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1. Recommended promotions to the ranks of professor and associate professor, 2010 - 2011.

ANN ARBOR CAMPUS

2. Recommendations for approval of new appointments and promotions for regular associate and full professor ranks, with tenure.

   (1) Geng, Jian-Guo, associate professor of dentistry, with tenure, School of Dentistry, effective July 1, 2010.

   (2) Gipson, Debbie S., M.D., associate professor of pediatrics and communicable diseases, with tenure, Medical School, effective May 1, 2010.

   (3) Maynard, Andrew D., Charles and Rita Gelman Risk Science Professor, effective September 1, 2010 through August 31, 2015, and professor of environmental health sciences, with tenure, School of Public Health, effective September 1, 2010.

   (4) McLoyd, Vonnie C., professor of psychology, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2010.

3. Recommendations for approval of reappointments of regular instructional staff and selected administrative staff.

   (1) Bulkley, Jonathan W., Peter M. Wege Endowed Professor of Sustainable Systems, School of Natural Resources and Environment, effective June 1, 2010 through May 31, 2011 (also professor of resource policy, with tenure, School of Natural Resources and Environment, and professor of civil and environmental engineering, with tenure, College of Engineering.)

   (2) Castle, Valerie P., M.D., Ravitz Foundation Professor of Pediatrics and Communicable Diseases, Medical School, effective April 1, 2009 through June 30, 2013 (also chair, Department of Pediatrics and Communicable Diseases, and professor of pediatrics and communicable diseases, with tenure.)

   (3) Gregory, Christine, assistant dean for student affairs, Law School, effective September 1, 2010 through August 31, 2012.

   (4) Herzog, Donald J., Edson R. Sunderland Professor of Law, Law School, effective September 1, 2010 through August 31, 2015 (also professor of law, with tenure, Law School, and professor of political science, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts.)
3. Recommendations for approval of reappointments of regular instructional staff and selected administrative staff.

(5) Kaplan, Rachel, Samuel Trask Dana Professor of Environment and Behavior, School of Natural Resources and Environment, effective June 1, 2010 through May 31, 2015 (also professor of natural resources, with tenure, School of Natural Resources and Environment, and professor of psychology, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts.)

(6) Mobley, Harry L.T., Ph.D., Frederick G. Novy Collegiate Professor of Microbiology and Immunology, Medical School, effective July 1, 2009 through June 30, 2014 (also chair, Department of Microbiology and Immunology, and professor of microbiology and immunology, with tenure.)

(7) Regan, Donald H., William W. Bishop, Jr. Collegiate Professor of Law, Law School, effective September 1, 2010 through August 31, 2015 (also professor of law, with tenure, Law School, and professor of philosophy, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts.)

(8) Reimann, Mathias W., Hessel E. Yntema Professor of Law, Law School, effective September 1, 2010 through August 31, 2015 (also professor of law, with tenure.)

4. Recommendations for approval of joint or additional appointments or transfers of regular associate or full professors and selected administrative staff.

(1) Baker, Wayne E., Robert P. Thome Professor of Business Administration, Stephen M. Ross School of Business, effective September 1, 2010 through August 31, 2015 (also professor of organizational behavior and human resource management, with tenure, Stephen M. Ross School of Business, and professor of sociology, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts.)

(2) Boyd, Iain D., James E. Knott Professor of Engineering, College of Engineering, effective May 1, 2010 through August 31, 2015 (also professor of aerospace engineering, with tenure.)

(3) Gilsdorf, Janet R., M.D., Robert P. Kelch, M.D. Research Professor of Pediatrics and Communicable Diseases, Medical School, effective May 1, 2010 through August 31, 2015 (also professor of pediatrics and communicable diseases, with tenure, Medical School, and professor of epidemiology, without tenure, School of Public Health.)

(4) Hathaway, James C., James E. and Sarah A. Degan Professor of Law, Law School, effective July 1, 2010 through June 30, 2015 (also professor of law, with tenure.)
ANN ARBOR CAMPUS

4. Recommendations for approval of joint or additional appointments or transfers of regular associate or full professors and selected administrative staff.

(5) Krishnan, Mayuram S., Joseph Handleman Professor, Stephen M. Ross School of Business, effective September 1, 2010 through August 31, 2015 (also professor of computer and information systems, with tenure.)

(6) Lafontaine, Francine, William Davidson Professor of Business Administration, Stephen M. Ross School of Business, effective September 1, 2010 through August 31, 2015 (also professor of business economics, with tenure, Stephen M. Ross School of Business, and professor of economics, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts.)

(7) Lanen, William N., KPMG Professor of Accounting, Stephen M. Ross School of Business, effective September 1, 2010 through August 31, 2015 (also professor of accounting, with tenure.)

(8) Manchanda, Puneet, Isadore and Leon Winkelman Professor of Retail Marketing, Stephen M. Ross School of Business, effective September 1, 2010 through August 31, 2015 (also professor of marketing, with tenure.)

(9) Pipe, Steven W., M.D., Laurence A. Boxer, M.D. Research Professor of Pediatrics and Communicable Diseases, Medical School, effective May 1, 2010 through August 31, 2015 (also associate professor of pediatrics and communicable diseases, with tenure, and associate professor of pathology, without tenure.)

(10) Wooten, David B., Alfred L. Edwards Collegiate Professor, Stephen M. Ross School of Business, effective September 1, 2010 through August 31, 2015 (also associate professor of marketing, with tenure.)

(11) Zemgulys, Andrea P., associate professor of women’s studies, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2010 (also associate professor of English language and literature, with tenure.)

5. Establishing and renaming professorships and selected academic administrative positions.

(1) Establishment of an Endowed Professorship as the Endowed Professorship in Burn Surgery, Medical School, effective May 1, 2010.
ANN ARBOR CAMPUS

5. Establishing and renaming professorships and selected academic administrative positions.

   (2) Change in name of an existing Research Professorship as the Bucky and Patti Harris Career Development Professorship in Neurology, Medical School, effective May 1, 2010 (currently the Bucky and Patti Harris Research Professorship in Neurology.)

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


   (2) Rosa, Joseph, director, University of Michigan Museum of Art, effective July 1, 2010.

   (3) Zhu, Ji, correction to educational information, effective May 1, 2010.

DEARBORN CAMPUS

7. Recommendations for approval of reappointments of regular instructional staff and selected administrative staff.

   (1) Little, Daniel E., Ph.D., chancellor, University of Michigan – Dearborn, effective July 1, 2010 through June 30, 2015 (also professor of philosophy, with tenure, College of Arts, Sciences, and Letters.)

   (2) Wrobel, Nancy Howells, chair, Department of Behavioral Sciences, College of Arts, Sciences, and Letters, effective July 1, 2010 through June 30, 2013 (also professor of psychology, with tenure.)

8. Recommendations for approval of joint or additional appointments or transfers of regular associate or full professors and selected administrative staff.

   (1) Lachance, Michael A., chair, Department of Mathematics and Statistics, College of Arts, Sciences, and Letters, effective July 1, 2010 through June 30, 2013 (also professor of mathematics, with tenure.)
FLINT CAMPUS

9. Recommendations for approval of reappointments of regular instructional staff and selected administrative staff.

   (1) Lutzker, Adam, chair, Department of Economics, College of Arts and Sciences, effective July 1, 2010 through June 30, 2013 (also associate professor of economics, with tenure.)

   (2) Stach, Robert W., chair, Department of Chemistry and Biochemistry, College of Arts and Sciences, effective July 1, 2010 through June 30, 2015 (also professor of chemistry, with tenure.)

10. Recommendations for approval of joint or additional appointments or transfers of regular associate or full professors and selected administrative staff.

   (1) Waters, Christine M., chair, Department of Communication and Visual Arts, College of Arts and Sciences, effective July 1, 2010 through June 30, 2011 (also professor of art, with tenure.)

COMMITTEE APPOINTMENTS

11. Ann Arbor campus.
ANN ARBOR, DEARBORN, AND FLINT CAMPUSES

Recommended promotions to the ranks
of professor and associate professor

2010-2011
Recommendations for approval of new appointments and promotions for regular associate and full professor ranks, with tenure
ACTION REQUEST: Faculty Appointment Approval

NAME: Jian-Guo Geng, MD, PhD

TITLE: Associate Professor of Dentistry, School of Dentistry

TENURE STATUS With Tenure

EFFECTIVE DATE: July 1, 2010

APPOINTMENT PERIOD: 12 Months

On the recommendation of the Executive Committee of the School of Dentistry, I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Jian-Guo Geng as associate professor of dentistry, with tenure, School of Dentistry, effective July 1, 2010.

ACADEMIC DEGREES

In 1983, Professor Geng received a BA degree from Shanghai Medical University. In 1988 he received a combined MD/PhD degree also from Shanghai Medical University. From 1989 to 1992 he was a postdoctoral fellow at the University of Oklahoma Health Sciences Center, then from 1992 to 1998 he was a research scientist at Upjohn, in Kalamazoo, Michigan. He returned to Shanghai from 1998 to 2003 where he worked at the Chinese Academy of Sciences, Institute of Biochemistry and Cell Biology. In 2003, he was appointed to the rank of assistant professor in the Department of Medicine, Hematology Section at the University of Minnesota and in 2009 he was promoted to associate professor, with tenure.

PROFESSIONAL RECORD

Professor Geng has been involved with laboratory research for his entire academic career. His research is focused on cell adhesion and migration of leukocytes, platelets, endothelial cells and tumor cells for their functional roles in inflammation, thrombosis and cancer growth and metastasis. He is particularly interested in identifying molecular targets critical in the pathogeneses of these diseases and searching for small molecular weight compounds for specific modulation of their functional activities for treating inflammation, thrombosis and carcinogenesis.

He is a principal investigator on two National Institutes of Health (NIH) grants funded from 2005 to 2013 for $2,750,000. His research has resulted in 52 peer-reviewed articles, seven as first author and 24 as last and corresponding author that demonstrates his mentorship of junior scientists. In addition, he has eight review articles and four patents. These publications and
patents represent a continuous and consistent effort over more than 22 years. This work has been presented in a wide range of public scientific forums.

EXCERPTS FROM EXTERNAL REVIEWS

Reviewer A:
“In terms of scientific productivity, his publication record is very solid and sustained. His vitae lists 47 peer-reviewed publications, nearly all of which are in very highly ranked journals including Nature Immunology, Journal of Biological Chemistry, and Blood. A number of his original published works are highly cited, and overall his published reports are cited upwards of 100 times each year. In my opinion, his research contributions and productivity appear to be outstanding for an investigator at his academic level.”

Reviewer B:
“During his tenure in the University of Minnesota and in the Chinese Academy of Sciences, Dr. Geng has trained many students and postdoctoral fellows. His fellows and students have moved to highly reputable universities, a reflection on Dr. Geng’s achievement and ability in teaching and education.”

Reviewer C:
“Having just been promoted to associate professor, his track record for obtaining peer-reviewed funding and high impact publications in two distinct areas of inquiry Leukocyte/endothelial cell adhesion and Cancer Cell-Endothelial Cell Interactions, is noteworthy. This suggests that he has a strong likelihood of continued academic productivity and funding. In addition, he has given six extramural invited presentations since 2007, and he holds 4 patents.”

Reviewer D:
“. . . he is a capable and productive scientist who I would estimate brings strong potential for sustaining a future track record of independent research funding. I believe his research interests are within areas that receive very active consideration for competitive funding from federal and industry sources.”

Reviewer E:
“Dr. Geng has been successful in obtaining research funding. Currently, he has two NIH R01 grants, which is impressive given the very tough funding environment at the NIH. This accomplishment reflects the importance of his research and the recognition by his peers in the related field.”

Reviewer F:
“Dr. Geng has successfully established himself as a highly successful investigator whose research has broad applicability. I would anticipate that he would be an outstanding addition to the University of Michigan who would strengthen your institution’s ongoing interest in cell-cell interactions/tumor stromal biology. I would have no reservations about his ability to be promoted to associate professor with tenure at my institution.”
PROFESSIONAL SERVICE ACTIVITY

Professor Geng has served as an ad hoc reviewer, for the ELB (erythrocyte and leukocyte biology) study section of the NIH; 2007-2010, the Leukocyte Biology study section of Imperial Cancer Fund, UK; 2008, and most recently the Thrombosis study section of NHLBI; 2009. He is a member of several important professional societies such as the American Association of Immunologists and the American Society of Cell Biology. He is on two editorial boards for Cell Adhesion and Migration and Cell Research. Additionally, he is a reviewer for multiple scientific journals; of most significance are the Journal of Immunology, Journal of Biological Chemistry and the Journal of Cell Science.

