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After nine landmark years at Otterbein University, **President Emerita Kathy A. Krendl H'18** retired in June 2018.

President Emerita Krendl was a strong, humble servant leader and a fierce champion of the transformative opportunities of an Otterbein education. Krendl's legacy reflects the ideals for which we stand as a community — **opportunity, innovation, service and inclusiveness.**

In honoring her legacy, the Otterbein Board of Trustees considered the hallmarks of her tenure — **pace setting innovation, increased partnerships and programs, a commitment to women's leadership** and growth resulting in the **most diverse and academically prepared classes in recent Otterbein history.**

Specifically, her tenure included strategic **enrollment gains**, the largest campaign in Otterbein's history, the **educational model of the 21st century** realized at The Point, a **tuition freeze for five of her nine years**, new partnerships that positioned Otterbein as a national leader and a personal **unwavering commitment to access and affordability** for all.



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## Kathy A. Krendl Distinguished Lecture Series

OTTERBEIN UNIVERSITY



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**November 19, 2019**

*for a special evening as we launch the  
Kathy A. Krendl Distinguished Lecture Series.*

**6:30 p.m. Dessert Reception**

**7:00 p.m. Remarks and Dedication of "The Krendl"**  
*Main event forum at The Point*

**7:30 p.m. Kathy A. Krendl Distinguished Lecture**

**The Point at Otterbein**  
60 Collegeview Road  
Kathy Krendl Way  
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## **The Kathy A. Krendl Distinguished Lecture Series**

connects prominent thought leaders with our  
campus and community.



To advance President Emerita Krendl's legacy, the series will host thought-provoking scholars, dignitaries, business visionaries and others who impact the areas of innovation, leadership and collaboration.

The series will welcome diverse outlooks that prompt dialogue, advance opportunity and inclusion, spark innovation, and foster the dynamic initiatives that distinguish Otterbein's past, present and future.

*Distinguished Speaker*

**Anita Perez Ferguson, Ph.D.**



Anita Perez Ferguson, Ph.D., is a Woodrow Wilson Visiting Fellow and commentator for WAMC, Northeast public radio in New York on issues of democratic diversity as well as domestic and international public policy.

Perez Ferguson

formerly served in Washington, D.C., as the president of the National Women's Political Caucus and the White House Liaison to the U.S. Department of Transportation. She has provided leadership, political skills and training to women in the United States, Latin America, Africa, Asia and Europe. In 1990 and 1992, she was the Democratic nominee for the U.S. House of Representatives from California.

She was named one of the 100 Most Influential Hispanics in the United States by *Hispanic Business Magazine*. Perez Ferguson holds a bachelor's degree in communications from Westmont College (CA), a master's degree in management from the University of Redlands (CA) and a doctorate degree in human and organizational systems from Fielding Graduate University (CA). The Woodrow Wilson Visiting Fellows program is administered by the Council of Independent Colleges (CIC) in Washington, D.C.

**Tuesday  
November 19  
7:30 p.m.**

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