



# DR. TEMPLE GRANDIN

PROFESSOR, ADVOCATE, HERO

Temple Grandin is one of the best known autistic people in the world. She is a prominent speaker and author - both on autism and animal behaviour, two subjects in which she is an expert. Temple Grandin paved the way for greater understanding and acceptance of autism by offering insight, information advocacy.



Born in Boston, Massachusetts, Dr. Grandin is now a professor of animal science at Colorado State University. She advocates for the humane treatment of livestock, as well as being a famous speaker on autism



Dr. Grandin has received a number of accolades, including being one of Time Magazine's 100 most influential people in 2010 and being inducted into the National Women's Hall of Fame in 2017



While Dr. Grandin is an eminent professor, she's also well known in popular culture, from featuring in numerous books and documentaries to being the subject of a semi-biographical film, titled 'Temple Grandin'



Temple has published 18 books about autism and animal handling - a prolific writer who has made an invaluable addition to understanding autism



Despite not speaking until three and a half years old, Dr. Grandin's TED talk has been viewed by more than one million people



"I am different, not less."

**"If I could snap my fingers and be nonautistic, I would not. Autism is part of what I am."**

**— Temple Grandin**

