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# Canisius College President John Hurley to retire

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John Hurley will retire as Canisius College president at the end of the upcoming academic year.

He joined Canisius in 1997 as vice president for college relations and general counsel and served as executive vice president before becoming the college's 24th president in 2010, according to a press release.

"It has truly been a labor of love for an institution that means everything to me," Hurley said in the release. "But having just turned 65 and having led the college safely and successfully through the Covid-19 pandemic, it's time to step down and move on to the next



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John J. Hurley, president,  
Canisius College

phase in my life. Everything that we have done over the past 12 years has been aimed at positioning Canisius to thrive in a disrupted higher education landscape. The stage is set for the next president to take Canisius to a whole new level of excellence.”

The college’s Board of Trustees will form a search committee to conduct a national search for his replacement.

Hurley’s last official day as president will be June 30, 2022.

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