Honorary Degrees
1872 - 2024

1872
Reverend Bishop Clarkson, Doctor of Laws

1876
William H. Snell, Master of Philosophy

1878
A. J. Poppleton, Doctor of Laws

1880
C. D. Wilber, Doctor of Laws

1881
George H. Collier, Doctor of Laws

1882
James Monroe, Doctor of Laws

1883
Champion S. Chase, Doctor of Laws

1884
E. B. Andrews, Doctor of Laws
C. N. Little, Master of Arts

1891
David R. Dungan, Doctor of Laws

1892
J. M. Woolworth, Doctor of the Humanities

1894
J. T. Duryea, Doctor of Laws
George A. Gates, Doctor of Laws
C. H. Gere, Master of Arts
William R. Harper, Doctor of Laws
G. E. Howard, Doctor of Philosophy
W. F. Slocum, Jr., Doctor of Laws
C. O. Whitman, Doctor of Laws

1897
L. Burner, Bachelor of Science
O. V. P. Stout, Civil Engineer

1901
A. H. Edgren, Doctor of Laws

1902
I. J. Manatt, Doctor of Laws
John M. Thayer, Doctor of Laws

1904
Edgar S. Dudley, Doctor of Laws

1907
James Carroll, Doctor of Laws
Andrew Rosewater, Doctor of Engineering

1908
J. B. Crabtree, Master of Arts
John P. Hartman, Master of Laws
J. L. McBrien, Master of Arts
A. H. Waterhouse, Master of Arts

1909
W. M. Davidson, Doctor of Laws

1910
B. J. Arnold, Doctor of Engineering
M. E. Cooley, Doctor of Engineering
J. A. L. Waddell, Doctor of Engineering

1913
G. P. Costigan, Doctor of Laws
Roscoe Pound, Doctor of Laws
M. B. Reese, Doctor of Laws
H. J. Webber, Doctor of Agriculture
A. F. Woods, Doctor of Agriculture

1914
L. S. Parker, Doctor of Fine Arts

1915
W. G. L. Taylor, Doctor of Laws

1917
Edith Abbott, Doctor of Letters
Clark F. Ansley, Doctor of Letters
Willa S. Cather, Doctor of Letters
R. A. Emerson, Doctor of Laws
R. F. Gilder, Doctor of Science
S. Mills Hayes, Doctor of Humanities
John G. Neihardt, Doctor of Letters
P. J. O'Gara, Doctor of Science

R. A. Pearson, Doctor of Agriculture
John J. Pershing, Doctor of Laws
Roscoe Pound, Doctor of Civil Law
Theodore Roosevelt, Doctor of Civil Law

1918
Charles S. Lobingier, Doctor of Civil Law

1919
William L. Seibert, Doctor of Engineering

1920
Raymond Eli Benedict, Master of Forestry
Clarence Curtis Culver, Doctor of Electrical Engineering
Charles R. Richards, Doctor of Engineering
Roscoe W. Thatcher, Doctor of Agriculture

1921
Harold Gifford, Doctor of Laws
David Kinley, Doctor of Laws
John Holland Rose, Doctor of Laws

1922
Charles W. Pugsley, Doctor of Agriculture
Sergei V. Rachmaninoff, Doctor of Music

1923
William Granger Hastings, Doctor of Laws
Albert Watkins, Doctor of Laws

1924
William Edwin Hardy, Master of Arts

1925
Irving Samuel Cutter, Doctor of Science
Francis David Farrell, Doctor of Agriculture
Anson Marsten, Doctor of Engineering
John Eschelman Miller, Master of Arts
John Henry Weller, Civil Engineer

1926
Francis La Flesche, Doctor of Letters

1927
Willson Orton Bridges, Doctor of Laws
Cassius Asa Fisher, Doctor of Science
Robert Harshe, Doctor of Fine Arts
August Frederick Jonas, Doctor of Laws
Leila Mechlin, Doctor of Fine Arts
Frederick Blackmar Mumford, Doctor of Agriculture
Sven Birger Sandzen, Doctor of Fine Arts
Lucius S. Storrs, Doctor of Engineering
John Edward Summers, Doctor of Laws