SUMMARY OF RECOMMENDATION

Professor Geng currently holds two R01s with a third proposal currently in review and is funded by NIH through 2013. Professor Geng has existing ongoing collaborations with faculty at the University of Michigan. Professor Geng will bring senior academic leadership to the School of Dentistry and the University. I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Jian-Guo Geng as associate professor of dentistry, with tenure, School of Dentistry, effective July 1, 2010.

RECOMMENDED BY: Peter J. Polverini, DDS, DMSc Dean, School of Dentistry

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY: Teresa A. Sullivan, PhD Provost and Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs

May 2010
THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Faculty Appointment Approval

NAME: Debbie S. Gipson, M.D.

TITLE: Associate Professor of Pediatrics and Communicable Diseases, Medical School

TENURE STATUS: With Tenure

EFFECTIVE DATE: May 1, 2010

APPOINTMENT PERIOD: 12 Months

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 appointment of Debbie S. Gipson, M.D. as associate professor of pediatrics and communicable diseases, with tenure, Medical School, effective May 1, 2010.

Dr. Gipson received her M.D. degree from Indiana University in 1989, followed by pediatric residency training also at that institution. From 1993-1995, she served in the National Health Service Corps in the state of Washington, and then undertook a pediatric nephrology fellowship during 1995-1998 at the University of Washington, Seattle, while simultaneously completing her master’s degree in epidemiology at that institution. In 1999, Dr. Gipson was appointed as an assistant professor of medicine and pediatrics and an assistant professor of epidemiology at the University of North Carolina. In 2006, she became an associate professor in medicine and pediatrics, with tenure, at that institution and also held an appointment as an adjunct associate professor in the School of Public Health. In December 2009, Dr. Gipson came to the University of Michigan and was appointed as a clinical associate professor of pediatrics and communicable diseases.

Dr. Gipson’s research has focused on two areas of clinical and translational research: 1) focal segmental glomerulosclerosis (FSGS), a form of nephrotic syndrome, and 2) neurodevelopment and chronic kidney disease. She has achieved a national reputation for her clinical research focused in these areas. Her bibliography reflects 35 peer-reviewed publications, as well as seven book chapters and more than 50 abstracts. She has presented locally, regionally, and nationally and has an impressive history of past and current grant activity for clinical research, including leading roles on five National Institutes of Health grants. Since coming to the University of Michigan, Dr. Gipson has continued her work with interventional clinical trials.
and registries in nephrotic syndrome, as well as her studies on neurodevelopmental outcomes in children with chronic kidney disease.

Recent and Significant Publications:


Prior to her appointment at the University of Michigan in 2009, Dr. Gipson served as pediatric nephrology fellowship director at the University of North Carolina, and, in this role, she developed the curriculum for the fellowship program. She has taught medical students, residents and fellows while performing her clinical responsibilities and has been a research mentor to numerous trainees. Dr. Gipson will have similar educational responsibilities in the Division of Pediatric Nephrology at this institution.

External Review: Brief excerpts from external reviewers are provided below:

**Reviewer A:** “She has significant scholarship as evidenced by over 35 peer-reviewed papers, including a number of papers documenting advances in the diagnosis and management of focal segmental glomerulosclerosis in children . . . . I would place Dr. Gipson in the top quartile of academic pediatric nephrologists and have no question that she would be granted an equivalent rank at this institution at this time.”

**Reviewer B:** “Her work with children with chronic kidney disease and end-stage renal disease has been particularly significant . . . . I would give Dr. Gipson very high rankings. She is clearly one of the leading pediatric nephrologists in the country. Her professional work and service are outstanding.”

**Reviewer C:** “Dr. Gipson is a recognized leader in the field of Pediatric Nephrology, specializing in epidemiology and outcomes research . . . . She is at or near the top of physicians studying and publishing in these areas. She is clearly a recognized leader in the field.”
Reviewer D: “Dr. Gipson has made major contributions to the understanding of risk factors, co-morbidities, neurodevelopment and cognitive function in children with chronic kidney disease. She is indeed a role model of collegiality, integrity, scholarship and excellence.”

Reviewer E: “Dr. Gipson’s published work is characterized by a high degree of relevance to the practical improvement of clinical practice. Her high level of ongoing productivity and national standing would easily qualify Dr. Gipson for appointment at the Associate Professor level at [this institution].”

Dr. Gipson has served in several leadership positions for institutional, regional, and national organizations. She is a member of several national specialty organizations, including service on the governance taskforce for the American Society of Pediatric Nephrology. She has been an ad-hoc reviewer on many journals and served four years on the editorial board for Pediatric Nephrology. Dr. Gipson has been a team leader for several international outreach medical missions to Kenya, Zambia, and Brazil. Dr. Gipson’s clinical expertise is related to chronic kidney disease in children in both the inpatient and outpatient settings. She has been referenced in Best Doctors in America and Who’s Who in America. Dr. Gipson is board certified in pediatrics and pediatric nephrology.

Dr. Gipson is a fellowship trained pediatric nephrologist who enjoys a national reputation in her clinical specialty. Her clinical research and contributions to clinical trials are substantial, and she has extensive experience as a teacher and mentor. I am very pleased to recommend the appointment of Debbie S. Gipson, M.D. as associate professor of pediatrics and communicable diseases, with tenure, Medical School, effective May 1, 2010.

Recommendation endorsed by

Ora Hirsch Pescovitz, M.D.
Executive Vice President for Medical Affairs

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

May 2010
THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Faculty Appointment Approval

NAME: Andrew D. Maynard

TITLES: Charles and Rita Gelman Risk Science Professor, and Professor of Environmental Health Sciences, School of Public Health

TENURE STATUS: With Tenure

EFFECTIVE DATE: September 1, 2010

APPOINTMENT PERIOD: University Year

On the recommendation of the Chair of the Department of Environmental Health Sciences and with the endorsement of the Executive Committee of the School of Public Health, we are pleased to recommend the appointment of Andrew D. Maynard, Ph.D. as the Charles and Rita Gelman Risk Science Professor, effective September 1, 2010 through August 31, 2015, and professor of environmental health sciences, with tenure, School of Public Health, effective September 1, 2010.

Academic Degrees
Professor Maynard received a Ph.D. in 1992 from the University of Cambridge in the UK, focusing on aerosol physics.

Professional Record
Professor Maynard served as a scientific officer and then head of the control section of the Health and Safety Executive in the UK, a government organization similar to CDC’s National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health (NIOSH). From 2000 to 2005, he served as a senior service fellow and then team leader at NIOSH, before moving to his current position at the Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars where he is chief science advisor for the Project on Emerging Nanotechnologies.

Summary of Evaluation
The overarching theme of Professor Maynard’s research has involved development, evaluation and implementation of effective emerging technologies, particularly nanotechnologies, and their safety to workers and the public. His studies began by addressing problems involving air-borne particles and aerosol dynamics, particularly new methods for measurement and evaluation of exposure to toxins and protection against their potential health impacts. This work also included quantitative and simulation modeling of exposure. More recently, he has become involved in evaluation of, and public health policy issues surrounding, nanotechnologies and nanoparticles. In his curriculum vitae, Professor Maynard has listed 63 published peer-reviewed articles in scientific journals since 1993, 50 of which have appeared in the past decade. In addition to his peer-reviewed publications, Professor Maynard also has co-edited two scientific books and
written 10 chapters in other volumes, again all within the past decade. This is testament to his rising influence on nanotechnology development and safety policy, and his reputation among scientists working on such problems. In addition, he has had experience working with representatives of industry, non-governmental organizations and the public, all aimed at enhancing informed decision making. Professor Maynard has established a reputation among his peers as a highly regarded scholar and policy analyst, and as a thoughtful and articulate advocate for careful, scientific evaluation of risk.

Because Professor Maynard has not been working in positions where teaching is expected or even possible, he has had little opportunity to engage students in traditional academic settings. Despite having little in the way of a formal pedagogic record, he has presented nearly 200 invited lectures and addresses since 2000, mostly to scientific, research, and policy symposia, forums or professional organizations. In addition, he has provided formal testimony and briefings to a number of government bodies. Professor Maynard’s contributions to teaching should make valuable additions to the curriculum, especially those involving nanotechnology and risk evaluation.

Many of Professor Maynard’s recent accomplishments have been in the area of service to governments and the field of environmental health policy. Since 2006 he has served as an editorial board member on three research journals and, in the past two years, on four national nanotechnology policy review panels.

**Excerpts from External Review**

Reviewer (A): “This level and quality of professional services is quite impressive, placing him among the leaders in the world... I have no doubt, after hearing Dr. Maynard lecture publicly, that he will be outstanding in the classroom as an articulate and passionate pedagogue.”

Reviewer (B): “His deep knowledge of the science and policy process, coupled with his extraordinary personal skills, make him effective in the role of what I have called a ‘civic scientist,’ a scientist who employs his or her scientific accomplishments, understanding, professional stature, and communications skills to inform the public and help policy makers make good decisions...”

Reviewer (C): “This outstanding reputation is further supported by his service on numerous national and highly visible panels and committees...”

Reviewer (D): “Without a doubt, his scholarship on nanotechnology places him among the most recognized and respected scientists in the world in the focal area of policy implications of potential health and environmental effects of engineered nanoscale materials...”

Reviewer (E): “Within the toxicology community, he is regarded as a first-rate authority.”

Reviewer (F): “He is an internationally recognized expert in the field of nanotechnology risk management and risk communications.”
Reviewer (G): “... he is perhaps among the top 4 experts working on the policy-related dimensions of this area world-wide.”

Publications


Summary of Recommendation
Professor Maynard was selected to be the director of the Risk Science Center based on his skillful integration of the foundation of scientific work and leadership with a superbly articulated vision for the Center for Risk Science and his interest in promoting informed decision-making on risks and benefits through multi-stakeholder partnerships. He will bring many strengths to the Department of Environmental Health Sciences and will play a valuable role in teaching, research and service. We are pleased to recommend the appointment of Andrew D. Maynard, Ph.D. as the Charles and Rita Gelman Risk Science Professor, effective September 1, 2010 through August 31, 2015, and professor of environmental health sciences, with tenure, School of Public Health, effective September 1, 2010.

RECOMMENDED BY:  

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:  

Kenneth E. Warner  
Dean, School of Public Health

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

May 2010
ACTION REQUEST: Faculty Appointment Approval
NAME: Vonnie C. McLoyd
TITLE: Professor of Psychology, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts
TENURE STATUS: With Tenure
EFFECTIVE DATE: September 1, 2010
APPOINTMENT PERIOD: University Year

On the recommendation of the Executive Committees of the Department of Psychology and the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, we are pleased to recommend the appointment of Vonnie C. McLoyd as professor of psychology, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2010.

ACADEMIC DEGREES

Vonnie McLoyd received her Bachelor of Arts from Talladega College in 1971. She attended the University of Michigan where she completed her Master of Arts in 1973 and Doctorate in 1975.

PROFESSIONAL RECORD

Professor McLoyd began her teaching career as an assistant professor at the University of Massachusetts in 1975. She joined our faculty in 1978 as an assistant professor and was promoted to associate professor, with tenure, in 1988 and professor in 1991. She also held appointments on the research scientist track (associate research scientist, 1988-1991; research scientist, 1991-2002). She moved to the University of North Carolina where she was appointed as a professor and a research scientist (both in 2002), and has held the title of Stephen Baxter Distinguished Professor since 2006.

SUMMARY OF EVALUATION

Professor McLoyd’s research is considered to be among the best and most important in the fields of child and adolescent development. The quality of Professor McLoyd’s research has led to nearly continuous funding from a variety of governmental sources, including the National Institutes of Health and the National Institute of Child Health and Human Development (NICHD). She has been honored with numerous awards, including a Rockefeller Foundation Fellowship (1986-1987), the Reuben Hill Award from the National Council on Family Relations (1996), a MacArthur Fellowship (1996-2001), the Distinguished Career Contribution to Research...
Award from the American Psychological Association, Division 45 (2003), and the Distinguished Scientific Contribution to Child Development from the Society for Research in Child Development (2007).

