THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN

Regents Communication

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Recommendations for approval of joint appointments

or transfers of regular associate or full professors and selected

academic administrative staff

Approved by the Regents
January 18, 2007

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Additional Appointment for a Faculty Member

NAME: Ella M. Atkins

CURRENT TITLE: Associate Professor of Aerospace Engineering, with tenure,

College of Engineering

ADDITIONAL TITLE: Associate Professor of Electrical Engineering and

Computer Science, without tenure, College of Engineering

EFFECTIVE DATE: January 1, 2007

On the recommendation of the Executive Committee of the College of Engineering and with the endorsements of the Department of Aerospace Engineering and the Department of Electrical Engineering and Computer Science, I am pleased to recommend that Ella M. Atkins be appointed as associate professor of electrical engineering and computer science, without tenure, in the Department of Electrical Engineering and Computer Science, College of Engineering, effective January 1, 2007.

Professor Atkins graduated from the Massachusetts Institute of Technology in 1988 with a B.S. degree and in 1990 with a M.S. degree, both in aeronautics and astronautics. She received a second M.S. degree in computer science and engineering from the University of Michigan in 1995 and continued on to receive her Ph.D. in computer science and engineering (CSE) in 1999. From 1990 to 1993, Professor Atkins worked as an aerospace project engineer at Structural Dynamics Research Corporation in San Diego, California. While at the University of Michigan, she worked as a graduate fellow/research assistant in the Artificial Intelligence and Real-time Computing Laboratories of the Computer Science and Engineering Department. Upon completion of her Ph.D. in 1999, she joined the faculty of the University of Maryland, Aerospace Engineering Department as an assistant professor. In 2006, Professor Atkins moved to the University of Michigan as associate professor in the Department of Aerospace Engineering. In addition to her academic appointments, she has served as an engineering consultant since 2005 to the Institute for Defense Analyses in Alexandria, Virginia.

Professor Atkins' expertise lies in applying real-time and fault-tolerant computing to a number of important research problems involving autonomous spacecraft software and flight planning. Her research program focuses on the integration of strategic and tactical planning and optimization algorithms to enable robust, autonomous aircraft and spacecraft flight in the presence of system failures and environmental uncertainties. She brings significant experience in applying advanced computational techniques to large-scale applications, and as such, will be an excellent resource for graduate students in CSE, and is very likely to advise and/or co-advise Ph.D. dissertations for CSE students. In addition, Professor Akins will have the opportunity to collaborate with several CSE faculty members.

With this additional appointment, Professor Atkins is ideally suited to assist the Department of Electrical Engineering and Computer Science by her active involvement with research and students. I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Ella M. Atkins as associate professor of electrical engineering and computer science, without tenure, College of Engineering, effective January 1, 2007.

Recommended by:

Recommendation endorsed by:

David C. Munson, Jr.

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Robert J. Vlasic Dean of Engineering

College of Engineering

Teresa A. Sullivan

Provost and Executive Vice President

for Academic Affairs

Approved by the Regents
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THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST:

Additional Appointment for a Faculty Member

NAME:

Mary Anne Carroll

CURRENT TITLES:

Professor of Chemistry, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, and

Professor of Atmospheric, Oceanic, and Space Sciences, with tenure, College of

Engineering

RECOMMENDED TITLES:

Professor of Chemistry, without tenure, Professor of Geological Sciences, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, and Professor of Atmospheric,

Oceanic, and Space Sciences, with tenure, College of Engineering

EFFECTIVE DATE:

January 1, 2007

On the recommendation of the Executive Committees of the Department of Geological Sciences and the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, and with the endorsement of the Department of Chemistry and the College of Engineering, we are pleased to recommend the additional appointment of Mary Anne Carroll as professor of geological sciences, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective January 1, 2007.

Mary Anne Carroll received her Bachelor of Arts from the University of Massachusetts at Boston in 1978 and her Doctorate at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology in 1983. Following a one-year visiting fellowship at the Cooperative Institute for Research in Environmental Sciences, Dr. Carroll began her career as a research chemist at the Aeronomy Laboratory in the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration in 1984. She joined the faculty at the University of Michigan as associate professor, with tenure, in 1992 and was promoted to professor in 2001.

Professor Carroll has close research ties to several faculty in the Department of Geological Sciences and has collaborated with students. She teaches biogeochemistry courses which include several geology students each year. She is also director of the recently renewed Biosphere-Atmosphere IGERT grant that is expected to support one or two geology students in the next five years. Her presence in the Department will benefit research and scientific diversity.

We are very pleased to recommend the additional appointment of Mary Anne Carroll as professor of geological sciences, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective January 1, 2007.

RECOMMENDED BY:

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:

Terrence J. McDonald Arphur F. Thurnau Professor.

Professor of History, and Dean,

College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

Teresa A. Sullivan /
Provost and Executive Vice President

for Academic Affairs

David C. Munson

Robert J. Vlasic Dean of Engineering

College of Engineering

ACTION REQUEST: Additional Appointment and Transfer of Tenure of a Faculty

Member

NAME: Elizabeth R. Cole

CURRENT TITLES Associate Professor of Women's Studies, with tenure, and AND DEPARTMENTS: Associate Professor of Afroamerican and African Studies,

with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

RECOMMENDED TITLES Associate Professor of Psychology, with tenure, Associate **AND DEPARTMENTS**: Professor of Women's Studies, with tenure, and Associate

Professor of Afroamerican and African Studies, without tenure,

College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

TERM: University Year

EFFECTIVE DATE: January 1, 2007

The Executive Committees of the Department of Psychology and the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, with the endorsement of the Center for Afroamerican and African Studies and the Women's Studies Program, are pleased to recommend the appointment of Elizabeth R. Cole as associate professor of psychology, with tenure, associate professor of women's studies, with tenure, and associate professor of Afroamerican and African studies, without tenure, effective January 1, 2007.

Elizabeth Cole received her Bachelor of Arts, magna cum laude, from Boston University in 1986. She attended the University of Michigan where she received her Master of Arts in 1991 and Doctorate in 1993. She began her teaching career as assistant professor at Northeastern University in 1993 and was promoted to associate professor there before joining our faculty as associate professor, with tenure, in 2000.

The Department of Psychology has invited Professor Cole to join its faculty to better align her research interests with her appointment home. Trained as a personality psychologist at Michigan, she has held an adjunct title in Psychology since 2004 and has been deeply involved in the creation of a new area within the department, Personality and Social Contexts. She currently supervises doctoral students in psychology, serves on several dissertation committees, and regularly attends faculty meetings. She also served as area chair for the joint program (2002-2003).

We are very pleased to recommend the additional appointment of Elizabeth R. Cole as associate professor of psychology, with tenure, associate professor of women's studies, with tenure, and associate professor of Afroamerican and African studies, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective January 1, 2007.

RECOMMENDED BY:

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:

Terrence J. McDonald

Arthur F. Thurnau Professor, Professor of History, and Dean,

College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

January 2007

Teresa A. Sullivan

Provost and Executive Vice President

for Academic Affairs

ACTION REQUEST:

Additional Appointment for a Faculty Member

NAME:

Charles R. Doering

CURRENT TITLE:

Professor of Mathematics, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and

the Arts

RECOMMENDED TITLES:

Professor of Mathematics, with tenure, and Professor of Physics,

without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

EFFECTIVE DATE:

January 1, 2007

On the recommendation of the Executive Committees of the Department of Physics and the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, we are pleased to recommend the additional appointment of Charles R. Doering as professor of physics, without tenure, effective January 1, 2007.

