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COMMENCEMENT



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College of Graduate Studies
of
Thomas Jefferson University
Philadelphia, Pennsylvania
1824-1984*

*Friday, June Eighth
Nineteen Hundred and Eighty-Four
Half Past Two O'clock*

The Academy of Music

THE OATH OF HIPPOCRATES

I do solemnly swear by that which I hold most sacred:

That I will be loyal to the profession of medicine,
just to its members, and generous to its institutions;

That I will lead my life and practice my art in
uprightness and honor;

That I will give respect and gratitude to those who
have taught me this art;

That into whatsoever house I shall enter, it shall be
for the good of the sick to the utmost of my power,
I holding myself aloof from wrong, from corruption,
from the tempting of others to vice;

That I will exercise my art for the best care of my
patients,
and I will give no drug, perform no operation for
a criminal purpose, even if solicited far less
suggest it;

That whatsoever I shall see or hear of the lives of
my patients which is not fitting to be spoken,
I will keep inviolably secret.

These things I do promise upon my honor.

PROCESSIONALTrumpet VoluntaryJOHN STANLEY
The Jefferson ProcessionalBURLE MARX

THE NATIONAL ANTHEM

INVOCATIONTHE REVEREND KENNETH BEALE
Jarrettown United Methodist Church

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Doctor of Medicine
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The Oath of HippocratesWILLIS C. MADDREY, *The Magee Professor of*
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Thesis Title: "Characterization of a Submitochondrial System of DNA Replication."
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Thesis Title: "Loss of Suppression of the Specific Anti-Mouse Erythrocyte Response in Autoimmune NZB Mice Measured by the Antibody Forming Cell Focus Assay."
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Thesis Title: "Purification of Antigen-Antibody Complexes from Selected Species by Staphyococcal Protein A."
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Thesis Title: "Coronary Vascular Alterations to Eicosanoids in Experimental Diabetes Mellitus."
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Thesis Title: "Regulation of Murine Response to the Known Sequence (Polymer Tyrosine-Glutamic Acid-Alanine-Glycine)."
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Thesis Title: "Characterization of a HeLa Endonuclease Preparation which Stimulates DNA Repair in Nuclei from UV-Irradiated Human Cells."

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AWARDS and PRIZES

Awarded at Class Day Exercises on Thursday, June 7, 1984

FACULTY AWARDS

The Christian R. and Mary F. Lindback Award for Distinguished Teaching.

BASIC SCIENCES: JOYE FAITH JONES, B.Sc., Ph.D., Assistant Professor of Microbiology

CLINICAL SCIENCES: JOSEPH FRANCIS MAJDAN, B.A., M.D., Instructor in Medicine

AWARDS TO GRADUATING STUDENTS

The Clinical Surgery Prize in memory of Francis Torrens Stewart, M.D., Professor of Surgery, Jefferson Medical College, 1910-1920.

THOMAS LLOYD CARTER, Jr., (honorable mention: ANTHONY PAUL FURNARY)

The Orthopaedic Surgery Prize, sponsored by Professor John J. Gartland, M.D.

CHARLES FRANKLIN LEINBERRY, Jr., (honorable mention: LOIS MARIE LEACH)

The Urology Prize, awarded in memory of Theodore R. Fetter, M.D., The Nathan Lewis Hatfield Professor of Urology.

DANIEL JOSEPH COLE, (honorable mention: JAMES EDGAR ALLEN)

The Edward J. Moore Memorial Prize in Pediatrics.

JAMES ALBERT NARD, III, (honorable mention: WILLIAM McCLELLAND HOUSTON, Jr.)

The Henry Keller Mohler Memorial Prize in Therapeutics, sponsored by Mr. Jesse Hubschman in memory of his wife, Natalie, to honor Henry Keller Mohler, M.D.

FRANCIS RAYMOND COLANGELO, (honorable mention: NEWTON EMERSON KENDIG, II)

The S. Mac Cuen Smith Memorial Prize in Otolaryngology, sponsored by Mrs. Stuart Lodge Bullivant in memory of her father.

ELISABETH ANN FOX, (honorable mention: CLAUDIA GERTRUDE BERMAN)

The Carroll R. Mullen Memorial Prize in Ophthalmology.

