

Ninety-Fourth
Annual Commencement
June 10, 1988

# Ninety-Fourth Annual Commencement

FRIDAY MORNING AT TEN O'CLOCK
JUNE TENTH, NINETEEN EIGHTY-EIGHT

## The Commencement Ceremony

These tribal rites have a very long history. They go back to the ceremony of initiation for new university teachers in mediaeval Europe. It was then customary for students, after an appropriate apprenticeship to learning and the presentation of a thesis as their masterpiece, to be admitted to the Guild of Masters of Arts and granted the license to teach. In the ancient University of Bologna this right was granted by authority of the Pope and in the name of the Holy Trinity. We do not this day claim such high authority.

As in any other guild, whether craft or merchant, the master's status was crucial. In theory at least, it separated the men from the boys, the competent from the incompetent. On the way to his master's degree, a student might collect a bachelor's degree in recognition of the fact that he was half-trained, or partially equipped. The doctor's degree was somewhat different. Originally indistinguishable from the masters, the doctors gradually emerged by a process of escalation into a supermagisterial role—first of all in the higher faculties of theology, law, and medicine. It will come as no surprise that the lawyers had a particular and early yen for this special distinction.

These gradations and distinctions are reflected in the quaint and colorful niceties of academic dress.

Of particular interest is the cap or mortarboard. In the form of the biretta it was the peculiar sign of the master. Its use has now spread far beyond that highly select group to school boys and choir girls and even to the nursery school. Sic transit. . . .

The gown, of course, is the basic livery of the scholar, with its clear marks of rank and status—the pointed sleeves of the bachelor, the oblong sleeves of the master, the full sleeves and velvet trimmings of the doctor. The doctors, too, may depart from basic black and break out into many colors—Harvard crimson or Yale blue or the scarlet splash of Oxford.

Color is the very essence of the hood: color in the main body to identify the university; color perhaps in the binding to proclaim the subject of the degree—orange for engineering, gold for science, the baser copper for economics, white for arts and letters, green for medicine, purple for law, scarlet for theology, and so on. Size is a further variable, as the hoods tend to lengthen from the three feet of the bachelor to the four of the doctor. So the birds are known by their plumage.

With this color and symbolism, which is mediaeval though mutated, we stage our brief moment of pageantry, paying homage to that ancient community of scholars in whose shadow we stand, and acknowledging our debt to the university as one of the great institutional constructs of the Middle Ages. While looking back, however, we also celebrate the achievements of this present generation of students and look forward to the future of these our younger colleagues, whom we now welcome to our midst.

David C. Elliot Professor of History, Emeritus

## Academic Procession

Chief Marshal, Jenijoy La Belle, Ph.D.

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Christopher E. Brennen, Ph.D. Robert W. Oliver, Ph.D.

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#### MARCHING ORDER

CANDIDATES FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF SCIENCE CANDIDATES FOR THE DEGREE OF MASTER OF SCIENCE CANDIDATES FOR THE DEGREE OF DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY

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# Program

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ORGAN PRELUDE Leslie J. Deutsch, Ph.D.
PROCESSIONAL The Caltech Wind Ensemble Brass and Organ William Bing, M.M., Conductor
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CHORAL SELECTION The Caltech Glee Clubs  Donald G. Caldwell, D.M.A., Conductor  "Hallelujah" from Messiah  George Frederick Handel
CONFERRING OF DEGREES Thomas E. Everhart, Ph.D.  President California Institute of Technology

## PRESENTATION OF CANDIDATES FOR DEGREES

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  Thesis: Molecular Biology of Shaker, A Drosophila Gene That Encodes Multiple Potassium Channel Components.
- Michael Paul King (Biology) B.A., Johns Hopkins University 1981.
   Thesis: Studies of Human Mitochondria. I. Steady-State Levels and Metabolic Properties of the Mitochondrial tRNAs. II. Injection of Mitochondria into Human Cells Leads to a Rapid Replacement of the Endogenous Mitochondrial DNA.
- Christopher Hayes Martin (Biology) A.B., University of California, Berkeley 1982. Thesis: Evolution and Expression at the 68C Glue Gene Cluster of Drosophila.
- Stephen G. Miller (Biology) B.S., University of Minnesota-Twin Cities 1977. Thesis: Brain Type II Calcium and Calmodulin-Dependent Protein Kinase: Characterization of a Brain-Region Specific Isozyme and Regulation by Autophosphorylation.
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- Brenda Faye Baker (Chemistry) B.S., Colorado State University 1982.
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- Mark John Brusich (Chemistry) B.S., The University of Washington 1981.
  - Thesis: Theoretical Insights into the Bonding in Thorium Organometallic Complexes:

