



HALL *of* FAME

36TH INDUCTION CEREMONY

Oct. 23, 2015

DoubleTree by Hilton Hotel – Greenway Plaza
Houston, Texas

HONORARY "R"

The recipient of this award need not have been a student-athlete at Rice or have attended the university. The recipient is selected for his or her long-standing support of Rice Athletics by his or her attendance, enthusiasm and involvement.

DISTINGUISHED "R"

This award is bestowed upon a Rice University alum and member of the "R" Association who has led an exemplary life; is well-adjusted with respect to his or her personal, family, civic and public responsibilities; and has achieved distinction and success in his or her chosen field of business or profession, while maintaining an interest in athletics at Rice after graduation.

RICE HALL OF FAME

In 1970, Rice Athletics founded the Rice Athletic Hall of Fame to honor those who possess or have possessed, in addition to outstanding ability in sports, other admirable qualifications such as sportsmanship, character and integrity, and who have brought great distinction to Rice University.



PROGRAM

COCKTAILS

6 p.m.

WELCOME

7 p.m.

John D. Witten, Director, "R" Association

INVOCATION

Joe Hornberger '01, Rice Campus Director,
Fellowship of Christian Athletes

DINNER

7:30 p.m.

Presentation following dinner

Lisa Malosky, Master of Ceremonies

HONORARY "R" AWARD

Eva Lee

Hally Beth Poindexter '47

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Guy Jackson '69

Tommy Reckling '54

Stephen Trauber '84

RICE HALL OF FAME INDUCTEES

Richard and William Barker '04

Bubba Crosby '01

Jarett Dillard '08

Funmilayo Jimoh '06

Holly Jones-Wright '88

Brent Scott '04

Lauren Shockley '05

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Eva Lee

In conjunction with Hally Beth Poindexter, Eva Lee worked to establish women's intercollegiate athletics at Rice. She came to Rice in 1969 as a physical education instructor and embarked on a 40-year career. In 2000, she was awarded Professor Emeritus status. She continues to be active with the Women's Athletics Advisory Board. In an era with few opportunities for women to compete on the intercollegiate or even intramural level, Lee volunteered her time, organizing and coaching the first women's sports teams. For her efforts, the top Rice performer in women's track and field each season receives the Eva Jean Lee Award.



Hally Beth Poindexter '47

In conjunction with Eva Lee, Hally Beth Poindexter worked to establish women's intercollegiate athletics at Rice. The 1947 Rice graduate spent nearly 20 years as the chair of the Department of Kinesiology. During her tenure, she managed club sports — now intramurals sports — and maintained the care and use of the gym and facilities. In an era with few opportunities for women to compete on the intercollegiate or even intramural level, Poindexter volunteered her time, organizing and coaching the first women's sports teams. For her efforts, Rice's most outstanding volleyball player receives the Hally Beth Poindexter Award each season.

DISTINGUISHED "R" AWARD

Guy Jackson '69



A baseball letterman in the 1960s, Guy Jackson has played an integral role in a number of large projects on the Rice campus over the past several decades. As a member of Jackson and Ryan Architects, he has contributed to the construction of Fox Gym and Reckling Park, both in the initial phase and as part of the 2003 addition. Jackson helped with the development of the proposed master plan for Rice Stadium renovations as well as the Brian Patterson Sports Performance Center and upcoming facilities for soccer and track and field.

Tommy Reckling '54

A three-year letterman, Tommy Reckling was a third baseman for the Owls. Reckling served his country in the Marines and then followed in his father's footsteps in the cotton business with Anderson Clayton Co. He later went into the investment business, joining Harris Upham and Co. Schneider, Burnet and Hickman later appointed Reckling founding manager of their Houston office. During this time, he was co-owner of R&R Coors Distributing Company of Brownsville, Texas. He remained active in various charitable activities as well as youth baseball and basketball. In 1999, his support of Rice led to the construction of Reckling Park, heralding the dawn of a golden age of Rice baseball and the creation of one of the nation's finest collegiate baseball facilities. Reckling and his wife, Isla, have eight children, 28 grandchildren and two great-grandchildren. The Recklings' grandson, Matthew, played for the Owls from 2009 to 2012, where was a second-team All-American honoree and the 2012 C-USA Pitcher of the Year for the Owls.



