

# Honorary Degree Recipients

At each graduation ceremony, Richmond honors people of distinction who have made significant contributions in a professional field, either to the life of their country or in an international context. The following individuals have received honorary degrees from Richmond, The American International University in London.

## 1992

### **The Hon. Raymond G. H. Seitz**

*(then)* Ambassador of the United States of America to the Court of St. James  
*Doctor of Public Administration*

### **Dr. William Petrek**

*(then)* President of Richmond  
The American International University in London  
*Doctor of Humane Letters*

## 1993

### **The Lord Renwick of Clifton, KCMG**

*(then)* Her Majesty's Ambassador to Washington  
*Doctor of Laws*

### **The Lord Briggs of Lewes**

Former Chancellor of the Open University  
Former Provost of Worcester College, Oxford  
Former Vice-Chancellor of Sussex University  
Chairman of the Board of Academic Governors, Richmond  
The American International University in London  
*Doctor of Literature*

### **Professor Sir Ernst Gombrich (deceased)**

Director Emeritus of the Warburg Institute, University of London  
Former Academic Governor of Richmond  
The American International University in London  
*Doctor of Literature*

### **The Lord Marshall of Knightsbridge, Kt**

*(then)* Chairman, British Airways plc  
*Doctor of Laws*

## 1994

### **The Rt Hon. The Lord Baker of Dorking, CH**

Former Secretary of State for Education and Science  
*Doctor of Laws*

### **Dr. Michael Morgan**

Former Principal, The Froebel Educational Institute, London  
Trustee Emeritus and an Academic Governor of Richmond The American International University in London  
*Doctor of Literature*

### **The Lord Quirk of Bloomsbury, FBA, CBE, Kt**

Trustee of The Wolfson Foundation  
Past President of the British Academy  
Former Vice-Chancellor of the University of London  
An Academic Governor of Richmond  
The American International University in London  
*Doctor of Literature*

### **The Lord Attenborough of Richmond upon Thames, CBE, Kt**

Performing Arts Director and Actor  
*Doctor of Literature*

### **Dr. Lawrence Tindale (deceased)**

Former Deputy Chairman of 3i plc  
A former Trustee of Richmond  
The American International University in London  
*Doctor of Laws*

### **Dr. Donald Woods (deceased)**

International Lecturer and Broadcaster  
*Doctor of Literature*

## 1995

### **Dr. Robert J. Brennan**

Chairman, Metro International  
Trustee of Richmond  
The American International University in London  
*Doctor of Business Administration*

### **The Rt Hon. The Lord Sutherland of Houndwood, Kt**

Former Vice-Chancellor, University of London  
Former Principal and Vice-Chancellor, University of Edinburgh  
*Doctor of Literature*

### **Dr. Garry Weston (deceased)**

Chairman, Associated British Foods plc  
*Doctor of Economics*

### **The Honorable William J. Crowe, Jr.**

*(then)* Ambassador of the United States of America to the Court of St. James  
*Doctor of International Relations*

### **Dr. Michael Eizenberg**

*(then)* President, American Council for International Studies  
A former Trustee of Richmond  
The American International University in London  
*Doctor of Business Administration*

### **Dr. Stephen J. Trachtenberg**

President, The George Washington University and Professor of Public Administration  
*Doctor of Laws*

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### 1996

**The Lord Harris of Peckham, Kt**

Chairman, Carpetright plc

*Doctor of Economics*

**Dr. Kathleen Kennedy Townsend**

(*then*) Lieutenant Governor, State of Maryland

*Doctor of Laws*

**Dr. Edwin M Yoder, Jr.**

Columnist, The Washington Post Writers Group and Professor of Journalism and Humanities at Washington and Lee University, Lexington