Professor McLoyd is an acclaimed mentor for students and junior colleagues. Students recognize her thoughtful approach to classroom teaching at the undergraduate and graduate levels. She is the principal investigator for a training program for research on black child development supported by NICHD. Professor McLoyd has also been involved in a range of professional service activities throughout her career. These include editorial activities, including associate editor for two important journals in her field, service on the MacArthur Research Network on Transitions to Adulthood and Public Policy, and past president of the Society for Research on Adolescence.

EXCERPTS FROM EXTERNAL LETTERS

Reviewer (A)
“I can think of no scientist who is a more prominent scholar or who has greater dedication to teaching, mentorship, and leadership in the field. … Her conceptual work on…[child development] is praised as the most thoughtful and innovative in the field. … Dr. McLoyd’s vitae displays the energy and commitment that she has given to the profession. … She is regularly called upon by governmental and other agencies to serve on boards and committees…”

Reviewer (B)
“Dr. McLoyd is clearly a leader in the field. Her contributions were initially groundbreaking and still are very important in terms of the issues she addresses, the populations she studies, and her intellectual leadership.”

Reviewer (C)
“Vonnie McLoyd is at the absolute top of her field. …[she] has my highest evaluation.”

Reviewer (D)
“She is brilliant, always producing work that is sophisticated, creative, and ground-breaking. She is widely recognized nationally and internationally for her scholarship and research contributions. … In a list of significant books and articles, Vonnie’s comprehensive and thoughtful review chapters in both the fifth and sixth editions of the Handbook of Child Psychology stand out. Her theoretical article on socioeconomic status and child development from the late 1990s is widely cited and continues to be one of the best sources on that topic. All of these are ‘go to’ pieces for anyone studying the topic of poverty and children.”

Reviewer (E)
“Professor McLoyd, as a scientist, has produced scholarship which has justifiably earned the attention and respect of scholars, policy makers, and practitioners… The combination of substantive significance and methodological rigor that is the benchmark of her work has resulted in her research becoming among the most highly regarded basic and applied developmental scholarship in the world.”
Reviewer (F)
“She is one of the major contributors to our understanding of the effects of economic stress on families and children and her seminal papers in this area... have helped define the issues in this domain of inquiry. ... She is a leading scholar in child development and clearly and unequivocally merits this appointment. She was an asset to your department in the past and will be again...”

Reviewer (G)
“She has been at the cutting-edge of her field for many years and there is every reason to anticipate that her distinctive, enduring contributions will expand and flourish even more...”

PUBLICATIONS


“Linking race and ethnicity to culture: Steps along the road from inference to hypothesis testing,” Human Development, 47, 2004, pp. 185-191.


SUMMARY

Professor McLoyd is a highly valued researcher, an excellent teacher, and a recognized leader in her field. We are very pleased to recommend the appointment of Vonnie C. McLoyd as professor of psychology, with tenure, College of Literature Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2010.

RECOMMENDED BY:  
Terrence J. McDonald,  
Arthur 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 Academic Affairs

May 2010
Recommendations for approval of reappointments

of regular instructional staff and selected academic administrative staff
On the recommendation of the Dean and the faculty of the School of Natural Resources and Environment, I am pleased to recommend the reappointment of Professor Jonathan W. Bulkley as the Peter M. Wege Professor of Sustainable Systems, School of Natural Resources and Environment, effective June 1, 2010 through May 31, 2011.

The Regents approved the establishment of the Peter M. Wege Professorship in Sustainable Systems, in the School of Natural Resources and Environment, in June 2000. Peter M. Wege, president of the Wege Foundation and chair emeritus of the External Advisory Board of the Center for Sustainable Systems, in the School of Natural Resources and Environment, seeks through the professorship to recognize leadership in education and research in the application of life-cycle-analysis and the linking of economics and ecology in achieving a more sustainable society.

Professor Bulkley received two Bachelor of Science degrees in 1961, a Bachelor of Science degree in political science and civil engineering, a Master of Science degree in civil engineering in 1963, and a Doctorate degree in political science in 1966. Following two years active duty with the U.S. Army, he joined the faculty at the University of Michigan in 1968 with a joint appointment between the School of Natural Resources and Environment and the Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering in the College of Engineering. This joint appointment has continued throughout his career. He was promoted to associate professor in 1971 and to professor in 1977. From 1991 to 1998, he served as director of the National Pollution Prevention Center for Higher Education located at the University of Michigan. In 1998, he was appointed as co-director of the Center of Sustainable Systems also within the School of Natural Resources and Environment.
Professor Bulkley has educated thousands of students since arriving at the School of Natural Resources and Environment in 1968. His teaching efforts are concentrated in water policy, risk-benefit analysis and case studies in natural resources. Professor Bulkley’s research focuses on the development and application of both quantitative and qualitative means to help policymakers and decision makers attain improved planning, evaluation and management of natural resources, especially water resources.

Professor Bulkley has served on many school, department, and university committees. He has also been a member of many scientific committees and has contributed as a presenter at campus-wide and national events. His work in resource policy and sustainability in water resources is widely published. Overall, he has demonstrated significant service to the School of Natural Resources and Environment and outstanding service to the University.

We are pleased to recommend the reappointment of Jonathan W. Bulkley as the Peter M. Wege Professor of Sustainable Systems, School of Natural Resources and Environment, effective June 1, 2010 through May 31, 2011.

RECOMMENDED BY:

Rosina M. Bierbaum, Dean
School of Natural Resources and Environment

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:

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

David C. Munson, Jr.
Robert J. Vlasic Dean of Engineering
College of Engineering

May 2010
ACTION REQUEST: Approval of Reappointment to an Endowed Professorship

NAME: Valerie P. Castle, M.D.

CURRENT TITLES: Professor of Pediatrics and Communicable Diseases, with tenure, Chair, Department of Pediatrics and Communicable Diseases, and Ravitz Foundation Professor of Pediatrics and Communicable Diseases, Medical School

TITLE BEING RENEWED: Ravitz Foundation Professor of Pediatrics and Communicable Diseases, Medical School

EFFECTIVE DATES: April 1, 2009 through June 30, 2013

With the concurrence of the Executive Committee of the Medical School, I am pleased to recommend the reappointment of Valerie P. Castle, M.D. as the Ravitz Foundation Professor of Pediatrics and Communicable Diseases, Medical School, effective April 1, 2009 through June 30, 2013.

The Ravitz Foundation Professorship was established in 2004 as a term-of-years professorship, and, in 2005, was fully funded to achieve endowed status. The professorship is intended to support the activities of the chair of the Department of Pediatrics and Communicable Diseases. Dr. Castle was named as the first Ravitz Foundation Professor in 2004.

Dr. Castle received the M.D. degree from McMaster University. Following an internship and residency at that institution, she came to the University of Michigan for fellowship training in pediatric hematology/oncology. In 1990, Dr. Castle joined the faculty at the University of Michigan as assistant professor of pediatrics and communicable diseases. She advanced through the academic ranks to achieve the title of professor of pediatrics and communicable diseases in 2001. Dr. Castle has served as chair of the Department of Pediatrics and Communicable Diseases since 2003.

Dr. Castle is an internationally recognized authority in pediatric oncology. She is a member of numerous organizations of her clinical specialty and also serves as a member of the scientific advisory board for St. Jude Research Hospital and an advisory panel member for the Association of American Medical Colleges. In addition to her research activities, Dr. Castle is an exemplary teacher and clinician and serves as physician in chief of the C.S. Mott Children’s Hospital. Institutionally, she has served on numerous departmental, hospital, and university committees, and, during 2002-2003, Dr. Castle was associate provost for academic and faculty affairs at the University of Michigan.
Dr. Castle is well regarded not only for her clinical, research, and teaching accomplishments, but also for her administrative leadership. I am very pleased to recommend the reappointment of Valerie P. Castle, M.D. as the Ravitz Foundation Professor of Pediatrics and Communicable Diseases, Medical School, effective April 1, 2009 through June 30, 2013.

Recommended by

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

Recommendation endorsed by

Ora Hirsch Pescovitz, M.D.
Executive Vice President for Medical Affairs

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

May 2010
ACTION REQUEST: Reappointment of an Academic Administrative Appointment

NAME: Christine Gregory

CURRENT TITLE: Assistant Dean for Student Affairs, Law School

TITLE BEING RENEWED: Assistant Dean for Student Affairs, Law School

EFFECTIVE DATES: September 1, 2010 through August 31, 2012

It is respectfully requested that the Regents approve the reappointment of Christine Gregory as assistant dean for student affairs, Law School, effective September 1, 2010 through August 31, 2012. Her responsibilities will not include teaching.

Ms. Gregory received a B.A. with honors from Hampton University in mass media/communications in 1992 and a J.D. from the University of Michigan in 1996. After graduation from law school, Ms. Gregory became a staff attorney for the Neighborhood Legal Services Program in Washington, DC from October 1997 to May 2000; executive director for the Urban Alliance Foundation in Washington, DC from May 2000 to January 2004; and an attorney at law for the firm of Kreis, Enderle, Callander & Hudgins in Kalamazoo, MI from January to October 2004. She joined the staff of the Law School in October 2004, when she was named to the position of attorney advisor, Office of Career Services. In August 2006 she was promoted to student affairs director.

Ms. Gregory is an exceptional counselor of students and an effective liaison among various constituencies in the School -- faculty, staff, and alumni, as well as students. She brings high energy and intelligence, as well as grace, to many demanding and difficult situations. In just a short time she has revitalized and expanded our academic services programs.

The reappointment of Ms. Gregory ensures that the academic support and student programming offered by the Law School will continue to flourish. We recommend her reappointment as assistant dean for student affairs, Law School, with enthusiasm, effective September 1, 2010 through August 31, 2012.

RECOMMENDED BY:

Evan H. Caminker
Dean, Law School

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:

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

May 2010
ACTION REQUEST: Approval of Reappointment to an Endowed Professorship

NAME: Donald J. Herzog

CURRENT TITLES: Edson R. Sunderland Professor of Law, Professor of Law, with tenure, Law School, and Professor of Political Science, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

TITLE BEING RENEWED: Edson R. Sunderland Professor of Law, Law School

TERM: Five Years, Renewable

EFFECTIVE DATES: September 1, 2010 through August 31, 2015

The Law School respectfully requests that the Regents approve the reappointment of Donald J. Herzog as the Edson R. Sunderland Professor of Law, Law School, effective September 1, 2010 through August 31, 2015.

The Edson R. Sunderland Professorship was established in the Law School in 1967. Professor Sunderland was a distinguished member of the Law School faculty for 43 years, from 1901 to 1944. He was one of the leading procedural scholars in the Anglo-American legal world. The Professorship is supported by a gift from Thomas E. Sunderland.

Donald J. Herzog graduated from Cornell University with an A.B. degree summa cum laude in 1978. He earned M.A. and Ph.D. degrees from the Harvard University Department of Government in 1980 and 1982, respectively. From 1982 to 1983 he was associated with the Institute for Advanced Study in Princeton, New Jersey. In 1983 he joined the faculty of the University of Michigan in the Department of Political Science as an assistant professor. He was promoted to associate professor in 1989 and to professor in 1995. Professor Herzog became a professor of law in the Law School in 1991. He currently teaches full-time in the Law School.

Professor Herzog is a leading scholar of democratic theory. His works include Without Foundations: Justification in Political Theory, Happy Slaves: A Critique of Consent Theory, and Poisoning the Minds of the Lower Orders, in addition to numerous essays and articles. He teaches courses in moral, legal and social theory, constitutional interpretation and the First Amendment. During his career at Michigan, Professor Herzog has been awarded numerous prizes and fellowships for his scholarship and for his teaching.
Professor Herzog’s reappointment as the Edson R. Sunderland Professor of Law, Law School, effective September 1, 2010 through August 31, 2015, is a fitting recognition of his extraordinary professional accomplishments. His reappointment is recommended with enthusiasm.