    A Comparison with Group IV Transition Metal Chemistry.
- Al Ray Bulls (Chemistry) B.S., University of Texas at Arlington 1980; M.A., 1982. Thesis: Carbon-Hydrogen Bond Activation by Peralkylhafnocene and Peralkylscandocene Derivatives.
- Louis Fiscel Cannizzo (Chemistry) B.S., University of New Mexico 1982.
  Thesis: Titanium Carbenes: Reactions with Selected Carbonyl Compounds and Ring-Opening Metathesis Polymerization of Cyclic Olefins.
- Hong-Man Chan (Chemical Engineering) B.E., The Cooper Union 1981; M.S., California Institute of Technology 1984.
  - Thesis: Numerical Study of Quiescent and Sheared Sedimenting Suspensions.
- Leigh Ellen Clawson (Chemistry) B.S., The University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill 1982.
  - Thesis: Studies on the Reactivity of Titanocene Alkylidenes and Titanocene Alkyl Chlorides.
- Joseph Isaac Cline III (Chemistry) B.S., University of Virginia 1983.

  Thesis: Photodissociation Dynamics of Triatomic van der Waals Molecules.
- Nancy Anderson Da Silva (Chemical Engineering and Biology) B.S., University of Massachusetts at Amherst 1982; M.S., California Institute of Technology 1985. Thesis: Host-Plasmid Interactions and Regulation of Cloned Gene Expression in Recombinant Cells.
- Richard Leslie Dubs (Chemistry) B.S., Union College 1983.

  Thesis: Single- and Multiphoton Ionization Processes in Molecules.
- Dwight David Evard (Chemistry) B.S., Andrews University 1982.

  Thesis: Structure and Dynamics of Several Rare Gas-Halogen van der Waals

  Molecules.
- Sally Reid Hair (Chemistry) A.B., Bryn Mawr College 1982.

  Thesis: Experimental and Theoretical Studies of van der Waals Molecule
  Photodissociation.

- Betty Jane Miller Hannoun (Chemical Engineering and Biology) B.S., Cornell University 1982; M.S., California Institute of Technology 1985.
  - Thesis: Ethanol Production by Saccharomyces cerevisiae Immobilized in Calcium Alginate.
- Paul Gregory Hipes (Chemistry) B.S., Texas Tech University 1981.
  - Thesis: Three Dimensional Atom-Diatomic Reactive Scattering Calculations Using Symmetrized Hyperspherical Coordinates.
- Mickey ChienTsung Hu (Chemistry) B.S., National Taiwan University 1977; M.S., 1982.
  - Thesis: I. The E. Coli Lac Operator-Repressor System Is Functional for Control of Gene Expression in Animal Cells. II. Molecular Cloning and Characterization of the Mouse Skeletal Muscle (a) Actin Gene.
- Brent Lee Iverson (Chemistry) B.S., Stanford University 1981.
  - Thesis: 1. Nonenzymatic Cleavage of Single-Stranded DNA to Nucleotide Resolution. 2. Novel Base Specific DNA Cleavage Reactions.
- Sheila Anne Iverson (Chemistry) B.A. (Chemistry), University of Oregon 1982; B.A. (Mathematics), 1982.
  - Thesis: Blue Copper Proteins: Gene Synthesis and Expression.
- Carol Leslie Jones Adkins (Chemical Engineering) B.S., University of New Mexico 1981.
  - Thesis: Use of a Continuous Stirred Tank Reactor for the Study of Aqueous Aerosol Chemistry.
- In Seok Kang (Chemical Engineering and Applied Mathematics) B.S., Seoul National University 1978; M.S., Korea Advanced Institute of Science and Technology 1980. Thesis: Bubble Dynamics and Breakup in Straining Flows.
- Lutfur Rahman Khundkar (Chemistry) B.A., Pomona College 1982.
  - Thesis: Microcanonical Rates of Unimolecular Reactions Studied by Time-Resolved Photofragment Spectroscopy.
- Stephen Jacob Klippenstein (Chemistry) B.Sc., University of British Columbia 1983.
  Thesis: Theoretical Studies of Chemical Reaction Dynamics.
- Bette Tina Marie Korber (Chemistry) B.S., California State University, Long Beach 1981.
  - Thesis: Regulation of Class I Genes by Interferons.
- Gary Hermann Kruppa (Chemistry) B.S., University of Delaware 1982.
  Thesis: Photoelectron Spectroscopy of Reactive Intermediates.
- Daniel Lee Laughlin (Chemical Engineering) B.S., University of Minnesota-Twin Cities 1983; M.S., California Institute of Technology 1985.
  - Thesis: Control System Design for Robust Performance Despite Model Parameter Uncertainties: Application to Cross-Directional Response Control in Paper Manufacturing.

- Steven Mark Lederman (Chemistry) B.S., University of Maryland at College Park 1982.
  - Thesis: Artificial Intelligence in Quantum Intromolecular Dynamics with Application to a Heavy Central Mass Problem.
- Julia Catherine Lester (Chemical Engineering) B.S., Purdue University 1981.
  Thesis: Hydrodynamic Dispersion in Concentrated Sedimenting Suspensions.
- Michael Loewenberg (Chemical Engineering) B.S., Purdue University 1982.

