



Fellowship of Catholic Scholars

30th Annual Convention Schedule

Renaissance Washington, DC Hotel
999 9th Street, NW

“The Idea of the Catholic University For the 21st Century”

*All main sessions will be held in the Auditorium.
A convention bookstore and exhibit tables will be available.*

Friday, September 28th, 2007

Participants Breakfast is “On your Own”

- 8:30 AM** **Board Members Breakfast**
9:00 AM **Board Meeting Begins**
- 10:00 AM **Convention Registration begins**
Participants Lunch is “On your Own”
- 1:00 PM Suggested time to leave the hotel to walk to St. Patrick’s Church for the Mass to open the Convention 619 Tenth Street NW (Approx 3 blocks from hotel)
- 1:30 PM Convention Mass at St. Patrick’s Catholic Church
- 3:00 PM Refreshments
- 3:30 PM **Welcome from the President of the Fellowship of Catholic Scholars**
Dean Bernard Dobranski (Ave Maria School of Law)
- Introduction to the 30th Annual Convention**
Father Joseph Koterski, S.J. (Chair- Program Committee)
- 3:45 PM **Session I: Cardinal Newman and the Idea of the University**
 Papers by Prof. John Crosby (Franciscan University of Steubenville)
 and Karl Schmude (Australia)
- 5:30 PM Session I concludes
- 6:00 PM Cash Bar & Social Time
- 6:30 PM **Dinner Reception —Sponsored by Franciscan University of Steubenville**
- 7:30 PM **Session II: “The State of the Question: various models now in use for Catholic universities”**
 Rev. John Piderit, S.J. and Dr. Melanie Morey-- based on their recent book,
 Catholic Higher Education: A Culture in Crisis
 (New York: Oxford Univ. Press, 2006).
 Response by Rev. David O’Connell, President of Catholic University of America
- 9:00 PM **Compline** — Father Samuel Weber, OSB, presiding

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Saturday, September 29th, 2007

- Breakfast on your own
7:30 AM Walk/transport to St. Patrick's Catholic Church 619 Tenth Street NW
(Approx 3 blocks from hotel)
- 8:00 AM **Mass** (at St. Patrick's Church) —
Principal Celebrant & homilist
His Excellency the Most Reverend Donald W. Wuerl, S.T.D.
Archbishop of Washington, DC
- 9:00 AM Walk/Transport to hotel
9:15 AM Continental Breakfast
- 10:00 AM **Session III: Plenary Address Archbishop Donald W. Wuerl, S.T.D.**
"The Idea of the Catholic University for the Twenty-First Century"
- 11:00 AM **Session IV: Panel Discussion on Catholic Studies Programs at**
Catholic Universities
Chair: Robert Gotcher
Panelists:
Sr. Paula Jean Miller (University of St. Thomas, Houston TX)
Prof. John Cavadini (University of Notre Dame)
- 12:00 PM **Lunch—Sponsored by Ave Maria School of Law**
- 1:30 PM **Session V: The Engagement of Catholic Universities with Secular Culture**
Prof. Christopher Wolfe (Marquette University)
Prof. Michael Aeschliman (BU, Education)
- 3:30 PM Break
- 4:30 PM Membership Meeting**
- 6:30 PM **Cardinal Wright Banquet**
The Cardinal Wright Award will be presented to
Father Thomas G. Weinandy, O.F.M., Cap,

The Cardinal O'Boyle Award will be presented to
Peggy Hartshorn, Ph.D.

Dessert Social to follow Banquet and Awards

Sunday, September 30th, 2007

- Breakfast on your own
7:30 AM Walk/Transport to Church
- 8:00 AM **Mass** —at St. Patrick's Church (Other Mass times at 10:00AM and Noon)
- 9:30 AM **Session VI: Catholic Education at Non-Catholic Institutions**
Msgr. Stuart Swetland (Mt. St. Mary's Seminary, Emmittsburg MD)
Prof. Robert L. Wilken (University of Virginia)
- 11:30 AM **Closing Prayer---Convention Officially Ends**