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## Emeritus Policy

<b>Office of Accountability:</b>	Office of the Provost and Vice-President (Academic)
<b>Office of Administrative Responsibility:</b>	Office of the Provost and Vice-President (Academic)
<b>Approver:</b>	Board of Governors (Board Human Resources and Compensation Committee)
<b>Scope:</b>	Compliance with University policy extends to all members of the University community.

### Overview

The title of Emeritus recognizes meritorious service to the University of Alberta by an **eligible individual**. Eligible individuals must meet the eligibility criteria for the award in accordance with the related procedures. This title recognizes the value the eligible individual has earned due to his/her service with the University.

### Purpose

To govern the recognition of meritorious service to the University of Alberta bestowed by the title of Emeritus.

### **POLICY**

The University of Alberta will award the title of "Emeritus" to an eligible individual in honour of his/her meritorious service with the University.

The Emeritus title represents no entitlement to authority, rights, privileges or resources, nor does it imply any employment or research relationship between the University of Alberta and the Emeritus titleholder; however, eligible individuals normally continue to serve the University community but in no way are required to do so.

Notwithstanding any other element of this Policy or associated procedures, the Board of Governors retains the authority to refuse or withdraw the Emeritus title.

### **DEFINITIONS**

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<b>Eligible Individual</b>	An individual who is ending his/her term or who is retired from one of the following positions that enjoy the emeritus designation at the University of Alberta: faculty member, clinical academic staff member, librarian, president, chancellor, and board chair, in accordance with the requirements set out in the associated procedures.
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