Charles Doering received his Bachelor of Science at Antioch College in 1977, Master of Science from the University of Cincinnati in 1978, and Doctorate from the University of Texas at Austin in 1985. Following a two-year postdoctoral fellowship at Los Alamos National Laboratory, Professor Doering began his teaching career as assistant professor at Clarkson University in 1987. He was promoted through the ranks to research professor and served as chair of the Department of Physics from 1991 to 1994. He joined our faculty as professor in 1996.

Professor Doering's degrees are in physics and his appointments at Clarkson University were in the Department of Physics. He routinely teaches physics students in his applied mathematics courses and will be working more closely with physics students on individual research projects, including theses and dissertations. He interacts regularly with physics faculty and has scientific interests in common with several on-going research programs.

We are very pleased to recommend the additional appointment of Charles R. Doering as professor of physics, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective January 1, 2007.

RECOMMENDED BY:

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:

Terrenge J. McDonald

Arthur F. Thurnau Professor,

Professor of History, and Dean,

College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

Teresa A. Sullivan

Provost and Executive Vice President

for Academic Affairs

ACTION REQUEST:

Joint Appointment for a Faculty Member

NAME:

Rachel S. Goldman

CURRENT TITLES:

Associate Professor of Materials Science and Engineering, with tenure, and Associate Professor of Electrical Engineering and Computer Science, without tenure, College of

Engineering

RECOMMENDED TITLES:

Associate Professor of Physics, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, Associate Professor of Materials Science and Engineering, with tenure, and Associate Professor of Electrical Engineering and Computer Science, without tenure,

College of Engineering

EFFECTIVE DATE:

January 1, 2007

On the recommendation of the Executive Committees of the Department of Physics and the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, and with the endorsement of the College of Engineering, we are pleased to recommend the joint appointment of Rachel S. Goldman as associate professor of physics, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective January 1, 2007.

Rachel Goldman received her Bachelor of Science, high honors with distinction, from the University of Michigan in 1988, Master of Science from Cornell University in 1992, and Doctorate from the University of California, San Diego, in 1995. Following a one-year postdoctoral fellowship at Carnegie Mellon University, Professor Goldman began her teaching career as a Dow Corning Assistant Professor at Michigan in 1997 and was promoted to associate professor in 2003. She was the Augustus Anson Whitney Fellow at Harvard University (2005-2006) and is a visiting scientist at Harvard this year.

Professor Goldman has interests in common with the condensed matter and optic groups, and has ongoing collaborations with the research programs of several physics faculty. She is currently supervising two physics graduate students, and will develop collaborative teaching opportunities in physics.

We are very pleased to recommend the additional appointment of Rachel S. Goldman as associate professor of physics, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective January 1, 2007.

RECOMMENDED BY:

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:

Terrence J. McDonald

Arthur F. Thurnau Professor,

David C Musen

Professor of History, and Dean, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts Teresa A. Sullivan / Provost and Executive Vice President

for Academic Affairs

David C. Munson, Jr.

Robert J. Vlasic Dean of Engineering

College of Engineering

ACTION REQUEST:

Additional and Joint Appointments for a Faculty Member

NAME:

Petra Kuppers

CURRENT TITLE:

Associate Professor of English Language and Literature, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

ADDITIONAL TITLES:

Associate Professor of Theatre & Drama,

without tenure, School of Music, Theatre & Dance, and Associate Professor of Women's Studies, without tenure,

College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

EFFECTIVE DATES:

January 1, 2007 through December 31, 2010

On the recommendation of the Executive Committees of the School of Music, Theatre & Dance and the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, we are pleased to recommend the additional appointments of Petra Kuppers as associate professor of theatre & drama, without tenure, School of Music, Theatre & Dance, and associate professor of women's studies, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective January 1, 2007 through December 31, 2010.

Dr. Kuppers received a M.A. in film and TV studies from the University of Warwick, UK, a second M.A in Germanistik, film, TV and theatre studies, and social anthropology from the University of Cologne, Germany, a Diploma in health and social welfare studies, from Open University, UK, and a Ph.D. in performance studies and feminist theory from Falmouth College of Arts, UK. From 1994-1998, Dr. Kuppers was lecturer in Film and Cultural Studies and in Visual and Performing Arts at the Swansea Institute of Higher Education. In 1998, she was a fellow in the Contemporary Arts Department at Manchester Metropolitan University. Dr. Kuppers joined the faculty at Bryant University in 2001, as assistant professor and was promoted to associate professor in 2005. In 2006, Dr. Kuppers joined the University of Michigan as associate professor of English language and literature, with tenure, in the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts.

The Ph.D. program in the Department of Theatre & Drama is being reorganized, and Dr. Kuppers' concentration in performance studies, feminist theory, and disability as an element in contemporary performance will enhance this effort. As is evidenced by Dr. Kuppers' curriculum vitae, her publication record, presentations at national and international conferences, and her artistic contributions will add relevance and dimension to the graduate program. Her knowledge and experience in these areas will also help provide a richer and more varied learning environment for our students and colleagues.

Because Dr. Kuppers' work has long been located at the intersection of gender, sexuality, race, and disability, the Women's Studies Program is excited about the humanities perspective she will bring to the Program. She is currently teaching a course on disability studies, traditionally cross-listed with Women's Studies, and we anticipate other courses on topics like medicine, gender, and culture. In addition to strengthening and enriching their interdisciplinarity, she will extend the Program's reach into new areas such as performance studies.

We are pleased to recommend the additional appointment of Petra Kuppers as Associate Professor of Theatre & Drama, without tenure, School of Music, Theatre & Dance, and associate professor of women's studies, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective January 1, 2007 through December 31, 2010.

RECOMMENDED BY:

Christopher W. Kendall

Dean, School of Music, Theatre & Dance

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:

Teresa A. Sullivan, Provost and

Executive Vice President for Academic

Affairs

Terrence J. McDonald

Arthur F. Thurnau Professor,

Professor of History and

Dean, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

ACTION REQUEST: Additional Appointment for a Faculty Member

NAME: Alexandra Minna Stern

CURRENT TITLES: Associate Professor of American Culture, without tenure, College of

Literature, Science, and the Arts, Zina Pitcher Collegiate Professor in the History of Medicine, and Associate Professor of Obstetrics and

Gynecology, with tenure, Medical School

RECOMMENDED TITLES: Associate Professor of American Culture, without tenure, Associate

Professor of History, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, Zina Pitcher Collegiate Professor in the History of Medicine, and Associate Professor of Obstetrics and Gynecology,

with tenure, Medical School

EFFECTIVE DATES: January 1, 2007

On the recommendation of the Executive Committees of the Department of History and the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, and with the endorsement of the Program in American Culture and the Medical School, we are pleased to recommend the additional appointment of Alexandra Minna Stern as associate professor of history, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective January 1, 2007.