1928
Herbert Silas Evans, Doctor of Engineering
Charles Newton Gould, Doctor of Science
Warren Abner Seavey, Doctor of Laws
Holmes Smith, Doctor of Fine Arts

1929
Frederick Kenelm Nielsen, Doctor of Laws
Henry H. Wilson, Doctor of Laws

1930
Francis Samuel Philbrick, Doctor of Laws
John P. Hartman, Doctor of Laws

1931
Grace Abbott, Doctor of Laws
Jay Brownlee Davidson, Doctor of Engineering
Willford Isbell King, Doctor of Laws
Harold VanBuren Magonigle, Doctor of Architecture
Malcolm Glen Wyer, Doctor of Library Science

1932
Gustaf Waldemar Elmen, Doctor of Engineering
Derrick Norman Lehmer, Doctor of Science
Oscar Van Pelt Stout, Doctor of Engineering

1934
Bess Streeter Aldrich, Doctor of Letters
James Stuart Dales, Doctor of Laws
Walter Bowers Pillsbury, Doctor of Laws
E. Parmelee Prentice, Doctor of Agriculture
Owen D.Young, Doctor of Laws

1935
Samuel Avery, Doctor of Laws
Madison Bentley, Doctor of Laws
James William Crabtree, Doctor of Laws
Howard Hanson, Doctor of Music
George William Norris, Doctor of Laws
Charles Henry Purcell, Doctor of Engineering
Jesse Perry Rowe, Doctor of Science
Robert Gordon Sproul, Doctor of Laws
Henry Baldwin Ward, Doctor of Laws

1936
Edward Charles Elliott, Doctor of Laws
Willets Herbert Sawyer, Doctor of Engineering

1937
Christian L. Christensen, Doctor of Agriculture
Robert Anderson Gantt, Doctor of Engineering
Walter Jacob Wohlenberg, Doctor of Engineering

1938
John Davidson Clark, Doctor of Laws
Dorothy Canfield Fisher, Doctor of Letters
Harry Levi Hollingworth, Doctor of Laws
Leta Stetter Hollingworth, Doctor of Laws
John Torrence Tate, Doctor of Science
William Linn Westermann, Doctor of Laws

1939
Hartley Burr Alexander, Doctor of Letters
LaMonte Judson Belnap, Doctor of Engineering
Orien Wesley Fifer, Doctor of Laws
Frederic Benjamin Garver, Doctor of Laws
Ernest Emmanuel Howard, Doctor of Engineering
Frederick Maurice Hunter, Doctor of Laws

1940
Frederic Edward Clements, Doctor of Laws
Gladys Henry Dick, Doctor of Laws
Alvin Saunders Johnson, Doctor of Laws
Joel Stebbins, Doctor of Laws
Alexander Jerry Stoddard, Doctor of Laws

1941
Viola Florence Barnes, Doctor of Laws
Thomas Jean Hargrave, Doctor of Laws
Mark Morton, Doctor of Agriculture
John Chatfield Page, Doctor of Engineering
Arthur Sperry Pearse, Doctor of Laws
Karl Chandler Randall, Doctor of Engineering

1942
Charles Michael Bracelen, Doctor of Laws

1943
Frederick James Kelly, Doctor of Laws
Charles Franklin Kettering, Doctor of Engineering Research
Ralph Scott Mueller, Doctor of Engineering
John Todd Zimmer, Doctor of Science

1944
Stanley Bracken, Doctor of Engineering
Eugene Edward Lundquist, Doctor of Engineering
Howard Remus Smith, Doctor of Agriculture

1945
Edwin Harrison Brown, Doctor of Engineering
Edwin Ray Guthrie, Doctor of Laws
Edgar Franklin Howe, Master of Agriculture
Harry Clyde Ingles, Doctor of Engineering
Frank Henry Woods, Doctor of Laws
Ruth Frances Woodsmall, Doctor of Laws

