

Harvard University
Honorary Degree Recipients
1988-2013

Name	Degree	Year	Name	Degree	Year
Daniel Aaron	Litt.D.	2007	Robert L. Carter	LL.D.	2004
Edward Abraham	S.D.	1997	Thomas Cech	S.D.	2010
José Antonio Abreu	Mus.D.	2013	Henry Chadwick	D.D.	1997
Chinua Achebe	Litt.D.	1996	Alfred D. Chandler, Jr.	LL.D.	1995
John Adams	Mus.D.	2012	Julia Child	L.H.D.	1993
Robert Adams, Jr.	LL.D.	1992	Noam Chomsky	LL.D.	2000
Karim the Aga Khan	LL.D.	2008	Steven Chu	S.D.	2009
Lars Ahlfors	S.D.	1989	Kenneth B. Clark	LL.D.	1989
Hélène Ahrweiler	LL.D.	1995	William T. Coleman, Jr.	LL.D.	1996
Madeleine Albright	LL.D.	1997	James Comer	LL.D.	2008
Pedro Almodóvar	Art.D.	2009	Philip E. Converse	LL.D.	2006
Harold Amos	S.D.	1996	Sir David Cox	S.D.	1999
Kofi Annan	LL.D.	2004	Robert A. Dahl	LL.D.	1998
Walter H. Annenberg	L.H.D.	1996	D. Ronald Daniel	LL.D.	2005
K. Anthony Appiah	LL.D.	2012	Partha Dasgupta	LL.D.	2013
Oscar Arias	LL.D.	1988	Natalie Zemon Davis	LL.D.	1996
Kenneth Arrow	LL.D.	1999	Dominique de Menil	L.H.D.	1992
John Ashbery	Litt.D.	2001	Philippe de Montebello	Art.D.	2006
Michael Atiyah	S.D.	2006	W. Edwards Deming	LL.D.	1993
Margaret Atwood	Litt.D.	2004	Joan Didion	Litt.D.	2009
Mary Ellen Avery	S.D.	2005	Richard Doll	S.D.	1988
Bernard Bailyn	LL.D.	1999	Plácido Domingo	Art.D.	2011
David Baltimore	S.D.	2005	Wendy Doniger	Litt.D.	2009
Gary S. Becker	LL.D.	2003	Mildred Dresselhaus	S.D.	1995
Gillian Beer	Litt.D.	2012	Georges Duby	LL.D.	1991
Samuel H. Beer	LL.D.	1998	Katherine Dunham	Art.D.	2002
Daniel Bell	LL.D.	1992	Ronald Dworkin	LL.D.	2009
Jocelyn Bell Burnell	S.D.	2007	Marian Wright Edelman	LL.D.	1991
Baruj Benacerraf	S.D.	1992	Shmuel Eisenstadt	LL.D.	1993
Tim Berners-Lee	S.D.	2011	Gertrude Belle Elion	S.D.	1998
Ela Bhatt	L.H.D.	2001	Albert Eschenmoser	S.D.	1993
Benazir Bhutto	LL.D.	1989	Katherine Fanning	LL.D.	1988
J. Michael Bishop	S.D.	2004	Suzanne Farrell	Art.D.	2004
Elizabeth Blackburn	S.D.	2006	Anthony Fauci	S.D.	2009
Harry A. Blackmun	LL.D.	1994	Ella Fitzgerald	Mus.D.	1990
David Blackwell	S.D.	1988	William Foege	S.D.	1997
Herbert Block (Herblock)	Art.D.	1999	Wen Fong	Art.D.	2008
Nicolaas Bloembergen	S.D.	2000	Elliot Forbes	Mus.D.	2003
Derek C. Bok	LL.D.	1992	Renée Fox	LL.D.	2010
Daniel Boorstin	LL.D.	1993	Norman Francis	LL.D.	2003
Sydney Brenner	S.D.	2002	François Furet	LL.D.	1996
Andrew Brimmer	LL.D.	1999	John Kenneth Galbraith	LL.D.	1988