  Thesis: A Theoretical Study of Reaction and Diffusion in Microstructured Materials.
- Stephen Leon Mayo (Chemistry) B.S., The Pennsylvania State University 1983.
  Thesis: Electron Transfer in Structurally Engineered Metalloproteins.
- Mark Herbert McAdon (Chemistry) B.A., State University of New York at Binghamton 1979.
  - Thesis: New Concepts of Metallic Bonding.
- Paul Scott Northrop (Chemical Engineering) B.S., Washington University 1983; P.S. CIT 1983. Thesis: A Fundamental Study of Char Combustion: Changes in Particle Morphology During Oxidation.
- Garth Rockwood Parker, Jr. (Chemistry) B.S., Haverford College 1981.
  Thesis: Determination of Nascent H<sub>2</sub> Rovibrational Distributions by Laser Induced Fluorescence: Applications to Formaldehyde Photodissociation and Hydrogen Exchange Reactions.
- John Ethan Parmeter (Chemistry) B.S., University of California, Berkeley 1983. Thesis: The Organometallic Chemistry of the Ru(001) Surface.
- Dianne Marie Perez (Chemistry) B.A., The College of Wooster 1982.

  Thesis: Structure-Function Studies of Serine Hydrolases: Synthesis of a Gene for α-Lytic Protease and the Purification and Characterization of a Mutant β-Lactamase.
- Michael Anthony Petti (Chemistry) S.B., Massachusetts Institute of Technology 1982.
  - Thesis: Studies in Molecular Recognition.
- Kenneth Frederick Reardon (Chemical Engineering and Biology) B.S., University of Pennsylvania 1981.
  - Thesis: Deactivation and Regeneration Kinetics during Bioconversions by Immobilized Clostridium acetobutylicum.
- Vicente Mendoza Reyes (Chemistry) B.S.(Chemistry), University of The Philippines 1979; B.S.(Mathematics), 1980; M.S., 1982.
  - Thesis: Transcription and Processing of Transfer RNA in S. cerevisiae.
- Alexandros Seressiotis (Chemical Engineering and Biology) Diploma, National Technical University of Athens 1982.
  - Thesis: Mathematical Models Based on Molecular Processes of the Cell.

- Brent Howard Shanks (Chemical Engineering) B.S., Iowa State University 1983; M.S., California Institute of Technology 1985.
  - Thesis: Reactor Input Manipulation for Developing Models for Catalytic Reactions.
- Timothy Jon Shepodd (Chemistry) B.S., University of California, Los Angeles 1982.

  Thesis: Studies in Molecular Recognition: Hydrophobic Binding of Water-Soluble
  Guests by High-Symmetry, Chiral Hosts.
- James P. Sluka (Chemistry) B.S., San Jose State University 1980; M.S., 1982.
  Thesis: Design, Synthesis and Characterization of Sequence Specific DNA Cleaving Agents.
- Gary James Snyder (Chemistry) B.S., University of New Mexico 1981.

  Thesis: 2,4-Dimethylene-1,3-cyclobutanediyl and 2,4-Dimethylenebicyclobutane.

  Synthesis, Spectroscopy, and Reactivity of a Triplet Biradical and Its Covalent Isomer.
- Jennifer E. Stern (Chemical Engineering) B.S.E., Princeton University 1983.

  Thesis: Aerosol Formation and Growth in Aromatic Hydrocarbon/NO<sub>x</sub> Systems.
- Howard Alvin Stone (Chemical Engineering) B.S., University of California, Davis 1982.
  - Thesis: Dynamics of Drop Deformation and Breakup in Time-Dependent Flows at Low Reynolds Numbers.
- James Arthur Stoos (Chemical Engineering) B.Ch.E., University of Minnesota-Twin Cities 1981.
  - Thesis: Particle Dynamics near Fluid Interfaces in Low-Reynolds Number Flows.
- Timothy Manning Swager (Chemistry) B.S., Montana State University 1983.

  Thesis: Precursor Routes to Conducting Polymers From the Ring Opening Metathesis Polymerization of Cyclic Olefins.
- Brian G. R. T. Treco (Chemistry) B.S., University of Delaware 1982.
  Thesis: Production of Transition Metal Oxidants through Design and Synthesis of Polyanionic Chelating Ligands.
- Stephan N. Witt (Chemistry) B.S., Union College 1981.

  Thesis: The Mechanism of Cytochrome c Oxidase-Catalyzed Dioxygen Reduction.
- Robert Scott Youngquist (Chemistry) B.S., Miami University 1982.

  Thesis: Sequence Specific Recognition and Cleavage of DNA by Synthetic Molecules.

