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Convocation
Friday, December 18, 2015, 2 p.m.
Hofheinz Pavilion

PROCESSIONAL	Moores School of Music Brass Quintet Honorary Grand Marshall Lawrence Curry, Ph.D. <i>Professor Emeritus</i> College Banner Bearers Associate Marshalls Faculty Candidates for Graduation Platform Party
PRESENTATION OF THE COLORS	UH Air Force ROTC Color Guard
NATIONAL ANTHEM	ManCorps
WELCOME	Dr. Lawrence Curry, Ph.D.
INTRODUCTION OF	Dennis Reynolds, Ph.D.
PLATFORM PARTY	<i>Dean, Barron Hilton Distinguish Chair</i>
AND OPENING ADDRESS	<i>Conrad N. Hilton College of Hotel and Restaurant Management</i>
PRESENTATION OF	Agnes DeFranco, Ed.D.
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BACHELORS CANDIDATES	Dennis Reynolds, Ph.D.
ALMA MATER	ManCorps
CLOSING REMARK	Robert McPherson, Ph.D.
RECESSIONAL	Moore School of Music Brass Quintet

Conrad N. Hilton College of Hotel and Restaurant Management



Letter from the Dean

Dear Graduates,

Today marks a major milestone in your lives—the day you officially transition from students to alumni. You’ve accomplished so much in your time at the Conrad N. Hilton College, and now you’ll build upon those experiences as you launch your careers.

Several factors have contributed to your success at the University of Houston: the support of your families and friends; encouragement from faculty and staff; and—most importantly—your own determination to learn, grow and accomplish your goals.

You’re now part of a global network of more than 7,000 Hilton College graduates, and the friendships you’ve made as students will serve as the foundation for great professional relationships in the coming years. Wherever your journey takes you, I encourage you to stay connected to your College. This is one of the finest hospitality programs in the world, but we need your support to continue to build upon that legacy.

The Fall Class of 2015 is among the best the College has ever produced and I know you’ll continue to serve as outstanding ambassadors for our program in all of your professional endeavors. On behalf of the entire Hilton College family, I offer my sincere congratulations to all of you.

Best wishes ... and Go Coogs!

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Dennis Reynolds". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a prominent loop at the end.

Dennis Reynolds
*Dean of the College &
Barron Hilton Distinguished Chair*



Conrad N. Hilton College of Hotel and Restaurant Management

If you're interested in a career in hospitality, the Conrad N. Hilton College of Hotel and Restaurant Management at the University of Houston is the place for you. Our graduates shine in all sectors of this booming global industry—lodging, restaurants, food & beverage management, casinos and gaming, events, spa management, sales, marketing and more.

A small college at a major university in the nation's fourth-largest city, Hilton College offers students a real sense of community. Whether they're pursuing a Bachelor of Science in Hotel and Restaurant Management, a Master of Science in Hospitality Management or a Ph.D. in Hospitality Administration, our students benefit from world-class facilities—including our upscale teaching hotel, the Hilton University of Houston; our new, state-of-the-art wine-tasting lab; our student-run restaurant, Barron's; and Cougar Grounds, our student-managed coffee shop—and from the skilled instruction of our experienced, award-winning faculty.

Consistently ranked among the top hospitality programs in the world, Hilton College emphasizes experiential learning in addition to more traditional, lecture-style teaching methods. This philosophy ensures our students gain practical, hands-on, real-world hospitality experience while they're pursuing their degrees, so when they graduate, they're well on their way to finding the job of their dreams.

We are known for producing quality hospitality professionals who make an immediate impact on the industry, so our students are highly sought-after by recruiters from across the globe. In fact, more than 80 percent of Hilton College students already have jobs lined up when they graduate!

Conrad N. Hilton College of Hotel and Restaurant Management

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THE HONORS COLLEGE

The Honors College at the University of Houston offers students special opportunities to develop their academic abilities. Below are the Honors College honors designations.

University Honors with Honors in Major

Students who complete the Honors College curriculum (36 hours) and complete a senior honors thesis.

