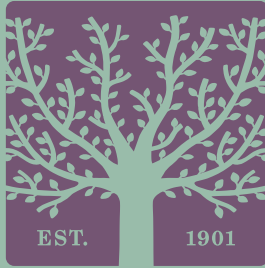


UNIVERSITY OF PORTLAND



21st

PRESIDENT



INAUGURATION CEREMONY

SEPTEMBER 23, 2022



THE INAUGURATION
OF
ROBERT D. KELLY, PH.D.
AS THE TWENTY-FIRST
PRESIDENT OF
THE UNIVERSITY OF PORTLAND

FRIDAY, THE TWENTY-THIRD
OF SEPTEMBER

TWO THOUSAND TWENTY-TWO
AT THREE FIFTEEN IN THE AFTERNOON

EARLE A. AND VIRGINIA H. CHILES CENTER
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THE HISTORY OF UNIVERSITY OF PORTLAND

Tradition has it that when Reverend Alexander Christie was appointed Archbishop of Portland in 1898, he had a vision for a university. While traveling aboard a ship along the Willamette River, Christie noticed a large brick building atop Waud's Bluff. When he learned that it was the site of the defunct Portland University founded by the Methodist Episcopal Church in 1891, Christie decided to purchase it (with financial assistance from the Congregation of Holy Cross) for the school of his vision.

He named it "Columbia University" after the mighty river, and when it opened its doors on September 5, 1901, it was staffed with priests from the archdiocese. Christie realized that his school needed more support, so he approached the Congregation of Holy Cross's Indiana Province, and the following September they assumed ownership. Christie's vision had special meaning to the C.S.C.s.

In 1841, several members of their order traveled from France to Indiana, where they founded the University of Notre Dame. Their success assured Christie that his own vision would one day be realized. In 1925, the College of Arts and Sciences

was founded. In the 1930s, the University's name was changed to the University of Portland, the St. Vincent Hospital School of Nursing joined the University as the College of Nursing, and the School of Business was created. In 1948, the School of Engineering was created, followed by the Graduate School in 1950 and the School of Education in 1962. In 1967, the Congregation of Holy Cross order transferred ownership of the University to a lay Board of Regents.

Today, UP is Oregon's largest private and the state's only Catholic university. It also is Oregon's only comprehensive university with schools of business, education, engineering, nursing and health innovations, a College of Arts and Sciences, and a graduate school. There are more than 40 undergraduate programs and 30 minors, as well as 18 graduate programs, and more than 1,300 courses. *US News & World Report* ranked UP #1 in the "Regional Universities–West" category in its 2023 rankings. The University has earned a top-10 ranking by the publication for over 25 years. The Bluff is home to approximately 4,000 undergraduate and graduate students from around the nation and across the globe.



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1901-1902

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1902-1906

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1906-1914

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1914-1919

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1919-1925

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1925-1928

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1928-1934

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1934-1936

Rev. Joseph P. Boyle, C.S.C.

1936-1940

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1940-1946

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1946-1950

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1950-1952

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1952-1955

Rev. Michael J. Gavin, C.S.C.

1955-1962

Rev. Howard J. Kenna, C.S.C.

1962-1978

Rev. Paul E. Waldschmidt, C.S.C.

1978-1981

Br. Raphael M. Wilson, C.S.C.

1981-1982

Arthur A. Shulte, Jr. (*Acting*)

1982-1989

Rev. Thomas C. Oddo, C.S.C.

1989-1990

Arthur A. Shulte, Jr. (*Acting*)

1990-2003

Rev. David T. Tyson, C.S.C.

2003-2004

Br. Donald J. Stabrowski, C.S.C. (*Acting*)

2004-2014

Rev. E. William Beauchamp, C.S.C.

2014-2021

Rev. Mark L. Poorman, C.S.C.

2021-2022

Herbert A. Medina (*Acting*)



ROBERT D. KELLY, PH.D.

Robert D. Kelly, University of Portland's 21st president, has always seen Catholic values as the "why" and the "how" of his own education. He grew up attending Catholic schools in New Jersey, and he attended Loyola University Maryland, a Jesuit institution, for his undergraduate degree. These values, and an abiding faith that higher education can be a transformational experience in the lives of students and their families, have been at the core of his professional career in higher education as a teacher, scholar, administrator, and leader.

