Northern Maine Community College

# 46th Annual Commencement Exercises



# May 16, 2009

10:00 a.m. Christie Gymnasium

# PROGRAM

#### PRELUDE

PROCESSIONAL (Please stand and remain standing.)

INVOCATION (Gentlemen, please remove your hats.)

CANADIAN NATIONAL ANTHEM/ AMERICAN NATIONAL ANTHEM

*(Please be seated.)* WELCOME

GREETINGS

#### CHARGE TO GRADUATES

STUDENT ADDRESS

COMMENCEMENT ADDRESS

You Raise Me Up

CONFERRING OF DEGREES/ DIPLOMAS/CERTIFICATES

PRESENTATION OF GRADUATES

PRESIDENT'S AWARD

BENEDICTION (Please stand)

RECESSIONAL

Stan Harris, Pianist

Lynn Alexander & Scott Heney, Bagpipers

Reverend James Morgan

College Chorale Wendy Bradstreet, Susan Dugal, Richard Duplessis, Kim Esquibel, Betsy Harris, Betty Kent-Conant, Wayne Kilcollins, Steve Mazerolle, Brian McDougal, Eileen McDougal, Alan St. Peter, Dave Wyman Violinist - Aimee Wilkins

Dr. Alan D. Punches, Vice President & Academic Dean

Robert Clark Maine Community College System

President Timothy D. Crowley

Charles C. Zappone, Class of 2009

Daniel Hotham, NMCC Faculty

College Chorale

President Timothy D. Crowley

Dr. William Egeler, Dean of Students

President Timothy D. Crowley

Reverend James Morgan

Lynn Alexander & Scott Heney

Please join us for a reception in the Reed Commons following Commencement.

# DEPARTMENT OF ARTS & SCIENCES

#### EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION

Associate in Applied Science Degree

Emily Amanda Chandler Tamara Marie Cote DeOliveira Melissa Lee Duchardt\* Ronnette Maynard Griffin\* Deborah Daley Lavoie Ashlee Marie Ouellette\* Keilee Joy Rose Stetson West Tricia Amy Daigle Lacy Jade Dickinson\* Jessica A. Bolstridge Graham Diane C. Landeen\* Jerica Lynn O'Bar\* Anna M. Parker Saucier\* Katherine Marie Wilcox\*

Certificate

Lynn Catherine Jewell

#### LIBERAL STUDIES

Associate in Arts Degree

Jenise L. Albert\* Jonathan Andrew Cole Kyle Clifford Deschaine Jacob Timothy Graham Marina Grivois\* Sandra Joane Maingrette Meggan Marie Pratt Candice Marie Rivera Joshua Matthew Boyles Tamara Elizabeth Dayringer\* Elena Rose Dumond\* Ashley Nadine Gray Amber Lorraine Hill Rosemary Sue Moody Dustin Geoffrey Punches\*

# BUSINESS TECHNOLOGY DEPARTMENT

#### ACCOUNTING INFORMATION SYSTEMS

Associate in Applied Science Degree

Kay D. O'Clair\* Sharon M. Philbrook Michelle Diane Parady Sheri Lynn Pryor

#### **BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION - MANAGEMENT**

Associate in Applied Science Degree

Stephen D. Burtchell Dannielle Dawn Cronin Bradley R. Kinney Melinda Rae Morrow Misty Lyn Robinson\* Karen Beals Tompkins\* Julie Anna Edgecomb Clark\* Joseph Nathaniel Johnson Eileen Kinnear Meggan Marie Pratt Jeri L. St. Peter

#### INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY

Associate in Applied Science Degree

Alexander S. Purvis

#### **GENERAL TECHNOLOGY**

Associate in Applied Science Degree

Angela Lynn Howe\* Toni Marie Libby Gregory Dean Jewell

#### MEDICAL CODING

Certificate

Nicole Marie Bechard Antoinette Lea Caron\* Ashley Marea Cash\* Karen Ann Hardy\* Melissa Rene Sabattis\* Tasha Lynn Boyce\* Lori Ann Carrier Michele R. Gauvin Belinda Corinne Kennedy Katie M. Sargent\*

#### MEDICAL OFFICE ADMINISTRATION

Associate in Applied Science Degree

Nicole Marie Bechard Megan Lynn Mills Nicole Lynn Poulin Janet Tang<sup>\*</sup> Claire M. Dow Tracey Marie Patterson Evelyn Denise Sock Brandy L. Willette

#### **OFFICE ASSISTANT**

Certificate

Patsy Ann Carlson\*

## NURSING & ALLIED HEALTH DEPARTMENT

#### **EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES**

Associate in Applied Science Degree

Christopher Desjardins

Matthew Paul Perry

**EMT - INTERMEDIATE** 

Certificate

Tyler Douglas Argue Kristin Marie Cyr Allen R. Bernier Justin Phillip Hathaway

#### MEDICAL ASSISTING

Associate in Applied Science Degree

Katelyn Elizabeth Crane Pamela Joy Gorneault Clarissa L. Gallagher\* Clarence H. MacPherson