#### DIVISION OF ENGINEERING AND APPLIED SCIENCE

- Steven Mark Anlage (Applied Physics) B.S., Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute 1982; M.S., California Institute of Technology 1984.
  - Thesis: Icosahedral Order in Metastable Metallic Alloys.
- Norbert Karl Erhard Arndt (Mechanical Engineering) Diplomvorprüfung, Rheinisch-Westfälische Technische Hochschule Aachen, 1982; M.S., California Institute of Technology 1984.
  - Thesis: Experimental Investigation of Rotor-Stator Interaction in Diffuser Pumps.

- Francisco E. Avila Segura (Mechanical Engineering) B.Sc., Universidad Veracruzana 1978; M.Sc., Universidad Nacional Autónoma de México 1980.
  - Thesis: The Creeping Motion of Immiscible Drops Through A Converging/Diverging Tube: I. Non-Newtonian Effects of Viscoelastic Drops. II. Effects of Constant Pressure Gradiant Condition for the Flow. III. Motion of Drops Through a Parallel Channel.
- Mark Robert Bell (Electrical Engineering) B.S., California State University, Long Beach 1981; M.S., California Institute of Technology 1982.
  - Thesis: Information Theory and Radar: Mutual Information and the Design and Analysis of Radar Waveforms and Systems.
- Robert William Cox (Applied Mathematics) B.S., California Institute of Technology 1976.
  - Thesis: A Model for Stress-Driven Diffusion in Polymers.
- David Dale Crouch (Applied Physics) B.S., University of California, Davis 1983; M.S., California Institute of Technology 1985.
  - Thesis: A Theoretical Study of the Generation of Squeezed-State Light via Degenerate Parametric Amplification.
- David Russell Dowling (Aeronautics) B.S., California Institute of Technology 1982; M.S., 1983.
  - Thesis: Mixing in Gas Phase Turbulent Jets.
- Michael John Dowling (Civil Engineering) B.E., National University of Ireland 1980; M.S., California Institute of Technology 1984.
  - Thesis: Nonlinear Seismic Analysis of Arch Dams.
- Ziyad Hassan Durón (Civil Engineering) B.S., Harvey Mudd College 1981; S.M., Massachusetts Institute of Technology 1983.
  - Thesis: Experimental and Finite Element Studies of a Large Arch Dam.
- Stephen D. Freeland (Electrical Engineering) B.S., Harvey Mudd College 1982; M.S., California Institute of Technology 1983.
  - Thesis: I. A Unified Analysis of Converters with Resonant Switches.

    II. Input-Current Shaping for Single-Phase Ac-Dc Power Converters.
- Susan Elizabeth Fuhs (Mechanical Engineering) B.S., California Institute of Technology 1980; M.S., 1981.
  - Thesis: Studies of Inertial Deposition of Particles onto Heat Exchanger Elements.
- Jurgen J. Giezen (Aeronautics) B.S., State University of New York at Buffalo 1983; M.S., California Institute of Technology 1984.
  - Thesis: Plastic Buckling of Cylinders Under Biaxial Loading.
- Sheldon Isaiah Green (Mechanical Engineering) B.A.Sc., University of Toronto 1984; M.S., California Institute of Technology 1985.
  - Thesis: Tip Vortices Single Phase and Cavitating Flow Phenomena.
- Enrique José Hernández Valencia (Electrical Engineering) Ingeniero Electrónico, Universidad Simón Bolívar 1982; M.S., California Institute of Technology 1985. Thesis: Queues of Queues in Communication Networks.

- Pui-Kwan Andrew Hong (Environmental Engineering Science) B.S., California Institute of Technology 1981; M.S., 1982.
  - Thesis: Catalytic Oxidation of Sulfur Dioxide by Heterogeneous Cobalt-Phthalocyanine.
- Michael P. Karyeaclis (Mechanical Engineering) B.S., Harvey Mudd College 1980; M.S., California Institute of Technology 1981.
  - Thesis: Dynamics of a Semi-Active Impact Damper: Regular and Chaotic Motions.
- Sung Joon Kim (Electrical Engineering) B.S., California Institute of Technology 1983; M.S., 1984.
  - Thesis: I. Ion-Solid Interactions with Markers. II. Oxidation Phenomena in Silicides and Aluminides.
- Susan Mary Larson (Environmental Engineering Science) A.B., Washington University 1981; M.S., California Institute of Technology 1982.
  - Thesis: A Study of Summer Midday Low-Visibility Events in the Los Angeles Area.
- Yiannis Angelo Levendis (Environmental Engineering Science) B.S.E., The University of Michigan 1980; M.S.E., 1981.
  - Thesis: A Fundamental Study of Char Oxidation Kinetics Using Model Materials.
- Liyuan Liang (Environmental Engineering Science) B.S., Northeastern University 1982; M.S., California Institute of Technology 1983.
  - Thesis: Effects of Surface Chemistry on Kinetics of Coagulation of Submicron Iron Oxide Particles ( $\alpha$ -Fe<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>) in Water.
- Anne Lin (Civil Engineering) Engenheiro Civil, Escola Politécnica da Universidade de Sao Paulo 1975; M.S., Columbia University 1976.
  - Thesis: A Numerical Evaluation of the Method of Equivalent Nonlinearization.
- Raghu Madhavan (Mechanical Engineering) B.Tech., Indian Institute of Technology, Madras 1983; M.S., California Institute of Technology 1984.
  - Thesis: On the Collapse of Long Thick-Walled Circular Tubes under Biaxial Loading.
- Eric Etienne Majani (Electrical Engineering) Diplôme d'Ingénieur, Ecole Nationale Supérieure de l'Aeronautique et de l'Espace 1982; M.S., California Institute of Technology 1983.
  - Thesis: A Model for the Study of "Very Noisy" Channels and Applications.
- Wen Jin Meng (Applied Physics) B.S., California Institute of Technology 1982.

