

World's Greatest
1000



Creation Scientists
2000

HUGH OF ST. VICTOR

1096 - 1141

Theologian of Science

- Nature expresses God: science an ally
- Scientific work is a Christian virtue
- Extolled the grace of Christ



ROGER BACON

1214 - 1294

Mathematics • Philosophy of Science

- Wrote encyclopedia of science
- Experiment over authority
- Early church reformer

WILLIAM OF OCKHAM

1288 - 1348

Mathematics • Logic

- Delineated rules of logic
- “Ockam’s Razor”: keep it simple
- Excommunicated for criticizing Papal abuses of power



NICOLAS OF ORESME

*Physics • Math
Philosophy of Science*

1320 - 1382

- Anticipated thermodynamics, mechanics
- Opposed astrology, pseudoscience