UNIVERSITY OF DENVER RETIREES ORGANIZATION

The DU Retirees Organization provides opportunities for retirees to continue to enjoy time with friends and colleagues while remaining engaged with the University. Under the leadership of the Board of Directors, and in partnership with the DU Department of Human Resources & Inclusive Community (HRIC), complimentary receptions, luncheons, programs, speakers and activities are hosted during the academic year.

Newsletters and monthly email blasts keep members informed about campus programs, speakers, activities and special events. The Organization also represents the interests of retirees when requested by HRIC and other University Departments.

The University provides DU Retirees who have twenty consecutive years of full time employment service with a number of benefits. These include a retiree Identification card, a DU email address, library privileges, bus passes, and tuition waivers.

A monthly health insurance contribution is available to retirees who participated in the DU insurance plan at the time of their retirement, and for as long as they continue to participate in the DU insurance plan after they retire. DU Retiree discounts are offered for athletic events, theatre and musical productions, book store purchases, the DU Enrichment Program, and the OLLI Program. Presentation of a DU Retiree identification card may be requested to qualify for a discount.

The DU Retirees Organization is a Charter Member of the Association of Retirement Organizations in Higher Education (AROHE). This is an international organization committed to encouraging continued communication between retirees and their institutions. Programs and information are shared with participating member institutions which enhance the retiree experience. David Longbrake, DU Retirees Associate Board Member, serves on the Board of AROHE.

The Board of Directors includes Pam Whitt, Chair; Diane Wendt, Vice-Chair; Carole Burgess, Secretary; Andy Divine; Ruth Fanslow; Roscoe Hill; Pat Fisher; Ruth Prochnow McWhorter; Joan Winn; and Donna Wilson.

Associate Board Members include Ed Calmus; Rita Campbell; Keith Heaton; Jeanette King; Bill Lobb; David Longbrake; and Bob Stocker.

DU Retirees have much in common and enjoy spending time together. New retirees are invited and encouraged to participate annually. For more information, contact Pam Whitt, Chair, at 303.753.0053 or pam.whitt@du.edu or Diane Wendt, Vice Chair, at 303.770.5317, or diane.wendt@du.edu.