RAYMOND JOSEPH PETRILLO, (honorable mention: DANIEL ANTHONY BENESKI)

The Obstetrics and Gynecology Prize sponsored by Mrs. Sarah George Miller in honor of John B. Montgomery, M.D. Emeritus Professor of Obstetrics and Gynecology.

JOHN WESLEY SPURLOCK, (honorable mention: WILLIAM EUGENE COLLIER)

The Baldwin L. Keyes Prize in Psychiatry, given annually by Mr. Joseph H. Levit in memory of his wife, Mae K. Levit, in honor of Baldwin L. Keyes, M.D., Sc.D., Emeritus Professor of Psychiatry.

GERALD IRA HUROWITZ, (honorable mention: HENRY HUDSON LINDNER)

The William Potter Memorial Prize in Clinical Medicine, award given from a bequest of Mrs. Adaline Potter Wear for highest attainment.

NEWTON EMERSON KENDIG, II, (honorable mention: DEIRDRE MURRAY COLLINS)

The Alumni Prize, awarded by Jefferson Medical College Alumni Association for the highest cumulative record.

JOHN WESLEY SPURLOCK, (honorable mention: SUSAN JOAN TRUBILLA)

The Louis B. Swisher, Jr. Memorial Prize in Anesthesiology.

CYNTHIA ROGALSKI, (honorable mention: HOWARD SCOTT GOLD)

The Philip J. Hodes Prize in Radiology.

ALEXANDER JOSEPH MACONES, Jr., (honorable mention: CLAUDIA GERTRUDE BERMAN)

The E. Harold Hinman Memorial Prize, sponsored by family and friends in memory of E. Harold Hinman, Ph.D., M.D., M.P.H., Emeritus Professor of Preventive Medicine.

MICHAEL JOHN RUPP, (honorable mention: PAUL MARK EBERTS, II)

The Leopold Goldstein Memorial Prize in Obstetrics and Gynecology, sponsored by Mrs. Leopold Goldstein and daughters in memory of Leopold Goldstein, M.D., for the highest average in Obstetrics and Gynecology.

FREDERICK JOSEPH COOK, (honorable mention: FRANCIS RAYMOND COLANGELO)

The Arthur Krieger Memorial Prize in Family Medicine, sponsored by family and friends in memory of Arthur Krieger, M.D.

KYLE LANDIS FORSYTH, (honorable mention: VINCENT LOUIS ANGELONI)

The Dean Marie Banes Memorial Prize in Pediatrics, sponsored by family and friends in memory of Dean Marie Banes, M.D., a graduate of the Class of 1973, for excellence in Pediatrics.

SUSAN JOAN TRUBILLA, (honorable mention: LORI ANNE LERNER)

DOCTOR OF HUMANE LETTERS—JOHN A. D. COOPER

John A. D. Cooper is one of the nation's most respected leaders in medical education. As the first full-time President in the one hundred seven year history of the Association of American Medical Colleges, he has charted new goals for the education of medical students and has indicated ways these might be approached. For five consecutive years he has been selected by the editors of *U.S. News and World Report* as one of the five "most influential leaders in the field of health". This honor is justly deserved. Doctor Cooper has devoted a lifetime to science and medical education and continues to add to his laurels in his fifteenth year as President of the Association.

Born in Texas as World War I ended, he showed an early interest in science and earned his Baccalaureate Degree in Chemistry at New Mexico State University in 1939. He then went to Northwestern University where he was awarded a Doctor of Philosophy Degree in Biochemistry in 1943 and joined the faculty as an Instructor in Biochemistry. Without interrupting his teaching and research career, he earned his Doctor of Medicine Degree from Northwestern in 1951 and was promoted to Associate Professor of Biochemistry.

Doctor Cooper continued his academic career as Professor of Biochemistry, Dean of Sciences and Associate Dean of Faculties at Northwestern until 1969 when he moved to Washington, D.C. where he began his second career, that of President of the Association of American Medical Colleges. He continues to evidence his love of teaching and has a faculty appointment at Georgetown University. He is a true scholar with more than two hundred papers published in his areas of interest.

Doctor Cooper also continues to serve on federal advisory boards, university groups, and many national and international committees concerned with medical education, health, and research. He is President of the National Resident Matching Program, a member of the Special Medical Advisory Group of the Veterans Administration, and serves on the boards of the Educational Commission for Foreign Medical Graduates and the National Board of Medical Examiners.