Alexandra Stern received her Bachelor of Arts, magna cum laude, from San Francisco State University in 1990; Master of Arts from the University of California, San Diego, in 1992; and Doctorate from the University of Chicago in 1999. Professor Stern began her teaching career as an assistant professor of history at the University of California, Santa Cruz, in 2000. She joined the faculty at the University of Michigan as assistant professor in 2002 and was promoted to associate professor, with tenure, in the Medical School, and without tenure in the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts. Her appointment to a collegiate professorship in the Medical School was approved by the Regents in November 2006.

Professor Stern's research focuses on the history of science and medicine in the Americas with a broad interest in eugenics. She has explored children's health, tropical medicine, and reproduction and sexuality in the United States and Mexico. Her research has been published in historical, sociological, public health, medical, and health policy journals in the United States as well as in Argentina, Mexico, Germany, and the United Kingdom. Her 2005 book, Eugenic Nation: Faults and Frontiers of Better Breeding in Modern America, won the 2006 Arthur Viseltear Award from the American Public Health Association for outstanding book in the history of public health.

Professor Stern has many points of connection with the Department of History, including colleagues in the history of science and medicine as well as U.S., Latin American, and modern European history, and the history of colonialism. Formalizing her relationship to the Department will nurture these scholarly and creative connections. A courtesy appointment will facilitate her supervision of students, teaching an undergraduate honors seminar in history, and serving on search committees.

We are very pleased to recommend the additional appointment of Alexandra Minna Stern as associate professor of history, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective January 1, 2007.

RECOMMENDED BY:

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:

Terrence J. McDonald

Arthur F. Thurnau Professor,

Professor of History, and Dean,

College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

Teresa A. Sullivan

Provost and Executive Vice President

for Academic Affairs

James O. Woolliscroft, MD

Interim Dean, Medical School Lyle C. Roll Professor of Medicine

ACTION REQUEST: Joint Appointment for a Faculty Member

NAME: William B. Worthen

CURRENT TITLES: J. L. Stylan Collegiate Professor of Drama, and Professor

of English Language and Literature, with tenure, College of

Literature, Science, and the Arts

ADDITIONAL TITLE: Professor of Theatre & Drama, without tenure,

School of Music, Theatre & Dance

EFFECTIVE DATES: January 1, 2007 through December 31, 2010

On the recommendation of the Executive Committee of the School of Music, Theatre & Dance and with the endorsement of the dean of the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, we are pleased to recommend the additional appointment of William B. Worthen as professor of theatre & drama, without tenure, School of Music, Theatre & Dance, effective January 1, 2007 through December 31, 2010.

Dr. Worthen received a B.A., summa cum laude, in English literature in 1977, from the University of Massachusetts at Amherst. In 1981, he earned a Ph.D. in English literature from Princeton University. He began his academic career as assistant professor of English at the University of Texas at Austin, and was promoted to associate professor and professor at the same institution. From 1992 to 1996, he was a professor in the Departments of English and Theatre at Northwestern University. In 1996, he joined the faculty as professor in the Departments of English and Theatre and Dance at the University of California-Davis. He joined the University of California-Berkeley as professor in the Department of Theatre, Dance and Performance Studies in 1999. Dr. Worthen was recruited to the University of Michigan as associate professor of English language and literature, with tenure, in the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts in 2006.

Dr. Worthen is a distinguished scholar and teacher, and he possesses an outstanding publication record. His specializes in Modern British and American Drama, Dramatic Criticism and Theory and Practice. Both sections of the Theatre History course use Dr. Worthen's text, The Wadsworth Anthology of Drama, Fifth Edition, as a required reading. His intense work in these areas and his years of relevant experience will substantially enrich the Ph.D. program in the Department of Theatre & Drama that is being reorganize.

We are pleased to recommend the additional appointment of William B. Worthen as professor of theatre & drama, without tenure, School of Music, Theatre & Dance, effective January 1, 2007 through December 31, 2010.

RECOMMENDED BY:

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:

Christopher W. Kendall

Dean, School of Music, Theatre & Dance

Teresa A. Sullivan, Provost and

Executive Vice President for Academic

Affairs

Terrence J. McDonald

Arthyr F. Thurnau Professor,

Professor of History and

Dean, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN

Regents Communication

2

Establishing and renaming professorships and selected academic administrative positions.

ACTION REQUEST: Establishment of an Endowed Professorship

PROPOSED NAME: Joseph B. and Florence V. Cejka Professorship in Engineering

EFFECTIVE DATE: February 1, 2007

The Dean and the Executive Committee of the College of Engineering request the establishment of the Joseph B. and Florence V. Cejka Professorship in Engineering effective February 1, 2007.

The Joseph B. Cejka and Florence V. Cejka Foundation, Inc., has provided a gift of \$1,500,000 to establish and support an endowed, full professorship to be known as the Joseph B. and Florence V. Cejka Professor of Engineering. The holder will be a full professor in the College of Engineering who will be appointed to the chair for five-year renewable terms.

A strong advocate of public education, Mr. Cejka earned a bachelor's degree at Wayne State University, followed by a master's in mechanical engineering from the University of Michigan. He taught engineering at Tulane and Rutgers universities before entering the business world. Later, as Chief Executive Officer of Ward Products Corporation, a New York and New Jersey firm, he was well known for helping pay the college costs of his employees' children and for mentoring and supporting staffers who wanted to launch their own businesses.

The College of Engineering is grateful to the Joseph B. Cejka and Florence V. Cejka Foundation, Inc., for their generosity and support. In recognition of this significant gift, we request that the Regents formally establish the Joseph B. and Florence V. Cejka Professorship in Engineering effective February 1, 2007.

RECOMMENDED BY:

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:

David C. Munson, Jr.

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Robert J. Vlasic Dean of Engineering

College of Engineering

Teresa A. Sullivan, Provost and Executive

Vice President for Academic Affairs

ACTION REQUEST: Correction to an Existing Collegiate Professorship

APPROVED NAME: Frank E. Richart, Jr. Collegiate Professorship in Civil

Engineering

CORRECTED NAME: Frank E. Richart, Jr. Collegiate Professorship in Civil and

Environmental Engineering

EFFECTIVE DATE: January 1, 2007

The College of Engineering seeks to make a correction in the name of an existing collegiate professorship. The Regents approved the name of Frank E. Richart, Jr. Collegiate Professorship in Civil Engineering in June 2005. We respectfully request approval to change the name to the Frank E. Richart, Jr. Collegiate Professorship in Civil and Environmental Engineering.

Please accept this correction and our apologies for the conflicting naming of the Collegiate Professorship.

RECOMMENDED BY: RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:

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Robert J. Vlasic Dean of Engineering

College of Engineering

Teresa A. Sullivan, Provost and Executive

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Vice President for Academic Affairs

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN

Regents Communication

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Recommendations for approval of other personnel transactions for regular instructional staff and selected academic administrative staff

ACTION REQUEST:

Approval of a Professional Administrative Appointment

NAME:

Anjali Anturkar

RECOMMENDED TITLE: Associate Vice President for Student Affairs for Finance

and Human Resources

EFFECTIVE DATE:

February 1, 2007

I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Anjali Anturkar as Associate Vice President for Student Affairs for Finance and Human Resources effective February 1, 2007.

Ms. Anturkar holds a Bachelor of Commerce from the University of Bombay in India and she is a Chartered Accountant by the Institute of Chartered Accountants of India. In addition, she is a Certified Public Accountant and a Certified Management Accountant. Ms. Anturkar is professionally affiliated with the Michigan Association of Certified Public Accountants and the Institute of Certified Management Accountants.