University Honors

Students who complete the Honors College curriculum and elect not to complete a senior honors thesis.

Collegiate Honors and Collegiate Honors with Honors in Major

Students who fulfill the requirements for the honors program in the college of their major, including 21 hours of honors courses; who complete an Honors College minor, or who complete 21 hours of approved honors courses. If students also complete a senior honors thesis, they graduate with Collegiate Honors with Honors in Major.

Membership in The Honors College and Membership in The Honors College with Honors in Major

Students who affiliate with the Honors College during their undergraduates years and complete fewer than 21 hours of honors courses. If students also complete a senior honors thesis and fulfill the requirements of their major with distinction, they graduate with Membership in The Honors College with Honors in Major.

Honors in Major

Students who complete a senior honors thesis but are not members of the Honors College.

Membership in The Honors College

Rosie Rebollar

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Letter from the Dean

Dear Graduates,

Graduation marks a milestone in your educational career. On behalf of our faculty and staff, I want to congratulate you on this significant achievement. As Dean of the College of Education, I am proud of your academic success and look forward to seeing your impact on our communities – through teaching, leadership, health promotion, counseling and research.

As an alumni and donor, I want to encourage you to participate with the College of Education Alumni Association and to stay connected to the College. There are multiple ways to give back, including specific designations to College of Education scholarships and programs. Learn more at www.coe.uh.edu.

Thank you for choosing the College of Education and for your desire to change the world. Our best wishes are with you as you continue your career aspirations. You are the pride.

Go Coogs!

Bob

Robert H. McPherson, Ph.D.
Dean & Professor, Elizabeth D. Rockwell Chair



College of Education

The University of Houston's College of Education prepares graduates to change the world - through teaching, leadership, health promotion, counseling and research. Currently, over 2,600 students are pursuing more than 30 undergraduate and graduate academic programs, both on campus and online.

Our programs exceed national standards for excellence, including accreditation by the National Council of Accreditation of Teacher Education (NCATE) and the American Psychological Association (APA). Our graduate program is ranked in the top 110 and our online programs are ranked #1 in the nation by the US News and World Report. The National Council on Teacher Quality (NCTQ) Teacher Prep Review ranked two of our teacher prep programs in the top 5 nationwide.

Our Tier One faculty are world-renowned scholars with real-world experience in our communities. In addition to innovative, federally funded research projects, we have more American Education Research Association (AERA) fellows than any other Texas university.

Our alumni have deep ties in the community and continue to make an impact felt well beyond graduation. Not only have alumni been named local, state, and national teachers of the year, many of our graduates rise to leadership roles across the world.

Fall 2015

DOCTOR OF EDUCATION

Curriculum and Instruction

Lana K. Coble

Analysis of Undergraduate Student Success on the National AC Level 1 Certification Exam

ADVISOR: Dr. Sara McNeil

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The Impact of Offering Students Choice in Close Reading on Their Attitudes and Achievement

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Academic Skills Building through Global Health

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Examining the Evolution of a University Summer Campus Program for Mathematics Teachers

ADVISOR: Dr. Jennifer Chauvot

Educational Leadership and Policy Studies

Isabelle Ait-Chalalet

A Phenomenology Study of Educational Leadership in Health Sciences Education Within a Cohort-Based Doctorate

ADVISOR: Dr. Sara McNeil

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An Examination of Principals' and Assistant Principals' Perceptions Regarding the Knowledge, Skills, and Attributes Needed For Their Current Job Role to Lead Schools

ADVISOR: Dr. Angus MacNeil

Trevor Michael Burt

Variances among Resident and Faculty Survey Results: A Comparative Analysis of Responses to the Internal GME-Administered and External ACGME-Administered Surveys

ADVISOR: Dr. Margaret Watson

Courtney Nicole Busby

The Differences that Exist Between the Dropout Rates for African American male students enrolled in Career Academies and those that are not enrolled in Career Academies

ADVISOR: Dr. Anthony Rolle

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A Case Study of an Early College High School: Students', Teachers', and Administrators' Perceptions of the Benefits and Challenges Experienced While Attending an Early College High School, Factors Influencing Program Completion, and Strategies that Increase Successful Completion

