

Jay Gogue

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Education

BS, MS, Auburn University, Horticulture

PhD, Michigan State University, Horticulture

Work History

Auburn University

- Interim President, 2019–present
- President Emeritus, 2017–2019
- President, 2007–2017

University of Houston

- Chancellor, University of Houston System, 2003–2007
- President, University of Houston, 2003–2007

New Mexico State University

- President, 2000–2003

Utah State University

- Provost, 1995–2000

Clemson University

- Vice President for Research, 1986–1995
- Vice President for Agriculture and Natural Resources, 1993–1995

National Park Service

- Positions held include research scientist at Texas A&M University; chief scientist for National Capitol Region, Washington, DC; and chief scientist for the Southeast Region, serving eight southeastern states and the Caribbean, 1973–1986

Courses Taught

Auburn University

- Higher Education Leadership, College of Education (current)
- Honors Book courses

Utah State University

- Environmental Policy

Clemson University

- Environmental Engineering
- Research Proposal Development and Marketing

Texas A&M University

- Various horticultural courses

Significant Committee or Board Activities

- Secretary's Academic Advisory Council member, US Department of Homeland Security, 2014–2016
- Secretary's Minority Advisory Council member, US Department of Agriculture, 2002–2003
- Director, Delta Apparel, 2010–present
- Director, college athletic conferences
 - Sun Belt Conference
 - Conference USA
 - Southeastern Conference, served two years as chair
- Member, Texas Medical Center Presidents Association
- Director, Oak Ridge National Lab Associated Universities
- Member, Executive Committee, South Carolina Farm Bureau
- Vice Chair, Southern Appalachian Man and the Biosphere Foundation

Accreditation Participation

Team member for reaffirmation visits at numerous institutions:

- University of Oregon
- University of Alaska
- University of Idaho
- Montana State University
- University of Virginia
- Washington State University
- Kennesaw State University
- Texas Tech University

Selected Public Service

- Auburn City Industrial Development Board
- Economic Development Partnership of Alabama
- South Carolina Research Authority
- BioHouston
- Greater Houston Partnership
- Mesilla Valley Economic Development Alliance
- Las Cruces Hispanic Chamber
- Florida State University Research Cornerstone programs reviewer
- National Science Foundation
- Savannah River Ecology Laboratory
- University of Colorado Research operations
- US Forest Service Strategic Planning
- National Wild Turkey strategic planning
- Future of National Parks Commission Chair
- APLU Council on Research Policy and Graduate Education

Honors and Awards

- Distinguished Alumnus, Michigan State University
- Distinguished Citizen, Boy Scouts of America
- Citizen of the Year, Auburn Rotary Club
- Academic Freedom Award, AAUP Auburn Chapter
- Alabama Academy of Honor
- Presidential Leadership Award, Tuskegee University
- Faculty Member of the Year, Utah State University
- Member, Phi Kappa Phi, Golden Key, Scabbard and Blades, Sigma Xi, and Phi Alpha
- Meritorious Service Award, US Secretary of Interior
- Recipient, National Defense Educational Act Fellowship and Public Health Service Fellowship

Miscellaneous

- Commissioned ROTC, honorable discharge
- Guest Lecturer, Princess Cruise Lines, Caribbean, South America, Mexico, California, Canada and Alaska