Ms. Anturkar most recently held the position of Interim Assistant Vice President in the Office of University Budget and Planning at Wayne State University. Her responsibilities included developing the University's \$550 million general fund and \$20 million auxiliary operating budgets, and formulating the tuition recommendation for Graduate and Undergraduate tuition. Ms. Anturkar previously held the position of Associate Director in that office, where her responsibilities included ongoing planning and tracking for year end commitments and fund allocations, reviews of all general fund balances and recommendations of appropriate action for deficit coverage and surplus carry forward. In addition, she performed analysis of five-year funding patterns and presented her findings to the Academic Senate and senior administrators.

Ms. Anturkar has previous experience in financial operations at the University of Michigan. From 1989 through 2001, she served three years as a Senior Financial Analyst and nine years as Director of Finance for the Division of Student Affairs. During her time at UM, she had complete responsibility and authority to handle finances for the division, coordinating and supervising the operating and capital budgets, and working closely with unit directors and their financial staff. Her effort during this time included developing salary administration policy for the division, significant systems and projects administration, the purchasing and procurement of materials and services for operating and capital projects, and supervising staff.

Reporting to the Vice President for Student Affairs, Ms. Anturkar will oversee Human Resources and Financial operations for the Division of Student Affairs. Her extensive experience will provide a solid foundation on which she will contribute to the mission

and vision and strengthen the organizational infrastructure of the Division of Student Affairs.

We are fortunate to add Ms. Anturkar to our leadership team. We are confident that she will utilize her financial skills, education, and extensive experience to the benefit of the Division on Student Affairs and the University. It is with enthusiasm that I recommend the appointment of Anjali Anturkar as Associate Vice President for Student Affairs for Finance and Human Resources.

Respectfully submitted,

E. Royster Harper

Vice President for Student Affairs

Approved by the Regents January 18, 2007

ACTION REQUEST: Change in Academic Administrative Title

NAME: Daniel J. Clauw, M.D.

CURRENT TITLES: Professor of Internal Medicine, with tenure,

Professor of Psychiatry, without tenure, and Assistant Dean for Clinical and Translational

Research, Medical School

RECOMMENDED TITLES: Professor of Internal Medicine, with tenure,

Professor of Psychiatry, without tenure, and Associate Dean for Clinical and Translational

Research, Medical School

EFFECTIVE DATE: December 1, 2006

With the concurrence of the Executive Committee of the Medical School, I am pleased to recommend a change in the academic administrative title for Daniel J. Clauw, M.D., from Assistant Dean to Associate Dean for Clinical and Translational Research, effective December 1, 2006.

The administration of the Medical School Office of Research and Graduate Studies has undergone a review with the change in leadership due to the recent departure of Dr. Raymond Ruddon as Senior Associate Dean for Research. Dr. Clauw joined the Medical School Dean's Staff as Assistant Dean for Clinical and Translational Research in 2004. His knowledge and expertise provides us with an excellent opportunity to expand his role in the administration of the Medical School's research programs, particularly as we significantly reorganize the oversight of clinical and translational research to remain competitive for federally sponsored research grants and to modernize our programs. Dr. Clauw's additional responsibilities as Associate Dean will include coordination of the clinical research efforts across the Medical School and in collaboration with other schools and colleges.

Dr. Clauw's scientific expertise, knowledge of the issues in clinical and translation research and his credibility within the research community make him well

qualified to assume this senior administrative post. I am pleased that Dr. Clauw has agreed to undertake these additional responsibilities as Associate Dean for Clinical and Translational Research.

Recommended by

James O. Woolliscroft, M.D.

Interim Dean, Medical School

Recommendation endorsed by

Robert P. Kelch, M.D.

Executive Vice President for

Medical Affairs

Teresa A. Sullivan, Ph.D., Provost and Executive Vice President for

Academic Affairs

ACTION REQUEST: Additional Administrative Appointment for a Faculty Member

NAME: Herbert J. Eagle

CURRENT TITLES: Associate Professor of Slavic Languages and Literatures, with tenure, and Associate

Professor in the Residential College, without tenure, College of Literature, Science,

and the Arts

ADDITIONAL TITLE: Chair, Department of Slavic Languages and Literatures, College of Literature,

Science, and the Arts

TERM: One and a half years

EFFECTIVE DATE: January 1, 2007 through June 31, 2008

The Dean and the Executive Committee of the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts recommend the appointment of Herbert J. Eagle as chair of the Department of Slavic Languages and Literatures for a one and a half year term, effective January 1, 2007 through June 31, 2008.

Herbert Eagle received his Bachelor of Science at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology in 1963. He attended the University of Michigan where he earned his Master of Arts in 1969 and Doctorate in 1973. Professor Eagle began his teaching career as assistant professor at Purdue University in 1973 and joined our faculty as associate professor, with tenure, in 1978. He has served as director of the Program in Film and Video Studies (1981-1988) as well as interim director (1988-1989, 2003, 2005) and director (1989-1996) of the Residential College.

Professor Eagle has primary research interests in twentieth-century Russian and East European film and literature, and in the semiotics of art and culture. He has an abiding interest in verse theory, and his articles on the structures which pattern "free verse" forms in twentieth-century Russian and Czech poetry have appeared in a number of journals and anthologies.

We are very pleased to recommend the appointment of Herbert J. Eagle as chair of the Department of Slavic Languages and Literatures, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a one and a half year term, effective January 1, 2007 through June 30, 2008.

RECOMMENDED BY:

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:

Tefrence J. McDonald Arthur F. Thurnau Professor Professor of History and Dean

College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

Teresa A. Sullivan, Provost and
Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs

Approved by the Regents January 18, 2007

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN REGENTS' COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST:

Faculty Appointment to a Collegiate Professorship

NAME:

Robert N. Hensinger, M.D.

CURRENT TITLE:

Professor of Orthopaedic Surgery, with tenure, Medical

School

RECOMMENDED TITLES: William S. Smith Collegiate Professor of Orthopaedic

Surgery, and Professor of Orthopaedic Surgery, with

tenure, Medical School

EFFECTIVE DATES:

February 1, 2007 through August 31, 2012

On the recommendation of James E. Carpenter, M.D., the Harold W. and Helen L. Gehring Professor and Chair of the Department of Orthopaedic Surgery, and with the concurrence of the Executive Committee of the Medical School, I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Robert N. Hensinger, M.D., as the William S. Smith Collegiate Professor of Orthopaedic Surgery, effective February 1, 2007 through August 31, 2012.

This collegiate professorship was established on March 17, 2006 by the Regents and is intended to support the activities of a faculty member in the Department of Orthopaedic Surgery. Dr. William S. Smith served as Head of the Section of Orthopaedic Surgery at the University of Michigan from 1960 until his retirement from clinical practice in 1985.