ADVISOR: Dr. Virginia Snodgrass-Rangel

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An Evaluation of a Middle School's English Language Arts Pre-AP Program

ADVISOR: Dr. Angus MacNeil

Tabitha Sundrell Davis

An Examination of High School Career and Technical Education (CTE) Teachers', CTE Program Directors' and Campus Administrators' Perceptions of CTE Teacher Recruitment, Development, and Retention Efforts In a Large Urban School District

ADVISORS: Dr. Angus MacNeil and

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Preparing and Retaining Quality Teachers:

What Public Education Leaders Should Know

ADVISOR: Dr. Angus MacNeil

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Factors and Attributes Related to Training
Transfer in Healthcare Professionals
Participating in Quality Improvement Training
ADVISOR: Dr. Margaret Watson

Julie Lynn English

Teacher's Perceptions of Leadership
Practices in the Implementation of
Professional Learning Communities
ADVISOR: Dr. Angus MacNeil

Jennifer Renee Fairchild

An Analysis of Executive Leadership Beliefs
That Contribute to District Financial Stability
ADVISOR: Dr. Robert Borneman

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A Comparison of Leadership Practices
Between Principals of High And Low
Performing Title I Elementary Schools
With English Language Learners Within
The Same Suburban School District
ADVISOR: Dr. Robert Borneman

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An Examination of School District
Superintendents Perceptions of Processes
and Strategies that are Successful in Passing
a School Bond Referendum in School
Districts not Experiencing Growth in Student
Population with a Total Enrollment of One
Thousand to Thirty-five Hundred Students.
ADVISOR: Dr. Robin McGlohn

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An Examination of the Perceptions of Texas
Public School Assistant Principals Regarding
Their Preparation for the Principalship:
Implications for School and District Leaders
ADVISOR: Dr. Angus MacNeil

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An Examination of the Effectiveness
of an Early College High School on
Student Performance, Attendance Rates,
Graduation Rates and Dropout Rates:
Implications for School Leaders
ADVISOR: Dr. Angus MacNeil

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An Inconvenient Truth: A Comparative
Empirical Analysis of Expenditure
Choices between Cost-Effective and
Cost-Ineffective Texas Schools Districts
ADVISOR: Dr. Anthony Rolle

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Comparison of Third-Year-Dental Students'
Interpretation Competency Scores Using
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ADVISOR: Dr. Margaret Watson

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Where Are All of the Asian American
STEM Educators?: A Multi-case Study on
Barriers, Motivations, and Recruitment
ADVISOR: Dr. Wayne Emerson

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Acculturation Strategies of Chinese
International Undergraduate Students
ADVISOR: Dr. Catherine Horn

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An Examination of the Problem of Failing
Algebra For Title I At-Risk Students in A
Large Urban Comprehensive High School
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Beliefs of Leadership Practices and their
Influence on the Implementation of
Professional Learning Communities
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A Case Study of the Influence of Professional Friendships Among Teachers On Teacher Retention, School Culture, and Student Performance
ADVISOR: Dr. Angus MacNeil

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An Analysis of Educational Achievement: An Evaluation of the Advancement Via Individual Determination Program in a Midsized Gulf Coast School District
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Cultural Perspective of Dental Students in Community Learning
ADVISOR: Dr. Bernard Robin

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Early Identification of the At-risk Student: Using a Survey Instrument to Facilitate Retention in a Health Professional Doctoral Degree Program
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An Examination of the Beliefs of Texas High School Principals on the Impact of Extracurricular Participation on Student Academic Performance
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Investigating the Effects of Sustained Professional Development on Campus and District Mathematics Programs: An Analysis of the Rice University Mathematics Leadership Institute
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An Assessment of Musculoskeletal Medicine Deficiencies in Chiropractic Education: A Survey of Chiropractic Clinical Clerks
ADVISOR: Dr. Bernard Robin

