

## **University of Memphis Board of Trustees – President Emeritus**

The Board of Trustees of the University of Memphis may grant a retiring or retired University president, who performed outstanding and distinguished service, the title of President Emeritus. The title must be approved by a majority vote of the Board of Trustees. A retiring or retired University president may decline to accept and/or use the title of President Emeritus.

The Board of Trustees and/or the current University President may call upon the President Emeritus to provide counsel or serve in various volunteer roles and/or capacities in support of the University.

The title of President Emeritus confers no entitlement to compensation, benefits, authority, rights, privileges or resources. Presidents Emeriti do not exercise any of the authority or administrative functions associated with holding a leadership position at the University.

The Board of Trustees retains the authority to withdraw a President Emeritus title at its discretion and as it deems necessary and appropriate.

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