



## 2021 ASSEMBLY JOINT RESOLUTION 19

March 16, 2021 - Introduced by Representatives HINTZ, SCHRAA, HESSELBEIN, THIESFELDT, SNODGRASS, MILROY, CABRAL-GUEVARA, SPIROS, HAYWOOD, HEBL, SINICKI, CONLEY, S. RODRIGUEZ, SPREITZER, BOWEN, SHELTON, BALDEH, CONSIDINE, VINING, DRAKE, NOVAK, MURPHY, STUBBS and SUBECK, cosponsored by Senators FEYEN, ROTH, BALLWEG, CARPENTER and MARKLEIN. Referred to Committee on Rules.

1     **Relating to:** recognition and celebration of the University of Wisconsin Oshkosh  
2             Sesquicentennial.

3             Whereas, 2021 is the year in which the University of Wisconsin Oshkosh  
4 encourages us all to join in and help commemorate and celebrate the 150th  
5 anniversary of the institution's founding; and

6             Whereas, it was the great foresight, endorsement, and cooperation of the state  
7 of Wisconsin, its Board of Regents, and the citizens of the city of Oshkosh that, in the  
8 late 1860s, approved, financed, and built the Oshkosh Normal School, which held its  
9 first classes with 43 enrolled students in 1871; and

10            Whereas, UW Oshkosh has since evolved, grown, and persevered to become a  
11 beacon of knowledge, discovery, inclusivity, leadership, workforce talent, and  
12 benevolence in its home city and region, and, today, on Fond du Lac, Fox Cities, and  
13 Oshkosh campuses. UW Oshkosh educates more than 11,000 undergraduate and  
14 graduate students while cooperatively offering college credits to thousands more  
15 high school students in k-12 districts in Wisconsin and Illinois; and

