Emeriti Faculty

The designation of emeritus or emerita status is granted to retired faculty members in recognition of distinguished service to the University. Emeriti faculty are nominated for this honor for devoting significant years of service to the institution with a distinguished record as teachers, campus leaders, and active members of the Stetson community and beyond. Being held in high regard among colleagues and students, Stetson is proud to honor these outstanding teacher-scholars.



Bobby L. Adams Professor of Music, Emeritus 1987-2013

K. Finnegan Alford-Cooper Associate Professor of Sociology, Emerita 1996-2010

Thomas E. Allison Professor of Law, Emeritus 1985-2008

Janet C. Anderson Instructor in Foreign Languages, Emerita 1968-1991

Ruth C. Arnold Professor of Education, Emerita 1969-1993

T. Wayne Bailey Professor of Political Science, Emeritus 1963-2016

Stephen T. Barnett Professor of Marketing, Emeritus 1987-2007

Robert D. Batey Professor of Law, Emeritus 1977-2013

F. Thomas Bear Associate Professor of Finance, Emeritus 1982-2000

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Hertha A. Berry Professor of Foreign Languages, Emerita 1974-1995

John M. Booth Associate Professor of Economics, Emeritus 1973-1991

G. Michael Boyd Professor of Finance, Emeritus 1980-2005

Bruce C. Bradford Professor of Geography and Environmental Science, Emeritus 1975-2012

Jane T. Bradford Professor of Library, Emerita 1987-2013

Michael G. Branton Professor of Mathematics and Computer Science, Emeritus 1982-2016

Vincent C. Brenner Professor of Accounting, Emeritus 1998-2017

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Frances J. Buxton
Professor of Violin and Theory, Emerita
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John F. Cooper Professor of Law, Emeritus 1985-2013

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James H. DeLap Professor of Chemistry, Emeritus 1962-1996

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William L. Ferrara Professor of Accounting, Emeritus 1989-2000

Peter L. Fitzgerald Professor of Law, Emeritus 1996-2016

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Benjamin B. Griffiths Professor of Speech and Theatre, Emeritus 1956-1991

John A. Hague Professor of American Studies, Emeritus 1955-1992

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Janice C. Jenkins Professor of Music and Librarian, Emerita 1959-1993

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Sara Staff Jernigan Professor of Physical Education, Emerita 1937-1977

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Kathleen A. Johnson Associate Professor of Humanities, Emerita 1951-1983

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Ann Roberson Morris Professor of English, Emerita 1961-1995

Donald W. Musser Professor of Religious Studies, Emeritus 1978-2013

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Michael L. Rickman Professor of Music, Emeritus 1983-2017

John K. Schorr Professor of Sociology, Emeritus 1975-2014

Ann R. Small Professor of Music, Emerita 1983-2011

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