1946
Ernest Athern Bessey, Doctor of Laws
Ben Mark Cherrington, Doctor of Laws

1947
Frederick Carl Holtz, Doctor of Engineering
Andrew Conway Ivy, Doctor of Science
Gilmour Byers MacDonald, Doctor of Agriculture
Charles W. McCorkle Poynter, Doctor of Science
John Cyprian Stevens, Doctor of Engineering

1948
Ned Culbertson Abbott, Doctor of Laws
Alfred Washington Adson, Doctor of Science
Guy Thomas Buswell, Doctor of Laws
Josephine Chamberlin, Master of Nursing
John Wayne Delehant, Doctor of Laws
Harold Eugene Edgerton, Doctor of Engineering

1949
Arthur Charles Bachmeyer, Doctor of Science
George Wells Beadle, Doctor of Science
Milton Stover Eisenhower, Doctor of Humane Letters
James P. Growdon, Doctor of Engineering
Randolph T. Major, Doctor of Science

1950
Ewald T. Grether, Doctor of Laws
Lloyd Ancile Jones, Doctor of Engineering
Alan Richards Moritz, Doctor of Science
Mari Susette Sandoz, Doctor of Literature
Arthur Bessey Smith, Doctor of Engineering

1951
Harvey M. Johnsen, Doctor of Laws
Walter H. Judd, Doctor of Humanities
Samuel Roy McKelvie, Doctor of Agriculture
Harold Olaf Peterson, Doctor of Engineering
Cornelius B. Philip, Doctor of Science
Warren S. Thompson, Doctor of Laws

1952
Joy Paul Guilford, Doctor of Laws
Henry Albert Jones, Doctor of Science
Trygve Halvdan Lie, Doctor of Laws
George Paul Luckey, Doctor of Engineering
Ruth O'Brien, Doctor of Science
Charles Augustus Weymuller, Doctor of Science

1953
Edgar van Nuys Allen, Doctor of Science
Herbert Brownell, Jr., Doctor of Laws
Charles Mitchell Candy, Doctor of Engineering
Reuben Gilbert Gustavson, Doctor of Humanities
Jane Margueretta Hoey, Doctor of Humanities
Hazel Gertrude Kinscella, Doctor of Music
Harry Scott Smith, Doctor of Science

1954
Frederick Adam Figi, Doctor of Science
Jay Wright Forrester, Doctor of Engineering
Howard Kramer Gray, Doctor of Science
Kenneth Fisher Warner, Doctor of Agriculture
Ivan Daley Wood, Doctor of Agriculture
Louis Christian Zopf, Doctor of Science

1955
Elmer Clark Bratt, Doctor of Laws
Hollis Leland Caswell, Doctor of Laws
Arthur William Farrall, Doctor of Engineering
Donald Marion Pillsbury, Doctor of Science
Homer Leroy Shantz, Doctor of Laws
John Clare Whitehorn, Doctor of Science
Leslie Lewis Zook, Doctor of Science

1956
Benjamin Albert Botkin, Doctor of Letters
Ward Darley, Doctor of Science
Alfred M. Gruenther, Doctor of Laws
Lee Alton Kilgore, Doctor of Engineering
Darryl Francis Zanuck, Doctor of Humanities

1957
Clarence A. Davis, Doctor of Laws
Henry Margenau, Doctor of Science
Paul Bigelow Sears, Doctor of Laws
John Kent Selleck, Doctor of Laws
William Jay Turnbull, Doctor of Engineering

1958
Franklin D. Murphy, Doctor of Science
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1959
John Moore Allison, Doctor of Laws
Walter Dietrich Behlen, Doctor of Engineering
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1960
Loren Corey Eisely, Doctor of Letters
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William Arthur McConnell, Doctor of Engineering
Gerald Lloyd Phillippe, Doctor of Laws

1961
Howard F. Ahmanson, Doctor of Laws
Ruth M. Leverton, Doctor of Science
J. Lee Rankin, Doctor of Laws

1962
Glenn Willard Burton, Doctor of Science
Arthur Thomas Jersild, Doctor of Laws
Milan James Kopac, Doctor of Science
Louis Carl Lundstrom, Doctor of Engineering
Donald Frederick Othmer, Doctor of Engineering
Carl M. Reinert, Doctor of Laws