RECOMMENDED BY:

Evan H. Caminker
Dean, Law School

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

May 2010
**ACTION REQUEST:** Approval of Reappointment to an Endowed Professorship

**NAME:** Rachel Kaplan

**CURRENT TITLES:** Samuel Trask Dana Professor of Environment and Behavior, Professor of Natural Resources, with tenure, School of Natural Resources and Environment, and Professor of Psychology, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

**TITLE BEING RENEWED:** Samuel Trask Dana Professor of Environment and Behavior, School of Natural Resources and Environment

**TERM:** Five Years, Renewable

**EFFECTIVE DATES:** June 1, 2010 through May 31, 2015

On the recommendation of the Dean and faculty of the School of Natural Resources and Environment, I am pleased to recommend the reappointment of Professor Rachel Kaplan as the Samuel Trask Dana Professor of Environment and Behavior, School of Natural Resources and Environment, effective June 1, 2010 through May 31, 2015.

The Professorship was established in 1968 through the cooperative efforts of Laurance Rockefeller based on his high regard and admiration for Sam Dana, the Regents of the University of Michigan, and gifts from alumni and friends. The intents of the Professorship included recognizing teaching and research, an articulate leader with a modern approach to management and policy, and someone with a keen awareness of urban needs who uses science to solve real problems.

Rachel Kaplan received the A.B. in 1958 from Oberlin College and a Ph.D. in 1962 from the University of Michigan. After completing two years as a NSF postdoctoral fellow she joined the faculty of the University of Michigan in 1964 as a lecturer in the Department of Psychology, was promoted to associate professor in the School of Natural Resources and Environment in 1973 and in the Department of Psychology in 1977. She was promoted to professor in 1978 and 1987, respectively. She is also an affiliate professor in the College of Forest Resources at the University of Washington.

Professor Kaplan is known as an outstanding teacher and mentor. Her former students not only appreciate her high standards and unflagging support; they value her advice so highly they continue to seek it years after completing their degrees. New faculty in the School of Natural
Resources and Environment also recognize and appreciate her honesty and helpfulness; many have requested she serve as their faculty mentor.

The list of Professor Kaplan’s contributions to the University of Michigan is long. Within the School of Natural Resources and Environment she has chaired the Promotion and Tenure Committee for many years and been a member of the Executive Committee on numerous occasions. She also spent several years on the University of Michigan’s advisory board for the Building Great Places to Work initiative.

In recognition of her many accomplishments we are pleased to recommend the reappointment of Rachel Kaplan as the Samuel Trask Dana Professor of Environment and Behavior, School of Natural Resources and Environment, effective June 1, 2010 through May 31, 2015.

RECOMMENDED BY:

Rosina M. Bierbaum, Dean
School of Natural Resources and Environment

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:

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

May 2010
ACTION REQUEST: Approval of Reappointment to a Collegiate Professorship

NAME: Harry L.T. Mobley, Ph.D.

CURRENT TITLES: Professor of Microbiology and Immunology, with tenure, Chair, Department of Microbiology and Immunology, and Frederick G. Novy Collegiate Professor of Microbiology and Immunology, Medical School

TITLE BEING RENEWED: Frederick G. Novy Collegiate Professor of Microbiology and Immunology, Medical School

EFFECTIVE DATES: July 1, 2009 through June 30, 2014

With the concurrence of the Executive Committee of the Medical School, I am pleased to recommend the reappointment of Harry L.T. Mobley, Ph.D. as the Frederick G. Novy Collegiate Professor of Microbiology and Immunology, Medical School, effective July 1, 2009 through June 30, 2014.

This professorship was established in 2004 to support the activities of the chair of the Department of Microbiology and Immunology. Dr. Frederick Novy was greatly respected as one of the world’s premier bacteriologists of his time. The Department of Microbiology and Immunology at the University of Michigan was founded in 1902 as the Department of Bacteriology under the leadership of Dr. Novy. In 1930, he first became a member of the executive committee directing the Medical School’s activities, and he then served as dean until his retirement in 1935.

Dr. Mobley received the Ph.D. degree from the University of Louisville in 1981. Following his postdoctoral training at the University of Maryland, he began his academic career at that institution as an assistant professor of medicine in the Division of Infectious Diseases. Dr. Mobley joined the faculty at the University of Michigan as a professor and chair of the Department of Microbiology and Immunology in 2004, as well as the Frederick G. Novy Collegiate Professor of Microbiology and Immunology.

Dr. Mobley is widely recognized as a leader in the field of microbial pathogenesis and has achieved national and international stature for his scientific contributions. Since his recruitment to the University of Michigan, he has continued to provide valuable expertise to our
research and educational missions, as well as important leadership as chair of the Department of Microbiology and Immunology. I am very pleased to recommend the reappointment of Harry L.T. Mobley, Ph.D. as the Frederick G. Novy Collegiate Professor of Microbiology and Immunology, Medical School, effective July 1, 2009 through June 30, 2014.

Recommended by

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

Recommendation endorsed by

Ora Hirsch Pescovitz, M.D.
Executive Vice President for Medical Affairs

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

May 2010
ACTION REQUEST: Approval of Reappointment to a Collegiate Professorship

NAME: Donald H. Regan

CURRENT TITLES: William W. Bishop, Jr. Collegiate Professor of Law, Professor of Law, with tenure, Law School, and Professor of Philosophy, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

TITLE BEING RENEWED: William W. Bishop, Jr. Collegiate Professor of Law, Law School

TERM: Five Years, Renewable

EFFECTIVE DATES: September 1, 2010 through August 31, 2015

The Law School respectfully requests that the Regents approve the reappointment of Donald H. Regan as the William W. Bishop, Jr. Collegiate Professor of Law, Law School, effective September 1, 2010 through August 31, 2015.

The William W. Bishop, Jr. Collegiate Professorship was established in 1990 and was named in honor of the former Edwin DeWitt Dickinson University Professor of Law, a 1931 graduate of the Law School who was a member of the faculty from 1948 until 1976. The Professorship is supported by funds from a gift of Joseph H. Parsons, a 1927 graduate of the Law School and a prominent Detroit attorney. Professor Regan was named the first holder of the William W. Bishop, Jr., Collegiate Professorship in 1990.

Professor Regan has been a member of the Law School faculty since 1968 and a professor of philosophy since 1983. He received his B.A. degree in mathematics in 1963 from Harvard University, and his LL.B. degree in 1966 from the University of Virginia Law School. He was a Rhodes Scholar and received a B.Phil. from Oxford in 1968. In 1980 he earned a Ph.D. in philosophy from the University of Michigan. Professor Regan has received numerous distinguished fellowships and lectureships in the United States and abroad. He is a member of the American Academy of Arts and Sciences.

Professor Regan is known for his contributions to philosophy and to constitutional law. His book, Utilitarianism and Co-operation won the Franklin J. Matchette Prize of the American Philosophical Association. His book-length monograph on the dormant commerce clause is a classic in the field. He continues to write path-breaking work in both ethics and in constitutional law. Professor Regan is an interdisciplinary scholar whose work represents the highest quality within each discipline as well as breadth of intellectual engagement.
Like Professor Bishop in the field of international law, Professor Regan is a distinguished example of the Law School’s tradition of excellence. Professor Regan’s reappointment as the William W. Bishop, Jr. Collegiate Professorship of Law, Law School, effective September 1, 2010 through August 31, 2015 is a fitting recognition of his professional accomplishments. His reappointment is recommended with enthusiasm.

RECOMMENDED BY:

Evan H. Caminker
Dean, Law School

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

May 2010
THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Approval of Reappointment to an Endowed Professorship

NAME: Mathias W. Reimann

CURRENT TITLES: Hessel E. Yntema Professor of Law, and Professor of Law, with tenure, Law School

TITLE BEING RENEWED: Hessel E. Yntema Professor of Law, Law School

TERM: Five Years, Renewable

EFFECTIVE DATES: September 1, 2010 through August 31, 2015

The Law School respectfully requests that the Regents approved the reappointment of Mathias W. Reimann as the Hessel E. Yntema Professor of Law, Law School, effective September 1, 2010 through August 31, 2015.

The Hessel E. Yntema Professorship was established in the Law School in 1976. Professor Yntema was a distinguished member of the Law School faculty for almost 30 years, from 1933 until his retirement in 1961. He was one of the leading scholars of comparative law and conflicts of law with an international reputation. The Hessel E. Yntema Professorship was established as part of a program established by the Regents entitling the dean to recommend one appointment named after a former colleague; Professor Yntema was selected by Dean Theodore St. Antoine after a poll of the faculty.

Professor Reimann began his legal work in Germany. He took his First State Exam at the University of Freiburg in 1978 with high honors, his Second State Exam through the State of Baden-Württemberg in 1981 again with high honors, and received his Doctor iuris utriusque from the University of Freiburg in 1982 summa cum laude. In 1983 he earned an LL.M. degree from the University of Michigan Law School. He began his academic career as a lecturer in Law at the University of Freiburg. In 1985 he joined the University of Michigan Law School faculty as an assistant professor. Professor Reimann was promoted to associate professor in 1987, and to professor in 1990. From 1996-1999, he also held a chair as professor of private law, Legal History and Comparative law at the University of Trier. He has been a visiting professor at the Universities of Münster, Freiburg, Frankfurt, and Freiburg in Germany, and at the University of Paris I.

Professor Reimann is a leading scholar of comparative law. He has written numerous books and articles in both English and German, including the co-edited volume The Reception of Continental Ideas in Common Law World 1820-1920 and Conflict of Laws in Western Europe. A Guide Through the Jungle. He has done research at the European University Institute in Florence through a Jean Monnet Fellowship and currently serves as a member of the Board of Editors of the American Journal of Comparative Law, a journal founded by Professor Yntema.
Professor Reimann received the L. Hart Wright Outstanding Teaching Award in 1993-1994 by a vote of his students.

Professor Reimann’s work is in the University of Michigan Law School tradition of excellence in international and comparative law. His work in comparative law and conflicts of law makes him a truly worthy successor of Hessel E. Yntema and to earlier holders of the chairs such as Eric Stein and John Jackson.

Professor Reimann’s reappointment as the Hessel E. Yntema Professor of Law, Law School, effective September 1, 2010 through August 31, 2015, is a fitting recognition of his professional accomplishments. His reappointment is recommended with enthusiasm.

RECOMMENDED BY: 

Evan H. Caminker  
Dean, Law School

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY: 

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

May 2010
Recommendations for approval of joint or additional appointments

or transfers of regular associate or full professors and selected

academic administrative staff
THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Additional Appointment to an Endowed Professorship

NAME: Wayne E. Baker

CURRENT TITLES: Jack D. Sparks – Whirlpool Corporation Research Professor of Business Administration, Professor of Organizational Behavior and Human Resource Management, with tenure, Stephen M. Ross School of Business, and Professor of Sociology, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

RECOMMENDED TITLES: Robert P. Thome Professor of Business Administration, Professor of Organizational Behavior and Human Resource Management, with tenure, Stephen M. Ross School of Business, and Professor of Sociology, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

EFFECTIVE DATES: September 1, 2010 through August 31, 2015

On the recommendation of the Dean and Executive Committee of the Stephen M. Ross School of Business, we are pleased to recommend the appointment of Wayne E. Baker as the Robert P. Thome Professor of Business Administration, Stephen M. Ross School of Business, effective September 1, 2010 through August 31, 2015.

The Thome Professorship was established by the Regents in 2008 upon a generous gift from the Robert P. Thome (pronounced Tömie) Trust to support the teaching, research and related activities of the appointed incumbent. Mr. Thome received his AB in 1937 and his MBA in 1938, both from the University of Michigan. He worked for the Washington Post from 1947-1978 retiring as the Post's treasurer. He often spoke fondly about his experience at the University of Michigan and the University's role in effectively preparing him for his life and career. He was an active alumnus until his death on December 10, 2007 at the age of 92.

Professor Baker received his B.S. in 1974 and M.A. in 1976 from Northern Illinois University and his Ph.D. in sociology in 1981 from Northwestern University. He joined the University of Michigan Ross School of Business as associate professor of organizational behavior and human resource management, with tenure, in 1995 and was promoted to professor in 1999. Professor Baker was named the Jack D. Sparks – Whirlpool Corporation Research Professor of Business Administration in 2008. Before joining Michigan, he was an assistant and associate professor of business policy and sociology at the University of Chicago, Graduate School of Business.

