State University of New York at Albany

April 24, 1985

MEMORANDUM

TO:

The Faculty

All members of the faculty are invited to participate in the 1985 Commencement exercises to be held on Sunday, May 19, at 1:00 P.M. on the main athletic field. Professor Edward Thomas, Grand Marshal, will lead the procession. A brunch for the faculty will be served in the dance studio of the Physical Education building from 11:30 to 12:30. Faculty should gather in the lobby of the Physical Education building at 12:40 P.M. Special seating will be provided for faculty spouses who attend the ceremony and can be obtained by contacting the Office of University Affairs, AD 231, for special seating tickets.

Alfred E. Kahn, noted economist, will be awarded the honorary degree Doctor of Humane Letters and will be the Commencement speaker. Bruno Bettelheim, recognized as one of the world's most prominent child psychologists, will be awarded the honorary degree Doctor of Humane Letters. Evan R. Collins Medals will be presented to Kendall Birr and Arthur Collins.

I urge all faculty members to join in this traditional academic event and acknowledge the achievements of our graduating students.

Vincent Oreary