

A photograph of Dilma Rousseff, the 35th President of Brazil, raising her arms in a celebratory gesture. She is wearing a white lace jacket and a green and yellow sash, the colors of the Brazilian flag. A Brazilian flag is also visible in the background. The text "Today in History" is overlaid on the bottom of the image.

## Today in History

*January 1, 2011*

▲ **Dilma Rousseff was sworn in as Brazil's first female President. She was re-elected in 2014 but was impeached and removed from office in 2016**

**1901:** The Commonwealth of Australia came into being

**1981:** Greece was admitted as the 10th member of the European Economic Community

**1996:** King Fahd of Saudi Arabia handed management of government affairs to his half-brother, Crown Prince Abdullah, following a stroke

**2006:** Russian gas giant Gazprom cut supplies to Ukraine after failing to reach agreement over a price increase