

Emeritus Newsletter #107
October 2023

Hello Colleagues,

This newsletter includes (1) New Emeritus members, (2) Announcement of the December 1st 2023 Holiday Social Event, (3) Remembrances and, (4) the Board of Regents October meeting highlights.

1. Welcome to our new October emeritus members.

FACULTY: Linda Isenhour, Management; Sayuri Kubota, World Languages; Denise Tanguay, Management; Lorraine Uhlander, Management; and, Fraya Wagner-Marsh, Management.

Honorary Faculty Emeritus Status: Karen Smith-Meyer, CMTA (Posthumously)

STAFF: Colleen Marks, Director of Graduate Admissions.

Please go to <https://www.emich.edu/emeritus/> for more information about the EMU Faculty and Staff Association

2. Announcement of the December 1st, 2023 Holiday Social Event

Emeritus Members may bring a guest, spouse/significant other to this event. It will be held in the Student Center Ballroom, from 12:00 noon until 3:00 pm. A full lunch buffet will be available along with musical entertainment provided by our students. Look for your invitation in your email in November.

3. Remembrances:

Fred Blum, Library (06/25/2023); **Marjorie (Marge) Eide**, Library (07/19/2023); **Paul Kuwik**, Interdisciplinary Technology (10/11/2023); **Ruby L. Meis**, CHHS/HECR (06/28/2023); **Thomas Murray**, CMTA (09/03/2023) and, **Carol Orlovski**, CHHS Senior Secretary (10/26/2023).

4. The Board of Regents met on October 19th, 2023 and the highlights are copied below.

All the Best,

Sally McCracken, President
EMU Emeritus Faculty and Staff Association

Below are key items and reports from yesterday's (Oct. 19, 2023) regular meeting of the Eastern Michigan University Board of Regents. The committee meetings and regular meeting were held in person at Welch Hall. The regular meeting was also live streamed and available to the public.

8.9% increase in 2024-25 financial aid and scholarship budget

New academic program: Master of Science in Management of Innovation and Strategy
New labor contract with full- and part-time lecturers
Renovation of Roosevelt Hall approved for State Capital Outlay funding request
Business leader Gary Torgow named December Commencement speaker
President's Report

You can read all of the documents from yesterday's meeting on the Board of Regents website. The next Board of Regents meeting is scheduled for Dec. 7.