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- A. The board may honor a sitting university president as a Regents'
  Distinguished President. This title serves as recognition of the highest
  merit and of extraordinary contributions and service to the university, the
  State and to the institution of higher education.
- B. The title may be conferred only upon a sitting president of Arizona State University, Northern Arizona University and the University of Arizona. To be eligible for the recognition, a president must:
  - 1. Serve continuously as president for at least 15 years.
  - 2. Make significant and recognizable contributions to the advancement of the university and its students.
  - 3. Make significant and recognizable contributions to Arizona higher education.
  - 4. Demonstrate distinguished service in the general advancement of the State of Arizona and the United States of America.
  - 5. Demonstrate distinguished service in the national advancement of higher education.
- C. The award is commemorated by a medallion that may be worn as part of the president's official university regalia.