


Candidates for Honorary Degree:

- ▶ John Due
- ▶ Marilyn Minter

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John Due – HD of Humane Letters

- ▶ Civil Rights and Human Rights activist whose work has spanned 6 decades.
 - ▶ He has provided legal services, many times pro bono, to combat segregation, unfair voting policies, captivity of refugees, and other violations of individual rights
 - ▶ His connection with UF includes participating in the CLAS Samuel Proctor Oral History Program and serving as a guest speaker in classes in the Levin College of Law.
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Marilyn Minter– HD of Fine Arts

- ▶ Painter, videographer, photographer whose work has been shown nationally and internationally, including such prestigious venues such as the Guggenheim Museum in NY and the Deichtorhallen in Germany.
- ▶ Considered a feminist trailblazer in the field of visual arts.
- ▶ Social activist for women's rights.
- ▶ Her connection to UF, beyond graduating with her bachelor's in 1970 from the College of Fine Arts, is that she opens her studio as part of their School of Art & Art History student trip and spoke with them about her experiences as an artist.

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