A Distinguished Career

University celebrates Ronald Paprocki ’69, ’86S (MBA) for nearly five decades of service and leadership.

Very few University initiatives involving facilities, construction, and the academic infrastructure happened at Rochester over the past few decades without the input of Ronald Paprocki ’69, ’86S (MBA). With a career that has spanned the administrations of five Rochester presidents, the University’s treasurer, senior vice president for administration and finance, and chief financial officer has played a major role in helping shape today’s University.

In December, University administrative leaders, including three living presidents, recognized Paprocki for his nearly 50 years of service and leadership on the eve of his retirement in January. Paprocki received the Charles Force Hutchison and Marjorie Smith Hutchison Medal, the University’s highest alumni award, as part of a series of activities to wish him a happy retirement.

LEGACY OF LEADERS: Senior vice president, treasurer, and CFO Ronald Paprocki (third from right) was recognized by Board Chair Ed Hajim ’58, Presidents Emeriti Thomas Jackson and Dennis O’Brien, President and CEO Joel Seligman, and Board Chair Emeritus G. Robert Witmer Jr. ’59.

SOCKS & CELEBRATION: A devoted alumnus right down to his socks (above), Paprocki began a career at the University shortly after graduation. With his wife, Cathy (left), he was recognized this winter for a career that has included roles involving academic support, budgeting, construction, public safety, dining, facilities, finances, and other areas of the University’s administration.