

AH Committee on University Emeritus Faculty Relations

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Recommendation to President Zacharias concerning Emeriti

The Faculty Handbook, 9th ed., contains the following statement:

Emeriti of the University--Western is built upon the philosophy, personalities and spirit of the past. Faculty and staff members are encouraged to become acquainted with the large number of emeriti who reside in the community. The University values the continued support and assistance of those who have retired from active teaching and administrative roles.

The Committee on University Emeritus Faculty Relations moves the adoption of the following recommendation.

The Faculty Senate recommends to the President that the following statement concerning emeriti be placed in the Faculty Handbook to replace the present statement:

Emeritus Professor. The University values the continued support and assistance of those who have retired from teaching, research, and administration. Upon retirement under the existing University retirement system, a tenured faculty member or administrator will retain his/her title with the designation of "emeritus." Personnel with emeritus status are entitled to the following rights and privileges: to be included in faculty lists in University bulletins; to receive a University identification card; to have faculty library privileges; to be eligible to apply for research grants; to be allocated office space upon request when it is available; to purchase a parking permit for one vehicle upon request; to use University recreation facilities upon presentation of identification; to have the dental and medical services available to other faculty members; to purchase tickets to academic and athletic events at the prevailing faculty rate; to enroll in University classes and make purchases at the University Bookstore at the prevailing faculty rate; to hold membership in the University Credit Union; to attend, without voting privileges,

meetings of the Faculty Senate and Academic Council; to participate in academic processions; to be appointed to represent the University at academic ceremonies at other institutions; to receive notices of all University events; and to take part generally with the faculty in all ceremonial functions of the University.

The Committee on University Extension hereby recommends the adoption of the following recommendations:

The Faculty Senate recommends to the President that the following statement concerning faculty status be placed in the Faculty Handbook to replace the present statement:

Faculty Status. The University retains the continued support and assistance of those who have retired from teaching, research, and administration. Upon retirement under the existing University retirement system, a tenured faculty member or administrator will retain his or her title with the designation of "emeritus." Retirees with emeritus status are entitled to the following rights and privileges: to be included in Faculty Lists in University publications; to receive a University Identification card; to have faculty library privileges; to be eligible to apply for research grants; to be allocated office space upon request when it is available; to purchase a parking permit for one vehicle upon request; to use University recreation facilities upon presentation of Identification; to have the dental and medical services available to other faculty members; to purchase tickets to sporting and athletic events at the prevailing faculty rate; to enroll in University classes and take purchase at the University bookstore at the prevailing faculty rate; to hold membership in the University Faculty Union; to attend, without charge, University