

## SIMON FRASER UNIVERSITY

Honorary Degree Citations
The degree of Doctor of Laws, *honoris causa,*conferred on Dr. Doreen Kimura
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It is with sincere delight, Madam Chancellor, that I introduce Professor Doreen Kimura, a woman of science whose theoretical and practical contributions in neuropsychology deserve our acclaim. There are those who regard the essence of life simply as energy organized above a certain threshold of complexity. Set this thought against the fact that each human brain is home to 100 billion neurons, organized with a symphonic