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Baseline Assessment of Nurses' "Knowledge and Attitudes Regarding Pain"
ADVISOR: Dr. Sara McNeil

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An Examination of Parental Involvement of Parents in Title I and Non Title I Schools and Their Beliefs Regarding Parent Involvement in One Southeast Texas School District
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A Longitudinal Study of a Bilingual Education Program Versus English as a Second Language (ESL) Program: A Study of Two Programs
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Course Withdrawal as a Student Attrition Factor
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Primary Team Nursing (PTN) and TeamSTEPPS® as an Intervention for Change
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DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY

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Racial and Gender Discrimination Among Black Women: An Examination of Health Locus of Control as a Moderator of Maladaptive Eating Behaviors
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An Analysis of Cattell-Horn-Carroll
Cognitive Abilities Relating to Academic
Achievement Among Students in
Grades First through Fifth Grades
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Exploring College Engineering Students'
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from Expectancy-Value Theory's Perspective
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The Impact of Guided Reading and Directed Instruction on Vocabulary and Comprehension Development of Fifth Grade Students:

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Urban Hispanic High School Students' Perceptions of Educational Strategies Used During Their Tenth Grade Year in High School

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Study of the Attributes and Behaviors of Middle School Principals in Successful Title I Schools

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The Influence of the Advancement Via Individual Determination (AVID) Program on Student Performance Measured by College Readiness Standards

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An Examination of Teachers, Administrators', and Principals' Perceptions of How the Early Literacy Background of the Principal Influences Their Decisions and Practices in Literacy Development in a Successful Turnaround High School

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Relationship between Faculty Assessment of Resident Medical Knowledge and Resident Performance on the CREOG In-service Examination

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Comparing the Career Transitions of Younger and Older Adults: Contributions of Adult Attachment Orientation and Career Adaptability to Subjective Well-Being

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Inside the Community College Developmental Math Classroom: Understanding Differences between Faculty and Students' Attitudes and Experiences

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The Association Between Foster Parent Knowledge of Child Sexual Trauma, Parental Self-Efficacy, and Retainment of Sexually Abused Foster Children
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Letter from the Dean

Dear Graduate:

I would like to personally congratulate you on your graduation from the University of Houston College of Technology. With the conclusion of today's proceedings you will have attained a major personal goal. I have no doubt that whatever new goals you set for yourself will also be met with enthusiasm and self-assurance.

The College of Technology considers itself fortunate to have been associated with students such as yourself and we hope that you will continue to be part of our team through our Alumni Association. Not only do we need you as an alumnus for continued quality growth and development, but through this association you can use the College as a source of strength, encouragement, and growth.

Please remember that we will always be your College and it is our pleasure to be here to serve you and our community in any way we can.

Congratulations again and may your achievements in life be many and fulfilling.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Neil Eldin". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Neil Eldin
Interim Dean



College of Technology

The College of Technology began in 1941 when local firms contributed funds for the third permanent building on campus for the new School of Technology. The first technical institute programs to be initiated by the new college in 1945 were also the first engineering technology programs in the state of Texas, accredited by the Engineers Council for Professional Development. By 1962, the College of Technology offered 16 programs-9 vocational and 7 engineering technology programs. By 1968, the college was granting a Bachelor of Science in Technology degree.

Throughout the decades, the School of Technology grew to meet the ever-changing disciplines associated with technology and the growing diversity of the student body. Today the college is comprised of four different departments and a wide range of disciplines.

The Construction Management department offers both an undergraduate and graduate degree in the field of Construction Management. The Engineering Technology department has carried forth the engineering technology programs that were the hallmark of the college's early years, and now covers the areas of biotechnology, computer engineering technology, electrical power engineering technology, and mechanical engineering technology. The Human Development and Consumer Sciences department covers the areas of retailing and consumer science, and human resources development, and the Information and Logistics Technology department covers information systems technology and security, digital media, supply chain and logistics technology, technology leadership and project management.

The College of Technology remains in the forefront of technology education, research, offering programs that meet the needs of a dynamic marketplace that demands competent, well-trained technologists.

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