In addition to his role as an educator and medical statesman, he has found time to be a father and a grandfather. One of his four children is a physician, and two of the others are in medically-related fields.

THE ACADEMIC COSTUME

The wearing of academic dress dates back to the early days of the oldest universities in the world. In the American Council on Education's book entitled "American University and Colleges" it is suggested that "gowns may have been counted necessary for warmth in the unheated buildings frequented by medieval scholars. Hoods seem to have served to cover the tonsured head . . ."

Throughout the years European universities have continued to show great diversity in their academic dress. American universities, on the other hand, when they decided to adopt academic dress in 1895, immediately established a code of regulations which today is followed by almost all American institutions. The establishment of this code has made it possible to distinguish the Associates, Bachelors, Masters, and Doctors and at the same time recognize the university which has given them the degree. Revisions to the code have occurred from time to time.

The Associate in Arts and Bachelor's gowns have pointed sleeves and are worn closed. The Master's gown has oblong sleeves, open at the wrist. The rear part of its oblong shape is square cut and the front part has an arc cut away, and is worn open or closed. The Doctor's gown has bell-shaped sleeves. It is worn opened or closed. Cotton poplin or similar material is used for the Associate's, Bachelor's and Master's degrees, and rayon or silk ribbed material is used for the Doctor's degree. The majority of gowns are black but a number of institutions have adopted other colors to identify special programs or groups within the institution.

The hoods vary in length: 48 inches for the Doctor's degree, 42 inches for the Master's, and 36 inches for the Bachelor's and Associate's. All hoods are lined in silk in the academic color or colors of the institution conferring the degree. If the institution has more than one color, the colors are shown in divisions using chevrons. The binding or edge of the Doctor's, Master's and Bachelor's hoods are usually made of velvet in the color designating the subject in which the degree was granted. The Associate of Arts hood has no velvet border. The outside is black.

Black mortarboards are most commonly worn; six-sided tams of various colors may be used.

Some of the colors in the bindings of the hoods are:

white	Arts and Letters	green	Medicine
tan	Business	apricot	Nursing
lilac	Dentistry	dark blue	Philosophy
light blue	Education	salmon pink	Public Health
purple	Law	golden yellow	Science

The colors of the linings of the hoods for some Philadelphia academic health institutions are:

black and blue	Thomas Jefferson University	silver gray and scarlet	The Medical College of Pennsylvania
red and blue	University of Pennsylvania	white and cherry	Temple University
blue and gold	Hahnemann University		

THE JEFFERSON PROCESSIONAL

The Jefferson Processional was commissioned by the Alumni Association of Jefferson Medical College and played for the first time on November 15, 1974, at the Sesquicentennial Celebration of Jefferson Medical College of Thomas Jefferson University. This piece was presented to Thomas Jefferson University by the President of the Alumni Association of Jefferson Medical College, Dr. John J. Gartland. The composition was composed by Burle Marx.

THE PRESIDENTIAL BADGE OF THOMAS JEFFERSON UNIVERSITY

The President's Badge was created for the Inauguration of Lewis W. Bluemle, Jr., M.D., the third President of Thomas Jefferson University, on September 7, 1977. It consists of four official corporate seals of Thomas Jefferson University and the predecessor corporation, The Jefferson Medical College of Philadelphia. These seals were used to mark diplomas, certificates, and other official documents and have been gold-plated to form the Presidential Badge.

The medallion on the President's right is the corporate seal of Thomas Jefferson University today and was created in 1969 when Jefferson Medical College became Thomas Jefferson University. It carries a contemporary likeness of Thomas Jefferson.

The other three medallions are the various seals that were used in Jefferson Medical College for many years. The oldest marked every diploma that was issued by the College from 1839 to 1967. This seal carries a traditional likeness of a young Thomas Jefferson and the founding date of the College as 1826. Prior to 1839 the diploma of Jefferson Medical College carried the seal of the Jefferson College in Canonsburg, Pennsylvania—the parent institution.

Another seal was developed in 1967 as a result of research done by the late Edward L. Bauer, Emeritus Professor of Pediatrics, who determined that the founding year of Jefferson Medical College was 1824 rather than 1826. This seal is identical to the present corporate seal except the words "Thomas Jefferson University" replace "Jefferson Medical College". It was used for only two years—from 1967 to 1969.

The Presidential Badge is on permanent display in the Scott Library and is used at all convocations of the University.

