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1. Recommended promotions to the ranks of professor and associate professor, 2013 - 2014.

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

   (1) Hilton, James L., dean of libraries, university librarian, effective September 1, 2013 through August 31, 2018, Arthur F. Thurnau Professor, and professor of information, with tenure, School of Information, effective September 1, 2013.

   (2) Nagel, Stefan, professor of finance, with tenure, Stephen M. Ross School of Business, and professor of economics, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2013, and Donald C. Cook Professor of Business Administration, Stephen M. Ross School of Business, effective September 1, 2013 through August 31, 2018.

3. Recommendations for approval of new appointments and promotions for regular associate and full professor ranks, without tenure.

   (1) Cantor, Daniel, associate professor of theatre and drama, without tenure, School of Music, Theatre & Dance, effective September 1, 2013.

   (2) Dahmer, Mary K., Ph.D., associate professor of pediatrics and communicable diseases, without tenure, Medical School, effective July 1, 2013.

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

   (1) Borders, James M., Glenn McGeoch Collegiate Professor of Music, School of Music, Theatre & Dance, effective June 1, 2013 through May 31, 2018 (also professor of music, with tenure.)

   (2) Castle, Valerie P., M.D., Ravitz Foundation Professor of Pediatrics and Communicable Diseases, Medical School, effective July 1, 2013 through August 31, 2018 (also chair, Department of Pediatrics and Communicable Diseases, and professor of pediatrics and communicable diseases, with tenure.)

   (3) Dunkle, Ruth E., associate dean for faculty and academic affairs, School of Social Work, effective June 1, 2013 through May 31, 2016 (also Wilbur J. Cohen Collegiate Professor of Social Work, and professor of social work, with tenure.)
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4. Recommendations for approval of reappointments of regular instructional staff and selected administrative staff.


(5) Janz, Nancy K., associate dean for academic affairs, School of Public Health, effective June 1, 2013 through May 31, 2014 (also professor of health behavior and health education, with tenure.)

(6) Little, Roderick J. A., Richard D. Remington Collegiate Professor of Biostatistics, School of Public Health, effective June 1, 2013 through May 31, 2018 (also professor of biostatistics, with tenure, School of Public Health, and professor of statistics, without tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts.)

(7) Moje, Elizabeth B., associate dean for research and community engagement, School of Education, effective September 1, 2013 through August 31, 2016 (also Arthur F. Thurnau Professor, and professor of education, with tenure.)

(8) Spencer, Michael, associate dean for educational programs, School of Social Work, effective June 1, 2013 through May 31, 2015 (also professor of social work, with tenure.)

(9) Wang, Kon-Well, Stephen P. Timoshenko Collegiate Professor of Mechanical Engineering, effective September 1, 2013 through August 31, 2018 (also Tim Manganello/Borg Warner Chair of Mechanical Engineering, and professor of mechanical engineering, with tenure.)

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

(1) Crane, Daniel A., associate dean for academic affairs, Law School, effective July 1, 2013 through June 30, 2016 (also Frederick Paul Furth, Sr. Professor of Law, and professor of law, with tenure.)

(2) Hakimi, Monica, associate dean for academic affairs, Law School, effective July 1, 2013 through June 30, 2016 (also assistant professor of law.)

(3) Hussain, Maha H.A., M.D., Cis Maisel Professor of Oncology, Medical School, effective May 1, 2013 through August 31, 2018 (also professor of internal medicine, with tenure, and professor of urology, without tenure.)
5. Recommendations for approval of joint or additional appointments or transfers of regular associate or full professors and selected academic administrative staff.

(4) Mapp, Anna K., Edwin Vedejs Collegiate Professor of Chemistry, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective May 1, 2013 through August 31, 2018 (also professor of chemistry, with tenure.)

(5) Matzger, Adam J., Charles G. Overberger Collegiate Professor of Chemistry, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective May 1, 2013 through August 31, 2018 (also professor of chemistry, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, and professor of macromolecular science and engineering, without tenure, College of Engineering.)

(6) Meeker, John D., associate dean for research, School of Public Health, effective May 1, 2013 through April 30, 2016 (also associate professor of environmental health sciences, with tenure.)

(7) Neville-Andrews, John, Claribel Baird Halstead Professor, School of Music, Theatre & Dance, effective September 1, 2013 through May 31, 2016 (also professor of theatre and drama, with tenure.)

(8) Park, Paul, M.D., associate professor of orthopaedic surgery, without tenure, Medical School, effective June 1, 2013 (also associate professor of neurosurgery, with tenure.)

(9) Pasquale, John Daniel, Donald R. Shepherd Chair in Conducting, School of Music, Theatre & Dance, effective June 1, 2013 through May 31, 2016 (also lecturer of music.)

(10) Santacroce, David A., associate dean for clinical affairs, Law School, effective July 1, 2013 through June 30, 2016 (also clinical professor of law.)

(11) Schwendeman, Steven P., professor of biomedical engineering, without tenure, College of Engineering, effective September 1, 2013 (also Ara G. Paul Professor of Pharmaceutical Sciences, chair, Department of Pharmaceutical Sciences, and professor of pharmaceutical sciences, with tenure, College of Pharmacy.)

(12) Van Gent, Elona D., associate dean for academic programs, Penny W. Stamps School of Art and Design, effective July 1, 2013 through June 30, 2016 (also professor of art, with tenure.)
6. Recommendations for approval of leaves of absence for regular instructional staff and selected academic administrative staff.

   (1) Adamic, Lada, extension of a leave of absence, effective September 1, 2013 through May 31, 2014 (associate professor of information, with tenure, School of Information, associate professor of the study of complex systems, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, and associate professor of electrical engineering and computer science, without tenure, College of Engineering.)

   (2) Sami, Rahul, extension of a leave of absence, effective September 1, 2013 through May 31, 2014 (associate professor of information, with tenure, School of Information.)

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

   (1) Approval to establish a new academic administrative position as associate dean for academic programming, Law School, effective June 1, 2013.

   (2) Approval to establish a new academic administrative position as vice provost for digital educational initiatives, Office of the Provost and Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs, effective July 1, 2013.

   (3) Approval to establish a new academic administrative position as associate dean for experiential education, Law School, effective June 1, 2013.

   (4) Approval to establish a new academic administrative position as associate dean for faculty and research, Law School, effective June 1, 2013.

   (5) Approval to establish a Collegiate Professorship as the Michael Savageau Collegiate Professorship, Medical School, effective May 1, 2013.

   (6) Approval to establish a Research Professorship as the Rosa Casco Solano-Lopez Research Professorship in Child and Adolescent Psychiatry, Medical School, effective May 1, 2013.

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

   (1) Mistral, Jacques, Helen L. DeRoy Visiting Professor in Honors, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2013 through December 31, 2013.
ANN ARBOR CAMPUS

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


DEARBORN CAMPUS

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

   (1) Duran, Mesut, associate dean for research and administrative affairs, School of Education, effective July 1, 2013 through June 30, 2014 (also associate professor of technology, with tenure.)

   (2) Fossum, Paul R., associate dean of academic affairs, School of Education, effective July 1, 2013 through June 30, 2014 (also associate professor of technology, with tenure.)

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

   (1) Hershock, Martin J., dean, College of Arts, Sciences, and Letters, effective July 1, 2013 through June 30, 2018 (also professor of history, with tenure.)
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Recommendations for approval of new appointments and promotions for regular associate and full professor ranks, with tenure
I am pleased to recommend for Regental approval the appointment of James L. Hilton as dean of libraries and university librarian, effective September 1, 2013 through August 31, 2018, Arthur F. Thurnau Professor, and professor of information, with tenure, School of Information, effective September 1, 2013. This recommendation follows an international search conducted by a search advisory committee.

James L. Hilton received his B.A. degree in 1981 from the University of Texas at Austin and a M.A. degree and Ph.D. from Princeton University in 1983 and 1985, respectively. He began his professional career at the University of Michigan as an assistant professor in the Department of Psychology, College of Literature, Science and the Arts, and a faculty associate in the Research Center for Group Dynamics in the Institute for Social Research in 1985. He was promoted to associate professor in psychology, with tenure, in 1991 and to professor in 1999. In 1997 Professor Hilton was awarded the Arthur F. Thurnau Professorship. Administratively, from 1991 to 2000 he served as undergraduate chair in the Department of Psychology. From 1999 to 2000 he served as the special assistant to the provost for media rights, and from 2001 to 2006 he served as associate provost for academic, information, and instructional technology affairs. During the 2005-2006 academic year, he was interim university librarian. Since 2006, he has been the vice president and chief information officer, and professor of psychology, at the University of Virginia.

While at Michigan, Professor Hilton won numerous awards and fellowships such as the Master Lecturer Award from the Michigan Psychological Association in 1989, the Class of 1923 Memorial Teaching Award in 1991, and the LSA Excellence in Education Award in 1992, 1994 and 1995. From 1997-1998 Professor Hilton was a Sweetland Writing Center Fellow, as well as a participant in the CIC Academic Leadership Program as a fellow.

At the University of Virginia, Professor Hilton was responsible for planning and coordinating academic and administrative information technology, voice communications, and network operations on a university-wide basis. He is an advocate for strong collaboration between academic and technology cultures in university environments, and has published widely in the areas of information technology policy, person perception, stereotypes, and the psychology of suspicion. He remains engaged with the library community at the national level, currently leading the creation of the Digital Preservation Network, an archival backbone designed to catch and preserve discoveries for future
generations. Together with 56 AAU-caliber institutions, he is building a preservation structure owned by and for the academy to connect and leverage a variety of large-scale preservation/access initiatives such as Hathi Trust, Texas Digital Library, and the Academic Preservation Trust. Professor Hilton has a history of helping large organizations successfully confront and embrace rapidly changing environments, a deep and abiding commitment to collaboration, and a broad range of experiences at all levels of the university.

I am delighted that James L. Hilton will assume multiple roles for the University of Michigan campus. As dean of libraries and university librarian, his vision and leadership will be essential to address the changing nature of information acquisition and knowledge dissemination. As a tenured professor in the School of Information, he will contribute to the study and design of information access and preservation. I am pleased to recommend his appointments, effective September 1, 2013.

Respectfully submitted,

[Signature]

Martha E. Pollack
Provost and Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs

May 2013
ACTION REQUEST: Faculty Appointment Approval

NAME: Stefan Nagel

TITLES: Donald C. Cook Professor of Business Administration, Professor of Finance, Stephen M. Ross School of Business, and Professor of Economics, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

TENURE STATUS: With Tenure

EFFECTIVE DATE: September 1, 2013

APPOINTMENT PERIOD: University Year

On the recommendation of the Dean and Executive Committee of the Stephen M. Ross School of Business, and the Department of Economics and Executive Committee of the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, we are pleased to recommend the appointment of Stefan Nagel as professor of finance, with tenure, Stephen M. Ross School of Business, and professor of economics, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2013 and as the Donald C. Cook Professor of Business Administration, Stephen M. Ross School of Business, effective September 1, 2013 through August 31, 2018.

ACADEMIC DEGREES

Professor Nagel completed his Diplom (M.S. equivalent) in business economics at the University of Trier, Germany in 1999. He completed his Doctorate at the London School of Business in 2003.

PROFESSIONAL RECORD

Professor Nagel was a lecturer at Harvard University (2003-2004) before being appointed as an assistant professor at Stanford University in 2004. He was promoted to associate professor, with tenure, in 2010.

SUMMARY OF EVALUATION

Professor Nagel works in the area of asset pricing, which is focused on estimation of what assets (e.g., investments in marketable securities such as stocks, options, business enterprises, or intangible assets such as patents and trademarks) or liabilities (e.g., bonds issued by a company) are worth. This is one of the most central (and hence most highly populated) topics in the finance field. Professor Nagel has distinguished himself as a thought leader in this large field through creative studies of how people interact to influence asset prices. He has clearly carved out a promising niche in the world of asset pricing.