Peter Brown	LL.D.	2002	William H. Gates	LL.D.	2007
Gro Harlem Brundtland	LL.D.	1992	Frank O. Gehry	Art.D.	2000
Jerome Bruner	S.D.	1997	Ruth Bader Ginsburg	LL.D.	2011
James E. Burke	LL.D.	1993	Albert Gore, Jr.	LL.D.	1994
Caroline Walker Bynum	LL.D.	2005	Hanna H. Gray	LL.D.	1995
Geoffrey Canada	L.H.D.	2001	William H. Gray III	LL.D.	1994
Bennett Carter	Mus.D.	1994	Alan Greenspan	LL.D.	1999

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Jürgen Habermas	LL.D.	2001	Susan Lindquist	S.D.	2010
Mason Hammond	LL.D.	1994	John Lithgow	Art.D.	2005
Oscar Handlin	LL.D.	1993	Katherine B. Loker	L.H.D.	2000
Conrad Harper	LL.D.	2007	Yo-Yo Ma	Mus.D.	1991
Vaclav Havel	LL.D.	1995	Nelson Mandela	LL.D.	1998
Stephen W. Hawking	S.D.	1990	Mike Mansfield	LL.D.	1989
Seamus Heaney	Litt.D.	1998	Wynton Marsalis	Mus.D.	2009
Andrew Heiskell	LL.D.	1989	Michael Kimbrough Marshall	L.H.D.	1990
Dudley Herschbach	S.D.	2011	Robert McCreddie May	S.D.	2013
Albert Hirschman	LL.D.	2002	John McCarthy	S.D.	2008
Judith Hope	LL.D.	2000	Maclyn McCarty	S.D.	2000
Donald Hopkins	S.D.	2013	Oseola McCarty	L.H.D.	1996
James R. Houghton	LL.D.	2011	Deborah Willen Meier	LL.D.	1993
Freeman Hrabowski	LL.D.	2010	Thomas M. Menino	LL.D.	2013
Sarah Hrdy	LL.D.	2009	Arthur Miller	Litt.D.	1997
Ada Louise Huxtable	Litt.D.	1991	Czeslaw Milosz	Litt.D.	1989
Shirley Jackson	LL.D.	2006	Mario Molina	S.D.	2012
François Jacob	S.D.	1991	W. Jason Morgan	S.D.	1997
Judith Jamison	Art.D.	1996	Toni Morrison	Litt.D.	1989
Ellen Johnson Sirleaf	LL.D.	2011	Robert P. Moses	LL.D.	2006
John H. Johnson	LL.D.	1998	Frederick Mosteller	LL.D.	1991
Quincy D. Jones, Jr.	Mus.D.	1997	Constance Baker Motley	LL.D.	2000
Daniel Kahneman	LL.D.	2004	Daniel Patrick Moynihan	LL.D.	2002
Eric Kandel	S.D.	2008	Thomas Nagel	LL.D.	2010
Isabella Karle	S.D.	2001	David G. Nathan	S.D.	2010
Damon Keith	LL.D.	2008	Linda Nochlin	Litt.D.	2003
Ellsworth Kelly	Art.D.	2003	Jessye Norman	Mus.D.	1988
Edward M. Kennedy	LL.D.	2008	Janet L. Norwood	LL.D.	1997
Nannerl O. Keohane	LL.D.	1993	Christiane Nüsslein-Volhard	S.D.	1993
Frank Kermode	Litt.D.	2004	Kenzaburo Oe	Litt.D.	2000
Mary-Claire King	S.D.	2003	Sadako Ogata	LL.D.	1994
Leon Kirchner	Mus.D.	2001	Onora O'Neill	LL.D.	2010
Donald Knuth	S.D.	2003	Seiji Ozawa	Mus.D.	2000
Helmut Kohl	LL.D.	1990	Elaine Pagels	LL.D.	2013
Walter Kohn	S.D.	2012	I. M. Pei	Art.D.	1995
Wendy Kopp	LL.D.	2012	Jaroslav Pelikan	LL.D.	1998
