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JOHN J PRUIS

WILL BRING COMMENCEMENT ADDRESS AND BE HONORED FOR EDUCATIONAL LEADERSHIP

Dr. John J Pruis, an educator and business executive who guided the establishment of the University of Southern Indiana as the state's sixth public university, will bring the 1991 Commencement Address. In recognition of his exemplary educational leadership, Dr. Pruis will receive an honorary Doctor of Laws degree in today's ceremony.

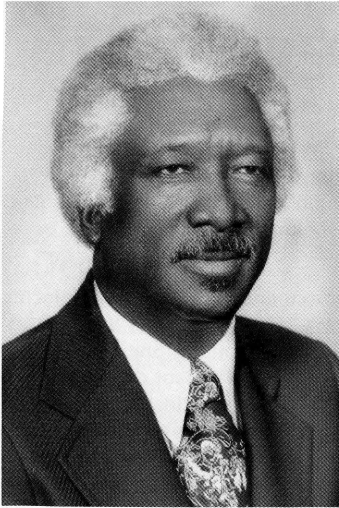
Dr. Pruis served as chairman of the Board of Incorporators for an Independent State University in Southwestern Indiana and was a member of the first Board of Trustees of the University of Southern Indiana. He brought to those boards important expertise in planning, establishing, and managing a new university. Dr. Pruis retired in 1988 after a decade as vice president for corporate relations at Ball Corporation in Muncie, but for most of his career, he was an educator. He began as a grade school teacher in Jamestown, Michigan, in 1942, and subsequently was on the faculties of Western Michigan University, Northwestern University, University of Northern Iowa, and Southern Illinois University. He was appointed assistant dean of the School of Liberal Arts and Sciences at Western Michigan University, where he also held positions as assistant to the president, secretary of the board of trustees, and vice president for administration. In 1968, he was named president of Ball State University. During the next ten years, under Dr. Pruis' leadership, Ball State University experienced unparalleled growth and reached a number of academic milestones.

Dr. Pruis is the author of numerous articles on speech, communication, and education, and has held many positions of leadership in academic and professional organizations, including the presidency of North Central Association of Colleges and Schools and the Indiana Conference of Higher Education. He has been a director of the North Central Association of Colleges and Schools, an advisory committee chairman of the American Council on Education, and vice president of the Central States Speech Association. Dr. Pruis has served on the board of commissioners of the National Commission on Accrediting and the executive board of the Commission on Institutions of Higher Education. From 1985 to 1990, he was a trustee of the University of Southern Indiana.

Active in civic affairs, Dr. Pruis is executive vice president of the George and Frances Ball Foundation, and serves as a director of the Ball Brothers Foundation, the Muncie Symphony, and Ball Memorial Hospital, where he also is vice chairman of the board. He is a member of the executive committee of the Minnetrista Cultural Center Board and the Minnetrista Cultural Foundation. Dr. Pruis is a former director and chairman for community services of the United Way, and has been a director of Big Brothers/Big Sisters, Muncie Symphony, Muncie Chamber of Commerce, and Ball Memorial Hospital. He is an active elder of St. Andrew Presbyterian Church. Dr. Pruis served on active duty with the Navy from 1943-46 and retired from the Naval Reserve with the rank of Captain.

Dr. Pruis earned a baccalaureate degree in speech from Western Michigan University in 1947, a master's degree from Northwestern University in 1949, and a Ph.D. from Northwestern in 1951. He also has received honorary degrees from Ball State University, Indiana State University, and Yeungnam University in Korea.

Dr. Pruis and his wife Angeline have three sons.



REVEREND W. R. BROWN, SR. WILL BE HONORED FOR COMMUNITY LEADERSHIP

The University of Southern Indiana will confer an honorary Doctor of Humane Letters degree on the Reverend Walter Rodgers Brown, Sr. in recognition of his advocacy for education and advancement of human rights in southern Indiana.