1963
Hazel Pearl Abel, Doctor of Laws
Samuel Miller Brownell, Doctor of Laws
G. Robert Coatney, Doctor of Science
Thomas James Hartford, Doctor of Science
Otto H. Liebers, Doctor of Laws
Anatole G. Mazour, Doctor of Laws

1964
Georgian Adams, Doctor of Science
Arthur C. Bryan, Doctor of Laws
Peter Kiewit, Doctor of Laws
William Charles Norris, Doctor of Science
Wayne Otis Reed, Doctor of Laws
Vestor Joseph Skutt, Doctor of Laws
Percy Craig Spencer, Doctor of Laws
Theos Jardin Thompson, Doctor of Science
Samuel C. Waugh, Doctor of Laws
Wayne H. Worthington, Doctor of Engineering

1965
Forrest Edwin Behm, Doctor of Laws
John Robert Brown, Doctor of Laws
Ihsan Dogramaci, Doctor of Laws
William O. Jones, Doctor of Science
Arjay Ray Miller, Doctor of Laws
Albert Henry Moseman, Doctor of Science

Elmo B. Roper, Jr., Doctor of Science
Lowell Thomas, Doctor of Laws

1966
Earl Meloy Cline, Doctor of Laws
David Fellman, Doctor of Laws
Doretta Schlaphoff Hoffman, Doctor of Science
James Herbert Jensen, Doctor of Laws
Harold Frank Robinson, Doctor of Science
Edward Stanley, Doctor of Laws
Carruth J. Wagner, Doctor of Science

1967
Robert Arnold Alberty, Doctor of Science
Merle Eugene Curti, Doctor of Letters
Robert Henry Dietz, Doctor of Science
Joseph McVicker Hunt, Doctor of Science
J. Martin Klotsche, Doctor of Laws
Joseph Grant Knapp, Doctor of Science
Aileene Simpson Lockhart, Doctor of Science
Hart Perry, Doctor of Laws

1968
Ralph Johnson Bunche, Doctor of Humane Letters
John B. Dawson, Doctor of Laws
Joyce Clyde Hall, Doctor of Humanities
Henry Arnold Karo, Doctor of Science
William H. Kearns, Doctor of Laws
Donald Theodore Meier, Doctor of Laws
Wright Morris, Doctor of Letters
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1969
Virgil Edward Boyd, Doctor of Laws
Robert F. Goheen, Doctor of Laws
J. George Harrar, Doctor of Laws
Margaret I. Liston, Doctor of Science
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Edwin John Wellhausen, Doctor of Science
Sarah Ladd Woods, Doctor of Humane Letters
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1970
Paul Babson, Doctor of Laws
John C. Brauer, Doctor of Science
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E. Christian Buehler, Doctor of Humane Letters
Ellsworth Prouty Conkle, Doctor of Literature
Edwin Dickinson, Doctor of Fine Arts
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Lewis W. Harris, Doctor of Science
Henrietta Fleck Houghton, Doctor of Science
Otto Kotouc, Sr., Doctor of Humanities
Robert John Moes, Doctor of Science
Orville A. Vogel, Doctor of Agriculture
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1971
William Hubert Allaway, Doctor of Science
J. Kenneth Cozier, Doctor of Humane Letters
Martin S. Cummings, Doctor of Science
James M. Earl, Doctor of Science
Clarence Allen Forbes, Doctor of Letters
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Carlos Lleras-Restrepo, Doctor of Laws
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Robert M. Spire, Doctor of Humane Letters
Willis A. Strauss, Doctor of Laws

1972
Gustave Otto Arlt, Doctor of Humane Letters
Henry M. Beachell, Doctor of Agriculture
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1973
Harland J. Cleveland, Doctor of Humane Letters
Edwin H. Colbert, Doctor of Science
Eugene Holland, Doctor of Laws
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John P. McGovern, Doctor of Science
Mary Lois Murphy, Doctor of Science
Mary Riepma Ross, Doctor of Laws
Ralph Winfred Taylor, Doctor of Science