In addition to having a particularly effective analytic skill set, Professor Nagel has a nose for interesting and important problems. His productivity and impact are world class. His research
publications, and particularly his citations, compare very favorably with the strongest people in his cohort of 2003 Finance PhDs.

Beyond his own impressive statistics, Professor Nagel is a true scholar who believes in research for its highest purpose and is an active institution builder within the profession. The reviewers unanimously extol his research prowess in superlative terms and speak highly of his reputation as a teacher.

PUBLICATIONS

“Learning from Inflation Experiences,” (with Ulrike Malmendier), revised September 2012.


EXCERPTS FROM EXTERNAL REVIEWERS

Reviewer (A) “He is a smart and careful researcher who aims for quality and rigor in his work, not for quantity or superficial flashiness. His papers are interesting and relevant, and have become increasingly ambitious over time. And, in a more general sense, he takes the research enterprise very seriously – I have been impressed, for example, by the seriousness with which he takes his role as a discussant at professional conferences; and I am not at all surprised by his Best Referee award from the Review of Financial Studies. Overall, among the researchers in his cohort anywhere in the world who work on empirical asset pricing, I view him as one of the very best.”

Reviewer (B) “Stefan is an active researcher with a diverse and interesting portfolio of widely cited papers. He is one of the strongest people working in asset pricing and behavioral finance in his cohort. You will be lucky if you can attract him to Michigan.”

Reviewer (C) “Stefan is an unusually talented and creative scholar who clearly warrants the rank of Professor with tenure at the Ross School of Business and the Department of Economics. I happened to see Stefan present a paper at a conference in London when he was a first-year Ph.D. student and I was so impressed I told several colleagues he was going to be a star. Stefan is surely one of the best financial empiricists in his cohort. Stefan has great taste in research topics. The questions he tackles are always interesting and amenable to empirical research, and they are often of fundamental importance. He also has a real talent for empirical work. His tests are typically simple, clever, and compelling. Stefan would definitely meet the requirements for tenured full professor at…”
Reviewer (D) “He is a very visible and successful scholar, and also quite eclectic in the problems he works on... ...this is a very easy letter to write. Stefan Nagel has an outstanding record. He works in areas where the best people do tend to publish at a relatively fast rate, but when compared to many such empiricists his agenda is refreshingly broad in scope. The papers appear to me to be interesting and original, and I believe that is why they have had a big impact. This is a record that warrants tenure and Full in any top department. I also know from my interactions with colleagues at...that he is a successful teacher. In short, if you can attract Stefan Nagel, more power to you. He is surely one of the top scholars in his cohort in finance...”

Reviewer (E) “In short, I think Stefan’s work is terrific and Michigan should hire him. Stefan stands out from his peer group of asset pricing researchers for having three memorable pieces of work in somewhat different topics and styles. He has a rare combination of breadth and also technical competence as well as a knack for tackling interesting questions. In sum, Stefan’s work is creative and important.”

Reviewer (F) “Stefan is a first rate scholar. You should grab him. Stefan’s work is insightful, innovative, elegantly presented and often surprising. Stefan’s work is careful. In summary, Stefan is an excellent scholar. Hire him if you can.”

Reviewer (G) “Stefan is one of the best applied financial econometricians. He is pretty much at the top of his cohort... Stefan’s strength is in participating in current debate in the literature through careful and clever use of interesting new pieces of evidence. When taken together Stefan’s papers make an important contribution to the asset pricing literature in finance. Clearly, Stefan is an original thinker. He is also a valuable colleague in the profession. Stefan has a number of fans in our department, and if he is interested, I will be an enthusiastic supporter for making him an offer at the full professor rank.”

Reviewer (H) “Appointing him as a professor at the University of Michigan should be an easy decision. Nagel is bright, highly productive, creative, and is on a very impressive research trajectory. Indeed, I think that you will have a problem holding on to him if you succeed in recruiting him, as many schools will vie for his attention. Indeed, I expect him to be a strong candidate for tenure at all top business schools. Nagel’s work is highly influential and has important practical and policy implications. Nagel has a terrific nose for good data and his work also makes important conceptual contributions... I anticipate that Nagel will continue to evolve to be one of the most influential behavioral finance economists in the world. I very strongly support his appointment at the University of Michigan.”

Reviewer (I) “In short, I fully support Professor Nagel’s appointment. He is a first-rate scholar and an emerging young star in our profession. Any school would be very lucky to obtain him. Stefan’s research covers an impressively broad spectrum, addresses interesting and important questions, and is of very high quality in terms of execution. ...Stefan...has received several awards for his research that have attracted much deserved attention. In summary, I think Stefan Nagel is a clear case for tenure at Michigan and that Michigan would be fortunate to get him. He is a terrific scholar at the top of his field, and I fully expect him to continue producing outstanding papers.”

Reviewer (J) “My view is that this would be an excellent appointment. Stefan’s research has made significant contributions to financial economics through the sophisticated application of economic modeling, novel and clever ideas, and a consistent focus on the interplay between economic theory and financial markets. He is a leader in the field of financial economics, and one of the best of his
cohort. In short, Stefan’s scholarship is excellent and creative. I see no line of argument against this hire. I highly recommend that you make the offer and wish you good luck in hiring.”

Reviewer (K) “Stefan is one of the top dozen [junior] people in finance in the world. He has tenure...but could have it...anywhere else. He is creative, relevant, hardworking, enormously productive, and influential. And nice. Not sure exactly what else one would ask for. He would be a HUGE catch for you.”

Reviewer (L) “It is no surprise that his papers have won numerous best-paper awards. I would rank Stefan very near the top, perhaps at the very top, of researchers in asset pricing of roughly similar vintage. I would push hard to make him a full-professor offer at... In summary, I believe that Stefan’s accomplishments and potential easily justify a full professor offer, and one could make a strong case for an endowed chair.”

Reviewer (M) “I enthusiastically support this appointment. ...I believe this case is a no-brainer. Stefan is a star in empirical asset pricing. He has written influential papers in several branches of asset pricing... In his relatively short career, he has published over ten papers in top finance and economics journals. Most of these papers are heavily cited in the literature. As a reflection of the impacts, he received best paper awards from Journal of Finance and Journal of Financial Economics multiple times. He is highly visible in the finance profession. It would be a great catch for your school if you can succeed in attracting him. I strongly support appointing him to full professor of finance in your school.”

SUMMARY

We enthusiastically recommend the appointment of Stefan Nagel as professor of finance, with tenure, Stephen M. Ross School of Business, and professor of economics, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2013 and as the Donald C. Cook Professor of Business Administration, Stephen M. Ross School of Business, effective September 1, 2013 through August 31, 2018.

RECOMMENDED BY:  

Alison Davis-Blake  
Edward J. Frey Dean of Business  
Stephen M. Ross School of Business

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:

Martha E. Pollack  
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 2013
Recommendations for approval of new appointments and promotions for regular associate and full professor ranks, without tenure
THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Faculty Appointment Approval

NAME: Daniel Cantor

TITLE: Associate Professor of Theatre and Drama, School of Music, Theatre & Dance

TENURE STATUS: Without Tenure

EFFECTIVE DATE: September 1, 2013

APPOINTMENT PERIOD: University Year

On the recommendation of the School of Music, Theatre & Dance Executive Committee, I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Daniel Cantor as associate professor of theatre and drama, without tenure, School of Music, Theatre & Dance, effective September 1, 2013.

ACADEMIC DEGREES AND AWARDS
Professor Cantor received a BA in theater and American studies from Wesleyan University, and a MFA in acting from the American Conservatory Theater in San Francisco, California. He also earned a certificate in acting (advanced training program) also from the American Conservatory Theatre. Professor Cantor received additional training in improvisation and sketch writing from the Acme Comedy Theatre in Los Angeles, completed a professional internship in acting from the Cincinnati Playhouse in the Park, and scene study and audition training at the Polaris Rep Theater in New York City. In 2010 Cantor won the Clarence Simon Award for Outstanding Teaching and Mentoring from Northwestern University.

PROFESSIONAL RECORD
From 1990 through 1993, Professor Cantor began teaching at the National Shakespeare Company in New York. He provided individualized teaching and coaching at his studio, Cantor Studios, in New York from 2000 through 2006. From 2002 through 2006, he was a member of the acting faculty at the American Musical and Dramatic Academy. In 2003, he joined Pace University as an adjunct professor of acting. From 2004 through 2006, Professor Cantor worked as a visiting artist in acting, and also as a visiting assistant professor providing numerous undergraduate acting courses. In 2006, he was recruited to Northwestern University as an assistant professor of acting; a position he currently holds.

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITY
Professor Cantor maintains membership in numerous professional organizations including the Screen Actors Guild, the Association of Theater in Higher Education, the Independent Film Project, and the Theater Communication Group. Professor Cantor is a highly accomplished professional actor whose work spans a wide variety of genre, including theatre, TV and Film, commercials, voice-over, and industrials. He is a well-known and popular lecturer and continues to provide workshops throughout the U.S.

In his 20 plus years as a professional actor, Professor Cantor has worked for and continues to be sought after by the highest-level regional theatres in the country. Nationally, he has worked in San Francisco at the acclaimed American Conservatory Theatre (where he was nominated for a Bay Area Critics Circle Award for best actor), Cincinnati Playhouse in the Park, Milwaukee Repertory Theatre, Cleveland
Playhouse, Shakespeare Santa Cruz, and the National Shakespeare Company to name a few. In Chicago, where he has been teaching for the last seven years, he has worked for all of the major theatre companies including the Goodman Theatre, Victory Gardens Theater, Steppenwolf, and the Chicago Shakespeare Theater. He has also appeared Off Broadway in several premieres, mostly notably in Picasso at the Lapin Agile, as Pablo Picasso in the very successful play by Steve Martin directed by Randall Arney.

Professor Cantor has appeared in numerous independent films including, The Auteur Theory on Showtime, Alchemy on ABC, and Justice on IFC. Various guest spots, including episodes on Law and Order (acting with Sam Waterston and Linus Roache), Law and Order: Criminal Intent (with Vincent D’Onofrio), Law and Order: Special Victims Unit, and The Sopranos acting with Michael Imperioli, gives him well-rounded experience with diverse acting styles. He has appeared in numerous national TV commercials for Federal Express, American Express, Pizza Hut, Comedy Central, and Compaq Computers. Also, with Compaq Computers he made over 15 industrial films, as well as industrials for Pfizer, AT&T, and Bank of America.

Professor Cantor is represented by three talent agencies; a theatrical agent in Chicago, and a theatrical and a commercial agent in New York City, thereby keeping his career active and current in multiple markets and performance fields. He is adept at embracing a wide variety of performance styles and is known for being able to deliver emotional authenticity supported by sound technique. He has received positive reviews in national papers, such as the Chicago Tribune, The Washington Post, The Washington Times, and the San Francisco Chronicle among others.

SUMMARY OF EVALUATION
Professor Cantor’s academic teaching experience includes a number of undergraduate courses specifically designed for the acting and directing curricula of a professional training program. Most currently, he was an assistant professor of acting at Northwestern University, teaching three separate acting levels exploring characterization, comedy, drama, documentary theatre, Shakespeare, and Greek theatre since 2006. Professor Cantor’s former students laud him as a mentor and seek his advice long after they have graduated.

In his statement of teaching philosophy, Professor Cantor describes his teaching as structured but non-ideological – with Stanislavski at the core and Meisner technique as a compliment. His classroom is an energized, dynamic environment, as born out by the comments of our own students when he taught classes during his visit to Ann Arbor.

