

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN

Regents Communication

ACTION REQUEST

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

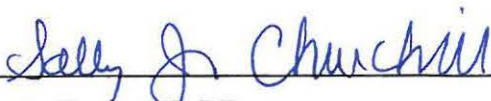
Gregory P. Graziano, M.D., associate professor of orthopaedic surgery in the Medical School, retired from active faculty status on November 12, 2014.

Dr. Graziano received his B.S. (1979) degree from the University of Wisconsin-Parkside and his M.D. (1983) degree from the Medical College of Wisconsin. He completed his surgery internship (1983-84) and orthopaedic residency (1984-88) at the Indiana University Medical Center and a spine fellowship (1988-89) at the State University of New York at Buffalo. He joined the University of Michigan faculty as an instructor in 1989, and was promoted to assistant professor in 1991, and associate professor in 1995.

Dr. Graziano played an instrumental role in the establishment of the spine program in the Orthopaedic Surgery section. He developed a strong program in spinal surgery concentrating on revision surgery, spinal deformities, and cervical deformity. He authored over 100 articles, book chapters, and abstracts. Dr. Graziano's papers on cervical deformity fixation, osteoporotic bone, and quality of life after kyphoplasty have established him as a widely known and often-referenced figure. He was actively involved in a number of national professional organizations, including the American Academy of Orthopaedic Surgeons, the American Orthopaedic Association, and the Mid-America Orthopaedic Association.

The Regents now salute this distinguished leader, accomplished scholar and tireless educator by naming **Gregory P. Graziano, associate professor emeritus of orthopaedic surgery**.

Requested by:



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