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Commencement ceremonies for the University of Toledo's 82nd academic year will be held at 7:30 p.m. Thursday (June 10) in the TU Field House. Dr. William Carlson, TU president, will deliver the commencement address.

TU's 25th anniversary class of 1940 will be represented at commencement by Gerald Hartmen, principal of the South Lyon High School in South Lyon, Michigan and a member of the 1940 class.

The Honorable John W. Potter, mayor of Toledo, will attend commencement to bring greetings from the city and to administer the service pledge.

Two Toledo area residents will be awarded honorary degrees. Named to receive the honorary Doctor of Humanities degree is Mrs. Duane Stranahan, community leader and humanitarian. John W. Snyder, former U.S. Secretary of the Treasury, will receive the honorary Doctor of Laws degree.

Also to be given special recognition are three TU graduate students selected by the University's Graduate School Activities Committee to receive the first TU Graduate School Outstanding Scholarship Awards. They are: Donald R. Forritter (Euclid, Ohio), a graduate student in the College of Business Administration; Mary Ann Heinrichs, 3335 Aldringham, College of Education; and Melvin A. Rode (Delphos, Ohio), College of Engineering.

Approximately 751 persons are candidates for degrees, ranging from the two year associate degree to the doctor's degree. Candidates for the doctor of education degree are Luther L. Haseley, William R. Johnston and (Mrs. Beverly V. Robinson.

TU will also confer 15 degrees to law school graduates. The doctor of jurisprudence degree will be presented at commencement for the first time since the Ohio Board of Regents approved awarding of the degree last year.

There are 140 master's degree candidates; 530 bachelor's degree candidates; seven associate degree candidates in the College of Business Administration; and
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56 associate degree candidates in the Community and Technical College.

A total of 40 students will graduate with honors; three, summa cum laude; nine, magna cum laude; and 28, cum laude.

During the commencement program, commissions as second lieutenants in the U.S. Army Reserve will be awarded to 14 University of Toledo ROTC cadets.

Colonel Arthur J. DeLuca, professor of military science at TU, will administer the oath of office to the graduating seniors, and President Carlson will present the commissions.