“He didn’t let us slack off for a minute but kept the class rolling – and that intensity of focus kept me thinking actively the entire time.”
Sophomore, Performance major

“(Cantor) was everything I was hoping for the new acting teacher to be: active, utilizing introspective character work, enigmatic – he challenged us and made us want to work with him.”
Sophomore, Performance major

Professor Cantor, as evidenced by his excellent record of teaching at Northwestern University and other institutions plus the consistent recognition of his professional expertise, offers the Department of Theatre & Drama an exciting opportunity to add depth to our program offerings and increased vitality to our training.
EXCERPTS FROM EXTERNAL REVIEWERS
Reviewer A: “What immediately stands out in Professor Cantor’s dossier are his excellent acting credits and professional standing. His work in film and television is also substantial. Professor Cantor is clearly a well-established and accomplished actor on stage and screen. He is clearly a man who gives all of himself to his work and his students.”
Reviewer B: “Cantor’s credentials are excellent and demonstrate a high level of accomplishment in the acting profession. Certainly as a professional actor he has a wide range of stage and television experience and has worked at many fine professional companies. His experience and professional network will prove to be valuable to your students.”
Reviewer C: “He shows strengths and experience in a wide range of work in the theatrical and entertainment professions: stage acting, T.V. and movie acting, stage directing, even improvisational comedy. All these suggest a person with a very well rounded and with a depth of experience that is vital to someone who is teaching the craft of acting at a university level of instruction.”
Reviewer D: “His CV shows a network of impressive professional connections, and the teaching statements show a creative, original mind and a significant commitment to teaching. I have no doubt that he has made a major contribution to the training of future working theatre professionals.”
Reviewer E: “His professional career speaks for itself, and is exemplary. His professional experience, scholarly rigor, applied teaching methodologies and range of teaching ability would make him a valuable colleague for the University of Michigan.”

SUMMARY OF RECOMMENDATION
The Department of Theatre & Drama is very enthusiastic about working with Professor Cantor and having him here as a colleague and a valuable resource. He brings experience in conservatory-type training, a belief in the value of a liberal arts education, the expertise of a working professional, and the benefits of a collaborative theatre artist - the whole package. The appointment of Daniel Cantor will be a catalyst for positive change and growth in the department. On behalf of the school, I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Daniel Cantor as associate professor of theatre & drama, without tenure, School of Music, Theatre & Dance, effective September 1, 2013.

RECOMMENDED BY:
Christopher W. Kendall
Paul Boylan Collegiate Professor of Music and Dean, School of Music, Theatre & Dance

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:
Martha E. Pollack, Provost and Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs

May 2013
ACTION REQUEST: Faculty Appointment Approval

NAME: Mary K. Dahmer, Ph.D.

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

TENURE STATUS: Without tenure

APPOINTMENT PERIOD: 12 Months

EFFECTIVE DATE: July 1, 2013

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 Mary K. Dahmer, Ph.D. as associate professor of pediatrics and communicable diseases, without tenure, Medical School, effective July 1, 2013.

Academic Degrees:
Dr. Dahmer received her Ph.D. degree in cellular and molecular biology from the University of Michigan in 1983.

Professional Record:
Dr. Dahmer completed a post-doctoral fellowship in pharmacology at the University of Michigan in 1984. From 1984 to 1986, she did a fellowship in physiology and biophysics at the University of Illinois at Chicago, followed by a fellowship in pharmacological and physiological sciences at the University of Chicago from 1986 to 1990. In 1990, she was appointed as an assistant professor of biochemistry at the University of Tennessee and was promoted to associate professor at that institution in 1996. In 2006, she was appointed as associate professor of pediatrics at the Medical College of Wisconsin and received a secondary appointment there in the Department of Biochemistry in 2012.

Summary of Evaluation:
Dr. Dahmer’s research focuses on the identification of genetic variants that may influence outcomes in the pediatric intensive care facility. She is a co-investigator on an R01 and has a pending R01 to investigate the impact of hypothermia on the immune response after pediatric cardiac arrest. This is a novel area of research that is complementary to several ongoing funded research programs within the Division of Critical Care Medicine at Michigan. Dr. Dahmer has published 41 articles, and has presented her research at five regional, national, and international venues.
Recent and Significant Publications


Dr. Dahmer’s educational activities have included didactic teaching and laboratory instruction to medical students, graduate students, residents, and fellows. She has been responsible for curriculum design and development for numerous courses. Dr. Dahmer has mentored two post-doctoral fellows, seven research fellows, two residents, eight undergraduates, and has served on 12 dissertation committees and 20 clinical fellow scholarship oversight committees. She has received several awards for her teaching, including the Golden Apple Award for Excellence in Teaching from medical students at the University of Tennessee for 1994, 1995, 1998, 2000, and 2006.

External Reviewers:
Reviewer A: “Dr. Dahmer has clearly established herself as an investigative leader in examining the functional effects of gene variants, in particular as they impact pediatric acute lung injury, innate immunity, and sepsis. Very few investigators in pediatric critical care have focused on this area, and Dr. Dahmer is recognized as one of the experts in this field....I anticipate Dr. Dahmer will continue to be a leader in pediatric critical care research and education for many years to come. She would certainly be an asset to any major academic program.”

Reviewer B: “Her work in the field of genetic variation and its impact on critical illness has clearly advanced the field [as] evidenced by her publications in some of the most prestigious critical care journals. Her long track record of successful collaboration with clinical investigators makes her a most desirable member of any clinical program, particularly any critical care program.”
Reviewer C: “Dr. Dahmer has clearly demonstrated excellence and an enduring commitment to education at all levels within academic medicine. She has published steadily and has contributed important new understanding of the impact of genetic variation to critical illness in children. She has provided significant service within her previous institutions and to the national community.”

Reviewer D: “Dr. Dahmer is widely regarded as a national leader in Translational Research in the field of Pediatric Critical Care Medicine...she personally built and led a highly competitive and successful Translational Research program in the Division of Critical Care Medicine in the Children’s Research Institute, Medical College of Wisconsin.”

Reviewer E: “Dr. Dahmer would be a very valuable addition to any Pediatric faculty, particularly in Critical Care Pediatrics, given that so few of our clinical investigators are well versed in the laboratory sciences. It would be invaluable to have her direct fellows in their research in Critical Care and as a resource for other faculty.”

Dr. Dahmer’s service includes her role as a reviewer for Critical Care Medicine and Physiological Genomics. Institutionally, she has served on 13 committees and currently is a member of the Pediatric Critical Care Task Force on Research Studies in the Pediatric ICU. Nationally, Dr. Dahmer is a member of the Scientific Steering Committee of the Pediatric Acute Lung Injury and Sepsis Investigators Network. She is also a member of the International Consensus Conference on Pediatric Acute Lung Injury.

Summary of Recommendation:
Dr. Dahmer is a well-trained scientist who is involved in research that builds on the scientific programs of the Department of Pediatrics. Additionally, she brings a strong commitment to the training of Ph.D. and clinical investigators. For these reasons, I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Mary K. Dahmer, Ph.D. as associate professor of pediatrics and communicable diseases, without tenure, Medical School, effective July 1, 2013.

Recommended by:

[Signature]
James O. Woolliscroft, M.D.
Dean, Medical School

Recommendation endorsed by:

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

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Martha E. Pollack, Ph.D., Provost and Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs

May 2013
THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN

Regents Communication

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

ACTION REQUEST: Approval of Reappointment to a Collegiate Professorship

NAME: James M. Borders

CURRENT TITLES: Glenn McGeoch Collegiate Professor of Music, and Professor of Music, with tenure, School of Music, Theatre & Dance

TITLE BEING RENEWED: Glenn McGeoch Collegiate Professor of Music, School of Music, Theatre & Dance

TERM: Five Years, Renewable

EFFECTIVE DATES: June 1, 2013 through May 31, 2018

On the recommendation of the School of Music, Theatre & Dance Executive Committee, I am pleased to recommend the reappointment of James M. Borders as the Glenn McGeoch Collegiate Professor of Music, School of Music, Theatre & Dance, for a five-year renewable term, effective June 1, 2013 through May 31, 2018.

In 1994, the Regents accepted gifts to endow a collegiate professorship and approved its naming in honor of Glenn D. McGeoch, who taught music history at the University of Michigan from 1930 through 1970. Although he taught many courses for music majors, he was especially drawn to teaching introductory courses for non-majors, at which he was extraordinarily effective. The spirit of this award is to recognize significant contributions in undergraduate teaching and other service contributions to the institution.

Professor Borders earned a B.M. degree from DePaul University, and a Ph.D. and A.M. from the University of Chicago. He joined the University of Michigan faculty as a lecturer in 1980, and was appointed through the ranks to professor in 2000. Professor Borders has received a Fulbright Award for study in northern Italy and major research grants from the National Endowment for the Arts, the National Endowment for the Humanities, and the American Council of Learned Societies. In addition to his scholarly pursuits, Professor Borders has provided exemplary service to the school. He has served as associate dean for seven years, two terms on the school’s Executive Committee, and is currently serving as chair of the Department of Musicology.

An energetic and challenging teacher, Professor Borders continues to make medieval music exciting, understandable and applicable to both undergraduate and graduate students. He is fair-minded, efficient, and extraordinarily resourceful. In addition to his pedagogical talents, he has been an effective mentor and advisor. He is among the school’s most tenacious and ardent...
educators, and has been a mainstay for the Department of Musicology for many years and in many capacities.

It is with great pleasure that I recommend the reappointment of James M. Borders as the Glenn McGeoch Collegiate Professor of Music, School of Music, Theatre & Dance, for a five-year renewable term, effective June 1, 2013 through May 31, 2018.

RECOMMENDED BY:

Christopher W. Kendall
Paul Boylan Collegiate Professor of Music and Dean, School of Music, Theatre & Dance

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:

Martha E. Pollack, Provost and Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs

May 2013
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 the 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: July 1, 2013 through August 31, 2018

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 July 1, 2013 through August 31, 2018.

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 her M.D. degree from McMaster University in Montreal. 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 serves as a member of the scientific advisory board for St. Jude Research Hospital and as an executive member of the scientific advisory board of the Therapeutic Development Initiative. 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 July 1, 2013 through August 31, 2018.

Recommended by:

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

Recommendation endorsed by:

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

Signature
Martha E. Pollack
Provost and Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs

May 2013
On the recommendation of the Dean of the School of Social Work, and with the concurrence of the Executive Committee of the School of Social Work, we are pleased to recommend the reappointment of Ruth E. Dunkle as associate dean for faculty and academic affairs, School of Social Work, effective June 1, 2013 through May 31, 2016.

Professor Dunkle was educated at Syracuse University, Syracuse, New York and received a Bachelor of Science in human development in 1969, a Masters in social work in 1973, and a Ph.D. in social science with a concentration in psychology and social work with a gerontological focus in 1978. She was appointed as an assistant professor at the School of Applied Social Sciences at Case Western Reserve University, Cleveland, Ohio in 1978 and promoted to associate professor at Case in 1984. In 1986, Professor Dunkle was appointed as an associate professor, with tenure, in the School of Social Work at the University of Michigan; she was promoted to professor in 1990.

Professor Dunkle has provided exemplary teaching to the students of the School of Social Work and has been especially devoted to preparing numerous doctoral and post-doctoral students to conduct conceptually and methodologically sound research in the area of gerontology. She previously served as the director of the Joint Doctoral Program in Social Work and Social Sciences from 1996 to 2001 and as associate dean for education and academic affairs from 1987 to 1991. She has contributed significantly to the school’s recruitment efforts for both students and faculty and has provided excellent leadership to the community and to the profession.

Professor Dunkle’s research focuses on gerontology. Since 1988, Professor Dunkle has served as a project co-director of the National Institute on Aging training program, Social Research Training on Applied Issues of Aging. She also served as co-director of the Hartford Foundation Implementation Grant, Strengthening Geriatric Social Work. Professor Dunkle published a book on the oldest old which examines future time perspectives, strategies for coping with the changes
in physical and psychological functioning, and identifies relevant service delivery strategies for improving the quality of life in the aged population.

