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*5th Annual
Faculty and Staff
Recognition
Dinner*

*April 26, 2000
6:00 p.m.
Oyate Hall*



*University of Minnesota
Morris*

Program

Master of Ceremonies

Tom McRoberts, associate director, University College

Opening Remarks

*Dinner music provided by
Rebecca S. Thoennes, pianist*

Dinner and Dessert

Recognition of Retirees

Horace T. Morse Award

*Peh Ng, associate professor of mathematics
Division of Science and Mathematics*

All-University Academic Staff Award 2000

Roger S. McCannon, director, University College

UMM Alumni Association Teaching Award

Jon E. Anderson, assistant professor of mathematics, recipient

Presentation of Mary Martelle Memorial Award

*David R. Dylla, building and grounds worker, Briggs Library, staff recipient
Tieree C. Smith, student recipient*

Presentation of Outstanding Staff Awards

AFSCME

Jane B. Kill, office supervisor, Student Counseling

Civil Service

Karen Ellis, program assistant, University College

Teamsters

Rosa Kill, building and grounds worker, Science Center

Closing Remarks

Chancellor Schuman

Retirees

James Gremmels, one of "The Original 13 faculty," began his career at UMM in 1960 as an English professor; in that same year he established the first UMM mens' basketball program. In the winter of 1971 he founded the Prairie Gate Press which has produced several volumes of poetry, a cookbook, games, and many attractive posters. He was inducted into the Academy of Distinguished Teachers and returned to basketball as an assistant coach in 1999. He will retire at the end of the academic year.

Mary Ellen Grossman began her employment in the Office of Financial Aid in November 1979, and moved to her current position as principal secretary in University College in January 1989. She has received the University College Outstanding Service Award and has been active in the United Staff Association during her tenure at UMM. Her plans for the future are undecided, except to continue to enjoy life on the lake and her 10 beautiful grandchildren.

John Q. Imholte, another of "The Original 13 faculty," began his career at UMM in 1960 as a history lecturer. His career at UMM advanced quickly and in 1970 he was named chancellor, a position he enjoyed until 1990 when he returned to teaching history. Jack has authored a book, countless articles, and he received the 1998 President's Award for Outstanding Service. He will retire at the end of this academic year.

Shirley A. Kleespies, a principal accounts specialist in the Business Office, started her employment at UMM on July 30, 1973, as a data entry operator. She has seen many technological changes during her tenure here; she started out with "one little key punch" and has most recently experienced PeopleSoft. Shirley took advantage of the University's Regents Scholarship program and as a part of her geology class she took a bus trip to Alaska for credit! She loves to travel and plans on spending much of her retirement time doing just that. She will retire at the end of this calendar year.

Fred W. Peterson came to UMM in 1961 (almost one of "The Original 13") as an assistant professor of art history. He was the Cap and Gown Day speaker in 1968. He had his first book, Homes in the Heartland published in 1993 and a second book published in 1998, Building Community, Keeping the Faith. In 1999 he was inducted into the University of Minnesota Academy of Distinguished Teachers. Fred is also the curator of the Humanities Fine Arts Center Gallery, a position he will maintain following his retirement from teaching at the end of this academic year.

Dennis W. Sayre will retire from UMM on June 30, 2000, as lieutenant, Campus Security. He says simply, "it's time to move on!" Dennis began his UMM employment in 1968 and has been head of Campus Security since 1978. He entered law enforcement because he enjoys helping people, and we can't even begin to estimate numbers of those he has helped over the past 32 years. He looks forward to "basically taking the summer off to do things that have been put off, and watching TV!"

Special Thanks

Thanks to Rebecca Thoennes for the very enjoyable dinner music, and to John Stuart Ingle for permission to reproduce a transparency of his painting "Still Life With Overland Flyer" for use as a special gift for the retirees.

Anniversary Celebrants

35 and over

Nathaniel Hart
James Olson
James Gremmels
John Imholte
Jooinn Lee
Fred Peterson
James Togeas
Eric Klinger
Audre Ross
C.F. Farrell, Jr.