Stephen Trauber '84



Since his time as a men's basketball letterman in the 1980s, Stephen Trauber has been an ardent supporter of Rice Athletics and a fixture in the Houston community. In addition to his contributions to Rice — which includes support for the Tudor Fieldhouse renovations — he has worked to raise millions of dollars for non-profit organizations and serves in a variety of roles with various organizations. Across campus, Trauber is an overseer of the Jones Graduate School of Business and has served as a Brown College associate. Trauber also sponsors and coaches Houston's top-ranked AAU basketball team, which has won multiple national championships under his leadership.

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Richard Barker '04

Twin brothers who became the most honored doubles team in school history, Richard and William Barker were two-time All-Americans and ITA National Doubles Team of the Year in both 2003 and 2004. The duo was unbeaten in regular season dual doubles matches for their career and posted a 35-match winning streak on the way to the 2002 ITA National Indoor doubles title.

The Solihull, England, natives vaulted into national prominence in 2003 after posting a 38-2 record and winning the 2002 ITA National Indoor Doubles title. The Barkers went on to finish the year ranked first in the final ITA rankings. They carried that ranking into fall 2003, reaching the ITA All-American Doubles Championship finals.

As seniors, the pair led Rice to No. 5 in the team rankings



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William Barker '04

during the year. Although the team finished 11th overall, they advanced to the Sweet 16, where they lost to Baylor, who were the eventual national champions. As a doubles team, they finished second in the final national doubles rankings as seniors and also won the championship flight of the 115th West Coast Doubles Championship. Along the way, they led the Owls to their first Western Athletic Conference title, and Richard was named the WAC Player of the Year. As a senior, William earned All-American honors in singles in addition to repeating the honor with his brother in doubles. He also was honored with the ITA Rafael Osuna Sportsmanship Award. The duo also excelled in the classroom, twice earning CoSIDA Academic All-American honors. The two shared the 2004 Bob Quin Award as Rice's top senior male student-athletes.



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Bubba Crosby '01

After he helped Rice reach the College World Series for the first time in school history in 1997, Bubba Crosby was selected as an All-American in 1998. He closed out his career ranked third in batting average (.355) after hitting .394 as a junior in 1998, which ranked sixth on the program's single season list at the time. His 30-game hitting streak that season still stands as the longest in Rice history.

Crosby was the first Rice player to record six hits in a single game and became the fourth Owl to score 200 career runs. He ranks second only to teammate Lance Berkman '98 in career RBI (243) as well as home runs (59), total bases (499) and slugging percentage (.737).

He was selected in the first round of the 1998 MLB Draft (23rd overall) by the Los Angeles Dodgers. Crosby went on to play major league baseball for the Dodgers in 2003 and the New York Yankees in 2004–06.



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Jarett Dillard '08

The NCAA career record holder for most touchdown receptions (60), most career games with a touchdown catch (38) and most consecutive games with multiple receptions (49), Jarett Dillard enters the Rice Hall of Fame as one of the most decorated players in Rice football history. The two-time All-American selection was also a Biletnikof Award finalist as a sophomore after setting an NCAA record with touchdown receptions in 13-straight games as he led the Owls to their first bowl berth in 45 years.

Dillard was the first Owl to be named first-team All-Conference USA three times and led the NCAA with 20 touchdown receptions as a senior, which made him the first player in history with two 20-touchdown seasons, as he caught 21 scoring passes in 2006. He was the 10th receiver in NCAA history to pass 4,000 yards receiving and 13th player with four 1,000-yard seasons.