As associate dean for faculty and academic affairs, Professor Dunkle will mentors all on faculty and assists them in their academic and professional development. The School of Social Work, therefore, is pleased to recommend the appointment of Ruth E. Dunkle as associate dean for faculty and academic affairs, School of Social Work, effective June 1, 2013 through May 31, 2016.

Recommended by:

Laura Lein
Katherine Reebel Collegiate Professor of Social Work, Professor of Anthropology, and Dean, School of Social Work

Recommendation endorsed by:

Martha E. Pollack
Provost and Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs

May 2013
I am pleased to recommend the reappointment of J. Kevin Graffagnino as director, William L. Clements Library, effective November 17, 2013 through August 31, 2016. This recommendation follows an extensive reappointment review process.

Mr. Graffagnino received a B.A. degree in history and English in 1976 from the University of Vermont, an M.A. degree in history from the University of Vermont, and a Ph.D. degree in history from the University of Massachusetts in 1993. Kevin Graffagnino started his career as an antiquarian book dealer at the age of seventeen. To date, he has over 35 years of experience as an Americana curator, auctioneer, scholar, teacher, publisher and administrator. He has been the executive director of two historical societies: the Kentucky Historical Society from 1999 to 2003; and the Vermont Historical Society from 2003 to present where he coordinated programs including the library and archives, museum, publications, education and outreach. Additionally, he was the director of the library for the Historical Society of Wisconsin, was the co-founder and co-owner of the Vermont Heritage Press, and worked as a curator in special collections for many years at the University of Vermont. Mr. Graffagnino has continued an active scholarly and professional career while carrying out his administrative responsibilities.

The reputation of the William L. Clements Library has grown under Mr. Graffagnino’s leadership. As Director, he has made the library a more visible and active partner in faculty scholarship and student engagement with primary research material related to early American history. His engaging public presentations to local, regional, and national groups have raised the profile of the library and its collections across the state. He has made important acquisitions for the library’s outstanding collections, and embarked on successful academic collaborations across campus and with key external partners. Mr. Graffagnino also led a very successful effort to secure additional funding for a much-needed renovation of the library, although the library had never before launched a significant fundraising campaign. With enthusiasm, I am pleased to recommend the reappointment of J. Kevin Graffagnino as director, William L. Clements Library, effective November 17, 2013 through August 31, 2016.

Respectfully submitted,

Martha E. Pollack
Provost and Executive Vice President
for Academic Affairs

May 2013
THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN  
REGENTS COMMUNICATION  

ACTION REQUEST: Reappointment of an Academic Administrative Appointment  

NAME: Nancy K. Janz  

CURRENT TITLES: Associate Dean for Academic Affairs, and Professor of Health Behavior and Health Education, with tenure, School of Public Health  

TITLE BEING RENEWED: Associate Dean for Academic Affairs, School of Public Health  

EFFECTIVE DATES: June 1, 2013 through May 31, 2014  

I am pleased to recommend the reappointment of Nancy K. Janz as associate dean for academic affairs, School of Public Health, effective June 1, 2013 through May 31, 2014.  

Professor Janz received a Bachelor of Science in nursing in 1969, a Master of Science in nursing in 1972, and a Ph.D. in 1985, all from the University of Michigan. From 1972 through 1986, she served as a cardiovascular nurse clinician and cardiovascular clinical nurse specialist at the University Hospital. Professor Janz was appointed as an assistant research scientist in the Department of Health Behavior and Health Education in 1986. She joined the faculty as an assistant professor in 1991, was promoted to associate professor in 1998, and to professor in 2005. She served as interim co-chair of the Department of Health Behavior and Health Education from May 2003 to December 2004. Professor Janz has served as associate dean for academic affairs since June 2010.  

Professor Janz is an outstanding mentor and innovative teacher who receives strong student evaluations. Her courses are critical to the curriculum in the department and the school. She has provided significant service to the department, school, and university and her national visibility and the regard in which she is held in the professional community are reflected in her service activities outside the academic setting.  

Professor Janz currently serves as the associate director of the Center for Managing Chronic Disease. She is nationally recognized for her scholarly contributions to understanding the determinants of health behavior and furthering the effective design and evaluation of interventions. She has considerable experience in the examination of psychosocial factors that influence preventive health behavior including screening in breast and colorectal cancer. She has written about the use of behavioral theory in understanding adherence to cancer screening. In addition, a major area of her scholarly work has involved the impact of chronic disease and its treatment on health-related quality of life. Professor Janz has examined the impact of treatment on quality of life in a number of chronic diseases including heart disease, pelvic floor disorders...
and glaucoma. She has extended her work to breast cancer with research efforts examining the role of decision-making and treatment choices on quality of life, and evaluation of a theory-driven intervention for breast cancer survivors. She is a member of the Cancer Surveillance & Outcomes Research Team (CanSORT), where her role in several NIH-funded projects has been to better understand the information and support needs of women with breast cancer as well as racial/ethnic differences in breast cancer and its treatment on quality of life over time.

Professor Janz is highly qualified to deal with the duties of this position. It is a pleasure to recommend the reappointment of Nancy K. Janz as associate dean for academic affairs, School of Public Health, effective June 1, 2013 through May 31, 2014.

RECOMMENDED BY:

Martin A. Philbert, Dean
School of Public Health

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:

Martha E. Pollack
Provost and Executive Vice-President for Academic Affairs

May 2013
The Dean and the Executive Committee of the School of Public Health respectfully request the reappointment of Roderick J.A. Little as the Richard D. Remington Collegiate Professor of Biostatistics, School of Public Health, effective June 1, 2013 through May 31, 2018.

The Richard D. Remington Collegiate Professorship in Biostatistics was approved by the Regents of the University in February 2002 and is funded with school resources.

Professor Little received his B.A. degree from Cambridge University in 1971. In 1972 and 1974, respectively, he received a M.Sc. and a Ph.D. in statistics from London University. Prior to joining the University of Michigan in 1993 as a professor and chair of the Department of Biostatistics, he served on the faculty at the University of California, Los Angeles School of Medicine from 1983-1993. He has held the Richard D. Remington Collegiate Professorship in Biostatistics since 2002.

Professor Little is in every way an outstanding faculty member, leader, and colleague who demonstrates excellence in all aspects of research, teaching, and service. Throughout his career, he has been extraordinarily productive and has a well established national and international reputation. He has made outstanding and influential contributions to the theory and applications of statistics. As a founder of the missing data field, his work has made a fundamental impact on statistical analysis and practice in handling missing data. An ISI highly cited researcher, he has over 180 refereed publications, notably on methods for the analysis of data with missing values and model-based survey inference, and the application of statistics to diverse scientific areas, including medicine, demography, economics, psychiatry, aging and the environment. He has chaired or co-chaired 26 doctoral committees. In 2005, Professor Little received the Wilks’
Memorial Award from the American Statistical Association for his research contributions. From January 2010 to January 2013, Professor Little served as the inaugural associate director for research and methodology, and chief scientist at the U.S. Census Bureau. He has received the recognition of his peers in numerous awards and honors by professional societies and organizations including election as fellow of the American Statistical Association and as a member of the International Statistical Institute. From 2010-2012, he served as vice president of the American Statistical Association. Professor Little also has an extensive service record to the School, the University, and to a wide array of institutions both locally and nationally.

Professor Little has served the School of Public Health and the University of Michigan with great distinction and his reappointment to this professorship will be a well deserved recognition of his valuable contributions. We are pleased to recommend the reappointment of Roderick J.A. Little as the Richard D. Remington Collegiate Professor of Biostatistics, School of Public Health, effective June 1, 2013 through May 31, 2018.

RECOMMENDED BY:

[Signature]
Martin A. Philbert, Dean
School of Public Health

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

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:

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Martha E. Pollack
Provost and Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs

May 2013
THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Renewal of Academic Administrative Appointment for a Faculty Member

NAME: Elizabeth B. Moje

CURRENT TITLES: Arthur F. Thurnau Professor, Associate Dean for Research and Community Engagement, and Professor of Education, with tenure, School of Education

TITLE BEING RENEWED: Associate Dean for Research and Community Engagement, School of Education

EFFECTIVE DATES: September 1, 2013 through August 31, 2016

I am pleased to recommend the reappointment of Elizabeth B. Moje as associate dean for research and community engagement, School of Education, effective September 1, 2013 through August 31, 2016.

Professor Moje received her B.A. in 1983 from Concordia College, her M.A. in 1990 from Eastern Michigan University and her Ph.D. in 1994 from Purdue University. From 1994 to 1997, Professor Moje was an assistant professor at the University of Utah. She joined the faculty of the University of Michigan in 1997 as an assistant professor, was promoted to associate professor in 2001 and to professor in 2009.

Professor Moje teaches undergraduate and graduate courses in secondary and adolescent literacy, literacy and cultural theory, and qualitative and mixed research methods. Her research interests revolve around the intersection between the literacies and texts youth are asked to learn in the disciplines, particularly in science and social studies and the literacies and texts they experience outside of school. In addition, she studies how youth make culture and enact identities from their home and community literacies, and from ethnic cultures, popular cultures, and school cultures.

I am pleased to recommend the reappointment of Elizabeth B. Moje as associate dean for research and community engagement, School of Education, effective September 1, 2013 through August 31, 2016.

Recommended by:

Deborah Loewenberg Ball
Arthur F. Thurnau Professor,
William Payne Collegiate Professor,
and Dean, School of Education

Recommendation endorsement by:

Martha E. Pollack, Provost and Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs

May 2013
Reappointment of an Academic Administrative Appointment

Michael Spencer

Associate Dean for Educational Programs, and Professor of Social Work, with tenure, School of Social Work

Associate Dean for Educational Programs, School of Social Work

June 1, 2013 through May 31, 2015

On the recommendation of the Dean of the School of Social Work, and with the concurrence of the Executive Committee of the School of Social Work, we are pleased to recommend the reappointment of Michael Spencer as associate dean for educational programs, School of Social Work, effective June 1, 2013 through May 31, 2015.

Professor Spencer was received a Bachelor of Arts in psychology from the University of Hawaii in 1988. He received his Masters in social work in 1992 from the University of Texas at Austin, and was awarded his Ph.D. in social welfare from the University of Washington in 1996. Professor Spencer completed an NIMH research post-doctoral appointment at the University of Michigan Development Center on Poverty, Risk, and Mental Health in 1997. Thereafter, he was appointed as an assistant professor at the UM School of Social Work. He was promoted to associate professor, with tenure, in 2003, and to professor in 2011.

Professor Spencer has provided exemplary teaching and mentoring to the students of the School of Social Work. In addition to participating in doctoral preliminary exams and sitting on dissertation committees, Professor Spencer has advised student groups, interviewed students for special programs, and participated in graduation activities.

Professor Spencer's research focus encompasses child well-being, community health, and diversity. He currently serves as primary investigator on an NIH-funded project that examines the effectiveness of diabetes self-management in the Latino population of Detroit. Additional research has examined racial and ethnic community health, patient and provider communication in minority communities, head start programs, and culturally competent interventions. Professor Spencer’s service to the school includes serving on the search and executive committees, among others, and is equally matched in his service to the University of Michigan and the profession of social work.
As associate dean for educational programs, Professor Spencer plays an important role in both curriculum and student serves. The School of Social Work, therefore, is pleased to recommend the reappointment of Michael Spencer as associate dean for educational programs, School of Social Work, effective June 1, 2013 through May 31, 2015.

Recommended by:

Laura Lein
Katherine Reebel Collegiate Professor of Social Work, Professor of Anthropology, and Dean, School of Social Work

Recommendation endorsed by:

Martha E. Pollack
Provost and Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs

May 2013
The Dean and the Executive Committee of the College of Engineering are pleased to recommend the reappointment of Kon-Well Wang as Stephen P. Timoshenko Collegiate Professor of Mechanical Engineering, College of Engineering, effective September 1, 2013 through August 31, 2018.

