

# STATE of WISCONSIN



OFFICE of the GOVERNOR

## Proclamation

*WHEREAS*; on April 21, 1868, Whitewater Normal School opened its doors to the first class of 48 students, instructed by nine faculty members; and

*WHEREAS*; today, the University of Wisconsin – Whitewater is a premier comprehensive university serving approximately 12,430 full- and part-time students with 50 undergraduate majors, 13 master's degree programs, one doctoral degree, and one education specialist degree; and

*WHEREAS*; the accomplishments of the University of Wisconsin – Whitewater's students, faculty, staff, and alumni are recognized nationally and internationally, as are the university's preeminent academic, athletic, and co-curricular programs; and

*WHEREAS*; throughout its 150-year history, the University of Wisconsin – Whitewater has inspired, engaged, and transformed more than 90,000 graduates who have actively contributed to the growth of the state and nation; and

*WHEREAS*; the University of Wisconsin – Whitewater embraces the Wisconsin Idea, is an economic and cultural driver of the state, and takes pride in the programs which prepare students to become lifelong learners who lead successful lives and productive careers;

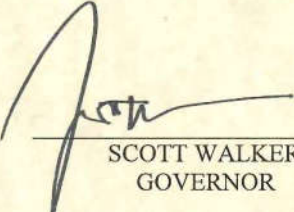
*NOW, THEREFORE*, I, Scott Walker, Governor of the State of Wisconsin,  
do hereby proclaim Saturday, April 21, 2018 as

### UW – WHITEWATER SESQUICENTENNIAL ANNIVERSARY DAY

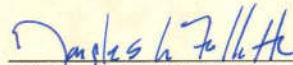
throughout the State of Wisconsin and I commend this observance to all of our citizens.



IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have  
hereunto set my hand and caused the  
Great Seal of the State of Wisconsin to  
be affixed. Done at the Capitol in  
the City of Madison this 18<sup>th</sup> day of  
April 2018.

  
SCOTT WALKER  
GOVERNOR

By the Governor:

  
DOUGLAS LA FOLLETTE  
Secretary of State