By the time he was selected by the Jacksonville Jaguars in the fifth round of the 2009 NFL Draft, Dillard had caught at least two passes in each game of his career (49 games), the longest streak in NCAA history for players with multiple catches in every game of his streak. His 51 touchdown receptions from quarterback Chase Clement '09 set the NCAA record for most touchdowns by a passing duo as well. He played three seasons in the NFL before retiring and will graduate from law school this fall.



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Funmilayo Jimoh '06

One of the world's elite long jumpers, Funmilayo Jimoh became a Rice All-American her senior season when she placed fifth in the long jump at the NCAA Outdoor Championship (6.43m/21-1.25). That accomplishment came on the heels of winning the NCAA Midwest Regional (6.35m/20-10w) and finishing ninth at the USA Outdoor Championship (6.38m/20-11.25).

A phenomenal athlete, Jimoh competed for Rice in the 100-meter hurdles, high jump, long jump, heptathlon, pentathlon and 4x100-meter relay team. She twice broke the Rice record in heptathlon (5,335 points) and she snapped the school record in 100-meter hurdles with a time of 13.42 at the NCAA Outdoor Championship in the prelim, erasing the previous mark set by her hurdles coach, Andrea Blackett, in 1997.

At the 2004 WAC Outdoor Championship, she totaled 24.5 points to lead the Owls to the team title. In 2003, Jimoh was named Western Athletic Conference Freshman of the Year. At the national level, Jimoh became the first Rice women's track and field athlete to make the U.S. Olympic team when she jumped 6.72 meters (22-0.75) in front of a crowd of over 20,000 fans. At the 2008 Beijing Olympic Games, Jimoh advanced to the long jump finals and placed 12th in the world with a best mark of 6.29 meters (20-7.75). On March 29, 2008, prior to the Olympics, she jumped what was then the No. 1 mark in the world with a leap of 6.91 meters (22-8) at the Victor Lopez Bayou Classic on the Rice campus.



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Holly Jones-Wright '88

One of the top scorers in Rice women's basketball history, Jones-Wright currently ranks third in school history with 1,791 career points. She led the Owls in scoring in each of her four seasons from 1983–87, as well as rebounding in 1985–86 (9.6 rebounds per game) and 1986–87 (8.5 rebounds per game).

Jones-Wright received the Hackerman Award for Team MVP in both 1986 and 1987 and was selected to the 1987 All-Southwest Conference First Team. Her 638 career-made field goals ranks second all-time in school history.

Jones-Wright set and still holds a Rice record with 18 made free throws in a single game in 1985 and also still holds the record for most made free throws in a single season with 178. She is second all-time in Rice history with 515 made free throws.



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Brent Scott '04

Brent Scott finished his career in 1993 as Rice's all-time leading scorer and rebounder with 1,906 points and 1,049 boards. The three-time, second-team All-Southwest Conference honoree (1991, 1992 and 1993) led the team in scoring his sophomore (16.9 points per game) and junior (15.8 points per game) seasons before posting a career-high 17.3-point average as a senior in 1993. He led the team in rebounding all four years, in blocks twice and steals once.

The Lansing, Mich., native holds the program records for most free throws made and attempted in his career, as well as the most 20-point, 10-rebound games (22). He holds a place in seven other categories in Rice's career record book and owns freshman season records for points, field goals made and free throws attempted. Scott's teams won 38 games in his final two seasons, including a 19-9 mark in Southwest Conference play. He twice played in the National Invitation Tournament, including a win at Wisconsin in the 1993 event's opening round.

Following his playing career at Rice, he spent 14 years playing professionally, spanning five different countries. He was the USBL's leading scorer in 1996 with 29.8 points per game before moving to the NBA in 1997 with the Indiana Pacers. Scott also played in Greece, Italy, Poland and Spain, where he captured the Spanish National Championship in 2000. In all, Scott played 13 years with first division-level European teams. He played in the 1994 Greek, 1997 Spanish, and the 1998 and 2001 Italian All-Star Games. He was a first-team USBL member in 1997.