The Stephen P. Timoshenko Collegiate Professorship was established in March 2002 to honor Stephen P. Timoshenko who was a professor of engineering mechanics at the University of Michigan from 1927 to 1936.

Professor Wang received his BS in mechanical engineering from the National Taiwan University in 1976. He then enrolled at the University of California at Berkeley where he received his MS and PhD in mechanical engineering in 1982 and 1985, respectively. Following three years as a senior research engineer at the General Motors Research Laboratories in Michigan, in 1988 Professor Wang joined the faculty at Pennsylvania State University as an assistant professor. He was promoted to associate professor in 1993 and to professor in 2000. In June 2008 he accepted positions at the University of Michigan as chair of the Department of Mechanical Engineering and the Stephen P. Timoshenko Collegiate Professor of Mechanical Engineering.

Professor Wang’s achievements are significant in research, teaching and service. His research centers on structural dynamics and vibration, adaptive material systems, structural control and health monitoring.

Professor Wang’s academic achievements fully merit his reappointment to this professorship. We are pleased to recommend the reappointment of Kon-Well Wang as the Stephen P. Timoshenko Collegiate Professor of Mechanical Engineering, College of Engineering, effective September 1, 2013 through August 31, 2018.

RECOMMENDED BY: 

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

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY: 

Martha E. Pollack
Provost and Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs

May 2013
Recommendations for approval of joint or additional appointments
or transfers of regular associate or full professors and selected
academic administrative staff
Academic Administrative Appointment for a Faculty Member

NAME: Daniel A. Crane

CURRENT TITLES: Frederick Paul Furth, Sr. Professor of Law, and Professor of Law, with tenure, Law School

ADDITIONAL TITLE: Associate Dean for Academic Affairs, Law School

TERM: Three Years

EFFECTIVE DATES: July 1, 2013 through June 30, 2016

The Law School is pleased to recommend the appointment of Daniel A. Crane as associate dean for faculty and research, Law School, effective July 1, 2013 through June 30, 2016.

Daniel Crane received his Bachelor of Arts, magna cum laude, in 1991 from Wheaton College. He received his J.D., with honors, in 1996 from the University of Chicago Law School. He clerked for the Honorable Kenneth L. Ryskamp in the U.S. District Court for the Southern District of Florida from 1996 to 1997. He practiced law with the firm Morgan, Lewis & Bockius in Miami, Florida, from 1997 to 1999, and with the firm Paul, Weiss, Rifkind, Wharton & Garrison in New York, New York from 1999 to 2003. From 2003 to 2009, he was a faculty member of the Benjamin N. Cardozo School of Law, where he attained the rank of professor of law. He joined our faculty in 2009 as professor of law.

Professor Crane is an internationally renowned expert in antitrust law. His recent scholarship has focused primarily on antitrust and economic regulation, particularly the institutional structure of antitrust enforcement, predatory pricing, bundling, and the antitrust implications of various patent practices. His work has appeared in the University of Chicago Law Review, the California Law Review, the Michigan Law Review, and the Cornell Law Review, among other journals. He is the author of several books on antitrust law, including The Institutional Structure of Antitrust Enforcement (Oxford University Press, 2011).

It is with great enthusiasm that we recommend the appointment of Daniel A. Crane as associate dean for faculty and research, Law School, effective July 1, 2013 through June 30, 2016.

RECOMMENDED BY: Evan H. Caminker
Branch Rickey Collegiate Professor and Dean, Law School

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY: Martha E. Pollack
Provost and Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs

May 2013
THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Academic Administrative Appointment for a Faculty Member

NAME: Monica Hakimi

CURRENT TITLE: Assistant Professor of Law, Law School

ADDITIONAL TITLE: Associate Dean for Academic Affairs, Law School

TERM: Three Years

EFFECTIVE DATES: July 1, 2013 through June 30, 2016

The Law School is pleased to recommend the appointment of Monica Hakimi as associate dean for academic programming, Law School, effective July 1, 2013 through June 30, 2016.

Monica Hakimi received her Bachelor of Arts, summa cum laude, in 1997 from Duke University. She received her J.D. in 2001 from Yale Law School, where she was a Coker Fellow and articles editor of the Yale Human Rights and Development Law Journal. She clerked for the Honorable Kimba M. Wood in the U.S. District Court for the Southern District of New York from 2001 to 2002. She served in the U.S. Department of State, Office of the Legal Advisor, in Washington, D.C., from 2002 to 2006, first as attorney-advisor for International Claims and Investment Disputes (2002-2004) and then as attorney-advisor for Economic and Business Affairs (2004-2006). In these positions, among other things, she served as counsel before the Iran-United States Claims Tribunal and worked on cases before the International Court of Justice, U.S. federal courts, and administrative agencies. From 2006 to 2008, she was a visiting assistant professor of law at the Benjamin N. Cardozo School of Law. She joined our faculty in 2008.

Professor Hakimi teaches and writes on public international law and U.S. foreign relations law. Her research examines the informal and operational aspects of the international legal process and in the ways in which that process adapts to contemporary challenges in the contexts of international human rights law, the law of armed conflict, and the use of force. Her publications include articles in the Michigan Law Review, the Yale Journal of International Law, and the European Journal of International Law.

It is with great enthusiasm that we recommend the appointment of Monica Hakimi as associate dean for academic programming, Law School, effective July 1, 2013 through June 30, 2016.

RECOMMENDED BY:

Evan H. Caminker
Branch Rickey Collegiate Professor and Dean, Law School

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:

Martha E. Pollack
Provost and Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs

May 2013
THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Additional Appointment to an Endowed Professorship

NAME: Maha H.A. Hussain, M.D.

CURRENT TITLES: Professor of Internal Medicine, with tenure, and
Professor of Urology, without tenure, Medical School

ADDITIONAL TITLE: Cis Maisel Professor of Oncology, Medical School

EFFECTIVE DATES: May 1, 2013 through August 31, 2018

On the recommendation of Max S. Wicha, M.D., Distinguished Professor of Oncology, Professor of Internal Medicine and Urology, and Director of the Comprehensive Cancer Center, and with the concurrence of the Executive Committee of the Medical School, I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Maha H.A. Hussain, M.D. as the Cis Maisel Professor of Oncology, Medical School, effective May 1, 2013 through August 31, 2018.

The Cis Maisel Professorship in Oncology was established in 2013 to honor Geneva (Cis) Maisel Kellman for her continued support and significant contributions to the Comprehensive Cancer Center. This professorship is intended to be held by a tenured faculty member of the Comprehensive Cancer Center in a clinical oncology leadership position.

Maha Hussain received her M.D. in 1980 from the Baghdad University College of Medicine. She completed training in internal medicine and surgery in the United Kingdom and at Wayne State University. Dr. Hussain was appointed as an assistant professor at Wayne State University in 1989, and rose through the ranks to professor in 2001. She held a joint appointment at the Barbara Ann Karmanos Cancer Institute. Dr. Hussain joined the faculty at the University of Michigan in 2002 as a professor of Internal Medicine and Urology. She was appointed as associate director for clinical research at the University of Michigan Comprehensive Cancer Center, and co-leader of its Prostate Cancer Program. Dr. Hussain is the associate chief for clinical research in the Department of Internal Medicine, Division of Hematology/Oncology.

Dr. Hussain is an internationally renowned clinical researcher and an expert in genitourinary malignancies, particularly prostate and bladder cancers. Her research efforts are focused on the development of novel therapeutics, integrating scientific advances into clinical trials for prostate and bladder cancer. She has served on many committees for national organizations, including as chair for the FDA Oncology Drug Advisory Committee. Dr. Hussain has also served on the editorial board of numerous journals, including the Journal of Clinical Oncology. She is the associate editor of Genitourinary Cancers of the American Society of Clinical Oncology.
Dr. Hussain is a talented clinician and researcher. Her work in clinical oncology makes her a fitting candidate for this professorship. I am, therefore, pleased to recommend the appointment of Maha H.A. Hussain, M.D. as the Cis Maisel Professor of Oncology, Medical School, effective May 1, 2013 through August 31, 2018.

Recommended by:

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

Recommendation endorsed by:

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

Martha E. Pollack
Provost and Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs

May 2013
THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Additional Appointment to a Collegiate Professorship

NAME: Anna K. Mapp

CURRENT TITLE: Professor of Chemistry, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

ADDITIONAL TITLE: Edwin Vedejs Collegiate Professor of Chemistry, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

EFFECTIVE DATES: May 1, 2013 through August 31, 2018

With the endorsement of the Executive Committee of the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, we are pleased to recommend the appointment of Anna K. Mapp as the Edwin Vedejs Collegiate Professor of Chemistry, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective May 1, 2013 through August 31, 2018.

Edwin Vedejs was a faculty member at the University of Michigan from 1999 until his retirement in 2011. The Edwin Vedejs Professorship in Chemistry was established by the Regents in April 2013. A stipend funded from College resources will accompany this professorship.

Anna Mapp received her Doctorate from the University of California, Berkeley in 1997. Following a three-year National Institutes of Health post-doctoral fellowship, Professor Mapp began her career as an assistant professor at Michigan in 2000 and was promoted through the ranks to professor in 2010. She was an assistant professor in the College of Pharmacy (2000-2003) and was appointed as a research professor in the Life Sciences Institute in 2013.

Professor Mapp is gaining international recognition for her pioneering work in the field of understanding and regulating transcriptional activation. Her accomplishments are very impressive and the insights that she is gaining are of great importance. She has assembled a large team of coworkers, and she adopts very challenging techniques to solve the questions that her team pursues. Her seminal research at Michigan has resulted in over 40 published papers and reviews. Her program is exceptionally well funded with continuous grant support since 2008. The most recent of her many awards is the Arthur C. Cope Scholar Award from the American Chemical Society (2012). She continues to receive invitations to present her research at top institutions and for major symposia.

Professor Mapp is an outstanding teacher in the classroom as well as for the undergraduates, graduate students, and postdoctoral scholars who carry out research in her laboratory. She has been involved in the development of the graduate chemical biology curricula for a number of initiatives on campus, including developing syllabi for a two-semester course in chemical
biology that is the keystone of the interdepartmental Ph.D. program in this area. Professor Mapp has been an active mentor to undergraduate students in her laboratory.

We are very pleased to recommend the appointment of Anna K. Mapp as the Edwin Vedejs Collegiate Professor of Chemistry, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective May 1, 2013 through August 31, 2018.

Recommended by:

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

Recommendation endorsed by:

Martha E. Pollack, Provost and Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs

May 2013
THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Additional Appointment to a Collegiate Professorship

NAME: Adam J. Matzger

CURRENT TITLES: Professor of Chemistry, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, and Professor of Macromolecular Science and Engineering, without tenure, College of Engineering

ADDITIONAL TITLE: Charles G. Overberger Collegiate Professor of Chemistry, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts

EFFECTIVE DATES: May 1, 2013 through August 31, 2018

With the endorsement of the Executive Committee of the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, we are pleased to recommend the appointment of Adam J. Matzger as the Charles G. Overberger Collegiate Professor of Chemistry, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective May 1, 2013 through August 31, 2018.

Charles Overberger was a faculty member at the University of Michigan from 1967 until his retirement in 1989. The Charles G. Overberger Professorship in Chemistry was established by the Regents in April 2013. A stipend funded from College resources will accompany this professorship.

Adam Matzger received his Doctorate from the University of California, Berkeley in 1997. Following a two-year post-doctoral research appointment, Professor Matzger began his career as an assistant professor at Michigan in 2000 and was promoted through the ranks to professor in 2009.

