

**SENATE: 18 SEPTEMBER 2024****REPORTED BUSINESS**1. Chair of Senate's Action

On 14 August 2024, the Vice-Chancellor and President took Chair's action on behalf of Senate to grant the title of Emerita Professor on Professor Lilian Edwards (Law School).

On 27 August 2024, the Vice-Chancellor and President took Chair's action on behalf of Senate to grant the title of Emerita Professor on Professor Sarah O'Brian (School of Natural and Environmental Sciences).

On 30 August 2024, the Vice-Chancellor and President took Chair's action on behalf of Senate to grant the title of Emeritus Professor on Professor Matthew Wright (Translational and Clinical Research Institute).

2. Deaths

17 July 2024      John Francis Lazenby. John began his career at Newcastle University in 1959 as a Lecturer in Ancient History in the Department of Classics. He was promoted to Senior Lecturer in 1971 and appointed to a Personal Readership in Ancient History in 1979. John was appointed Head of Department of Classics between 1982 and 1987, and Head of the School of Humanities between 1988 and 1994 when he was appointed to a Professorship of Ancient History, a post he held until his retirement in October 1999.

22 July 2024      Peggy (Margaret) Lawson. Peggy began her career at Newcastle University in May 1966 as a Clerk-Typist in the Finance Office. She was appointed as Superannuation Clerk in November 1967 and promoted to Higher Clerical Officer in August 1970 until her retirement in July 1984.

5 August 2024      Brian Moor. Brian began his career at Newcastle University in January 1966 as Accountancy Assistant in the Finance Office. Brian was promoted to Assistant Accountant in July 1970 and Administrative Assistant in October 1980 until his retirement in December 1996.