Dr. Hensinger is a well recognized and distinguished orthopaedic surgeon. He joined the University of Michigan faculty in 1974 as the first pediatric orthopaedist at this institution and achieved his present rank of Professor of Orthopaedic Surgery in 1981. Dr. Hensinger served as Section Head of Orthopaedic Surgery from 1996-2001, and continued as Chair when Orthopaedic Surgery received departmental status in 2001 until stepping down from his administrative post in 2003. His expertise is recognized nationally through his co-founding and current senior editorship of the *Journal of Pediatric Orthopaedics*. He also has been President of the Pediatric Orthopaedic Society of North America, the Scoliosis Research Society, and the American Academy of Orthopaedic Surgeons. His expertise as a clinician and orthopaedic surgeon is noted through his activities as an advisor to the University of Michigan Athletic Department, and he has been named in the publication *Best Doctors* in America since 1995. In addition to his many achievements and honors, Dr. Hensinger received the University of Michigan Medical Center Alumni Society Distinguished Service Award in 2005.

Dr. Hensinger is a highly respected member of the Medical School faculty, who has made significant contributions, both institutionally and nationally, to the specialty of orthopaedic surgery. It is very appropriate that Dr. Hensinger be the first recipient of this prestigious professorship as he not only trained under Dr. Smith, but worked alongside him for many years. Dr. Hensinger will carry on the academic tradition that Dr. Smith embodied throughout his extensive career in orthopaedic surgery. I am very pleased, therefore, to recommend the appointment of Dr. Robert N. Hensinger as the William S. Smith Collegiate Professor of Orthopaedic Surgery.

Recommended by

James O. Woolliscroft, M.D. Interim Dean, Medical School Recommendation endorsed by

Robert P. Kelch, M.D.

Executive Vice President for

Medical Affairs

Teresa A. Sullivan, Ph.D., Provost and Executive Vice President for

Academic Affairs

ACTION REQUEST:

Academic Administrative Appointment for a Faculty Member

NAME:

Roman D. Hryciw

CURRENT TITLE:

Professor of Civil and Environmental Engineering, with tenure,

College of Engineering

RECOMMENDED TITLES: Interim Chair, Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering, and Professor of Civil and Environmental Engineering, with tenure, College of Engineering

EFFECTIVE DATE:

January 1, 2007

The Dean and the Executive Committee of the College of Engineering recommend the appointment of Roman D. Hryciw as interim chair of the Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering effective January 1, 2007 and continuing until a permanent chair is appointed.

Professor Hryciw received his BS degree from Drexel University (1981) and MS (1984) and PhD (1986) degrees from Northwestern University all in civil engineering. He began his academic career at the University of Michigan in 1986 as an assistant professor of civil engineering. He was promoted to associate professor in 1992, received tenure in 1993 and was promoted to professor in 1998.

Professor Hryciw's research interests include site characterization, in-situ testing, engineering geology, soil dynamics and earthquake engineering, soil improvement and stabilization, experimental micromechanics and computer vision. He has served on numerous important Department, College, and University committees and received many honors and awards.

Professor Hryciw has the respect of his colleagues and will provide strong administrative leadership as the department goes through an important transition. His appointment as interim chair of the Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering, effective January 1, 2007, is strongly recommended.

RECOMMENDED BY:

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:

David C. Munson, Jr.

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Robert J. Vlasic Dean of Engineering

College of Engineering

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Provost and Executive Vice President

for Academic Affairs

ACTION REQUEST:

Academic Administrative Appointment for a Faculty Member

NAME:

Shixin Jack Hu

CURRENT TITLE:

Professor of Mechanical Engineering, with tenure, College of

Engineering

RECOMMENDED TITLES: Associate Dean for Research and Professor of Mechanical

Engineering, with tenure, College of Engineering

TERM:

Five Years

EFFECTIVE DATES:

January 1, 2007 through December 31, 2011

The Dean and the Executive Committee of the College of Engineering recommend the appointment of Professor Shixin Jack Hu as associate dean for research, for a five-year term, effective January 1, 2007 through December 31, 2011.

Professor Hu received his BS degree in 1983 from the Tianjin University in China and his MS and PhD degrees in 1986 and 1990 from the University of Michigan, respectively.

Professor Hu has served as Director of the College's Michigan Interdisciplinary and Professional Engineering Program, the Program in Manufacturing, and Interpro and successfully launched the Master of Engineering in Manufacturing education program globally. He pioneered the field of "Complaint Assembly" and his methodologies have been used by the U.S. auto companies to improve auto body assembly quality. Professor Hu has taught a wide variety of undergraduate and graduate courses with excellent evaluations and received Mechanical Engineering's Teaching Incentive Award twice. Many of his PhD and MS students have taken leadership positions in industry and academia.

Professor Hu has demonstrated that he possesses the experience, ability, and commitment to fulfill the important responsibilities of an associate dean in the College of Engineering. We are pleased to recommend the appointment of Professor Shixin Jack Hu as associate dean for research effective January 1, 2007 through December 31, 2011.

RECOMMENDED BY:

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:

David C. Munson, Jr.

David C Munson h.

Robert J. Vlasic Dean of Engineering

College of Engineering

Provost and Executive Vice President

for Academic Affairs

Approved by the Regents January 18, 2007

ACTION REQUEST:

Change in Academic Administrative Title

NAME:

Raymond J. Hutchinson, M.D.

CURRENT TITLES:

Professor of Pediatrics and Communicable Diseases. with tenure, and Assistant Dean for Research Regulatory

Affairs, Medical School

RECOMMENDED TITLES: Professor of Pediatrics and Communicable Diseases,

with tenure, and Associate Dean for Research

Regulatory Affairs, Medical School

EFFECTIVE DATE:

November 15, 2006

With the concurrence of the Executive Committee of the Medical School, I am pleased to recommend a change in the academic administrative title for Raymond J. Hutchinson, M.D., from Assistant Dean to Associate Dean for Research Regulatory Affairs, effective November 15, 2006.

The administration of the Medical School's Office of Research and Graduate Studies has undergone a review with the change in leadership due to the recent departure of Dr. Raymond Ruddon as Senior Associate Dean for Research. In August 2006, Dr. Hutchinson joined the Medical School Dean's Staff as Assistant Dean for Research Regulatory Affairs. Although he only recently was appointed in this capacity, his knowledge and expertise provides us with an excellent opportunity to expand his activities in the administration of the Medical School's compliance programs beyond his role in research. Dr. Hutchinson's additional responsibilities as Associate Dean will be service as chair of the Medical School Compliance Committee and as a member of the Medical School Conflict of Interest Board.

Dr. Hutchinson's scientific expertise, knowledge of the regulatory issues in research, training and clinical activities, and his credibility with the faculty make him

well qualified to assume this senior administrative post. I am pleased that Dr. Hutchinson has agreed to undertake these additional responsibilities as Associate Dean for Research Regulatory Affairs.

Recommended by

James O. Woolliscroft, M.D. Interim Dean, Medical School Recommendation endorsed by

Robert P. Kelch, M.D.

Executive Vice President for

Medical Affairs

Teresa A. Sullivan, Ph.D., Provost and Executive Vice President for

Academic Affairs

ACTION REQUEST:

Faculty Appointment to Endowed Named Visiting Professor

NAME:

Mark McLelland

RECOMMENDED TITLE:

Toyota Visiting Professor of Japanese Studies

EFFECTIVE DATES:

September 1, 2007 through April 30, 2008

On the recommendation of the Executive Committees of the Center for Japanese Studies and the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, we are pleased to recommend the appointment of Mark McLelland as the Toyota Visiting Professor of Japanese Studies, effective September 1, 2007 through April 30, 2008.