1974
George W. Ferguson, Doctor of Science
Jan de Hartog, Doctor of Humanities
Marion L. Jackson, Doctor of Science
General David C. Jones, Doctor of Humane Letters
Very Reverend Joseph Labaj, Doctor of Humanities
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J. Edward Murray, Doctor of Letters

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Robert E. Schellberg, Doctor of Laws
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Theodore L. Eliot, Jr., Doctor of Laws
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Philip G. Johnson, Doctor of Science
Edward H. Levi, Doctor of Laws
Abdullah Malikyar, Doctor of Laws
Ghulam Sadeeq Mohibbi, Doctor of Humane Letters
Thomas S. Nurnberger, Doctor of Laws
Jessie M. Scott, Doctor of Science
Wayne O. Southwick, Doctor of Science
Ralph Wardle, Doctor of Humane Letters
Frank H. Woods, Doctor of Laws

1976
Julius Bellson, Master of Music
Milo L. Cox, Doctor of Agriculture
Leo A. Daly, Doctor of Laws
General Russell F. Dougherty, Doctor of Laws
Aaron Douglas, Doctor of Fine Arts
Gerald F. Else, Doctor of Letters
Gerald R. Ford, Doctor of Laws
Warren H. Gabelman, Doctor of Science
Reuben R. Jensen, Doctor of Laws
Morris F. Miller, Doctor of Laws
Gaafar Mohamed Niemeiry, Doctor of Laws
Claude Organ, Jr., Doctor of Humane Letters
Richard D. Winchell, Doctor of Laws
Robin W. Winks, Doctor of Letters

1977
Robert C. Holland, Doctor of Laws
Roman L. Hruska, Doctor of Humane Letters
Father Robert P. Hupp, Doctor of Humane Letters
R. Stewart Jones, Doctor of Humane Letters
Saul Kripke, Doctor of Humane Letters
Lewis W. Lehr, Doctor of Science
Wallace N. Rasmussen, Doctor of Science
A. V. Sorensen, Doctor of Laws

1978
B. Rodney Bertramson, Doctor of Agriculture
F. Edward Borchers, Doctor of Laws
Clifford M. Hardin, Doctor of Humane Letters
John C. Kenefick, Doctor of Laws
Ross McCollum, Doctor of Laws
Gretchen Swanson Pullen, Doctor of Humane Letters
Mary Helen Richards, Doctor of Music
Morris F. Skinner, Doctor of Science
August George Swanson, Doctor of Science
Sherman S. Welpton, Jr., Doctor of Laws
Joseph D. Williams, Doctor of Pharmacy

1979
Frank Walker Johnson, Doctor of Science
Norman Malcolm, Doctor of Humanities
Margaret McNamara, Doctor of Literature
Tillie Olsen, Doctor of Arts and Literature
Fred Patterson, Doctor of Science
Andrew Pattullo, Doctor of Science
Dale TeKolste, Doctor of Laws
Jack K. Wickstrom, Doctor of Science
Flavel A. Wright, Doctor of Laws

1980
Roy Emil Blaser, Doctor of Science
Robert P. Giovacchini, Doctor of Science
Wilhelmina F. Jashemski, Doctor of Humanities
James C. Olson, Doctor of Letters
Wally Provost, Doctor of Letters
John S. Savage, Bachelor of Arts
Gerald H. Trautman, Doctor of Laws
Willard James Visek, Doctor of Science
Robert G. Volz, Doctor of Science
Magdalena Wagner, Doctor of Science

1981
Myrtle K. Aydelotte, Doctor of Science
Rafael Caldera, Doctor of Humane Letters
John M. Christlieb, Doctor of Humane Letters
Eugene A. Conley, Doctor of Science
General Richard H. Ellis, Doctor of Laws
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Sir Andrew Watt Kay, Doctor of Science
Maurice L. Peterson, Doctor of Science
Durward B. Varner, Doctor of Laws