Most recently, Kelly was vice president and special assistant to the president at his alma mater, where he oversaw mission and identity, external affairs, student development, Title IX, intercollegiate athletics, and more. He also held leadership and teaching positions at Seattle University, University of Vermont (where he also received his master's degree), Loyola University Chicago, Union College, and Colgate University. He earned his Ph.D. in education policy, planning, and administration from University of Maryland.

In a recent roundtable discussion on Oregon Public Broadcasting, Kelly was asked what he'd like to achieve at University of Portland. Kelly said, "As University of Portland, I hope we'll be able to say that we are anchored in Portland, engaged in Portland, but that we are the premier Catholic university of the West Coast, offering unparalleled experiences for students to be seen and heard in their entirety."

Kelly's wife, Dr. Bridget Turner Kelly, is a tenured professor at University of Maryland. They have two children, Alex and Addison.



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PRELUDE

University of Portland Wind Symphony
Patrick C. Murphy, D.M.A.
Conductor

Lee R. Forgey '23 & Lexie R. Rudolph '22
Conducting Associates

Beyond the Horizon—Rossano Galante

PROCESSIONAL

University of Portland Wind Symphony (except where noted)
British Eighth—Zo Elliot

Under the Flag of Glory—Junichi Naito

Castles in Europe—James Reese Europe

Exultate Justi—John Williams (University of Portland Singers)

March of the Women—Ethel Smyth

March Grandioso—Roland Seitz

The Fairest of the Fair—John Philip Sousa

English Folk Song Suite—Ralph Vaughan Williams



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AMERICA, THE BEAUTIFUL

University of Portland Singers

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Superior, Holy Cross Community at the University of Portland

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From the Congregation of Holy Cross

Rev. William M. Lies, C.S.C., Ph.D.
*Provincial Superior, Congregation of Holy Cross,
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University of Portland Singers
David M. De Lyser, D.A.
Conductor

Lauren M. Cline '23 & Cam A. Creitz '23
Conducting Associates
Prelude—Ola Gjeilo

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Bridget Turner Kelly, Ph.D.
First Lady, University of Portland

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REMARKS

Rev. Brian F. Linnane, S.J.
President Emeritus, Loyola University Maryland



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*Provincial Superior, Congregation of Holy Cross,
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President, University of Portland

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Director, Campus Ministry

ALMA MATER

University of Portland Singers

CLOSING

Herbert A. Medina, Ph.D.
Provost, University of Portland

RECESSIONAL

*Fanfare and Ceremony—Darren Jenkins
Halcyon Hearts—Katahj Copley*

RECEPTION

Academic Quad



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- Brown University, 1764
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- University of Virginia, 1819
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- Royal Academy of Music, London, 1822
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- Saint Mary's College, 1844
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- Archdiocese of Portland, 1846
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Chancellor
- University of Wisconsin-Madison, 1848
ERIC J. ANCTIL, PH.D.
Alumnus
- Pacific University, 1849
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President
- Northwestern University, 1851
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University of San Francisco, 1855
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University Chaplain

William Paterson University, 1855
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University of Maryland, 1856
DOMONIC ROLLINS, PH.D.
Alumnus
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Director of Parent and Family Affairs & Alumnus
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Lecturer & Alum

University of Maryland, College Park, 1856
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Associate Clinical Professor

San Jose State University, 1857
LAURIE A. LAIRD, M.A.
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Linfield University, 1858
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University of Washington, 1861
GLENNA CHANG, PH.D.
Associate Vice President for Student Life

KATIE A. DANIELSON, PH.D.
Alumna

LAWRENCE S. LARSEN, M.F.A.
Alumnus

Boston College, 1863
LINDA OWENS, PH.D.
Alumna

CHRISTOPHER J. GRILLO
Alumnus

University of Massachusetts Amherst, 1863
ALEXANDRA STEWART, PH.D.
Alumna

University of Maine, 1865
PENNY BISHOP, ED.D.
Dean, College of Education & Human Development

University of New Hampshire, 1866
WILLIAM F. BARNES, PH.D.
Professor

Pennsylvania Western University, Clarion, 1867
CAROLYN R. CONNOLLY, M.S.L.S.
Alumna

Lewis & Clark College, 1867
ROBIN HOLMES-SULLIVAN, PH.D.
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Alum

Morehouse College, 1867
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Professor

University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, 1867
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Purdue University, 1869
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Missouri University of Science and Tehcnology, 1870