30-35 years

Roger Boyleman
Ardatn Larson
John Ingle
Ray Sibul
Wilbert Ahern
Dennis Sayre
Robert Vikander
Roland Guyotte
Craig Kissock
Janet Ahern
Harold Hinds
Andy Lopez
Dian Lopez
Bonnie Tipcke
Thomas Turner

25-30 years

Marlys Buntje
Barbara Valnes
Charlotte Castor
Dennis Templeman
Llea Anderson
Mickey Rose
Cheryl Estenson
Dwight Purdy
LuAine Logan
Robert Thompson
David Rath
Shirley Kleespies
Gary Strei
Randall Wenz
Richard Busch
Ronald Cline
Mariam Frenier
Gary Donovan
Clifford Hatlestad
Arden Heins
Dianna George

Peter Orr
Karla Klinger
Thomas Swenson
Ruth Thielke
Lynn Schulz
Sara Haugen
James Van Alstine
David Dylla
Arthur Kunde
Roger McCannon
Rosemarie Murphy
Thomas McRoberts
David Hoppe

20-25 years

David Jones
Ronald Rosen
Carol McCannon
Nancy Mooney
Bonnie Gulbrandson
Gordon Harstad
Vasilikie Demos
Richard Richards
Lowell Rasmussen
Jennifred Nellis
Timothy Ray
Margaret Dylla
Pamela Gades
Katherine Benson
James Carlson
Van Gooch
Kenneth Hodgson
Delores Rathke
Vernon Mohr
Marie Hagen
Dale Michaelson
Tap Payne
Jeanne Richards
Mark McCabe
Bernard Folkens
Mary Ellen Grossman
A. Kay Carlson
Michael Vangstad
Gail Boe
Jane Kill
Brenda Boever
Thomas Mahoney

15-20 years

Judy Van Kempen
Madeline Maxeiner

Charles Grussing
Thomas Rach
Thelma Wilson
David Aronson
Maria-Luisa Lee
Virginia Nohl
Carrie Grussing
Vinod Nangia
Lois Koehntop
Renee Schwagerl
Joan Reicosky
Peter Whelan
Sharon Van Eps
Marilyn Bober
William Riggs
James Cotter
Michael Korth
Jeri Mullin
Robert Mahoney
Julie Hesse
Jayne Hacker
Darla Peterson
Thomas Bengston
Mark Fohl
Pam Engebretson
William Eiler
Edith Borchardt
Pieranna Garavaso

10-15 years

Karen Ellis
Patricia Hein
Jeanne Purdy
William Hennen
Lois Kunde
Dale Logan
Catherine Kietzman
Daniel Payne
Jacqueline Nohl
Kevin Flicker
Solomon Gashaw
Thomas Johnson
Michael O'Reilly
Loretta Leonard
Allisande Allaben
Joyce Amborn
Ann Marie Vangstad
Cindy Poppe
Lyle Lundebrek
Nancy Erdahl
Mary Elizabeth Bezanson

Vicente Cabrera
Lory Lemke
Michael Miller
Cynthia Rohloff
Janet Sauter
Ron Kubik
Michael Miller
Nancy Volker
Dorothy DeJager
Kay Storck
Tom Dogotch
Paul Kietzman
Mark VanOverbeke
Farah Gilanshah
John Husted
Rosa Kill
Judith Kuechle
Diana Schultz
Patricia Nelson
Virginia Schmidgall
Judith Riley
Mary Huebner
Bobbie Jean Sasek
Rita Bolluyt
Lynn Halbakken
Thomas Bennett
Sandy Olson-Loy
Rebecca Webb
James Anderson
Ferolyn Angell
Nancy Carpenter
Christopher Cole
Joel Eisinger
Bart Finzel
Vicki Graham
Jeffrey Ratliff-Crain
Kim J. Schultz
Marilyn Gremmels
Shirley Miller
J. Clare Strand
Mary Zosel
Vivian Heltemes
David Savela
Neil Leroux
Engin Sungur
Jo Ellen Huntley
Diane Kill
Jennifer Lund
Bobbi Charles