The Toyota Visiting Professorship in Japanese Studies was created by a generous gift from the Toyota Motor Corporation in 1988 to bring distinguished scholars and/or "public figures" to the University to teach and conduct research on Japan. The primary objective of the professorship is to promote American understanding of Japan among students, scholars, policy-makers, opinion leaders, and those in the business and local community.

Mark McLelland attended the University of Cambridge where he received his Bachelor of Arts with honors in 1988 and Master of Arts in 1992. He attended the University of Hong Kong where he received his Doctorate in 2000. Following two three-year postdoctoral fellowships in the Centre for Critical and Cultural Studies at the University of Queensland, he was appointed lecturer in at the University of Wollongong.

Professor McLelland has published two monographs, edited several books, and written a number of book chapters. He is the founder of AsiaPacifiQueer, a research forum for the study of queer sexualities in Australia. He has organized its conferences at the University of Queensland and the University of Technology in Sydney and was a member of the organizing committee for Sexualities, Genders, and Rights in Asia. While in residence at the University of Michigan, he will teach mini-courses on Japanese postwar gender and sexuality and will speak at the Noon Lecture Series sponsored by the Center for Japanese Studies. He will also be available to meet with faculty and students.

We are very pleased to recommend the appointment of Mark McLelland as the Toyota Visiting Professor of Japanese Studies, effective September 1, 2007 through April 30, 2008.

Recommended by:

Terrenge J. McDonald

Arthur F. Thurnau Professor

Professor of History and Dean

College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

January 2007

Recommendation endorsed by:

Teresa A. Sullivan, Provost and

Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs

ACTION REQUEST:

Faculty Appointment to an Endowed Named Visiting Professor

NAME:

Dan Miron

RECOMMENDED TITLE:

Louis and Helen Padnos Visiting Professor of Judaic Studies

EFFECTIVE DATES:

September 1, 2007 through December 31, 2007

On the recommendation of the Director of the Jean and Samuel Frankel Center for Judaic Studies and the Executive Committee of the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, we are pleased to recommend the appointment of Dan Miron as the Louis and Helen Padnos Visiting Professor of Judaic Studies during fall 2007, effective September 1, 2007 through December 31, 2007.

As a result of a generous gift from Stuart and Barbara Padnos and the Louis and Helen Padnos Foundation, the Louis and Helen Padnos Visiting Professorship in Judaic Studies was established in September 1988. This professorship enables the Center for Judaic Studies to invite distinguished scholars to the Ann Arbor campus each year.

Dan Miron earned his Bachelor of Arts, *summa cum laude*, at the Rubin Academy of Music, Jerusalem, in 1957; Master of Arts, *cum laude*, at the Hebrew University of Jerusalem in 1960; and Doctorate, *summa cum laude*, at Columbia University in 1967. Professor Miron began his teaching career as assistant professor at Tel Aviv University in 1960 and was promoted through the ranks to professor in 1974. He has also held appointments as professor at Hebrew University (1975-1976), visiting professor at Columbia (1977-1978), chair of the Department of Hebrew Literature at Hebrew University (1979-1986), and has been the Leonard Kay Chair at Columbia since 1987.

A prolific scholar, critic, and editor, Professor Miron has established himself as the leading authority on Hebrew literature. His influential books study the most prominent Hebrew and Yiddish authors, fiction writers, and poets since the revival of Hebrew literature in the 19th century. As an editor-scholar, he is also responsible for some of the most important collected writing projects to be published in Hebrew. His latest book, *From the Worm a Butterfly Emerges*, is an examination of the life and work of the poet, Nathan Alterman, as a young man. His first book on Yiddish literature, *A Traveler Disguised: The Rise of Modern Yiddish Fiction in the Nineteenth Century* (1973), can be said to have inaugurated modern academic study of Yiddish.

Professor Miron will teach classes during fall term 2007 that will reflect his literary methodology – one will be a graduate seminar on Sholem Aleichem, the well-known Yiddish writer at the turn of the 20th century; and the other is an undergraduate class on either Hebrew or Israeli literature. These courses will also complement offerings in the Department of Near Eastern Studies and the Program in Comparative Literature.

We are very pleased to recommend the appointment of Dan Miron as the Louis and Helen Padnos Visiting Professor of Judaic Studies, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, during fall 2007, effective September 1, 2007 through December 31, 2007.

Recommended by:

Terrence J. McDonald

Arthyr F. Thurnau Professor,

Professor of History, and Dean,

College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

Recommendation endorsed by:

Teresa A. Sullivan

Provost and Executive Vice President for

for Academic Affairs

Approved by the Regents
January 18, 2007

The University of Michigan REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Administrative Appointment Approval

NAME: Julie A. Peterson, M.B.A., B.A.

CURRENT TITLE: Associate Vice President for Media Relations

and Public Affairs

RECOMMENDED TITLES: Interim Vice President for Communications; Associate

Vice President for Media Relations and Public Affairs

EFFECTIVE DATE: February 1, 2007

It is with distinct pleasure that I recommend the appointment of Julie A. Peterson to the position of interim vice president for communications, effective February 1, 2007. She will continue to hold her current title of associate vice president for media relations and public affairs.

As interim vice president for communications, Ms. Peterson will have oversight for all aspects of both internal and external communications for the University, including communication policy, media relations, special events, advertising/marketing, and creative editorial and design services. She will provide leadership on communication strategy for the University and will counsel the president and executive officers regarding communication issues.

Ms. Peterson joined the University of Michigan in 1994 as director of News and Information Services, managing the University's central public information and media relations office, including the University Record and Michigan Today. She was appointed associate vice president for media relations and public affairs in 2000. In that role she acted as media spokesperson for the University, managed crisis communication and has served as a senior adviser to University leadership.

Ms. Peterson earned her B.A. in journalism and M.B.A. in marketing from Indiana University. Prior to joining the University of Michigan, she was a staff writer and managing editor of University of Indiana's News Bureau, managing and directing a comprehensive news and information program.

Over the past 12 years at the University of Michigan, she has guided us expertly through many communication challenges and has worked closely with Lisa Rudgers on long-term strategic positioning issues.

The depth of her experience and knowledge of the University make Ms. Peterson the ideal candidate to fill this crucial role. For these reasons, I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Julie A. Peterson as interim vice president for communications.

Respectfully submitted,

Mary Sue Coleman

President

ACTION REQUEST:

Approval of a Professional Administrative Appointment

NAME:

Loren J. Rullman

RECOMMENDED TITLE: Associate Vice President for Student Affairs

EFFECTIVE DATE:

February 1, 2007

I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Loren J. Rullman as Associate Vice President for Student Affairs effective February 1, 2007.

Dr. Rullman received his Ph.D. in Educational Leadership in Higher Education/Student Affairs from the University of Missouri – St. Louis, and an M.S. Ed. in Higher Education from Indiana University. He most recently served as Executive Director of Indiana Memorial Union and Indiana University Auditorium where he had responsibility for administrative, financial, operational and programmatic leadership. Previous to that position, he served as Assistant Vice President, Enrollment Management and Director, Student Auxiliary Services at Southeast Missouri State University, where he supervised the departments of the University Center (college union), Food Service, Recreational Sports, and Residential Life. Dr. Rullman also served as an elected member of the Board of Trustees for the Association of College Unions International from 2002 to 2004.

