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Barbara Forrest

Barbara Forrest explained "Why Texans Shouldn't Let Creationists Mess with Science Education" on November 11, 2008, at Southern Methodist University in Dallas. Now [video](#) [4] and [audio](#) [5] of her talk is available on-line. The talk was sponsored by the [Texas Freedom Network Education Fund](#) [6], and the Annette Caldwell Simmons School of Education and Human Development, the Center for Teaching Excellence, the Department of Anthropology, the Department of Biological Sciences, and the Department of Philosophy in the Dedman College of Humanities and Sciences at Southern Methodist University.

Forrest is a professor of philosophy at Southeastern Louisiana University; she is also a member of NCSE's board of directors. She coauthored (with Paul R. Gross) [Creationism's Trojan Horse](#) [7] (rev. ed., Oxford U.P. 2007). She also testified for the plaintiffs in [Kitzmiller v. Dover](#) [8], and Judge Jones wrote in his [ruling](#) [9] (PDF), "Barbara Forrest ... has thoroughly and exhaustively chronicled the history of ID in her book and other writings for her testimony in this case. Her testimony, and the exhibits ... admitted with it, provide a wealth of statements by ID leaders that reveal ID's religious, philosophical, and cultural content."

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