

UNIVERSITY AWARDS by SEX, 1989 - 1999

Each year the university bestows one of its highest awards, the honorary doctoral degree, to individuals who have some connection to the university and have achieved great status. In the decade following the Status of Women report, 1989-1999, UK named 34 recipients of the honorary doctorate. Only five of these recipients were women, bringing the grand total of awardees since 1886 to 23 females and 320 males.

Despite the shift to a predominantly female undergraduate and graduate student body, little change has occurred in the dominance of male awardees chosen from the UK faculty and staff each year for recognition. A variety of established awards acknowledge outstanding accomplishments. The following list reflects just a few of the better known.

Great Teacher Award (1989-1999)	23 females	38 males
Research Professorships (1989-1999) (No women since 1995)	6 females	31 males
Sturgill Award (1989-1999)	2 females	8 males
Nestor Award (1989-1999)	3 females	8 males