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Lauren Shockley '05

The first player from the soccer program to be inducted into the Rice Hall of Fame, Lauren Shockley played goalkeeper for the Owls as a foundational player in the team's inaugural season in 2001 through 2004. She was named the Western Athletic Conference Player of the Year as a senior in 2004 and also earned all-region and all-conference honors that season while leading the conference in goals-against average.

Shockley was a two-time team MVP and all-WAC honoree. She was also named to three WAC All-Academic Teams in consecutive years. She set program single-season records in 2004 for goalkeeper minutes played (1,988:44), wins (14), shutouts (13) and goals against (0.54).

For her career, Shockley holds the all-time mark for goals-against average (0.76) and her 19 shutouts stood as the top mark until this past season. She ranks third with 25 wins and fourth with 176 career saves.



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1970

Tony Bell '19, football, basketball, baseball, track and field
Eddie Dyer '22, football, baseball
Wash "Little Heavy" Underwood '27, football, baseball
Emmett Brunson '29, track and field, coach, administration
Claude Bracey '30, track and field
Jake Hess '32, tennis
Bill Wallace '36, football
John McCauley '36, football
Fred Wolcott '40, track and field
James "Froggie" Williams '50, football
Dicky Maegle '55, football
Fred Hansen '63, track and field

1971

Marion "Preacher" Lindsey '22, football, track and field
John "Big Heavy" Underwood '22, football
Lou Hassell '33, football
Wilbur Hess '35, tennis
David Weichert '37, track and field
Frank Gurnsey Jr. '41, tennis
Fred "Moose" Hartman '41, football
Bill Tom Closs '43, basketball
Bill Howton '52, football
Gene Schwinger '54, basketball
Buddy Dial '59, football
Bobby May '65, track and field

1972

Tiny Kalb '16, football, basketball
Leslie Coleman '23, tennis, track and field, basketball, baseball
Harry Witt '36, football, basketball
Jack Patterson '39, track and field
Frank Carswell '41, basketball, baseball
David "Kosse" Johnson '54, football
Richard Chapman '54, football
Jess Neely, Vanderbilt '22, football coach, administrator

1973

Mick Brown '17, football
Lawrence Kingsland '19, track and field
Griff Vance '20, football
Joe Davis, Southwestern, Tenn., '22, football coach, basketball coach
Peg Melton '24, baseball
Fred Stancliff '26, track and field
Bobby Curtis '48, tennis
George Walmsley '48, football
Buddy Weaver '52, golf
Frank Ryan '58, football
Robert Johnston '62, football
Eddie Wojewicki, trainer

1974

Chester Klaerner '33 football, baseball, track and field
Tally Eaton '36, basketball, baseball
Bill Cummins '48, track, basketball
Huey Keeney '49, football
Gerald Weatherly '50, football
King Hill '58, football, basketball, golf

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1975

Philip Arbuckle, Illinois '05, coach, administrator
Tommie Tomforde '17, basketball, football
Smokey Brothers '36, track and field
Hamilton Nichols '47, football
J.W. Magee '48, football
Don Lance '58, basketball

1976

Gaylord Johnson '21, administrator
Tom Cox '50, track and field
John Hudson '54, football
Kendall Rhine '64, basketball
Malcolm Walker '65, football

1978

Cecil Grigg, Austin College '17, football coach, baseball coach, track coach
Jess Petty '37, track and field
Art Goforth '42, football
Carl Russ '47, football
Don Rhoden '53, football
Chuck Latourette '67, football

1980

Percy Arthur '35, football
Kenny Paul '54, football
Tom Robataille '59, basketball
Ed Red '65, track and field
Dr. Edward T. Smith, Baylor College of Medicine '29, team physician

1981

Joe Greenwood '30, golf
Leche Sylvester '36, football
Ronnie Fisher '61, tennis
Dave Roberts '74, track and field