  Thesis: Solid State Amorphization Reactions in Thin Film Diffusion Couples.
- Sotirios Natsiavas (Mechanical Engineering) Ptichion, Aristotelio University of Thessaloniki 1982.
  - Thesis: Response and Failure of Fluid-Filled Tanks under Base Excitation.
- Terese Marie Olson (Environmental Engineering Science) B.S., University of Notre Dame 1980; M.S., Northwestern University 1982.
  - Thesis: The Formation Kinetics, Mechanisms, and Thermodynamics of S(IV)-Aldehyde Addition Compounds.
- Ian Dennis Parsons (Civil Engineering) B.Sc., Imperial College of Science and Technology 1982; M.Sc., 1983.
  - Thesis: The Application of the Multigrid Method to the Finite Element Solution of Solid Mechanics Problems.

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Thesis: Generalized Modal Identification of Linear and Nonlinear Dynamic Systems.

Christodoulos Pilinis (Environmental Engineering Science and Applied Mathematics) B.Sc., National Technical University of Athens 1983; M.S., California Institute of Technology 1984.

Thesis: Mathematical Modeling of the Dynamics and Thermodynamics of Multicomponent Atmospheric Aerosols.

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Thesis: Finite Amplitude Waves in Plane Poiseuille Flow.

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Thesis: Monolithic Millimeter-Wave Two-Dimensional Horn Imaging Arrays.

Wade Gordon Regehr (Applied Physics) B.Sc., University of Regina 1982.
Thesis: Neuron-Microdevice Connections.

Syed Azhar Abbas Rizvi (Electrical Engineering) B.S., Shiraz University 1982;
M.S., California Institute of Technology 1984.

Thesis: The Critical Points of Poynting Vector Fields.

Ranajit Sahu (Mechanical Engineering) B.Tech., Indian Institute of Technology, Kharagpur 1983; M.S., California Institute of Technology 1984. Thesis: On the Combustion of Bituminous Coal Chars.

Paul Wesley Smith, Jr. (Applied Mechanics) B.S., University of California, Santa Barbara 1972; M.S., 1973.

Thesis: Considerations for the Design of Gas-Lubricated Slider Bearings.

Patrick Joseph Smyth (Electrical Engineering) B.E., University College Galway 1984; M.S., California Institute of Technology 1985.

Thesis: The Application of Information Theory to Problems in Decision Tree Design and Rule-Based Expert Systems.

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Thesis: Diffusion Barriers for VLSI Applications.

Moderagé Anthony Marius Waas (Aeronautics and Applied Mathematics) B.Sc., The Imperial College of Science and Technology 1982; M.S., California Institute of Technology 1983.

Thesis: Compression Failure of Fibrous Laminated Composites in the Presence of Stress Gradients: Experiment and Analysis.

Rueen-Fang Theresa Wang (Environmental Engineering Science) B.S., National Taiwan University 1980; M.S., California Institute of Technology 1982.

Thesis: Laboratory Analysis of Settling Velocities of Wastewater Particles in Seawater Using Holography.

Michael James Wengler (Applied Physics) B.A., Swarthmore College 1978. Thesis: Heterodyne Detection with Superconducting Tunnel Diodes.

- Robert Gary Whirley (Mechanical Engineering) B.M.E., Georgia Institute of Technology 1983; M.S., California Institute of Technology 1984.
  - Thesis: Random Response of Nonlinear Continuous Systems.
- Ted Kirk Woodward (Applied Physics) B.S., The University of Texas at Austin 1983; M.S., California Institute of Technology 1985.
  - Thesis: Experimental Studies of Heterostructure Devices: Resonant Tunneling Transistors and GaAs/AlAs/GaAs Capacitors.
- Yu-Shu George Wu (Applied Physics) B.S., National Taiwan University 1980. Thesis: Electronic Properties of II-VI Superlattices and III-V Tunnel Structures.
- Jeffrey Winston Yu (Electrical Engineering) B.S., California Institute of Technology 1983; M.S., 1984.
  - Thesis: Optical Processing Using Photorefractive Crystals.

