

THE UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO

FOUNDED BY JOHN D. ROCKEFELLER

*The
Three Hundred Seventy-fifth*

CONVOCATION

*The
AUTUMN*

December Eighteenth

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ROCKEFELLER MEMORIAL CHAPEL

ORDER OF EXERCISES

For the Conferring of Degrees

Three o'clock

HANNA H. GRAY, President of the University, *Presiding*

THE CONVOCATION PROCESSION

PROCESSIONAL—Primi Toni

Giovanni Gabrielli

(The Congregation standing until after the prayer)

The Marshal and the Student Marshals
The Candidates for Degrees
The Faculties of the University
The Trustees and Officers of the University
The Candidates for Honorary Degrees
The Dean of Rockefeller Memorial Chapel
The Convocation Speaker
The Provost of the University
The President of the University

THE PRAYER

THE REVEREND BERNARD O. BROWN

Dean of Rockefeller Memorial Chapel

THE CONVOCATION ADDRESS

“POLICY, RESEARCH, AND POLITICAL THEORY”

JAMES S. COLEMAN

*University Professor, Department of Sociology, and Member,
Committee on Public Policy Studies*

The Graduate Library School by Dean Don R. Swanson

The School of Social Service Administration by Dean Margaret K. Rosenheim

FANFARE

Sir Arthur Bliss

Chicago Brass Ensemble and Edward Mondello, Organist

THE CONFERRING OF THE HONORARY DEGREES

For the Degree of Doctor of Humane Letters:

PHILIP E. CONVERSE, *Robert Cooley Angell Distinguished College Professor of Sociology and Political Science, University of Michigan*

Seminal political scientist and sociologist, path-breaking theorist, your work on voting decisions and electoral systems has transformed the empirical study of political behavior.

The candidate will be presented by J. David Greenstone, Professor, Department of Political Science and the College.

LEE J. CRONBACH, *Vida Jacks Professor of Education, Stanford University*

Scholar and leader in the improvement of testing procedures, you have inspired a generation of educational scholars to search for ways in which the schools can enable students to learn more effectively.

The candidate will be presented by Benjamin S. Bloom, Charles H. Swift Distinguished Service Professor, Department of Education.

OTIS DUDLEY DUNCAN, *Professor of Sociology, University of Arizona*

Outstanding sociologist and inspiring teacher, your innovative research on the measurement and analysis of social processes has fundamentally changed the way such processes are now understood and studied.

The candidate will be presented by Leo A. Goodman, Charles L. Hutchinson Distinguished Service Professor, Departments of Sociology and Statistics.

CLIFFORD GEERTZ, *Professor of Social Science, Institute for Advanced Study*

Anthropologist and interpreter of cultures, your sensitive field research and creative understanding of symbolic orders have defined new frontiers for the study of man.

The candidate will be presented by Ralph W. Nicholas, Professor, Department of Anthropology and the College.

ERVING GOFFMAN, *Benjamin Franklin Professor of Anthropology and Sociology, University of Pennsylvania*

Acute analyst of interpersonal transactions, your work has transformed the entire field of microsociology.

The candidate will be presented by Donald N. Levine, Professor, Department of Sociology and the College.