Professor Matzger’s field of research is organic materials chemistry, especially solid-state materials. The goal of this work is to understand and control the structures and properties of organic solids and polymers. His research focuses on two areas: crystallization in two and three dimensions, and synthesis and analysis of novel materials. This has enormous potential for industrial applications. His seminal research has resulted in over 115 published papers, eight patents, and over 15 patent applications. His program is exceptionally well funded with continuous grant support since 2002. He is a fellow of the American Associate for the Advancement of Science (2010). He continues to receive invitations to present his research at top institutions and for major symposia.

Professor Matzger is an excellent teacher and research mentor to a large cohort of undergraduate and graduate students. He has the versatility to contribute to teaching efforts in organic chemistry and materials chemistry sub-disciplines, and students across the board give him
excellent ratings. He is committed to mentoring undergraduates in his laboratory and he has engaged numerous students in his research program.

We are very pleased to recommend the appointment of Adam J. Matzger as the Charles G. Overberger Collegiate Professor of Chemistry, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective May 1, 2013 through August 31, 2018.

Recommended by:

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

Recommendation endorsed by:

Martha E. Pollack, Provost and 
Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs

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

May 2013
I am pleased to recommend the appointment of John D. Meeker as associate dean for research, School of Public Health, effective May 1, 2013 through April 30, 2016.

Professor Meeker received a B.S. degree in industrial technology from Iowa State University in 1999. He received an M.S. degree in environmental science and engineering and a Sc.D. degree in exposure, epidemiology and risk from Harvard University in 2001 and 2004, respectively. He also completed a post-doctoral fellowship in environmental and reproductive epidemiology at Harvard University School of Public Health in 2005. He is a certified industrial hygienist. Professor Meeker joined the faculty at the University of Michigan in 2005 as assistant professor of environmental health sciences (EHS), School of Public Health. He was promoted to associate professor of environmental health sciences, with tenure, in 2011.

Professor Meeker is an outstanding mentor and innovative teacher whose courses are critical to the curriculum in the department and the school. He was one of four EHS faculty who spent the 2010-2011 year creating an innovative new core EHS curriculum that combines the learning objectives and competencies of what had previously been addressed in six separate lecture-format courses into a single two-course sequence that is fully integrated and largely based on case studies.

Professor Meeker’s work is wide-ranging, and focuses on defining sources, magnitudes and consequences of human exposure to environmental and occupational contaminants, as well as identifying and evaluating strategies to control harmful exposures. Much of his current research involves human exposure science and reproductive and developmental epidemiology studies of known or suspected endocrine disrupting chemicals, such as phthalates, BPA, pesticides, flame retardants, and others. Professor Meeker is the principal investigator on numerous large-scale research studies, is associate editor of Environmental Health Perspectives, and has served on numerous peer-review and advisory panels for EPA, NIH, and others in recent years.
By virtue of his academic credentials and teaching and research experience, Professor Meeker is highly qualified to deal with the duties of this position. It is a pleasure to recommend the appointment of John D. Meeker as associate dean for research, School of Public Health, effective May 1, 2013 through April 30, 2016.

RECOMMENDED BY:

[Signature]
Martin A. Philbert, Ph.D.
Dean, School of Public Health

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:

[Signature]
Martha E. Pollack
Provost and Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs

May 2013
THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Additional Appointment to an Unendowed Professorship

NAME: John Neville-Andrews

CURRENT TITLE: Professor of Theatre and Drama, with tenure, School of Music, Theatre & Dance

ADDITIONAL TITLE: Claribel Baird Halstead Professor, School of Music, Theatre & Dance

EFFECTIVE DATES: September 1, 2013 through May 31, 2016

On the recommendation of the School of Music, Theatre & Dance Executive Committee, I am pleased to recommend the appointment of John Neville-Andrews as the Claribel Baird Halstead Professor, School of Music, Theatre & Dance, effective September 1, 2013 through May 31, 2016.

The Regents established the Claribel Baird Halstead Professorship in September 1994, to honor Claribel Baird Halstead, an extraordinary member of the faculty in theatre from 1948 until her retirement as professor emerita in 1974.

Professor Neville-Andrews has more than 40 years of professional experience in acting, directing, and producing. He has taught at Penn State University, Yale School of Drama, the University of Maryland, the University of Rhode Island, and California Institute of the Arts. He joined the University of Michigan faculty in 1994. As the artistic producer of The Shakespeare Theatre in Washington, D.C., Professor Neville-Andrews garnered attention and critical acclaim for his productions of Shakespeare and the classics. He is co-author, actor and director of the enigmatic comedy *El Grande de Coca-Cola* (Drama Desk Award, Best Musical, 1972) and *Bullshot Crummond.*

Other credits as an actor and director include numerous productions at prominent regional theatres across the country, including Utah Shakespearean Festival, Yale Repertory Theatre, Williamstown Theatre Festival, The Olney Theatre, The Long Wharf Theatre, on Broadway (*The Elephant Man*) and off-Broadway (*The Homecoming,* and *Clarence*). Awards include the Smithsonian Institute’s Certificate of Excellence (*Playaround Shakespeare,* 1987), and the 1983 American Theatre Association Award for “contribution to Theatre as an Author, Actor and Director.” Recently, he directed national tours in the U.S. and Germany of the Gershwin musical *Crazy For You.* For 12 years, he has been the artistic producer of the Michigan Shakespeare Festival, the official Shakespeare festival in the State of Michigan.
Professor Neville-Andrews' exceptional commitment to stage performance exemplifies the legendary work of Professor Halstead. It is a pleasure to recommend John Neville-Andrews appointment as the Claribel Baird Halstead Professor, School of Music, Theatre & Dance, effective September 1, 2013 through May 31, 2016.

RECOMMENDED BY:

Christopher W. Kendall
Paul Boylan Collegiate Professor of Music and Dean, School of Music, Theatre & Dance

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:

Martha E. Pollack, Provost and Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs

May 2013
On the recommendation of James E. Carpenter, M.D., the Harold W. and Helen L. Gehring Professor and Chair of the Department of Orthopaedic Surgery, I am pleased to recommend the additional appointment of Paul Park, M.D. as associate professor of orthopaedic surgery, without tenure, Medical School, effective June 1, 2013.

Dr. Park began his career at the University of Michigan as a lecturer in the Department of Neurosurgery in 2005. He was appointed as an assistant professor in 2006, and promoted to associate professor, with tenure, in 2012.

Dr. Park is a principal investigator on a grant from the Society of Minimally Invasive Spine Surgery and is a co-investigator on two grants, one of which is a multi-center controlled trial. He serves on the editorial boards of the Open Spine Journal, the Spine Journal, Case Reports in Orthopedics, and the World Journal of Orthopedics. He has also been invited to teach nationally, regionally, and locally on minimally invasive spinal surgery. He has mentored spine research fellows, medical students, graduate students and undergraduate students over the course of his career at the University of Michigan.

Dr. Park’s expertise and impact in the area of the spine would make substantial contributions to the Department of Orthopaedic Surgery through collaborations in research and teaching. I am, therefore, pleased to recommend the additional appointment of Paul Park, M.D. as associate professor of orthopaedic surgery, without tenure, Medical School, effective June 1, 2013.

Recommended by:

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

Recommendation endorsed by:

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

Martha E. Pollack, Ph.D., Provost and Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs

May 2013
Additional Appointment to an Endowed Professorship

John Daniel Pasquale

Lecturer of Music, School of Music, Theatre & Dance

Donald R. Shepherd Chair in Conducting, School of Music, Theatre & Dance

Three Years, Renewable

June 1, 2013 through May 31, 2016

With the support of the School of Music, Theatre & Dance, I am pleased to recommend the appointment of John Daniel Pasquale as the Donald R. Shepherd Chair in Conducting, School of Music, Theatre & Dance, for a three-year renewable term, effective June 1, 2013 through May 31, 2016.

In December 1993, the Regents established the Donald R. Shepherd Chair in Conducting in recognition of a generous gift from Mr. Shepherd (BBA 1958) to support the salary of the member of the music faculty who is designated the director of the Michigan Marching Band.

Professor Pasquale received a D.M.A. degree in conducting from the University of Oklahoma at Norman in 2008. He also holds a M.M. degree in instrumental conducting from the University of Oklahoma and a B.M. Education degree from Texas Christian University in Fort Worth, Texas. He served as a conducting associate to the Wind Symphony, Opera Orchestra, “The Pride of Oklahoma” Marching Band, New Century Ensemble, Faculty Composer Concert Series, Symphony Band, Concert Band and the Weitenhoffer Family Department of Musical Theatre. In 2008, Professor Pasquale joined the conducting faculty at the University of Michigan serving as the assistant director of bands. In this position, he is the conductor of the University Band; conductor of the Campus “Maize” and “Blue” Bands; associate director of the Michigan Marching and Athletic Bands; director of the Michigan Hockey Band; guest conductor with the Symphony Band, Symphony Band Chamber Winds and Concert Band; inaugural conductor of the Alumni Concert Band; teaches conducting and program administration through independent study; and directs the summer program, “Instrumental Music Education in China: Cross-Cultural Performance and Pedagogy,” in Beijing, Shanghai and Xi’an, China. Professor Pasquale was promoted to the position of director of Michigan Marching and Athletic Bands effective June 1, 2013.
It gives me great pleasure to recommend the appointment of John Daniel Pasquale as the Donald R. Shepherd Chair in Conducting, School of Music, Theatre & Dance, for a three-year renewable term, effective June 1, 2013 through May 31, 2016.

RECOMMENDED BY:

[Signature]
Christopher W. Kendall
Paul Boylan Collegiate Professor of Music
and Dean, School of Music, Theatre & Dance

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:

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Martha E. Pollack
Provost and Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs

May 2013
The Law School is pleased to recommend the appointment of David A. Santacroce as associate dean for experiential education, Law School, effective July 1, 2013 through June 30, 2016.

David A. Santacroce received his Bachelor of Arts in 1986 from Connecticut College and his J.D. in 1992 from Pace University School of Law, where he was a managing editor of the *Pace Law Review*. From 1992 to 1997 he was an associate with the law firm Lane & Mittendorf in New York, New York. He received his LL.M. in 1997 from Columbia University School of Law, where he was a Harlan Fiske Stone Scholar. From 1997 to 2000, he was a senior staff attorney in the Sugar Law Center for Economic and Social Justice in Detroit, Michigan. He joined our faculty in 2000 and became clinical professor of law in 2007.

Professor Santacroce is a national leader in experiential legal education. He is a past chair of the Association of American Law Schools’ Section on Clinical Legal Education and former board member of the Clinical Legal Education Association. He is the founder and president of the Center for the Study of Applied Legal Education (CSALE), a nonprofit corporation housed at the Law School that is dedicated to the empirical study of applied legal education and the promotion of related scholarship. He is an extraordinarily gifted and dedicated teacher who has earned the admiration and respect of students and colleagues alike.

It is with great enthusiasm that we recommend the appointment of David A. Santacroce as associate dean for experiential education, Law School, effective July 1, 2013 through June 30, 2016.

**RECOMMENDED BY:**

Evan H. Caminker  
Branch Rickey Collegiate Professor and Dean, Law School

**RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:**

Martha E. Pollack  
Provost and Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs

May 2013
**THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN**  
**REGENTS COMMUNICATION**

**ACTION REQUEST:** Joint Appointment for a Faculty Member

**NAME:** Steven P. Schwendeman

**CURRENT TITLES:** Ara G. Paul Professor of Pharmaceutical Sciences, Chair, Department of Pharmaceutical Sciences, and Professor of Pharmaceutical Sciences, with tenure, College of Pharmacy

**ADDITIONAL TITLE:** Professor of Biomedical Engineering, without tenure, College of Engineering

**EFFECTIVE DATE:** September 1, 2013

On the recommendation of the Executive Committee of the College of Engineering, with the endorsement of the College of Pharmacy, I am pleased to recommend the joint appointment of Steven P. Schwendeman as professor of biomedical engineering, without tenure, Department of Biomedical Engineering, College of Engineering, effective September 1, 2013.