Professor Baker is one of the best known scholars in the field of social capital. He was one of the first scholars to empirically demonstrate the social basis of markets, and since then has established his reputation as someone who does empirically rigorous and theoretically creative research on the social network mechanisms underlying organizations. He has continuously
published articles in the leading journals in management and sociology and is known to be a top academic scholar on networks and markets, networks and organizational crime and interorganizational networks. More recently he has opened up a whole new domain of inquiry in network theory that focuses on energy networks and their impact. In addition to publishing well-regarded scholarly articles on social networks, he has published several books, the most recent detailing findings from the highly visible Detroit Arab-American Study, of which he was a lead investigator.

Professor Baker is an excellent teacher and has contributed to the Ross School in other ways such as serving as the director of the Center for Positive Organizational Scholarship, and serving as the chair of the Ross School’s teaching committee.

The Dean and the Executive Committee wish to recognize Professor Baker for his outstanding record of achievements and support the professional distinction he brings to the professorship. We enthusiastically recommend the appointment of Wayne E. Baker as the Robert P. Thome Professor of Business Administration, Stephen M. Ross School of Business, effective September 1, 2010 through August 31, 2015.

RECOMMENDED BY:  
Robert J. Dolan, Dean  
Stephen M. Ross School of Business

TERRENEE MC DONALD  
A THUR F. THURMAU 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 Academic Affairs

May 2010
UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Additional Appointment to an Endowed Professorship

NAME: Iain D. Boyd

CURRENT TITLES: Edward H. White, II Collegiate Professor of Aerospace Engineering, and Professor of Aerospace Engineering, with tenure, College of Engineering

RECOMMENDED TITLES: James E. Knott Professor of Engineering, and Professor of Aerospace Engineering, with tenure, College of Engineering

EFFECTIVE DATES: May 1, 2010 through August 31, 2015

The Dean and the Executive Committee of the College of Engineering request the appointment of Iain D. Boyd as the James E. Knott Professor of Engineering, College of Engineering, effective May 1, 2010 through August 31, 2015. This appointment is renewable.

This endowed chair was established in February 2010 by a gift from James E. Knott to support a distinguished faculty member in the College of Engineering’s Department of Aerospace Engineering or Mechanical Engineering.

Professor Boyd received his BSc in mathematics in 1985 and his PhD in aeronautics and astronautics in 1988 both from the University of Southampton in England. He started his career as a research scientist in 1989 at the Eloret Insitute, NASA Ames Research Center in California. In 1993, he accepted an assistant professor position at Cornell University in Ithaca, NY and was promoted to associate professor in 1995. He joined the faculty of the University of Michigan, Department of Aerospace Engineering, as an associate professor in 1999 and was promoted to professor in 2002.

Professor Boyd’s research interests are in the numerical simulation of aerospace systems involving non-equilibrium gas and plasma dynamics. Research activities typically involve development of models to simulate physical processes, development of numerical algorithms, and application of the models and algorithms to real systems of interest. He is author or co-author of more than 140 refereed journal papers and numerous conference papers and presentations. He is an associate fellow of the American Institute of Aeronautics and Astronautics and a member of the American Physical Society.

Professor Boyd’s academic achievements fully merit his appointment as the James E. Knott Professor of Engineering, College of Engineering, effective May 1, 2010 through August 31, 2015.

RECOMMENDED BY:

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:

David C. Munson, Jr.
Robert J. Vlasic Dean of Engineering
College of Engineering

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

May 2010
ACTION REQUEST: Additional Appointment to a Research Professorship

NAME: Janet R. Gilsdorf, M.D.

CURRENT TITLES: Professor of Pediatrics and Communicable Diseases, with tenure, Medical School, and Professor of Epidemiology, without tenure, School of Public Health

ADDITIONAL TITLE: Robert P. Kelch, M.D. Research Professor of Pediatrics and Communicable Diseases, Medical School

EFFECTIVE DATES: May 1, 2010 through August 31, 2015

On the recommendation of Valerie P. Castle, M.D., the Ravitz 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 appointment of Janet R. Gilsdorf, M.D. as the Robert P. Kelch, M.D. Research Professor of Pediatrics and Communicable Diseases, Medical School, effective May 1, 2010 through August 31, 2015.

This professorship was established in June 2009 to honor Dr. Robert Kelch and to recognize his numerous contributions to the University of Michigan and to the specialty of pediatrics.

Dr. Gilsdorf received the M.D. degree from the University of Nebraska at Omaha and then completed a pediatric internship and one year of pediatric residency at Baylor University before serving as a pediatric consultant at the United States Public Health Service Indian Hospital in Owyhee, Nevada and as a clinical supervisor at the Yukon-Kuskokwim Health Care Center in Bethel, Alaska. After completing her pediatric residency at the Valley Medical Center in Fresno, California, she then undertook a fellowship in pediatric infectious diseases at the University of Minnesota during 1979-1982. Dr. Gilsdorf came to the University of Michigan as an assistant professor of pediatrics and communicable diseases in 1982 and was promoted through the ranks to achieve her current title of professor in 1995. In 1997, she received a joint appointment as professor of epidemiology in the School of Public Health. Dr. Gilsdorf is the director of the Division of Pediatric Infectious Diseases and co-director of the Center for Molecular and Clinical Epidemiology of Infectious Diseases. She is a diplomat of the American Board of Pediatrics and the National Board of Medical Examiners.

Dr. Gilsdorf's laboratory studies *H. influenza* pathogenesis, using a molecular epidemiologic approach to identify virulence genes associated with otitis media, chronic obstructive pulmonary disease (COPD), pharyngeal colonization, and sharing (transmission of)
bacteria from person to person. Her research in bacterial pathogenesis is fostered by successful collaborations with colleagues in the School of Public Health. Dr. Gilsdorf’s bibliography reflects over 80 peer-reviewed manuscripts in prestigious scientific specialty journals. She has served as a journal reviewer for over 20 of the most highly regarded publications in pediatric medicine and has been a grant reviewer for the National Institutes of Health, the Department of Veterans Affairs, and the March of Dimes.

Dr. Gilsdorf also has earned acclaim for her creative writing and has penned a number of manuscripts which assess the changes and fluctuations of modern medical practice. Many of these have been published in the Journal of the American Medical Association. Her writing titled “Off to the Left” earned her the Creative Medical Writing Award for Prose from the Journal of General Internal Medicine. In 2006, Dr. Gilsdorf published “Inside Outside” which chronicled her own battle with breast cancer from a physician’s point of view.

Dr. Gilsdorf has built an extraordinary career as a physician scientist. She is highly regarded for her clinical, educational, and literary achievements and is a highly valued member of the University of Michigan Medical School faculty. I am very pleased, therefore, to recommend the appointment of Dr. Janet Gilsdorf as the Robert P. Kelch, M.D. Research Professor of Pediatrics and Communicable Diseases, Medical School, effective May 1, 2010 through August 31, 2015.

Recommended by

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

Kenneth E. Warner, Ph.D.
Dean, School of Public Health

Recommendation endorsed by

Ora Hirsch Pescovitz, M.D.
Executive Vice President for Medical Affairs

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

May 2010
THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Additional Appointment to an Endowed Professorship

NAME: James C. Hathaway

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

ADDITIONAL TITLE: James E. and Sarah A. Degan Professor of Law, Law School

TERM: Five Years, Renewable

EFFECTIVE DATES: July 1, 2010 through June 30, 2015

The Law School respectfully requests that the Regents approve the appointment of James C. Hathaway as the James E. and Sarah A. Degan Professor of Law, Law School, effective July 1, 2010 through June 30, 2015.

The James E. and Sarah A. Degan Professorship is supported by an endowment created as a result of a bequest by the late Sarah A. Degan, a long-time resident of Detroit.

Professor Hathaway received an LL.B. degree (with honors) in 1979 from Osgoode Hall Law School of York University, an LL.M degree and a J.S.D. degree from Columbia University School of Law in 1982 and 1987, respectively. After working at the Canadian Department of Justice for a couple of years, in 1984 he joined the faculty of the Osgoode Hall Law School of York University as an assistant professor of law. He was promoted to an associate professor in 1988 and to professor in 1996. Professor Hathaway joined the University of Michigan Law School faculty as a professor in 1998, and since that time has also been the director of the Law School’s Program in Refugee and Asylum Law. He also remains a senior visiting research associate at Oxford University’s Refugee Studies Centre.

Professor Hathaway is a leading authority on international refugee law. His scholarship is regularly cited by the most senior courts of the common law world, and it constitutes the point of departure for much other work in this field. He is the author of a leading treatise on the definition of refugee, The Law of Refugee Status (Butterworths, 1991) and is the editor of the influential Reconceiving International Refugee Law (Kluwer, 1997). Professor Hathaway has also provided training on refugee law to academic, non-governmental, and official audiences in Europe, North America, Asia, and Africa, and is a regular lecturer at both the International Secretariat of Amnesty International and the European Council on Refugees and Exiles.
Professor Hathaway’s appointment as the James E. and Sarah A. Degan Professor of Law, Law School, for a five-year term, effective July 1, 2010 through June 30, 2015 is a fitting recognition of his professional accomplishments. His appointment is recommended with enthusiasm.

RECOMMENDED BY:

Evan Caminker
Dean, Law School

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:

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

May 2010
The Handleman Professorship was established by the Regents in 2008 upon a generous gift from the Joseph and Sally Handleman Charitable Foundation to support the research and/or teaching of the appointed incumbent relating to marketing innovations. Joseph Handleman was born August 5, 1905 and was the son of late Philip Handleman, founder of the Handleman Company which is currently based in Troy, Michigan. Joseph was an internationally known sales consultant and business manager. He established himself as a business pioneer in the distribution of health and beauty products to supermarkets. Today the Handleman Company remains an industry leader. Joseph was married to Sally Handleman for 69 years. Joseph died on February 28, 2005 followed by his wife Sally on December 6, 2006. The Handlemans are survived by their three daughters and many grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

Professor Krishnan received his B.S. in 1984 and M.C.A. in 1987 from the University of Delhi in New Delhi, India and his M.S. in 1993 and Ph.D. in Industrial Administration in 1996 from Carnegie Mellon University. He joined the University of Michigan Ross School of Business as a lecturer in 1996 and was appointed as an assistant professor in 1997, was promoted to associate professor, with tenure, in 2000, and to professor in 2004. Professor Krishnan was a Michael R. and Mary Kay Hallman Faculty Fellow from 2000-2010. Since 2004 he has served as the area chair of the Business Information Technology area at the Ross School of Business.

Professor Krishnan’s world-renowned scholarship converges at the intersection of innovation and information technology. His research articles have appeared in the leading journals in his field. He serves as a senior editor on the editorial boards of reputed academic journals including Management Science and Information Systems Research. In January 2000, the American Society for Quality (ASQ) selected him as one of the 21 voices of quality for the twenty first century. Not only is the quality and quantity of his scholarship substantial, but his scholarship has played
a key role in helping to elevate the position with which the Ross School of Business is viewed in the Information Systems Research community. His most recent book The New Age of Innovation: Driving Co-Created Value with Global Networks (co-authored with C.K. Prahalad) has received wide acclaim throughout the world.

Professor Krishnan is an excellent teacher. Moreover, he has been a selfless mentor to doctoral students. This has contributed both to student success in the research arena, including publications and best paper awards, but also success in securing outstanding placements.

The Dean and the Executive Committee wish to recognize Professor Krishnan for his remarkable achievement on multiple scholarly levels and to support the professional distinction he brings to the professorship. We enthusiastically recommend the appointment of Mayuram S. Krishnan as the Joseph Handleman Professor, Stephen M. Ross School of Business, effective September 1, 2010 through August 31, 2015.

RECOMMENDED BY:  

Robert J. Dolan, Dean  
Stephen M. Ross School of Business

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:  

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

May 2010
THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Additional Appointment to an Endowed Professorship

NAME: Francine Lafontaine

CURRENT TITLES: Professor of Business Economics, with tenure, Stephen M. Ross School of Business, and Professor of Economics, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

ADDITIONAL TITLE: William Davidson Professor of Business Administration, Stephen M. Ross School of Business

EFFECTIVE DATES: September 1, 2010 through August 31, 2015

On the recommendation of the Dean and Executive Committee of the Stephen M. Ross School of Business we are pleased to recommend the appointment of Francine Lafontaine as the William Davidson Professor of Business Administration, Stephen M. Ross School of Business, effective September 1, 2010 through August 31, 2015.

