



Executive Department
State of Idaho

The Office of the Governor
Proclamation

State Capitol
Boise

WHEREAS, Boise State University is committed to providing a signature, high-quality higher education to our 22,113 students, conducting world-class research that transcends traditional disciplines, and engaging our community and region in ways that improve our quality of life and economic future; and

WHEREAS, Boise State University is a place of jobs, talent and ideas, serving as an economic engine and embracing a knowledge-based economy that has resulted in 36 patents issued, 184 inventions disclosed and 128 copyright and patent license agreements as of December 2015; and

WHEREAS, Boise State University is committed to providing a solid education in science, technology, engineering and mathematics because STEM subjects are vital to growth and innovation in a high-tech world; and

WHEREAS, Boise State University is building for the future through the creation of the College of Innovation and Design, a university-wide hub and academic laboratory that develops new pathways for learning that anticipate the demands and opportunities of our ever-changing world and workplace; and

WHEREAS, Boise State University is dedicated to providing a signature high-quality educational experience for all its students, including advanced graduate studies in its academic offerings of nine doctoral degrees and 76 master's degrees; and

WHEREAS, Boise State University supports a creative class of professionals who work as scientists, engineers, educators, writers and artists, including more than 77,000 alumni and nearly 4,000 graduates annually, many of whom make their home in the Treasure Valley because it is a great place to live, study and work;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, C.L. "BUTCH" OTTER, Governor of the State of Idaho, do hereby proclaim January 26, 2016 to be

BOISE STATE UNIVERSITY DAY

in Idaho.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Idaho at the Capitol in Boise on this 26th day of January in the year of our Lord two thousand and sixteen and of the Independence of the United States of America the two hundred fortieth and of the Statehood of Idaho the one hundred twenty-sixth.

C.L. "BUTCH" OTTER
GOVERNOR

LAWRENCE DENNEY
SECRETARY OF STATE