



## Professor Emeritus

**Category:** Academic;

**Jurisdiction:** Provost and Vice President, Academic; Senate Academic Committee;

**Approval Authority:** Senate (was jointly approved by the Board of Governors until March 12, 2020);

**Established on:** September 14, 1978 (approved by Senate on February 14, 1978);

**Amendments:** May 14, 1980; May 16, 1986; December 1997; January 20, 2020 (Senate);  
March 12, 2020 (Board).

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1. The title shall be offered to all those who retire from full-time academic life while holding the rank of Professor or Associate Professor at Lakehead University, provided that they have served the University in a full-time academic capacity for a period of not less than ten years.
  2. Candidates who do not meet all of the above requirements may also be nominated.
  3. The title as such shall carry with it no remuneration, no formal duties and no voting rights.
  4. The Professor shall retain the usual privileges of a member of the academic community.
  5. The title shall ordinarily be conferred in the year in which the candidate retires and not later than three years after retirement. A brief citation about the candidate may be read at the appropriate Senate meeting, typically in May, and a certificate presented.

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**Review Period:** 7 years;

**Date for Next Review:** 2027-2028;

**Related Policies and Procedures:** None;

**Policy Superseded by this Policy:** None.

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