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COMMUNITY COLLEGE GRADUATES TO BE HONORED AT CEREMONIES IN MAY

AUGUSTA, Maine – Some 2,000 college students are expected to graduate from Maine's seven Community Colleges at commencement ceremonies around the state this month.

Speakers at this year's commencement exercises, as well as the times, dates and locations are as follows:

- Friday, May 11 **Central Maine Community College**, Auburn, 6 pm (225 graduates)
Speaker: Gary Crocker, Director of State and Federal Programs, Maine Community College System (MCCS)/Maine Humorist
Location: The Colisee, Lewiston
- Washington County Community College**, Calais, 11 am (160 graduates)
Speaker: Joseph Nicholas, Passamaquoddy Tribe
Location: Calais High School
- Saturday, May 12 **York County Community College**, Wells, 10 am (70 graduates)
Speaker: Laura Fortman, Maine Commissioner of Labor
Location: YCCC Campus
- Saturday, May 19 **Eastern Maine Community College**, Bangor, 1:30 pm (327 graduates)
Speaker: Robert P. Jenkins, EMCC 2007 Student of the Year
Location: Bangor Auditorium
- Northern Maine Community College**, Presque Isle, 10 am (210 graduates)
Speaker: Susan Collins, U.S. Senator
Location: NMCC Gymnasium
- Kennebec Valley Community College**, Fairfield, 10 am (335 graduates)
Speaker: Elizabeth Mitchell, Majority Leader, Maine Senate
Location: Augusta Civic Center
- Southern Maine Community College**, South Portland, 12 pm (650 graduates)
Speaker: Gary Crocker, Director of State and Federal Programs, MCCS/Maine Humorist
Location: Cumberland County Civic Center, Portland