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Stanford University, 1885

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Gonzaga University, 1887

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National Association of Student Personnel Administrators, 1919

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Texas Tech University, 1923

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Siena College, 1937

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University of South Florida St. Petersburg, 1965

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Holy Cross College, 1966

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THE COAT OF ARMS

The historic green shield of the University of Portland bears a silver cross moline and crossed anchors. Beneath the cross and anchors are three wavy bars of silver and blue and an open book with gold clasps. This is an adaptation of the arms of the Congregation of Holy Cross and the City of Portland. The motto, *Veritas vos liberabit* (“The truth will set you free”) is on an escroll under the shield. Flanking the coat of arms are oak and laurel, symbols of strength and success.



CHAIN OF OFFICE

The President's Chain of Office is the symbol of unity the University forges from its diverse communities. Six medallions represent the major constituencies of the University: the State of Oregon, the Alumni, the Students, the Faculty, the Congregation of Holy Cross, and the Board of Regents. Tying them together is the heptagon displaying the symbol of the City of Roses and Mt. Hood. Rising over Mt. Hood is the Morning Star, symbolic of Mary, Mother of the Word Incarnate, patroness of the University. The heptagon is also representative of the Trivium and the Quadrivium, the curricula of the medieval university. At the bottom of the chain is the Coat of Arms of the University of Portland. The connecting links are cast in the shape of roots and branches of the rose.



THE BROTHER GODFREY VASALLO, C.S.C. MEMORIAL MACE

The ceremonial mace is a traditional emblem at institutions of higher learning in academic processions. At the University of Portland, a mace made of polished myrtle wood with bronze trim was commissioned in honor of Brother Godfrey, who served as Grand Marshal for many years. It was used for the first time at the 75th commencement in 1977. The cross at the top symbolizes the founding of the University as a Christian institution. Metal plates bear the names of all University of Portland presidents and the name of the mace.



FACULTY MACE

The faculty mace, a symbol of faculty authority at institutions of higher education since the inception of universities a thousand years ago, is carried by the Faculty Marshal, the professor who leads the faculty in the traditional order of academic procession at the University's Commencement. The faculty mace is made of myrtle wood and rosewood and was carved in 1977. It was designed by University history professor James T. Covert '59.



ACADEMIC DRESS AND PROCESSION

The history of academic dress dates back to the Middle Ages when many of the scholars were also clerics and wore the costume of the monastic orders. In 1321, the University of Cambridge adopted specific styles and color combinations for its faculties. American colleges and universities desired to adopt a standard code of academic dress, and at a conference held at Columbia University in 1895, representatives from various institutions adopted a code and regulations governing academic dress for colleges and universities in the United States. The standards continue to be followed by the American Council on Education.

The costumes worn today are all traditional, and their colors, trimmings, and patterns interpret the degree, the field of learning, and the institution that conferred the degree. The type of degree (bachelor's, master's, doctor's) is indicated by the width of the velvet edging and the length of the hood, the doctor's hood being the longest and of fuller shape than the others. The color of the velvet edging denotes the field of learning and the colors of the lining denote the school which conferred the degree. The color of the tassel, worn on the left side of the mortarboard, also indicates the field of study and is gold for those with doctor's degrees.

The colors you will see today in the hoods and gowns of our faculty represent the various fields of learning:

WHITE	Arts, Letters and Humanities
DRAB	Business
LIGHT BLUE	Education
ORANGE	Engineering
BROWN	Fine Arts
PURPLE	Law
LEMON YELLOW	Library Science
PINK	Music
APRICOT	Nursing
DARK BLUE	Philosophy
GOLDEN YELLOW	Science
SCARLET	Theology



HYMNS

AMERICA, THE BEAUTIFUL

Katherine Lee Bates

Samuel A. Ward



O beau - ti - ful for spa - cious skies, For
 am - ber waves of grain, For pur - ple mount - tain
 maj - es - ties A - bove the fruit - ed plain! A -
 mer - i ca! A - mer - i - ca! God shed His grace on
 thee, And crown thy good with broth - er - hood From
 sea to shin - ing sea!



ALMA MATER

by Margaret A. Vance
Emeritus Professor of Music



Up - on the bluff, high ov - er the Wil -



la-mette, the spires of learn-ing reach up to the



sky. The Un - i - ver - si - ty of



Port - land, stan - dards held high, her sons and



daugh-ters will re - mem-ber

