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Biography

Dr. Christopher Kaczor (rhymes with razor) graduated from the Honors Program of Boston College and earned a Ph.D. four years later from the University of Notre Dame. A Fulbright Scholar, Dr. Kaczor is a former Federal Chancellor Fellow at the University of Cologne and William E. Simon Visiting Fellow in the James Madison Program at Princeton University. His twelve books include *The Gospel of Happiness*, *The Seven Big Myths about Marriage*, *A Defense of Dignity*, *The Seven Big Myths about the Catholic Church*, *The Ethics of Abortion*, *O Rare Ralph McInerney: Stories and Reflections on a Legendary Notre Dame Professor*, *Thomas Aquinas on the Cardinal Virtues*; *Life Issues-Medical Choices*; *Thomas Aquinas on Faith, Hope, and Love*; *The Edge of Life*, and *Proportionalism and the Natural Law Tradition*. Dr. Kaczor's views have been in *The New York Times*, *The Washington Post*, *The Wall Street Journal*, *The Los Angeles Times*, *Huffington Post*, *National Review*, *NPR*, *BBC*, *EWTN*, *ABC*, *NBC*, *FOX*, *CBS*, *MSNBC*, *TEDx*, and *The Today Show*.

Areas of Expertise

Bioethics, Ethics, Positive Psychology & Spirituality, Catholic Church

Affiliations

James Madison Society, Princeton University

Education

University of Notre Dame

Ph.D. 1996

University of Notre Dame

M.M.S. 1994

Boston College

A.B. 1992

Accomplishments

William E. Simon Visiting Fellow in Religion and Public Life

James Madison Program in American Ideals and Institutions, Princeton University, 2014-2015

2nd Place, Best Book on Faith and Science

A Defense of Dignity: Creating Life, Destroying Life, and Protecting the Rights of Conscience, Catholic Press Association 2014

Research Fellowship

Biola University, Center for Christian Thought, Fall 2013

Fulbright Scholar

University of Cologne, Germany, 2002-2003

Federal Chancellor Fellowship

Alexander von Humbolt Foundation, Germany, 1996-1997

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