College of Boca Raton
Commencement Exercises

Boca Raton, Florida

Saturday, May 23, 1987
10:00 a.m.
PROGRAM

Presiding: Dr. Donald E. Ross, President

Academic Procession .................................................. Mrs. Lettie Ozaki and Stringfest

Invocation ................................................................. The Reverend George H. Price
St. Gregory's Episcopal Church

America The Beautiful .................................................. Miss Ingrid Dehner

Welcome ................................................................. Mr. Thomas Callahan LePere
Class of 1987

Greetings ................................................................. The Honorable Emil Danciu
Mayor of Boca Raton

Introduction of Speaker .................................................. Dr. Donald E. Ross
President

Commencement Address .................................................. Dr. Vladimir N. Sakharov

Presentation of Honorary Degrees ...................................... Dr. Donald E. Ross
Doctor of Humane Letters
Vladimir N. Sakharov, Ph.D.
Doctor of Humane Letters
Medina L. McMenimen

Presentation of Candidates ............................................... Dr. Thomas P. Robinson
for Degrees

Outstanding Teacher Award ............................................. Dr. Thomas P. Robinson

Presentation of Awards
Associate Degree Award .................................................. Mrs. Francis McMenimim
Board of Overseers

Bachelor Degree Award .................................................. Mr. James J. Oussani
Board of Overseers

Conferring of Degrees ................................................... Dr. Donald E. Ross

Benediction ................................................................. The Reverend Martin Devereaux
College Chaplain

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Chief Marshal ............................................................ Mrs. Donna Sullivan
Associate Professor

Marshals ................................................................. Mr. Gregg Cox
Associate Professor
Mr. Robert Seiwell
Assistant Professor
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Vladimir Sakharov is a Soviet-trained diplomat, journalist, and intelligence operative whose disillusionment with the KGB system made him an agent for the United States. His early diplomatic and intelligence assignments put him at the heart of the KGB operations in the Middle East, and he was one of the first sources to provide the U.S. government with details of the Middle Eastern terrorist network and specific operations aimed at the United States. Dr. Sakharov is now a citizen of the United States.

Dr. Sakharov commands immediate attention with accounts of his KGB and CIA experiences. Many of his former connections now occupy positions of authority in the Communist party's Central Committee and in Soviet Embassies, and he was one of the first analysts in the West to predict Andropov's - and later Mikhail Gorbachev's - ascendancy. He continues to provide keen insight into USSR foreign, economic, political, and ideological planning.

Dr. Sakharov was born in Moscow. His family belonged to the Russian elite and he was educated at the prestigious Institute of International Relations as an expert on Soviet Foreign Policy. He holds a doctorate in International Relations and Law from the University of Southern California and is a consultant to several American and multinational companies on inter-Arab affairs, foreign economic risk management, OPEC, and international law. He is senior advisor to the Jamestown Foundation in Washington, D.C. and to a California firm specializing in economic and political risk management.
Mrs. Francis McMenimen was born in Texas and lived in New Jersey until moving to Boca Raton in the early 1960s. She studied in Ravanell, France, and at the Institute Allende in Mexico as well as the New York School of Interior Design and the College of Boca Raton.

Mrs. McMenimen was Secretary of H. Preston Lowden Company and Lowden & Company; Treasurer, Secretary, and Partner of Home Lumber Company; Secretary and Partner of Lumadue's Inc., and Secretary and Vice President of Fuller Paper Company. She is Chairman of the Board of Overseers of the College of Boca Raton, as well as Chairman of the Friends of the Library. She is the only woman to sit on the Board of the Royal Palm Yacht and Country Club of which she has been a member since 1964.

Mrs. McMenimen and her deceased husband served as Chairmen of the first College Ball in 1981, and she has been a member of every Ball Committee since then. Her philanthropic and volunteer efforts in the community are numerous and varied. She is a member of several clubs in New Jersey and Florida including the Gulf Stream Bath & Tennis Club and the Boca Raton Hotel and Club. Mrs. McMenimen has two daughters and two grandsons.
Edith Whitlock was born in Arlington, New Jersey, in 1912. She graduated from high school in Lambertville, New Jersey and attended Rutgers University as an accounting major. She retired as Chief of the Audit and Accounting Section of the Public Employees' Retirement System of New Jersey after twenty years of service.

After moving to Florida in 1958, she held several positions before joining Marymount College in 1970 as secretary to the Academic Dean. In September 1972, Miss Whitlock was promoted to the position of Recorder. Her dedication and resourcefulness were invaluable during the transition from Marymount College, a two-year girls school, to the College of Boca Raton, a four-year coeducational institution.

Miss Whitlock has served the College of Boca Raton with devotion and integrity for seventeen years. She has made an indelible mark upon the history of the College and will be greatly missed by her friends and colleagues upon her retirement.
Lending color to the pageantry of the Academic Convocation are the academic robes and hoods worn by the faculty. This regalia reaches back into the medieval age when it served a functional as well as an ornamental role, separating the learned men from other groups and offering warmth and protection.

In America in the late nineteenth century, a conference was held by representatives of colleges and universities to bring some order and system to the custom of academic dress. Since then, there have been periodic conferences to revise or reconfirm existing practices.

Essentially, undergraduates wear the black robes with the white collars. Holders of the bachelor's degree wear hoods which are lined with the colors of the college conferring the degree and trimmed with the color representing the subject in which the degree was earned. The doctoral robe is adorned with velvet and is also worn with the hood suitably ornamented.

Holders of degrees from foreign universities or religious orders wear the entire academic costume as decreed by the conferring institution.

The following list reflects the colors which will be found on the hoods worn in the Academic Procession at this Convocation, and the subject each represents.

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College of Boca Raton graduates only:

White Tassel signifies Dean's list
Blue Tassel signifies President's Honor Society