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FOUNDERS



2010 DAY

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 18

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Dear faculty, staff, and students,

Please accept my personal invitation to participate in Illinois State University's Founders Day celebration on Thursday, February 18, 2010. Founders Day is a time to pause and reflect upon Illinois State's heritage and its vision. It is also a day to honor the many accomplishments of our faculty, staff, and students.



During Founders Day 2010 Illinois State will revisit its Convocation traditions such as the presentation of Distinguished Professor, University Professor, Outstanding University Teachers and Researchers, and Outstanding University Service Award to name a few. We will honor the years of service of our University family and present an honorary degree.

Founders Day 2010 will also mark the unveiling of a unique twist on the ringing of the bell and introduce new ways to celebrate the success of our colleges and departments.

I hope you will take part in everything Founders Day 2010 has to offer. It is your day to look back and to look forward with a well-earned sense of pride.

A handwritten signature in black ink, which appears to read "Al Bowman". The signature is fluid and cursive.

Al Bowman
President, Illinois State University



2010 SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

The Illinois State University Board of Trustees and President Al Bowman invite you to the 153rd observance of the University's founding.

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 18, 2010

10 a.m.

Founders Day Bell Ringing
Prairie Room, Bone Student Center

11 a.m.

Old Main Bell Ringing
Quad

11 a.m.–12:30 p.m.

Employee Recognition Private Reception
Old Main Room, Bone Student Center
10–30 years of service employees

11 a.m.–5 p.m.

STATE Showcase
Brown Ballroom, Bone Student Center
Colleges, schools, and departments will be exhibiting their successes.

1:30 p.m.

Processional line-up
Faculty—Circus Room
Platform—Old Main Room
Team Excellence and Students—Founders Suite
Distinguished Professor—Circus Room
Retirees—Circus Room

2 p.m.

Founders Day Convocation
Brown Ballroom, Bone Student Center
Join us for presentations of some of the highest awards bestowed from Illinois State University such as Distinguished Professor, University Professor, Outstanding Teacher and Researcher, Service Initiative, A/P and Civil Service Distinguished Service, Team Excellence, Herb Sanders, Neil Gamsky, Williams Technology Award, Strand Diversity, and many others.

3:30 p.m.

Founders Day Convocation Reception
Brown Ballroom, Bone Student Center
Reception immediately following the Founders Day Convocation.

6 p.m.

Alumni Awards Dinner
Alumni Center
\$25 per person
Contact Alumni Relations at (309) 438-2586 to register.



HONORARY DEGREE RECIPIENT

THOMAS R. LAMONT '69

is the assistant secretary for Manpower and Reserve Affairs for the United States Department of the Army. He was nominated by President Barack Obama and received unanimous support from the United States Senate. Lamont has served as a colonel in the Illinois Army National Guard, Office of the Judge Advocate General. He retired in 2007 after 25 years of service.

Lamont holds a bachelor's degree from Illinois State University, where he majored in social science education, and a law degree from the University of Illinois' College of Law. As a Springfield attorney, Lamont's focus has been government law and legislative affairs. He has served as executive director of the Office of the State Attorney Appellate Prosecutor and director of civil litigation in the Office of the Illinois Attorney General. Lamont was also the executive director of the Illinois Board of Higher Education, a trustee of the State University Retirement System, and member of the United States Senate Judicial Nomination Commission.



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Faculty/Staff 2010 Chili Cook-off

Thursday, February 25, 2010
Brown Ballroom, Bone Student Center
Lunch served from 11 a.m.-1:15 p.m.

The chili cook-off champ will be crowned at 12:15 p.m. by Arlene Hosea and Chuck Scott.

The lunch menu will feature meat and veggie chili, chili condiments, corn bread, chips, cookies, and beverages. The luncheon is free, but reservations are required and can be made by going to www.ChiliCookoff.IllinoisState.edu.

If you do not have access to the Internet, please send this reply card to **Chili Cook-Off, Campus Box 3100**.

Please RSVP by mail or online by **February 19, 2010**.

Questions about the cook-off competition and luncheon can be directed to committee cochairs:

Terry Brown
wtbrown@ilstu.edu / (309) 438-2033

Tracy Young
tjyoung@ilstu.edu / (309) 438-3393



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Founders Day 2010
Convocation
Participation/Marching Response Form
February 18, 2010

Name: _____

Department: _____

Mail Code: _____

Phone Number: _____

- A/P
- Retiree
- Civil Service

Regalia

- I own my own regalia
- I need to order my regalia

**REGALIA MUST BE WORN TO PARTICIPATE IN THE
CONVOCATION CEREMONY.**

**Regalia needing to be rented must be ordered and paid for by the participant at
Barnes & Noble in the Bone Student Center by Friday, January 15, 2010.**

Contact Marilyn at Barnes & Noble at 452-0535 (Monday – Friday, 9 a.m. – 2 p.m.).

Return form to: University Events
Office of the President
Campus Box 1000
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Please send your response no later than **Monday, January 25, 2010.**