

## **CSM Foundation Policy**

### **CSM Foundation Board Emeritus Status**

This policy allows the College of Southern Maryland foundation to designate eligible retiring foundation board directors to a director emeritus status upon the retirement from service on board. The term of board emeritus may extend into perpetuity. The executive committee should consider the following guidelines when nominating directors for director emeritus status:

- Actively served on the CSM Foundation board as a director for two full terms.
- Makes a significant contribution to the college through personal service and/or financial contributions.
- Served as an officer of the Foundation Board or chaired a standing committee.

Those who accept the emeritus status will be:

- Expected to offer continued support and participate in foundation initiatives commensurate with abilities.
- Invited to the college foundation board meetings (but shall not be recognized as voting members).
- Asked to serve on foundation committees and to participate in fundraising and friendraising events.

Directors emeritus will have certain privileges to include:

- invitations to all foundation retreats and appropriate orientations
- invitations to all appropriate college and foundation functions
- tickets for four to a major fine arts production directed by the college
- mailings of all appropriate college information and materials
- other benefits as may from time to time become available

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