Dr. Rullman has previous experience working with the University of Michigan community when he served as Director of University Unions for two years. During this time, Dr. Rullman was responsible for administrative, financial and programmatic functions of the three auxiliary and one academic unions. As director, his duties included overseeing operations for the self-operated food service, hotel, meeting and event services, leased operations, facilities services, and major events and concerts.

Dr. Rullman brings almost 20 years progressive experience in the areas of college unions, student services, and facilities management. His experience as an effective administrator will benefit student life by serving to develop strong and collaborative community where students, faculty, alumni and staff are engaged in social and academic programs and services. We welcome his skill as a contemporary leader who can manage high achieving, service-oriented staffs that contribute to the success of mission critical objectives.

Reporting to the Vice President for Student Affairs, Dr. Rullman will provide leadership for Divisional initiatives, University Housing and University Unions. His exceptional talent as a seasoned administrator will help UM build an engaging environment that contributes to an educational, living and learning experience that enhances the quality of student life.

It is with confidence and enthusiasm that I recommend the appointment of Loren J. Rullman as Associate Vice President for Student Affairs. His wide-range of experience leading student affairs and auxiliary enterprise units will provide leadership to ensure that the division continues to be responsive, accessible and accountable to students, faculty and staff.

Respectfully submitted,

E. Royster Harpe

Vice President for Student Affairs

Approved by the Regents January 18, 2007

ACTION REQUEST: Reappointment to a Collegiate Professorship

NAME: William E. Smoyer, M.D.

CURRENT TITLES: Associate Professor of Pharmacy, without tenure,

College of Pharmacy; Associate Professor of Pediatrics and Communicable Diseases, with tenure; and Robert C. Kelsch Collegiate Professor of Pediatric Nephrology,

Medical School

TITLE BEING RENEWED: Robert C. Kelsch Collegiate Professor of Pediatric

Nephrology, Medical School

EFFECTIVE DATES: September 1, 2006 through August 31, 2011

On the recommendation of Valerie P. Castle, M.D., the Ravitz Foundation Professor and Chair of the Department of Pediatrics and Communicable Diseases, and with the concurrence of the Executive Committee of the Medical School, I am pleased to recommend the reappointment of William E. Smoyer, M.D., as the Robert C. Kelsch Collegiate Professor of Pediatric Nephrology, effective September 1, 2006 through August 31, 2011.

The Robert C. Kelsch Collegiate Professorship in Pediatric Nephrology was established in 1994 through a major gift from Drs. Carol and Irving Smokler, as well as gifts and pledges from colleagues and friends of Dr. Kelsch. This collegiate professorship supports the activities of a faculty member in the Division of Pediatric Nephrology in the Department of Pediatrics and Communicable Diseases.

Dr. Smoyer is recognized as a leader in the specialty of pediatric nephrology. He is co-founder of the Renal Replacement Therapy Kinetics Study Group, as well as the Midwest Pediatric Nephrology Consortium. He also is a council member of the American Society of Pediatric Nephrology. Dr. Smoyer is principal investigator of a T32 training grant sponsored by the National Institute of Diabetes & Digestive & Kidney Diseases (NIDDK), a subproject principal investigator on an NIH Program Project grant, and co-investigator on several other NIH grants. His bibliography reflects 47 peer-reviewed articles, 11 chapters in books, and numerous abstracts and communications. Dr. Smoyer's expertise in the field is further recognized through his invitations as guest speaker at national and international society meetings and conferences.

Dr. Smoyer has a strong record of ongoing and exemplary contributions in the field of pediatric nephrology. It is appropriate that he continue to hold this prestigious title. I am pleased, therefore, to recommend the reappointment of William E. Smoyer, M.D., as the Robert C. Kelsch Collegiate Professor of Pediatric Nephrology.

Recommended by

James O. Woolliscroft, M.D. Interim Dean, Medical School

Frank J. Ascione, Pharm.D., Ph.D. Dean, College of Pharmacy

Recommendation endorsed by

Robert P. Kelch, M.D.

Executive Vice President for

Medical Affairs

Teresa A. Sullivan, Ph.D., Provost and Executive Vice President for

Academic Affairs

Approved by the Regents January 18, 2007

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Faculty Reappointment to a Collegiate Professorship

NAME: Mark A. Tessler

CURRENT TITLES: Samuel J. Eldersveld Collegiate Professor of Political

Science, Professor of Political Science, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, and Vice Provost for International Affairs, Office of the Provost and

Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs

TITLE BEING RENEWED: Samuel J. Eldersveld Collegiate Professor of Political

Science, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

TERM: Five years, renewable

EFFECTIVE DATES: January 1, 2007 through December 31, 2011

With the endorsement of the Executive Committee of the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, we are pleased to recommend the reappointment of Mark A. Tessler as the Samuel J. Eldersveld Collegiate Professor of Political Science for a five-year renewable term, effective January 1, 2007 through December 31, 2011.

Samuel J. Eldersveld, professor of political science, had a remarkable career spanning forty-one years at the University of Michigan. He retired in 1987. The Samuel J. Eldersveld Collegiate Professorship in Political Science was established by the Regents in October 2001. A stipend funded from college resources will accompany this professorship.

Mark Tessler received his Bachelor of Arts from Case-Western Reserve University in 1963 and his Doctorate from Northwestern University in 1969. Professor Tessler came to Michigan in 2001 from the University of Arizona where he was professor of political science and director of the Center for Middle Eastern Studies (1999-2001). Previously, he was on the faculty at the University of Wisconsin, Milwaukee, where he was professor (1968-1999) and director of the Center for International Studies (1991-1999).

Professor Tessler was appointed to the Eldersveld Collegiate Professorship in 2001. Since then he was appointed vice provost for international affairs and director of the International Institute (2004). In spite of his heavy administrative duties, he remains an effective teacher and an extraordinary mentor of graduate students. He is a very active and influential scholar who in the last three years alone has published nearly a dozen articles and edited a major book. He is a

superb citizen of the Department of Political Science as well as of the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts and the University.

We are very pleased to recommend the reappointment of Mark A. Tessler as the Samuel J. Eldersveld Collegiate Professor of Political Science, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, for a five-year renewable term, effective January 1, 2007 through December 31, 2011.

Recommended by:

Recommendation endorsed by:

Terrence J. McDonald

Arthur F. Thurnau Professor Professor of History and Dean

College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

January 2007

Teresa A. Sullivan, Provost and

Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs

Approved by the Regents
January 18, 2007

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Additional Appointment to a Collegiate Professorship

NAME: Hom-Lay Wang

CURRENT TITLE: Professor of Dentistry, with tenure, School of Dentistry

RECOMMENDED TITLES: Collegiate Professor of Periodontics and Professor of

Dentistry, with tenure, School of Dentistry

TERM: Five years, renewable

EFECTIVE DATES: January 1, 2007 through December 31, 2011

The Dean and Executive Committee of the School of Dentistry are pleased to recommend the appointment of Hom-Lay Wang as the Collegiate Professor of Periodontics effective January 1, 2007 through December 31, 2011, with the possibility of renewal.

This endowed collegiate professorship was established by the Regents in December 2006. The intent of the professorship is that it be used as a rotating title to be awarded to a selected School of Dentistry senior faculty member.

