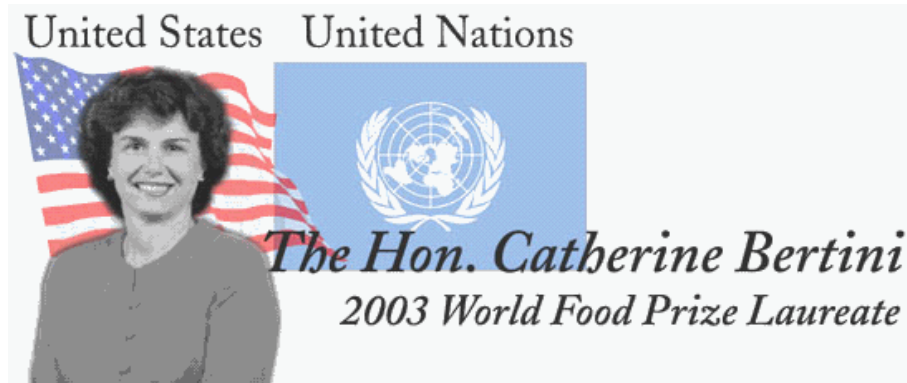


**The Department of Public Administration welcomes
Catherine Bertini to the faculty!**



Catherine Bertini, former Under-Secretary-General for Management at the United Nations, has joined the Maxwell School of Citizenship and Public Affairs as a new faculty member in the Department of Public Administration. Bertini is a Central New York native and the former head of the UN World Food Program. As Under-secretary-General for Management, Bertini was responsible for the United Nation's \$3 billion biennial budget as well as human resources and security for 9,000 staff members. As the executive director of the UN's World Food Program, Bertini oversaw the largest humanitarian agency in the world. She was named World Food Prize 2003 Laureate (as above) in recognition of her leadership role in assisting hundreds of millions of victims of wars and natural disasters throughout the world. The Republic of Italy honored Bertini with its Order of Merit, and the Association of African Journalists awarded her its Prize of Excellence. In 1996, The Times of London named her one of "The World's Most Powerful Women." The American Public Welfare Association recognized Bertini as one who "epitomizes the very best in public service." In her most recent position, Bertini was a member of the Secretary-General's cabinet, participated in the UN system-wide Chief Executives Board, and chaired the Management Committee. She was the senior American official in the UN Secretariat. She will be offering three graduate level public administration courses this year on the following topics: Humanitarian Action; Managing International Organizations and Girls and Education.