1982
Dick Cavett, Doctor of Humane Letters
Helen Cherniack, Doctor of Humane Letters
Robert B. Daugherty, Doctor of Humane Letters
John G. Freymann, Doctor of Science
William E. Larson, Doctor of Science
O. Burr Ross, Doctor of Science
Edwin Van den Bark, Doctor of Science

1983
Harry A. Blackmun, Doctor of Laws
Donald C. Cox, Doctor of Science
Paul H. Harvey, Doctor of Science
John W. Henderson, Doctor of Science
Paul H. Henson, Doctor of Humane Letters
Lawrence R. Klein, Doctor of Science
Fred W. McLafferty, Doctor of Science
Joseph G. Noh, Doctor of Science
Henry Pascale, Doctor of Humane Letters
Walter Scott, Jr., Doctor of Letters
Fred Waring, Doctor of Arts & Letters
John W. White, Jr., Doctor of Humane Letters
Sir Oliver Wright, Doctor of Humane Letters

1984
Otto F. Baumann, Doctor of Humane Letters
R. L. "Dick" Herman, Doctor of Humane Letters
Peter Hermes, Doctor of Humane Letters
Shirley Hill, Doctor of Humane Letters
David H. Murdock, Doctor of Humane Letters
Ned S. Raun, Doctor of Science
Richard A. Schleusener, Doctor of Science
Eugene W. Skinner, Doctor of Humane Letters
Henry Nash Smith, Doctor of Letters
Robert H. Storz, Doctor of Science
Zhang Wenjin, Doctor of Humane Letters

1985
Robert W. Allington, Doctor of Science
Robert Anderson, Doctor of Humane Letters
Malcolm Baldrige, Doctor of Letters
Rabbi Sidney Brooks, Doctor of Humane Letters
Melvin R. Gibson, Doctor of Science
John L. Holland, Doctor of Letters
Philip Johnson, Doctor of Letters
Herbert C. Modlin, Doctor of Science
Charles Peebler, Doctor of Humane Letters
John W. Reps, Doctor of Arts & Letters
Paul C. Schorr, III, Doctor of Humane Letters
Sam Segnar, Doctor of Law
Gladys E. Sorenson, Doctor of Science
Robert Van Pelt, Doctor of Laws

1986
Richard M. Bressler, Doctor of Humane Letters
Flavia Waters Champe, Doctor of Humane Letters
Charles M. Harper, Doctor of Humane Letters
Theodore Hesburgh, Doctor of Laws
Tom S. Miya, Doctor of Science
Mary Jean Mulvaney, Doctor of Humane Letters
Joseph L. Parker, Doctor of Science
Charles John Tupper, Doctor of Science
Lloyd Dale Van Vleck, Doctor of Science
Dale E. Wolf, Doctor of Science

1987
Norman H. Cromwell, Doctor of Science
Adele Coryelle Hall, Doctor of Humane Letters
Christina Hixson, Doctor of Humane Letters
F. Kenneth Iverson, Doctor of Laws
William Jovanovich, Doctor of Laws
Eugene Kamprath, Doctor of Science
Marilyn Mason, Doctor of Music
James E. Olson, Doctor of Laws
Kazuo Takechi, Doctor of Humane Letters
Thomas R. Thomsen, Doctor of Science
Varro E. Tyler, Doctor of Science
Austin L. Vickery, Jr., Doctor of Science

1988
Virgilio Barco, Doctor of Laws
James P. Collman, Doctor of Science
Steve A. Eberhart, Doctor of Science
W. Grant Gregory, Doctor of Humane Letters
Yorio Hinuma, Doctor of Science
Ralph Leonard Ireland, Doctor of Science
Ding Shi-Sun, Doctor of Science
William C. Smith, Doctor of Laws
Joseph Soshnik, Doctor of Humane Letters
Beryl W. Sprinkel, Doctor of Laws
Cecil L. Wittson, Doctor of Science
Han Xu, Doctor of Laws
Clayton K. Yeutter, Doctor of Laws

