



RESOLUTION IN SUPPORT OF RECOGNITION OF THE RETIREMENT OF DAVE CARLSON

WHEREAS Dave Carlson has faithfully served students on the campus of the University of Wisconsin-Whitewater at Rock County for twenty-seven years; and

WHEREAS Dave Carlson has been Senior Lecturer in Philosophy, Director of the Learning Support Center, and Advisor, Writing Specialist, and Interim Director for TRIO Student Support Services; and

WHEREAS Dave Carlson was the first instructional academic staff member to serve on the campus steering committee and served on search, curriculum, and professional development committees, was an academic staff senator for the UW Colleges, and chair of the UW System academic staff representatives council; and

WHEREAS Dave Carlson twice won campus awards for excellence and innovation as an instructor, and developed with colleagues an award-winning, nationally recognized interdisciplinary course; and

WHEREAS Dave Carlson has served the community as public library trustee, planning commissioner, literacy council president, scouting leader, and youth sports coach; and

WHEREAS Dave Carlson brought creativity, humor, and a deep commitment to his work at the Rock County campus; and

WHEREAS Dave Carlson supported, coached, and taught thousands of students in a kind and supportive environment, and advocated effectively on their behalf; and

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Academic Staff Assembly acknowledges Dave Carlson's 27 years of service with appreciation and gratitude; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Academic Staff Assembly recommends emeritus status for our honored colleague and extends to Dave Carlson our best wishes for a long, fulfilling, and well-deserved retirement.



Resolution Tracking:

Resolution submitted by Kim Kostka on November 6, 2023 for department level approval.

Resolution submitted by Kim Kostka on November 6, 2023 for Dean/Director level approval.

Resolution submitted by Patricia Clasen on November 7, 2023 to [Academic Staff Assembly](#) for consideration.

Action Date	11/29/2023			
Action	Approved			
Vote Detail	Ayes - Unanimous			



See Section 19 of Academic Staff Personnel Rules for eligibility: <https://www.uww.edu/asa/get-acquainted/as-personnel-rules#section-19-retirement>

Academic Staff Process for Emeriti Status Nomination and Conferral

1. Resolution drafted and approved by the home department:
 - Retiree's name
 - Retiree's years of service to UWW
 - Retiree's retirement year
 - Retiree's home department (author of the recommendation/resolution)
 - Recommendation that the title of Emeritus/a be conferred on the retiree including one or more of the following:
 - Distinguished service to the department/unit and/or UWW
 - Distinguished service to the profession, field, and/or community
 - Awards and recognitions received by the retiree
2. Department Resolution or Letter of Recommendation submitted to the Dean/Director for approval
3. Department Resolution or Letter of Recommendation submitted by the Dean/Director to Academic Staff Assembly (acadstaff@uww.edu)
4. Vote by Academic Staff Assembly (date of conferral)
5. Resolution and Decision submitted by ASA Chair to the Office of the Chancellor
6. Letter of Conferral sent from Chancellor to new Emeritus/a person, Alumni Office, and Academic Staff Assembly.
7. Emeritus/a's information (with conferral date, resolution, and conferral letter) added to official database kept by the Alumni Office
8. Emeritus/a's information sent by Alumni Office to all relevant privilege granting offices/units
9. Future Information Requests would go to Alumni Office (event invitation lists, etc.)