Reverend Brown has been pastor of New Hope Baptist Church for more than 37 years and is regarded as a regional and national leader in Baptist ministerial organizations. In February he was inducted into the Hall of Ministers at the Martin Luther King International Chapel of Morehouse College in Atlanta, Georgia. He is a vice president of the National Baptist Convention U.S.A., Inc., moderator of the Southern District Association, and president of the General Missionary Baptist State Convention of Indiana, Inc. Reverend Brown is a member of the executive committee and serves on the board of the Indiana Council of Churches. Locally, Dr. Brown serves as president of the Evansville Clergy Association, and has been president of the Baptist Ministers' Conference and the Interdenominational Ministers' Alliance. He is also on the board of the State of Indiana's One-Church, One-Child organization, Big Brothers/Big Sisters, Foster Grandparents, a member of Kappa Alpha Psi fraternity, an organizer and chairman of Opportunity Industrial Center (OIC), a life member of the NAACP, and a past member of the Area Plan Commission of Evansville and Vanderburgh County.

Active in the desegregation of education, employment, and public accommodations, Reverend Brown has been an articulate spokesman for expanding educational opportunities, particularly for the disadvantaged. Through New Hope Baptist Church, he established the only Black Federal Credit Union in this area to make loans to underclass and underprivileged people who would not qualify for loans otherwise. Reverend Brown testified before state legislative committees, representing the Black community in advocating the establishment of public higher education in Evansville. He assisted in establishing the Gateway Center of USI, which provides postsecondary educational programs to inner-city residents. Reverend Brown also spearheaded the Evansville Martin Luther King, Jr. Birthday Celebration as a legal holiday in the community and schools.

A graduate of Jackson State College in Jackson, Mississippi, Reverend Brown received his divinity degree from the American Baptist Theological Seminary and Bible College and a Doctor of Divinity degree from Indiana Christian Bible College. Texas Baptist Theological Seminary conferred an honorary doctorate on Reverend Brown.

He and his wife Johnnie Ruth have one son, Reverend Walter R. Brown, Jr., who co-pastors with his father at New Hope Baptist Church.



JUDITH O'BANNON WILL BE RECOGNIZED FOR PRESERVATION EFFORTS

Judy O'Bannon is a public-spirited woman who has directed her talents to encouraging the arts, promoting historical and recreational resources of Indiana, and assisting disabled people. As the wife of Indiana Lieutenant Governor Frank O'Bannon, she meets a demanding schedule that blends official duties, family responsibilities, and civic activities.

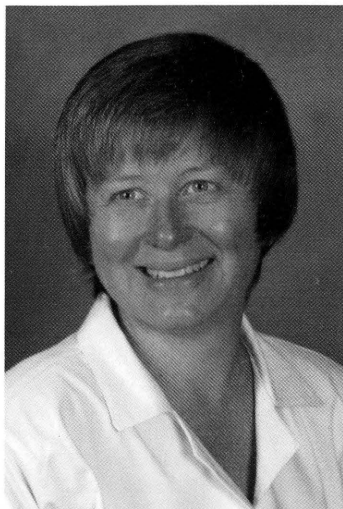
The University of Southern Indiana will confer an honorary Doctor of Laws degree on Mrs. O'Bannon in recognition of her extraordinary efforts to preserve Indiana's heritage. Mrs. O'Bannon was a pioneer in the Main Street Program in Indiana and chairs the Main Street Council. The Main Street Program encourages economic restructuring and historic preservation in downtowns and has affiliates in 111 Indiana communities. Mrs. O'Bannon also is co-chair, with Congressman Lee H. Hamilton, of the advisory committee of Historic Southern Indiana, a program of the University of Southern Indiana which preserves and promotes historic and scenic resources in southern Indiana. She is also on the executive committee and board of Historic Landmarks Foundation of Indiana. Mrs. O'Bannon's work with these programs began as an extension of her work on behalf of historic preservation in Corydon, Indiana's first state capital, and the O'Bannon's hometown.

For several years, Mrs. O'Bannon served on the board of directors for Indiana's only diagnostic center for developmentally disabled children with multiple handicaps. She also served on the boards of two centers for retired citizens.

Mrs. O'Bannon has actively assisted her husband as he served Indiana in a number of public offices and responsibilities. She has been president of the State Assembly Women's Club, and was a co-founder of Partners in Politics, a national organization that informs and provides a support network for families of state and national officeholders, assisting them with pressures of public life and high visibility.

A Phi Beta Kappa graduate of Indiana University, Mrs. O'Bannon was the first woman admitted to the Louisville Presbyterian Theological Seminary. She is an active lay speaker, and for many years has worked in the church school and social outreach program at Corydon United Methodist Church.