1989
Gene A. Budig, Doctor of Humane Letters
Warren Buffett, Doctor of Humane Letters
Donald J. Cram, Doctor of Science
Charles W. Durham, Doctor of Humane Letters Margre H. Durham, Doctor of Humane Letters
Carroll M. Leevy, Doctor of Science
Leon S. McGoogan, Doctor of Science
Stuart O. Nelson, Doctor of Science
John Milton Roberts, Doctor of Letters
Milo B. Tesar, Doctor of Science
Charles Thone, Doctor of Laws
Joseph D. Williams, Doctor of Science

1990
Kathryn Elaine Barnard, Doctor of Science
Gretchen G. Berggren, Doctor of Science
Warren L. Berggren, Doctor of Science
Herman Cain, Doctor of Science

Donald O. Clifton, Doctor of Humane letters
Jack A. MacAllister, Doctor of Science
John W. Madden, Jr., Doctor of Laws
Radim Palous, Doctor of Humane Letters
Donald R. Ross, Doctor of Laws
Mike Royko, Doctor of Humane Letters
James Stuart, Sr., Doctor of Humane Letters

1991
Daniel W. Cook, III, Doctor of Humane Letters
Michael J.C. Echeruo, Doctor of Humane Letters
Milton J. Hassel, Doctor of Humane Letters
George Klein, Doctor of Science
Eva Klein, Doctor of Science
A. Bruce Maunder, Doctor of Science
Robert C. Rosenlof, Doctor of Humane Letters
Elwood N. Thompson, Doctor of Humane Letters

1992
Forrest E. Behm, Doctor of Humane Letters
Ada S. Hinshaw, Doctor of Science
Hubert Locke, Doctor of Humane Letters
Barney Oldfield, Doctor of Letters
W. Ann Reynolds, Doctor of Humane Letters
Phil Schrager, Doctor of Letters
John Sculley, Doctor of Humane Letters
Virginia Smith, Doctor of Laws

1993
Viorel Barbu, Doctor of Letters
James B. Coffman, Doctor of Science
Harold E. Enarson, Doctor of Humane Letters
Mary Gray, Doctor of Laws
Bernice Harris, Doctor of Humane Letters
Norman Y. Harris, Doctor of Humane Letters
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Samuel D. Proctor, Doctor of Humane Letters
Marvin G. Schmid, Doctor of Humane Letters
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1994
F. Gene Dixon, Doctor of Science
Claudia Goldin, Doctor of Humane Letters
Frances Hesselbein, Doctor of Humane Letters
Clifton K. Hillegass, Doctor of Humane Letters
Nobuyuki Ito, Doctor of Science
Howard R. Lamar, Doctor of Letters
C. Peter Magrath, Doctor of Letters
Saburo Nagakura, Doctor of Science

1995
Val L. Fitch, Doctor of Science
J. Leonard Goldner, Doctor of Science
Kermit R. Hansen, Doctor of Humane Letters
Barbara Jordan, Doctor of Laws
Ulrich Littmann, Doctor of Humane Letters
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1996
Augusto Boal, Doctor of Humane Letters
Myron K. Brakke, Doctor of Science
Marvin H. Caruthers, Doctor of Science
Paulo Freire, Doctor of Humane Letters
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1997
J. James Exon, Doctor of Humane Letters
Peter J. Gomes, Doctor of Humane Letters
Moshe Katsav, Doctor of Humane Letters
William McBain Kizer, Doctor of Humane Letters
Trudy Lieberman, Doctor of Humane Letters
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Leroy B. Townsend, Doctor of Science
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Tom H. Allan, Doctor of Humane Letters
William Sloane Coffin, Doctor of Humane Letters
Roger Kennedy, Doctor of Letters
Norman Krivosha, Doctor of Laws
Menahem Pressler, Doctor of Music

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Marion Marsh Brown, Doctor of Humane Letters
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Alan J. Heeger, Doctor of Science

George W. Lundeen, Doctor of Humane Letters
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2000
Patricia S. Broder, Doctor of Letters
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Natalie D. Hahn, Doctor of Humane Letters
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Desmond Tutu, Doctor of Humane Letters

