

SPOTLIGHT: *Fleming Crim*

Q: What is your professional or volunteer background?

A: I spent forty years as a chemistry professor at UW Madison, conducting research and teaching. I also served as chair of the Department and spent a total of seven years, part of the time while also serving as UW faculty member, in the Federal Government. During that time, I had two roles in the National Science Foundation, one as the leader of the Mathematical and Physical Sciences Directorate for four years, and the other as Chief Operating Officer for three years. I am currently an External Science Advisor to the Science Philanthropy Alliance, which fosters philanthropic support of basic research.

Q: What do you like to do when you're not volunteering for Capitol Lakes?

A. I continue some professional activities and work with the Science Philanthropy Alliance. Exercise in both the gym and pool here at Capitol Lakes along with reading and following baseball are my primary activities as well as socializing with friends in Madison and at Capitol Lakes.