In Indianapolis, Mrs. O'Bannon and her husband are active in revitalization efforts in the Old Northside Neighborhood, where they own a house, and in Central Avenue Methodist Church. The O'Bannons are the parents of three children.



DR. MARLENE V. SHAW **IS 1991 DISTINGUISHED PROFESSOR**

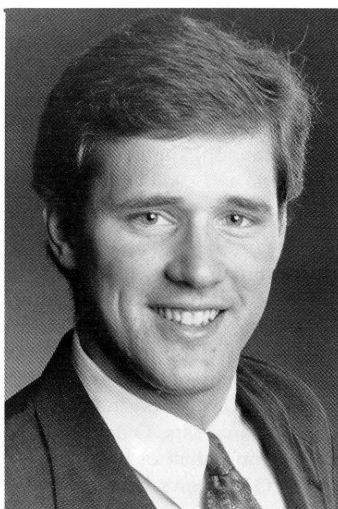
Dr. Marlene V. Shaw, professor of biology, has taught at the University of Southern Indiana since 1973. Her faculty colleagues have chosen her to receive the 1991 Distinguished Professor Award, made possible by a generous gift from National City Bank of Evansville. She will receive a monetary award and a scholarship in her name will be awarded to a deserving USI student.

Dr. Shaw teaches in one of the most demanding disciplines in science—molecular genetics, a field where information doubles every two years. Her enthusiasm for excellence is evident in her service to the University and the community. She has obtained grants to bring students into a laboratory investigation of strawberry plant defense against fungus and to conduct Biology at the Interface lectures that bring nationally recognized scholars to campus to discuss scientific-ethical-societal concerns. In the early 80s, Dr. Shaw created "DNA: The Blueprint of Life", an exhibit for the Evansville Museum of Arts and Science. It was invited for national tour by the American Association of Science and Technology Centers of Washington, D.C.

Dr. Shaw holds Ph.D. and master's degrees in microbiology from the University of Illinois, and a bachelor's degree from Wittenberg University. She was a postdoctoral research associate at the University of Michigan before joining USI as assistant professor of life science. She became an associate professor of biology in 1979 and a full professor in 1990. She also has been an adjunct associate professor and course director of medical genetics for the Indiana University School of Medicine—Evansville Center, and in 1983-84 was a visiting scholar in molecular biology at Vanderbilt University.

Nationally recognized for her work in genetics, Dr. Shaw has been invited to participate in many prestigious programs, including those of the Foundation for Advanced Education in the Sciences at the National Institutes of Health, Johns Hopkins University and the Jackson Laboratory, and Cold Spring Harbor Laboratory.

USI students regard Dr. Shaw as a thoughtful advisor on academic and career questions as well as a dedicated teacher and mentor. She has served capably as a member of the Faculty Senate and several of its committees, Steering Committee of the Lilly Endowment Extended University Project, and University General Education Committee. Dr. Shaw is a sought-after speaker for community programs on genetics, science, and science education.



BRAD A. SCHEPERS **IS 1991 PRESIDENT'S MEDAL RECIPIENT**

Brad A. Schepers will receive the 1991 President's Medal, the highest honor given a senior at the University of Southern Indiana. Brad, who will graduate *magna cum laude* today with a major in mechanical engineering technology, will enter the Indiana University School of Law this summer.

The Faculty Senate Student Academic Affairs Committee chose Brad for the President's Medal because of his commitment to academic excellence and his service to the University and community. The Celestine, Indiana, resident has been a Dean's List student for eight semesters and has been inducted into the Alpha Chi and Golden Key scholastic honorary societies. While attending USI on a Robert and Elaine Pott Scholarship, he earned all of his college expenses. Brad was a co-op engineer in research, design, development, and engineering at George Koch Sons, Inc. At USI, he worked as an engineering draftsman, taught an undergraduate course in instrumentation and controls, and was a laboratory supervisor for the Engineering Technology Department. For a semester, Brad was a residential student director for Mid America Student Housing.