Professor Schwendeman earned his B.S. and M.S. degrees from the University of Michigan in 1986 and 1989, respectively. He remained at Michigan to complete his Ph.D. in pharmaceutics in 1992. He completed a post-doctoral fellowship in 1995 from the Massachusetts Institute of Technology. Immediately following his post-doctoral appointment, he was appointed as an assistant professor at The Ohio State University. He joined the University of Michigan faculty as an assistant professor in 2000. He was promoted to associate professor, with tenure, in 2002 and to professor in 2008.

The research focus in Professor Schwendeman’s laboratories involves the use of mechanistic approaches to control the release of biomacromolecular drugs and vaccine antigens from biodegradable polymers. The single most important consideration in this research area is the physical and chemical stability of the encapsulated drug. Therefore, his research group examines the underlying molecular mechanisms responsible for the instability of substances, particularly proteins, when encapsulated in the most commonly used material for controlled release, copolymers derived from lactic and glycolic acids (PLGA). From these mechanistic studies, new approaches are developed to formulate polymer delivery systems that prevent instability and can stabilize encapsulated drugs for more than a month of long-term drug release. Another newer area of interest is to expand the use of biomaterials, such as PLGA, by incorporating on their surfaces a new class of molecules, termed surface-active functional (SAF) polymers. Due to their surface-active nature, SAF polymers are easily surface-entrapped in PLGA, where a functional part of the molecule can then be utilized. Functional characteristics may include rendering the polymer conjugatable, DNA condensable, or invisible to the body’s natural particle uptake system. A final area of interest involves the theory of microencapsulation and developing entirely new methods for encapsulating substances.
With this joint appointment, Professor Schwendeman is ideally suited to assist the Department of Biomedical Engineering by his active involvement with research and students. I am pleased to recommend the joint appointment of Steven P. Schwendeman as professor of biomedical engineering, without tenure, Department of Biomedical Engineering, College of Engineering, effective September 1, 2013.

RECOMMENDED BY:

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

Frank J. Ascione
Dean, College of Pharmacy

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:

Martha E. Pollack
Provost and Executive Vice President
for Academic Affairs

May 2013
Academic Administrative Appointment for a Faculty Member

NAME: Elona D. Van Gent
CURRENT TITLE: Professor of Art, with tenure, Penny W. Stamps School of Art and Design
ADDITIONAL TITLE: Associate Dean for Academic Programs, Penny W. Stamps School of Art and Design
TERM: Three Years
EFFECTIVE DATES: July 1, 2013 through June 30, 2016

The Dean and the Executive Committee of the Penny W. Stamps School of Art and Design are pleased to recommend the appointment of Elona D. Van Gent as associate dean for academic programs, Penny W. Stamps School of Art and Design, for a three-year term, effective July 1, 2013 through June 30, 2016.

Professor Van Gent received a Bachelor of Arts degree from Hope College in 1984 and Master of Fine Arts degree from the Tyler School of Art at Temple University in 1989. She joined the Stamps School faculty in 2004 as a visiting associate professor, was granted tenure at the rank of associate professor in 2005, and was promoted to professor in 2012.

Professor Van Gent is a compelling teacher and mentor, an accomplished artist and designer, and a fully-engaged citizen of the academy. She has held leadership positions in the international professional organization SIGGRAPH and completed CIC academic leadership training. In the Stamps School, she has led efforts to further refine the school’s undergraduate curriculum and has successfully built faculty consensus around a range of challenging pedagogical issues.

As associate dean for academic programs, Professor Van Gent will provide operational oversight of all undergraduate and graduate programs in the school. Her responsibilities include student recruitment, admission and retention, curricula development, accreditation compliance, and serving as a member of the school’s senior leadership team. Professor Van Gent is well prepared to meet the challenges of this important role in the school.

We are very pleased to recommend the appointment of Elona D. Van Gent as associate dean for academic programs, Penny W. Stamps School of Art and Design, for a three-year term, effective July 1, 2013 through June 30, 2016.

RECOMMENDED BY:

Gunalan Nadarajan
Dean and Professor, Penny W. Stamps School of Art and Design

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:

Martha E. Pollack
Provost and Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs

May 2013
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Recommendations for approval of leaves of absence
for regular instructional staff and selected academic administrative staff
THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Approval of Extension of Leave for a Faculty Member

NAME: Lada Adamic

CURRENT TITLES: Associate Professor of Information, with tenure, School of Information, Associate Professor of the Study of Complex Systems, with tenure, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, and Associate Professor of Electrical Engineering and Computer Science, without tenure, College of Engineering

TYPE OF LEAVE: Research Leave

DATES OF CURRENT LEAVE: September 1, 2012 through May 31, 2013

TIME EXTENSION REQUESTED: September 1, 2013 through May 31, 2014

It is recommended that Lada Adamic be granted an extension of leave of absence for academic year 2013-2014, effective September 1, 2013 through May 31, 2014.

Professor Adamic is currently on a research leave of absence with Facebook. She is working with Facebook as a research collaborator on projects pertaining to information exchange. We would like to extend Professor Adamic’s research leave by one year so that she can continue to work on this long term research project on information dynamics in online social spaces.

We request approval of this extension of leave of absence for Professor Lada Adamic.

RECOMMENDED BY:

Jeffrey MacKie-Mason
Arthur W. Burks Collegiate Professor of Information and Computer Science, and Dean, School of Information

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

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:

Martha E. Pollack
Provost and Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs

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

May 2013
ACTION REQUEST: Approval of Extension of Leave for a Faculty Member

NAME: Rahul Sami

CURRENT TITLE: Associate Professor of Information, with tenure, School of Information

TYPE OF LEAVE: Research Leave

DATES OF CURRENT LEAVE: September 1, 2012 through May 31, 2013

TIME EXTENSION REQUESTED: September 1, 2013 through May 31, 2014

It is recommended that Rahul Sami be granted an extension of leave of absence for academic year 2013-2014, effective September 1, 2013 through May 31, 2014.

Professor Sami is currently on a research leave of absence in India. He is working with Google India Pvt Ltd as a software engineer. We would like to extend Professor Sami’s research leave by one year so that he can work on translating research on economic and strategic aspects of online systems into technology products.

We request approval of this extension of leave of absence for Professor Rahul Sami.

RECOMMENDED BY:

Jeffrey MacKee-Mason
Arthur W. Burks Collegiate Professor of Information and Computer Science, and Dean, School of Information

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:

Martha E. Pollack
Provost and Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs

May 2013
Establishing and renaming professorships and selected academic administrative positions.
We wish to recommend the establishment of associate dean for academic programming, Law School, effective June 1, 2013.

The new associate dean for academic programming will have responsibility for some duties formerly handled by the associate dean for academic affairs in the Law School. These duties include, but are not limited to, organization and development of the curriculum, management and hiring of adjunct faculty, personnel matters, and supervision of the Office of Student Affairs.

The new associate dean for academic programming will work under the direct supervision of the dean of the Law School.

We therefore request the establishment of this new academic position.

RECOMMENDED BY: Evan H. Caminker
Branch Rickey Collegiate Professor and Dean, Law School

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY: Martha E. Pollack
Provost and Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs

May 2013
I am requesting approval to establish the position of vice provost for digital educational initiatives, Office of the Provost and Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs, effective July 1, 2013.

The vice provost for digital educational initiatives position is being created in response to the rapid changes taking place in educational technology for higher education. The new vice provost will ensure that the University of Michigan—Ann Arbor takes a leadership position in the adoption of this technology, deploying it in ways that preserve and enhance its traditional strengths in teaching and learning. The new vice provost for digital educational initiatives will be responsible for developing strategies and policies for the use of educational technology across the university, for coordinating cross-campus efforts, and for providing academic, administrative and financial recommendations relevant to all aspects of campus-wide digital educational initiatives. The scope of work will include educational technology that enhances the effectiveness and efficiency of on-campus teaching, as well as educational technology expands the university’s outreach to new audiences.

We therefore request the establishment of this new academic position.

Respectfully submitted,

Martha E. Pollack  
Provost and Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs

May 2013
We wish to recommend the establishment of associate dean for experiential education, Law School, effective June 1, 2013.

The new associate dean for experiential education will have responsibility for all duties formerly handled by the associate dean for clinical affairs in the Law School, as well as responsibility for experiential learning opportunities at the Law School that have developed largely over the last decade. These duties include, but are not limited to, supervision of the clinical programs, externships, and practice simulation, and coordination of the clinical program with the legal writing program.

The new associate dean for experiential education will work under the direct supervision of the dean of the Law School.

We therefore request the establishment of this new academic position.

RECOMMENDED BY: Evan H. Caminker
Branch Rickey Collegiate Professor and Dean, Law School

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY: Martha E. Pollack
Provost and Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs

May 2013
ACTION REQUEST: Establishment of a New Academic Administrative Position

POSITION TITLE: Associate Dean for Faculty and Research, Law School

EFFECTIVE DATE: June 1, 2013

We wish to recommend the establishment of associate dean for faculty and research, Law School, effective June 1, 2013.

The new associate dean for faculty and research will have responsibility for some duties formerly handled by the associate dean for academic affairs in the Law School. These duties include, but are not limited to, junior faculty development, research support, speaker series, workshops creation and organization, teaching support, and the advancement of faculty intellectual life.

The new associate dean for faculty and research will work under the direct supervision of the dean of the Law School.

We therefore request the establishment of this new academic position.

RECOMMENDED BY: Martha E. Pollack
Branch Rickey Collegiate Professor and Dean, Law School

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:

May 2013
THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Establishment of a Collegiate Professorship

PROPOSED NAME: Michael Savageau Collegiate Professorship, Medical School

EFFECTIVE DATE: May 1, 2013

On the recommendation of the Executive Committee of the Medical School, I am pleased to recommend the establishment of the Michael Savageau Collegiate Professorship, Medical School, effective May 1, 2013.

This professorship is being established through funds generated from the G. Carl Huber Professorship in Developmental Biology. The holder of this professorship will be a faculty member in the Medical School as determined by the dean of the Medical School. The appointment period may be up to five years and may be renewed.

Michael Savageau received his Ph.D. degree in systems engineering and cell physiology from Stanford University in 1967. He completed post-doctoral fellowships at Stanford and UCLA before joining the faculty at the University of Michigan in 1992. He was chair of the Department of Microbiology and Immunology until 2002. Dr. Savageau was named the Nicolas Rashevsky Distinguished University Professor in 2002. He was appointed as a professor at the University of California, Davis in 2003 and chaired the Department of Biomedical Engineering there from 2005 to 2007.

Dr. Savageau is one of the pioneers in the field of systems biology. His focus of research is quantitative systems biology aimed at further elucidation of biological design. Dr. Savageau wrote Biochemical Systems Analysis: A Study of Function and Design in Molecular Biology, and is considered a forerunner to the field of functional genomics. He is an Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers fellow, a Guggenheim Fellow, a Fulbright Senior Research Fellow at the Max-Planck-Institute für Biophysikalische Chemie in Göttingen, Germany, and a fellow at the Institut des Hautes Études Scientifiques Award from Bures-sur-Yvette, France. He has received an honorary Ph.D. from the University of Lleida in Spain.

Dr. Savageau was founder and director of the Bioinformatics program at the University of Michigan and has developed the field of biochemical systems analysis. This professorship will continue to honor his groundbreaking research in this field. I am pleased, therefore, to recommend the establishment of the Michael Savageau Collegiate Professorship, Medical School, effective May 1, 2013.

