Jennifer Mnookin became chancellor of the University of Wisconsin–Madison on August 4, 2022. She is the 30th chancellor in the university’s 175-year history.

Chancellor Mnookin has spent her academic career at top public universities - most recently at UCLA, where she was on the faculty for 17 years. For the last seven years, she served as dean of the UCLA School of Law, where she helped to strengthen the school’s academic excellence, increase both the diversity and the academic strength of the student body, and build new programs in areas ranging from law and technology to human rights.

Chancellor Mnookin is one of the nation’s most cited legal scholars in the area of evidence law and has served on several national committees examining the use of forensic science in court.

She has spent her first months at UW-Madison listening and learning. She has been deeply impressed by the university’s commitment to educational excellence and the ways in which the faculty and staff incorporate leading-edge scientific research and public service into the student experience. She is committed to understanding what’s working well and finding ways to build on those successes, as well as looking for opportunities to improve so that UW-Madison can make even greater progress in meeting its mission of education, research, and outreach.

About the Event: The League Fall Coffee will feature a served brunch that includes scrambled eggs, bacon, toasted English muffin, breakfast potatoes, orange juice and coffee. Please let us know of any dietary restrictions on our registration form.

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