Dr. Wang received his D.D.S. from Case Western Reserve University (CWRU) in 1989 and both a Master of Science and a specialty certificate in Periodontology from CWRU in 1987. Dr. Wang joined the faculty of the University of Michigan as an assistant professor of dentistry in the Department of Periodontics, Prevention, and Geriatrics in 1989. He was promoted to associate professor, with tenure, in 1997 and to professor in 2002. In 1995 he was appointed director of Graduate Periodontics and currently serves in this position.

Dr. Wang has been extensively involved in both clinical and didactic teaching. He has taught and/or directed virtually every offering in the periodontics program. Dr. Wang represents the type of individual needed to translate biological research to the clinical arena. He has been instrumental in bridging the link to understanding the relationship between biological and clinical disciplines. As director of the Graduate Periodontics Program, his students are provided solid training in basic concepts and surgical procedures. His excellent mentoring skills at the didactic, clinical and research levels are proven by the consistently high performance of his students on the Michigan Periodontal and American Academy of Periodontology Board Exams.

Dr. Wang is a researcher in the area of translational research, in the fields of guided tissue regeneration and implantology. He has published widely in this area and is recognized internationally for his achievements. Dr. Wang has expanded his research endeavors to include dental implants, periodontal diagnostics, chemotherapeutics, and new regenerative devices. This gifted clinical investigator continues to excel in these new areas of research.

Dr. Wang has served on several professional advisory boards, national and international review committees; editorial boards, and is a consultant to the Commission on Dental Accreditation of the American Dental Association. The Research, Science and Therapy Committee of the American Academy of Periodontology bestowed upon Dr. Wang the singular honor to write the Academy's informational/position paper on "Periodontal Regeneration." He has also served with distinction as associate editor for The International Journal of Oral & Maxillofacial Implants of Academy of Osseointegration as well as Periodontal Literature Reviews of the American Academy of Periodontology. All of these positions attest to Dr. Wang's outstanding reputation in the disciplines of periodontology and academic dentistry

At the School of Dentistry, Dr. Wang has a strong record of service. He has served on virtually every important departmental committee and on School committees such as Appointments, Promotions and Tenure, Nominations and Elections, Graduate Studies, Health Sciences IRB, and numerous search committees. He has chaired several scientific and clinical meetings. He is an active participant in organized Dentistry at both the generalist and specialty levels and is clearly helping to shape the future of the profession.

I am pleased to recommend Hom-Lay Wang as the Collegiate Professor of Periodontics in the School of Dentistry effective January 1, 2007 through December 31, 2011.

Recommended by:

Peter J. Polvefini, DDS, DMSc., Dean

School of Dentistry

Recommendation endorsed by:

Teresa A. Sullivan, PhD, Provost and Executive Vice-President for Academic

Affairs

ACTION REQUEST: Faculty Reappointment to a Collegiate Professorship

NAME: Henry T. Wright

CURRENT TITLES: Albert Clanton Spaulding Collegiate Professor of

Anthropology and Professor of Anthropology, with tenure,

College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

TITLE BEING RENEWED: Albert Clanton Spaulding Collegiate Professor of

Anthropology, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

TERM: Five years, renewable

EFFECTIVE DATES: January 1, 2007 through December 31, 2011

With the endorsement of the Executive Committee of the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, we are pleased to recommend the reappointment of Henry T. Wright as the Albert Clanton Spaulding Collegiate Professor of Anthropology for a five-year renewable term, effective January 1, 2007 through December 31, 2011.

Albert Clanton Spaulding was curator of archaeology and a faculty member at the University of Michigan from 1947 to 1959. The Albert Clanton Spaulding Collegiate Professorship in Anthropology was established by the Regents in October 2001. A stipend funded from college resources will accompany this professorship.

Henry Wright completed his Bachelor of Arts with honors at the University of Michigan in 1964. He attended the University of Chicago where he earned a Master of Arts in 1965 and his Doctorate in 1967. Professor Wright returned to Michigan where he began his teaching career as assistant professor in 1967 and was promoted through the ranks to professor in 1976. He has been curator of the Museum of Anthropology since 1967 and was its director from 1989 to 1992.

Professor Wright is an anthropological archaeologist whose breadth of knowledge and range of scholarly activity is simply remarkable. A MacArthur Fellow and a member of the National Academy of Sciences, he is internationally recognized for the importance of his work and his stature in the field. Since his appointment to the Spaulding Collegiate Professorship, he has continued to be an active fieldworker, involved in archaeological surveys in Hunan, Madagascar, and eastern Syria. His most recent grants from the National Science Foundation have been in support of his students' research, but Professor Wright remains very closely involved in this work. His recent publications show an unflagging productivity and continue to make important theoretical and methodological contributions.

As for teaching, Professor Wright is a faithful contributor to the graduate core course program, offering a service course every year. He is particularly skilled at linking the course material to the larger anthropological issues that cross subfields and tie into the students' own research plans. He also teaches courses on his own specialty and more general archaeology or prehistory courses.

Professor Wright is an unusual scholar whose national and international reputation rests on brilliant accomplishments and contributes largely to the prestige of the Department of Anthropology. We are pleased to recommend the reappointment of Henry T. Wright as the Albert Clanton Spaulding Collegiate Professor of Anthropology for a five-year renewable term, effective January 1, 2007 through December 31, 2011.

Recommended by:

Recommendation endorsed by:

Terrence J. McDonald

Arthur F. Thurnau Professor Professor of History and Dean

College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

January 2007

Teresa A. Sullivan, Provost and

Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN

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UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN - DEARBORN

Recommendations for approval of other personnel transactions for regular instructional staff and selected academic administrative staff

ACTION REQUEST:

Academic Administrative Appointment for a Faculty Member

NAME:

Andrew Urbaczewski

CURRENT TITLE:

Associate Professor of Management Information Systems, with

tenure, School of Management

ADDITIONAL TITLE:

Chair, Department of Management Studies, School of Management

TERM:

Two Years

EFFECTIVE DATES:

January 1, 2007 through December 31, 2009

The Dean of the School of Management and the Provost and Vice-Chancellor for Academic Affairs are pleased to recommend the appointment of Andrew Urbaczewski as chair of the Department of Management Studies, School of Management, effective January 1, 2007 through December 31, 2009.

Professor Urbaczewski earned a Bachelor of Science degree in finance from the University of Tennessee-Knoxville in 1991, a Masters of Business Administration from West Virginia University in 1992, and a Ph.D. in business from Indiana University in 2000. He joined the School of Management in 2003 and is currently an associate professor of management information systems.

Professor Urbaczewski is a scholar who has consistently excelled in his research activities. He has published in top-tier journals including the *Journal of Management Information Systems*, Communications of the ACM, and Communications of the AIS. Professor Urbaczewski is also a strong teacher. He received the Washington State University MIS Club "Professor of the Year Award" for 2002-2003. He has continued his strong teaching at UM-Dearborn as evidenced by his excellent teaching evaluations. Additionally, Professor Urbaczewski is active in service to his profession and to the school. He has developed a reputation as an outstanding leader.

I strongly believe he will continue to provide strong and effective leadership to the Department of Management Studies. I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Andrew Urbaczewski as chair of the Department of Management Studies, School of Management, effective January, 1 2007 through December 31, 2009.

RECOMMENDED BY:

Daniel Little, Chancellor

University of Michigan-Dearborn