Julia Kristeva	LL.D.	1999	J. G. A. Pocock	LL.D.	2011
Rosalind Krauss	Art.D.	2011	Colin Powell	LL.D.	1993
Robert Langer	S.D.	2009	Howard Raiffa	LL.D.	2002
Jacob Lawrence	Art.D.	1995	Mamphela Ramphele	LL.D.	2002
Yuan T. Lee	S.D.	2002	Norman Ramsey	S.D.	2006
James Lehrer	LL.D.	2006	John Rawls	LL.D.	1997
Gustav Leonhardt	Mus.D.	1991	Adrienne Rich	Litt.D.	1990
Gerda Lerner	Litt.D.	2008	Julius B. Richmond	S.D.	2002
Doris Lessing	Litt.D.	1995	David Riesman	LL.D.	1990
Rita Levi-Montalcini	S.D.	1989	Alice Rivlin	LL.D.	2001
Richard C. Levin	LL.D.	1994	Mary Robinson	LL.D.	1998
John Robert Lewis	LL.D.	2012	Henry Rosovsky	LL.D.	1998

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Janet Rowley	S.D.	2008	Charles M. Vest	LL.D.	2005
J. K. Rowling	Litt.D.	2008	Clifton Wharton, Jr.	LL.D.	1992
Robert E. Rubin	LL.D.	2001	John C. Whitehead	LL.D.	1995
Vera Rubin	S.D.	1988	Torsten Wiesel	S.D.	1992
Neil L. Rudenstine	LL.D.	2002	Bernard Williams	LL.D.	2002
Bill Russell	LL.D.	2007	E. O. Wilson	S.D.	2004
Abram L. Sachar	LL.D.	1989	James Q. Wilson	LL.D.	1994
David Satcher	S.D.	2011	Oprah Winfrey	LL.D.	2013
Arthur M. Schlesinger, Jr.	LL.D.	2001	Edward Witten	S.D.	2005
Joan Wallach Scott	LL.D.	2007	Fareed Zakaria	LL.D.	2012
Amartya Sen	LL.D.	2000	Ernesto Zedillo	LL.D.	2003
Richard Serra	Art.D.	2010			
Jean-Pierre Serre	S.D.	1998			
Ravi Shankar	Mus.D.	1993			
Eduard Shevardnadze	LL.D.	1991			
Robert Silvers	Litt.D.	2007			
Ruth J. Simmons	LL.D.	2002			
Herbert A. Simon	LL.D.	1990			
Maxine F. Singer	S.D.	1994			
Andrei Sinyavsky	Litt.D.	1991			
Quentin Skinner	LL.D.	2005			
Charles P. Slichter	LL.D.	1996			
Richard A. Smith	LL.D.	2001			
Robert M. Solow	LL.D.	1992			
Susan Sontag	Litt.D.	1993			
David Souter	LL.D.	2010			
Wole Soyinka	Litt.D.	1993			
C. Dixon Spangler, Jr.	LL.D.	2013			
Leo Steinberg	Art.D.	2006			
Joan Steitz	S.D.	1992			
Isaac Stern	Mus.D.	1992			
Edward Stone	S.D.	1992			
Robert G. Stone	LL.D.	2003			
Meryl Streep	Art.D.	2010			
JoAnne Stubbe	S.D.	2013			
Lawrence H. Summers	LL.D.	2007			
Ronald Syme	LL.D.	1988			
Kip Tiernan	L.H.D.	1989			
Shirley Tilghman	LL.D.	2004			
James Tobin	LL.D.	1995			
Daniel C. Tosteson	S.D.	2008			
Charles H. Townes	S.D.	2001			
Karen Uhlenbeck	S.D.	2007			
John Updike	Litt.D.	1992			
P. Roy Vagelos	LL.D.	2003			
Mario Vargas Llosa	Litt.D.	1999			
Harold Varmus	S.D.	1996			
Sidney Verba	LL.D.	2009			