



Jean F. Emmons, PhD

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Ohio State University
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Degree

PhD, Management/Economics
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Dr. Emmons joined the Board of Directors in 2007 as an Appointed Guest and as a Voting Member at the January 2008 Annual Meeting of the Board. His long career includes higher education, which began in 1948 in Louisiana as an assistant professor of business for Southern University in Baton Rouge. He later moved to Ohio and obtained his PhD in Management and Economics. Before coming to Ocala, Dr. Emmons resided in Illinois and then New Jersey where he held the position of Associate Director, Governmental Relations for the New Jersey Association of School Administrators.

Dr. Emmons professional experience includes several positions as superintendent and professorships of universities, real estate, marketing and as a management consultant to Proctor & Gamble. In addition to his professional activities, Dr. Emmons is active in his church and in the community. He is a past chairman for the Board of Christian Education, an active member of the Hiltonia Civic Association and Berkeley Civic Association. He is also a past member of the Mercer County Jury Commission, currently a committeeman for District #8 Westward and a member of the NAACP.

Dr. Emmons has two children; daughter Meredith, a teacher, and son Keith, a surgeon. In his free time, he enjoys duplicate bridge and gardening.