



## Patrick Gallagher University of Pittsburgh Chancellor

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As the University of Pittsburgh's 18th chancellor, Patrick Gallagher directs one of the nation's premier public institutions for higher education and research. In this role, Gallagher oversees a community of more than 33,000 students at five distinct campuses. He also supports the work of nearly 14,000 faculty and staff members who are committed to advancing the University's legacy of academic excellence, community service and research innovation.

Under his leadership, Pitt has strengthened its status as one of the nation's premier public institutions for higher education and research, including being named a top public school in the nation by U.S. News & World Report.

Prior to his installation at Pitt, Gallagher spent more than two decades in public service. In 2009, the president appointed him to direct the National Institute of Standards and Technology. While in this role, Gallagher also served as acting deputy secretary of commerce before leaving for Pitt in the summer of 2014.

Gallagher has also completed terms on a wide range of community boards and committees, including the president's 12-person Commission on Enhancing National Cybersecurity in 2016. He currently serves as chair of the Commission on Economic and Community Engagement for the Association of Public and Land-grant Universities.

Gallagher holds a Ph.D. in physics from Pitt and a bachelor's degree in physics and philosophy from Benedictine College in Kansas.

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