#### DIVISION OF GEOLOGICAL AND PLANETARY SCIENCES

- Shih-Bin Robin Chang (Geochemistry) B.S., National Taiwan University 1979. Thesis: Bacterial Magnetite in Sedimentary Deposits and its Geophysical and Paleoecological Implication.
- Richard Lawrence Edwards (Geochemistry) S.B., Massachusetts Institute of Technology 1976; M.S., University of Michigan 1981.
  - Thesis: High Precision Thorium-230 Ages of Corals and the Timing of Sea Level Fluctuations in the Late Quaternary.
- Phyllis Hang-Yin Ho-Liu (Geophysics) B.S., Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University 1982; M.S., The Pennsylvania State University 1984.
  - Thesis: I. Attenuation Tomography. II. Modeling Regional Love Waves: Imperial Valley to Pasadena.
- Cathryn Clement Allen Manduca (Geology) B.A., Williams College 1980; M.S., California Institute of Technology 1982.
  - Thesis: Geology and Geochemistry of the Oceanic Arc-Continent Boundary in the Western Idaho Batholith Near McCall.
- Gregory W. Ojakangas (Planetary Science and Geophysics) B.S., University of Minnesota, Duluth 1982; M.S., California Institute of Technology 1985.
  - Thesis: I. Episodic Volcanism of Tidally Heated Satellites with Application to Io. II. Thermal State of an Ice Shell on Europa. III. Polar Wander of a Synchronously Rotating Satellite with Application to Europa.
- Lynn Alison Silver (Geology) A.B., University of California, Berkeley 1981; M.S., California Institute of Technology 1984.
  - Thesis: Water in Silicate Glasses.
- Christof Stork (Geophysics) S.B., Massachusetts Institute of Technology 1983.

  Thesis: Ray Trace Tomographic Velocity Analysis of Surface Seismic Reflection Data.
- Robert Frederik Svendsen Jr. (Geophysics) B.S., Bradley University 1980; M.S., California Institute of Technology 1982.
  - Thesis: Optical Radiation from Shock-Compressed Materials.

#### DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY - Continued

Jiajun Zhang (Geophysics and Applied Mathematics) Beijing University 1980; M.A., University of Science and Technology of China 1981.

Thesis: Determination of Source Finiteness and Depth of Large Earthquakes.

#### DIVISION OF THE HUMANITIES AND SOCIAL SCIENCES

Farid Gasmi (Social Science) Licence en Sciences Economiques, Université D'Alger 1981; M.S., California Institute of Technology 1984.

Thesis: Econometrics of Duopolistic Games in Prices and Advertising: The Case of the U.S. Soft Drink Industry.

Wendy Lynn Hansen (Social Science) B.A., Lawrence University 1983; M.S., California Institute of Technology 1985.

Thesis: Regulatory Theory and its Application to Trade Policy: A Study of ITC Decision-making.

Jean-Laurent Rosenthal (Social Science) B.A., Reed College 1984.

Thesis: The Fruits of Revolution; Property Rights, Litigation and French Agriculture 1700-1860.

#### DIVISION OF PHYSICS, MATHEMATICS AND ASTRONOMY

Theodore John Allen (*Physics*) B.S., University of Wisconsin-Madison 1982; M.S., California Institute of Technology 1984.

Thesis: The Singular Mechanics of Particles and Strings.

Wesley Boudville (Physics) B.Sc., The University of Western Australia 1982. Thesis: Fluctuations Due to Object Discreteness.

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Thesis: Novel Quantum States and Measurements.

Malcolm Nicholas Butler (Physics) B.Sc., McMaster University 1983.

Thesis: Scaling Violations in Quasielastic Electron Scattering.

James Michael Cline (Physics) B.S., Harvey Mudd College 1982; M.S., California Institute of Technology 1985.

Thesis: Effective Lagrangians and Infinity Cancellations for Open String Theories.

Michael Ronald Douglas (Physics) B.S., Harvard University 1983.

Thesis: G/H Conformal Field Theory.

Mark Harold Finger (*Physics*) B.A. (Physics), University of Colorado at Boulder 1978; B.A. (Mathematics) 1978.

Thesis: The Imaging of Extra-Galactic Low-Energy Gamma-Ray Sources: Prospects, Techniques, and Instrumentation.

Peter H. Fisher (Physics) B.S., University of California, Berkeley 1983.
Thesis: A Search for Double Beta Decay in <sup>76</sup>Ge.

Clemens H. Glaffig (Mathematics) Diplom-Vorprüfung., Albert-Ludwigs-Universitat 1983; M.S., Oregon State University 1985.

