The University of Alaska Fairbanks began to take shape in 1915 with a land grant from Congress. James Wickersham, the territory’s delegate, set a cornerstone on the hill that summer. The Territory of Alaska formally created the Alaska Agricultural College and School of Mines on May 3, 1917, when Gov. John Strong signed a bill passed by the Legislature.

Use this guide to explore the university’s 100-year history and the people who were part of it all. Answer 20 of the trivia questions and win your choice of prizes when you return your form to the chancellor’s office in Signers’ Hall.

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**KAHILITZ BUILDING**
What is the name of the first UA research vessel pictured on the wall? (Hint: Look above the Room 256 sign.)

**ELVEY BUILDING**
Near Room 212 (through the double doors below the sign to the West Ridge Research Building) is a freezer that displays four types of ice. Name them.

**INTERNATIONAL ARCTIC RESEARCH CENTER**
Who was the founder and first director of the International Arctic Research Center?

**FAIRBANKS EXPERIMENT FARM** (vehicle recommended)
The Fairbanks Experiment Farm has recorded daily climate conditions for the National Weather Service continuously since when?

**LARGE ANIMAL RESEARCH STATION — Yankovich Road (vehicle recommended)**
Name two animal species studied at LARS.

**EIELSON BUILDING** — first-floor statehood display
Who served as president of the Constitutional Convention? (Hint: Check the fourth panel from south door.)

**SIGNERS’ HALL/EIELSON BUILDING** — third-floor bridge
Who took the first aerial photo of the campus?

**SIGNERS’ HALL — chancellor’s suite**
Whose commencement cap is displayed in the chancellor’s suite?

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