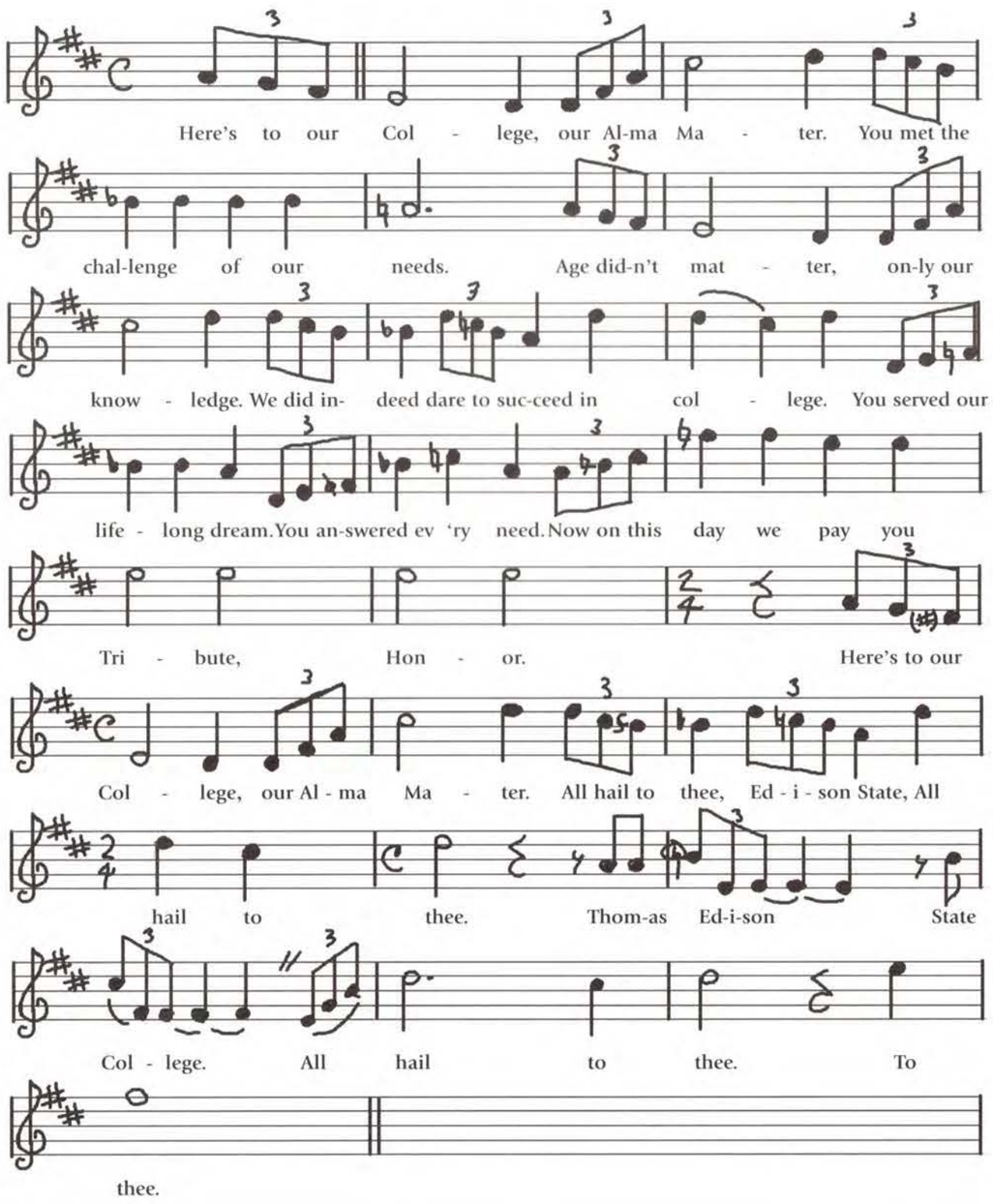
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O beautiful for spacious skies
For amber waves of grain
For purple mountains' majesties
Above the fruited plain.
America! America!
God shed His grace on thee
And crown thy good with brotherhood
From sea to shining sea.

O beautiful for patriot dream
That sees beyond the years
Thine alabaster cities gleam
Undimmed by human tears.
America! America!
God shed His grace on thee
And crown thy good with brotherhood
From sea to shining sea.

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Words and Music by Roy Meriwether



SOLDIERS AND SAILORS' WAR MEMORIAL

The Trenton War Memorial on the Delaware River in downtown Trenton, N.J. has served the state capital and central New Jersey for nearly 70 years. An architectural treasure listed on the National Register of Historic Sites, the memorial has served as a backdrop for some of New Jersey's top tier of society, business and entertainment.

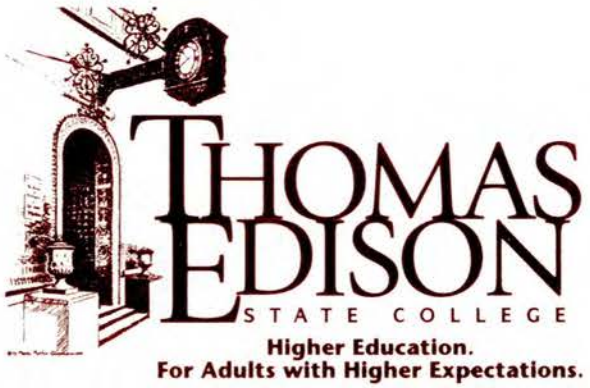
The Soldiers and Sailors' War Memorial was planned by men who believed they were commemorating the war to end wars, the war that had made the world safe for democracy. Designed by architect William A. Klemann, the building was completed March 1, 1932. The formal opening and dedication, however, took place January 19, 1932, at the second inaugural of Governor A. Harry Moore.

Conceived as "a great community center," the War Memorial lived up to its planners' intentions from the start. The War Memorial has been the site for the inauguration of every New Jersey governor since 1932. Three Presidents of the United States have given speeches at the Trenton War Memorial: Harry S. Truman, Dwight D. Eisenhower and John F. Kennedy. As an emissary of her husband, Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt also made a speech in the theater. The roster of world-class artists and entertainers who have performed in the Trenton War Memorial includes Louis Armstrong, Leonard Bernstein, Johnny Cash, Bill Cosby, Duke Ellington, Bob Hope, Vladimir Horowitz, B.B. King, the Kirov Ballet, Peter, Paul & Mary, Frank Sinatra and Bruce Springsteen.

On January 12, 1988, both houses of the Legislature, while gathered at the War Memorial for Gov. Thomas H. Kean's State of the State address, heard a preface they hadn't expected. As he looked out over the faded auditorium, the governor proposed that New Jersey restore it. Backed by the city and county, the legislation was signed by the governor on August 31 and transferred ownership to the state, with the promise that the landmark building would be brought back to its former glory.

Nearly five years of meticulous restoration and renovation brought the Trenton War Memorial into the 21st Century while preserving and renewing the theater's Italian Renaissance-style elegance and grandeur. Reopened to the public in January 1999, following the $35 million restoration-renovation, the Trenton War Memorial is poised to recapture its place as central New Jersey's finest performing arts center and banquet-conference center.





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