A campus leader, Brad was appointed by Governor Evan Bayh to a two-year term on the USI Board of Trustees. In his capacity as a trustee, Brad also served on the boards of the USI Foundation and the USI/New Harmony Foundation. Brad was president and secretary/treasurer of the student chapter of the Society of Mechanical Engineers, secretary/treasurer of Tau Alpha Phi engineering fraternity, team captain for intramural basketball, and a member of the USI Student Government Association and the Newman Club. He is listed in the 1990 edition of Who's Who Among Students in American Colleges and Universities.

Brad is the son of Herb and Shirley Schepers of Celestine. In April, he married Gisela Knies, a 1989 graduate of USI.

UNIVERSITY OF SOUTHERN INDIANA

Candidates for Degrees

CLASS OF 1991

Master Degrees

Master of Business Administration

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JOYCE A. BREWER, Newburgh
JANE Z. CROWLEY, Evansville
SUSAN MARIA FELDPAUSCH, Indianapolis
DENNIS KEITH JEWELL, Evansville
ALLEN R. MOUNTS, Newburgh
RANDALL L. WALDROP, Henderson, Kentucky
MONICA L. WEISS, Evansville

Master of Science in Education

GAIL DOWNEN AXTON, Wadesville
LANA GEE BUNNER, Evansville
TIMOTHY GRADY BUREL, Evansville
BARBARA HELEN TRAVIS CONWAY, Sturgis, Kentucky
JULIE F. CORNWALL, Evansville
TOD D. DOSS, Evansville
SUSANNE MARIE HAYS, Evansville
ANNETTE M. VALVO HEALY, Evansville
MICHAEL NORMAN HEARD, Evansville
CAROLYN B. HINES, Evansville
ALBERT KARL HOLTZ, JR., Evansville
MAURICE OLWALI, Nairobi, Kenya
RONALD V. PRESTON, Oakland City
SANDRA J. SANDERS, Rockport
DEBRA J. WHITFIELD, Evansville

Master of Science in Industrial Management

AUDREY G. ALCORN, Evansville
NEIL KENT THOMAS, Evansville

Baccalaureate Degrees

SCHOOL OF BUSINESS

Bachelor of Arts

LEIGH ANNE APPELL, Evansville
Marketing
SANDRA F. BYERS, Boonville
Accounting
SHELLEY RENEE DIXON, Evansville
Business Administration
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Economics and History, *magna cum laude*
THALITA ANN FLOYD, Evansville
Business Administration, *magna cum laude*
GREG ALLEN GIVENS, Evansville
Computer Information Systems
PAUL VINCENT GURGOS, Winfield, Illinois
Business Administration
PATRICIA A. HENNINGER, Newburgh
Management
JILL MARIE MATTINGLY, Evansville
Business Administration
MELISSA JO MOORE, Newburgh
Business Administration
KARIN L. PHELPS, Evansville
Business Administration

MARIA LYNN THACKER, Jasper
Economics
KELLY LEIGH WOLF, Evansville
Management

Bachelor of Science

MOHMMED ALI ABOUD, Evansville
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TAMMY ANN ADKINS, Rockport
Business Administration
JULIE A. ALLEN, Evansville
Business Administration
FADL NOMAN AL-MAGHRABI, Evansville
Business Administration
JAMES L. ALSOP, New Harmony
Business Administration and Management
KAREN SUE ALTSTADT, Evansville
Business Administration
DANIEL ROBERT ANDERSON, Mount Vernon
Management
BRADLEY DEAN APPLE, Indianapolis
Marketing
RICHARD DALE ASHBY, Evansville
Accounting
SANDRA L. ATKINS, Evansville
Management
PETER B. BARON, Newburgh
Business Administration
MICHAEL R. BATES, Evansville
Management, *cum laude*
RANDAL LINUS BAUER, Jasper
Business Administration
DEBORAH LYNN BAUMGART, Haubstadt
Business Administration
MARY JUDE BECKER, Evansville
Management
D. SCOTT BENNETT, Evansville
Accounting
JEFFREY MICHAEL BIGGERSTAFF, Newburgh
Business Administration
ELAINE G. BINHACK, Princeton
Accounting
JENNIFER LYNN BIRK, Birdseye
Accounting, *magna cum laude*
JANE ELLEN BORING, Evansville
Finance, *magna cum laude*
KARI LYNN BRACE, Huntingburg
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JOHN W. DAYTON, Evansville
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Business Education
ROXANNE R. DOOLEY, Huntingburg
Accounting
PAUL ANTHONY EFFINGER, Evansville
Accounting
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Finance
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Accounting and Finance
JANENE MARIE ELSFELDER, Evansville
Management
DEAVRON HOYT FARMER, Evansville
Management
MARGARET D. FARMER, Henderson, Kentucky
Accounting, *magna cum laude*
CYNTHIA LYNNE FELTS, Newburgh
Management
MICHAEL A. FICHTER, Evansville
Management
MICHAEL PAUL FICKER, Jasper
Business Administration
CRAIG RICHARD FOLZ, Evansville
Accounting
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Business Administration
CYNTHIA ANN FOWLER, Newburgh
Accounting
MICHAEL RAY FRAKER, Evansville
Business Administration
VICKI J. FRANK, Evansville
Business Administration
STEVEN WAYNE GANSMAN, Evansville
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Accounting and Marketing
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Business Administration
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Elementary Education
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Elementary Education
DELMA L. WILLET-MILLER, Boonville
Elementary Education