#### NURSING

Associate in Science Degree

Malissa May Boynton Joyce A. Burgoyne Chelsae Rae Cambridge Holly Catherine Corlett Nikki Renee Dailev Kirsten Elise Dobson Julie Ann Ellis Tarrah Michelle Hall Jennifer Lynn Hill Bethany Elaine Johnson Nancy Lynn Kinney Lynn Terri Levesque Shannon Rachel Marquis\* Kelley Lynn McLaughlin\* Vicky Leah Ouellette Wendy Giberson Samaroo Brittany Jane Florence Seeley Christina Dow Stadig\* Jaymie Felicia St. Peter Heather J. Trainer Heidi S. Warman\* Charles Christopher Zappone\*

Amber Melissa Broome Stephanie M. Burtt Katelyn Hallie Chadwick Beth Ann Curtis Nicole Elizabeth Daye Stacey Pinette Doten Elizabeth Lee Gaug Laurie G. Hartley\* Melanie Dawn (Leavitt) Howard Janna Robin Johnson Jennifer Ryan Knowles Amanda Marie LeTourneau Megan McHatten\* Charles Robert Ouellette\* Tracy L. Haynes Parker Lisa M. Savage Pamela S. Shoemaker Damon Lee Stone Joshua W. Tompkins Jennifer N. Voisine Clarissa Elizabeth Webber

# TRADE & TECHNICAL OCCUPATIONS DEPARTMENT

#### AUTOMOTIVE BODY REPAIR

Associate in Applied Science Degree

Beau Gerald Brackett Alicia Renè Doyle<sup>\*</sup> Ryan Patrick McGinnis Seth H. Swanson Randy D. Caron Gary A. Latuscha, Jr. Casey M. Savage\*

Certificate

Amilio Chris Samaroo\*

#### AUTOMOTIVE COLLISION REPAIR

Certificate

Joshua D. White

#### AUTOMOTIVE TECHNOLOGY

Associate in Applied Science Degree

Travis Allen Bartley Kyle J. Chasse\* Joshua James Ledger Rick Joseph Morton Brandon Scott Raven Shawn Michael Smith Mitchell Bruce Blodget Joshua Patrick Goodale\* Ryan Patrick McGinnis Steve Dennis Poitras Seth T. Sjolander\*

#### **COMPUTER-AIDED DRAFTING TECHNOLOGY**

Associate in Applied Science Degree

Joshua K. Akerson Michael T. Condon James D. DuVal\* Robert Joseph Williams Jared Bruce Buck Edward David Drost Patrick M. Sawyer

Certificate

Kenny R. LeTourneau

Brian J. Nadeau\*

#### **COMPUTER ELECTRONICS**

Associate in Applied Science Degree

Travis E. DeWitt\* Johnathan Joseph Langley Chad D. Guerrette Matthew D. McDonald

#### DIESEL HYDRAULICS TECHNOLOGY

Associate in Applied Science Degree

William Alan Belanger\* Kyle Stephen Chapman Travis Joseph Drost Andrew Garrett Fuller Ralph E. Heath Tyler Joseph Pelletier Paul E. Soucy Nathaniel E. Webster Andrew A. Brown Aaron Joseph Conroy David Fitzherbert Derek James Gerow Colby Roy Lauritsen Christopher Timothy Sides Kruger B. Tyler Thomas R. Wright

#### Certificate

Donald Hafke

Justin B. Matt

#### **ELECTRICAL CONSTRUCTION & MAINTENANCE**

Associate in Applied Science Degree

Steven Wayne Benn Ryan Lawrence Corrigan\* Joseph Steven Giberson Benjamin J. T. Gowen Amber Rae Libby\* William Hjalmar Skelton\* Brooks Leigh Brewer Daniel Paul Dionne Tyler Ray Giles Shane Kenneth Ireland\* Samuel L. Petrie

Certificate

Jesse Garland Caron

#### **PLUMBING & HEATING**

Associate in Applied Science Degree

Shawn Dennis Cote James William Elliott\* Anthony Thompson Huston Mitchell Fletcher Panati Kyle Taylor Damboise\* Owen Sean Harding Lucas W. Jarrett\* Mathew Sherman Pelletier\*

# Plumbing

Certificate

Joshua L. Miller

#### PRECISION METALS MANUFACTURING

Associate in Applied Science Degree

Joshua James Bolster\* Nathan Charles Manning-Harris Kenny R. LeTourneau Mitchell James Small

#### **RESIDENTIAL CONSTRUCTION**

Associate in Applied Science Degree

Derek A. Clair\* Benjamin David Goupille James D. DuVal\* Brian J. Nadeau\*

#### WELDING & METAL FABRICATION

Certificate

Edward E. Bellanceau\* Sean Michael Brogan\* Travis A. Collins Todd Allen Doody, Sr.\* Dave A. Flint Lucas James Hafford Trent Thomas Legassie William A. Palmer Glen C. Tranbarger Thomas Leslie Berry Joshua Richard Clayton Keith Allyn Crouse Michael Dean Fitzsimmons\* Stas' Lawrence Ginish\* Brad Joseph Harvey Jamie Ryan Ouellette Patrick M. Sawyer

