

University of Connecticut

[Agency Website](#)

Statutory Authority

Connecticut General Statutes Sec. 10a-102 et al.

Agency History

1881, Chapter LXXIV (Public Acts)
Storrs Agricultural School established

1893, Chapter LXVII (Public Acts)
Renamed **Storrs Agricultural College**

1899, Chapter 169 (Public Acts)
Renamed **Connecticut Agricultural College**

1933, Chapter 7 (Public Acts)
Renamed **Connecticut State College**

1939, Chapter 157 (Public Acts)
Reorganized as the **University of Connecticut**

Published Histories/Articles

The University of Connecticut: 100 Years of Dedication; Research, Public Service, Graduate, Undergraduate Instruction. Storrs: The University, [1981]
[CSL Call Number ConnDoc Ag83 unco]

Brief History of the University of Connecticut and the School of Engineering. Storrs: The University, between 1939 and 1941. [CSL Call Number ConnDoc Ag83 brhi]

Armstead, George B. *The State Services of Connecticut.* Published under the direction of the Committee on Public Information and the House Committee on Publications of the General Assembly of the State of Connecticut. Hartford?: 1946. pp. 229-234. [CSL Call Number ConnDoc G25 ar]

University of Connecticut [website](#)

Wyllie, Robert H. *Historical Development of Branches of the University of Connecticut.* Hartford: University of Connecticut, 1963. [SCSU Call Number LD1281.C327 W97 1984]

Published Histories/Articles (cont.)

Fiftieth Anniversary of Connecticut Agricultural College and Inauguration of Charles Chester McCracken as President of the College, June 5-8, 1931. Storrs: the College, 1931? [SCSU Call Number Conn Room LD1261 .C36 1931]

Archived University of Connecticut [website](#), as harvested on by the Connecticut State Library,

Agency Documents

Check the State Library catalog for availability of publications by the agency:

[Connecticut Agricultural College.](#)

[Connecticut State College.](#)

[University of Connecticut.](#)

Annual Reports are located in:

- *Digest of Administrative Reports to the Governor.* [CSL Call Number ConnDoc F40 d]
- 2002-, [online version](#)

State Archives Record Group: Not available

List of Heads

Names	Years of Service
Principal	
Solomon Mead	1881-1883
Benjamin Franklin Koons	1883-1893
President	
Benjamin Franklin Koons	1893-1898
George Washington Flint	1898-1901
Rufus Whitaker Stimson	1901-1908
Edwin Oscar Smith (Acting)	Apr.-Sept. 1908
Charles Lewis Beach	1908-1928
Charles Burt Gentry (Acting)	1928-1929
George Alan Works	1929-1930
Charles Chester McCracken	1930-1935
Albert Nels Jorgensen	1935-Oct. 1, 1962
Homer Daniels Babbidge, Jr.	1962-July 1, 1972
Edward Victor Gant (Acting)	July 1, 1972-Aug. 15, 1973
Glenn Walker Ferguson	Aug. 15, 1973-1978
Edward Victor Gant (Acting)	1978-1979
John A. DiBiaggio	June 1979-June 30, 1985
John T. Casteen, III	1985-1990
Harry J. Hartley (Acting)	June-Dec. 1990
Harry J. Hartley	Dec. 1990-1996
Philip E. Austin	Oct. 1, 1996-2007

Names	Years of Service
Michael J. Hogan	2007-2010
Susan Herbst	2010-2019
Thomas C. Katsouleas	2019-present