The William Davidson Professorship was established by the Regents in 1993 and is funded by friends, family members and colleagues in honor of William Davidson (BBA ’47). The professorship is dedicated to increasing knowledge and understanding of international business through instruction and research.

Professor Lafontaine received her B.B.A. and M.Sc. degrees from the Universite de Montreal in 1980 and 1982, respectively; and her Ph.D. degree from the University of British Columbia in 1988. After receiving her Ph.D. degree she joined the faculty of Carnegie Mellon University. She came to the Stephen M. Ross School of Business as an assistant professor in 1991 and was promoted to associate professor in 1995 and to professor in 2000. She held the Jack D. Sparks – Whirlpool Corporation Research Professor of Business Administration from 2005-2007.

Professor Lafontaine is a highly regarded scholar working in the area of business economics. She is the leading expert in the area of franchised chains. More recently she has broadened her scope to examine factors that affect firm performance in retail and service industries internationally, including, more generally, incentive problems, and other factors such as financial constraints, local market knowledge, and public policy. Her scholarly research has made valuable contributions, and her ability to cross boundaries between academic research and business policy has had a significant effect on both the body of academic research and its practical applications.

Professor Lafontaine is an outstanding teacher. She is indefatigable, providing numerous contributions to both the school and profession. She has served as the area chair of the Business Economics area since 2003 and throughout the years has served on numerous other committees and task forces, most recently serving as the chair of the research committee. She has been a
strong mentor to junior faculty members across the school and has also advised many doctoral students. She has served as co-editor of the *Journal of Economic and Management Strategy* since 1997 and co-editor of the *Journal of Law, Economics and Organization* since 2006. She has also been a member of the editorial board of the *Journal of Marketing Channels* since 2002.

The Dean and the Executive Committee wish to honor Professor Lafontaine for her outstanding record and to support her professional growth and development. We enthusiastically recommend the appointment of Francine Lafontaine as the William Davidson Professor of Business Administration, Stephen M. Ross School of Business, effective September 1, 2010 through August 31, 2015.

RECOMMENDED BY:

Robert J. Dolan, Dean
Stephen M. Ross School of Business

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:

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

Terrence McDonald,
Arthur F. Thurnau Professor,
Professor of History, and Dean
College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

May 2010
THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Additional Appointment to an Endowed Professorship

NAME: William N. Lanen

CURRENT TITLE: Professor of Accounting, with tenure, Stephen M. Ross School of Business

ADDITIONAL TITLE: KPMG Professor of Accounting, Stephen M. Ross School of Business

EFFECTIVE DATES: September 1, 2010 through August 31, 2015

On the recommendation of the Dean and Executive Committee of the Stephen M. Ross School of Business we are pleased to recommend the appointment of William N. Lanen as the KPMG Professor of Accounting, Stephen M. Ross School of Business, effective September 1, 2010 through August 31, 2015.

The KPMG Professorship was created in 1985 with gifts from the Peat Marwick accounting firm and its partners and employees. The name changed in 1998 from the Peat Marwick Main and Company Professorship in Professional Accounting to the KPMG Professorship in Accounting. The purpose of the professorship is to increase knowledge and understanding of the field of accounting and related fields through instruction and research.

Professor Lanen received his A.B. degree from the University of California at Berkeley in 1969, his M.S. from Purdue University in 1970 and his Ph.D. from the University of Pennsylvania, Wharton School of Business in 1983. He began his career as a lecturer then as an assistant professor at the University of Pennsylvania from 1982-1990, then joined the Ross School of Business faculty in 1990 as an assistant professor. He was promoted to associate professor, with tenure, in 1996 and to professor in 2003.

Professor Lanen is an expert in the areas of analytical and empirical managerial accounting research. In particular his scholarship is focused on understanding firms’ cost management decisions. His recent work seeks to better understand what are known as “sticky costs.” He has a strong reputation for quality field work and is known as an original and creative thinker making important contributions to the field. Professor Lanen was the winner of the 2006 Notable Contribution to Management Accounting Literature Award for the paper “Using Electronic Data Interchange (EDI) to Improve the Efficiency of Accounting Transactions.”

Professor Lanen’s teaching record is exemplary. He is indefatigable and the breadth of his teaching is unusual. He has taught core and elective material to Ross School undergraduates, MBA students, doctoral students, global MBA students, executive MBA students, and also has taught in our Executive Education programs worldwide. In 1996 he was awarded the School’s coveted peer-nominated Victor L. Bernard Teaching Leadership Award, and was also chosen by
our Brazilian Global M.B.A. students as the Outstanding Teacher in 2002. Professor Lanen was also the Michael and Joan Sakkinen Accounting Scholar from 2002-2005.

Professor Lanen’s service contributions are outstanding. He has served with distinction on a host of Ross School committees over the years and has worked extensively to enrich our interdisciplinary initiatives. Professor Lanen has also served as the area chair of accounting since 2007 and as a member of the Ross School’s Executive Committee from 2008-2010.

The Dean and the Executive Committee wish to honor Professor Lanen for his exemplary record and to support his professional growth and development. We enthusiastically recommend the appointment of William N. Lanen as the KPMG Professor of Accounting, Stephen M. Ross School of Business, effective September 1, 2010 through August 31, 2015.

RECOMMENDED BY: 

Robert J. Dolan, Dean 
Stephen M. Ross School of Business

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY: 

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

May 2010
THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN  
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST:  
Additional Appointment to an Endowed Professorship

NAME:  
Puneet Manchanda

CURRENT TITLE:  
Professor of Marketing, with tenure, Stephen M. Ross School of Business

ADDITIONAL TITLE:  
Isadore and Leon Winkelman Professor of Retail Marketing, Stephen M. Ross School of Business

EFFECTIVE DATES:  
September 1, 2010 through August 31, 2015

On the recommendation of the Dean and Executive Committee of the Stephen M. Ross School of Business we are pleased to recommend the appointment of Puneet Manchanda as the Isadore and Leon Winkelman Professor of Retail Marketing, Stephen M. Ross School of Business, effective September 1, 2010 through August 31, 2015.

The Winkelman Professorship was established in 1982 to honor Stanley J. Winkelman's uncle and father, Isadore and Leon Winkelman. Stanley J. Winkelman received gifts for the professorship from corporations, foundations, friends and family members. The purpose of the professorship is to encourage sophisticated research and first-rate training in modern retail marketing techniques.

Professor Manchanda received his Bachelor of Engineering with honors in 1987 from the Birla Institute of Technology and Science in Pilani, India. He received an MBA in 1990 from the Indian Institute of Management in Ahmedabad, India. Finally, he received a Master of Philosophy in business in 1997 and a Ph.D. in business in 1998 from the Columbia University Graduate School of Business.

Professor Manchanda was appointed as assistant professor of marketing at the University of Chicago, Graduate School of Business in 1998 and was promoted to associate professor, without tenure, in 2003. He joined the Ross School of Business faculty in 2007 as associate professor of marketing, with tenure, and was promoted to professor of marketing, with tenure, in 2009.

Professor Manchanda’s scholarship is devoted to using behavioral market data to solve strategic marketing and public policy problems. More recently he has used market data to detect causal effects in social networks to improve marketing resource allocation and to better understand consumer behavior in service markets. Professor Manchanda is a prolific scholar whose work is published in the top tier journals in his field. In fact, Professor Manchanda was acknowledged to be amongst the top 50 marketing professors in terms of productivity between 1982 and 2006 and was recognized as a Young Scholar of Merit by the Marketing Science Institute in 2006. His 2004 paper published in the Journal of Marketing Research on dynamic effects of innovation on market structure was a finalist for the prestigious 2005 Paul Green Award for the article that
“shows or demonstrates the most potential to contribute significantly to the practice of marketing research and research in marketing.”

Professor Manchanda is an outstanding teacher as well as an exemplary citizen in the Ross School as evidenced by his stellar teaching ratings and his numerous activities, roles, and informal contributions to the research environment. He has taken a leadership role in mentoring doctoral students and works tirelessly with untenured faculty members.

The Dean and the Executive Committee wish to honor Professor Manchanda for his outstanding record and to support his professional growth and development. We enthusiastically recommend the appointment of Puneet Manchanda as the Isadore and Leon Winkelman Professor of Retail Marketing, Stephen M. Ross School of Business, effective September 1, 2010 through August 31, 2015.

RECOMMENDED BY: Robert J. Dolan, Dean
Stephen M. Ross School of Business

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY: Teresa A. Sullivan, Provost and Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs

May 2010
THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

Approved by the Regents
May 20, 2010

ACTION REQUEST: Additional Appointment to a Research Professorship

NAME: Steven W. Pipe, M.D.

CURRENT TITLES: Associate Professor of Pediatrics and Communicable Diseases, with tenure, and Associate Professor of Pathology, without tenure, Medical School

ADDITIONAL TITLE: Laurence A. Boxer, M.D. Research Professor of Pediatrics and Communicable Diseases, Medical School

EFFECTIVE DATES: May 1, 2010 through August 31, 2015

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 appointment of Steven W. Pipe, M.D. as the Laurence A. Boxer, M.D. Research Professor of Pediatrics and Communicable Diseases, Medical School, effective May 1, 2010 through August 31, 2015.

The Boxer Research Professorship was established in June 2009 to honor Dr. Laurence Boxer and to recognize his numerous contributions to the University of Michigan and to the specialty of pediatrics.

Dr. Pipe received the M.D. degree from the University of Toronto in 1989. Following a residency and chief residency in pediatrics at McMaster University, he completed a fellowship in pediatric hematology/oncology at the University of Michigan. In 1998, Dr. Pipe was appointed to the faculty at this institution as an assistant professor of pediatrics and communicable diseases and was promoted to his present rank of associate professor, with tenure, in 1994. In 2007, Dr. Pipe received a secondary appointment as associate professor of pathology.

Dr. Pipe has made a number of scientific contributions to the field of hemostasis and coagulation. His laboratory studies the biology of the factor VIII clotting protein. This protein, where deficient, is a cause of hemophilia - a devastating bleeding disorder in childhood. The over-arching goal of Dr. Pipe’s research has been to develop a biological therapeutic that overcomes the current limitations of present factor replacement therapies. Dr. Pipe’s research program is funded by the National Institutes of Health through an R01 grant in which he serves as the principal investigator. He also is co-investigator on several other grants. His bibliography
reflects 56 peer-reviewed articles, published or in press, as well as 65 abstracts. Dr. Pipe has achieved an international reputation for his work as evidenced by the numerous invited lectures he has presented in this country and abroad. He also has received several research awards, including the 2002 Sutherland Award for Outstanding Faculty Research from the Midwest Society for Pediatric Research.

Dr. Pipe is a valued member of the Department of Pediatrics and Communicable Diseases as recognized by his scholarship, teaching, and clinical contributions. Since 2008, Dr. Pipe has served as director of the Division of Pediatric Hematology/Oncology. He also has directed the Special Coagulation Laboratory since 2005 and the Pediatric Hemophilia and Coagulation Disorders Program since 1999. Dr. Pipe is one of very few pediatric coagulation experts in the country who is nationally known for both their clinical expertise and research contributions in the area of coagulation.

Dr. Pipe is an outstanding role model as a successful clinician, scientist, educator, and administrator. I am pleased, therefore, to recommend his appointment as the Laurence A. Boxer, M.D. Research Professor of Pediatrics and Communicable Diseases, Medical School, effective May 1, 2010 through August 31, 2015.

Recommended by

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

Recommendation endorsed by

Ora Hirsch Pescovitz, M.D.
Executive Vice President for Medical Affairs

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

May 2010
THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Additional Appointment to an Endowed Professorship

NAME: David B. Wooten

CURRENT TITLE: Associate Professor of Marketing, with tenure, Stephen M. Ross School of Business

ADDITIONAL TITLE: Alfred L. Edwards Collegiate Professor, Stephen M. Ross School of Business

EFFECTIVE DATES: September 1, 2010 through August 31, 2015

On the recommendation of the Dean and Executive Committee of the Stephen M. Ross School of Business we are pleased to recommend the appointment of David B. Wooten as the Alfred L. Edwards Collegiate Professor, Stephen M. Ross School of Business, effective September 1, 2010 through August 31, 2015.