Recommended by:

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

Recommendation endorsed by:

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

Martha E. Pollack
Provost and Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs

May 2013
THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST: Establishment of a Research Professorship

PROPOSED NAME: Rosa Casco Solano-Lopez Research Professorship in Child and Adolescent Psychiatry, Medical School

EFFECTIVE DATE: May 1, 2013

On the recommendation of Gregory W. Dalack, M.D., Associate Professor and Chair of the Department of Psychiatry, and the Executive Committee of the Medical School, I am pleased to recommend the establishment of the Rosa Casco Solano-Lopez Research Professorship in Child and Adolescent Psychiatry, Medical School, effective May 1, 2013.

This professorship is being established through a generous donation from Carlos Solano-Lopez, M.D. to benefit children with psychiatric issues that may result in speech impairment. The holder of this professorship will be a faculty member in the Medical School who is also a member of the Section of Child and Adolescent Psychiatry within the Department of Psychiatry. The appointment period may be up to five years and may be renewed.

Carlos Solano-Lopez received his M.D. from the Universidad Nacional de Asunción, in Paraguay in 1984. He completed an internship there and came to the University of Michigan to complete a residency and fellowship in psychiatry. Dr. Solano-Lopez began his career at the Battle Creek Veteran’s Administration Hospital and has remained there ever since. When he was growing up, he had difficulty speaking; he stuttered. His own speech impairment resolved itself when he reached adulthood, however, it has made him acutely aware of the impact stuttering and other communication disorders can have on the lives of children and adolescents.

Dr. Solano-Lopez’s intent is to allow for a more in-depth focus on children who have the most severe forms of speech impairment and to treat the psychiatric sequelae. He has chosen the University of Michigan for his gift, based on his experience with the psychiatry service and the speech pathology service and their effectiveness is in treating speech impairments. He chose the title of this professorship to honor his mother, Rosa Casco Solano-Lopez, who died in 2011. She was a secretary in Paraguay, and dedicated herself to raising her three children. Dr. Solano-Lopez has very good memories of his mother and felt it was fitting to name the professorship in her memory.
This professorship will further research, teaching and clinical care in the field of speech impairment in order to help children and adolescents. I am pleased, therefore, to recommend the establishment of the Rosa Casco Solano-Lopez Research Professorship in Child and Adolescent Psychiatry, Medical School, effective May 1, 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

Martha E. Pollack
Provost and Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs

May 2013
Recommendations for approval of other personnel transactions
for regular instructional staff and selected academic administrative staff
On the recommendation of the Executive Committees of the Honors Program and the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, we are pleased to recommend the appointment of Jacques Mistral as the Helen L. DeRoy Visiting Professor in Honors, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2013 through December 31, 2013.

The Helen L. DeRoy Visiting Professorship in Honors was established by the Regents in 1981 to support the University's Honors Program. The Honors Program DeRoy Visiting Professorship Subcommittee selects and nominates distinguished visitors, with preference to those outside the academy, to teach in the Honors Program.

Professor Mistral received his Doctorate from the University of Paris I in 1977. He has served as an economist in the French government and industry, and in the French embassy in Washington, D.C. as part of the diplomatic mission to the United States. He has been an active academic, pursuing scholarly research and teaching at the Ecole Nationale de la Statistique et de l'Administration Economique, the Ecole Polytechnique, and the Ecole Sciences-Politiques. He has also been a visiting fellow at the Brookings Institute and at Harvard University, where he was also appointed in the Kennedy School of Government as the Pierre Keller Visiting Professor of Public Policy. He has an international reputation and his work in macroeconomics, economic policy, and international economics has resulted in many publications and presentations.

Professor Mistral will teach a course for Honors students on the political economy of Europe and the Eurozone. He will also give a public lecture and maintain a presence in the Honors Program so that students may consult with him. The Department of Economics and the Gerald R. Ford School of Public Policy have also expressed interest in hosting events featuring Professor Mistral.

We are very pleased to recommend the appointment of Jacques Mistral as the Helen L. DeRoy Visiting Professor in Honors, College of Literature, Science, and the Arts, effective September 1, 2013 through December 31, 2013.

RECOMMENDED BY:

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

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:

Martha E. Pollack, Provost and Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs

May 2013
ACTION REQUEST: Appointment of an Academic Administrative Appointment
NAME: Roopal R. Shah
RECOMMEND TITLE: Assistant Dean for International Affairs, Law School
EFFECTIVE DATES: May 6, 2013 through August 31, 2015

It is respectfully requested that the Regents approve the appointment of Roopal R. Shah as assistant dean for international affairs, Law School, effective May 6, 2013 through August 31, 2015. Her responsibilities will not include teaching obligations.

Ms. Shah received a B.A. degree, magna cum laude, from Harvard University in 1981 and a J.D. degree from the University of Michigan Law School in 1995. Before coming to the University of Michigan she clerked for Judge David A. Ezra in Hawaii in 1995-96; then became an associate in the law firm of Shearman & Sterling in Washington, DC from 1996-98. After that, Ms. Shah was an assistant United States attorney in border crimes, major narcotics and terrorism divisions from 1999-2003. In 2001, became co-founder, executive director and board chair of Indicorps in India where she has worked until joining Michigan. She also co-founded and coached for Ahmedabad Ultimate in India from 2003-2010.

Ms. Shah will be responsible for all of the international affairs in the Law School. As such, she is the administrative head of the Law School’s Center for International & Comparative Law. The purpose of the center is to foster a synergistic interrelationship between faculty and student endeavors, the Law School and other departments of the university, and academic and nonacademic programming. Ms. Shah will be responsible for the counseling of our foreign graduate students and research scholars, the establishment of curricular and extracurricular programs for visiting international faculty and students interested in international matters, the creation and administration of externships and study abroad for our domestic students, and much of our foreign alumni relations.

The appointment of Ms. Shah will provide strong and experienced leadership to the Law School in this important role. It is with great enthusiasm that we recommend the appointment of Roopal R. Shah as assistant dean for international affairs, Law School, effective May 6, 2013 through August 31, 2015.

RECOMMENDED BY:

Evan H. Caminker
Branch Rickey Collegiate Professor and Dean, Law School

RECOMMENDATION ENDORSED BY:

Martha E. Pollack, Provost and Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs

May 2013
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 Academic Administrative Appointment

NAME: Mesut Duran

CURRENT TITLES: Associate Dean for Research and Administrative Affairs, and Associate Professor of Technology, with tenure, School of Education

TITLE BEING RENEWED: Associate Dean for Research and Administrative Affairs, School of Education

TERM: One Year

EFFECTIVE DATES: July 1, 2013 through June 30, 2014

On the recommendation of the dean of the School of Education, and the provost and vice chancellor for academic affairs, I am pleased to recommend the reappointment of Mesut Duran as associate dean for research and administrative affairs, School of Education, for a one-year term, effective July 1, 2013 through June 30, 2014.

Professor Duran received his Bachelor of Arts in education from Hacettepe University in 1988; his Master’s of Education in 1996 and his Ph.D. in curriculum and instruction in 2000, both from Ohio University. He joined the faculty of the School of Education at the University of Michigan-Dearborn in 2000 and commenced his current appointment as associate dean in July 2010.

Professor Duran teaches the educational technology courses in the School of Education’s undergraduate and graduate teacher education programs. His research and teaching focus on the integration of technology into teacher preparation programs. Professor Duran’s specialty areas include technology integration in teacher preparation programs and his interests combine to promote the comparative use of education and technology to engender educational policies that support teaching. He is the principal investigator and project director of a major federal grant project involving School of Education, College of Arts, Sciences, and Letters, and the College of Engineering and Computer Science faculty, as well as several schools and districts in our region. He has served as a member of the Faculty Senate, various School of Education committees, technology committee, advisory committee, and a member of Information Technology Services task force. He has been recognized for his outstanding research from the Education Development Center, Inc., Washington, DC; Society for Information Technology & Teacher Education; the Consortium for Outstanding Achievement in Teaching with Technology and the Chancellor’s Recognition Award for Outstanding Achievement in External Grant Support.
Professor Duran will bring the same collaborative leadership style that distinguished his teaching and research, as well as the capacity to effectively advance important on-going curricular and outreach initiatives within the School of Education. I am very pleased to recommend the reappointment of Mesut Duran as associate dean for research and administrative affairs, School of Education, for a one-year term, effective July 1, 2013 through June 30, 2014.

Recommended by:

Daniel Little, Chancellor
University of Michigan–Dearborn

May 2013
ACTION REQUEST: Reappointment of an Academic Administrative Appointment

NAME: Paul R. Fossum

CURRENT TITLE: Associate Dean of Academic Affairs, and Associate Professor of Education, with tenure, School of Education

TITLE BEING RENEWED: Associate Dean of Academic Affairs, School of Education

TERM: One Year

EFFECTIVE DATES: July 1, 2013 through June 30, 2014

On the recommendation of the dean of the School of Education, and the provost and vice chancellor for academic affairs, I am pleased to recommend the reappointment of Paul R. Fossum as associate dean of academic affairs, School of Education, for a one-year term, effective July 1, 2013 through June 30, 2014.

Professor Fossum received his Bachelor of Arts in English and music teaching at the University of Montana in 1980; his Master of Arts in political science from Boston University in 1992; and his Ph.D. in educational policy in 1996. He joined the faculty of the School of Education at the University of Michigan-Dearborn in 1997 and commenced his current appointment as associate dean in July 2010.

Professor Fossum teaches the educational foundations courses in the School of Education’s undergraduate and graduate teacher education programs. His research and teaching focus on teacher professionalism and teacher empowerment. Professor Fossum’s specialty areas include the history and philosophy of education and his interests combine to promote the comparative use of education and technology to engender educational policies that support teaching. He has been a leader in technology programs for teachers. He co-directed a major federal grant project involving School of Education, College of Arts, Sciences, and Letters, and Henry Ford Community College faculty, as well as several schools and districts in our region. He has served as chair of the Faculty Senate, and a member of the University of Michigan Senate Assembly. He has previously served as interim dean and currently directs the Master of Arts in Teaching program in the School of Education.

Professor Fossum will bring the same collaborative leadership style that distinguished his service on the Faculty Senate, as well as the capacity to effectively advance important on-going curricular and outreach initiatives within the School of Education. I am very pleased to recommend the reappointment of Paul R. Fossum as associate dean of academic affairs, School of Education, for a one-year term, effective July 1, 2013 through June 30, 2014.

Recommended by:

Daniel Little, Chancellor
University of Michigan–Dearborn

May 2013
THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN

Regents Communication

UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN - DEARBORN

Recommendations for approval of joint or additional appointments
or transfers of regular associate or full professors and selected
academic administrative staff
On the recommendation of the provost and vice chancellor for academic affairs, I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Martin J. Hershock as dean, College of Arts, Sciences, and Letters, University of Michigan-Dearborn, effective July 1, 2013 through June 30, 2018.

Professor Hershock received his A.B. in 1985 from University of Michigan-Dearborn and his M.A. and Ph.D. in history in 1988 and 1996, from Wayne State University and the University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, respectively. Prior to coming to UM-Dearborn, Professor Hershock served on the faculty at Hobart and William Smith Colleges. In 1999, he was appointed as an assistant professor of history in the Department of Social Sciences, promoted to associate professor, with tenure, in September 2005, and to professor, with tenure, in September 2012.


Professor Hershock has served on the CASL Faculty Board of Advisors, the Social Sciences Executive Committee, and has been a part of the distance learning faculty. He has also been history discipline chair, chair of the Department of Social Sciences and CASL Faculty Secretary. Recently he has been serving as historical consultant on the Teaching American History Grant, awarded by the US Department of Education to the Plymouth-Canton and Inkster School Districts, and as a humanities scholar for the NEH’s Division of Education’s Landmarks of American History Workshops for Teachers at the Henry Ford.
I am pleased to recommend the appointment of Martin J. Hershock as dean, College of Arts, Sciences, and Letters, University of Michigan-Dearborn, effective July 1, 2013 through June 30, 2018.

Recommended by:

Daniel Little, Chancellor
University of Michigan-Dearborn

May 2013