Thesis: Smoothness of the Integrated Density of States for Random Schrödinger Operators on Multidimensional Strips.

Erich Nathan Grossman (Physics) B.A., Harvard College 1980.

Thesis: A Far-Infrared Heterodyne Spectrometer for Airborne Astronomy.

Askell Hardarson (Mathematics) B.S., University of Iceland 1981.

Thesis: Doublewell Tunneling via Feynman-Kac Formula.

Gregory J. Hungerford (Mathematics) B.S., California Institute of Technology 1980.
Thesis: Boundaries of Smooth Sets and Singular Sets of Blaschke Products in the
Little Bloch Class.

Barton Duane Huxtable (Physics) B.S., University of Delaware 1982.

Thesis: Absence of a Scott Correction for the Total Binding Energy of Noninteracting Fermions in a Smooth Potential Well.

Elias B. Kiritsis (Physics) Diploma, National Technical University of Athens 1984; M.S., California Institute of Technology 1986.

Thesis: Topics in Conformal Field Theory.

Pawan Kumar (Astronomy) B.Sc., Gorakhpur University 1976; M.Sc., Indian Institute of Technology, Kanpur 1979; M.Tech., 1981.

Thesis: Excitation and Damping of Solar P-Modes.

Charles E. Lane (Physics) B.S., Indiana University-Bloomington 1981; M.S., California Institute of Technology 1984.

Thesis: GUT Monopole Detection with Scintillator.

Gang Liu (Physics) B.S., University of Science and Technology of China 1981.
Thesis: In Search of Slow-moving Ionizing Massive Particles.

Hong Ma (Physics) B.S., Fudan University 1983.

Thesis: Experimental Tests of Electroweak Theory with  $\mu^+\mu^-$  and  $\mu^+\mu^ \gamma$  Final States from e<sup>+</sup>e<sup>-</sup> Annihilation.

Ivan J. Matus Bloch (Physics) B.S., Universidad de Chile 1979; M.S., 1980.
Thesis: Models for the Avoidance Response in Phycomyces.

James K. McCarthy (Astronomy) B.S. (Astronomy), The Pennsylvania State University 1982; B.S. (Physics) 1982.

Thesis: Échelle Spectroscopy of the Central Stars of Planetary Nebulae.

Michael Scott Morris (*Physics*) B.S., Purdue University 1982; M.S., California Institute of Technology 1985.

Thesis: The  $R + \xi R^2$  Cosmology.

Michael Steven Pettersen (Physics) B.A., Harvard University 1980.

Thesis: Melting of Methane Adsorbed on Graphite Studied by Nuclear Magnetic Resonance.

Alain Cheyney Porter (Astronomy) A.B., Harvard College 1980; A.M., Harvard University 1980.

Thesis: Isophotometry of Brightest Elliptical Galaxies in Rich Clusters.

- Soo-Jong Rey (Physics) B.S., Seoul National University 1982; Sc.M., Brown University 1983; M.S., California Institute of Technology 1986.
  - Thesis: On the BRST Invariance of String Theory.
- Sheryl Leigh Smith (Physics) B.S., University of California, Los Angeles 1983; M.S., California Institute of Technology 1985.
  - Thesis: A Search for Gravitational Waves from Coalescing Binary Stars Using the Caltech 40 meter Gravity Wave Detector.
- Howard D. Stone (Physics) B.A., Lincoln College, University of Oxford 1982; M.S., California Institute of Technology 1984.
  - Thesis: Experimental Tests of QCD and Fragmentation Models in Electron-Positron Annihilation.
- James Theiler (Physics) S.B. (Physics), Massachusetts Institute of Technology 1981; S.B. (Mathematics) 1981; M.S., California Institute of Technology 1985. Thesis: Quantifying Chaos: Practical Estimation of the Correlation Dimension.
- Haimin Wang (Astronomy) B.S., Nanking University 1982.
  - Thesis: Magnetic Fields and Supergranule Velocity Fields on the Quiet Sun.
- Michael Jeffrey Ward (Applied Mathematics) B.Sc., The University of British Columbia 1983.
  - Thesis: Asymptotic Methods in Semiconductor Device Modeling.
- Ren-Feng Yuan (Physics) Tsing Hua University 1966; Graduate School, University of Science and Technology of China 1980.
  - Thesis: 18O + 18O Reactions.

## Prizes and Awards

#### FREDERIC W. HINRICHS, JR., MEMORIAL AWARD

Awarded to the senior who, in the opinion of the undergraduate Deans, has made the greatest undergraduate contribution to the welfare of the student body and whose qualities of leadership, character, and responsibility have been outstanding.

Recipient to be announced at Commencement.

#### THE MILTON AND FRANCIS CLAUSER DOCTORAL PRIZE

Awarded to the Ph.D. candidate whose research is judged to exhibit the greatest degree of originality as evidenced by its potential for opening up new avenues of human thought and endeavor as well as by the ingenuity with which it has been carried out.