1982

Ed DePrato '22, football, track
Mike Hale '33, track, football, basketball
Hank Coffman '48, track and field
John Garrett '57, golf
Rufus King '61, football

1983

Tim Timmons '21, basketball
Grandpa Wood '27, football, baseball
Jesse Willis '30, track and field
Jerry Sims '58, baseball
Johnny Burrell '62, football
Gary Reist '71, basketball, golf

1984

Quinn Connelley '34, tennis, football, tennis coach
Richard Kristinik '61, baseball
Warren Brattlof '65, track and field
Roger Roitsch '71, football
Tommy Kramer '77, football

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1985

Kathryn Pearson Keating '36, tennis
Augie Erfurth '49, track, coach, administrator
Jim Fox '62, baseball, basketball
Roland Jackson '63, football
Sammy Giammalva, Texas '56, tennis coach

1986

Bruce Henley '74 football
Jim Gerhardt '51, basketball, track and field
Jeff Wells '76, track and field
Dr. Jack Brannon, Texas '36, associate team physician

1987

A.M. "Red" Bale '36, football, coach, administrator
Calvin Bell '39, track and field
Don Suman '45, basketball, coach
James Sykes '77, football

1988

Ricky Pierce '82, basketball
Johnny Nichols '64, football
Gary Butler '72, football
1969 Mile Relay Team (Bill Askey '70, Conley Brown '69, Dale Bernauer '70, Steve Straub '72)

1989

Matt Gorges '59, football
Allan Ramirez '79, baseball
Harold Solomon '74, tennis
Ken Stadel '74, track and field

1990

Bucky Allshouse '71, football
Norm Charlton '86, baseball
Lou Hertenberger, St. Edward's '29, football coach
Catherine Baker Nicholson '81, track and field
Bill Whitmore, Texas '42, administrator

1991

Barton Goodwin '78, golf
Charles Malmberg '47, football
Sam Match '49, tennis
Mike Novelli '79, track and field

1992

Mike Estep '71, tennis
Regina Cavanaugh-Murphy '87, track and field
Zan Guerry '71, tennis
Darryl "Doc" King '79, track and field
Ralph Murphy '49, football

1993

Marty Froelick '81, track and field
Steve Kidd '87, football
Butch Seewagen '68, tennis
Wendy Wood-Yang '86, tennis

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1994

Olie Cordill '40, football
Joe Durrenberger '56, basketball
Ed Letscher '39, golf
Paul Sanders '39, track and field
Kay Snell Gerken '83, swimming

1995

Butler Perryman '39, swimming and diving
John Pickens '68, tennis
Pam Klassen Lawrence '88, track and field
Courtney Hall '90, football

1996

Bill Christopher '43, track and field
Rosey Edeh '90 track and field
Leo Rucka '54, football
Larry Whitmire '58, football

1997

Bill Burkhalter '52 football
Dick Dwelle '43, football
Tanya McIntosh '89, track and field
Jim Parker '65, tennis

1998

Robyn Bryant '89, track
Trevor Cobb '93, football
Gawain Guy '87, track and field
Ken Whitlow '41, football

1999

Jay Knoblauch '88, baseball
Charlie Moore '37, football, coach, administrator
Temple Tucker '58, basketball
1982 AIAW Women's Tennis Doubles Champions (Trace Blumentritt '83, Susan Rudd '84)

2001

Kareem Streete-Thompson '96, track and field
Valerie Tulloch '96, track and field

2003

Jose Cruz Jr. '96, baseball
O.J. Brigance '91, football
Gabriel Luke '92, track and field
Claudia Haywood Minor '93, track and field
Martha Hawthorne, LSU '60, administrator

2005

Lance Berkman '98, baseball
Andrea Blackett '97, track and field
Marla Brumfield '00, basketball
Wayne Graham, Texas '70, baseball coach

