THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN

Regents Communication

ACTION REQUEST

Subject: Report of Faculty Retirement
Action Requested: Adoption of Retirement Memoir

Louis Y. Tsui, Ph.D., associate professor of computer and information science in the College of Engineering and Computer Science, University of Michigan-Dearborn, retired from active faculty status on December 31, 2014.

Professor Tsui received his B.S. degree from Tamkang University in 1974 and his M.S. and Ph.D. degrees from the University of Michigan in 1977 and 1984, respectively. He joined the University of Michigan-Dearborn faculty as an assistant professor in 1987, and was promoted to associate professor in 1994.

Professor Tsui is a leading authority in the fields of operations research, engineering, and computer science. His work utilized mathematical models and analysis to develop optimal solutions to complex decision-making problems. A gifted teacher and dedicated mentor, Professor Tsui developed innovative entry-level courses that encouraged collaborative learning environments, integrated experiential learning opportunities, and inspired exceptional academic achievement. His teaching efforts have provided a generation of students with the foundational skills necessary for successful careers in a broad array of industries. Professor Tsui served as director of the Engineering Computer Service, acting associate dean for the College of Engineering and Computer Science, and mentor for the Detroit Area Pre-College Engineering Program. He was named “Instructor of the Year” by the Dearborn Campus Engineers, the interdisciplinary UM-Dearborn student engineering organization, in 1991 and 1993.

The Regents now salute this distinguished faculty member by naming Louis Y. Tsui associate professor emeritus of computer and information science.

Requested by:

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