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Occupational Studies
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Occupational Studies

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TERESA J. MARTIN, Evansville Science
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Nursing
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Nursing
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Nursing
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Nursing
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SCHOOL OF SCIENCE AND ENGINEERING TECHNOLOGY

Associate of Science

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STACEY M. POOLE, Evansville
Civil Engineering Technology
TIMOTHY SEAN SELBY, Evansville
Mechanical Engineering Technology

This printed list of candidates for degrees does not include late changes.

Academic Dress

The academic costume dates from medieval days when university students wore woolen and fur garments for warmth in damp and drafty buildings. Most of those studying were clerics in the holy orders; they wore a cloak to which was attached a hood that could be pulled up to cover their tonsured heads. Simplified today, the costume serves to remind us that its wearer is a member of an ancient and venerable profession; it also indicates by its color and design its wearer's degree and its institution by which the degree was conferred.

In the United States, black has been the traditional color for academic gowns, but some institutions authorize holders of their doctorates to wear colors of the institution. The bachelor's gown is distinguished by its long, open sleeves; the master's by its closed, slitted sleeves; the doctor's by its full sleeves trimmed with bands of velvet, which may be black or a color denoting the field in which the degree was taken.

The mortarboard cap, proper for all degrees, is black. Tassels, usually black, are worn over the left front quarter of the cap. Holders of the doctorate may wear tassels of gold thread.

Academic hoods vary in length according to the degree and are lined with the colors of the institution by which the degree was granted. The honorary doctoral hoods of the University of Southern Indiana are black, lined with blue satin with red satin chevrons. They are edged with white velvet.

The Mace of the University

In medieval England, the mace was a formidable weapon, held ready by a bodyguard who led the way for dignitaries or officers of the court. From the sixteenth century in England and since colonial days in America, the mace has become a symbol of office only, and is carried by a distinguished member of the faculty who leads the Commencement procession. Here, it is carried by the Grand Marshal.

The University's official Mace is the cane of Richard Owen, who was a geologist and professor of natural science at Indiana University before becoming the first president of Purdue University. A respected scientist and scholar, Richard was a son of Robert Owen, the Scottish industrialist who established New Harmony, Indiana, as a center for education and enlightened social reform in the early 1800s. All the children of Robert Owen who accompanied him to America made far-reaching contributions to society, and helped to shape the governmental, social, and cultural directions of the state, region, and nation.

Alumni Association Pins

Graduates in today's ceremonies are receiving lapel pins as a gift of the USI Alumni Association. The pins bear the University logo.

Baccalaureate Scholarship Honors

The baccalaureate degree candidate graduating with the highest scholarship index will be graduated summa cum laude. Baccalaureate students graduating with a scholarship index of 3.80 or higher will be graduated magna cum laude. Those with a scholarship index between 3.60 and 3.80 will be graduated magna cum laude. These achievements are set forth on the individual diplomas. Honor students can be recognized in the Commencement Exercises by colored stoles and tassels. Gold indicates summa cum laude; red, magna cum laude; and blue, cum laude.

Because students enrolled in master's degree programs are expected to maintain a minimum grade point average of 3.0, and most achieve much higher levels, scholarship honors at Commencement are given only to baccalaureate students.

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