\*Honors graduate, with a cumulative grade point average of 3.5 or greater

## **STUDENT AWARDS & RECOGNITIONS**

## Student of the Year

Charles C. Zappone

#### Senior Achievement Awards

Accounting Information Systems Automotive Body Repair Automotive Technology **Business Administration** Computer-Aided Drafting Computer Electronics Diesel Hydraulics Technology Early Childhood Education Electrical Construction & Maintenance **Emergency Medical Services** Liberal Studies Medical Assisting Medical Coding Medical Office Administration Nursing Nursing Plumbing & Heating Precision Metals Manufacturing Residential Construction Welding & Metal Fabrication

Kay D. O'Clair Alicia R. Doyle Kyle J. Chasse Misty L. Robinson James D. DuVal Travis E. DeWitt William A. Belanger Katherine M. Wilcox Shane K. Ireland Kristin M. Cyr Marina Grivois Pamela J. Gorneault Karen A. Hardy Nicole L. Poulin Christina A. Stadig Beth A. Curtis James W. Elliott Kenny R. LeTourneau Brian J. Nadeau Stas' L. Ginish

#### President's Scholars

Joshua J. Bolster Alicia R. Doyle Stas' L. Ginish Karen A. Hardy Amilio C. Samaroo Heidi S. Warman Kyle J. Chasse Melissa L. Duchardt Joshua Goodale Angela L. Howe Christina A. Stadig Ryan L. Corrigan Elena R. Dumond Marina Grivois Matthew D. McDonald Janet Tang

#### All-Maine Academic Team Honorees

Katherine E. Pictou

Charles C. Zappone

#### Falcon Spirit Award

Aaron J. Conroy Sandra Joane Maingrette Candice M. Rivera Justin E. Lyshon Kelley L. McLaughlin Evelyn Dee Sock

# PLATFORM PARTY

Timothy D. Crowley	President, Northern Maine Community College
Daniel Hotham	Commencement Speaker Longest Serving NMCC Faculty Member
Robert Clark	<i>Executive Director</i> , Northern Maine Develop. Commission <i>Trustee</i> , Maine Community College System
Alan D. Punches	Vice President, Northern Maine Community College
Rev. James Morgan	Presque Isle Student Ministries

# FACULTY

ARTS &	SCIENCES	Ronald Fitzgerald, Chair
	Heidi Broad-Smith	Daniel Hotham
	Richard Duplessis	Jean Pierre Levasseur
	Lori Googins	John Price
	Jennifer Graham	David Raymond
	Miriam Gregg	Greg Thompson
	Jan Grieco	
BUSINESS TECHNOLOGY		Dwight Clayton, Chair
	Nancy Cowett	Ann Osgood
	Pam Crawford	Robert Scott
	Colleen Harmon	Paula York
NURSING & ALLIED HEALTH		Betty Kent-Conant, Chair
	Daryl Boucher	Roberta Everett
	Mary Cornelio	Paula Flora
	Teena Dominie	Deborah Folsom
	Susan Dugal	Eileen McDougal
	Kim Esquibel	Janice McDougal
TRADE	& TECHNICAL OCCUPATIONS	Brian McDougal, Chair
	Dennis Albert	Charles Kelley
	Daniel Boyd	Wayne Kilcollins
	Pamela Buck	Paul LaJoie
	Robert Collins	Joseph McLaughlin
	Dean Duplessis	Morris Michaud
	David Guerrette	Robert Rice
	Guy Jackson	Alan St. Peter

#### ACADEMIC DRESS

The academic costume originated in Europe about seven hundred years ago. It consists of the gown, hood and cap. Now much modified, each level of academic achievement still retains a distinctive gown and hood.

Faculty members and guests in today's procession are robed in gowns and hoods which represent the institutions from which they received degrees. Hoods are lined with the official color of the college or university conferring the degree. The velvet edging of the hoods varies in width according to the degree. Its color is distinctive of the subject to which the degree pertains.

The caps are usually of the same material as the gown. The tassel is black or the color appropriate to the subject, except that the doctoral may have a gold tassel.

Students being awarded an associate degree today are wearing the academic hood which signifies this college. All students wear the tassel on the right. It is shifted to the left when the degree is awarded.

#### ACADEMIC HONORS

Students wearing a gold cord in today's procession are graduating from Northern Maine Community College with honors, having achieved a 3.5 or greater cumulative grade point average.

Students wearing a gold stole in today's procession are members of the college's chapter of Phi Theta Kappa, an international honor society for two year colleges. Criteria for membership includes maintaining a 3.5 grade point average.

Students wearing a royal blue stole in today's procession are members of the college's chapter of Alpha Beta Gamma, an international honor society for students in business programs at two year colleges. Criteria for membership includes maintaining a cumulative grade point average of 3.0.

# Guests...Please allow the graduates to fully exit the gymnasium before you exit.

You are invited to join the graduates, faculty and staff for a reception in the Reed Commons following Commencement.