# REGIS UNIVERSITY HONORARY DEGREES



# HONORARY DEGREE RECIPIENTS IN THE 2000s

# DECEMBER 2014

Martin Hart, RC'57

# SPRING 2013

Reverend Lawrence Radice, RC'73

## **SPRING 2011**

Most Reverend Pietro Sambi, Apostolic Nuncio to the United States

# JANUARY 2011

Dr. Richard M. Hodes

# JUNE 2010

Richard N. Cabela, RC '58, Cabela's

## **SPRING 2010**

Yohannes Gebregeorgis, Ethiopia Reads

## **SPRING 2009**

David Babek

Lois Beebe Hayna, Colorado Springs poet and author Jose "Pepe" F. Mendez, president, Ana Mendez University, Puerto Rico

MAY 2008
Cleo Parker Robinson
MARCH 2008
Muhammad Yunus, Nobel laureate NOVEMBER 2007
Somaly Mam
JULY 2007
Bill Murray, RC '72
OCTOBER 2006
Lord David Trimble, Nobel Peace laureate
MAY 2006
Dr. Thomas A. Emmet, consultant for Regis
DECEMBER 2006
Jacob Schramm, founder and executive director, College Summit
MARCH 2006
Lech Walesa, former president, Poland
MAY 2005
Rev. James Heft, S.M., chancellor, University of Dayton
MARCH 2004
Peter Steinfels, author Sister Helen Prejean, advocate for abolition of the death penalty
OCTOBER 2003
Rev. David Clarke, S.J., former chancellor of Regis University Most Reverend Cardinal Roger Mahony, Archbishop of Los Angeles

# IANUARY 2003 John Hume, Nobel Peace laureate, European parliament and former leader of the Social Democratic and Labour Party FEBRUARY 2002 Jody Williams, Nobel Peace laureate DECEMBER 2001 Thomas J. Tracy, RC '61, president, Genuine Parts MAY 2001 R. James Nicholson, ambassador to the Holy See APRIL 2001 \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Elie Wiesel NOVEMBER 2000 Sister Mary Rose McGeady, D.C., president and CEO, Covenant House MAY 2000 The Most Reverend Charles Chaput, O.F.M. Cap., Archbishop of Denver FEBRUARY 2000 Oscar Arias Sanchez, Doctor, former president of Costa Rica

## MAY 1999

Most Reverend Paul Shan, S.J., cardinal, Chinese Bishop

# MARCH 1999

Robert Dole

William H.G. FitzGerald, former ambassador of Ireland

#### FEBRUARY 1999

Elizabeth Hanford Dole, former president, American Red Cross

## **NOVEMBER 1998**

The Reverend Desmond Mpilo Tutu, 1984 Nobel Peace laureate

## **MARCH 1998**

Most Reverend John Foley, President, Pontifical Commission for Social Communications Mairead Corrigan Magire, 1976 Nobel Peace laureate

# <u>JUNE 1997</u>

His Holiness Dalai Lama Tenzin Gyatso, of Tibet, Nobel Peace laureate

## SEPTEMBER 1996

Rigoberta Menchu Tum, Nobel laureate 1992

#### DECEMBER 1995

Ronald "Ron" B. Bailey, director, Central Catholic High School

# MAY 1995

John V. and Carol A. Saeman, II, former trustees/Medallion partners Richard O., RC '57, and Dorothy M. Campbell, former trustees

#### MAY 1994

Sheldon Steinhauser Roland L. (Sonny) Mapelli, RC '63, president, Mapelli Meats

#### MAY 1992

Daniel L. Ritchie, chancellor, University of Denver The Most Reverend J. Francis Stafford, archbishop, Archdiocese of Denver Glenn R. Jones, CEO, Jones Intercable

## MAY 1991

Walt, RC'55 and Georgia Imhoff Peter and Marilyn Coors, Coors Brewing Company

# MAY 1990

Rev. John Sobrino, S.J.

Frank Newman, president, Education Commission of the States Gresham Riley, president, Colorado College

## SEPTEMBER 1987

Rev. Timothy Healy, S.J., president, Georgetown University

## MAY 1987

Mark Hatfield, senator of Oregon

## OCTOBER 1986

Rev. Peter Hans-Kolvenbach, S.J., Superior General of the Society of Jesus

#### MAY 1986

Malcom Knowles, professor emeritus, Adult and Community College Education, North Carolina State University

#### MAY 1982

Alfred Boeddeker, O.F.M. Most Reverend Arthur N. Tafoya, D.D., bishop, Archdiocese of Pueblo William D. Ruckelshaus, L.L.D.

# MAY 1981

Delores Curran, syndicated Catholic writer

#### DECEMBER 1979

Most Reverend Richard Hanifen, bishop, RC '53, Archdiocese of Colorado Springs

## NOVEMBER 1977

Rev. Stephen R. Krieger, S.J. C.H. Kellogg Rev. Joseph V. Downey, S.J. Rev. Fred T. Daly, S.J. John V. Coyne

# MAY 1977 Dr. James D. Palmer Rev. C.J. McNaspy, S.J. MARCH 1977 Rev. Walter J. Ong, S.J., St. Louis University SEPTEMBER 1976 Rev. Paul C. Reinert, S.J. MAY 1976 Rev. John Sheahan, S.J., American assistant to Father General in Rome **MARCH 1976** Antonia Brico MAY 1975 Most Reverend Patrick F. Flores, D.D., U.G., auxiliary bishop, San Antonio Loren Eisley, Benjamin Franklin professor, University of Pennsylvania MAY 1974 Theodore M. Hesburgh, president, University of Notre Dame Allen du Pont Breck, chair, Department of History, University of Denver SPRING 1973 Meredith Willson MAY 1972 The Honorable Margaret Chase Smith **SPRING 1971**

Rollo Reese May

# MAY 1968

Rev. Richard F. Ryan, S.J., assistant to the president, Marquette University

# MAY 1967

Francis J. Reinert, Boulder, Colorado The Most Reverend James V. Casey, D.D., Archbishop of Denver

# JUNE 1963

Rev. Bernard J. Leeming, S.J

# MAY 1962

Stephen L.R. McNichols, RC '36, governor of Colorado