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Some 581* persons are candidates for degrees to be awarded during The University of Toledo's summer quarter commencement ceremonies scheduled for 7:30 p.m. on Friday, August 25, in the University's Field House.

Dr. John J. Turin, dean of the University's Graduate School, director of the Ritter Astrophysical Research Center and chairman of the department of physics and astronomy, will deliver the commencement address. Dr. William H. Leckie, vice president for academic affairs, will confer degrees.

Dr. William S. Carlson, president of the University, will be designated president emeritus effective on completion of his term of office, this fall. J. Preston Levis will receive a citation naming him an honorary trustee of the University in recognition of his 18 years of service as a member of the University's municipal board of directors and of its board of trustees. Mr. Levis served as chairman of the board of trustees from 1967 to 1971.

Designated to receive professor emeritus status at the August 25 commencement are Cornelius C. Ackerman, professor of civil engineering, member of the University faculty since 1946, and director of the University's physical plant since 1964, who retires September 1; Mrs. Helen L. Brooks, assistant professor of astronomy and associate director of the Ritter Planetarium, a member of the University faculty since 1955, who retires on the same date; and, Dr. Norma Stolzenbach, professor of speech and a member of the University faculty since 1943, who retired at the end of the spring quarter in June (1972).

This quarter's graduates will include two candidates for the degree of doctor of education; 19 candidates for the degree of doctor of philosophy; 10 for the doctor of jurisprudence degree; 12 for the degree of education specialist, which requires a year's graduate study in education beyond the master's degree; 173 candidates for the master's degree; 289 for the bachelor's degree; and, 76 for the two-year associate degree.

Some six candidates for degrees also are cadets in the University's Reserve Officers' Training Corps and are scheduled to receive commissions as second lieutenants in the U.S. Army or the U.S. Army Reserve. The commissions will be presented by Dr. Carlson, and the oaths administered by Lt. Colonel John W. McNally, newly-appointed professor of military science at the University, during ceremonies in the Engineering-Science Building's Dana Auditorium at 1 p.m. on August 25.

The University holds commencement ceremonies four times each year, at the conclusion of the fall, winter, spring and summer quarters.

* Total subject to change.

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