

Mayor's Message

I am delighted to be able to finally – officially – welcome Dr. Michael Benarroch as he is installed today as the University of Manitoba's 12th President and Vice-Chancellor.

In announcing Dr. Benarroch's appointment, the University noted his inspiring energy and passion for the life-changing possibilities of higher education and his dedication to the province and the UM community. I could not agree more. Winnipeg is a growing and vibrant city – well on our way to a million people – and the growth, opportunity, and prosperity on our horizon needs strong leadership. As Mayor, I am pleased to say that Winnipeg is richer as a result of Dr. Benarroch's decision to return and continue his work on behalf of the University, its students, this city, the province, and its people.

On behalf of the City of Winnipeg, I want to add my congratulations and warmest wishes to the others being offered today on Dr. Benarroch's installation.

Warmly,

Mayor Brian Bowman The City of Winnipeg