

Paul Panayotatos

Let it be recorded in deepest sorrow that Dr. Paul Panayotatos, Faculty Representative to the Board of Governors and Chair of the Rutgers University Senate for the past three years, died on April 7, 2013.

An internationally respected researcher, Paul joined the Rutgers family in 1982 and enjoyed a long and distinguished career as professor of electrical and computer engineering of Rutgers School of Engineering. Paul's involvement at the highest levels of university governance, his devotion to research and teaching, and his steadfast support for Rutgers demonstrated his strong leadership, caring nature, and dedication to making the university and the world a better place. Paul served Rutgers in a number of distinctive positions, including five one-year terms as Chair of the University Senate and as Faculty Representative to the Board of Governors and as a member of several important university search committees. He proudly led the academic procession at University Commencement ceremonies when he was University Gonfalonier and Head Marshal. A courageous and engaging person, great friend, trusted colleague, and wise counselor, Paul was truly a man of high integrity and conviction and he will be sorely missed by all of us in the Rutgers community.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Governors of Rutgers, The State University of New Jersey, as an expression of the Board and the University in grateful remembrance of Dr. Paul Panayotatos' dedication and service to Rutgers, this memorial shall be recorded in the minutes of the Board of Governors; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this memorial be sent to the Panayotatos family along with our heartfelt and deepest condolences.

Board of Governors Rutgers, The State University of New Jersey April 11, 2013