The Edwards Collegiate Professorship was established in 1994 with gifts from colleagues, corporate donors, friends and former students of Professor Emeritus Alfred L. Edwards. The purpose of the professorship is to further the professional development of minority students, and to honor Professor Edwards' long and distinguished career as an esteemed educator. It is intended that appointees to the professorship will continue Professor Edwards' work as a mentor to minority students.

Professor Wooten received his B.B.A. degree from the Georgia State University, J. Mack Robinson College of Business in 1985, and his M.B.A. with distinction and Ph.D. from the University of Michigan Stephen M. Ross School of Business in 1987 and 1992, respectively. Professor Wooten served as assistant professor of marketing at Columbia University from 1992-1994 and assistant professor of marketing at the University of Florida, Warrington College of Business from 1994-1998. He joined the Ross School of Business as a visiting assistant professor of marketing from 1998-2000, and was appointed as an assistant professor of marketing in 2000. In 2007 he was promoted to associate professor of marketing, with tenure.

Professor Wooten’s scholarship deals primarily with the effects of social identity, self-presentation, and broader social influences, on consumption. He has published his work in the leading journals for scholarship on the topic of consumer behavior such as The Journal of Consumer Research and the Journal of Consumer Psychology. His work on gift giving has been included and cited in other outlets in which distinguished qualitative researchers publish their work.

Professor Wooten is a significant leader in the Ross School’s mission of attracting and retaining a diverse student body. He has mentored scores of minority students and junior faculty, and has been unusually devoted to increasing diversity at the Ross School and across the University. In
fact, he has played a critical role in making the school a welcoming community for all. He served for many years as the curriculum director of the Leadership Education and Development Program (LEAD), a three week summer program for minority high school students. He serves as an advisor for two student groups at the Ross School – the Black Business Student’s Association (BBSA) and the Black Business Undergraduate Society (BBUS). He provides advice to the student leaders, assists with organizing their events, and also helps with fund-raising efforts. Professor Wooten is also the Ross School’s board member of the Consortium for Graduate Students in Management. This organization consists of a group of representatives from top business schools committed to building a community for under-represented minorities, with a mission of providing a talented group of MBA applicants.

Professor Wooten was honored for his diversity work as the recipient of the 2007 Harold R. Johnson Diversity Service Award. Additionally, he received the University of Michigan Black Celebratory, Cornerstone Award in 2009.

The Dean and the Executive Committee wish to honor Professor Wooten for his contributions and commitment and to support his professional growth and development. We enthusiastically recommend the appointment of David B. Wooten as the Alfred L. Edwards Collegiate Professor, Stephen M. Ross School of Business, effective September 1, 2010 through August 31, 2015.

RECOMMENDED BY: 

Robert J. Dolan, Dean
Stephen M. Ross School of Business

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:

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

May 2010
On the recommendation of the Executive Committees of the Department of Women’s Studies and the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, and with the endorsement of the Department of English Language and Literature, we are pleased to recommend the additional appointment of Andrea Zemgulys as associate professor of women’s studies, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2010.

Professor Zemgulys is a scholar of British modernism (1890-1940) who also focuses on gender and geography. Her has contributed two cross-listed courses to the Women’s Studies curriculum, “Women and Literature” as well as the more historically-oriented “Women in Late Victorian England.” Future teaching interests include developing an upper level seminar on women’s suffrage and social reform in turn-of-the-century London.

Professor Zemgulys will make in important addition to the Women’s Studies Department by stepping into the joint English and Women’s Studies Ph.D. program, by further contributing to the joint undergraduate curriculum, and by expanding the understanding of gender and class as they appear in England at an earlier time period.

We are very pleased to recommend the additional appointment of Andrea Zemgulys as associate professor of women’s studies, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2010.

RECOMMENDED BY:

Terence J. McDonald
Arthur 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 Academic Affairs

May 2010
Establishing and renaming professorships and selected academic administrative positions.
THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Establishment of an Endowed Professorship

PROPOSED NAME: Endowed Professorship in Burn Surgery, Medical School

EFFECTIVE DATE: May 1, 2010

On the recommendation of Michael W. Mulholland, M.D., Ph.D., the Frederick A. Coller Distinguished Professor and Chair of the Department of Surgery, and with the concurrence of the Executive Committee of the Medical School, I am pleased to recommend the establishment of the Endowed Professorship in Burn Surgery, Medical School, effective May 1, 2010.

This professorship is made possible through departmental funding. It is intended to support the activities of a tenured faculty member in the Department of Surgery with expertise in burn surgery. The initial term for the Endowed Professor of Burn Surgery will be five years, and the appointment may be renewed.

The Trauma Burn Center at the University of Michigan is a nationally recognized leader in clinical care, research, and education. It provides outstanding innovations in critical care and continues to utilize new therapies and treatments in an effort to improve patient care and decrease recovery time for critically injured patients. The center’s activities are focused on research, education, prevention, and the science of critical care.

This professorship will assist in the development of new programs in burn surgery and will support the activities of an outstanding clinician, investigator, and educator in the Department of Surgery. I am very pleased to recommend the establishment of the Endowed Professorship in Burn Surgery, Medical School, effective May 1, 2010.

Recommendation endorsed by

Ora Hirsch Pescovitz, M.D.
Executive Vice President for Medical Affairs

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

May 2010
THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Change in Name of Existing Research Professorship

CURRENT TITLE: Bucky and Patti Harris Research Professorship in Neurology, Medical School

RECOMMENDED TITLE: Bucky and Patti Harris Career Development Professorship in Neurology, Medical School

EFFECTIVE DATE: May 1, 2010

With the concurrence of the Executive Committee of the Medical School, it is requested that the title of the Bucky and Patti Harris Research Professorship in Neurology, Medical School, be changed to the Bucky and Patti Harris Career Development Professorship in Neurology, Medical School, effective May 1, 2010.

The Bucky and Patti Harris Research Professorship in Neurology was established in August 2009. At that time, it was indicated that the incumbent would be engaged in research into the causes and treatment of Alzheimer's disease and related disorders.

It is the wish of the donor, Mrs. Patti Harris, that this professorship support a junior-level faculty member in the Department of Neurology whose research work shows unusual promise in the field Alzheimer's disease and related disorders. I am very pleased, therefore, to recommend a name change for this professorship to the Bucky and Patti Harris Career Development Professorship in Neurology, Medical School, effective May 1, 2010.

Recommended by

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

Recommendation endorsed by

Ora Hirsch Pescovitz, M.D.
Executive Vice President for Medical Affairs

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

May 2010
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
I am pleased to recommend for the Regents approval the appointment of Major Lisa S. Franz as chair of the Air Force Officer Education Program for a three-year term, effective July 1, 2010, through June 30, 2013. The United States Air Force will pay her salary.

Major Franz received her Bachelors of Business Administration at Hawaii Pacific University in 1993, and her Masters Degrees in administration at Central Michigan University in 2002 and counseling and human services at the University of Colorado in 2008.

She is currently the air officer commanding at the United States Air Force Academy in Colorado where she is responsible for 120 cadets. She plans directs and implements policies and programs concerning morale, welfare, discipline, and military training, and establishes squadron environments entrusting cadet leadership and encouraging professional growth while maintaining exacting standards. She also resolves aptitude, conduct, academic, and physical issues and advises the Commandant on fitness of cadets for commissioned service. Her letters of recommendation all attest to her excellent teaching abilities.

Major Franz has influenced thousands of cadets with her exceptional leadership ability at the Air Force Academy and, along with her diverse worldwide experiences in the military, I believe she is an excellent candidate for the chair of the Air Force Officer Education Program. The Military Officer Education Program Committee enthusiastically supports this recommendation.

Recommended by: 

Lester P. Monts
Senior Vice Provost for Academic Affairs

Recommendation Endorsed by:

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

May 2010
THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Approval of an Administrative Appointment

NAME: Joseph Rosa

TITLE: Director, University of Michigan Museum of Art

TERM: Five Year, Renewable

EFFECTIVE DATE: July 1, 2010

I am pleased to recommend for Regental approval the appointment of Joseph Rosa as director of the University of Michigan Museum of Art (UMMA) for a five-year renewable term, effective July 1, 2010. This recommendation follows an international search conducted by a search advisory committee.

Mr. Rosa received a Bachelors of Architecture, with honors, from the Pratt Institute, a M.S. in architecture and urban design from Columbia University’s Graduate School of Architecture, Planning, and Preservation, and was a Ph.D. candidate in the Department of Art and Archaeology. He has worked in the architectural firms of Gwathmey Siegel and Associates, Peter Eisenman, and Agrest & Gandelsonas. When he joined the Art Institute of Chicago in 2005 as the John H. Bryan Curatorial Chair of Architecture and Design, he began to expand the department’s vision and mission to be regional, national, and international in scope and to aggressively build its art holdings. He played a key role in strategic outreach and fundraising, overseeing two auxiliary committees composed of large boards. He was extremely successful in curating exhibitions, building collaborative relationships between the Art Institute and its community, and planning programs that embodied the vision of the Institute.

Prior to joining the Art Institute of Chicago, Mr. Rosa was the Helen Hilton Raiser Curator of Architecture and Design at the San Francisco Museum of Modern Art (SFMOMA), the curator of architecture at the Heinz Architectural Center at the Carnegie Museum of Art in Pittsburgh, PA, the chief curator at the National Building Museum in Washington, DC, and the director of the Columbia University Architecture Galleries.

Joseph Rosa is the author of 14 books and his writings have appeared in Praxis, Architectural Design, Assemblage, Casabella, The History of Photography Journal, Oculus, Architekur & Bauforum, and Progressive Architecture. He has curated over 30 exhibitions on contemporary architecture and design. He is also a noted scholar on the architect Albert Frey, the first disciple of Le Corbusier to build in America, and Julius Shulman the highly acclaimed 20-century architectural photographer. Mr. Rosa has been a visiting scholar at The Getty Center for the History of Art and the Humanities, a recipient of grants from the National Endowment for the Arts and the Graham Foundation for Advanced Studies in the Fine Arts. He has also taught at Columbia University, California College of the Arts, Catholic University, the University of California Berkeley, Southern California Institute of Architecture (SCI-ARC), University of Illinois at Chicago, and the University of Chicago.

Approved by the Regents
May 20, 2010
I am confident that Mr. Rosa is the right person to lead the University of Michigan Museum of Art during this period of renewed excitement and opportunity, one year after its internationally acclaimed expansion and restoration opened to the public. He has the experience, the creativity, and the energy needed to direct UMMA, one of the crown jewels of our campus, in its contributions to the academic life of the University and its broad outreach to community audiences. I recommend his appointment, effective July 1, 2010.

Respectfully submitted,

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

May 2010
ACTION REQUEST: Correction of Educational Information

NAME: Ji Zhu

In the February 2010 Regents Communication requesting Ji Zhu be appointed as associate professor of electrical engineering and computer science, without tenure, Department of Electrical Engineering and Computer Science, College of Engineering, his educational information was noted incorrectly.

Following is his corrected educational information.

Professor Zhu received his B.Sc. in physics from Peking University, P.R. China in 1996. He received his Ph.D. in statistics from Stanford University in 2003.

Please accept this correction and our apologies for the inconsistency in Professor Zhu’s educational information.

RECOMMENDED BY: RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:

David C. Munson, Jr. Teresa A. Sullivan
Robert J. Vlasic Dean of Engineering Provost and Executive Vice President
College of Engineering for Academic Affairs

Terrence J. McDonald
Arthur E. Thurnau Professor, Professor of
History and Dean, College of Literature,
Science, and the Arts

May 2010
THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN

Regents Communication

UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN - DEARBORN

Recommendations for approval of reappointments
of regular instructional staff and selected academic administrative staff
THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Reappointment of an Administrative Appointment

NAME: Daniel E. Little, Ph.D.

CURRENT TITLES: Chancellor, and Professor of Philosophy, with tenure, College of Arts, Sciences, and Letters, University of Michigan–Dearborn

TITLE BEING RENEWED: Chancellor, University of Michigan–Dearborn

EFFECTIVE DATES: July 1, 2010 through June 30, 2015

I am pleased to recommend the reappointment of Daniel E. Little to a third five-year term as chancellor of the University of Michigan–Dearborn, effective July 1, 2010 through June 30, 2010. Chancellor Little will act as the chief executive officer for the Dearborn campus and as an executive officer of the University.