2007

Victor Lopez, women's track and field coach
Mark Quin, baseball
J.D. Smith '59, football
Samantha Waldron '97, volleyball
1997 NCAA Indoor 4x100m relay team (Andrea Blackett '97, TaNisha Mills '98, Margaret Fox-Melton '00, Melissa Straker-Taylor '97)

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2009

Allison Beckford '04, track and field
Don Knodel, Miami University '53, men's basketball coach
Damon Thames '00, baseball

2011

Rodrigo Barnes '73, football
Kenny Baugh '01, baseball
Bryan Bronson '95, track and field
Candace Lessmeister '95, track and field
Mandy Mularz '04, swimming
Greg Williams '70, basketball

2013

Jack A. Turpin '51, tennis
Alice Falaiye '03, track and field
Ryan Harlan '04, track and field
Cristy McKinney, women's basketball coach
Stahlé A. Vincent '72, football
2003 National Championship Baseball Team

DISTINGUISHED "R" RECIPIENTS

1969 Herbert Allen '29
1970 H.L. "Tony Bell" '19
1971 H. Malcolm Lovett '21
Fred J. Stancliff '26
Lou Hassell '33
1972 Emmett Brunson '29
John B. Coffee '34
Weldon G. Humble '47
George R. Miner '50
Ralph W. Noble, II '48
Howard D. Fulwiler '17
1973 A.M. "Red" Bale '36
1974 Robert F. "Bob" Loughridge '28
1975 Dr. James Greenwood, Jr. '27
1976 Harry H. Fouke '35
1978 W.C. "Speedy" Moore '40
1980 W.C. "Billy Ed" Daniels '53
W.L. "Dutch" McKinnon '29
Lyle L. Payne '30
1981 Gilbert Leach '30
W.C. Treadway '54
1982 James V. Carroll '30
J.D. Bucky Allshouse '71
Joe McDermott '51
1984 Vincent Buckley '47
1985 Alan J. Chapman '45
Wendel Ley '32
1986 James K. Nance '38
1987 Lew W. Harpold '56
1988 Dr. G. Walter McReynolds '65
1989 Larry Hamilton '29
1990 Joyce Pounds Hardy McDonald '65
1991 Dr. Richard Chapman '54
1992 George Pierce '42
1993 Frank Ryan '58
1994 John L. Cox '45
1995 Billy Hale '65
1996 Joe Finger '39
1997 Ken Simmons '63
1998 Ben Hollingsworth '64
1999 Thomas Clanton '72
2001 Dan A. Drake '54
Matt Gorges '58
2003 Paul F. "Chip" Ferguson '79

2005 Bill Tom Closs '43
2007 Bobby Tudor '82
2009 Gene Walker '65
Dr. Leland Winston '69
2011 Ralph O'Connor
2013 O.J. Brigance '92
T. Jay Collins '68
David Gibbs '71

HONORARY "R" RECIPIENTS

1974 Dr. Jack Brannon
Dr. Edward T. Smith
1975 Mr. Morris Frank
1978 The Honorable Phil Peden
1980 Ms. Joyce Pounds Hardy
McDonald
1982 Mr. Bill Whitmore
Ms. Kathryn Pearson Keating
Mr. Allen Eggert
1985 Dr. James A. Castañeda
1986 Mr. Theodore N. Law
1987 Mr. J. Fred Duckett
1991 Mr. Milton McGinty
1992 Mr. Jim Greenwood
1993 Mr. J. Evans Attwell
1994 Mr. Charles Straub
1996 Mr. Ralph O'Connor
1998 Mr. Hugh Welsh
1999 Mr. Carl Isgren
2001 Dr. Malcolm Gillis
2003 Mrs. Elizabeth Gillis
Mrs. Karen Ostrum George
2005 Mr. Bob Schlanger
2007 Mr. Ron Sass
2009 Mrs. Margie Sass
2011 Mrs. Audrey Moody Ley
2013 Mel and Susanne Morris
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