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Awarded to aeronautics students for outstanding doctoral dissertations.

Moderagé Anthony Marius Waas

#### MABEL BECKMAN PRIZE

Awarded to a woman student upon completion of her junior or senior year in recognition of demonstrated academic and personal excellence, contributions to the Institute community, and outstanding qualities of character and leadership.

Nicole P. Vogt

#### ERIC TEMPLE BELL UNDERGRADUATE MATHEMATICS RESEARCH PRIZE

Awarded to one or more juniors or seniors for outstanding original research in mathematics.

Laura M. Anderson: Eric K. Babson

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any other nonacademic criteria. Listed below are graduating seniors who have been recipients of these prizes.

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Awarded to a student receiving a Doctor of Philosophy degree for an outstanding doctoral dissertation in applied mathematics.

Robert W. Cox; Michael J. Ward

#### RICHARD BRUCE CHAPMAN MEMORIAL AWARD

Awarded to a graduate student in hydrodynamics who has distinguished himself or herself in research in the Division of Engineering and Applied Science.

Sheldon I. Green

#### DONALD S. CLARK MEMORIAL AWARDS

May be awarded to a sophomore and a junior in recognition of service to the campus community and good academic performance. Preference is given to students in the Division of Engineering and Applied Science and to those in Chemical Engineering.

1987 Eric G. Scharin; Robert W. Soderbery

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Two awards, selected by the Deans and Masters respectively, presented to undergraduates whose concern for their fellow students has been demonstrated by persistent efforts to improve the quality of undergraduate life and by effective communication with members of the faculty and administration.

1987 David J. Bruning, Deans' Cup 1988 Richard M. Arrieta, Deans' Cup 1987 Ralph C. Wolf, Masters' Cup

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Awarded to the graduating Ph.D. candidate in biology who has produced the outstanding Ph.D. thesis for the past year.

Chang Soo Hahn

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Awarded either to the engineering student with the best academic record at the end of the third year of undergraduate study, or to the engineering student with the best first-year record in the graduate program.

1987 David A. Gates

#### IACK E. FROEHLICH MEMORIAL AWARD

Awarded to a junior in the upper five percent of his or her class who shows outstanding promise for a creative professional career.

1987 Randall D. Kamien

#### GEORGE W. GREEN MEMORIAL PRIZE

Awarded to the undergraduate student who, in the opinion of the division chairmen, has shown outstanding ability and achievement in creative scholarship.

1987 Michael G. Pravica

#### ARTUR MAGER PRIZE IN ENGINEERING

Awarded to a senior in engineering who has shown excellence in scholarship and the promise of an outstanding professional career.

Christopher B. Umminger

#### THE HERBERT NEWBY McCOY AWARD

Awarded to chemistry doctoral students for outstanding contributions to the science of chemistry.

1987 Mickey ChienTsung Hu 1988 Timothy M. Swager

#### MARY A. EARL MCKINNEY PRIZE IN LITERATURE

The purpose of this prize is to cultivate proficiency in writing. It may be awarded for essays submitted in connection with regular literature classes or awarded on the basis of a special essay contest.

1987 Jerome E. Lengyel

1987 Tung Yin

1988 Peter J. Hughes; Christopher S. Nolle

#### PRIZES AND AWARDS - Continued

#### ROBERT L. NOLAND LEADERSHIP SCHOLARSHIP

Awarded to students who exhibit qualities of outstanding leadership, which is most often expressed as personal actions that have helped other people and that have inspired others to fulfill their capabilities.

Andrew J. Huntington; David H. Lipin

#### HERBERT I. RYSER MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIPS

Awarded to undergraduate students for academic excellence, preferably in mathematics.

1987 Laura M. Anderson; Joel D. Hamkins

#### RICHARD P. SCHUSTER MEMORIAL PRIZE

Awarded to one or more juniors or seniors in chemistry or chemical engineering on the basis of financial need and academic promise.

Eric G. Scharin

#### THE ERNEST E. SECHLER MEMORIAL AWARD IN AERONAUTICS

Awarded to an aeronautics student who has made the most significant contribution to the teaching and research efforts of GALCIT (Graduate Aeronautical Laboratories of the California Institute of Technology). Preference is given to students working in structural mechanics.

1987 Sotirios Natsiavas

#### DON SHEPARD AWARD

Awarded to students who would find it difficult, without additional financial help, to engage in extracurricular and cultural activities. The recipients are selected on the basis of their capacity to take advantage of and to profit from these activities rather than on the basis of their scholastic standing.

1987 James D. Roberts

#### SIGMA XI AWARD

Awarded to a senior selected for an outstanding piece of original scientific research.

Randall D. Kamien

#### THE MORGAN WARD PRIZE

Awarded for the best problems and solutions in mathematics submitted by a freshman or sophomore.

1987 Eric K. Babson