RESOLUTION

concerning

DR. GERTRUDE E. BRAUN

April 2, 1982

WHEREAS, Dr. Gertrude E. Braun has announced her retirement after serving Western Connecticut State College for thirty-six years as professor, as dean and, finally, as Vice President for Academic Affairs, and

WHEREAS, Dr. Braun has served with devotion and great skill thereby improving instructional programs and bringing distinction to the College, and

WHEREAS, Dr. Braun has served on regional and national organizations dedicated to the advancement of education including membership on the New England Board of Higher Education, on the National Council for the Accreditation of Teacher Education, and the Review Committee for the Connecticut State Education Department, and

WHEREAS, Dr. Braun is held in the highest esteem by her colleagues and by all members of the Board of Trustees, therefore be it

RESOLVED, That the Trustees for the Connecticut State Colleges express to Dr. Gertrude E. Braun their appreciation for her distinguished service to all the Connecticut State Colleges and, most especially, to Western Connecticut State College, and be it

RESOLVED, That the Trustees confer upon Dr. Braun the title Emeritus Vice President for Academic Affairs and Emeritus Professor of Social Science.
To: Dr. James A. Frost
From: Dr. Stephen Feldman
Date: March 9, 1982

I most enthusiastically recommend that Dr. Gertrude Braun be awarded the designation of Emeritus Vice President for Academic Affairs and Professor of Social Science effective May 1, 1982. Dr. Braun has served Western Connecticut State College since September 1, 1945.

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GERTRUDE E. BRAUN

Positions Held

1940-45  Elementary School Teacher, Hamden, Conn.
1945-46  Laboratory School Teacher, Western Connecticut State College
Summer 1954-Instructor, Teacher College, Columbia University
1946-56  Social Science Department member, Western Connecticut State College
1956-66  Assistant Director of Graduate Studies and Professor of Social Science, Western Connecticut State College
1966-76  Academic Dean, Western Connecticut State College
1976-    Vice President for Academic Affairs, Western Connecticut State College

Publications

Contribution to Teacher Education for a Free People, AACTE, 1956

Contributions to Teacher Education Quarterly (Connecticut) 1956, 1959

Education

1940 - B.Ed.  New Haven State Teachers College (now Southern Connecticut State College)
1944 - M.A.  Yale University
1956 - Ed.D.  Teachers College, Columbia University
Dr. James Frost  
Executive Director for  
Connecticut State Colleges  
P.O. Box 2008  
New Britain, CT 06050  

Dear Jim,

It is difficult to find the proper words to thank you and the Board of Trustees for the resolution giving me emeritus status at Western. I shall display it proudly when I finally get all my professional mementos organized at home.

I was especially gratified that you and all the others from the Central Office were at the beautiful party my friends gave me and that you were a part of the program. For me it was a memorable occasion.

I am sure that you know that though retired, I stand ready in the future to do anything for the new State University system.

Sincerely,

Gertrude Braun  
Vice President for Academic Affairs Emeritus

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