2001
Hans Brisch, Doctor of Letters
Bruce Chabner, Doctor of Science
Robert Hemenway, Doctor of Letters
James E. Miller, Doctor of Letters

2002
Nancy J. Andreason, Doctor of Humane Letters
Hal France, Doctor of Letters
Mikhail Gorbachev, Doctor of Laws
Charles Holland, Doctor of Letters
Guinter Kahn, Doctor of Science
William R. Nester, Doctor of Humane Letters
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Victor Yampolsky, Doctor of Letters

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Frank Morrison, Doctor of Humane Letters
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2004
Marian Battey Andersen, Doctor of Humane Letters
Paul Berg, Doctor of Science
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Maxine F. Singer, Doctor of Science

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John Beasley, Doctor of Humane Letters
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Linda Cronenwett, Doctor of Science
Phyllis Hunhoff, Doctor of Humane Letters
Hamid Karzai, Doctor of Letters
Ben Kuroki, Doctor of Letters
Ann Mactier, Doctor of Education
Paige Mulhollan, Doctor of Letters

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John W. Kenagy, Doctor of Science
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Claude M. Bolton, Jr., Doctor of Science
Charles H. Brim, Doctor of Science
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Sam Fried, Doctor of Humane Letters
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Mahabir Pun, Doctor of Humane Letters
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John Gottschalk, Doctor of Letters
Ronald W. Roskens, Doctor of Humane Letters
Lawrence Tabak, Doctor of Science

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Paul A. Johnsgard, Doctor of Science
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Xiaoming Shen, Doctor of Science

2011
Alberto Ibarguen, Doctor of Humane Letters
Louis W. Sullivan, Doctor of Science
Nanning Zheng, Doctor of Science

2012
Richard Holland, Doctor of Humane Letters
Gang Pei, Doctor of Science

2013
E. Benjamin Nelson, Doctor of Letters
Harold H. Saunders, Doctor of Humane Letters
Kimberly Siniscalchi, Doctor of Health Sciences

2015
Janet Gilsdorf, Doctor of Science
Barbara Hendricks, Doctor of Fine Arts
M. Ishaq Nadiri, Doctor of Humane Letters
Thomas Novotny, Doctor of Science
Aldo Tesi, Doctor of Humane Letters

2016
Sina Bavari, Doctor of Health Sciences
Victor Lewis, Doctor of Fine Arts

2017
Barbara Holland, Doctor of Humane Letters
Ruth and Bill Scott, Doctor of Humane Letters
Evan Williams, Doctor of Humane Letters

2018
Michael Crow, Doctor of Science
Lois Margaret Nora, Doctor of Health Sciences
Alexander Payne, Doctor of Fine Arts
Willy Thiesen, Doctor of Commerce

2019
Jon Bokenkamp, Doctor of Fine Arts
Jordan Cohen, Doctor of Health Sciences
Cathy Hughes, Doctor of Commerce
Michael Owen Johanns, Doctor of Law
Darrel Kirch, Doctor of Health Sciences

2020
Samuel Bak, Doctor of Humane Letters
Doyt Conn, Doctor of Health Sciences

2021
Vikki Deuel, Doctor of Education
Leta Powell Drake, Doctor of Humane Letters
John Hyten, Doctor of Law
William Mobley, Doctor of Health Sciences

2022
Karrin Allyson, Doctor of Fine Arts
Eileen Carpenter, Doctor of Humane Letters
Martin Ebel, Doctor of Humane Letters
Robert Kadlec, Doctor of Health Sciences
Jan Stejskal, Doctor of Humane Letters

2023
Mildred Brown, Doctor of Humane Letters
Major General Paul Friedrichs, Doctor of Health Sciences
Chuck Hagel, Doctor of Humane Letters
Joseph Robert Kerrey, Doctor of Law
Iftikher Mahmood, Doctor of Health Sciences
Thomas Mangelsen, Doctor of Fine Arts

2024
Barry Gold, Doctor of Health Sciences
Larry Johnson, Doctor of Law
Rick Lanoha, Doctor of Commerce
Joan Squires, Doctor of Fine Arts