

## Speaker/Emcee History of the Undergraduate Symposium

| YEAR | SPEAKER   | STUDENT EMCEE  |
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| 1981 |   |  |
| 1982 | James V. McConnell, Professor of Psychology, University of Michigan   |  |
| 1983 | Ronald W. Collins, Acting Vice President for Academic Affairs, Eastern Michigan University  |  |
| 1984 | Gilbert Cross, Professor of English Language and Literature, Eastern Michigan University  |  |
| 1985 | Ira M. Wheatley, Head of History and Philosophy, Eastern Michigan University  |  |
| 1986 | O. Bertrand Ramsay, Head of Chemistry Eastern Michigan University   |  |
| 1987 | Marjorie Lansing, Professor Emeritus, Political Science, Eastern Michigan University  |  |
| 1988 | Loren D. Estleman, Author and EMU Alumnus   |  |
| 1989 | Anthony W. England<br>Former NASA Astronaut   |  |
| 1990 | Nancy Ford, CAS McAndless Scholar<br>Award-winning Broadway Composer and Television Writer  |  |
| 1991 | John Capecci, Assistant Professor, Communication and Theatre Arts, Symposium Alumnus, Eastern Michigan University   |  |
| 1992 | Robert Cole, Research Psychiatrist and Professor Havard University<br>Note: Dr. Cole was unable to fulfill this engagement and Robert Holkeboer, Eastern Michigan University, stepped in. |  |
| 1993 | David Adamany, President and Professor of Law and Political Science, Wayne State University   |  |
| 1994 | Nicholas Pennell, CAS McAndless Scholar<br>Stratford Festival Theatre<br>Accomplished actor of stage, television and film   |  |
| 1995 | Blenda Wilson, President<br>California State University at Northridge   | Ted Vosk, Physics & Astronomy<br>Cynthia Stemple, Music                                |
| 1996 | Rodney Slater, Administrator for the Federal Highway Administration, 1977 EMU alumnus   | Janice Habarth, FLABS  |
| 1997 | James J. Duderstadt, President Emeritus and Professor of Science and Engineering, University of Michigan  | Ermelinda Harper, Chemistry<br>Zihua Tang, Music (Student Performer)                   |
| 1998 | Eric Newton, Managing Editor<br>Newseum   | Ty James, Communication and Theatre Arts   |
| 1999 | Andrei Codrescu, Professor of English<br>Louisiana State University   | Andrew Milstein, Political Science   |
| 2000 | William E. Shelton, President<br>Eastern Michigan University  | Evelyn Breznik, Physics & Astronomy<br>Minde Bolz, Physics & Astronomy and Mathematics |

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| 2001 | Barry Fish, Dean, College of Arts and Sciences<br>Eastern Michigan University   | Hrant Hratchian, Chemistry  |
| 2002 | Sally Frost Mason, Provost<br>Purdue University   | Oluwaseun Adetayo, Chemistry  |
| 2003 | Fiona Wood, Director and Chief Medical Officer<br>Clinical Cell Culture<br>Perth, Australia                                   | Kaitlyn Clark, Political Science<br>With assistance from Elizabeth Storey, CTA<br>and Elizabeth (Libby) Blaney, Chemistry |
| 2004 | Percy Mangoela, Lesotho former Ambassador to<br>the United Nations  | Adrienne Muncy, English Language and<br>Literature, Foreign Languages and Bilingual<br>Studies                            |
| 2005 | Toni Hoover, Vice President and Development Site<br>Head for Michigan Laboratories, Pfizer Global<br>Research and Development | Bettina Bell, College of Health and Human<br>Services, School of Health Sciences  |
| 2006 | Rich Baird<br>PricewaterhouseCoopers  | Robert (Bobby) Murkowski, Political Science,<br>EMU Student Body President  |
| 2007 | Brent Collins<br>Sculptor   | Laurie Cummins, Biology   |
| 2008 | Neeta Delaney<br>ArtServe Michigan  | Danielle Nicholls, Psychology   |
| 2009 | Arthur Benjamin<br>Professor of Mathematics, Harvey Mudd College  | James Grinias, Chemistry  |
| 2010 | David Coverly<br>Syndicated Cartoonist, <b>Speed Bump</b>   |   |