

# University of Oregon



## Department of Computer and Information Science

### Commencement Program

June 13, 1998

**University of Oregon**  
**Department of Computer And Information Science**

Graduation Ceremony

10:00 am, Saturday, June 13, 1998  
Deschutes Courtyard

**Welcome and Introduction of Faculty**

Zary Segall  
Department Head

**Message to the Graduating Class**

Virginia Meade  
Manager, External Research Relations  
Intel Corporation

**Senior Awards**

Presented by Virginia Lo  
Undergraduate Education Committee Chair

**Geoffrey Eric Wright Outstanding Junior Scholarship Award**

Presented by Virginia Lo  
Undergraduate Education Committee Chair

**Best Teacher Award**

Presented by Michelle Hart  
on Behalf of Graduating Seniors

**Presentation of Diplomas**

**Doctoral Degrees**

Andrzej Proskurowski  
Graduate Education Committee Co-Chair

**Master's Degrees**

Andrzej Proskurowski  
Graduate Education Committee Co-Chair

**Bachelor's Degrees**

Virginia Lo  
Undergraduate Education Committee Chair

**Music**

Toby Koenigsberg Band

*Reception Immediately Following Ceremony*

## Doctor of Philosophy

Ferenc Rakoczi

## Master of Science

Vimala Appayya

Sara Chieco

John Howard Eli Fiskio-Lasseter

David Ronald Giller

Craig Andrew Kaes

Kathleen Ann Lindlan

Chia-Che Ma

Stephen William McLaughry

Xiaohua Peng

Jim Lance Sather

Christopher Schleicher

Zhihong Tang

Joseph Bret Wood

Jianzhong Xue

Lu Zhang

## Bachelor of Arts

Michelle Louise Hart ✱§ßθ

Jesse Pete Rose Lawler §ß

Tzung-Tai Li

## Bachelor of Science

Darrel Adrian Abshere

Andrew Claton Bonar

David Franklin Borland

Shawn Michael Bowers ✱

Neil Harold Arthur Boyette

Tobias Anthony Brick

Wai Yuen Chan

Ya-Ying Cheng

Steven Richard Colucci

Maximilian Stalic Dale

Robert James Duffy

Israel Elijah Evans

Garth Aaron Fisher

Grant Patrick Gossett

Corey Donovan Gough

Wendy Michelle Grosjean

Scott Matthew Herz

Loring Glenn Hummel

Benjamin Carr Iglauer

Kevin Dean Jordan

Michael Robert Kaufman ✱

Jae Hyoun Kim Ç

Yeong Jei Kim

Yen-Sze Liang

Eric Arthur Linden

James Andrew Trenton Lipscomb

Scott James Martin

Christopher Elting McGinnis

Robert James Milausnic

Gary W. Montgomery

Nathan Jediah Murdock

Russell Shane Neville

Eric Irwin O'Brien

Joshua Lannes Olson ✱£

Teong Joo Ong

Todd F. Pfeleger £

Ryan Roger Phay

Eric John Rasmussen

Dominic William Reynolds

Seong Man Roh

Aisha Scarlet Schmitt

Joshua Bates Stevens

Matthew Michael Stevenson

Sau-Siong Tan

Nathaniel Patrick Thelen

Harold Bruce Westlund

Bruce Matison White

Craig Derrell Wolfe

Jonathan Marshall Won

Koon-Wah Wong

Yukari Yamashita

Wei Zhu §

✱ Departmental Honors

Ç Cum Laude - top 10%

£ Magna Cum Laude - top 5 %

§ Summa Cum Laude - top 2%

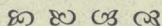
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θ The Oregon Six



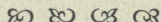
## Thesis and Dissertation Titles

Ferenc Rakoczi - Ph.D. Dissertation  
Data Structures and Algorithms for Computing in Nilpotent  
and Solvable Permutaion Groups



John Howard Eli Fiskio-Lasseter - Master's Thesis  
An Axiomatic Semantic Description of Behavioral Verilog

David Ronald Giller - Master's Thesis  
Rational Evaluation of the Methodologies of Object-Oriented  
Software Engineering



Shawn Michael Bowers - Honors Thesis  
NBA Basketball Game Forecasting System: A Fuzzy  
Forecasting System

Michelle Louise Hart - Honors Thesis  
Mathematics, Computer Science, and Weaving

Michael Robert Kaufman - Honors Thesis  
Performance Callstack Monitoring in the TAU Portable Profiler

Joshua Lannes Olson - Honors Thesis  
Modeling the Flexibility and Feeding Envelope of a Sauropod  
Dinosaur