I submit this recommendation following completion of a rigorous standard reappointment review. The review process involved extensive, thoughtful input from faculty, students, staff, and alumni of UM–Dearborn, as well as from leaders and citizens in the Dearborn community. I visited the Dearborn campus in February for discussion with a number of campus leadership groups and with members of the campus community in open forum. I was delighted with the level of interest and engagement by the various constituencies of UM–Dearborn. Following my own analysis of the extensive information that I received, I have discussed my findings at length with Chancellor Little and have shared them with the Regents. It is upon the basis of this review that I recommend the chancellor’s reappointment.

Chancellor Little assumed the chancellorship of the Dearborn campus in July 2000, and he has been a very effective leader during his first and second terms. During the past five years under Chancellor Little’s leadership, the campus has made much progress in realizing its vision as a “Metropolitan University.” New undergraduate and graduate programs have been created in each of the schools and colleges, including the first two Ph.D. programs, in the College of Engineering and Computer Science, and a new Ed.D. program in the School of Education. Chancellor Little has overseen expansion and enhancement of the Early Childhood Education Center, in collaboration with Oakwood Healthcare System, as well as establishment of the Institute for Local Government. Under his leadership, research productivity of the Dearborn faculty has markedly increased. Enrollments have also increased, with first-time-in-college enrollments growing more than 30 percent since 2004, and transfer enrollments growing 14 percent in the same period. Civic engagement is a key theme for the campus, enhanced by the new Center for Civic Engagement, which involves faculty and students. Chancellor Little has himself been an exemplar of engagement, cultivating strong community ties and partnering with numerous community stakeholders in a variety of ways.
UM-Dearborn is financially stable and has a secure foundation for its educational programs through vigilant financial management, cost reductions, enrollment growth and moderate tuition increases. Chancellor Little has recruited outstanding senior administrators. Under new institutional advancement leadership, the campus exceeded its Michigan Difference campaign goal by 10 percent ($44 million).

The future of UM–Dearborn is bright and the opportunities are great. I am confident that under Chancellor Little’s leadership, the campus will continue to develop its unique assets and further enhance its already outstanding educational, research, and service contributions to the region and the state. I look forward to working with Chancellor Little and his colleagues in the years ahead.

It is with great enthusiasm that I recommend the reappointment of Daniel E. Little as chancellor of the University of Michigan–Dearborn, effective July 1, 2010 through June 30, 2015.

Respectfully submitted,

Mary Sue Coleman
President

May 2010
**THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN**

**REGENTS COMMUNICATION**

**ACTION REQUEST:** Reappointment of an Academic Administrative Appointment for a Faculty Member

**NAME:** Nancy Howells Wrobel

**CURRENT TITLES:** Professor of Psychology, with tenure, and Chair, Department of Behavioral Sciences, College of Arts, Sciences, and Letters

**TITLE BEING RENEWED:** Chair, Department of Behavioral Sciences, College of Arts, Sciences, and Letters

**TERM:** Three Years

**EFFECTIVE DATES:** July 1, 2010 through June 30, 2013

The Department of Behavioral Sciences, the Dean of the College of Arts, Sciences, and Letters, and the Provost and Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs, recommend the reappointment of Nancy Howells Wrobel as chair, Department of Behavioral Sciences, College of Arts, Sciences, and Letters, for a three-year term, effective July 1, 2010 through June 30, 2013.

Professor Wrobel graduated *Magna Cum Laude* in 1978 from Hiram College and received a M.A. in clinical psychology from the University of Dayton in 1983. She was awarded a Ph.D. in clinical psychology by Wayne State University in 1988. She joined the University of Michigan-Dearborn in 1989 as a visiting assistant professor and was appointed as assistant professor of psychology in the Department of Behavioral Sciences in 1990. Professor Wrobel was promoted to associate professor, with tenure, in 1996 and to professor in 2009.

Professor Wrobel’s major area of research throughout her academic career has been in the field of diagnostic assessment, in particular, the accuracy and validity of assessment across age, gender, diagnostic type, and ethnic or cultural background. She has recently been involved in the validation of mental health screening tests for elderly Arab-Americans.

Professor Wrobel has been a member of the Behavioral Sciences Executive Committee, the Distance Learning Faculty, and the Agenda for Women, and has served as the College Ombudsperson. She has worked on search committees for several campus-wide positions and recently chaired the search for the director of admissions.

We are very pleased to recommend the reappointment of Nancy Howells Wrobel as chair, Department of Behavioral Sciences, College of Arts, Sciences, and Letters, for a three-year term, effective July 1, 2010 through June 30, 2013.

**RECOMMENDED BY:**

Daniel Little, Chancellor
University of Michigan-Dearborn

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ACTION REQUEST: Academic Administrative Appointment for a Faculty Member

NAME: Michael A. Lachance

CURRENT TITLE: Professor of Mathematics, with tenure, College of Arts, Sciences, and Letters

ADDITIONAL TITLE: Chair, Department of Mathematics and Statistics, College of Arts, Sciences, and Letters

TERM: Three Years

EFFECTIVE DATES: July 1, 2010 through June 30, 2013

The Department of Mathematics and Statistics, the Dean of the College of Arts, Sciences, and Letters, and the Provost and Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs, recommend the appointment of Michael A. Lachance as chair, Department of Mathematics and Statistics, College of Arts, Sciences, and Letters, for a three-year term, effective July 1, 2010 through June 30, 2013.

Professor Lachance earned his Bachelor of Arts from the University of Evansville in 1975, and his Master of Arts and Ph.D. from University of South Florida in 1977 and 1979, respectively. He was appointed as assistant professor of mathematics at the University of Michigan-Dearborn in 1979, promoted to associate professor, with tenure, in 1984, and to professor in 1989.

Although he is a challenging instructor, his students also find him motivating and encouraging. In recognition of his outstanding talent for teaching, Professor Lachance received the University of Michigan-Dearborn’s Distinguished Teaching Award in 1984. He has made many contributions to the mathematics curriculum and is a major force behind the success of the applied mathematics courses.

Professor Lachance’s recent articles have appeared in the Proceedings of the International Conference on Technology in Collegiate Mathematics and Mathematics Monthly. He has served as the mathematics program advisor and on the Executive Committees of the Department and the College. His professional affiliations include the Society for Industrial and Applied Mathematics and the American Mathematical Society.

I am very pleased to recommend the appointment of Michael A. Lachance as chair, Department of Mathematics and Statistics, College of Arts, Sciences, and Letters, for a three-year term, effective July 1, 2010 through June 30, 2013.

Recommended by:

Daniel Little, Chancellor
University of Michigan-Dearborn

May 2010
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of regular instructional staff and selected academic administrative staff
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ACTION REQUEST: Reappointment of an Academic Administrative Appointment for a Faculty Member

NAME: Adam Lutzker

CURRENT TITLES: Chair, Department of Economics, and Associate Professor of Economics, with tenure, College of Arts and Sciences

TITLE BEING RENEWED: Chair, Department of Economics, College of Arts and Sciences

TERM: Three Years

EFFECTIVE DATES: July 1, 2010 through June 30, 2013

The Dean and the Executive Committee of the College of Arts and Sciences at the University of Michigan-Flint, with the endorsement of the Department of Economics, recommend the reappointment of Adam Lutzker as chair, Department of Economics, College of Arts and Sciences, effective July 1, 2010 through June 30, 2013.

Professor Lutzker received his B.A. degree from the University of Maryland in 1985, and his M.A degree and Ph.D. from University of Michigan in 1988 and 1999, respectively. He joined the faculty at the University of Michigan-Flint in 1999 as an assistant professor and was promoted to associate professor, with tenure, in 2006.

Since joining the faculty at the University of Michigan-Flint, Professor Lutzker served as core faculty for the Masters of Arts in social science, and as a member of the CAS Executive Committee, UM-Flint General Curriculum Advisory Committee, Advisory Board of the Women’s Educational Center, College of Arts and Sciences Academic Standards Committee, Library Resources Committee, and International and Global Studies Committee.

Professor Lutzker is an effective leader. We are pleased to recommend the reappointment of Adam Lutzker as chair, Department of Economics, College of Arts and Sciences, effective July 1, 2010 through June 30, 2013.

Recommended by:

D. J. Trela, Dean
College of Arts and Sciences

Recommendation endorsed by:

Vahid Lotfi, Interim Provost and Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs

Ruth Person, Chancellor
University of Michigan-Flint

May 2010

Approved by the Regents
May 20, 2010
ACTION REQUEST: Reappointment of an Academic Administrative Appointment for a Faculty Member

NAME: Robert W. Stach

CURRENT TITLES: Chair, Department of Chemistry and Biochemistry, and Professor of Chemistry, with tenure, College of Arts and Sciences

TITLE BEING RENEWED: Chair, Department of Chemistry and Biochemistry, College of Arts and Sciences

TERM: Five Years

EFFECTIVE DATES: July 1, 2010 through June 30, 2015

The Dean and the Executive Committee of the College of Arts and Sciences at the University of Michigan-Flint, with the endorsement of the Department of Chemistry and Biochemistry, recommend the reappointment of Robert W. Stach as chair, Department of Chemistry and Biochemistry, College of Arts and Sciences, effective July 1, 2010 through June 30, 2015.

Professor Stach received his B.A. degree from Illinois Wesleyan University in 1967 and his Ph.D. from the University of Wisconsin in 1972. He joined the faculty at the University of Michigan-Flint in 1987 as a professor, with tenure.

Since joining the faculty at the University of Michigan-Flint, he has chaired the Faculty Council, and has served on the Chancellor’s Advisory Committee for Budget and Strategic Planning, Citizens Advisory Committee, Chancellor’s Inauguration Committee, Development Advisory Committee, Faculty Development and Awards Committee, Information Technology Services Planning Committee, Student Concerns Committee, and Writing Across the Curriculum Committee. He also served as the 2001-02 senior advisor to the chancellor.

Professor Stach is an effective leader. We are pleased to recommend the reappointment of Robert W. Stach as chair, Department of Chemistry and Biochemistry, College of Arts and Sciences, effective July 1, 2010 through June 30, 2015.

Recommended by:

D. J. Trela, Dean
College of Arts and Sciences

Recommendation endorsed by:

Vahid Lotfi, Interim Provost and Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs

Ruth Person, Chancellor
University of Michigan-Flint

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ACTION REQUEST: Academic Administrative Appointment for a Faculty Member

NAME: Christine M. Waters

CURRENT TITLES: Interim Associate Provost and Professor of Art, with tenure, College of Arts and Sciences

RECOMMENDED TITLES: Chair, Department of Communication and Visual Arts, and Professor of Art, with tenure, College of Arts and Sciences

EFFECTIVE DATES: July 1, 2010 through June 30, 2011

The Dean and Executive Committee of the College of Arts and Sciences, with the endorsement of the Department of Communication and Visual Arts, recommend the appointment of Christine M. Waters as chair, Department of Communication and Visual Arts, College of Arts and Sciences, effective July 1, 2010 through June 30, 2011.

Professor Waters received her M.A. and M.F.A. from the University of Wisconsin-Madison in 1975 and 1977, respectively. She joined the faculty at the University of Michigan-Flint in 1987 as a visiting professor, was appointed as an assistant professor in 1988, was promoted to associate professor, with tenure, in 1994, and to professor in 2009.

Since joining the faculty at the University of Michigan-Flint, Professor Waters has served as associate dean in the College of Arts and Sciences from July 1997 through June 2005, chair, Department of Communication and Visual Arts from July 2005 through December 2006, interim dean in the College of Arts and Sciences from January through May 2007, and interim associate provost and dean of Graduate Programs for 2007-2008 and 2009-2010. Professor Waters has also served as a member of the Academic Affairs Advisory Committee, the Chancellor's Advisory Committee on Budget and Strategic Planning, and dozens of other committees too numerous to mention.

Professor Waters will be an effective leader. We are pleased to recommend Christine M. Waters as chair, Department of Communication and Visual Arts, College of Arts and Sciences, effective July 1, 2010 through June 30, 2011.

Recommended by:

D. J. Trela, Dean
College of Arts and Sciences

Recommendation endorsed by:

Vahid Lotfi, Interim Provost and
Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs

Ruth J. Person, Chancellor
University of Michigan-Flint

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