

Graduation 2005

Medicine



The 159th commencement for the University at Buffalo School of Medicine and Biomedical Sciences was held on May 20, 2005, at the Center for the Arts on the North Campus.

This year, the school conferred 131 medical degrees and five doctor of medicine/doctor of philosophy degrees.*

The honored speaker was Jerome P. Kassirer, MD '57, former editor-in-chief of the *New England Journal of Medicine*, who is currently a Distinguished Professor at Tufts University School of Medicine.

*Degrees in the biomedical sciences were conferred at a separate ceremony, held on May 12 (see following two pages).



Photos by Nancy Patisi

(1) Amy Burke, *left*, and class speaker Carla Kinyon enjoying the moment; (2) Ji-Weon Park salutes family and friends; (3) John Kupfner, preparing the next generation for medical school; (4) Proud graduates Farooq Khokhar, *left*, and Sara-Maiz Thomas, *right*; (5) Drew Bawcombe being hooded; (6) UB President John Simpson, congratulating Faye Justicia-Linde; and (7) Honored speaker Jerome Kassirer, MD '57.