*Doctor of Letters*

**Sir Stanley Kalms**

President, Dixons Group plc

*Doctor of Economics*

**Dr. Herbert Kretzmer**

Journalist and Lyricist

*Doctor of Letters*

**Dr. Hans Rausing**

Former Chairman and Chief Executive Officer, Tetra Laval Group

*Doctor of Economics*

### 1997

**Dr. Anastasios Christodoulou, CBE (deceased)**

Former Secretary-General,

Association of Commonwealth Universities

Former Trustee of Richmond

The American International University in London

*Doctor of International Relations*

**Dr. Stephen R. Portch**

(*then*) Chancellor, Board of Regents of the University System of Georgia

*Doctor of Literature*

**Dr. Rasha Al-Sabah**

Under Secretary, Ministry of Higher Education, Kuwait

*Doctor of Laws*

**Dr. Eve Arnold**

Photographer

*Doctor of Humanities*

**Sir John Daniel, Kt**

Assistant Director-General for Education, UNESCO

Former Vice-Chancellor, The Open University

*Doctor of Humane Letters*

**Professor Stanley Glasser**

Emeritus Professor of Music, University of London Academic Governor, Richmond

The American International University in London

*Doctor of Music*

**Sir Cyril Taylor, GBE**

Chairman, American Institute for Foreign Study

Chairman, Specialist Schools Trust

*Doctor of Laws*

### 1998

**Sir John Bond, Kt**

Group Chairman, HSBC Holdings plc

*Doctor of Economics*

**Senator Zell Miller**

(*then*) Governor of the State of Georgia

(*now*) United States Senator for the State of Georgia

*Doctor of Laws*

**Sir Joseph Rotblat, KCMG (deceased)**

Physicist

*Doctor of International Relations*

**Dr. John Brademas**

President Emeritus of New York University

*Doctor of Laws*

**Professor Malcolm Frazer, CBE**

Former Chief Executive, Council for National Academic Awards

*Doctor of Education*

**Dr. Alfredo Gómez Gil**

Professor and Poet

*Doctor of Literature*

### 1999

**The Honorable Philip Lader**

(*then*) Ambassador of the United States of America to the Court of St James

*Doctor of Laws*

**Sir Colin Southgate, Kt**

Former Chairman, EMI Group plc

Former Chairman, The Royal Opera House, Covent Garden

*Doctor of Economics*

**Dr. Zoë Wanamaker**

Actor

*Doctor of Letters*

## HONORARY DEGREE RECIPIENTS

### **Dr. Clifford D. Joseph**

Barrister-at-Law  
Trustee, Richmond  
The American International University in London  
*Doctor of Laws*

### **Sir Mark Tully, KBE**

Freelance Journalist and Broadcaster  
*Doctor of Communications*

## **2000**

### **Dr. Helen Bamber, OBE**

Founder and Director, Medical Foundation for the  
Care of Victims of Torture  
*Doctor of Humanities*

### **The Lord Puttnam of Queensgate, CBE**

Film Producer  
*Doctor of Fine Arts*

### **Dr. Roger Walther**

Chairman of First Republic Bank and Chairman &  
CEO of Tusker Corporation  
*Doctor of Economics*

### **Dr. George Steven Blumenthal**

Former Chairman, NTL Incorporated  
*Doctor of Communications and Information Technology*

### **Dr. Nemir A. Kirdar**

Founder, President & CEO of Investcorp  
*Doctor of Economics*

### **Dr. Anthony Taylor**

Former Trustee, Richmond  
The American International University in London  
*Doctor of Economics*

## **2001**

### **Ambassador Harriet Elam-Thomas**

Ambassador of the United States of America to the  
Republic of Senegal  
*Doctor of Laws*

### **Baroness Susan Greenfield, CBE**

Professor of Pharmacology, Oxford University  
Director of the Royal Institution of Great Britain  
*Doctor of Science*

### **Dr. James Ragan**

Poet  
*Doctor of Letters*

### **The Earl of Limerick (deceased)**

Former Chancellor, London Guildhall University  
*Doctor of Laws*

### **Dr. John Morgridge**

Chairman, Cisco Systems Inc.  
*Doctor of Economics*

### **The Rt Hon. The Lord Woolf, Kt**

(*then*) Lord Chief Justice of England and Wales  
*Doctor of Laws*

## **2002**

### **Dr. Walter McCann**

(*then*) President, Richmond  
The American International University in London  
*Doctor of Laws*

### **Dr. Alba Ambert**

(*then*) Writer in Residence, Richmond  
The American International University in London  
*Doctor of Literature*

### **Dr. Richard Resch**

(*then*) Provost and Senior Vice President for  
Academic Affairs, Richmond  
The American International University in London  
*Doctor of Science*

### **Dr. John Fairbairn**

Trustee of Esmee Fairbairn Foundation  
*Doctor of Humane Letters*

### **Dame Pauline Harris, DBE**

Trustee, Philip & Pauline Harris Charitable Trust  
*Doctor of Humane Letters*

### **Dr. John Kuhnle**

Managing Director, Education Practice,  
Korn/Ferry International  
Trustee, Richmond  
The American International University in London  
*Doctor of Humane Letters*

## **2003**

### **Dr. Deborah McLean**

Vice Chairman of the Board of Trustees, Richmond  
The American International University in London  
*Doctor of Humane Letters*

### **Professor Graham Zellick**

(*then*) Vice-Chancellor, University of London  
*Doctor of Laws*

## HONORARY DEGREE RECIPIENTS

**Dr. Michael Portillo, MP**  
(*then*) Member of Parliament for Kensington and Chelsea  
*Doctor of Laws*

### 2004

**Dr. Vivian Day Stroh**  
Alumna and Trustee, Richmond  
The American International University in London  
*Doctor of Humane Letters*

**Dr. Laura H. Harris**  
Alumna and Trustee, Richmond  
The American International University in London  
*Doctor of Humane Letters*

**Professor Brenda M. Gourley**  
Vice-Chancellor, Open University  
*Doctor of Humane Letters*

### 2005

**Dr. Russel R. Taylor**  
Trustee, Richmond  
The American International University in London  
*Doctor of Humane Letters*

**Dr. Robert W. Selander**  
President and CEO of Mastercard International  
*Doctor of International Business*

**Professor Sir Christopher Frayling**  
Rector and Vice-Provost Royal College of Art and  
Chairman Arts Council England  
*Doctor of Humane Letters*

### 2006

**Baroness Deech**  
Independent Adjudicator for Higher Education  
*Doctor of Laws*

**Dr. Amelia Chilcott Fawcett, CBE**  
Vice Chairman, Morgan Stanley International  
*Doctor of International Business*

**Dr. David Hempleman-Adams MBE OBE**  
Explorer  
Cold Climate Expeditions Ltd  
*Doctor of Science*



*Recipients of Honorary Degrees on the occasion of Commencement May 2006 (front row left to right), Baroness Deech, Dr. David Hempleman-Adams and Dr. Amelia Chilcott Fawcett. Conferred by (back row, from left to right) Lord Watson of Richmond, Dr. Deborah McLean, Sir Cyril Taylor, Chancellor and President Norman Smith*