



Thomas Botzman
President
University of Mount Union

Dr. Thomas Botzman serves as Mount Union's 13th president, a position he began in July 2020.

A native of Stow, Ohio, Botzman earned a Bachelor of Science degree in engineering from Case Western Reserve University. He went on to attend Kent State University, where he earned both a Master of Arts degree in economics and a doctoral degree in business administration. Prior to becoming president at Mount Union, Botzman served as president of Misericordia University for seven years.

During his initial tenure at Mount Union, Botzman served as a faculty member and was named the Great Teacher in 1998. He also directed international studies from 1993 to 1997 and held the role of associate academic dean during the 2003-2004 academic year. He was a visiting professor and Fulbright Scholar at the University of the Americas in Mexico City, Mexico, teaching there four times from 1992 to 1996. He was named an American Council on Education (ACE) Fellow in 2002.

During his service at Misericordia, a private institution of about 2,500 students, Botzman led many successful initiatives. Under his leadership, the institution undertook its largest fundraising campaign in history, raising more than \$35 million. Misericordia also renovated two academic buildings and acquired an adjacent property for future use by student life and academic programs.