

SIMON FRASER UNIVERSITY

Honorary Degree Citations
The degree of Doctor of Science, honoris causa, conferred on Dr . Mark Angelo
Wednesday, June 3, 2009

Mr. Chancellor, rivers are the planet's arteries, and for more than thirty years, Mark Angelo has championed their conservation. An educator who bridges the gap between theory and practice and an advocate who inspires by example, Mark Angelo has earned the admiration of people the world over.

His enchantment with rivers began as a boy when he explored the waterways in the San Bernardino Mountains. In 1965, he visited British Columbia and was awestruck by the Fraser River. Ten years later, and to our lasting good fortune, he accepted a position to teach in the British Columbia Institute of Technology's Fish, Wildlife and Recreation Program, of which he is now the