

Emeritus:

The honorary status granted to a retired professor by the University President based on the recommendations of the department/school and college upon retiring after distinguished service from their assigned duties.

The Purpose of the Association

Established on February 9, 1978, the purpose of the California State University, Los Angeles Emeriti Association is:

1. *To secure, enhance, and maintain the status, rights, and privileges of the emeriti faculty of California State University, Los Angeles.*
2. *To serve students and the educational community at the University, College, School, Division, and Department levels.*
3. *To encourage members who wish to carry on scholarly endeavors contributing to the educational community of the University.*
4. *To contribute to the University's mission by such means as may be determined by the Association.*

Membership:

Regular membership is open to all retired members of the faculty or academic administrative officers of California State University, Los Angeles who have been awarded emeritus status. Associate membership is open to California State University, Los Angeles State faculty members, academic administrative officers, or staff members who are not eligible for regular membership who meet other eligibility criteria.



Why Become a Member?

- To stay connected with the academic and intellectual community where you spent your professional career.
- To stay connected, as much or as little as you choose, with friends, colleagues, staff, and students from the University.
- To keep abreast, through *The Emeritimes*, of colleagues' professional activities, their travels and adventures, and major developments and personnel changes at the University.
- To meet with colleagues and friends at regularly scheduled luncheons, and at periodic forums on current events and topics of special interest to the emeriti and university community.
- To support students from your department/school and college at the annual luncheon recognizing scholarship/fellowship recipients.
- To have a voice in University governance through the Emeriti Association's representatives on the Academic Senate.

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www.calstatela.edu/emeriti



Major Activities of the Association

The Emeritimes

A biannual publication of the Association with articles and information of interest to emeriti faculty and the University community.

Scholarships and Fellowships

Awards are made from the Emeriti Endowment Fund supported by donations/fundraising, and from endowments established by individuals. The Association awards more scholarships/fellowships than all other Emeriti Associations in the CSU system.

Luncheons

At least two luncheons a year provide an opportunity for Association members and others from the University community to socialize and stay connected.

Lifelong Learning

Emeriti and current Cal State LA faculty make presentations to seniors in metropolitan Los Angeles for enrichment and intellectual stimulation.

Special Events

Forums to address timely issues/topics of special interest to the Emeriti and University communities are scheduled based on interest, importance, or timeliness.

Membership

All regular and associate members of the faculty, academic administrators, and staff who meet eligibility criteria are invited to join the Emeriti Association. Life membership is a one-time payment of \$300, and annual membership is \$50. The membership forms can be found on the Emeriti website at www.calstatela.edu/emeriti under membership.

Donate to the Emeriti Fellowship Fund

Donations to support graduate student fellowships, in all fields of study, can be made by check, payable to the Cal State LA Emeriti Association, and mailed to:

Treasurer, Emeriti Association

c/o Office of the President
California State University, Los Angeles
5151 State University Dr.
Los Angeles, CA 90032

Endowed Scholarships/Fellowships

For information about establishing an endowed scholarship or fellowship, please visit www.calstatela.edu/advancement or call University Advancement at (323) 343-3075.

Organization and Governance of the Association

The Executive Committee of the Association, which consists of the officers, committee chairs, and six at-large members, is the governing body of the Association. In addition, the Executive Committee selects two members to serve as representatives on the University Academic Senate and three members to serve on the State Council of the CSU Emeritus and Retired Faculty and Staff Association, a nonprofit corporation devoted exclusively to addressing the concerns and protecting the rights of all retired CSU faculty and staff.

Get Involved: Here are opportunities to get involved, as an officer, an at-large member, a committee chair, or as a member of one of the standing committees. Two committees which frequently need additional members and/or help with their activities are the Emeriti Fellowship Awards Committee, and the Programs and Publicity Committee.

To Learn More: If you are interested in learning more about the Executive Committee, are interested in serving on a committee, or just want to know more about how to get involved, email emeriti@calstatela.edu with a brief note about your interest. Please be sure to include your name and contact information.

